

The Weather

Lower St. Lawrence:—Westerly and northwesterly winds, some light snow falls or flurries, but mostly fair and colder.

ESTABLISHED 1764

SAD POSITION OF TWO YOUTHS

Sent to Penitentiary for a Crime, the Instigator of which Escapes Punishment.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 8.—The last act of the \$14,000 express robbery, so far as the two young self-confessed conspirator robbers are concerned was ended in Police Magistrate Fraser's court this morning in the City Hall. Sentence was pronounced sending Dobson to Kingston for four years with hard labor and Whistler, his accomplice, to three years with hard labor, in the same institution. The hall was filled to the doors with a sympathetic crowd, there being many ladies present that gave vent to their emotions in tears at seeing two young men, mere boys, consigned behind the walls of a penitentiary. Even Magistrate Fraser was deeply affected, his voice trembled as he announced the sentence. Before announcing it he addressed the prisoners as follows: "It is not my intention to lecture you on the gravity of your offence, you are both men of superior education and mental attainments and nothing I might be able to say to you would cause you to realize that fact more than you already do. Before passing sentence upon you I would like you to know I have carefully considered all the appeals that have been made to me on your behalf by your counsel, relatives and friends, but the crime was a serious one and the public interest demands that punishment should be meted out to you both in some degree adequate in order that others may be deterred in following in your footsteps. You committed the crime not on the spur of the moment, but on having it in consideration for two or three weeks, during which time you had ample opportunity of considering what you both were about to do. The criminal code recognizes that your offence, Dobson, was a greater one, being an employee of the express company and custodian of the funds, making the maximum penalty of your crime 14 years, and Whistler's case 7 years. The decision of this court will be that you Dobson be sentenced to Kingston Penitentiary to four years hard labor and Whistler three years in Kingston Penitentiary hard labor both one each of the two charges sentences to run concurrently." Both prisoners were taken to Welland jail at 1:19 p.m., and handed over to the Sheriff to be taken to Kingston.

Sentences of Dobson and Whistler lends new color to the attitude of the Canadian authorities towards Charles J. Flynn who both say was the moving factor and master mind of the robbery. Flynn was discharged in court at Lookport, N.Y., a few days ago because the Canadian police refused to let Dobson and Whistler cross the line to give evidence against Flynn, fearing difficulty in getting them back across the line. The difficulty is done away now that they are under sentence and as Flynn has failed to make restitution of his share of the profits as he is said to have promised, he may be re-arrested and the two sent across to give evidence at his trial.

THE TORONTO STREET RAILWAY

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 8.—City Treasurer Condy has received a check from the street railway for \$34,832.75, the city's percentage for December, and that figure is just double the amount the city got in December of 1910.

JUMPED OVERBOARD

Yarmouth, N.S., Jan. 8.—The steamer Boston arrived this morning from Boston with the flag at half mast. Fred. C. Ryerson, a music dealer of Yarmouth, while in a state of mental aberration had jumped overboard off "these island" and was drowned. A boat was put off but failed to rescue him. He was about 50 years of age and unmarried.

MISSING MAN'S BODY FOUND

Bethune, Sask., Jan. 8.—A search party by William Doyle, of Stoney Beach, nephew of Patrick Doyle, missing since Friday, found the body of the unfortunate man near the farm of Irvine Vance, five miles from the town. The party first found the body in a ditch and a few yards further on the corpse, near a stone pile, the cap and mitts were missing and the coat open. Although wolf tracks were numerous in the vicinity, the corpse was untouched. Pending the coroner's instructions the body was brought to town.

A DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

Bellefleur, Ont., Jan. 8.—At an early hour this morning a large frame barn situated on Mr. John O. Hoffman's farm, 5th concession of Thurlow, was destroyed by fire. Seventeen head of cattle and four horses were destroyed and the entire season's crop fell a prey to the flames. A son of Mr. Hoffman in making a heroic effort to liberate the horses had his hands badly burned. How the fire originated is not known, but the fact that the barn doors were open when the fire was discovered it is surmised that grain thieves were responsible. The loss sustained will be over \$3,000 and this is only partially covered by insurance.

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ONE CENT

FORECAST OF THE BRITISH ELECTIONS

There are Wide Differences of Opinion with Regard to the Final Battle.

London, Jan. 9.—The Conservative weekly Observer prints forecasts of the result of the elections by experts on both sides, showing the most remarkable difference of opinion. One of the Conservatives predicts a Conservative majority of ninety, another forty. Another says that the government will have a majority of sixteen. A radical forecast gives the government a majority of 200, another radical places it at 110, while still a third believes that the Conservatives will win by eight. The Observer points out that these estimates show the strongest conflict in expectations ever known on the eve of an election in Great Britain.

London, Jan. 9.—A. J. Balfour, the leader of the Opposition in the Commons, after all will not enter the new parliament without a contest. At the last moment the Liberals have nominated Sir Hugh Bell to oppose him for his seat for the City of London. Sir Hugh Bell has no chance of election, but the Liberal party considered that it might adversely influence their prospects if both Mr. Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain were returned unopposed.

Parliament will be formally dissolved to-morrow. It contains 364 Liberals, 55 Laborites, 83 Nationalists, and 168 Unionists. In order to secure a majority in the new parliament the Unionists will require to win, at least 170 seats from their opponents.

JAPAN AND CHINA DISAGREE

Over the Subject of Korean Immigration—Opening of Markets Delayed by Dispute About Tariff.

Peking, Jan. 8.—A disagreement between Japan and China has arisen over the subject of Korean immigration in Chientao. The intended opening of Hunchun, Manchuria and also the markets of Chientao to international trade has been delayed by the dispute as to the tariff to be collected. Mr. Kokoyev, Russian minister of Finance, has notified the Chinese government that Russia stands on principle in not allowing that of Portsmouth, which gave her a special tariff rate at the ports in question. M. Juin, Japanese minister to China, has now officially notified China that Japan claims equal rights with Russia. Custom revenues on Manchuria increased 74 per cent. in 1909 over the previous year. The revenues for all China were larger last year than in any year since 1906.

DON'T KNOW THE MAN

Toronto, Jan. 8.—A message has been received from Pittsburgh to the effect that Joseph Hull, an Italian wanted by the police in Toronto for forging cheques to the amount of \$1,000, had been arrested this morning. Inspector of Detectives Duncan stated that he had no knowledge of such a man being wanted in Toronto.

NOTED HORSE ARRIVES

Toronto, Jan. 8.—Red Fox, the only son of the famous English stallion Flying Fox on this continent, has reached his home at the Brookdale farm of Messrs. Dymond at Harefield. Red Fox made the journey from England without mishap. He is a horse of even temper, and tractable. During his brief stay in this city he was visited at Verrall's by many horsemen. Red Fox is a big bay horse, with black points, the color of his famous sire.

TROUBLE IN SYDNEY, C.B.

Sydney, N.S., Jan. 8.—There was disorder at Dominion Mine No. 6 this morning, the company having decided a few days ago to reopen that colliery. Men who returned to work have been daily molested and this morning strike pickets emboldened by the lack of adequate police protection began to make things lively. The chief of police was on hand with a posse during the night. Electric light wires were cut by the strikers and this morning as the police assembled at the colliery they were attacked by a strong force of pickets, stones and other missiles were being pretty freely hurled at the police. Five men and five horses were arrested. A prominent U. M. W. leader stated last night that the strike would likely be officially called off within a month. Advantage will be taken of the change in the presidency of the company to bring the struggle to an end.

PINCHOT'S CASE MAY CAUSE TROUBLE

In the Republican Party—The Controversy May Be Long—Situation is Critical.

Washington, January 9.—The present week probably will decide whether there will be a prolonged conflict involving the President of the United States, within the ranks of the Republican party in Congress. Conditions have been tending in that direction for some time, but instead of adding to the impasse the dismissal of Mr. Pinchot apparently has had the effect of causing a halt. It has prompted Senators and members to consider the possibilities of a continuation of the controversy, and present indications are of a more specific tendency than were those of a week ago. There is no denying the fact, however, that in some respects the situation remains critical. Mr. Pinchot has a large number of personal friends and admirers in both Houses of Congress who would be inclined to take up his cause if favorable opportunity should present itself, and if they could do so without endangering the peace of the party and their own political welfare. On the other hand, many are saying that the personal fortunes of Messrs. Ballinger and Pinchot are of little importance compared to the great question of the preservation of party harmony and those who take this view are urging the necessity of preventing any sharp conflict in Congress on the lines of differences between the Secretary of the Interior and the former chief of the forest service. Whether or no the conservative counsel of this element shall prevail will depend upon the course of events in Congress during the next few days. There is no doubt that the investigation of the interior department and of the forest service will proceed along the lines indicated by the Jones-Humphrey resolution; but it will be competent for the investigating committee either to broaden or narrow the inquiry. If the advice of many of the leaders is followed, however, this inquiry will be restricted as much as possible, especially now as an official factor, Mr. Pinchot, is eliminated from the dispute. The question will receive its next attention on the floor of the Senate. The present situation is this: house has adopted the resolution providing for the appointment of its members of the committee by the House itself, rather than by the Speaker, as was originally provided. Without awaiting the official notification as to the action of the House the Senate Committee on public lands has decided to report the resolution in such a form as to authorize the selection of the house members by the Speaker. Unquestionably this action was taken with the intention of compelling the Speaker, and it will be reported to the Senate. Speaker Cannon, it is said, feels that it would be impolitic for him to take advantage of this condition and override the expressed order of a majority of the House, and it is probable, therefore, that the Senate will take such action as will steer clear of a controversy with the House. It is now said that the Speaker would prefer that the House should select the committee. In case this course prevails the Republican members probably will designate their representatives in caucus and it is claimed that in that event the insurgents would participate in the caucus proceedings. No matter how the situation may shape itself, the controversy between the Secretary of the Interior and his antagonist is expected to be the principal topic in congressional circles during the week. Officially the question will not again come up in the House until after the Senate shall have acted.

The Senate committee on public lands will report its resolution to-morrow and it is probable that discussion of the question will begin not later than Tuesday. It is not to be expected that the resolution will be adopted without debate, animated and somewhat personal.

The Senate calendar is still very lean and aside from the Ballinger-Pinchot resolution, the prospect for the week is not favorable to the legislation of importance. The House will proceed with the appropriation bill, and afterward with the fortifications appropriation bill.

YOUNG ENGINEER KILLED

Windsor, Ont., Jan. 8.—Basel D. D. Rorison, aged 26 years, employed as a civil engineer by the Detroit River Tunnel Co., was instantly killed this morning by falling sixty feet down shaft No. 1 at the Canadian approach to the M.C.R. tunnel. Rorison's duties at the tunnel called for his presence at the mouth of the shaft the greater portion of his time and it is thought that he slipped and was hurled to his death. He was found lying on the concrete floor below upon which his head struck. He was the second youngest son of B. D. Rorison, the well-known retired mail clerk of this city.

GREAT INTEREST IN MURDER TRIAL

London, Ont., Jan. 8.—Public interest at the murder trial of Mrs. Wesley Scott is so keen around Thurlow that when a subscription list was circulated among farmers nearly enough money was volunteered to pay the expenses of the trial, which starts on Monday before Chief Justice Meredith. Mrs. Scott and her husband are both confident that she will be acquitted. Wesley Scott stated to-day that his father Harvey Scott had on former occasions tried to hang himself in the barn. On another occasion he fired a pistol over the head of a neighbor's wife, and was fined \$25 for carrying a loaded revolver. Mrs. Scott will be defended by Edmund Meredith, K.C., who had charge of the first trial, and it is understood the plea will be justifiable self-defence.

WHERE IS THE MISSING HEIRESS?

Miss De Janon and Her Companion Said to be in Canada—Strange Hints.

Philadelphia, Jan. 8.—Although relatives of the girl still adhere to their denial rumors that Roberta Buist De Janon, the missing heiress, had been found and is in seclusion, will not down. It has been noticed that the search for Miss De Janon and Ferdinand Cohen is less active than it was several days ago. Timothy O'Leary, Assistant Superintendent of Police, to-night said he had no knowledge of the whereabouts of the girl, but made the significant remark that the newspapers had better drop the affair. Another high police official ventured the prediction that the newspapers will never get the story of the extraordinary case.

Fall River, Mass., Jan. 8.—That Roberta De Janon and Ferdinand Cohen came to Fall River by steamer last Monday and have since fled to Canada was the belief expressed to-night by the police here. A detective who came here from New York, told the police that a girl and a man closely answering the description of Miss De Janon and Cohen left New York Sunday night on the steamer Providence. The steamer reached Fall River at 8 o'clock Monday morning. After a search of all the hotels and boarding houses in Fall River to-day the police and the detective, who claimed to represent the family of Miss De Janon, concluded that the couple took a train for Boston immediately after the arrival of the steamer.

HOTEL BURNED TO THE GROUND

Two Hundred Guests Driven Into the Street—Loss Three Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Burlington, Vt., Jan. 8.—Two hundred guests were driven from Hotel Burlington late to-day by a fire which destroyed that structure and the adjoining Walker block, causing a loss estimated at more than \$300,000. Only the walls of the two buildings are standing. All the hotel guests escaped without injury, but many lost all or part of their valuables. Defective electric light wiring in a bathroom is believed to have started the fire. Both the buildings were fully insured.

SEVERE TRIP FOR NUNS

Winnipeg, Jan. 8.—Six devoted sisters of Grey Nuns, from Montreal, have left for Isle La Crosse Mission in the northern wilds. To reach their destination the sisters will travel over snowed plains, through heavy bush and over ice covered rivers, and after a few nights, beyond pale of settlement, must sleep in the open.

PUSHED WOMAN IN FRONT OF TRAIN

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 8.—An unknown woman in front of a passenger train on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad at Benwood Junction to-day. The woman was killed and the man made his escape. Officers are searching for him. Coroner McCombs has begun an investigation.

POISONED BY RAW SAUSAGE

Fairbury, Neb., Jan. 8.—Mrs. B. F. Kroeger is dead and nine members of the families of B. G. Kroeger and C. F. Duke, farmers near here are ill from trichinella poisoning. More than a week ago the two families ate a quantity of raw pork sausage. The illness was first supposed to be grip. Yesterday, Mrs. Kroeger died, and two others, it is said, cannot recover.

ROSE UP ONE THOUSAND FEET

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 8.—The balloon New York ascended here at 3:15 o'clock to-day, having as its passengers its owner Clifford B. Harmon, of New York, Miss Jean French and Mrs. Alvin French, of Pasadena, Geo. Harrison, of Los Angeles, and Geo. Deusseler, an expert aeronaut. There was little wind at the start and the balloon shot almost straight upwards to a height of 1,000 feet, moving northward toward the mountains.

CORPORATION OFFICIALS MUST WORK

New York, Jan. 8.—There are to be no week end holidays at the city hall during Mayor Gaynor's administration. The Mayor said to-day that he intends to keep office hours on Saturday precisely as on any other day in the week and he set the precedent to-day. During the preceding 6 years it had been the custom for Mayor McClellan to go to Princeton every Friday afternoon and remain there until Monday morning when there was no unusual press of business.

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Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

ST. Paul, Minn., Jan. 8.—Ferdinand Fisher, said to be an insane murderer, who broke jail at Warren, Pa. last July, while serving a sentence for the murder of his brother-in-law, was arrested here as a strike-breaker, being in charge of a switching crew in the local yards. He will fight extradition.

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QUEBEC, JANUARY 10, 1910.

THE CANADIAN NAVY THAT IS TO BE

"To stand for the defence of the Empire" is a phrase which lost nothing from the eloquent tones of our Canadian Premier on Wednesday last, when he was addressing the Liberals of Toronto. But, when we come to examine the substance of his remarks on how Canada is to implement her promise at the last Imperial Conference in London, to assume more of the burden borne heretofore solely by the taxpayer of the motherland, we fail to see how the building of a Canadian Navy in the next nine or ten years is any immediate way of doing it. There is no question that the building of a navy of our own recommends itself to those who think, with Sir Wilfrid, that there is no immediate danger of any European power trying conclusions with Great Britain for sovereignty on the seas. This has always been the weak spot in Sir Wilfrid's statesmanship. He has never been known to hasten events, unless when the exigencies of mere party aggrandizement demanded haste, and the prospect was in sight of providing for the army of the unwholesome around him. And when delay is the policy to advocate, there is no man who can find an excuse for it more easily than the leader of the Liberals, as was the case in the mobilization of the Canadian volunteers to take part in the Boer war. And in this matter of implementing Canada's promise to share in the expense of Britain's navy, he assures us, with a placidity almost comical, that there is no imminent danger to Britain's prestige on the seas, in face of a direct philosophic analysis of the coming events that are so ominously casting their shadows before to give us warning. Does Sir Wilfrid Laurier accept as a fact, in the history of the national economies of the day, that Germany is the greatest manufacturing centre in the world, in persistent competition with Great Britain? And amid all his eloquent chatter about blood being thicker than water, has he ever heard of a rivalry in trade being the precursor of rivalry, national and personal? Does he know what it is that lies as the mainstay of the national pride of Germans, if it is not their army? Does he know that Germany is, at the present moment, over-populated, and that some means must be taken soon for providing for that over-population on the lands of Canada or elsewhere, and that such means cannot be taken without the permission of the present mistress of the seas?

"Danger!" he exclaims with the fervency of the assurance with which he told us that a railway that will cost two hundred and fifty millions of dollars would only cost us thirteen millions and really believed in his own statement as a truthful estimate. "But where is the danger to come from? I know something of the feeling of the German people." And then he tells us where he picked up his knowledge. "We have here in this country a German population, and you know that there are no better citizens than our German followers. They came here amongst us, not with any hatred in their hearts. They are loyal to the British Crown." And this conclusion from all this is that Sir Wilfrid is wrong in his diagnosis of the great public question before us, just as he was in his project of building a Transcontinental for thirteen millions of money. His scope of political science is limited by the eloquence that carries him away, with the little expanded to the big in his estimate of danger as of expense. Because the Germans, who settled in Ontario many years ago and whose children and grandchildren and great-grandchildren are now natives to the soil of Canada, are loyal to the British Crown, hence there is no danger in the aggressiveness of European Germany with an

army larger than Britain's and with a desire to have a navy larger than Britain's. If the Germans do come down upon our shores to seize Canada for their over-population, we suppose Sir Wilfrid intends to call upon the Germans of Ontario to intercede with Emperor William to stay his hand until the Canadian Navy is built, or, meaner-spirited still, would ask Britain to send over a Dreadnought or two for the occasion at her own expense. Indeed, in all this eloquence of small talk spent last week in Toronto, we eventually reach what Sir Wilfrid's ideals are about a Canadian Navy, and we are afraid they are going to reach no higher than those he had when he eloquently fled in hot haste for a railway that may never be finished, at least, not for many years to come. "May God grant that we be not too late" in the instance of the railway, and "There is no danger" in the instance of keeping a promise to the motherland are but the outcome of an eloquence that had endeared Sir Wilfrid to Canadians in general, though it has led him into making many mistakes as an administrator. We have yet to examine more closely his views on what kind of a navy he is going to give Parliament, and that will not be until Parliament re-assembles, and the Hon. Mr. Brodeur is called upon to make his explanations about the purchase of the "Rainbow."

THE RENEWING OF OUR CITY COUNCIL.

While the City of Montreal is engaged in a deadly struggle with the hand of hoodlums who have made worse than a burlesque of its civic government, the City of Quebec must learn its lesson of seizing time by the forelock in selecting men for its City Council, who are the choice of the people, and who are above the average intelligence of our citizenship and not below it. Our contemporary, after implying by its silence, that the Montreal hoodlums ought not to be provided with any loophole of escape from condign punishment, utters an excellent word of advice as to the duty of the hour in the selection of the right kind of men to represent the various wards of the city—"men of known disinterestedness, public spirit, and business energy, who are not self-seekers or obstructionists, but whose optimism, robust faith in Quebec's future, and vigor of character will be contagious and inspire that general confidence and enterprise of which Quebec stands so much in need." And just as sure as the snow comes, and goes, such men are not to be selected by our present system of the ward caucus. There has been a noble meeting to select a "Committee of Five" to undertake an important function towards making all that can be made of Quebec as a winter resort; and none the less should the public meeting be called into request to discuss the question of inducing our more prominent citizens to take more interest in municipal affairs, possibly to the encouraging of some of them to come forward as candidates in the approaching municipal elections. The Quebec press—laying aside their partisan leanings for the moment—can do a splendid bit of reform in this direction, and place our Council beyond any possible implication such as is at present lying at the door of Montreal's civic government. The ward caucus lies as the origination of all that is happening in Montreal at the present moment, with its six thousand citizens stricken down with typhoid from the drinking of impure water, and with its exchequer all but completely depleted. Our suggestion is intended to locate the deficiency on no one man of the present council; but as the Telegraph points out, with us and we hope in time with all our city contemporaries, the present moment is the time "to exercise the greatest care in selecting the new blood to fill our municipal offices during the next two years." Just think of it, a candidate may select himself to run, and, by a steady personal canvass of a week or two, may have himself elected a representative of the whole city, through securing the promise of a hundred votes or so. Of course there are more than a few difficulties in the way of providing a remedy for this kind of thing, just as there are more than a few difficulties in the way of improving Quebec's business activities, either as a port or manufacturing centre. Besides, we have to select a new incumbent for the mayoralty, and there is no reason why we should not rally round the most energetic intelligent man in sight. And, so that there may be no seeming prejudice on our part in favor of one prominent citizen more than another, to fill the office, the Chronicle will certainly be the last to make anything like a nomination. That should be left to the public meeting or meetings that may be called to implement the suggestion for reform of our conferees and our own.

FIRST TIME IN TWELVE YEARS

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 8.—Market teams crossed the Susquehanna River on ice to-day for the first time in 12 years. The ice is so firm that traffic was diverted from the toll bridge

OUR SNOW-PAVED STREETS.

At the meeting of citizens which gave us our "Committee of Five" one of the speakers referred to the "clean whiteness" of the snow which fell as Quebec's share of the "beautiful." Our other cities are evidently envious of this quality of our winter's robe; and so perplexed has Cleveland become over the plague of smoke that her Chamber of Commerce lately appointed a committee to report on the extent of the evil and the best methods of obviating it. The report of this committee is quite startling, the loss occasioned by the smoke nuisance to public and private property being estimated at from five to six millions of dollars. The absence of smoke to the nuisance point in Quebec is, therefore, something we may congratulate ourselves upon, though we ought not to congratulate ourselves to the point of negligence; and even in Quebec, there should be a by-law, if there be not already one, to check the factories that would neglect to have the means with the nuisance are of a kind to statistics which the Cleveland committee have compiled in connection with the nuisance are of a kind to convince us that our cities are places to live in as well as to work in. The amount of sulphur in the coal yearly consumed in Cleveland is 75,000 tons, which is converted into sulphuric or sulphurous acid, and exists in that form in the air the people of Cleveland breathe. And, when the economic value of that vapour in the atmosphere is reduced to dollars and has been figured at twelve dollars a head of Cleveland's population we see how loss of revenue and injury to the health of the community is something worth considering. To escape the health effects in the large cities within ready railway distance of Quebec is something to think of in our advocacy in their hearing of the advantages of spending a month or so in the Ancient Capital, where the air is comparatively pure and bracing, and the snow in our streets as white as snow when it reaches the levels. From this point of view our snow is seen to be more and more of a blessing to us, giving employment to so many, and providing a street levelling which the large smoky towns know nothing about, and to speak of the joys of snow-shoeing, and tobogganing which are ours all winter without interruption.

III Health, Its Cause

Sluggishness of Liver and Bowels.

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At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the third day of December, nineteen hundred and nine (1909) in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting are present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:—

His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Brunet, Cannon, Cummings, Dineen, Drouin, Fiset, Galigneault, Gervais, Huard, Jobin, Lantier, Lemay, Lavigne, Letourneau, Madden, Matte, Messervy, Mulroney, Norcay, Samson, St. Pierre, Verret.—(25).

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4. Whoever is found guilty of infringing the present by-law is liable to a fine not exceeding forty dollars, and in default of payment of such fine and costs, to imprisonment for a space of time not exceeding two months.

5. Before proceedings are instituted against any offender against this by-law, the City Engineer shall notify him in writing to the effect that, after the expiration of three months from the date of such notice, legal action will be taken.

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When Others, the old sea captain, the pioneer of Arctic exploration, returned from his wonderful northern voyage, the only illustrative proof that he could give to King Alfred, the incredulous, was a walrus tooth. This was not the case with Captain Bernier on Saturday night at the City Hall, since with numerous and vivid illustrations he led an interested audience into the realms of the Arctic and opened up such marvelous visions as would have astounded the truth-telling King.

His Honor Judge Routhier, on rising to introduce Captain Bernier, said that he was a hardy sailor. He did not know his genealogy but was sure he must be of true Norman descent. A Norman meant a man of the North, and nobody, not even Peary or Cook, could claim that title more appropriately than the Captain. Polar exploration was a struggle between science and nature and it might be said that nature exacted a heavy toll from the devotees of science. Fortunately Captain Bernier had escaped being a victim to the perils of the north, some of which he was now about to show to them.

Captain Bernier said that before entering Arctic regions his first duty was to thank the Geographical Society for the warm welcome they had accorded him. The first scene was old Quebec, with its clustering houses and ramparts in the background and the gallant Arctic to the fore setting sail on its voyage of discovery. Afterwards she was seen descending the St. Lawrence with swelling sails; good or bad weather as the case might be, she was always going like the sun seeking its goal. He had been happy to possess the three main requisites for a voyage, a good ship, a good apparatus, and good men. Thence the Arctic was seen entering the first ice of Labrador and Greenland. One of the chief duties of an Arctic navigator was to study locality with care and perseverance, for the varying changes of the compass were remarkable. Many of the vessels which had grounded on Newfoundland had done this through being deceived by a varying compass. And now was disclosed Fullerton Bay, where the Arctic had wintered the first year. Here they had found an American boat engaged in procuring fish and furs, and it might be said that our neighbors in the south had already carried off from us goods to the value of more than \$8,000,000. After this one saw M. Reynolds, the historian, with his Eskimo pupils, with the characteristic shyness of the Etchoosook ilk. One saw Captain Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer who, a few years ago, made the first complete traverse of the North-West passage by ship. On his expedition of 1910, this Captain had wintered on board the Fram, Doctor Nansen's old vessel, through Behring Straits, there to fasten her in the ice and let her drift across the North Polar basin. The principal object of his expedition will be scientific investigation, but he hopes to be able to reach the Pole either by the sea or by journey over the ice from the ship. Captain Bernier said that he felt ashamed that it should be left to a stranger to discover territory which should be rightfully Canadian ground. Then displaying the map of Canada and speaking of the future he said that in his opinion it would be essential to endeavor to bring Newfoundland into Confederation. If he wished a clear path to the Pole, returning to his travels, he showed the ground where they had wintered on their second voyage and the whale-boat which had originally proved of service to the missionaries. Once, said the Captain, she had fished for souls (souls) now she was fishing for whales. He explained what steps they had taken when they took possession of Canada Point, saying that they had put up a notice to certify that the officers of the Arctic took possession of this land, which had been given them by Great Britain in 1880. This notice was then signed by the officers and put in a bottle and covered with a stone on which was signed the date and the name of the Arctic. A flag was also left there. One passed with Captain Bernier by glaciers, westward ever westward to a score of places famous in history.

There was Leopold Harbor, where Sir James Ross had wintered with the Enterprise and Investigator when he was sent out in search of the ill-fated Franklin expedition. At Cornwallis Island they had found cairns which had been made in 1854, one of the greatest years in the history of Arctic exploration. Again at Point Cockburn they had found boxes, picks, spades and records. He had called one point Dobell Point, and another Gourdeau Point, to show his appreciation of the help which he had received from the Hon. R. R. Dobell and Colonel Gourdeau. In one place they had found evidences of the Franklin expedition, and found three graves made by the men of the Terror and the Erebus.

Picture succeeded picture with infinite variety. Now it was the great white bear, the king of the north, or the seal, or the Eskimo returning from a hunt. Now it was the crew of the Arctic taking possession of Baffin's Land, or firing twenty-one shots to celebrate the King's birthday, the 21st being fired by a Canadian Eskimo. Or again they were celebrating their Christmas dinner in the old-time fashion with a piano to relieve the monotony. Or they were finding gold, coal and asbestos, or sending mails off by a whaler. Now it was Cook or Peary, now it was Harry Whitney, the American sportsman at Etah. Or again they were slaughtering the musk-ox, and at this point Captain Bernier said that there was an old saying, "Money made the mare go," but he could say the "Money made the musk-ox go," for the musk-ox which he had brought back to Quebec had only been intended for exhibition at Montmorency but that American money had taken it further.

In concluding his interesting lecture, Captain Bernier said that he had always had two projects in his voyage, i.e., to get glory and land for Canada. He had had forty years' experience of navigation and would gladly give that experience and do all he could for the honor of Canada.

Captain Bernier, on being questioned as to the probability of winter navigation for Quebec, said that he was not in a position to say much for the moment but he believed in the old proverb "Where there's a will there's a way."

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Latest Sporting News

QUEBEC DEFEATED BY ALL-MONTREAL

Sloppy Ice Handicapped Locals, who Were Vanquished by a 5 to 1 Score.

Quebec was defeated by All-Montreal at the Rink on Saturday night by a score of five goals to one. The game was played on sloppy ice, and this state of things greatly militated against the lighter local line, who were unable to break away from their heavier opponents. It also made passing and shooting with any degree of accuracy a difficult matter. Another piece of ill-luck which fell to Quebec's lot was an accident ten minutes after the game started to Joe Malone, who had one of his wrists badly hurt, rendering him unable to shoot with any strength. He pluckily continued in the game until the end of the first half, when he was forced to retire.

The game was not a pretty one to look at. The play was very ragged, and the players on either side frequently skated over the puck. There was a very large crowd of spectators present, the Rink being crowded, and the defeat of Quebec was a bitter disappointment after the victory which the locals had won over the Shamrocks the previous week.

Quebec started off with a rush, and there was a hot attack on the Montreal goals. Doddridge, however, was soon called upon to stop a hot one but he came back again and almost scored. The locals kept pressing, and after missing a couple of chances, Macdonald drove the puck past Moran, and the crowd went wild.

Quebec had the best of the play for a while, but matters began to veer and All-Montreal became dangerously aggressive. Marks finally scoring for All-Montreal. The tally was in large measure indirectly due to Ross, who took the puck and brought it down almost to the Quebec goals.

The heavy ice now began to tell on the players, and the play became correspondingly ragged. Penalties also became frequent, and man after man went to the side. Finally Price scored for Montreal. A bit of centre ice play Macdonald to Malone gave Moran a chance to show what he could do. However, Montreal was not to be denied and Ross came down with a rush and with a long lift from a little past centre fooled Doddridge. The half ended with both teams going strong, but neither side could score.

When the second half started, it was seen that Rooney had replaced Malone. Quebec went off with a rush, and nearly scored twice in succession. The strong defence of All-Montreal, however, kept them too far out to be effective. Play was now nearly all individual, and there was little combination of any account. Quebec continued to force the play, but had no luck in scoring. All-Montreal claimed a goal which was disputed and the umpire was changed. A hot shot a little later came in on Doddridge, who stopped it, but Marks caught the puck on the rebound and drove it in. Play continued with varying fortune, but Quebec's shooting was wild, and Liftton scored another and as it proved the final goal for All-Montreal.

While the play was not so hot, the officials, Barney Holden and Johnny Brennan, were very strict, and there was an almost constant stream of players from each team to the side during the game. All-Montreal had some ten penalties handed out to them, while Quebec suffered seven times. Four of Montreal's games were scored while Quebec was a man short.

The defence was the strong point with the visitors, Art. Ross playing his usual reliable game. "Paddy" Moran had little to do in the goal position, but did little well. The addition of Price seems to have strengthened up the line considerably. For Quebec Macdonald played a fine game, and so did Malone until he got hurt. Granary made a good showing in senior company and promises to develop well. The defence played well, Rocket Power being very effective while Doddridge made some good stops, particularly in the earlier stages of the game. Hogan played a better game when he dropped back to cover point than he did on the wing.

There was the usual lack of preparation for handling a big crowd which has been visible at almost every opening game for several seasons past. When the crowd started its rush, there was a desperate struggle to get in and the low fence in the vestibule dividing the two entrances was carried away. Those who had reserved tickets had to fight their way in through the mob, and many ladies will not soon forget their experience. Quite a few people became disgusted and went home. The incident is one not calculated to benefit hockey in Quebec and the rink authorities should make better arrangements for handling the crowd. Another matter for criticism was the condition of the ice. Upon a mild day, such as Saturday was, it is impossible to get good ice for a match at night if three or four hundred people are permitted to skate up to six o'clock the same evening.

The teams lined up as follows:—
All-Montreal—Moran, goal; Ross, point; Povey, cover point; Kane, rover; Price, centre; Marks, right wing; Liftton, left wing.
Quebec—Doddridge, goal; Hugh Blair, point; Rocket Power, cover point; Malone, rover; Granary, centre; Hogan, right wing; Macdonald, left wing. * Replaced by Rooney.
Referee—Barney Holden, Judge of play, Johnny Brennan.
Summary:
1st, Quebec, Macdonald.
2nd, Montreal, Marks.
3rd, Montreal, Price.
4th, Montreal, Ross.
5th, Montreal, Marks.
6th, Montreal, Liftton.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

WAS GREAT DAY WITH THE CURLERS

Fraternal Visit from St. Andrew's Club of Montreal to Quebec Club.

The wild shriek of the pipes at the C. P. B. depot early on Saturday night by the incident an unusual thing that there was something doing. Upon closer investigation it was found that it was the party from the St. Andrew's Curling Club of Montreal, who after a passage filled with adventures that would make Cook or Peary ill with envy or something else, had safely arrived from the sister city to pay a fraternal visit to their brother curlers of the Quebec Club, and were joyously and melodiously celebrating the glad fact. And there was something doing for the rest of the day, also.

In the afternoon a series of matches were played on the ice of the Quebec Club, to which place the visitors, accompanied by a large number of members of the local club, and headed by two pipers, marched down in state. The turn out attracted great attention, and was but the precursor to a great afternoon and evening of enjoyment.

The curling games were productive of much sport, and there was lots of enthusiasm as the "good" stones were laid down. Mr. Frank Stocking's rink had a hard battle with that of Mr. H. M. Patterson, the two splitting the rink seven shots each. Mr. Davidon's rink pulled out a victory over Mr. D. A. Bothune by 13 shots to 3. Another closely contested game was played between Mr. W. H. Henderson's rink and the rink skinned by A. Milne, the Quebec men winning 7 to 6. Mr. S. Groan skipped against Mr. J. G. Stewart, and won by 12 to 6. The result of the day's play gave the victory to Quebec by a majority of 19 shots.

After the curling, dinner was served in the club room, and this was marked with all the good-fellowship which always marks a true curlers' gathering. Mr. Frank Stocking, President of the Quebec Club, presided, and he had on his right Mr. A. G. Pavey, Vice-President of the St. Andrew's Club. After everybody had circled the tables headed by the river, they sat down to a sumptuous repast to which full justice was done after the keen day's sport.

Then came the toasts, the songs the speeches and the stories, to which the visitors contributed a goodly share. A more jolly crowd or better company than the St. Andrew's curlers could scarce be found was the unanimous opinion of the local curlers. After the King had been joyously honored, Mr. Stocking proposed the health of the St. Andrew's Club in a neat speech. While the St. Andrew's Club was a young club, he said, it contained lots of good sports and star curlers. He spoke of the pleasure which they all felt in having with them an old Quebec boy in the person of Mr. A. G. Pavey, with whom he had come to school at the Quebec High. He referred also to "Sandy" Milne and D. A. Bothune, two of the men who had represented Canada so well on the recent tour to Scotland. The occasion was an enjoyable one, and he hoped that the Quebec Club would be able at no distant day to return the visit. He trusted that they would all have a pleasant evening, and he assured them that Quebec felt highly honored by their presence.

The toast was drunk with all the honors. Mr. A. G. Pavey, in reply on behalf of St. Andrew's, congratulated the Quebec Club. He made some humorous allusions, told a few stories and kept his hearers in high good humor. He took occasion also to thank the Victoria Club for their kind offer of the use of their club and stones during the visit. He hoped to have an early visit from the Quebec Club to St. Andrew's. In closing he proposed the toast of the Quebec Club, which was briefly responded to by Mr. Stocking, who said the visit of the St. Andrew's members was one of the most pleasant events which the Quebec Club had ever had.

Mr. S. Groan was called upon to propose the health of the sister club, the Victorias, which he did in felicitious terms.

Mr. W. J. C. Hall responded on behalf of the Victoria Club and congratulated Quebec on the splendid gathering.

There were many other toasts and speeches, and there were songs and stories in plenty. Mr. S. Claxton rendered a couple of ballads, the brothers Rubenstein also were heard, there were imitations of Harry Lauder and many other features too numerous to mention. Mr. H. Gordon Perry ably acquitted himself at the piano.

After the close of the dinner, the St. Andrew's men were escorted back to the Chateau and then back to the train, where the visitors were given a hearty send off.

Among the members of the St. Andrew's Club who came to Quebec were the following:—Louis Rubenstein, Laz. Rubenstein, L. B. McFarlane, H. M. Patterson, W. H. Murphy, A. R. Vallance, Emile Schwartz, L. A. Dennis, M. J. McNally, J. G. Stewart, A. G. Pavey, Gro. A. Slater, W. J. Kearns, D. A. Bethune, John Munro, A. Milne, W. E. Phillips.

DUPRESNE TO MEET GLOVER.

Kid Dupresne will meet John Glover in a fifteen-round boxing exhibition at the Varieties on the 20th January. The men will box one arm free.

R.C.R. BOXER TO GO HOME.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 8—Soldier Dixon, the great little boxer of the Royal Canadian Regiment, who sparred at Toronto, finished his term of service in the regiment on Tuesday, and will leave on Saturday next for England on a visit to his old home. He will return to Canada.

QUEBEC TEAM WILL REORGANIZE

Defeat by All-Montreal has Spurred the Locals to Fresh Endeavor.

While Quebec was unexpectedly defeated last Saturday night by a combination of circumstances beyond control, poor ice and accident being largely responsible, followers of hockey in the Ancient Capital have no reason to be down-hearted. The executive have decided that the team which is to represent Quebec must be one that can hold its own against the best in the League. It need surprise no one if the line-up against the Nationals, which is the team to meet Quebec here next Saturday night, should be different in many respects to that which tried their fortunes against All-Montreal. The Quebec Club has decided to send out a scout in search of new and promising players, and as there are a number of men in sight already to strengthen the weak spots on the locals, there will undoubtedly be something doing. The Ancient Capital does not mean to be the weak team in the League, and if it can land the players which they have in view, it will certainly give the best of them a hard tussle for the championship. With a couple of changes on the team, Quebec will present a set-back to the town-rollers, and before the week is over it is expected these men will be landed. Quebec is not to win a place near the top, and if every end performance will secure this position it will be there. Hockey followers in Quebec will do well to watch the team for next Saturday night. There will be some surprises. And the surprises will all be to the good.

NATIONALS EASY FOR OTTAWA

Montreal, Jan. 9.—In the Canadian League hockey series on Saturday night, the Ottawa defeated the Nationals by a score of 14 to 4. The match was an easy win for the visitors, the score at half time being 10 to 1 in their favor.

WANDERERS BEAT COBALT.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—In the National League hockey series Wanderers defeated Cobalt on Saturday night by a score of 10 to 6. The playing at times was extremely close, especially in the first half when the score was tied three times, the half ending with the score 5 to 4 in Wanderers' favor. In the second half the Wanderers overpowered the visitors, winning out by 10 to 6.

TELEGRAPHIC HOCKEYISTS.

The C.P.R. hockey team, under the watchful eye of Mr. McNamey, had their initial workout yesterday and indulged in some fine and fast plays of the game for upwards of an hour. The fine play of Mr. Dundas as rover and Johnny Savard in poles, were particularly the features of the practice. They will have another fast workout Tuesday night.

MONTREAL HOCKEY RUMORS.

Montreal, Jan. 8.—Mr. Weddy Young, the well-known veteran hockey player, who arrived yesterday at the Windsor, where he has since been staying, the scout of the Haliburton hockey team, of the National Hockey Association, stated this afternoon at the Windsor that he had secured the services of Art. Ross, player-manager of the All-Montreal hockey team; Paddy Moran, goal-keeper of the same team, and Fred Lake, of the Ottawa hockey team. It would not be a surprise to those who have been watching developments if the statement turns out to be a fact, for it is known that Mr. Young has carte blanche from the Haliburton club in the matter of expenses. If so, it would almost mean the demolition of the All-Montreal team. It was announced this afternoon at the Windsor Hotel that Grady Forrester, one of the best known international hockey players, would, in all likelihood, join the Shamrock team of this city to strengthen it. Forrester is considered one of the best men in hockey at present, and well worth entering in the Canadian Hockey Association struggle.

INTERMEDIATE HOCKEY.

Victoria defeated All-Montreal 13 to 2 and Shamrocks won from Westmount 3 to 2 in the opening games of the Intermediate C.A.H.L. at the Arena Saturday afternoon.

ENTRIES FOR CHAMPIONSHIP SNOWSHOE RACES.

All runners belonging to the Canadian Union Snowshoe Club, wishing to take part in the world's championship snowshoe race, to take place at St. Hyacinthe on February 5th, must register before Monday night, January 10th. Names should be sent in to either the Secretary, Mr. Peter Langlois, 78 St. Peter street, Quebec, or to Mr. J. G. A. Decelles, 28 Cherrier street, Montreal.

1910 SPORTING ANNUAL.

T. S. Andrews, of Milwaukee, Wis., sporting editor of The Evening Wisconsin, has published his 1910 Sporting Annual Record Book, containing records of all the noted fighters, trotting, racing, running, howling, athletic, baseball, automobile and also aeroplanes, etc. The book contains many fine illustrations of the world's prominent fighters, and all the up-to-date records. It is now the leading Sporting Annual of the country. Copies can be had for 12 cents by addressing the publisher.

BERLIN TEAM'S CHALLENGE.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 8.—Published reports in the Toronto press to the effect that the team representing Berlin in the Stanley Cup games at Ottawa was a picked team from the Ontario Professional League, are refuted by the local professionals, and a def was issued to-day to the Association. The Berlin team challenges a picked team of the whole O. H. A. for a "sudden death" game or best two out of three, the proceeds to go to the Muskoka Free Hospital for consumptives.

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INTERPROVINCIAL AMATEURS

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—Chiffides defeated Toronto Athletic Club at the opening game of the Inter-Provincial Amateur Hockey Union on Saturday. The score was 15 to 4. Toronto showed great speed but did not seem to be able to do the team work necessary.

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BIRTH.

RAY.—On January 8, 1910, the wife
of Walter J. Ray, of a daughter.

DIED.

BARDEN.—This morning, the 8th of
January, John Barden, 471
Champlain street, at 8.45 o'clock
Monday morning, to St. Patrick's
Church, thence to St. Patrick's
Cemetery. Relatives, friends and No.
1 Section Ship Laborers' Benevolent
Society are invited to attend.

MACMILLAN.—At Levis, on the 8th
January, 1910, Muriel Lily, in her
17th year, dearly beloved daughter
of Wm. MacMillan, Supt. of Quebec
& Levis Ferry.

Funeral will leave her father's resi-
dence, 81 Fraser street, Tuesday,
11th inst., at 1.15 p.m., to St. An-
drew's Church, Levis, and taking
2.30 ferry, to Mount Hermon Ceme-
tery. Friends and acquaintances are
respectfully requested to attend.
Toronto and Ottawa papers please
copy.

New Advertisements

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Speakers:—Rev. G. H. Cobble-
dick, M.A., B.D., Rev. Wm. Jackson,
D.D., Rev. Jesse Gibson, Permanent
Secretary Upper Canada Bible So-
ciety, Toronto, Ont., and others.

An excellent programme has been
provided, and a large attendance of
the friends of the Society is expected.
The Praise Service will be led by a
Union Choir.

Service to begin at 7.30 p.m. Col-
lection in aid of the funds.
EDWARD J. STOBO,

Hon. Secretary.
JAMES MUIR,
President.

IN AND ABOUT TOWN

FINANCES IN A HEALTHY STATE

Annual Statement of St. Patrick's
Church a Most Encouraging One
—Church Clear of Debt.

The financial statement of St. Pat-
rick's Church, in this city, for the
year 1909 was presented to the mem-
bers of the congregation yesterday.
The statement is a most encouraging
one and shows that the church is in
a very flourishing condition. The net
debt of \$682.60 outstanding December
31, 1908, has been cleared and the
balance of cash on hand on the 31st
of December, 1909, is \$8,324.01. The
financial success of St. Patrick's is
principally due to the Rev. J. A.
Hanley, and the Redemptorist
fathers, and to the Trustees, Sir
Charles Fitzpatrick, Hon. J. Sharpley,
All. P. Hogan, and Messrs. Ed. Foley
and W. J. Carbray.

Dance Music at Kent House
parlors every evening.

ICEBRIDGE FORMED.

The icebridge between Quebec and the
Island of Orleans has at last formed
and the track for sleighs is already
marked out.

ACCIDENT TO BRAKEMAN.

J. A. Rioux, brakeman, son of
Achille Rioux, a conductor on the
Intercolonial was crushed by the cars
on Saturday as the result of an acci-
dent. The doctor hopes to save his
life.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

Coroner Jolicoeur held an inquest on
Saturday on the remains of Napoleon
Giroux, of Beauport, who was found
dead in his sleigh, near Ange Gardien,
on Friday evening. A verdict of death
from heart failure was returned.

CANADIAN CLUB LUNCHEON TO- DAY.

Members of the Canadian Club are
reunited of the Club luncheon at the
Chateau Frontenac at 1 o'clock to-
day, to be addressed by Senator J.
P. B. Casgrain, of Montreal.

PRIZE ESSAY COMPETITION

Full particulars as to prizes,
donors and judges will be given
in next Tuesday's issue of the
Chronicle.

THE HOME RULE FUND.

Mr. Martin Connolly Saturday for-
warded the final installment of the
fund raised by Quebec Irishmen for
the Irish Parliamentary party. The
amount sent Saturday was fourteen
pound sterling, seven shillings, mak-
ing a total amount of over three hun-
dred and one pounds, or \$1,570.

FIRE AT ANCIENNE LORETTE.

Early on Saturday morning fire de-
stroyed the barn and other outbuild-
ings of Mr. Alfred Plamondon, farmer,
at Ancienne Lorette. Ten cows and
two horses perished in the flames.
Mr. Plamondon's neighbors turned
out in force and succeeded in saving
his residence from destruction. They
were greatly handicapped through the
lack of proper appliances.

JAIL STATISTICS.

On the 31st of December, 1909, there
were 134 men and 6 women under sen-
tence in the Quebec jail and during the
past year 133 men and 6 women were
discharged. One man sentenced in
1908 was still in jail on the 31st of
December last. During the year 593
men and 38 women were admitted to
the jail, and out of those numbers 12
were sent to the asylum, 17 men and
one woman to the penitentiary, and
510 men and 32 women were dis-
charged after putting in their sentence.

A USEFUL INVENTION.

Mr. J. Arthur Paquet, accountant in
the Agriculture Department, is the
author of a very useful invention
which will prove a great boon to all
typewriters. This innovation may be
termed a regulator for it works auto-
matically and directs the user of the
machine as to the space of words that
may be contained in a page and il-
luminates the irregularities which are
often caused by wrong calculation of
space.

RECORDER'S COURT.

Eleven prisoners, all for drunken-
ness, appeared before the Recorder on
Saturday. One of them, who had only
come out of jail the day previous,
after spending four months there, was
sent back for two months. Another
old offender received a similar sen-
tence. A man from Trois Rivières,
who refused to pay his carter, was
fined \$10 and costs, in addition to \$2
he owed the caddy. The other eight
prisoners were condemned to fines
ranging from \$1 and costs or four
days to \$5 and costs or eight days
respectively.

DEATH OF MISS MURIEL McMillan

The many friends of Mr. William Mc-
Millan, Superintendent of the Quebec
and Levis Ferry Co., will extend to
him, Mrs. McMillan and family, sincere
regret at the loss of a beloved
daughter and sister, Miss Muriel Lily,
at the early age of seventeen years.
Deceased young lady, who from her
amiable and kindly disposition, was
much beloved by all who had the
pleasure of her acquaintance, had
been ill for a considerable time, but
more her affliction with truly Chris-
tian fortitude, and passed peacefully
away yesterday surrounded by the
bereaved members of her family. The
funeral will take place to-morrow from
her father's residence to St. Andrew's
Church, Levis, and Mount Hermon
Cemetery.

SENATOR CHOQUETTE AND MAYORALTY

Will He be a Candidate?—He Gave
an Evasive Answer on the
Subject.

On Saturday last and yesterday
afternoon and evening Senator Cho-
quette was waited upon by deputa-
tions from different wards of the city
while others telephoned to him anx-
iously to know when he intended to
open his campaign for the Mayoralty,
as he had stated a few days ago,
through certain newspapers, that he
would soon make a statement. In con-
versation with some of the delegates
the Chronicle was informed that the
Senator admitted he would be in the
field, but that he would only give his
public answer on Wednesday or Thurs-
day next. A Chronicle reporter
"phoned" Senator Choquette last
evening when the latter admitted that
deputations had called upon him dur-
ing the past two days, but at the
same time asked the Chronicle to wait
for a day or two for his public an-
swer. In view of the evasive answer
given by the Senator and the fact that
some of the delegates admitted that
the Senator was in the field, it is
evident that he is preparing to start
his campaign during the present week.

BAND ON Q.A.A.

The band will play to-night from
8 to 10 and a large crowd is expected
as the ice is in first class order.

NEW LEGAL FIRM.

Mr. Armand Lavergne, M.P.P., has
entered the legal firm of Bedard, Cha-
lout & Prevost and the firm will in
future carry on the legal profession
under the name of Bedard, Chalout,
Lavergne & Prevost.

SUDDEN DEATH OF QUEBEC LADY.

News was received in town yesterday
of the sudden death on Saturday even-
ing of Mrs. Leonie Taschereau, widow
of the former Secretary-Treasurer of
Montrealville, who preceded his wife
to the grave about a month ago. Mrs.
Taschereau has been residing with her
relatives at St. Stanislas, County of
Champlain, where her sad death oc-
curred the night before last.

HYMENEAL.

A very pretty wedding took place at
St. Felix de Cap Rouge parish church
on Tuesday, the 4th inst., in which
Miss Honorine Everett, sister of Mr.
Jos. A. Everett, Superintendent of the
Q. R. L. & P. Co., was united in
matrimony to Mr. Patrick Devlin. The
bride, who was accompanied by her
brother was very becomingly attired
in a blue directoire dress with hat to
match. The groom was supported by
Mr. M. P. Shields. After the cere-
mony, which was performed by the
Rev. Mr. Pampalon, parish priest, a
recherche breakfast was served at the
home of the bride's parents, the bridal
couple leaving afterwards for an ex-
tended trip west.

HOLDS UP CHARLOTTETOWN.

A Musical Triumph for Lucia Nola
Opera Company.

The Daily Patriot says:—All the
good things that the advance notices
of the Lucia Nola Opera Co. were
found to be strictly and literally true
last night. It is some years since they
appeared here. Since that time the
personnel of the company has almost
completely changed. With the excep-
tion of Miss Esther Barton and Frank
D. Nelson, who were with the com-
pany then, and who are well remem-
bered, the various principals had to
sing themselves into favor. How
thoroughly and quickly they did it
was shown by the frenzied bursts of
applause from the large audience pre-
sent. As for the comedians, Edward
Beck and Jack Leslie, what shall be
said? They have made us laugh,
and for that they shall be thanked
and have a special paragraph. If any-
one in Charlottetown has need of a
laugh, we pass along a hint. Let him
go to the opera house to-night and
hear these inimitable two. The star
of the company, Miss Lucia Nola, has
a clear flexible soprano voice, which
kept its freshness and sympathetic
note throughout. Her singing of the
prayer to the Virgin in the bed-room
scene was one of the most beautiful
things in the opera.

This clever company of singers,
comedians and dancers will commence
a two weeks' engagement at the
Auditorium Monday evening, Jan. 17.

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aminers for admission to practice at
the examination to be held during
the present month. The Quebec can-
didate is Charles Joseph Angers, 21
years of age, of Murray Bay. Six can-
didates from the district of Montreal
will present themselves. The district
of Arthabaska will have one and the
district of St. Francois two.

OBITUARY.

The death is announced in the obit-
uary column of the Chronicle this
morning of Mr. John Barden, an old
and highly respected resident of Cham-
plain street. The deceased, who was
the uncle of Messrs. Edward and Mar-
tin Neville, leaves a sister to mourn
her loss. The funeral will take place
this morning.

GREAT WINTER SALE.

Simons & Minguay's great winter sale
of dry goods starts this morning. It
is now 27 years since they started
these annual sales, which are so well-
known by the public in general. All
their stock is greatly reduced in price
to make room for the spring goods.
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We would call the attention of our
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in another column as one worth read-
ing. The committee have been very
fortunate in securing the services of
the Rev. Jesse Gibson, Toronto, as
the principal speaker. He is a gen-
tleman of marked ability, and a
pleasing and instructive platform
speaker, and no doubt will attract a
very large audience to the Society's
seventy-fourth anniversary.

Return railroad fare to
Kent House slides, 30c.

REMEMBERED BY HIS FRIENDS.

There was a very pleasant presenta-
tion at the Victoria Hotel on Satur-
day evening, when Mr. P. M. Mc-
Knight, a popular young citizen, was
entertained by a number of friends
on the eve of his marriage. He was
presented with a handsome and cost-
ly cabinet of silver, and the best
wishes of a large circle of friends went
with the gift. Speech, song and senti-
ment helped to make the occasion a
most enjoyable one. Mr. McKnight
will this morning lead to the altar,
Miss Cote, one of Quebec's most char-
ming daughters, and the best wishes
of the many friends of the contracting
parties will be universally expressed
for a long and happy life.

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The reduction sales at Marceau &
Co.'s store have a record of their
own for the remarkable cheap prices
on their goods and their sale this
year will certainly be the greatest
clearing sale Quebec has ever known.
They intend to reduce their stock at
any cost, so their loss will be your
gain, for the entire stock of \$90,000
will be placed on sale at deeply cut
prices. The opportunity is yours.
Come and see and be convinced. The
sale will open on Monday, the 10th
January, at 9 o'clock a.m., and will
close in ten days. The particular
feature by which the sale will be
known is that it is a Red Sale. Look
out for the large Red signs in the
show windows. The goods are mark-
ed in Red. Red circulars are being
distributed. The prices given are
guaranteed correct. The only ques-
tion is can you—dare you, in justice
to yourself, overlook a chance like
this. Mark the date. Let nothing
keep you away.

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Jan. 8-10x2.

POPE SENDS BENEDICTION

Brussels, Jan. 8.—The Pope to-day
says that following the official pro-
clamation of the marriage of the late
King Leopold and Baroness Vaughan
the Pope sent his official condolences
and benediction to the children of the
Baroness.

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Kingston, Jan. 7.—Howard D. Van-
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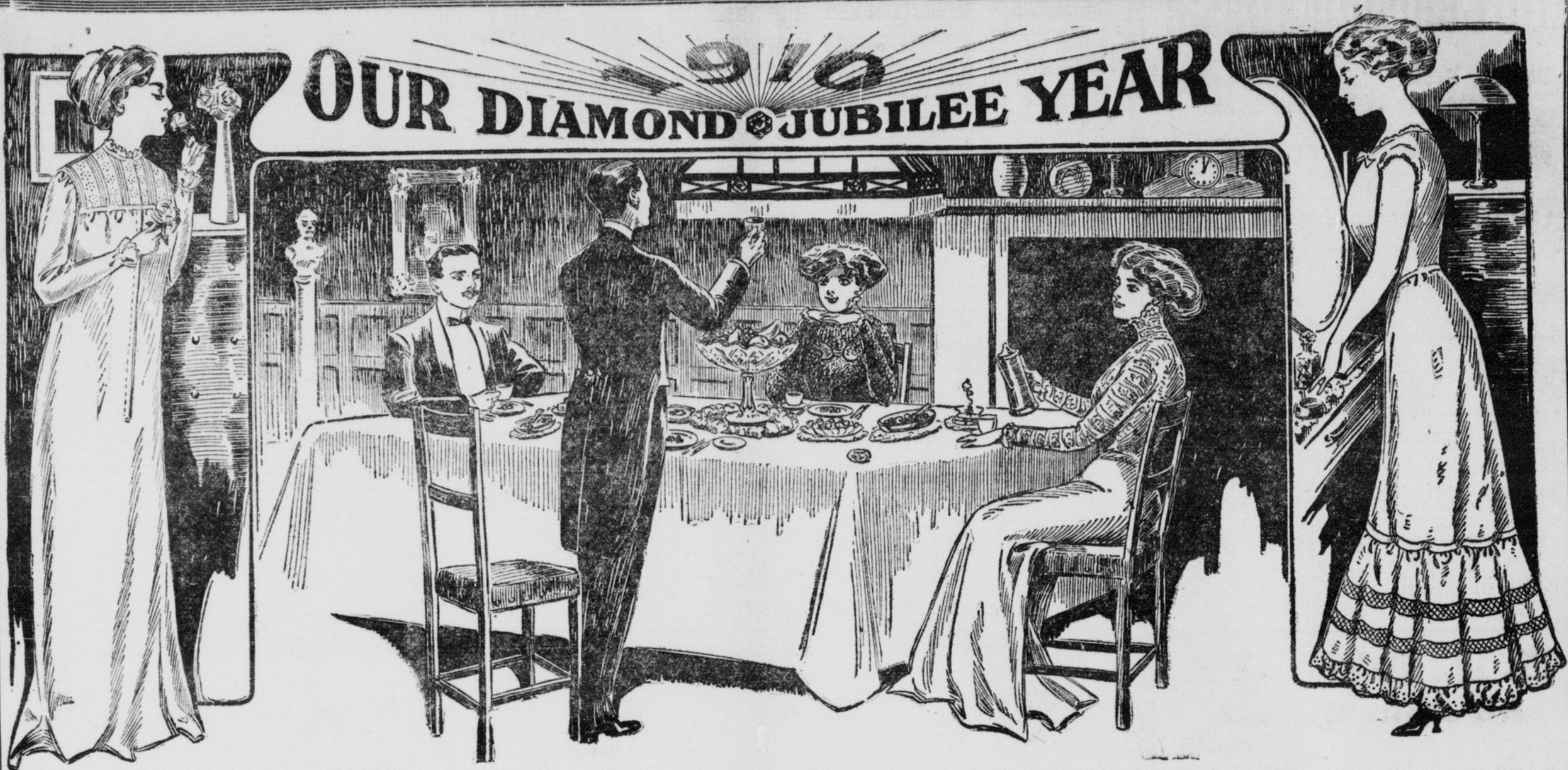
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THE Great White Carnival is an annual event which is always looked forward to with pleasureable anticipation by the ladies of Quebec. This year we have decided to leave no stone unturned to make this White Sale the greatest in our history. This is the second great event in our Diamond Jubilee Year, and we can promise you a veritable treat, for we have secured the best stock of whitewear and white goods of all descriptions ever offered in the city of Quebec. We anticipated the rise in the Cotton Market and bought accordingly at prices which enable us to sell to-day cheaper than we could buy to-morrow. As everyone knows, cotton prices have risen beyond all expectations, and the result is that the market is flooded with cheap goods, most of which are worthless, but made to sell at the same prices as goods of much better quality were bringing last year. Through placing our orders months ahead, we are enabled to keep in advance of such a condition as this, and never have you had such a chance to profit by our forchandedness in buying.

Special Purchase of Embroideries Direct from Switzerland

OVER 100,000 yards of dainty embroidery edgings, insertions, flouncings, waistings and allover, have been purchased direct from Switzerland specially for this sale. The qualities are matchless, and the prices much lower than the present market justifies. The widths range from 3 to 6 inches.

Regular Prices...7c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c and 20c a yard
Sale Prices...5c, 6c, 7c, 9c, 12c and 15c a yard

Ladies' Chemises.

CHEMISES in fine white cambric, full range of sizes, beautifully made from extra fine quality cambric, price considered, trimmed on front, neck and armholes with dainty torchon lace, worth 50c. Sale Price.....37c

Ladies' Chemises.

CHEMISES in fine white nainsook, very soft quality, yoke made with clusters of tucks and lace insertions, trimming of lace around neck and armholes, worth 75c. Sale Price.....59c

Ladies' Chemises.

CHEMISES in very fine quality white cambric, beautifully made, cut very full, yoke made with pin tucks and embroidery insertion, and extra special value at 85c. Sale Price.....67c

Dainty White Underskirts in Nainsook and Cambric

THESE Underskirts were made specially for this Sale from the finest of materials, cut generously full. The patterns are all new and most attractive. In fact, we can safely promise that you will be more than delighted, not only with the showing, but also with the extraordinary values.

UNDERSKIRTS in fine white nainsook, deep flounce with double ruffle and three insertions of dainty lace, flounce edged with rich Oriental lace. Well worth \$1.35. Sale Price.....\$1.19

UNDERSKIRTS in fine white cambric, cut generously full, deep flounce with two rows of hemstitched tucks and embroidery insertion, finished with ruffle. Worth \$2.25. Sale Price.....\$1.89

UNDERSKIRTS in fine white nainsook, beautiful quality, made with deep flounce inserted with dainty lace, alternating with hemstitched tucks, lace edging. Worth \$2.35. Sale Price.....\$2.13

UNDERSKIRTS in fine white nainsook, made with deep lawn flounce trimmed with two rows of Oriental lace insertion and tucks, exquisite lace ruffle at bottom. Worth \$2.60. Sale Price.....\$2.39

Cambric and Nainsook Nightgowns Cut Very Full

PERHAPS the most important advantage to be found in these Nightgowns is their generous fullness, and this will commend itself to all lovers of dainty whitewear. With prices advancing every day, an investment in garments of this nature is most timely and judicious. Prices are exceptionally low.

NIGHTGOWNS in beautiful quality white nainsook, full range of sizes, square yoke made with tucks and embroidery ruffle, neck and sleeves edged with embroidery. \$1.15 value, for.....95c

NIGHTGOWNS in fine white cambric, splendid quality, square yoke made with insertion of embroidery and clusters of tucks, embroidery edging at neck and cuffs. \$1.25 value, for.....\$1.05

NIGHTGOWNS in extra quality soft white nainsook, round yoke of Oriental lace insertion, bell sleeves with three rows of insertion and baby ribbon. Well worth \$1.35. Sale Price.....\$1.19

NIGHTGOWNS in fine white nainsook, front opening, round yoke made with embroidery insertion and tucks, ruffle of embroidery at neck and cuffs. Well worth \$1.50. Sale Price.....\$1.28

Ladies' Lawn Blouses and Dainty Kimonos

THE blouses comprising our January Sale Stock have been purchased from one of Canada's leading manufacturers at a special price-concession, owing to the quantity involved. The values cannot be duplicated in Canada to-day—of this we are sure. The selection is large and satisfying.

BLOUSES in fine white lawn, front of allover embroidery, with clusters of tucks, tucked back, collar and cuffs edged with lace. \$1.15 value. Sale Price.....95c

BLOUSES in fine white lawn, very handsome designs, front of allover embroidery and dainty tucks, high collar and cuffs trimmed with lace. \$1.35 value. Sale Price.....\$1.19

KIMONOS in fine white lawn, tucked front, bias fold of lawn in pink or blue on front and sleeves, beautiful quality, an extra good value at \$1.35. Sale Price.....\$1.19

KIMONOS in fine white lawn, made with round collar and cuffs trimmed with dainty lace insertion and ribbon, finished with belt. Real \$1.50 value. Sale Price.....\$1.29

Bleached Cotton, Longcloth, Sheeting, Muslin, Etc.

BLEACHED COTTON, 35 inches wide, extra quality, nothing better for domestic use. Regular Price, 12½c a yard. Sale Price.....9c

HORROCKSES LONGCLOTH, bleached, round thread, free from filling, extra super quality, 36 inch width. 17c value. Sale Price.....12½c

BLEACHED SHEETING, heavy make, plain finish, 2 yards wide, extra special value for this White Sale to sell at, per yard.....25c

SWISS MUSLIN, 32 inches wide, white, dotted and striped, suitable for curtains. Regular Price, 12c a yard. Sale Price.....7½c

VICTORIA LAWN, white, fine weave, for dresses or aprons. Regular Prices, 15c and 20c a yard. Sale Prices, per yard.....11c and 14c

BEDSPREADS, pure white with French floral patterns, sizes 82x94 and 90x108 inches, satin finish, hemmed.....\$4.98 and \$5.98



Extra Special White Lawn Waists

As a special inducement we will place on sale Monday morning at 8 o'clock sharp, a special line of beautiful white lawn waists, back opening, embroidered front with panel of English eyelet embroidery and two rows of Cluny lace insertion, tucked back, collar and shoulders, long pointed sleeves with one insertion of Cluny lace and edging of Valenciennes. Real value, \$1.25. EXTRA SPECIAL.....79c

Dressing Sacques.

LADIES' Dressing Sacques in fine white lawn, well made and very attractive, round collar and bell sleeves, trimmed with dainty Val. lace and insertion, an extra special value at \$1.15. January Sale Price, only.....98c

Dressing Sacques.

LADIES' white lawn Dressing Sacques, full range of sizes, large round collar, front, collar and sleeves trimmed with dainty lace insertion and edged with lace. \$1.50 value, for.....\$1.29

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VERY elaborate Dressing Sacques in allover embroidery, made with square neck, beautifully trimmed with exquisite lace and insertion, wide bell sleeves of allover and silk ribbon.....\$9.73

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CORSET COVERS in fine white cambric, full range of sizes, yoke of dainty torchon lace with baby ribbon through beading at neck. Extra value at 45c. Sale Price.....32c

CORSET COVERS in fine white nainsook, full range of sizes, trimmed with four rows of lace insertion, neck and armholes edged with lace. 50c value. Sale Price.....39c

CORSET COVERS in fine white nainsook, full range of sizes, front made with clusters of tucks, neck and armholes edged with pretty embroidery. 50c value. Sale Price.....39c

CORSET Covers in fine white cambric, full range of sizes, front made with six vertical rows of insertion, neck and armholes trimmed with lace. 60c value. Sale Price.....44c

Exquisite Nainsook Corset Covers Attractively Priced

FOR those who wish something decidedly dainty and chic, these Corset Covers in beautiful soft nainsook will fill a great want. There is quality in every inch of these, and the designs are exceptionally taking. The prices do not begin to do justice to the quality and finish.

CORSET COVERS in fine white nainsook, embroidery yoke made with lace insertion, neck and armholes trimmed with dainty lace. Real 60c value. January Sale Price.....47c

CORSET COVERS in fine white nainsook, square yoke of wide embroidery and insertion, edging of dainty lace around neck and armholes. 65c value. January Sale Price.....49c

CORSET COVERS in fine white nainsook, front of allover embroidery with clusters of pin tucks in back and lace edging at neck and armholes. 70c value. Sale Price.....50c

CORSET COVERS in fine white nainsook, full range of sizes, front trimmed with two insertions of wide embroidery and lace, neck and armholes lace trimmed. Sale Price.....67c

Handsome Bridal Sets, Five Pieces Per Set

POPULAR favor has endorsed these beautiful Bridal Sets so warmly as to make any whitewear sale incomplete without them. For prospective brides and others who appreciate daintiness in their undermuslins, nothing could be more acceptable than these. You should really see them.

BRIDAL SETS of five pieces in fine white cambric, trimmed with wide lace or embroidery insertion and hemstitching, edging of dainty lace. Value, \$5.25. Sale Price.....\$4.75

BRIDAL SETS of five pieces in beautiful soft nainsook, splendid choice, trimmed with Oriental lace and applique, ribbon and edging. Value, \$7.50. Sale Price.....\$6.75

BRIDAL SETS of five pieces in fine white nainsook, splendid choice, richly trimmed with dainty insertion and fine lace. Real value \$8.50. January Sale Price.....\$7.50

BRIDAL SETS of five pieces in fine white nainsook, trimmed with applique of embroidery, lace insertion and tucks, lace edging. Real value, \$13.50. Sale Price.....\$11.00

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PILLOW SHAMS, fine Swiss cambric, size 32x32 inches, embroidered openwork patterns, rare value. Sale Price, each.....29c

TABLE NAPKINS, bleached Damask, only 50 dozen at this price. Size 16x16 inches. January Sale Price, per dozen.....45c

HAND TOWELS, in fine cotton huckaback, bleached, 18x36 and 20x40 inches, hemmed or fringed, 10c and 12½c values, each.....9c



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CITY OF QUEBEC

CITY HALL,
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Quebec, 24th December, 1909.

Municipal Elections

Municipal Elections for All the Wards of the City of Quebec

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the nomination of a candidate or candidates for the office of Mayor and of Aldermen, for each of the Seats Nos. 1, 2 and 3, in each of the wards of this city, for all the wards of the City of Quebec, except St. Malo Ward which is represented by one alderman only, for seat number three, will take place on MONDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1910, being the second Monday of February, 1910, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF TWELVE OF THE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON AND FOUR OF THE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, at the office of the City Clerk, in the City Hall. All requisitions for candidates must be in writing and signed by six or more electors duly qualified as such; such electors shall specify if the candidate is a candidate to mayoralty or as alderman and by the number of the seat, for which particular seat the candidate is nominated. Such requisitions shall further contain a written consent to the said nomination, which consent shall be signed by a person who declares that he is thereto authorized by him. Such requisitions shall also be accompanied by a solemn declaration, made by the candidate or by another person, attesting that the candidate is the proprietor of the immovable or immovables to be described in the solemn declaration, and that said immovable or immovables are worth as to the person or persons, and are candidates to the office of Mayor, the sum of, at least, five thousand dollars, and to those who are candidates to the office of Aldermen for Seats Nos. 1 and 2, the sum of two thousand dollars, and as to those who are candidates to the office of Aldermen for Seat No. 3, the sum of one thousand dollars, the said sums of five thousand dollars, two thousand dollars and one thousand dollars respectively to be over and above the rents, hypothecs or charges upon the said immovable or immovables. Such requisitions shall also be accompanied by a certificate from the City Treasurer, establishing that the candidate is not indebted to the said City, according to law, for assessments, taxes or any dues whatsoever, or for any other reason up to the thirtieth day of April, 1910. And in case there should be more than one candidate for the office of Mayor and Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1, 2 and 3, in each ward, nominated for any of the said wards, the voting shall take place on MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1910, being the third Monday of the month of February, 1910, BETWEEN NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, in each and every ward, where there shall be more than one candidate for said offices of Mayor and Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in each ward respectively, there shall be a "Pollhouse" for each one hundred and fifty electors having a right to vote for the election of Mayor or for the election of Aldermen for Seat No. 1, or for Seats Nos. 2 and 3. A person who is qualified to vote for the Mayor and for Aldermen for Seat No. 1 and for Aldermen for Seats Nos. 2 and 3 shall, however, only count as one elector.

By order,

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD,

City Clerk.

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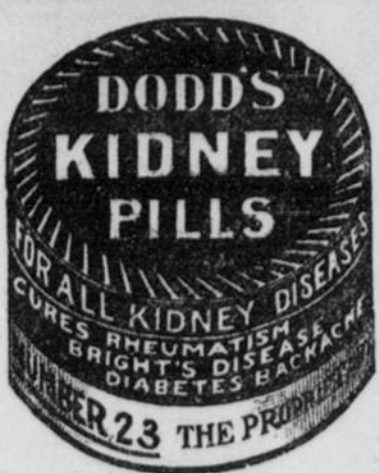
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SHIPPING NEWS

C.P.R. LINE.

Steamer Empress of China arrived at Hong Kong at 9 a.m. last Saturday from Vancouver.

R.M.S. Corsican, chartered steamer, arrived at Liverpool at 9 a.m. yesterday.

R.M.S. Empress of Britain, from Liverpool, arrived at Halifax last Saturday morning.

DOMINION LINE.

Steamer Turcoman sailed at 3.20 p.m. Saturday from Portland for Avonmouth.

Steamer Welshman sailed at 6 p.m. Saturday from Liverpool for Portland.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP CO.

Steamer Parima sailed from St. Thomas for New York at 9 a.m. last Saturday.

Steamer Bermudian sailed from Bermuda for New York at noon last Saturday.

OCEAN ARRIVALS.

Jan. 8th, 1910.

SS. La Savoie, at New York, from Havre.

SS. Laurentic, at Queenstown, from New York.

SS. Zealand, at Antwerp, from New York.

SS. Oceania, at Naples, from New York.

SS. Laura, at Naples, from New York.

SS. St. Paul, at Plymouth, from New York.

SS. Perugia, at New York, from Naples.

NOT THE FASHION NOW.

Men No Longer Carry Their Hats to Drawing Room When Calling.

A number of customs which used to be part of the social system are being much modified or are fast disappearing altogether. Paying afternoon calls, for instance, and the conversation after dinner have been completely abolished by bridge. Dining out, unless you are a bridge player, is reduced to a minimum and those who cannot join in the fashionable game have to be content with an invitation to luncheon where they used to dine.

Among the minor changes in social usages I have remarked lately that it is now quite demode for a lady to take the arm of a gentleman under any circumstances whatever, except just for going into dinner, and that perfume, sign of female weakness will also probably disappear very soon.

Formerly after dancing, and when going in to supper at a ball, young ladies always put their hand through the arm of their partners, but now if any one did such a thing in an up-to-date ballroom they would be looked upon as a social disgrace. The custom of the day is to shake hands with a partner, and then to go to the supper table.

How very seldom, too, you see a man in these days, hat in hand, in a lady's drawing room! Up to quite a short time ago elderly gentlemen who went to evening parties invariably walked in, "crush hat" under arm; while every man, whether young or old, went up to the drawing room, hat in hand, when going to visit a lady. It used to be said that this custom differentiated a social call from that of a doctor or lawyer.

The practice had its inconveniences, for there was always a danger of an all too heavy foot being planted in the middle of a brand-new silk "topper" by an absent minded fellow visitor. Anyhow, whether for good or evil, the custom has disappeared, like many others.—The Gentlewoman, London.

SON OF ERIN MAKES POOR BRIDEGROOM.

Elizabeth McDermott, a young girl, 22 years of age, was this week awarded £25 at Dublin in an action for damages for breach of promise of marriage against Patrick Fagy, a farmer, of Caran, Armagh. The promise was not denied, and there was no appearance for the defendant.

Plaintiff, who is a domestic servant, and whose mother has a farm, said that after defendant proposed marriage he bought her a wedding ring and a keeper. She lent the defendant some money, and arrangements were made for the wedding breakfast. On the morning of the expected wedding, however, the defendant did not turn up, and the wedding party went home. On the following Sunday she met the defendant, who said he was sorry, and that he had now taken the pledge for life. They then arranged to have the wedding on the church day, but when they got to the church gate at Crossmaglen the defendant stopped, and said she was the fourth girl he had brought that length, and that he did not intend to marry. On the advice of the priest, she went home.

Fagy afterwards came to a place where witness was at service, and once more offered to marry her.

Mr. Justice Kenny, in addressing the jury, expressed the opinion that the girl had a fortunate escape from defendant, who had acted in a blackguardly manner.

BIG DAM FOR THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER

Will be the Second Largest Dam in the World—Will Cost \$15,000,000.

Kokomo, Iowa, Jan. 8.—It was announced here to-day that a syndicate of New York and Boston capitalists has undertaken to finance the erection of the second largest dam in the world to span the Mississippi River at this point. Contracts have been taken by three St. Louis concerns to furnish power from the dam to nearby towns and the work of building is to be begun immediately under the superintendency of the War Department. The estimated cost of the dam is \$15,000,000; one thousand men are to begin work on the structure of reinforced concrete 5,800 feet long which will cross the Mississippi. It is to be 37 feet high and will be built seven feet deep into the solid rock into the river bottom. The power plant to be erected on the Iowa side of the river will generate 200,000 horse-power and the dam will create a lake extending for 30 miles up the Mississippi River. Present guard locks and drawlocks of the government at this point will be abandoned.

DISCOVERED NATURAL GAS

Deseronto, Ont., Jan. 7.—While cleaning his well this afternoon Mr. Geddes discovered natural gas. He let a burning match fall near the top of the well and it broke out in flames. The flames were extinguished and a gas pipe put down in the well when a lighted match was applied so the upper end of the pipe and a bright flame burst out. It has been burning all the afternoon and is still bright, the supply of gas seeming to be practically inexhaustible.

DAIRYMEN ELECT OFFICERS

Belleville, Ont., Jan. 7.—The Eastern Ontario Dairymen closed their convention here this afternoon. At this morning's session Prof. Grisdale, manager of the Experimental Farm at Ottawa, read a fine paper on the best food for the dairy cow. Votes of thanks to the speaker, etc., were passed and the following were selected as directors of the association for the ensuing year:—John H. Singleton, Renfrew; Neil Fraser, Prescott; Ed. Kidd, M.P., Carleton; W. H. Olmstead, Russell; John McGregor, Glenora; Wm. Montgomery, Stormont; J. J. Payne, Dundas; Jas. A. Sanderson, Grenville; J. B. Wilson, Leeds; T. A. Thompson, Lanark; James McGrath, Frontenac; Hon. Senator Derbyshire, Brockville.

Why Does Not The Stomach Digest Itself?

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There seems to be no logical reason why the stomach should not digest itself when we consider the fact that it secretes digestive fluids and acids which are powerful enough to disintegrate and digest meats, eggs, fruits, cereals, vegetables and other forms of food taken into it. In animals which are killed while in full digestion the stomach has undergone complete self-digestion after death, when the body was kept warm; and in human beings who have died suddenly, while digestion was going on, it was found at the autopsy that not only had the stomach been digested, but also the liver, pancreas, spleen, and portions of the intestines. The question naturally presents itself, "What protects the stomach from self-digestion during life?" Dr. Hunter declared that the "principle of life" in living things protected this organ from being digested by its own fluids, but Dr. Barnard successfully demonstrated that the hind legs of a living frog, when introduced through a fistula or artificial opening into the stomach of a dog, undergoes complete digestion, and Dr. Pavly, through similar experiment, found that the same was true of a rabbit's ear.

While the normal stomach is immune from self-digestion, there are many cases on record, however, in which long-standing gastritis, and perverted digestion, has completely digested or eaten away the mucous membrane lining of the stomach, and in some instances has engendered gastric ulcer, which ate its way clear through the stomach wall, and caused a fatal peritonitis.

In all cases of perverted function of the stomach, which manifests itself by the numerous well-known symptoms of indigestion and dyspepsia, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets act as a corrective, restoring it to a normal condition, toning up the secretory glands, as well as the lactical glands, which absorb the food, and at the same time assisting the stomach in the process of digestion, and preventing all possibility of such conditions arising as will cause perverted function, gastritis, gastric ulcer, or the eating away of the mucous membrane of the stomach.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are exceedingly powerful digestives, a single grain being sufficient to digest 3,000 grains of food, including meats, vegetables, cereals, etc. They digest albuminous and starchy foods equally well. Whenever the stomach is in a weakened condition, and so lacking in tone, that it furnishes an insufficient amount of gastric juice, such symptoms as heartburn, biliousness, headache, belching of gas and sour eructations are sure to appear, and make one feel generally miserable.

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Overcoating, Suiting and Trousing Made to Order, Less 20%.

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LOST

LOST—ON SATURDAY EVENING between Liverpool and 26 St. Flavian street, passing by Garnett street, a green pocket book containing a sum of money. Finder will be rewarded on returning to 26 St. Flavian street.

LOST—ONE SUIT CASE BETWEEN Grand Trunk ferry and Auditorium. Return to Chronicle office. Receiver will be rewarded.

LOST—ON 4TH JANUARY, BETWEEN Chateau Frontenac and Berthelot street, via St. Louis street and Grande Allée, a silver optic scarf. Finder will be rewarded on returning same to this office.

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WANTED—A CAPABLE HOUSEMAID with good references. Apply to Mrs. Frank Ross, Holland House, St. Foye Road. Phone No. 223.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SHOECUTTERS, sitters and Amateen Knives. Best of positions, good wages. Apply at once Ames-Holden, Ltd., Montreal, or care M. Gauthier, Charendon Hotel.

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HOUSE WANTED—FOR THE SUMMER months, a 6 or 7 roomed house, situated at Montmorency Falls. Apply, stating terms, etc., S. 1.

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TO LET—A HOUSE CONTAINING 9 rooms, bath room, furnace, flowers and vegetable gardens, situated at No. 7 Arthur street, rear of Maple Avenue. Can be visited in the afternoon. For information, please address to Mde. J. Zelinka, 36 Deligny street. Phone 1574.

TO LET—HOUSE NO. 32 ST. ANN street, Upper Town, occupied during eight years by Dr. Forcier. In first-class order, 13 rooms and all modern improvements. Immediate possession. LaRue & LaRue, Notaries, 28 St. Ann street.

HOUSES FOR SALE OR TO LET—On St. Cyrille street, Montcalm-ville. Apply to A. Tremblay, 359 Richardson street.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A STONE HOUSE ON Grande Allée, extension kitchen, cemented cellar, electric light, stable and yard. For particulars apply S. J., Chronicle Office.

FOR SALE—IN ORDER TO WIND up an estate, the properties: No. 140 d'Aiguillon street, 2 tenements; Nos. 116, 116 1/2 and 118 1/2 Richelieu street, 3 tenements; No. 34 St. Eustache street, 1 tenement; Nos. 13 and 15 Couillard street, 2 tenements. Quebec, January 5th, 1910. J. E. Boily, Notary, 40 St. Joseph street, Quebec.

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List of Municipal Voters Deposited.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.
CITY HALL.

Quebec, 21st December, 1909.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of the Act 53 Vict., chap. 68, sec. 31, and its amendments, two alphabetical lists, one of the persons qualified to vote at the municipal elections for the office of Mayor and Aldermen for seat No. one in each ward of this city, and the other for persons qualified to vote at the said elections for the office of Mayor and of Aldermen for seats Nos. two and three in each ward of the city, shall be deposited in the office of the undersigned, on the THIRD DAY OF JANUARY, 1910, and will be communicated to whomsoever shall apply

TROUBLE IN THE HAPPY FAMILY

Government Organs Refuse to Accept
Auguste Lemieux as Candidate
for Ottawa

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—The Conservative convention to choose a candidate will be held to-morrow night. It is not probable though the Ottawa bye-election will see an official Conservative standard-bearer. Mr. J. A. Ellis, independent, will most likely be allowed the field as far as that party are concerned.

On the Liberal side the troubles are only beginning. The Government organ, the Free Press, before the convention came out against Auguste Lemieux, and now Le Temps, the French Liberal daily, says it will not accept as candidate a man who refuses to acknowledge the stated desire of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who, it says, is an impossible candidate. It is said to be a possibility that Hon. Chas. Murphy will be called upon to step into the breach as Liberal standard-bearer. This would add difficulties to the racial situation.

BROKE WORLD'S RECORD

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 9.—Barney Oldfield, driving his Benz racer over the Asol. Park mile track today broke the world's circular track record for two, three, four and five miles. His time for the five miles was 4.24 1-5. The previous record was 4.26, held by Ralph DePalma.

HOTEL BURNED

Amherstburg, Ont., Jan. 9.—The Anglo-American Hotel, bowling alley and a house, all belonging to Mr. J. Mailleux, were burned to the ground early this morning. The fire started from some unknown cause in the bowling alley and gained such headway before being discovered that the firemen could do nothing but save the surrounding houses.

THE COST OF LIVING

Washington, Jan. 9.—Representative Adair introduced a joint resolution for the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to appoint a committee of three Senators and five members of the House to investigate the cost of living in this country which is declared to be out of proportion to the increase in wages, causing great hardship to those who work for fixed salaries.

AN INVESTIGATOR ARRESTED

New York, Jan. 8.—Thos. P. Reilly, a special investigator for the Interstate Commerce Commission, was arrested this afternoon by the United States marshal on a warrant charging the theft from United States District Attorney Wise's office of the famous sugar trust letter from Attorney-General Wickham, and other documents relating to the sugar trust prosecution.

LARGE SALE OF COAL LAND

Uniontown, Pa., Jan. 9.—The Clairton Iron Co. has sold to H. C. Frick Coke Co. 2,644 acres of coal and 266 acres of surface land in this country for \$2,254,115 cash. The coal land \$850 an acre was made. The Frick Co. is said to have taken the land to provide against future shortage. It is not expected to be developed at once. The price paid is said to be a record one in this vicinity.

SHIRT WAIST MAKERS' STRIKE

New York, Jan. 9.—Trouble in the clothing industry does not cease. In addition to the 15,000 shirt waist makers now on strike 6,000 trousers makers are now preparing to walk out. The business manager of the shirt makers' union said to-night: "A strike is expected within two weeks. The employees will demand an increase in wages and that agreement with the employers shall run for a full year. A strike is forced upon us by recent wage reductions."

TO BREAK UP BLACK HAND

Cleveland, O., Jan. 9.—In an effort to break the backbone of the Black Hand Society in the United States, fifteen Sicilians will be placed on trial here to-morrow in the United States District Court. They were indicted at Toledo, O., last summer. The principal count recites that they conspired to get \$1,000 from John Amico, a wealthy Italian fruit dealer in Columbus, O., through letters sent from Marion, O. The letters generally were signed "The Human Butcher."

HAVE CLUE TO MURDERER

New York, Jan. 8.—A clue to the identity of the man who murdered Lieut. Joseph Petrosino in Palermo, Sicily, last year, is in the hands of the central office here and a police officer of high rank said to-day that the department has hopes of making an arrest. The man wanted is said to be working in the mines at Carbondale, Pa. Formerly he lived at Mount Kisco, West Chester Co., New York, and from there followed Petrosino to Sicily. The police are hampered by the fact that they are unable to get any of the Italian colony at Mount Kisco who know the man they want to accompany them. Carbondale is said to be an identification.

LEOPARD ATTACKS HIS TRAINER

New York, Jan. 9.—The sharp teeth and claws of Clayton, a trained leopard, nearly cost the life of Mrs. Pauline Russell, his trainer, to-day, but the length and strength of his tail saved her. Clayton was ugly and would not perform. Mrs. Russell prodded him with an iron bar and called to her assistant for aid. In the instant of turning her head to call, the leopard leaped. He bore his mistress to the ground and stood over her growling and lashing his tail. It was then the quick witted assistant, rushing into the cage, grabbed Clayton's tail, took a double hitch around the bars of the cage with it, and rescued Mrs. Russell in safety. The woman was badly torn and at the hospital it was said to-night that her recovery is doubtful. The attack occurred in private training quarters.

Father Morrissey's "No. 10" Lung Tonic

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Father Morrissey prescribed for my brother, a young fellow who had always been delicate, having to leave school on account of his health. As he grew he seemed to get less strong, always tired and sort of worn out, and looked so bad all the time. At different times he had slight hemorrhages.

In the autumn of 1907 he had such a cough that it just distressed one to hear it. It just shook his whole body, some nights all night long. Near the last of October one evening he began to cough and suddenly great streams of blood rushed from his mouth, a dreadful hemorrhage.

The doctor had examined him before and had told us he had Tuberculosis without a doubt, and it was but a matter of a very short time. We had heard a great deal of Father Morrissey, and Harry felt sure he would help him, so I wrote him and the good Father sent the Cure. He began to take it and immediately there was a change. He took it all that winter and in the spring he was able to sit out in the garden in a wheel chair, and everybody who knew him thought it simply miraculous.

Then he felt so well that he stopped taking the medicine. One hot day in June he sat in the sun until he got sort of a touch of sunstroke and about six in the evening he took a hemorrhage and bled until noon the next day. A doctor came in and said he had a touch of the sun and consumption and gave very little hopes.

This, however, did not daunt my brother, for he knew what the Cure had done before, and he kept on taking the medicine, for he had perfect faith. Every day for over a year he never missed, and to-day he is perfectly splendid. Every one who knows him has said it was the most wonderful, most miraculous cure ever heard of.

He is stronger and better now than ever he was, and there is never a day that he does not walk three or four miles just for a constitutional, and very often more, and he looks as though there never had been anything wrong with him whatever.

Yours truly,
EVELEEN BYRNE.

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I take great pleasure in recommending to all men who work in or around shingle mills the Father Morrissey's Catarrh Cure. For three years I had suffered from Catarrh in the head until March, 1909, when I had to leave my work in shingle mills, after trying four different so-called Catarrh Cures, and two doctors who claimed there was no cure.

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Rheumatism is the result of Kidney Trouble. The function of the Kidneys is to filter out from the blood certain impurities, particularly Uric Acid. If they do not do this the Uric Acid accumulates, poisons the blood and the whole system, and, settling in the joints and muscular tissue, causes Rheumatism.

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Mr. Barberie, Registrar of Deeds at Dalhousie, Restigouche Co., N.B. tells of the relief he received from using No. 7 Tablets and Father Morrissey's Liniment:

Dalhousie, N.B., April 14th, 1909.

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I suffered from Rheumatism for years and recently have been confined to my house with it with Doctors attending. A friend recommended your medicine and I tried your No. 7 Tablets and also your Liniment and can recommend them to all sufferers, as they certainly gave me relief and to-day I can get around as well as I could years ago.

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If you suffer from any of these diseases, even though other remedies may have failed to help you, don't give up. Father Morrissey's Prescriptions have cured hundreds whom others could not cure. Why won't you let them cure you? Get them at your dealer's, or from

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Chatham, N.B.

HOSPITAL ENGULFED

Vienna, Jan. 9.—An extraordinary accident occurred yesterday at Rahl, in Carinthia. The sudden collapse of the site of a disused mine completely engulfed a small hospital building. Not a vestige of the hospital remained and only a huge cavity appeared in the ground. Seven inmates of the hospital, including Surgeon Wessely, and his family perished.

Lords of Many Titles

Most members of the upper house possess more than one title, and not a few have a large number. The Duke of Abercorn is holder of four Scotch titles and four British peerages. The Marquis of Lansdowne has one Scotch, five Irish and two British titles. Other peers who are well equipped in this respect are the Duke of Norfolk (seven), the Marquis of Breadalbane (eight), the Duke of Portland (five), the Duke of Devonshire (five), and the Duke of Northumberland (six).—Westminster Gazette.

Lawyer's Will.

A remarkable specimen of a lawyer's invalid will was that of Sir Joseph Leykill, Master of the Rolls, who died in 1738, and bequeathed his fortune after his wife's death to pay off the national debt. "Sir Joseph was a good man and a good lawyer," was Lord Marshall's comment, "but his request was a very foolish one. He might as well have attempted to stop the middle arch of London bridge with his full bottomed wig." The testator's patriotic intentions were therefore treated as proof of mental weakness, and his will was promptly set aside.

Among the many blundering wills that lawyers have made for clients, if not for themselves, the strangest on record was that of a Dublin gentleman who left all his money to the elder son of his brother, and if he had no elder son, to the second.—London Chronicle.

One Kind of Religion.

He was the worst boy in school, she was the teacher. She was angered by his stubbornness; he was defiant. She took him to the hall for punishment. Angriest she administered the penalty and—then somehow a great wave of pity for the boy swept over her. She looked at the worn coat of the little fellow; she thought of the frail body deprived of nourishing food; she thought of the hard and loveless home and of the starved soul of the poor kind. Tears sprang to the teacher's eyes as the boy waited for further punishment. Then he saw the tears. His own eyes grew moist and overflowed.

Thinking of how the poor boy had no chance, in an impulse of love she put her arms around the boy and they cried together.

That is religion.
She and the boy both found it.—Morrill (Kans.) News.

OFFICERS OF SOME INDIAN SCHOOLS

Suspended from Office for Neglect of Duty and Other Serious Charges

Washington, Jan. 9.—Secretary Ballinger, of the Interior Department, today suspended from office Superintendent John D. Benedict, of the five civilized tribes of Oklahoma, and three supervisors as the result of an investigation which has disclosed "a disgraceful condition affecting the material and moral welfare of the schools." The investigation which resulted in today's action was entered into because various reports reaching the department here, charging the officials already suspended, as well as others, with activities which it was thought were improper for government employees. The suspended supervisors are Calvin Ballard, of the Choctaw schools at McAlester; Frederick H. Umbelt, of the Chickasaw schools, Ardmore, and Walter Falwell of the Creek schools, at Muskogee. Before any further action is taken in their cases the four men will be allowed to make answer to Secretary of the Interior of the charges against them. From the report made on the case it appears that Benedict is connected with business interests in Oklahoma which have more or less business with the Indians, which relationship, it was believed, was wholly incompatible with his service as superintendent. It was alleged that he had permitted the schools to fall into a disgraceful condition; that the supervisors have neglected their duties in the enforcement of school contracts and in matters affecting the material and moral conditions surrounding the conduct of the schools.

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE

Toronto, Jan. 9.—It is officially announced that the legislature of Ontario has been called to meet on Tuesday, Jan. 25.

TO INCREASE WAGES

Pittsburg, Jan. 9.—At the H. C. Frick Coke Co.'s coke plants to-morrow morning a notice will be posted announcing that the wages will be restored Jan. 16 to the scale in effect when the depression of 1907 caused a cut. The advance will come as a surprise to the workmen. It is believed that other coke companies will follow this step and that there soon will be a general restoration of the wage scale of 1907 in the Connellsville coke region.

QUEBEC RAILWAY, LIGHT, HEAT & POWER COMPANY

Notice to Electrical Contractors and to the Public.

The Canadian Fire Underwriters Association having given notice to this Company that unless electrical wiring is inspected by them insurance rates will be increased. Public notice is hereby given that this Company will not make any connections for electric light or power unless a certificate of inspection of the Canadian Fire Underwriters Association, certifying that the electrical wiring conforms to their rules, be furnished to the Company.

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SHIPWRECKED CREWS SAVED

New York, Jan. 9.—The steamer Altai from Central American and West Indian ports brought in tonight the master and crew of the foundered 3-masted schooner Nettie Champion, which became water-logged Dec. 27th four days out from Norfolk, bound for New York. The Nettie was laden with lumber and did not sink. Her captain and crew lashed themselves to the davits and wheel, and stuck it out for 24 hours until they were picked up by the steamer Sargua, which carried them to Inagua, where they transferred to the Altai.

The steamer Bermudian, which at midnight was 270 miles southeast of

Sandy Hook, reports by wireless that she is bringing to port thirty shipwrecked sailors, the crews of three lost ships, the Norwegian bark Crown, numbering 11, the schooner George L. Drake and the Italian bark Filippa Denegri.

OCEAN ARRIVALS.

January 9.—
SS Minnehaha, at New York, from London.
SS Corcoran, at London, from St. John, N.B.
SS Laurentie, at London, from New York.
SS St. Paul, at Southampton, from New York.

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Notice to Speculators

Two magnificent properties for sale on St. Joseph street, between Bridge and Grant streets, in good condition. Also a stock of toys and fancy china-ware, &c., for sale on St. Joseph street, Jacques Cartier Ward. The whole will be sold at half cost price to a prompt purchaser.
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Eastern Ontario Live Stock and Poultry Show
Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 17th to 21st, 1910

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Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 17th to 21st, 1910

In connection with the above round trip tickets will be issued, good going January 15th to 21st, 1910, inclusive. Return limit up to and including Tuesday, January 25th, 1910.

GENERAL CHANGE OF TIME

On and after Sunday, October 17th, 1909, trains will leave Lewis as follows, viz.:
8.20 A.M. Express for Murray Bay, Riviere du Loup, St. Flavie and Campbellton, daily except Sunday.
4.20 P.M. Express for Riviere du Loup, daily except Saturday and Sunday.
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FRENCH OPERA CO'S SUCCESS

Remarkable Week's Performances
Culminated in Appearance of M.
Carasa on Saturday Afternoon

Quebec, which has too frequently, but unknowingly, been dubbed the graveyard of theatrical enterprise, has once again proved that it can appreciate and support real merit when it has the opportunity. Oscar Hammerstein's French Opera Company, which held the stage last week, is a case in point. Here was a company presenting metropolitan productions, and the support accorded it was little short of metropolitan. As a matter of fact it can be stated that the week's receipts in Quebec over-lapped the last week which it had in Montreal, the only other city in Canada in which it has appeared.

The company brought its highly successful engagement to a close in Quebec in a real blaze of glory on Saturday. As a special mark of favor, a really remarkable production of "Carmen" was made at the matinee. For this performance, M. Carasa, Hammerstein's great tenor, was brought on specially from New York, and he made his first appearance in Canada upon this occasion. M. Carasa, whom the musical critics of the United States have lauded as the only real rival of Caruso, made a remarkable hit. The immense audience which filled the Auditorium almost to its fullest extent, and which was one of the greatest in the history of the house, considering the elevated prices, recalled him again and again. He won a veritable triumph and Quebec can congratulate itself upon having the opportunity of hearing such a great artist before any other city in the Dominion. The production of "Carmen" was one of the most sumptuous ever seen in the Ancient Capital. The cast was one that left little to be desired, while the setting, costuming and orchestral accompaniment was something in the way of a revelation to a large majority of those present. Mlle. Rachel Lavoie was vocally and artistically capable. Indeed it is doubtful if this charming singer has given any more delightful exhibition of her genius during the week. Mlle. Violette, as "Micaela," Mlle. Nolba, as "Mercedes," and M. Dufour, as "Escamilleto," all were seen to exceptional advantage, and the whole performance is one not likely to be forgotten for a long time to come.

In the evening "Le Petit Duc" was produced with splendid effect in the presence of a large audience, bringing the engagement to a close. The company left yesterday morning by special train for Ottawa, where a three days' engagement will be played. Manager Alor is to be congratulated upon the great success which is resulting from his efforts to give the citizens of Quebec the best to be had in the theatrical world to-day. He has had a hard uphill fight, but judging from the bookings which he has now in sight it seems as though he had at last won out. He has some strong attractions coming, among them a return visit from the Italian Grand Opera Company, which made such a great impression here last season, the New Orleans French Opera Company, the "Royal Chiff" and a number of other good things.

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Election Expenses.

Sir F. Delaval totalled seven votes in an attempt on Andover in the general election of 1768. An item in his election agent's bill is typical of the reckoning he had to pay: "To being thrown out of the George Inn, Andover, to my legs being thereby broken, to surgeon's bill and loss of time and business, all in the service of Sir F. Delaval, 500 pounds." Then in later times Lord Llandaff won Dunfermline in 1868. The item, "547 pounds, whisky," caused an eyebrow to twitch, and he faintly protested, "Begorra," said his election agent, "if ye want to squeeze a pippin like that ye'll never do for Dunfermline."—London Chron.

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Mr. Theophile C. Denis, of Ottawa, has been nominated superintendent and inspector of mines in place of Mr. Ohsalid.

Mr. Elise Theriault, E.E.D., has been appointed secretary to Hon. J. Ed. Caron, the Minister of Agriculture, in succession to Mr. Hector Laferte.

Arrivals at the Victoria Hotel.—D. C. Trudeau, G. David, R. Delisle, P. Marat, J. S. Smart, S. Gorofe, V. Plante, J. C. Pare, A. S. Charbonneau, Montreal; G. A. Vizie, Littleton, N.Y.; G. C. Laporte and wife, Grand Rapids, N.B.; P. McCaffrey, Thetford Mines; E. Guay, St. Romu.

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Married Men's Night.

It was married men's night at the revival meeting.

"Let all your husbands who have troubles on your minds stand up," shouted the emotional preacher at the height of his spasm.

Instantly every man in the church rose to his feet except one.

"Ah!" exclaimed the preacher, peering out at this lone sitter, who occupied a chair near the door and apart from the others, "You are one in a million."

"It ain't that," piped back this one, hesitantly, as the rest of the congregation turned to gaze suspiciously at him. "I can't get up; I'm paralyzed."

Death by Kissing.

In ancient Egypt it was considered a high degree of politeness to kiss one's hand and then place it on the top of the head.

Men of rank occasionally kissed each other, but in the land of the Pharaohs no man ever dreamed of kissing a woman.

In Rome kissing was at one time a serious matter. If a slave kissed a free woman he was liable to be torn to pieces by wild horses.

It was the great Cato who promulgated a law making it a punishable offense for parents to kiss in the presence of their children.

The Greek put to death any man kissing a woman in the public street.

In Austria to-day a man kisses a woman's hand only. In Russia the forehead is kissed among equals. But a Russian peasant salutes his lordly master by kissing his knees.

The Pole kisses the shoulder of his superior.

How He Coaxed 'Em.

New York Sun: Neighborhood prophets predicted that a third drug store in the block was a superfluous, and that the newcomer would fail in less than a month. But the prophets did not take into account the resourcefulness of the new druggist. He showed his hand the day the woman who occupied a flat above his store said she was sorry, but if he had so much work ahead that she couldn't get her prescription put up in less than a half hour she would have to go to another store.

"It may not take quite that long," said he, beginning, "and while you wait you are entitled to one telephone call without charge."

"And what could I do?" said the woman afterward. "There wasn't a soul on earth I wanted to telephone to just then, but I couldn't let the chance to get something for nothing slip by, so I called up two women whom I had no desire to see and invited them to a luncheon that I had to spend a dollar extra on because they were coming. In the remaining fifteen minutes that I waited three other women in a hurry were held by that alluring free telephone bait. Run that man out? Never! In less than three weeks no woman in the neighborhood could be induced to buy drugs elsewhere. If anybody to run out it will be the old established druggists, not the new man."

A Football Hero's Experiences.

Some one, in congratulating Stronach, of the Ottawa Ruby team, hailed him as chiefly responsible for the Tiger's recent defeat. The big Scot declined the honor.

"Boys are very kind," said he, "but Williams won the game."

The interviewer tried him on another tack. "Which game do you prefer, the English or Canadian?" The Rough Rider thought he couldn't express an unprejudiced opinion. He had been brought up in the Old Country style of play, and had played in Canada only two years, but the Canadian game was well enough.

"Do they make it rough for you?"

"No," said Stronach, gently rubbing the centre of his forehead whence a nondescript bruise extended to the bridge of his nose.

"Just where Ben Simpson's toes landed when I threw him once," he explained.

In Scotland, he volunteered, he had experienced a few knocks. His collar bone was broken and his skull fractured. "I lost the originals of these in one game," said he, removing an upper set of store teeth; "then I had an ankle broken, and my knees haven't been any good for a long time. Finally, my best friend was the occasion of my suffering a fractured thigh, and curiously enough, he sustained the same injury at my hands later on. But it's all in the day's work."

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Lord Charles' Friends.

Among the stories told by Lord Charles Beresford when in Canada recently were several concerning "political friends." One was to the effect that he had just won his seat at an election, and a few days afterwards he was driving with the Prince of Wales through St. Johns Wood, when they passed a frowzy-headed dame who was evidently under the influence of liquor. As she beheld the distinguished occupants of the carriage she bowed genially, and, waving her hand to the successful candidate, exclaimed: "Chawlie, I do declare! An' ye've got Wyles with yer this mawmin!" His Royal Highness turned to Lord Charles Beresford and remarked: "Really, you seem to have made a great many political friends."—Westminster Gazette.

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