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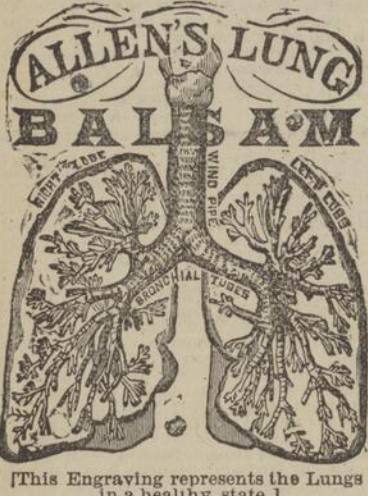
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CHAS. P. SCLATER,
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Montreal, March 19th, 1886. 15A pt 67

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TELEGRAPHIC. CANADIAN.

Improving.
OTTAWA, March 30.—Sir John Macdonald's condition continues to improve. It is expected that he will be able to move about by the end of the week.

Resigned.
OTTAWA, March 30.—Judge Ross has resigned the position of Revising Barrister for Carleton, owing to failing eyesight. His successor has not yet been appointed.

Big Wheat Average.
OTTAWA, March 30.—Prof. Tanner, who has just returned from a trip to Manitoba, reports that a large acreage of wheat may be expected in that Province the coming season.

New Cattle Market.
TORONTO, March 30.—A by-law to issue debentures to the extent of \$50,000 for the purchase of a new cattle market site will be submitted to a vote of ratepayers on Monday.

Delegation.
TORONTO, March 30.—A civic delegation to interview the Government on the question of immigration, harbor improvements and other matters, will leave for Ottawa to-night.

Military Honors.
QUEBEC, March 30.—The Major-General commanding the Canadian Militia has given permission for guns to be fired when Cardinal Taschereau receives from Rome the official notification of his promotion.

Revenue Statement.
QUEBEC, March 30.—The revenue of the City Corporation for the present and three past fiscal years has been as follows:—1880-83, \$368,344.29; 1883-84, \$383,111.99; 1884-85, \$492,299.33; 1885-86, \$418,247.47.

Fingers Amputated.
QUEBEC, March 30.—Young Comeau, one of the men who was exposed to a bitter storm on an ice floe in the Gulf of St. Lawrence some time ago, and had his fingers so badly frozen as to require amputation, had the operation performed yesterday morning.

Registry Office Agitation.
OTTAWA, March 30.—The County Council of Ottawa are opposed to erecting a registry office in place of the one recently burned down. The County Government orders the transfer of the judicial headquarters of the county from Almyer to Hull, when the registry office will be placed within the Court House building. The agitation for the above change is increasing.

A Wise Decision.
OTTAWA, March 30.—At a special meeting held to-day, the Ottawa County Council decided not to appeal from the recent judgment of the Supreme Court commanding the county to pay \$100 damages in the suit for \$150,000, brought by the Q. M. O. & O. Railway. The suit has cost the county about \$300.

Parliamentary Printing.
OTTAWA, March 30.—At a meeting of the Joint Committee on Printing, this morning, it was resolved that in view of the intimation that the Government proposed to establish a printing bureau, the tenders for parliamentary printing be returned opened by the Committee to the various tenderers, together with the deposits and cheques. Seven tenders had been received, five from Ottawa, one from Hamilton and one from Peterboro.

New Railway Arrangements.
TORONTO, March 30.—It is stated that a satisfactory agreement has been arrived at between the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific Railway in reference to the Esplanade question, whereby the latter will have an independent entrance to the city. A general passenger station will be erected on a lot east of York street and east of the passenger station near Yonge street, a spacious freight shed will be erected. Access to the new stations will be obtained by viaducts running from Front street, with a bridge across the Grand Trunk Railway at Yonge and York streets.

A Slight Misunderstanding.
OTTAWA, March 30.—A. L. Denier, one of the actors, was tendered a benefit performance at the Royal Theatre last evening. After the performance he went forward to secure the receipts, but while taking them from the box office, Manager Gilmour sprang upon him and attempted to secure it. A short scuffle ensued which terminated in Mr. Denier annexing the entire proceeds, which he refused to give up in response to demands from Mr. Gilmour. After some further words Mr. Denier took his departure. About three o'clock this morning he was aroused by a knocking at his door, and upon opening it was confronted by Mr. Gilmour and an officer, with a warrant for his arrest. Mr. Gilmour made an offer of settlement, but the comedian remained obdurate. The warrant was not executed.

The Employees of the G. T. R.
LONDON, Ont., March 30.—The employees in the mechanical department of the Grand Trunk expect an answer from Mr. Hickson to-morrow. The men say they don't want to resort to a strike, but that if they are forced to do so, their organization is so perfect that every wheel on the southern division of the Grand Trunk will cease to move. Major Lamour, Assistant Superintendent here was asked if any news had been received in regard to the wages, but he said he had heard positively nothing. He said there was no fear of a strike. The better judgment of the men would keep them at work. They know that the closing of the shops for a few weeks would not effect the traffic arrangements of the road, and, therefore, would settle their differences with the company amicably.

Mr. McIlwain, of the G. T. R. Car Works, was in St. Thomas, and held a conference with the employees there, advising them to accept the offer of the G. T. R. for a partial restoration of the reduced wages. Two of the G. T. R. staff of despatchers at present stationed at Stratford, are it is stated, to be transferred to this city in a short time, and will operate the Buffalo and Goderich, Georgian Bay and St. Mary's branches.

Shot Through the Head.
QUEBEC, March 30.—The following are the particulars of the Deschambault murder. It appears that Antoine Marcotte, occupant and pretended owner of a sugary lot in the fifth range of the Parish

Deschambault, having learned the proprietor, M. Suppior Perrault, had leased the place to one Alphons Perrault, who was at once about to take possession, the former determined to oppose his occupancy. On their arrival at the cabin in the woods yesterday Marcotte, who had a loaded gun in his possession, seeing five men approaching, Alphons Perrault, accompanied by M. Donville, agent of the proprietor, and three others, forbade their entrance. One of them having knocked and been refused they burst open the door, whereupon Marcotte fired his gun, shooting Perrault through the head. He then seized an axe and threatened any other person daring to effect an entry, and proceeded to reload his gun. The entire party outside, fearing a second discharge of the weapon and having no arms to defend themselves, all fled precipitately, leaving the body of their companion lying dead on the snow. The coroner left town last night to investigate the case.

Desperate Burglars.
NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., March 30.—The house of Thomas Mumford, contractor, was entered by burglars last night, who, after ransacking drawers, &c., secured a small quantity of silverware. Mrs. Mumford was awakened, and upon looking up saw a man standing at her bedroom door. She awoke her husband, and the burglars made good their escape. Afterwards, they entered the house of David Blount, a conductor on the Grand Trunk Railway, and were in the act of ransacking the house for money and valuables, when they were surprised by James Blount, a son, coming home about 1.30 a.m. Young Blount, finding the door partly open, and thinking everything was not all right, entered the house cautiously, and, seeing a reflection of a dark lantern on the side of the wall, asked "who was there."

He immediately received a blow that felled him to the floor. He grabbed his assailant, who had a knife in his hand, and in the struggle Blount received a severe flesh wound in the hand. Another of the gang came to his accomplices assistance and covered Blount with a revolver, throwing the rays of a dark lantern in his face, telling him if he made any noise he would let him have the contents of the revolver. The third man was up stairs going through drawers and lockers and succeeded in securing a valuable gold watch and chain and other small valuables. They then made good their escape. In the meantime Mr. Mumford got up and notified the police of what had occurred at his house. The whole case is now under notice, and after scouring the town, bagged two suspicious looking strangers. They will be given a hearing to-day.

OUR CHARITIES.
Protestant House of Industry and Refuge.

Statement for week ending March 27th, 1886:—

	1886.	1885.
Number of Permanent inmates.	40	43
Males.	38	40
Females.	2	3
Number of Temporary inmates.	40	51
Males.	38	40
Females.	2	11
Total.	128	139
No. of meals lodged given in.	985	734
Males.	23	78
Females.	0	12
Total.	1,008	802
No. of meals and extra meals distributed.	2,790	2,407
Night Refuge poor.	287	331
Out-door poor.	3,088	2,734

Statement of Out-Door Relief given at the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge for week ending 27th March, 1886:—

There were 129 families relieved, of which 71 were English, 12 Germans, 23 French and French-Canadians, 3 Irish, 2 Swedes, 1 Italian, 1 Dane, 1 Norwegian, 1 Newfoundland, 2 Americans, 8 nationality not known, total, 129. There were 26 quarter cords of wood and 2 quarter tons of coal given away.

CENTRAL TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.
At a meeting of the Central Trades and Labor Council, held last evening in their hall, corner of St. James street and Doland Lane, a committee was instructed to consult counsel in reference to the Statute Labor case and ascertain the best course to pursue as to further proceedings in the matter. The following resolution was adopted and carried by a large majority:—Resolved, That the Council, at a certain individual or individuals, are engaged in soliciting subscriptions for a workmen's newspaper to be issued in the English, French and German languages, and individuals are also soliciting subscriptions for the purpose of fighting the poll tax through the columns of said paper; therefore,

Resolved, That this Council disclaims all responsibility in this matter, and that the public and working classes of this city are hereby cautioned against being imposed upon.

MONTREAL, March 30, 1886.

WEATHER REPORT.

MONTREAL, March 30, 1886.

Temperature in the shade by Standard Thermometer, observed by Hearn & Harrison, opticians and mathematical instrument makers, 1640 and 1642 Notre Dame street.

8 A.M. 1 P.M. 6 P.M.

MAX. 40° 40° 35°

MIN. 32° 32° 36°

(By Standard Barometer.)

8 A.M. 1 P.M. 6 P.M.

29.99 29.95 29.91

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE.

TORONTO, Ont., March 31, 1886.

The high pressure which existed in eastern Canada last night has since given way considerably, elsewhere throughout the continent little change has taken place in the distribution of pressure. The weather has been cloudy with occasional rains from the lakes to the Atlantic and fine and warmer in the North-West Territories.

Probabilities.

Lakes.—Moderate to fresh winds; cloudy weather with occasional rains, not much change in temperature.

St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime.—Moderate winds, cloudy weather with occasional rains, not much change in temperature.

The Allan steamship Norwegian, from Philadelphia, arrived at Glasgow on Tuesday.

LATEST CABLE NEWS.

THE SITUATION IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Hostility to the Gladstone Government.

A Motion for the Disestablishment of the Church of Scotland Rejected.

A National League Meeting in Dublin.

LONDON, March 30.—Chamberlain and Trevelyan, are preparing to open hostility to the Gladstone Government. They are arranging a statement of their reasons for leaving the Cabinet, and will accompany the statement to the House with the proposal of a measure for the government of Ireland. They will endeavor to consolidate all opponents of Mr. Gladstone in support of their scheme.

The *Scotsman* states that Mr. Gladstone's scheme of Home Rule for Ireland allows the Irish to have separate currency of their own, "the result of which would be" the paper declares, "the introduction of a dollars and cents currency in imitation of that money of the United States which has been so potent a factor in forcing England to make terms with the Irish."

LONDON, March 30.—The House of Commons, by a vote of 258 to 127, to-night, rejected Mr. Heaton's motion urging that negotiations be entered into with other countries with the object of establishing universal penny postage. Mr. Charles Cameron, member for the college division of Glasgow, a Radical, introduced a motion for the disestablishment and disendowment of the Church of Scotland.

BIRMINGHAM, March 30.—It is stated positively that Mr. Chamberlain has abandoned his idea of the formation of an Irish National Council. He is also said to be opposed to the lessening of the number of Irish representatives in the House of Commons.

DUBLIN, March 30.—Michael Davitt presided at the regular fortnightly meeting of the Dublin branch of the National League to-day. He announced that since the last meeting \$1,750 had been received in donations for the assistance of evicted tenants and that \$30,000 had been received from the United States for the Irish parliamentary fund. The Lord Mayor in a speech, ridiculed the "drag" of the Orangemen as to what they would do in resisting the Government of an Irish Parliament if one were established. He reminded his hearers that when Mr. Gladstone was carrying through the work of disestablishing the church in Ireland, the Orangemen made the same kind of threats that they were making now against Home Rule, and that when the disestablishment was accomplished, despite their bluster, they all submitted tamely enough, as they would do again when the time came.

BEFORE THE STORM.
Temporary Quiet in British Politics While Waiting for Mr. Gladstone.

LONDON, March 31.—The situation of the Irish question, this morning, may be thus stated as the result of what occurred in the House of Commons last night, the House not adjourning until a quarter to three this morning. On Thursday, April 3, Mr. Gladstone will move for leave to introduce a bill for the provision of a future government for Ireland. A week later, on the 15th, he will ask permission of the House to introduce a measure dealing with the purchase of Irish land. During the interval between these two bills, on Monday, the 12th, the Chancellor of the Exchequer will open his budget.

The intention of the Ministers is, in the first place, to present to the country proposals on Home Rule, and then, the financial arrangement of the year being already before the public, to submit to Parliament and general criticism a method by which they deem it right to secure the legal rights of the owners of real property throughout Ireland. This official declaration puts an end to all the rumors that the Land Purchase Bill would be dropped, and with them the random report of Lord Spencer's approaching resignation. The Ministers decided to proceed first with the reform of the Irish administration, and then to pursue a consequential course by framing safeguards for the least popular and most assailable class in Ireland.

Mr. Chamberlain and Mr. Trevelyan will, according to the present arrangement, make their statement following Mr. Gladstone's introduction of his bill for the local government of Ireland. When this bill is brought forward it will be found to contain no provision handing the police over to the direction of the central local Irish authority. Leave to bring in the bill will invite necessarily debate and division, and the vote on home rule will necessarily affect that on the land purchase bill to follow.

ANOTHER VIEW.

LONDON, March 29.—The public mind is turning more and more towards the possibility of an alternative administration with an alternative policy, as Mr. Gladstone's difficulties increase in number and become more serious. The Liberal leader is not slow to see the drift of public opinion, and he is eagerly seeking for ways and means to hold his Cabinet together. Chamberlain and Trevelyan have already deserted, and the rumors of further desertions are openly discussed. In his hour of need Mr. Gladstone has turned to his old friend Hartington, but it is not believed that he can win over that statesman to his views, though, out of pure friendship and regard for the veteran Liberal leader, it is possible that his Lordship may not openly oppose his pet plans. The storm increases in violence and the rocks in the danger of Home Rule are numerous and dangerous. Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Morley are supposed to be backed into a corner by Lord Granville, Lord Spencer

and Lord Ripon, while Lord Rosebery, Lord Herschell and Mr. Mundella are among the less enthusiastic though undoubtedly personal adherents to the Prime Minister. Sir William Harcourt, Mr. Childers, Lord Kimberley and Mr. Campbell-Bannerman are strong in their Liberal faith, but rumor has it that Home Rule is not entirely suitable to their tastes. Mr. Gladstone looks upon the settlement of the Irish question as the crowning work of his life, so he may be depended upon to strain every nerve to restore peace and prosperity to a Island.

A Visit of Sympathy.

PARIS, March 30.—Rochefort and La Guerre have left for Charleroi to look into the labor troubles.

Failures.

GLASGOW, March 31.—George Murray, ironmaster, has failed; liabilities large. Another failure in the iron trade is also reported.

Cholera in Spain.

MADRID, March 30.—In the mining region about Bilbao an illness of a suspicious nature has recently appeared. It is supposed to be cholera.

French Finance.

PARIS, March 30.—The Budget Committee of the chamber by a vote of 18 to 11, has fixed the amount of the new loan at \$180,000,000. The Government asked that it be fixed at \$243,200,000.

The Dutch Debt.

THE HAGUE, March 30.—The Chamber of Deputies, by a vote of fifty-six to twenty-five, has adopted a bill for the conversion of the debt from four into three and a half per cent. stocks. The annual redemption is fixed at three-tenths of one per cent.

Undue Influence.

BERLIN, March 30.—Herr Von Putt Kamer, Prussian Minister of the Interior, in the Reichstag, to-day made a personal appeal on behalf of Emperor William for a continuance of the anti-Socialist law. In the course of his address he exclaimed: "In the Emperor's name and by the Emperor's orders I assure you that his Majesty would regret profoundly and grieve deeply if the prolongation of the anti-Socialist law is refused. The Emperor would shed his blood in order to maintain the law."

The Belgian Strike.

BRUSSELS, March 30.—Advices from Liege say quiet has been restored there. The troops which have been stationed at Charleroi and Liege are leaving for Tournai and Mons. The Governor of Liege has promised that he will endeavor to secure an increase of wages for the workmen.

Quiet Restored.

BRUSSELS, March 30.—The civic guard at Charleroi has been disbanded. Belgian police will prevent Rochefort and Laguerre, the French agitators, from entering Belgian territory.

Murder and Suicide.

PARIS, March 30.—M. Mussel, a chemist doing business on the Boulevard St. Germain, to-day ended a quarrel with his mistress by shooting her dead and then killing himself with a revolver. Mussel was married and had a family. The woman he killed was also married. She was a neighbor whom he had met socially and drawn under his influence. He had maintained a liaison with her for some time and the quarrel which resulted in the murder and suicide was caused by Mussel's jealousy. The tragedy has made a sensation because of the standing of the parties. Madame Mussel is the daughter of a member of the Chamber of Deputies.

Racing.

LONDON, March 30.—The Northampton and Pythay Hunt spring meeting began to-day. The Althorpe Park stakes for two-year-olds was won by Baron de Rothschild's chestnut colt, by Hermit out of Brie; the Duke of Portland's Hope second, and General Williams' Vatican third. The betting was three to one against the Brie colt, twenty to one against Hope, and six to five against Vatican.

LONDON, March 30.—The annual race of the Oxford and Cambridge University crews will take place on Saturday next over the Thames course. The betting up to to-day has been slightly in favor of Oxford but it is now even.

Navigation Open.

HONESDALE, Pa., March 30.—The navigation on the Delaware and Hudson Canal from Honesdale, Pa. to Rondout, N.Y., will be opened April 1st.

Train Wrecking.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 30.—As a freight train of 20 cars was leaving Grand Avenue Depot this morning, with policemen on board, two men turned the switch and twelve freight cars were derailed and badly wrecked. The officers arrested one of the offenders, named Martin Snow, but the other John Nonan, of Sedalia, refused to halt and was shot in the hip by a policeman. The shooting caused great excitement among the strikers.

A COMPLETE BREAKDOWN.

"For ten years," says Jennie M. Harrett, of Wallaceburg, Ont., "I did not see a well day—was all broken down with dyspepsia, liver complaint, nervousness and debility. Three doctors abandoned hope for me, when Burdock Blood Bitters came to my rescue. It is the best medicine I have ever taken. I say this for the benefit of all suffering as I did."

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of blood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D New York City.

Holloway's Ointment and Pills.—Sure Relief.—The weak and overworked suffer severely from nervous affections when storm or electric disturbances agitate the atmosphere. Neuralgia, gouty pangs, and flying pains, very distressing to a delicate system, may be readily removed by rubbing this Ointment upon the affected part after it has been fomented with warm water. The Pills, taken occasionally in the doses prescribed by the instructions, keep the digestion in order, excite a free flow of healthy bile, and regenerate the impoverished blood with richer materials resulting from thoroughly assimilated food—wanting which, the strongest must inevitably soon sink into feebleness, and the delicate find it difficult to maintain existence. Holloway's Ointment and Pills are infallible remedies.

UNITED STATES TELEGRAMS.

Railway Rates.

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDENDS.

P.C. Payable.	Books Close.	Books Open.
Molson's	1 April.	16 Mar. 1 April.
Bank of Montreal	15 April.	1 April.

QUARTERLY DIVIDENDS.

Books Close.	Books Open.
Bank of Montreal	1 April.
Bank of Commerce	1 April.

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Books Close.	Books Open.
Bank of Montreal	1 April.
Bank of Commerce	1 April.

FINANCIAL.

The HERALD OFFICE,
Tuesday Evening, March 30, 1886.

Montreal Stock Market.

The stock market was again strong to-day and the aggregate of transactions was much larger than usual, but the activity which led to the increase in transactions was confined to three stocks, Bank of Commerce, Montreal Telegraph and Canadian Pacific, the transactions in these stocks being within a fraction of seven-eighths of the day's operations. There is no new feature in the market and little of interest. The sales of bank stocks were 1,397 shares, of which 1,373 were Commerce, leaving only 24 shares for the other banks, of which 15 were Montreal which sold at 20 1/2 and 9 Merchants, 4 of which sold at 12 1/2 and 5 at 12 1/2. The transactions in miscellaneous stocks were 1,760 shares, 550 of which were Canadian Pacific, 125 of which sold at 64 1/2, 25 at 60 and 40 at 63 1/2. Montreal Telegraph was also more active, 805 shares changing hands at prices ranging from 11 1/2, at which the opening sales were made, up to 11 7/8, the figure at which the closing sales were made. A few shares (50) of City Passenger changed hands at 130 1/2, and 80 Dundas Cotton at 70. Canada North-West Lands at 7 1/2 and 7 3/4. There were no transactions in bonds.

To-day's transactions were 3157 shares including 1397 shares of bank stocks and 1760 shares of miscellaneous as follows:—

MORNING BOARD.	20 1/2
15 Montreal at.....	122 1/2
4 Merchants at.....	122 1/2
5 do at.....	122 1/2
410 Commerce at.....	121 1/2
900 do at.....	121 1/2
13 do at.....	121 1/2
30 Montreal Tel. at.....	112 1/2
70 do at.....	112 1/2
25 do at.....	112 1/2
100 do at.....	112 1/2
130 do at.....	112 1/2
60 City Pass. at.....	130 1/2
125 Can. Pac. at.....	64 1/2
25 do at.....	60
80 Dundas Cotton at.....	70

AFTERNOON BOARD.

150 Montreal at.....	121 1/2
50 do at.....	112 1/2
225 do at.....	112 1/2
100 Mont. Gas (ex-div.) at.....	19 1/2
400 Can. Pac. at.....	64 1/2
25 Can. N. W. Lands at.....	7 1/2
25 do at.....	7 3/4

The following are the closing quotations of the stock market as specially reported for THE HERALD by D. Lorn Macdougall & Co., Stock Brokers, 11 Hospital street:—

STOCKS.	Bank of Montreal	Bank of Commerce	Bank of Montreal	Bank of Commerce
Bank of Montreal	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Bank of Commerce	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Bank of Montreal	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Bank of Commerce	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bank of Montreal	Bank of Commerce	Bank of Montreal	Bank of Commerce
Bank of Montreal	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Bank of Commerce	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Bank of Montreal	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Bank of Commerce	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2

The New York Stock Market.

The stock market opened generally lower than yesterday's closing prices, the decline ranging from 1/2 to 1, and prices were weak throughout the early part of the day, and underwent a fractional decline, but shortly after 2 p.m. a better feeling manifested itself and prices recovered the loss of the forenoon, the market closing stronger, and in most cases, with the exception of the coals, at the highest figures of the day. There was little interest in the market to-day, and it was consequently dull, the total transactions, as reported by telegraph, being only 233,600 shares.

Compared with yesterday's closing prices the majority of the shares showed a falling off to-day.

Compared with yesterday's closing prices those of to-day show the following changes:—

Advanced	Declined
Advanced	Declined
Advanced	Declined
Advanced	Declined
Advanced	Declined

Reading, Canada Southern, St. Paul & Omaha pref., Northern Pacific, Erie & Western, Louisville & Nashville, C. C. & I., Texas Pacific, Central Pacific, Missouri Pacific, Oregon Trans., &

Unchanged—Ohio & Miss., St. Paul, Illinois Central, C. B. & Quincy.

Messrs. Frank Bond & Co., 14 Place d'Armes, have furnished THE HERALD with the following summary of this morning's Wall street, gossip, as received by them by telegraph:—

"The best feeling up town last night was somewhat mixed, and the general impression prevailed that for the moment there would be no extensive advances, but that on share rallies the clique would gradually work off some of their large holdings in order to better protect their interests in the event of too free selling, either by long holders or the bear party. The German American faction represented by the Wormsers and Seligmans, were bullish for a turn, believing that all the South Western difficulties will soon be settled, and that the coal combination will be perfected as previously arranged, and that with a further moderate improvement in commercial conditions the market will receive support from the outside. Mr. Gould was credited with selling most of the active stocks, and his buyers do not believe that, for the moment, he is in favor of any marked advance in prices, as they claim that conditions do not warrant immediate material improvement. The fact that Mr. Gould will not recognize any labor organizations will, the bears maintain, lead to serious complications when the questions left to arbitration came up for final adjustment. The presidents of the Anthracite Coal Companies at their adjourned meeting at three p.m. decided to let the percentage question remain in abeyance another week, in order to give John King, Wilbur, Keim & Robert an opportunity to arrange some details which unless settled upon will stand as a barrier to the consummation of the original programme."

The following were the fluctuations in prices and the sales made in New York, Tuesday, 30th March, as specially reported for THE HERALD by Macdougall Brothers, stock brokers, St. Francois Xavier street:—

STOCKS.

West Union	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Lake Shore	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Pacific Mail ex-div.	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Del. & D.C.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Erie	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Del. & D.C.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
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BREADSTUFFS.

FLOUR—The market is dull but steady at quotations. There were no sales reported on 'Change to-day and the only business reported to THE HERALD was 125 barrels strong baker's at \$4.80.

We quote:—

Superior Extra	per bbl.	\$4.05
Extra Superior	per bbl.	3.90
Superior	per bbl.	3.85
Superior	per bbl.	3.80
Superior	per bbl.	3.75
Superior	per bbl.	3.70
Superior	per bbl.	3.65
Superior	per bbl.	3.60
Superior	per bbl.	3.55
Superior	per bbl.	3.50
Superior	per bbl.	3.45
Superior	per bbl.	3.40
Superior	per bbl.	3.35
Superior	per bbl.	3.30
Superior	per bbl.	3.25
Superior	per bbl.	3.20
Superior	per bbl.	3.15
Superior	per bbl.	3.10
Superior	per bbl.	3.05
Superior	per bbl.	3.00
Superior	per bbl.	2.95
Superior	per bbl.	2.90
Superior	per bbl.	2.85
Superior	per bbl.	2.80
Superior	per bbl.	2.75
Superior	per bbl.	2.70
Superior	per bbl.	2.65
Superior	per bbl.	2.60
Superior	per bbl.	2.55
Superior	per bbl.	2.50
Superior	per bbl.	2.45
Superior	per bbl.	2.40
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Superior	per bbl.	2.15
Superior	per bbl.	2.10
Superior	per bbl.	2.05
Superior	per bbl.	2.00
Superior	per bbl.	1.95
Superior	per bbl.	1.90
Superior	per bbl.	1.85
Superior	per bbl.	1.80
Superior	per bbl.	1.75
Superior	per bbl.	1.70
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Superior	per bbl.	1.05
Superior	per bbl.	1.00
Superior	per bbl.	0.95
Superior	per bbl.	0.90
Superior	per bbl.	0.85
Superior	per bbl.	0.80
Superior	per bbl.	0.75
Superior	per bbl.	0.70
Superior	per bbl.	0.65
Superior	per bbl.	0.60
Superior	per bbl.	0.55
Superior	per bbl.	0.50
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Superior	per bbl.	0.20
Superior	per bbl.	0.15
Superior	per bbl.	0.10
Superior	per bbl.	0.05
Superior	per bbl.	0.00

City bags (delivered) 2.40 @ 2.45

OATMEAL—Quotations are:—

Granulated, per bbl.	\$4.55
Ordinary, per bbl.	4.30
White, per bbl.	4.00
Yellow, per bbl.	3.90
White, per bbl.	3.80
Yellow, per bbl.	3.70
White, per bbl.	3.60
Yellow, per bbl.	3.50
White, per bbl.	3.40
Yellow, per bbl.	3.30
White, per bbl.	3.20
Yellow, per bbl.	3.10
White, per bbl.	3.00
Yellow, per bbl.	2.90
White, per bbl.	2.80
Yellow, per bbl.	2.70
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Yellow, per bbl.	0.70
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Yellow, per bbl.	0.30
White, per bbl.	0.20
Yellow, per bbl.	0.10
White, per bbl.	0.00

COARSE GRAINS—Prices undergo no change and business is very quiet, sales being in car lots only. We quote: Corn in bond 50c @ 51c, and duty paid 60c @ 61c per bushel of 56 lbs.; peas 71c @ 72c per bushel of 60 lbs.; oats 32c @ 33c per bushel of 48 lbs.; rye, 64c @ 65c per bushel of 48 lbs.

MALT—We quote: 75c @ 90c per bushel of 36 lbs., according to quality.

MILL FEED—The market is steady at quotations. Two cars of bran sold here to-day at \$17.00. We quote: Bran, \$16 @ \$17, shorts, \$18 @ \$19; provender, \$23 @ \$24 per ton of 2000 lbs.

DAILY RECEIPTS.

The receipts of grain and provisions by Canadian Pacific Railway up to 6 p.m. this Tuesday, 30th March, were:—

Wheat, bush.	2,100
Oats, bush.	400
Flour, sacks.	1,150
Peas, bush.	100
Rye, bush.	2,019
Barley, bush.	4,110
Butter, kegs.	275
Dressed, hogs.	56
Leather, rolls.	238
Rawhides.	10
Whiskey, &c., casks.	60
Tobacco, pkgs.	15
Petroleum, cks.	52

Beerbohm's cable advice to-day were as follows:—Cargoes of coast wheat, road corn, nothing offering. Cargoes on passage and for shipment: wheat and corn, steady; Liverpool wheat, spot, rather easier; corn, spot, slow; prime western lard, 31c @ 32c; shoulders, 22c @ 23c.

According to Liverpool cable advice to the Associated Press the receipts of wheat for the past three days were 134,000 cwt., of which 48,000 were American. The receipts of corn for the same time were 140,000 cwt. The weather was wet and stormy. Wheat was steady, with a fair demand and a good supply; corn was quiet but steady with a fair demand. The only change in the quotations from the Liverpool markets to-day was in lard, which was 3d lower.

Continental bills were quoted as follows:—Paris, 51 1/2 @ 51 7/8 and 51 1/2 @ 51 3/4; Reichsmarks, 95 1/2 @ 95 3/4 and 95 1/2 @ 95 1/4; guilders, 40 1/2 @ 40 3/4, and 40 1/2 @ 40 1/4.

Reported specially for THE HERALD by Messrs. Brails & Jackson, stock, grain and foreign exchange brokers, 57 St. Francois Xavier street:—

NEW YORK MARKET.

New York, March 30. (By telegraph.)

Money in London, 1 1/2. Canadian Pacific 60 1/2. Sixties sold at 91.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

The money market retains all the features which has characterized it for some months past, and is unchanged. Call loans on stock collateral are 3 to 4 per cent. and discounts of good commercial paper 6 to 7 per cent.

Money on call on stocks at the New York Stock Exchange, to-day, ruled 3 per cent.

The rate of discount at the Bank of England is 2 per cent.

Money in the London open market was again unchanged at 1 1/2 per cent.

The quotations from the London Stock Exchange, to-day, were as follows:—

LONDON, 12.30 p.m.—Consols, 100 5/16	100 5/16
for money and the account; United States 4 1/2 per cent. bonds, 114 1/2; Erie, 20 1/2; Canadian Pacific, 67 1/2; New York Central, 104 1/2; Illinois Central, 143.	100 5/16
LONDON, 4.00 p.m.—Consols, 100 3/16	100 3/16

for money, and for the account 100 1/2; U.S. 4 1/2 per cent. bonds, 114 1/2; Erie, 20 1/2; Canadian Pacific, 67 1/2; New York Central, 104 1/2; Illinois Central, 143.

Transactions from Paris quote three per cent. rates as follows:—12.30 p.m., 80 1/2; 3.30 p.m., 80 1/2; 4.30 p.m., 80 1/2; and the Bourse flat.

Transactions in Canadian Pacific at the New York Stock Exchange to-day were at 66 and 66 1/2, the sales being 900 shares. Messrs. Brails & Jackson report the closing quotations at 66 1/2 asked and 66 bid.

CORN EXCHANGE.

Owing to the death of Mr. Charles Drummond, a vacancy was created on the committee of management of the Corn Exchange which has been filled by the unanimous election of Mr. D. A. Macpherson, one of the most popular and leading producers of Montreal. The choice is a wise and good one.

PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS.

MONTREAL, March 30, 1886.

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Breadstuffs.
FLOUR—The market is dull but steady

NEW SPIRIT LICENSES.

The License Commissioners Grant More Licenses.

License Commissioners Dugas and Demontigny sat in the Police Court and granted the following licenses yesterday afternoon.

F. O'Connor, restaurant, 173 St. Maurice.
A. R. Symons, restaurant, 351 Bligny.
Mary Callaghan, saloon, 8 Caliers.
Thomas Chaplain, saloon, 62 Jacques Cartier Square.

W. Reel, saloon, 65 Montmorency.
W. Gauguier, restaurant, 326 St. James.
L. Lepage, widow, saloon, 95 Commissioners.

C. T. Dawson, saloon, 1748 Notre Dame.
J. Beliveau, hotel, 25 and 27 Jacques Cartier Square.

W. J. Martin, saloon, 227 McGill.
Bridget Ann Foley, restaurant, 157 College.

Elizabeth Ferguson, saloon, 307 William.
Leon Gagne, saloon, 2307 Notre Dame.
Vital Rapan, saloon, 2397 Notre Dame.
Ann McGreary, saloon, 165 Vitre.

W. Lescaubeau, hotel, 191 Lagache-tiere.
James McCarthy, saloon, 17 St. Lambert Hill.

James McCarthy, saloon, 632 Craig.
Louis Clayton, restaurant, 121 St. Francis Xavier.

Alex. Koester, restaurant, 2606 Notre Dame.
Eileen Kane, saloon, 347 Wellington.

John Doherty, saloon, 373 Wellington.
Richard Cogges, saloon, 188 St. Patrick.

O'Brien, saloon, 37 College.
B. McLaughlin, hotel, 605 St. James.
T. Steere, saloon, 1 Chabouille square.

E. Bager, saloon, 333 St. Lawrence.
J. Hubert, saloon, 1017 St. Catherine.
W. Lane, saloon, 1770 Notre Dame.

Ed. Askev, saloon, 1829 Notre Dame.
P. Lefebvre, restaurant, 1842 Notre Dame.

John Leclaire, restaurant, 60 St. Francis Xavier.
E. N. Dunham, saloon, 112 St. Francis Xavier.

F. Upton, saloon, 26 Hospital.
M. Moriarty, saloon, 347 Commissioners.

M. Lenny, saloon, 11 Victoria Square.
J. C. Everett, saloon, 63 St. James.
J. B. Arcand, saloon, 84 St. James.

H. Dunn, saloon, 1681 Notre Dame.
Geo. J. Neville, saloon, 1559 Notre Dame.

Edouard Dore, saloon, 405 Craig.
Chas. Morel, saloon, 461 Craig.

J. Gagnon, saloon, 491 Craig.
T. Lantot, saloon, 841 St. Catherine.
J. Bie Bureau, restaurant, 920 St. Catherine.

E. B. Lepine, 209 St. Lawrence.
E. Bourdon, 485 St. Lawrence.

E. Cunningham, saloon, 147 Water.
L. Perrault, restaurant, 1364 Ontario.
A. Ayot, 260 Mignonne.

F. Adelin, hotel, 201 Wellington.
N. Chaffin, hotel, 12 St. James.
C. Lavin, hotel, 1912 and 1914 Notre Dame.

E. Gauvreau, saloon, 57 Common.
J. B. Terry, hotel, 342 St. James.

G. Carslake, saloon, 522 and 524 St. James.

A. Lefebvre, saloon, 31 Cathedral.
M. O'Reilly, hotel, 43 and 55 Jorons.

T. H. Leclerc, hotel, 42 Chabouille square.
P. T. Beauchamp, saloon, 334 St. Lawrence.

Charles McKiernan, saloon, 45 and 47 Common.
Henry Hogan, hotel, 139 St. James, St. Lawrence Hall.

J. Monette, hotel, 121 to 125 McGill, Western House.

D. Deperruzel, saloon, 1,629 Notre Dame.

C. Dumouchel, hotel, 71 and 713 St. Paul.
A. Mansfield, hotel, 73 St. Paul.

J. Gaudin, hotel, 107 and 105 St. Paul.
C. Goupal, hotel, 113 to 117 St. Paul.

John Payette, hotel, 145 and 147 St. Paul.
P. Kelly, saloon, 73 Commissioners.

A. Coutts, saloon, 75 Commissioners.
P. St. Jean, saloon, 31 Jacques Cartier Square.

Pharmacie Scott, saloon, 8 Claude.
A. H. Goulet, hotel, 401 Craig.

Auguste Le Beau, hotel, 295 Craig.
Samuel St. Jean, hotel, 514 St. Catherine.

P. Menner, hotel, 74 St. Lawrence.
G. B. Duncan, saloon, 495 Lagache-tiere.

Situations Wanted—Male

WANTED—Situation by a first-class cook, best of city references. Apply, 41 LaSalle street.

WANTED—By a young man, a position as a cook, to make himself generally useful. Address 224 Craig street.

WANTED—Situation as driver or stableman. Good references. Apply T. McFarlane 33 Jacques Cartier street.

WANTED—Any employment where honesty and sobriety is required, by a man with 18 years experience. A. Herald office.

WANTED—By a steady married man a situation as a groom or coachman, would look after a cow, if required. Good references. Apply, G. G. 65.

WANTED—Strong boy, lately from England, age 14, wants employment on a farm, 15 Kent street, city.

WANTED—A young man of 18 years of age, with a good education, wishes a position as a clerk or book-keeper on a steamship for coming season. J. G. L. 82 St. Lawrence street.

WANTED—By a young man, just discharged, a situation as a salesman in a stationery store; has good experience in that capacity and is well recommended by his employer. Address, J. S. Herald office.

WANTED—By a young man of good education, employment as a book-keeper or clerk in a business office. Address, W. H. B. Herald office.

WANTED—A situation by a sober man as a packer in a boot and shoe or rubber factory; has good references. Address D. 23 St. Lawrence street.

WANTED—By the 13th March, a situation by a domestic servant, no washing or ironing, best of city references. Address by letter, 861 Dorchester street.

WANTED—The advertiser would like a situation to finish up at plumbing or steam fitting, with a view to becoming a journeyman. Address, P. O. Box 974.

WANTED—By a steady, experienced man, a situation as a groom or coachman; good horse and good references. "R." Herald office.

WANTED—By army postmaster, N. O. office, employment in a business, as a clerk, or as an advocate, reliable and trustworthy, found useful in any capacity, nominal salary, and a position of honor. Address, A. Herald office.

WANTED—Situation by a young man of good education, as a salesman or traveler; good references. Address G. E. 25 Commissioners street.

WANTED—A situation as a gardener, 20 years experience in Europe and United States, with a view to becoming a journeyman in all its branches; the highest recommendations from all employers. Address, J. S. Murray, 82 Dorchester street.

TRAVELLER—An experienced traveler in Dry Goods, selling handkerchiefs and underclothing for Lower Provinces. Start end of month. T. M. Herald office.

WANTED—A book-keeper, 15 years experience. Good references. Address, McFarlane, Lachine Post Office.

WANTED—Employment by the day or week, as a domestic servant, by the day or week. Good references. J. E. 16 Chabouille street.

WANTED—Situation as a coachman or groom; thorough understanding of horses. Good references. H. G. 15 Chabouille street.

WANTED—A situation as an assistant book-keeper, Custom House clerk, or invoice clerk; age 21; understands both languages, speaks English and French. Best of references. Address L. R. 84 St. Joseph street, St. Cenevogue.

WANTED—Work about house or any employment where a good man is required, by a good man. Address X. Y. Herald office.

A FIRST-CLASS Waiter seeks employment in a public house, restaurant, club, or private home, is willing to go to the country. Apply, 41 St. Lawrence street, 55.

WANTED—By a young man, with three years' experience in the drug business, a situation either wholesale or retail, with good references. Address, A. Herald office.

WANTED—By a young man of 25 years of age, a situation as a gardener, good references given. Address, 301 St. James st.

Help Wanted—Male.

To Pressmen.

Wanted, a steady, reliable, English-speaking man, to take charge of Job and Newspaper Press Room.
Also a young man to make ready and feed small Presses.
Apply (personally or by letter) to W. H. EATON, Herald Office, Montreal.
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WANTED, FIFTY GOOD BOYS

To sell THE HERALD on the streets. Apply at the Morning Room before 4 o'clock a.m.

WANTED, a situation by a good gardener; married man; good references. G. H. 41 St. Lawrence street, city.

WANTED, by a young man of experience, a situation in a wholesale dry goods or clothing store, best references. Address H. T. Herald office.

WANTED—Coachman; steady, sober man, between 10 and 12, at 58 Wellington street.

WANTED, Coachman. Must be a good groom and driver. Apply 413 St. Paul street.

WANTED, a Yarnman who understands Gold Furnaces. Undoubted references required. Apply to the Manager St. James' Club, Herald office.

WANTED, a gardener well up in vegetable, flowers and kraut culture. Apply at No. 2 Victoria square, corner St. James street, West.

Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED, a cook or general servant where a steady, reliable, English-speaking woman is required. Apply 181 St. Catherine street.

Situations Wanted—Male

WANTED—A situation as a coachman and groom, city or country, willing to make himself generally useful. Apply Owen Walsh, 78 Mountain street, city.

WANTED—Scotchman, 14 years' experience in wholesale dry goods, desires situation as traveler or salesman. A. I. references. Apply T. W. Herald office.

WANTED—Situation as a coachman or groom; willing to make himself generally useful. Good references. Apply, D. M. Herald office.

A GENTLEMAN having a few hours to spare in the evening is open for an engagement either to write or to write up a set of books. Good bookkeeper and best of references. Apply to X. V. X. 8 Thistle Terrace.

WANTED—A situation by a sober married man, to deliver groceries for a first-class house, good references. Address, "E." Herald office.

WANTED—Situation in an office, conversant with Customs and excise business, speaks and writes both languages, good references. Address, "Omiga," Herald office.

WANTED—Employment, either by the day or by the week, as a domestic servant, or any other light work; employment more or less than salary. Address D. 23 Anderson street.

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Situations Wanted—Female

WANTED, by a dressmaker and milliner, sewing by the day. Apply A. Alexander street.

WANTED, by an experienced person, situation as a housekeeper or as a domestic servant. Apply 47 Seigneurs street.

WANTED, by a widow lady, a position as a housekeeper to one or two gentlemen. Can speak both languages. Best of references. Address "Widow Lady," 73.

Rooms To Let

TO RENT, suite of two rooms, suitable for a professional man, 10 Beaver Hall Hill, next Union Church.

TWO ROOMS to let, (large and to the front) unfurnished, for housekeeping or storage. Apply, 114 Princes street.

TO LET, on the 1st May, one furnished room, a single gentleman, 5 minutes walk from Bonaventure Station, W. C. on a quiet street. Apply, for the present, 15 Bonaventure street.

ROOMS for young gentlemen, with board. Apply 15 Bonaventure street.

ROOM—Double front room, 137 St. Catherine street.

ROOMS—Two nicely furnished rooms, double and single, both with bath and cold water. 29 Beaver Hall Hill, next to Union Church.

TWO ROOMS—Furnished and unfurnished. Apply 29 Beaver Hall Hill, next to Union Church.

TO LET—Double and single rooms, with board if required; terms moderate. 192 Mountain street, near Windsor Hotel.

ROOMS, suitable for a married couple or a single gentleman, with or without board; terms moderate. 63 Palace street, corner Beaver Hall.

TWO comfortably furnished rooms, single and double, for gentlemen. 29 Beaver Hall Hill, next to Union Church.

ROOMS—Neatly furnished, double and single, with board, also table board. Not moving. 181 Blue street.

TO LET—One nice front room, hot and cold water on same floor. 29 Beaver Hall Hill, next to Union Church.

Steamships.

DONALDSON LINE.

WEEKLY CANADIAN SERVICE BETWEEN MONTREAL AND GLASGOW.

The Steamship CONCORDIA, 250 tons, Captain Rolfe, is intended to sail from MONTREAL FOR GLASGOW ON OR ABOUT THE 10th MAY.

Glasgow Agents, DONALDSON BROS., 165 St. Vincent Street.

TEMPERLEY LINE.

FORTNIGHTLY SERVICE BETWEEN MONTREAL AND LONDON.

The Steamship OCEAN KING, 249 tons, Capt. Denham, is intended to sail from MONTREAL FOR LONDON ON OR ABOUT THE 10th MAY.

London Agents, WILLIAM ROSS & CO., 3 East India Avenue.

THOMSON LINE.

MONTREAL — AND — NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE SERVICE VIA LONDON.

The Steamship DRACONA, 200 Tons, Capt. Sangster, is intended to sail from MONTREAL FOR LONDON ON OR ABOUT THE 10th MAY.

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NOTICE.

Application will be made to the Dominion Patent Office, by the Dominion Patent Office, to incorporate the St. Lawrence and Atlantic Railway Company, with power to construct a Railway from a point near Champlain, to West Farnham, and to the Indian Reservation at Kettle Point, and on the River aux Sables, in the said County of Lambton.

The purchase will also be required to furnish such machinery as may be necessary for the operation of the said Railway, and to the ordinary Tariff of Dues of the Department, an annual ground rent of \$1 per square mile.

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TAIT, ABBOTTS & CAMPBELL, Solicitors for Applicants.

TIMBER SALE.

TAKE NOTICE that there will be offered for sale, subject to a reserve price, at Public Auction, at the Que. Hotel, in the Village of Forest, in the County of Lambton, in the Province of Ontario, on WEDNESDAY, the 14th day of APRIL next, at 2 o'clock p.m., all the Cedar of seven inches in diameter and over, and all the Spruce of six inches in diameter and over, lying on the lands of the said County of Lambton, and on the River aux Sables, in the said County of Lambton.

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L. VAN KOUHNEN, Deputy of the Supt. General of Indian Affairs.

Dept. of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, 17th March, 1885.

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Steamships.

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CORRESPONDENCE.

Note from Sir Captain Spooner.
Mr. Editor, Will you be so good as to publish the following statement for me, that I may be able to state the facts of the case, as they are, and not as they are being stated by the press. I was a member of the Salvator that he furnished the officers with and feasts in a lavish way.

He never was a member nor did he attend any of the meetings just as any other person would do; that was all. This man's proper name, I understand, is Stephen Shove Taber, and not Stephen Spooner.

Yours truly,
STAFF-CAPTAIN SPOONER,
Aid-de-Camp.

Proposed Increase of City Taxes.
To the Editor of THE HERALD.

I write, not because I have any plan to propose or theory to ventilate in connection with our city government, but because you have heretofore taken a great interest in the subject and I have been expecting of late that you would take up the question of the proposed new taxes, and give us something better than the superficial common places and trivialities with which we have been treated at the hands of the Chairman of the Finance Committee and his friends. It seems to me that, at all the departments are in a deplorable bad condition, and that the fact, "which no body can deny," is the conclusion arrived at that the city taxes must be increased. What is required is a correct and impartial statement of the situation by some one thoroughly conversant with the ways things generally are managed at the City Hall. For, one, cannot but distrust changes advocated on the very eve of the meeting of the Legislature. What does the public generally know about the opportunity of the proposed measures. What do the aldermen themselves? I am in the habit of reading the reports of what takes place in the Council, and I am not aware of any mention having been made of the new tax until the Committee of Chairmen the other day decided by a majority that the necessary power should be obtained from the Legislature. The subject is a large one and to judge properly as to what should be done its many sides must be looked at. To enable the general public to form an intelligent opinion Mr. Robb, for instance, or some one in the habit of dealing with facts and arguments should give the information required.

A CITIZEN.

The Workman and His Employers.
To the Editor of THE MONTREAL HERALD.

If the writer of the letter on this subject will not again read my letter in the *Witness* of Saturday, but mark, learn, and inwardly digest it, he will be convinced that the so-called truism he cites are not truisms at all, but fallacies.

He will also see that with regard to raw material, as well as the manufactured product, the money, time, and experience of an employer are required before it can be produced.

These come first.

My letter is the outcome of practical experience and acquaintance with the realities of life, both amongst workmen and amongst employers. Books on the subject are full of fallacies. This every man of experience knows.

I repeat, let your correspondent read my letter again, and digest it.

A rise of wages, if it comes about by the operation of natural circumstances, will be for the common benefit of the whole community. But the doubling of wages in an unnatural way, and by forced efforts, would simply have one effect, it would shut up every mill, factory and workshop in every country where they exist. That is my opinion as a thinking man. Others may think differently.

Your readers are probably familiar with *Aesop's* fables. That of the Belly and the other members of the body bears pertinently on this question. Your readers too may have heard of the man who killed the goose that laid the golden egg.

Your correspondent says to workmen, Agitate. That is not common sense. All experience shows it. Good, sound, practical advice would be: Work skillfully, acquire a good character, eschew hurtful luxuries and save your money. Each man will thus solve the question of capital and labor for himself.

I have known scores of workmen that have done it. Why should not others?

But there are higher and better things in this world than the acquisition of money. Many men spend their lives in abundance, but in service to his day and time, according to his opportunity and ability.

GEORGE HAGUE.

The Scavenging Contract.
To the Editor of THE HERALD.

The question of the city's scavenging and cremation is one of very great importance at the moment whether viewed from a sanitary or financial standpoint, and deserves the serious consideration of the tax-payers generally. I shall, in this communication, content myself by submitting a few suggestions in connection with the latter or financial consideration of the subject.

Mr. Mann's contract submitted to the Health Committee for the performance of the service, as stated by the press of the city, is in round numbers some \$250,000, for five years divided as follows: for the first year \$40,000 with an increase of \$2,000 for each subsequent year.

Having thought over this matter, I have arrived at a conclusion which in my humble opinion would completely do away with this huge monopoly, and at the same time tend to considerably reduce this enormous expenditure on this one item alone by several thousand dollars annually. My suggestion is simply this: Let the city be subdivided for the purpose of this scavenging contract, say into eight or ten sections; for example, let each of the large wards form a section and the three city wards, viz: the East, West and Centre be amalgamated and form one section or precinct. The city then advertise for separate tenders for each section. By this means you solve the difficult problem and thus reduce it to a practical and easily workable solution. A man of ordinary means, having four or five horses and the usual carter's equipments, could tender for the scavenging contract of the ward and if he obtained the contract, could easily and satisfactorily perform the work; and so on through the different wards or sections of the city. As matters stand now it requires a large capital, and few men are willing to embark in this character, so that the present contractor can dictate his own terms without fear of competition. Should my suggestions above detailed meet the approbation of the civic authorities, I would venture to predict that a large annual saving would be thereby effected, and at the same time the city's scavenging performed in a much more satisfactory manner than at present prevails, and thereby put an end to this great monopoly in the city's scavenging.

The cremation question I have not

touched upon, as I am totally incompetent to give an opinion on the subject.

As economy is the order of the day, and very properly so in the city's finances, the Chairman of the Health Committee should fully investigate the scheme as above outlined, and he will find it not only feasible, and, if adopted, a large annual saving thereby effected to the city.

I am, yours respectfully,
TAX-PAYER.

Ireland and Poland.
To the Editor of THE HERALD.

It is with great interest that I read your editorial on Gladstone and Bismarck. But you will please allow me a few lines to express to you my individual opinions upon some points to which my attention was particularly called. It is in reference to the different dealing these two great statesmen employ, or intend to employ, to pacify or to hinder, to be propagated into more pacific regions a revolutionary spirit existing among a section of their dominion. You are not quite satisfied with Bismarck's mode of dealing with discontent and opposition. But in reference to Gladstone, you have even more than praise—adoration. For, after having experienced malignant and contemptible treatment from the Irish before he forgave all this again now, on his accession to power, and hands over to them as a sign of his unaltered friendly disposition an olive branch. These are certainly the qualities of a great noble character. But will this nobleman, in the end, be of more benefit to England than a power that would deal more severely with malcontents whose revolutionary behaviour might jeopardize not alone the tranquility, but the integrity of a nation. There seems to be a great similarity between the Irish and Poles. Both are clamoring for more liberty, more freedom. It is a pity that they cannot appreciate the liberty they enjoy, no matter where they are, so that I am nearly inclined to come to the conclusion, that their ideas of liberty and freedom are very chimerical and hard to accomplish on this earth. It struck me that both have a great deal of the temper of Napoleon the great, who, even after having become the Emperor of the French, was not satisfied with this his elevated position, but wanted to conquer the world. Human power was powerless to resist his advance and only through the interposition of Providence his ambitious and selfish career was brought to the long anxiously looked for end.

Gladstone seems to be willing to accord to Ireland nearly all she is asking for. But, according to my humble opinion, he is not consenting to this by his free will, but in consequence of coercion—intimidation—a squeezing valve particularly invented by them for the furtherance and attainment of their selfish ends. I certainly wish Gladstone every success, but I am too much afraid that Irish Nationalists are not able to appreciate in becoming manner and deeds the liberty and kind nesses he might bestow upon them, but that on the contrary they will attribute those concessions as an act of weakness from his part which was rung out of him through the medium of their different dastardly threats and acts, so that I therefore can only entertain the gravest fears for the integrity of the Empire. You will, I am certain, find my conclusion to hold good, when you take in consideration that the Irish have mostly been brought up in a blind obedience to orders, so that a friendly kind of word spoken to them, or an act done to them in such a spirit, will appear to them very strange and be received by them as a weak point in the one who consents to deal with them in such a humanitarian manner. If their education had been a different one, I would feel no anxiety for a favorable ending in the mode of dealing of Gladstone with his adversaries. But under the circumstances as they are, I have to express my great doubt that his mode of dealing with discontent will be of the same benefit to the tranquility and integrity of the whole.

These, Mr. Editor, are my ideas and reasons which make me look with some doubts upon a peaceable solution of the Irish question.

I hope, however, very much that I might be mistaken and that my fears of a dismemberment will turn out to be only a chimera from my side.

Excuse that I detained you so long, but believe me,
Yours respectfully,
OBSERVER.

MONTREAL, March 23rd, 1886.

[Our correspondent forgets that the people of Ireland have as much right to rule Ireland as the people of England. It cannot be said that Mr. Gladstone in the matter of Home Rule is conceding a privilege. He is simply restoring a right long and unjustly withheld. The Poles too have a right to clamor for the restoration of their former rights; and even if they demand the restoration of their nationality, of which they were spoiled and robbed by Russia, Prussia and Austria, who shall blame them? We would like to know by what authority, Divine or human, those robber nations divided Poland among themselves. Had Poland not as good a right to its independence and national life as either of them? National crimes are not forgotten, and for nations, as for individuals, a day of retribution always comes. Mr. Gladstone remembers and would atone for the wrongs done to Ireland in the past. Bismarck adopts the opposite course, and would crush out by persecution and confiscation and banishment the Poles whom his predecessors robbed of their nationality and country.]

Insurance Combination.
To the Editor of THE HERALD.

Appropos of the annual meeting of the Insurance Association at Toronto, a *Witness* reporter has interviewed a policyholder, *vara avis*, and has thus been enabled to inform this "little Piddington" of ours, of the views of "policy-holders" *ex uno diece omnes*. The gentleman in question, ex-Alderman J. C. Wilson, was, it seems, recently a member of the Fire Committee, and gave it as his opinion, when seen, that "if matters are not all they should be here, the fire insurance men are largely themselves to blame."

This will be news to the said insurance men or I am much mistaken. Now, upon what ground did the intelligent ex-Alderman make this astounding statement? It is found, presumably, in an incident related by him, thus: "When I was on the Fire Committee I remember that the insurance men had a cause of complaint, it was heard and it was decided that they were to send in a petition stating what they

wanted. That was the last of it. We never heard a word more of their desires."

In view of this, Mr. Wilson naively asks, "how do they hold the brigade, or the Fire Committee responsible?" I was not one of that deputation, but I am credibly informed by those who were there that they were plentifully treated to cold shoulders and a number of wet blankets!

They were given to understand, in short, and without unnecessary ambiguity, that if they had come to the City Hall to teach the Fire Committee their proper duties, they had come upon a bootless errand; and so indeed it seemed, for they did not think worth their while to pursue the matter further.

It is, however, for Mr. Wilson to explain how the failure of the insurance men to commit their complaint to writing operated to relieve the Fire Brigade and Fire Committee from responsibility?

Mr. Wilson, however, is the proprietor of a paper mill at Lacoste, and a very good one it is, as I can testify from a personal inspection. With respect to this he says: "If I were to get all their demands" (the insurance men), "I would not want any insurance." Well, why not? In that case the worthy ex-Alderman could well be the insurer and the insured are the same, and the insurance is a mere sham. Clearly the ex-Fire Committee doesn't see the fun of paying premium money in the absence of a good healthy hazard.

NEW COMPANIES.

The policy-holder, however, it seems, of the opinion that "two or three independent companies should start and break 'the combination.'" In this connection permit me to ask my esteemed friend, who are the following independent companies?—The Stadacona, the National, Canada Fire and Marine, the Sovereign and others? Have they then in the expressive language of the late lamented Pisk, gone "where the woodbine twines," i.e., up the smoke?

This brings me to the last consideration, of the rates. The ex-alderman may not credit the statement, but I have on good authority, viz., that of the *Times* of Hartford, one of the largest, oldest, and most wealthy companies of America, that the rates in this city are lower than those of any other city upon the continent of America.

There is one very important point which should not be lost sight of, viz., this, comprehensively speaking, the interest of the insurer and the insured are the same, and not diverse, much less antagonistic. The principle of insurance, in whatever department, is one of average purely, and the insurer or underwriter, is the agent or instrument by which the average for indemnity is applied, and the rates are adjusted upon considerations of normal losses, contingent upon accidental circumstances and the cost of administration.

Such being the case, if the estimate of loss shall fall short, or the insurers shall be swindled by unprincipled policy-holders, making fictitious claims, for losses which are purely imaginary or losses which are exaggerated, claims which are generally enforced by ignorant juries, the rates must be correspondingly advanced. (Although I have not specifically referred to it here, the insufficiency of a fire service is an important factor in such estimate.)

As I have said, the rates must be advanced, or the business must utterly fail. Finally, I think it a fair inference, in view of the many companies which have retired from the field, that the existing rates are far from excessive, and that it is to the interest of the insured, no less than to the insurer, that they should be made adequate; further, that it is imperative that the business of insurance shall be conducted both with intelligence and care, to ensure even a very moderate degree of success.

H. LYMAN.

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M'GILL CONVOCATION.

The Degrees in Law Conferred Upon Eight Students.

The Successful Candidates for Prizes Offered.

The annual Convocation for conferring degrees in law took place yesterday afternoon in the William Molson Hall. There were present upon the platform: Hon. Jas. Ferrier, Chancellor (presiding); Sir William Dawson, Principal, C.M.G., LL.D.; W. C. Baynes, B.A., Secretary; R. A. Ramsay, M.A., B.C.L.; J. W. Brakenridge, B.C.L.; M. M. Tait, Q.C.; Thos. Nichol, M.D.; B.C.L.; W. C. McDonald, Hon. Judge Toronto, Rev. Dr. Cornish, Prof. G. H. Chandler, M.A.; Prof. W. H. Kerr, D.C.L., Q.C., Dean of the Faculty of Law; Prof. J. S. Archibald, M.A., B.C.L., Registrar of the Faculty of Law; Hon. Judge Mackay, Prof. A. Johnson, M.A., LL.D.; L. H. Davidson, D.C.L.; Prof. C. H. McLeod, M.A.; E. Rev. J. Clark Murray, LL.D., and others.

The exercises were opened by the Rev. Dr. Cornish by prayer.

The list of successful graduates was then read by Prof. W. H. Kerr, Q.C., as follows:—

Albert J. Brown, B.A., Windsor Mills Que.; Raleigh J. Elliot, Que.; John Mackie, B.A., Kingston, Ont.; Geo. C. Wright, B.A., Hull, Que.; J. Ralph Murray, B.A., Montreal; Francis S. Mackay, Papineauville, Que.; Alfred Monk, Montreal, Que.; and Louis T. Polette, Three Rivers, Que.

The following report of prize winners was then read by the Secretary:—

PRIZES, HONORS AND STANDINGS.

First rank honors and Elizabeth Torrance gold medal, and prize for best thesis, Albert Joseph Brown, B.A. First rank honors and prize for general proficiency, Raleigh J. Elliot. First rank honors and prize in international law, John F. Mackie, B.A.

Second rank honors, George C. Wright, B.A.

The standing of the several classes was then read as follows:—

International Law, Professor Kerr, 1st, Mackie; 2nd, Elliot.
Roman Law, Professor Trenholme, 1st, Brown; 2nd, Murray.
Criminal Law, Professor Archibald, 1st, Brown; 2nd, Elliot.
Legal History, Professor Lareau, 1st, Brown; 2nd, Elliot.
Civil Procedure, Professor Hutchinson, 1st, Elliot and Mackie, equal; 2nd, Brown.
Civil Law, Professor Robidoux, 1st, Brown; 2nd, Elliot.
Commercial Law, Professor Davidson, 1st, Brown; 2nd, Elliot.

SECOND YEAR—PRIZES, HONORS AND STANDINGS.

First prize, Henri A. Beauregard; 2nd prize, William B. Burroughs.
Passed the Sessional Examinations, Henri A. Beauregard, St. Hyacinthe, Que.; William B. Burroughs, Montreal, Que.; Hector Buie, Montreal, Que.

STANDING IN THE SEVERAL CLASSES.

International Law, Professor Kerr, 1st, Beauregard; 2nd, Burroughs.
Roman Law, Professor Trenholme, 1st, Beauregard; 2nd, Burroughs and Buie, equal.
Criminal Law, Professor Archibald, 1st, Buie; 2nd, Beauregard.
Legal History, Professor Lareau, 1st, Buie; 2nd, Beauregard.
Civil Procedure, Professor Hutchinson, 1st, Burroughs; 2nd, Beauregard.
Civil Law, Professor Robidoux, 1st, Beauregard; 2nd, Burroughs.
Commercial Law, Professor Davidson, 1st, Burroughs; 2nd, Buie.

FIRST YEAR—PRIZES, HONORS AND STANDINGS.

First rank honors and prizes for general proficiency, John Ferguson.
First rank honors and second prize, Robert A. Dutton.
First rank honors, Henry Fry.

Passed the sessional examinations, John Ferguson, St. Antoine, Que.; Robert A. Dutton, Montreal, Que.; Henry Fry, Montreal, Que.; John F. Reddy, Montreal, Que.; Archibald W. Craigie, Montreal, Que.; Hanbury A. Budden, Montreal, Que.

STANDING IN THE SEVERAL CLASSES.

Roman Law, Professor Trenholme, 1st, Ferguson; 2nd, Dutton.
Criminal Law, Professor Archibald, 1st, Ferguson; 2nd, Fry.
Legal History, Professor Lareau, 1st, Ferguson; 2nd, Reddy.
Civil Procedure, Professor Hutchinson, 1st, Ferguson and Dutton, equal; 2nd, Budden.
Civil Law, Professor Robidoux, 1st, Ferguson; 2nd, Craigie.
Commercial Law, Professor Davidson, 1st, Ferguson; 2nd, Dutton.

The obligation in Latin was then read to the graduates drawn up in line before the Principal and the degree conferred by Sir Wm. Dawson.

The radiatory address was delivered by Mr. R. J. Elliot. He began by referring to the usual scope of such orations and promised to leave the beaten path. In this he succeeded admirably. His remarks were brief full of humor. He gave a retrospect of the past and said it should serve to stimulate all who go out from McGill to strive to emulate the good done by their predecessors in their calling.

After dwelling at some length on the early history of law he proceeded to trace it down to the present and insisted that what natural law had done for the physical kingdom human law was aiming to do for the social and political kingdoms. In speaking of the future of the profession, he said: "Men of this profession will occupy prominent positions among the leaders of the country. Looked at from this point of view, I can imagine no broader field for usefulness than that which lies before us in this Dominion and in this Province. The possessors of half a continent, rich in natural resources, we start out upon our course of development untrammelled by those class interests and unequal rights which are so powerful in the old world; we have it in our hands to build up a commonwealth which will embody all the virtues of older societies free from their burdens and their inequalities. As the waves of immigration sweep up to our shores and flood our vast prairies, it is for us to exert our energies and wield our influence towards the creation of a body of jurisprudence which will weld into a united people the numerous Canadian people. From our ranks must come the judges of the land. To them is entrusted the sacred duty of dispensing justice to men of all creeds and of all nationalities within our borders. We have as our birth-right the combined wisdoms of the codes of two of the foremost nations of the world. That we shall in this Province eventually evolve from the

jurisprudence of France and from the law of England the finest body of law which has ever governed the most enlightened nation of the earth should be the first article in the confession of faith of a patriotic Canadian lawyer." He closed with a strong appeal to his fellow students to build up their calling so that all men must admit its worth and usefulness in spite of their dislikes and prejudices.

Prof. W. H. Kerr, Q.C., addressed the students on behalf of the faculty. He compared the advantages which students of the present have over those of thirty and forty years since. After eulogizing the students for the work they had performed during the course and the admirable manner in which they had passed their examinations, he referred to the severe tests which they had been put to in the examination. He compared the attendance of the present with that of several years ago, and accounted for the decrease by the fact that the students of the past had been drawn so heavily from the ranks of McGill. He finished a powerful and eloquent address by wishing the graduates all the success in life which they expected.

Hon. Judge Mackay then suggested. He offered observations and suggestions of great value to the young graduates in their practice. He said that the seat of law must be acknowledged as of God, his voice the harmony of the world. Referring to the past he reviewed the career of great, good and Christian magistrates, now gone, and counselled the class of '86 to follow in their footsteps. The work of the student does not conclude when he graduates, he said. Roman and international as well as all branches of commercial law are constantly read.

He concluded as follows:—

What a glorious story is that of the great old law families of France, whose names are historical—Damoulin, L'Hopital, de Harlay, Daguesseau, and last, but not least, the name of Lamoury, to the last of whom, who defended Louis XVI., is the monument in the Palais de Justice! He is next known as Maleherbes. Honor to those great names! Their lives I commend to your study and imitation. Honor also, nevertheless, to the old historical English worthies, and among them Selden, Hutton, Hale, Blackstone, Mansfield, and others whom time does not suffice to mention. Study their lives. I conclude by bidding you all farewell, and success in your chosen profession.

The Chancellor then mentioned the fact that a meeting would be held at 3 p.m. today in the library for the purpose of electing Representative Fellows, and the Convocation closed with the Benediction by the Rev. Dr. Cornish.

UNIVERSITY OF BISHOP'S COLLEGE.

Examinations and Prize Winners of the Fifteenth Session.

The examinations of the fifteenth session of the Medical Faculty of this University have just been brought to a close with the following results:—

Passed in botany—C. E. K. Vidal; 1st class honors and prize, L. M. Clark; 2nd class honors, T. S. Nichol.

Practical anatomy—F. H. Pickett, of Sweetbriar, Q. won the senior prize; A. E. Phelan being second; C. E. K. Vidal, of St. Johns, Q. won the junior prize.

The following gentlemen passed their primary examinations, which include the study of anatomy, physiology, practical chemistry, materia medica and therapeutics, physics and hygiene. In order of merit:—W. E. Fairfield, of Clareville, Q. (David scholarship); A. E. Phelan, H. Pickett, S. A. A. Thomas. Passed in medical jurisprudence: R. Campbell, W. E. Fairfield, A. E. Phelan, A. P. Scott, S. A. A. Thomas, J. M. Rohlleder. Passed in pathology:—W. E. Fairfield, R. Campbell, A. E. Phelan, A. P. Scott, V. J. Groulx, S. A. A. Thomas.

The following gentlemen have fulfilled all the requirements to entitle them to the degrees of C.M., M.D. from the University. In addition to the primary objects mentioned they have passed a satisfactory examination, both written and oral, on the following subjects: Theory and practice of medicine, principles and practice of surgery, obstetrics and diseases of women, medical jurisprudence and pathology, clinical examinations in medicine and surgery conducted at the bedside in the hospital.

For the special examination in surgery, for the Nelson gold medal, Dr. A. F. Longway, of Dunham, Q. was the winner.

The convocation for conferring the degrees thus obtained will be held in the Synod Hall, Burnside Place, on Thursday, April 8th at 3 p.m.

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Nov. 21

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Revenue, Fire Branch, - - - - 1,201,048 11 11

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Oct. 2

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CITY NEWS.

A FINE ASSORTMENT of small sizes in Havana cigars, such as Princess, Dukes, Sitas, Operas, Visitas and Infantes, at S. Hymans, 180 St. James street.

THE RIVER.—The mild weather yesterday caused the water to rise in the river to 30 feet 6 inches. At the same date last year it registered 26 feet 5 inches.

MESSRS. DUNCAN McINTYRE and Thomas A. Dawes are the visiting governors for this week at the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge and at the Home, Loague Pointe.

"BLOOM."—A large assortment of English "Block Pipes," with vulcanite and horn mouthpieces, were received at Hirsch's (opposite the Post Office) yesterday. The most serviceable pipe in the market.

NEW JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.—Messrs. Louis Royer and Emery Provost, both of Pointe à la Peste, County of Laval, were sworn in Justices of the Peace, for the district of Montreal, before Mr. Schiller yesterday afternoon.

NEW PIANOS FOR OLD ONES.—Before moving, arrange with Messrs. A. & S. Nordheimer, 211 St. James street, to exchange your piano. They will allow you the highest price for your old piano and give you a splendid instrument at a moderate price with easy terms. 174

ARRESTED FOR FORGERY.—High Constable Bissonnette, yesterday afternoon, arrested on a warrant a respectable lithographer named Jacques Brule on the charge of forging a receipt. The accusation was made by Mr. George Lemire. The accused was released on bail to appear on Saturday for preliminary examination.

MERRILL VS STEPHENS.—This was an action taken by Mr. H. Merrill against Madame H. Y. Stephens *separé de biens* to recover a certain amount due for goods delivered. Judge Lorange, in giving judgment yesterday, held that at the time the debt was contracted the defendant had not been *separé de biens* and consequently her husband, Mr. G. G. Smith, was responsible. The action was consequently dismissed.

PROFESSOR McEACHAN, accompanied by Dr. McCormick, made a rapid tour of this section in search of Clydesdale fillies to send to a ranch in Wyoming Territory, which wants 500. They picked up 40, varying from 1 to 4 years old, and paid fair prices. There have been several American buyers round, who all complain that farmers ask more than the market warrants, and who left without buying as many as they otherwise would have done.—*Huntington, P.Q., correspondence.*

BREAKING JAIL.—A prisoner named Dolph Laro, doing a 12 months' sentence for robbery, made good his escape yesterday morning. It appears that he had won the confidence of the officials by good conduct and after a time was permitted to work in the stables. All along he had been watching for a chance, which came yesterday, when, finding himself alone, he removed the bars from the stable window and made good his escape. Detective Gladu, who knows the man, is after him.

REAL ESTATE.—Yesterday Mr. Potter held a sale by order of Mr. John Fair, by authority of justice. The house No. 163 Mance street, about 22.6 feet front, lot 99 feet deep, sold for \$3,550 and expenses, or \$3,630 cash, to Mr. T. C. O'Brien. The vacant lots on Mance street, each 22.6x90 feet, were bought by Mr. F. W. Blacklock, P.L.S., for \$70. per foot. Eleven thousand five hundred dollars was offered for the Baron Grant property, 1523 to 1527 Notre Dame street, but it was withdrawn at \$13,000. The Dalhousie street property was also withdrawn at \$4,500.

THE CITY ROAD DEPARTMENT have not been idle this winter in looking after the condition of the sidewalks. Independent altogether of what the police have been doing the officers of the Road Department, between Jan. 5 and March 23, had 135 persons before the Recorder, charged with neglecting to keep their sidewalks in order. Of these 23 were dismissed and 112 were fined, the amount collected being \$209. This may account in a measure for the partial improvement visible in the condition of the sidewalks this season, although there is still much room for improvement in that quarter.

O'REILLY vs C. P. R.—Hon. Mr. Justice Lorange gave judgment yesterday in the case of M. O'Reilly vs the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The plaintiff had sued the company for \$8,000 damages because of the closing of two railway restaurants which he kept at Calumet and Mile End. The plaintiff claimed damages to the extent named. The judge, in dismissing the action with costs, said that there was a clause in the contract giving the company power to act as it did if it was shown that the defendant sold liquor at any of the places named, which had been proved to be a fact.

THE HORSE AND CATTLE sale at the Montreal Horse Exchange for Mr. Kimball, yesterday, drew a large audience. The prices realized were not high. We notice, amongst the horses to be offered this afternoon, a fine Hamilton stallion from W. Rodden. This horse has a splendid pedigree and is very fast. Mr. Rodden also shows some nice Ayreshires and Jerseys. There is a beautiful heifer and bull from Richmond, some magnificent French-Canadian stallions and a number of good horses. Buyers are requested to be prompt for to-day's sale. To-morrow the Ayreshires and Jersey cattle will be sold. W. B. Shaw, auctioneer.

THE ABANDONED QUESTION.—With regard to the notarial protest filed by Mr. Acer, manager of the proposed new abattoir at Point St. Charles, holding the city responsible for any damages which he may suffer or expenses he may incur by reason of his having been granted a permit to erect this abattoir, the Building Inspector states that he did not at all grant a permit for an abattoir, but only examining the plans submitted to him with regard to the proposed

building he certified that they had been drawn in accordance with the requirements of the building by-law, but nothing further in the meantime the matter has been submitted to the City Attorney.

THE C. P. R. STOCK YARDS.—Preparing for the Summer Trade—Five thousand head of Cattle to go to a Ranch at Calgary.

A HERALD representative paid a visit yesterday morning to the immense stock yards of the Canadian Pacific at Hochelaga, for the purpose of learning what preparations were in progress for the summer's business. The yards at present have a comparatively quiet appearance. The officials, however, are up to their eyes in business, making preparation for the rush that is expected on the opening of navigation, and the resumption of the stock shipments to Europe. The busiest are, of course, the ordinary market days, Monday's and Thursday's. On each of these days an average two car loads of stock arrive from the West, but those are immediately forwarded to the cattle market at the East end abattoir, where they are quickly disposed of to the trade.

Yesterday morning Mr. Gilroy, of St. Thomas, arrived at the yards for the purpose of making arrangements for the shipment of five thousand head of cattle to the North-West. This large number are wanted for the purpose of stocking a cattle ranch in the vicinity of Calgary, for which Mr. Gilroy has the contract. The cattle only will be selected, and Mr. Gilroy expects to secure a large portion of the requisite number from the farmers of Quebec. In the afternoon, in company with Mr. Munro, Superintendent at the Yards, he visited the head offices of the Company to make special arrangements for the large shipment. The officials expect that the business of European stock shipment this year will be far in excess of the last, and consequently are making great preparations for the rush.

AMUSEMENTS.
Academy of Music.
There was a good-sized audience at the Academy last evening to witness the grand spectacular play of "Clio," given under the personal supervision of the author, Mr. Bartley Campbell. The play has evidently made a great hit here. Miss Mary Miller as Clio is certainly a pretty and effective actress, whose portrayal of the character of the modest girl, the deeply wronged woman, was most effective. She held the sympathy of the audience throughout. Mr. Atkins Lawrence as Fabian was more than clever; he carried the audience with him, both he and Miss Miller received several encores. Miss Blanche Mortimer as Didi, the arch little sweetheart of Pietro, made herself a decided favorite with the large audience. The support was good, the spectacular element being particularly effective. In the ballet, the finished dancing of Mlle. Cornalba is a revelation even to enthusiasts in such matters. The scenery is all that could be desired, the earthquake scene in the fourth act being startling and effective. The play deserves well of Montreal, and should be seen to be fully appreciated. There will be a matinee this afternoon, when the curtain will rise at 2 o'clock sharp.

Theatre Royal.
Although the weather was unfavorable yesterday the performances of the Austrian Nivola Company drew full houses. Miss Rosalie, a pleasing little lady, sang some ballads in excellent taste. Harry Lea and William Ruge were very good in their celebrated contortion acts. Billy Carter was simply immense, and the Luciers with their wonderful musical ability, and the number of instruments they play on, were received with applause. Miss Lucier's cornet solo was a treat in itself, and Mr. J. R. Lucier, unfortunately totally blind, played a cornet solo equal to the effort of any virtuoso in America. Their Saxophone quartette was very fine, as was the manipulation of each of the 40 instruments they play. Mlle. Aimee's arm is progressing favorably and she will likely appear this evening. The whole performance is very creditable and well worth seeing.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT
In Aid of the Creech, in Synod Hall, Tuesday Evening Next.
We give below the programme for the entertainment to be held in Synod Hall on Tuesday evening, 6th April. The Very Rev. Dean Carmichael will preside:—
Quartette.
Messrs. Peirce, Ross, Cooper and Shaw.
Song—Across the far blue hills Marie.
Mr. Vernier.
Piano solo—Perseus, Original Composition.
Mrs. J. E. M. Whitney.
Song—Dreaming in the Wellings.
Song—Gipsy John.
Mr. Ernest A. Simon.
Song—The Fox (West).
Pontet.
Mrs. Story.
PART SECOND.
Quartette.
Messrs. Peirce, Ross, Cooper and Shaw.
Song—The Children's Home.
Cowan.
Piano solo—Original composition.
Mrs. J. E. M. Whitney.
Song—The Better Land.
Cowan.
Song—Embarassment.
Abt.
Quartette.
Messrs. Peirce, Ross, Cooper and Shaw.

THE GERAT HORSE SALE.
Despite the inclement weather there was a fair sprinkling of buyers present at the sale of horses and cattle held by W. E. Shaw at Mr. Kimball's horse bazaar. The animals offered realized very good prices, and the sale, which is continued for the next two days, promises to be the largest ever held in Montreal. There are over 200 horses at the sale and two car loads were to arrive last evening. The Exchange Hotel is quite full of buyers, many having come to the city there not being accommodation enough for such an influx of horse and cattle men. Parties desiring to purchase a first class animal should avail themselves of this opportunity.

PERSONAL.
Hon. Henry Starnes is reported dangerously ill.
Mayor Broseau of Saint Armand has been elected Warden of Hochelaga for the coming year.
Dr. Mrs. and Miss Rowand, of Quebec, have arrived from Florida and are staying at the St. Lawrence Hall.
General Touch of London, Eng., is on a visit to Ottawa and has been the guest of His Excellency the Marquis of Lansdowne on two or three occasions.
Monsieur Desire Heynberg, professor of violin at the Liege Conservatory, has been decorated with the order of Leopold.
Among the "Honeybees" pupils in America is Mr. Oscar Martel, of this city.

CIVIC AFFAIRS.

The Fire Committee Make Some Appointments.

Tenders to be Called for a New Fire Engine and Some Hose.

The Underwriters to Ascertain the Water Pressure.

The Water Department Ask for a Special Appropriation.

The Fire Committee.
The Fire Committee met yesterday afternoon. Present, Ald. Stevenson (in the chair), Aldermen Wilson, Gauthier, Lamontagne, Perrault and Malone. The only absentee was Ald. Berger.

AN OMISSION.
After explaining the appropriations voted to the Committee (already published in the HERALD).

The chairman called attention to the fact that \$1,500 which was required for three fire engine drivers had been inadvertently omitted from the appropriations. The committee resolved to make a report to Council, asking for this amount, which was indispensable.

ADDITIONAL HOSE.
The committee then resolved to ask for tenders for 3,000 feet of hose, for which a sum had been appropriated. The hose must stand a pressure of 250 lbs and be of linen and rubber lined.

A NEW ENGINE WANTED.
The committee then considered the advisability of purchasing a new steam engine, for which \$4,000 had been appropriated, and in doing so decided to hear the agents of certain manufacturers of engines who were present.

Mr. Menzies, agent for the Merryweather Steam Fire Engine Company, claimed that a Merryweather engine could raise 100 lbs of steam within six minutes and throw a stream of 170 to 190 feet in height. The engine could put water through 1,800 feet of hose with a 1½ inch nozzle. The engines retain their steam well, and are, therefore, enabled to keep up the pressure for a long time.

Mr. Menzies said the company did not care about sending out an engine to compete with other engines, but would take back the engine if it did not do what was claimed for it. The best example, he claimed, was the fact that the "rearing" process, was the fact that a Clapp & Jones steamer, which had been strained at a trial in Quebec, had been taken back to the States and fixed up, and had been sold to Montreal, and was now in use in St. Georges street station.

Mr. Tassery, representing the Mansfield, O. Steam Engine Company, said he could furnish a light engine, sufficient for the needs of Montreal, at a much smaller cost than any other company.

Mr. Kollin, representing the Canadian Steam Engine Company of Brussels, Ont., advocated the claims of the engine manufactured by that company which, he claimed, was the most suitable for the Canadian climate.

After hearing these explanations the committee resolved to call for tenders, thus affording each of the different companies an opportunity of advocating the respective merits of their engines, none of which, however, would be accepted until properly tested by competent persons.

THE WATER PRESSURE.
A letter was read from Mr. Smith, President of the Canadian Underwriters' Association, asking the Committee to afford Mr. Alfred Perry such facilities as he might deem necessary to ascertain the water pressure at different points of the city in connection with the suppression of fires.

The committee resolved to call in Mr. Perry and ask him what was wanted. Mr. Perry, on appearing before the committee, stated that the letter explained itself. What the underwriters wanted was to arrive at the true state of affairs in connection with the water pressure by actual tests, and the size of pipe in the various parts of the city for protection.

The chairman said that the committee were altogether willing to afford any information in their power, but he thought the companies should not take the city at a disadvantage, while the Department was in transition state.

Mr. Perry said that as far as he was aware the companies did not wish to take the city at a disadvantage, but only needed information, which, he hoped, would be granted. The Chairman of the Water Committee and Mr. Lesage, the Superintendent of Water Works, had expressed themselves anxious to afford every facility, and he did not see why the Fire Committee should hesitate in doing the same. The fact was that the records of the city of Montreal did not afford any data to enable the underwriters to form an intelligent opinion of the actual situation. For instance, at the Windsor Hotel and Gruen Church and other places water could not be thrown above the second story.

The Corporation had decided not to grant a facility for the purpose of testing the water pressure, but the committee had recommended the removal of a steamer from the centre of the city to D'Almeida square, a district in which there were not more than nine or ten fires in a year and the buildings were only three stories high.

Mr. Perry insisted that they had. Aldermen Gauthier said that the recommendation had been made by the sub-committee, but the Council had not passed it. Mr. Perry maintained that the Fire Committee had sent this report of their sub-committee to the Council, and it was this sort of thing which had alarmed the fire underwriters. The insurance companies wanted reliable information for their guidance in the future classification of the city, and had desired him to procure it. It made no difference to him whether it was granted or not.

The chairman enquired how long it would take to carry out these experiments. Mr. Perry could not say exactly or how he would make them, but what he did say was that he would be done principally during the night.

On motion of Aldermen Wilson, and after some delay, it was resolved to grant Mr. Perry a reel, 1,000 feet of hose and three men and other apparatus as was needed to make the necessary tests. The chairman, Aldermen Wilson and Lamontagne were then appointed the customary Sub-Committee of the Fire Committee, to look after routine business.

WATER TANKS.
The committee then decided to report to Council on the urgency of erecting a number of water tanks in different places in the city, to be used for fires.

APPOINTMENTS.
The committee then proceeded to make a number of appointments to fill vacancies.—Ald. Godin, Guardian of No. 8 Fire Station, was discharged for being

under the influence of liquor, and Jos. St. Pierre was appointed in his place. Bernard Finney, of No. 2, was discharged for incompetency. Jos. Collighan, Louis Laroche, James McGavran and Jos. Courville were appointed firemen, the Chief to use his judgment in placing them where they would be most useful. The committee then adjourned.

THE WATER COMMITTEE.
The Water Committee also met yesterday afternoon. Present—Ald. Donovan (in the chair), Ald. Holland, Mathieu, Villeneuve, Martineau and Hamelin.

The committee after some discussion decided to resolve the resolution granting water to St. Gabriel at the rate of 10 cents per 1,000 gallons and decided to require 40 cents per 1,000 gallons.

The committee resolved to ask the Council for \$15,000 as a first payment for the new Worthington engine also for a special appropriation of \$67,000 for laying water pipes in St. Jean Baptiste, Hochelaga and elsewhere.

After deciding to call for tenders for general supplies the committee adjourned.

THE FIRE MARSHALS.
The Fire Marshals ended by them in 1885—No Record of Evidence Having Been Taken.

With a view to ascertaining what work the Fire Marshals for Montreal had done in the way of examining into fires for the year 1885, a reporter of the HERALD, yesterday, called at the Court House and enquired of Mr. Siotte for the reports as filed in his office. That gentleman at once produced a package of documents, neatly tied up with red tape and marked "Fire Marshals' report for year 1885." Upon examination of the papers nothing in the way of a report proper was to be seen. Two hundred notices, more or less, to witnesses to call on Messrs. O'Brien & Pelletier at their office, No. 74 St. James street, were found covering a period of twenty months, intermingled with a few informations laid by parties who had been burned out. These were all and sundry, and the only evidence taken on the whole number of fires which, the notices indicated, had been investigated. Of the notices 24 were marked "accidental," and indicated that the fire had been caused by the negligence of the party who had been burned out. The name of the Marshal who had examined into the case, but whether there was indeed an examination and when it was held there was no sign of any written document to prove.

THE COMPLETE LIST FOR 1885:
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6th January, 1885, 1201 Messing street.
17th January, 1885, 594 St. Catherine street.
12th January, 1885, 351 St. Lambert street.
17th January, 1885, 617 Craig street.
14th January, 1885, 18 Albert street.
9th January, 1885, 1740 Notre Dame street.
10th July, 1885, 704 St. Catherine street.
13th March, 1885, 166 Canning street.
10th June, 1885, 655 Mignonne street.
25th March, 1885, 232 Mignonne street.
26th June, 1885, 1539 Notre Dame street.
23rd June, 1885, 1309 Notre Dame street.
12th May, 1885, 2136 St. Joseph street.
5th February, 1885, 366 St. Paul street.
29th July, 1885, 32 Dwyer street.
14th February, 1885, 209 Fortification street.
22nd March, 1885, 2514 Notre Dame street.
30th March, 1885, 645 Craig street.
25th March, 1885, 232 St. Paul street.
19th March, 1885, 232 Dwyer street.
6th April, 1885, 1515 Notre Dame street.
25th April, 1885, 355 Dorchester street.
20th April, 1885, 210 Craig street.
21st April, 1885, 142 Inspector street.
10th March, 1885, 35 St. D'Almeida street.
13th February, 1885, 221 St. Lawrence street.
6th January, 1885, 885 St. Catherine street.
12th May, 1885, 2136 Notre Dame street.
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