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THE MERIDIAN TORNADORoar of Storm Heard a Con-
siderable Distance Away

LEFT A CHAOS BEHIND

Nineteen Persons Killed, 25 injured, and a
Million Dollars Worth of Property De-
stroyed.—Business at a Standstill.

Meridian, Miss., March 3.—Nineteen persons are known to have been killed as a result of the tornado which swept over a section of this city shortly after six o'clock last evening. Twenty-four persons were injured and property with an estimated value of one million dollars was demolished or otherwise damaged. Many sensational reports were sent out from here of an appalling loss of life, due probably to the chaotic conditions of affairs immediately following the visitation.

A mass meeting of citizens of Meridian was called to-day and \$8,000 subscribed to aid the destitute and injured. The Mississippi Legislature in session at Jackson, to-day appropriated \$5,000 for the injured. Governor Vardaman at noon secured a special train and loaded it with convicts from the Rankin County farm and despatched it at once to Meridian. State convicts are aiding in the rescue work.

Hunter George, President of the Board of Trade, is chairman of the general relief committee and J. W. Donovan, secretary. Business practically is suspended and every citizen is giving his best effort toward alleviating suffering.

The tornado appeared in the southwest at 6:27 p.m. A low, funnel-shaped cloud was seen to form near the city. Rain had been falling heavily when suddenly the humidity became intense. With a roar that could be heard a great distance the storm appeared from the southwest and descended upon the city. The greatest loss of life is reported from the east end in what is known as the "Cotton mill" settlement. The large cotton mill there was partially wrecked and 400 small houses were demolished or badly damaged. The tornado swept Front street and wrought great damage there. Many houses were demolished and others were partly damaged. The electric light plant was partly wrecked and the city was thrown into total darkness. Lanterns, candles and lamps were used by the people in seeking places of safety. The tornado also did severe damage in 22nd Avenue between Front and Rankin streets, where several houses were partially wrecked. The storm lasted nearly five minutes. Flames started in the wreckage but were extinguished by hard work. Among the buildings destroyed or practically ruined were those of Thomas Lyle Grocery Co., Elmires Restaurant, Meyer-Neville Hardware Co., Grand Avenue Hotel, Thornton's Transfer Co., Culpepper Hotel, New Orleans and North-eastern freight depot Young Men's Christian Association, on building, Meridian Chair Co., the city electric light plant, W. J. Woodside & Co., Pearce Compress Co., Gulf Compress Co., and many smaller buildings used by workmen and negroes. It is generally understood that there was but little if any tornado insurance carried.

EARTHQUAKE IN PORTLAND.

Portland, Me., March 4.—A distinct earthquake was felt in this city to-day. In several parts of the city the shock was accompanied by rumbling which lasted several seconds.

VILLAGE SWALLOWED IN A LAKE.

Rome, March 4.—The village of Tavernola, built on the perpendicular cliffs above Lake Iso, in the province of Brescia, was almost entirely destroyed this morning by the rocks suddenly giving way, apparently because the lake had fallen into the base of the cliffs. Fortunately the disaster was preceded by a loud roaring sound which alarmed the 1,000 inhabitants. One fisherman was killed. About 200 feet of rock and the houses on it was swallowed up by the lake.

ROYALTY INCOGS.

Paris, March 3.—King Edward arrived at the Invalides depot at 6:50 o'clock this evening. He was met by a representative of President Fallières and by Premier Rouvier, Prefect of Police Lepine and Sir F. J. Bertie, the British Ambassador, and the embassy staff. Crowds cheered the King as he was driven to the British embassy, where he will remain for three days under the incognito of Duke of Lancaster. The arrival of King Edward attracts comment in connection with the Algeiras conference as being a timely reaffirmation of the Anglo-French agreement. President Fallières and King Edward will exchange visits to-morrow and afterwards there will be a gala dinner at the embassy at which the King, the President and the Premier will be guests. Baron de Courcel, head of the French mission at the funeral of King Christian and who at that time approached Emperor William with the purpose of elaborating Franco-German relations, will also be of the party.

BLAZE IN NEW YORK

Car Barns Destroyed—One
Man Loses His
Life.

New York, March 4.—The 42nd Street car barns of the Metropolitan Railway Company, extending from 601 West 42nd street to the Hudson River, were destroyed by fire to-night. One man, said to have been employed for the company, lost his life and several persons were injured, a fireman seriously. Between 30 and 40 cars of the 34th Street cross town surface line were in the barns and all were destroyed. The total damage is estimated at more than \$200,000. The fire was an exceptionally spectacular one and at its height the flames were leaping several hundred feet into the air. Several immense gas tanks of the Consolidated Gas Company across the street were seriously threatened and a report that they were about to explode sent several thousand spectators in a rush for safety. In the flight several persons were more or less severely hurt. The up-town ferry station of the West Shore Railroad at the foot of 42nd Street was also threatened. Passengers for the late evening trains had much difficulty in getting to the ferry slip. Later when the fire in the car barns was practically under control a party of passengers, being escorted from the ferry station by a squad of policemen narrowly escaped injury from flying bricks when one of the long walls of the structure gave way. When the fire had gained great headway and when it was thought every one had escaped from the building, a man suddenly appeared at one of the rear windows. He was on the second floor, completely hemmed in by the flames and his clothing was on fire. Lieut. Gorgan reached the window and was about to take hold of the man when he tottered back into the flames and was seen no more. Gorgan was compelled to beat a hasty retreat to save his own life, the fire reaching the window a few moments after he had clambered to the ground. The fire originated in one of the cars which had been run into the barn for storage during the night. It is supposed to have started from a short circuit.

FRANCE SATISFIED

With the Vote in the Algeiras
Conference on the Policing
of Morocco.

Paris, March 4.—The voting at Algeiras on Saturday on the proposition to proceed to the immediate discussion of the Moroccan question gives great satisfaction here. Public tension was such over the Franco-German controversy that the vote was welcomed both as a success and as showing that France was able to count upon the almost unbroken support of Europe. French officials have claimed for some time that if a vote were possible it would give France a sweeping majority. It appears that yesterday's divisions did not produce a recorded vote, yet the powers aligned themselves with sufficient precision to amount to a vote. All the French journals give the division in the form of a vote, the eight voting in the affirmative being France, Great Britain, Russia, Spain, Portugal, the United States, Italy and Holland and the negative three being Germany, Austria and Morocco. The officials had even considered Austria as doubtful and had Austria balloted in the affirmative the entire vote of Europe and America would have been ranged on the side of France. The semi-official Temps seems to accept the decision of the conference as a vote in favor of France's proposals, saying: "The vote, though deferring to a question of procedure, is valuable to us from more than one viewpoint. Not only have Great Britain, Spain, Russia and the United States clearly adhered to our ideas which was foreseen, but Italy, Belgium, Portugal, and Holland unhesitatingly recognized the loyalty of our proposition." The Temps correspondent at Algeiras, however, points out that "the vote refers merely to procedure, signifying the desire of the conference to attain a result. At the same time the character and import of the action of the delegates with reference to procedure should not be minimized." The result also affects the diplomatic status of the controversy. Germany wants to settle the bank question before that of the railroads, but France does not wish to grant concessions on the bank until she is more sure that Germany will make a reciprocal move concerning the police. Therefore the decision of the conference to consider the police question requires that Germany shall say whether she is or is not prepared to change her attitude relative to the police. Germany's answer will thus determine whether France will yield on the bank question. The indications are that if Germany refuses to give way on the police France will not yield on the bank, thus accentuating the former deadlock by carrying it into open conflict.

General Augustin, Fla., March 4.—Lieut. General John M. Schofield, U.S.A., retired, former head of the army, died to-night. He was attacked this morning with cerebral hemorrhage.

DECISIVE STEP AT
MOROCCAN CONFERENCEFrance and Germany Face to
Face on Police Question

MUST SHOW THEIR HANDS

Step Taken on Initiation of Great Britain—
Vote Taken Showed Eight Powers—up-
porting France, and Two Germany.

Algeiras, March 3.—The conference on Moroccan reforms took a most important step to-day by deciding on the initiative of Great Britain to proceed to the immediate discussion of the police question. After Sir Arthur Nicolson, chief of the British delegation had submitted this proposition, the Marquis Viscount Venosta, head of the Italian mission, actively seconded it, eloquently appealing for conciliation and asking for the abandonment of the absolute and unbending standpoints taken by France and Germany. His words were listened to with respectful deference. The voting showed that Germany had with her Austria and Morocco, while eight representatives of powers supported Sir Arthur Nicolson and Sweden announced that they would abide by the decision of the majority. One of the delegates then proposed that the police question be referred to a special committee which should prepare a project and submit it to the conference, but this proposition received a negative vote. The result of the vote on Sir Arthur's proposal has caused something of a sensation, as it means that the delicate Franco-German contest over the policing of Morocco has been forced to a decisive issue in which both sides will be compelled to show their hands. Moreover, the vote gave the first indication of the strength of the two sides. While this was not decisive, as the question was not upon the merits of the police, yet it disclosed that Austria and Morocco were the only countries voting with Germany. It is understood that France will not present a police project to the conference and that, therefore, she will be consulted silently on the question of principle involved. It is expected that the discussion of the question will be begun Monday.

Herr Von Radlowitz, head of the German delegation, expressed a hopeful view of a settlement of the controversy. Count Cassini, the chief Russian plenipotentiary, says that he pins his faith on the events of the last hour when both sides are seen to face with the tremendous responsibility of the failure of the conference. On the whole the trend of opinion among the delegates is that the chances for optimism are growing.

TOWN DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Marilla, March 4.—Tidjohar, capital of the Island of Levie, has been destroyed by fire. The financial loss is reported to be \$600,000. Tidjohar was the first city of the island and was situated in an important hemp district. A number of warehouses were destroyed. Government assistance will be given immediately.

THEFT OF DYNAMITE.

Portland, Ore., March 4.—A special to The Oregonian from Boise says: "On the heels of Steve Adams' confession comes the startling news that between 600 and 800 pounds of dynamite and dynamite caps have been stolen at the Star Powder House located in the hills east of the city. Last night employees of a hardware company upon going to the powder house just beyond the Boise barracks, found about 400 pounds of dynamite and caps had been stolen. Governor Gooding immediately threw the city especially around the penitentiary. These guards were placed because almost all of the men whose names have been mentioned in connection with the prosecution of the officers of the Western Federation of miners had received threatening letters from "Keebone," the name alleged to have been adopted by the "Inner Circle" to strike terror to certain persons. Armed men were placed last night around the homes of Governor Gooding, special prosecutor James H. Hawley, W. E. Borah and a number of other persons. The excitement attending the discovery of the theft mentioned was hardly passing away when it became known that all the other powder magazines, half a dozen in number, in the nearby hills had been broken into. The circumstances surrounding the dynamite thefts are being as closely guarded as the alleged confessions of Orinhard and Adams. The dynamite stolen is known as grade number one, which contains about 75 per cent. of nitroglycerine.

DR. PAQUIN A CANDIDATE.

A number of the electors of Montcalm Ward have called upon Dr. C. R. Paquin, and requested him to be a candidate for Seat No. 2, Montcalm Ward. The Doctor stated Saturday morning that he had decided to accede to the request of the electors and would be a candidate for the forthcoming election.

AUDITORIUM.

To-morrow night the French Stock Company will produce the sparkling comedy in five acts, "La Cagnotte." The same bill will be repeated on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday nights and Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday matinees. Manager Kormann has another treat in store for the ladies this week. In the window of Cyr Duquet may be seen the handsome and valuable presents destined for the fortunate winners at the matinees on Tuesday and Saturday.

A Few Prices of Convincing Eloquence.

NOW that the month of March is here (and, by the way, it has come in like a lion and no mistake!) you will doubtless turn your attention towards the necessary articles in dress and housefurnishings for the mild weather that will soon be here. The new Spring shipments are arriving by every train—and as fast as they arrive they are being unpacked and hurried to their respective departments, there to await your selection. Silks and dress goods, carpets and draperies, china and bric-a-brac, wall paper and mouldings are here in great abundance, and true to our word, we have prepared a perfect galaxy of glittering opportunities for you to save money on useful and fashionable goods. If prices can talk, the eloquence of these quoted below will prove most convincing. Early shopping is quite "the thing" these days and the earlier the better.

LADIES' BLOUSES UNDERPRICED

To close out a small line of ladies' blouses which have been here just a trifle longer than we usually like to keep these goods, we will place them on sale on Monday and Tuesday at the following attractive prices. These are not odd stock in any sense of the term, but were ultra-fashionable models when bought, and are now in the height of fashion. The supply is very limited so we would urge you to make an early selection.

Flannelette Blouses

Ladies' Flannelette Blouses of very fine quality, only a few odd sizes in the lot, regular prices 75c. and 90c. Special price Monday and Tuesday.....49c

Lustre Shirtwaists

Ladies' Lustre Shirtwaists with taffeta silk fronts, trimmed with fancy braid, odd sizes, regular price \$1.50. Special price Monday and Tuesday.....\$1.00

Taffeta Silk Waists

Ladies' Taffeta Silk Waists, colors navy, brown and black, needle shirred fronts trimmed with dainty buttons, a bargain at the regular price, \$3.50. Special Monday and Tuesday.....\$2.25

WHO WILL BE THE LUCKY ONE?

WE would impress upon your minds that our stock of new furniture will not be complete for at least ten days. If you are contemplating the purchase of anything in furniture, be sure to wait for our exhibition, which will far surpass anything we have ever shown. In the meantime you will be interested in our special furniture window, which will make something of a sensation for the next ten days. We have here, on exhibition, a magnificent polished oak sideboard with bent glass doors and large bevel plate mirror. The value of this sideboard is \$110.00. You may have it on Monday for \$100.00, or if you prefer to wait for ten days, the price will diminish by \$5.00 per day until it reaches \$50.00. Who will be the lucky one?

DO YOU NEED A PAIR OF GLASSES?

HERE is a special offer in eyeglasses and spectacles. We have them to fit any sight and guarantee entire satisfaction. If you wear glasses, or are troubled with weak or aching eyes, you can't afford to let such an opportunity pass. The prices are in all cases below cost. We have decided to clear these lines at any price.

75 only, Eye Glasses or Spectacles for men or women, 10 kt. gold filled mountings, warranted for 10 years, none worth less than \$3.00. Your choice, while they last.....\$1.25

50 only, Spectacles with aluminum mountings, very serviceable and warranted never to tarnish. The regular price is \$2.00. Your choice, while they last.....98c

75 only, Spectacles or Eye Glasses of very good quality, nickel mountings, regular prices are from 75c. to \$1.00. You may have your choice, while they last.....47c

Good News from the Notion Department

LADIES who appreciate just how far a small expenditure will go in this department, will be agreeably surprised to find how greatly the regular prices have been reduced. Bargains will greet you at every turn—no one can bargain—the kind that make life-long friends for a store. Here are a few of them:—

Ladies' Belts

Ladies' Leather Belts, assorted colors, all sizes, fine nickel buckers, regular price 25c. each. Special price.....19c

Pocket Books

Exceptional value in pocket books with memo and bill folders, fine black and grain leather, regular price \$1.25. Special.....83c



NECKLACES

Ladies' Necklaces, fine imitation turquoise, regular price 25c. each. Special price.....15c

HANDBAGS

Ladies' Leather Handbags, nickel mounted, strong leather handles, regular price 25c. Special price.....15c

FINE SHOES CLEARING AT HALF PRICE

YOU won't find such an opportunity as this every day and you wouldn't today if the shoes were all here—but the wedding of certain sizes at a series of odd lots which make most desirable bargains if your size happens to be left. A study of the following items may result in a saving for you.

MEN'S SHOES.

Men's Patent and Velour Calf and Vici Kid lace and buttoned boots, sizes 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, regular prices \$5.50 and \$6.00. Special.....\$3.00
Men's Box Cal and Dongola Congress Shoes, size 6, regular \$4.00 value. Special.....\$2.00
Men's Oxford style side fine dongola, size 10, regular \$3.00. Special.....\$1.50
Men's Dongola Oxford, lace and side, sizes 7 and 10, regular \$2.00 value. Special.....\$1.00
Men's Dongola Oxford and Eve etc Slippers, sizes 7, 8, 9 and 10, regular \$1.50 value. Special.....\$1.17

CHILDREN'S SHOES

Children's Dongola Burtoned Boots, sizes 8 and 9, regular \$1.10 value. Special.....75c
Children's Black and Chocolate Dongola Buttoned Boots, size 4, regular 80c. value. Special.....50c

RUBBERS

Men's Lined Jacques Cartier Rubbers, size 7, regular \$1.00 value. Special.....85c
Boys' Lined Jacques Cartier Rubbers, size 7, regular 85c. value. Special.....70c

LADIES' SHOES

Ladies' Dongola Burtoned Boots, size 12, regular \$2.50 value. Special.....\$1.25
Ladies' Vici Kid, Box Calf and Patent Kid Oxfords, sizes 1, 2, 3, 4 and 8, regular \$3.00 value. Special.....\$1.50
Ladies' Black Kid slippers, sizes 12, 2 1/2 and 3, regular 75c. value. Special.....50c
Ladies' German Felt and Embroidered Velvet Slippers, sizes 3, 4 and 7, regular \$1.00 value. Special.....69c
Ladies' Felt Bedroom Slippers, size 3, regular 50c. value. Special.....40c

Special Items from the Basement

FOR Monday and Tuesday only, the following special bargains on articles both useful and ornamental will be in evidence. The new bric-a-brac is now on exhibition and many charming and beautiful designs are to be found with price-tags attached which are tempting enough to move a sphinx. Don't fail to see it while the assortment is still complete.



Clothes Hooks of heavy steel wire, regular price 8c. per dozen. Monday and Tuesday.....5c
Clothes Hooks, heavy steel wire, cop or nickel plated regular price 18c. per dozen. Special.....15c
Clothes Hooks of extra heavy steel wire, very strong, regular price 25c. per dozen. Special.....13c
Clothes Hooks of different designs, regular price 30c. per dozen. Special.....29c

THE GREAT
DEPARTMENTAL STORES.Z. PAQUET,
157-173 Joseph St.,

QUEBEC.

Fancy China Plates for cake or biscuits, shaded in blue, pink or green. Special.....10c
Fancy China Cake Plates, fancy tracing and floral decorations. Special.....15c
Fancy China Plaques or Cake Plates, handsome floral decorations. Special.....20c
Fancy China Plaques or Cake Plates, gold striped and floral decorations. Special.....25c

POMMERY
CHAMPAGNETHE HIGHEST PRICED WINES SHIPPED
FROM FRANCE WHERE QUALITY FIXES
THE VALUE

SPRING IMPORTS

Dress Department

Voile,
Eolienne,
Crepe de Chine,
Grenadines,
Amazon Cloth,
Chiffons.

Gents Furnishings

Tweeds,
Collars,
Ties, Etc., Etc.

CARPET DEPARTMENT

A Large Assortment
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CARPETS, OILCLOTHS and
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5 PER CENT OFF FOR CASH

GLOVER, FRY & CO.

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--- AND ---
ELECTRO PLATED TROPHIES



G. SEIFERT & SONS
JEWELLERS,
16 FABRIQUE STREET

For the Children

The Quebec Chronicle
QUEBEC, MARCH 1, 1905.

SOME LABOR DEMANDS.

Early in the session a delegation from the Trade and Labor Congress waited on the Provincial Government respecting certain things for which they desired special legislation by the Province. These were nine in number, the first three relating to matters in which labor, as such, had no special interest, sanitary arrangements of suburbs contemplating annexation to cities; the treatment of tuberculosis; and the supply of free books to pupils of public schools; the next five were matters in which labor was specially, if not entirely concerned; and the last one was one in which all ratepayers were interested, the question of exemption from taxation of certain institutions, whether religious or charitable, and more especially such of them as used their position to enter into a competition with labor.

With those five requests which rightfully pertain solely to the province of labor we do not propose to deal at present, nor with the two first which come under the head of Hygiene and Sanitation, but rather with the third and ninth which involve the principle of public aid to education and to religious and charitable institutions. With regard to the ninth there is something to be said on both sides of the question. Whether they should or should not be left to the voluntary support of the general public, unsupplemented by the further aid from the funds of the State is a matter that may admit of discussion, but if it is conceded that public aid should be granted, then we think it will be admitted that it is an absurd proposition to contend that this aid should be materially diminished if not entirely nullified by subjecting these institutions to taxation of any sort, municipal or otherwise, and so to speak, by exacting a discount on the aid extended. Of course these remarks are not intended to apply to water taxation, for water is a vendible commodity, as much as light, fuel and food, and is not affected by the ownership being in municipal, rather than private hands, but, with that exception, we consider that if it is desirable to extend public aid to religious and charitable institutions, it is also desirable that part of that aid should be the exemption from taxation.

But when these institutions endeavor to increase their resources by coming into competition with the outside labor of the world, they abuse their position and change their standing; they are, in so far, no longer religious, but worldly; no longer charitable, but strictly business institutions. As such they have no right to exemption from taxation, and it is an injustice to the working world to give it them. They cannot have a dual personality; they cannot be Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde at one and the same time; they must either be religious or charitable communities, and, as such, exempt from taxation, or worldly and business communities, and taxed as such. That, as we understand it, is the view that labor takes, and it is the logical and true one.

We cannot say as much for the demand that books be supplied free to those attending the public schools. We can readily understand that it is dictated chiefly, if not altogether, by the excessive cost of these, but the relief is sought from the wrong source. It is the Council of Public Instruction that is to blame for this part of the expenses of education which weighs

BOILS ALL OVER HIS FACE AND NECK

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS
DID FOR HIM
WHAT FOUR DOCTORS
FAILED TO DO

KREWEATIN, ONT., July 28th, 1905.
MRS. THE T. MELBURN CO., LTD.,
TORONTO, ONT.

DEAR SIR:—I am writing to let you know what Burdock Blood Bitters has done for me. I am a young man, twenty years old, and a year ago last March I began to feel dull and sick, and was greatly troubled with boils on my face and neck, mostly on the latter. I would no sooner get rid of one than I would have, perhaps, two or three more appear.

I had four doctors trying to cure me but they had very little success. They would stop them for a month or six weeks and then they would be as bad as ever again.

Almost every patent medicine, advertised to cure boils, I could get hold of. I tried, but still without success. At last one day, last spring, someone happened to say, "why not try taking Burdock Blood Bitters for the blood?" I was willing to try anything and immediately sent for a bottle, but at the time was doubtful if it would be of any use.

However, I used that bottle and while I was taking it I began to feel better, although I still kept having a few boils, but not nearly such bad ones. I did not miss any work, while otherwise, I used to miss, sometimes a week out of every month. I kept on taking the medicine until I had taken six bottles, and needless to say, I was not sorry I did so when I tell you I have not had a boil appear for the past three months. Everybody was surprised when they heard that Burdock Blood Bitters had done for me what four doctors failed to do. If any sufferers are afflicted with boils, I would strongly advise them to use B.B.B. It makes you feel like a new man. I always keep a bottle in the house, now, as I think it is a medicine that should be in every household.

Yours truly,
—HARRY A. SMITH.

considerably on the purses even of the well-to-do, and with crushing severity on the poorer classes. The evil arises partly from the multiplicity of studies now insisted on in the public schools, partly from the injudicious selection of the text-books, but principally from the continual changes which are being made in the different editions of these which renders the edition of the year before last absolutely useless for the present year, and thus prevents it from being handed down from one child to another in the family as it advances in years. This also induces a careless habit in the child which has no special reason for preserving its books, and is a constant source of trouble both to parent and teacher in this respect, a trouble which would be greatly increased if the state were to supply the books gratis, and lay an additional burden on the teacher who has already more than enough. If it were for no other reason than this we should decidedly oppose the furnishing of free books to those attending the public schools. It is, in our opinion moreover, as much a duty which no self-respecting parent would seek to transfer to other shoulders, to pay for the books of his children as it is to pay for their other school appliances, pens, pencils, satchels, etc., or for their food and clothing. There is too much of a disposition both in educational and in religious matters to transfer the pecuniary burdens from private to public shoulders.

CONTROL OF OUR WHEAT MARKET.

A report comes from Winnipeg that a syndicate of United States grain dealers has made an offer for the sixty-six seats that are yet undisposed of on the Grain Exchange of that city. If this story is true, it is another evidence of the intense interest that is being taken by our neighbors in the affairs of the Canadian West. For the last three years settlers from the Western States have been trooping into Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, bringing millions of dollars with them, the proceeds of the sale of their lands at good prices on the southern side of the boundary line. Capitalists from Minnesota and other cities of the United States have associated themselves together in companies and syndicates to purchase great blocks of land to retail to settlers at large advances on the cost price. There is no doubt that our keen neighbors are participating in the benefit of expansion in the Canadian Northwest scarcely less largely than our own people are.

Should control of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange pass into the hands of aliens from the same quarter, the consequences might be not altogether to the advantage of Canada. So far Winnipeg has been rather an independent grain centre. Prices there did not necessarily vary with the fluctuations in the great markets across the line. Chicago prices are frequently held far above an export basis by a combination of "bulls" powerful enough to take all the grain that is delivered on the artificial market they have created. At such times the trade in the wheat of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta has been following its own course, little affected by the situation thus maintained. So far we have had no financial clique strong enough to "corner" the output of our prairie lands. Notwithstanding that option trading has been carried on for some years in Winnipeg, no "bull" leader has yet appeared there with the ambition and the financial resources to forestall the crop or any very great percentage of it. What may happen in years to come no one can predict. But the chances of competition being suspended by a "bear" clique or of competition being carried to the point of madness by a "bull" ring will not be lessened if a band of United States grain merchants gains the ascendancy on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange.

Once operators from the United States get the upper hand in the wheat market of Western Canada the co-ordinating of price movements and of speculative campaigns in that Canadian centre and in Chicago and Duluth will begin. It is not desirable that the grain of Western Canada should be drawn under the same influence that frequently dominates the wheat trade across the line and arrests its export movement. It ought to be a rule of the Winnipeg Exchange, if it is not one, that its members must be British subjects. If an American clique became predominant in the interior market for our Western wheat, it could stop the supply of that Canadian food-stuff to the Mother Country in time of war, simply by maintaining a "corner."

Commenting upon Sir Frederick Borden's remarkable statement about Canada's dependence upon the Monroe Doctrine for immunity from overseas attack, the Montreal Star thinks that Professor Leacock's reply to Sir Frederick was a complete answer. The professor said that if Canada is going to depend upon the United States for defence, then she should contribute to the cost of the American navy. The Star thinks this retort punctures the notion that the operation of the Monroe Doctrine affords Canada a good reason for refusing to contribute to an imperial defence fund.

A BRITISH HABIT.

The London Times remarks that a memorial to the Boer prisoners of war, 11 in number, who died during the period of their detention in Ahmednagar, India, was unveiled at that place by Brigadier-General Monro, C.B., on January 22nd. The monument was built by the subscriptions of the officers and men of the British garrison.

General Monro said that for a period approaching three years there was an average number of 1,800 Boers under detention at Ahmednagar, and it spoke well for the solicitude of the Government on their behalf that they had only 14 graves to honor. Through the High Commissioner of South Africa the relatives and friends of the deceased men would be informed of those proceedings, and it would no doubt give them much satisfaction to hear of the memorial.

The Bishop of Bombay also addressed the assembled troops, and said the memorial did honor not only to the brave but unfortunate men whose names were recorded upon it, but also to themselves. The deceased prisoners of war represented a type of adversity who were foemen worthy of our steel, and won our admiration and respect by their tenacity, resource and pluck. That respect would be marked by the memorial, if not for all time, at least, let them hope, till the bloody battles of the Transvaal war were well-nigh forgotten in the peace and prosperity of a united South African people.

General Monro might have taken even greater credit for the result of that British good sense which is illustrated in this notable occurrence. Of an average aggregation of 1,800 prisoners, only 14 died in three years. We doubt if that is not an exceptionally low rate of mortality under the most favorable conditions of livelihood. The evidence certainly is that the Boer prisoners of war, in a foreign country and in a climate less favorable to health than is South Africa, were so humanely treated that their ailments were reduced to a minimum. The incident is one of the sort which we like to think about in connection with the British temperament.

It develops a quality which has been built up by many hundreds of years of British decency towards the fallen foe, a quality which we hope will never be found lacking in the British character.

Those British army officers and men at Ahmednagar have honored the empire, first by their kindly treatment of their prisoners, and second, by the delicacy of the sentiment which prompted the erection of a memorial. By sending a cargo of flour and grain to aid the famine sufferers in Japan, the Dominion Government has acted with commendable benevolence. As our nearest neighbor on the other side of the Pacific, with whom we seem destined to have an increasing commercial intercourse, Japan is a country whose friendship we should cultivate under any circumstances, more particularly at a time when its brave but exhausted people are suffering great affliction. Mercantile agencies and missionaries describe the famine-stricken region, in the northern part of the central island, as a poor cold country inhabited by a sturdy frugal race, which contributed some of the best troops to the army in Manchuria during the war with Russia. To ward off starvation the Government has established public works and thrown open the forest reservations, but the failure of the rice harvest was so complete that much suffering will be unavoidable, before another crop can be gathered next autumn. It is pathetic to read that the Japanese suffer silently, and in a climate much like our own, we can imagine what their sufferings must be. As a people Canadians would do well to second the action of the Government in sending relief.

A RUPTURE FEARED.

Washington, March 2.—It is a matter of interest in diplomatic circles that since the United States rejected Colombia's offer to submit the question of an indemnity asked by that Government from the United States on account of the revolution in, and the subsequent loss of Panama, to arbitration of a third party, the Colombian Minister to the United States, Senor Mendoza, has been absent from Washington. He is supposed to be in New York, though his whereabouts at present are unknown. It is feared that the Government of Colombia, irritated through the second rejection of their demands, may decide once more to break off relations between that country and the United States and that the Minister's departure for New York was only the first step taken on his way home.

GRAND ANSE MURDER.

Three River, March 2.—The criminal court term opened here yesterday before Judge Cannon, who presides for the first time since he was named judge. There are several cases up before the court, but interest is chiefly centered in the Grand Anse murder trial. The advocates for the Crown are Messrs. Guerin and Bigue; those for the defence are Messrs. Comeau, Glass, Greenhields and Laflemme. Detective McCaskill is also present. Some new witnesses have been picked up, and it is understood that the trial will be a long one. The grand jury is composed as follows:—Chas. Marchand, Jas. Abran, Jos. Adams, Camille Beaudoin, John Adams, Pierre Gervais, David Thibault, Pierre Eugene, Marjorie L'Ami, Philippe Dubois, Alfred Doucet, and Maxime Dubois. After the judge had explained the serious nature of their duties to them, the juryman assembled and named Joseph Abran as foreman.

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The prisoners, Wallace MacRae and Mrs. Slater, do not appear to have suffered much from their year in prison. MacRae naturally looks a little less sunburned, while Mrs. Slater is looking better than when she was up before the court last year. It may be Monday before the real business of the court will commence. Like last year, a big crowd is in attendance, the court house being crowded. The train from Grand Falls yesterday was packed with people, most of whom have come to Three Rivers to see the trial. The father and brother of Mrs. Slater are in town looking after her interests.

INJUNCTION AGAINST PRINTERS.

New York, March 2.—The Typothetae of the city of New York to-day obtained from Justice Blanchard of the Supreme Court a temporary injunction against Typographical Union No. 6 and all the officers and members of the union and their agents and servants and associates. The order is returnable March 7th. The accompanying affidavits allege 25 cases of assault and intimidation of non-union printers employed by Typothetae members. Justice Blanchard's order enjoins the defendants, officers and members from inducing or coercing or attempting to induce or coerce by intimidation, threats, force or fraud, any employee of the Typothetae, and any of its members to quit the employment of the plaintiff or any of its members.

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Black Armure Cloth, 65c. now 52c., \$1.10 now 88c.

Black Voile, 48c. now 39c., 60c. now 48c., 98c. now 79c.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the debtors of Eugene Boissinot, tailor, of Lévis, that all his book debts have been transferred to Messrs. A. McDougall & Co., of Montreal, by an act, sous seing privé, passed at Lévis on the 19th January, 1906.

Irish Protestant Benevolent SOCIETY.

The General Annual Meeting will be held on May 5th, 5th instant, at 8 o'clock in the Rooms of the Y.M.C.A. for the election of officers for ensuing year and the transaction of general business.

J. J. DUNLOP,
Secretary.

Quebec, 3rd March, 1906. mar.3x2

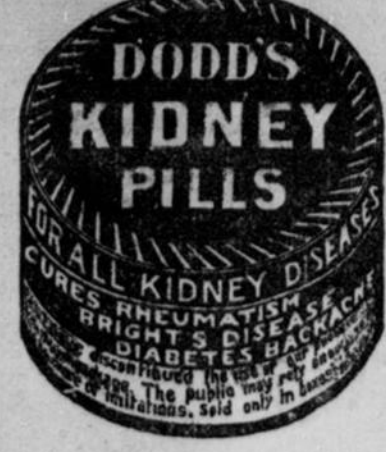
SHE WAS A CANADIAN.

New York, March 2.—The mystery surrounding the life of Mrs. M. L. Williams, who committed suicide by turning on the gas in her room in West 51st street, was partly cleared away to-day when the coroner received first an anonymous note which read: "Mrs. Williams' family lives in Toronto, Canada, at No. 162 Euclid avenue. The name is Hewitson. Her husband is in business in Moravia, N.Y." He received a telegram from C. H. Hewitson, of Toronto, who said he would arrive here to-morrow to make arrangements for the burial of the woman's body here. Her husband has not been heard from.

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London, March 3.—The dominant note of the British naval manoeuvres which began recently in Lagos Bay is their secrecy, says the Express. No attaches or privileged strangers will be allowed on board, and even army officers are forbidden to present. Distinguished general officers who have been invited to the manoeuvres have been refused permission, and have been obliged to remain on shore. Several fortress gunners were also desirous of attending in order to learn something of ship working, but they have been told that they cannot go. As every effort is being made to co-ordinate the working of the navy and army in war-time, the attitude of the Sea Lords is refusing to allow the attendance of army officers of desiring instruction is not very well received in the easter service, and the matter has come under the notice of the King.

The fifty warships constituting the fleet have 730 primary guns, not one of which are less than six-inch calibre, and hundreds of smaller guns, bringing the total to nearly two thousand pieces of ordnance. King Carlos, on his yacht, will greet the squadron as they sail into Lagos Bay to concentrate, and the Thames-built Portuguese cruiser Vasco da Gama will welcome the arrival of the British ships in Portuguese waters.

The fleet is to manoeuvre in protection of the trade routes and the shipping bound for home ports with footstuffs. An attempt also will be made to force the passage of the Straits of Gibraltar. There will be a conference of admirals, and the fleets will have strategical exercises. More than 40,000 seamen and marines will be engaged in the manoeuvres.

THE JAPANESE MINISTRY.

London, March 3.—A despatch from Tokyo to the Daily Telegraph reports that the Emperor of Japan has accepted the resignation of Count Takaki Kato from the position of Foreign Minister. Field Marshal Yamagata, President of the Privy Council and member of the military council of the empire, according to the same correspondent, is the principal supporter of the proposition for the nationalization of railways on strategical grounds.

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SHIPPING NEWS

ALLAN LINE.

R.M.S. Tunisian, from Liverpool with passengers, mails and general cargo arrived at Halifax at 4.45 a.m. on Saturday.

R.M.S. Sicilian, sailed from Moville on Friday afternoon, for Halifax, with 17 first, 814 second and 552 third-class passengers, the mails and a general cargo.

C.P.R. LINE.

Steamer Montezuma, from St. John, N.B., arrived at Antwerp on Saturday.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Steamer Bermudian arrived at New York from Bermuda at noon, last Saturday.

Steamer Parima arrived at New York from the West Indies at 5.30 p.m. last Saturday.

GETTING READY FOR WORK.

Detroit, Mich., March 3.—Captains and engineers, whose homes stretch along the river the entire distance from Detroit to Port Huron, have been notified to be ready to report at their boats on very short notice. The start this season will be with a rush. The coal fleet from the Erie ports will be a record breaker, and as soon as there is the first chance for the boats to slip through to their destinations they will break away with a rush.

BRITISH SEAMEN AND SHIPS.

The Merchant Service Guild have communicated with the Admiralty, asking for confirmation of the report in the press that the S.S. Speedwell, chartered by the Admiralty to carry coal to Chatham, was delayed at Penarth owing to the fact that amongst the crew were eight aliens who, it is stated, were required by the Admiralty to be supplanted by British subjects, who alone would be allowed inside the Government works at Chatham for with definite information the guild inform the Admiralty that delay of the kind with vessels so chartered could be avoided in the future. Also, in reference to the proposed naval manoeuvres in June next, the guild are drawing attention to the noise issued by the Board of Trade relating to an examination service in time of war, which will come into force at such ports in the United Kingdom and His Majesty's possessions abroad who are defended by means of mines and batteries, masters to receive confidential notices of the ports at which this examination service has been established. The guild emphasize the fact of aliens not only figuring in the forecasts of British merchant ships, but actually in command of such vessels, and point out that alien captains of British ships receiving information in this way might use it in a way most damaging to the interests and safety of the country. They think that the present is a very opportune moment for once more drawing attention to this serious matter.

FREIGHT RATES.

Montreal, March 3.—At the meeting of the Canadian Freight Association, held at the Windsor Hotel yesterday, there were in addition to the regular railway men, several representatives of the companies which have steamers plying on the Great Lakes. There was some discussion between the two sides as to rates by water and rail, but it is not expected that any general advance will be made in rates. The meeting was held under the presidency of Mr. Maitland, the secretary of the Canadian Freight Association, who presides over all the committees of that body. Amongst those present were Mr. Pullen, assistant freight traffic manager of the Grand Trunk; Mr. Bully, assistant freight traffic manager C.P.R.; Mr. Howard, general freight agent; Mr. Dewey, divisional freight agent of the Grand Trunk; Mr. McDonald, of Hamilton; Mr. Long, of Stratford; Mr. Brown, general freight agent of the C.P.R. at Toronto; Mr. Backus, general passenger and freight agent of the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo; Mr. Olive, assistant general freight agent of the Intercolonial; Mr. Shaw, freight traffic manager Canadian Northern; Capt. Nicholson, of the Northern Navigation Co.; Mr. Cowan, manager of the Lake Ontario and Lake Superior Navigation Co.; Mr. Jacques, of the Montreal and Great Lakes Navigation Co.; Mr. Corbett, foreign freight agent of the C. P.R.; Mr. Conway, of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway, and Mr. Chapman, of the Bay of Quinte.

JAPANESE WARSHIPS.

London, March 3.—Captain Pakenham, naval attaché of the British embassy at Tokyo, has communicated to the Admiralty general particulars of the new battleship Japan is building at Kure, regarding which remarkable secrecy is observed. Captain Pakenham says the most striking innovation is the carrying of yards and sails. There will be two tall masts fitted with light steel fire control platforms, and carrying courses, topsails and topgallant sails. The vessel will be 19,000 tons' burden and will have a speed of 21 knots. Her armament will consist principally of heavy guns and her armor will be massive. She will have an overhanging schooner bow with no ram. It is expected that this will keep her comparatively dry in heavy seas. Japanese crews have arrived in England to man the two battleships now being completed at Newcastle and Barrow. It is understood that Japan will place no more orders for warships in Great Britain at present. She is herself now building two battleships and several cruisers, besides adopting captured Russian ships for her own use.

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TENDERS REQUIRED.

POLICE COMMITTEE.

Quebec, March 2nd, 1906.

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Ottawa, March 3.—Dr. Doughty, Dominion archivist, has returned from an extended visit to Illinois, Louisiana and Mexico. His trip has resulted in valuable historical finds. At Detroit, Chicago, Urbana, Ill., St. Louis, New Orleans and St. Gabriel, La., as well as the City of Mexico, Dr. Doughty learned of many records bearing upon the history of Canada. They are in private collections of letters, in public records and in historical museums. He has made arrangements to have a large number of these copied for the Canadian archives.

Among other papers of historic interest which he found were letters of La Salle, Tonti, Frontenac, Laval, Sir Guy Carleton, General Murray and Hucquet.

One of the most interesting discoveries was at St. Gabriel, La. Here Dr. Doughty found a large number of Acadian parish records. They had been carried away from Nova Scotia at the time the Acadians were expelled from the vicinity of Grandpre for refusing to take the oath of allegiance to the English.

At Mexico the archives consist of about seventy thousand volumes. Arrangements have been made for a joint examination of them with several United States Universities which are interested in obtaining an idea of their contents.

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"Does I remember George Washington? Why laws-a-massy, mistah, I reckon I does. I orter ortent! Fer I done nussed him. We played togeth'er ev'ry day when he was a lil' chile."

"Well, do you remember anything about the Revolutionary war?" "G'way, chile! Yes, indeed I does, honey. I stood dar lots o' times, an' seen de bullets flyin' 'round' thicker'n raindrops."

"Yes, Well, how about the fall of the Roman Empire? Do you recollect anything about that?"

"The old woman took a good, long breath. In fact, it amounted to a sigh. She reflected for a few moments and said:—
"De fact is, honey, I was purty young den, an' I doesn't have a very extinet remembrance 'bout dat; but I does 'member, now dat you speaks of hit, dat I did heah de white folks tell 'bout hearin' some'n drap."

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HISTORY OF THE THIMBLE.

Great Antiquity Claimed for the Finger Protector—Romans Seem to Have Brought it to Britain.

The origin of the thimble has been a subject of the thought and researches of learned and patient antiquaries, some of whom have collected examples of varied dates, forms and substances in the course of years devoted to archaeological pursuits. It is contended by some that the metal thimble is a Dutch invention of only two centuries ago, while others claim for it an antiquity of some two thousand years at least, pointing in support of their contention to the recorded fact of the discovery amid the ruins of Herculaneum of examples in bronze almost identical in form with those employed by tailors at the present day.

The Ancient Britons had their "by-swain," or finger-guard, for use with the "swinadur," or sewing-needle in their rude dress and mantle-making. The Roman conquerors of these hardy islanders seem to have had metal "thimbles" similar to our own. Bronze and brass examples discovered with other Roman relics during excavations in London, or dredged up from the Thames, are exhibited by enthusiastic antiquaries as evidence of this. Some of these examples are in the collection of the late Henry Syer Cuning, F. S. A., Scot., vice-president of the British Archaeological Association. The collection is now at the Southwark Library, Walworth Road, to which institution it was bequeathed with the extensive Cuning museum.

The thimbles ascribed to the Romans come from the Thames off Dowgate, September, 1856. They are a golden-colored bronze on brass, and are remarkable for their conical tops, a feature which distinguishes them from thimbles of modern make. With them was found one similar to the specimens discovered at Herculaneum.

In the dark ages of the thimble—the interval between the Roman and the modern thimble—the "finger-ling," or "thimble," as it was then called, was made of leather. "Thimble," by the way, is supposed by some to be corruption of "thumb-bell," the shield being worn on the thumb in former times as it is by sailors to-day. At the beginning of the fifteenth century metal thimbles were being made at Nurnberg, and within a century of the date of the introduction of the handcraft there were no fewer than twenty-four metal thimble-makers in that city alone, whence the art was carried to Holland.

Though silver thimbles of an early date are seldom met with, they were in common use in the seventeenth century, and were among the offerings to the service of the Civil War Parliament, made by Puritan gentlemen and serving maids under the influence of the persuasive eloquence of Hugh Peters, the zealous regicide preacher, who was executed in 1660. At this period thimbles were also made of a copper-looking metal, called, after its inventor, "Prince Rupert's metal," and ornamentation and the practice of inscribing a motto or poem around the lower part was common.

The period that is not infrequently referred to as that of the invention of the thimble—the last quarter of the seventeenth century—would seem to be that in which an impetus was given to their manufacture by the invention of some new process which has come to be taken as the invention of the thimble itself. The Dutch, for example, regard the year 1684 as entitled to that distinction, and in 1894 what has been described as "the bi-centennial of the thimble" was celebrated at Amsterdam with a great deal of formality.

In the collection of Mr. Wray, who is a member of the Council of the British Archaeological Association, there are, in addition to early metallic thimbles, silver and brass, some with steel tops, a well-worn one of ivory and another of Wedgwood ware.

Though the materials of which thimbles have been made present variety enough through the centuries of their history, little variation in form appears. But of late a departure has been made. Among thimble curiosities is one made by a London manufacturer for two fingers, to the order of a lady whose thimble finger was attached to the third finger. Of costly thimbles there are the notable examples, among others, of those made for the orders of American millionaires, the

PERMANENT FORCE

Inquiry Extended to Schools of Cavalry and Infantry—Efficiency of the Force.

Ottawa, March 3. — Sir Frederick Borden has decided to extend the inquiry into the artillery, which was announced in yesterday's Journal, to the schools of Cavalry and Infantry. The efficiency of the whole permanent force will be thoroughly investigated. At the annual meeting of the Dominion Artillery Association on Monday the method of giving instruction to artillery officers of the militia force was criticized. It was claimed officers had to learn the operations of the modern Mark IV. gun from diagrams of the obsolete Mark I. gun.

Sir Frederick Borden then said that the permanent force had been formed as a school for the volunteer militia, and if the proper sort of instruction was not being given it was time the present system was swept away and replaced by something else. If the artillery instructors at Kingston did not have the proper diagrams for teaching the operations of modern guns some one was to blame. He said that the charges should be inquired into, as the people, who paid the cost, ought to get value for their money.

It was stated in yesterday's Journal that the artillery arm of the permanent instructional force would be investigated. The Minister of Militia has come to the conclusion that while the commission is at work it might as well report upon the method of instructing officers of the infantry, cavalry, engineering, transport and medical arms of the militia. All branches of the permanent force have been criticized from time to time. It has been alleged that it had departed from the intention of its organizers and instead of being a school for militia officers had become more of a small standing army and a federal police force. It is claimed that although the permanent force has been in existence for thirty years it has never been able to turn out qualified officers in sufficient numbers to meet the requirements of the Canadian militia.

All of the criticism will be investigated and reported upon by a strong investigating board which will have authority to go into everything connected with the permanent force of Canada.

It will not only sit at Kingston, where the centre of military instruction is located in the Royal Military College, but it will extend its investigations to the cavalry schools at Toronto and Winnipeg; artillery schools at Quebec; infantry schools at London, Toronto, St. John's, Que.; Quebec, Halifax and Ottawa.

There will be three members on the board of inquiry. The Deputy Minister of Militia, Col. Pinault, will be one and the Chief of Staff, General Lake, will be another. The third has not yet been selected, but he will be a prominent commander of a rural militia corps and a man of standing in the community. The inquiry will be proceeded with at once.

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The Annual General Meeting of the above Association, for the election of Directors, and other business, will be held at the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer, Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company Bldg., 48 D'Arroux St. (top floor) on Wednesday, the 14th of March, 1906, at 3 p.m.
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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

THE NEW LABOR M.P. THE CABINET BUSY

Mr. A. Verville Addressed a Mass Meeting of Workingmen Yesterday.

Mr. Alphonse Verville, the recently elected Labor member for Maison-neuve, in the Federal House of Commons, arrived in town on Saturday, accompanied by Mr. J. A. Rodier, organizer of the International Typographical Union for the Province of Quebec, and Mr. N. Arcand, organizer of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America. Yesterday afternoon a mass meeting of workingmen was held at Paton's Hall, which was presided over by Mr. H. Julien, President of Carpenters' Union No. 730, under whose auspices the meeting was held. There was a large attendance, and addresses were delivered by Messrs. Verville, Rodier and Arcand, all of whom spoke eloquently on the benefits of organization to the workingmen. They strongly urged the workingmen to organize, one of the objects to be attained thereby being the sending of their own members to Parliament to represent them. At the close of the meeting a large number signed the roll as applicants for membership in the Carpenters' Union.

Messrs. Verville and Rodier also paid a visit to the meeting of the local Typographical Union on Saturday evening and delivered addresses. Messrs. Verville and Rodier left for Montreal last night by the C.P.R., but Mr. Arcand will remain in Quebec for a few days.

ASSIGNMENT.

Jos. Chas. Roy, leather dealer, of this city, has consented to assign on demand of Edgar Clement, who is a creditor for \$240.

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PARENT VS. CHOQUETTE.

This case again comes up this morning in the Superior Court, the defendant having insisted it for proof and hearing.

CHANGES IN LEGAL FIRMS.

Messrs. Fiset and Grenier, advocates, have dissolved partnership. Mr. J. N. Francoeur, advocate, has entered the legal firm of Messrs. Choquette and Galipeault, which will now be known under the name of Choquette, Galipeault & Francoeur.

JURY TRIAL.

The case of the United Shoe Machinery Co. vs. Benoit, Lachance & Tanguay will be tried by a jury which will be sworn in this morning in the Superior Court when Judge Cimon will preside. The case is an interesting one for manufacturers as the action was taken to prevent the defendants from using other machines than those of the United Shoe Company according to their contract with the latter. The case will probably last several days.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL.

In the grand hall of the Patronage last evening a meeting of all the conferences of the St. Vincent de Paul Society was held, and was presided over by His Grace Archbishop Beaudry. Rev. Father Nuneval, who recently returned from Rome, delivered an address, and the President reviewed the work done by the different branches during the past year.

A LETTER OF SYMPATHY.

At a meeting of the Men's Association of the St. Andrew's Church, held on 25th February, the following letter of sympathy was drafted, to be sent to Mr. Neil Stewart:
"The Men's Association of St. Andrew's Church has heard with the most profound sorrow of the death of your distinguished father, George Stewart, Esq., D.C.L., LL.D. We desire to convey to you, as a member of this Association, and through you to the other members of your family, our deep sympathy with you all in the loss of your dear bereavement, in the loss within so short a period of both mother and father. May He Who formed the heart, and Who knows its power to love and to grieve, comfort you now, and guide you always in life's best pathway to the true goal of human hope and aspiration."

ON BEHALF OF THE MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

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A young athlete writes concerning the method by which he acquires steady nerves, and also of some good missionary work he has done:
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ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Mass Meeting of Irishmen Held Yesterday at Tara Hall.

Tara Hall was crowded yesterday afternoon upon the occasion of the holding of a mass meeting of Irishmen and their descendants in connection with the approaching celebration of the national festival on March 17th. The boys of St. Patrick's School, with their teachers, filled the galleries of the hall, while downstairs was a great gathering of the Irishmen of the city and district.

Mr. J. J. O'Flaherty occupied the chair, and in opening the meeting took occasion to extend a warm and cordial invitation to all Irishmen and their descendants to participate in the coming celebration of St. Patrick's Day. He drew particular attention to the fact that the Irish people were now at the parting of the ways. Through the last general election in Great Britain and Ireland Home Rule had been so rapidly pushed to the front that it was now only a question of a short time when a legislative measure would be placed before the British House of Commons granting Ireland what had been so ardently looked forward to during the long interval between the disappearance of Gladstone and the present time.

The Chairman then introduced the Rev. Father Mulhern, C.S.S.R., who made a very eloquent appeal to the Irishmen of Quebec to join in the coming celebration. He said it was the sacred duty of Irishmen and their descendants to manifest their love for their native land by being present in solid ranks upon the occasion of their national festival. The reverend gentleman, in eloquent terms, pointed to the great O'Connell, the emancipator, whose example was one for all to follow. The meeting which he was addressing was a credit to the Irishmen of Quebec. In conclusion, Father Mulhern said, that to have a thorough result from the meeting every Irishman and every Irish-Canadian should walk shoulder to shoulder through the streets of Quebec in honor of their patron saint and to show their love for their native land.

Eloquent addresses were also delivered by Dr. J. C. Howe, M. J. Ahern, M. W. Coleman, E. Neville, E. Conway, J. Collier, J. Coveney and Brother Tobias, the latter promising that the boys of St. Patrick's school would turn out in full strength. The speeches of these gentlemen were filled with an enthusiasm which evoked a responsive echo from the large and sympathetic meeting.

In bringing the meeting to a close the Chairman referred in felicitous terms to Lord Edward Fitzgerald, Henry Grattan, Wolfe Tone, Robert Emmet and the other Protestant patriots of Ireland, who in the dark days had not hesitated to stake wealth and life in defence of the Irish cause. He hoped that the Irish Protestants of to-day would follow their noble example and would join with their Catholic brethren in heartily celebrating the national festival.

Another mass meeting will be held next Sunday afternoon in Tara Hall, to which Irishmen and their descendants are cordially invited.

After yesterday's meeting, a meeting of the delegates of the different Irish Societies was held, when the following order of procession on St. Patrick's Day was decided upon, the procession leaving, as already stated, the rooms of the Sarsfield A. A. A.:

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Young Men's Sodality.
St. Patrick's Total Abstinence and Benevolent Society.
Band.
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GERARDY'S ARRIVAL.

The great virtuoso who performs this evening at the Auditorium, Jean Gerardy, arrived in town yesterday evening, with the pianist, M. Goellner. Some time before the arrival of the train, the C.P.R. station began to fill with citizens anxious to have a glance at the distinguished visitor and when Gerardy landed out of the parlor car, hundreds of people were pressing one against another to get a good eye-sight of the elegant and handsome artist. For quite some time, Gerardy was kept busy shaking hands with a number of our citizens who had come to meet him, among them L. A. Carrier, N.P. Major Levasseur, Prof. Gilbert, W. T. Davies, A. Lavigne, Wilfrid Edge, L. Desane, A. Bouchard, J. Vozina, P. Livernois, J. A. Bernier, J. A. Guvlin, J. Brousseau, A. Barry, L. H. Courchesne, Mr. Chouinard, etc. After the presentation, the great virtuoso was escorted to the Chateau Frontenac by a large number of admirers with whom he enjoyed a most interesting conversation for an hour or two. The artist is exceedingly conversable and he delighted his hearers with his witty remarks and tales. He is very talkative and as he has visited so many countries, his observations and reports are full of interest. He is certainly a keen observer and he proved it yesterday evening. He is charmed to be in Quebec—his first visit to our city—and he proposes to minutely survey the town during the day in order to keep a good recollection of it.

ROLLING MILLS FOR LEVIS.

It is rumored at Levis that the Nova Scotia Steel Co. intend to establish rolling mills at the Carrier, Laine & Co. works, and are acquiring the outstanding claims with a view to securing control of the property.

PRISONERS FROM MONTREAL.

Fifty prisoners from the Montreal gaol, who were being removed to Quebec on account of the crowded condition of that institution, arrived here on Saturday morning by the C.P.R. and were taken to the district gaol. They were handcuffed in groups of four and were in charge of a guard of men from the Montreal gaol and a detachment of Provincial Police. They were met on arrival by Deputy Gaoler R. Modler and Chief McCarthy and were taken to the gaol in two special electric cars.

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LATEST SPORTING NEWS

FAST, CLEAN GAME OTTAWA WAS ROUGH

Wanderers Won, But Had to Travel Their Hardest.

Montreal, Sunday, March 4. — Wanderers defeated the Quebecs at the Arena last night by 9 goals to 6, but to win they had to play their prettiest to out-score the visitors, who, as has been their wont for the last ten years, put up a hard, fast game. The ice was in perfect condition, the players on both teams were ambitious to win, the officials were competent, and the 1,800 spectators were appreciative of good hockey and were also quite impartial. From the outset the pace was fast, though it was of such a whirlwind type that it could not possibly be maintained for a whole hour. Consequently, after fifteen minutes' exceptionally fast hockey, there was a lull, and thereafter the play was bright and dull at almost regular intervals. On the whole, however, the match was genuinely interesting, it being replete with incidents that drew applause from the fans. The Wanderers were to win, but when they secured a seemingly insuperable lead, they wilted, and the first thing they knew the Quebecs had reduced the margin and were making a strenuous bid for honors. When they thought for the second time, that they had the visitors lashed to the mast, they took another siesta, and were given another shock when their opponents began to do some more dangerous scoring. On form the Wanderers should have doubled the score, for they were stronger but not consistent. When they spurred they played a good article in every department, whereas the Quebecs were strong in some departments and weak in others. Even when Wanderers lagged they did not play mediocre hockey by any means. They were up against a speedy setpiece that every opening to make an attack on the Wanderers goals, and too many openings were given the visitors.

Because of the Quebecs' defeat at the hands of the Montrealers a week ago yesterday it was thought that the Ancient Capital's team would be seventeen kinds of pie for the Wanderers, but they proved to be a decided surprise. They had speed and grit and never let the Wanderers run away from them. They certainly could skate and they had everything in their repertoire but combination, and the latter was the Wanderers' long suit. The Quebecs were too selfish individually. They had more combination than in the previous games they played here, but at that they did not have enough to startle the spectators. Individually they were good, and many of them they could come pretty near keeping the Wanderers guessing, but when it came to team play the Wanderers had them faded. Hogan, Moran, Power and Jordan were the stars of the Quebec team. Hogan, at cover, is a daisy, and when he learns that combination pays, he will be the prize daisy of the flower show. His rushes were spectacular, and his shooting swift and accurate. Moran, in goal, has yet to be improved on. He stopped the puck last night with hands, feet, stick and body, and would have caught it in his teeth if the referee would have allowed him. Jordan was the real Jersey cream, too. He was aggressive and scientific, and was always on the keep jump. The Wanderers all played well. Lester Patrick played rover, and he handed out a line of goods hard to be improved upon. Pud Glass didn't strain himself with over-work, though occasionally he tore off a rush that took the spectators' breath away. The same might be said of Ernie Johnson, who however, was the kingly of the Wanderer bunch in the dying moments of the game. Ernie Russell played a heady, snappy game throughout. Kennedy was the bright, particular star of the first half, and he demonstrated most decisively that he is the find of the season. He had everything that pertains to a hockey player of the first rank, and his effectiveness may be judged from the fact that he scored two goals in the first period of play. Billy Strachan and Menard played sound games throughout. The Wanderers scored five goals in the first half and the Quebecs one, and in the second the Wanderers added four more to their list and the Quebecs five. The match was very clean, only two players, Johnson and Kennedy, being ruled off, and they for offences that were not serious.

The teams were: —
Quebec: —Goal, Moran; point, Hall; cover point, Hogan; forwards, Jordan, Power, Moroney, Staveley.
Wanderers: —Goal, Menard; point, Strachan; cover point, Kennedy; forwards, Glass, Kennedy, Russell, Johnston.
Referee: —Bob Meldrum; assistant, Duncan Campbell.
Timekeepers: —Coolican, Quebec; McEvilla, Montreal; penalty timekeeper, Bert Andrews, Westmount.
Goal umpires: —Charlie MacKerrow, Montreal, and Rocket Power, Quebec.

Summary: —
1. Wanderers.....Russell..... 3.08
2. Quebec.....Hogan..... 3.52
3. Wanderers.....Patrick..... 2.90
4. Wanderers.....Patrick..... 12.00
5. Wanderers.....Kennedy..... 3.30
6. Wanderers.....Kennedy..... 2.30
Second Half.
7. Quebec.....Hogan..... 2.45
8. Wanderers.....Russell..... 2.10
9. Wanderers.....Russell..... 1.15
10. Quebec.....Jordan..... 2.58
11. Wanderers.....Patrick..... 4.09
12. Quebec.....Power..... 4.51
13. Wanderers.....Russell..... 2.09
14. Quebec.....Moroney..... 4.10
15. Quebec.....Power..... 1.50
Penalties: —Johnson, 2 mins.; 3 mins.; Kennedy, 2 mins.

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Two Montreal Men Put Out of Business in Saturday's Match.

Ottawa, March 3.—Ottawa defeated Montreal 14 to 9 to-night in the roughest game that has been played here this season. Grover Sargent and Brophy of Montreal were knocked out and forced to retire, the former shortly after the beginning of the second half and Brophy towards the close. Almost every player on the ice was more or less injured, but Sargent and Brophy were the only ones put out of the game. Frank McGee was responsible for Sargent's injury, laying him low with a cross-check and hurting himself slightly. McGee continued after a ten-minute delay, but Sargent, who sustained a blow on the head and another in the mouth was replaced by Chiphase. Brophy was put out of business by Alf Smith, who struck him on the nose when behind Montreal's goal. Brophy fell unconscious and Smith was ruled off for the five minutes which remained to be played. D'Arcy McGee and Bonnie Burland were referee and judge of play and twenty penalties in all were imposed. They clashed on one occasion, Burland ordering Alf Smith off and McGee telling him to remain on the ice. Burland finally won out, however, and Alf took a seat beside the timekeepers. At half time the score was 6 to 1 in favor of Ottawa, but Montreal braced up wonderfully at the finish, scoring several goals within one or two minutes of each other. Montreal's defence was weak and Horsfall was off four times. He spent about 15 minutes in all on the side and was of little use to his team. Smail and Chiphase, who replaced Sargent, did great work for the visitors, while Tommie Smith, who took Harry's position at left wing, made good. Frank McGee and Palford were Ottawa's stars. The champions worked their hardest, for Montreal at times gave them all kinds of trouble. Brophy's injury is not serious, but Sargent, who besides having his head bruised and cut, received a severe shaking up and may be out of the game for a while.

Altogether Montreal made a favorable impression and their garrison finish astonished the 3,000 spectators. The teams: —
Ottawa: —Hague, Moore, Palford, Westwick, McGee, A. Smith, T. Smith.
Montreal: —Brophy, Percival, Horsfall, Smail, Coulson, Sargent, and Mason.

Referee, D'Arcy McGee, Ottawa; judge of play, B. Burland, Westmount.

OTTAWA AND WANDERERS.

Mr. Tom Hodge, of the Wanderers, stated at the Wanderers-Quebec match, that if Ottawa and Wanderers are a tie, as it is expected they will be, and if there is ice enough there will be two matches played, home and home, for the championship of the Eastern Canadian Amateur Hockey Association. One will be played in Ottawa, and the other in Montreal. Personally, he was not entirely convinced that Quebec might not, in some manner, defeat Ottawa next Saturday, which is the last day of the regular season. He figures it out that Ottawa will be pretty well tired out after playing the two matches in the middle of the week against Smith's Falls, and that Quebec, on its own ice, is never to be trifled with. If the matches with Ottawa do come off, the Wanderers will play the same team as they played when they beat Quebec.

ST. PATRICK'S EASY WINNERS.

The St. Patrick's team had no difficulty in defeating the Wanderers at the Quebec rink on Saturday night, piling up a score of 13 goals to 2. The St. Patrick's are a nicely balanced team, their forward line playing a very pretty combination, while the defence is of the stonewall variety. The Wanderers, while a much heavier team and fast, did not play the finished game of their opponents, whose whirlwind rushes resulted almost invariably in scores. The teams were as follows: —
St. Patrick's: —Goal, Kippan; point, J. Lemieux; cover point, Conway; centre, Derouin; rover, Rooney; wings, Labrecque, Beauchamp.
Wanderers: —Goal, C. Hurd; point, D. Doyle; cover point, Lynch; centre, Fitzgerald; rover, Conors; wings, McFall, Lawlor.
Referee: —D. Power.

FOOTBALL RULES.

New York, March 3.—The National Intercollegiate football rules committee held a protracted meeting here today, but failed to complete the new rules. The committee adjourned to-night to meet here again March 20th. The committee made several changes in the game, but nothing was done about the final codification of the rules. One of the changes decided on provides for 30 minute halves instead of 35 minute halves with an intermission of ten minutes. The changes decided on tentatively include these: —
"Holding: —The players of the side that has possession of the ball shall not hold, block or otherwise obstruct the opponent except with the body. The only allowable use of the arms in blocking or obstructing an opponent is with the arms close to with the ball may ward off an opponent with the hands. The penalty of holding is to be a loss of 15 yards.
"Hurdling in the open field is prohibited. Hurdling through the line is prohibited. Hurdling the line is jumping or attempting to jump over a player on the line of scrimmage with the feet or knees foremost within the distance of five yards on either side of the point, where the ball was snapped."

NEW LACROSSE MOVE.

There is a movement afoot among lacrosse followers in this city to put a strong new club in the field next season, which would travel under the name of Quebec. According to the plans now under consideration, it is proposed that the present Montreal club shall disappear from the scene, and in its place the new Quebec club arise, with which the Balmagroy Club of last season should amalgamate. By this means a good strong twelve would be to the fore to represent the Ancient Capital during the coming season. The promoters of the idea, it is stated, are very anxious of a successful issue to their undertaking.

CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY.

Alfred A. Taschereau, M.P., celebrated his 39th birthday on Saturday last, and on this occasion a number of his friends entertained him at dinner on Saturday evening at the Garrison Club, when a most enjoyable time was spent. Hon. Mr. Turgeon, president, and among those present were Hon. Messrs. Gouin, McCorkill, R. Roy, P. Roy, Robitaille, Messrs. Lacombe, Kelly, MacKenzie, Delorge and Tanguay, M.P.'s, C. Lanctot, L. Turcotte, Roger LaRue, C. E. Taschereau and P. Corriveau.

VICTORIAS WINNERS

Though Two Down Saturday, Capture District Medal by 11 Shots.

The second half of the match for the district medal was played on Victoria ice on Saturday afternoon when two rinks of the Thistle Club of Montreal played two rinks of the Victorias. The local club was two points down on Saturday's play, but as they played in Montreal a couple of weeks ago, they win the round and the medal by 11 shots. The match on Saturday was a close and exciting one. Skip Colley got a long start on Skip Kinghorn which the latter never managed to catch up, being 4 down at the close. On the other ice, Skip Parke seemed to have a one-shot hooey, being one down for thirteen ends. A shot by skip Cleghorn, who knocked out three for Vic and lay shot himself, was one of the most brilliant seen for a long time and elicited much applause. The visitors pulled out six to the good on this rink. There was a good crowd of spectators present and deep interest was manifested in the play throughout. The curlers had the benefit of a magnificent sheet of ice for the game, one of the very best that Rink-keeper Hogan has supplied this season. The rinks and scores for the complete match are as follows: —

On Thistle Ice.
Victoria. Thistle.
A. R. M. Boulton Dr. G. Campbell
Arch. Laurie M. Freeman
H. G. Thomson J. W. Anderson
W. S. Champion Judge Archibald
(Skip)—18 (Skip)—9
K. Malson R. J. Davis
W. C. J. Hall R. J. E. Chapple
A. E. Swift H. G. Wells
R. H. Smith W. H. C. Musson
(Skip)—18 (Skip)—14
On Victoria Ice.
A. E. Scott G. McCoombs
Colonel Jones W. McNeill
C. W. Walcott W. D. Aird
A. W. Colley D. Kinghorn
(Skip)—18 (Skip)—14
D. Watson Dr. Scott-Lives
A. Whitehead L. H. Rossell
Dr. C. S. Parke J. Adair
Dr. G. H. Parke W. J. Cleghorn
(Skip)—11 (Skip)—17
Majority for Victorias, 11.

A CHALLENGE.

We the C.P.R. Hockey team hereby challenge the St. Patrick team, winners of Saturday night's match, to a game as soon as possible.
C.P.R. HOCKEY TEAM.

TIE FOR QUEBEC CUP.

Ottawa, March 3.—The curling match here to-night between Ottawa and Heather for possession of the celebrated Quebec Challenge Cup, which was first competed for in 1874, was unfinished at midnight when the lights went out, leaving the rink in total darkness. The teams were tied with two ends to go and the game will have to be replayed. The ice was in great shape and some excellent curling was done. The Heather curlers were late in reaching the scene of the big match and it was 8.30 before the first stone was shot down over the gleasy surface. The teams and scores were: —
Ottawa. Heather.
C. T. Blair D. H. McCall
W. L. Blair N. K. McDonald
C. C. Anderson C. W. Wood
C. S. Scott D. W. Rose
(Skip)—14 (Skip)—11
W. J. Beatty C. A. Hutchison
L. F. Maingy C. Toifield
C. H. Hutchison C. Corneil
W. Stuart W. B. Hutchison
(Skip)—15 (Skip)—18

NO MORE BOXING IN FRISCO.

San Francisco, March 3.—San Francisco, hitherto the widest-open town for fighting in the country, has put an end to the game altogether. Action after the death of Harry Tenney was as prompt as it was possible for a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors to make it. A meeting was called and the "Fight Trust," as the close corporation which manages all bouts is called, was notified that no more matches would be permitted.

ROUGH WRESTLING.

Chicago, March 3.—John J. Rooney, the "Giant Grappler" of Chicago, tonight defeated Leo Pardo, the Italian champion, in a catch-as-catch-can wrestling bout. Rooney won on a foul. Pardo won the first fall in nineteen minutes and fifty-seven seconds. In the third Pardo picked his opponent up and threw him over the ropes into the crowd ten feet below. Pardo was immediately disqualified.

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Superior Court, Quebec.
No. 619.
Dame Colina Guerin, dit St. Hilaire, wife of Thomas Migner, heretofore manufacturer of the city of Quebec.

The said Thomas Migner, Plaintiff;
vs.
An action for separation as to property has been instituted by plaintiff against defendant on the fourteenth instant.

FITZPATRICK, TASCHEREAU, ROY, CANNON & PARENT, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Quebec, Feb. 15, 1906. feb.22x1m

Quebec, Superior Court, District of Chicoutimi.
No. 1547.
Dame Anna Simard, wife of Theophile Boudreau, laborer, of the town of Roberval, duly authorized to ester en justice, has instituted an action for separation as to property against her said husband. The action was returned on 13th February, 1906.

L. A. LANGLAIS, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
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LARGE AUCTION SALE

Mountain Hill Hotel's Contents

TO BE SOLD IN DETAIL WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 7th AND 8th IN THE MATTER OF Charles Horace Belanger

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, MARCH 7-8 '06 TEN O'CLOCK, THE FORENOON We will proceed to the sale by public auction, of all the movable effects of the said insolvent's assets, consisting of the Mountain Hill Hotel's contents known as follows: —

FIRST DAY.
1—Stock of wine and liquors valued at \$500.00
2—Stock of Groceries, Provisions, valued at 311.67
3—Bar furniture and glassware, valued at 361.64
4—A cash register valued at 200.00
5—In detail—Utensils, cooking stoves, dining-room furniture, crockery, glassware, silverware, cutlery, office furniture, also the whole of the first story furniture, such as parlor set, bedroom set, piano valued \$400, also to be sold the first day of the sale.

SECOND DAY.
The second day, March 8th, we will proceed to the sale in detail in all the fine ware of the Hotel, also the sale of furniture of fifty bedrooms. It is useless to say more regarding the importance of this sale, as everyone knows it will be one of the largest and to everyone's interest to attend to it.

The above items marked 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, will be at so much in the dollar and the rest in detail, like any other piece of furniture sold by auction. The effects to be on view Tuesday, March 6th inst., from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Sale Wednesday and Thursday, March 7th and 8th.
P.S.—The license and lease for the balance of the year will also be included in the sale.
CHAS. J. BAILLARGEON, N.P. Curator.
L. S. DESCHENES, Auctioneer.

NOTICE.

The adjourned Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of "THE KINGSTON GOLD & COPPER MINING COMPANY, LIMITED" will be held at the office of a Company 11 Dorchester street, Quebec, on Friday, March 9th, at 3 p.m.

By order
ROBERT STANLEY, Sec.-Treas.

Province of Quebec, Superior Court, District of Quebec.
Zoi Bissou, of the Town of Lévis, wife common as to property a Charles Maranda, trader of the same place, duly authorized a steren justice,
No. 2471. vs. Plaintiff.
The said Charles Maranda, Defendant.

An action for separation as to property has been instituted by plaintiff against defendant on the 12th day of February, 1906.
QUEBEC, 25th January, 1906
BELLEAU, BELLEAU & BELLEAU, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
feb.22x1m.

Province of Quebec, Superior Court, District of Chicoutimi.
No. 1535.
Dame Julie Coe, wife of C. A. Les Gables, of St. F. de la Croix, duly authorized a steren justice, has instituted an action for separation as to property against her husband.
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