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Steamship Notices.

ALLAN LINE.

Under Contract with the Government of Canada for the conveyance of the CANADIAN and UNITED STATES MAILS.

1878-9. WINTER ARRANGEMENTS. 1878-9.

This Company's Line are composed of the undernoted First-class, Full-powered Clyde-built, Double-Engine, Iron Steamships:—

	Tons.	
Sardinian	4100	Capt. J. E. Dutton
Circassian	4300	Capt. Jas. Wylie
Polynesian	4100	Capt. Brown
Sarmatian	3600	Capt. A. D. Aird
Hibernian	3434	Lt. F. Archer, R.N.R.
Caspian	3200	Capt. Trocks
Scandinavian	3000	Capt. Richardson.
Prussian	3000	Capt. R. S. Watts
Austrian	2700	Capt. H. Wylie
Nestorian	2700	Capt. Barclay
Moravian	3650	Capt. Graham
Peruvian	3600	Lt. W. H. Smith, R.N.R.
Manitoban	2700	Capt McDougall.
Nova Scotian	3200	Capt. J. Ritchie
Canadian	2600	Capt. Neil McLean.
Corinthian	2400	Capt. Menzies.
Acadian	1350	Capt. Cabel.
Waldensian	2800	Capt. J. G. Stephen.
Phœnician	2800	Capt. James Scott
Newfoundland	1500	Capt. Mylins

THE STEAMERS OF THE

Liverpool Mail Line

Sailing from Liverpool every THURSDAY, and from Halifax every SATURDAY (calling at Lough Foyle to receive on board and land Mails and Passengers to and from Ireland and Scotland), are intended to be despatched FROM HALIFAX.

Polynesian	Saturday, Nov. 30
Caspian via St. John's	Saturday, Dec. 7
Sarmatian	Saturday, Dec. 14
Moravian	Saturday, Dec. 21
Peruvian	Saturday, Dec. 28
Sardinian	Saturday, Jan. 4

RATES OF PASSAGE FROM MONTREAL.

Cabin ...... $67, $77 and $87

According to accommodation.

Intermediate $45 00

Steerage $31 00

The steamers of the Halifax Line will leave Halifax for St. John's, N. F., and Liverpool as follows:

Caspian	7th Dec.
Nova Scotian	24th Dec.
Hibernian	7th Jan.

RATES OF PASSAGE BETWEEN HALIFAX AND ST. JOHNS:

Cabin......$20 00 | Steerage......$6 00

An experienced Surgeon carried on each Vessel. Berths not secured until paid for. *Through Bills Lading granted in Liverpool, and at Continental Ports, to all points in Canada, and the Western States.*

For Freight or other particulars, apply in Portland to H. & A. ALLAN, or J. L. FARMER; in Quebec to ALLANS, RAE & CO.; in Havre to JOHN M. CURRIE, 21 Quai d'Orleans; in Paris to GUSTAVE BOSSANGE, Rue du Quatre Septembre; in Antwerp to AUG. SCHMITZ & CO., or RICHARD BERNS; in Rotterdam to RUYS & CO.; in Hamburg to C. HUGO; in Bordeaux to JAMES MOSS & CO.; in Bremen to HEIRN RUPPEL & SONS; in Belfast to CHARLEY & MALCOLM; in London to MONTGOMERIE & GREENHORNE, 17 Gracechurch Street; in Glasgow to JAMES & ALEX. ALLAN 70 Great Clyde Street; in Liverpool to ALLAN BROTHERS, James Street; in Chicago to ALLAN & CO., 72 La Salle Street.

H. & A. ALLAN,
Corner of Youville and Common Streets.

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WHITE STAR LINE.

Calling at Cork Harbour, Ireland,

CARRYING BRITISH AND AMERICAN MAILS.

PROVIDED WITH EVERY MODERN IMPROVEMENT.

Sailing between NEW YORK and LIVERPOOL, via Queenstown, are appointed to leave as follows:—

BRITANNIC	Sat.,	Oct. 19, at	11.00 a.m.
CELTIC	Thurs.,	Oct. 24, at	3.00 p.m.
GERMANIC	Sat.,	Nov. 2, at	11.00 a.m.
BALTIC	Thurs.,	Nov. 7, at	3.00 p.m.
*ADRIATIC	Sat.,	Nov. 14, at	8.00 a.m.
BRITANNIC	Sat.,	Nov. 23, at	3 00 p.m.
*CELTIC	Thurs.,	Nov. 28, at	8.00 a.m.
GERMANIC	Sat.,	Dec. 7, at	2.30 p.m.
*BALTIC	Thurs.,	Dec. 12 at	7 00 a.m.
ADRIATIC	Sat.,	Dec 21, at	2.00 p.m.
*BRITANNIC,	Sat.,	Dec. 28, at	8 30 a.m.
CELTIC	Thurs.,	Jan 2, at	Noon.

*Passengers go on board the night before.

WINTER RATES.

SALOON PASSAGE.

New York to Liverpool and Queenstown, $60, $80 & $100 gold. Return Tickets, $145 and $175 gold. Tickets to London, $5, and to Paris $20, gold, additional. Children between one and twelve years, and servants $50.00 Infants free.

For the Winter Season, this Company have decided to make an additional saloon rate of passage of $60 Gold, from New York to Liverpool. Special Excursion Tickets will be issued until March 31st, 1879, at $120 Gold.

These Steamers do not carry Cattle, Sheep or Pigs.

STEERAGE PASSAGE

Montreal, to or from Liverpool, London, Londonderry, Queenstown, Glasgow, Belfast, Bristol or Cardiff, $31 Gold.

Passengers taking the "White Star Steamers," as a rule, arrive in London in 9½ days from New York.

Passengers booked, via Liverpool, to all parts of Europe at moderate rates.

For further information and passage, apply to R. J. CORTIS, Agent, 37 Broadway, New York. Or to

B. J. COGHLIN,
SOLE AGENT,
26 St. Sulpice Street, Montreal

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CUNARD LINE.

NOTICE.—With the view of diminishing the chances of collision, the Steamers of this Line take a specified course for all seasons of the year.

On the Outward Passage from Queenstown to New York or Boston, crossing Meridian of 50 at 43 Lat., or nothing to the North of 43.

On the Homeward Passage, crossing the Meridian of 50 at 42 Lat., or nothing to the North of 42.

The Cunard Steamship Company (Limited), between NEW YORK and LIVERPOOL, calling at

CORK HARBOUR.

FROM NEW YORK	FROM NEW YORK
Abyssinia, Wed., Oct. 30	Scythia, Wed., Nov. 27
Bothnia, Wed., Nov. 6	Abyssinia, Wed., Dec. 4
Algeria, Wed., Nov. 13	Bothnia, Wed., Dec. 11
*Russia, Wed., Nov. 20	Algeria, Wed., Dec. 18

And every following Wednesday from New York.

RATES OF PASSAGE.—By steamers carrying steerage, $80 and $100 gold according to accommodations.

*No steerage.

By steamers not carrying steerage, $80, $100 and $130, gold, according to accommodation.

Tickets issued at a special Low Rate of $60 Gold, during the Fall and Winter Season.

Tickets to Paris, $15, gold, additional.

Return tickets on favorable terms.

Steerage at very low rates. Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all other parts of Europe at lowest rates.

Through Bills of Lading given for Belfast, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other Ports on the Continent, and for Mediterranean Ports.

For Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's Office, No. 4 Bowling Green

CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent,

Or to THOS. WILSON,
58 St. Francois Xavier Street.

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INMAN LINE

ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS

FOR QUEENSTOWN AND LIVERPOOL

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City of Brussels,	Sat.,	Dec. 14,	8.30 a.m
City of Chester,	Thurs.,	Dec. 19,	1.00 p.m
City of Montreal,	Thurs.,	Dec 26,	7.00 a.m

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City of Berlin	Sat.,	Jan. 4,	2.00 p.m
City of New York	Thus.,	Jan. 9	6 00 a.m
City of Brussels	Sat.,	Jan. 18,	2 00 p.m

SALOON PASSAGES—$60, $80 and $100 Gold.

ROUND TRIP—$120, $135 and $160 Gold.

STEERAGE (including Railroad Fare between Montreal and New York) $31 00.

For Freight or Passage, apply at the Company's Office, 31 and 33 Broadway, New York.

JOHN G. DALE, Agent.

In Montreal, to COX & GREEN,
13 and 15 Hospital Street;
Where plans can be seen and Berths secured.

Or to Capt. McFall, Ticket Agent, St. Lawrence Hall.

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Steamship Notices.

Notice to Shippers & Importers

WINTER STEAMSHIP SERVICE, VIA PORTLAND, IN CONNECTION WITH THE GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY CO. OF CANADA.

Arrangements have been completed by The Dominion Steamship Co. DOMINION LINE. | The Canada Shipping Co. BEAVER LINE.

To perform a WEEKLY SERVICE between Liverpool and Portland during the ensuing WINTER, with the following FIRST-CLASS CLYDE BUILT STEAMSHIPS, leaving Liverpool on Thursdays, and Portland on Saturdays in each week:—

DOMINION LINE.	Tons	BEAVER LINE.	Tons
Mississippi	2,200	Lake Champlain	2,200
Quebec	2,300	Lake Nepigon	2,200
Dominion	3,200	State of Alabama	2,300

APPOINTED SAILINGS—PORTLAND TO LIVERPOOL.

Mississippi—Nov. 30	State of Alabama—Dec. 7
Quebec—Dec. 14	Lake Champlain—Dec. 21
Dominion—Dec. 28	Lake Nepigon—Jan. 4

These Steamships are all of large carrying capacity, and will insure at the Lowest Rates, and have superior accommodation for Passengers.

Through Bills of Lading issued by all Grand Trunk Railway Agents in Canada.

Apply in Liverpool to
FLINN, MAIN & MONTGOMERY,
Dominion Line.
H. J. SELKIRK,
Manager Canada Shipping Co'y.,
Beaver Line.

And in Montreal to—
DAVID TORRANCE & CO.,
Exchange Court,
Agents Dominion Steamship Company.
AND
THOMPSON, MURRAY & CO.,
1 Custom House Square,
Agents Canada Shipping Company.

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DOMINION LINE
OF STEAMSHIPS

Running in connection with the
Grand Trunk Railway of Canada.

	Tons		Tons.
Ontario	3,200	Dominion	3,200
Memphis	2,500	Texas	2,350
Mississippi	2,250	Quebec	2,250
Teutonia	2,150	Borossia	2,150
St. Louis	2,000	Brooklyn	3,500

DATE OF SAILING.

Steamers will sail as follows:—

FROM PORTLAND, MAINE.

MISSISSIPPI	30th Nov.
QUEBEC	14th Dec.
DOMINION	28th Dec.
ONTARIO	11th Jan.

Rates of Passage for the Winter Months.

Cabin—Montreal to Liverpool $50 and $60; Return do, $90 and $110.

No Steerage taken.

Through Tickets can be had at all the principal Grand Trunk Railway Ticket Offices in Canada, and Through Bills of Lading are granted to and from all parts of Canada.

For Freight or Passage, apply, in London, to Bowring, Jamieson & Co., 17 East India Avenue; in Liverpool, to Flinn, Main & Montgomery, 24 James Street; in Quebec, to W. M. Macpherson; at all Grand Trunk Railway Offices; or to

DAVID TORRANCE & CO.,
Exchange Court.

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Donaldson's Clyde Line of Steamers

Canadian Service.

COLINA	2,000	Tons Register
EIRENE	2,000	" "
CYBELE	2,000	" "
ERL KING	2,200	" "

The splendid new first-class full power screw Steamer ERL KING, A 100 (Highest Class a Lloyd's), is intended to sail from

Montreal for Glasgow,

On Monday, the 28th October,

taking Goods at lowest through rates from all parts of Canada and the Western States of America. Special facilities for Butter, Cheese, Boxed Meats, &c., and also for a limited number of Horses and Sheep.

Will be followed by one of the above First-class Steamers every alternate week from Montreal and Glasgow thereafter during the season. Splendid accommodation for a limited number of Cabin passengers. For Rates of Freight and Passage, apply to

ROBERT REFORD & CO.,
23 and 25 St. Sacrament Street, Montreal.
Or DONALDSON BROTHERS,
67 Great Clyde Street Glasgow

Steamboat Notices.

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STEAM FERRY
BETWEEN
Longueuil and Montreal,

From 5 o'clock A.M. till 7.30 o'clock P.M.

Until further notice, the Ferry between LONGUEUIL and MONTREAL will run, as far as possible, as follows, commencing on the 1st November:—

From Longueuil to the Foot of the Current
(WEEK DAYS.)

From Longueuil to the Foot of the Current—At 6, 7, 8, 8.30, 9, 10, 11 A.M., Noon, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 5.30, 6 P.M.

From the Foot of the Current—At 6.30, 7.30, 8.15, 8.45, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30, A.M., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.30, 5.15, 5.45, 6.30 P.M.

SUNDAYS.

From Longueuil:—At 8.30 A.M., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 P.M.

From Foot of the Current:—At 9 A.M., 1.30, 2, 0, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30 P.M.

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Chambly and Montreal Nav. Co'y.

Until further Notice, the Steamers CULTIVATEUR and HERO will run between Montreal and Three Rivers, and Montreal and Chambly as follows:—

Steamer CULTIVATEUR, Capt. N. Collette, will leave Montreal on Tuesdays and Fridays, at 2 P. M., calling at Vercheres, Lanorale, Berthier, Grand Nord, Nicolet, arriving at Three Rivers at 10 P.M. Leaving Three Rivers for Montreal at 1 P.M. on Sundays and Wednesdays, for the same places and Sorel.

The Steamer HERO, Capt. T. Richer, will leave Montreal on Tuesdays and Fridays, at 2 P. M., calling at Boucherville, Contrecœur, Sorel, and all the places on the Chamoly River, and leaving Chambly Wednesdays and Saturdays, for Montreal.

T. MARCHESSEAULT,
Managing Director.

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Laprairie Navigation Co'y.

On and after MONDAY, the 25th NOV., and until further notice, the Steamer "LAPRAIRIE," Capt. Demers, will leave at the following hours (or as near as possible), Sundays and Holidays excepted.

LAPRAIRIE, 8 30 A.M.
MONTREAL, 2.00 P.M.
Except Tuesdays and Fridays, unchanged

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Secretary

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Miscellaneous.

Advances on Produce

The Subscribers continue to make advances on Produce consigned to their Friends:

Messrs PETER RINTOUL SON & CO.,
GLASGOW
JOHN BINGHAM & CO
LIVERPOOL

Or For sale in this market.

WM. GUNN & CO.

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IMPORTED
WROUGHT IRON BEDSTEADS,
WITH THE IMPROVED WROUGHT IRON DOVE-TAIL JOINTS.

A great variety, comprising Low and High Price Bedsteads, at

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Railway Notices.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAY.

Q. M. O. AND O. RAILWAY.

SHORTEST & MOST DIRECT ROUTE TO OTTAWA.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, Trains will leave HOCHELAGA DEPOT as follows.—

	A.M.	P.M.
Express Trains for Hull at	9.30 and	4.30
Arrive at Hull at	2.00 p.m. and	9.00
Express Trains from Hull at	9.10 and	4.10
Arrive at Hochelaga at	1.40 p.m. and	8.40
Train for St. Jerome at		4.00 P.M.
Train from St. Jerome at		7.00 A.M.

Trains leave Mile-End Station ten minutes later.

For Tickets and other information, apply at the General Office, 13 Place d'Armes Square.

C. A. SCOTT,
Gen'l Superintendent.

C. A. STARK,
Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

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BOSTON AND MONTREAL AIR LINE

Shortest Route via Central Vermont R.R. Line.

Leave Montreal at 4 p.m. for New York, and 9.15 a.m., and 6 p.m. for Boston.

Two Express Trains daily, equipped with Miller Platform and Westinghouse Air Brake. Sleeping Cars are attached to Night Trains between Montreal and Boston and Springfield, and New York via Troy also, between St. Albans and Boston via Fitchburgh, and Parlor Cars to Day Express between Montreal and Boston.

TRAINS LEAVE MONTREAL.

9.15 a.m., Day Express for Boston, via Lowell.

4 p.m., Mail for Waterloo,

4 p.m., Night Express for New York, via Troy, and New York 7.15 a.m., next morning.

6 p.m., Night Express for Boston via Lowell, and New York via Springfield,

GOING NORTH.

Day Express leaves Boston, via Lowell, at 8.00 a.m., via Fitchburgh 7.30 a.m., Troy at 7.40 a.m., arriving in Montreal at 8.45 p.m.

Night Express leaves Boston at 5.35 p.m., via Lowell, via Fitchburgh 6 p.m., and New York at 3 p.m., via Springfield, arriving in Montreal 9.00 a.m.

Night Express leaves New York via Troy at 2.30 p.m., arriving in Montreal 11.05 a.m., excepting Saturday nights, when it will leave New York at 4 p.m. arriving in Montreal at 9 a.m. Sunday morning.

For Tickets and Freight Rates, apply at Central Vermont Railroad Office, 136 St. James Street.

Boston Office, 322 Washington street.

G. W. BENTLEY
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J. W. HOBART,
General Supt.

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Delaware and Hudson Canal Co's
RAILROADS
—TO—
Saratoga, Troy, Albany, Boston, New York, Philadelphia,
AND ALL POINTS EAST AND SOUTH

Trains Leave Montreal:

9.15 a.m.—Day Express for Saratoga, Troy, and Albany, with Wagner's Elegant Drawing Room Car attached, connects at Albany with N. Y. C. and H. R. R., and at Troy and Albany with Night Steamers for New York, arriving early the following morning

4.00 p.m.—Night Express — Wagner's Elegant Sleeping Car runs through to New York without change. This Train makes close connection at Troy and Albany with Sleeping Car Train for Boston, arriving at 9.00 a.m.

New York Through Mails and Express carried via this line.

Information given and Tickets sold at all Grand Trunk Railway Offices, and at the Company's Office,

143 St. James Street, Montreal.

JOSEPH ANGELL,
General Pass. Agent.,
Albany, N.Y.

C. C. McFALL,
General Agent,
Montreal.

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Insurance Notices.

ROYAL INSURANCE CO'Y
OF ENGLAND.

CAPITAL, - - - - - - - $10,000,000

Liability of Stockholders Unlimited.

FUNDS INVESTED, - - $18,000,000

Fire Insurances accepted on the most favourable terms. Life business transacted in all its branches.

H. L. ROUTH,
W. TATLEY, } Chief Agents.

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Liverpool & London & Globe
Insurance Company.

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THOS. CRAMP, Esq., *Deputy Chairman.*
Sir A. T. GALT, K. C. M. G.
THEODORE HART, Esq.
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CAPITAL,	$10,000,000
AMOUNT INVESTED IN CANADA	900,000
TOTAL INVESTMENTS,	27,470,000

Mercantile Risks accepted at the lowest current rates.

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G. F. C. SMITH,
CHIEF AGENT FOR THE DOMINION

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NORTH BRITISH
AND
MERCANTILE
Fire and Life
Insurance Company
ESTABLISHED 1809

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,	£2,000,000.00 st
PAID-UP CAPITAL,	250,000.00 "
REVENUE FOR 1869,	961,561.01 "
ACCUMULATED FUNDS,	3,244,317.00 "

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British America
FIRE & MARINE
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ASSETS, - - - $1,180,876

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TRADE AND COMMERCE.

MAIL STEAMERS SAILED.

Algeria, Nov. 30, for New York, 10 days out

Peruvian, Dec. 5, for Halifax, 5 days out.

DEPARTURE OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

Bothnia	New York, Dec. 11
Baltic	New York, Dec. 12
Algeria	New York, Dec. 18
Adriatic	New York, Dec. 21

Montreal, December 9.

—The ss. "Polynesian," from Halifax, has arrived out.

—The Dominion Telegraph Company has opened an office at Indian Cove, Quebec.

—The U.S. Secretary of the Treasury to-day issued the seventy-fourth call for the redemption of 5-20 bonds of '65, Consols of '65 payable March 9th, when interest will cease.

A Bristol despatch says:—"The circulation of the West of England and South Wales Bank has been limited to £83,535; number of shareholders, 2,069, chiefly persons of small means. The nominal capital was £1,000,000, and the reserve fund £156,000. The dividend for 1877 was eight per cent. The failure is attributed to the depression of business in South Wales."

—We learn that the Messrs. Allan have made such arrangements with the Intercolonial Railway, for the carriage of Butter and Cheese over that line, as enables them to take this description of freight, *via* Halifax to Liverpool, at 60s., about the same rate as *via* Portland. This route saves the trouble and expense of bonding, and shippers appreciate the advantages offered. Besides it gives our winter port a chance of showing its capabilities.

FINANCIAL.

There is no change to report in the condition of financial affairs; the attitude is one of expectancy, and until we hear further particulars of the embarrassments in Great Britain there will be a good deal of anxious suspense. What other banks and firms will be pulled down in the fall of the Great Western and South Wales District remains to be seen, but as the agencies of the bank were numerous throughout the South Wales mining district, it is to be feared that some of the iron masters and colliery proprietors, who have doubtless been carried, or at any rate greatly assisted, by the bank must succumb, and the distress is likely to be very wide spread. Consols to-day are weak, at 94 1-16 for money, 94 5-16 for account. New York advices quote Gold at ⅛ prem, and Sterling Exchange steady at $4.82½. Here the market for Sterling Exchange is quiet at 8¼ @ 8 5-16 between banks, and 8½ @ 8⅝ for Counter transactions; Gold drafts are dull with sales at 1-16 @ ⅛ prem. The Stock Market was again very depressed, and values in many cases further receded. Bank of Montreal declined 1½ @ 2, closing at 140 @ 140½; no business was done in Ontario, the views of buyers and sellers being too far apart, 68½ is offered, and 72 asked; Consolidated sold from 65 down to 63¾; one share of Bank of British North America changed hands at 90; Peoples is quiet at 57 @ 57½, and Jacques Cartier at 35 @ 36; Merchants experienced a further decline of ¾ @ 1, closing at 81¾ @ 82; Eastern Townships is dull and weak at 97 @ 98; Commerce fell off 1 @ 1½ as compared with Saturday's prices, and is now quoted at 107 @ 108 regular, and 103 @ 103¾ ex-dividend; Exchange was dealt in at 70¼, and Federal at 100¾; Montreal Telegraph was fairly steady at 109 @ 109½, and Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co. at 50½ @ 51½; City Gas is weaker, selling at 108¾; Dominion Telegraph 6 per cent. sterling bonds were placed at 95, and Harbour 6 per cent. bonds at 103½. The sales of the day were as follows:—

MORNING BOARD.

Bank of Montreal	10, 2 @ 141
	10 @ 141¼
	9 @ 140½
	5, 1 @ 141
British North America	1 @ 90
Consolidated	1, @ 65
	25, 75, 100 @ 64½
	4 @ 65
Peoples	2 @ 56
Molsons	30 @ 84½
Merchants	4 @ 82
	25 @ 82¼
Eastern Townships	26 @ 97½
	5 @ 97
Commerce	25, 25 @ 108¼
	25, 50 @ 108
	100 ex. div. @ 104½
	100 ex. div. @ 104
Federal	25 @ 100¾

AFTERNOON BOARD.

Bank of Montreal	5, 1 @ 140¾
	25 @ 141
	2 @ 140½
	5, 14, 1 @ 140¼
Consolidated	10 @ 63¾
Peoples	25 @ 57¼
Jacques Cartier	200 @ 35¾
Merchants	50 50 @ 82
Commerce	50, 40, ex-div @ 103¼
Exchange	25 @ 70¼
Mont. Telegraph	25 @ 109
	25 @ 109½
City Gas Co	14 @ 108¾
Dominion Tel 6 p.c. stg bonds £300 @	95
Harbour 6 p.c. bonds, $3,000	@ 103½

At New York the Stock Market was weak, but there was no very serious decline from Saturday's quotations. Toledo & Wabash continues to develope strength and has advanced 2 @ 2¼ within the past two days, being now at 23¼. The fluctuations during the day were as follows:—

	Prev. day.	Op'g.	11.40	Cl'g.
West. Union	95¼	95⅝	95¼	94⅞
Lake Shore	68¼	68¼	...	68¼
Pacific Mail	12¾	13⅛	12⅞	13¼
Erie	18¼	18¼	...	18¼
Ohio & Miss	7¼	7⅝	7¼	7⅝
Nor.-West	46¼	46	...	46⅛
Do. pfd	76⅞	76⅝	...	76⅝
St. Paul	35⅛	35⅝	...	35⅛
Do. pfd	72⅝	72⅜	72⅝	72⅞
Mich. Central	68⅞	68⅛	...	68⅛
Jersey Central	26⅞	26⅛	27	26⅞
N. Y. Central	112	112¼	112⅛	112⅞
Del. Lack. & West.	42	42	42⅞	41⅞
Del. & Hudson	34⅛	34⅝	35⅛	34⅝
St. Joseph	13⅛	13⅛	13⅞	13⅛
Rock Island	118	118⅛	...	118
C. C. & I. C	5⅛	5⅝	...	5⅝
Tol. & Wabash	22⅛	22⅜	23⅛	23¼
Union Pacific	66	65⅞	65⅞	65⅞
A. & P. Tel	...	...	...	...
Gold	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛
Exchange	482½	482½	...	482½
Money	3	...	...	3

THE NOVEMBER IMPORTS.

The comparative statement of the imports for November, last year and this, shows a falling off in the amount of dutiable goods in November, 1878, amounting to $199,474, and an increase in free goods of $177,702. The specie brought into the country in November this year is $411,040 against $2,030 in 1877, which makes the total imports for November 1878 $2,009,074, against $1,632,052 in 1877. Leaving out specie and counting only the dutiable goods and the free goods, we find a remarkable evenness between the two months, the amounts being $1,576,708 in 1878, and $1,598,480 in 1877, or the trifling difference of $21,772.

FLOUR INSPECTION.

Statement of Flour inspected for week ending 7th December, 1878:—

755	brls.	Superior Extra.
296	"	Extra Superfine.
133	"	Fancy Superfine.
1,168	"	Spring Extra.
46	"	Superfine.
318	"	Fine.
47	"	Middlings.
155	"	Rejected.
2,918	brls.	

L. A. BOYER,
Flour Inspector.

MONTREAL STOCK LIST.

Montreal, December 9.

STOCKS.	Value of Shares.	Last Hf-y'rly Dividend	Sellers p. cent.	Buyers p. cent.
Bank of Montreal	$200	5 p.c	140½	140
Ontario Bank	40	3 p.c	72	68½
Bank of B. N. America	£50	2½ p.c	......	......
Consolidated	$100	3 p.c	64	63
Banque du Peuple	50	3 p.c	57½	57
Molsons' Bank	50	3 p.c	85	84
Bank of Toronto	100	3½ p.c	120	118
Bank Jac. Cartier	25	......	36	35
Merchants' Bank	100	3½ p.c	82	81½
East'n Townships Bank	50	4 p.c	98	97
Quebec Bank	100	3½ p.c	......	......
Banque Nationale	50	3½ p.c	....	......
Union Bank	50	2 p.c	....	......
Mechanics' Bank	30	......	......	......
Can. Bank of Commerce	50	4 p.c	108	107
Metropolitan Bank	100	......	......	......
Dominion Bank	50	4 p.c	......	......
Bank of Hamilton	100	4 p.c	......	......
Maritime Bank	100	3 p.c	......	......
Exchange Bank	100	3 p.c	70½	70
Ville Marie	100	3 p.c	......	......
Standard Bank	100	......	......	......
Federal Bank	100	3½ p.c	......	......
Imperial	100	4 p.c	......	......
MISCELLANEOUS.				
Intercolonial Coal Co	100	......	......	......
Huron Copper Bay Co	4	......	......	......
Montreal Telegraph Co	40	3 p.c	109½	109
Dominion Telegraph Co	50	3 p.c	......	......
Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co	100	3 p.c	51½	50½
City Passenger R.R.	50	5 p.c	83	75
City Gas Co	40	5 p.c	109	108
Merchants' Exchange	100	3 p.c	......	......
Cie. Pret et C'dit Foncier	......	4 p.c	......	......
Quebec Fire Assurance	......	......	......	......
Montreal Invest. Ass'n	......	......	......	......
Cotton Manufactur'g Co	100	......	......	......
Cornwall Mfg. Co	....	......	......	......
Mont. Warehousing Co	......	......	......	......
North Am. Car Co	100	......	......	......
Mont. Loan & Mortg Co.	50	4 p.c	......	......
Montreal Build'g Ass'n.	50	3 p.c	......	......
Sealing and Fishing	......	......	......	......
Academy of Music	00	......	83½	82
Royal Canadian Ins. Co.	100	......	......	......
Can. Landed Credit Co	100	4½ p.c	......	......
Globe Printing Co	500	......	139½	137
Dominion Stock 6 p.c	......	......	......	......
Dominion Stock 5 p.c	......	......	......	......
Dominion Bonds	......	......	......	......
Dom. Tel. 6 p.c. stg Bds	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb 6 p.c. stg	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb. 6 p.c. cy	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb. 5 p.c. stg	......	......	......	......
Gov. Deb. 5p.c. cy	......	......	......	......
Mtl. Harbor 6½ p.c. Bds	......	......	......	......
Mtl. Harbor 6 p.c. Bds	......	......	......	......
G.T.R. 7 p.c. stg. Bonds	......	......	......	......
C.& St. L. R. 6 p.c. Bonds	......	......	......	......
do 8 p.c. cy. do	......	......	......	......
Montreal 6 p.c. Bonds	......	......	......	......
Montreal W. W. Bonds.	......	...	......	......
Montreal 7 p.c. Stock	....	...	......	......
Montreal 6 p.c. Stock	......	......	......	......
EXCHANGE.				
Bank, 60 days	......	..	......	
N. Y. Gold Drafts	......	....	......	
Gold at noon	......	..	......	
Sterling Ex. in N.Y.	......		......	

5 per cent for 2 years.

MACDOUGALL & DAVIDSON
Brokers

CORN EXCHANGE REPORT.

Monday, December 9.

Wheat in Chicago was quoted ½c. higher.

BEERBOHM'S ADVICES.—Floating cargoes—Wheat and Corn, quiet. Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Wheat and Corn, very quiet. Mark Lane Wheat and Corn, very flat. Arrivals off coast f. o.—Wheat and Corn, small. English and French Country Wheat Markets, dull. Farmers, deliveries of Wheat during the week, 55,000 @ 60,000 qrs. Liverpool Wheat and Corn, spot, dull. Liverpool Ex. 2.30 pm.—Bacon S.R., 28s.; Shoulders, 19s.

FLOUR—Market quiet and unchanged. Sales reported were 300 brls. Spring Extra at $4.00; 100 Medium at $4.07½; 100 Strong Bakers' at $4.30.

Superior Extra	$4 45	@ 4 50
Extra Superfine	4 30	@ 4 35
Fancy	4 10	@ 4 15
Spring Extra	4 00	@ 4 02½
Superfine	3 70	@ 3 75
Strong Bakers'	4 20	@ 4 50
Fine	3 15	@ 3 25
Middlings	2 85	@ 3 00
Pollards	2 50	@ 2 70
Ontario Bags	2 00	@ 2 05
City Bags (delivered)	2 15	@ 2 17½

OATMEAL—Ontario, $3.75 @ $4.00.

CORNMEAL—Kiln-dried, yellow, $2.25 @ $2.35.

CORNMEAL—Nominal.

CANADA WHEAT—Nominal.

PEAS—About 72c. @ 73c. per 66 lbs.

OATS—About 28c. @ 29c.

BARLEY—About 75c. @ 85c.

BUTTER—Western, store-packed, 5c. @ 9c.; Dairy, Western, fair to good, 8c. @ 12c.; Morrisburg, good to choice, 12c. @ 16c.; Eastern Townships, good to choice, 14c. @ 17c.

CHEESE—7½c. @ 8½c.

LARD—8c. @ 9c. for pails.

PORK—Mess, $11 @ $12, according to brand; Thin, nominal.

DRESSED HOGS—$4.00 @ $4.50.

ASHES—Per 100 lbs—Pots, about $3.90 @ $4.00.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—12.05 p.m.—Wheat quiet; Chicago, 96c@97c; Milwaukee, $1.00 @ $1.01; No 2 Red, $1.07½ @ $1.07¾. Corn, quiet; steamer, 45½c @ 46c; No 2, 47c. Oats quiet. Receipts—Flour, 30,440 brls; Wheat, 245,000 bush; Corn, 28,000 do; Oats, 27,000 do. Gold, 100⅛.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Wheat—Receipts, 139,000 bush; shipments, 47,000 do. 9.30 a.m.—Opens at 83½c bid for January. 11.06 a.m.—83½c bid for January; 84⅛c asked for February. Corn—Receipts, 130,000 bush; shipments, 7,000 do. 9.30 a.m.—Opens at 31½c bid for January. 11.06 a.m.—31½c bid for January; 35½c bid for May. Oats—Receipts, 40,000 bushels; shipments, 20,000 do. 11.10 a.m.—19⅝c for December; 20c for January; 23⅛c for May. Barley—Receipts 12,000 bush; shipments, 26,000 do. 9.23 a.m.—Pork—Opens at $6.60 bid, $6.75 asked for December; $7.85 bid, $7.90 asked for January; $7.95 @ $8.00 asked for February. 9.23 a.m.—Lard—$5.60 for January; $5.70 for February.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 9.—Wheat—Receipts, 110,000 bushels; shipments, 99,000 bushels. 9.33 a.m.—Opens at 83⅛c for January. 11.06 a.m.—83c for December; 83⅜c for January; 84⅛c for February.

RECEIPTS OF PRODUCE—Dec. 9.

	G.T.R.
Flour, brls	1,694
Butter, kegs	174
Ashes, brls	23
Leather, rolls	363
Spirits, casks	50

LIVERPOOL PROVISION MARKET.

LIVERPOOL:—	Dec. 7, 5.00 p.m, s. d.	s. d.	Dec. 9, 5.00 p. m. s. d.	s. d.
Flour	19 0	@ 22 0	19 0	@ 22 0
Spring Wheat	7 6	@ 9 5	7 6	@ 9 5
Red Winter	8 9	@ 9 1	8 9	@ 9 1
White Winter	9 6	@ 9 9	9 6	@ 9 9
Club	9 8	@ 10 1	9 8	@ 10 1
Corn	23 6	@ 23 9	23 6	@ 23 9
Barley	3 2	@ 00 0	3 2	@ 00 0
Oats	2 6	@ 00 0	2 6	@ 00 0
Peas	32 0	@ 00 0	32 0	@ 00 0
Pork	40 0	@ 00 0	40 0	@ 00 0
Lard	32 0	@ 00 0	32 0	@ 00 0
Beef	67 6	@ 00 0	80 0	@ 00 0
Bacon	24 0	@ 26 9	24 0	@ 26 6
Tallow	37 0	@ 00 0	36 9	@ 00 0
Cheese	46 0	@ 00 0	46 0	@ 00 0

WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT

Montreal, December 9.

BLUE.—Duty: 17½ ℘ cent.		
Button	0 06	@ 0 07
Ball	0 11	.. 0 14
BOTTLES		
CHICORY—Duty: Raw or Green, 3c ℘ pound Roasted or Ground, 4c ℘ lb.	0 10½	@ 0 11½
COFFEE—Duty: Green, 2c ℘ pound: Ground or roasted, 3c		
Laguayra, Green, per lb	0 19½	@ 0 20
Maracaibo	0 20	.. 0 22
Jamaica	0 19	.. 0 21
Java [Gov't]	0 29	.. 0 30
Rio	0 19	.. 0 20
Ceylon	0 20	.. 0 20
Singapore	0 20	.. 0 22
Mocha	0 30	.. 0 33
CANDLES—Duty: 17½ ℘ cent.		
Belmont Sperm	0 19	@ 0 20½
Mould, Montreal	0 00	.. 0 10
Parafin, 12s' & 6s	0 18	.. 0 20
COAL		
Scotch Steam	4 50	.. 4 75
Pictou Do	3 50	.. 3 75
Cape Breton	0 00	.. 0 00
Smiths'	0 00	.. 0 00
Welsh Anthracite	0 00	.. 0 00
English Coke	0 00	.. 5 50
Am. Anthracite, ex barge		
Lump, Lehigh	0 00	.. 6 60
Stove	0 00	.. 6 25
Egg	0 00	.. 6 00
Grate	0 00	.. 5 85
Chestnut	0 00	.. 5 75
CORKS—Duty: 17½ ℘ cent.		
sts to 3rds, per gross	0 60	@ 2 00
DRUGS—Duty: Free. Those marked * 17½ pc		
*Bicarb Soda	3 05	@ 3 25
Soda Ash	1 30	.. 1 40
Iodide of Potash per lb	4 75	.. 5 00
*Arrow root, ℘ lb	0 11	.. 0 15
Borax, Refined	0 00	.. 0 10
Cream Tartar, Crystals	0 24½	.. 0 26
*Do Do Ground	0 00	.. 0 00
Caustic Soda	2 45	.. 2 50½
*Sugar of Lead	0 11	.. 0 12
Bleaching Powder, ℘ lb	1 25	.. 1 37
*Alum	0 00	.. 1 65
Copperas, ℘ lb	0 00	.. 0 01
Sulphur	0 00	.. 0 03
Roll Sulphur	0 00	.. 0 02
Epsom Salts, ℘ 100 lbs	1 75	.. 2 00
Sal Soda ℘ 100 lb	1 20	.. 1 30
Saltpetre, per keg	6 75	.. 7 00
FISH—From U.S. of all kinds, except that preserved in Oil, free; Salted or Smoked from other countries, 1c per pound; packages, 17½; preserved, from other countries, 17½.		
Cod, Dry Table, ℘ 112 lbs	4 50	@ 5 25
Cod, Green, ℘ bbl	3 25	.. 4 25
Drafts	0 00	.. 4 25
Salmon, in barrels	9 00	.. 11 00
Do do tierces	0 00	.. 0 00
Mackerel	5 00	.. 10 00
Herrings, Labrador	5 00	.. 5 25
Sea Trout	7 00	.. 7 50
CANNED FISH—		
Lobsters	1 40	@ 1 75
Salmon	1 75	.. 2 10
Mackerel	1 55	.. 1 80
FRUIT—Duty: 17½ ℘ cent.		
Layers, per box	1 50	.. 1 60
Loose Muscatels	1 67½	.. 1 75
London Layers	2 15	.. 2 25
Black Basket	2 65	.. 2 75
Blue do	2 85	.. 3 00
Black Crown	4 00	.. 5 00
Valencia Raisins ℘ lb	0 04½	.. 0 05
Sultana Raisins	0 00	.. 0 08½
Seedless Raisins ℘ lb	0 06	.. 0 06½
Currants	0 04½	.. 0 05½
Figs, Elme	0 12½	.. 0 14
Do Layers	0 08½	.. 0 10
Do Malaga	0 05½	.. 0 06
Prunes	0 05½	.. 0 06
Almonds, Languedoc	0 00	.. 0 00
Do Tarragona	0 16	.. 0 17
Do Provence	0 00	.. 0 00
Do Ivica	0 14	.. 0 15
Paper Shell	0 00	.. 0 00
Jordan	0 00	.. 0 75
Filberts	0 07	.. 0 10
Brazil Nuts	0 00	.. 0 00
Walnuts	0 00	.. 0 00
Sardines, quarters	0 09½	.. 0 10
Do halves	0 16½	.. 0 17½
GLASS—Duty, 17½ ℘ cent.		
English and German, 6½x7½ ℘ half box.		
7½ x 8½, 7 x 9, 8 x 10 10 x 12 10 x 14	1 50	@ 1 60
12 x 16 14 x 20	1 60	.. 1 70
18 x 24	1 90	.. 2 00
INDIGO—Free	0 65	.. 0 72½
IRON AND HARDWARE.		
PIG IRON, ℘ ton—		
Gartsherrie	00 00	@ 00 00
Summerlee	16 50	.. 17 50
Langloan	15 50	.. 16 50
Eglinton	16 00	.. 17 00
Glengarnock	15 50	.. 16 50
Calder, No. 1	16 00	.. 17 00
Carnbroe	16 00	.. 17 00
Clyde	15 00	.. 16 00
Hematite	20 00	.. 22 00
BAR, ℘ 100 lbs—		
Scotch and Staffordshire	1 65	.. 1 75
Best do	2 00	.. 2 25
Swedes and Norway	3 75	.. 4 50
Lowmoor and Bowling	5 50	.. 6 00
CANADA PLATES,—℘ box		
Glamorgan and Budd	3 00	.. 3 10
Arrow, Penn & Garth	3 00	.. 3 20
Hatton	2 90	.. 3 00
TIN PLATES, ℘ box—		
Charcoal, I.C.	5 25	.. 5 50
Charcoal, I.X.	7 00	.. 7 50
Charcoal, D.C.	4 25	.. 4 50
Coke, I.C.	5 00	.. 5 00
Tinned Sheets, No. 26, Charcoal.		
Cookley K. or Bradley	0 10	.. 0 11
Do Coke	0 08	.. 0 10
Galvanized Sheets.—		
Morewoods, B.B. 28	0 07½	.. 0 07½
Lysaghts " 28	0 06½	.. 0 07
Hoops and Bands, ℘ 100 lbs	2 20	.. 2 25
Sheets, best brands	2 30	.. 2 50
Boiler Plate ℘ 100 lbs, Staffordshire	2 50	.. 3 00
Do Lowmoor & Bowling	5 50	.. 6 50
Russia Sheet Iron ℘ lb	0 09	.. 0 10
LEAD—		
Pig ℘ 100 lbs	3 75	.. 4 25
Sheet, do	4 25	.. 4 75
Shot, do	6 00	.. 7 00
STEEL—		
Cast ℘ lb	0 12	.. 0 12½
Spring ℘ 100 lbs	3 25	.. 4 25
Tire, do	3 00	.. 3 50
Sleigh Shoe	2 37½	.. 2 50
Ingot Tin	0 16	.. 0 17
Do Copper	0 18	.. 0 20
Horse Shoes, ℘ 100 lbs	3 25	.. 3 50
Proved Coil Chain, ⅜ in	4 50	.. 5 00
Anchors	0 00	.. 0 00
Iron Wire, No. 6, ℘ bdl	1 65	.. 1 70
LEATHER—		
Spanish Soles, No. 1, B. A.	0 23	@ 0 24
Do No. 2, A. A.	0 20	.. 0 21
Buffalo, No. 1	0 20	.. 0 21
Do No. 2	0 18	.. 0 19
Slaughter, No. 1	0 24	.. 0 25
Rough (Light)	0 22	.. 0 23
Harness	0 23	.. 0 28
Waxed Upper Light	0 34	.. 0 37
Do do medium & heavy	0 30	.. 0 34
Buff	0 14	.. 0 16
Pebbled	0 13	.. 0 15
Splits, per lb	0 22	.. 0 28
Calfskin (light)	0 50	.. 0 55
Do (heavy	0 60	.. 0 65
G. S. Hides	0 08	.. 0 08½
Sheepskins, Russets	0 20	.. 0 25
LIQUORICE—Duty: 17½ ℘ ct	0 14	.. 00 20
LIQUORS AND WINES—Duty: Spirits of all kinds, $1 ℘ proof gallon; Wines containing not less than 20 ℘ cent of Alcohol, 30c; all others except Sparkling, 60c; Wines imported in bottles, except Sparkling, $1.50; Sparkling, $3 ℘ dozen. $1.25 ℘ gallon.		
Brandy, Hennessy's ℘ gal	3 00	@ 3 25
Do do cases	0 00	.. 10 00
Do Martell's ℘ gal	3 00	.. 3 25
Do do cases	9 87½	.. 10 00
Do Otard, Dupuy & Co	2 60	.. 2 75
Do do cases	0 00	.. 9 00
Do Pinet's	2 50	.. 2 70
Do Vine Growers' Co	2 50	.. 2 70
Brandy—Dulary & Co	2 50	.. 2 70
Do Jules Robin's	2 50	.. 2 70
Do Renault's, ℘ gal	2 50	.. 2 70
Do J. Denis, H. Mounie & Co	2 50	.. 2 70
Do Arbouin, Marett & Co	0 00	.. 0 00
Do Riviere Gardrat & Co	2 55	.. 2 60
Rum, Jamaica, 16 o. p., ℘ gal	2 00	.. 2 25
Demerara	1 80	.. 2 00
Cuba	1 70	.. 1 80
Gin, DeKuyper's	1 58	.. 1 60
Gin, Boll & Dunlop's	1 53	.. 1 55
Gin, Houtman's	0 00	.. 00
Gin, Green, ℘ case	3 50	.. 4 00
Gin, Red do	0 00	.. 7 50
Gin, Geneva, Fockink, cases	7 00	.. 7 25
Booth's Old Tom, cases	5 50	.. 6 00
Wines, U.C. ℘ Imp. gal., in bond	0 60	.. 0 61
Rye Whiskey, ℘ Imp. gal do.	0 00	.. 0 57
Lorne Highland Whiskey ℘ gal	0 00	.. 2 00
do do ℘ case	6 50	.. 7 00
Hazelburn do ℘ gal	0 00	.. 2 00
do do ℘ case	5 50	.. 6 00
Pure H Malt do ℘ gal	0 00	.. 2 00
do do ℘ case	5 50	.. 6 00
do D do ℘ gal	0 00	.. 2 00
do do ℘ case	5 50	.. 6 00
Glenlussa do ℘ gal	0 00	.. 1 85
do do ℘ case	5 50	.. 6 00
CHAMPAGNES—		
Louis Roederer, Carte Blanche	20 50	@ 22 00
Pomery & Greno	20 50	.. 22 00
Ayala & Co	18 00	.. 19 50
Moet & Chandon's, Extra Sup	20 50	.. 22 00
Do do No. 1	18 50	.. 20 00
Do do No. 2	16 00	.. 17 50
Theo. Roederer, Carte Blanche	18 00	.. 19 00
Do Gladiateur	20 00	.. 21 50
Jules Mumm's Dry Verzenay	17 50	.. 19 00
Do xtra Dry	20 00	.. 21 50
Do Private Stock	21 50	.. 22 50
G. H. Mumm's Dry Verzenay	22 00	.. 21 50
Do do Extra Dry	23 00	.. 24 50
Duc de Montebello	18 00	.. 19 50
De St. Marceaux & Cie. Carte Blanche	16 00	.. 17 50
Do Carte d'Or	18 00	.. 19 50
Max Sauterne	00 00	.. 00 00
L. Delmonico	17 00	.. 18 50
L. Jaunay	18 00	.. 19 50
Perrier, Jouet & Co	18 50	.. 20 00
Heidsieck's Dry Monopole	20 00	.. 21 00
Piper Heidsieck	17 50	.. 19 00
E. Mercier & Co	00 00	.. 19 00
MOLASSES—Duty: 75c ℘ 100 lbs when for refining, and when not so used, 25 ℘ cent. ad valorem, including value of packages.		
Sugar House	0 24	@ 0 28
Centrifugal	0 00	.. 0 00
Muscovado, ℘ gal	0 00	.. 0 00
Barbadoes	0 37	.. 0 38
Demerara	0 00	.. 0 00
Porto Rico	0 35	.. 0 36
Trinidad	0 00	.. 0 00
Syrup	0 00	.. 0 00
NAVAL STORES—Duty: Turpentine, 17½ cent.		
Turpentine, ℘ gal	0 42	@ 0 45
Tar, Coal, ℘ brl	0 00	.. 2 50
Tar, Pine	3 50	.. 4 00
Pitch, Pine	0 00	.. 3 50
Pitch, Coal Tar	0 00	.. 2 75
OILS—Duty: Crude Petroleum, 6c ℘ gallon Linseed 11 ℘c on all.		
Linseed, boiled, ℘ gal	0 64	@ 0 65
Do raw	0 00	.. 0 60
Olive	0 97½	.. 1 10
Whale	0 00	.. 0 00
Cod, Newfoundland	0 42½	.. 0 45
Seal, Pale	0 43	.. 0 45
Steam Refined	0 47	.. 0 48
Seal, Straw	0 00	.. 0 40
Lard, No. 1	0 00	.. 0 7
Do No. 2	0 00	.. 0 65
Palm, ℘ lb	0 00	.. 0 00
Winter Pressed Lard	0 85	.. 0 90
Paraffine, ℘ gal	0 22½	.. 25½
Petroleum, Refined, car-loads	0 00	.. 0 17½
Do do in small lots	0 18	.. 0 19
PAINTS—Duty: 17½ ℘ cent.		
Venetian Red	0 1½	@ 0 02
Putty, ℘ 100 lbs	2 50	.. 3 00
Dry White Lead, ℘ 100 lbs	6 00	.. 6 75
Dry Red Lead	5 25	..
White Lead, genuine, ℘ keg	2 12½	.. 2 37½
Do do No. 1	1 87½	.. 2 12½
Do do No. 2	1 62½	.. 1 87½
Do do No. 3	1 37½	.. 1 62½
RICE—Duty: 1c ℘ lb	4 37½	@ 4 50
Sago	5 50	.. 6 00
Tapioca	7 75	.. 9 00
SALT—From U. K.: Free.		
Factory Filled	0 90	@ 1 15
Coarse, New	0 60	.. 0 62½
Fine	0 85	.. 1 05
SPICES—Duty: Ground, 25; Unground, 17½ per cent. ad valorem.		
Cassia, ℘ lb	0 14½	@ 0 16
Cloves	0 37½	.. 0 42½
Nutmegs	0 65	.. 0 85
Ginger, Jamaica	0 21	.. 0 25
Do African	0 00	.. 0 60
Pimento	0 15	.. 0 00
Pepper, Black	0 09	.. 0 11½
Do White	0 18	.. 0 19
Mace	0 75	.. 0 80
SUGAR—		
Demerara, V.P.	0 00	.. 0 00
Porto Rico, ℘ lb	0 00	.. 0 00
Trinidad do	0 00	.. 0 00
Barbadoes	0 00	.. 0 00
Dry Crushed, in brls. 200 lbs	0 00	.. 0 10
Cut Loaf	0 10	.. 0 10½
Scotch Refined, ℘ lb yellow	0 06½	.. 0 08½
American Granulated	0 09	.. 0 09½

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

MONTREAL, December 9.—There were eight car loads of cattle offering on the St. Gabriel market this morning; the quality was not so good as prevailed at the close of last week, but as the demand has improved prices have not declined. Good cattle sell at $4 @ $4.50 per 100 lbs, but these are scarce and the majority are common to medium beasts which change hands at $2.50 @ $3.50 per 100 lbs. A few hogs were selling at $4 @ $4.25.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

TO THE MONTREAL HERALD

CANADIAN.

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 9.—White Wheat, 90c @ 95c; Treadwell, 99c @ 93c; Red Winter, 88c @ 90c; Spring, 75c @ 85c; Peas, 50c@55c; Barley, 50c@60c; Oats, 30c @ 31c; Corn, 42c @ 43c.

APPLES—30c @ 40c.

POTATOES—60c @ 75c.

FLOUR—White Wheat, $4.00 @ $4.25; Spring Bakers, $3.80 @ $4.

BUTTER—In roll, 8c@12c; in firkins, 4½c @ 12c.

EGGS—18c @ 20c.

DRESSED HOGS—$3.50 @ $3.75.

EUROPEAN.

LONDON, Dec. 8, 11:30 a.m.—Consols, 94 1-16 for money; 94 5-16 for account 4½'s, 106⅜; Fives, 108⅜; Erie, 18¼; pfd, 31; Ill C, 79.

5.00 p.m.—Consols, 94 1-16 for money; 94 5-16 for account; 4½'s, 106⅜; fives, 108⅜; Erie, 18¼; pfd, 31; Ill C, 80.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 8, 11:30 a. m.—COTTON—Unchanged.

UNITED STATES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat—Firmer, not quotably higher; No. 2 Red Winter, 87c; No. 2 Spring, 82⅞c @ 83c; cash, 83⅛c @ 83⅞c. Corn, steady and unchanged at 30⅞c @ 31c for cash; 31⅛c for January. Oats, quiet and steady at 19⅞c @ for cash; 20c for January. Rye, steady and unchanged. Barley, stronger at 97½; Extra No. 3, 49½c @ 53½c.

PORK—Dull, weak and lower at $6.65 for cash; $6.60 for December; $6.72½ @ $6.75 for January.

LARD—Dull, and a shade lower at $5.55 for cash and January.

BULK MEATS—Dull, and market lower; Shoulders, $2.65; Clear Ribs, $3.70; Clear Sides, $3 85, all boxed.

WHISKEY—Steady and unchanged at $1.05.

Receipts—Flour, 13,000 barrels; Wheat, 139,000 bushels; Corn, 130,000 bushels; Oats, 46,000 bushels; Rye, 8,000 bushels; Barley, 12,000 bushels.

Shipments—Flour, 11,000 barrels; Wheat, 47,000 bushels; Corn, 7,000 bushels; Oats, 20,000 bushels; Barley, 23,000 bushels.

3 33 p.m.—Wheat—82⅞c for December; 83⅛c @ 83¼c for Jan; 83⅞c for Feb. Corn, 30⅞c @ 31c for Dec; 31⅛c bid for January; 31⅛c asked for February; 35⅛c bid for May. Oats, 19⅛c for December; 20c bid for January; 23⅛c for May.

3.50 p.m.—Pork, $6.60 bid, $6.75 asked for December; $7.72½ @ $7.75 for January; $7.82½ for February; $7 90 @ $7.95 for March.

LARD—$5.52½ for January; $5.60 @ $5.62½ for February; $5.67½ @ $5.70 for March.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,500; common, $2.50 @ $2.80, generally $2.55 @ $2.75 for packing grades.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9, 1.30 p.m.—COTTON—Dull at 9 1-16d.

FLOUR—Dull; receipts, 30,000 barrels; sales, 9,000 barrels at $3 40 @ $3 80 for Super State and Western. Rye flour, dull and unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat—In buyers' favour; receipts, 245,000 bushels; sales, 8,000 bushels; No 2 Red, December, $1.07½. Rye, quiet; Western, 58c @ 59c; State, 57c @ 60½c. Corn, dull; receipts, 27,000 bushels; sales, 25,000 bushels at 42c @ 47c. Barley, quiet. Oats, steady; receipts, 67,000 bushels; sales, 24,000 bushels at 29½c @ 31c for Mixed Western and State; 32c @ 35c for White do,

PORK—Dull and unchanged.

LARD—Dull and lower.

PETROLEUM—Refined, 8⅞c.

3.30 p.m.—Railroads, active and lower. Stocks, irregular and closed weak.

UTICA, N. Y. Dec. 9.—Seven hundred boxes Cheese sold at 6½c @ 7½c; 2,400 bxs commission, average price 6⅞c; leading factories, 7c.

MONTHLY RETURN OF IMPORTS.

PORT OF MONTREAL.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of the Principal Articles of Merchandize imported at Montreal during the months ending 30th Nov., 1877, and 30th Nov., 1878, respectively:—

Rate of Duty.	ARTICLES—SPECIFIC.	1877 Quantity	1877 Value.	1878 Quantity	1878 Value.
½c ℘ lb	Acid, Sulphuric......lbs.	360	26	163	13
12c ℘ Imp.Gal.	Ale, Beer & Porter, in casks.gals.	540	243	1080	487
18c ℘ "	Do do do in bottles "	3059	1475	3574	2630
4c ℘ lb	Butter "	257068	50531	30	6
3c ℘ lb	Cheese "	776611	73284	330181	25359
3c ℘ lb	Chicory—Raw or Green "				
4c ℘ lb	" Roasted or Ground "				
2c ℘ lb	Coffee—Green "	30549	5941	37400	7760
3c ℘ lb	Coffee—Ground or Roasted "	250	85	40	12
1c ℘ lb	Fish, salted or smoked "	1844	196	20	2
$1.80 ℘ Im.Gal.	Fruits preserved in Brandy or other spirits } gals.				
5c ℘ lb	Hops......lbs.	23833	5795	8220	1634
1c ℘ lb	Lard "	173689	15235	43870	3067
1c ℘ lb	Meats, fresh, salted or smoked "	188326	12754	120204	5029
2½c ℘ lb	Malt......bush.				
73c ℘ 100 lbs	Molasses for refining purposes lbs.				
7 1-5c Imp.Gal.	Oil, Coal & Kerosene, &c., Naptha, Benzole and Refined Petroleum } gals.	2951	687	1682	315
7 1-5c "	Products of Petroleum, &c "	2342	473	1920	349
7 1-5c "	Crude Petroleum "				
1c ℘ lb	Rice......lbs.	228480	7373	13907	364
1c ℘ lb	Common Soap "	952	76	706	60
2c ℘ lb	Starch "	1303	75	10160	601
$1.20 ℘ Im.Gal.	Spirits, Alcohol......gals.				
$1.20 ℘	Brandy "	657	2194	1798⅜	4902
$1.80 ℘ "	Cologne Water & Perfumed Spirits not in flasks } "	25	235	311 7-10	1596
$1.80 ℘ "	Cordials......gals.	102	255	19	66
$1.20 ℘ "	Gin "	410	924	70	563
$1.20 ℘ "	Rum "	1688	917	4105	2033
$1.80 ℘ "	Tinctures, Essences, Extracts. "				
$1.20 ℘ "	Whiskey "	4887½	6264	1158	2221
$1.80 ℘ "	Unenumerated "	489	810	68	145
	Tallow				
6c ℘ lb	Tea, Green and Japan......lbs.	162664	32109	406805	73626
5c ℘ "	Tea, Black "	35318	9554	23128	5073
12c ℘ Impl.Gal	Vinegar and Acetic Acid......gals.	2245	516	6	1
36c ℘ "	Wines—Containing less than 20 per cent. of Alcohol and not worth more than 40c per gallon } "	13373	5941	6831	5692
72c ℘ "	All other except Sparkling imported in wood } "	3163	2912	2198	2547
$1.50 ℘ doz. qrt.	All other except Sparkling, imported in bottle } doz.	15	32	39½	167
$3.00 " "	Sparkling "	1331	14125	526	5800
	Total Specific		251037		152119
	SPECIFIC AND AD VALOREM.				
20 p.c. & 50c ℘ lb	Cigars and Cigarettes	7667	13130	3869	7178
25 p.c. & 1c ℘ lb	Sugar, above No. 13 Dutch Standard } lbs.	2219084	120413	1923907	96178
25 p.c. & ¾c ℘ lb	Sugar, eq'l to No. 9 & not above No. 13 Dutch std. } "	19551	119	239781	10343
25 p.c. & ½c ℘ lb	Sugar, below No. 9 Dutch Standard } "				
25 p.c. & ⅝c ℘ lb	Cane Juice, Melado &c "	32814	949	228765	4159
25 p.c. & 1c ℘ lb	Sugar Candy, & Confectionery "	8184	1523	24738	4406
12½ p.c. & 25c ℘ lb	Tobacco—Mfd and Snuff "	2365	817	6744	2256
	Total specific and ad valorem		136951		124520
	25 PER CENT. AD VALOREM.				
25 ℘ cent ad val	Cologne Water, in flasks	875	154	72	30
25 " "	Mace and Nutmegs......lbs.	180	88	7096	2959
	Molasses other than for refining purposes } "	1616904	28813	1444670	20385
25 "	Patent Medicines & Medicinal Preparations } "		4051		2156
25 " "	Perfumery, not elsewhere specified		1216		1720
25 " "	Perfumed and Fancy Soaps		160		380
25 " "	Playing Cards		1394		459
25 " "	Spices, including Cassia, Cinnamon, Ginger, Pimento and Pepper, Ground } lbs.			15	4
	Total 25 per cent ad valorem.		35876		28084
	17½ PER CENT. AD VALOREM.				
17½ ℘ cent ad val	Dried Fruits & Nuts of all kinds		24082		24923
17½ " "	Jewellery and Watches		12853		10811
	Manufactures of—				
17½ " "	Brass or Copper		2979		1063
17½ " "	Cottons		41041		40871
17½ " "	Fancy Goods		11597		13404
17½ " "	Furs		11551		6202
17½ " "	Glassware		7255		9838
17½ " "	Gold, Silver and Plated Ware		8237		4355
17½ " "	Hardware		65609		43906
17½ " "	Harness and Saddlery		1181		766
17½ " "	Leather, Boots and Shoes		1440		877
17½ " "	Leather, or imitation thereof		12065		2033
17½ " "	Silks and Velvets		9099		14261
17½ " "	Woollens		66886		54077
	Wearing Apparel, made by hand or Sewing Machine }		5137		4419
17½ " "	Other articles		328266		312681
	Total 17½ per cent. ad valorem.		609278		544487
	10 PER CENT. AD VALOREM.				
10 ℘ cent	Animals—Horned Cattle		12000		
10 " "	Horses		49		
10 " "	Sheep				
10 " "	Swine		12		
10 " "	Other animals		502		102
10 " "	Bran, Hay, Plants, Seeds, other than cereals, Shrubs, Straw, Trees and Vegetables }		7973		13067
10 " "	Green Fruits of all kinds		12266		14606
10 " "	Sole and Upper Leather		8429		8749
10 " "	Locomotive Engine Frames, Axles, &c }				134
10 " "	Machinery for Mills and Factories, &c }		1599		186
10 " "	Other articles		26497		13806
	Total 10 per cent. ad valorem.		69327		50650
	5 PER CENT. AD VALOREM.				
5 ℘ cent	Books, Periodicals and Pamphlets printed }		28414		17478
5 " "	Iron		39554		53365
5 " "	Ship's Materials		188		433
5 " "	Type		323		338
	Total 5 per cent. ad valorem.		68479		71614
	Amount of Dutiable Goods		1170948		971474
	Coin & Bullion, except American Silver }		2030		411040
	Free Goods		427532		605234
	Leaf Tobacco for Excise Purposes	519287	31542	278229	21326
	GRAND TOTAL		1632052		2009074
12½ ℘ cent	Copyright Works		37		384

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVED FROM MONTREAL.

Hilda, O'Brien, Falmouth, Nov 17.
Aronca, Suiter, Falmouth, Nov 18.
Goatfell, Morrison, Bristol, Nov 18.
J W Parker, Keane, Hull, Nov 18.
New York, Sorenson, Queenstown, Nov 19.
Nydia, Atridge, off Queenstown, Nov 19.
Glenmorag, Dawson, Liverpool, Nov 19.
Narina, McMillan, Belfast, Nov 20.
Roseneath, McVicar, Greenock, Nov 20.
Ardmore, McConnell, Greenock, Nov 20.
Edgar Cecil, Ewing, Queenstown, Nov 19.
Glencairn, Tannock, Liverpool, Nov 21.
Athole Cran, ——, Dublin, Nov 22.
Onyx, Hatch, Queenstown, Nov 22.
Mary Graham, Temple, Cork, Nov 21.
Bothal (s), Patterson, Hull, Nov 22.
Threepwood, Wood, Falmouth, Nov 23.
Tordenskjold, Salvesen, Queenstown, Nov 23.
Lake Erie, Sclater, Liverpool, Nov 24.
Emma, ——, Leith, Nov 23.
Luna, Balfour, Gloucester, Nov 25.
Dunnolme, Begg, Dundee, Nov 26.
Hilda, ——, Gravesend, Nov 26.
Glentinart, Stirrat, Liverpool, Nov 27.
Claribel, McRae, Queenstown, Nov 27.
Auriga, Messer, Whitehaven, Nov 27.

ARRIVED FROM QUEBEC.

Magnum, ——, Gravesand, Nov 18.
Quorn, ——, Gravesend, Nov 18.
Princess Royal, Wall, Greenock, Nov 19.
Ailsa, Alexander, Ayr, Nov 21.
Peter Maxwell, Dowey, Liverpool, Nov 22.
Eveline, ——, Leith, Nov 23.
Adept, ——, Liverpool, Nov 25.
Cynosure, Hales, Shields, Nov 25.
Thomas Lee, Kendall, Whitehaven, Nov 25.
Pisher, Temple, Maryport, Nov 26.
Roncehan, Thompson, Liverpool, Nov 27.
Adoice, Todd, Liverpool, Nov 25.
Thale, Warsland, Deal, Nov 28.

ITEMS.

GRAVESEND, Nov 18.—The Magnum from Quebec, has landed the crew of the brig W H Tucker, from Beaufort, U.S., for Belfast, which was abandoned in lat 37 n. long 32 w., with rudder broken and leaking badly.

BY TELEGRAPH.

HALIFAX, Dec. 9.—The Italian barque Archangel, previously reported at this port yesterday in distress, had a severe time at sea. She left New York November 29th, and on the 21st instant encountered a severe SE gale, which continued for two days, in which the vessel was hove down on her beam ends for forty hours, the sea making a clean breach over her. The crew had to lash themselves in the rigging for six hours to avoid being washed overboard. The captain was washed overboard by a sea and back again into the mizen rigging. The galley and deck house were washed away, skylights stove, and the cabin flooded, rudder stock broken, bulwarks on both sides stove fore and aft. The vessel was strained badly, sprang a leak, and part of the cargo, over 400 barrels of flour and 100 tons of oil cake was thrown overboard to lighten her. Her crew were well nigh worn out with exposure and hard work. When she arrived the vessel was steered with tackles on the rudder fastened to spars on the quarter. Her cargo consisted of 25,500 bushels of Indian corn, 160 tons of oil cake, and 500 barrels of flour. She will go on the Marine railway to repair.

The steamer Moravian sailed to-day for Baltimore. H. M. ships Bellerophon, Rover and Argus, will leave to-morrow for Bermuda.

PLYMOUTH, Dec. 9.—Arrived Gellert from New York.

HAVRE, Dec. 9.—Arrived Labrador from New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Arrived Circassian from Glasgow.

SS. Switzerland, from Antwerp.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Arrived—SS. Victoria.

ANTWERP, Dec. 9.—Arrived steamship Nederland.

IMPORTS.

Per steamship MORAVIAN, of Glasgow, John Graham, master, from Liverpool: B&S H Thompson 3 pkgs; C Davidson & co 3 do; H Hope &co 2 do; John Leslie 1 do; C Tetu 15 do; Cotton, Connall & co 1,750 do; Order 150 do; D Moore &co 109 do; Gibb &co 2 do; Dawson Bros 2 do; F E Grafton 6 do; Hearn & Harrison 1 do; C H Letourneux 5 do; Rev S Rose 5 do; Ascher & co 3 do; Robertson, Linton &co 3 do; W Evans 1 do; Wulff & co 1 do; H & S Evans & co 8 do; Brown & Claggett 1 do; Thos May & co 6 do; S Trees & co 4 do; Wm Darling & co 2do; J Hutton & co 9 do; K Campbell & co 3 do; S Carsley 16 do; S Cameron & co 638 do; Rev Dr Marsh 1 do; Robt Wilkes 2 do; J Young 1 do; W Evans & son 1 do; Thos Alison 1 do; J W MacKean &co 5 do; Ed Neild&co 1 do; Skelton Took &co 2 do; Order 3 do; H Shorey&co 1 do; H M&Sumner 5 do; T Long&Bros 1 do; A Green&co 4 do; Wm Johnson 12 do; Wood & Leggatt 210 do; Gault Bros&co 14 do; J Johnston&co 3 do; C H Hubbard 1 do; McGibbon&Baird 2 do; Miss Cooper 3 do; Jas Wright&co 31 do; W J Thomas 1 do; E Grossman 4 do; J Murphy&co 1 do; Z Paquet 1 do; Davie&son 2 do; McMee&Minnis 3 do; C G Cobban&co 1 do; J McArthur&son 12 do; Thos Laing&co 2 do; A R McMaster &Br 8 do; S H & F Moss 2 do; Shoolhed& co 1 do; Alex Seath 3 do; H Turner 1 do; C Percy 3 do; Order 1 do; Wood&Leggatt 1321 do; Booth&son 2 do; W H Bleasdell&co 1 do; A Milloy&co 2 do; Rice Sharpley &co 2 do; Wood & Leggatt 54 do; T May&co 8 do; J Galbraith 1 do; Green, Sons &co 1 do; Wm Evans 1 do; R & Hutchinson 1 do; R Malcolm 6 do; A Joyce 1 do; Shoolbred &c 1 do; Scott & Fraser 1 do; Thos Alison 4 do; M & L Samuel 50 do; Joseph & Sons 1 do; Thibaudeau Bros &co 7 do; Thibaudeau Fres &co 3 do; Order 5 do; M Fisher, Sons &co 11 do; Gordon, Mackay &co 1 do; S Waddell &co 40 do; Jos Robinson &co 1 do; Gowans, Kent &co 14 do; M & L Samuel 166 do; Greenshields, Son &co 24 do; Jas Coristine &co 1 do; J P Sumners 11 do; Jackson & Hallett 3 do; McBrwn & Woodward 8 do; H Haswell &co 6 do; Adam Darling 11 do; Whitley Bros 3 do; Thos Winfield, 255 do; W Taylor &co 150 do; Thos Winfield 122 do; Thos J Turnbull 43 do; Macpherson &co 40 pkgs; J A Mathewson 31 do; Order 30 do; Adam, Hope &co 869 do; Barry & Hart 132 do; Wood & Leggatt 1,867 do; Dept Military Defence 21 do; Suckling & Son 1 do; J O'Brien & co 7 do; Cassils, Stinson &co 7 do; C Fairall 60 do; Rice, Lewis & Son 18 do; O E Hart 130 do; A Watts &co 100 do; Ross, Hall &co 30 do; Order 25 do; E Morice & co 120 do; Order 100 do; Order 25 do; Coffin Bros 100 do; Order 50 do; Order 100 do; Order 400 do; Order 5 do; Lamarche 1 do; Boyd, Egan & co 70 do; Order 100 do; J Breen 155 do; Wood&Leggat 31 do; Geo Childs&co 26 do; Wood&Leggatt 2080 do; Rice Lewis&son 182 do; Hart Marion&co 1149 do; Vipond McBride&co 197 do; Ross Hall&co 1105 do; Thos Robertson&co 301 Mrs Grant 1 do; Miss M Gordon 1 do; J P Palmer 24 do; Hamilton&H 3 do; T Mason 2 do; Dominion Oil Cloth Co 12 do; J A Ogilvy 2 do; S E Mitchell 1 do; H F Ross& co 3 do; Jas Guest 2 do; W &F P Currie&co 5 do; G W Moss&co 5 do; And Robb 1 do; Guit Speech 1 do; Order 3 do; N S Whitney 2 do; A Giberton&co 16 do; Jno Palmer&son 1 do; Henry Judah 1 do; Hy Vidal&co 1 do; Lymans Clare&co 3 do; Whitley Bres 3 do; R D&Dodds 1 do; Cassils Stinson&co 1 do; Frere Probatus 4 do; Joncas 18 do; C Potter 2 do; P Jacobi 1 do; Elliott&co 2 do; John Roberts 2 do; A Delact 8 do; N Pheaume 2 do; Meyer Boas&co 1 do; C Martin 3 do; H M & Sumner 4 do; M Tresler 6 do; M H McKenzie 1 do; W Ramsay &co 2 do; H Morgan &co 1 do; Thos Robertson &co 56 do; Copel & McLaren 1 do; Greenshields, Son &co 2 do; Robertson &co 48 do; D Edward 22 do; F Smith &co 41 do; Ch Moore &co 100 do; H Leufesty &co 71 do; Order 20 do; W D Stroud 40 do; McKenzie, Powis &co 20 do; Smith & Keighley 37 do; Order 53 do; T Rattray &co 1 do; Can Express Co 52 do.

TRANSHIPMENT FROM SS, CIRCASSIAN.—Canadian Express Co 75 pkgs; Order 2 do; C Tetu 3 do; Mrs Featherstonehaugh 1 do; C Hunt 1 do; Fisher & B 2 do; J Macdonald & co 1 do; W Warwick 3 do; M Fisher & Sons 2 do; H Shorey & co 1 do; Order 1 do; P T Gibb & co 1 do; T M Bryson & co 1 do; G W Moss 1 do; S Carsley 2 do; Cassils, S& co 2 do; Whitley Bros 1 do; T Lailey & co 1 do; H S Howlands, Son & co 6 do; Canada Life Assurance Co 2 do; D Marsh 1 do; Chinic, B & co 1 do; A Seath 22 do; Copp, C & co 1 do; Mackay Bros & co 1 do; Crathern & C 2 do; W R Baker 1 do; Government Stationary Office 1 do; Kerry Watson & co 2 do; T May & co 2 do; M & L Samuel 7 do; J Guest 2 do; Morland, W & co 1 do; S Greenshields, Son & co 3 do; J Murdoch 1 do; Hird, Fyfe, Ross & co 5 do; J Campbell & Sons 2 do; Secretary of State 7 do; R Miller 4 do; J Murray 74 do; S Corrigan & co 2 do; J W Moss 6 do; Rankin, B & co 12 do; Order 7 do; J W Mackider & co 1 do; Morton & Phillips 2 do; H Morgan & co 1 do; Murdoch McKenzie 2 do; W Robinson 2 do; Greenshields, Sons&co 15 do; J A Ogilvy 1 do; W Wilson &co 2 do; H Shorey & co 4 do; Mackay Bros 1 do; G W Moss 4 do.

GRAND TRUNK WEST.

Viau & Frere 100 brls flour, Crane & B 100 do; J O Stevens 68 do; T W Raphael 100 do; F W Johnston 100 do; Oliver Gibbs 100 do; O Anderson & co 126 do; K & Cookson 200 do; A G McBean 300 do; J E Hunsicker 100 do; D Robertson & co 100 do; A W Ogilvie & co 300 do; J Dougall & co 6 brls ashes; K & Cookson 4 do; Ontario Bank 2 do; H Dobell & co 6 do; Mackay Bros 1 do; T Shaw 2 do; Pinkerton W & co 2 do; A G McBean 4 kegs butter; A McK Cowie 10 do; G Wait 21 do; A Shannon & co 7 do; H Chandler 25 do; W Kendall 105 do; J Dougall & co 11 rolls leather; G Barry 39 do; Cassils S & co 13 do; A Holden & co 2 do; G Delorme 5 do; J Turner & co 52 do; Shaw Bros & Cassils 1 car, 1748 sides do; Kingan & Kinlock 35 csks spirits; Kingan & K 15 do whiskey; C Alexander 2 cs; Crane & B 300 brls; Nelson & S 40 bales; W C McDonald 26 hhds; Can Paper co 4 brls; W Morgan & co 145 hogs; W F Johnston 100 brls; G H F Rolland 1 bx; Crathern & C 4 bxs; Benny McP & co 8 do.

ROUSES POINT.

F R Cole 3 cs; Bonneville & M 1 brl 5 csks; E A Prescott & co 1 cs; M S Evans & co 1 do; Geo Barrington & co 2 do; Lyman, C & co 3 do; G & W Clark 1 do; Goodyear R Co 1 do; H H Hatton 5 brls; J A Sadlier 1 cs A Belanger 5 pkgs 2 bxs; S H May &co 10 brls; G W Reid 5 bxs; B & S 2 cs; J W Tester 1 cs; A Belanger 1 pkg.

VERMONT JUNCTION.

L Chaput, F & co 68 brls; Morton, P & B 1 cs; Fisk & W 22 bdls; C H Binks & co 1 cs; Jas Gould 1 cs organ 1 bx stools; James Brown & Cro 1 brl; Montreal Roll Mill Co 15 kgs 2 cs; J Y Gilmour & co 1 cs; McGibbon & B 12 bxs; Montreal C & P Co 1 cs; J Taylor & Bro 1 bx; Brown, T & co 1 bale; Fisk & W 1 bale; W C McDonald 20 hhds tobacco; E Chanteloup 1 bx.

GRAND TRUNK EAST.

E Baylis 2 bxs; N D & W F Beck 1 brl 1 cs; F & Workman 1 bx; J Watson&co 2 csks; C W Williams 1 bx; Perry D S&L 3 bdls; C C Snowdon&co 1 cs; S H&A S Ewing 46 bxs; H A Nelson&S 3 cs 1 pkg; F& Workman 3 cs; G Nelson 1 cs; Craig&co 2 brls; C&Caverhill 1 cs; J Watson&co 1 bx; Lowdon J N&co 1 bag 1 cs 1 bx; J L Cassidy 1 hhd; Robertson&L 9 brls; J Osborne &S 15 hhds; C Pegnam 8 bxs; J C Gordon 10 do; DeSola Bros 10 do; R Bowdon 7 do; Jas Leduc 4 do; Jas Cooper 3 do; L Larrive 5 do; H Cawthorn 3 do.

A WOMAN'S LOGIC.

"It is useless to take medicine. I shall feel better to-morrow. Besides, I need the money to get that lovely new hat. My old one is such a fright, and people will look more at my bonnet than they will at my face. I will wait till I feel worse before I spend any money for medicine." The new bonnet is purchased and fifty other feminine *necessaries* in the form of ribbons, laces, broaches, etc. Meanwhile, the lady's face becomes every day paler and thinner, and her body weaker, until disease has gained so firm a foothold in her system, that the most thorough, and ofttimes a long and tedious, course of treatment is necessary to restore her to health. Ladies, attend to your health before you even think of apparel. A fresh, blooming face in a plain bonnet is much handsomer and far more attractive to your gentlemen friends, than a pain-worn, diseased face in the most elaborate and elegant hat your milliner could devise. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is everywhere acknowledged to be the standard remedy for female complaints and weakness. It is sold by druggists.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette*—Sold only in Packets labelled—"JAMES EPPS & Co, Homœopathic Chemists, London, Eng."

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Montreal Herald.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 10.

APPOINTMENTS.

Montreal Fox Hounds—Meet at Kennels, at 12 sharp.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

BY HENRY J. SHAW.

Fine Art Properties, &c.—At 235 St. James street, at 2 and 7 p.m.

NEWS SUMMARY

DOMINION.

—The Bishop of Toronto's health is said to be improving.

—Floating ice has made its appearance in the River at Quebec.

—Small-pox has found its way to the Protestant hospital of Ottawa.

—Bread sells in Toronto at eight and nine cents for the four pound loaf.

—The churches in Quebec have commenced their Christmas decorations.

—The annual sale of timber limits by the Crown Land Department will be held at Quebec to-day.

—The report of the death of Mr. J. Dykes, the champion draught player, turns out to be a hoax.

—The attempts of burglars at Halifax are unsuccessful. They have a smart police force in that city.

—By the recent storm on the Atlantic the Toronto export firm, it is said, lost six thousand head of cattle.

—It is estimated that cattle to the value of three millions has been exported from Toronto during the year.

—Owing to an outbreak of scarlet fever at Lennoxville, all the boys attending the Grammar School have been sent home.

—The residence of Father Shea, of Toronto, was entered on Saturday night last by burglars. They only secured six dollars.

—A beautifully bound copy of Mr. Stewart's book on "Lord Dufferin's Administration" is to be sent from Quebec to Her Majesty.

—Mr. Boakes the marker for the Quebec racket court has, it is said, won his match with Mr. Mahon, the marker for the New York court, by four games to one.

—The flagships "Bellorophon," "Rover" and "Argus," of the North American Squadron, sail to-day from Halifax, N.S., for Bermuda to go into winter quarters.

—Mr. Wurtele, M.P.P., has authorized the Quebec *Chronicle* to deny the rumour that he refused to accept a portfolio from the Hon. Mr. Joly as stated, or that the Premier ever broached such a matter to him.

—A report from Ottawa states that an old man, named Patrick Mahoney, got lost in the "Mer Bleu" on Friday last, and on Satuday night he was attacked by wolves. He managed to escape death from them by climbing a tree and remaining there until next morning.

UNITED STATES.

—W. C. Barber, while hunting in the mountains in the south-eastern part of the State, was frozen to death last week.

—In an interview, published in the *Leader*, General Miles, the Indian fighter, strongly favours the transfer of the Indian Bureau to the War Department.

—The cigar manufacturers passed a resolution endorsing the action of the New York makers, and advocating the tenement house system. It is proposed to make the action general throughout the country.

—The new Sugar duties bill, introduced into the House yesterday, prescribes a specific duty on all sugars not above No 13 Dutch Standard in colour, and not exceeding 94 degrees in Sacchrine strength, of two cents and four mills per pound.

—The *Sun* says the opinion is expressed that of the twenty-eight or thirty million trade dollars exported to China within five years, all but one or two million have been chopped or defaced by the marks of Chinese bankers, and thus rendered uncurrent here.

GREAT BRITAIN ALD IRELAND.

—Edison's patent solicitors in England say they cannot find any trace of Russell, who objects to Edison's application, having taken out a patent for the Electric Light.

—Lord Cranbrook, in the House of Lords last night, said, England must be paramount in Afghanistan, which must be a friendly janitor at the door of India, or England must hold the key herself. There was no room there for England and Russia.

FOREIGN.

—Prince Gortschakoff has left Berlin for St. Petersburg.

—Shere Ali's family have, it is stated, fled into Turkestan.

—The Ameer's reply to the Viceroy's *Ultimatum* is published.

—The Chinese are strengthening their forces operating against Kuldja.

—Khojeck Pass not being defended, General Biddulph has been ordered to occupy it.

—Bismarck will only grant amnesty to those German priests that submit to the Falk laws.

—There have been several important changes in the *personnel* of the Russian Government.

—The French Government are importing American horses for the army. The first shipment is highly spoken of.

—The Sultan has assured the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador that the treaty of Berlin will be faithfully carried out.

—The Russians are reported as having violated the British Consulate at Adrianople in forcibly entering and arresting a British subject. An apology has been made to the Consul.

—Mr. Maynard, the United States Minister at Constantinople, has asked from the Turkish Government information concerning the arrest of Andrew Romer, a native of Hungary, and a naturalized American citizen.

THE REV. MR. TALMAGE IN TROUBLE.

That money is the root of all evil, as well as of most kinds of good, is a maxim that need not be enforced. But perhaps a more uniform root of evil than money is the spending of it when you have not got it. That is one of those axioms of practical piety, which it would be well to enforce upon congregations, not only in their individual capacity as purchasers of bread, beef, coals, and dry goods; but also in their corporate capacity of connoisseurs in ecclesiastical architecture, and in Mr. Beecher's immortal language addressed to Mrs. Tilton, "all that that implies." The Rev. Mr. Talmage whose recent pulpit accounts of the *demi-monde*, have made him so famous, would have now been easier in mind if he had disciplined his own heart to the morality pertinent to daylight transactions, before he gave himself to the study of that other variety, the breaches of which are chiefly after dark. The corporate body over which he pastors is just now suing one of its members for $1,000, and the pleas of the defendant let us go a little behind the scene, and see into the true inwardness of those vast subscriptions, by which the Reverend Mr. Ives, and the lay brother Mr. Kimball recently "lifted" so many church debts, —in the newspapers. Of course pleadings in courts are nothing until they are established by proof, and Mr. Gelston's pleas are not yet proved. They have, however, a degree of circumstantiality about them, which creates a natural belief, that in substance they present an accurate account of the transactions referred to. That a Church should be deeply embarrassed with debt, especially when the edifice is an exceedingly costly one is itself a scandal. But it is hardly so bad as that which belongs to a series of very mundane tricks and deceptions, which it is said were employed in this case to get the debt removed. The first evil existed at the beginning of the present year, when, according to the defendant pleas, there was due on several accounts, by the Church Corporation, some $97,800. About that time Mr. Kimball was travelling over the surface of the United States, and "lifting" the debts of one Church after the other. Mr. Talmage enlisted this gentleman's services, and Mr. Kimball, believing on Mr. Talmage's assurance that the debt was only $69,500, with a contingency of $3,000 more, went to work upon that basis. He asked for subscriptions, which were to become due only in six months from date, and then only in case enough was subscribed to cover the whole debt. Thereupon it was shortly after announced that Mr. Elmore, a member of the Church, had subscribed $5,000. But it was not stated, as was the truth, that this subscription was not in the terms on which contributions were asked, but was spread over a period of three years. Various other big subscriptions were subsequently announced, as from the Sunday-School $5,000, from Mr. Talmage himself $5,000, and so fourth. Of these many are said by the defendant to have been bogus; and he further alleges that it was by the deceit thus practiced that he was induced to subscribe for the $1,000 which makes the subject-matter of the action. In particular, he alleges that it was arranged between the Reverend Mr. Talmage and the officers of the Church that he should pay his $5,000 only by yearly instalments of $1,000 each, and that these sums should be made up to him by an increase of salary. For a further plea it is stated that at a later date the Rev. Mr. Talmage procured the services of that other eminent debt-lifter, the Reverend Mr. Ives, who appealed to the congregation to make up so much of the debt as was still uncovered, amounting as it was then stated, to $20,000, and being the $70,000, or thereabout. before mentioned, less $50,000 said to have been already subscribed. As decoy ducks for genuine subscriptions on this occasion, there were also a number of bogus donations made known to the congregation. Such as $500 from the infant class, and various gifts of the same amount, and for $1,000 from similar bodies, consisting of children, who had no means, and against whom no contract could be enforced. We shall, doubtless, hereafter see how this defence is met. In the meantime the assertions which it contains serve to clear up what was a mystery to most persons who thought of the manner in which immense sums were collected in a few hours, in consequence of the exhortations of professional church beggars, from congregations, who up to that day had been too poor, or too apathetic, to make even a reasonable effort to discharge their burdens. One very curious part of the difficulty, however, receives no elucidation. The Rev. Mr. Ives, so far as we know, contented himself, in addition to a few stage tricks worked in the manner above described, with the best eloquence he could employ in urging contributions. Being a divine, he was not expected to do more. But Brother Kimball, besides precept, used to practise example. He used to start the ball by giving the first $50,000; and when things flagged he used to provide a new impetus by asking to be put down for another $1,000 or $5,000, and this in so many churches, that instead of being a dry goods drummer from Chicago, as he was reported to be, he stood out a kind of pious Monte Christo, possessed of Fortunatus' purse. We should like to know just how much *bona fides* there were in the thousands contributed by this holy man, week after week, and all over the country.

TELEGRAPHS AND MAILS.

It is a little amusing sometimes to read the newspapers from a distance, after having read the telegrams from the same places. We have from day to day known the changes which have taken place in the policy of the Imperial Government with respect to the calling together of Parliament. We had even begun to forget, for now-a-days the rapid tide of affairs speedily obliterates the memory even of important events, that Lord Beaconsfield has had to yield to the pressure of his colleagues and to grant the request for an early meeting of Parliament, made by the gentlemen, whom he almost rudely snubbed a few days before. But the mail brings us the London *Times*, delayed a little longer than usual, and we rub our eyes when we begin to read an editorial, in which Lord Lawrence and the other gentlemen, who asked for an early meeting of Parliament are roundly censured for their ignorance and presumption, and Lord Beaconsfield lauded to the skies for his able and highly constitutional refusal, to do that which he did so shortly afterwards. "Lord Beaconsfield," we read, "found "a congenial opening for his powers of "reply, in such an ill-considered ap-"peal," and then we are taught farther how very right Lord Beaconsfield was, and how very wrong Lord Lawrence was. Yet after all Lord Lawrence obtains *gain de cause*, and Lord Beaconsfield refutes the reply for which he found "so congenial an opening," by the act which was pressed on him, in this "ill-considered appeal."

MEETING AT ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH.—Mr. O. J. Devlin has himself denied that he was the authority for the statement made in this paper respecting the above meeting, and which we may say was obtained in the usual way employed by the Press in the collection of news. It may perhaps, however. be well for us, to add our assurance to that of Mr. Devlin, that neither he nor any one of the name had anything to do with the matter.

—Our telegraphic despatches inform us of the serious illness of the Grand Duchess of Hesse, Princess Alice of England. Her Royal Highness has caught the disease (diphtheria) which laid in the tomb, a few weeks ago, her youngest daughter, and which had prostrated her husband and the rest of her children. No doubt the death of her child, and anxiety in the fate of the Grand Duke and the other children; with the loss of rest, has told on her strength and made her the more liable to catch the malady. Canadians, in common with the rest of Her Majesty's subjects, will pray and hope for not only Her Royal Highnesses speedy recovery, but also for that of her husband and children.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather there was a large attendance at this house last evening to witness the representation of the military drama, in four acts, entitled "Les Fiances de 1812," which was given (under the patronage of the Hon. L. F. R. Masson, Minister of Militia) by the members of the 65th Battalion. The band, under the direction of Mr. E. Hardy, played good selections during the evening. Want of space prevents us from giving a description of the piece until to-morrow, but suffice to say that the ladies and gentlemen who took part in it were well up in their respective characters, especially Mesdames Maugard and Granger, and Messrs. F. Lapointe, T. D. Terroux, L. Labelle, A. V. Braseau and N. Melancon. The piece has been dramatized by Mr. A. V. Braseau, and the music by Mr. J. A. Duquette. In one of the boxes we noticed Hon. L. F. R. Masson, Lt.-Col. Fletcher, C.M.G., D.A.G., Lt.-Col. Harwood, D.A.G., Lt.-Col. Bacon, B.M., and Lt. Col. d'Orsonnens, B.M., with Lt.-Col. Labranche, commanding the 65th Battalion. We were surprised to see hardly a member of the other city corps present. It they were there it was only just and respectful to have appeared in uniform as requested, as the Minister of Militia was honouring the occasion. The piece is a very taking one, the military tableaux being very fine and well put on. It is to be hoped there will be a larger attendance of the English portion of our citizens present this evening.

CIVIC AFFAIRS.

—The beautiful portraits of Her Majesty the Queen; H. R. H. the late Prince Consort, and H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, presented to the city as a Souveuir of the visit of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales to Montreal have been cleaned and regilded, and hung up in the City Council Chamber.

CITY COUNCIL.

The regular monthly meeting of council was held yesterday afternoon. There were present: Alds. Clendinneng, Hood, Robert, Lavigne, Martin, Kennedy, Rivard, Laurent, Holland, Taylor, Gauthier, Genereux, Donovan, Grenier, Green, Melancon and Nelson. A large number of butchers, owners of market stalls, and property owners from the East End, taking an interest, in the railway terminus question were present in large force in the galleries.

After routine

COMMUNICATIONS

were presented and disposed of as follows:

From Steinson, Auld & Co., for leave to erect a steam engine on premises corner of William and Inspector streets.—Fire Committee.

Petition to re-instate Michael Harrington as foreman of the W. W. Department branch, St. Charles Borrommee street, signed by some 200 manufacturers and others.—Water Committee.

A NICE QUESTION. BADLY CONSTRUCTED FOOTPATHS.

A report was read from the City Attorney in reply to an enquiry by Council, as to whether the cost of the asphalte footpath constructed on St. Catherine street, east, can be legally collected. The report stated that the amount cannot be legally assessed on proprietors in that street for the reason that by virtue of the act 37 Vict., as amended, the cost of the sidewalks can be legally assessed on the proprietors only when such sidewalks are made of stone, asphalte or of any durable and permanent material, whereas, in the present instance, from information obtained through the City Surveyor, it had been ascertained that the kind of material used in the construction of the particular foot-path in question was not of a durable and permanent character, that its component parts were simply coal-ashes and coal tar, and moreover that it was carelessly laid, so that it became necessary to make considerable repairs shortly after its construction.

Ald. Clendinneng said enquiringly that he did not suppose that the City Attorney meant that any special law existed in favour of this street to the exclusion of others.

Ald. Laurent said the workmanship had been of a very inferior quality.

Ald. Clendinneng did not hesitate to say that the entire efforts of the city appeared to be to make one portion of our citizens pay for the expenses of the others. Just as gross errors had occurred in other parts of the city, and yet they have been made to pay. He desired to see the law administered with equal justice to all parts of the city.

Ald. Rivard, while agreeing with Ald Laurent, moved, seconded by Ald. Holland, that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

Ald. Grenier said at the time the work was in progress he had directed attention to its inferior character and had openly stated in committee that an injustice was being done the residents of that street, and that they could under the by-law refuse to pay, if the error was not rectified.

Ald. Clendinneng was satisfied the attorney's report was correct. But a large amount of money had been spent on the work and if the people did not get full value who was responsible? He wanted to find that out.

Ald. Holland, in seconding the motion, thought it a question for the Finance and Road Committees. If the path was not made of proper material, to be charged as asphalte, how much could be charged against the city? The proprietors must have derived some benefit and should pay in proportion.

The motion was carried.

THE RAILWAY QUESTION.

A petition was read, signed by Mr. Augustin Martin, President, and Mr. A. Audet, Secretary, of the Committee of Citizens of Montreal East, formed at the first of a series of certain "indignation" meetings, praying that Council make no decision on the question of the selection of a terminus for the Q.M.O. & O. Railway until this committee shall have had an opportunity to memoralize the Government and be heard in the matter. Several members rose to their feet, when

Ald. Riaard said the question could not be discussed as it was not on the orders of the day, and must therefore lay on the table. He asked the Mayor if he could give any information with respect to the location of the terminus.

The Mayor said it had been decided to locate it in the Eastern Division of the city.

ACTING MAYOR.

Ald. Martin was appointed Acting Mayor for the next three months.

BOARD OF REVISORS.

On motion of Ald. Grenier, seconded by Ald. Clendinneng, Alds. Laurent, Holland, Kennedy, Jeanotte, and Hagar were appointed a Board of Revisors for the current year.

REPORTS.

On motion of Ald. Holland, order 3 to amend Section 1 of the Market By-Law, was deferred to next meeting. The next order, respecting the mode adopted for charging cost of opening up of Brennan street, shared a like fate.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Fire.—On the petition of E. Stollery and B. Harrison for pecuniary assistance, over and beyond the half pay allowed them, refusing same for lack of funds.

Ald. Clendinneng said there were many offices about the City Hall which crippled men could fill, such as keeping the door and directing visitors to the various offices, for which at the present time a strong, able-bodied man was employed. In many cities of the States it was the custom to employ persons crippled in the city's service at some work which could as well be performed by them as by the able bodied, and he urged upon the Corporation to find honest employment, which could easily be done, for those who had been injured for life in the service of the city. The report of the Fire Committee was carried.

Police—For an appropriation of $4,500, to purchase land for a police station on Lagauchetiere at the head of Hermine street.—Finance Committee.

Fire—For leave to vary $150 from item purchase of horses, to item for contingencies.—Carried.

Light—To vary the sum of $876 out of general appropriation of $1.600 in hand, to pay for gas fixtures, lamps at entrance to City Hall, and for illumination of that building on the occasion of the recent visit of His Excellency the Marquis of Lorne and H.R.H. the Princess Louise, together with other incidental expenses for the administration of the affairs of the Department—Carried.

Fire—Recommending leave to Fras. Contant to continue a wood yard corner of Volitigeurs and Lagauchetiere streets —Carried.

Roads—For appropriation of $203.85, to pay Mr. Lockhead, for land taken on Drummond street—Finance Committee.

City Hall—For supplementary appropriation of $300 for gas fixtures in various departments, and for asphalte for pipe covering—Finance.

Markets—For supplementary appropriation of $500 for market purposes—Finance.

The special Report on the letters of the City Attorney and City Clerk, concerning corrections in the city charter, was deferred till next meeting.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

By Ald. Clendinneng. — 1. That the Superintendent of the Water-works report as to what pipes he has in stock; when they were purchased; what they cost, and by whose order; and to furnish an estimate of what pipes are likely to be required for next season.

2. That the Police and Fire Committee be asked to make enquiry into the practicability of having policemen keep a regular account of the time that lamps are kept lit in the city, and that a copy of the contract of the city with the new City Gas Co. be left on the table at next meeting.

3. That the City Surveyor be asked to report on the subject of chain stone, stating for the first five years the amounts received and prices paid and names of vendors; also copies of the Orders in Council and minutss of Committee under which the chain stone was purchased.

4. That the Police Committee be requested to take immediate measures for a more efficient night patrol, and to report if the force now at their disposal is not sufficient, what increase of the force they consider necessary.

By Ald. Grenier.—To provide for more efficient protection in guarding against accident. more especially with respect to the opening up of streets, for the repairing and laying of drains, gas pipes, &c.

MOTIONS.

Alderman Kennedy very eloquently urged the importance of a long standing motion by himself for the erection of public urinals at the different cab stands of the city. A prolonged discussion of upwards of three quarters of an hour ensued in which the majority of members joined. The matter was (after various other suggestions had fallen to the ground) referred to the Chairman of the Roads, Water and Health Committees.

A motion by Ald. Thibault (who was absent) to place the different departments of the Corporation in the hands of Commissioners was on a division of 9 against 4 deferred till next meeting; Aldermen Clendinneng and Grenier dissenting on the ground that the discussion of such a motion would be but wasting the time of the Committee.

A motion by Ald. Donovan, for a statement showing the number of houses or dwellings in this city without drain connection service pipes, and the names of the streets in which such houses are situated, was carried, Ald. Clendinneng objecting to the information asked for being made public, as it would be made use of in other cities to the detriment of Montreal. Ald. Donovan if he chose could obtain the information in his own committee.

Ald. McShane's motion to incsease the rates for licenses for the vehicles of all drivers residing outside the city limits, was in his absence deferred till next meeting, as also Ald. Mercer's motion for an opinion from outside Counsel, on the legality of the proceedings and resolution of Council, relating to the reduction of salaries.

Ald. Grenier introduced a motion which has been standing on the notice paper for the past seven months, viz., to consider petitions from the Police and Fire Brigades and from citizens relative to the reduction of the wages of said forces. He held that the men had been unjustly dealt with and asked that the matter be taken up at once.

Ald. Hood suggested that it be deferred until the consideration of appropriations for next year, as also the letter of resignation of Ald. Mercer—Carried.

A motion by Ald. Clendinneng for a by-law to regulate the passage of cattle and pigs through the streets of the city was carried.

Ald. Donovan's motion claiming a share of the city advertising patronage for the *Post* newspaper was deferred until the consideration of the appropriations.

A joint report of the Market and Finance Committees for a supplementary appropriation of $583 for supplementary expenses of the erection of the Viger cattle shed was carried. Council adjourned.

A DARING ROBBERY AT TORONTO.

A most daring robbery was perpetrated this morning in a disreputable house on Elizabeth street, the victim being William Shore. At about half-past two o'clock this man accosted P. C. Whittaker and informed him that at No. 22 an attempt had been made to choloroform him, and that he had been robbed of several dollars. Whittaker, visited the back premises just in time to see the proprietor, George Hamlin, or Ahan, making his exit through the back door, but Wittaker overtook him, and he allowed himself to be guided to No. 2 Station, where he remained for the night. Whittaker then visited the house and found in it several girls. One of them, Bella McDonald, handed over a bottle, containing chloroform, which she said Hamlin had endeavoured to administer to Shore. Shore, the victim, says that he had several drinks. When he proposed to leave, Hamlin attempted to force a bottle between his lips. He escaped and informed the police, but not before he had been robbed of what money he had.

ATTENTION is directed to the sale of fine art property, to take place this afternoon, at the store No. 235 St. James street. The collection embraces the finest French and Florentine bronzes; Dresden, Florentine and Sevres vases; finest silverware, epergnes, tea and coffee services; table cutlery, &c. Sale at 2 o'clock. Mr. H. J. Shaw is auctioneer. See advertisement.

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DEATHS.

On December 5th, at his residence, 21 German street, aged 82 years and 6 months, J. B. Meilleur, M.D., LL.D., First Superintendent of Education for Province of Quebec.

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(COPY OF CIRCULAR SENT TO MAYORS)

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SIR,—I offer no apology for bringing under your notice this Fund, and expressing the hope that your valuable services may be enlisted in promoting its success.

It is the conviction of our Committee that an appeal to those who have still so many bonds of connection with their native country will not be made in vain.

From the accompanying report of the proceedings at a Meeting in Glasgow, held upon the 4th instant, you will observe that it was resolved to raise a Fund of not less than £300,000 for relief of the necessitous Shareholders of the City of Glasgow Bank.

Since that Meeting was held, it has become daily more and more apparent that the sum then aimed at, large though it appears, will fall much short of what will be necessary.

We feel that, with yourself, no argument is required in support of this benevolent movement; but with others it may be necessary to direct attention to the fact that, according to the Investigators' Report, there was a deficiency as at 1st October, 1878, of the enormous sum of £5,190,883. to which must be added interest, contingencies and expenses of Liquidation, all which has to be met by the Shareholders, in addition to the loss of the value of their Shares.

These figures speak for themselves, and in plain language they mean the ruin of a large majority of the Shareholders.

The proposed Relief Fund is projected, not to assist the Shareholders to pay the calls that may be made upon them, but to relieve those who may be deprived of their means in consequence of these calls.

I leave it with yourself to take such steps as may appear to you best calculated to insure for this appeal the widest publicity, and also the most generous response.

I would respectfully suggest the formation of Local Committees, or such other means as may secure the best result.

May I request the favour of a reply in course, and also of your communicating from time to time the success attending your efforts, which, no doubt, will bear corresponding fruit to the necessities of the case.

I have the honour to be,
Your obedient servant,
WILLIAM COLLINS,
Lord Provost and Chairman of Committee.

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Bertram Wodehouse Currie, banker, London	1,000	0	0
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Montreal Board of Trade.

A Special General Meeting of the Corporation of the Montreal Board of Trade will be held in the Corn Exchange on TUESDAY, the 17th INST., at 12 o'clock Noon, to elect FIVE REPRESENTATIVES to the DOMINION BOARD OF TRADE, and to consider any matter in connection therewith.

By order.
WM. J. PATTERSON,
Secretary.

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CHALLENGE!

A. BAUER,

Champion Wrestler of the World,

Has arrived in this city, and is ready to Wrestle ANDRIE CRISTOL, on

Saturday the 14th of This Month.

Age, 27; Height, 5 feet 11 inches; Weight, 192 pounds.

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FOR SALE.

A First-class Set of Dining-room Furniture (Mahogany), Sideboard, two Side Tables, Sofa, Extension Table and (10) ten Chairs covered with Leather. The Furniture is in very good order, and will be sold cheap. To be seen at "Thomson's," St. James street.

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NOTICE.

A Letter containing a Note for $2,000. at the order of G. C. DESSAULLES, of the 7th December, payable at the Banque Jacques Cartier and endorsed by him, has been LOST, and the public are cautioned against negotiting the same.

The Hon. Mr. LAFRAMBOISE alone has the right to negotiate the Note.

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NEW BOOKS.

PAPER MONEY, a collection of Historical Facts, by H. W. Richardson—15c.

THE GEOLOGIST'S TRAVELLING HAND-BOOK AND GEOLOGICAL RAILWAY GUIDE, by James Macfarlane—$1.50.

CASTLES IN THE AIR, by Louise R. Upton—$1 25.

DISCUSSIONS ON CHURCH POLITY (from the Princeton Review), by Charles Hodge, D D.—$3.50.

THE NEW VOLUME OF LANGE'S COMMENTARIES—being the Prophet Isaiah, by Dr. Nagelsbach—$5.

ELENOR DEYDEN, by Katherine S. Macquord,—Franklin Square Library—20c,

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ESTATE SAVAGE, LYMAN & CO.,

226 and 228 St James Street.

Christmas and New Year's Gifts.

SPECIAL FURTHER REDUCTIONS.

Under instructions from the Inspectors, the whole stock of the Insolvents is now offered for sale, by Retail *without reserve*, at a *bona fide* reduction of from 30 to 50 per cent., except on Silver Goods, upon which 20 per cent. will be taken off.

The discount will be allowed on the prices as originally marked by S. L. & Co.

The Stock consists of Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Silver and Silver-Plate, Bronzes, Parian-Ware, Writing and Dressing Cases, Cutlery and other Goods, suitable for

Holiday Presents.

COURT & MACINTOSH,
Assignees.

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Q. M. O. AND O. RAILWAY.

The Commissioner of Agriculture and Public Works of the Province of Quebec, hereby gives notice that, in conformity with the 32 Vic., Chap. 51, Sec. 8 and 9, of an Act of the Quebec Legislature, that the plans and returns for the part of the Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa and Occidental Railway, extending from St. Vincent de Paul up to the line of the West Section, near the Sault-au-Recollet Bridge, have been certified to and examined. on the 2nd day November, 1878, by S. Lesage, Esq., Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture and Public Works for the Province of Quebec, that a duplicate of said plans and returns have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works of the Province of Quebec, since the 2nd day of November, 1878, and that the other duplicate of said plans and returns have been deposited on the 2nd day November, 1878, in the office of Clerk of the Peace for the District of Montreal, in which is situated that part of said railway.

H. G. JOLY,
Commissioner of Agriculture and Public Works.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY OF CANADA.

Steamship MEMPHIS, of the Dominion Line, will sail from Portland, Maine, for Glasgow direct, on or about the

15th DECEMBER NEXT.

For Rates of Freight on Grain, Flour, Oatmeal, Apples, Butter and Cheese, apply to JOHN PORTEOUS, General Freight Agent, Montreal.

Other steamers for Glasgow will be despatched during the winter, of which due notice will be given.

JOSEPH HICKSON,
General Manager.

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY OF CANADA

Steamship TEXAS of the Dominion Line, will sail from Portland, Maine, for Glasgow direct, about the end of JANUARY NEXT. Also, the S.S. LIVADIA about the 20th DECEMBER.

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JOSEPH HICKSON,
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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Refreshment Rooms.

The Company invite Tenders for the right to sell Refreshments at the following Stations:—Port Huron, Sarnia, Stratford, Black Rock, Toronto, Cobourg, Kingston, Cornwall, Montreal, Richmond, Danville, Junction, and Portland.

The intention is to lease the whole of these Refreshment Rooms to one person or firm, and tenders should made accordingly.

Tenders will be received up to the 15th DECEMBER, 1878.

For further particulars, apply to the undersigned.

JOSEPH HICKSON,
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New Advertisements.

WEEKLY TEST.

Number of Purchasers served during Week ending Dec. 7th, 1878	4884
Same Week last Year	4590
Increase	294

AMERICAN MERCANTILE AGENCY EXPERTS.

The following letter is from one of the leading and most reliable business men in Canada to one of the oldest and largest wholesale firms in Montreal. It is handed to us as showing what solvent and good men really think of the use of American Mercantile Agencies and their reference books. On Monday we will publish a most disgraceful letter from one of the Agencies to a gentleman they duped heavily. Also, an assignee's statement, which exposes the blackmailing practised by said agency.

GENTLEMEN,—I note your remarks about Messrs. ——. and have read the reports of both agencies, and, notwithstanding these reports, I am quite satisfied that the statement I forwarded to you is correct. As an instance of the unreliability of Messrs —— & C.'s reports, would refer you to their reports of —— and ——; both these firms were rated up to the date of failure, credit high and capital large (Note.—Both since failed and will pay about 5c on the dollar.) This is only one instance of incorrectness out of many that I could instance, I am very much inclined to believe that the possession of these books does more harm than good. Where a party is well rated, a person is very apt to be satisfied with it, and neglect to make any further enquiry. Generally these books give the dishonest trader a great advantage for so long as he subscribes liberally, and can manage to keep his rating high, it gives him great facilities to swindle the public.

Yours respectfully,
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Just Landing, per Steamship "Barcelona," direct from Denia,

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In lots to suit Purchasers.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Tenders Wanted.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received until

MONDAY, THE THIRTIETH DAY OF DECEMBER, INSTANT,

FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A

Bridge on River Rouge,

In the Township of Harrington, in the County of Argenteuil.

The Plan and Specification may be seen at Mr. Barron's, Registrar, Lachute, every day during the hours of office.

Tenders must be endorsed on the envelope "Tenders for Colonization Works." Parties tendering will give the names of two responsible persons willing to become Securities for the due execution of the contract.

The Department shall not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

J. O. FONTAINE,
Director of Colonization.

Department of Agriculture and Public Works,
Quebec, 2nd December, 1878. D W 292

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the Matter of
AVILA BOURBONNIERE, of the City of Montreal, Trader,
Insolvent.

I, the undersigned, Arthur M. Perkins of the City of Montreal, Official Assignee, have been appointed Assignee in this matter.

Creditors who have not already done so, are requested to fyle their claims before me within one month.

ARTHUR M. PERKINS,
Assignee.

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TELEGRAPHIC DESPATCHES

QUEBEC

A LOVE SQUABBLE SETTLED.

VICE-REGAL VISIT *INCOG.*

BELLECHASSE ELECTION PETITION DISMISSED.

LECTURES.

QUEBEC, Dec. 9.—The interesting assault case between Messrs. Jones and Griffith, which has been pending for some time, and which grew out of both gentlemen being suitors for the same lady's hand in marriage, was to-day dismissed, with costs by the Superior Court.

It is stated here that His Excellency the Governor-General and H. R. H. Princess Louise are to come on to Quebec *incog* about the middle of next month.

The Levis Ferry Co. to-day rose the price of the fare between the city and Levis.

The preliminary objections to the petition in the Bellechasse Election Petition have been dismissed.

A series of lectures to young men, more especially for the edification of the students of Laval University, were commenced at the Basilica to-night.

A quantity of steel rails, for the Lake St. John Railway, has arrived at Palais.

The cases of Murphy *vs.* Connolly and Watson *vs.* Samson, has been reversed by the Court of Appeals.

OTTAWA.

THE VICE-REGAL GUARD.

WORKINGMEN'S ADDRESS.

APPOINTMENT OF A DOMESTIC CHAPLAIN.

H. R. H. AS A PEDESTRIAN.

OTTAWA, Dec. 9.—The presentation of an address to Sir Jno. Macdonald from the workingmen, will take place on Wednesday evening in the Opera House.

The guard at Rideau Hall consists of six men and two non-commissioned officers from the Foot Guards.

The Rev. Mr. Hnnington, of St. Bartholomew Church, New Edinburgh, has been appointed domestic chaplain at Rideau Hall by His Excellency and the Princess. A special service for the household at Government House, is held at 9 o'clock every morning.

The pickpockets who were remanded by the Police Magistrate, were to-day brought before Mr. Justice Henry, of the Supreme Court, on a writ of *habeas corpus*. Mr. Mosgrove, their counsel, asked for a release on the ground that the Magistrate had no power under the statute to detain them, unless some reasonable cause was shown. Justice Henry discharged the writ, and the prisoners sent back to custody.

On Sunday afternoon His Excellency and the Princess walked from Rideau Hall to the Suspension Bridge at a four mile gait. Her Royal Highness was attired in a plain black cashmere dress, looped up over a black satin petticoat, and with a long grey cloak embroidered in silk and trimmed with fur, mink cap with cloth capuchin or opera hood, drawn over the head, and a white cloud. Lady Macnamara was plainly dressed in black with fur cap and cloud. Both ladies carried small canes. Colonel McNeil acted as guide, and pointed out the different objects of interests along the route. On arriving at the Suspension bridge a beautiful sight met their gaze, and they appeared to realize the charm of the scene as only strangers looking upon it for the first time can. A beautiful sunset shed a perfect flood of light over the boiling foam as it dashed over the precipice displaying a thousand and one gorgeous tints. The party were most favourably impressed with the grandeur of the scene.

TORONTO.

THE NEW LOAN.

DECORATED.

NARROW ESCAPE.

LOOKING AFTER THE POOR.

OFF TO THE CAPE.

THE ABDUCTION CASE.

THE MAYORALTY.

A LONG LEASE.

TORONTO, Dec. 9—A special by cable to the *Globe* says, the failure of the new Canadian loan is partly owing to the rumours of further financial difficulties and partly to the fact that instalments of Egyptian loans and the treasury bills tendered for last week had to be paid on the same day, money was consequently very scarce. The portion of the loan untendered for represents nearly the whole of new money the Canadian Government expected to get by the loan. The remainder is required for the redemption of maturing six per cent. bonds. The *Times* in an editorial suggests that should the loan not be all readily tendered for, the Canadian banks, under advances to the Government, might hold over the bonds till a more favourable opportunity.

The French Government conferred the Legion of Honour on the following gentlemen, connected with Canada at the Paris Exhibition:—Mr. Pelletier as been created Commander; Mr. Keefer, an officer; and Messrs. Drolet, May and Selwyn, Chevaliers. In connection with the Ontario Education exhibits the Minister of Public Instruction has conferred the order of the Palm Leaf, given only to literary and scientific men, on the Hon. Adam Crooks, the Rev. E. Ryerson, Dr. J. G. Hodgins, and Mr. May.

John Cneadle, a brakeman on a Grand Trunk freight train, in putting on a brake yesterday morning going down a decline a mile west of Weston, missed his footing, and fell between two cars. Fortunately he lodged between the rails, and escaped with a fractured wrist and a few bruises and cuts on the head.

Complaint is made that the new Exhibition Grounds are neglected, and a quantity of planking has been carried off, and other injuries through gross neglect are reported.

At a meeting on Friday evening to consider what provision should be made for the homeless during the winter, Mr. J. G. Worts, the great whiskey distiller, said he had very economical ideas concerning the assistance that should be afforded to applicants at the proposed refuge. A large quantity of flesh of cattle, usually thrown away, could be utilized for food, and as regardes shelter a board surrounded with a stone wall, with a temperature of 70 and 80 degrees, would render the employment of bed clothes unnecessary.

Mr. Shea, correspondent of the London *Standard*, has left Canada, under immediate orders for the Cape of Good Hope.

The case of Edward J. Clarke, who is charged with the abduction of Josephine Leslie, was continued at the Police Court to-day. A large mass of evidence was taken, and the case for the prosecution virtually closed. When the Court rose the case was adjourned until Thursday, when witnesses for the defence will be heard.

Judge Mackenzie has announced his intention to take up the Lamb-Godson investigation in the course of a week. This is a case in which Aldermen Close and Dill are charged with malfeasance.

Mayor Morrison has announced his intention to again be a candidate for the Mayoralty. Ex-Ald. James Britton will also run with five candidates in the field, namely, Messrs. Beatty, Close, Manning, Morrison and Britton. The contest will be a veritable scramble, all the candidates are Conservative in politics.

At the City Council this evening Hon. G. W. Allan made application for a 99 years lease of the Horticultural Gardens. It is proposed to erect a pavillian at the cost of $20,000, and the lease is asked that it may be mortgaged in order to raise the money.

BELLEVILLE.

RAILROAD COMPLETION.

BELLEVILLE, Dec. 9.—Iron on the Grand Junction Railroad was to be laid to Cambellford to-day, and the Belleville and North Hastings Railroad will be completed within a few days. A good deal of cordwood and millwood has been brought in over the North Hastings Railroad lately.

LONDON.

COAL OIL.

CHEWING GUM.

NOT DEAD YET.

POLICE DISCIPLINE.

LONDON (Ont.), Dec. 9.—Mr. Klosterman, a noted oil refiner of London, East, is about starting the manufacture of chewing gum from paraffine. The refining trade is improving, six refineries being now in operation.

Detective Phair has been fined ten days pay, and P. C. Powers dismissed for neglect of duty.

Mr. Jas. Dyke, the well-known draughts champion, who was reported dead in this morning's paper, it being stated he died at Wardsville from an overdose of morphine. He turned up in this city this a.m., and emphatically denies the allegation. The report arose in a stupid joke.

The weather took another violent change this a.m., and rain has fallen all day. The snow that fell last night and promised sleighing has all gone, and the streets are again overrunning with slush and mud.

HALIFAX.

FATAL FALL.

HALIFAX, Dec. 9.—A young man named Allan Farquhar, twenty-two years of age, while at his residence at Western Head, near Liverpool, accidentally fell down, with a knife in his hand, which entered his throat, severing an artery. He died in a few minutes.

ST. JOHN.

THE INSANE DODGE PLAYED OUT.

ST. JOHN, Dec. 9.—A convict named Downey was convicted in the Circuit Court to-day, of having grievously assaulted a keeper in the Penitentiary, and he was sentenced to fifteen years imprisonment. It was contended in his defense that he was insane, but the judge instructed the jury that unless there was an entire lack of knowledge to distinguish between right and wrong, they could not but find the prisoner guilty, that a mere insanity upon one or more subjects would not clear him unless it destroyed his faculties of judging between right and wrong.

THE AFGHANISTAN WAR.

UNDEFENDED.

THE GOVERNMENT ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE COST.

ENGLAND MUST BE PARAMOUNT IN AFGHANISTAN.

NO ROOM FOR RUSSIA THERE.

THE AMEER'S REPLY TO THE VICE ROY OF INDIA.

ADVANCE ON CANDAHAR.

LAHORE, Dec. 9.—A reconnoissance shows Khojeck Pass is not defended, and General Biddulph has been ordered to occupy it.

In the House of Lords Lord Cranbrook, Secretary of State for India, on moving the resolution that the expenses of the Afghan War be defrayed from the revenues of India, said he estimated the the Indian surplus at 2,136,000 pounds. Therefore there would be a substantial surplus after paying the war expenses, which were estimated at less than 1,250.000 pounds for the present financial year. Lord Cranbrook declared the Government assumed full responsibility for Lord Lytton. There was not room for both England and Russia in Afghan. The Ameer's letter was no answer to England's *ultimatum*, but a mere evasion. England must be paramount in Afghanistan, which must be a friendly janitor to the doors of India, or England must hold the key herself.

The full text of the Ameer's reply to the Viceroy of India's *Ultimatum* is published. The Ameer says with regard to expressions used by Your Excellency referring to the friendly character of the mission and the good will of the British Government I leave it to Your Excellency to decide whether any reliance can be placed upon good will evidenced by words only; but if on the other hand good will really consists of deeds, then it has not been manifested by various wishes expressed and proposals made by the British officials during the past few years, to officials of this God-granted Government, proposals which from their nature it was impossible for them to comply with. The Ameer instances the British demand for the release of his imprisoned son Yakoob Khan as a condition of British friendship, and asserts there are several other grounds of complaint which contain no evidence of good will; but which were effective in increasing the aversion and apprehension already entertained by subjects of this God-granted Government. The Ameer also says:—"I assure Your Excellency the officials of this God-granted Government, in repulsing the Mission, were not influenced by any hostile or inimical feelings towards the British Government, nor did they intend that any insult or affront should be offered; but they were afraid the independence of this government might be affected by the arrival of the Mission, and that the friendship which has now existed between the two Governments for several years might be annihilated." The Ameer states the paragraph in the Vice-Roy's letter saying "The Ameer would be held responsible for any injury that might befall the tribes who acted as guides to the Mission justified the apprehensions of the people of Afghanistan. Had the object of the Mission been really friendly and no force or threats of violence used, the Mission would, as a matter of course, have been allowed free passage. The Ameer declares his Government cherishes no hostility towards the British Government, and says if the British Government should desire to send a purely friendly and temporary mission to this country with a small escort not exceeding 20 or 20 members, similar to that which attended the Russian mission, this servant of God will not oppose its progress.

Viscount Halifax moved to amend concurring in the Government.

Lord Lawrence, formerly Governor-General of India, deprecated pushing forward the frontier under any circumstances. He thought war should be concluded speedily; nothing should be exacted from the Afghans, and they should be assured of aid against foreign invasion. If England did not pay all the costs of the war there would be indignation and despair in India.

Lord Derby said the Government in only summoning Parliament after war was declared placed the country, which professed to be self governing, in a peculiar position. He pointed to the difference in the Government's attitude towards the Ameer of Afghanistan and towards Russia. He was of opinion that there had never been any clear wish to avoid war, and the war was not unconnected with projects for the rectification of the frontier.

Lord Carnarvon declared war was irreconciliable with any idea of justice, and the policy in furtherance of which it had been undertaken was dangerous and delusive. The debate was adjourned.

In the House of Commons Withread moved a resolution disapproving of the conduct of the Government regarding Afghanistan. He said "the Government had adopted a new policy against the advice of all experienced officials, concealed it from Parliament and attempted to carry it out by threats and unworthy means. That having cause for complaint against a strong power they fixed a quarrel on the weak one and involved the country in war."

Stanhope, Under Secretary for India, defended the Government and repeated in substance the strictures on the policy of the Liberal Government in the Cranbrooke despatch and said the present Government did not desire power or annexation but were bound to provide for the security of the frontier.

Trevllyan and Chamberlain attacked the Government, pursuing the usual lines of argument. Chamberlain announced he had withdrawn his supplementary vote of censure because it was inconsistent with the forms of the House.

Forster replied in detail to Stanhope's speech. He said if supporters of the resolution were in power, they would aim at peace with honour and take the first opportunity of coming to honourable terms by returning to the policy of the former Indian Viceroys, Mayo and Northbrook, and assuring the Ameer against unprovoked Russian attack.

The debate was adjourned.

A Lahore correspondent telegraphs the influence of the Ameer's letter becomes immediately apparent in the enlargement of operations. Gen. Brown in his advance on Jellalabad only awaits supplies. Gen. Biddulph psubes on throught he Khojuck Pass to Candahar.

GREAT BRITAIN.

RETURNED HOME.

EDISON'S PATENT.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—Sir S. Northcote replying to an inquiry in the Commons to-day, said the Russian envoy at Afghanistan had returned to Russia, and that Count Schouvaloff had so informed Lord Salisbury.

The English patent solicitors say they cannot find that Russell, who objects to Edison's application for a patent for electric light, has any patent for such invention. They believe Russell's opposition will prove vexatious but futile.

The National Provincial Bank is prepared to advance 50 per cent. to depositors in the West of England and South Wales District Bank. Several Friendly Societies had accounts in the latter, including the fund subscribed at Newport for the relief of the Abercorn colliery sufferers. Already a few small failures in Llanelly are reported.

Leutner. the contractor for raising the "Grosser Kurfeurst." signed a contract to raise the "Pommerania."

The *Times* publishes a communication stating the territoritorial difficulty between the Argentine States and Chili has been settled.

FRANCE.

ARMY HORSES.

PARIS, Dec. 9.—The first shipment of horses from America for the use of the French army has arrived. The French military inspectors are much pleased.

Emile Littre, the distinguished philologist, is very ill.

VERSAILLES, Dec. 9.—The Chamber of Deputies has ratified the Silver Convention with Belgium, Italy, Switzerland and Greece.

GERMANY.

SERIOUS ILLNESS OF THE GRAND DUCHESS OF HESSE.

LONDON, December 9.—A despatch from Darmstadt reports that the Grand Duchess of Hesse is seriously ill with diphtheria. She is Princess Alice, the second daughter and third child of Queen Victoria.

The *Post* states the Princess Alice's attack of diptheria has become aggravated, and her condition excites the deepest anxiety.

A correspondent at Berlin reports that Gortschakoff had interviews with all the diplomatists before leaving Berlin, and repeatedly assured the Austrian Ambassador of his sincere desire to maintain peace.

BERLIN, December 9.—Prince Gortschakoff has left for St. Petersburg.

IRELAND.

CONFIDENCE IN DR. BUTT.

DEATH OF C. J. MONAHAN.

LONDON, Dec. 9—In consequence of O'Connor Power's letter, a number of Home Rule members have signed a declaration of continued confidence in Dr. Butt.

DUBLIN, Dec. 9—Chief Justice Monahan, Attorney-General during the troubles of 1848, is dead.

ITALY.

THE MAY LAWS.

ROME, December 9.—It is reported that Bismarck will only grant amnesty to those German ecclesiastics who specially apply for it and make submission to the May laws.

SPAIN.

OF NO CONSEQUENCE.

MADRID, Dec. 9.—The Premier declared in Congress to-day that the Government would receive the French representative whether Monarchist or Republican, just as they received Ministers of the United States or Mexico.

RUSSIA.

MINISTERIAL CHANGES.

SHERE ALI'S FAMILY.

CHINESE TROOPS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 9.—The resignation of Gen. Timacheff, Minister of the Interior, was in consequence of ill health. Makoff will act temporarily. Count Lolstoi, Minister of Public Instruction, will probably resign on account of his unsatisfactory administration. Prince de Liven, the present Grand Master of Ceremonies, will succeed him.

Intelligence has been received that the family of the Ameer of Afghanistan have taken refuge in Russian Turkestan.

The Chinese force at Asksus, designed to operate against Kuldja, has been reinforced by a thousand men,

TURKEY.

THE AMERICAN CONSPIRATOR.

WILL CARRY OUT THE TREATY.

ARMY REFORMS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 9.—Andrew Romer, a native of Hungary, naturalized in the United States in 1854 and employed as engineering mechanic at the Arsenal of Constantinople, from which he was dismissed three months ago, was arrested on the 28th November. Mr. Maynard, the United States Minister, protested that in accordance with the terms of capitulations, Romar ought to have been sent to the Consular Prison. The Grand Vizier (Safvet Pasha) expressed his regret at the mistake, and promised to arrange the matter, but nothing was done up to the time of accession of the new Ministry. Mr. Maynard will to-day demand to be informed of the charges against Romer. The Porte has not informed Mr. Maynard that Romer is charged with conspiracy against the Sultan.

The Sultan has assured Count Zichy, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador to Constantinople, of the Porte's intention to adhere to the treaty of Berlin, and expressed great anxiety to arrive at a friendly understanding with Austria.

Omar Pasha, the new Minister of War, has prepared a radical re-organization of the army.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—A Lauris despatch reports the Turkish Commissioner arrived, and the Khatam Province will be surrendered to Russia in a fortnight.

AUSTRIA.

MOTION REJECTED.

PESTH, Dec. 9.—The Lower House of the Hungarian Diet rejected the motion proposed by Premier Tisza, to discuss the Treaty of Berlin.

A Pesther Lloyd states a member of the Hungarian delegation at the Conference, at the residence of Tisza, promised to support the vote of 20,000,000 florins for occupation expenses of 1879.

SOUTH AMERICA.

ASSASSINATION OF DON MANUEL PARDO.

PANAMA, Nov. 30.—The particulars of the assassination at Lima of Don Manuel Pardo has been received. On November 18th, at 2 o'clock, he, with Drs. Rivas and Malgar, descended from the carriage before the door of the Senate. A guard of the Pichincha battalion was drawn up in the court yard and saluted as Pardo passed. Immediately thereafter the sergeant of the guard, Melchor Montoya deliberately fired into Pardo's back. The latter lay where he fell, unable to endure moving, and was attended until death ensued, about three o'clock. His last words were: "I pardon everybody, even to my assassin." Dr. Melgar, after the crime, seized the assassin, the guard standing passively by, but he escaped, and was only captured after a long pursuit. His Excellency, the President, was much affected by the affair, and hastened to Don Pedro's side, exclaiming "Shame! shame!" and demanding to know why the assassin was permitted to live. He ordered the entire guard under arrest; he also promoted the sergeant who captured the assassin. When the shot was heard the sergeant of the guard at the Chamber of Deputies went with his rifle into the plazauela and fired, two or three soldiers of the guard following. The Captain of the guard drew his sword, making use of it, and subdued his men, who were in complete disorder. The assassin, Montoya, has been seven years in the regiment and never gave the slightest reason for supposing him capable of committing such a crime. It is said that the assassin confessed that the assassination formed part of a conspiracy in which almost all the sergeants of the Pichincha battalion and some of the officers are implicated. He states he was engaged to take part in it by a sergeant named Gomez Sanchez, who offered to assist him in perpetrating the crime, but who at the last moment left him.

UNITED STATES.

TRADE DOLLAR BILL DEFEATED.

COMMERCIAL TREATY WITH JAPAN.

SUGAR DUTIES.

THE NEW DOLLAR AND THE BANKS.

LAND SUIT.

PATENT GRANTED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—In the House to-day the motion to suspend rules and pass the bill prohibiting further coinage of trade dollars, and directing their exchange for and their recoinage in standard silver dollar was defeated. Yeas, 154; nays, 91; not two-thirds.

The commercial treaty with Japan soon to be communicated to the Senate by the President for ratification, contemplates important additions having in view the increase and development of commerce.

A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, accompanied by a draft of the Bill to regulate duties on certain classes of sugar, was laid before the House to-day and referred. The bill prescribes, in lieu of existing duties, a specific duty on all sugars not above No. 13 Dutch standard in colour, and not exceeding 94 degrees in saccharine strength, of two cents and four mills per pound.

A Bill was introduced in the House to-day by Felton, of Georgia, to compel the national banks to receive and recognize the standard silver dollar as equivalent in value to gold coins.

In the Supreme Court to-day the suit of the United States against Samuel Thrackmerher *et al*, an appeal from the Circuit Court of the United States, District of California, came up. The suit was brought to establish the title of the United States to 70,000 acres in Alameda and Contra Costa counties, California, of which it is alleged the defendant became possessed by virtue of a forged and fraudulent Mexicant grant. The decree was affirmed.

The Patent Office Examiners here passed for issue Edison's application for a patent on a division of electric light. Details will not be made public for ten days, unless given out by Edison.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., December 9.—Representatives of roads running east from here to-day decided to restore former Fall rates.

NEW COINAGE—STRIKE.

THE INDIAN TRANSFER.

ELECTION FRAUDS AND TRIALS.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9—The *Times* says in connection with the proposed transfer the Indians of various tribes recently held councils with a view of ascertaining the feeling on the subject, and about 96 per cent. of the Indians expressed themselves against the transfer.

The *Herald* says it is suggested in influential Democratic quarters that if the election trials in South Carolina show that frauds sufficient to invalidate the election in the two Black districts were committed, the elections there shall be promptly declared void when the new Congress meets next December.

Southern men in the House are disposed to move the grant of money asked by the President to carry out the Federal election trials. They are confident a thorough judicial enquiry will show the country there was no intimidation, but there is once more a growing and noticeable feeling among extreme Republicans against the President.

Buckner will introduce a bill directing the coinage of seven millions worth of bullion monthly into standard dollars, until the market value of silver bullion at New York is at par with coined standard silver, after which time such purchases of bullion shall cease, and thereafter silver bullion shall be coined into standard dollars on the same terms as now provided for coining gold. The act also provides for the redemption of standard silver dollars in gold at par on demand.

CONCORD, N.H., December 9.—During a dispute early this morning, E. J. Knee shot Wm. Murphy fatally; Knee claims it was accidental.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., December 9.—Miners and labourers at May, Audenreid & Co's. Buck Ridge colliery, Shamoken, struck for an advance of wages; the strike throws two hundred men and boys out of employment.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 9.—The train jumped the track eight miles west of Rome to-day. One man was killed and several seriously injured.

FIRE REPORT.

Specially reported for the MONTREAL HERALD.

OTTAWA, Dec. 9.—The barns and sheds of James Cullon, at Lorne Bridge, in the Township of Osgoode, were destroyed by fire last night, together with a quantity of hay. The grain being saved, Mr. Cullon's loss will be about $1,000. The insurance only ran out about a week ago and was not renewed.

HALIFAX, Dec. 9.—A new building at Digby, owned by E. A. Poole, was burned to the ground on Friday last.

SONORA (O.), Dec. 9.—Small & Mason's warehouse and store was burned to-day. Loss, $20,000.

TOM'S RIVER (N. J.), Dec. 9.—The residence of Cornelius Lawrence, situated at Bayville, was burned to-day. Loss, $5,000.

WEATHER REPORT.

MONTREAL, Dec. 9.

TEMPERATURE.—In the shade by Standard Thermometer observed by Hearn Harrison & Co., Opticians and Mathematical Instrument Makers, 242 & 244 Notre Dame Street.

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(BY TELEGRAPH.)

TORONTO, Dec. 6.—Probabilities for the next twenty-four hours:—For the Lower Lake region—Fresh to brisk easterly to southerly winds; cloudy weather with rain or snow, followed to-morrow by westerly winds, clearing weather and lower temperature. For the St. Lawrence—Fresh to brisk winds; cloudy weather with snow, turning to rain in the upper portion. For the Maritime Provinces—Westerly winds, and fine weather; followed by increasing cloudiness, easterly winds, and rain or snow to-morrow morning.

BELLEVILLE, Dec. 9.—Snow fell steadily since early morning, and this afternoon many persons were out taking their first sleigh ride for the season. The roads are covered to a depth of three inches.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9—Indications—Cloudy weather and frequent rains; warm south-easterly, shifting to colder north-westerly winds; falling, followed by rising barometer. Cautionary signals—Buffalo, Rochester and Oswego!

Miscellaneous.

The Canada and Newfoundland SEALING AND FISHING CO.

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By order,

HENRY McKAY,
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for reception of Report, Election of Directors, and such other business as may come before the meeting,

By order,

ALEX. McDOUGALL,
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Union Bank of Lower Canada.

Dividend No. 26.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Dividend of

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upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current Half-year, and that the same will be payable, at the Bank and its Branches, on and after

THURSDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF JANUARY, 1879.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 31st December inclusive.

By order of the Board,

P. MACEWEN,
Cashier.

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Exchange Bank of Canada.

Dividend No. 13.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Dividend of THREE PER CENT. upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current Half-year, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House, in this city, on and after

Thursday, the Second day of January Next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the Sixteenth to the Thirty-first of December, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

C. R. MURRAY,
Cashier.

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THE Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Dividend No. 23.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Dividend of FOUR PER CENT. upon the Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the current Half-year, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches, on and after

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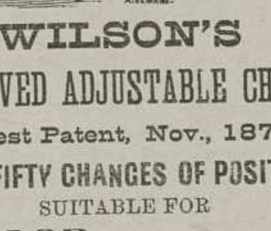

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SUPERIOR COURT.

(No. 970.)

LICITATION

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, under and by virtue of the judgment of the Superior Court, sitting in the City of Montreal, in the District of Montreal, on MONDAY, the Twenty-seventh day of MAY, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-eight, in a cause in which Alexis Lalonde, gentleman, of the City and District of Montreal is Plaintiff; and Theophile Turgeon, trader, Dame Lea Turgeon, widow of the late Charles Turgeon, Joseph Ovide Turgeon, esquire, advocate, Edmond, Turgeon, trader, Nestor Turgeon, trader, Delphine Turgeon, spinster, Dame Hermine Turgeon, wife separated as to property from Moise T Sarault, Merchant Tailor, and the said Moise T. Sarault, to authorize his said wife *a ester en justice*, J. Eraste Lusignan, Clerk, in his quality of Curator duly appointed to the substitution created in virtue of the last Will and Testament of the late Dame Sophie Marchand, lawful wife of John Buxton, Artist, made and passed before Mtre. Mathieu and his colleague, Notaries, the Thirteenth day of September, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-five, all of the City and District of Montreal, and Dame Hersilie Turgeon, wife of Felix Gabriel Marchand, Esquire, Notary Public, a Member of Parliament for the Province of Quebec, residing in the Town of Saint Johns, in the District of Iberville, and the said Felix Gabriel Marchand, to the effect of authorizing his said wife for the presents, and Minasippe Turgeon, of the said City and District of Montreal, are Defendants, ordering the Licitation of a certain immoveable property described as follows, to wit:—

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LOCAL NEWS.

MONTREAL GENERAL HOSPITAL.—Number of patients treated for week ending 9th inst:—Out door, 378; in door, average daily, 122.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.—The Board of Out Door Relief acknowledges with thanks a donation of $20 from Mrs. Murray, Cote St. Antoine.

VISITING GOVERNORS—Messrs. H. A. Nelson and David Sinclair are the visiting governors at the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge this week.

"BON VOYAGE."—Miss Sidey, Messrs. J. G. Sidey, D. D. Sidey, and C. J. Sidey left here by the 4 p.m. train yesterday *via* New York for Edinburgh. Numerous friends were at the Bonaventure Depot to wish them an agreeable and a pleasant voyage, and when the train moved cheer after cheer followed them.

PROTESTANT BURIAL RETURNS.—During the week ending Saturday last, the remains of nine persons were interred in Mount Royal Cemetery, viz: 4 boys, 1 married man, 1 bachelor, 2 girls, 1 married woman, natively English; Irish, 1; Canada, 7. Of contagious diseases, 2 succumbed to diphtheria, Of five deaths outside the limits, 1 died of diphtheria.

PROTESTANT HOUSE OF INDUSTRY AND REFUGE.—Statement for week ending 7th December, 1878:—Number of permanent inmates, males, 43; females, 29; number of temporary, males, 39; females, 5. Total 115. Number of night lodgings given in night refuge, males, 157; females, 45; boys, 30. Total, 232. Number of quarts of soup and extra meals distributed, night refuge poor, 663; out-door poor, 412. Total, 1075.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH.—We understand that at a meeting of the pewholders of this church, held last evening, a communication was read from the Revd. Mr. Sullivan of Chicago (formerly of the old St. George's Church) accepting the call as rector of the church. This information will doubtless be received with satisfaction by all members of the Evangelical Church in this city.

CATHOLIC BURIAL RETURNS.—63 persons dying inside the city limits were interred in the Cote des Neiges Cemetery during the week ending Saturday last. Of this number 20 were boys, married men, 3; widowers, 3; bachelors, 21; girls, 5; married women, —; widows, 2; spinsters, 4; natively Irish, 3; English speaking Canadians, 11; French, do. Of contagious diseases, 23 died of small-pox and 2 of diphtheria. Of 12 dying outside the limits, 1 died of small-pox.

AT THE COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS YESTERDAY, Mr. C. A. Dugas presiding, John Belanger was arraigned and plead guilty to stealing money from a woman at Bonsecours Market. John Belisle was arraigned on the charge of stealing $17 from Patrick Monaghan. His trial was fixed for Friday. Wm. Marcom was tried and found guilty of stealing a coat, and Edward Ayotte was tried and found guilty of having burglars tools in his possession.

POLICE COURT—YESTERDAY.—Michael McKinley was yesterday sent to gaol for 15 days for stealing several bottles of cider on Saturday, from a waggon on Ottawa street, while the driver was executing an order in a saloon. Ephreen Viau, shoemaker, for stealing leather from Messrs. Bonani & Melanger, was sent to gaol for two months. In the case of Mr. Kearney, the auctioneer, accused of receiving stolen lambskins, the property of the firm of Thibault, Lanthier & Co. Mr. Thibault was examined, and identified the skins as the property of his firm. Messrs. J. J. Curran, Q.C., and P. J. Coyle appear for the defense.

PRESBYTERIAN ANNIVERSARY MEETINGS.—As previously announced, the various congregations in the city connected with the Presbyterian Church in Canada hold their anniversay Missionary meetings in Crescent Street Church on this and the two following evenings. The committee have secured the services of Rev. Dr. A. T. Pierson, of Detroit, one of the most eloquent of American divines; Rev. Dr. Burns, of Halifax, than whom there are few more popular platform speakers; Rev. R. N. Grant, of Ingersoll, one of the rising young ministers of the church, and Rev. Dr. Fraser, missionary from Formosa, China. These anniversaries promise to be most interesting and will doubtless be largely attended.

BREVITIES.—Detective Murphy yesterday received, in a second hand clothes store, the watch and chain of a Mr. Louis Brassard, which was stolen from him a few days since. The watch was sold for $5, scarcely one-fourth of its value......About six p.m. Sunday, as a St. Lawrence street C. P. R. car was proceeding down hill at a radid pace, one of the horses stumbled and fell, and was instantly killed by the vehicle......The watchman at the Mile End Railway Station has been suspended...... Some offices in the City Hall and in the Court House are greatly overheated...... The frost continues with every appearance of an increase in severity......The management of the Victoria Skating Rink hope soon to be able to open it for the season.

THE SILVERWARE ROBBERY.—The timely, unexpected recovery of the property stolen from Mr. H. Bulmer's residence early Saturday morning, is due to a poor labourer named Hugh O'Neil, residing at 58 Duke street. Mr. O'Neil is an honest, hard-working man, who has the misfortune to have a son who is by no means a credit to him, he having of late contracted the companionship of thieves and vagabonds. Saturday morning the father had occasion to go into one of the garrets of his house, and there found a clothes basket full of silverware, the latter being enclosed in an oil cloth table cover, and padded with towels to prevent noise. He retraced his steps, awoke his son, gave him "just three hours to clear out." and then proceeded to the Central Station and informed Detective Cullen.

"THE JESUITS, what they have done for Civilization" was the subject of an exhaustive (from a Catholic standpoint) and most interesting lecture delivered in the Mechanics' Hall last evening by Captain Kirwan of the Montreal *Evening Post*, under the auspices of the Catholic Young Men's Society. The representatives of every Catholic society in the city were present, and a goodly audience, although all who had purchased tickets were not present. The lecture embraced a complete history of the society together with the individual researches of members of the order in every branch of science, discovery, literarure and art, The lecturer also referred at some length to the oaths taken by members of the society and showed that its objects were that of evangelizing and educating the world, which result it had, through the untiring zeal and devotion of its members, (as admitted by almost every Protestant sect) to a great extent brought about. A cordial vote of thanks was passed to the lecturer at the close.

THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE BENJAMIN LYMAN took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, 814 Lagauchetiere street. The high respect in which the deceased gentleman was universally held was shown by the very large and influential body of citizens of all classes who joined in the *cortege*. The pall-bearers: Hon. L. H. Holton, Messrs. E. F. Ames, S. H. May Geo. W. Reed, H. A. Nelson, M.P.P., Thos. Workman and Henry Mulholland, and among those forming the *cortege* were the Very Rev. Dean Bond, Bishop-elect; Rev. Principal McVicar, Rev. Dr. Jenkins and other of the city clergy, Hon. James Ferrier, and Messrs. Henry Bulmer, Edward Murphy, J. S. McLaughlin, Jos. McKay, Edward McKay, W. Darling, C. W. Alexander, Robert Esdaile, J. J. Arnton, Alds. Clendinneng, Hagar and Holland, Mr. B. Devlin, Q. C., W. H. Kerr, Q.C., E. Carter, Q.C., Hon. E. G. Penny, James Stewart, Richard White, J. R. Dougall, Buntin, Lieut.-Col. Fletcher, Col. Dyde, &c., &c. The funeral service took place in the American Presbyterian Church, Dorchester street, of which deceased was a member. The Revds. Dr. Wilkes and G. Wells, pastor of the church, officiating. The coffin, beautifully decorated with flowers, was placed immediately in front of the pulpit. The church was heavily draped in mourning, and was completely filled by those who formed the lengthy *cortege*. The impressive ceremonies occupied an hour and at the close the sad procession was reformed and proceeded to Mount Royal Cemetery.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW R. E. CHURCH.

As briefly noticed yesterday the beautiful church edifice on Beaver Hall Hill, known for many years as the First Baptist Church, was on Sunday opened for the service of God according to the doctrines and teachings of the Reformed Episcopal Church in Canada and under the name of St. Bartholomew's R. E. Church. With the alterations that have been made the edifice is admirably adopted to the congregation and their particular form of worship. At the morning service there were present of the city clergy the Rev. Dr. Ussher, pastor of St Bartholomew's; the Right Rev. Bishop Fallows, of Chicago, the Rev. Mr. Huntington, of the Emanuel Reformed Episcopal Church, Ottawa; the Rev. Dr. McVicar, Principal Montreal Presbyterian College and the Rev. Dr. Wilkes, Congregation; who severally took part in the service. The sermon was preached by the Right Rev. Bishop Fallows from Haggai ii. 6 7 8 9. At the evening service the Rev. Dr. Ussher, the Right Rev. Bishop Fallows and the Rev. Mr. Huntington officiated, and Bishop preached from Ephesians 17, 18 and 19 verses. The church was crowded at each service. Last evening the congregation had a very large and pleasing social in the basement of their new church on Beaver Hall Hill. The room was very beautifully decorated with flags and evergreens under the direction of Mr. George Brown, jr., and a table was bountifully spread with the choicest stands, provided by the ladies of the congregation. A little after 7 o'clock tea was served, the blessing having been pronounced by Bishop Fallows, after full justice had been done by the numerous ladies and gentlemen. The Rector, Rev. Dr. Ussher, took the chair, and having called the congregation to order, a piano duett was very acceptably rendered by the Misses Powell, which was followed by a very spirited quartette song by four young gentlemen whose names our reporter could not learn. The Rector then introduced Bishop Fallows, Presiding Bishop of the R E.C., who made a very forcible speech, referring very gracefully to our late Governor-General and the the great catholic spirit which he evinced, and expressing the hope that the R.E.C. might be the means of uniting more fully all branches of the Christian Church. He was followed by the Rev. Mr. Munro, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, the Rev. Mr. Johnson, of St. James Methodist Church, Rev. Mr. Nichols, of the Presbyterian Church, Rev. Mr. Foster, of Calvary Congregational Church. There were others present, amongst whom we recognized the Rev. Messrs. Scrimger, Huntingdon, Bray and Wright. With the greatest cordiality and earnest desire for continuous prosperity on this young and flourishing church spoke one and all. The speeches were all of a high order, and the expression of esteem for the Pastor of the Church were numerous. A very fine violin solo was rendered by Mr. John Bailey, bandmaster of 5th Fusiliers, and organist of the church; after which a short speech was mas made by Rev. Mr. Williams. The doxology was then sung and the benediction pronounced by Bishop Fallows. Many availed themselves of the opportunity to shake hands with the Bishop after the close, and the guests slowly dispersed after having spent, as all acknowledged, a very enjoyable evening. Letters of regret for absence, owing to previous engagements, were read from several of our city Ministers, all of whom wished the sister church God speed. That this church has entered on a prosperous career was evident, and we learn that the pews are renting very fast, being assessed at prices to suit the hard times and give men of limited means no excuse for not having a seat in the house of God.

LEGAL INTELLICENCE.

SUPERIOR COURT.

AN ACTION FOR $50.000 DAMAGES.

HON. JUDGE JOHNSON, PRESIDING.

The case of SHAW VS. MCKENZIE ET AL., was tried yesterday before a judge of the Superior Court without a jury. The action is brought by Mr. W. J. Shaw, of the firm of W. J. Shaw & Co., of Toronto, against Messrs. McKenzie, Powis & Co., of Montreal, for alleged false arrest, and the damages are laid at $50,000. It will be remembered that in the month of July last Mr Shaw was arrested on a *capias*, issued at the suit of the defendants. The arrest was made on the pier at the foot of Jacques Cartier Square, just as the plaintiff was leaving by the steamboat for Quebec, where he intended to take the steamer for England. Mr. Maclaren, Q.C., of the firm of Maclaren & Trenholm, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Gonzalve Doutre, for the defendants.

Mr. MACLAREN, Q. C., having briefly stated the case, called a number of witnesses whose testimony went to establish the fact of the arrest and attending circumstances as already made public.

Mr. O'CONNOR, reporter, was put in the witness-box and testified to the fact that the arrest had been given a wide publicity through the daily newspapers.

G. HAGUE, General Manager of the Merchants Bank at Montreal, was called and examined. He deposed as follows: witness had been in Montreal about eighteen months; prior to that, had been in Toronto for about twenty years; knew Mr. W. J. Shaw the plaintiff; his position and standing as a merchant, previously to the 10th July last, was good; Mr. Shaw was reported to have a capital of forty, fifty, or sixty thousand dollars; he was carrying on a large business in Toronto as wholesale grocer; witness knew he owned a house, and that he lived in a good house; his reputation and position as a merchant were good. Shaw had never failed in business to the knowledge of witness. Witness saw him on the evening of the 19th July last, when he was arrested. Witness had gone to the Quebec boat to see a friend off, and met Mr. Shaw who told witness that he was under arrest. Witness expressed great surprise. Mr. Shaw said he had been *capiased*. Witness asked if security would be taken, but he had understood from the Sheriff's officer that he would not accept anything but the money. The boat was then about leaving. Witness asked Shaw if he wanted to leave particularly at that time, and witness offered to mark his check "good"; witness then accepted his check; witness understood from the Sheriff's officer that this was the only way he could release Mr Shaw. Mr. McKenzie and Mr. Powis were there at the time; they were together. There were about forty or fifty people there, that is, there was the usual assemblage to see the boat off. Witness understood Mr. Shaw to say he had been *capiased* for a matter that was in dispute between him and Mackenzie & Powis. The arrest attracted a good deal of attention among those assembled on the wharf. Mr. Shaw was away five or six weeks and then returned. Witness saw an account of the arrest in the Montreal and Toronto newspapers. Witness had no positive knowledge that this arrest had injured Mr. Shaw in his credit, but its effect could not have been otherwise than injurious. It was impossible to say how great an injury might have resulted; such an arrest might cause a temporary suspension, or it might cause the ruin of a man that would of course depend upon what people thought of it. It would be difficult to estimate the damage at so many dollars; a merchant might be ruined by such an arrest; it might be impossible for him to buy goods on credit afterwards; could not speak definitely as to the amount of damage. The firm of W. J. Shaw & Co. had done a very large amount of business.

In the cross-examination by Mr. Doutre, Mr. Hague stated that the Merchants Bank were plaintiff's bankers. Witness was not aware that Mr. Shaw had or had not a balance to his credit at the Bank of Toronto when he accepted that check; Mr. Shaw generally had a balance to his credit at the bank; witness knew nothing about the debts of Mr. Shaw; accepted the check, as he was fully convinced it would be made good on being sent to Toronto. Witness was not aware that prior to the 19th July Mr. Shaw was not meeting his notes at maturity; never heard that any note of his was lying under protest. In his capacity of general manager of the Merchants' Bank, he was not aware that Shaw's notes had been protested in Toronto. Any business done by the bank with Shaw was always satisfactory; witness was not aware that a note of plaintiff's for $750.58 was protested at the Merchants Bank, at Toronto, on the 19th June last; witness had known Shaw for nineteen years, and had never known him to be tricky; he was a sharp business man.

Q. If you had known that this note was lying protested at Toronto, would you have accepted his check?

A. I have no doubt that if he allowed his note to go to protest he did it deliberately because of some dispute. I knew he had the means of paying.

Mr. THOMAS CRAMP, of the firm Cramp, Torrance & Co., was next examined: Witness was not interested in this suit; had known Mr. Shaw four or five years; witness had had joint transactions in teas with him; he was in good standing as a merchant up to the 19th July last; was aware that he was going to England in July last; witness became aware of it by an application made by plaintiff for a return ticket by the steamer "Ontario," for which witness was agent. On the day of his arrest, Mr. Shaw had lunched with witness, and witness told him he would see him at the Quebec steamers' wharf. Witness saw him there, and he said he had been arrested, and that Mr. Hague would tell witness all about it; he was very much excited; witness shook hands with him as the boat was moving off. Witness saw an account of his arrest in the morning papers next day, and also in the Toronto papers. The only information witness received as to the injury done to plaintiff in consequence of this rumour or statement of his arrest was received from the plaintiff himself; he told witness that it had caused a great many orders that were given to his firm to be stopped. It was a serious matter. It might have ruined him. It might have injured his credit. Witness would estimate the damage at a very large amount indeed if he had the deciding of the matter. He would not wonder if this had injured the plaintiff at least to the extent of $25,000 or $30,000.

In cross-examination witness stated that he had certainly come to the conclusion that, since his arrest, Mr. Shaw's business had been curtailed; they had made no new transaction since that time. The business done in 1877 was to the extent of about a million dollars; these were joint operations and were continued; these operations were not so large now; the state of business did not warrant witness in doing large transactions.

Q. Is there not a general rumour that there are losses upon these operations?
A. I cannot tell about rumours.

Q. Do you expect profits or losses?
A. My expectations are of little consequence. It is impossible for me to form any estimate. I made enquiries of my partner in Toronto and he says he cannot tell. There is, for instance, a very large amount of teas; and teas may advance or they may fall—I mean in consequence of legislation—it is impossible to tell which; and there is sugar, &c., in the same way.

Q. As to the news of the arrest, if upon enquiry it was found that there was nothing in the report, would it effect plaintiff's credit? A. It is impossible to say how many people the report might have reached. Whatever may be the argument about the *capias* being just or unjust, Mr. Shaw suffered injury.

Q. You are not aware that credit was refused to Mr. Shaw? A. I would not be likely to hear of it as I do not live in Toronto.

Q. But this million of dollars that you speak of, was that the amount of your sales to the plaintiff in 1877? A. I think we sold Mr. Shaw $200,000 in that year.

Mr. COX, of the firm of Cox & Green, was the next witness. He testified that the firm of which he is a member sold a lot of sugar to the plaintiff a few days before the arrest. The issuing of a *capias* against Mr. Shaw had the effect of shaking their confidence in him; and so, instead of sending the sugar without asking for the money immediately, they drew with bills of lading attached, so as to be on the safe side. Witness heard that Mr. Shaw was to be *capiased* on the day of his arrest; his informant was Mr. Reid, who told him that the cause of the *capias* was that Mr. Shaw had bought tea at four months and it was not paid for, although five months had elapsed. All that witness heard was that plaintiff was leaving for England; did not hear that he would not return.

Mr. MCKENZIE, of the firm of McKenzie, Powis & Co., being recalled, was further cross-examined by Mr. Maclaren, and stated that he had instructed the bailiff who arrested the plaintiff on the *capias* to accept security for the amount of the debt, independently of the costs on the *capias*; he believed that Mr. Shaw was leaving the country with intent to defraud his creditors.

Q. You believed this without having made enquiries as to his leaving his family in Toronto? A. We did make enquiries, and could not find out.

Q. Were you not satisfied he was going to England merely on a pleasure trip? A. From inquiries made as to his financial position I was in doubt as to his returning to this country.

Q. Were you not aware that his business was being continued, and that arrangements were made to continue it? A. I was not.

Q. Did you make enquiries? A. I made no inquiries.

Q. Will you state anything which led you to believe that there was no possibility of Mr. Shaw's returning to this country and carrying on his business as usual? A. Nothing further than the inquiries I made as to Mr. Shaw being in trouble. I had doubts.

Q. Did you make enquiries as to his business in Toronto? A. I was informed that Mr. Shaw had commenced speculations which resulted in loss.

Q. Were you not aware that his business was being carried on in Toronto as usual? A. As a direct fact I was not.

Q. But you did not ask your partner who had just returned from Toronto? A. I did not.

Witness continuing said he did not know that Mr. Shaw had a family in Toronto; he knew he had a boy in Toronto; he presumed the plaintiff was carrying on his business in Toronto, but he did not know.

Q. Did you not believe that it was to be continued? A. I did not.

Witness continuing had the parties who gave him the information which raised doubts in his mind, were Mr. Reid, who said Mr. Shaw was much engaged in speculation, and witness was much alarmed at it; and Mr. McGregor, of New York.

This being the case for the plaintiff,

Mr. OSBORNE, representing a Brooklyn firm, was next called for the defence. He deposed that he had had notes of Mr. Shaw's which were protested. Witness had sent Mr. Fulton to Toronto to press payment of these notes; gave Fulton instructions to demand an assignment if he could not get the money in any other way. The money was paid in a few days. If witness had been in Montreal on the 19th July, he most certainly would have *capiased* Mr. Shaw. All the transactions witness had with him had been unsatisfactory, and he would not have given him credit before the 19th July last; the manager of their firm in Brooklyn had enquired of witness if he should sell to Mr. Shaw on credit, and witness telegraphed to him not to do so; but the goods had been sent already, otherwise the plaintiff would not have got them. Witness' firm had a judgment in June last against Mr. Shaw for nonfulfilment of contract, which judgment had been paid since.

Cross-examined by Mr. MACLAREN.

Q. You had a dispute with Mr. Shaw about a contract, and a law suit? A. Yes; but the note that went to protest was not given for this.

Q. But you had a law suit? A. Yes; several.

WM. MCGREGOR, merchant, New York, deposed that the credit of Mr. Shaw, prior to 19th July, was not good in New York. Sometime before 1877 Mr. Shaw went to New York and bought tea very heavily, and the general impression there was that this transaction would entail an enormous loss before it was wound up; knew a dealer in New York who had said he would prefer to sell to Mr. Shaw for cash; was aware that there was some paper of his over due in New York; did not know the amount. Witness could not speak as to Mr. Shaw's credit in Toronto.

In cross-examination, witness said the paper over due was held in New York; knew the parties who held it; it was given on a straight transaction; witness had not seen this paper himself but he knew the parties.

JOHN FULTON testified that he went to Toronto with the note he got from Mr. Osborne to collect. The plaintiff acknowledged his signature, but said the note was given in mistake, and he turned his back upon witness. The next day witness sent Mr. Urick to press for payment, when he learned that Mr. Shaw had left for England. Witness then called and spoke to Mr. Shaw's partner, who told him that he would see Mrs. Shaw about it, and to come back at three o'clock. Witness consented to wait until three o'clock when he was paid.

In cross-examination the witness said he did not know the circumstances under which the note was given; it was for about $500.

Several other witnesses were examined when the case was closed, and His Honour took the matter *en delibere*.

It is expected that judgment will be given about the 14th instant.

Saturday, November 7.

The following is the continuation of the judgments rendered in this court:

RAINVILLE, J.

DAME C. ERICKSON ET VIR. VS. DAME M. A. CUVILLIER ET VIR.—One of the plaintiff, Dame Charlotte Erickson, is the widow of the late Austin Cuvillier; the other, Charlotte Claire Cuvillier, is her daughter, and is married to Arther Abraham Fraser. The defendant, Marie Angelique Cuvillier, is the wife of A. M. Delisle, who is also a defendant in this case for the purpose of authorising his wife to plead. Charlotte Erickson and Austin Cuvillier were married on the 4th August, 1849, at Paddington, England. The plaintiffs allege that before the said marriage Austin Cuvillier always resided in Canada; that at the time of the marriage he was only residing temporarily in England, and that after the marriage he came to reside in Montreal; that on the 22nd September, 1850, was born Claire Cuvillier, the only issue of this marriage; that on the 31st October, 1857, a judgment was rendered by which Dame C. Erickson became separated as to property from her husband, Austin Cuvillier; that on the 12th August, 1858, Erickson renounced the *communaute* by a deed passed before Mr. Doucet, N. P.; that the only right she then had was her dower upon the immoveables that were subject to it. Judgment followed, homologating report and reserving her right of dower *que de droit*. That on the 11th February, 1869, Austin Cuvillier died, and on the 28th May, 1870, Charlotte Cuvillier was married to A. A Fraser; that before the marriage of Charlotte Erickson with Austin Cuvillier, the latter's father died intestate on the 11th July, 1849, leaving five heirs, Austin Cuvillier being of the number; that on the 4th December, 1849, Dame Marie Claire Perrault, widow of the late said Cuvillier, gave to her five children, Austin Cuvillier included, all her moveable and immoveable property as having been *en communaute de biens* with the father of Austin Cuvillier. Included in the property that Austin Cuvillier inherited from his father, as well as by virtue of the deed of gift from his mother, was a certain piece of land on Sherbrooke street; that on the 4th January, 1854, a deed was passed before Mr. Doucet, N. P.; by which a partition of the property was made by the children. This property included the piece of land above referred to and known in said deed as lot No. 4, which fell to Austin Cuvillier; that by a deed of sale passed on the 13th July, 1855, Austin Cuvillier sold this piece of land to the defendant, who took possession of it, and who still retains possession of it; that this lot is subject to the said dower in insufruct and in succession to her child the other plaintiff; that by a deed *sous seing prive* consented to before two witnesses in London, on the 22nd January, 1877, and duly proved before the Mayor of that city, the plaintiffs renounced the succession of the late Austin Cuvillier; that on the 3rd March, 1877, by a deed passed before Mr. Hunter, N. P., the other plaintiffs represented by an attorney duly authorized, again renounced the succession of Austin Cuvilliers, and that the said deed of renunciation was duly registered in Montreal on the 24th March, 1877. For the defence it is alleged that at the time of the marriage Austin Cuvillier resided in England, and that he always afterward continued to reside there; that the plaintiffs had accepted their father's succession; that the judgment in separation as to property was obtained fraudulently and to revive claims not founded; that since 29th May, 1866, Dame Marie Anne Claire Symes, niece of the defendant, and owner of an undivisible portion of the property left by Austin Cuvillier, consented by a certain deed of gift to Austin Cuvillier and Dame C. Erickson, on condition that the latter renounced, for herself and for her children, her pretentions to the said dower; that Dame C. Erickson did so renounce her pretentions. The defendant among other things pleads that she improved the property in question. Now, two important questions arise upon which the Court has to decide. Supposing that Austin Cuvillier, from the time of his marriage and ever since, had always resided in England, it would not follow that the immoveable belonging to him in Lower Canada and subject to the dower according to art 1434 of the Civil Code of Lower Canada, are subject to the plaintiff's dower. The authority of Pothier, on dowers, No. 303, leaves no doubt on this point and the numerous authorities cited by plaintiff's counsel when arguing the case establishes this doctrine incontestably. It is therefore useless for me to find out whether at the date of his marriage Austin Cuvillier resided in England or not. The second point is to know if Dame widow Austin Cuvillier renounced her dower according to the terms of Arts. 1444 and 1445 of the Civil Code. Let us see, first, what are the conditions of the deed of gift to which Miss Symes consented. By the conditions laid down in the deed, the gift made to Austin Cuvillier and to his children will hold good when and after Dame C. Erickson, his present wife, shall have renounced her claims, as well as her children, born and that may be born from her marriage to Austin Cuvillier, to all dowers and other matrimonial advantages that she or they may in any way pretend to have, or demand, on all and every immoveable property heretofore belonging to Austin Cuvillier in Montreal or elsewhere, the greater portion of which having been bought at the Sheriff's in the interest of Miss Symes as representing her late mother, and by Dame Marie Angelique Cuvillier, wife of A. M. Delisle. In execution of this deed the plaintiff, Erickson, authorised by her husband, gave a power of attorney in the following terms: "We, after having taken communication of a certain deed of donation (the deed above referred to) do approve, ratify and confirm and accept the said donation to all intents and purposes; and whereas by the said deed of donation it is stipulated that it will be in operation as to us, the said Austin Cuvillier, and Charlotte Cuvillier (Erickson) and to the children of the said Austin Cuvillier, unless I, the said Charlotte Cuvillier, do renounce for myself and my children, born or to be born, and other matrimonial rights which I or they can in any way have, demand or pretend in or upon all or any of the immoveable property heretofore belonging to the said Austin Cuvillier in the city of Montreal or elsewhere, the whole as therein more fully explained; and whereas, I am desirous to secure unto myself and my said husband and his children all the pecuniary advantages therein granted, I, the said Charlotte Cuvillier, do hereby appoint M. Cuvillier my lawful attorney to renounce for me, as well as for my children, born or to be born of my marriage with the said A. Cuvillier, to all dower and right of dower, and all other matrimonial advantages which I myself and my said children can or could in any way have, demand or pretend to have upon all the real and immoveable property hereinafter described." Here certain immoveables are described. Dame C. Cuvillier's attorney made a renunication in the terms of this power of attorney. Among the lots mentioned in this power of attorney, that in the possession of the defendant is not mentioned: but I am of opinion that from this power of attorney and the act of renunciation made by Mr. Cuvillier, the plaintiff's intention is evident, and that she has virtually renounced her right of dower on this lot although it is not described, since she accepts, confirms and ratifies the donation. It is a simple omission in the enumeration of immoveables on which the plaintiff renounced her dower. It has been pretended that the conditions imposed on the plaintiff when she renounced her dower could not benefit the defendant, as she was not a party to the deed of donation, but this pretention cannot be maintained in view of Art., 1029 of the Civil Code, and this provision for the benefit of the defendant can be accepted so long as it is not invoked, and its exception is a sufficient acceptance. Demolombe vol. 20, No. 91, p. 88. Having come to this conclusion it is not necessary that I should examine the question. The plaintiff's action is dismissed with costs.

PAPINEAU, J.

THE STADACONA INSURANCE COMPANY VS W. M. RICE.—This was an action brought to recover instalments due upon a subscription to the stock of this insurance company amounting to $150. The defendant admits having subscribed for the ten shares in question but he pleads that having become insolvent since, and having, on the 26th February 1876, obtained his discharge he is not liable, and that the plaintiff should look to the assignee of the defendant's estate for payment. The plaintiff replies that the insolvent was bound to furnish the assignee with a list of his debts, and that in the list which he did furnish, he never mentioned the claims of the company, and that consequently his discharge does not free him from this obligation and he cannot avail himself of the benefit of the insolvent law. The judgment is; considering that the plaintiff has proved the allegations of his *demande* and that the defendant admits that he has subscribed for the ten shares of stock in the company; considering that the defendant has not within the time prescribed by law nor at any time since, in the statement of his liabilities made at the time of his failure and composition, mentioned the debt of the plaintiff nor the name of the company as being his creditor, and that he has not fulfilled the conditions of the insolvent law as to this debt, he cannot plead against the plaintiff the benefit of his discharge, the court dismisses defendant's plea and condemns him to pay $166.55 with interest and costs.

JETTE, J.

BOYER VS MCIVER.—An action for rent and damage to premises. Judgment for plaintiff.

M. SAVAGE ET AL VS. P. WICKHAM.—The damages in this action were laid at $3,000. The difficulty occurred in July last, when Wickham, having sent his son on a message, it was discovered that he was being beaten by the son of the plaintiff, Savage, and by another boy named Murphy. The defendant on going out to separate the boys met the father of the boy Murphy, who came up at the same time, and defendant thereupon offered to fight Murphy, *pere*. The latter being infirm, refused to fight. Wickham next offered to fight Savage, who had just come up, and, who being an old, sickly man, also declined the combat. Mrs. Savage who had come out of the house, then chaffed Wickham, when the latter grossly insulted her, casting insinuations upon her moral character. His Honour said it had been shown by the evidence that Mrs. Savage was a woman of irreproachable character. The attack was altogether unjustifiable, and defendant is condemned to pay $50 damages and the costs of an action of $100 in the Superior Court.

DAME E. MERCIER VS. SERRURIER DIT LALLEMAND.—Another action for damages. Serrurier *dit* Lallemand, a horse dealer, having imbibed too freely, went with one Mathieu to the house of plaintiff, who lives at Point St. Charles with her sister; and here he drank more liquor, until he became so drunk that he lost all recollection of how he had disposed of a sum of money amounting to $150, which he had on his person at the time. On the following day he addressed himself to Mathieu to find out how the money had disappeared; and he next made a deposition against the plaintiff and her sister before the Police Magistrate. Detective Richer went to the house of the Merciers and speaking to plaintiff's sister, learned from her that Emilie, the plaintiff, had a sum of money which Lallemand had lent her. Emilie, when questioned, at first denied having the money, but afterwards asked to see Lallemand, admitting at the same time that she had the money which she said Lallemand had lent her. Delorier, a carpenter, who was making some repairs to the house at time of Lallemand's visit, testified that Lallemand told him on that occasion that he had lent Emilie Mercier some money, and Mrs. Mercier, the mother of plaintiff, gave evidence to the same effect. The Plaintiff's sister was arrested and brought before the Police Magistrate, who at once dismissed the charge; and plaintiff was also arrested and sent before the Grand Jury who threw out the bill in her case. The plaintiff sues for damages and the Court condemns the defendant to pay $20 and the costs of an action for $100.

DAME P. M. MERCIER VS. LALLEMAND.—The Plaintiff is the sister of E. Mercier, the plaintiff in the last cause. Judgment for $10 damages and cost in an action for $100.

EXECUTION OF A MISCREANT.

A negro named William Jefferson was hanged on th 6th inst. at Warrenton, S. C., for an outrage on a woman. Although he confessed his many crimes in a tone of pride at having committed them, he was, before the execution, frequently breaking out into shouting over his certainty, of future bliss. Said he "Myself brought me here and put these irons on my ankles, but next Friday Jesus Christ, with the white gowns of Heaven on, will come in, take off the irons and carry me to the land where I will walk on streets of pure gold, and then he would sing a curious little song,

Dem golden streets I'm er gwine to walk,
Dem golden streets I'm er gwine to walk,
Dem golden streets I'm er gwine to walk,
Poor sinners fare you well.
For my house 'tis ober Jording, &c., &c.

Rev. Mr. Crosby read from the Scaffold a "Record of the Life and Confession of William Jefferson," prepared at the culprit's dictation. The following is a synopsis—In 1865 Jefferson outraged a young coloured girl, for which he fled: soon thereafter he attempted a coloured woman, but was frightened off. Next year he committed an assault upon another woman, for which he was sent to the Penitentiary for five years. Being put to work in granite quarries he escaped, broke open several houses and committed many highway robberies, after which he was recaptured and served up his term, with an extra year for escaping. After he was released he stole a horse and fled. On the road he broke open a store. Went to Granville county, married, and after a short while abandoned her and went to Virginia, where he was put in jail for stealing. He broke out and went to Weldon, N. C. There he found his old paramour with another man; murdered that man, and fled to Virginia. Last spring he went to Northampton county, N. C., where he outraged a white woman. Then he fled and committed the deed for which he was today hanged. This record enumerates a long list of burglaries, house and barn burnings, larcenies and other criminal offences.

PUBLIC MANNERS.

Nothing more surely marks a gentleman than his public manners. It is, for instance, impossible not to feel that a man who arrives at a hotel late at night, and goes noisely, talking and laughing, along the corridor to his room flinging his boots down heavily, and slamming the door, though an upright and excellent person, yet lacks the finer qualities of the gentleman, The essence of courtesy is moral. It is a sympathetic regard for the feelings of others which spares them unnecessary annoyance. When it is instinctive, it is called fact. But it is, at bottom, humanity. So when a public man vituperates another, however "smart" the abuse may be, there is an instant perception of the want of true gentlemanly feeling. However polished the invective' it is nothing more than the style of the stews. When Lord Beaconsfield spoke of Mr. Gladstone in the strain that we quoted last month, it was instantly felt that he had made a mistake; and although he might be, as his admirers assert, the last unmingled representative of the Sephardim, or those Hebrews who can trace their pedigree unbroken through interminable generations of ancestors always of gentle blood, he was yet not quite a gentleman. When a member of a public assembly had been berated by an opponent with every kind of offensive epithet, and was asked to rep'y' he said, "But there is no reply to a slop pail." If a guest disturbed from sleep by the noisy comer that we mentioned should open his door, and, by way of reprisal, "shy his boot-jack" at the door of his noisy neighbour when he had fallen asleep' it might be what was called, when one scientific man spat in the face of another who had questioned his assertion, "the wild justice of expectoration," but it would not be gentlemanly.

Perhaps, then, it is better sometimes not to be gentlemanly? That is undoubtedly the practical conclusion of those who feel uncomfortable when theo have been covered with mud, until they can throw mud in return. But the self-restraint which good manners imposes is always better than "letting yourself go." Mephistopheles is never a good counsellor, and largely because he is not a gentleman. The real Sephardim may or may not trace continuous gentle blood through interminable generations of ancestry. But they do not slam their boots nor their doors, nor bustle in late at concerts and talk during the performance, nor occupy more seats in a railroad car than they pay for, nor keep their seats in a street car, compelling a woman to stand. They may, indeed, reprove and rebuke; but without heat or personality, like Thomas when he feared that the music interrupted the conversation, or like that true gentleman whom the older Berkshire knew, and who said to the young woman to whom he had given his place in the car, and who asked him what he was waiting for, "Only to hear you say 'thank you, my dear.'"

—Conscientous Greek professor remonstrating with sophomore for creating disturbance in the class room, lays his hand insinuatingly upon the refractory one's shoulder and says: "My dear young man the devil has hold upon you."

WHICH IS THE WINNER?

BY CHARLES CLARKE,

AUTHOR OF "BOX FOR THE SEASON," "CHARLIE THORNHILL," ETC. ETC.

CHAPTER VII.

THE LOWER CLASSES.

"And guile and ruffian force were all their trade."
An Allegory.—THOMPSON.

An unsuccessful attempt upon the latch of the door was followed by a loud knock evidently with a stick. Job returned from his place by his wife's side, and took the pheasant, now half eaten, with the two plates, and placed them carefully in the cupboard, which he locked. He then unbarred the door. Dan Morton stood upon the threshold. He was a giant in size. Job Fletcher was as fine a young man as need be looked upon. His height must have been six feet and an inch or two. As the two men stood together in the semi-darkness of the cottage, there was but very little, it any, difference in this respect; yet Morton looked a giant by the side of the other. His enormous breadth of chest and shoulders, his length of limb, and his ragged and unkempt hair and beard, both of a fiery red, gave him an appearance which could be described by no word so well as brutality. His face was broad and flat, his forehead low and receding, his brow was heavy and knotted above his eyebrows, which were almost bare of hair. His eyes were small, and bright, with cunning ferocity shining in them; his nose was short and flat, telling a tale of more than one long and savage battle in the ring; where his great strength almost served to conquer the superior science of smaller men. His mouth was large and thick-lipped, and his hands and feet even disproportionately large, for his enormous bulk. In looking at him, he seemed to possess every quality for deeds of lawlessness and violence save one. Agility was not his characteristic; and Job Fletcher by his side was endowed, by comparison, with positive refinement. The most conspicuous parts of his dress were a bright-coloured neckloth, knotted loosely round his throat, corduroy breeches, and very strong leathern gaiters. He carried in his hand a short stick of some heavy wood, and was accompanied by a mongrel sheep-dog, manifestly a pointer with his tail cut off, which greeted Job with a low growl, and after looking at the cat, which retired back up and hackles standing underneath Nanny's chair, curled himself up before the fire. He seemed conscious that his master's visit was not to be a very transitory one.

Mrs. Fletcher looked positively frightened; but endeavoured to do the honours of her house with a gentility innate, if not acquired in a better school than that of Sommerton.

"Good-evening, Morton; you seem cold; stir the fire, Job; is the fog as heavy as it was an hour ago?" She would willingly have engaged Morton's good feelings, if he knew what such things were, in behalf of her husband.

"Fog," replied he, without removing his hat, and warming his feet on the hob at the same time. "It hangs over the cover-side, as if we should never see a branch of it again. Curate been here to-night, Job?"

"Ar'nt seen him these three weeks."

"What! not at the old shop? Why, man, you be grown quite wicked," retorted the other with a malicious laugh, which roused the woman. You don't look arter him, Mrs. Fletcher. He be a bad boy, be Job Fletcher."

"He saw him the day before him yesterday in church, so he ain't so bad as some folks, Mr. Morton; but Mr. Scarsdale's safe at home by this time, I hope.'

"He be pry'in about looking after his flock, like the wolf, d—— him," rejoined Morton. He's been dining at the Hall, and gone up to the night school. Squire be away in Lunnun, so he and the young missus be arter their games; and he ain't been dining on bread and cheese, I'll be bound. Is that all you're got for supper? Come, Job, man, let's have 'em out."

Job laughed, and winked to his wife; who however sat immovable. Then he rose, went to the cupboard, and brought down the pheasant, with another plate, on which he immediately placed almost the remainder of the bird, cutting a huge slice of bread at the same time, and offering it to Dan Morton.

"No! no! dang it; I be tired o' such dainties: to-morrow be Saxonby market; and I means goin in for a shi[illegible] o' Mr Shamble's beef—there, that [illegible] d[illegible] for me," added he, as he cut off a huge slice of cheese, and helped himself to a mug of beer. "Ah! that's a Charnside bird, I know, they be better fed nor the squire's; but they be nothing to the long wood and the Canal bank at Spring Vale."

"You seem to know all about 'em Morton," said Job Fletcher, who went on with his supper during the conversation.

"Well, I knows a game country, when I sees it. None o' your plashed hedges for me. There's a sight too many wood-pigeons hereabouts."

"What harm do they do?" asked Job Fletcher.

"There always on the move, d—— 'em," said Morton, who usually uttered a curse on everybody or thing which interfered with his interests; and it was no empty sound with him. He followed it up at most times by active measures to secure its fulfilment.

The men relighted their pipes and drew their chair towards the fire, which was replenished by a large piece of coal, unbroken; and Mrs. Fletcher rose, without comment and produced a bottle and two horns.

"Put a log to warm by the fire, Nanny; we may want it.

At that moment there came a knock at the door; it was not a timid knock, it was decisive enough; but this time it was a finger, not a stick. The door opened, and Mr. Scarsdale entered.

At first he drew back, seeing two where he had expected to find only one man by the fire.

"Good-evening Mrs. Fletcher; how are you Fletcher?" said the curate, as the man rose and smiled good-humouredly, bowing with rustic simplicity.

"Pray come in' Sir; it's a bad night to be out," and so great was the effect produced by the natural courtesy of his companion, that Morton rose and removed his hat, which hitherto he had kept on his head.

"Is that you Morton?" said Mr. Scarsdale, at once recognising the giant, when he stood. "Keep your seat, and don't let me interrupt you; I have to walk to Saxonby, and I want a light for my cigar. I saw one through your shutters, as I was passing, and just turned in, otherwise I must have gone without." He took his cigar to the fire, and so far was Morton mollified by a parson who smoked, that he screwed up a piece of paper, and held it for him. As he went out of the door, Mrs. Fletcher dropped a curtsy, and an audible "Thank ye Sir." After making her husband and his guest comfortable, she glided from the room without exchanging a word on the late and unexpected visit.

"Conscience doth make cowards of us all." And though nothing could have been simpler or more innocent than the appearance of the cottage, or more natural than the visit, Job felt uneasy at something or other. He was conscious of not having been caught in the best of company. Even Morton, without those sentiments of respect which actuated the Fletchers, male and female, in their intercourse with their parish priest, tingled with an undefined dislike for affinity with something so different from himself. If Scarsdale had been a psalm-singer or Pharisaical observer of outward ceremony only, no one would have more willingly insulted him than Dan Morton; but it was, in his mind, impossible to laugh at a clergyman who was, frank, honest, and practically useful; and who was going to walk through a thick fog to Saxonby at nine o'clock at night, with a cigar in his mouth. It was so different from anything which Morton expected his spiritual adviser to be. He was likely to be a bitter enemy, but he was sure to be an open one.

To a man like Job Fletcher there is something wonderfully attractive in sport, and everything connected with it. As a boy he was always playing truant to go and look at the hounds when they came into his neighbourhood. As a lad, he was always to be met with at the meets holding open the gates for the gentlemen and earning more by his idleness than two or three days' work would have given him. When he grew older, he never omitted an opportunity of learning where the partridges jugged, and from looking at them too often, he sometimes joined in taking them. He could scarcely be then called a poacher, as going out at night was an exceptional case; but he had his eyes about him, when at work, and could see a hare quicker than most men in the parish. His occasional depredations were overlooked, as he was very useful to the keepers. He knew quite as well as they where a fox was to be found; and could have told when and why he was not to be found at the right time. Abel Bradfield would have been very angry with a keeper who was clumsy enough to have been found out destroying them. It is said the rabbit-traps were conveniently large in the Sommerton covers.

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10 00	.....	Laprairie......	10 30	3 00
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