



BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

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Annual subscribers may have announcements of births, marriages and deaths (without extended obituary or verses) occurring in their immediate families, free of charge, in which case name and address of subscribers should be given.

BIRTHS.

SMITH — At Clarenceville, Que., on April 12, 1904, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Guy J. Smith.

MARRIED.

HUMPHREY — JOHNS. — On April 16, 1904, at the Methodist parsonage, Lennoxville, Que., by the Rev. E. Warren, M.A., B.D., Edna, daughter of John Johns, to Frederick Humphrey, both of Capleton, P.Q.

SCOTT — HEDLEY. — At the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Montreal, on April 14, 1904, by the Rev. Arthur French, B.A., Louis Guthrie Scott, of Quebec, to Ellen Nora, widow of the late N. M. Himselwood, of Montreal, and daughter of Terence Hedley, Esq., M.D., of Coanemara, Ireland.

DIED.

ALEXANDER — At her late residence, 618 Ontario street, Toronto, Jane Evans Alexander, relict of the late William Alexander, aged 83 years.

BLACK — At Kemptonville, Ont., on April 10, 1904, Ethel Margaret, beloved wife of Wm. Black, and third daughter of John Pevelley, of Brockville, Ont.

CAMPBELL — At Brooklin, Ont., on April 12, 1904, Sarah Wright Campbell, relict of the late Aaron Campbell, Esq., of the Township of Whitby, aged 92 years, 4 months, 26 days.

COSGROVE — At Buttsville, Ont., on April 18, 1904, Christina McLean, beloved wife of Thomas Cosgrove, aged 69 years, 8 days.

FLETCHER — At Ahlston, Ont., on April 17, 1904, John Fletcher, in his 75th year.

HINCHLIFF — In this city, on the morning of April 19, 1904, at 75 Walker ave., Thomas Hinchliff, son of a native of Aberdeen, Scotland, a resident of Montreal for 50 years.

Funeral private. Aberdeen and Glasgow papers please copy.

KERR — On March 31, 1904, at Chelsea, England, Catherine Elizabeth Kerr, of Esding, Fowey, Cornwall, widow of the late Thomas Cockburn Kerr, of Hamilton, Ontario.

LINTON — In this city, on April 18, 1904, John, aged 20 years, youngest son of the late William Linton.

Funeral from his brother's residence, 35 Young street, on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Winnipeg papers please copy.

McNAUGHTON — At Hemmingford, on Tuesday, April 5, 1904, Mary Cameron (Mamie) McNaughton, youngest daughter of Allan McNaughton, aged 27 years.

McMURTRY — At Arrprior, Ont., on April 15, 1904, Sadie Hunt, beloved wife of Dr. McMurtry, V.S.

MOORE — At Lacolle, on March 23, 1904, Eleanor Van Vliet, widow of the late Ralph Wright Moore, aged 73 years.

MOORE — At Lacolle, on March 20, 1904, Mary J. (May), daughter of the late Ralph Wright Moore, aged 38 years.

RALPH — At her late home, near Manotick, Ont., on April 14, 1904, Matilda, relict of the late Wm. Ralph, aged 76 years.

SECORD — At New Durham, Ont., on March 28, 1904, in his 78th year, David Secord, father of the Rev. A. Secord.

TOZER — At Toronto, on April 18, 1904, Sarah Tozer, widow of the late William Tozer, in her 82nd year.

These sending notices for the above column may send with them a list of names of interested friends together with a stamped envelope for each address, and marked copies of the "Witness" containing the notice, will be promptly mailed. For addresses in foreign countries these cents will be required.

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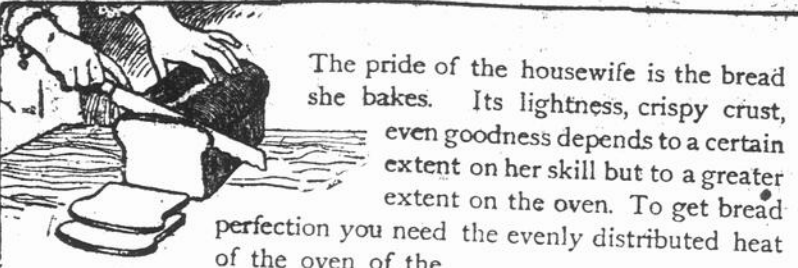
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A CHILDREN'S FAIR. There is to be a Children's Fair by the Primary Department of Mountain Street Methodist Sunday-school, in the lecture room on Friday next, at 7 p.m.

Sale of fancy and home-made goods, flowers and refreshments. The proceeds are in aid of the Sunday-school fund and little ones are hoping the fair will be well patronized by all their friends.



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The Daily Witness. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN WOMAN'S ART ASSOCIATION REMOVING TO NEW ROOMS—CANADIAN HANDICRAFTS IN LONDON.

THE HERVEY INSTITUTE REPORTS OF ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR'S WORK.

The annual meeting of the Hervey Institute on Mountain street was held yesterday afternoon, with the Rev. E. McManus in the chair. The chairman spoke of the remarkable exemption from serious sickness that the home had enjoyed during the past year, and attributed this to the careful sanitation rules adopted.

The secretary's report was read by the Rev. Mr. Plumtree. It showed that a small outbreak of measles and diphtheria had occurred before Christmas, but the precautions taken had prevented any serious consequences. It was hoped before long to extend the work of the society, especially among boys, but at present they were somewhat crippled for lack of funds and the want of sufficient accommodation. The present home was altogether unsuited for its extensive work, and a more commodious building, with improved surroundings, preferably in the open country, was required. To effect this it was hoped to obtain more support. The property has already been placed on the real estate market, and if a good sum could be realized by the sale of these premises and the property at Westmount, the committee would be able to considerably extend their work. A handsome bequest of \$5,000 had been received from Miss Duncan. Many others had also contributed liberally towards the support of the institution. A loss had been sustained by the death of Mrs. Macdonald and Mr. James Cooper. Two ladies retired from active work, the presi-

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dent, Mrs. G. Sumner, and Miss Lauder. The latter had been treasurer for twenty-six years, but had now gone to reside at Ottawa. Dr. E. H. Blackader, who retired as one of the visiting physicians, was succeeded by Dr. Bazin. Changes had also taken place in the staff. The chairman, Miss Arnott, who had served for nine years, was succeeded by a former teacher, Miss Thornber. The latter's place was occupied by Miss Hodgins. During the year 27 children had been admitted and 14 left.

The treasurer's report was read by the Rev. Mr. Gilmour, and showed a balance in hand of \$402.20, but it was pointed out that \$300 had been borrowed from the building fund, so that actually a deficiency existed of \$98. The Rev. J. Patterson spoke highly of the work of the ladies forming the committee for the past year, and the noble work that was being carried on by the Hervey Institute. The medical report was not to hand, but was taken as read, and the whole of the reports are to be printed and circulated.

The result of the election of officers and committee of management was as follows: President, Mrs. G. A. Henderson; vice-president, Mrs. M. L. Clark; treasurer, Mrs. John Pitblado; recording secretary, Mrs. A. Murray; corresponding secretary, Miss Walklate; registrar, Mrs. F. St. John Foster.

Committee of management—Mrs. T. G. Alloway, Mrs. James Bates, Mrs. Thomas Barrington, Mrs. Christie, Mrs. William Drysdale, Mrs. George Fisk, Lady Galt, Mrs. G. Hague, Mrs. James Haldane, Mrs. George Sumner, Mrs. Utting, Mrs. Arch. Wall, Mrs. George Vipond, Miss Campbell, Miss Lauder and Miss Robertson.

The meeting closed with the usual votes of thanks.

A COSY CORNER THRONE.

In the new arrangement of one's rooms for the spring and summer the cosy corner can be given an entirely changed appearance, by introducing a 'throne,' an idea borrowed from the Far East. The throne is especially desirable in a room where there is a high window commanding a good view. Monotonous lines will thus be broken, and the window seat made useful.

The first step in the securing of a house throne is to erect a platform of the desired height and size. If more than eighteen inches high, steps should lead to the platform. When finished, the platform is carpeted or has a rug thrown over it. The latter is usually considered better, as it admits of cleaning with less trouble than the carpet.

A box couch, upholstered with good springs, is often set on the platform, and over this an artistic drapery of tapestry is thrown. Bright colored cushions to harmonize with the draperies and rug help to make the corner attractive.

The high window beside the couch is curtained with a soft silk, chintz or velvet. If the latter is used, it will also make good portieres to hang over a pole in front of the throne. The portieres not only add to the artistic effect, but will be found useful when any member of the household wishes to take a siesta. A quantity of cushions on the platform, a set of bookshelves with books, and if space admits, a tea table, add to the corner's attractiveness.

A high window is not an absolute necessity. A throne seen recently in a living room was arranged in a dark corner for a cosy retreat. It was upholstered in red and green, and the colors brightened the entire room. As there was no window, a frieze of red velvet was stretched about the corner of the wall, and framed on this was a frieze of the prophets in black and white effect.

A big drop electrolier, with shades of green and red, was swung over the couch, so that the occupant could read in the evening. The cushions were of velvets and soft bright colored silks. This idea can be carried out in accurate Japanese, Turkish, East Indian or any Oriental effect, at comparatively small expense. The cushions, to be Oriental, must have the corners punched in.

DAILY TABLE HINT.

Individual Shireed Eggs.—Cover the bottom of individual dishes with bread crumbs and break on the top of each two whole eggs. Dust this lightly with bread crumbs, pepper, salt and a dab of butter, place in a pan of boiling water and set in a hot oven for about five minutes. Serve the eggs in the dishes in which they are cooked.—Home Magazine.

THE ELECTRIC PUMP

WATER COMMITTEE DECIDES IT MUST BE ALTERED OR REMOVED.

The Water Committee decided yesterday to take action that will force the issue in regard to the electric pump. The following motion was passed unanimously: 'That in view of the superintendent's explanations, and the correspondence which he exchanged with the John McDougall (Calcottman) Iron Works Company, all tending to show that no compromise could be arrived at in the recent interview he had with the company on the subject of the vibrations of the electric pump, at 46 1/2 high level pumping station, it is therefore resolved to refer the matter once more to the city attorney with instructions to take action against the company, to force them to remove the electric pump, as not being according to the specifications and the contract; and to reserve all sums paid by the city and the damages arising from the defects of the pump and the company's work.'

Mr. Janin, superintendent of the Water Department, explained to the committee that he had made a suggestion to the McDougall Company which he thought would have enabled the company to improve the foundation on which the pump rested and do away with the vibration. This method, consisting of placing layers of mastic, rubber and lead under the machinery, was explained in the 'Witness' recently. The company, it was shown by the correspondence, presented by Mr. Janin, did not take kindly to the suggestion. Instead of saying whether they would or would not act on the suggestion they replied

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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY. TENDER FOR PILE WHARF.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside 'Tender for Pile Wharf,' will be received by me and including, until 12 o'clock on THURSDAY, 24th DAY OF MAY, 1904, for the construction of a CROSSLING PILE WHARF at HALIFAX, N.S.

Plans and specification may be seen at the Station Master's Office at Halifax, N.S., and at the office of the Chief Engineer, Moncton, N.B., where forms of tenders may be obtained.

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The Mayor, Councillors Julian, Oliver, were appointed to represent the council at the meeting to be held in Henri, between the representatives of suburban municipalities and the Water & Power Company, on the quality of the water supplied by the company.

A CHOIR REUNION.

The choir of St. James the Apostle Church spent a most enjoyable evening in the parish schoolroom. The boys were delighted for about an hour with a blackboard drawing competition prizes being awarded for the best drawings. The adult members of the choir passed the time with songs, recitations, etc. A liberal supply of refreshments had been provided by Mrs. A. Ramsay, Mr. J. C. Barlow and Mr. Ramsay.

METHODIST HOSPITAL FOR TORONTO.

Toronto, April 20.—With the aid of the late Hart A. Massey, Esq., it seems probable that Toronto will last have a Methodist hospital. 'Christian Guardian' has taken the matter in hand, and is doing all in its power to arouse the Methodists throughout the province to take decided action in the matter. The 'Guardian' claims that the wealthy Methodists in the city are prepared to support any movement in this direction, since they have been convinced that a decided effort should be made. It is the aim of these supporters to push the work to establish a hospital controlled by the Methodist Church that in point of equipment, furnishings should be second to none in the city. It is their desire to establish a large hospital, one where the attendance should be the most able and the comfort of the patients assured.

KING ALFONSO.

Barcelona, April 19.—King Alfonso received a great ovation when he left today, accompanied by Senor Marquis de Ferraz, for the Balearic Islands. Ciudadela, Minorca, April 19.—Royal yacht 'Giralda,' with King Alfonso on board, arrived here tonight.

TOWN OF ST. LOUIS. AN OFFER TO ESTABLISH LITHOGRAPHIC PRINTING WORKS.

At last night's meeting of the St. Louis Council, Mayor Gelinas presiding, a letter was submitted from Messrs. Thos. Ward & Co., enquiring whether the council was disposed to give their firm a bonus of ten thousand dollars and exemption from taxes for ten years in consideration of the removal of their lithographic printing works to St. Louis. They would erect a building costing \$35,000, and would pay \$32,000 annually in wages. The letter was referred to the general committee.

The question of purchasing the property adjoining the site of the new town hall, at the corner of St. Lawrence and St. Louis streets, gave rise to a long discussion. This property is now occupied as a blacksmith's shop, and belongs to Mr. Chevalier, who wants \$2,500 for it.

Several councillors were of the opinion that the corporation should acquire the property, as it would adjoin the new City Hall and it was necessary that the council should control it so as to prevent its use as a forge. Besides, there was an old wall which was in the way and would have to be removed. Councillor Gladston thought they need not be in a hurry as it would be two or three months before it could be utilized. The value of this property at 50 cents a foot was only \$2,300. Councillor Dazé made a humorous speech in which he said Mr. Chevalier held the council by the throat; and that he must be well aware of his advantage since he had written a letter to them saying that this property was 'indispensable' to the owners of the new city hall. It was then resolved that the council should purchase Mr. Chevalier's property for \$2,500, to be paid in four months, the delivery to be made immediately. A letter was received from Mr. Plouff offering to sell his property to widen St. Lawrence street for \$7,000. The Mayor and Mr. Vincent, secretary, were appointed to represent the council at Quebec when the charter amendments come before the Legisla-

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CONGREGATIONAL COLLEGE

ANNUAL CONVOCATION HELD LAST EVENING.

The annual convocation of the Montreal Congregational Theological College took place last evening in the Assembly Hall of the College, 125 Peel Street.



MR. HERMAN A. CARSON, B.A., Winner of the Stevenson Memorial Gold Medal and of Robert Anderson Bursary.

After the meeting had been opened with devotional exercises, Dr. Hill, principal of the college, made a few remarks regarding the work of the college during the past year.



MR. A. R. SCHAGG, B.A., Winner of Calvary Church Silver Medal and Robert Anderson Bursary.

glad to announce that the governors of the college had chosen Mr. Eugene W. Lyman, of Carleton College, to fill the vacancy. Mr. Lyman would begin his duties as professor of apologetics and systematic theology at the beginning of the new term.

The presentation of diplomas and prizes then took place. The diplomas were presented to the successful members of the graduating class by Dr. Hill.

isters would be called upon to perform.

The Calvary Church Silver Medal was presented to Mr. A. R. Schagg, B.A., by Mr. Charles Cushing.

The bursary for elocution, and the Robert Anderson bursaries were presented to Mr. W. A. Baker and Messrs. A. R. Scragg and Harry Stillman, by Mr. A. McA. Murphy.

The valedictory address was read by Mr. H. A. Carson, B.A. Mr. Carson spoke of the regret which the members of the graduating class felt at saying farewell to their old college, and to the principal and professors who had been so kind to them during their years of study.

Dr. Moxom, of Springfield, Mass., after speaking of the friendly relations which existed between Canada and the United States, said that the young men who had just graduated from the college were going out to engage in the work of the Christian ministry in a young, vital and extensive country.



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THE CATHEDRAL

A CONGREGATIONAL REUNION HELD IN THE SYNOD HALL.

A reunion of the congregation of Christ Church Cathedral was held last night in the Synod Hall, the vicar presiding.

Mrs. Norton read the report of the Woman's Auxiliary. The cash receipts amounted to \$236.37. The membership is sixty-two, an increase of eighteen members.

The Dorcas Society, the report of which was read by Mrs. Pennell, meets every Tuesday afternoon, and many garments have been made for the poor, and dressed clothing distributed.

Mrs. Payne told about the mothers' meetings, which are apparently enjoyed by those attending them.

Miss Phillips read the report from the Band of Hope, showing that a hundred and fifty children receive regular instruction on principles of temperance.

After a solo sung by Mr. Magd. Tait, an interesting report of the church wardens was read by Mr. Learmonth.

The organist, Mr. J. B. Norton, spoke of the harmony and good-will prevailing in the choir, which had been kept up to its full strength of twenty ladies and sixteen men.

Prof. Armstrong reported for the Cathedral branch of the St. Andrew's Brotherhood, the principal work of which thus far has been visiting young men, strangers in the city, in their homes.

CARPENTERS AND JOINERS.

TROUBLE WITH MASTER BUILDERS BREWING OVER SCHEDULE.

The Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners are likely to have trouble with the master builders over the clauses of their schedule which call for recognition of the union, closed shop, and the right of the business agent to visit shops and jobs where carpenters are working.

The master builders refuse to sign the agreement as it is at present worded, claiming that they intend to keep open shops, and employ whoever they please, regardless of whether they are union men or not, and will not consent to the business agent's claim to enter the shops or jobs where men are working.

A mass meeting of the members of the various locals of the Brotherhood was held last evening in the Empire Hall for the purpose of considering the present position. There was considerable discussion over the proposition of a strike. Some favored the idea, but in the end the more cautious and conservative members succeeded in having the matter referred for further consideration.

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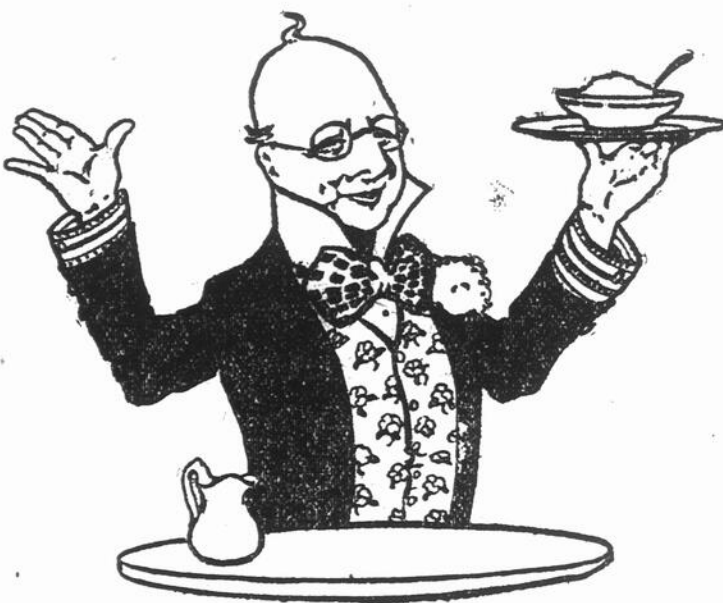
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FELL NINE STORIES.

New York, April 20.—Mr. H. R. R. Hertzberg, dramatic editor of the 'Evening Journal,' was probably fatally injured early to-day by falling nine stories into an area-way in the Morton building.

MR. VISETTI'S LECTURE.

The lecture hall of the Art Association was filled to the doors by a fashionable and appreciative audience last evening, when Mr. Albert Visetti, of the Royal College of Music, London, delivered an interesting address on the subject of 'Music, its charm of expression; as an ally of medicine; and a few practical hints to singers and other students of music.'

DEATH OF CAPTAIN WHITE

NAVIGATOR WELL KNOWN IN MONTREAL PASSES AWAY IN GLASGOW.

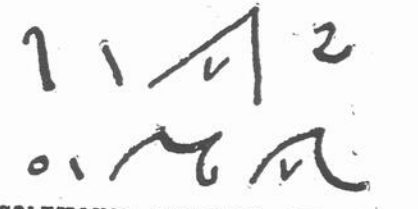
News has been received in Montreal of the death of Captain William White, of the 'Pomeranian,' which took place at his home in Glasgow last month.

STALLION SHOW.

The annual stallion show under the auspices of the County of Hochelaga Agricultural Society was held yesterday on the Champ de Mars.

DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE.

At the fortnightly meeting of the Daughters of the Empire, held yesterday afternoon, Mrs. H. J. Beaman presided in the absence of Mrs. Peter McKenzie, who is still ill.



GOLTMAN'S BUSINESS COLLEGE.

Since the establishment of Goltman's Business College, the Principal of which is Mr. R. Goltman, the increase in the number of students attending has been so great that larger quarters had to be obtained at 2462 St. Catherine street, west of Drummond street.

The new building is now occupied by this well-known institution, having removed from the old address last week, and is in every way suitable for its purpose.

This is the first College in Canada or the United States which has given public exhibitions to prove its thorough methods of instruction in the different subjects taught, and all interested in shorthand are cordially invited to attend the next demonstration, which will be given by the Principal, Mr. Goltman, who is an official stenographer, and holds the highest certificate obtainable for proficiency as an instructor of shorthand, etc., when rapid shorthand writing and outlines will be demonstrated on the blackboard on the evening of Tuesday, May 17th, at 8.15 sharp, at the above-mentioned address. Cut this out and remember the date.

The Rev. Mr. Sykes, of Denison's Mills, Que., is seriously ill.

Weekly Calendar.

At ACADEMY 4.30 LAST CONCERT FRIDAY AFTERNOON of the SYMPHONY SERIES.

GERTRUDE PEPPERCORN, MARIE NICHOLS, The great English Pianiste, America's brilliant violinista.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21.

AFTERNOON MUSICAL AND TEA

In Aid of THE DAY NURSERY

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from 3 to 6 o'clock

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FRIDAY, APRIL 22.

THE POINTE-AUX-TREMLES MISSION SCHOOLS.

The Closing Exercises of the Session will take place on FRIDAY, the 22nd instant, at 2 p.m.

FUTURE MEETINGS.

Art Association, PHILLIPS SQUARE.

THE SPRING SKETCHING CLASS (in Oils)

Under the Direction of

Mr. Edmond Dejourne, R.C.A., will commence on MONDAY, the 15th May, 1904.

Instruction on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday in each week, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

MRS. ASA GORDON.

In the revival meeting held in the East End Methodist Church, Mrs. Gordon told, last evening, the old, old story of Jesus and his love, and of the place which he is preparing for those that love him.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

A partnership hitherto existing between E. J. Fetherstonhaugh, of this city, and Fred B. Fetherstonhaugh, of Toronto, of the firm of Fetherstonhaugh & Co., of Toronto, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

TO ANNUL A RESOLUTION.

Mr. H. Marsan, and other proprietors of St. Henri, have, through their attorneys, Messrs. Gagne & Beaubien, entered an action to annul a resolution of the council granting to Mayor Guy a sum of \$3,100 as value of a strip of land expropriated and for damage alleged to have been caused to the rest of the property.

the amount of the paid-up capital for last year of all the English joint-stock banks, the Bank of England, the banks of the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands, and the Scotch and Irish banks.

ITS REAL SIGNIFICANCE. Mr. Austen Chamberlain brought down his anxiously expected budget yesterday, and it seems to have been generally agreed that he acquitted himself well of a very onerous responsibility.

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THE WAR.

The news to-day is that of the resignation of Admiral Alexeieff from the position of Viceroy of Manchuria, on account of incompatibility with Admiral Skrydloff, who was appointed over his head to the command of the navy in his department, in place of Makaroff, similarly appointed some time ago.

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The statement gravely published that the Czar has deposits in a single foreign bank amounting to \$400,000,000 that he was ready to withdraw is all moonshine, as the total of the private deposits in the Bank of England last year only amounted to \$194,310,000, and these include sums deposited by monarchs, priests, statesmen, capitalists, noblemen, and just plain human beings, from all parts of the earth.

pays very much more in the end. When revenue is really needed, however, even a Chamberlain resorts to free trade measures. The income tax is eminently that and so is the tea tax, as no tea is produced in Britain, and the whole increase in cost goes to revenue.

A PRETTY SPECTACLE.

While Mr. Austen Chamberlain was talking blue ruin in his budget speech, of increased foreign competition and the decline in the textile trades, in our own House of Commons, on the same day, a discussion was proceeding which had for its object the exclusion of British and any outside competition in the woolen and cotton industry.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The marriage of Miss Jean Oswald to Mr. J. Henderson takes place at St. Paul's Church this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. Parkes and family are moving next week to their country residence, 'Gladysholme,' Hudson Heights.

Mrs. Johnston, wife of the Rev. Dr. Johnston, of the American Presbyterian Church, returned to the city from New York with Dr. Johnston last week, and will receive at 916 Dorchester street on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons of this week.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Eleanor Gertrude Allo, third daughter of Mr. Geo. H. Allo, of the G. T. R., to Mr. Wilfrid B. A. Lawson, second son of the Rev. James Lawson, of this city, at the residence of the bride's parents, 192 Versailles street, on Thursday afternoon, April 22, at six o'clock.

The marriage of Miss Daisy Fitzgibbon, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Fitzgibbon, of Montreal, to Mr. Charles E. Deakin, formerly of Chicago, now of Montreal, took place quietly this afternoon at St. Patrick's Church. The ceremony was conducted by the Rev. Abbe Bourassa. The bride, who was given away by her father, was unattended by bridesmaids. Her brother, Mr. Harry Fitzgibbon, was groomsmen.

The bride wore a gown of mauve crepe de chine, trimmed with white lace, a hat to match, and carried a large bouquet of white roses. Mrs. Deakin, of Chicago, was handsomely gowned in black. The Misses Olive and Estelle Fitzgibbon wore dresses of white silk voile, and white hats with garniture of daisies. Miss Silo, of New York, was in pale blue chiffon. Mr. and Mrs. Deakin leave on an extended tour in the United States, the bride traveling in a blue cloth costume, with hat to match. They will reside at the Windsor.

St. Joseph's Church, Ottawa, was the scene this morning of one of the most brilliant society weddings which the capital has seen for some time, when Miss Corinne Fitzpatrick, eldest daughter of the Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Minister of Justice, was married to Mr. Laurence Arthur Cannon, of Quebec, son of Mr. L. J. Cannon, deputy attorney-general for the province. The church was elaborately decorated for the occasion, with a profusion of palms and white flowers, and the ceremony was performed in the presence of a large number of guests, including many friends from Montreal and Quebec. The services were fully choral, Mrs. Tassé presiding at the organ, and solos were rendered by Mrs. Dunstan Gray and Miss Taschereau, of Montreal; Miss Casault, of Quebec, and Mr. St. Louis, of Ottawa. The ceremony was performed by Mr. Mathieu, of Quebec, assisted by the Rev. Father Caron, of Montreal. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked very graceful and stately in an exquisite wedding gown of ivory duchesse satin, the skirt slashed over a Vandyck cascade of chiffon, edged with tiny crystals. The bodice was simply made, having a berthe of rich old rose point and a crushed centre of satin. The elbow sleeves were formed by triple frills of the Vandyck and pearl-edged chiffon and the yoke was of chiffon overlaid with diamonds of satin and hand embroidered in white silk. The graceful folds of the wedding veil fell from a knot of orange blossoms, and the only ornament worn was a handsome diamond pendant, the gift of the groom. The bride carried a large shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Alice Fitzpatrick, as maid of honor, Miss Cannon, sister of the groom, Miss Davis and the younger sisters of the bride, Miss Mary and Miss Margaret Fitzpatrick, as bridesmaids. They were gowned alike in white chiffon, with white silk, the bodices finished with berthes of tiny crystals, and girdles of Dresden silk ribbon, and touches of pale blue. They wore white lace hats, with wreaths of sweet peas and forget-me-nots, and had shower bouquets of sweet peas, with flowing ends of satin ribbon. To each maid the bridegroom gave a pendant of baroque pearls. The ushers were Mr. Arthur Fitzpatrick, brother of the bride; Mr. Henri Jodoin, of Montreal; Mr. J. McDougall, Mr. Fred White, and Mr. D'Arcy McGee. To each of these the bride gave a baroque pearl stick pin, as a souvenir of the occasion. Mrs. Fitzpatrick, mother of the bride, wore a handsome gown of white Russian lace, over mauve satin, with a black hat, trimmed with plumes. Mrs. Cannon, of Quebec, mother of the bridegroom, wore a rich black satin gown, with trimmings of white chiffon and touches of pale blue and jet, and a pale blue hat. At the conclusion of the ceremony a reception was held at the beautiful home of the bride's parents, on Wartenburg street. The house was profusely decorated with flowers and greenery, and the tables were adorned with white roses, lilies of the valley and daffodils. Mr. and Mrs. Cannon left on the 3 o'clock train for Montreal, en route for Toronto, New York and Washington, and on their return they will reside in Quebec. The bride's going-away gown was exceedingly smart, being of champagne-colored cloth, the trailing skirt ending in two deep flounces and the short jacket, in Monte Carlo effect, having touches of white cloth applique and emerald buttons. The full sleeves have a flaring cuff, falling over ruffles of cream lace. With this costume is worn a large picture hat of black tulle, with long black plumes.

The invited guests numbered about three hundred, and besides most of the prominent official and social people of the capital, included a number of out-of-town guests, among whom were Dr. and Miss Roddie, Mr. and Mrs. P. Leblanc, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Monk, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. P. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Casgrain, and Dr. and Mrs. Gray, of Montreal. The presents received by the

BRIDE VERY BEAUTIFUL, AND NUMBERED OVER THREE HUNDRED.

Among them were the following: Silver instand and tray, engraved with monogram, from their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess of Minto; cheques, Mr. and Mrs. Cannon, of Quebec, and Miss Alice Fitzpatrick; cabinet of silver, the Misses Fitzpatrick and Master Arthur Fitzpatrick; silver tray, Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier; solid silver tea set, Sir William and Lady Mulock; tea cups and saucers, the Hon. A. G. Blair and Mrs. Blair; cut glass, fruit dish, the Governor of the North-West Territories and Madame Forget; cut glass vase, the Hon. William Paterson, Mrs. and Miss Paterson; grey silver claret jug, Sir Daniel and Lady McMillan, of Winnipeg; silver bonbon dishes, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Borden; silver dish, Sir Elzear and Lady Taschereau; clock, Sir Frederick and Lady Borden; china vase, the Hon. W. S. Fielding, Mrs. and the Misses Fielding; bonbon dish, the Speaker of the House of Commons and Lady Casault; pearl necklace, Sir Louis and Lady Casault and the Misses Casault, of Quebec; bouillon cups, Sir Richard and Lady Cartwright; bon-bon dishes, Hon. R. W. Scott, Mrs. and Miss Scott; silver marmalade dishes, Hon. Mr. Emmerson and the Misses Emmerson; cut glass bowl, Hon. Mr. Brodeur and Mrs. Brodeur; solid silver centrepiece, Hon. S. N. Anderson, of Quebec; brass candlesticks, Sir Louis and Lady Davies; silver dish, Sir Henry and Lady Strong; salad bowl, Lady Caron; cut glass decanters, Hon. Raymond Prefontaine and Mrs. Prefontaine; silver salt cellars, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Killam, of Winnipeg; brass candlesticks, Sir Alexander Lacoste, Lady and Misses Lacoste; peppers, Mr. Justice and Madame Girouard; silver dish, Hon. Clifford Sifton and Mrs. Sifton; silver mustard pot, Mr. Arthur Guise; cut glass and silver vase, Mrs. Chas. Harris, of 'Earnscliffe'; opera glasses, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Soper; silver soup ladle, Major and Mrs. Laferty, of Montreal; cut glass sugar sifter, Colonel and Mrs. R. E. W. Turner, of Quebec; silver spoons, Captain and Mrs. Ogilvy, of Quebec; silver fern pot, Judge and Mrs. Bossé, of Quebec; silver cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hays, of Montreal; silver cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lavergne, Arthabaskaville; silver soup tureen, Mr. and Mrs. Evan-turel, of Quebec; cut glass bowl, Colonel and Mrs. B. Scott, Quebec; coffee cups, Miss Maud Sewell, Quebec; cut glass water jug, Mr. and Miss Flood, Quebec; cut glass bowl, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mackay; cut glass sherry decanter, Dr. and Mrs. Louis Frechette, Montreal; statuette, Hon. and Mrs. L. Gounin, Montreal; cut glass smelling salts bottle, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Monk, Montreal; silver side dish, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Burbridge; silver candelabra, Judge and Mrs. McTavish; silver candlesticks; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. P. Buchanan, Montreal; silver tea caddy, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Anderson, entrée cups on silver stands, Mr. Justice, of Quebec; cut glass silverware, of Montreal; cut glass decanter, Mr. Justice and the Misses Taschereau, Montreal; picture, Mr. and Mrs. Hayter Reid, of Quebec; fish knives and forks, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cook, Montreal; salt cellars, Mrs. and Miss Denis Murray, of Montreal; stick pin, Miss Gertrude McCarty, Montreal; cut glass vase, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Leblanc, Montreal; cut glass centre piece with stand, Mr. Henri Jodoin, Montreal; coffee service, Mr. and Mrs. Dupuis, Montreal; gilt bronze jug, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Weir, Montreal; silver candlesticks, Hon. and Mrs. R. Mackay, Montreal; cut glass bowl, Dr. Guerin, Montreal; lace curtains, Miss M. Cannon, Quebec; cushion, Miss L. Cannon; prayer beads, mounted in gold, Mr. Walker Cannon; sugar togs, Mr. Lionel Cannon; silver spoons, Mr. Lucien Cannon; butter knife, Mr. Robert Cannon; cushion, Miss Edith Cannon, and Louis XV. cabinet, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. A. Turgeon, Quebec.

WINTER VISITS US AGAIN.

THREE AND A HALF INCHES OF SNOW HAVE FALLEN.

The weather conditions within the last twenty-four hours have undergone considerable change. Yesterday morning at 11 o'clock the thermometer at the City Hall indicated a temperature of forty-six degrees. By eleven o'clock last night the mercury had dropped to twenty-eight. At that hour the wind was blowing at thirty-two miles an hour and a light snow was falling. At seven o'clock this morning the temperature reached the lowest point, twenty-six degrees being recorded. At 11 o'clock today it had risen to thirty-four again. At the McGill observatory it is stated that the snow fall was 3.4 inches. At noon today the velocity of the wind was forty miles per hour.

KAMOURASKA TRAGEDY

LAMBERT GIVES HIMSELF UP AND IS NOW IN JAIL.

Quebec, April 20.—Lambert, the murderer of a man named Gantin, in the parish of St. Alexandre, Kamouraska county, came out of the woods this morning and surrendered himself to the village authorities. He has been incarcerated in the Common jail of the county at Fraserville.

SENATOR WARK.

Ottawa, April 20.—The Hon. David Wark, the centennial member of the Canadian Senate, has reached Ottawa for the discharge of his sessional duties, and will receive a stirring reception at the hands of his fellow legislators.

BACKRACK SPEAKS.

His Testimony This Morning Causes Some Excitement.

COURT SUSTAINS ALL OBJECTIONS OF PROSECUTION.

It was 11.05 o'clock this morning when Mr. Justice Wurtel took his seat in the Court of King's Bench to hear the case of Cooke vs. Backrack. The Court explained that his late arrival was due to his deliberation on Mr. Macmaster's motion for a reserved case. His Lordship then went into a long discourse on libel. The main thing, he said, to consider, was whether the document written by the defendant, Backrack, comes under article 204 of the Criminal Code. In the present case a letter had been written alleging that Mr. Cooke had been derelict in his duty as Crown Prosecutor. Now, to make it a privileged communication, the document must have been addressed to the person having power to redress the grievances enumerated therein. His Lordship then dwelt on the case of Harrison vs. Bush, quoted yesterday by Mr. Macmaster. In this case His Lordship contended the letter was practically drafted by Lyon and Backrack. The latter certainly could not think for a single instant that he (Lyon) had power to redress his grievances. Article 204 it is necessary that the person making the complaint should do so in good faith. He must believe that the person complained of is really guilty. With respect to the language in which the letter is couched His Lordship referred to the law reports of the House of Lords. The Court maintained that the question of privilege or no privilege rests with the Court, though the question of malice or no malice rests with the jury.

Mr. Macmaster asked the court to reserve the question whether the occasion on which the article was published was not a privileged one and covered by article 204 of the Criminal Code. Mr. Macmaster spoke about the absence of an important witness, Mr. Morris Backrack, of Toronto, who was detained by illness; but to-day, by Mr. Macmaster's astonishment, Mr. Backrack was present, and therefore Mr. Macmaster made application that the case be reopened and Mr. Backrack allowed to give his testimony.

Mr. Eugene Lafleur, K.C., asked for an affidavit to that effect. Mr. Macmaster said it would be prepared. Mr. R. C. Smith, K.C., contended that the sudden appearance of Mr. Backrack was most extraordinary. He was here a whole week in court, said he, and when it came his time to testify, he disappeared. In his judgment the rulings of His Lordship would exclude the evidence of Backrack.

Mr. Backrack was summoned to the witness stand, but the court said: 'I do not think we will go on now; it is five minutes to twelve.' He then suspended the proceedings for ten minutes.

At 12.20 the court returned and ruled that Backrack's evidence be given. Mr. Backrack being sworn, Mr. Smith asked him if it were not customary for him to take the oath with his hat on. 'Sometimes he took it one way, sometimes the other.' 'Well, I want you to take it the way in which it will bind your conscience.' 'Either way will do,' replied the witness.

In reply to Mr. Macmaster, witness said he was the same Backrack charged with Backley and Levy. He came to Montreal at that time in response to a telegram. Mr. Smith objected to this evidence as being immaterial, taking up time, etc.

Mr. Macmaster—Since my learned friend has got those watches in his possession he keeps on talking about the time.

laughter, and cries of Silence! silence!

Witness, continuing, thought it was in the winter when he came to Montreal first in connection with the case. He had a conversation with Mr. Wiener in his office. Messrs. Backley and Levy were present. Asked what conversation took place, Mr. R. C. Smith, for the prosecution, objected, inasmuch as Mr. Cooke was not present.

Mr. Macmaster contended that outside of privilege the witness had no plea—justification and not guilty—the leading counsel for the defence here waxed warmly and eloquently on behalf of his client. Mr. Smith again rose and objected, and a spirited tilt took place between the two counsel.

The court, however, sustained the prosecution's objection on the ground that Mr. Cooke was not present. Mr. Macmaster asked that the question be asked, but the prosecution objected, and the court upheld the objections.

'Same objection, same ruling; same application for reserved case, same refusal; same note, my Lord,' interjected Mr. Macmaster.

Witness, continuing, said he did not know Mr. Cooke; never spoke to him on that occasion. He had \$8,000 in the hands of Mr. Backrack and got back nothing. He authorized the withdrawal of a part of the \$8,000 in favor of Mr. J. A. Jacobs.

Asked by the judge, witness said that Mr. J. A. Jacobs came to him and told him that Cooke would have to pay \$500 to have the case postponed. Later in the day he met Jacobs, who said: 'You're foolish, Backrack, not to have given Cooke \$500. He wants it badly. He's hard hit on the Stock Exchange. Witness gave Jacobs \$500 to have the civil suit settled. Altogether witness said the matter cost him \$12,000, and he never expected to see it again. 'What!' asked the court. '\$12,000!' 'Yes, my Lord,' replied the witness. Court adjourned at one o'clock.

THE CAR BARN BANDITS.

Chicago, April 20.—The jury in the case of Emil Koeski, the last of the car barn bandits, returned a verdict of guilty to-day. The penalty fixed is penitentiary for life.

THE WAR.

Seoul, April 20, 11.45 a.m.—The Japanese authorities here state that constant skirmishing is occurring between the opposing armies on the Yalu river. But they claim that no decisive action has taken place up to date, though news of such an engagement is expected at any moment.

It is estimated that the Russians now have fifty thousand men on the Yalu river.

The wildest rumors are afloat, largely from Korean sources, which are absolutely unreliable. Hentzen, April 20.—It is understood here that only four Russian regiments remain on the Yalu river, and that the Russian first line of defence extends from Feng huan cheng to Mo tien ling pass.

During the last two days many Chinese refugees from Manchuria have arrived at Hentzen.

Mo tien ling pass is about ninety miles north-west of the mouth of the Yalu and about forty miles south-east of Liao yang. Feng huan cheng is about half way between Mo tien ling pass and the mouth of the Yalu.

Nagasaki, April 20.—Contact mines have been found floating seaward, forty miles from Cape Sunong. Three of them were discovered and destroyed by the Japanese fleet.

Cape Sunong is a headland on the Chinese coast bearing east-south-east, and about twenty-five miles distant from Wei hai wei, the British naval rendezvous on the Chinese station.

LAND OPERATIONS.

RUSSIANS BEGIN AGGRESSIVE OPERATIONS.

Tokio, April 20, 9.30 p.m.—Russian troops to the number of a thousand are reported to be in possession of Yang gon, in Eastern Corea.

A detachment of forty Cossacks has appeared for a second time at Sung jin (about 150 miles north of Wen san) where they burned the Japanese settlement and took possession of the post and the telegraph offices. There were no Japanese troops present. The Korean officials at Sung jin were friendly to the Russians.

Another detachment of 75 Russian soldiers has advanced as far south as Pook chong, about seventy-five miles down the coast from Sung jin.

PRIVY COUNCIL JUDGMENTS.

(Canadian Associated Press.) London, April 20.—Judgment was given in the following cases by the Privy Council to-day:

Kingston Light, Heat and Power Company vs. the corporation of Kingston—Their Lordships entertain no doubt at all that the questions raised in appeal as to whether an award fixing the price to be paid by the respondents for the appellants, undertaken under an agreement for the purchase, should be referred back to the arbitrators, has been rightly decided by the learned judges of Ontario, and dismiss the appeal.

The Attorney-General of New Brunswick vs. the Attorney-General of the Dominion, and the Attorney-General of Manitoba vs. the Attorney-General of the Dominion—Special leave to appeal granted in both cases.

THE TORONTO FIRE.

(See Page 1.) The fire in Toronto has aroused considerable interest among Montreal business men owing to the fact that many Montreal wholesale and manufacturing houses have agencies in the Queen City, some of which have suffered from the flames.

The management of the Ames-Holden Company, Limited, said this morning that their stock of boots and shoes, amounting to at least \$175,000, will prove a complete loss. The company, however, is in hopes of securing possession of another warehouse shortly, so that as little inconvenience as possible may be experienced in getting their business in working order again. A representative of the company left for Toronto to-day in order to ascertain the exact situation. Fortunately the loss of this company is much less than what would have been the case had the fire occurred two or three weeks ago, from the fact that practically all the summer stock of boots and shoes has already been shipped to customers. The stock is insured at ninety percent of its value.

KATE GREENAWAY PICTURES.

Besides the other attractions at the musical, held in aid of the Day Nursery, at the King's Hall to-morrow afternoon, there will be a number of Kate Greenaway and Mother Goose pictures shown in the drawing-room of the hall-room. The slides have been loaned from his collection by the Rev. W. S. Barnes, and will be attractive both to grown people and children. The Kate Greenaway views are from the artist's own sketches, and the Mother Goose pictures are by Walter Crane.

The concert will begin promptly at half-past three o'clock.

WHEAT INSPECTIONS.

Grain inspections at Winnipeg last week were: Wheat, 608 cars; oats, 15; barley, 2; flaxseed, 5. For the same week last year inspections were 915 cars of wheat, 29 oats, 10 barley and 4 flax.

WHEAT IN STORE.

Stocks of wheat in store at Fort William, Port Arthur, Keewatin, Winnipeg, and interior country points are approximately 12,042,000 bushels, against 11,432,000 bushels a week ago, 18,900,000 bushels a year ago, 18,442,000 bushels two years ago, 4,822,000 bushels three years ago, 9,105,000 bushels four years ago, and 10,000,000 bushels five years ago.

COMMERCIAL.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Table with columns: Messrs. J. S. Bache & Co., No. 16 St. Sacramento street, reports the closing prices in Chicago to-day as follows: Wheat, May, 91 1/2; July, 85 1/2; Corn, May, 48 1/2; July, 49 1/2; Oats, May, 37 1/2; July, 37 1/2; Pork, May, 12.05; Lard, May, 6.56; Ribs, May, 6.37.

GET RICH QUICK.

MONTREALERS VICTIMIZED BY NEW YORK SCHEMERS.

New York, April 20.—The collapse of the Globe Security Company has loosened the tongues of some of the lesser attaches of the concern. This company loaned money at highly usurious rates, and then put up the notes and mortgages for which it took these legal rates, as security for bonds, of \$500 and \$1,000 each, which it sold throughout the country by means of travelling agents and advertisements, receiving orders in answer to the latter by mail. One employee who had access to the correspondence sale of these bonds said to-day that he knew that at least \$11,000 of the bonds had been placed in and around Montreal, and many thousands more may have been sold there.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, April 20.—Opening prices of stocks to-day were but little changed from last night and business was not large. Consolidated Gas rose 1/2, and Metropolitan Street Railway nearly a point. United States Steel preferred ran off on a succession of sales. Otherwise the changes were restricted to an eighth of a quarter either way.

J. B. Picken & Co.'s wire.—The rise in console this morning is due to the fact that the British government's revenues are now put in a way to increase and the purchases for account of sinking fund will go on as hitherto. The insurance companies have had a hard time of it this winter and their payments of losses have taken so much money out of the financial markets. Advances from Paris intimate that the canal property will be formally transferred very shortly. The guarantee by the U. S. Steel Co. of the Clairton Steel Co. is not generally regarded as favorable to the Steel Trust.

Randolph's wire to Louis S. Colwell.—After a short period of dulness, a leisurely covering movement set in. Steel preferred has been an exception to the general advancing tendency, and has been under steady pressure all the morning. Its net loss, however, is trifling. The market is dull, uninteresting and entirely profitless.

New York, April 20.—Wall Street—Noon—Prices made an upward swing during the second hour but the average fluctuation was narrow. The rally in a number of leaders, notably the Pacific, reached a point or over, carrying them a large fraction over last night. The movement then spent its force. Metropolitan Street Railway got back to the highest. Delaware and Hudson rose 1/2. Stocks were steady.

New York, April 20.—Noon—Money on call easy at 1/4 percent. Prime mercantile paper, 4 to 4 1/2 percent. Exchanges, \$18,327,696.

Table with columns: Stocks, Orig. Close, Op. Close. Includes Amalgamated Copper, American Loco. Co., Amer. Sugar Refining Co., etc.

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LOCAL STOCKS.

AFTERNOON BOARD. C. P. R.—25 at 110 1/2. Iron common—100 at 10 1/2. Copper—25 at 84 1/2. Steel—25 at 84 1/2. Sugar—25 at 84 1/2.

AFTERNOON BOARD.

Table with columns: Stocks, Sellers, Buyers, Stocks, etc. Includes Can. Pacific, Detroit Electric, etc.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

Table with columns: Stocks, Sellers, Buyers, Stocks, etc. Includes Montreal, Toronto, etc.

LONDON QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: London, April 20, 4 p.m.—Consols for money, 83 1/2. Bank of England, 2 1/2. etc.

COTTON STEADY.

Judson & Co., cotton brokers, 100 Front Street, report cotton steady. 12-30-36, 11 1/2; 14-32, 14 1/2; 16-36, 16 1/2; 18-40, 18 1/2; 20-44, 20 1/2; 22-48, 22 1/2; 24-52, 24 1/2; 26-56, 26 1/2; 28-60, 28 1/2; 30-64, 30 1/2; 32-68, 32 1/2; 34-72, 34 1/2; 36-76, 36 1/2; 38-80, 38 1/2; 40-84, 40 1/2; 42-88, 42 1/2; 44-92, 44 1/2; 46-96, 46 1/2; 48-100, 48 1/2.

CATTLE MARKETS.

East Buffalo, N.Y., April 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,700 head; steady. Hogs—Receipts, 1,700 head; heavy, \$5.50 to \$6.00; light, \$5.00 to \$5.50; mixed, \$5.25 to \$5.75; dairies, \$5.50 to \$6.00; sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1,000 head; active; sheep steady; lambs, \$5.00 to \$5.50; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; stockers, \$5.00 to \$5.50; mixed, \$5.25 to \$5.75.

BILLS REPORTED.

Ottawa, April 20.—The Canadian Insurance bill passed the House of Commons Banking Committee this morning, reducing the capital stock from a quarter of a million dollars.

The Real Estate Title Guaranty and Trust Company has also reported giving that company, now organized in Quebec, authority to carry on business anywhere in Canada.

MARRIED.

GREIG—GEBBIE.—At King's Hall, Howick, on Thursday, April 15, 1904, the Rev. J. M. Kello, M.A., officiated at the marriage of Elizabeth daughter of Hugh Greig and Marion daughter of James Gebbie, both of Carnoustie, Quebec.

ECONOMIZING SPACE.

Space in New York city is very money. With land selling at high prices, the problem of utilizing every foot of room in a house becomes acute and more pressing upon architects and builders. They are solving it more and more by making and are packing away into their houses 18 feet 6 inches by 76 feet just as the conveniences of arrangement as they contrive. One of their discoveries is the way of economizing space is the use of gas as a fuel. This they are doing more and more, and employing it in addition to its superior suitability as a medium in cooking, the gas range is the smallest possible space. The use of the sprawling coal range is being passing away. A light, compact, and yields just so much more room in the kitchen for other conveniences. It is another margin on advantages which gas range enjoys over the coal range. Simpler in operation, cheaper to buy, cheaper to use, it has the further recommendation of occupying the least space of space. The thousands of gas ranges and heaters sold in New York within the past few years show how such conditions are telling.

Financial.

ADVERTISEMENTS: Railways, Water-Works, Land Surveying, BEAUDRY & BROWN, CIVIL ENGINEERS, 107 St. James St., MONTREAL.

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MISS EVA BOOTH COMING

SALVATION ARMY WILL OPEN A NEW HALL IN THE EAST END.

Miss Eva Booth, Commissioner for the Salvation Army in Canada, Newfoundland and the North-Western States, expects to visit Montreal and hold monster meetings in Windsor Hall on Sunday, May 15. She will be accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Pugmire, A.D.C., and the Red Knights. Brigadier Turner, chief provincial officer, has completed arrangements for the establishment of a new corps in the East End of the city. A hall has been rented on Delorimier ave., near St. Catherine street, and the opening services are expected to be held on Sunday, May 8. The Harmonia Revivalists, under Ensign Owen, will assist at the opening and probably conduct the meetings for two or three weeks. This hall of workers has been touring East Ontario during the winter with most encouraging spiritual results, and they hope to have a successful opening of their new corps. It is expected that French meetings as well as English will be held from time to time in the East End hall, in which Ensign Cabrit and the soldiers of the French corps on St. Lawrence street will assist. The Army's local rescue headquarters which has been for many years on St. Antoine street, will be removed on May 1 to 400 Seigneurs street, near St. James street, where a very suitable building has been secured for the purposes of an Industrial Home and quarters for the matron and staff. The Working Women's Home will still be carried on at No. 69 1/2 St. Antoine street. Brigadier Turner will lead a special holiness meeting in the St. Alexander street barracks to-morrow evening, at

which all the city corps will unite. All Christians are cordially invited to attend.

DEATH OF SURGEON-GENERAL WARD.

A veteran of the British Army, Surgeon-General T. W. Ward, died in this city yesterday. He passed through many active scenes with the army in India, under Sir Charles Napier. He was present at the taking of Scinde, and obtained a medal for the battles of Meeanee and Hyderabad. A decoration medal and clasp was also granted to him for his services with the Central India Field Force during the Indian Mutiny, where he was present at numerous engagements, notably the siege and storming of Jhansi. He was promoted to be inspector-general of hospitals, and on his retirement came to reside in Canada, and lived for thirty years at Hawkhurst, Stanhope, Que., spending of late his winters in Montreal. He was 87 years of age. Mrs. W. T. Whitehead, of this city, is a daughter of the deceased.

LITTLE GIRL RUN OVER.

Cecilia Noel, a little three-year-old girl, was struck by a Montreal Terminal car at the corner of Berri and Mary Ann streets yesterday afternoon, and was seriously injured. She was removed in the ambulance to the Notre Dame Hospital, where it was discovered that her left leg was broken and her head badly cut. Her body was also very severely bruised. The hospital doctors consider her condition to be critical.

A MILITARY PROMOTION.

Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia and Defence, has promoted Sergeant-Major Instructor William Fellows, of the Royal Canadian Garrison Artillery to warrant rank. Sergt.-Major Fellows, who has just left for England, to take a special course in gunnery at Woolwich, has been for the past ten years sergeant-major of the Montreal Garrison Artillery, and the resident caretaker of the drill hall. Sergt.-Major Fellows during his stay in Montreal proved himself an excellent soldier and a good comrade, and the news of his well-merited promotion has been well received by the Montreal Brigade.

COUNSEL RECOVERS FEES.

Judgment was rendered by Mr. Justice Lavergne yesterday in the case of Surveyor vs. Villani. This was a claim by Mr. E. F. Surveyor, advocate, for a balance of fees still due in connection with the defence in the Paris criminal case, for which fees the present defendant had made himself responsible. The Court declared the tender made insufficient and maintained the plaintiff's action for the full amount of his charges, \$501.

BANK OF MONTREAL LIGHTING PLANT.

The Gould Storage Battery Company, New York, according to a despatch received yesterday, has been awarded the contract for a storage battery for the Bank of Montreal building, which will be used in connection with the lighting plant.

NOTES AND NOTICES.

The only absolute guarantee, "to cure any headache within thirty minutes or money refunded," goes with each Hedrite Tablet. 25c a box at the best druggists.

MR. E. PACAUD DEAD.

WAS A PROMINENT FIGURE IN THE SOCIAL AND POLITICAL LIFE OF QUEBEC.

Quebec, April 19.—Mr. Ernest Pacaud, a prominent figure in the social and political life of Quebec, died yesterday afternoon at 3.30, after a lengthy illness. For many years Mr. Pacaud enjoyed good health. It came in the nature of a rude shock, therefore, when on May 18 last it was learned that he was stricken down with an acute attack of hemorrhage of the lungs. The best medical attendance in the city was secured, but all to no avail. He went to Montreal to consult a specialist, but returned without receiving much encouragement. By advice he went to Murray Bay, but the air was too strong, and he came back to his home. Then the doctors sent him to New York, to Washington, and other places further south, but no relief came home to die. Besides his widow, the deceased leaves one son, Mr. Lucien Pacaud, advocate; Mrs. (Major) Laferty, of Montreal, and two younger daughters, to mourn his loss.

Ernest Pacaud, journalist, was born at Three Rivers, Que., on Aug. 25, 1850, his father, the late P. N. Pacaud, N.P. of Arthabaska, having been a patriot of the rebellion of 1837. Educated at Nicolet College, Mr. Pacaud was called to the Bar in 1872 and was engaged in active practice at Arthabaska Bar until 1878. In the same year he was appointed prothonotary of the Superior Court, Clerk of the Crown, and Clerk of the Circuit Court for the District of



THE LATE MR. PACAUD.

Three Rivers by Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere. In March, 1880, he was removed from these offices by his political opponents. In September, 1877, he commenced the publication of the 'Journal d'Arthabaska'; in April, 1880, became editor of the 'Concord', but towards the close of the same year he was called by the leaders of the Liberal party to take control of the 'Electeur', which became the principal organ of the party in that district. In consequence of a mandement issued by Archbishop Begin in 1878, in which that paper was denounced for its 'perfidious articles,' publication was suspended and the 'Soleil' issued in its stead. Mr. Pacaud was prominently identified with the late Mr. Honore Mercier, the then Provincial Premier, and in October, 1882, was with him tried at Quebec on certain charges of conspiracy, and acquitted. Twice Mr. Pacaud ran for the Dominion Parliament but was defeated on both occasions. He was a Roman Catholic in religion, and married in 1874 a daughter of the Hon. J. E. Trottier, a well known politician in Lower Canada, previous to Confederation.

NEW YORK THUGS

TWO LEADERS SENT TO SING SING TO SERVE TEN YEARS' SENTENCE.

New York, April 19.—Edward (Monk) Eastman, the leader of an east side band of thugs, who last week was convicted of assault in the first degree, to-day was sentenced to serve ten years in Sing Sing prison. Sentence was pronounced by Recorder Goff in the Court of General Sessions.

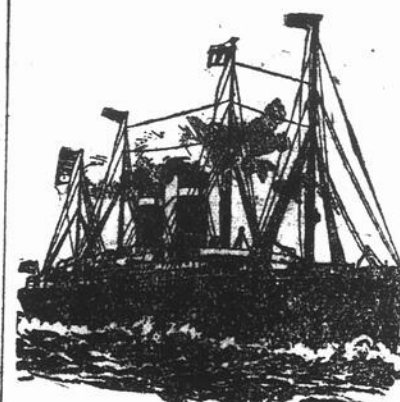
Eastman was tried on a charge of attempting to kill George E. Bryan, a detective. It was alleged that some of Eastman's companions were in the act of robbing an intoxicated youth whom Bryan was shadowing, and that when the detective interfered, Eastman fired several shots at him. After hearing the evidence the jury brought in a verdict of assault in the first degree.

George Coan, a notorious character, who occupied a position among the criminals of the west side similar to that of Eastman on the east side, also was sent to Sing Sing for ten years by Recorder Goff to-day. Like Eastman, Coan had been convicted of assault in the first degree. Coan's victim eventually died, and Recorder Goff, in passing sentence, said that if it had not been for the laxness of justice, he should have been tried for murder, as murder undoubtedly was committed.

RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS.

GILBERT S. STAIRS CHOSEN BY NOVA SCOTIA.

Halifax, N.S., April 20.—The senate of Dalhousie University, acting as the committee of selection for the trustees of the Rhodes scholarship, has selected Gilbert S. Stairs, of Halifax, for the first Rhodes scholarship from Nova Scotia. The decision has been reached after a very thorough examination not only of the records in schools and colleges of the different candidates, but the testimonials of former schools and the esteem of fellow students expressed through represen-



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tative committees of graduates and undergraduates. The number of competitors was large, and their quality exceedingly good. Some of the most brilliant of the graduates of the last four years were candidates. Stairs came out of the contest with the best aggregate, and was the most distinguished in some branches. Mr. Stairs received the degree of B. A. from Dalhousie last year. He is now a student in the Harvard Law School. He is a son of Mr. John F. Stairs, of this city, and was born in 1882.

A PARIS NUMOR.

Paris, April 19.—The Socialist 'L'Action' declares that Lieut.-General Fredericks, formerly military attaché of the Russian Embassy, has really gone to Paris to negotiate the secret purchase of two French submarine boats. The paper adds that the government will not only sell the boats, but will provide them with trained crews, which will be drawn from the French navy after their fictitious resignation.

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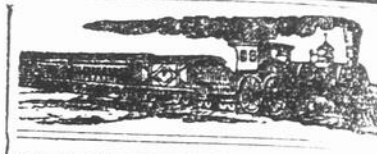
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ARBITRATION TREATIES. RESOLUTION BY THE ENGLISH BAR.

London, April 19.—The general council of the Bar of England at the annual meeting to-day unanimously passed the following resolution, proposed by Sir Edward Clarke, formerly Solicitor-General: "This meeting expresses strong approval of the conclusion by this country of treaties of arbitration with other countries, and also of the manifestations in Canada and the United States in favor of a similar treaty between this country and the United States. The meeting trusts that the general council of the Bar will take advantage of every opportunity of co-operating with the legal authorities of Canada and the United States for the attainment of this object." A suggestion was made that the Solicitor-General, Sir Robert Finlay, on his forthcoming visit to the United States, should convey the resolution to the congress of lawyers to be held at St. Louis during the exhibition there.

MARX IN THE TOILS. CONNECTICUT FARMER, ACCUSED OF BRUTAL MURDER, ARRESTED LAST NIGHT.

New York, April 20.—John Marx, a seventy-year-old farmer of Colchester, Conn., who is charged with the murder of his farm hand, John Havil, on April 8, was arrested here last night. He has been missing from Colchester since April 9, when Havil's body, with the arms and legs hacked off, was found partly buried in the cellar of Marx's farm house. Michael Levine, a storekeeper of Colchester, who has known the prisoner for several years, and who came here on Monday with T. P. Eagen, a Connecticut state detective, identified Marx. Marx denied absolutely that he had killed Havil, and declared he had been visiting relatives here for the past three days. Marx escaped from the neighborhood of his home on April 9, although a sheriff and a posse of a hundred citizens were searching for him.

THE 'A.I.' VICTIMS. EVERY MAN FOUND AT HIS APPOINTED STATION.

Portsmouth, April 20.—The bodies were removed from the hull of submarine 'Al' early yesterday with the greatest secrecy. Men wearing diving suits, to safeguard them from noxious gases, entered the submarine and took out the bodies, which were in an almost perfect state of preservation. The inside of the submarine was understood to have been found perfectly clean. Captain Bacon, who was in command of the submarines during the manoeuvres in the course of which the 'Al' was sunk, was the first to enter the hull. He testified at the subsequent inquest that the collision with the 'Berwick Castle' must have stunned the crew, or they could have stopped the leak at the conning tower, and come to the surface. The leak was very small. Captain Bacon stated that every man was found at his appointed station aboard. The medical witnesses agreed that death was due to drowning. No explosion of gasoline occurred.

THE LATE MRS. DRIVER. Richmond, Que., April 20.—The funeral of Mrs. Aaron Driver, who died on Sabbath last at her daughter's, Mrs. G. Farquhar, Lower Windsor, took place to-day at one o'clock. The service was conducted at the house by the Rev. Dr. Kellock, and the interment at St. Anne's Cemetery, Richmond. She was 83 years old.

TIRED OF PRISON. St. Louis, Mo., April 19.—Lord F. Seymour Barrington, convicted of the murder of James P. McCann, a turfman, has instructed his attorney not to enter an appeal in his case. He declares his innocence, but says that he is ready to die, as his imprisonment has become unbearable.

THE WOOLLEN INDUSTRY.

Interesting Debate Precipitated by the Member From Cornwall.

VARIOUS VIEWS ON THE TARIFF QUESTION—SENATE ON IMMORAL LITERATURE.

Ottawa, April 20.—The Liberal and Conservative whips have arranged for a division at to-day's sitting upon the transcontinental railway resolution, but it is still a little doubtful whether the vote may not have to be put off till tomorrow on account of the number of speakers who are still desirous of being heard.

Nothing could be imagined more utterly wearying than the latter stage of this discussion. Often there is only one man in the chamber listening to what is being said, the 'Hansard' reporter, whose duty it is to hand down to future generations a verbatim copy of the debate. There are a large number of members in the Capital because of the approach of the division, but it is with considerable difficulty that the whips can keep enough of them in the chamber to maintain a quorum.

THE KINGVILLE MILL. Mr. M. K. Cowan, of South Essex, declared that the Kingsville woollen mill, which went into bankruptcy under the Conservative regime, is now turning out twice as much as it did in days gone by, and is now working almost night and day. A VOICE FROM THE WEST. Mr. Frank Oliver, of Alberta, held that the people of Canada are reaping a big advantage out of the reduction of the woollen duties, and warned the government against listening to the demands of manufacturers for a restoration of the conditions that existed under the Conservative government.

BRITISH COMPETITION. Mr. H. J. Logan, Liberal, of Cumberland, was afraid that the British competition in woollens was becoming too keen. Still, the woollen manufacturers' best course was to leave their case in the hands of the Finance Minister. There were three mills in his constituency, one at Oxford, which has just enlarged its plant; another at Amherst, which now furnishes emulators to one hundred establishments at Springfield. For his own part he was proud to wear a Canadian-made suit, but was certain that nine-tenths of the Conservative members, with so much to say about the protection of home manufacturers, are themselves wearing English tweeds. Mr. Logan charged that Canadian Conservatives, whilst professing sympathy with the Chamberlain movement, would yet oppose the lowering of the duties on British goods entering this country.

THE RAILWAY DEBATE. The transcontinental railway debate was then resumed, the first speaker being Mr. A. E. Kemp, Conservative member for East Toronto. He denounced the minister's project, that is, the proposed extension to Quebec and Moncton. In his mind if the Grand Trunk desired connection with the rest, it should have started at North Bay. He defended his colleague, Mr. E. B. Osler, from the attacks that had been levelled at him from the government side of the House. He knew that Mr. Osler, although connected with the Canadian Pacific, had not voted in parliament upon any measure in which that road was concerned.

MR. J. J. HUGHES, OF P. E. I. Mr. J. J. Hughes, Liberal, of Prince Edward Island, accused the Opposition of unpatriotism in fighting this contract. He was sure that the government policy was the only one that would give Canadian trade to Canadian channels and Canadian ports. Mr. Hughes found fault with Mr. E. B. Osler's financial calculations about the cost of the new highway, and laughed at the idea of making such a man finance minister of Canada. Yet such, he understood, was the intention of the Conservative party if Mr. Borden was returned to office.

ANOTHER ISLAND MEMBER. Mr. A. A. Lafurge, Conservative, of Prince Edward Island, denounced the bargain with the Grand Trunk Pacific as the work of bondholders and grafters, and promised that it will yet bring the Liberal party to destruction. He could see no merit in the contract either from a maritime province or from a Dominion point of view. Mr. Lafurge announced himself in favor of government ownership.

MR. THOMSON. Mr. T. F. Thomson, Conservative, of North Grey, held that the time has gone by when the government of Canada should vote millions of money towards the encouragement of railway construction. The farmers are burdened with the load of taxation which they have to bear already.

THE debate was adjourned on motion of Mr. Samuel Barker, Conservative, of Hamilton.

IN THE SENATE. QUESTION OF PROHIBITION OF INDECENT LITERATURE—MUTUAL RESERVE FUND LIFE ASSOCIATION.

In the Senate the Hon. Mr. David inquired what practical means are taken by the customs authorities to prevent the introduction into this country of indecent and immoral literature, pictures and designs, and whether the government intended to amend the law on this subject. In doing so he said he made the inquiry because it was necessary to protect our country from the introduction of these things. In Montreal in certain depots he had seen books and pictures which he would be ashamed to mention. Nor could he even allude to what he had seen or read. Immorality sapped the youth of a young nation. It was its worst foe. If an armed army were at the frontier there would be a rush to the front by Lower Canada, but literature and pictures, such as he had alluded to, were worse. It was the duty of the government to do its share towards keeping them out.

The Hon. Mr. McMullen endorsed all that Mr. David had said. The Hon. Mr. Scott entirely sympathized with the object Mr. David had in view. He read the customs law prohibiting the importation of such books and pictures. It was difficult to impress upon officers what was immoral or in-

decent. The Minister of Customs was always ready to do all that he could to keep such matter out. The question of amending the law was under consideration.

The Hon. Mr. David knew the law. Would it not be possible in the great centres such as Montreal, Quebec and Toronto, to have some competent officer to judge of the books and papers imported and prevent their coming in.

The Hon. Mr. Scott asked if any citizen had written to Mr. Patterson pointing out cases? If so, they would be dealt with. It was impossible to deal with general complaints.

The Hon. Mr. Poirier believed in its way the cigarette was as bad as immoral literature, and suggested a bureau charged with the examination of books and pictures.

The Hon. Mr. Domville resumed his complaint against the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association. To show what was being done in England, he read a report of the judgment in Foster vs. the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association rendered in the Appeal branch of the High Court of Justice, in which the company was condemned with costs. After that evidence no one could say that he was trying to hurt any one. People in Canada were watching the Senate as their last hope of relief. He read letters from the agents of the company remonstrating with the management, and showing that whilst business had gone down, the cost of management had gone up. He read numerous extracts from Mr. Wells's letters, showing that 85 per cent of the new premiums was paid to Mr. Morse, the head of the agencies, and severely criticizing the management for placing the funds of the company to the credit of a private individual, who was not to be hampered in his doings, in consequence of which the auditor resigned. The correspondence from which Mr. Domville read reached as far back as 1898, and included letters from Mr. Wells, Mr. Vrooman and Mr. Geo. B. H. Tracy, in which he expressed the opinion that the president and general manager had both laid themselves open to prosecution for fraud. He read letters showing that it had been excluded from doing business in Minnesota, California, Colorado, Tennessee, Kentucky, New Hampshire, Vermont and Colombia, whilst in Canada it was called to face a Senatorial investigation. The Hon. J. C. Martin, K.C., wrote in regard to his policy with the company, he had been victimized, and told them if the president or vice-president would go to British Columbia he would prosecute them for obtaining money under false pretences for fraud. He read letters showing that it had been excluded from doing business in Minnesota, California, Colorado, Tennessee, Kentucky, New Hampshire, Vermont and Colombia, whilst in Canada it was called to face a Senatorial investigation.

The Hon. Mr. Domville said it was on account of misrepresentation that the debate was then adjourned till Monday.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE. Toronto University Bill Receives Final Reading.

MR. J. W. ST. JOHN CONTINUES CONSERVATIVE OPPOSITION TO 'SOO' GUARANTEE—LIQUOR LICENSE BILL POSTPONED.

Parliament Buildings, Toronto, April 20.—The Legislature had a lively afternoon sitting yesterday with a varied bill of fare for the visitors in the galleries. The announcement was definitely made that there would be no temperance bill this year.

Mr. Whitney said he would like some final and definite statement as to the government's intention with regard to liquor license law amendment this session. The House should know if any legislation of any description regarding the liquor traffic was proposed. "I think that the House is entitled at this stage of the session, to some expression of the government's views. In the speech from the throne it was stated that 'a measure would be submitted for the improvement of the license law.' What is going to be done about it?"

Mr. Ross—It is not our intention to bring in any legislation this session in regard to the license law.

A strong speech regarding the government's duty to Toronto University was made by Mr. J. P. Whitney, Opposition leader. He stated that he had been approached by a high official of the university who expressed the needs of the university, which the government refused to grant. Afterwards this official was rapped over the knuckles by the government because he had primed the Opposition leader. Mr. Whitney said that the government looked with enmity upon any opposition member who dared to deal with the university question. The Premier seemed willing enough to cheerfully grant large cash bonuses and land grants to railway companies that are still up in the air, without hesitation, yet he claims he cannot give ten thousand dollars a year to Toronto University which would allow it to take that position in the march of improvement which other leading universities occupy. The Opposition desires no party advantage through university matters. Moreover, it will follow the government, and coincide with the government in anything it does to aid the university.

If need be the Opposition will give this support even if it injures its political influence.

The Hon. Richard Harcourt, Minister of Education, declared that the government has always welcomed a free discussion relative to Toronto University and that the House has never been niggardly in its treatment of that institution. In 1894 the government aid to the university was only \$500 while this year it is \$11,907.

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Mr. Ross—The total estimate will be about a hundred thousand dollars. Mr. Harcourt said that not one professor or teacher of Toronto University had received his appointment through his political leanings, and not one had lost his position for that reason. McGill University of Montreal has received extraordinary aid from Montreal millionaires and although Toronto University has received no such aid it compares favorably with the colleges of other cities. The government has not said the last word in regard to university aid.

Mr. Ross said that no friend of the university would thank Mr. Whitney for his speech because its purpose was to set the university and the Liberal party against each other. He had spoken in a partisan, demagogic fashion and had taken a narrow view of the question, forgetting that Toronto University is only a part of Ontario's great educational system. Mr. Whitney had been 'primed' but very badly primed. This professor did a very undignified thing when he 'primed,' or in other words fetched and carried for the Opposition leader.

Mr. Whitney said it was evident that the Premier intended to continue his censorship over the faculty, even when they dared to do their priming on the floor of the House. The bill to amend the University act of 1901 was read a third time and adopted.

The debate on the motion for the second reading of the bill to give a guarantee loan of two million dollars to the 'Soo' industries was resumed by Mr. J. W. St. John, Conservative, West York. He said that the government had the wages of the workmen at the 'Soo's' just before the by-election in order to buy the riding and are giving this two million dollars guarantee in order to insure Messrs. Combee and Bowman being paid their four hundred and ten thousand dollars lien, and thus keep the votes of these two members.

Mr. Combee grew very indignant at this statement and stated that he knew nothing of the bill when it was introduced as he was out of the city, but he believed that the measure was needed.

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(Canadian Associated Press.) ... Sir Hibbert Upper, responding to the ... of the Dominion, said that both ...

KING'S COLLEGE

NEW PRESIDENT CHOSEN YESTERDAY

... N.S., April 19.—The governors ... of the college, Windsor, N.S., met in ...

QUEBEC LEGISLATURE.

The New Treasurer Makes His Budget Speech.

HE SAYS THE CONDITION OF THE PROVINCIAL FINANCES IS SATISFACTORY—THE ESTIMATES FOR NEXT YEAR.

Quebec, April 19.—As the financial question is always the most important for the Provincial Legislature, this afternoon's meeting of the Assembly was rendered more than usually important by the bringing down of the estimates and the delivery of the budget speech.

PRIVATE BILLS. The Private Bills Committee reported among others, with amendments the bills to incorporate the Toronto General Trusts Corporation and the Talmud Torah or Hebrew Free School, of Montreal, and, among others introduced, were bills to incorporate the Terrebonne Electric Railway Company, the Suburban Tramway & Power Company, the Compagnie Generale du Port de Chicoutimi, the Shawinigan Electric Company, etc.

THE ESTIMATES. The supplementary estimates for the current year and the estimates for the next fiscal year beginning on July 1 next, were then laid on the table. The former ask for a total vote of \$137,844.91, made up as follows: Legislation, \$20,322; civil government, \$8,000; administration of justice, \$88,522.91; colonization and public works, \$5,000; agriculture, \$17,000, and Provincial Board of Health, \$137,844.91.

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BUDGET SPEECH. In rising to make his budget speech, the Hon. J. C. McCorkill received a hearty greeting from both sides of the House. It was his first appearance in the performance of this most trying and difficult of all a Provincial Treasurer's duties, and expectation was consequently on tiptoe to see how he would acquit himself.

LANDS, ETC. Referring to the department over which, he said, the Hon. S. N. Parent, notwithstanding all that his opponents had said and say to the contrary, presided with such conspicuous credit to himself and benefit to the province, he stated that the Premier last year had turned over to the Treasury the handsome sum of \$1,455,886.46, which was made up of the following chief items:

Hotel licenses 203,135.01
Restaurants 170,832.50
Retail liquor shops 180,828.78
Wholesale and retail liquor shops 12,250.00
Wholesale liquor shops 5,179.16

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES. Under this head, the hon. gentleman showed that there had been during the year a net decrease of \$126,877.30 in the liabilities and a net increase of \$52,077.56 in the assets, which gave a decrease of \$188,754.95 in the excess of liabilities during the year, and made the total excess of liabilities over assets, instead of \$26,479,426.98, as it stood on June 30, 1902, and \$26,290,672.03 on June 30, 1903, which last figure represents the total actual debt of the province, both funded and unfunded, unprovided for.

CONVERSION OF THE DEBT. During the year bonds to the amount of \$28,713.33 were converted, making the total amount converted to date \$7,492,534.65.

TRUST FUNDS. With reference to the interest on trust funds held by the Dominion Government for the province, the hon. gentleman stated that in December last he had been notified by the Finance Minister that interest thereon would be henceforward paid at only four percent instead of five percent, or the capital would be refunded. As this was contrary to the arbitration award of 1893, and to what had been agreed upon at Confederation, he had protested against it, and did not intend to submit to a reduction in the interest or to the capital being transferred to the credit of our account with the Dominion without having the matter submitted to the proper tribunal.

YULE BRIDGE. This was another matter in which the Dominion Government wished to retain out of the provincial subsidy a sum of \$22,040.90 as the share of the province in an old claim dating from before Confederation, whereon judgment was rendered against the Dominion, and which the latter asserted should be paid by Ontario and Quebec. This he held to be contrary to the Confederation Act, and this province would not submit to

come to power had been deprived of this source of revenue, but, if in this growing time any other of our actual sources of revenue were cut off, he asked what would be our future? Was any one so blind he could not see that in such an event two alternatives must inevitably confront us; namely, fresh loans or direct taxation. The Liberal party shrank from both alternatives, while apparently their opponents viewed them with calm and cool equanimity.

Another fact which, he thought, should never be lost sight of was that, before we began to provide for the expenses of the ordinary services of government, we must set apart the enormous sum of nearly \$1,600,000 for interest, etc., on our public debt, so that instead of having last year \$4,690,722.87 for ordinary and extraordinary expenses, we had really only \$3,122,180.63 to spend on public instruction, agriculture, colonization, justice, legislation, civil government, asylums, hospitals, charities, etc. When this was compared with the \$5,466,653 received by Ontario, whose population only exceeded ours by 534,049, it would be seen that the sister province had \$2,344,463 more to spend on the same services than we had. Yet unfavorable contrasts were drawn between us and Ontario, especially in the development of its northern territory; but were these fair or just? How could we, with such a revenue as we have, be expected to enter into rivalry with Ontario in opening up her north land. We must be content to push our colonization into those regions more slowly and according to our means, which we had been steadily and successfully doing during the past seven years.

OTHER INCREASING SERVICES. He then went on to point out that there were other important branches of the administration, the cost of which was constantly increasing and bound to further increase with the growth and demands of our population. Among these he mentioned: Public instruction, upon which last year we expended last year was \$472,599, or \$50,594.75 more than in 1896-97, and even the Montreal 'Gazette' was obliged to admit that the position of education in this province continues to improve slowly but surely; administration of justice, which exceeded the estimate, by the large sum of \$81,571.29, chiefly owing to the cost of criminal prosecutions; agriculture, upon which \$33,879.20 had been spent in excess of the estimate for the education and encouragement of our farmers in the adoption of the most improved systems of farming, dairying, etc.; colonization, upon which \$14,500 more had been spent for roads, and miscellaneous services, \$30,702.34. Altogether there had been an increase of \$184,602.99 in the receipts of 1902-03 over those of 1901-02, and an increase of \$90,284.73 in the ordinary expenditure of 1902-03 over 1901-02. The extraordinary expenditure on public works and buildings had been during 1902-03, \$45,098.60 more than in 1901-02, but the payments on account of railway subsidies had been \$35,469.27 less than in 1901-02. The net result of the year was a surplus of \$14,500 more than in 1901-02. The net result of the year was a surplus of \$14,500 more than in 1901-02.

THE CURRENT YEAR. Regarding the current year, he said that the statement of receipts and expenditures to March 31 last had been laid before the House, and compared with the receipts and expenditures for the corresponding period of last year, it was more favorable by \$34,041.41. He had, therefore, every reason to believe that the financial statement for the full year would be satisfactory one.

ESTIMATES FOR NEXT YEAR. He estimated the total ordinary receipts for the fiscal year 1904-05 at \$4,747,294.72, and the total ordinary and extraordinary expenditure (less railway subsidies) at \$4,733,852.77, which would leave a surplus of \$13,442.95. The railway subsidies are estimated at \$74,746.41.

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THE ROMAN FORUM. THE CHASM INTO WHICH MARCUS CURTIUS JUMPED DISCOVERED.

Rome, April 19.—Signor Giacomo Bont, the famous archaeologist, whilst directing the excavations of the Roman Forum, made to-day what is considered the greatest discovery of many years. He came upon a place where there was an altar dedicated to Marcus Curtius, a patriotic Roman youth, who in 362 B. C., to placate the gods, jumped, completely armed, on horseback, into a chasm which had opened in the forum, and which the soothsayers declared could not be filled except by the sacrifice of the chief wealth or strength of the Roman people. After Curtius's sacrifice, tradition says, the chasm immediately closed. The orifice of the chasm found by Signor Bont is formed by twelve large stones roughly sculptured. The archaeologist also found a hole which contained sacrifices made in later years to young Curtius on the altar. The great importance of the discovery lies in the fact that it confirms an event which many historians looked upon as mythical.

WORLD'S SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION. Jerusalem, April 18.—(Delayed.)—The world's fourth Sunday-school convention opened to-day in a huge tent outside Herod's Gate. Archbishop Sinclair attended the opening sermon. The attendance included 500 British and 800 Americans. Many other delegates from all quarters of the globe were present.

THE INCURABLE CURED AGAIN. J. J. Perkins Owes His Life to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Manitoba Man Helpless from Kidney Disease Made Strong and Healthy by the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy. Tyndall, Man., April 19.—(Special.)—Among the many in the great West who confidently state that they owe their lives to Dodd's Kidney Pills is Mr. J. J. Perkins, a well-known resident of this place. 'For two years I was troubled with my Kidneys, Mr. Perkins states, and at last became so bad that the doctor gave me up and said I was incurable. I, at times, had such severe pains in my back and kidneys that I thought I would have to give up all hope and die. I was unable to work and was becoming destitute. While in this condition a friend persuaded me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I had little faith in them, and it was more to please him than anything else I gave them a trial. To my surprise the first box did me so much good that I felt like a new man. Five boxes cured me completely. Dodd's Kidney Pills saved my life and I cannot praise them too much. Thousands of cases similar to that of Mr. Perkins are the proof that any Kidney Disease from Backache to Bright's Disease yields readily to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

FRANCE AND THE UNITED STATES. Washington, D.C., April 19.—The Washington administration has been quietly prosecuting the inquiries instituted some time ago to ascertain the prospects of the successful treatment by Congress of an arbitration treaty with France. As a result the President is convinced that it is not feasible to secure action by Congress upon such treaty during the present session. However, it is the present intention to take up the matter again next session, and prior to that there may be a few exchanges between Mr. Hay, Secretary of State, and M. Jusserand, the French ambassador. It is further stated that the United States Government has been indirectly sounded by other governments than that of France respecting the negotiation of arbitration treaties, and if the proposed Franco-American treaty succeeds it will be the forerunner of several others.

Ayer's Hair Vigor. This is what it does: Restores color, stops falling, makes hair grow, cures dandruff. Is not that enough? J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Why do you Cough? Cherrine. Cures Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Croup, Sore Throat, and all irritations of the Throat and Lungs. 25c everywhere.

### Whitewear Department.



'They who hesitate are lost.' This is a true enough saying in connection with our SHIRT WAIST DEPARTMENT on THURSDAY, for then we shall offer you a line at less than HALF PRICE. If you don't want to buy one you should come in and see the wonderful value. People will be talking about it, and of course you will be sorry then you did not see them.

THURSDAY, TO-MORROW, (only).

26 only. BLOUSES, made of Taffeta Silk, in two styles, one with hemstitched yoke and fine tucks, the other with wide tucks, back and front. Sizes, 32 to 44.

Regular prices, \$4.50 and \$5 each.

Thursday, price, **\$2.15**

A NEW MUSLIN SHIRT WAIST, with the new Yoke, short at the back and long in the front. Trimmed with wide hemstitched tucks and medallions; tucked collars and cuffs.

Thursday's price, each **\$1.25**

### Millinery Department.

The styles shown in this department are gathered together from all the leading fashion centers of the world, and then not content with this, there are our own special designs and trimmings. We also show a very fine selection of UNTRIMMED MILLINERY SHAPES, etc., and are always very pleased to see our friends in this department, even if they do not at every visit wish to purchase anything.

### Carpet Department.

May we help you to choose the carpets or rugs you are thinking of buying just at the season of the year.

These goods should be a very interesting topic of conversation with you. Our new Tapestry Carpets, 45c to 95c a yard. Brussels Carpets, \$1 to \$1.40 a yard. Axminster Carpets, \$1.50 to \$2 a yard. Wilton Carpets, \$1.50 to \$2 a yard. Stair Carpets to match all these different qualities. All less 5 PERCENT DISCOUNT FOR CASH.

Olecloths and Linoleums in every variety, and guaranteed in quality and wearing power.



### Toilet Department.



In this department, which is situated just inside our St. Catherine street door, will be found lots of little things very much under the price you would have to pay elsewhere. For instance, we mention the Ladies' Ornamental Hair Combs, which we have very much reduced in price, and can now do at prices from 25c to \$7 each. The French Horn Hairpins are also a very good line. A Painted Ribbon Sachet, Ladies' Brushes, and various different kinds of accents, all go to make the department, though small, very interesting.

### Silk Department.

For the benefit of the customers that have not yet availed themselves of our special offers from time to time, we shall on FRIDAY make another special offer in this department. We have NO OLD STOCK; EVERYTHING IS NEW AND FRESH, but Silks will go up very shortly, and we want to try and get our friends to buy before that time. Silks in all the latest finish: Douzeline, Spotted Shantung, Japanese, Pongee, etc.; Bengaline, in Pearl Grey, Coffee Brown, Scarlet, Red, Deft Blue, Sky Blue, Pink, Hebea, Navy Blue, and Nile Green. Price, \$1.25 a yard.

Black Bengaline, \$1.10, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25 and \$3 a yard.

### Men's Furnishings.



Always something Special from this department, no matter how small, the prices are always the very lowest.

Men's Reversible Derby Ties, in the Newest Patterns and Colorings; Light and Dark Shades in Stripes and Figures; regular, 25c; Special, each **15c**

Men's Sterling Silver Cuff Links, neat patterns; Special, per pair **50c**

New Stick Pins, a large assortment of all the Newest designs to choose from, each, 50c and 75c.

### Mantle Department.

Just at this time of the year, when the weather cannot be depended upon, what is so handy as a "RAIN COAT" or RAGLAN. They are just the correct thing for Motor riding, travelling, etc., etc., and as to weight, why, you can slip them over a smart shirt waist, and they will not crush the freshness of it away or spoil the ribbons and laces. We are showing Rain Coats and Raglans at all prices, and in all styles, in colors Green, Light Grey, Dark Green, Fawn, Brown, Tweeds, and with narrow and very pretty stripes. Two Special lines we offer on Thursday are:

LADIES' FULL LENGTH TWEED RAIN COATS, Loose Box Backs, New Sleeve, with Cuff and a Velvet Collar. A snap we consider good value at \$7.50; Thursday's price **\$5 00**

LADIES' FULL LENGTH RAGLANS, in Tweeds and Covert Cloths, Showproof, made Loose Back and Velvet Collars. A regular \$10.50 line; Thursday's price **\$7.75**

The quantity of these two lines is limited, and it is therefore advisable to COME EARLY and get a good pattern the size you want.

# OGILVY'S,

ST. CATHERINE AND MOUNTAIN STREETS.

## A GREAT MANY PEOPLE ARE WONDERING WHY OGILVYS ARE SELLING SO CHEAPLY.

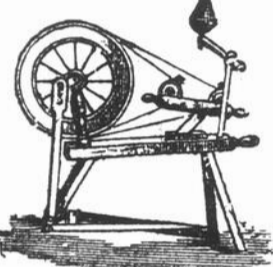
Some even go so far as to say they cannot be selling the same quality of goods. To such we would here emphatically state, Qualities are always kept up. We are not only keeping qualities up, but we are giving you better qualities, and if we cannot give you better we at least give you the same qualities as hitherto, and our prices are very much lower. We want your custom and we only expect to get it by making it well worth your while to give it us. Our early morning specials are often given you at such prices that we cannot possibly duplicate.

## Something Pretty in the Linen Section.

We have put on sale for to-morrow's selling some very special lines well worthy of your attention.

Fine Swiss Embroidered Muslin Scarfs, for Side-board and Bureau Covers, 150 only, sizes 20 x 54 and 20 x 72 inches, value 75c to \$1.50. All one price **48c**

We have sold quite a lot of these goods, and when we first got them, we had Pillow Shams which they matched now you can have your choice of these odds **48c** all at.....



The above is for early shoppers from 8 to 11 a. m. A very special price in Table Cloths.

These goods are offered just at the time of year when they are most needed, the prices that they are marked at, namely: 75c to \$2.25 each, are very low, being as low as regular cost price. 1 1/2 yard to 3 1/2 yards long, bleached, light weight but pure linen.

### FOR HALF PRICE

To clear on sale all day to-morrow. These are the goods you want for country or seaside use.

COLORED QUILTS.—30 only, the old style of Alhambra Quilts, just the thing suitable for the country or seaside—or for boys' beds—the old class of make that give you good serviceable wear—we only have 30 to offer—at the price.

A \$1.00 full-size Quilt, in colors of Blue and Red, Red and White, for 67c. 28-inch Navy and White Stripe Galatea, regular value 35c. Special 19c.



Our Ribbon Department is much favored by all with good taste for the most delicate combinations of shades and colorings. Lots of your belongings that you have ornamented with Ribbons will be looking dull in the bright sunshine, because just as much as summer and winter differ, so do the colors that should be used at these separate seasons differ. The new shades for spring and summer for every kind of use are in Ogilvy's Ribbon Department, and we will offer you two specials on Thursday next only.

Taffeta Ribbon, 4 1/2 inches wide in Pale Blue, Pink, Turquoise, Green, Old Rose, Navy, Yellow and White. Regular price 25c. Thursday's price, per yard **11c**

Ribbons in Soft Liberty Silk, Pan Satin and Duchesse Satin. Colors, Pink, Blue, Turquoise, Cerise, Shaded Green, Fawn, Brown, Navy and Grey, 7-in. wide. Regular price 55c to 65c a yard. Thursday's price.... **12 1/2c**



If the warm weather won't come the next best thing is to think about it and prepare yourself for when it does come. It will come with a rush and we don't want any of our friends to be unprepared for it, so we keep on putting before your notice little bargains just to tempt you and to remind you how the time is getting on.

A fast dye English Cambric, very cool and nice looking, spotted and striped effects. Regular price 20c, Thursday's **12 1/2c**

A special line of Knicker Voile in pretty shades of Helio, Grey and Pink, worth 20c, special price **12 1/2c**

We are also showing a very good line of White Vestings, mercerised with self patterns or stripes, some embroidered. 50c to 95c a Yard.

Snow Flake Fancy Striped Voile. This stuff would make anyone look bright and cool, in colors of Grey, Pink, Holland Color, etc., striped with white and some with spots. 15c a Yard.



We cannot fill ladies' shopping bags, etc., etc., with money before they get them from us, but you can soon fill them yourself with the money you would save by always buying from OGILVY'S. We have a choice assortment of LEATHER GOODS OF ALL KINDS: Ladies' Bags, Buckles, Shirt Waist Sets, etc., etc. In fact, the department is full of things dear to the heart of every woman. You should really give us a look round, and keep yourself posted in our novelties at least once a week.

### Dress Department.

We are always having something fresh and this alone should make a visit to this department interesting to you. If you carefully read our DRESS GOODS LIST from time to time, your own good judgment and knowledge of these goods will enable you to see that OGILVY'S are doing the goods at the right price, and a visit to the department will convince you. We mention two special lines and a few of the regular goods in stock.

SCOTCH TWEED EFFECTS, in all good colors; regular price 75c; Thursday's price, per yard **20c**

GRANITE CLOTH, which makes up into a very stylish and fashionable Dress, in colors Light Blue, Royal, Brown, Old Rose, Cardinal, Garnet and Navy; regular price 60c a yd; Thursday's price **29c**

FANCY ARMURE CLOTH, 65c per yard.

PANAMA CLOTH, 85c per yard.

NEW TWEED EFFECTS, 75c per yard.

CREPOLINE, 70c per yard.

VOILE DE PARIS, 65c per yard.

SILK AND WOOL CREPE DE CHINE, \$1.10 per yard.

BLACK SILK AND WOOL VOILE, \$1.25 per yard.

BLACK FANCY STRIPE AND SPOT VOILE, \$1.30 per yard.

BLACK FLAKE ETAMINE \$1.50 per yard.

BLACK WOOL HENRIETTA, 50c per yard.



### NECKWEAR DEPARTMENT.

Without a visit one can scarcely believe the different patterns, trimmings, colorings and ideas we have secured could ever have been gathered together in one department. There are Chiffon Ties, Lace Ties, Embroidered Ties and Plain Ties, various Styles and Demure Styles, Ribbon Bow Button Effects, Sequin trimmed, and plain, with fancy edgings.

Ladies' Oriental Wash Stocks, 20 and 25c each.

PERSIAN EFFECT COLLARS, 25c each.

### Glove Department.

In our Glove Department we still keep well to the front, and we have here our own specialties in Gloves, made for our Glove Department only. Nothing looks nicer than a Smart Glove, and ours are smart and wear well. If they don't wear well, we are always willing to exchange anything costing \$1.00 upwards.



### Hosiery Department.



Are you a good HOSE? If so, we have a special criticism. Many people who buy anything in the hosiery department look pretty well, but when they combine daily with the hard wear of the day, they find few lines of our hosiery.

Black Cotton Hose, 25c per pair.

Black Embroidered Hose, 55c and 65c per pair.

Black Cotton Hose, 35c per pair.

White Feet, 35c per pair.

Black Lisle, 30c, 45c, 50c, 65c, 75c per pair.

Black Silk Finest, 50c per pair.

Black Thread, 50c per pair.

Lace Ankles, 50c per pair.

Black All Lace, 50c per pair.

Black Summer, 40c per pair.

Hose, 25c, 35c, 40c per pair.

Ladies' Silk Stockings, all the popular styles.

An excellent assortment of all the latest things in Woven Underwear, Silk, Silk and Wool, Cotton, Gauze, etc.

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