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 Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—
 Fresh southwesterly and westerly
 winds, cloudy and milder with light
 falls of snow or sleet.

The Quebec Chronicle.

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 Minimum and Maximum Tempera-
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NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL

The Anti-Gambling Bill is drastic—
 New Departmental Building—Mag-
 dalen Islands Mail Service.

Ottawa, Ont., March 15.—The Miller bill to prevent betting and gambling is more drastic than at first thought, and it contains some clauses which were not in the bill referred to the special committee. In the bill, any man who "records or registers any bet or wager, or sells any pool upon the races, or any political or municipal election; of any race; of any contest or trial of skill or endurance of man or beast," becomes liable to a year's imprisonment or to a fine of \$1,000. It would prohibit personal wagers between any group of individuals, say members of a political or other club, as to the result of an election or even of a parliamentary division.

It is not probable that legal proceedings will be taken against the mother of the child taken dead to the Salvation Army Home on Daly avenue a couple of weeks ago. While at the inquest last night the jury returned a verdict of "Death from neglect." The question to be determined was as to whether it was a case of criminal neglect or otherwise. Crown Attorney Ritchie who was present at the inquest and went thoroughly into the case, stated this morning, that there was no evidence of criminality on the part of the mother as far as the death of the child was concerned.

Work on new Departmental block on Sussex street will go ahead this summer. This announcement was made to-day by Hon. William Duggan, Minister of Public Works. "As soon as the appropriations for the purpose in the estimates pass the House," stated the Minister, "it is my intention to call for tenders. I should imagine that this will be done around June." The building, for which plans have been prepared, will be the largest and most handsome of the Government structures. It will be over six hundred feet in length and five or six stories in height and will extend from where St. John's Church now stands easterly. It is intended to house all of the Departments now accommodated throughout the city in private owned buildings as well as the Supreme and Exchequer Courts and the Railway Commission. The estimated cost is between three and four million dollars and the structure is on such an extensive scale as will require several years to build.

The Magdalen Islands, lying north of Prince Edward Island, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, are in an unfortunate position of receiving no mails during the winter. About the beginning of December the ice accumulated in that part of the Gulf, so that access to the islands by the ordinary means is always a matter of great risk, when not impossible. The steamer *Harlow* set out from Halifax on the 2nd inst. and reached the Gulf without difficulty, but when within 20 miles of the Magdalens the vessel was caught in the ice which carried her southward to Cape Breton and after fruitless attempt to return to her course, the captain was obliged to run the vessel into Channel, Newfoundland. The mails were then brought back to Sydney by the Bruce, the Reid steamer, which runs between Sydney and Port aux Basques. The Postmaster General arranged to have the mails sent to Georgetown, P.E.I., and engaged the Government steamer *Minto* to carry them to the islands and bring back the mails awaiting despatch. The *Minto* started from Georgetown on Saturday, the 12th inst., and word has just been received that the attempt this time was successful.

THE BOWLING TOURNAMENT
 Detroit, March 15.—The Cosmos of Chicago, won the \$800 prize for first place in the five-man team event of the tenth annual tournament of the American Bowling Congress to-night. That event was finished to-night, and after about four hundred teams rolled, the 2880 of the Chicagoans was still good enough to carry off first money. The Sarantinas, of Wheeling, W. Va., finished second with 2878 and received \$675. The O'Leary's number 2 of Chicago, rolled next with 2833 and carried away \$575. Eighty prizes were distributed in this event and the eighth team drew \$25. The Cosmos 2880 was 82 pins behind the 2962 recorded for the tournaments, established by the Lipmans of Chicago at Pittsburgh last winter. A 1028 by Cosmos was the high team game of the tourney. Fourteen Detroit teams shot to-night and the best score was made by the Cadillacs with 2797, which gave them ninth The Kokos of New York, took fourth prize, \$280, with 2831. The Liberty's of Rochester got tenth money, \$200, with 2789.

MAIL CONDUCTOR KILLED
 Three Rivers, March 15.—Mr. Maurice Macbeath, mail conductor on the Pile branch of the C.P.R., was accidentally killed with a revolver this afternoon, at the Dominion Hotel.

CARMEN'S STRIKE IN PHILADELPHIA

No Change in the Situation—Some Men Desert Strikers, Others Join Them—Woman Killed.

Philadelphia, March 15.—"The conference with George H. Earle has not resulted in any plan or suggestion for the settlement of the carmen's strike and negotiations are therefore to be considered ended," was the official statement issued to-night by the general strike committee of ten. President E. E. Greenwalt, of the State Federation of Labor, to-night issued a call to labor unions in all parts of the State to take a general strike vote and hold themselves in readiness to respond to a call for a State wide sympathetic strike, which was authorized at the recent convention of the State Federation of Labor, held in Newcastle, Pa.

There was no change in the general strike situation to-day. While there were a number of defections in the strikers' ranks, these, it was stated by the labor leaders, were more than counterbalanced by accessions to the ranks of the strikers. The Kensington textile district remains practically tied up, and the workers in this district were joined to-night by 400 grocery clerks, most of whom were employed in the syndicate stores in that locality.

The Rapid Transit Co. maintains that the service is growing better daily. More cars were operated to-day than on any day since the strike began. There were a number of accidents, however, in one of which an unidentified woman was struck by a car at Sixth and Arch streets and instantly killed.

The chauffeurs failed to make a general response to the new call for sympathetic strike and many of the public taxicabs continued in operation. Officials of the Transit Company expressed their displeasure at Director Earle for placing President Kruger in a position of treating with the striking motormen and conductors. A representative of the company declared: "If there was any chance, and there really appeared to be a good one yesterday, of clearing up this situation and ending this strike by night, it has been totally killed by the action of George H. Earle and Edward L. Stokes."

Wm. H. Shelmelin, a member of the Rapid Transit directorate, said: "The members of the board are very much displeased with Mr. Earle's action in attempting to negotiate a settlement of the strike. Mr. Earle has placed the board in a very embarrassing position. Mr. Kruger attended the conference under a misapprehension. Had he understood the reason for the call to Mr. Earle's office and had he known whom he was to meet there he would not have gone."

AN IMPORTANT INVENTION

By a Priest—A Pocket Wireless Telegraph Apparatus—Why He Made the Invention.

Berlin, March 15.—A wireless pocket telegraph apparatus was exhibited by the inventor, Professor Cerebotani, the priest in charge of the Munich parish, during a scientific lecture before an audience of persons engaged in the various branches of scientific investigation, last night. The instrument consists of a wooden base with the letters of the alphabet thereupon arranged in a circle. A small metal indicator swings on a pivot in the centre so adjusted as to respond to the wireless dot and dash currents and spell out the message. The apparatus is very simple. It is somewhat larger than the ordinary card case.

Prof. Cerebotani declared that a French journalist had attributed to him, erroneously, the invention of a wireless, pocket telegraph instrument some time ago. He wrote to the journal denying the invention. However, his letter was not published and accordingly nothing remained for him in the way of vindication except to invent the apparatus described, which he proceeded to do.

CIVIC SCANDAL IN VICTORIA, B.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 15.—So deplorable has become the muddle in connection with the administration of civic affairs that an agitation is afoot to ask the appointment of a royal commission. The proposed petition to the Lieut.-Governor-in-Council is to appoint a commission of judges to open an enquiry at once. An official report shows that the big reservoir completed last year at a cost of \$100,000 is a botch, and will have to be rebuilt. It is also charged that a miniature Tammany Hall exists in Victoria, collecting spoils from the gamblers in Chinatown and the vicious element generally.

\$6,000,000 FOR MONTREAL HARBOR

In the Shape of a Loan from the Dominion Government to Complete Works.

Ottawa, March 14.—The Government is to loan the Montreal Harbor Commissioners \$6,000,000, according to a notice of motion given by Mr. Fielding to-night. This is to complete existing works in the harbor and for additional facilities. The terms of the resolution of the Finance Minister are as follows:

"That it is expedient to provide that the Governor-in-Council may from time to time advance and pay to the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal, in addition to the money, if any heretofore authorized to be advanced by any act, and which has not already been so advanced, such sums of money, not exceeding \$6,000,000 as are required:

(a) To pay off and retire debentures of the corporation of the par value of \$100,000, maturing in 1910, and

(b) To enable the corporation to complete the construction of the terminal facilities of the port, for which plans, specifications, and estimates have been approved by the Governor-in-Council, and to construct such additional facilities as are necessary properly to equip the port, and in respect of which plans, specifications and estimates have, previous to advances being made, been approved by the Governor-in-Council.

2. That during the period of construction of the terminal facilities mentioned in this resolution, the interest payable on the debentures receivable by the Minister of Finance in exchange for such advances shall be deemed to be money required to complete, and to be part of the cost of construction thereof, and such interest may be paid out of the said sum of \$6,000,000;

3. That the corporation shall, upon any advances being made, deposit with the Minister of Finance, debentures of the corporation equal in par value to the advance so made, repayable within 25 years from the date of issue, and bearing interest, payable half-yearly, at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum;

4. That the principal and interest of any sums advanced under any act founded on these resolutions shall be payable, subject to the second of these resolutions, out of the revenue of the corporation mentioned in section 8 of chapter 10 of the statutes of 1896, and shall be a charge thereon as if the sums so advanced had been borrowed by the corporation under said chapter 10.

These resolutions are to be moved on Wednesday, and a bill founded thereon will be introduced by Mr. Fielding. It will be remembered that the original scheme of the Harbor Commissioners for the equipment of the port according to the new plans called for a loan of \$18,000,000 spread over a period of 12 years, or a million and a half a year. Not having secured that sum, the original programme will in all likelihood have to be modified.

STRIKE OF THE PAPER MILL MEN

President of the Union Replies to the President of the Company Denying Latter's Statement

Watertown, N.Y., March 15.—Jeremiah T. Carey, President and Secretary of the International Brotherhood of Pulp and Paper Makers, to-day issued a statement in reply to that of President A. N. Burbank, of the International Paper Company, alleging that the present strike was precipitated without any preliminary demands on the company having been made. This Mr. Carey denies, and states that several letters to officers of the International Paper Company, written by him during the past year, calling attention to alleged grievances and asking for a conference were ignored. He quotes a letter written President Burbank March 11th, in which it is stated that the men "Now demand an increase in wages of 10 per cent., a discontinuance of all unnecessary Sunday work, and an agreement to employ members of organized labor according to their respective organizations." The letter contains an offer to meet the representatives of the committee in an effort to adjust the grievances.

Rumford Falls, Me., March 15.—A telegram ordering the employees of the local mill of the International Paper Company to strike in sympathy with the employees of that company's mill in New York and Vermont, was received to-day from President J. T. Carey, of the International Brotherhood of Paper Makers. Some of the mill men thought the question of a strike would be settled late this afternoon. They said sentiment was about evenly divided as to whether to strike or to take part in the controversy.

Glen Falls, N.Y., March 15.—Acting upon orders from Sheriff Washburn, of Saratoga County, half of Company K, Second Regiment National Guard, was withdrawn from the South Glen Falls mill of the International Paper Co. to-night. The strike situation is quiet here and at Fort Edward. Only 32 guardsmen are now stationed at the South Glen Falls mill.

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CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES

What the Toronto Globe Will Say Today on the Tariff Situation of the Two Countries.

Toronto, March 15.—The Globe will say editorially to-morrow in part: "Canadians are not addressing themselves to the existing tariff situation in any spirit of bravado. They now fully appreciate that if the President places Canada under the United States maximum tariff and the Canadian surtax automatically goes on United States goods the two countries will come as near to a state of commercial non-intercourse as it is possible for two civilized nations to come. It will be a discreditable state of affairs, but with all humility it must be said that Canada is in no measure responsible for it. For the past fourteen years the dominant party in Canada has stood for wider mutual intercourse with our neighbors. Failing result we turned to other lands and have found conditions for our products in their markets. Among other large consuming populations we began negotiations with France and a treaty of mutual concessions has been ratified by the representatives of both lands. In the meantime and subsequent to these negotiations Congress passed the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill, which is far from being a reduction of the tariff as has been held by the American press and public to be a cynical evasion of the promise which was implied by the Republican leaders in the phrase 'tariff revision.' This virtually unremitted tariff was called the maximum tariff, and for the first time in U. S. tariff history a maximum tariff was provided for. A true reading of the clause which provides for this maximum rate implies that it imposes a duty of 25 per cent ad valorem on articles now on the free list, and the same percentage ad valorem is added to the duties of the minimum tariff on dutiable articles. The position of the United States, therefore, towards Canada is that under the Payne-Aldrich tariff we are little or no better off than under its drastic predecessors, while if we go elsewhere to look for markets we are struck with a tariff that practically declares non-intercourse. To escape we would have to give the United States without corresponding concessions at least some of the advantages which France has bought with valuable concessions. We do not think we should be speaking the mind of the Canadian people if we said that such an alternative will be entertaining. We may say to our American friends that we do not invite and have sought to avoid tariff barbarism of this kind, but when it comes to a choice between loss of self-respect and commercial sacrifices the great body of Canadians will choose the latter without hesitation.

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BRITISH OFFICER TURNED BACK
 Winnipeg, March 15.—Lieutenant B. B. Pryce Jones, of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers of the British army, was pulled off the Soo train last night because the immigration officer did not regard him as a suitable person to enter the United States. Pryce Jones had been spending a holiday of some six weeks in Canada principally in the Rockies, enjoying skating, snowshoeing and other sports and he proposed to visit some friends in Chicago which his ticket allowed, but he was not informed that he had to go and be examined at the U. S. immigration office. Pryce Jones said it was a very unpleasant close to what had been a very jolly holiday in Canada.

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THE DEATH OF A NOTED CANADIAN LITTERATEUR.

George Murray is dead. All over Canada his name had become a household word, and for years his kindly face, represented in the Standard from week to week, was familiar to nearly every English speaking resident in Quebec. The Montreal Star has dealt with his career as a teacher, a scholar, a poet, and a reviewer, in a way to make a draft upon the gratitude of those who knew him intimately as well as those who drew from his fountain of "things new and old" every week. They say that in Canada the literary merit of a man, so near to us as Mr. Murray was, does not come into full recognition until after his death. If this be true generally, it has not been true in Mr. Murray's treatment of his literary contemporaries. His pen was always being used in making known to the public the merits of his younger competitors in the field of literature; and hundreds of such must now acknowledge that they have lost a friend in one who had eliminated from his nature all traces of literary envy. His life in behalf of our Canadian literature remains as a lesson to the whole of Canada. What a pity it is that our Canadian universities did not seize the opportunity of supplementing the honors which befell him as a member of our Canadian Royal Society, and the universal recognition of his manifold talents as one of Canada's ripest scholars. If he were poor in pocket, he was rich enough in intellect to do honor to any university that might have gone out of its way to do honor to him while he was yet with us in the flesh, as one of our most brilliant literary lights in Canada.

THE FEDERAL POLITICAL OUTLOOK.

The greater questions that come up for discussion in a commonwealth are the questions which make for a wholesome nationhood. And, while Canada is fondly plaiting the tendrils of her autonomy as an "imperium in imperio," it is well for Canadians to give heed to the problems that are of very much more moment to the country at large than the hurry-scurry of party strife. The navy bill has passed. But there has been more in the discussions over its details and rationale than either Liberals or Conservatives have seemed discerned amid their wordy contests. The Conservative party stands face to face with the country as a united and possible people's party, if the representatives of that party in Parliament will loyally obey the call for rallying and consolidation, in line with the necessities of the times. The Conservative convention to be held in June next, must look upon the cause of the people as the great first motive in their deliberations rather than a mere getting into power. Loyalty to the country's interests is more than loyalty to party interests—the one being only a means to an end—an incentive to stand for the greater of the two. And if the rank and file of the Conservative party has been thinking too often of the "loaves and fishes," from which they have been weaned so long, it is time for such to set aside the folly and rally to the upholding of Empire connections, as their leaders in Parliament have been rallying in Parliament to defend the good name of the country from becoming a byword for ingratitude and meanness of public spirit, among the nations. In referring to the coming Conservative convention, we pointed out, the other day, what ought to be a first plank in its platform, namely, the providing of legislative safeguards against bribery and boodling, whereby both will be made indictable offences at the instance of special apprehending officers, whose duty it shall be to follow such cases right up to the securing of a fixed verdict against the offenders in the law courts of the land. Every voter detected in taking a bribe should be deprived of the right of voting ever after, just as every boodler should be forced to make restitution, and ranked among the dishonest.

Another question that must be taken up by the Conservative convention is the reform of the Senate of Canada, with sufficient warrant for instituting such a reform, in what is about being done towards reforming the House of Lords in England. The method of making appointments to the Senate is subversive of all parliamentary dignity. Indeed, one of the easiest ways of securing a nomination to a seat in

the Senate is for some citizen to run an election, meet all the expenses connected with the contest that has ended in his rejection by the electorate, and then to put in a claim to an appointment to the Senate, in order to recover his outlay. The number of such defeated candidates, who have had no Parliamentary experience whatever, are becoming more and more numerous in the Senate every year. The number of experienced parliamentarians that have finally found a retreat in the Senate are few and far between. The assembly has become one of the most motley there is to be met with in the whole Dominion. With but few exceptions the Senators are non-representative of any locality with a suspicion against them of intellectual ranking far below the average intelligence of the country. Hence the body has to be reformed, just as the House of Lords has to be reformed. The "laissez-aller" of conventionalism has made a wreck of both chambers. Neither is of stable administrative service to the commonwealth, and both of them must be remodelled in line with the notion of right representation, and invigorated function; and to the Conservative party in both countries the task of their reform must be relegated.

ANOTHER OF THE SAME.

It must strike Sir Wilfrid Laurier at times that the examples that have been made of the boodlers in the public departments have not tended to root out the evil. The discipline, he must feel, has not been severe enough. The culprits continue to put their trust in the loopholes provided for their escape. For instance, the committee on the Lumsden charges was called for by Sir Wilfrid himself; and yet, since its first meeting there has been nothing but a beating about the bush, in order that improper means of escape might be provided for those involved in the irregularities which forced Major Hodgins and Mr. Lumsden to resign lucrative positions rather than be mixed up with them. This time, the rascality of advising the raising of the figures of an account against the Government in order that an official should have his "rake-off" has been located in the Public Department of Railways. Sawdust was not the commodity dealt in, on this occasion, nor was Richibucto the scene of the escapade. Certain farmers of the Trent Valley in Ontario had claims against the Government for the damage done to their lands from floods. A valuator was appointed by the Railway Department to see that there was no overcharge made, and a solicitor authorized by the Department of Justice to see to the legal verification of the accounts, when presented for payment. The records of the case show that the said solicitor advised a certain claimant to "hang out for twelve or fifteen acres" more than his due, and the claimant now says that he had to pay the solicitor twenty per cent of all moneys awarded to him. The transaction is all of a piece with hundreds of others. And now the Minister of Railways and the Minister of Justice are doing their best or worst to belittle the affair, and thus "explode" it in the usual way. The evidence seems to point out the two officials as being "pals" in the affair; and now the Ministers would palliate the offence by pleading that this is a case for the Law Society of Ontario to deal with. Nor is there much to be gained by referring to the case. Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself knows that it is not an exception. He knows what a useful member of an investigating committee his honorable friend from Picton, Nova Scotia, is, in raising hindrances to getting at the full facts of an investigation in hand for the moment. What is going on at present in connection with the Lumsden charges is neither more nor less than a "hush-up," conducted under the special guidance of Mr. Edward M. MacDonald, of Picton, whose action in the selection of an advocate to probe things to the bottom has led to the withdrawal of the three Conservative members from the committee and the actual mutilation of the records of the committee. The country is beginning to feel that Sir Wilfrid is impotent to put an end to this kind of thing. Nay, the suspicion has got abroad that Sir Wilfrid is convinced that there is no other way of running a Government than this. Hence comes the chance to those who may succeed him; to clean the system out, by reforms to be advocated and put into shape at the approaching Conservative convention. There was certainly corruption practised under previous regimes, but no Government has ever practised the business of rescuing the boodler to the extent that the Laurier adminis-

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tration has. The investigating committee or commission has become in its hands the veriest of farces.

With all due reference to the City Council, the Chronicle holds that Ald. Messervy and Cummings were right in the stand they took in the matter of taxation. There may be a desire to delay enquiry into our system of taxation, but such an enquiry has to be faced sooner or later, if Quebec is to have fair play meted out to its policy of progress. Until the city has been delivered from the allegation that it is the most heavily taxed city in the Dominion, its progress is likely to be handicapped.

A prominent citizen the other night spoke of the necessity of keeping Quebec from falling into its "olden ecstasies of delay," and he gave an instance of how the ocean greyhound carrying the mail from Great Britain might outboud the Atlantic's waves to keep up to its speed, and the Intercolonial mail train might tear on its way through storm drifts and station delays to be on time from Halifax to Montreal, but the mail bags, when thrown off at Levis were allowed to lie across the river right opposite our Post Office, for twelve or fourteen hours without delivery. Our three executive corporate bodies—the City Council, the Board of Trade, and the Harbor Commission—should strive to recall the above, whenever they feel inclined, to plead for unnecessary delay in a public movement. Such pleading is ever a poor handmaid to progress. The Chronicle may have a further word to say to all three of these bodies, by way of encouraging them to be up and doing a little more for the city than the mere tidying up of their own office routine. Now that the Harbor Commission has rearranged the list of its official staff, it may get a move on it in looking after its outside affairs for the accommodation of certain ocean greyhounds.

A QUESTION OF HEALTH

Without Rich, Red Blood You Cannot be Healthy—How to Obtain This Blessing.

If every woman and young girl would realize the danger of allowing blood to become thin and poor, would understand that the majority of common diseases are caused by an anemic (or bloodless) condition, that persistent pallor means that the blood is not furnishing the organs with the required amount of nourishment, there would be awakened interest in the tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Thin blood means starved nerves, weakened digestion, functional disorders, headaches, frequently neuralgia, sciatica and even partial paralysis. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills build up the blood, repair waste and prevent and check disease. They fill the system with rich, red blood which means good health and life.

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These Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or you can get them by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

TO-DAY'S CHANGE AT THE NICKEL

The feature picture in to-day's change of programme at the Nickel is one entitled "In the Shadow of Mount Shasta." This picture tells a story of the early mining days in California, rightly called the gem of the Golden West. The picture portrays an absorbing story, teeming with the effervescence of loyal man and womanhood. It is one of the masterpieces of the Selig manufacturing, whose western pictures are easily the best and truest to life. Strong and interesting as this picture is, there is another well worth seeing, and this is entitled "The Saint's Gift." For dramatic effect and acting this picture is bound to interest the observer. "The Old Woodman" is likewise an interesting subject. The pictures shown by the Nickel are furnished by the world's greatest manufacturers and this accounts not a little for the reputation which the Nickel bears for providing its patrons with something new and interesting. There is nothing mediocre in their programmes, everything is up-to-date and no picture is shown to which the slightest exception can be taken. The great effort of the management of the Nickel is to provide the patrons with a clean and wholesome entertainment, and in this they are succeeding, if the large and interested audiences who assemble at every performance can be taken as a criterion. Next week the management have an exceptional treat in store for the patrons in the appearance of Mr. Bert Harvey, a character comedian of exceptional ability. That Mr. Harvey is an artist in his line is borne out by his work on the stage in other cities. Says the Winnipeg Free Press:—"Mr. Bert Harvey is a whole host in himself, and his impersonation of the mechanical scarecrow figure from 'The Wizard of Oz' is one of the finest bits of comedy work to be seen. His Chinese song given as an encore, displays versatility in various dialects, while his rendition of 'Who Killed Bill Bailey' was funny but quite artistic." Mr. Harvey commences a limited engagement at the Nickel on Monday next.



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Quebec, March 9th, 1910.
DORION & MARCHAND,
Attorneys for "La Compagnie Electrique Dorchester."
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Public Notice

Public notice is hereby given that at the next session of the Legislature of Quebec, application will be made for the incorporation of a company, with powers for the manufacture and sale of gas, for lighting or heating, and the installation of all works, necessary for the manufacture, operation, and transmission of the same, the head office of the company to be in the City of Quebec, and the business and operations of the company to be in the City of Quebec, and neighbouring municipalities, and without it being necessary for the company to obtain the permission of such city and municipalities to carry on any of its operations within the limits of such city or municipalities.

GIBSON & DOBELL,
Attorneys for Applicants.
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Public notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, for the incorporation of a company, having its head office at Quebec, and authorized to deal in electricity, gas, lighting and heating, to enter the city of Quebec, and there carry on the necessary works for its installation and operations; to construct the necessary transmission lines through the various municipalities that will have to be crossed without having asked for the permission of such municipalities, and for other purposes.

L. A. CANNON,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Quebec, 23rd February, 1910.
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Public notice is hereby given that Donald Fraser and Archibald Fraser, lumber merchants, both of Fredericton, Province of New Brunswick, Donald Fraser, junior, of Plaster Rock, lumber merchant, in the Province of New Brunswick, William Matheson and Andrew Brebner, both clerks, of Cabano, in the County of Temiscouata, will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, for the incorporation of a company with a capital of \$250,000.00, under the name of "Donald Fraser & Sons, Limited", having its head office at Cabano, with all the necessary powers to carry on the lumber business in all its forms; to sell wholesale and retail merchandise of all kinds; to sell, purchase, charter, steam and sailing vessels, and carry on the business of carriers; to carry on the paper and pulp business; to acquire, utilize and develop water powers and appropriate for the purposes of such operations; to transmit and sell electricity, and power; to acquire and operate for the needs of the company, telegraph and telephone lines and other means of communication, with power to raise for the requirements of its operations the levels of the lakes and rivers by paying damages, once for all, to the riparian proprietors, and for other purposes.

L. A. CANNON,
Attorney for Applicants
Quebec, 23rd February, 1910.
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In the Superior Court,
District of Beauce,
No. 66.
Dams Virginie Bizier, of the parish of Ste. Rose de Watford, County of Dorchester, wife common as to property of Jean Lacasse, duly authorized to ester en justice, Plaintiff;
vs.
The said Jean Lacasse, Defendant.
An action of separation as to property has been instituted in this case on the 11th of February, 1910.
St. Joseph, Beauce, Feb. 19th, 1910.
PELLETHIER, RAILLARD & ALLEN,
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N. C. O's inspection by the Acting Adjutant at 7.45, when every N.C.O. must attend.

2.—Uniforms will be issued as follows:—

A Co., Wednesday, 9th March.

B and C Coys., Thursday, 10th March.

D Coy., Friday, 11th March.

E Coy., Monday, 14th March.

F Coy., Tuesday, 15th March.

G and H Coys., Wednesday, 16th March.

By order,
F. J. HOME,
Captain,
Acting Adjutant.

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HOW THE MIGHTY HAVE FALLEN

United States Cannot Bluff Canada to Alter Her Tariff to Suit Them.

Washington, March 14.—At the end of a four-hour conference with his tariff advisers to-day, President Taft had not arrived at a decision as to the action he will take with respect to extending to Canada and France the 25 per cent. reduction in tariff rates which he is allowed to grant to nations that are shown to be not "unduly discriminatory" against the United States. It is said that the situation with respect to Canada is all but hopeless, and the indications are that the biggest and nearest neighbor of the United States may be the one important country against which the maximum rates of the Payne-Aldrich law will have to be applied.

Negotiations looking to a settlement with France are progressing satisfactorily. It is said a new proposal was received from France to-day and it was intimated that a settlement by which France may send its products to the United States under the 25 per cent. reduction clause is not unexpected. The negotiations are far from complete, however, and another hitch may occur at any time.

President Taft is charged with deciding, from all the facts available, just what nations unduly discriminate against the United States and may extend a 25 p.c. reduction in all rates to those nations not included in this unfavorable list. Canada is said to have made no effort to secure this preferential treatment from the United States. It is declared, in fact, that the Dominion Government has left no loop hole for President Taft to do otherwise than allow the maximum rates automatically to go into effect against imports from that country. In this connection it is pointed out that the maximum rates of the American tariff law against imports from Canada are decidedly lower than the duty imposed by Canada on imports from the United States. This was true under the Dingley law and the difference is declared to be even greater under the Payne-Aldrich act. While imposing this higher duty against the United States it is declared that Canada has given to France a reduction in duties of from 2½ to 5 per cent. from prevailing rates, and that this reduction, under conditions imposed upon the Dominion government, has been automatically extended to twelve other nations, under the most favored nation rule. In these circumstances, as no proposal looking toward successful negotiations is forthcoming from Canada, the American authorities see practically no hope of settlement.

COURT OF SESSIONS.

Yesterday in the Court of Sessions, a bookseller of St. Roch's was charged with selling obscene literature. He denied the charge and was admitted to bail to appear on Thursday for investigation. A number of the alleged immoral books were seized.

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THIRTY YEARS AGO IN OLD QUEBEC

Extracts from the Chronicle, March 16th, 1880:

St. Patrick's Day.—At High Mass on Sunday, the Rev. Father Henning announced that there would be a solemn Grand Mass to-morrow, the anniversary of Ireland's Patron Saint. Cherubini's Mass will be rendered by a full choir and orchestra under the guidance of Mr. Lavallee, the organist. The Mass will be celebrated by Rev. Mr. Fahy, a young priest just ordained, and the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Mr. Callaghan, of St. Patrick's Church, Montreal.

Personal.—Hon. W. W. Lynch, Hon. L. R. Church and Mr. Speaker Turcotte arrived in town last evening by North Shore Railway. Mr. P. V. Valin, Chairman of the Quebec Harbor Commission, sailed from Halifax in the Allan's mail steamer Sardinian on Saturday. It is stated that Mr. Valin will visit France to complete arrangements for the construction of several large ships at his yard on the River St. Charles for a well-known firm of ship-owners. Mr. Joe Parent, the new M.P.P. for Rimouski county, arrived in town yesterday, and registered at the Mountain Hill House.

AN OPEN LETTER.

Results so Surprising That They Seem Marvelous Are Common to Mi-o-na the One Dependable Stomach Remedy.

Mrs. J. A. Pillow, of North street, Gananoque, Ont., says: "Mi-o-na is worth its weight in gold for quickly and permanently curing dyspepsia. I became so bad that I was unable to leave my bed. There was a constant burning in my stomach, I would belch up gas every few minutes and could eat but very little, as the food would quickly ferment and make gas that caused a serious depression of the heart. Perspiration would break out all over my body, I would become so weak that I could not stir and would often fall on the floor in a helpless state. The pains in my stomach were terrible. I could find no position in which to sit or lie without suffering, and I was so nervous that the least noise would affect me. Headaches were constant. I would become dizzy and spots would appear before my eyes. I had no ambition to get around and everything seemed to tire me. The first box of Mi-o-na gave me more relief than anything I had previously tried. The second box of Mi-o-na cured me. I am well and strong and I have not had an hour's suffering since. I will always feel grateful to Mi-o-na for the cure given me and glad to recommend."

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The entire collection is to be disposed of at public auction, commencing Friday, March 18th, at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m., and continuing Saturday, March 19th, at the same hours at the Auditorium. This offers you a rare opportunity to procure some of the world's finest art at your own figure. Your early attendance is advisable, as it will result in a great advantage to you, there being a great many of choice pieces to select from the above collection. For catalogue apply to Japan Art Association, 107 St. John street, E. Deschamps, auctioneer.



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LAVALS RECEIVE CHRONICLE CUP

Interesting Presentation Took Place at the Auditorium Last Evening.

The Chronicle Cup, emblematical of the championship of the Quebec City Hockey Association, was formally presented to the Laval hockey team, winners of the honor for the season just ended, between the first and second acts of "The Rajah" last evening, and was the occasion for a great outburst of enthusiasm in honor of the winners of the much-coveted and handsome trophy. The team and the officers of the club occupied two special boxes, which were decorated with the club colors.

The presentation was made by Mr. Ben. Michaud, who stated that, in the absence of the President of the Chronicle Printing Company, it gave him great pleasure to officiate at the function, and to deliver over to the Laval Hockey Club its well-earned trophy.

The cup was received, on behalf of the club, by Mr. C. DeLery, captain of the team. He made a very neat and appropriate speech in receiving the cup, and spoke of the progressiveness of the Quebec Chronicle in offering such a handsome trophy to promote amateur sport in the Ancient Capital. He thanked the friends of the Laval Hockey Club for the support which they had given the team during the past season. He hoped that at the close of the next hockey season the Laval team would again be found in possession of the valuable cup. There were cheers for the club and the popular captain, and Laval were in possession of the championship trophy for the coming year.

LONGBOAT TO MEET DORANDO AT 20 MILES

Sol Mintz Hooks Big Indian Up for Hard Race—Indian is Training.

Toronto, March 15.—Tom Longboat and his old friend Dorando Pietri, are hooked up again. This time the distance is 20 miles, the place Pittsburgh, and the date March 31.

It will be one grand race unless something more happens to Longboat. He has recovered from his threatened attack of typhoid fever, and on Saturday commenced training with a five-mile jaunt over the Irish-Canadian's Grand Central to the Ocean House and return course, with Jim Corkery, whom the Indian is preparing for the Boston Marathon April 19. Not content with this, Longboat took a ten-mile walk out the Lake Shore road Sunday morning, with Corkery and Dick McCormick.

DOUBLE-HEADER AT RINK.

There will be a double-header at the Quebec Sating Rink this evening, when the Holt-Remond team will meet the John Ritchie team. This game, which promises to be an exciting one, will be followed by a match between the Frontenacs and the Floradors.

OTTAWA DEFEATED AGAIN.

New York, March 15.—The Wanderers hockey team, of Montreal, beat the Ottawa team, of Ottawa, by a score of 4 to 3 to-night in the first game of the Canadian professional hockey series. Glass, of the Wanderers, scored two goals, Hern one, and Hyland one. For the Ottawa's Ridpath scored two and Walsh one. The game was for a purse of \$500 and was played at St. Nicholas rink.

THE CANADIAN WON EASILY.

New York, March 15.—Jack Tait, the crack middle distance runner of Toronto, Ont., simply romped away from Geo. Bonhag, of the I.A.A.C., at the end of a special 14 miles match race at the annual games of the N.Y.A.C. at Madison Square Garden to-night. Tait won by 30 yards in the record time of 6.52. The former American indoor amateur record for the distance was 6.57, held by Bonhag.

THE PRIZE RING.

Boston, March 15.—The four 8-round bouts put on at the armory A. A. to-night, all went the limit. In the first preliminary, Kid Shea, of Augusta, Me., won the decision of Tommy Langdon of Philadelphia. Kyle Whitney, of California, gained the decision over the Dixie Kid. In the semi-final Tommy O'Keefe, of Philadelphia gave away a lot of weight to Frank Perron of Pawtucket, but won the decision. Jimmy Walsh and Al Delmont of this city furnished a fast final. Referee Flaherty called it a draw.

ALLAN CUP MATCH.

Toronto, March 15.—Arrangements for the Allan Cup game between St. Michael's and Queen's have been completed and the game will be played in Kingston on Wednesday evening. It is hardly likely Jimmy Dissette will play as his arm is in a pretty bad way. Spratt, of the Juniors, will go to centre, moving Laffamme back to cover. The officials for the game will be Stacey, of Kingston, and Bowie, of Montreal. The game will be played half O.H.A. and half Intercollegiate ruled. St. Michael's will run an excursion and it is likely a big crowd will follow.

Champlain

Smoking and Chewing Tobacco

PRO GAME IS TOO COSTLY

Shamrocks Are Anxious to Return to Amateur Lacrosse as Soon Possible.

Montreal, March 15.—It seemed to be the general opinion of those present at the annual meeting of the Shamrock Lacrosse Club, last night, that the time had about arrived for the teams of the National Lacrosse Union to revert back to the amateur game. The gross revenue of the club last season was \$12,014.04, but after all expenses had been paid there remained a surplus of only \$596.90 in the hands of the treasurer. But it was explained by President Slattery that had it not been for the standing of the team at the close of the season, which resulted in the playing of a home and home series with Montreal for the championship, a very serious loss would have had to be liquidated.

The club was in hard luck last season, as several days on which important matches were played on the Mile End grounds heavy rain kept down the attendance. As a result, on three or four different occasions the gate receipts were almost \$200 less than the expenses. But it was the opinion of many of those present that the time had arrived for the club to get back to amateurism, as the wages of the players for last season amounted to from \$340 to \$440 a match.

Mr. W. J. McKenna made a motion, which was seconded by Mr. J. B. I. Flynn, that the club revert back to an amateur basis.

While several spoke in favor of the motion, there appeared to be an opinion that it would be impossible to go back to amateur from professional at one jump. It was pointed out that the salaries paid to the players last season were not altogether responsible for the small surplus on hand, and that had the club had five or six other for some of their important home games there would have been a few thousand dollars in on the right side of the ledger.

Mr. J. J. Nolan, seconded by Mr. Harry McLaughlin, moved in amendment that the club revert back to amateurism as far as possible, and that the incoming executive be advised to create a salary limit.

It was finally resolved on motion of Mr. M. P. McGoldrick, seconded by Mr. M. J. Fennell, that the discussion on both the motion and amendment be held over until the annual meeting of the Shamrock Amateur Athletic Association to be held next Monday night next week.

As a result of the election of officers, the Shamrocks will have an entire new executive next season, with the exception of Mr. J. J. O'Neil, who was re-elected honorary secretary. Harry McLaughlin, who has been in office for the past twenty years, during which he held every office in the gift of the club, retires from harness, vacating the office of honorary president, and with him goes Tim Slattery, who has filled the president's chair for the past two years, and has been an executive officer of the club for ten years.

Those elected last night were returned by acclamation. There was not the least sign of opposition. It appeared as if a slate had been arranged beforehand. Those elected were:

Hon. President—W. J. Hinphy.

President—Peter Murphy.

First Vice-President—H. Hughes.

Second Vice-President—H. J. McCallum.

Secretary—J. J. O'Neil.

Assistant Secretary—J. J. Nolan.

GUS DILLON LIFE MEMBER.

Before the meeting adjourned it was unanimously decided to suspend section 4, of article 3, of the constitution, in order to elect Gus Dillon a life member of the club. He was one of the few amateurs on the team during the last few seasons, and the only one last season, and the members felt that the honor was due him.

The cost of equipment and maintenance of the team, exclusive of wages, which was charged to the general expense account in the foregoing, was \$2,093.58, given in detail as follows:

Meals, \$241.20; car tickets, \$75; printing, \$61.60; league fees, \$50; rent, Auditorium, \$19; cab hire, \$12; Laurentian water, \$10.40; dentist fees, \$25; photo of team, 1908, \$53.50; gloves and nets, \$52.70; shoes, 188; lacrosse, \$142; sundries, \$3.40; drugs, \$102.50; physician, \$20; trainer and assistant, \$365; telegram, \$6.00; caretaker, \$200; secretary-treasurer, \$350; uniforms, etc., \$86.47.

The net surplus was, therefore, \$596.90.

MUST BE TOPNOTCHER OR LET GAME ALONE

Jake Schaefer's Last Advice to His Son—Boy to Follow Another Business.

Denver, Col., March 15.—Jacob Schaefer, the noted billiard player, who died yesterday, left a last request that his son, "Jake Junior," should not be encouraged into becoming a professional billiard player unless it became manifest the boy would be a "topnotcher." "If he can't become a champion don't let him pursue the game," were Schaefer's instructions to his wife and brother. "To become a second rate means only that he will become indolent, probably, and rather than that I should prefer he did not play billiards at all."

Accordingly "Jake Junior" will go into the establishment of an intimate friend of the late champion at Chicago, and will study to be a draftsman. In the meanwhile the boy will practice billiards, and under the eye of his uncle will demonstrate whether he has the promise of a champion.

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ST. PATRICK'S BRANCH, NO. 108

The members of this Branch are requested to assemble at Diamond Harbor Chapel, on the morning of St. Patrick's Day, at 7:45 sharp, and form in the place assigned them in the procession.

Badges will be worn.
A regular meeting of the above Branch will be held at Tara Hall this (Wednesday) evening, the 16th instant, at 8:30 o'clock.

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District of Beauce.

No. 108.

Joseph Alphonse Cayouette, merchant, of the parish of St. Justine, District of Beauce,

Plaintiff;

vs.

Michel Tisi, heretofore of Ste. Justine, and now of parts unknown, Defendant;

and

Phileas Tanguay, trader of Ste. Justine, District of Beauce, Garnishee.

The defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

Prothonotary's Office, St. Joseph, Beauce, 14th March, 1910.

(Signed) VEZINA & FERRON, P. S. C.

True Copy,

PACAUD & MORIN,

Attys. for Plaintiff.

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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

THE BOUDREAU VANFELSON CASE

The Defendant in the Witness Box
All Day—His Cross-Examination
Not Concluded.

Arthur Van Felson, the defendant in the libel case of Boudreau vs. Van Felson, which has been in progress for some days past, was the only witness examined yesterday, when the case for the defence was opened, and his cross-examination was not concluded when the day's proceedings were concluded.

The case for the defence was opened by Mr. G. G. Stuart, in English, and Hon. L. P. Pelletier, in French, who outlined the case and the evidence which it was proposed to produce.

Mr. Van Felson was then called to the witness box, and was examined by Mr. Stuart. After detailing his connection with the People's Bank of Halifax, and its financial dealings with the firm of Holliday Bros., witness stated that at the end of May or beginning of June, a gentleman came into his office at the bank in the morning and stated that he was assistant accountant of the Department at Ottawa and had come down to settle the claim of Holliday Bros., for which he had a power of attorney. Asked if he had a cheque for the amount, the gentleman said no, whereupon witness inquired how he was going to settle.

The party in question answered that there was some little things to do first. Asked what these were, he replied that there were certain payments to be made, and after ascertaining what he meant by this, told the party that it was not a square deal, but a hold-up. Witness then suggested \$3,000, which the gentleman replied would do. Witness told him to return in the afternoon and he (Van Felson) subsequently telephoned or sent for Mr. Holliday. The latter came to his office, when witness told him of the transaction. Mr. Holliday decided to grant the money, and asked how it was to be paid. Witness replied by three cheques for \$1,000 each. When making out the cheques Mr. Holliday asked to whose order they were to be made and witness replied, to bearer, remarking that in a transaction of this nature no trace should be left behind. Witness cashed these three cheques at three different banks. When the gentleman introduced himself to witness as assistant accountant he knew him to be Mr. Boudreau, as he had been introduced to him in the bank by a Mr. Dube, of Fraserville, in the beginning of September, 1904.

Witness stated that he had found the transaction such a strange one that he had requested the accountant of the bank, Mr. Lawrence, to take note of the gentleman. The accountant said that he knew him well, that he was Mr. Boudreau. After cashing the three cheques witness said he put the money in a large envelope and later in the afternoon Boudreau came back and witness handed him the money and he put it in his pocket, remarking that there was no necessity for counting it.

Witness next gave evidence regarding his meeting with Mr. Boudreau in Senator Choquette's house. When he met Mr. Boudreau the latter said to him that he had made certain statements about him (Boudreau), to which witness replied that he would explain; when half way through his explanation Boudreau called him a liar. Witness continued his explanation and on ending his story Boudreau replied, "You took the money, kept it and I know where you put it." Witness denied Boudreau's statement that he was introduced to plaintiff on board the Arctic in 1904. Witness saw him on the Arctic, but did not speak to him.

Mr. Lafamme then took the witness in hand and subjected him to a rigid cross-examination. For the balance of the morning session and all through the afternoon, Mr. Lafamme examined the witness. His evidence at previous examinations was gone into and he was closely questioned into the bank's various transactions with Holliday and the Government. The witness was still on the stand when the court adjourned.

DO YOU ENJOY A LAUGH?

If not, do not hear Bert Harvey at the Nickel next week.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

Coroner Jolicoeur held an inquest at St. Raymond, on the remains of Mrs. Pierre Voyer, aged 70 years. A verdict of "syncope of the heart" was rendered by the jury.

Champlain

Smoking and Chewing Tobacco

Y. M. C. A.

Ladies' Aid Methodist Church Concert. As will be noticed in our advertisement column, the concert which was postponed from March 3 takes place in the Y. M. C. A. Hall to-morrow (Thursday) evening, March 17th, at 8 o'clock. Needless to say that it will be a very pleasant event, as the programme will be somewhat altered to make it appropriate to the day of Ireland's patron saint. The programme will be rendered by the best local talent, which will include Miss Ethel Holby, Miss Annie Davies, Miss Annie Grant, Mr. S. G. Claxton, Mr. Morgan, Mr. Allan Thorn and a full orchestra of leading musicians in our city. The sales will all be accompanied with orchestra. The tickets are selling very fast and all wishing to profit by an enjoyable musical evening should take advantage of this treat.

NEARING THE CENTURY MARK.

Rev. Mother St. Croix of the Ursuline Convent, who has reached the age of 93, will to-day celebrate the 70th anniversary of her religious life. She was born in New England, and came to Quebec to learn French. On completing her studies she entered the novitiate and took her final vows on the 16th March, 1840.

FIRE IN A LAUNDRY.

The firemen were called out last evening to Ste. Claire street where a fire originated in a Chinese laundry, and when the men of the brigade arrived on the scene the interior of the building was in flames and before the fire was extinguished the building was badly gutted.

IT WAS ALWAYS THE FASHION.

It is accepted by all nations that we must make a little extra for the Easter meals this year; as before Myrand & Pouliot are advertising peculiar meats and accessories for this date. Read the advt. and prepare yourself.

STRANGE DISAPPEARANCE.

The disappearance of a young man named Emile Goulet has caused some excitement in the parish of Chateau Richer. Goulet is a young man, who has lived with Pierre Houet for about two years past, and is 17 years of age. The missing boy left for Mr. Houet's residence on Sunday evening at 10 o'clock, and has not been seen since.

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"RAJAH" WILL BE REPEATED.

There was another crowded house at the Auditorium last evening, when the second performance of "The Rajah" took place. It was received with the same marks of enthusiasm as on the previous evening. Owing to general request another performance of the opera will be given on Friday evening, when there will, no doubt, be another crowded house.

TONOMEAD

BRAND EXCURSION.

On the 9th April next, will take place a grand excursion to Montreal, by the C. P. Railway, under the auspices of the Lamblotte Band. Fares \$3.35 (adults), and children \$1.70. A special train will leave Palais Station at 1:45 p.m. Saturday, April 9th. Tickets good to return up to the following Tuesday night. This will be a fine opportunity to visit the sister city at a low cost.

COMING TO THE NICKEL

Bert Harvey, Canada's most versatile comedian, commences engagement Monday at the Nickel.

C. M. B. A.

Attention is directed to the advertisement calling a meeting of St. Patrick's Branch, No. 108, C. M. B. A., at Tara Hall, this (Wednesday) evening at 8:30 o'clock. The members of the Branch are also requested to assemble at Diamond Harbor Chapel on the morning of St. Patrick's Day at 7:45 sharp, to take part in the procession in honor of the day.

ELECTED HONORARY LIFE MEMBER.

At a meeting of the Committee of the Garrison Club, held yesterday, General Wilson was unanimously elected honorary life member of the Club. General Wilson is an ex-President of the Club and has been one of its most popular members and the honor now conferred upon him is a well earned recognition of the interest he has always taken in the Garrison Club.

LADIES' MORNING MUSICAL CLUB.

At the closing concert of the Ladies' Morning Musical Club, which takes place on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. they will be assisted by Mons. J. B. Dubois, of Montreal, whose artistic playing on the violinello is so well known. This being the last concert of the season a large attendance is expected.

Programme.

Adolph Jensen—Wedding Music.....

Festival Procession, 8 hands, Bridal Song, Nocturne.

Mrs. Lyette, Mrs. F. Scott, Mrs. H. Shaw and Mrs. J. Sharples

Chaminade—L'Automne.....Piano Solo

Mlle. Lanctot.

Wienawski—A. Legende.....Violin Solo

Bohm—b. La Motche.....

Mrs. Goodday.

James Rogers—a An Evening Song

Teresa del Reiro—b. Happy Song.....

Mrs. Arthur Boulton.

Max Bruich—Kol Vidrel.....

Mons. J. B. Dubois.....Violoncello Solo

Chopin—Ballade in G. minor.....Piano Solo

Madame Montreuil.

Mendelssohn, Trio in D. minor, Violin, Violoncello and Piano.....

Andante Scherzo, Mrs. Gaudet, Mrs. Goodday and Mons. J. B. Dubois.

Programme arranged by Mrs. Gaudet and Mrs. Goodday.

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PERSONAL

L. O. Vallee, Rimouski, is stopping at the Clarendon.

Jos. G. Gravel, Etchemin, is stopping at the Clarendon.

L. O. Picaud, Thetford Mines, is registered at the Clarendon.

Mr. M. Rousseau, advocate, Montmagny, is in town on professional business.

The following Montpellers are at the Victoria:—H. W. Palmer, F. H. Bradley, E. Gervais, Jos. E. Dupre.

Mr. Geo. D. MacAllister, representing Shurby & Derritt, Limited, Toronto, is in town on a business trip.

Mr. C. S. Forrest, of the Jas. Robertson Co., Ltd., is in Quebec for a few days and registered at the Chateau Frontenac.

Members of Parliament registered at the Victoria:—P. A. Bissonnette, Stanstead; H. Pilon, Val-de-Rueil; P. Tourigny, Victoriaville; T. H. Daigault, Actonville.

Latest arrivals at the Victoria:—M. Steinhilber, J. H. Brossard, S. Grole, G. R. Rainville, O. Beaulieu, F. L. Lelonde, J. E. Dupre, Montreal; A. Talbot, Robertsonville; W. A. Doyre, Toronto; D. Dumontier, Hull; Mrs. H. Archer and daughter, Emporium, Pa.

At the Clarendon:—Geo. Delisle, M.P.P., Yamachiche; P. C. Heault, M.P.P., Grand Mere; Arthur Gadbut, M.P.P., Beauce; J. A. Tessier, M.P.P., Three Rivers; J. J. B. Gosselin, M.P.P., Stanbridge; J. W. Levesque, M.P.P., St. Vincent; de Paul; Pierre Daudet, M.P.P., Mac Baie; Jules Alard, F. Frs. du Lac.

A very interesting dinner was given by Mr. Chas. Lanctot, Assistant Attorney-General, at the Garrison Club, on Saturday evening, his guests being Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Sir Lomer Gouin, Sir Charles Ross, Hon. Chas. Langille, Hon. L. A. Taschereau and Mr. Thomas Craig. For such powerful men to dine together may mean nothing or it may mean much. However that may be we may rest assured that nothing but good can result to the city.

At the Blanchard Hotel—Napoleon Dion, M.P.P., Tumbacouste; J. A. Giroux, N. Gauvin, Montreal; T. Brunelle, Alf. Gehinas, St. Boniface; L. C. Dupuis, Village des Aulnais; E. Talbot, Riviere-du-Loup; Sam Racine, Joliette; A. A. Avar, Beauce Jet.; O. L. Lessard, St. Dromaire; J. Pothier, New York; Jos. Guertin, Black Forest; A. Bussiere and wife, St. Jean; Jos. Blais, St. Evariste; N. Labranche, Portneuf.

Champlain

Smoking and Chewing Tobacco

RECORDER'S COURT.

Four prisoners, all charged with drunkenness, appeared before the Recorder yesterday. One was fined \$10 and costs or one month's jail; two \$5 and costs or fifteen days each, and one a similar fine or eight days.

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DIED IN ENGLAND.

The Chronicle's obituary column to-day announces the death at Bognor, England, on the 14th February, of the widow of the late Mr. D. D. Young, who in his lifetime was one of the Ancient Capital's most prominent citizens and who at one time was President of the Quebec Bank and President of the Board of Trade. The deceased lady, whose maiden name was Sarah Gunn, was the mother of Mr. G. B. S. Young, of this city, and has resided in England for a number of years.

AT THE NICKEL NEXT WEEK.

Bert Harvey, a whole comic opera in himself.

ORGAN RECITAL.

Another of Mr. Reed's enjoyable organ recitals was given at St. Andrew's Church last evening, the vocalist assisting being Miss Daphne Gibson, and whose selections were beautifully rendered. The programme was a well selected one, and included Handel's "Cuckoo and Nightingale" concerto, Wagner's "Ride of the Valkyries," a movement from Schubert's unfinished symphony, besides shorter excerpts by Lemare, Wolstenholme and Lemmens.

TONOMEAD

WORK ON THE BRIDGE.

There has just arrived at the Louise Embankment a large shipment of supplies for Messrs. Davis, who have the contract for the sinking of the new caisson for the Quebec bridge. Among them are two twenty-ton concrete crushers, among the largest ever brought to Quebec. They will be kept on the Embankment until the opening of navigation, when they will be taken up to Cap Rouge on barges. A large amount of timber is also arriving for the Davis firm to be used in connection with the work.

G. Seifert & Sons have their show windows beautifully decorated for the 17th of March. Appropriate emblems and jewels for St. Patrick's Day are leading features.

OBITUARY.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Kane will learn with regret of the death of their son, Bernard Alphonse, which had occurred at Jeffery Hale's Hospital yesterday. The deceased who had almost attained his sixteenth year was a bright and promising young man and much regret will be felt at his demise. He had only been transferred to Jeffery Hale's Hospital Tuesday, 8th inst suffering from typhoid fever and all that medical science could do for him was done but to no avail. Sincere sympathy will be extended the family in their sad bereavement.

TO-DAY.

Will commence our great sale of spring novelties. We will sell these goods at prices defying all competition. See our big advt.

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MISS ERNESTINE GAUTHIER.

The charming Canadian vocalist, Miss Ernestine Gauthier, now a resident of Springfield, Mass., has just been engaged to appear as soloist at the coming Symphony concert, which will take place on Friday evening, the 1st of April. This young artist, who has spent the last two years in Paris, where she received the tuition of the most renowned teachers, occupies a very prominent place amongst the singers Canada has produced. Miss Gauthier is at present concertizing and teaching in Boston, Springfield and Worcester and her success everywhere

is unmistakable. Her appearance in this city with our Symphony Orchestra will be looked forward to with much pleasure by the numerous subscribers of the Symphony Society and the musical public in general.

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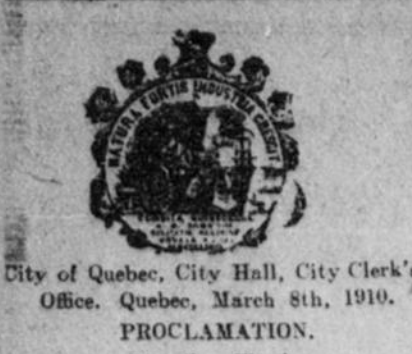
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City of Quebec, City Hall, City Clerk's Office, Quebec, March 8th, 1910.

PROCLAMATION.

Limolou Ward.

I, the undersigned, City Clerk of the City of Quebec, do hereby give public notice that a recount having been ordered of the votes given in the election of an Alderman for Limolou ward, seat No. 1, held on the 21st of February last, 1910, said recount has taken place before the Hon. Judge McCorick, J.C.S., who, on the 8th of March instant, has signified to me his certificate to the effect "that the total number of regular and legal ballots cast for the respondent (Eugene Lamontagne) was one hundred and forty-four (144), and the total of regular and legal ballots cast for the petitioner (Etienne Cloutier) was one hundred and thirty-five (135), and the Honorable Judge declare that the said respondent (Eugene Lamontagne) was elected Alderman of said Limolou ward, seat No. 1, by a majority of nine votes. In consequence whereof, and in virtue of section 26, chap. 68th of the Act 53 Vict., in my said quality of City Clerk of the City of Quebec, I proclaim the said Eugene Lamontagne elected Alderman for seat No. 1 of the said Limolou ward of the City of Quebec, as he having received the largest number of votes according to the certificate of the said Honorable Judge. H. J. B. Chouinard, City Clerk.

City of Quebec, City Hall, March 8th, 1910.

Public Notice is hereby given that the City of Quebec will apply to the Legislature of this Province, at its next session, for certain amendments to its charter of incorporation, for authorization to borrow \$200,000 for permanent works to be executed in Limolou ward; \$20,000 to purchase land and rights of servitude in connection with the city waterworks; \$15,000 to reimburse to the city the cost of permanent works made on Cote d'Abraham and indemnities and costs paid in connection with the said works; \$72,000 for pavement of St. Andrew street, and \$13,000 for other permanent improvements; to change the mode of deciding on complaints made against the assessment books; to further protect the water of the waterworks from pollution; for authorization to build, subject to certain conditions, uniform permanent sidewalks in the streets; to compel telegraph, telephone and electric light companies to build underground conduits for their wires; to borrow an amount sufficient to municipalize the lighting system of the city, and to undertake the supply of light, heat and power, and for other purposes. By order, H. J. B. Chouinard, City Clerk.

WATER WORKS OFFICE,

Quebec, 14th March, 1910.

Tenders for Annual Supplies

Public notice is hereby given that sealed tenders, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to 4 p.m. Tuesday, the 4th of April next, for

IRON CASTINGS, BRASS CASTINGS, LEAD PIPE AND PIG LEAD, CEMENT, BRICK AND DRAIN PIPES.

required by this Department for the years 1910-1911.

Each tender is to be on a blank form procurable at this office, and to be signed by two responsible parties, securities for the fulfillment of the contract.

Each tender shall contain the City Treasurer's receipt for the amount mentioned in the blank form of tender and this deposit shall be forfeited in case of refusal to sign the contract.

The city does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any of the tenders, and reserves the right of giving to each tenderer the items on which he shall be the lowest of those which it will be the most advantageous to the city to accept.

The contractor shall pay the cost of contract and of a certified copy thereof for official use.

JER. GALLAGHER, W. W. Engineer.

CITY OF QUEBEC.

City of Quebec, To wit:

District of Quebec.

BY-LAW NO. 439.

To Amend By-laws Nos. 323 and 338,

Concerning the Supply of Water in Certain Charitable Institutions.

(Drawn up in the French Language.)

At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the twenty-fifth day of February, nineteen hundred and ten (1910) in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting are present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:

His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Campbell, Cannon, Collier, Cummings, Dinn, Fiset, Gauthier, Hogan, Buard, John, Lantier, Levesque, Lavigne, Madden, Matte, Messervy, Mulrooney, Paquet, Picard, Plamondon, Pouliot, Samson, St. Pierre, Verret.

It is ordained and enacted by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council doth ordain and enact as follows, to wit:

1. Article 3 of By-law No. 423, passed by this Council on the 25th May, 1894, as amended by the By-law No. 338, also passed by this Council on the 17th of January, 1895, is declared to be repealed and apply to the Community of the Reverend Ladies of the Hotel Dieu of Quebec, for their monastery and hospital in this city, from the first of May next (1910).

J. GEO. GARNEAU, Mayor.

H. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

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OPENING OF THE QUEBEC LEGISLATURE

Took Place With the Usual Formalities Yesterday Afternoon—Speech from the Throne

The second session of the twelfth Provincial Legislature was opened with the usual formalities at the Parliament buildings yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. There was the usual large gathering, and the opening function was, as usual, a brilliant one. Many ladies were present in the galleries of the Legislative Council, and their handsome costumes added just that touch of color to the scene that supplied the picturesqueness which always accompanies this important event. A guard of honor from the R.C.M. was waiting at the entrance of the Parliament buildings to receive His Honor Sir C. A. P. Pelletier, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, who was escorted by a detachment of the Queen's Own Canadian Hussars, under command of Lieut. W. Banks, from Spencer Wood. His Honor, who was accompanied by his A.D.C., Capt. V. Pelletier, was received with the usual salute by the guard of honor, the band of the R. C. G. A. playing the National Anthem and a salute of thirteen guns being fired from the Citadel.

When His Honor had taken his seat upon the throne in the Legislative Council chamber where he was surrounded by a brilliant military staff, including most of the officers of the district, the Usher of the Black Rod was despatched to the House of Assembly to notify the members that the Lieutenant-Governor was in waiting. The members of the Assembly, who had already taken their seats in the lower house, were in waiting, and when the Usher of the Black Rod had delivered his discreet knock and made his usual three bows they followed him to the Upper House, where Sir C. A. P. Pelletier delivered the speech from the Throne, which was as follows:

Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council.

Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly.

I heartily welcome you on your return here to resume your parliamentary labors.

You were no doubt pleased to hear of the cordial reception given my Prime Minister and two of your colleagues in Toronto, last December. Such manifestations clearly show the sincere friendship the people of Ontario have for us, and I am convinced that I but voice your opinion by expressing your gratitude to them.

For some time our right to certain powers in connection with the incorporation of companies, has been contested. On the twenty-ninth of this month representatives of the provinces met at Ottawa to discuss the matter with the Federal authorities. It is to be hoped that a solution will be found which will fully safeguard our rights.

My Ministers have had conferences with the Canadian Government respecting the annexation of Ungava and they have reason to believe that such annexation will shortly be an accomplished fact.

The printing of the Revised Statutes is now finished. A proclamation, announcing their being put into force, will shortly be published.

The Public Utilities Committee is now organized and everything tends to show that it will be of great benefit to our people.

Commissions have also been appointed to study the abolishing of tolls and the struggle against tuberculosis. These commissions are active in pursuing their labors and the information they will gather will certainly be very useful to you.

You will again be called upon to increase the appropriations for primary education and to authorize the payment of higher salaries to school inspectors and to the professors of normal schools.

You will also be asked to vote larger grants to the agricultural school of St. Anne de la Pocatiere to help it to improve its equipment and its course of study.

My Government will also submit to

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Then his son made him try "Fruit-a-tives" and now Mr. Speers is entirely well. As he says, "The days of miracles are not passed and I am convinced that 'Fruit-a-tives' will cure Stomach and Heart Trouble where doctors and everything else fail." 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

You new measures for the improvement of dairy products.

The number of letters patent granted to settlers on public lands, increases year by year and my Ministers intend to second the work of our pioneers by carrying on more vigorously than ever the making of roads in colonization centres.

The development of the northwest of the Province has necessitated the establishment of additional courts. A bill creating a new judicial district in that region will be submitted to your consideration.

You will be called upon to consider a bill for the establishment of a special court for juvenile offenders.

The reorganization of our civil and criminal courts and the establishment of a police service for the whole province, are matters which you will be asked to study and to which I am sure you will devote special attention.

In order to obtain accurate information regarding the value of the Chibougamou mining lands, my Government has instructed experts to explore that region and to make a circumstantial report on their exploration and discoveries.

You will be asked to authorize the foundation of a School of Forestry. It becomes more and more imperative that you should study the question regulating the flow of the waters of certain rivers, and I rely upon your devoting special attention to this problem.

Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

The accounts of the past year will be distributed to you, and you will be pleased, I have no doubt, to note that the receipts have greatly exceeded the expenditure. Everything tends to show that the results for the current year will be still more satisfactory.

The estimates for the coming year will be submitted to you and I will ask you to approve them.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Legislative Council, Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

You will be asked to legislate upon matters of general interest, such as mines, agricultural associations and bulk sales.

I am confident that you will carefully study all the questions that will be submitted to you and I pray that your decisions may be inspired by the desire to do justice and to promote the public weal.

This ceremony being accomplished, the members of the Assembly returned to their chamber, where the first formal business of the session was transacted. As usual the introduction of new members was an interesting feature, quite a number of new legislators, elected since last session, including Mr. J. A. Langlois, of St. Sauveur, being introduced to the Speaker, and taking their seats.

Notice of the introduction of several bills was given by the Premier, who also moved for the appointment of Standing Committees and the appointment of a select committee of eleven members to name the standing committees.

On motion of Premier Gouin, seconded by Hon. L. A. Taschereau, it was decided to take into consideration the Speech from the Throne to-day, and the House then adjourned.

There was also a brief session of the Legislative Council, the new appointments to that body since last session being introduced.

The usual state dinner took place at Spencer Wood last evening, the guests being as follows:

The following is the list of guests invited to the dinner at Spencer Wood last night:—His Grace, Mgr. L. U. Begin, Archbishop of Quebec, Rt. Rev. Lord Bishop Dunn, His Lordship, Mgr. P. E. Roy, Bishop of Eleutheropolis, Rt. Rev. Lord Bishop Farthing, Hon. Sir Lomer Gouin, Provincial Premier, Hon. Jules Allard, Minister of Lands and Forests, Hon. J. C. Kaine, Hon. C. R. Devlin, Minister of Colonization, Mines and Fisheries, Hon. L. A. Taschereau, Minister of Public Works, Hon. J. L. DeCarie, Provincial Secretary, Hon. P. S. G. Mackenzie, Provincial Treasurer, Hon. N. Perceux, President of the Legislative Council, Hon. T. Chapais, Hon. N. Garneau, Hon. P. Pelletier, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Mr. C. F. DeLage, Deputy Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Hon. J. Prevost, M.P.P., Mr. J. M. Tellier, M.P.P., Mr. C. A. Marois, V.G., Very Rev. Dean Williams, Ven. Archdeacon Balfour, Mgr. Faguy, Mgr. Rouleau, Mgr. Laflamme, Mgr. O. E. Mathieu, C.M.G., Lt.-Col. O. C. Pelletier, D.O.C., Lt.-Col. English, Mgr. Gauthier, Mgr. H. Tott, Rev. Canon Van Housen, Father Maguire, Father Boudin, the Rector of St. Patrick's, Father Gosselin, Rector of Laval University, Sir James Lemoine, His Worship the Mayor of Quebec, Hon. P. B. de Labriere, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Col. Turnbull, Mr. Gustave Grenier, J.S. O., Clerk to the Executive Council, Mr. R. Campbell, Clerk to the Legislative Council, Mr. L. G. Desjardins, Clerk to the Legislative Assembly, Mr. E. E. Tache, I.S.O., Deputy Min-

ister of Lands and Forests, Mr. H. T. Machin, Assistant Provincial Treasurer, Mr. G. W. Parnelle, Secretary to the Department of Public Instruction, Mr. G. A. Gigault, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Mr. C. Lanotot, K.C., Assistant Procurator-General, Mr. S. Dufault, Deputy Minister of Colonization, Mines and Fisheries, Mr. J. U. Miller, Secretary to the Department of Public Instruction, Mr. J. Morin, Provincial Auditor, Mr. J. Dumont, Under Secretary for the Province, Mr. S. Sylvestre, Deputy Minister of Public Works, Mr. A. Brodeur, Comptroller of Revenue, Father Casgrain, Dr. M. J. Ahern, Mr. H. J. J. B. Chouinard, City Clerk, Mr. G. Willich, American Consul, Chevalier O. Frechette, Portuguese Consul, Mr. A. C. Joseph, Belgian Consul, Captain H. B. Verret, Dr. N. E. Dionne, Parliamentary Librarian, Mr. A. St. Jacques, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, Mr. E. A. Panet, Deputy Clerk to the Legislative Assembly, Mr. L. U. Patenaude, Deputy Clerk to the Legislative Assembly, Mr. A. Baribeau, Sergeant-at-Arms to the Legislative Council, Mr. E. H. Laliberte, Sergeant-at-Arms to the Legislative Assembly, Maj. O. A. Fages, Mr. Ulric Barthe, President of the Press Association, Mr. G. Morisset, Secretary of the Press Association, Capt. Eaton, Commander of the Guard of Honor, Capt. E. B. Ratray, Commander of the Escort, Capt. Victor Pelletier, A.D.C., Major A. de L. Panet, A.D.C., Mr. A. Genereux, Private Secretary.

RAILWAY STRIKE MAY BE AVERTED

Offer of Mediation from Washington Accepted by the Union, If Mediators Meet at Once.

Chicago, March 15.—Danger of an immediate strike of 27,000 locomotive firemen on western railroads and the contingent throwing out of employment of more than 125,000 other employees was averted to-day through the acceptance of mediation through the federal authorities at Washington. At the request of the General Managers of the 47 western roads involved, Chairman Martin A. Knapp, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and Commissioner of Labor Neil telegraphed an offer of federal mediation to the Union officers. This offer was accepted, W. S. Carter, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, stipulating, however, that action must begin without delay. The appeal to Washington was taken as an eleventh hour move to prevent a walk out which, it was declared, threatened the greatest railroad strike since that of 1894. Thirty-seven members of the Western Federated Board of the Brotherhood last night formally voted for a strike. The hour for striking had been set for next Monday morning and the members were prepared to start for their homes to put the strike into action, when the mediation steps were taken. The mediators will come to Chicago and according to the questions in dispute, but will determine what shall be arbitrated. The questions involves wages, which both sides had agreed to arbitrate, and two other technical points, involving promotion and representation in the union. These latter subjects, the Brotherhood contends, must be arbitrated, but the railroads assert they cannot be arbitrated because they relate to internal union disputes. "If the mediation falls through the strike will go right on as planned," said Mr. Carter to-night. The acceptance of mediation was contained in the following telegram sent by the Brotherhood to Messrs. Neil and Knapp:—"Matters in controversy involving conditions of employment and increase in wages. Committee preparing to leave city but if assurance given that mediation will begin immediately and in the city of Chicago, authority for the men to leave the service of the companies will be temporarily withheld. The fact that we have proposed arbitration on all matters in controversy and the fact that the managers' committee have rejected our proposition does not lead our men to expect a settlement from mediation; but as evidence of our fairness will accept your friendly offices under the conditions named herein."

At the same time a letter was sent to the General Managers informing them of the Brotherhood's action in regard to the arbitration. "Our committee again insists," concludes this letter, "that aside from the interests of the public, there are no other parties concerned in this dispute except the railways represented by the managers' committee and the employees represented by our committee."

In a statement given out to-night the general managers said:—"All prospects of a strike are over. There will be none. Settlement of the whole controversy by mediation and arbitration is assured."

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SHIPPING NEWS

ALLAN LINE.

Steamer Carthaginian, from Glas-
gow and Liverpool for Philadelphia
via Halifax, sailed from Liverpool at
4 p.m. March 12th, with 91 second
and 417 steerage passengers.

C.P.R. LINE.

Victoria, B.C., March 15—Steamer
Montreal, detained in quarantine on
arrival, owing to a case of smallpox,
was released this morning after fur-
gation, and proceeding to Vancouver.

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Steamer Oceana sailed from Bermu-
da for New York at 11.30 a.m. yes-
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SIGHTED SCHOOL OF WHALES.

New York, March 15—"Whales thick
in the Atlantic these days," say mar-
iners. About the tamest ever was
reported yesterday morning when the
steamship Bermudian arrived from
Bermuda. Capt. P. J. Fraser, of the
Bermudian, reports whales as follows
in his log:

March 12—Sailed from Bermuda at
12 noon. At 4 p.m. seventy miles
northwest of St. David, Bermuda, ran
into school of thirty whales, accom-
panied by porpoises. Whales were of
sperm variety, very tame and afforded
much amusement to the passengers.
Left us when cold weather set in off
Hatteras.

Even Cullings, one of the passengers,
has this to say regarding the whales:
"When we first sighted them they
looked like so many torpedoes,
steaming in squadron formation. As
they blew it looked as if steam was
issuing from veritable funnels. The
churning of their flukes gave the im-
pression of propellers."
"Capt. Fraser blew his whistle as a
warning for the supposed torpedoes to
get out of the way. He also ran out
signals as a marine salute to the
fleet."

At the first blast of the whistle the
thirty whales dived and so did the por-
poises, whereupon Capt. Fraser called
down through his megaphone,
"Submarines and British submarines at
that. Can see their ensigns through
the glasses."

THIRTY-THREE LIVES LOST.

Lisbon, March 15—A Portuguese
bark sailing from Pico, one of the
Azores Islands, has been lost and
thirty-three persons drowned.

WIRELESS REPORT.

Siasconet, Mass., March 15—Steam-
er Koenig Albert, Genoa for New
York, was 223 miles east of Sandy
Hook at 6.15 p.m. Dock 6.30 Wed-
nesday.

Steamer Friedrich der Grosse, Bre-
men for New York, 313 miles east of
Sandy Hook at 8 p.m. Dock 7.30
p.m., Wednesday.

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

New York, March 12—Chartering
was light in both the steam and sail
tonnage markets, and there was no
change in the general conditions of
either. Quotations to London, Glas-
gow and Antwerp, 1d; Liverpool and
Bristol, 1 1/2d; Hull, 1 1/2d; Rotterdam,
2 1/2c; Hamburg and Bremen, 1 1/2c per
100 lbs; cotton to Liverpool, per 100
lbs, 15c.

Charters—Danish steamer, 1,885 tons,
West India trade, one round trip, pri-
vate terms, March: British steamer,
1,970 tons, same; British steamer, 1,
649 tons, same; British steamer, 1,
138 tons, same; German steamer, 2,
140 tons, general cargo, New York
to Brazil, private terms, April: British
steamer, 1,928 tons, Buenos Ayres to
Tampico, 7c 6d, prompt; British
steamer, 1,802 tons, salt, Ivaza to
Halifax, 7s, March; Italian bark, 1,
197 tons, lumber, Boston to Monte-
video or Buenos Ayres, \$7.7; Norwe-
gian bark, 999 tons, lumber, Gulfport
to Concepcion and (or) Pysandu, \$1;
schooner, 552 tons, coal, Philadelphia
to Tampa, private terms; schooner,
1,334 tons, coal, Baltimore to Bos-
ton, \$1.

OCEAN ARRIVALS.

March 15—
SS Kronprinzessin Cecilie, at New
York, from Bremen.
SS Ryndam, at New York, from Rot-
terdam.
SS Birma, at New York, from Liban.
SS Merion, at Philadelphia, from
Liverpool.
SS Lusitania, at Liverpool, from
New York.
SS Rusein, at Liban, from New
York.
SS Helligolav, at Copenhagen, from
New York.
SS Finland, at Antwerp, from New
York.
SS Carmania, at Gibraltar, from
New York.

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Ottawa, March 15—The Bisley team
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Tunisian.

TYPHOID FEVER STAMPED OUT

Montreal, March 15—The emergency
typhoid hospital, which was erected
some time ago to cope with the ty-
phoid epidemic, will soon be closed up
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DAY BY DAY

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Hang out your green flag to-mor-
row.

'Tis the speech from the throne,
I have heard it before,
But still again before,
While the orators roar.

The Laval hockey team's cup of joy
was full last night.

'Tis the voice of the iceman,
You need not complain
For the snow is fast going
From street and from lane.

No, Mabel. "The Rajah" is much
better than a Ben-joe selection.

The opening of Parliament may be
all fuss and feathers, but the dear
ladies certainly do look fashionable.

Many an Irishman in Quebec helps
to make the 17th an arch proposition.

Some of these airship men seem to
be up in the air, says the Champlain
street philosopher.

Oh! poker is a grand old game,
Interesting all the while,
But when it keeps a man from meat,
Until nine, it is to smile!

It's about time either to hunt up
last year's green tie or get a new
one.

CUDAHY ASSAULT CASE

Kansas City, Mo., March 15—When
the case of Jno. P. Cudahy, the mil-
lionaire club man, charged with at-
tacking Jno. P. Lillis, President of
the Western Exchange Bank of this
city, was called in the Municipal Court
to-day, neither Cudahy or Lillis ap-
peared and the case was continued at
the request of the city attorney. "This
case won't be prosecuted, will it?"
Police Judge Kyle inquired. "I don't
believe so," the City Attorney replied.
"Let's dismiss it then," the judge sug-
gested, but the City Attorney insisted
that the case be continued and the
judge ordered the continuance.

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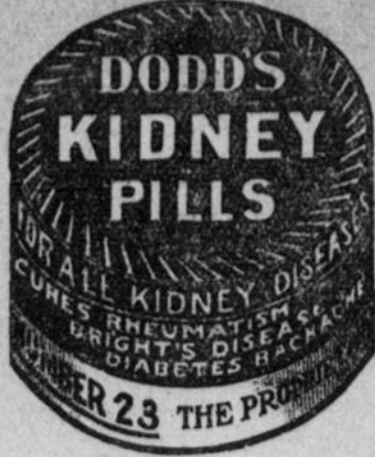
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REFORMATION OF HOUSE OF LORDS

Debate on Lord Rosebery's Resolution
—What the Government Proposes
to Do in the Case.

London, March 16.—The House of Lords yesterday debated the resolutions presented by Lord Rosebery to the reform of the second chamber, but it is not likely that a division will be reached until late to-night, or possibly Thursday.

According to the Chronicle, Liberal, an organ of the Government, the plan for the reform of the House of Lords upon which the Government will appeal to the country, if defeated, provides for the constitution of a second chamber of from 200 to 240 members elected for a term of seven or nine years, peers or commoners above the age of 40 to be eligible for election, which will be by the present parliamentary voters grouped in larger constituencies. The plan further provides that the new chamber shall have no power in finance, but a revisionary and delaying power in legislation, and that the differences between the two houses shall be adjusted by joint sittings.

THE GRAND TRUNK AND PROVIDENCE

Propose to Make it a Great Port—
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cunious Lot."

Providence, R.I., March 15.—"An impecunious lot" was the way President Chas. S. Mellen, of the New Haven railroad, characterized the Grand Trunk Railroad in opposing the latter's effort to get a charter to enter Providence before the Committee on Corporations to-day. The plans to enter Rhode Island proposes to use a part of the New Haven road's track, a provision in the New Haven's charter making such an arrangement permissible, and this President Mellen particularly objected to. President Mellen condemned any action towards giving to the new line permission to construct grade crossings. "The promoters of the Grand Trunk come here," President Mellen said, in conclusion, "declaring they will make a great port of Providence. They would not dare say that in Montreal. The Canadian Government did not subsidize the Grand Trunk so that it might make Providence a great port." Few new points either for or against the granting of the charter were brought out in the arguments of the other speakers. City Solicitor Baker, speaking for Providence, approved the bill in general. The hearing adjourned without date.

FOR YOU, GENTLEMEN.

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THE CANADIAN AND FRENCH TARIFFS

Washington, March 15.—The French and Canadian tariffs again were the subject of conferences at the White House to-day. Ambassador Jassard, of France, called to see the President after luncheon and the two talked for some time in the parlors of the White House. Later the President saw James McDonald, of Toronto, and then consulted with Secretary of State Knox and members of the tariff board. It was said that nothing definite would be decided until the President's return from his western trip, March 23rd.

DR. MARY WALKER IS VEXED

Albany, N.Y., March 15.—Dr. Mary Walker, in whose case a "Constitutional Argument" before the assembly judiciary committee to-day made a violent attack on women who are advocating the Woman Suffrage Bill. The terms "Graft" and "Pool" figured liberally in her remarks. She was particularly severe in her criticism of Rev. Anna Shaw, president of the National Woman Suffrage Association, whom she designated as a preacher who does not preach, and followed Woman Suffrage advocacy for a living. "Why, Mrs. Belmont holds meetings at her Newport palace," exclaimed Dr. Walker, "and you can't even get in without paying five dollars for the efforts of those behind this movement." The speaker insisted that all laws such as the proposed are in violation of the United States constitution, which she claims to have discovered thirty-eight years ago, contains authority for woman suffrage. "There's no use of such silly rubbish as this bill," she exclaimed. "If women go to the polls in a body and demand their right to vote, the men won't dare to refuse them."

Great Bend, Kas., March 15.—Edward Payson Weston arrived to-night at 9 o'clock, completing his 36th mile for the day. He did not appear to be greatly fatigued, in spite of his 72 mile walk yesterday. Weston has lost 20 pounds since starting on his journey, but a physician to-night pronounced him in good condition. He is seven days ahead of his schedule.

GERMANY AND THE UNITED STATES

Members of the Reichstag Dissatisfied
With Terms of the Treaty
Between Them

Berlin, March 15.—Replying to an inquiry by Prof. Richard Eickhoff, Radical-Liberal, in the Reichstag to-day Foreign Secretary Von Schoen said that negotiations with the United States looking to a German-American arbitration treaty had in no sense been broken off. "Our propositions relative to such an arbitration treaty have been presented to the Federal Government at Washington, which as yet has not replied," said the Secretary.

Count Von Kaninetz, Conservative member, speaking on the subject of appropriations for the Foreign Office, deplored the fact that Germany had submitted to the terms of the Payne tariff law. The balance of trade between the two countries showed, he said, nearly \$200,000,000 in favor of the United States, which had exhibited no spirit of reciprocity towards Germany, the position of which was unfavorable. He added, "The Americans first impose higher tariffs and then say that they cannot be altered because that is the law. Perhaps Germany could act similarly and introduce a higher tariff subsequently saying 'That is our law.' Our Government, however, was in a bad position. Some sort of an agreement with the United States was necessary. Almost our entire industry recognized that we must submit to the Payne tariff. Nevertheless my party cannot dismiss the fear that our exports will suffer under the agreement reached. Other lands, like France, have not been frightened by the American tariffs and I believe that France in the new agreement with the United States will not go so far in concessions as has Germany."

Following a discussion of the appropriation for the salary of the Imperial Chancellor, the Reichstag adopted by a small majority the motion of the Socialist member, Herr Ledebour, demanding the introduction of a bill making the Chancellor responsible to the Reichstag for his official acts and also extending his responsibility to cover all of the acts and documents made by the Emperor, for which responsibility he shall be answerable in a court of law.

By a narrow margin the Reichstag adopted the resolution of the Alsatian member, Proiss, asking for a bill making Alsace-Lorraine a federal state with the same status as other states of the empire.

Dr. Gregoire, another Alsatian member, offered an amendment, which was adopted providing that in the event of an Alsatian Parliament being formed its members should be elected by universal, direct and secret ballot.

Do you want a chic hat? Go to
FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE.

CAMNITZ WITH PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, March 15.—Howard Camnitz, star twirler of last year's team, has signed with the champions for 1910. He will join the team at West Baden, Thursday.

PASSED THE CENTURY MARK

St. John, N.B., March 15.—Mrs. Jas. Holt, of St. John, is to-day celebrating her 107th birthday. She was born in Ireland. She lives at the Mater Misericordiae Home, and is able to be about the building.

IMMENSE SALE OF SILK.

Messrs. F. Simard & Cie. have made an immense purchase of silk at 40c. on the dollar, and will to-morrow offer it to their customers at rock bottom prices. See their advertisement.

IS IT THE CONDOR?

Victoria, B.C., March 15.—There is a report to-day from Ucluelet, a point on the west coast of Vancouver Island that one of the whaling company's steamers discovered what may prove to be the wreck of the Condor, the British warship which was lost, with all hands in the winter of 1900. An investigation will be made.

DRESS GOODS.

Useless to tell you that anything you might desire we have in stock. Our reputation as always having the most up-to-date novelties is already made. Madame Kelly, our artist tailor, is at your disposal.

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TO WIND UP A MINING COMPANY

Toronto, Ont., March 15.—A winding up order has been made in the case of the White Reserve Mining, Ltd., of Whitson Township, Nipissing District. The petitioner is Major John Drummond, of London, England, a creditor for \$21,205.61. He alleges that there are other debts against the company, amounting to \$50,000. E. R. C. Clarkson is appointed interim liquidator, and J. A. McAndrew referee. The company was incorporated on the 14th of June, 1909, with a capital of \$25,000,000 in squares of \$1 each.

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Smoking Tobacco,
Mild and Natural

KETCHELL AND KLAUS

Pittsburg, March 15.—Stanley Ketchell will meet Frank Klaus of this city at the Duquesne Gardens here one week from to-morrow night. The date has finally been decided after a number of postponements because Ketchell said he could not get in condition. Ketchell and his trainers are on their way from Hot Springs to Pittsburg and are expected to arrive to-morrow afternoon. He will be quartered at the Oakland Athletic Club where he will train. Klaus is training in New Jersey.

PILES

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for each and every form of hemorrhoids, bleeding and protruding piles. See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. 5c. at all dealers or KIM, NICHOL, BATES & CO., Toronto.
DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

F. SIMARD & CIE.

A TREMENDOUS PURCHASE OF SILKS
10,000 YDS. OF CHARMING PRINTED FOULARDS AT
FORTY CENTS ON THE DOLLAR

This is a new purchase from a large manufacturer who wanted an immediate outlet for Silks he had made up, and for which he had no market.

Manufacturers are making us the most astounding offers; they recognize that we are selling Silks by the thousands of yards; and by buying silks in such large quantities we get exceedingly low prices, which we turn over to you accordingly.

No woman can afford to miss this wonderful Silk event. It will occupy spacious quarters on the first floor, where a flood of broad daylight will make selection and matching colors easy, and customers can be served easily and quickly. This opening will be important to every woman planning summer dresses.

The lot consists of about 10,000 yds. of best 27 in. PRINTED FOULARDS in polka dots, stripes, floral and Persian designs. They are the newest creations for Spring 1910, worth 80c to \$1.00 a yd. On sale to-morrow at 39c a yd.

F. SIMARD & CIE.,
142 St. Joseph St., St. Roch.

THROUGH SLEEPERS

Quebec to Boston and Quebec to New York, via Canadian Pacific Railway.

The Canadian Pacific Railway have decided to operate through sleeping cars from Quebec to Boston, and Quebec to New York in connection with their cheap excursion, March 24th, if sufficient business offered. The rate to Boston and return is \$11.05, New York and return \$13.00. Tickets good to leave March 24th, returning, to leave Boston and New York as late as the night of April 4th. For sleeping car reservations, tickets and additional information please apply to 30 St. John street, corner Palais Hill.

OUR COSTUMES.

It is a real pleasure for us to show our costumes for ladies. Everything most stylish and up-to-date. Come and see our dress goods.

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Anti-Tuberculosis Exhibition

A meeting of Executive Committee, at City Hall, Wednesday, 8.30 p.m., 16th instant, object of meeting, rendering of account in connection with the above exhibition.

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Your
Lace Curtains**

We'll wash them clean and starch them just stiff enough to drape right, and hold their shape, and we dry them perfectly.

You'll be pleasantly surprised by their appearance when we turn them.

THE IMPERIAL LAUNDRY

LA Caisse d'Economie

ON TUESDAY
The First Day of March Next

La Caisse d'Economie de Notre-Dame de Quebec, will open a new Branch at

LIMOILLOU
NEAR THE CHURCH.

This Branch will also open every SATURDAY and MONDAY evening from 7 to 8.30.

As in all their offices, La Caisse d'Economie will receive deposits of twenty-five cents and upwards.

Mr. Felix Gilbert is appointed Manager of this Branch.

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HAS SOME GOOD REDUCTIONS ON

**Colored Dress Skirts,
Blouses, Whitewear,
Felt Hats,
Trimmed and Untrimmed**

AT LESS THAN COST. THIS SALE WILL CONTINUE FOR TWO MORE WEEKS.

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THE FOLLOWING JOBS

**TO BE CLEARED OUT DURING
THE
Month of March**

READ THIS ATTENTIVELY, VIZ:

1600 yds. Tapestry Carpet, worth 75c sold at 57 1-2c.

1800 yds. Tapestry Carpet, worth \$1.00, sold at 75c.

700 yds. Tapestry Carpet, worth 85c, sold at 65c.

1100 yds. Brussell Carpet, worth \$1.35, sold at 84c.

Another Job Worth Mentioning is

55 Beautiful Wilton Rugs, worth \$45.00, sold at \$30.00.

660 yds. of English Axminster, the real value is \$1.95, sold at \$1.37 1-2.

The whole of these Jobs must be cleared out before the new goods come in.

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