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BELIEVE WAR IS AT AN END

THE BOERS HAVE SOME DIFFICULTY IN QUIETING THE IRRECONCILABLES, BUT IT IS BELIEVED THAT THIS WILL BE ACCOMPLISHED WITHIN A DAY OR TWO, WHEN THE TERMS OF PEACE WILL BE SIGNED BY BOTH PARTIES.

London, May 23.—The Associated Press has every reason to believe that peace in South Africa is practically secured. How soon it will be announced depends apparently more on the convenience of the Boer leaders than upon the inclination of the British Government. The private and official advice received to-night in London from South Africa all point to the same conclusion. The delay is technical, and to end the long war seems to be the desire of both British and Boer leaders, the latter however, are unable to convince all their followers of the wisdom of acquiescing to the terms of peace. Information as to what transpired at to-day's meeting of the Cabinet is closely guarded, but it is not likely that the Cabinet transactions were of vital import. The surmise of the well informed person places the sum total of the deliberations of the Cabinet Ministers at a decision regarding points of the peace agreement of entirely minor importance. Another surmise is that the Cabinet has merely sent a rather mock ultimatum to South Africa, which can be used by the Boer leaders in explanation to their forces. Both these surmises probably contain an element of truth, but neither can in any way effect the widespread belief in the best informed quarters that the end of the war has come. In fact, those persons who are best acquainted with the actual details of the present negotiations, only qualify this optimistic expression of opinion by guarded reservations concerning the extent of the personal control of the Boer leaders over their commanders. Were the Boers a thoroughly disciplined force, dependent upon the action of their general officers, peace would probably be proclaimed to-night, but both De Wet and other generals seem themselves unable positively to guarantee the degree to which their example will be followed. The delegates at Vereeniging, according to information in possession of the War Office, are fairly evenly divided. Consequently extreme precautions are exercised, both in London and Pretoria, to prevent any premature action or report which might adversely influence the bargaining. The most pessimistic forecasts heard to-night only admit that a few isolated bands of irreconcilables may be left in the field. A member of the House of Commons, who is in close touch with the Government, said to a representative of the Associated Press to-night that he believed everything was settled and the British terms would be found unexpectedly liberal.

The British public is still quite ignorant of the course of events in South Africa, and there are no demonstrations to-night on the London streets, although on all sides the question asked is: "Is it peace?" On the other hand, the "Peace Exchange" throughout the day was a seething mass of brokers who eagerly sought South African shares, while long after the closing of the Exchange nearly a thousand brokers crowded Throgmorton streets and did a frantic cash business on the strength of the outlook.

The appearance of Mr. Broderick, the Secretary of State for War, at the Volunteer Service dinner was watched eagerly in the hope of gaining an inkling of the Government's private mind. But Mr. Broderick's listeners had to be contented with one brief and abruptly turned reference

to the present situation. Responding to the toast, "the Imperial forces," the War Secretary said: "I would go beyond my duty should I enter into details of the communications which are now passing, and which include, as we all hope, the surrender of the Boers." Mr. Broderick then proceeded to reiterate the officially declared intention of the Government not to be drawn into any compromise which would jeopardize further peace in South Africa.

THE RUMORS AT PRETORIA.

Pretoria, May 22.—The feeling here, which has been decidedly pessimistic for several days, is now more cheerful, though no real news of the conference between Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner and the Boer delegates has been allowed to leak out. It is known, however, that the delegates came to Pretoria as the result of a complete deadlock at Vereeniging, where the Free Staters held out for independence and the majority of the Transvaalers, though anxious for peace, refused to abandon their allies. This is the cause of the Boer delegation being now here. It was at first thought that the delegates would merely report a refusal to accept the British terms. Everybody expected them to depart immediately and that hostilities would actively recommence. To the general surprise, however, the delegates are still here and the hopefulness of to-day is the outcome of the general expectation that some arrangement is pending which may solve the difficulty.

ENGLISH THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGE
Manila, May 23.—The United States Commission has made English the official language of the Courts, Customs service and Court of Appeals.

DEAD FROM ENTERIC
Ottawa, May 23.—Lord Minto reported the following deaths to-day:—Cape Town, May 23.—Died from enteric fever, 22nd May, Vryburg, Canadian Mounted Rifles, 73, Farrier Sergeant C. R. Margeson. (Signed) Casualty Department.

FLOODS IN THE NORTHWEST

Medicine Hat, N.W.T., May 23.—The river last night rose beyond all previous records. A number of houses distant from the river bank are flooded. The water is still rising rapidly, and greatly endangering property. Lethbridge, N.W.T., May 23.—P. M. Burns, who walked from Macleod on the railway track, has just arrived here and states that the bridge over the Belly River near Strin's ranch has gone out. Yesterday a man, evidently dead and half submerged, was seen by B. T. Whitney lying over a boat sweeping down the river.

CROPS IN THE NORTHWEST

Winnipeg, May 2.—W. L. Parrish, secretary of the Northwest Grain Dealer's Association, has compiled the following statement regarding the crop conditions in the Northwest from circulars sent out on May 1. Answers from thirteen points show conditions when tabulated as follows: Wheat acreage, compared with last year, 103. Oats acreage as compared with last year, 105. Flax acreage as compared with last year, 105. The following replies were given as to the season being favorable or otherwise: Good 7; fair 10; late 12; unfavorable 10. The Red River Valley shows considerable decrease in wheat acreage and a few other portions of Manitoba, on account of too much rain, but from the 83 points in Manitoba the percentage shows 78.98 and the 21 points in the Northwest Territories show the acreage to be 19.29 as compared with last year. The wheat land is now practically all seeded and the weather has been of the most favorable kind to make rapid growth.

MUCH IMPROVED IN HEALTH.

News was received here yesterday that Miss Jeanne Bosse, who was reported rather seriously ill at Saranac Lake a few days ago, was much improved in health, and it is needless to say that the news was received with great pleasure by her numerous friends.

ABANDONMENT OF MARTINIQUE

Its Necessity Contemplated by French Government

A FRENZIED RUSH TO ESCAPE

THE VOLCANO REPORTED IN A MOST DANGEROUS CONDITION TO THE WHOLE ISLAND AND THE SOLE IDEA IS FLIGHT—MANY ARE DRIVEN MAD, AND SOME THROW THEMSELVES IN THE SEA—MR. KADISH'S EXPERIENCE.

Paris, May 23.—A despatch from Fort de France, Martinique, published this morning in Le Journal, says the sole idea of the inhabitants is flight, that many of them have become insane, and some of the people threw themselves into the sea. The population of the Grand Riviere district is isolated and assistance cannot reach them. In conclusion Le Journal's correspondent says there are vague rumors at Fort de France of further disasters. The Ministry of the Colonies has not received any despatch from the Island of Martinique. The Government is considering the possibility of necessity for the evacuation of Fort de France, and even of the whole island. The Ministers do not believe that any such emergency will arise, but they are taking all the necessary measures to meet it if it does. The Minister of the Colonies M. de Cretet, called the following to Governor L'Heureux yesterday.

"Make known if the situation seems to you to necessitate partial or total evacuation of the island, the means at your disposal or those you may need."

Fort de France, May 22.—Thousands left Fort de France to-day. Some have gone into the mountains, to almost certain starvation, preferring that to the fate that would be theirs if the lava of Mount Pelée buried them in the ruins of the city. Others have gone to nearby islands, to depend upon the charity of strangers. Every ship in the harbor is constantly crowded with those who would flee at the next appearance of great danger. Clustered about the ships are small boats filled with natives, who beg to be taken on board. Hundreds finding it impossible to obtain boats to take them to the ships, swam out, risking their lives in the water to avoid the danger which fills them with more terrible dread.

One who took this mode of escape was Richard Kadish, of Westminster Park, Manchester, England. Mr. Kadish has been travelling through Venezuela with William R. Grace, Jr., of New York, and arrived here a few days ago. When the culminating explosion came, yesterday morning, and fear struck the heart of every person on the island, Mr. Kadish rushed to the shore and plunged into the water. He succeeded in removing his shoes, and then, kicking off his trousers. Being then little weighted with clothing, he struck out for the British cruiser Indefatigable, which was nearly a mile off shore, with steam up and a ready to put to sea. He reached the ship safely, though much exhausted. Mr. Kadish remained until evening, when he returned to shore, the explosions having perceptibly lessened.

The scientists and others on the United States naval training ship Dixie visited the ruins of St. Pierre yesterday afternoon. The eruption of Mount Pelée on the 20th was much greater than the previous one of May 8. The northern city is now entirely buried, and new fissures are opening. Professor Jagger, the Harvard geologist, says the volcano is now in a most dangerous condition to the whole island. There is no evidence of lava. The people were killed by an explosive volcano, which bore with it a wave of burning gas. No lapilli were found, but there was much volcanic dust which bore great similarity to that at Pompeii, but was more destructive. The entire island is in danger. There is plenty of food here. The Dixie discharged part of her supplies here and sailed to-day for St. Vincent. After unloading there she will return to Fort de France.

TO SURVEY THE BOUNDARY

Ottawa, May 23.—Members of the Geological Survey staff will leave next week to resume work on re-surveying the international boundary line between British Columbia and the States. This line, technically known as the 45th parallel, has become obliterated and work was commenced last year to re-locate the marks showing the boundary. The work will take several years to complete.

The fellow who spends all his money over a bar is not the one to liquidate a debt.

GUATAMALA IS AGAIN STRICKEN

Town of Quetzaltenango Entirely Destroyed

EARTHQUAKE CAUSED DAMAGE

THE SHOCK LASTED THREE-QUARTERS OF A MINUTE AND WAS PARTICULARLY SEVERE—BUSINESS IN GUATEMALA IS ENTIRELY SUSPENDED AND THE COFFEE CROP IS DESTROYED—NO DETAILS AS TO LOSS OF LIFE ARE YET OBTAINABLE.

Hamburg, May 23.—A special despatch to the Hamburg Doerssen Halle, from Guatemala, says that the town of Quetzaltenango has been wholly destroyed by an earthquake which lasted three-quarters of a minute. Business is entirely suspended in Guatemala and a great part of the coffee crop there has been destroyed. It was reported from Guatemala City, April 20th, that earthquake shocks, which were general throughout that country, April 18th, 19th and 20th, partly obliterated the town of Quetzaltenango and badly damaged Amatitlan, Solola, Nahuala, Santa Lucia and San Juan.

Two hundred persons were reported killed, mostly women, and many people were injured. Quetzaltenango has a population of about 25,000 people, is handsomely built and well paved and has a richly decorated Cathedral, several other churches and a fine City Hall.

WILL UNITE THEIR ENERGIES

AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE DOMINION COAL COMPANY AND THE DOMINION STEEL CO. WHICH WILL EFFECT A CONSIDERABLE SAVING.

Montreal, May 23.—The agreement between the Dominion Coal Co. and the Dominion Steel Co., by which the latter secures a lease of the Coal Company on the payment of eight per cent on the common stock, was ratified at a meeting of the directors of both companies to-day. It was agreed that the royalty to be paid by the Steel Company on all coal in excess of 3,500,000 tons should be reduced from 15 to 7½c. a ton. This will effect a considerable annual saving. The Steel Company will also secure all the assets of the Coal Company as well as assuming the liabilities.

BRIEFLETS OF THE DAY

Rat Portage, Ont., May 23.—W. A. McLeod, the Rat Portage merchant charged with fraudulently obtaining some thousands of dollars from the Bank of Ottawa, has been committed for trial.

Hamilton, Ont., May 23.—A severe thunder and wind storm struck this city a few minutes after six o'clock yesterday evening. A brick house in course of erection for A. B. Birrell on Vine street was wrecked.

Paris, May 23.—The Colonial Office has issued a denial of the report that 20,000 natives of Laos, French Indo-China, have started a revolution. Fifteen hundred rebels crossed the Mekong river and attacked Savanek-hok, but were repulsed.

New York, May 23.—Captain M. Hansen, of the Norwegian steamer Talsman, which arrived yesterday from Bahia, brings a story of a volcanic outburst at Diamond Rock, an isolated island two miles from the southwest of Martinique.

Belleville, Ont., May 23.—The inquest in the case of John Logue, the laborer, who was found drowned in the river here a week ago, has been concluded. The jury returned an open verdict, finding that Logue came to his death by drowning, whether accidental or otherwise it could not tell.

London, May 23.—The second volume of the Times' history of the war in South Africa, published to-day, is in many ways a sensational work, sensational in that it makes disclosures which up to now have been scrupulously concealed from the public by the press censorship and the studied vagueness of despatches.

Dublin, May 23.—The German residents here had prepared an address for presentation to Prince Henry of Prussia, but they have been informed that he cannot personally receive it from them, and they were invited to leave it, if they pleased, on board his flagship. This option, however, did not please the promoters of the address, and they declined to do so.

LIKED THEIR CHOLERA MEDICINE.

(London Lancet). "Dipsomania" tells a neat story in reference to the rapid growth of the habit of tipping which may develop in unsuspecting subjects. Two elderly ladies were surprised by a visitor in the act of drinking neat brandy. Upon his expression of some surprise they said that brandy had been recommended to them as a capital preventive against cholera and that first they took it with water and then they took it without water, and now they took it like water.

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Fifty couples enjoyed a most pleasant social time at the National School Hall last evening on the occasion of the third annual ball of "H" Company, Eighth Regiment Royal Rifles. "H" Company is noted for its hospitality and last night it thoroughly lived up to the excellent reputation it has attained in this regard.

During the course of the ball there was an exceptionally pleasing incident, when Color-Sergeant Jacques and Sgt. Major Bridgeford, R. C. A., were made the recipients of complimentary addresses and presentations. Sgt. Major Bridgeford is the Drill Inspector of the Company, and it is largely due to his unremitting efforts that the Company to-day stands in such a high position in the estimation of the regiment. It was in recognition of his great kindness that he was presented with a handsome silver mounted cane, bearing an inscription detailing the circumstances under which he received it.

As for Color-Sergeant Jacques, he has worked hard and earnestly to make "H" Company second to none in the corps and all ranks feel most grateful to him for the interest he has taken. As a token of gratitude the non-coms and men presented him with a handsome silver set of five pieces. Both Color-Sergeant Jacques and Sgt. Major Bridgeford were more than surprised at the beautiful gifts, but they made very interesting and satisfactory speeches in reply, expressing their gratitude and their surprise.

Among the officers present at the ball were Captain Gibson, Captain R. J. Davidson, Captain William Price, Lieut. Watson, commanding "H" Company, Lieut. Goodday, Q.O.C.H., Lieut. Hughes, Lieut. Arthur Price, Quarter-master-Sergeant Joseph Gingras and others.

Letters of regret were received from Lt.-Col. G. E. Allen Jones and several other officers of the Battalion. The R. C. A. orchestra was in attendance and therefore the music was above par.

Private Labbe and Private Fleming acted as floor managers and performed their duties wonderfully well. In all the ball was a decided success.

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QUEBEC, MAY 24, 1902.

A. WARDS KANGAROO.

To judge by the editorial remarks in the Telegraph yesterday respecting the Governmental jockeying of the Harbor Commission, which our confere denied with his usual forcible language as long as there was a chance of getting and verdant individual to believe him, the staff of the Telegraph has secured an important accession of strength in the person of the late Artemus Ward's Kangaroo, whose main characteristic, apart from the possession of a pouch in which to bestow any unconsidered Liberal trifles that come in his way, was his sarcasm. "He always was," said Mr. Ward, "a sarkastick cuss." It is a very fine touch of sarcasm to suggest that Quebecers should feel grateful for having \$100,000 spent among them after the Harbor Commissioners had been led to expect \$400,000, and we strongly suspect our confere of hidden sarcasm when he talks of Mr. Tarte's deep water dock as a proof that Quebec will be made the terminus of the fast line; Lord Strathcona said it would be Sydney. We congratulate the Telegraph on its new acquisition and wish more power to his tail.

MILITARY SUBSIDIES.

The British Imperialism of to-day, however divergent may be the views of its supporters, or however various the means by which they seek to attain their end, is not to be confounded with jingoism, which is aggressive by nature, or with militarism, which is its natural sequence, and which is exclusive of the national resources. It aims simply at giving a formal and definite expression to that which exists in an actual, but dimly-recognized fact: it is not the creation of a new order of things, but the acknowledgment of a hitherto unacknowledged state, not the begetting of a child, but the baptism of a child that is already born. On-lookers understand this, and as Captain Mahan pointed out, perceive that a new Power has arisen which has become an important factor in the world's politics. Whether the conference of the Colonial Premiers with the British Ministers result in something or in nothing, the fact of the Empire still remains unaffected, though it were better for its own welfare, for the peace of the world, and for the advancement of the general prosperity that it should take a visible form, and obtain authoritative recognition.

In order that this should be effectual, the principal and indeed the cardinal point is that the Colonies should contribute to the maintenance of the Imperial army and navy. Commercial treaties are well enough in their way, but there is nothing in them to distinguish those which are Imperial from those made with foreign States. Legislative cohesion is undesirable even if the difficulties in the way were not so great as to render it well nigh impracticable; and agreements for mutual aid against foreign States partake of the nature of commercial treaties. The contribution to the maintenance of the Imperial army and navy alone leaves all parties in the Empire perfect liberty of action, and entrenches on no principle of self-government while it proclaims and emphasizes that fact that the contributors are members of the one firm, and will stand by each other to the best of their judgment and ability. It might, indeed, be likened to the conduct of ship-owners, each of whom should contribute a certain amount to the insurance of their vessels. The amount so given need not be a large one; ten thousand dollars would be as effectual as a million for the purpose that is in view; so long as it is one, definitely agreed on, it makes very little difference whether it be large or small. Nor is it sought to force any particular sum on the colonies; it is essential that what is given should be given of their own free will, "not grudgingly or of necessity," and should be determined by themselves.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in one of those speeches of his that say so much and mean so little, declared that he would consider it a crime to divert any part of the resources of the nation from the task of internal development. It is to the interest of England and the Empire as it is to that of the colony itself, that peaceful development should

take place as rapidly as possible, and consequently, that no demand should be made upon it which should unnecessarily or in any appreciable degree retard it. But, in order that it should develop peacefully, means must be taken to ensure its peace, and those means are the Imperial navy and military forces, which, as we pointed out, are maintained at their high pitch mainly for this very purpose. No one asks us to contribute beyond our means; we are asked to give what we think we can without injuring ourselves; at present we give nothing. Other Colonies have given more or less, but we have given nothing. We have expended, it is true, a fairly respectable amount on our militia force, but that is an individual matter which affects the Imperial question scarcely more than the maintenance of our police forces. We have also been told that the building of the C.P.R. was a magnificent contribution on our part to Imperial defence, as providing a trans-Continental line for the transport of the Imperial troops, but those who tell us that forget also to tell us that the C.P.R. was undertaken, not for Imperial considerations, but in pursuance with our bargain with British Columbia on entering Confederation, while the value of the line for military purposes is aptly commented on by the prospect of the Trans-Canada scheme which is advocated partly on the ground that it is removed from the danger of being cut by the United States in event of a war, which the C.P.R. is not. We have therefore given absolutely nothing to Imperial defence. Shall we continue to do so when we are asked to contribute, not what we ought pro rata, but what we can afford?

WILL MERGER SQUEEZE US?

It begins to look as if one effect of the Morgan steamship merger will be the squeezing of exporters and importers and of the travelling public. The trust, it is said, will have to raise rates in order to earn interest and dividends on an alleged over-capitalization. The New York Financier states that the book valuation of the Cunard fleet is only \$70 a ton, while the Morgan combination is capitalized at over \$200 a ton. To the \$19,000,000 of bonds of the American Line and \$70,000,000 of the trust there has been added \$120,000,000 of capital stock. With all this mass of bonds and stock to earn dividends on, it is no wonder that the steamship officials have already begun work on a plan to raise shipping rates from certain American ports. What ports will be affected, how freight rates will be changed and what other uses the trust will make of its control of ocean-traffic must be a matter of the gravest concern to Canada, Britain and the United States.—Toronto World.

THE FARMER'S WIFE.

A communication to The Sun from a "Farmer's Wife," published Friday morning, describes one phase of life in the country which is to be deplored. Our correspondent sums up her trials and hardships as follows:—

"With no extra money to spend for what our city friends term relaxation, such as theatre parties, trips to seashore and mountains, is it any wonder the farmer's wife soon loses her good looks and becomes a fit companion for Edwin Markham's 'Man With the Hoe'? For really the farmer has the advantage, as he works in the open air beneath God's beautiful sky and sunlight, while his wife has a plain, unattractive home, of which the kitchen is her domain from early in the morning until after dark, baking, boiling, frying, stewing, day after day, with the kitchen to look after, the hired men to cook for, chickens to raise and the thousand and one things that go to make up the life of the average farmer's wife."

Persons who are acquainted with conditions on the farms in this State know that the picture is not overdrawn. It has a serious effect upon social conditions and adds enormously to the increasing distaste for country life and to the unhealthy congestion of population in the cities. It is because men with proper feeling dislike to see their wives leading lives of drudgery, and being as a rule unable to hire cooks or house servants, they leave the farm to seek employment in the town. The unattractive life of the farmer's wife makes her and her daughters long to go to the city, and so the country is constantly depleted of its most energetic and industrious young men and women, and if it is to keep up for a few more generations, perhaps "the man with the hoe" in the poem will be a true description of the farm laborer in this country.

An going to the city the farmer is going as a rule to harder, or at least more continuous and exacting, labor than he ever had on the farm. While farm labor in the busy season is exceedingly strenuous and the hours extremely long, still year in and year out the farmer has more leisure, more opportunities for relaxation and going about and for reading than men engaged in almost any other pursuit. He has various diversions which are denied his wife. He can always find

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Marine News.

OCEAN SAILINGS.
The following list of transatlantic sailings
is prepared by F. S. Stocking, Passenger
Agent, 25 St. Louis street:

Steamer	Line	From
May 21	White Star	New York
22	Campania	Canal Line
23	Minneapolis	At. Transport
24	Albatross	North German
25	Statendam	Holland Am.
26	Anchor	Anchor Line
27	Colonian	Dominion
28	Frederician	Canal Line
29	Invincible	Dominion
30	Philadelphia	America's Line
31	Kensington	Ed Star
32	La Savoie	French Line
33	Furst Bismarck	Hamburg Am.
34	Ke Ont.	Seaver Line
35	Umbria	Canal Line
36	Hohenzollern	North German
37	Prinzess Alice	Potsdam Am.
38	Columbia	Anchor Line
39	Ionian	Allan Line

ALLAN LINE.
The R.M.S. Ionian, Captain J.
Brown, from Liverpool, passed Cape
Magdalen at 6.00 p.m. yesterday and
is due in port about 4.00 o'clock this
afternoon.

ELDER-DEMPSTER LINE.
The ss Montcalm, from the St. Law-
rence, arrived at Bristol, yesterday.
The Yola, Captain Shallis, from
Baltimore, with a cargo of coal, ar-
rived in port yesterday evening, and
proceeded for Montreal.

The ss Lake Ontario, Captain G. C.
Evans, from Liverpool, May 13, with
62 cabin, 32 intermediate and 891
steerage passengers and a general car-
go, passed Father Point at 2.00 p.m.
yesterday, and is due in port this
morning.

LEYLAND LINE.
The ss Drott, Captain Eryne, ar-
rived from Montreal last evening, and
proceeded for London.

The ss Kingstonian, Captain Gibson,
will complete loading this evening, and
leave for London, to-morrow morning.

LIQUID FUEL FOR STEAMSHIPS.

The question of the use of liquid fuel
for steamships is now receiving the at-
tention of many vessel owners, and
we therefore call attention to a state-
ment published by Messrs. Charles
Clarke & Co., of Galveston, Texas,
covering their experience with fuel
oil:—"We have four dredges with fuel
boilers of 300 h.p. each, total 32 boiler
h.p., 9,600 h.p. also one tug with boiler
capacity of 630 h.p. The total cost,
at \$5.25 per ton, \$9,500 per month.
Our oil for the same cost \$1,650, in-
cluding transportation, loading on ves-
sel, etc. This shows a saving of \$7,
350 for the month of October. Besides
the saving from reduction in number
of stokers, above all the satisfaction
of having a clean ship and being able
to carry three times the amount of
fuel. With coal we could carry only
eight days' supply; with oil we can
carry twenty-four days' supply. We
have no ashes to dump; no clinkers
to pull; no fire to trim; no smoke
or sparks to endanger cargoes loaded
with inflammable cargo, such as cot-
ton or hay. Of course, being nearer
the oil field we can get fuel very low,
but after using it I must honestly
state that if oil cost me more than coal
I would not go back to coal as long
as I could get oil."—N. Y. Maritime
Register.

NOTES.

This being Victoria Day, the Custom
House will be closed.

The ss Loughrigg Holmes, on her
outward passage, landed a fireman at
Father Point for medical treatment.

The ss Regulus, Captain Couch, hav-
ing discharged her cargo of coal, left
for Sydney on Thursday evening.

The ss Fremont, Captain Madie, sail-
ed from London on the 21st inst., for
the St. Lawrence.

The ss Tiger, arrived from Montreal,
yesterday afternoon, and proceeded for
Rotterdam.

The ss Whitefield, Captain Johns,
from Dantzic, with a cargo of sugar
arrived in port yesterday afternoon, and
proceeded for Montreal.

The ss Skarp is loading coal at Syd-
ney for this port. After discharging
here she will proceed to Montreal to
ship a cargo of deals.

The ss Holmela, Captain Luke, ar-
rived from Montreal last evening, and
went into Silley Cove to complete
loading.

The ss Bonavista, Captain Fraser,
arrived from Montreal, yesterday after-
noon, and proceeded to St. John's
Nfld.

The ss Gaspeian, Captain Belanger,
from Gaspe and way places, with pas-
sengers and freight, arrived in port
yesterday afternoon, mooring at Point
a Carrey wharf.

The ss Kalfond, while going out of
the Louise Dock, on Thursday evening,
collided with the barge Klondyke,
moored at the Cross Wall, injuring
the barge's hull. The steamer suffered
no damage and proceeded for Pictou.

The ss Hudson, arrived from Chambly
yesterday morning, with eight canal
boats, coal laden, in tow. This is
the last tow of coal boats expected
here for sometime on account of the
great coal strike in the United States.

The ss Hudson, left during the day
four laden boats for Chambly,
four light boats for Three Rivers and
two bateaux for Montreal, in tow.

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Dempster & Co., for Montreal, coal.

SS Gaspeian, Belanger, Gaspe, etc.,
Bouchard, Bros., passengers and
freight.

SS Whitefield, Johns, Dantzic, for
Montreal, sugar.

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ouagan, master.

Schr. Etoile de Mer, Boily, Bay St.
Paul, master.

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F. C. CALVERT & Co., Manchester, Eng.

REST AND WORK.

It has often been remarked that we
live in a very busy and bustling age.
There can be no doubt that the struggle
for existence is very much harder
amongst us to-day than it was in the
days of even our fathers and mothers.
The great difficulty here, of course, is
the obtaining of sufficient rest, for
if the demands of life press very heavily
upon us, the rest question natu-
rally passes into the background. All
the same it would be well for us if we
could enjoy a little more repose and
the fact of our holiday-making hav-
ing become an annual institution with
us is of itself a proof that we uncon-
sciously value the much enjoyed rest,
and derive benefit when the holiday-
time has been wisely spent. "Rest
cures" have been in vogue on the con-
tinent for many years, the essentials
of this treatment being in the case
especially of nervous and dyspeptic
persons to remove them from all the
little worries and irritations of life,
permitting not merely their minds but
their actual bodies to recuperate them-
selves in a finer and effective manner.

I was reading the other day the wise
words of a physician of the value of
rest in the condition known as anæ-
mia, of which I have already spoken.
Speaking of the case of a young

OUR CIVIC FATHERS

IMPORTANT COMMITTEE MEETINGS HELD LAST NIGHT AT THE CITY HALL—A REVIEW OF THE WORK ACCOMPLISHED

The Police, Fire and Finance Committees held meetings last evening, the first being Mayor Parent, Aldermen Tanguay, Casgrain, Mackin, L. Cantin, Leonard, Bozup, Vincent, Taschereau, Fortier, Drouin, Foley, Morissette, Dinan, Jolin, Marois, Turgeon, Montreuil, Cote, Cummings, Pfeiffer, Gauthier, Pettigrew, Blouin, Rousseau, Belanger, Drouin, and the Police Committee.

POLICE COMMITTEE.—Ald. Casgrain presided, when tenders for serge uniforms for the members of the police force were received from Messrs. F. Simard, Gaudinot and DeBoisville. Mr. L. B. Morency was appointed expert.

FIRE COMMITTEE.—Ald. Madden presided. Two letters were received for positions on the fire brigade, and two letters from Messrs. Jacob and Hamel, members of the brigade, asking to be named guardians of the new station in Montcalm ward. A letter was received from Mr. Paul Tanguay, offering to sell the city a chemical engine, quite new and manufactured at Baltimore. The engine cost \$2650 and he would willingly sell it to the city for \$1800. A petition was also read from a number of citizens asking that the watering of the streets be done after six o'clock at night.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.—This committee was presided over by Ald. Tanguay. Tenders were received for advertising for the ensuing year as follows: L'Evenement, \$800; Le Soleil, \$1400; Chronicle, \$1400. The printing tenders were received from the Chronicle, and G. W. Vincent & Brothers. As there are a large number of items on these tenders, the matter was left to the City Treasurer.

Ald. Drouin proposed that owing to the present financial condition of the city, the tender of Le Soleil for advertising be accepted, and a similar motion was made by Ald. Foley regarding the Quebec Chronicle. Both motions being adopted unanimously, as the prices were the same as those of last year.

The question of the sale of debentures authorized by the last session of the Provincial Legislature was left in the hands of a committee consisting of Mayor Parent, Ald. Tanguay, chairman of the Finance Committee, and the City Treasurer.

A deputation of city physicians, consisting of Drs. Brochu, W. Verge, A. Simard and Lebel, waited upon the committee, the object being to secure financial aid towards the carrying out of the convention of physicians of this Dominion and the United States, speaking the French language, which is to be held here in June next. Drs. Brochu, Verge and Simard were the speakers. Mayor Parent remarked that \$1000 had already been subscribed by the city to the St. Jean Baptiste Society, which was celebrating its diamond jubilee during the same week. However, the principle had to be admitted that these conventions did considerable good to this city, and as a very large number of visit-

ing physicians from the United States and Canada and delegates from France would be present, the city might grant them a subsidy. On motion of Ald. Pettigrew, seconded by Ald. Fortier a sum of \$400 was voted to the physicians.

A petition of the Quebec Lacrosse Club for financial aid was also read before the committee, the club requesting that they be voted \$500. Ald. Foley moved that the city vote a grant of \$100 to the club, and was seconded by Ald. Madden. Ald. Belanger and Pfeiffer considered the amount too high, as other sporting clubs would make a similar demand. The matter was allowed to stand over until next meeting.

Last year the Senators and members of the House of Commons visited Quebec on the invitation of the Quebec Harbor Commissioners and the city of Quebec. The C.P.R. account for the trip was \$865, of which the city's share was \$232.50, which the Committee decided to pay.

The Committee also agreed, on motion of Ald. Taschereau, to pay the R.C.A. band \$500, as last year, for concerts on the Terrace and Victoria Park this season.

The question of appealing from Judge Andrew's decision in re electric cars on Champlain street was brought up, when Mayor Parent said that the City Attorneys objected to an appeal and the only way to proceed was to get the majority of the taxpayers of the city to sign petitions. Ald. Foley and Dinan considered this an injustice to one ward in the city, and if the signatures had to be obtained, the city should pay men for the work of obtaining these signatures. The matter was left over until next meeting, and in the meantime the city advisors will be asked if it is legal for the city to pay men to seek signatures for that purpose.

In answer to a petition from the Typographical Union, protesting against the city printing being done by establishments not using the Union Label, the committee decided not to take any consideration of the question.

VISITORS TO EUROPE.

The Colonial & General Agencies
Agents for the Gordon Hotel, St. Ermin's Hotel (close to Westminister Abbey) and other selected Hotels, Hydrop and Boarding Establishments in Great Britain.
List of Family and Commercial Hotels to meet the requirements of all travellers.
The Agencies offer a Free Bureau of Information as to tariffs, situation and other particulars.
Accommodation secured and Hotels notified of intended arrivals. All arrangements completed Free of Charge.

Coronation Seats
Excellent positions on all parts of the route can be secured or friends of the Colonial and General Agencies; early applications are invited.
THE COLONIAL and General Agencies, 105
McKinnon Building, Toronto, 6 St. Sacrament street, Montreal.
HEAD OFFICE: 75a Queen Victoria Street, London, E.C. 4, England, where visitors are invited to call.
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London, May 23.—The Prince of Wales was elected president of the Royal Agricultural Society at its meeting to-day.

Incontrovertible Chemical Proof is Very Much Stronger than the Opinions of Ignorant Merchants and Dealers.

If a merchant or a dealer tells you that a dye prepared for coloring all wool goods will successfully color cotton goods, do not believe him. The person who makes such a statement is a stranger to the chemistry of dyes.

Vegetable fibres, such as cottons, and linens, require special dyes, to produce fast, clear, and brilliant colors. The manufacturers of Diamond Dyes prepare sixteen special Cotton colors in addition to their large range of wool and silk colors. These special Cotton colors are immensely popular with carpet, mat and rug makers. Rags, warps and cotton and linen goods dyed with the Diamond Dye Fast Cotton colors stand the sun and washing; these colors never fade or wash out. When you are about to dye cotton, linen or mixed goods, ask your merchant for Fast Diamond Dye Cotton colors; he should have the full range for your convenience.

Thousands of Diamond Dye Mat and Rug Patterns are sold every week. If you have rags, old pieces of cloth, or yarns, you should make up a hand-some floor rug. Send your address to The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 209 Mountain St., Montreal, P. Q., and you will receive sheets of new designs to choose from.

SMALL HORSES IN WAR.

If recent reports based on the lessons of the war are compared with the views held by very practical writers previous to or at the beginning of hostilities the evidence in favor of the small horse is almost unquestionable. Lord Kitchener says in a telegram of December 11: "English horses arriving are still too heavy; well-bred, weight-carrying polo pony is the ideal required for all mounted troops who carry little on the saddle." To make the meaning of this clear, it should be remembered that the maximum height of a polo pony by the latest rules is 13½ hands. Into this size modern breeding has packed enough strength to carry a heavy rider, stamina to go through the severe exertion of the game, handiness to make the pony so quick on its legs that it can do this without risk to itself or its rider and often a high degree of intelligence. Lieutenant-Colonel Birkbeck, assistant inspector of remounts to the Commander-in-Chief in South Africa, has reported separately on every class of horse in use in the war. The whole is qualified by this significant remark: "If in a perfectly open country, such as most of the Free State has been, cavalry have not been able to come to close quarters with an enemy mounted on ponies (and heavy men, too), surely the days of shock tactics may be considered over." Granted this, the reason d'être of the heavy man and horse has gone too, and I think the results of this campaign prove the need for a radical change in our mounted troops. A light man, armed with a rifle and mounted on a hard, wiry and enduring cob, is the cavalry soldier of the future. —London Spectator.

A NOVEL STAGE CONTRACT.

Lederer Binds Miss Florence by Some Unique Restrictions.

A striking illustration of the measures to which theatrical managers are sometimes forced nowadays is presented in a contract just entered into between Manager George W. Lederer and Miss Evelyn Florence. To the theatrical mind some of the conditions of this contract must appear absurd.

After a preamble characteristic of legal agreements, this rare covenant agrees that without the written consent of the said George W. Lederer, the said Miss Evelyn Florence, Nesbitt shall not at any time during the life of the agreement:

1. Become engaged or contract a marriage.

2. Appear at any public or private restaurant or cafe within a radius of one mile of any theatre.

3. Be photographed privately or publicly.

4. Sit for paintings.

5. Sell or cause to be sold photographs of herself taken anterior to this agreement.

6. Appear in the boxes of any theatre or hall while witnessing public performances.

7. Ride in street cars or public omnibuses.

8. Loiter in the foyers or lobbies of theatres she may be attending for recreation or in the discharge of her duties.

9. Publish or cause to be published any interviews in newspapers, or publish or cause to be published reproductions or her photographs in same.

10. Issue autographs.

11. Appear at private balls or suppers.

12. Carry or lead a dog or other pet on streets or highways.

13. Appear conspicuously in public in uninclosed automobiles or affect for urban transportation vehicles known as landaus, hansom, victorias, barouches or go-carts.

14. Correspond with amusement managers, professional celebrities or others.

15. Mail to inform said Lederer of any indisposition or illness as soon as same may become manifest.

16. Employ any physician save one designated by said Lederer.

17. Appear in public places without face veiling.

18. Use stimulants of any kind, save tea and coffee.

19. Wear gowns, costumes, millinery, boots, shoes and gloves except such as may be approved by said Lederer.

20. Engage or cause to be engaged or accept the tuition of any vocal or dramatic teachers.

21. Become facially tanned through exposure to the sun.

22. Use cosmetics, rouges or emollients, or affect make in public places.

23. Employ dentist or dentifrice save those designated by said Lederer.

24. Play golf on public grounds.

25. Accept presents of any kind.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c.
CATARH CURE

Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower Co. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

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KUMFORT HEADACHE POWDERS.

From all walks in life we hear good words for KUMFORT Headache Powders

Madame M. J. Pelletier, Proprietor of the Clarendon Hotel, Quebec, writes: "I have used KUMFORT Headache Powders and found them very beneficial."

J. Fred. Edwards, of the Leamington Hotel, Truro, writes: "I recently used KUMFORT Headache Powders and they cured me in short order. It seems as if they never fail."

Mr. W. C. Balcom, the travelling Jeweller of Hantsport, N.S., writes: "I used KUMFORT Headache Powders recently and found them a marvelous cure for Headache."

KUMFORT Headache Powders are safe, pleasant and effectual. They contain no opiates and create no habit from continued use.

All dealers sell them in 10 and 25 cent packages. Be on your guard and insist on the GENUINE. Imitations are to be avoided

F. G. WHEATON CO., Ltd., - Sole Proprietors, FOLLY VILLAGE, N.S.

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Is the Tea you want, because it is pure and economical. Don't argue with your grocer; simply insist that he give you the uncolored and delicious Tea from Ceylon.

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166 St. John Street, Quebec.

HAVE A SPLENDID CHOICE OF
WATCHES, CLOCKS, RINGS, FANCY PINS,
BRACELETS, BRACELET BANGLES,
HAT AND ORAVAT PINS, ETC.
SPECTACLES OF ALL KINDS, ETC
For Sale at Reduced Prices.

Spring Importation.

Striped Suitings.
CHOICE ENGLISH TWEEDS,
STRIPED SUITINGS
CHOICE IRISH TWEEDS,
STRIPED SUITINGS
CHOICE SCOTCH TWEEDS,
STRIPED SUITINGS
FINE BLUE SERGES, FINE BLACK SERGES,
OXFORD COATINGS,
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RAIN PROOF COATINGS,
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OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

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—ALSO—

Velvet Scotch Caps. AT LALIBERTE'S.

For First Communion Laliberte is offering the latest production in Black Felt, Soft or Stiff. Prices to suit everybody. Call at once and have your boy's Silk Hat in good time. Remember that Laliberte is the only manufacturer in the city of Silk Hats.

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STEAM ENGINES AND BOILERS,
GAZOLINE ENGINES,
ELECTRIC MOTORS,
WATER TURBINE,
SAW MILL RIGGING. SHINGLE MACHINE,
SINGLE AND COMBINED PLAINERS.
MOULDING MACHINE, BUZZ PLAINERS
CIRCULAR AND BAND SAWS.

And everything in the line of machines for the manufacture of furniture. Complete Outfit for cheese and butter factories. A complete assortment of circular and band saws, pullies, leather and rubber belting, rubber hose, iron pipe, fittings, valves, oilers, lubricators, injectors, steam whistles and all sorts of Brass fittings for machines. Do not buy elsewhere before going to

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LONG SERVICE DECORATION

LT. COL. PELLETIER, D.O.C., HAS RECEIVED THIRTY-ONE MEDALS FROM THE MILITIA DEPARTMENT FOR DISTRIBUTION IN THIS DISTRICT AMONG THE VETERAN VOLUNTEERS CONNECTED WITH THE LOCAL MILITIA.

Yesterday afternoon Lt. Col. Pelletier D.O.C., received a parcel from the Militia Department containing thirty-one long service decorations for distribution among the veteran volunteers in this military district connected with the various local militia regiments. The medals, which are made of bronze metal and already described in a previous issue of the Chronicle, will be handed over by the District Commanding Officer, Lt. Col. Pelletier, to those entitled to them any time during office hours, at the Brigade Office, on and after Monday morning next, at 10 o'clock.

The following are the names of those entitled to the much coveted decoration:

Lt.-Col. L. E. Hudon, R. L.
Lt.-Col. L. D. Hudon, 89th Regiment.
Lt.-Col. Fraser, R. O.
Lt.-Col. Thompson, 55th Regiment, Megantic.
Lt.-Col. W. J. Ward, R. L.
Major R. LeSueur, 8th R. R.
Major C. A. Pentland, 8th R. R.
Sergt.-Major Wilkinson, 8th R. R.
Sergt.-Major Jacques, 8th R. R.
Sergt. J. DeWall, 8th R. R.
Sergt. R. Norton, 8th R. R.
Sergt.-Major Bertrand, Q. F. B.
Sergt. S. G. Trudel, Q. F. B.
Sergt. F. Healy, Q. F. B.
Q. M. Sergt. Reynar, Q. F. B.
Q. M. Sergt. Hamel, Q. F. B.
Sergt. Letarte, Q. F. B.
Sergt. J. Moisan, Q. F. B.
Sergt. B. Bissonnette, Q. F. B.
Sergt. Marcheterre, Q. F. B.
Corp. Bordeleau, Q. F. B.
Sergt. P. Miller, 9th Regiment.
Private Blais, 9th Regiment.
Private P. F. Bigaquette, 9th Regiment.
Private Lachance, 9th Regiment.
Private N. Leclerc, 9th Regiment.
Sergt.-Major Richard, late 17th Regiment.
Private Mulbrawn, 55th Megantic.
Private Jos. Raymond, 88th Regiment.
Private N. Lemieux, 6th C. A.

Apply This Test To Your Nerves.

IF YOU HAVE THESE SYMPTOMS
YOUR NERVES ARE WEAK AND
EXHAUSTED—YOU CAN GET
WELL BY USING
DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

Nervous diseases are little understood. They have long been enshrouded in more or less mystery by the medical profession. Many who are fast falling victims to nervous prostration, paralysis or locomotor ataxia think that they are merely, not very well, and will soon be around again—so insidious is the approach of nervous diseases and nervous collapse.

Study these symptoms. They are for your guidance. You may not have them all, but if you have any of them your nervous system is not up to the mark, and a little extra expenditure of nerve force may bring the dreadfulness down.

Intolerance of motion, noise and light; twitching of the muscles of the face and eyelids; fatiguing sleep, sudden startings and jerking of the limbs; dizziness and flashes of light before the eyes; irritability and restlessness in every part of the body; headache, indigestion, feeling of weariness and depression, and loss of interest in the affairs of life.

So long as the daily expenditure of nerve force is greater than the daily income, physical bankruptcy is certain to result sooner or later. Nerve force must be increased, and this can best be accomplished by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, because it contains in concentrated form the very elements of nature which go directly to form nervous energy. Nervous diseases do not right themselves. They come on gradually as nerve force becomes exhausted, and can only be cured when the nerve force is restored. No treatment for nervous diseases has ever received such universal endorsement by both physicians and people as has Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. Mrs. Crapper, 37 Salem avenue, Toronto, says:

For the last two years I have been a great sufferer from paralysis of the right side, which has confined me to the house. On recommendation of friends I began the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and can say that this treatment has proven of very great benefit to me. I realize that my ailment will not disappear in a few weeks but I have improved so much already that I believe a continuation of this medicine will entirely cure me.

In the press of Canada you will find hundreds of earnest letters telling of the wonderful benefits derived from Dr. Chase's Nerve Food; 50c a box, six boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Toronto.

For the convenience of city families wishing to move early to the Summer Resorts along the line of the Quebec & Lake St. John Railway, the Suburban train leaves St. Andrew Street Station daily except Sunday at 6.20 P.M.

Commutation and periodical tickets are issued at reduced rates to city people summering at these places.

A train leaves Quebec at 1.45 P.M. every Sunday for St. Raymond, returning arrive in town at 9.15 P.M.

On and after June 2nd a train will leave Quebec for Lake St. Joseph daily, except Sunday, at 1.30 P.M. On the return, arriving in town at 4.20 P.M.

For latest novelties in dress goods, linens and muslins. Glove, Fry & Co.

Sporting News.

BASEBALL.

EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

At New York—
R. H. E.
Providence . . . 00001044—9 12 0
Jersey City . . . 01000000—1 6 7
Batteries.—Conn and McCauley; Pfannmiller and McManus. Umpire, Kelly.

At Worcester—
R. H. E.
Newark . . . 001000005—6 7 3
Worcester . . . 014000240—11 17 1

Batteries.—Cross and Pothaus; Papalau and Kelly. Umpires, Egan and Murphy.

LACROSSE.

THE MATCH TO-DAY.

The prospects are bright for a good hot game this afternoon. The Shamrocks are bringing down a strong team, and as they always put up a stiff argument, the boys will have to work to win. The Quebec team will be about the same as last year, with one or two exceptions, and those places will be filled by juniors, who will certainly make a good showing. The executive have determined to start the match sharp on time, three o'clock so that the spectators will not be kept waiting. There should be a bumper crowd to cheer on the boys in their first game, especially as the proceeds are for such a worthy cause.

THE TURF.

QUEBEC HORSES' SUCCESS.

Dr. Sewell, of this city, received the pleasing news last evening that his horse "Wellington J." had won the Hunter's Flat race at the Woodbine in Toronto yesterday. "Tate's Crook," another of the Doctor's string, was leading the field in the steeplechase, but fell at the last jump. The jockey was uninjured, mounted the horse and succeeded in getting third place.

THE BROOKLYN HANDICAP.

New York, May 23.—There is every indication to-night that the field which will go to the post in the Brooklyn handicap at the opening of the spring meeting at Gravesend to-morrow will include about fifteen of the best thoroughbreds in the country, though it rain should fall during the night the number of entries doubtless will be considerably reduced. Assuming that the rain holds off and that the track is dry and fast, the race will probably furnish the greatest betting event of any Brooklyn handicap in years, with Advance Guard, Blues and Monograph holding the first public favor.

EMPIRE DAY IN THE SCHOOLS

SPECIAL OBSERVATIONS AT THE GIRLS' HIGH AND ELGIN STREET SCHOOLS.

Empire Day was observed yesterday in the Quebec Girls' High School and the Elgin street Protestant school in a very pleasing and appropriate manner, the result of which lucidly demonstrated the careful training of the pupils, not only in the rules of education and exemplary behavior, but also in the essential rudiments of loyalty to the British flag and principles of true good citizenship, which tends to form the nucleus for the foundation of a great and glorious federated British Empire. During the forenoon the exercises took place at the Girls' High School, St. Augustin street, which were presided over by the Very Rev. Dean Williams, who had associated with him Dr. Harper, Inspector of Protestant Superior Schools; Rev. F. G. Scott, Rector of St. Matthew's Church; Rev. W. H. Sparling, Pastor of the Methodist Church; Mr. Thomas Davidson and Mr. P. Johnston, Protestant School Commissioners. The entertainment at the Girls' High School consisted of patriotic songs and speeches, which were all rendered in a manner that reflects the highest credit on the efficiency of the Lady Principal, Miss Macdonald, and her assistants.

ELGIN STREET SCHOOL.

During the afternoon a similar entertainment was held at the Elgin Street School, presided over by the Very Rev. Dean Williams. There were also present Rev. F. G. Scott, Rev. W. H. Sparling, Rev. E. J. Etherington, Messrs. Thomas Davidson, P. Johnston and E. H. Taylor, Protestant School Commissioners, and Dr. Harper, Inspector. This school is under the control of Principal J. Sangster and is composed of boys and girls. What struck the visitor most was the large number of scholars present of the Jewish faith, all apt students, and in some cases at the head of the class, and went far to show the growth of the Jewish population in the city of Quebec.

The exercises comprised recitations by the boys and girls, patriotic speeches by the reverend ministers and Commissioners, and the very pleasing event came to a close by the pupils singing "God Save the King."

The tap of the typewriter is now heard in that repository of state secrets, the sanctum of Sir Francis Knollys, private secretary to the King. It is well known that the late Queen dictated writing machines, telephones, electric lights and other such innovations. All her letters had to be written with a pen. Besides typewriters, letter copying books have been introduced, and many other changes of a business-like nature.

At the Foreign Office the antiquated system still prevails of copying letters by hand.

**Stops the Cough
and works off the Cold.**
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure. No Pay. Price 25 cents.

SOUVENIR OF THE CORONATION

No family in Quebec should be without a souvenir of the Coronation. There is no reason for being so either as the Quebec Teaching Stamp Co. will give all their patrons having five full pages in their book of green trading stamps on June 15th a souvenir of the Coronation free.

On a Charitable Plan.

Life isn't all sunshine—it rains rain that the biggest umbrella a man ever borrowed can't keep out; so the most profitable clothing investment a man ever made is—Semi-ready's "Rain-or-Shine"—two coats in one—Overcoat and Waterproof.

The long loose-fitting type of garment—built on a charitable plan—to cover a multitude of sinners—becoming to most all figures—goes with any clothes at almost any time. Light weight—waterproofed cloth that is no different in appearance from cloth that isn't waterproofed.

\$15, \$18, \$20. Silk yoke and sleeves \$25.

Finished to order in two hours' time

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178 St. John St., Quebec, Que.
King St., Cor. Germain, - St. John. | Charlotte St., - - - Sydney.
New York and 15 Canadian Cities.



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ON ELIPTIC END SPRING GEAR.



No. 113—Jump Seat Open.
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BEDROOM TOILET SETS. DINNER SETS IN CHINA OR DELF.

GLASSWARE, ETC. ETC. ETC. AT PRICES DEFYING COMPETITION.

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I Give Red Cash Receipts and Green Trading Stamps.
TRY OUR SPECIAL 40c TEA.

COMMERCIAL UNION Assurance Co., Limited,
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PHENIX Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn.,
CAPITAL AND ASSETS \$5,500,000

CANADA ACCIDENT CO.—Accident, Sickness and Plat
Glass Insurance - Capital and Assets \$165,000.00.

New York Plate Glass Co. - Capital & Assets \$391,450.00

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effectually cuts short all attacks of Epilepsy, Hysteria, Palpitation and Spasms. is the only palliative in Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Cancer, Toothache, Meningitis, &c.

Formerly Lecturer at St. George's Hospital, London. "I have no hesitation in stating that I have never met with any medicine so efficacious as an Anti-spasmodic and Sedative. I have used it in Consumption, Asthma, Diarrhoea, and other diseases; and am perfectly satisfied with the results."

"Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians that he received a dispatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Manila to the effect that cholera has been raging fearfully, and the remedy of any service was CHLORODYNE."—See Lancet, 1st December, 1884.

Caution—Beware of Piracy and Imitations.

CAUTION.—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. Page Wood stated that Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE, that the story of the defendant Freeman was deliberately untrue; which, he regretted to say, had been sworn to.—See Times, 12th July, 1884.

Sold in bottles at 1s. 1d., 2s. 9d., 4s. 6d. and 11s. each. None is genuine without the words "Dr. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE" on the Government Stamp. Overwhelming Medical Testimony accompanies each bottle.

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Province of Quebec,
District of Quebec.) **SUPERIOR COURT**
No. 1141.

Dame Hermine Fane, of the city of Quebec, seamstress, wife commune en biens of Roger Grenon, of the same place, laborer, duly authorized to enter on justice by judgment of the Superior Court, Honorable L. B. Caron, Judge, Plaintiff,

vs.
Roger Grenon, of the city of Quebec, laborer, Defendant.
An action for separation from bed and board has, this day been instituted by the Plaintiff against the Defendant.
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Quebec, 1st May, 1902.** 1m

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TODAY'S WEATHER.
Toronto, May 23.—Thunder storms have been fairly general again to-day in Ontario and Quebec and showers have occurred over the North-West Territories and the outlook is still unsettled and more thunder storms are generally indicated.

Minimum and maximum temperatures.—Victoria, 46-58; Kamloops, 46-66; Calgary, 40-50; Qu'Appelle, 42-62; Winnipeg, 40-56; Port Arthur, 48-68; Sault Ste. Marie, 50-80; Toronto, 58-79; Ottawa, 60-82; Montreal, 62-82; Quebec, 60-80; Halifax, 46-68.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay.—Moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds; for the most part fair and decidedly warm, but thunder storms at many places.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence.—Moderate to fresh southerly to west winds; for the most part fair and decidedly warm, but thunder at many places.

Lower St. Lawrence.—For the most part fair but some local thunder storms and not much change in temperature.

Gulf and Maritime Provinces.—Moderate winds; fair and warmer at most places; some local showers or thunder storms, more especially at night or on Monday.

DIED.
NESBITT.—At Abegweit, Monmouthshire, Great Britain, on Tuesday, May 20th, 1902, Fanny, wife of Charles Nesbitt, Advocate and eldest daughter of Mr. Frank Grundy, Sherbrooke, P.Q.

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Local News.

STEAMER NUMIDIAN.
Passengers for the Allan R.M.S. Numidian will embark at the Company's wharf, Champlain street, at 7 p.m., to-day.

PILGRIMAGE.
To-morrow the members of the Esplanade Congregational Church will proceed to Ste. Anne de Beaupre on a pilgrimage.

POLICE COURT.
A defendant from Stoneham was before the Police Court yesterday on the charge of ill-treating two horses owned by him. The case was fixed for hearing next week.

VICTORIA DAY.
To-day being Victoria Day, it will be observed as a statutory holiday and the banks and all the Government buildings closed to business.

INSANE.
An unfortunate man from St. Philomena, named Joseph Marcotte, with well developed symptoms of insanity, was brought before the Recorder's Court of this city yesterday and sent to jail for examination pending his removal to Beaufort Asylum.

FRIDAY, JUNE 6TH.
Make a note in your diary to the effect that the Westminster Abbey Choir will be in the city on the above date and will give a sacred concert in the Methodist Church. The opportunity of a lifetime.

OMITTED.
In the list of directors of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway Company, published with the extracts from the annual report of that Company in our issue of yesterday, the names of Hon. P. Garneau and Mr. T. A. Piddington were accidentally omitted.

PRESENTATION CLOCKS.
If you have time come around and see our presentation clocks—just the thing to give to a June bride. If you have no time you need one of the clocks yourself. Newest designs in sterling silver and cut glass will delight the heart of any bride. Wedding and engagement rings best quality; prices reasonable. G. Seifert & Sons, 16 Fabrique street.

THE SALVATION ARMY.
Adj. Creighton, the Chancellor of the East Ontario and Quebec divisions of the Salvation Army, will visit the local corps on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, 24th, 25th and 26th May. The Adjutant has had considerable experience in Salvation Army work, and these meetings, without a doubt, will be of an interesting character. The Adjutant will be assisted by Capt. E. W. Owen, the financial representative. The public are cordially invited to attend.

GOLDEN JUBILEE.
The former pupils of Sillery Convent who have not received an invitation to the golden jubilee of Rev. Father Audet, Reverend Chaplain of the Convent, are hereby cordially bidden to that celebration, prompted by affection and gratitude. It will take place on the 23rd June. At 10 a.m., Solemn High Mass; noon, banquet, 2.30 p.m., entertainment and complimentary addresses. An answer, declining or accepting, will oblige the Religious of Jesus-Mary, Sillery.

EXCURSION POSTPONED.
The excursion to Portland, Me., by the members of the Quebec Board of Trade, which was to have left last evening by the G.T.R., has been postponed until the 1st of July next. The postponement was brought about by the small number of names given in to the Secretary, being only about half what was expected. The members of the Board of Trade, however, desired the trip put off until a later date, on account of the busy season only just commencing, which obliges them to give all their attention to their respective branches of the trade.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

The following is the program for the St. Jean Baptiste Celebration.
March—The Buffalo Brooke
Overturn—Son and Steamer-McGowan
Mazurka—Clematis Kappay
Spanish Valse—Dorcas Translator
Selection—Fra Diavolo Auber
Victoria Day—Grand March Gounod
Historie d'un Pierrot—"Suite" Mario Costa
The Creole Queen—Characteristic Hall
Vive la Canadienne.
God Save the King.
J. VEZINA,
Bandmaster.

TROUT FISHING.
The trout fishing season has commenced in real earnest, and daily large parties of disciples of Walton are to be seen leaving for the lakes along the line of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway. There is a considerable number of sportsmen from the United States already ensconced at the comfortable camps, daily casting the fly with excellent success and good sport. Yesterday Hon. Mr. Turgeon, Messrs. E. Garneau, Philens Coriveau, C. H. Gignac, G. Darveau, T. Gauvreau and others went on a fishing excursion to the Laurentides. Mr. T. H. Norris, of this city, and Mr. Tolhurst, of Troy, N.Y., and others started yesterday up the line of the Quebec and Lake St. John after sport.

INQUEST.
Yesterday morning Dr. A. G. Balleau district Coroner, held an inquest on the body of the late Jules Guay, son of the late Dr. Guay, M.P. for Lewis, who died suddenly in the dental chair of Dr. Lamarche, D.S., of St. Roch. Dr. Bernard, who had administered the chloroform, deposed that he had previously advised deceased not to take the drug, as he had a weak heart, but that deceased insisted on being put under the influence in order to have his teeth extracted. He also showed that all due precautions were taken. The jury, after hearing the evidence, returned a verdict that deceased had met his death from the cause of syncope of the heart after the administration of chloroform, with out attaching blame to any person.

Mainly About Persons.

Hon. Mr. Archambault will spend the month of June in Quebec.

Mr. H. Price returned from Rimouski yesterday.

Mr. E. T. D. Chambers left yesterday for Rimouski on a fishing expedition. Ald. Barry left on a business trip to New York yesterday.

Hon. A. Turgeon and Messrs. E. B. Garneau and P. Coriveau left yesterday for Lake St. John on a fishing excursion.

Major Jas. Morgan leaves to-morrow morning for an extended trip to England on the ss Kingstonian. We wish the Major a very pleasant trip.

Mr. Simon Fraser, of English Bay, Anticosti, is in town on a visit, and is the guest of Mrs. W. D. McCaghey, 28 Hobart street.

The Rev. W. H. Sparling leaves to-day for Bury, where he will preach anniversary sermons to-morrow and will go from there to Sherbrooke to attend the Montreal Conference of the Methodist Church, which opens in that city on Monday.

Rev. Abbe Mathieu, C.M.G., Rector of Laval University, who has been absent from the city at Madawaska, the guest of Vicar-General Dugal, in the interest of his health, has returned to the city, and his many friends and the public at large will be pleased to learn fully restored to health.

Miss E. M. Jackson, B.A., of this city, who for the past two years has been Principal of the East Angus Model School, has resigned her position and has been appointed on the teaching staff of the Girls' High School, Sherbrooke.

GAYNOR-GREEN CASE.
Yesterday afternoon Colonel Gaynor and Captain Green were brought in from the Quebec Gaol to the Court House, where both made their affidavits to petitions asking for the issuing of writs of certiorari. These writs were served on Mr. Stuart, K.C., counsel for the prosecution, and will be argued in Chambers here on Monday next. The object of these writs is to have the record and all the proceedings in Montreal transferred to this city.

THE BATTERY BAND NOT GOING TO ENGLAND.

It was announced some time ago that the band on the Citadel connected with the Royal Canadian Garrison Artillery was scheduled to proceed to England with the Canadian coronation contingent, but at the request of His Worship Mayor Parent the order has been cancelled. The important ceremonies to take place this summer in Quebec in connection with the fiftieth anniversary of the Laval University, etc., claims the services of the band, hence they will remain and a band of music from Halifax takes its place with the coronation contingent.

YANKEE BORN AND YANKEE BRED
Sousa received his entire musical education in the United States, in fact in his native city, in Washington, D.C., which was perhaps lucky for him, as the "March King" is certainly the only American composer whose originality is undisputed. He is a great believer in the musical future of America and never overlooks an opportunity of helping the cause of good music in his country. The "American composer's programmes," which he played in Europe on several occasions, were dignified and creditable and elicited critical approval. This representative American band will give two concerts here on Monday, May 26, at the Tivoli Gardens.

ST. JEAN BAPTISTE CELEBRATION.

The members of the St. Jean Baptiste Society of Quebec are at present engaged in making arrangements for the celebration of their national festival on the 23rd of June next, which will be celebrated on an elaborate scale. The principal orators to take part in the banquet at the Jacques Cartier Hall have already been chosen, and will be His Grace Archbishop Begin, Mr. Kichazowski, Consul General for France, Hon. Mr. T. Chapais, President of the St. Jean Baptiste Society, Mr. Monk, leader of the House of Commons opposition, Hon. Messrs. E. J. Flynn, A. Turgeon and L. P. Pelletier.

BAND ON THE TERRACE.

The R. C. A. Band will perform on Dufferin Terrace this afternoon from 3.30 to 5.30 p.m. The following is the program:—
March—The Buffalo Brooke
Overturn—Son and Steamer-McGowan
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No Use for It Any More.

How good food put a good minister on his feet again is an interesting story. He says: "A little more than a year ago I commenced the use of Grape-Nuts Breakfast Food. At that time I had been suffering from dyspepsia for about five years. I had tried all the remedies my friends told me about but with no permanent relief. My Sabbath duties at that time nearly prostrated me, and the following day I was of no use to myself or anyone else. After beginning the food a change began to take place and gradually the dyspepsia and disturbance left me. Now I have gained twenty pounds and am free from stomach troubles that I suffered so long from. I can do twice the amount of work with ease, am well all of the time, and naturally sing the praises of the delicious food that has put me right. I am perfectly willing to have my name appear as endorsing your excellent food. I know from personal experience of its value." J. R. Danforth, Pastor of the First M. E. Church, Haverhill, Mass.

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8TH BAND AT THE FALLS.

The band of the 8th R.R. will play a choice programme of music at Montmorency Falls on Sunday afternoon.

THIS AFTERNOON.

The Montmorency Band will perform a choice selection at the Kent House, Montmorency Park, this afternoon, on the occasion of the inauguration of the grounds of the Quebec Cricket Club.

THE NEW CRICKET GROUNDS.

The popularity of the beautiful grounds of Kent House, Montmorency Falls is growing rapidly. Every day large numbers of people take advantage of the rapid electric car service to spend an hour or so there.

On Saturday there will be a special attraction, the opening of the new cricket ground, while on Sunday afternoon there will be a band concert by the Eighth Royal Rifles Band. Other attractions. See advt.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS IN QUEBEC.

Prince Yi Chai Kak, Korean Ambassador to the coronation of King Edward VII, and Messrs. Ko, Kim and Yi, secretaries, together with Mr. and Mrs. Goffe, of the British Consular service, Corea, arrived in the city last evening over the C. P. R. from Corea, and are registered at the Chateau Frontenac, en route to England. They will remain in Quebec until this evening, when they sail by the ss Numidian.

AN ENTERPRISING HOUSE.

In order to serve their numerous customers as promptly as possible, and to have all parcels carefully handled, Messrs. Winfield and Logie have procured a beautiful new delivery wagon built by the firm of B. Leduc & Co., of Quebec and Montreal. The wagon is one of the handsomest of its kind to be found in the city, and reflects great credit on the enterprise of these well known confectioners. Messrs. Winfield and Logie have lately opened up a branch store at 123 St. Joseph street, the stand formerly occupied by the late J. J. Veldin, druggist. A full stock is on hand, and customers will receive every satisfaction. A new soda fountain has been installed in each store, and cooling drinks flavored with pure fruit syrups will be served daily throughout the summer.

DEATH OF MR. MICHAEL SHIELDS

The many friends of Mr. Michael Shields will deeply regret to learn of his death, which occurred yesterday at his residence, D'Aiguillon street. Deceased was one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Quebec. He emigrated from Ireland with his wife when a young man, and settled in this city. On his arrival from the immigrant ship, he sought and obtained employment, some 35 years ago, from the late Mr. Willis Russell, who at that time was lessee of the Russell House, now Victoria Hotel, Palace street. Deceased was not long in the employ when Mr. Russell discovered in him the makings of a good and faithful servant, and in a very short time he was installed in a confidential position, which he held up to the time of Mr. Russell's death, and when he was connected with the St. Louis Hotel. Mr. Shields, prior to his death, was employed at the Clarendon Hotel, and was looked up to as an upright, honest employee. He contracted a severe cold last winter, which resulted in pneumonia, and he was convalescing when he suffered a relapse that resulted in his death. Mr. Shields was a thorough Irishman, who loved the land of his birth and contributed his mite to the national cause. He was a widower, his wife having died some ten years ago, a circumstance which seemed to change his whole character at that time, and converted him from a genial soul into the saddest, thoughtful man. He leaves four sons, Messrs. Michael, Francis, Joseph and Peter Shields, and two daughters, Mrs. J. McCloskey and Miss Mary Shields, who have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement.

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