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Morning Telegrams.

Sparks from the Telegraph.

Snow-storm at Halifax.

The Queen of Greece has given birth to a daughter.

A new Masonic Hall has been dedicated at Winnipeg, Man.

The anti-Jesuit laws are to be rigidly enforced in France.

Emigrants are leaving Quebec for the Lake St. John district.

An enormous quantity of freight is arriving at Winnipeg, Man.

$1,412 have been collected in Belleville for the Irish relief fund.

The barque "Orke," has arrived at Hamilton, the first of the season.

Paul de Cassagnac has transferred his allegiance to Prince Napoleon's sons.

The British advance on Ghuznee continues unopposed, but the tribes are gathering.

Bismarck is so ill that he has not slept for several nights, and walks or stands with difficulty.

Hungary is about to issue a lottery loan of 40,000,000 florins, principally for rebuilding Szegedin.

It is reported at Calcutta that the King of Burmah has died from small-pox, and a civil war is feared.

The strike on contract 15 of the Canada Pacific Railway still continues, and work is entirely stopped.

The journeymen sailmakers of St. John, N.B., have struck for an advance of wages from $1.50 to $2.

A Berlin despatch says Bismarck's retention of his office of Chancellor of the Empire is considered as certain.

A new Bulgarian Ministry has been formed, with Zancoff as Premier and M. Karaveloff as Minister of Finance.

A man named Strasser, cashier with the Rothschilds at Vienna, has been arrested for embezzlement of over 1,000,000 francs.

A Montreal lady, recently deceased, has left a number of bequests to charitable institutions of the Anglican Church in Quebec.

Four thousand four hundred and nine dollars have been collected in the Catholic Churches of Toronto for the Irish relief fund.

"A" Battery is expected to arrive at Quebec for the 24th, and to remain there permanently, "B" Battery returning to Kingston in its place.

There are 12,286 Oddfellows in Ontario. During last year relief to the extent of $23,925.82 was disbursed among 1,211 members and 184 widows.

General Miles telegraphs from Fort Keough that the soldiers who had been pursuing the hostiles 200 miles captured five warriors and 45 horses.

Ernest Renan, the eminent theological writer, is lecturing in London. The demand for seats is so great that each of his lectures will be delivered twice.

The London, Ont., Grand Jury, have returned a true bill in the case of the persons charged with shooting John Donnelly on the night of the 4th of February last.

The revenue returns for Great Britain for the month of March have been published. The exports show an increase of 16½ per cent; the imports an increase of 29.12 per cent.

The venerable Judge Marshall, so well known throughout Canada, as well as the United States and England, died at Halifax on the 7th at the advanced age of 94 years.

Two hundred and fifty men, engaged at Montreal for work on Section B of the Canada Pacific Railway, have arrived at St. Boniface, Man., and have been forwarded to their destination at Rat Portage.

The centenary celebration of the birthday of Wm. Ellery Channing was observed in New York by impressive services, and the laying of the corner stone of the church known as Channing Memorial Church, for which $30,000 has been subscribed.

THE DOMINION ALLIANCE.

Annual Meeting.

OTTAWA, April 7.—The annual meeting of the Dominion Alliance commenced in the Temperance Hall this morning. Hon. A. Vidal, president, took the chair.

Rev. Thos. Gales submitted the annual report, which stated that in a number of constituencies the Temperance Act of 1878 had been adopted, but active exertion had in some measure, declined in consequence of the decisions of the Courts of New Brunswick. Should it be found necessary to amend the Act, proceedings will be taken accordingly. The recent debate in the British House of Commons was regarded as indicating the growth of public sentiment in favor of prohibition.

The secretary read the financial statement, which was referred to a sub-committee. The general feeling prevailed that a sufficient amount of money is not given to carry on operations. The proportion of assessment from the several branches towards the expenses of the Council was fixed. At Ontario, 40 per cent; Quebec, 25 per cent; Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, 12½ per cent, and the other Provinces 5 per cent each, the total amount required being only $200.

Hon. Senator Vidal was re-appointed President; Rev. T. Gales, Corresponding-Secretary; Rev. John Wood, General-Secretary, and Mr. George May, Treasurer; numerous Vice-Presidents were also appointed, and the Executive Committees from and out of the several Provincial branches.

It was resolved that a Committee be appointed to draft a schedule of questions with regard to the progress of the work, and that each Provincial Executive be requested to fill and return the same to the Corresponding-Secretary prior to any quarterly meeting.

A discussion arose on the desirability of continuing the agitation for complete prohibition, and it was resolved "That while we earnestly urge all the branches and auxiliaries, to secure as far as possible the submission and adoption of the Temperance Act of 1878, the Council considers it an imperative duty to re-affirm a former resolution of 1878." "That we remain unshaken in our conviction of the desirability of complete prohibition."

The meeting then adjourned till Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.

The Queen's Return—Beaconsfield Wishes to Resign—The Liberal Gains.

LONDON, April 7.—Queen Victoria will return to England on Thursday the 15th, by way of Flushing. Her Majesty has shortened her proposed stay on the continent, at the request of Earl Beaconsfield, who wishes to resign office as soon as possible. The rumor about town to-day is that Earl Beaconsfield will strongly advise the Queen to send for Mr. Gladstone and to thrust upon him personally the responsibility of forming a new Cabinet. Only 153 members of Parliament remain to be elected. Of the 497 members who have been returned, the Liberals have 327 and the Conservatives 170.

MEMBERS ELECTED.

Sir W. Hart Dyke, Conservative, is re-elected for mid-Kent; the borough has a registered vote of 8,763, and is entitled to two members. Sir W. Hart Dyke's associate in the last Parliament was Viscount Holmesdale, Conservative, who was not re-nominated. The Liberals have gained two seats in south-east Lancashire, electing Mr. Leak and Mr. Agnew, the picture dealer, and throwing out Hon. Mr. Egerton, Secretary to the Admiralty, and Mr. Hardcastle. The Liberals have also gained a seat in North Staffordshire. Mr. Hanbury, notorious as a bitter assailant of Mr. Gladstone, has been rejected. In Scotland, the Tories have already lost more than one-half of their seats. The Right Hon R A Cross, Home Secretary, and Colonel Ireland Blackburne, Conservatives, have been returned for Southwest Lancasshire; their opponents were Mr W Eastbone and the Hon H Molyneux. The district has about 27,000 registered votes.

THE LIBERAL MAJORITY.

The *Standard* says the real significance of the polls is that the Liberals will be able to dispense with the support of the Home Rulers. The Liberal net gain is now 81 seats.

Herbert Gladstone (Liberal), son of W. E. Gladstone, who was defeated for Middlesex, will stand as candidate for Leeds, his father, who was returned for Leeds and Midlothian, having elected to accept the latter.

IN IRELAND.

DUBLIN, April 7.—Irwin, the leader of the students' demonstration on the arrival of Mr. Parnell at Queenstown, has been sent home for 12 months. The other students implicated were admonished. The O'Gorman Mahon has been re-elected for Clare. Mr. Parnell will sit for Cork and Major O'Gorman will contest Meath. An indignation meeting was held at Ballina and resolutions were read protesting against Mr. Parnell's interference in the county.

THE DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Fourth Parliament—Second Session.

THE SENATE.

OTTAWA, April 7.—The following bills were reported from committee, read a third time and passed:—

Anchor Marine Insurance Co.'s bill; Quebec & Gulf Ports Steamship Co's bill; Dominion Grange of Patrons of Husbandry bill; Niagara Grand Island Bridge Co.'s bill.

At the request of Hon. Mr. Pelletier,

Sir Alex. Campbell postponed his motion respecting qualifications of members of the Senate until Friday.

The following bill was then read a third time and passed:—British Columbia Supreme Court Judges bill.

The Building Societies & Loan Companies Relief bill was reported from committee of the whole by Hon. Mr. Haythorne. The committee asked leave to sit again tomorrow.

The following bill from the Commons was introduced and read a first time:—Stadacona Fire and Life Insurance Co.'s bill.

COMMONS.

OTTAWA, April 7.—Mr. Ives asked whether the Montreal volunteers will be permitted to go to the city of Quebec to take part in the next celebration of the Queen's Birthday, and what assistance they are to receive from the Government to enable them to do so? Whether the 54th Battalion of infantry and the Richmond field battery and artillery, nearly one hundred miles nearer to the city of Quebec than the Montreal volunteers are, and in every way equal to the Montreal volunteers, will be permitted to go upon the same terms as to Government assistance, and if not, whether the Government will assist the Eastern Townships volunteers to meet at Richmond to celebrate the Queen's Birthday?

Sir John Macdonald said the Montreal volunteers were to go to Quebec to the review on the Queen's Birthday, two battalions and a battery of artillery; another battalion would be taken from the Eastern Townships, one from New Brunswick and one from Ontario. An allowance for expenses would be made. The regiments to be despatched were not yet decided on.

Mr. Stephenson asked whether it is the intention of the Government to appoint special agents for the purpose of promoting the emigration of tenant farmers or others resident in Great Britain or Ireland to the Dominion of Canada during the present year, and if not, why?

Sir John Macdonald said the Government had ordinary and regular agents in England, consequently did not intend to appoint special agents.

Mr. Rochester moved for a committee to examine and investigate into certain charges made by Mr. Rochester, member for Carleton, in his place in the House, respecting interference and intimidation by the Hon. R. W. Scott, a member of the Senate, and then occupying the position of Secretary of State, in the last election of a member for Carleton.

Hon. Mr. Mackenzie contended that power was vested in the House to make any investigation of the kind suggested. The party against whom the charges were made was not under control of this House, and the conduct complained of was not contrary to any statute.

Mr. Rochester explained that the hon. gentleman against whom the charges were brought was a member of the late government, and at the last elections abused his position in endeavoring to secure the election of the Rev. Mr. May for the County of Carleton. He charged the Hon. Mr. Scott with having entered into negotiations with Mr. May to secure that gentleman's support for the Mackenzie Administration should he be elected. He was proceeding to enter fully into the details of the whole subject, when six o'clock arrived, and the Speaker left the chair.

After recess the debate was resumed on the proposed motion of Mr. McDonnell (Inverness)—That the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider certain resolutions declaring the Provinces of Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island to have each claims and rights to distributive shares of the amount of the Fishery award handed over to the Government of Canada on the same principles on which the claims and rights of Newfoundland were recognized, &c.

Mr. Richey moved in amendment to the resolutions that the privileges so accorded to the citizens of the United States are a derogation of the rights of British subjects, which enured to the benefit of the people of the different Provinces to which the fisheries in which they are granted are adjacent respectively, and that in the opinion of the House the Provinces of Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island are entitled to the appropriation of the award in such a manner as to afford the inhabitants of the said several Provinces the full benefit of the same in proportion to the value of the privileges conceded upon the coasts and in the waters of the Provinces respectively.

Sir John Macdonald said that it had been the duty of the Dominion to maintain and protect the Fishery rights from the aggression of the Americans. The Fishery question was not settled with the United States. In a few years there would have to be a new basis for the settlement of that question with the Americans, so that he was compelled to exercise a considerable reticence in discussing the question. He moved in amendment a long resolution, stating that under the British North America Act of 1867 the fisheries were vested in the Government of Canada, and that the Federal Government had undertaken the responsibility of protecting them, that great expense had been incurred in protecting the fishery interests of the Dominion, and that such could not be transferred to the Provinces, and that if it could do so it would be unwise, as the expenditure on the part of the Dominion would in the future be heavy as it had been in the past, therefore the award that was paid to the Dominion under the Fishery Award was right and proper.

Mr. McIsaac contended that the fisheries were vested in the Crown as a trustee for the Provinces, and that it was never calculated at the time of Confederation that the fisheries should be ceded.

Mr. Ogden would like to see Nova Scotia get a share of the award.

Hon. Mr. Brecken pressed the claims of Prince Edward Island.

The discussion was continued by Messrs. Muttart, Robertson, Macdonald (P.E.I.) and Kaulbach.

Hon. James Macdonald sustained the amendment to the amendment, and defended the Dominion claim.

The debate was continued by Messrs. Flynn and Weldon in favor of the division of the award among the Maritime Provinces.

BISHOP'S UNIVERSITY.

Ninth Annual Convocation.

The report read yesterday by Dr. David at the ninth annual convocation of Bishop's University gave the following results for the session of 1879-80.

REPORT FOR SESSION 1879-80.

The number of Matriculated Students during the session just closed was 27. Of this number two were from the Province of Ontario, one from the United States, one from the West Indies, and the remainder from the Province of Quebec.

The attendance and the general good conduct of the entire class was such as to give the Faculty entire satisfaction.

This year being the last of the three years, for which the Assessors who watch the examinations on behalf of the Provincial Medical Board were appointed, these gentlemen took occasion at the close of the examinations to express the extreme gratification which everything connected with the College had given them, the practical character of the teaching being evidenced in the examinations especially the written examinations extending as they did over the entire days from 9 in the morning till 10 at night, with short intervals for meals.

The following gentlemen passed botany:—C Dexter Hale, Stanstead, Q, prize; Edmund Labrie, Chicopee Falls, U S; William Albert MacKay, St. Eustache, Q.

Passed Practical Chemistry—Frank M B Spendlove, Aylis Flats, Q; Heber Bishop, B A, Marbleton, O (both these gentlemen received honorable mention); Ninian C Smillie, Montreal, Q

Passed Practical Anatomy—Heber Bishop, B A, Marbleton, O; Ninian C Smillie, Montreal, Q; Walter DeMouilpied, Nicolet, Q; Robert H Wilson, Montreal, Q (all honorable mention); Francis Jos. G Tetrault, St Pie, Q; Edmond Labril, Calcopee Falls, U S; Charles S Fenwick, Montreal, Q.

Passed Materia Medica—Frank M B Spendlove, Ayers Flats, Q; Philip Dube, Quebec, Q; Chas S Fenwick, Montreal, Q; William C McGillis, Montreal, Q.

Passed Physiology—Charles S Fenwick, Montreal, Q.

The following gentlemen passed their examinations upon all the primary branches (Chemistry, Anatomy, Materia Medica and Physiology):—Heber Bishop, B A, Marbleton, O, prize; Ninian C Smillie, Montreal, Q, honorable mention, and in order of merit, Walter DeMouilpied, Nicolet, Q; Francis J G Tetrault, St Pie, Q; Robert H Wilson, Montreal, Q; Edward Labril, Chicopee Falls, U S.

The final examinations for the Degree of C M, M D, consist of the following branches: Principles and Practice of Medicine, Theory and Practice of Surgery, Obstetrics and Diseases of Women and Children, Medical Jurisprudence, Clinical Medicine, Clinical Surgery, Pathology and Hygiene. This examination was passed by the following gentlemen, whom it will be my pleasing duty to present to you, sir, for graduation:—Henry B Chandler, Barbadoes, West Indies, "The Wood" gold medalist; James Leslie Foley, final prizeman. (The contest between these two young men was extraordinarily close, there being at the termination but 15 marks between them.) Louis Henry Ulric Gill, Napierville, Q, honorable mention. Edmond Labril, Chicopee Falls, Mass; Philip Dube, B.M., Quebec; Francis J G Tetrault, of St Pie, Q, also passed his final examinations, taking his place fourth on the list, but owing to his being under age he cannot receive his degree to-day.

PRIZES.

Henry B Chandler, of Barbadoes, W I, takes "The Wood" gold medal. (This gold medal is awarded to the graduate in the Faculty of Medicine who has attended at least two sessions at Bishop's College, and has attained the highest number of marks in all the subjects of both primary and final. Mr. Chandler, who this year obtains the medal, has passed the entire period of his studies, four years, in Bishop's College.)

James Leslie Foley, Montreal, final prizeman.

Heber Bishop, B A, Marbleton, O, primary prizeman.

Ninian C Smillie, Montreal, takes senior director's prize.

C Dexter Hale, Standstead, Q, takes junior director's prize.

C Dexter Hale gets the botany prize.

Certificates of Honorable Mention have been granted to the following gentlemen:—For Practical Chemistry—Frank M B Spendlove, Heber Bishop B A.

For Practical Anatomy—Heber Bishop, B A; Ninian Smillie; Walter DeMouilpied; Robert H Wilson.

For the Primary Examination—Ninian C Smillie.

For the final Examination—Louis Henry Ulric Gill.

At the conclusion of reading of the lists the graduates received their degrees and the prizes were distributed by Chancellor Heneker.

Dr. Chandler then read the valedictory of his class, and in response Dr. Woods addressed the students. A few words from Bishop Bond brought proceedings to a close.

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

Weekly Review.

STAR OFFICE, April 8.

The course of business during the past week, as far as the wholesale trade is concerned, may be fairly described as quiet, but steady. Although no clearly defined improvement was noticeable in a general way, encouraging signs were not wanting, and we shall be greatly surprised if the opening of navigation does not inaugurate a great change for the better. It is well, however, not to be too sanguine. A trade depression like that through which we had just passed is not got over in a few months or even in a year, and a great deal must depend on the results of this year's harvest. We are glad to notice that the persevering efforts of the Board of Trade to encourage and foster the shipping interests of the country, and also to extend the trade of this port are likely to be crowned with a fair measure of success.

DRY GOODS.—A fair week's business is reported, merchants having arrived in town from various points, but more particularly from the Eastern Townships and Ottawa districts. Payments falling due on the 4th inst. were met better than in January, February and March, with the exception of districts west of Toronto. The reduced rates on the Grand Trunk are not enforced at the right time for this branch of trade, being too late for the spring purchases and too early for sorting up orders. The first week in March, or the second week in May, would be a more suitable time. Manufacturers, during the past week, have experienced less demand but they have work on hand for months yet and are not very anxious for new orders as the raw material still continues dear. Every arrangement is being made to put the Coaticook Cotton Mills into operation as early as possible in the spring and most of the machinery will arrive in the St. Lawrence from Great Britain by the first steamers. Any one questioning the good results of the National Policy could not do better than walk into some of our leading wholesale establishments. Here are to be seen, white shirtings, grey cottons, cotonades, flannels, Oxford shirtings, blankets, tweeds, woollens, tickings, drillings, drabducks, &c., mostly made in Canada and formerly imported direct from England and the United States. It is a fact, also, that although the quality of these goods compares favorably with those formerly imported, prices are extremely reasonable when the rise in wool and raw cotton is taken into consideration. The advance, for instance, in woollens has been only 15 to 20 per cent. as compared with last season whereas wool has gone up 25 and 30 per cent. Prices to-day as compared with those in 1874-5 when wool was at about the same rate, are 10 to 15 per cent. lower. We are glad to notice that there is some movement to shorten creditors, several of our principal cotton mills having determined to date their largest bills at three months time from the first of the following month after purchase. In woollens, four months from date of shipment ought to be sufficient credit instead of the loose system of dating ahead as at present, extending two to four months longer. At least eight of our largest mills are sold up for fall tweeds as far as it is wise to take orders ahead. These orders are also by the piece for legitimate trading, not for speculation. Our four or five flannel mills are full of orders. The only change in prices relates to cotton bags, which have risen from 26½c to 23.

GROCERIES—The jobbing trade is still extremely dull, while the country business foots up fairly well.

TEA.—There are no special features to report in the tea trade, beyond that holders show more inclination to meet buyers. To-day's quotations are:—Japan, low grades, 30c to 32c; medium, 35c to 40c; good medium, 42c to 45c; finest, 43c to 45c; choicest, 47c to 52c; choicest, 52½c to 55c; Greens, firsts, 65c to 70c; seconds, 49c to 60c; thirds, 39c to 45c; common, 34c to 38c; Congou, 30c to 40c for common to good medium; Fine, 45c to 50c; Finest, 50c to 70c.

SUGARS.—The demand continues very good indeed considering the season of the year, at the same time our refiners have had to yield ⅛c on last week's figures in sympathy with the New York market. Raw sugars are moving slowly, at present figures. Cut loaf, 10⅝c to 11c; granulated, 10¼c to 10½c; bright yellow, 8⅞c to 9¼c; fair yellow, 8⅜c to 9c; low yellow, 8c to 8¼c; raw, 7⅞c to 8c.

SYRUPS—Are in steady demand. Imperial, 62c to 65c; sugar loaf, 55c to 58c; amber, 50c to 53c; silver drips, 48c to 50c.

MOLASSES.—Holders are again inclined to meet the market. Barbadoes, 36½c to 40c; sugar-house, 26c to 30c; Trinidad, 35c to 37c; Muscovado, 30c to 36c; Porto Rico, 36c to 37c; Centrifugal, 29c to 30c.

COFFEES—Remain dull, and to make sales special efforts have to be enforced.

O. G. Java	32c	to	33c
Ordinary Java	26c	to	29c
Maricaibo	21c	to	25c
Rio	19c	to	22c

FRUIT, &c.—For this staple there is an excessively firm market all round, and prices are relatively dearer than for some years past. Eleme figs held at 12½c to 15c. Malaga figs, 6½c to 7c. New Valencias, 8c to 8½c; London Layers, $2.85 to $3.00; Loose Muscatels, $2.45 to $2.60; Layers, $2.30 to $2.35; Old Loose Muscatels, $1.85 to $2.00; London Layers, $2.10 to $2.25; Currants, 5½c to 5⅝c; new do, 6⅝c to 7⅝c. Almonds, 18c to 20c; walnuts, 8½c to 9½c.

SPICES.—There is more doing this week owing to stock being rather low with our millers, but no change in values can be noted. Black pepper, 11c to 11½c; white do, 17c to 19c; allspice, 15c to 16c; cloves, 40c to 50c; cassia, 15c to 18c; nutmegs, 75c to 95c; ginger, Jamaica unbleached, 19c to 21c; bleached, 24c to 25c; African, 8c to 9½c.

IRON AND HARDWARE.—Prices are decidedly easier all round in the absence of demand. As soon as navigation opens and importations begin to arrive, lots held on spot must further depreciate in value. The Londonderry N. S. Works are still fully employed. Complaints are made that owing to the scarcity of cars on the Intercolonial, supplies cannot be forwarded as promptly as desirable. Warrants are quoted by cable at 57s. In Pittsburg fully 16,000 tons of pig iron are being manufactured into plates, bars, etc., weekly, which is considerably in excess of local production, foreign iron having to be used. It is impossible to give correct quotations, which are altogether nominal.

HIDES.—Prices have been undergoing considerable changes lately, and the market is altogether topsy-turvy. One dealer appears to be trying to put up a "corner," and is offering butchers as high as $10 and $10.50 cash for all the hides he can get. Others are unwilling to pay higher than $9, and scarcely know what to do under the circumstances. The high-priced dealer claims that his competitors get their hides at a cheap rate only by advancing money to run butchers shops. The others state that present high prices cannot be sustained, and that tanners will not be persuaded to pay over $10 at the utmost. Last week's prices of green hides were: Green, No 1 inspected, $9; No 2 $8; No 3 $7. Rejected $1 lower. Sheepskins, $1.25 to $2; calfskins, 13c; lamb do, 15c to 25c.

LEATHER.—Slightly higher prices are asked in some lines, dry hides having gone up to 25c at New York and an advance having taken place in South America. A better business is being done than for some little time past. A few manufacturers are buying ahead for the fall trade. The exports from Montreal for the past month were 20,000 sides, most of which was Canadian buffalo sole. No. 1 Spanish sole, 26c to 27c; No. 1 Buffalo sole, 23c to 24c, and No. 2, 21c to 22c. Uppers are quoted at 38c to 42c. Large splits, 23c to 35c, small do, 20c to 25c. Harness, 27c to 32c. Slaughter sole, 26c to 30c. Patent, 17c to 18c. Enamel, 16c to 17c. Buff, 13½c to 16c. Pebble, 13c to 15c.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Most manufacturers are fairly busy and prices are firm and unchanged. Orders are beginning to be received from Newfoundland and other Maritime Provinces. In Newfoundland there is only one small boot and shoe factory.

WOOL.—There is a fair business doing in foreigns, but domestics are too scarce to allow of transactions. We quote:—Canada pulled unassorted, 34c to 35c; Greasy cape, 22c to 23c; Foreign medium, 36c to 39c; Australian, 32c to 36c; scoured New Zealand, 58c; Buenos Ayres, scoured, 50c to 52½c.

RAW FURS.—Spring collections may be looked for soon, and in the meantime business is dull and unchanged. Beaver, prime, per lb. $2 to 2 25, bear, per skin $6 to 8, bear, cub, $3 to 5 per skin, fish, $4 to 6 do, fox, red, $1 50 to 1 70 do, fox, cross, $2 to 3 do, lynx, $1 25 to 1 75 do, martin, 75c to $1 do, mink $1 25 to 1 50 do, small, 75c to $1, muskrat, fall 8c, winter 12c, spring 17c, otter $5 to 8, racoon 40c to 50c, skunk 40c to 50c.

PETROLEUM.—Although no improvement is apparent in this line, it cannot be said that the business is dull. A small demand continues and the old stock is slowly getting worked out of the market. It is said by dealers that a change may shortly be looked for. The prices are unchanged, and as follows:—Car lots in London, 11c; in Montreal, 14c; five and ten barrel lots, 14½c to 15c; single barrels, 15½c to 16c.

HOPS—There has been a little consumptive movement at last week's prices, several bales of last year's crop having been sold. No demand for old crop. We quote 30c for good qualities of this season's crop, and 10c to 12½c for yearlings.

SALT.—The market is a little more lively this week, but not yet up to the expectations of dealers. Improvement is looked for, however, on the arrival of new importations. We quote: Coarse tens, 75c; elevens, 67½c; factory filled, $1.10 to $1.15; Higgins' Eureka, bags, $2; half-bags, $1; quarter bags, 50c.

FISH.—With the little stock of fish on hand a correspondingly small amount of business is being transacted at prices the same as those quoted in our last report, viz: No. 1 Green Cod, $5 50 to $6 per bbl; No. 2, $5; large drafts, $7 25 to $7 75; No. 2 Salmon, $17 50; Dry Cod, $4 to $4 25; Labrador Herrings, $6 to $6 25; Round Mackerel, $4; salt water eels, 8½c to 9c each.

OILS.—No change has lately taken place in this market, either in the enquiry or prices asked, and it may be said that the market stands as it was last week. The prices now are as follows:—Gaspe and Newfoundland cod, 45c to 47½c; S. R. Seal 57½c; pale do, 52½c; straw seal, 45c.

The Kaoka Manufacturing Company have taken legal proceedings against E. J. Brown, of Sarnia, for palming off some spurious stuff as the genuine Kaoka, using the Company's trade mark and label, and representing himself as agent for Lambton.—*St. Thomas Journal*.

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TO LET. St. Lawrence street, Nos. 378 and 380, 2-story Brick Houses. St. Charles Borrommee street, No. 291, 2-story Brick Houses. All near Sherbrooke street. Situation and convenience unsurpassed for business men; five minutes' walk from Post-office. Rent moderate. 243 Dorchester street, near St. Andrew street, 2-story Brick House, in one of the best localities of the City. Rent moderate. Apply to Joseph Duhamel, Advocate, Office, No. 43 St. Gabriel street. 77 12

HOUSE FOR SALE OR TO LET, AT ST. HILAIRE, P.Q. Pleasantly situated on the Bank of the river and within a few minutes walk of the Railway Station. Apply to LAJOIE, PERRAULT & SEATH, 64 to 68 St. James street. Montreal, April 3rd, 1880. 79 7

MY INSTRUCTIONS ARE TO RENT the first-class cut-stone Houses on University street, at a low rental to good tenants. Possession immediately. Apply to R. K. THOMAS, Real Estate Agent, 194 St. James street. 82 6

TO RENT. Nos. 21 and 23 St. Etienne street, 90, 92 and 94 Menai street, 80, 102 and 108 Forfar street, and a self-contained House, No. 91 Menai street. These houses are all near the Grand Trunk Works and new Offices. Also, No. 293 St. Antoine street, and Nos. 157, 159 and 161 Chatham street. For sale, a lot on Conway street, 25x100, and two on Forfar street, each 25x94. D. McCormick, No. 112 St. Francois Xavier street. 58 20

TO RENT—A comfortable medium-sized House, No. 74 Victoria street. Apply to MR. GERALD HART, 179 St. James street. 80

TO LET—Upper and Lower Tenements 21, 21½, 23, 25, 27½, 29 St. George street. 189, 191 St. Charles Borromme street. Apply to O. J. DEVLIN, 118 St. James street. 78 12

TO LET—Three Stone Front Cottages, Nos. 12, 14 and 16 Fort street, 10 rooms in each, bath and W. C., nicely laid out. Rent £60 and taxes. Apply to GEO. BISHOP, 169 St. James street. 46eod

COTTAGE TO LET—No. 134 Cadieux street, eight apartments, Bath and W. C., in perfect order, very comfortable, delightful locality. Rent, $13 per month, without taxes. Apply, No. 131 CADIEUX STREET. 81 4

TO LET—Self-contained House, B. & W. C. and gas fixtures; $15 per month; no taxes. Also, Lower Tenement, $10; no taxes. G. LULHAM, M.C.P.R. Office, Craig street. 82 6

FURNISHED HOUSE on Sherbrooke street to Let. Rent moderate. Apply BOX 916, P.O. 82 10

TO RENT—From 1st May, No. 27 Prince Arthur street. Apply at HOUSE. 82 12

TO LET, at Valoisville, near station and river, Summer Cottages, with piano. Rent from $25 to $150. Apply to J. Y. H. VALOIS, Valoisville. 82 3

TO LET—Several small self-contained Houses on Aqueduct st., between Grand Trunk Railway and Bonaventure street. Rent, $9 per month without taxes. Apply to Court & Macintosh, 22 St. John street. 82 4

TO LET—Villa Residence, No. 265 Drummond street, locality unsurpassed, overlooking City and River; large rooms, rat proof, perfect order. Heated by Hot Water, Spence's Patent. Apply at 44 McGILL COLLEGE AVENUE. 82 4

TO LET—First-class House, No. 27 Windsor street. Rent low.—P. LAMOTHE, N. P., 15 Place D'Armes. 82 10

HOUSE TO LET, No. 3 Winning street, 8 rooms, bath room and W. C. Rent, £40. Apply to No. 1 WINNING, off Plateau. 81 3

TO LET, Small House, containing 4 rooms, in rear of 45 Aylmer street. Rent moderate. 81 6

TO LET—Furnished—the whole or part of 101 MACKAY street. 15 rooms. 81 6

TO LET—Two-story brick House, 27 Kent street. Rent $7. Apply 80 CADIEUX street. 81 8

TO LET, Nos. 31 and 33 Shuter street, being upper and lower tenements. Apply to DAVID BROWN, 219 St. James street. 81 6

TO LET—Hawthorn Cottage, Mount Royal Vale. J. WALKLEY, Molsons Bank. 81 6

TO LET, No. 6 Lincoln Avenue, Ten apartments. B. and W.C. £60 and taxes. Apply to R. K. Thomas, 194 St. James street. 81 3

TO LET, Superior Tenement, No. 43 Anderson street. Eight apartments. B. and W.C. £45 and taxes. Apply to R. K. Thomas, 194 St. James street. 81 3

HOUSE TO LET — Partially Furnished, west of English Cathedral, 13 rooms, bath, water closet, hot and cold water pipes. Proprietor would rent two rooms with attendance. Address "AJAX," STAR Office. 81 6

TO LET — Brick Cottage, No. 26 Coursol street, nine rooms. B. & W. C. £40; no taxes. Apply to R. K. Thomas, 194 St. James street. 81 3

TO LET, that desirably-situated and convenient stone front dwelling-house, No. 652 Palace street, heated by improved Patent hot water cooking furnace (only one fire needed during the winter) newly papered and painted throughout, with two-story coach house and stable and nice piece of garden in rear. Rent moderate. Apply on the PREMISES. 81 6

TO LET—204 and 206 St. George street, six rooms each. Rent, $10, no taxes. 80 6

TO LET—That Double Two-Story House, No. 32 St. Antoine street, heretofore the residences of T. P. Barron, Esq., with a Large Yard, Carpenter's Shop and Brick Outbuilding in rear. That property is most desirable for a Boarding-house or a Club. Rent cheap. Apply to HETU & DUMOUCHEL, N. P., 16 St. James street. 79 24

TO LET—Nos. 218 and 222 Bleury street. Apply W. P. JOHNSTON, 25 Beaver Hall. 71tf

TO LET — Semi-detached House, Cote St. Antoine. 11 Rooms. Garden. Plenty of water. O. W. STANTON, 191 St. James street. 79 6

TO LET—Cheap Rent—Lower Tenement House, No. 162 Hypolite street, six rooms; bath; rent, $10. Also, House No. 68 Hypolite street, self-contained; seven rooms; bath and w. c.; rent $10. Apply to WILLIAM LAYERS, 70 Hypolite street. 79 6

TO LET, Furnished House, (double Cottage,) delightfully situated, West End St. Catherine street; modern improvements; furniture new; terms moderate. Address, BOX 686, P.O. 79 7

GOOD TENANTS wanting first class Houses at a low rental, are respectfully invited to call on R. K. THOMAS, 194 St. James street. 78 6

HOUSE TO LET--310 Colborne avenue, 12 rooms, fine garden, with fruit trees, gooseberry bushes, good stable and yard, good situation for a milkman. Immediate possession. Apply ON PREMISES. 75tf

HOUSES TO LET — Apply to J. B. BICHER, Grocer, 468½ Lagauchetiere street. 46tf

TO LET, at Chambly Canton, a most desirable Stone Cottage with large Garden, situated on the Rapids, with extensive view of the Basin and Islands, and Montreal in the distance. Delightfully cool in summer. G. H. MATTHEWS, 17 St. John street. 65 tf

TO LET, that first-class three-story Dwelling, No. 2 Gladstone Terrace, 326 Upper Bleury street; in perfect order; extension Dining Room, Kitchen Range, and thoroughly heated by combination heaters. Apply, 475 ST. PAUL STREET. 57tf

TO LET—Semi-detached Cottage, in perfect order, 67½ Argyle Avenue. G. H. MATTHEWS, 17 St. John street. 42 tf

TO LET—Semi-detached Brick House, 87 City Councillors street, next below Sherbrooke. G. H. MATTHEWS, 17 St. John street. 42 tf

HOUSES TO LET — 104, 108 Stanley street, each containing 12 rooms, bath and water closet, large yard and stabling. Apply to WARREN & CLEMENT, 126 St. James street, or at 47 McGill College Avenue. 76 12

TO LET. Self-contained and Tenement Houses, Shops and Dwellings, Stores and Offices. Apply to William Doran, Accountant and Estate Agent, 199 St. James street. 62tf

HOUSES TO RENT IN DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE CITY. Apply at Office, 19 St. James street. 28 78 E. STANLEY BAGG.

TO LET, A superior finished House, No. 24 Shuter street, 15 rooms, cut-stone front, large yard, all modern improvements. Apply to Wm. Doran, Accountant and Estate Agent, 199 St. James street. 67tf

Houses Wanted.

WANTED—A Comfortable House of 8 or 9 rooms, between Bleury and Peel streets. Rent and taxes not to exceed £60. Address, "D. J., STAR OFFICE. 82 3

WANTED—House, four apartments, ten minutes walk west of the Post Office. Rent not to exceed £25, no taxes. Address, J 16, STAR Office. 82 2

Stores To Let.

TO LET — Store, No. 668 Dorchester street, lately occupied by Thomson & Buckley, Grocers. Apply to SAMUEL C. FATT, 112 St. Francois Xavier street. 80 6

TO LET, a Shop, No. 117 Bleury street, with or without a Dwelling. Apply to WILLIAM DORAN, Accountant and Estate Agent, 199 St. James street.

TO LET—Shop, 32 Victoria Square, with Dwelling above. G. H. Matthews, 17 St. John street. 42tf

TO LET — First-class Stone Warehouse, with front and side entrance, 287 Commissioners street. G. H. MATTHEWS, 17 St. John street. 42 tf

TO LET OR FOR SALE, Cheap (terms easy), Bakery in East End with necessary machinery for Bread Baking. G. H. MATTHEWS, 17 St. John street. 42 tf

TO LET, Ground Floor and Cellar of 29 St. Peter street. Rent low. Apply to R. K. Thomas, 194 St. James street. 81 3

FLATS TO LET--30 x 35--Suitable for light manufacturers, No. 203 Fortification lane, between St. Peter and Victoria square. Rent, $10 per month, no taxes. Apply at 706 Craig street. 81 5

TO LET—TO BUTCHERS—The good will of the remaining portion of lease for one or two years of the Private Butcher's Stall, No. 39 St. Antoine street; also, For Sale, the Fixtures at a reasonable figure. Apply to JOHN HEALY, 18 Bisson street. 73 6

Hotels To Let.

TO LET—First-class Hotel at Vaudreuil Stations; well furnished. Terms Liberal. Apply to D. Leroux, Vaudreuil Depot. 79 6

TO LET. THE CANADA HOTEL, with all modern improvements, Nos. 15 and 19 St. Gabriel street, Montreal. Possession 1st May next. All the Household Furniture of the same Hotel is for sale. Apply at No. 8 St. Lambert street, Office of La Compagnie de Pret et Credit Fonciers. 47tf

TO LET. The magnificent Cut-stone Hotel, opposite the Market, corner of St. Dominique street, St. Jean Baptiste Village, with all the Household Furniture, comprising two Pianos, Mirrors, Bar Fixtures, Decanters, Glasses, &c. Apply at No. 8 St. Lambert street. 32tf

Offices To Let.

OFFICES! *Single and in Suites,* AND GOOD FROST-PROOF CELLAR, (LARGE,) With Entrance on Fortification Lane, TO RENT AT MODERATE FIGURES, IN Citizens' Ins. Co's. Building, No. 179 ST. JAMES ST. Apply at Company's Office. 30

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE: Osborne, Mountain and Donegana streets. Upper Bleury street. Union Avenue. Berri street. St. Denis street. Dubord street. Craig street. St. Louis street. Grand Trunk avenue, St. Anns. Cottage near French Church, do. Money in large and small sums to loan, on first-class property. H. M. Perrault, No. 99 St. Francois Xavier st. 74 27

FOR SALE, two medium-sized self-contained Houses, wing kitchens, only a few minutes' walk from business centre. For particulars and terms enquire at 215 St. James street.—J. APPLETON. 81 3

FOR SALE, first-class House and Furniture (a great bargain) situation splendid; cars pass door; 15 rooms; cost $14,000 quite recently; will be sold for $9,500. About $5,000 may remain 7 p.c. interest. Furniture may be bought alone. Address "House," BOX 604 P.O., City. 82 4

HOUSE FOR SALE—394 St. Antoine street—That fine Cut-stone Front House, 25 x 40, lot 135 feet deep; all modern improvements; heated by furnace; thoroughly ventilated; tile drain; built for and occupied by the proprietor. Terms most advantageous and reasonable. Apply to ROBERT KANE, 10 Exchange Court. 77tf

AT OUTREMONT, Ten Minutes' Walk from Upper Bleury Street, BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE. Apply to JAMES L. WISEMAN. 62

FARMS FOR SALE.

Several Valuable Farms And also City Properties to be disposed of on very advantageous terms. Apply to Trust & Loan Company of Canada, 14 ST. JAMES STREET. 175tf 3

Lost, &c.

STRAYED OR STOLEN, from 34 St. James street, a Yellow Collie Dog, with collar bearing my name. A reward will be paid any one returning him. Any one detaining him after this notice will be prosecuted.—T. P. BUTLER. 82 6

LOST, on 6th April, a Fox Terrier, black and tan head, with sundry spots on the back and one large spot near the tail. Answers to the name of "Dixie." Any person returning him to No. 47 Bonsecours street will be rewarded. 82 6

LOST.—On Saturday morning, from 6 to 8 o'clock, a small sum of money, amounting to $14 in bills; lost from Champ de Mars, Notre Dame, to French Church. The finder will be well rewarded by returning it to 215 St. Denis street. 79 6

LOST—$5.00 REWARD—A Small Terrier Dog, three months old. 339 Mountain street. 82 3

LOST—On or before 1st April, note of $40, signed by Frank Gogo, payable to S. D. Vallieres. The public are notified not to negotiate said note, as payment has been stopped.—S. D. VALLIERES. 82 2

LOST—Tuesday, on St. Mary St., or Bonsecours Market, six $10 bills and two $5 bills, rolled up with other money. Reward at 30 Brock street. 81 6

LOST—A Bible in a Black Leather Case. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving it at No. 2 Beaver Hall Square. 81 6

LOST—On Sunday evening, coming from St. Martin's Church by Sherbrooke to St. Denis street, a Silver Watch with silken guard attached. Anyone returning the same to 224 St. James street, will be liberally rewarded. 80 6

LOST, a Gold Ear-ring, between St. Charles Borromme and Mansfield streets. The finder will please return to 276 St. Charles Borromme street. 80 6

LOST—On Saturday afternoon, in neighborhood of Great St. James street, a Liver-colored Water Spaniel. Answers to name of "Grouse." $1 Reward will be paid on leaving his whereabouts at the STAR office. 80 6

LOST—Saturday, between 20 Drummond and 18 Stanley, a Gold Bracelet, marked "N. A. P." The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at 18 Stanley street. 79 6

LOST—Two weeks ago, a Skye Blue Terrier Dog, answers to the name of "Remie." Any person returning him to 61 Burnside Place will be rewarded. 79 6

LOST—On Friday Afternoon, the 2nd inst., between Bleury and Beaver Hall, a Purse. Finder will receive $3 Reward on returning to STAR Office. 79 6

LOST—A Fox Terrier Bitch, from 120 Courville street. Reward on its return. 78 6

LOST, SOLITAIRE DIAMOND RING, From Academy of Music, by way of St. Catherine st., $20 REWARD. Any one returning it to Armand Beaudry, 269 Notre Dame street, will be rewarded. 78 6

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—If William Fountain, late of O. Grantham, Lincolnshire, England, will write to his friends he will hear of something to his advantage. 80 6

Rooms.

FURNISHED ROOMS to rent, with or without Board, at 127 St. Constant street. 82

ROOM — Furnished, for one or two gentlemen; terms moderate. 28 Richmond Square. 82 3

ROOM Wanted—Clean, Unfurnished Front Room, west end; rent must be low; references exchanged. Address, W. at ... Lady, STAR Office. 82 2

ROOM—Wanted by a married couple, with one child, Furnished Bedroom, with use of Kitchen. Address, F L T, STAR Office. 82 3

ROOMS—With Board. Double and single. 69 Upper St. Urbain street. 82 6

ROOMS — Handsome rooms, with good Board, in a private family. Mrs Brenner, 15 Aylmer street. 82 10

ROOMS—Vacant — 68 Cathcart street. 81 6

ROOM—For one or two Gentlemen. 137 Mansfield street. 81 6

ROOMS—Comfortably furnished with board. 10 Mansfield street. 81 3

ROOM—Furnished Bedroom. 12 Union Avenue. 80 4

ROOM—Large Comfortably furnished bedroom. 8 Plateau street 79 6

ROOMS AND BOARD—25 St. Louis street. 79 12

ROOMS—Furnished, near the Windsor. 14 Donegani street. 79 6

ROOMS TO LET—No. 27 Beaver Hall Terrace. 73 12

ROOM AND OFFICE TO LET. At present occupied by a Doctor. 249 St. Joseph street. 70 15

Board.

WAVERLEY HOUSE, Victoria Square—Seven Dinner Tickets, $1 00. Full Day Board, $2.75 per week. Soup, Poultry, Joints, Entrees, Pastry, &c. 61 80

VICTORIA COFFEE AND CHOP HOUSE, 167 McGILL ST. The best 25 cent dinner in the city. Full board, per week, $3.50; 6 dinner tickets for $1.20. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED. 72eod

BOARD—First-class Board and delightful rooms. 18 Victoria street. Terms moderate. 82 6

BOARD—Large Well-furnished Rooms (front and back Parlors.) 20 Brunswick street. Also, Table Board. 81 3

BOARD—Good Board and Unfurnished Rooms. 39 Alexander street. 81 3

BOARD — Vacancies for two gentlemen. 167 St. George street. 80 6

BOARD—Front Rooms, Pleasant for ladies and gentlemen. 25 St. Antoine street. 80 6

BOARDERS WANTED—Apply at 228 St. Lawrence Main street. 79 12

BOARD and ROOMS—No. 1165 St. Catherine street. 76 8

BOARD—Single Room with Board, vacant on the 1st of March, at 273 Bleury street. 45 tf

BOARD.—Room and attendance in a most delightful situation, with a very extensive view and good air, on moderate terms—Richmond Cottage, off Upper St. Urbain street, past Hotel Dieu, or opposite 4 Upper St Lawrence street. The cottage is not numbered. 75tf

BOARD—A pleasant and comfortably furnished front apartment, with full Board, in a private family, at 1462 St. Catherine street. Position healthy and desirable, in immediate proximity to the most attractive points of the West End. For gentlemen only. Can be seen between 11 and 1 in the morning. 75 tf

For Sale.

YACHT FOR SALE—That fast-sailing 5-Ton Yacht, "Mystery." H. CUNNINGHAM, Boat Builder, Kingston, Ont. 59 26

STEAM YACHT FOR SALE, in good order and cheap. Address, "Lock," Box 48, Brockville, Ont. 73 12

FOR SALE. 126 Durham Steers, average weight, 1,400 lbs. 44 Bulls, average weight, 1,500 lbs. Can be delivered on steamer in Montreal in 48 hours any time between 10th May and 1st June. Apply to H. CORBY, Jr., Belleville, Ont. 80 6

FOR SALE—Second-hand Tinsmith's Tools at Wm. M. Briggs, 69 St. Antoine street. 82 3

FOR SALE, very valuable Phosphate Mining Rights in Wakefield and Hull Townships. Apply Farm Land Agency, 31 Bonaventure street. 82 3

FOR SALE—A Light Express Wagon, in good order. Apply 116 Montcalm street. 82 2

FOR SALE—Cheap—A Refrigerator, Small Scales and Teak. Address, D. Robert, corner St. Martin and Bonaventure streets. 82 3

FOR SALE—Suffolk Punch Stallion, "Marquis," sire and dam imported by Hon. M. H. Cochrane. Foaled 20th May, 1876. Winner of First Prize and Bronze Medal at Dominion Exhibition, at Ottawa, 1879. For pedigree and further particulars address, M. MAXWELL, 476 Sherbrooke street, Montreal. 81 7eod

FOR SALE—An English Stanhope Phaeton or T. Cart, built to order by one of the best makers in England. Only a short time in use. On view at Ledoux's Carriage Factory St. Antoine street. 81 6

FOR SALE—An Officers Mess Jacket, Tunic and Trousers, Scarlet, Green Facings. Apply at 1155 St. Catherine street. 81 4

FOR SALE, CHEAP — Glass Partitions, from 20 to 40 running feet. Apply 56 McGill street. 81 3

FOR SALE—Upright Boiler, ten-horse-power, second-hand, cheap. Apply at 706 Craig street. 81 5

FOR SALE—An Express—Cheap for cash. Can be seen at the corner of Smith and Murray street. 81 3

FOR SALE—Six-octave Square Piano, by R. D. Hood, in good order, full iron frame. Will be sold cheap before removing to new Store, Notre Dame street.—H. PRINCE. 81 3

FOR SALE—A large quantity of Glass and Wood partitioning. Apply at the STAR Office. 80 20

FOR SALE—An Office Counter. Apply at the STAR Office. 80 20

FOR SALE—A number of Office Desks. Apply at the STAR Office. 80 20

FOR SALE, a number of signs. Apply at the STAR Office. 80 20

FOR SALE, a quantity of Shafting and a number of Pullies. Apply at the STAR Office. 80 20

FOR SALE, Office Presses and sets of Pigeon Holes. Apply at the STAR Office. 80 20

FOR SALE — Maple, $2.25, Beech, $2, Kindling Wood $1.50 load. Cut and delivered. 123 and 611 Lagauchetiere street. 80 7

FOR SALE—Carts and Harness. 347 Richmond street. 80 6

FOR SALE—New Boats, with Oars, only $10. 498 Craig street. 80 5

FOR SALE—A New Yacht Engine, 7 x 8 Stroke; Boiler and all connections complete; also, one 9 x 8 Horizontal do., Cheap. Apply at 18 St. Constant street. 79 6

FOR SALE—Express Waggon, nearly new, to be seen at John Dwyer's Carriage Factory, Seigneurs st., near St. Antoine st. 78z 6

FOR SALE—Bar Fixtures. F. Larin, 88 Main street. 78 6

FOR SALE—An Express, well adapted for a Beer or Furniture Waggon. 18 Fullum street. 78 8

FOR SALE. About 2,500 Tons of ICE, of the best quality. — ALSO, — Four Horses with harness, and two Ice Wagons, nearly new. Apply at 184 BLEURY STREET. 81 4

FOR SALE, ENGINE AND BOILER. Engine which has run about twelve months, quite new. Cylinder, 12 x 24. Driving wheel, 8ft. diameter. Boiler, 5 ft. diameter, 15 ft. long; 54 4-in. tubes. WILL BE SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH. Apply to Sorel P. O. Box 51. 73

Wanted to Purchase.

WANTED to buy, Gentlemen's Old Clothes, at 659 Craig street, the first Clothing Shop from the corner of Bleury, east. The best price is always paid there. Send in your orders. 82 6

WANTED—One or two pair of Cochins (hens) for Sitters. Address, immediately, with location, W. W., P. O. Box 2056. 79 6

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A Set of Blacksmith's Tools, consisting of Bellows, Anvil, Sledges, Hammers, Dies, &c. Apply at 213 St. Joseph street. 78 6

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CARPET FELT for PUTTING UNDER CARPETS—Saves the Carpets, Prevents Moths, Makes the Floor Air-Tight, and is pleasant to walk on. Will last for ten years. Four cents per yard, delivered free. BENNET & Co., Wholesale Stationers, 455 St. Paul st.

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BOILER MAKERS—Three good Boiler-makers Wanted Immediately. Good wages and steady work. Address, Waterous Engine Works Co., Brantford, Canada. 81 4

WANTED, A PLOUGHMAN, For Two Weeks Work. Address immediately, P.O. BOX 290, giving address. 79 6

WANTED, TWELVE FIRST-CLASS CABINET MAKERS; steady work guaranteed. Apply to F. GELDOWSKY, Furniture Co., First and Second streets, East Cambridge, Mass. Factories five minutes' ride from Boston. 79 6

WANTED—Good Grocer's Clerk; must understand the business and have experience. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 81

WANTED, 1st May, Man (married), must thoroughly understand gardening and milking. Comfortable cottage. Wife could work about the neighborhood. Also, within a fortnight, a young man to work about the horse and grounds; must milk. Highest of references required in both cases. Apply, morning and evening, ... Raynes, Cote St. Antoine. 82 3

WANTED — A Thorough Servant immediately. Apply at 267 Notre Dame street. Wages $8 per month. 82 2

WANTED—A young man, two or three years' experience in Carriage painting. Apply at 1039 St. Catherine street. 82 2

WANTED—Little Girl, 12 to 14, for light manufacturing work. Apply to B 998, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—A General Servant, five in family; nurse kept; wages $7. Apply B 968, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury St. 82

WANTED—A General Servant, must be a good Cook; another girl kept; wages $8. Apply B 996, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Seamstress, able to cut and fit and assist with housework. Apply C 2, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Good French Cook, for 1st May. Apply C 4, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Housemaid, willing to wait on table. Apply B 990, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Housemaid able to wait on table, young and smart. Apply to B 986, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—A First-class Lithographic Color Printer, hand Press. Piece work. Steady work. Apply at once at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Strong Boy, about 16, to learn Hardware business. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Good Oyster-Opener. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Cook, no washing. 39 German street. 82 2

WANTED—A First-class Barkeeper.—F. Larin, 88 Main street. 82 2

WANTED — Two Strong Apprentices.—Geo. R. Prowse, 224 St. James street. 82 2

WANTED—A Good Nurse (25), must be fond of children, well-recommended and reliable; wages, $8. Apply C 12, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—A Good Groom, with a knowledge of gardening. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Good Straw Sewers at Hodgson's Hat Bleachery, 70 St. Maurice street. 82 4

WANTED—Man for Farm; he must understand Ploughing. Apply at 34 Robin street, Mile End. 82 5

WANTED—A Groom (single), must be experienced. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Nurse Girl and assist with housework, 15 to 17. Apply to C 18, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury st. 82

WANTED — Stableman.—Montreal Brewing Co. 82 3

WANTED — Jobbing Cabinetmaker for Furniture Store. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Salesman for Furniture store; must be steady and speak French and English. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED — Phaeton (Basket preferred); must be in good condition and cheap. Address, with particulars, until April 10th, W A C M, STAR Office. 82 2

WANTED—A General Servant, no washing, another girl kept. Apply to B 978, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—A General Servant, able to bake bread; small family; wages $7. Apply B 948, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED — First-class Cook, no washing. Apply B 932, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—A General Servant, no washing; wages $8; city references required. Apply B 960, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—Practical Tailor for Ontario (married man preferred), able to cut and fit, to take full charge of shop. Guarantee from $400 to $600 per annum of customer's work. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—A Young Clerk for Townships; understand Dry Goods business. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 82

WANTED—A first-class Tablemaid and an Upper Housemaid, who can help to wait on table; best of references required. Apply C 20, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury St. 82

WANTED — Butler for private family. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 81

WANTED—A Good Sign-Writer. Apply, 233 Notre Dame street. 81 6

WANTED—Apprentices to Dressmaking. Apply at 113 Alexander St. 81 3

WANTED — Barbers cut this out—An extra man for Saturday. 1371 St. Catherine street. 81 3

WANTED, a smart young girl, as Waitress, to take charge of Dining-room. Western House, corner St. Paul and McGill streets. One speaking both languages preferred. 81 3

WANTED—Nurse (Protestant), must be neat and tidy, fond of children, no young baby; must be well recommended. Apply B 894½, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 80

WANTED—A Housemaid, able to wait on table; must be young and smart. Apply B 894, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 80

WANTED—A Saleswoman for Confectionery Store, speaking French and English. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 79

WANTED—For Sherbrooke, a Good Farmer (married), one without children preferred, able to take full charge; must be well-recommended. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 79

WANTED—A General Servant, to go with a family to Michigan, Western States, on the 12th of April. Must be well-recommended. Apply to B 936, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 79

WANTED—An Assistant Cook, for a Steamboat. Apply B 938, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 80

WANTED—Good General Servant (Protestant), five in family; bake bread; Nurse kept. Wages, $7. Apply to B 918, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 79

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WANTED—Nurse, to go to New York; must be well-recommended, young, neat and tidy. Apply to B 956, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 70

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WANTED—Boy to deliver milk. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 80

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CIRCULATION OF THE STAR for the week ending April 3rd, and the corresponding period of 1879:—

MARCH, 1879.		MARCH, 1880.	
Monday...31	15,210	Monday . 29	15,131
Tues'y, Apr 1	15,012	Tuesday.. 30	15,144
Wed'sday . 2	15,041	Wed'sday..31	15,131
Thursday.. 3	15,002	Thrsdy, Ap 1	15,079
Friday.... 4	15,067	Friday... 2	15,069
Sat'dy.... 5	15,301	Saturday.. 3	15,438
Total....90,633		Total......90,992	

Average daily circulation for week ending April 3rd, 1880:—

15,165.

THURSDAY, APRIL 8, 1880.

Removal.

On or about the 1st May, the offices of THE STAR will be removed to No. 158 St. James street, opposite Dawson Bros.

Answers to Correspondents.

POSTMASTER asks—1st, Are the Stories (serials) that are published in your paper afterward published in book form? 2nd, Is there a veterinary journal published in Montreal; if so, what are its terms and the adress? ANS. No, to both questions.

T. J. M.—Holds forty or fifty dollars worth of Mechanics' Bank bills and wants to know how to proceed to get his dividend? ANS—Write to Messrs. Court and Macintosh, assignees, Montreal, who will send you instructions and blank forms on which to file your claim.

J. LAWSON.—What is the address in full of Sir Wilfred Lawson, Bart. M. P., Esq., &c., his post-office? 2d. Can manuscript or "printer's copy" be sent to offices in the U.S. at same rates as Canadian post-offices? I recently saw this pointed out as an error in some American paper, hough I know I often so send it, and it goes all right. ANS.—1st Sir Wilfred Lawson's home was at Aspatria, Cumberland, Eng. A letter addressed to him there would probably find him. 2d. Yes.

THE intelligence of Prince Bismarck's resignation as Chancellor of the German Empire will be received with surprise and wonder by the whole civilized world—surprise that the old politician should take such a step while he has a vast amount of unfinished work on hand, and wonder as to who will be his successor. But it is said that the Emperor will not accept his resignation, and possibly matters may be so smoothed over as to allow the Chancellor to retain his position without compromising his dignity. Kaiser William and Prince Bismarck have been too long associated to allow them to separate in a hurry. The Chancellor's name has held as prominent a place in the history of Germany for a number of years past as that of the Emperor himself, and that old associations between the two should be broken up now, merely on account of an adverse vote in the Bundesrath, seems very improbable.

THE Liberals continue to increase their majority in Great Britain, the latest returns giving 366 Liberals elected, 177 Conservatives and 37 Home Rulers, a net Liberal gain of 84. The Liberals are now assured of a working majority, even if the Home Rulers should unite with the Conservatives, which is very improbable after Lord Beaconsfield's utterances concerning them. There are one hundred and thirty elections yet to take place, of which the Home Rulers calculate upon securing about thirty, leaving one hundred to be divided between the Liberals and Conservatives, and if the gains of the former continue in the same ratio as they have done for the past few days, they can safely count upon securing sixty more seats, which will give them such a majority as will enable them to successfully conduct the business of the country, and to dispense with the support of the Home Rulers. It is said that the Queen has shortened her proposed stay on the continent at the request of Lord Beaconsfield, who wishes to retire at once, and that the Premier will strongly advise Her Majesty to send for Mr. Gladstone to form a new cabinet. The victory is, without doubt, owing Mr. Gladstone's great popularity, and no one has a better right to the honor of the Premiership than he. Mr. Gladstone's son, Herbert, who was defeated for Middlesex, will run for Leeds, his father having decided to retire from that constituency and retain the seat for Midlothian.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

Four ex-Governors of Massachusetts are out in a cooperative card for Grant. For their want of patriotism they deserve to be ex-governors always.—*Albany Argus.*

Call you this international courtesy, Governor-General Lorne, to allow one of your subjects to blast the hopes of Boston by threatening us with two months more of bad weather? Mr. Evarts must attend to this. —*Boston Herald.*

A contemporary asks, "Is Truth lost?" No, my dear fellow, no. You may have missed her from her accustomed haunts, but she has merely settled down in the *Derrick* office.—*Oil City Derrick.*—You ingenuous darling! So you are willing to admit that the *Derrick* office is not an accustomed haunt of Truth aforesaid! That's like a nice little man.—*Boston Transcript.*

We are not shot, or burned, or broken alive on the wheel now as in days bygone, but we suffer all the same. We who believe other than does the world at large—we who speak strange truths in a new language—we suffer by misrepresentation, by isolation, by ridicule, by blame. We pay for our truth by our happiness, and we have only the consciousness that it is truth to uphold us. If once we let ourselves doubt the resolute necessity of our testimony we are lost.—*London Truth.*

That the stage should not corrupt society; that except it be itself artistically corrupt it will not, and that in the exercise of its highest artistic functions it will indirectly tend to purify and elevate a community, is, of course, true; but there could be no more certain way of destroying such moral utility as it incidentally possesses than by attempting to make it "work together with the pulpit," or even to approach the work otherwise than from an exactly opposite side.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Montreal Lacrosse Club.

The members of the Montreal Lacrosse Club held their annual meeting in their club rooms, Mansfield street, last night, Lt.-Col. Whitehead, President, in the chair. The annual report of the committee was read by the Secretary, Mr. G. R. Starke, which consisted of a long and detailed account of their many contests (nearly all of which were victories), a graphic description of their trip to Boston last summer, and other things of interest in connection with the club. The report, after eliciting many favorable comments, was received and confirmed. The Treasurer, Mr. H. W. Becket, was then called on to read the annual financial report, which showed the club funds to be in a very satisfactory condition. Notwithstanding their large yearly expenditure, they had not only been able to pay all demands, but had a snug surplus left. This report was also adopted. An important subject was then discussed, that of the Club withdrawing from the National Lacrosse Association. The reasons urged for this action were deduced from the fact that professional clubs have been admitted to membership by the Association. The question was put in the form of a motion to withdraw, and carried by a large majority. The election of officers for the ensuing year was then proceeded with, which resulted as follows: For president, Lieut.-Col. Whitehead was unanimously re-elected; 1st vice-president, Mr. A. W. Stevenson; 2nd vice-president, Mr. John Robinson; honorary secretary, Mr. S. M Baylis; treasurer, Mr. H W Becket. Mr. Becket continues in a position which he has worthily filled for eleven years. Messrs Geo R Starke, R McGill Stewart, F C Henshaw, F C A McIndoe, J K White, Jas Thorn, Angus Grant were elected committee for the year. The election of field captain was deferred till the next meeting. After votes of thanks had been tendered to the retiring officers the meeting adjourned.

City News.

ORANGE CONCERT.—The ladies of Princess Louise Orange Lodge are making arrangements for the holding of a concert at an early date.

THE CADET CONCERT.—Representatives from all the cadet corps in the Province have signified their intention of being present at the Montreal High School Cadet concert on the 13th inst.

ARRIVAL OF IMMIGRANTS.—Over two hundred immigrants arrived at Bonaventure depot last evening. After partaking of refreshments, the entire party left for the west by a late train.

GIVEN UP THE IDEA.—It is understood that the directorate of the City Passenger Railway have withdrawn from negotiations for a new charter from the city. The "twenty-five for a dollar" ticket clause is supposed to have been the last straw which broke the camel's back.

THE SUICIDE OF ALBINA CHARBONNEAU.—Mr. Stainslas Toupin writes to us with regard to the late suicide of Albina Charbonneau, defending himself from the charge of having even unwittingly been the means of sending the girl from this world. Mr. Toupin need not be concerned, for any sensible person who read the eivdence given or who was acquainted with the facts of the case, would acquit him of all blame.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.—The trial of the charge preferred by Mr. Archambault, Q.C., and other residents of Vaudreuil, against Messrs. Kerr, M.P., Brunelle and McLea for obstructing navigation by placing a raft in a navigable part of the Ottawa river, occupied the attention of the Court all day. His Honor charged strongly against the defendants, after which a verdict of guilty was returned. Judgment reserved until the 24th September next, the day of the opening of the next term of the Court of Queen's Bench.

THE REVIVAL.—The meeting in the St. James Street Methodist Church last night was as usual largely attended. Mr. Hammond declared himself well pleased with the results of the revival so far, and among other things stated that Joe Beef stood up the previous evening when those who desired to become Christians were requested to rise. He had great hopes of ultimately bringing conviction to the hearts of even the hardest and most obdurate of sinners. An enquiry meeting was afterwards held, which lasted until eleven o'clock.

Amusements.

THE MENDELSSOHN CHOIR.—The long delayed concert of the Mendelssohn Choir will be given this evening in the Mechanics' Hall. On the programme is Gounod's *Ave Verum*; a violin concerto by Prume, and piano solos by Miss Holmes.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—A very charming operetta is "The Very Merry Mariner," now on the Academy stage. Of all the light comedy actresses who have appeared in the city during the past winter, Miss Florence Ellis carries off the palm. She is as dainty and graceful as a butterfly, and possesses besides any amount of that quality which no English word except "pluck" can express. Her voice indeed is not strong, but it is sweet and taking. The strong members of the company, so far as vocalism is concerned, are Miss Sennach and Mr. Eugene Clarke, who respectively appeared last night as the *Queen* and her husband *Don Lamberto*. Mr. Archer as *Don Januarius* also sang well, while he acted capitally; in the latter respect taking second place to none except Miss Ellis herself. The setting of the piece was rich and tasteful, Mr. Archer's make-up being a treat. The orchestra, under Signor Operti, conductor and leader, was excellent, and succeeded in maintaining the reputation gained last week, while the stage chorus, although light, was also pleasing and well balanced. The performance was a most amusing one throughout, and notwithstanding the many counter attractions of the week it is a safe venture to predict that the engagement will prove an unqualified success. Miss Ellis herself would be worthy of seeing and hearing without any additional attraction. To-night the Lieutenant-Governor will attend the repetition of the operetta, having accepted an invitation from the company.

THEATRE ROYAL.—It is passing strange that actors of the ability of Mr. and Mrs. Bandmann and their fine English Company do not attract larger houses than they do. Not more than a third full the house witnessed the representation of "The School for Scandal" at the Royal last night. Those who attended were treated to an entertainment of a high order. The piece in itself is so skilful a portrayal of a social circle of scandal mongers as to make the exhibition of the *Snake, Sneerwell, Crabtree, Backbite*, and other types of evil people in their true light, worth a serious study. To assume such characters requires skill of a high order. Mr. Bandmann, as *Charles Surface*, gave a version of that profligate and much abused young man which showed that after all there is some good even in the most reckless specimens of humanity. Mrs. Bandmann, as *Mrs. Teazle*, the girl wife, extravagant, easily led into mischief and almost to shame by evil associates, nobly atones for all her misdeeds by her repentance upon discovering accidently what a really kind husband hers was after all, and by her thorough exposure of the pretendedly moral hypocrite, *Joseph Surface*. Mrs. Bandmann's acting was very fine. The other members of the company filled their parts in a fairly satisfactory manner. The scenic effects and wardrobe were appropriate, and the play passed off excellently. The only weak point was the smallness of the house. To-night the Bandmann's company will give Bulwer's *Richelieu*, a benefit performance in aid of the Young Men's Hebrew Benevolent Society.

THE PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE.
Close of the Session—Prizes and Scholarships.

The public closing of the Presbyterian College session of 1879-80 took place yesterday evening in Erskine Church, in the presence of a large audience. The Rev. Principal MacVicar presided. After the opening exercise the Rev. Prof. Campbell read the list of prizes and scholarships:—

PRIZES.

Philosophical and Literary Society's prizes (English)—1, public speaking, $10, Mr J A Anderson, B B; 2, essay, $10, A Lee; 3, reading, $10, R McKibbin, B A. Presented by the President, Mr Blakely, B A.

Philosophical and Literary Society's prizes (French)—1, essay, $10, Mr J Morin; 2, reading, $10, A Blouin. Presented by the Rev C E Amaron, B A.

Gaelic reading—McLennan prize, $10, Mr J Morrison. Presented by the Rev F McLennan.

Ecclesiastical Architecture—1. First prize (3rd year), $10, Mr J F McLaren; 2. Second prize (all years), $5, Mr W. Shearer. Presented by A C Hutchison, Esq, lecturer.

Sacred Rhetoric—1. First prize (1st and 2nd years only), $15, Mr J Mitchell; 2. Second prize (open to all years), $10, Mr J A Anderson, B A. Presented by the Rev A B Mackay, lecturer.

SCHOLARSHIPS.

For University Students—Fourth year, Dey Scholarship, $50, Mr G D Bayne; third year, Drysdale Scholarship, $50, Mr J Reid; second year, Stirling Scholarship, $50, Mr G Whillans; first year, George Stephen Scholarship, $50, Mr W K Shearer. Presented by Peter Redpath, Esq.

French Scholarships—1. McNab St. Hamilton, $40, Mr J Allard; 2. Chambers, Guelph, $40, Mr S Carriere; 3. Dumfries St. Paris, $40, S L Morin; 4. The Nor'west, $40, S Rondeau.

Scholarship to English student taking French work—Knox Church, Montreal, $60, Mr A H Macfarlane, presented by the Rev A B Cruchet, lecturer.

Gaelic Scholarship—McLennan, $40, Mr G A Smith, presented by the Rev D McNeish.

Theological Scholars—For all the work, pass and honor of the second year: Scholarship, $100, M J Mitchell. For the pass work of the third year: Scholarship, $60, Mr J F McLaren.

For proficiency in Oriental studies, open to all years—The Alumni scholarship, $50, Mr Charles McLean, presented by the Rev Professor Scrimger, M A.

THE GRADUATES.

The following graduates then received their degrees (alphabetical order): J A Anderson, B A, J K Baillie, M D, M Blakely, B A, T A Bouchard, A M Macfarlane, J F McLaren, C McLean, T A Nelson, P R Ross and W Shearer.

The students' gold medal for best place in all the work, both honor and ordinary, of the graduating year was awarded to Mr. J. F. McLaren.

Mr. J. D. Anderson then read the valedictory for his class. Proceedings closed with a brief address from Principal MacVicar and the benediction.

Noon Telegrams.

THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.
List of Members Returned Yesterday.
(SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.)

LONDON, April 8.—At the Parliamentary elections yesterday the following candidates were returned:

Agnew, W, and R Leake, Lib, Stirling, re-elected.
Barnes, Lib, and Hon A Francis Egerton, Con, Derbyshire East, the latter re-elected
Bissett, M, and Vaughan, Cons, Somersetshire West.
Blackburn, Col J I, and Hon R Assheton Cross, Home Secretary, Con, Lancashire South-west, both re-elected.
Burton, Sir Robt, Con, and P T Quisdon, Liberal, Norfolk South, a Liberal gain.
Campbell, R F, Lib, Ayr District, a Liberal gain.
Chaine, J, and Ed McNaughton, Cons, Antrim, the former re-elected.
Craig, T, and H J Davenport, Cons, Staffordshire North.
Cummins, Dr, and Mr O'Kelly, Home Ruler, Roscommon County, a Home Rule gain of two. The O'Conor Don, and Hon C French, Libs, represented Roscommon in the last House, and stood again at this election.
Curliff, Sir R, Lib., Denbigh district.
Corbett, E H, Lib., Mon south district, a Lib. gain.
Dyke, Sir W Hart, Cons. whip, and Sir E Filmer, Con, for Kent, middle, the former re-elected.
Foljambe, Lib, and Vis Galway, Cons., Nottinghamshire, north, the latter re-elected, a Lib gain
Howard, Jas, and the Marquis of Tavistock, Libs, Bedfordshire, a Lib. gain of one.
Lambton, Hon F W, and Joseph W Pease, Libs, Durham, south, the latter re-elected.
Leight, Hon G, Lib., and Sir J Eardley Wilmot, Con, Warwickshire, south, the latter re-elected, a Lib. gain.
Mahon, O'Gorman, and O'Shea, Home Rulers, Clare County, the former re-elected, a Home Rule gain of one.
Major, Banks, Lib, Berwickshire, a Lib gain.
Maxwell, Capt, Con, Kircudbrightshire, a Con gain.
M. Coan, and W J Corbett, Home Rulers, Wicklow County, a Home Rule gain of two
Percy, Rt Hon Earl, and Sir Matthew White Ridley, Con, Northumberland, North, both re-elected.
Price, Sir P G, Lib, Radnorshire, a Lib gain.
Stafford, the Marquis of, Lib, Sutherlandshire, re-elected
Tennant, C, Lib, Selkirkshire and Peeblesshire, a Lib gain.
Tracy, Hon F S A H, Lib, Montgomery District, re-elected.
Wedderburn, Sir D, Lib, Haddington, re-elected.
Wyndham, Hon Percy S, Con, and D Ainsworth, Lib, Cumberland West, the former re-elected, a Lib gain of one.
Williams, Watkin, Lib, Carnarvonshire, a Lib gain.

JAMAICA.
Visit of the Two Sons of the Prince of Wales—Severe Drought.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, March 31.—Her Majesty's steamer "Baachante," with the two sons of the Prince of Wales, paid a visit of a few days here and returned to England via Bermuda. They refused to accept private hospitalities, their royal tutor remarking that they had uniformly declined all such manifestations of the trip. Nevertheless they were loyally received by the populace everywhere. The colony is suffering from a severe drought and cattle are dying in some parishes for want of grass and in some districts for want of water. The few showers which have fallen within the past few days have been gratefully welcomed by the penkeepers.

CABLE.

THE CHANNING CENTENNIAL.—LONDON, April 8.—The hundredth anniversary of the birth of Channing was celebrated last night, in St. John's Hall. 2,000 persons were present. The platform was adorned with American and English flags. A letter from Lowell, the American minister, was read, excusing his absence, on account of the illness of his wife. Dr. Collyer, of the United States, delivered the final address.

RUSSIAN TROOPS ORDERED TO THE CHINESE FRONTIER.—ST. PETERSBURG, April 8.—It is reported that Russian troops in Southern Siberia have been ordered to march to the Chinese frontier.

AMERICAN.

SCENE IN THE HOUSE.—NEW YORK, April 8.—The *Sun* says the culmination of a series of disgraceful exhibitions of personal ill-temper was reached in the House yesterday, when Sparks called Clymer a liar. The House unquestionably would have been treated to a free fight had it not been for the gentlemanly manner in which Clymer behaved under the very trying circumstances. The Democratic majority cannot be too severely censured for the manner in which some of its members have conducted themselves since Congress met.

FRAUDS IN CHINA.—NEW YORK, April 8.—A Washington special to the *Herald* says Consul Mosby, at Hong Kong, writes to a friend that he has been threatened with dismissal for uncovering frauds in China, and that he wishes to give the Administration a chance of carrying out their threat. Mosby adds he continues to hold his post because he has not completed his investigations.

THE PACIFIC RAILROADS.—NEW YORK, April 8.—The *World* says the House Pacific Railroad Committee in all probability will favor the forfeiting of 36,000,000 acres of land, not already earned by the constitution, by the Northern Pacific Railroad. These lands are claimed to be worth to the Government over $100,000,000.

THE COHOES STRIKE.—NEW YORK, April 8.—The *Times'* Cohoes special says the striking spinners at the Harmony mills are weakening.

THE HERALD FUND.—NEW YORK, April 8.—The *Herald's* cable special reports that the *Herald* fund is now providing a daily full meal for 15,305 children.

HYDROPHOBIA.—PHILADELPHIA, April 8.—Hugh Ervine, a little boy suffering terribly from hydrophobia, was yesterday quieted by heavy doses of chloroform by physicians. There is now some hopes of saving his life.

THE WEST POINT OUTRAGE.—WASHINGTON, April 8.—Secretary Ramsay has instructed General Schofield to employ detectives to work out the Cadet-Whittaker outrage case.

THE WEATHER IN THE GULF.—FOX RIVER, April 8.—Cloudy and cold; strong north wind, with snow; Gulf clear of ice.... MAGDALEN RIVER, April 8.—Snowing and cold; strong breeze from the north. ....MARTIN RIVER, April 8.—Cold; north-west wind....CAPE ROSIER, April 8.—Weather cloudy and cold; thermometer, 19°; light north-west breeze; Gulf clear of ice.

Special Notices.

DENTS' Best Kid Gloves at Bond's Shirt Store.

BOND'S SHIRT STORE, opposite Thompson's Hat Store.

New Advertisements to-day.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED, as Engineer, by a man who can be well recommended. Competent to do repairs, &c. Address, "W. G.," STAR Office. 83 5

WANTED—Two General Curriers, who can do knife work. Apply to J. Carrington & Son, Gananoque, Ont. 83 2

WANTED—OLD CLOTHES—All descriptions of Ladies' and Gents' Cast Off Clothing. Apply L A, 627 Craig street. 83 6

WANTED—Apprentices for Dress and Mantle-making. Miss Shinnick, 13 Aylmer street. 83 1

WANTED—A steady man as Indoor Servant in private house. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—A Housemaid, who can assist in plain sewing. Apply at 386 Mountain street. 83 3

WANTED TO PURCHASE—Double Office Desk. Address C 19, STAR Office. 83 3

WANTED—A General Servant, three in family; wages $8. Apply to C 28, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—Good General Servant, speaking French. Apply C 26, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—Good Seamstress, must understand Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine. Apply C 34, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—A General Servant, two in family, one speaking French preferred. Apply C 22, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—For Chambly, Cook, no washing, young, willing and obliging; also, Housemaid; must be young and strong. Wages, $8 each. Apply C 52, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—A General Servant (French), neat and tidy. Apply to C 44, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—Nurse, able to sew, no young baby. Apply C 38, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—A Gardener, single man, one who will take care of a horse. Recommendation required. Apply at STAR Office. 83 1

WANTED—Sewing Girl. 165 College street. 83 1

WANTED—A Woman to clean. Apply 892 Ontario street. 83 1

WANTED—Daily Governess, English, French and Music. Address, M. H., Box 2385 P.O. 83 1

WANTED—French Steward, for a Club (married), 30 to 35. Will get a free house for family. Also, Waiter, from 15 to 20. Apply, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED—Young man for Tea Store. Apply at STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83

WANTED TO EXCHANGE, a Farm for City Property. Apply at 319 St. Lawrence street. 79 8

WANTED—Laundress, and assist with housework, must be young and strong. Apply B 866, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 77

COMMERCIAL UNION ASSURANCE COMPANY.

19 and 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, E. C., ENG.

The Directors have much pleasure in submitting to the Shareholders their Eighteenth Annual Report, with the Audited Accounts.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Account for 1879 has been closed, and the sum of £20,000 carried therefrom to Profit and Loss Account.

The net premiums of 1879 amounted (after deduction of returns and re-insurances) to £637,887, and the losses paid and outstanding to £429,533, being 67½ per cent., on the premium income.

After providing for all outstanding claims, and deducting contribution to Profit and Loss, the Fire Fund stands at £480,085.

LIFE DEPARTMENT.

The new business of last year, notwithstanding the depression of trade, shows an improvement upon that of 1878. The new policies were 470, assuring £326,351, and the new premiums included in the account amounted to £11,435.

The claims of the past year have considerably exceeded the sum expected, the net amount being £75,845, including £10,058 for claims announced but not yet proved.

During the year the Conditions of Assurance have been revised and new and more liberal conditions have been introduced. The Directors trust that the Shareholders will make use of this fact to influence life proposals to the Office.

BALANCE-SHEET,

31st December, 1879.

Dr.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
To Shareholders' Capital				250,000	0	0
General Reserve Fund				160,000	0	0
Investment Reserve Fund				6,140	9	0
Fire Fund				480,085	2	8
Life Account as per separate Balance Sheet				634,203	17	11
Marine Fund				221,873	1	3
Profit and Loss Account				81,519	1	9
Bills Payable				4,944	1	8
Unclaimed Dividends				82	10	0
Fire Deposits				224	14	6
Survey fees				21	0	0
Suspense Account				2,883	11	1
				1,841,947	9	5
Outstanding Fire Losses	88,257	0	0			
Fire Commission	4,044	15	0			
Marine Losses	5,465	0	0			
				97,766	15	0
				£1,939,714	4	5

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
By Life Investments and Outstanding Accounts as per separate Balance Sheet				634,203	17	1
Mortgages on Property within the United Kingdom				235,643	8	3
INVESTMENTS—						
British Government Securities				93,596	16	1
Indian and Colonial Government Securities				39,546	18	8
Foreign Government Securities				9,977	2	7
*Canadian, United States, Belgian and Brazilian Government Securities				283,767	6	6
Railway and other Debentures and Debenture Stocks				102,813	13	6
Railway and other Stocks and Shares (Preference and Ordinary)				43,420	16	10
Freehold Offices, Cornhill				100,000	0	0
Branch Offices, Fittings and Furniture				13,658	8	10
Loans upon personal security				14,692	15	0
Branch and Agency Balances				123,044	10	8
Fire losses due from other Companies				11,675	0	10
OUTSTANDING—						
Marine Premiums, due 8th January, 1880				16,076	10	1
Interest				720	12	6
CASH—On Deposit	88,806	5	2			
Bankers' Current Accounts	64,694	5	5			
In hand	164	14	10			
				153,665	5	4
Bills Receivable				62,882	7	6
Stamps in hand				499	13	3
				£1,939,714	4	5

* These are sums which under local laws, or by contract, are specifically deposited in Canada and in foreign countries as a security to holders of Policies issued in such countries respectively.

Examined and found correct.

BRANCH OFFICE AT MONTREAL,
No. 64 ST. FRANCOIS XAVIER STREET.

FRED. COLE,
GENERAL AGENT.

24th February, 1880. 81

WROUGHT IRON RANGES
FOR PRIVATE DWELLINGS, RESTAURANTS AND HOTELS

Superseding Cast Iron Ranges. More durable, Extra Heavy Bricks. More Economical—fee Testimonials. More Easily Managed and with EXTRA QUICK OVENS, containing English Durability with the Modern American Improvements. Every one Guaranteed satisfactory, and Free of Expense for Repairs for One Year. Can refer to upwards of 200 Families using Wrought Iron Ranges. Liberal Allowance made for Cast Ranges in Exchange.

George R. Prowse,
224 ST. JAMES STREET.
306

1879. STOVES! 1879.
NEW STYLES, BEST GOODS and LOWEST PRICES.
Wholesale and Retail,
JODOIN & CO.,
309 ST. PAUL STREET.
264 s

New Advertisements to-day.

COLATERALS.—Advances made on DRY GOODS, GENERAL MERCHANDIZE, and other COLATERALS. Apply, "T. G.," Box 67, Post Office. 73 27

FARMS FOR SALE—Six Hundred Acres of splendid land for farming purposes; eight acres cleared on two hundred lot, half a mile from Acton Vale. Another lot of 40) acres, 15, acres cleared, with house, 5 miles from Village, and half a mile from S. E. Railroad and steam saw mill. Will be sold in lots to suit purchasers. Address, NELSON GRAY, Acton Vale, Que. 83eod

TO LET—Comfortable self-contained House, No. 6 Piatt street; nine rooms; drainage perfect. Apply to CHARLES ILSLEY, House Agent, 77 Aylmer street 83 1

TO LET—A commodious yard, with office situated in McCord street, between William and Ottawa streets, suitable for Lumber, Coal, Wood, &c. Apply at 307 William street. 81 3

STABLE TO LET. Apply to 6 St. Charles Borrommee street. 78 15

FOR SALE—A nice sized Screw Cutting Lathe. Apply to George Yon, 978 St. Catherine street. 83 6

FOR SALE—Light Manufacturing Business, vicinity of Montreal; well-established, paying 40 per cent. Terms liberal. Splendid opportunity. Apply Farm Land Agency, 31 Bonaventure street. 83 2

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN, a Rosewood Grand Piano, seven octaves, carved scroll legs. Hallet, Davis, & Co, Makers Price, $400. Apply at 22 Drummond st. 83 12

FOR SALE—Cheap—An Express Waggon, good as new. Apply at No. 256 St. Patrick street, St. Gabriel Village. 83 3

ROOMS and BOARD—No. 49 Lagauchetiere street. 83 1

ROOMS—Furnished, with or without board, at low prices. 590 St. Catherine street. 83 8

ROOMS—Wanted west of Bleury street, for married couple, bedroom and use of kitchen. "Q." STAR Office. 83 2

ROOMS—Wanted, by gentleman and lady, one large or two moderate sized rooms, furnished, West End, neighborhood Beaver Hall preferred. Address, "H. C. H.," STAR Office 83 3

BOARD—Wanted by a young Lady, Room and Board, ten minutes walk from Victoria Square. Address, "G.," STAR Office. 83

LOST—Brown Ear Trumpet, between corner McTavish and Metcalfe street, on Wednesday, April 7th. Any one returning it to *Witness* Office will be liberally rewarded. 83 6

LOST—A White and Black Pointer Dog. Any one returning him to Windsor Hotel will be rewarded. W.C. Richardson. 83 6

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—A young man having part of his time employed by giving music lessons desires a situation as Collector or other light work; has had a good education and can furnish first-class references. Address, O., STAR Office. 83 3

F348, EMPLOYM'T WANTED by a lady in a Store, has a knowledge of Dry Goods and Millinery, or as Governess for English branches; capable and willing to be useful. Country preferred. Apply F 348, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83 4

F328, EMPLOYM'T WANTED by a young woman (25) as Cook, in a hotel or steamboat, is a good pastry cook, has had experience; furnish good references. Apply to F 328, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83 4

F332, EMPLOYM'T WANTED by a young lady as governess to children under twelve years of age. Would give lessons in fancy work if required. Never taken a situation before. Can give no references except from friends. Apply to F. 332, STAR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 3 Bleury street. 83 4

MACHINISTS—Two Good Vice Hands Wanted Immediately. Good wages and steady work. Address, Waterous Engine Works Co., Brantford, Canada. 81 4

WANTED—Young Girl (14,) to help with a baby, to go home at night. Apply at 324 St. Urbain street. 83 2

WANTED—A thorough Advertising Canvasser for a Newspaper; to work on salary and commission. Address, stating previous experience P. O. Drawer 2115 83 1

WANTED—Driver, to drive horse and make himself useful around store. Must be unmarried. Address immediately to P.O. Box 1244. 83 2

New Advertisements to-day.

NEW HATS!

OUR IMPORTATIONS OF
SILK AND FELT HATS,
Rubber and Waterproof Overcoats,
MARTIN'S UMBRELLAS
and other Spring Goods are most comprehensive and include everything New, Elegant and Fashionable.
Prices down to Lowest Figures, and strictly cash.
No Second Price!
LANTHIER & CO.,
271 NOTRE DAME STREET. 77eod

BIRDS! BIRDS! BIRDS! Received, per last steamer, a fresh supply of GERMAN CANARIES in full song; also Mocking Birds, Thrushes, Black Caps, Lone Birds, Cardinals, Speaking Parrots, Starlings, Mountain Finches and Japanese Robins, all in full song. Mocking Birds' Food for sale.
JOSEPH LABBE,
54 Notre Dame street,
83 1 Between Bonsecours st. and Dalhousie sqr.

COMMERCIAL AGENTS, To you we invite when at Montreal to the NEW YORK HOUSE take your flight, for it is the place to subdue your sharpened appetite. For dainties in abundance on our tables are spread, and no poor liquors to fly to your head.
$1 PER DAY OUR MOTTO WILL BE,
call at 624 and 626 Lagauchetiere street and see.
Bell Telephone for the use of guests. 83z

NEWFOUNDLAND DOG FOR SALE.
Price, $50.00.
LARGEST DOG IN MONTREAL
GUARANTEED
A First-class Watch Dog.
For particulars, address,
51 6 L. E. Star Office.

MONEY TO LOAN, on first Mortgage on improved city property, at rates of interest varying according to security.
J. CRADOCK SIMPSON,
Real Estate and Financial Agent,
79 12 191 St. James street.

PIANOS AND ORGANS, at lowest prices. Bell's Organs are the best and cheapest.
J. HECKER,
10 Phillip's Square.

BICYCLE wanted, in exchange for a first-class Outrigger, made by Ferguson of Longueuil; spoon, silver-plated; oars, swivel, rowlocks, everything in good order. Address, Bicycle, Box 2141. 82 3

COAL ASHES—A quantity of fine clean Coal Ashes, suitable for walks may be had for the cartage. Apply at the STAR Office. 82 6

FASHIONABLE DRESS-MAKING IN THE LATEST STYLES. PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
MRS. MULHALL,
1700 St. Catherine street, opposite English Cathedral. 82 6

DR. FULTON
Has REMOVED to 11 Victoria street, next door to the Academy of Music. At home until 10 a.m., and from 1 to 3 p.m., and after 6 in the Evening. 76 27

SEA BATHING.
TO LET—Furnished Cottages AT TADOUSAC.
ICE-HOUSE TO EACH.
Rent moderate. Apply to
Chas. Pentland,
71 Victoria Buildings, Quebec.

TO LET—Coal Yard, No. 389 William street, with use of office and scales, $150. Apply to
R. K. Thomas,
81 3 194 St. James street.

TO RENT—Fields for Grazing, at Cote St. Antoine. Rent, from $5 to $8 per ... Apply at the STAR Office. 83 1

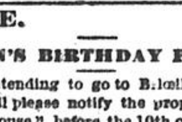
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MAPLE SUGAR and SYRUP.
HAVING PURCHASED THE PRODUCT OF ONE OF THE
LARGEST SUGARIES
—IN THE—
EASTERN TOWNSHIPS,
I am prepared to supply parties who wish to send pure
SUGAR AND SYRUP
to their friends in the Old Country.
WM. ELLIOT,
Cor. St. Lawrence and St. Catherine Streets. 82z 3

NOTICE.
Having increased the number of Workmen, we are prepared to manufacture all kinds of
GOLD AND SILVER JEWELLERY,
—ON THE—
SHORTEST NOTICE.
Repairing Carefully Attended to.
THOS. ALLAN & CO.,
361 NOTRE DAME STREET. 82



CALEDONIA SPRINGS,
Between Montreal and Ottawa.
THE GRAND HOTEL.

This celebrated Summer and Health Resort open from 1st JUNE to OCTOBER, with entire change of management. Transient rates, $1.50 to $2.50 per day; weekly, $8 to $17.50. Children under 12, half rates; under 5, in charge of nurses, free. Reduced rates for nurses and servants. The Caledonia White Sulphur, Saline and Gas Waters and Baths have a universal reputation, and are a certain specific in all Rheumatic, Dyspeptic, Blood, Skin, Liver, Kidney and kindred affections, and are recommended by the highest medical authorities.

Send postal card to the Grand Hotel Company, Ottawa, for Complete Guide, giving Routes, Fares &c., or MR. THOS. JUBB, No. 224 St. Urbain street Montreal, who will have charge of the Grand Hotel will be glad to call on, or correspond with, parties desiring to make arrangements. 56

NOTICE.
QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY PIC-NIC.
Any one intending to go to Beloeil Mountain on this day, will please notify the proprietors of the "Iroquois House" before the 10th of May. Great reduction of prices for 1880.
79 eod CAMPBELL BROS.

ALICANTI.
This Wine, being now so much recommended in sickness by the highest medical authorities, has induced many houses to mix up a wine which they call Alicanti. The pure wine can only be procured from us, and we guarantee only that bearing the name of
"QUETTON ST. GEORGE & CO."
on label and capsule, or the same can be procured by the gallon from our store.
J. B. CARTWRIGHT & Co.,
IMPORTERS OF
HIGH CLASS WINES AND SPIRITS,
416 ST. PAUL STREET.
Catalogues and Price Lists on application.
Family trade a specialty. Goods delivered free in city. 80

GRAIN AND SEEDS.
TIMOTHY AND CLOVER SEED, SEED WHEAT, SEED OATS, BLACK TARES, also FEEDING OATS in carloads.
For sale in quantities to suit purchasers. Prices and samples sent on application to the undersigned.
A. G. MacBEAN,
671 92 Foundling street

FOR TRAVELLERS.
CLARK'S COMPRESSED
COOKED CORN BEEF
Highest Award,
TORONTO and OTTAWA, 1879
SOLD BY ALL GROCERS. 77 6eod

Auction Sales.

By M. Hicks & Co.

SALE OF NEAT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, "HOOD" Piano, Raw Silk Parlor Suite, Tapestry Carpets, Centre Tables, Gasaliers, B.W. Sideboard and Dining Table, Glassware, China and Platedware, Bookcase Oilcloth, M.T. Bedroom Sets, Iron and Walnut Bedsteads, Spring and Hair Mattresses, Bureaus, Easy Chairs, Refrigerators, &c.
On Friday Morning, 9th Inst.,
The Subscriber is instructed to sell at the residence, No. 160 Mansfield street, all the Household Furniture and Effects, consisting in part as above.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
M. HICKS & CO.,
80 Auctioneers.

By Derome & Bourbonniere.

SPRING SALES.

We beg leave to inform our friends and the public in general, that we are prepared to take orders for Out-door Sales.
We will also give personal attention to all consignments sent to our salerooms.
Now is the time to select your special day for Sales, as orders are coming in daily.
We also attend to private Sales of Real Estate, Loans, Renting of Houses and Stores, Insurance, Collections, Auditing, and all business connected with a General Agency.
DEROME & BOURBONNIERE,
Auctioneers and General Agents,
83 ST. JAMES STREET. 67

New Advertisements To-Day.

By Benning & Barsalou.

EXTENSIVE WHOLESALE STOCK OF DRY GOODS!
FOR SALE BY CATALOGUE.
The Subscribers have received instructions from Messrs. LEWIS S. BLACK & CO., to sell at their Warehouse, No. 184 McGILL STREET, on
Wednesday, 14th April, and Following Days,
Their entire Stock, consisting of a complete assortment of FANCY and STAPLE DRY GOODS of recent importation.
The Stock is composed principally of Staples, and amounts to about sixty thousand dollars ($60,000.)
For particulars see catalogues.
Terms liberal.
Sale each day at TEN o'clock.
BENNING & BARSALOU,
80 Auctioneers.

By Thomas J. Potter.

AUCTION SALE OF CRAIG & CO'S ENTIRE STOCK OF WALNUT FURNITURE, amounting to about $30,000 worth, at 447 and 449 Notre Dame st., Montreal,
On FRIDAY and SATURDAY, 9th and 10th April.
The sale comprises several hundred beautiful Walnut and Hungarian Ash Bedroom Suites; elegantly upholstered Parlor Suites; Library, Hall and Dining-room Furniture, in great variety; Sofas, Easy Chairs, Desks and Bookcases; several thousand Wood and Cane Seat Chairs, &c., &c.
I am instructed by the Bank and others interested in the above stock, to sell at the above place and date, by catalogue, about one-half of the entire stock, comprising about $30,000 worth of elegant Walnut Furniture, including the beautiful imported furniture of Gel. Douskay and others, the balance to be sold hereafter.
Sale each day at half-past ONE o'clock.
Terms cash.
Parties unable to remove their furniture can have it stored on the premises until the 1st May. Country dealers who may attend the sale can have their purchases carefully packed and shipped to their address.
THOMAS J. POTTER,
80 Auctioneer.

PARLOR, DINING AND BEDroom Furniture, Pianoforte, &c., Tapestry Carpet, small Cooking Range, Hall Stoves, Refrigerator and sundry effects; also, three Odd Marble Top and other Washstands, Toilet Ware, &c., at my temporary sale room, 379 Notre Dame, corner St. John street, on
SATURDAY MORNING, 10th April,
At TEN O clock.
THOMAS J. POTTER, Auctioneer.
Part of the furniture and the carpet is of latest style, and almost new. 80

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CARPETS, ELECTRO-PLATE, CUT CRYSTAL, &c. The Subscriber is instructed to sell at No. 118 University street, by order of
ROBERT LECKIE, ESQ.,
On Thursday, April 15th,
the furniture, &c, remaining in the house. Drawing and Dining Room:—Carpets, beautiful Green and White Satin Damask Curtains trimmed with silk, Cornices, Couch Chairs, &c., Crystal Gasaliers and side Brackets, superior Electro-plated Set, Epergne, Dish Covers, side Dishes, large Tea Tray, &c.; rich cut Crystal. Bed Rooms: Mahogany Bedsteads, Bureaus, Dressing Tables, Wardrobes, Carpets, &c. Hall:—Oak Table, Chairs and Hat Rack, Gasalier, &c. Library:—Oak Set, Table, Couch and 4 Chairs; Carpet, Crimson Rep Curtains, &c. Kitchen Requisites:—Refrigerator, a full set Garden Implements, Flower Vases with growing Plants and Flowers, Garden Hose, 2 Lawn Sprinklers, &c. The whole for immediate removal.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
THOMAS J. POTTER,
83 Auctioneer.

Insolvent Notices.

AUCTION SALE OF PIANO.
INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, AND AMENDING ACTS.
In Re H. B. LANGEVIN, an Insolvent.
The undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at their Office, No. 64 St. James street,
FRIDAY, 9th Instant,
At 11 o'clock a.m.
One "J. P. HALE" NEW YORK SQUARE GRAND PIANO, cost $450.
LAJOIE, PERRAULT & SEATH,
Assignees.
Montreal, April 6th, 1880. 80 3

INSOLVENT ACT of 1875.
Stock of Dry Goods in Ottawa.
The stock-in-trade, Furniture and Fixtures, belonging to the estate of DUNCAN CRISHOLM, Ottawa, amounting to about $8,000 00
And the uncollected Book Debts amounting to about $1,300 00
Will be sold by auction, on the
21st instant, at Eleven o'clock a.m.,
in the premises, 527 Sussex street, Ottawa.
Terms:—One-third cash, and the balance in three and six months, by notes endorsed to the satisfaction of the Assignee, each bidder will be required to deposit Four Hundred Dollars.
Stock and inventory can be seen on application to Peter Larmouth, Esq., Sparks street, Ottawa.
Inventory can also be seen at the office of the undersigned.
THOMAS DARLING,
Assignee.
No. 182 St. James street,
Montreal, 6th April, 1880. 82eod

INSOLVENT ACT of 1875,
And its Amendments.
In the matter of AIME BELIVEAU, Insolvent.
CANADA HOTEL.
Sale by public auction, on
Tuesday, 20th April, 1880, at Ten o'clock a.m.,
and the following days, of
House, Bed and Table Linen.
Table Crockery.
Silver Ware.
Kitchen Utensils.
Wines, Cigars and Liquors.
Jewellery, Trunks.
Provisions and Glassware, &c., &c. In lots to suit purchasers. Conditions of sale: Cash.
ALFRED LIONAIS,
Official Assignee.
Office, 33 St. Gabriel street. 80 eod

INSOLVENT ACT of 1875,
And Amending Acts.
In the matter of ROBERT ALEXANDER, of the City of Montreal, roofer, an Insolvent.
The undersigned Assignee will sell by public auction, at the time and place mentioned below, the following valuable property belonging to the estate of the said Insolvent:
A lot of land situate in the City of Montreal, in the Saint Antoine Ward thereof, being lot number one thousand and eleven (1011), of the official plan and book of reference of the said Ward, made for the purpose of registration and deposited according to law in the office of the registration division of Montreal; bounded the said lot in front to the south east by St. Antoine street, in rear by John Curran, on one side to the north-east by Dr. Desjardins, and on the other side by Widow Masson or representatives—with an old wooden house and other buildings thereon erected, containing 43 feet 2 inches in its front line and 41 feet 6 inches in its rear line by a depth of 221 feet in its north east side line, and 220 feet in its south west side line, the whole English measure more or less.
To be sold within the office of the assignee, No. 115 Saint Francois Xavier street, in the said city of Montreal,
On Tuesday, the 20th day of April, 1880, at 12 o'clock noon.
JOHN FAIR,
Assignee.
Montreal, 6th April, 1880. 82 11

INSOLVENT ACT of 1875,
And Amending Acts.
In the matter of MARION & CAVALO, of the City and District of Montreal, Brewers, Insolvents.
LORNE BREWERY FOR SALE.
BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY.
The undersigned, Assignee to the above Estate, will receive tenders
Until Wednesday, the 14th Instant,
AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,
for the whole of the assets of the above-named insolvents, composed as follows:

Real Estate, including Ice-house, Store-house, Offices, Bottling Room and Customs Warehouse	$5,900 00
Plant and Machinery	2,05- 08
Fixtures	141 25
7,537 Gallons of Ale	947 12
8,525 Gallons of Lager Beer	841 50
735 Gallons of Porter	91 83
Empty Tuns, Hogsheads, Barrels and Bottles	1,159 50
424 Bushels of Malt	368 84
	$11,479 34

The Ice House is full of ice, and the brewery is in full working order.
Tenders other than for cash to state terms of credit required, and name securities offered. Tenders will be received for the whole of the said assets or separately. The creditors do not bind themselves to accept the highest or any tender.
All information obtained from Messrs. Beausoleil & Kent, 55 St. James street, Montreal.
C. BEAUSOLEIL,
Assignee.
Office of Beausoleil & Kent,
55 St. James street,
Montreal, 3rd April, 1880. 80

INSOLVENT ACT of 1875,
And Amending Acts.
In the matter of ARTHUR BAYLIS, of the City of Montreal, Grocer, an Insolvent.
Grocery Stock and Fixtures for Sale by Tender.
Tenders at so much on the dollar on Insolvency value will be received by the undersigned up till
Friday the Ninth instant, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon,
for the Stock, Fixtures, Sleigh, Express Waggon, Harness, &c., belonging to this Estate, amounting as per Inventory to about $500.
Tenders other than cash must name security proposed.
The highest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.
Inventory and Stock can be seen on application to the undersigned.
SAMUEL C. FATT,
Official Assignee.
112 St. Francois Xavier street,
Montreal, 5th April, 1880. 80 4

Auction Sales.

By John J. Arnton.

"STEINWAY" PIANOFORTE, "Mason & Hamlin" Organ, Brussel Carpeting, two Handsome Gilt Frame Mantel Mirrors, two Walnut Bookcases, Etagere, Sideboard, Pictures, Gasaliers, Drawing Room, Dining Room Bedroom and Kitchen Furniture, at the residence, No. 22 McGill College Avenue, on
Friday, 9th April instant.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.
The Piano and Organ can be examined the day previous. 80

SALE OF TWO PROPERTIES for Estate late John Blackiock.
On Saturday Morning, 10th April,
3-STORY SOLID BRICK DWELLING, No. 24 to 30 St Urbain street. Lot, 47 ft. 6 x 94 ft., with Brick Tenements built in rear, on Theatre lane; good drainage; a paying property.
AND,
a large Emplacement, 118 feet on Cadieux street, 107 on George Hypolite street, superficies about 14,226 square feet, planted with fruit trees, with a Solid Brick Detached Cottage thereon, being No. 30 Cadieux street, heated with hot water. Stable and Coach-house and harness room combined. Terms of payment easy. Perfect title.
Sale at Ten o'clock.
79 JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

FURNITURE, CARPETS AND EFFECTS, at the residence No. 726 PALACE STREET,
On Monday, April 12th,
Including Mahogany Parlor Set, Gilt Frame Mirror, Centre Table, several good Oil Paintings, Ormolu and Marble French Clock, 3-Light Gasaliers, H. S. Sofa, B.W. Sideboard, Ornaments, Pier Glass, Hall Oil Cloth, Hall Clock, two Black Walnut Bedroom Sets, with Mattresses and Pillows, Tapestry and Kidderminster Carpets, a number vols. of Books, Kitchen and Culinary requisites, Crockery, &c., &c.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
JOHN J. ARNTON,
83 Auctioneer.

ROSEWOOD UPRIGHT PIANO, Crimson Plush Parlor Set, Bright Pattern Tapestry Carpets, English Electro-plated ware, Wrought Iron Bedsteads, &c., on
TUESDAY, 13th APRIL.
The subscriber will sell at the residence,
No. 37 VICTORIA STREET, corner Burnside Place,
the whole of the Household Furniture, in splendid order, comprising in part, about 100 yards, almost new, Tapestry Carpets (nice patterns), Crimson Plush B. W. Parlor Set, two sets Crimson and Muslin Curtains, Spring Seat and Back Easy Chairs, Gironeoles, Ornaments, Statuettes, Whatnot, two 3-light Gasaliers, a number of Engravings, etc., 6¾ octave Rosewood Piano, a very fair instrument; Carved, French leg Dining Table (three extra leaves), very neat polished mahogany Sideboards, H. S. Chairs and Sofas, a very superior assortment of best English Platedware Cutlery, E. P. Spoons, Forks, China, Glassware, &c.
M. T. Hall Hatstand, English Oilcloth and Hall Stoves.
BEDROOMS—Single and Double English-wrought Iron Bedsteads, Spring Palliases, Hair Mattresses to fit, a very fine double stove, China Toilet Set, one triple do., Couch, Leather-seat Easy Chairs, Carpets, Gasaliers, good Sewing Machine, a quantity of White Counterpanes, Colored do., Sheets, Pillow Slips, Blankets, Towels, &c.
Contents of BREAKFAST ROOM—No. 9 Cook Stove, Tins, and a very complete assortment of Culinary requisites.
The house and contents are in the best possible condition, and deserving of more than ordinary attention.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
83 JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

BRICK BLOCK 3 TENEMENTS, OTTAWA STREET.
On Wednesday, April 14th inst.,
the Subscriber will sell at his rooms, the solid brick property, No. 162, 168, 170 and 174 Ottawa street. Size of lot 45 x 90 ft. French, and next the corner of Young street. Usual ground rent. $2,000 can remain on the property; balance cash.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
82 JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

CUT-STONE RESIDENCE, No. 203 BLEURY STREET, Brick Residence, No. 207 Bleury street.
Wednesday, April 14th,
the Subscriber will sell at his Rooms the above two most desirable medium-priced, centrally situated private residences. Most desirable for business men, being so near the centre of the city.
Good drainage. Plan on view. Permits to view on application.
Sale at ELEVEN o'clock.
82 JOHN J. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

14 CAST HORSES.
IMPORTANT TO FARMERS, CARTERS, AND OTHERS.
The Subscriber is instructed by Mr. HUGH PATON, Manager of the Shedden Company (Limited), to sell at their Stables, corner McCord and William streets, on
Wednesday Afternoon, 14th April,
14 CAST HORSES,
Suitable for Farm Work, Carters, Ice Dealers, &c.
Can be seen Tuesday afternoon previous.
Sale at THREE o'clock p.m.
JOHN J. ARNTON,
79 Auctioneer.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, and Amending Acts.
In the matter of PATRICK ROONEY, of the City of Montreal, wholesale dry goods merchant, an Insolvent.
ADJOURNED SALE of Valuable Lots of Land, situate in the Village of St. Gabriel, and forming part of the property known as the "Gregory Farm," viz:—
Sub-division lots numbers one and nine of lot number two thousand five hundred and fifteen (Nos. 2515-1, 2515-9), and sub-division lots numbers thirty, thirty one. thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-seven, thirty-nine and forty, of lot number two thousand five hundred and thirteen (Nos. 2513-30, 2513-31, 2513-32, 2513-33, 2513-34, 2513-37, 2513-39, 2513-40), of the official plan and in the book of reference of the parish of Montreal. On subdivision lots number nine, of official lot number two thousand five hundred and fifteen aforesaid, a stone house and other buildings are erected.
To be sold (pursuant to adjournment) each of the said sub-division lots separately, at the Auction Room of Mr. John J. Arnton, No. 61 St. James street, on
Saturday, 17th April, 1880,
At TWELVE o'clock noon.
JOHN FAIR,
Assignee.
JOHN J. ARNTON,
Auctioneer.
The following lots, forming part of the same property, will be offered for sale at the same time and place, by order of the representatives of the estate of the late Hon. Malcolm Cameron, viz:
Subdivision lots numbers 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, and 47 of lot number 2513 of the Official Plan and in the book of reference of the Parish of Montreal.
Plans of the property may be seen and full information obtained at the office of the undersigned.
JOHN FAIR.
115 St. Francois Xavier street,
Montreal, 7th April, 1880. 81 9

By Henry J. Shaw & Co.

R. GARTSHORE,
IMPORTER OF
BRITISH AND FOREIGN GOODS,
CORNER ST. FRANCOIS XAVIER AND ST. JAMES STREETS,
has now on view and by private sale, about $4,000 worth of
OIL PAINTINGS AND OLEOGRAPHS,
After Landseer, Birket-Foster, &c., &c.
Gents' Studs, Links, Pocket Knives, Japanese Gloves and Handkerchiefs, Boxes Wax Mats, &c.
Auction Sale on Friday, 9th,
At TWO o'clock.
H. J. SHAW & CO.,
81 3 Auctioneers.

By W. E. Shaw.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Brussels and other Carpets, Parlor Dining-room and Bedroom Furniture, Eight-day Clock, Bedding, Curtains, Crockery, Glassware, Hall and Cooking Stoves (Leader), and Kitchen Requisites, at the residence, No. 94 Durocher street,
On Friday Morning next, the 9th inst.
Sale at TEN o'clock.
79 W. E. SHAW, Auctioneer.

GOLDSMITH'S TOOLS AND PLANK LATHES, FURNACES, ROLLERS, &c.; TWO FIRE-PROOF SAFES.
THE FURNITURE OF A PRIVATE RESIDENCE.
Sale at my Store, 195 St. James street,
On Friday Afternoon, 9th inst.,
At TWO o'clock.
82 W. E. SHAW, Auctioneer.

LARGE SALE.—New and Second-hand Household Furniture and Effects, two upright Pianos, Cabinet Organs, Carpets, Bedding, Safe, Counters and Shelving, Pictures, China, Glassware, Cutlery, &c. &c.
On Friday Afternoon, 9th instant,
at my salerooms, 195 St. James street.
Goods received up to hour of sale.
At TWO o'clock p.m.
W. E. SHAW,
81 Auctioneer.

By W. C. Norman.

SPRING AUCTION SALES.
The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his lists are now open.
I will give personal attention to all favors.
Out Door Sales attended.
Consignments to rooms, solicited, one of the best mediums for the disposal of Furniture and Surplus Stocks. Charges moderate. Returns prompt.
Sales daily at TWO and SEVEN p.m.
W. C. NORMAN, Auctioneer,
No. 8 ST. JOSEPH STREET.
57 26

By A. B Stewart.

SPRING AUCTION CARD.
The undersigned having entered into the business of General Auctioneer and Commission Merchant, respectfully solicits a share of the Spring Trade.
Real Estate, Merchandise, Furniture, &c., at store or residence.
Consignments solicited.
All communications for the present may be addressed to the undersigned, Merchants' Exchange.
A. B. STEWART,
65 21 AUCTIONEER.

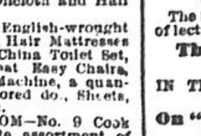
New Advertisements to-day.

MONEY TO LEND.
$20,000 upon City Property,
Apply to
JOBIN & PERODEAU,
Notaries and Commissioners, Q. & O.,
No. 5 St. Therese street. 43tf

NOTICE.
Mr. Felix Barre, Butcher, 1304 St. Catherine street, has arranged to keep Kosher meat for sale on Tuesdays and Fridays. Mr. Cotlery will be in attendance from 8 to 10.30 each day, and will see that the meat is properly sealed. 82 2

Meetings and Amusements.

REV. E. P. HAMMOND, M.A.
St. James St. Methodist Church.
EVERY DAY (except Saturday) at 10 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
DOORS CLOSED at 8.15.
Children's Meeting at 3.30 p.m.
SATURDAY—First Baptist Church, St. Catherine street, corner City Councillors.
Mr. Hammond and the Committee will be exceedingly thankful for hearty Christian co-operation. 80 6



6TH FUSILIERS.
REGIMENTAL ORDERS.
The Regiment will parade at the Armory, Old City Hall, on THURSDAY EVENING, the 8th April, at 8 o'clock.
Uniform—Winter, with Forage Caps.
By order,
JOHN F. RAPHAEL,
82 2 Lieut. & Acting Adjt.



1st P. W. RIFLES.
The last of the winter socials of the Sergt. Mess will be held in their rooms, 81 St. James street, On Friday Evening, 9th instant.
The Brass Band of the Regiment will be in attendance.
The floor to be cleared for dancing immediately after the concert. Admission, 25c.
WILL BRUCE,
81 3 Sec. Treas.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.
Four nights and Saturday Matinee, commencing WEDNESDAY, April 7th, of
French's English Opera Company
In the ever-popular Opera of the
"VERY MERRY MARINER,"
OR,
"DER SEE KADET."
Prima Donna, Miss FLORENCE ELLIS, as the "Very Merry Mariner," supported by fifty artists. Musical Director, Signor G. Operti. Box plan will be opened at DeZouche's Monday morning. Popular prices. Coming next week,
MR. FELIX J. MORRIS,
Montreal's favorite, with a strong company. 83

NATURAL HISTORY SOCTY.
SOMMERVILLE LECTURES.
The Sixth Lecture of the Sommerville free course of lectures will be delivered on
Thursday Evening next, the 8th April, at 8 o'clock,
IN THE LECTURE ROOM OF THE NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY,
On "Timber Trees and their Economic Uses." By G. L. Marler, Esq.
The museum will be open to the public without charge from 7 o'clock each Thursday evening during the course.
82 2 FRANK W. HICKS, Rec.-Sec.

GREATE CONCERTE,
—BY—
YE OLDE FOLKES,
—AT—
NORDHEIMER'S HALLE,
Friday Evening, April 9th, at 8 p.m.
Saturday Matinee, April 10,
at 2.30 p.m.
YE CELEBRATED
PEAKE SYSTERS!
WILL MAKE SOLEMN MUSICK,
and
Ye Merrie Luther, Yelept Ryerson,
of ye anciente towne of Boston, will give greate enjoymente.
Admission to each Concerte, 50c. Children to Matinee, 25c.
Tickets at DeZouche, ye Musick Man. 77



GYMNASTIC and TABLEAU ENTERTAINMENT!
By the Members of the
Toronto and Montreal Gymnasiums,
ASSISTED BY
EDWARD HANLAN,
THE CHAMPION OARSMAN,
IN
THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC,
Monday Evening, 12th instant.

PROGRAMME.

1. Bar Bell Exercises
2. Vaulting
3. Tableaux, "The Wrestlers." Lacrosse Group, "The Draw-out."
4. Parallel Bar Exercises
5. Tableau, Boat-race. "The Start."....Hanlan
6. Indian Club Exercises
7. Tableaux, "The Boxers," Lacrosse Group, "A Critical Moment."
8. Horizontal Bar Exercises.
9. Double Trapeze.......Messrs. Liddell & Taylor
10. Tumbling and Pyramids
11. Tableau, "The Oarsman,"...........Hanlan
Shewing the *Sportsman* Challenge Cup won by him in England last year.

Admission, 50c. Reserved Seats, 75c. Gallery, 25c. Reserved Seats can be secured at DeZouche's, Great St. James street.
G. R. STARKE,
81 6 Hon.-Sec.

PROVIDENT MUTUAL—Meeting for Appropriation to be held THURSDAY 8th instant at 8 o'clock sharp. By order,
W. L. MALTBY,
83 1 Secretary.

New Advertisements to-day.

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!
SEASON, 1880.
D. MORRICE & Co.
are now prepared to receive orders for the coming season at the following reduced prices:

10 lbs per day for the Season,			$4.00
20 lbs	do	do	5.00
30 lbs	do	do	8.00
40 lbs	do	do	10.00
50 lbs	do	do	12.00
10 lbs	do for one Month,		1.00
20 lbs	do	do	1.50

Ice all cut above the Victoria Bridge.
Delivery regular and prompt.
City Ice Office, 24 Victoria square. 77

THE MILD POWER CURES.
Humphreys' Homœopathic Specifics.
Been in general use for twenty years. Everywhere proved the most Safe, Simple, Economical and Efficient Medicines known. They are just what the people want, saving time, money, sickness and suffering. Every single specific the well tried prescription of an eminent physician.
Sold by druggists generally, and by J. A. Harte.
Humphreys' Specific Manual on the treatment of disease and its cure, sent free on application to Humphreys' Homœopathic Medicine Co., 109 Fulton street, New York.
WHOLESALE DEPOT FOR CANADA:
H. HASWELL & CO.,
150 McGill Street,
MONTREAL. 231eod

HOT BED GLASS,
LINSEED OIL,
TURPENTINE,
PAINTS,
Varnishes and Painters Supplies generally.
S. H. MAY & CO.,
75 15 No. 474 St. Paul street.

JUST TO HAND!
A LOT OF
CHEAP COPYING LETTER BOOKS.
W. H. MACLEAR,
62s 421 St. Paul street.

ANDREW McDOUGALL,
LATE CUTTER WITH F. LEONARD,
MERCHANT TAILOR, Notre Dame St.,
Begs to notify his friends and the public that he has opened a store at
No. 104 Bleury Street,
and solicits a share of public patronage.
NEW SPRING GOODS ARRIVED. 65

BILLIARDS!
—THE—
NEW BILLIARD ROOM
OF THE
St. Lawrence Hall!
—IS—
NOW OPEN!
The Tables are Collender's best, and of the latest pattern, with Cues and Balls of the best material. Lovers of this fine Game are requested to try our Tables. We believe that more satisfactory can... cannot be found in the city.

CIRCULATION of the DAILY STAR for the week ending April 3rd, 1880:—

Monday	15,131
Tuesday	15,141
Wednesday	15,131
Thursday	15,079
Friday	15,069
Saturday	15,438
Total	90,992

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

BIRTHS.

HARVEY—On the 7th April, at 179 Cadieux street, the wife of George Harvey, of a son.

ST. LOUIS—At 85 St. Elizabeth street, on the 8th April, the wife of Emmanuel St. Louis, of a daughter.

MARCUSE—On the 7th April, at 56 Victoria street, the wife of B. Marcuse, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

DOYLE, IRELAND—At St. Bartholomew's Church, Beaver Hall Hill, on Wednesday, April 7th, by the Rev. B. B. Ussher, M.D., Mr. J. Edward Doyle, to Alicia Anna, eldest daughter of H. W. Ireland, Esq. No cards.

HIGGINS, VITTY—On the 3rd April, in St. James Church, Bedford, by the Rev. Mr. Nye, Mr. John Higgins, of Bedford, to Miss Juliet Annie Vitty, only daughter of the late C. F. Vitty, of Longue Pointe.

COOKE, BURNETT—At St. George's Church, on the 6th April, by the Right Reverend the Lord Bishop of Montreal, uncle of the bride, Jos. P. Cooke, Esq., B.C.L., of Montreal, to Helen Grace, second daughter of the late Peter Burnett, Esq., of Great Crosby, Liverpool, Eng. 82 2

DEATHS.

MULLINS—In this city, on the 8th April, after a long and severe illness, Mr. M. A. Mullins, storekeeper, a native of the county Tyrone, Ireland, aged 39 years.
The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 119 Lagauchetiere street, on Saturday morning, the 10th instant, at 7:45 o'clock, to St. Bridget's Church, and thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend.

EDGAR—On Thursday, the 8th April, Victoria Stapleton, daughter of Frank Edgar, aged 6 years.
The funeral will take place from the residence, No. 100 University street, on Friday afternoon, the 9th instant, at 2:30 o'clock.

YOUNG—On the 7th of April, Helen R. Young.
The funeral will take place on Saturday next, the 10th instant, at 2 p.m., from the residence of her brother, John M. Young, No. 752 Sherbrooke street. Friends will please accept this notice. 83 3

PEREGO—On the 7th April, Mary Hilda, only daughter of Wm. L. and Rose Perego, aged 1 year and 9 months.
The funeral will take place from her father's residence, 297 Richmond street, on Friday, the 9th instant, at 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

FLYNN—On the morning of the 6th April of consumption, William Alphonse, only surviving and dearly beloved son of Mr. T. T. Flynn.
Roscommon and Virginia papers, and East London *Observer* please copy.

DUFF—At Ste. Cunegonde, on the 6th April, Mary Louisa, youngest daughter of James Duff, aged 14 months.

EVANS—At Hamilton, Ont., April 4, Daniel Evans, 69 yrs.

NAYLOR—At Port Hope, Ont., April 6, Samuel Naylor, 72 yrs.

CRANSTON—At Carlisle, Ont., April 4, wife of Lt.-Col. Hy. Cranston, 74 yrs.

LARKIN—At St. John, N.B., April 1, Caleb Larkin, 71 yrs.

BROPHY—At Ottawa, Ont., April 4, widow of the late John Brophy, 67 yrs.

EVANS—At Hamilton, Ont., April 4, Daniel Evans, 66 yrs.

IRVINE—At Quebec, April 3, wife of George Irvine, Q.C., 49 yrs.

WM. KING is offering Bedroom Suites at prices that will convince the most sceptical that by purchasing for cash they will save 10 per cent, that credit houses have to add to pay for bad debts. See his ash suites from $23 upwards. The address is 652 Craig street, a few doors from St. Peter. 82 2

We beg to notify our readers that Mr. S. A. DeLorimier, late with Mr. Geo. Bond, has purchased the stock of Kemp & Co., haberdashers, and has just received a complete assortment of spring ties, gloves, shirtings, &c., &c., of the latest patterns, and which he is prepared to sell at prices to suit the times.

"Beaconsfield Vineyard."

The firm of Menzies & Gallagher having dissolved in December last, a new firm, composed of the undersigned and Mrs. Menzies, was formed under the style of Gallagher & Co. This new firm is now in liquidation, under process of Court, and, in the meanwhile no part of the plants, vines and cuttings of the former firms of Menzies & Gallagher and Gallager & Co. can be disposed of. The undersigned, who was the only practical nurseryman in the two above-mentioned firms, is, however, ready to supply the public with plants so favorably known as the Beaconsfield and other favorite varieties. Orders addressed to Windsor Hotel will receive prompt attention.

GEO. F. GALLAGHER,
Montreal.

Special Notice.

The whole of the Furniture, Carpets, Bedding, Stoves and Effects, at No. 94 Durocher Street, will be sold by W. E. Shaw to-morrow (Friday) morning. Sale at 10 o'clock.

Sherwood's White Wire Goods, viz.: Tea and Coffee Strainers, Gravy Strainers, Pickle Forks, Dish Drainers, Steel Wire Broilers, Tile and Wire Tea Pot Stands, Toast Racks, wholesale and retail at L. J. A. Surveyer, 524 Craig street.

The Furniture of two private residences, 2 Upright Pianos, Cabinet Organ, 2 Fire Proof Safes, Jewellers' Tools, Lathes, Rollers, Furnaces, Shop Fixtures, &c., will be sold at W. E. Shaw's Salesrooms, 195 St. James Street, to-morrow (Friday) afternoon. Sale at 2 o'clock.

TO-MORROW at half one o'clock Mr. Thos. Potter, auctioneer, will commence the sale of Craig & Co.'s large stock of furniture. The stock is to be sold to liquidate the claims of the Ville Marie Bank. The collection is one of the largest and best in the Dominion, and must be all closed off this month. Sale by catalogue at the stores, 447 and 449 Notre Dame street.

New Advertisements this P.M.

ART CRAIO!

Owing to the great success attending the efforts of the teacher of this fascinating and useful Art, a certain few evil-minded persons, ignorant of art, have been, and are, attempting to mislead the public by claiming to represent as good a method, and offering as an inducement a reduction in price of tuition. It is needless to say that any one patronizing persons of this kind will be throwing money away, as I employ no agents, and teach only at

Studio, 53 Bleury Street,

where may be seen some fine Portraits, executed by pupils of this city and elsewhere. Over one hundred successful pupils in Montreal. Satisfaction guaranteed at first lesson or no charge. Pupils received daily.

J. H. TURNER, Instructor.

SEE EVIDENCE IN FAVOR OF ART CRAIO.

J. H. TURNER, Esq.:

Dear Sir,—Having had five lessons from you, I am obliged to confess the advantages appertaining to your method of teaching Drawing. At the time I took my first lesson, I was rather sceptical in regard to what you said you could teach any one to do, with a little practice, but now that I have had practice, and have succeeded beyond my expectations, I can fully believe your instrument capable of doing all you claim for it. I have found it a source of great pleasure, as it takes away all the drudgery connected with drawing and thus saves a great amount of time.

I give you perfect liberty to use this letter to your best advantage, and will be willing to answer any enquiries about the Art Craio, that are in my power.

Hoping this may be of service to you, I remain yours sincerely,

WM. ARTHUR,
78 Mansfield street.

See to-morrow's STAR. 83

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THE GEM PUZZLE!

ANOTHER LOT TO BE GIVEN AWAY GRATIS ALL THIS WEEK,

TO EVERY ONE PURCHASING THEIR

BOOTS and SHOES,

— AT —

THE BURNING BOOT,

The Cheapest Family Shoe Store of Montreal.

JAMES LEGGAT,

No. 110 McGill Street. 89 4+

St. Lawrence Dye Works,

31 BLEURY STREET.

Damask, Rep and Moreen Curtains, Table and Piano Covers, Cleaned and Dyed to look like new.
Ladies' Silk and Woollen Dresses Dyed in the newest colors.
Gent's Suits, Overcoats, &c., Cleaned and Dyed.
N.B.—Lace Curtains, Kid Gloves and Feathers Cleaned and Dyed.

ST. LAWRENCE DYE WORKS,
31 Bleury street. 4eod+

GRAVEL ROOFING!

Estimates given for New work, Renewing and Repairs. Best materials and workmanship.

GEO. W. REED,

Slate, Metal and Gravel Roofer, Manufacturer and Dealer in Roofing materials.

783 and 785 CRAIG STREET, WEST. 81eod+

New Advertisements this P.M.

LINOLEUM!

Our present price for best Scotch Linoleum is $1 per square yard.
Our price for best English Linoleum is $1 10 per square yard.
All our Linoleums

Are New Fresh Goods

and the latest patterns and colorings.

Credit stores who have been charging the public such enormous and unreasonably high prices for Linoleum may try to atone by offering a few at baiting prices, but this baiting system, which has been

So Ruinous to Montreal,

we hope, is about

"PLAYED OUT."

However, we shall protect cash buyers against further imposition in Linoleum.

STEADY AND EVEN.

Our aim is to do a steady business and to get an even and a fair profit on all goods. The system of offering baits, which was so popular in Montreal a few years ago, which ruined so many firms, and which taught apprentices and all other employees such false principles of business, we hope will no be revived by business houses nor tolerated by the public.

S. CARSLEY'S SHOW ROOMS.

S. Carsley's Show Rooms for Ready-made Dresses, in all the latest London and Paris styles. See window for a few of our leading lines. As we are giving this department our full attention this season, we expect to do a large business in ready-made dresses.

Nicely trimmed Debeige Dresses at only $7 50, $7 75, $8 and $8 25.

Beautifully trimmed Dresses, in checked cearte, at $8 50, $8 75 and $9.

Handsome Lustrine Dresses at $9, $9 25, $9 50 and $10.

Very stylish Debeige Dresses, trimmed with satin, $11 50, $12, $12 50, $13, $14 and $15.

Very handsome Dresses from $16 to $55.

All kinds of Dresses made to order—a good fit always guaranteed.

S. CARSLEY,

393, 395, 397 & 399 Notre Dame street. 83+

WALNUT GOODS!

BRACKETS,
WALL POCKETS,
MUSIC STANDS,
PIANO STOOLS,
MATCH SAFES,
FLOWER STANDS, &c.

EWING & CO.,

No. 14 De Bresoles Street. 73eod+

TWO SECOND-HAND GOLD WATCHES

FOR SALE AT LESS THAN HALF-PRICE

ONE 18K GOLD HUNTING ENGLISH LEVER WATCH, Full Jewelled, Chronometer Balance, only one year in use,

Cost $125, for $65.

One do, cost $100, for $35.

Also, one very heavy 14K Vest Chain,

Cost $75, for $55.

R. HEMSLEY,

WATCHMAKER AND GOLDSMITH,
173 St. Joseph Street,

ESTABLISHED TEN YEARS. Goods sent to all parts of the country by express, with privilege of seeing goods before paying for them. 83 1+

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423 & 425 NOTRE DAME STREET, MONTREAL.
R. H. BRAND, Proprietor.

First-class Dining and Supper Rooms.
Liberal Terms for Balls, Suppers, Public Dinners, &c. Cutlery, Glass, Silver and Linen lent on hire. 78+

INSOLVENT ACT of 1875, And Amending Acts.

In the matter of JEAN BAPTISTE EMOND, Proprietor of Bowling Alley and Trader, of Montreal, Insolvent.

I, the undersigned, L. A. GLOBENSKY, of the City of Montreal, have been appointed Assignee in this matter.

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

L. A. GLOBENSKY,
Official Assignee.

Office of Frigon & Globensky, Nos. 7 and 9 Place d'Armes Hill. Montreal, 7th April, 1880. 83 1

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of JOHN McCAUGHAN, of St. Jean Baptiste Village, Shoemaker and Trader, an Insolvent.

Sale of Property.

The undersigned will sell at public auction, at their Rooms, No. 83 St. James street, on

Thursday, the 15th April instant, at Eleven o'clock a.m.,

A lot of land, known as lot No. 17,379 on the Official Plan and Book of Reference of St. Jean Baptiste Village, containing 38 feet front by 70 in depth, with a wooden house, encased with brick, being No. — Cadieux street, and other buildings thereon erected.

For particulars apply to

A. BOURBONNIERE,
Assignee.

DEROME & BOURBONNIERE,
Auctioneers.

Office 83 St. James street, Montreal, 8th April, 1880. 81eod

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of JOSEPH CONDON, of the City and District of Montreal, Trader, an Insolvent.

Sale of Real Estate.

The undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, No. 83 St. James street, on

Wednesday, the 14th April inst., at 10 o'clock a.m.

A Lot of Land known as part of Lot No. 373, on the Plan and Book of Reference of St. Antoine Ward, in this City, containing 22 feet front English measure, by 100 feet in depth French measure, with a wooden house encased with bricks, being No. 203 St. Martin street, and other buildings thereon erected.

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of THIMOTHE BAVARD, of St. Jean Baptiste Village, Trader, an Insolvent.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, No. 83 St. James street, on

Wednesday, 14th April instant, at Eleven o'clock a.m.,

Half of that lot of land known as No. 256 on the cadestral plan of St. Jean Baptiste Village, being 21ft. 3in. by 72ft., English measure, more or less, with the house bearing No. 175 George Hypolite street, and other buildings thereon erected.

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Auctioneers.

Office, No. 83 St. James street, Montreal, 8th April, 1880. 83

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875, AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of FERDINAND BAZARD, of the City and District of Montreal, Butcher and Trader, an Insolvent.

Sale of Lots adjoining the Lachine Canal at Cote St. Paul.

The undersigned will sell at public auction at their rooms, No. 83 St. James street, on

Thursday, the 15th April instant, at 12 o'clock noon,

The following lots of Land:

1st—One lot, situate at Cote St. Paul, known as lot 3,714 on the Official Plan and Book of Reference of the Parish of Montreal.

2nd—Another lot situate in the same place and known as lot No. 3,715 on the same Official Plan and Book of Reference.

3rd—Another lot situate in the same place and designated as No. 3,716 on the same Official Plan and Book of Reference, excepting from this last lot, the piece of ground sold to Her Majesty the Queen Victoria, by deed before O. J. Devlin, Esq., Notary, on the 4th April, 1877.

4th—Another lot of land, situate at the same place, known as lot No. 3,717 on the said Official Plan and Book of Reference, excepting from this last lot the piece of ground sold to Her Majesty the Queen Victoria by deed of sale hereinabove cited.

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Office, 83 St. James street, Montreal, April 8, 1880. 80eod

Two O'clock P.M.

Important Notice.

To secure insertion in THE STAR, advertisements must be handed in to the office twenty-four hours in advance. It is necessary to inforce this rule rigidly in order to dispose of the mass of advertising that crowds upon us at times.

City News.

REOPENED.—The Montreal Telegraph Company have reopened their offices at Ameliasburg and Caledonia Springs, Ont.

ARRIVAL OF EMIGRANTS.—Fifty-six English and fifty-two Norwegians, Swedes and Germans who arrived ex. "Hibernian" left by special train for Manitoba and the Western States at 8.50 last evening. This morning between fifty and sixty who had arrived ex. "Nestorian" left by special train for the West.

THE CONDITION OF THE STREETS.—The City Passenger Railway Company made a great rush yesterday to clear their track in St. Antoine street. The consequence was that the road was rendered almost impassable to other vehicles as well as their own. They succeeded in getting the cars running on the track, but owing to the water freezing on the rails they were continually running off to one side, where they would stick in the ruts, leaving the passengers to vacate the car one by one and take to the sidewalk where much faster progress could be made.

A PITIFUL CASE.—An old woman named Mary Ann O'Neill has been brought before the Recorder for the past two days on no particular charge. She is blind, cannot work, and being without means of support nightly seeks protection in the different police stations. When her daughter, who used to lead her round the streets, was committed for six months for vagrancy she applied to several institutions for protection but was refused admittance. Mr. Dugas said that he could not commit her for vagrancy and that she would have to be taken into some of the homes.

The Abattoir Question.

During the continuation of the meeting yesterday Mr. P. Rowland spoke on behalf of the butchers. He said the butchers would bow to the will of the Council, but earnestly urged that the matter should be left open to competition, and that each man should have a right to establish, if desired, his own abattoir.

Ald. Grenier considered the proposals of Messrs. Hogan and Beaufort as the best which had yet been laid before the Committee. It was an absolute necessity that the abattoirs should be outside the city limits.

Mr. Perrault on behalf of Messrs. Hogan and Beaufort explained the scheme of the latter. The deputations then withdrew. The committee continued its sitting some time longer, affording to Ald. Allard an opportunity to make one of his customary attacks upon other people, his favors in this instance falling to the share of the butchers in general and Ald. Mooney in particular.

Our Trade Interests.

In the report of the proceedings of the council of the Board of Trade for the past quarter, two important items were inadvertently omitted by the President. The first refers to the system of grain loading at this port which has met with universal approval in home and foreign ports, so much so, that Mr. Plimsoll has addressed the Council a letter on the subject, concluding with the following remark: You will see, therefore, that I had no idea of interfering with your excellent regulations, I only wish they were general."

The other item referred to was the proposed line of railway from Lake Nipissing to the Sault St. Marie. The completion of this line has been urged upon the Government by the Council, and its great importance to the trade of the Canadian North-West, by forming at once a continuous line from Thunder Bay to Quebec, has been frequently and earnestly pointed out.

COUNCIL OF ARTS AND MANUFACTURES.

Visit of the Lieutenant-Governor to the Closing Exercises of the School of Art Last Evening.

After a very successful season's work the School of Art and Design was formally closed last night, under the patronage of His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Robitaille. With the exception of a display of bunting at the head of the stairs, no decorations of any kind were to be seen. His Honor was accompanied by Captain Shepherd, A. D. C., Messrs. J. B. Rolland and A. Leveque. Among those present were Alds. Nelson and Thibault, Colonel Stevenson, U. E. Archambault and T. F. Fogarty.

His Honor was formally received by Col. Stevenson, with a few words of welcome. A response in both languages was returned, after which a minute inspection of the work of the pupils was begun. Many of the drawings excited the admiration of the visitors, His Honor especially expressing his surprise and pleasure. A number of designs for wall paper, made up of the emblems of Canada—the beaver and the maple leaf—attracted considerable attention. Four prizes were awarded in this department, as follows:—1st, James Webster, jr; 2nd, A Brodeur; 3rd, W Greigh; 4th, H Scott, jr. Some very pretty designs were also shown by E. Lapierre, H Williams and others. In the drawing department some fine specimens of amateur work adorned the walls. Among those which especially excelled were the exhibits of James McKeown, G E Dalpe, J A Harris, C H Baker, G Brousseau, A Macfarlane and E Dyonnet.

After presenting the certificates to the successful pupils, His Honor complimented them very highly, and tendered to each one individually a few words of sympathy. He reminded them all of the fact that, sooner or later, they would find their barques launched upon the sea of life, and have to fight the battle against the world. It was a good thing to have an art which would yield them a competence in after years, should they be forced to depend upon it for a means of subsistence instead of for a pleasing pastime. He regretted to say there existed people who imagined a few hours each evening devoted to art were wholly lost, and of no earthly use. When they came to fight for their daily bread, what an amount of toil would be saved, which would render them happy through their whole after life. Great houses had to be built, and the services of the artist would be needed; railways would be projected and engines of many horse power required, and straightway the artist again became of service. They were doing that which would render them happy through long years of usefulness, and he felt in duty bound to congratulate and wish them God speed in their noble employment.

After a few remarks from Colonel Stevenson, cheers were given for the Lieutenant-Governor and the Queen, after which the visitors departed.

It is understood that the exhibition will remain open, free to the public, until to-morrow evening.

COMMERCIAL.

Wholesale Provision Market.

The demand is principally for butter, good lines of which command fair prices owing to the great scarcity of stocks. New butter sold to-day in one and two package lots at 30c and 32c. One dealer reports the sale of a package or so at 35c, but this was very exceptionable. We quote from 25c to 32c for new offerings. As old stock is well nigh sold out we withdraw quotations. A car load of old cheese was offered at 14c yesterday, but dealers would not bid above 12½c or 13c. We quote retail lots at 14c to 16c. Eggs held at 14c and 15c for fresh. Limed, 9c. Maple sugar is worth 9c to 10c per lb. in wholesale lots. Sales of syrup have been made at 80c per gallon in kegs, and 90c in tins. Hams, 10c to 11c. Pork, Canada thick mess, $15.75 to $16.25 per bbl; thin mess, $14.75 to $15.00. Canada Lard, in pails and tubs, 10c to 11c. Bacon, 9½c to 10c. Shoulders, 8c to 8½c. Apples dull and easy at $3.00 to $3.50 per barrel.

A buyer is purchasing horses in the Belleville district for the Montreal market.

Petitions have been presented to the Governor-General by the Montreal Board of Trade and Corn Exchange Association, protesting against an increase of the pilot charges below Quebec.

TEMPERATURE.

April 8, 1880.

Temperature in the shade, by Standard Thermometer, observed by Hearn, Harrison & Co., opticians and Mathematical Instrument Makers, 242 and 244 Notre Dame street.

1880.			1879.		
6 p.m. 30°	8 a.m. 28°	1 p.m. 38°	Max. 48°	Min. 24°	Avg. 36°
Max. 38°	Min. 20°	Mean. 29°			

BAROMETER—6 p.m.	8 a.m.	1 p.m.
30.30	30.40	30.30

WE WERE SOMEWHAT

IN ADVANCE OF THE SEASON IN OUR LITTLE ESSAY ON THE WEATHER YESTERDAY!

IN FACT

WE DID NOT KNOW THAT THE

WINTER LASTED ALL SUMMER

IN THESE REGIONS.

WE ACKNOWLEDGE OUR ERROR.

THE LAST PART OF OUR REMARKS WILL BE FOUND TO BE STRICTLY ACCURATE.

SIMPSON, HALL, MILLER & CO.,

18 De BRESOLES STREET,

OFF ST. SULPICE STREET. 83+

AN ADVANTAGE TO THE LADIES!

TO BE ABLE TO PURCHASE

FINE SEWED BOOTS, SHOES and SLIPPERS!

AT THE ENORMOUSLY REDUCED PRICES THEY ARE NOW SELLING

— AT —

ANGUS' LADIES' PARLOR SHOE STORE,

375 NOTRE DAME STREET.

All Goods are made of the very best English and French Leathers to be had in the market. Workmanship guaranteed. 65tf+

Four O'clock P.M.

Telegrams.

CANADIAN.

PROBABILITIES. — METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, TORONTO, April 8, 10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next twenty-four hours: Lower Lake region, moderate to fresh winds, mostly south-westerly to north-westerly, clear to partly cloudy weather, slightly higher temperature. St. Lawrence, moderate to fresh winds, partly cloudy weather, slightly higher temperature.

ICE PASSING DOWN. — LACHINE, April 8, 10 a.m.—A large quantity of the lake ice is passing down.

FROM OTTAWA.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

INGERSOLL.—OTTAWA, April 8.—Ingersoll's lecture was attended by over three hundred persons last night, among whom were a number of ladies and members of Parliament. The Y. M. C. A. distributed tracts at the Opera House door. Several prominent free-thinkers called on him at the Russell House. He left by the night train and will lecture again at Toronto.

BODY SNATCHING.—Within the past few weeks an organized system of grave robbery has existed in Papineauville. Eight bodies have been recently carried off and great excitement has been occasioned. It is proposed to lynch the body snatchers if discovered.

DROWNED.—Wm. Ross, of this city, was drowned at Rouses' Point on Tuesday last. Ross was an engineer. By accident he fell into the water, and before assistance could be procured he was drowned.

THE PRINTING COMMITTEE examined Boyce to-day. His evidence was very damaging to Mackintosh, as showing that a regular brokerage for trading on his political influence was carried on by that gentleman.

JOTTINGS FROM OTTAWA.

The Printing Contract—Business-Interesting Developments—Sporting Rights—The Dominion Police.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

OTTAWA, April 8.—There appears to have been any amount of true inwardness about the printing contract business, and the proceedings before the Committee are daily increasing in interest. Lobbying in the sense that it is known in the United States, has not hitherto prevailed to any extent at Ottawa, but a peculiar development of the civil service has been laid bare by the proceedings before the Committee. This is shown particularly in the case of Mr. E. C. Barber, a clerk in the Finance Department. According to Mr. Hope, this person represented himself as a man of vast influence. He was well acquainted with the members of the Printing Committee and could be of great assistance in securing the contract. He was willing to use that influence, it appears

FOR A CONSIDERATION

and Mr. Hope, when he got $1,500 out of McLean, Roger & Co., through Mr. Charlton, estimated his influence and assistance at $600, and paid him that amount therefor. The evidence abounded with choice bits of wire-pulling euphemisms. "Mr. Mackintosh was a gentleman of considerable importance and influence and had to be dealt with separately." This gentleman was sharply questioned as to his statements in the Boyle-*Globe* libel suit, and after much consideration, said he had "an impression" of having had

"UNIMPORTANT CONVERSATIONS"

with certain members of the committee. The fun of the thing, however, lies in the confidence with which these persons put themselves up for sale, and the result of the affair showed that Messrs. McLean, Roger & Co., shrewd business men as they are, bought them up one after the other and secured the contract.

A CURIOUS POINT,

and one which should engage the attention of the Committee, is that where Mr. Hope said he received assurances that if he withdrew, his report would be returned. Now, the question arises who could give this assurance and how was it obtained?

SPORTING RIGHTS.

A long and rather lively discussion occupied nearly the whole of the afternoon in the House of Commons. Mr. Cockburn moved for papers relative to the reservations for game on the Ottawa river. It appears that Mr. Whitcher had, in his capacity as Fishery Commissioner, set apart certain portions of the Ottawa river for the preservation of game. Other sportsmen during the open season had been deprived of shooting and fishing on these reservations, while, it was charged, Mr. Whitcher shot and fished over them at his own will—making them a private preserve in fact, under the guise of Governmental authority. Mr. Patterson, of Essex, defended Mr. Whitcher, and Mr. Currier and Mr. Alonzo Wright complained of the arbitrary way in which the people along the Ottawa had been driven off the shore by Dominion policemen, who really had no authority to do so.

DOMINION POLICE.

This discussion brought up the question of Dominion Police and their legitimate employment. It was held that they were required to protect government buildings at the Capital in the absence of military forces, and such other service of a Dominion character as might be required, acting as gamekeepers for government officials not included.

City News.

GRAND TRUNK RECEIPTS.—The receipts for the past week were about the largest in the history of the company amounting to $203,498, an increase of $49,275 as compared with the corresponding week in 1879. The Riviere du Loup receipts are included in 1879, not in 1880; adding them, the week's increase is $53,475. The aggregate increase for 14 weeks is $373,941.

THE CATTLE TRADE.—Mr. James McShane is shipping 280 fine cattle on the SS. "Lake Champlain," which leaves Portland to-morrow morning. Of these cattle Mr. McShane was only able to purchase 152 head in this city, the rest being obtained at Boston. The SS. "Lake Winnipeg" arrived at Liverpool yesterday and landed about 350 cattle alive, 54 having died on the passage.

CHURCH ASSOCIATION.—At the fortnightly meeting of the St. Jude's Church Association, held last evening, a large number were present. A very good programme was given, consisting of a piano solo by Miss D. Hamel, a reading from Shakespeare by Mr. May, songs by Miss Fanny Hamel and Mr. Broughton, and a reading, "The Wandering Jew," by Mr. Thornloe. The evening spent was a most enjoyable one, and the most successful given by the Association for some time past. At the conclusion it was announced that, on the 21st inst., a social would be given by the Association, to which all were cordially invited.

New Advertisements this P.M.

TO THE MILLINERY TRADE.

JOHN MACLEAN & CO.

WILL SHOW ON

FRIDAY, APRIL 9th,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF THE

LEADING SHAPES

— IN —

Ladies' and Misses' Straw and Chip Hats!

140 ST. PETER STREET. 83 2+

THEATRE ROYAL.

MR. AND MRS. BANDMANN,

To-night—In RICHELIEU.

To-morrow Evening—Grand Double Bill, Under the presence of His Honor Lieut.-Governor ROBITAILLE.

NARCISSE—AND A HAPPY PAIR.

Saturday Matinee—ROMEO and JULIET.

25c to all parts of the House.

Saturday Night—ARRAH NA POGUE.

Benefit for the Irish Relief Fund. 83 1

SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, FINE PIANO, MIRRORS, OLD OIL PAINTINGS,

Elegant Glassware, Walnut Sideboard, Extension Dining Table, Chairs, E. P. Ware, Parlor Set, Bedroom Furniture, Mattresses, Linen, &c.; Carpets, Cooking Stove, Kitchen Utensils and other effects, will be sold at the residence, No. 80 St. Denis street,

On Tuesday Morning, April 20th.

Sale at TEN o'clock

C. F. ELWES,
Auctioneer.

Further particulars in future advertisement. 83 1

THE ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN of the store now being erected in Beaver Hall Terrace can be seen at No. 17 Beaver Hall Terrace. One-half of this handsome store and flat, will be to let on or about 1st May.—HENRY GRANT, 17 Beaver Hall Terrace. 81+5

FOR SALE.—A GREAT BARGAIN.

Two blocks of houses being Nos. 164 to 168 St. Martin street, and Nos. 61 to 83 Leroux lane (in rear), well built, stone foundation, containing 23 well rented tenements, situate between St. Joseph street and G T R track, in vicinity of mills, factories, &c. This property will be sold very cheap. Easy terms. Apply to

No. 13 St. Lambert street, Montreal. 83 27

FOR SALE.

At $3, a good Wardrobe. Apply at 56 St. Hypolite street, above Sherbrooke street. 76 6

FOR SALE, CANOE—Peterboro Canoe For Sale, in good condition. Address "Canoe," P.O. Box 95. 83 6

FOR SALE—Dry Kindling-wood, $1 50; Birch and Maple, $2 50 per large load. Cut and delivered. 498 Craig street. 83 6

FOR SALE—Cooking Stove, No. 8, Hall Stoves, New Feather Beds, Brussels, Tapestry and All-Wool Carpets, and all kinds of Household Furniture. Very cheap. Apply at No. 59½ St Dominique street. 83 3

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Wood-working Machinery. 123 Lagauchetiere St. 83 12

TO LET—One of those four New Stores, corner st. Antoine and Seigneurs streets, with metal fronts and two-story Dwellings above, having Bath and W. C., Hot and Cold Water; a very fine stand for a Select Dry Goods or Fancy Goods Business, Millinery or Confectionery Store. Rent very low for the first few years. Also, Nos. 4 and 6 Hillside Terrace, Nos. 1 and 5 Centennial Terrace, Nos 1 and 3 Richmond Place, Fulford street, No 17 Plateau street, No — Coursol St, No — Conde St, No — Grand Trunk St, No — Wellington St. Shop and Dwelling, corner Conde and Grand Trunk Sts.; Shop and Dwelling in Wellington Block, occupied for the past eight years as Druggist Store. Rents very low. Apply to OWEN McGARVEY & SON, 7, 9 and 11 St. Joseph street. 81+

FOR SALE—$7,000 will purchase a very handsome semi-detached House, containing about 13 elegantly finished apartments and modern improvements; handsome marble fence and iron railings. The house was built for the use of the present proprietor, and cost over $13,000. This is a decided bargain.

T. Atkinson,
83 2 194 St. James street.

FOR SALE OR TO LET, That very desirable House, No. 580 Sherbrooke street.

T. Atkinson,
83 2 194 St. James street.

TO LET—Corner House, No. 322 St. Antoine street, bath, W. C. & S., first-class order; fine place for a medical man; 14 rooms. Also, 3 self-contained, 10 rooms, bath and W. C. $200 per year. Apply 314 ST. ANTOINE STREET. 83 2

TO LET—Atkinson's House Renting Agency, 194 St. James street.—I have still a number of very desirable houses to let. 83 2

TO LET—A comfortable Furnished Cottage in a favorite locality, will be let to a desirable tenant without children.

T. Atkinson,
83 2 194 St. James street.

ROOMS TO LET—Unfurnished, in pleasant locality, suitable for housekeeping. Address, "Quiet," STAR Office. 83 1

ROOM TO LET—Furnished, with use of Kitchen, Bath, &c. 16 Bishops Avenue, off 263 St. Antoine street. 83 3

ROOMS—First-class Furnished Front Rooms To Let in a private family. 45 Bleury street. 83 3

ROOM TO LET—Furnished, for the first of May, suitable for two gentlemen, with use of Piano. Apply at No. 1400 St. Catherine street. 83 2

BOARD WANTED—A Gentleman would like to find a good comfortable home for his son—a lad of 17, in a respectable private family in the West End, and where there are no other boarders taken. Address Box 287 P.O. 83 2

LOST, between Court House and French Square, on Notre Dame street, a White Ostrich Feather. The finder will be rewarded on returning it to 435 Notre Dame street. 83 1

LOST—Yesterday, a pair of Steel Rimmed Spectacles, in an old case. The finder will be rewarded by leaving them at STAR Office. 83 6

FOUND—A Silver Watch, on St. Matthew street. The owner can have it by proving property, at 80 St. Lawrence street. 83 3

EMPLOYMENT WANTED, by a Stenographer, acquainted with both languages, and having experience in Lawyers' Registrars' and Prothonotarys' Offices. Box 900 P.O. 83 1

WANTED—A Competent Protestant Nurse. References required. Apply between 2 and 4, 6 Stanley street. 83 3

WANTED—Gardener to go to Country. Apply to S. S. BAIN, Florist, Greenhouses 124 Mountain street. 83 3

WANTED AT ONCE—Apprentices to the Dressmaking. 129 Bleury St. 83 1

WANTED—An English Nurse, who can speak French, able to take care of child four years old; also, capable of sewing and assisting in housework. None need apply without first-class references. Apply 294 Lagauchetiere St. 83 3

WANTED—A General Servant, must be able to wash and iron. 10 Lincoln Avenue. 83 2

WANTED—A Housemaid (Protestant) 1402 St Catherine street. 83 1

WANTED AT ONCE—General Servant (French). Apply 52 City Councillors street. Must be well-recommended. 83 2

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, an experienced Groom (unmarried); best city references required. Apply at H. & A. Allan's. 83 1

WANTED—In a Well-Established Importing and Exporting Commission business, capable of great extension and made to yield a handsome profit, an active Partner, with a Capital of $8,000 to $10,000. Address, "Business," Box 72 P.O., Montreal. 83 tf

Six O'clock P.M.

Evening Telegrams.

FROM QUEBEC.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

ILL.—QUEBEC, April 8.—Hon. W. W. Lynch is indisposed at Knowlton and will not be here this week.

THE CABINET.—Hon. J. A. Chapleau and the other members of the Government are expected here to-day.

DROPPED DEAD.—John Kirby, aged 46 years, a patient of the Beauport Lunatic Asylum, dropped dead on Tuesday from heart disease. Deceased was a resident of this city and had been an inmate of the asylum since November, 1854.

THE CORPORATION OF PILOTS are fitting out pilot schooner No. 5, "Hon. D. E. Price," at the Commissioners Wharf. This vessel will leave port Monday next for Bic Station with 16 pilots on board, and will keep a sharp look out for the first arrivals of the spring fleet.

City News.

INCREASE OF TRAVEL.—Another special train of six cars left Bonaventure depot at ten o'clock this morning for Western Canada. The number of travellers this year, so far, is largely in excess of that of last year.

THE ICE BLOCKADE.—The train from Hemmingford was three hours late this morning. The delay was caused by the ice blockade in the river opposite Caughnawaga, which stopped the ferry steamer for that length of time.

GOT HIS DESSERTS.—Joseph Archane, for assaulting Delima Lallemand in a house of questionable character in St. Charles Borromee street, on the 2nd instant, this morning in the Recorder's Court got $50 or three months. The assault was said to be of a most brutal nature.

Personal.

Ex-Lieut.-Gov. Dorsheimer, of New York, is expected to arrive at the Windsor this evening.

Chas. Bowen, of Boston, and Hon. E. L. Chandler, of Brome, are registered at the Ottawa.

Mr. Walter Masterman, son of ex-Alderman Masterman, left for Colorado yesterday evening.

Lieutenant-Governor Robitaille and suite will leave Montreal for Quebec, Monday morning next.

Mr. A. Colomb, of Rouse's Point, New York, to-day resumed his service of thirty-one years on the Champlain Division of the Grand Trunk Railway, having during that period travelled over one million miles, having averaged one hundred daily.

Suburban.

The parish of St. Sauveur last Sunday subscribed $226 to the Bishopric Fund.

A collection has been taken up among the employees of the Hudon Cotton Factory, for the benefit of the man who was injured by the barrel that was thrown out from the top story. About $15 has been collected.

The Hochelaga Brass Band is in high spirits over a contemplated trip to Quebec on St. Jean Baptiste day. Quebec seems to be the particularly favored city for the numerous early excursions to be held this season.

The river opposite Hochelaga presents a grotesque appearance, as large mountains of ice are piled up as far as the eye can reach. A great shove occurred there yesterday, and broke up the Longueuil road, which up to this time had been extensively used.

Rev. Mr. Hammond's Meetings.

The usual ten o'clock meeting took place this morning in the St. James street Methodist Church. There was a large attendance, principally of ladies and children, although there was also a fair sprinkling of men. On the platform, besides the Evangelist, there were a number of local clergymen. A good choir conducted the musical portion of the programme, the singing being particularly inspiriting. The Rev. Mr. Sparling opened with prayer, during which he thanked God for the results of last night's meeting which had been very satisfactory. He thanked Him that the shackels had been removed from hands and feet and that the meeting would be successful. Mr. Hammond and others addressed the meeting, after which many remained to converse with the ministers present.

Lacrosse in the United States.

The secretary of the United States National Amateur Lacrosse Association, Mr. J. R. Flannery, New York, has forwarded to THE STAR the laws of lacrosse first adopted by that organization. The pamphlet contains a list of the clubs composing the membership, among which are the following:—Baltimore Athletic Club, Baltimore, Md; Bay Ridge Lacrosse Club, Bay Ridge, N Y; Bradford Lacrosse Club, Bradford, Pa; Brooklyn Athletic Club, Brooklyn, N Y; Elmira Lacrosse Club, Elmira, N Y; Harvard Lacrosse Association, Cambridge, Mass; New York Lacrosse Club, New York, N Y; Osceola Lacrosse Club, Elmira, N Y; Union Athletic Club, Boston, Mass; University Lacrosse Club, New York, N Y; Westchester Lacrosse Club, Yonkers, N Y. From this general representation our national game appears to be taking a general hold across the border, and it may be predicted that Canadian clubs will soon be placed on their mettle by their cousins. The laws, as adopted by the Association, do not differ materially from Canadian regulations, except in the strictness of the stipulations regarding professionals.

The Channing Centennial.

The members and friends of the Liberal Christian Union assembled in the Church of the Messiah last evening in commemoration of the centennial birthday of Doctor William Ellery Channing. The Church and lecture-room were both profusely decorated with flowers and hot-house plants, which displayed the tasteful handiwork of the committee of young ladies who had the arrangements in charge. Over the pulpit was poised a snow-white dove, while upon the reading desk was a bank of exquisite flowers bearing the word "Channing" in crimson flowers on a background of white ones. To the right of the chancel was a life-size bust of the man in honor of whose memory the company was assembled. The exercises of the evening opened with Newman's beautiful hymn, "Lead Kindly Light," by the choir. An historical sketch of Channing's life, written by a young lady of the congregation, was read by Mr. Alexander Manson. Whittier poem on "Channing" was prettily recited by Miss Annie Smith. Mr. Geo. W. Stephens was to have considered "Channing the Reformer," but confessed that a contemplation of the magnitude of the subject had induced him to decide upon reading the opinions held of Channing by eminent men of other denominations. His principal illustrations were drawn from the writings of the late Rev. F. W. Robertson of Brighton, England. Dr. T. Sterry Hunt was called upon for an address and responded in a most felicitous and able manner, in which he spoke of the growing influence of Channing in human thought, and included him among the prophets of his race. A sonnet, "Always Young for Liberty," was next recited by Miss Jennie Barney. Mr. W. N. Evans read an address entitled, "Channing the Man," in which he laid much of the goodness and gentleness of Channing's character to the influence of a good mother.

Rev. Mr. Barnes was down on the programme for "Remarks with Pleasant Pages." Mr. Barnes' pleasant pages consisted of letters of salutation and good-will from the following friends:—Rev. J. B. Green of Brattleboro, Vt., late pastor of the Church of the Messiah. Rev. Frederic Frothingham of Milton, Mass., a son of Montreal. Rev. Charles G. Ames, editor of *The Christian Register* of Boston. Mr. William H. Baldwin, President of the Young Men's Christian Union of Boston. Rev. Rush R. Shippen of Boston, Secretary of the American Unitarian Association. Rev. M. K. Schermerhorn of Newport, R. I., writing as from the "cradle" of Channing. Rev. J. F. W. Ware of Boston, representing the Church of which Channing was pastor. Rev. C. A. Bartol, the oldest living intimate friend of Channing's later years. Dr A P Putnam, of Brooklyn, N Y, representing the Brooklyn gathering; and also characteristic letters from Rev Dr J Freeman Clarke, of Boston, and Rev Dr Henry W Bellows and Rev Robert Collyer, of New York. The letters were all of an inspiring character, and their reading was received with applause. Mr. Barnes closed his remarks by conveying a message of good-will and sympathy from Rev Dr Cordner, who was prevented by sickness from being present. An adjournment to the lecture room then took place for a soiree and refreshments, the company separating at a late hour.

COMMERCIAL.

Breadstuffs Weaker—Chicago Wheat and Corn Lower—Pork and Lard Easier—English Wheat Unsettled.

Breadstuffs in England to-day were irregular with a tendency downwards. American markets showed a decline. Local trade inactive, very little demand. Sales mentioned were: 100 choice superfine, $5 85; 50 superior extra, $6 15; 200 Ontario bags, $2 90; 200 strong bakers, $6 35.

GRAIN, SEEDS, ASHES, &c. — Canada spring wheat is quoted at $1.37 to $1.39; peas, about 81c; oats, 31c; corn, duty paid, nominal at 68c to 70c; barley, 55c to 65c; Rye, 87c to 88c. *Ashes*—Market nominal at about $3.80 for pots per 100 lbs. *Seeds*—Timothy $3.40 to $3.50 per bushel. Clover quiet at $3.80 to $4.00 per bushel. *Bran*—$18 per ton. *Shorts*—$19 per ton. *Moulie*—$20 to $22 do.

FLOUR—Per bbl of 196 lbs.: Superior extra, $6 10 to 6 15; extra superfine, 6 00 to 6 25; spring extra, 5 90 to 6 00; superfine, 5 60 to 5 75; strong bakers', 6 25 to 6 60; fine, 5 00 to 5 15; middlings, 4 40 to 4 50; Ontario bags, per 100 lbs, 2 90 to 3 00; city bags, delivered, 3 20 to 3 25; oatmeal, Ontario, 4 50 to 4 65; cornmeal, 2 90 to 2 95.

RECEIPTS TO-DAY.—Wheat, 400 bush; peas, 400 do; oats, 700 do; barley, 400 do; flour, 320 bbls; ashes, 18 do; butter, 23 pkgs; cheese, 6 boxes; leather, 167 rolls; dressed hogs, 3.

In Chicago wheat fell to $1.10½ April; $1.12½ May. Receipts, 17,000 bushels; shipments, 16,000 do. Corn easy at 36c May. Pork weak at $10.25 May.

Milwaukee—Wheat lower at $1.11⅞ May, $1.11⅞ June.

BEERBOHM'S ENGLISH ADVICES quote:—Floating cargoes, wheat and corn rather easier. Cargoes on passage and for shipment, wheat and corn inactive. Red winter wheat off coast, 54s. Mixed American corn, do, 26s 3d. Liverpool wheat, spot, quiet, do corn firm. Stock of flour in London, 340,000 to 360,000 bbls. On passage for the United Kingdom, wheat 2,250,000 qrs, corn 630,000 qrs. Liverpool: Hams, long cut, 44s; prime western lard, 39s 6d; pork, prime mess eastern, 66s; do, western, 61s.

Stocks in Chicago—Wheat, 8,878,319 bush; corn, 5,100,035 do; oats, 862,381 do; rye, 212,390 do; barley, 501,348 do.

W. J. Fairbairn's cable despatch from Liverpool reports: Wheat market weak and likely to decline. Corn steady; good demand at quotations.

Business Troubles.

The Babcock Manufacturing Company of Chicago has assigned. Liabilities, $215,000; assets, $56,000.

New Advertisements this P.M.

SALE OF HANDSOME CRIMSON AND GOLD REP PARLOR SUITE, "J. P. Hale" Pianoforte, Tapestry Carpets, Bronze Gasaliers, Bookcase, B. W. Marble-top Bedroom Sets, etc.,

On MONDAY MORNING, 12th inst.

The Subscribers are instructed to sell at the residence,

No. 234 ST. HUBERT STREET,

the whole of the very fine Household Furniture and Effects, comprising Crimson and Gold Rep Parlor Suite, rich toned 7⅓ octave "J. P. Hale" Rosewood Pianoforte, Bronze Gasaliers, Tapestry Carpets, Marble-top Tables, Walnut Etageres and Whatnots, Nice Pictures and Ornaments, Fancy Tables and Brackets, Roll-back Chairs, Lace and Rep Curtains, B. W. Dining Table and Sideboard, China, Glass and Platedware, B. W. Marble-top Bedroom Suites, Lounges, Mattresses, painted Bedroom Sets, Wardrobes, Iron Bedsteads, Hall and Cooking Stoves, Kitchen Utensils, etc., all in excellent order, being only a short time in use.

Sale at TEN o'clock.

M. HICKS & CO.,
83 Auctioneers.

SALE OF ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, BRUSSELS CARPETS, "WEBER" PIANOFORTE, B. P. Gilt Mirrors (60 x 48), Silk Brocatelle Drawing and Dining-room Suites, Sterling Silverware, valuable Pictures, Bird's Eye Maple Bedroom Suite, handsome Clocks and Ornaments, "Albion" Range, "Royal Standard" Hall Stove, &c.,

On Tuesday Morning, 13th inst.

The Subscribers are instructed by J. Auhalt, Esq., to sell at his residence,

No. 58 DRUMMOND STREET,

the whole of the Household Furniture and Effects, consisting, in part—Fine-toned "Weber" Pianoforte, two splendid B P Mirrors, with gilt frames (60 x 48); beautifully carved Walnut and Ebony Drawing-room Suite, in green silk brocatelle; one ditto Dining-room Suite, in maroon ditto; best quality Brussels Carpets, very handsome Bronze Clock (cost $300), Cylinder Secretary Bookcase, Centre Tables, Library Table, costly Parian Marble and other Ornaments; very valuable Oil Painting by "Herman ter Kate;" nice Pictures, fine Lace Curtains and Cornices, Bronze Gasaliers, Dining Table, Combination Sideboard and Refrigerator (something new), Dinner, Tea and Breakfast Services, Glassware — Sterling Silverware, very fine Platedware, handsome Bird's Eye Maple and Cherry Marble-top Bedroom Suite, one Walnut do., Painted Bedroom Sets, Iron Bedsteads, Nice Gas Brackets, "N. Y. Howe" Sewing Machine (in good order), Hair and Spring Mattresses, Feather Beds, "Prowse's" Royal Standard Hall Stove, Albion Cooking Range, Kitchen Utensils, &c.

N.B.—All the above are really first-class goods, and in excellent order, being in use only since last fall.

Sale at TEN o'clock.

M. HICKS & CO.,
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SALE OF HORSES, WAGONS, BUGGIES, HARNESS, &c., at the Horse Market, College street,

To-Morrow (Friday) Afternoon.

Sale at TWO o'clock.

W. E. SHAW.
83 J. MAGUIRE, Proprietor. Auctioneer.

FINE BRUSSELS CARPETS, B P. Mirrors, handsome Bronze Gasaliers, fine toned Rosewood Piano, 7⅓ octave, full round corners, by Hardman, N.Y.; Glass back Etagere, Cabinet Organ, Drawing-room Suite, Parian statuary, Lace Curtains, Bagatelle Table, fine Mahogany Sideboard, Leather Chairs, Dinner Service, China, Glass and Plated Ware, Pictures, Cuckoo Clock, fine Walnut Table, Desk, Bookcase, M Top Bedroom Furniture and Mattresses. Cheval Glass, Cooking and Hall Stoves, English Oilcloth, fine Mangle, &c., &c.—all good and in nice order—at the residence, No 1357 ST. CATHERINE STREET, corner McGill College Avenue,

On Saturday Morning, 10th Instant,

Sale at TEN o'clock.

W. E. SHAW,
83 Auctioneer.

INSOLVENT ACT of 1875. And Amending Acts.

In the matter of PAPINEAU & ARCHAMBAULT, of Montreal, Insolvents.

The undersigned will sell by public auction, at his office, on

Tuesday, 13th April instant,

the uncollected book debts belonging to the estate, amounting to $517.28.

Terms cash. Sale at 11 o'clock a.m. List can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

EDWARD EVANS,
Assignee.

Office of Evans & Riddell, Western Chambers, Montreal, 8th April, 1880. 83 4

FOR SALE—VERY CHEAP.

A fine property, being Nos. 43 to 49 Centre street, Point St. Charles, containing six large tenements and outbuildings, near Wellington street. The property is in perfect repair, and will be sold a bargain. Apply to

83 27 13 St. Lambert st., Montreal.

FOR SALE—Six Cocker Spaniel Pups, liver and white. Very choice. At 88 Sanguinet street. 83 2

TO LET—105 St. Hubert street, first-class Stone Dwelling, with all modern conveniences, clean, and in thorough repair. Rent low to a desirable tenant. Apply at 103 St. Hubert street. 83 3

WANTED TO RENT.—A small self-contained House, about four or five Rooms; rent must be low. Address M. B., STAR office. 83 5

ROOM TO LET — Furnished. 524 Dorchester street. 83 8

ROOM — Wanted Immediately, furnished, with or without partial Board, in private family; use of Piano indispensible. Address, L 42, STAR Office. 83 2

LOST, on Wednesday evening, 7th, between the Academy of Music and St. Famille street, a Small Gold Earring with two diamonds. Finder will be rewarded by sending his address to T 104, STAR office. 83 6

WANTED—A Piano Keyboard, of any compass or in any condition. Address, L 41, STAR Office. 83 2

WANTED—Good General Servant; references required. 14 Cadieux St. 83 3

BAILIFF'S SALE—PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal.—No. 1,461. CIRCUIT COURT, Montreal.—Thom. Giguere, Plaintiff, vs. Louis Pominville, Defendant.—On the Seventeenth day of April inst., at Eight of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said Defendant, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant; seized in this cause, consisting of Household Furniture, &c. &c. Terms cash. T. A. CAMPEAU, B.S.C. Montreal, April 8th, 1880. 83 1

BAILIFF'S SALE—PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal—No. 2,288.—SUPERIOR COURT, Montreal—Zotique Lefebvre, Plaintiff, vs. Leo Harmburger, Defendant.—On the Seventeenth day of April next, at Nine of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said Defendant, No. 102 University street in the City of Montreal, and at One o'clock in the afternoon at the place of business of the said Defendant, No. 422 St. Paul street, in City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant seized in this cause, consisting of a Piano, Carpets, &c. &c., lot of Brushes, Safe, &c. &c. Terms cash. G. DAVREAU, B.S.C. Montreal, 7th April, 1880. 83 1

BAILIFF'S SALE—PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal.—No. 2,245.—CIRCUIT COURT, Montreal.—The Trust and Loan Company, Plaintiff, vs. Charles D. Edwards, Defendant.—On the Seventeenth day of April, inst., 1880, at Ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the business place of the said Defendant, No. 49 St. Joseph street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of a large quantity of Sofas, Stoves and Machineries &c. Terms cash. J. A. LEPALLIEUR, B.S.C. Montreal, 8th April, 1880. 83 1

Extra Edition.

Evening Telegrams.

THE BRITISH ELECTIONS.

The Liberal Successes—Intimidation—Tactics of the Home Rulers.

LONDON, April 8.—The Liberal successes in the English and Scotch counties increase the surprise occasioned by the borough elections. A Liberal majority, independently of the Home Rulers, is now assured. Specific charges of intimidation and undue influence by sub-agents among Lord Derby's tenantry in favor of the Liberal candidates are published. It is stated Parnell will retain his seat for Cork city. O'Gorman, Home Ruler, who was defeated for Waterford city, will stand as a candidate for Meath county, for which constituency Parnell had been nominated. Bitter contests are waging in the counties of Mayo and Cork, where Parnell's candidates, brought forward at the last moment, are opposing moderate Home Rulers. Parnellites already elected for other constituencies are stumping these counties, and inflammatory placards and broadsides are being distributed, bitterly attacking the moderates. A medical student of Queen's College, Cork, has been rusticated for a year for having got up amongst the students the address to Parnell on his return from America. Sir Henry J. Selwin, financial secretary of the Treasury, Conservative, for Essex West, has been re-elected. Thus far 300 Liberals, 191 Conservatives and 39 Home Rulers elected.

DUBLIN, April 8.—The Tories intend to attempt to unseat Dr. Lyons, Liberal, elected for Dublin City, on the ground that he is disqualified by the holding of the office of visiting physician to the House of Industry hospital, the salary for which is included in the estimates of the House of Commons. Neither Davitt, Daly, Killen nor Brennan, indicted for sedition, is likely to be returned to Parliament. Neither of them has ever been seriously proposed as a candidate.

CABLE.

STRIKE.—LONDON, April 8.—Eighteen hundred pitmen, of South Hatton and Murton collieries, in Durham, struck in consequence of the refusal of the managers to put out the usual average board, showing each man's earnings, as the men have been restricting their labor the past fortnight so their earnings were below the county average.

CONFORMING TO LAW.—PARIS, April 8.—The Bishops at the head of the Paris Catholic University have decided to conform to Ferry's educational bill, by altering the name of the institution to that of Catholic Institute.

A PRINCELY GIFT.—PARIS, April 8.—The ex-Empress Eugenie has presented her Imperial Crown to the Church of Notre Dame des Victoria. It is of great value on account of its artistic composition and precious stonees.

FROM TORONTO.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STAR.]

HANLAN FINED.—TORONTO, April 8.—Edward Hanlan, for assaulting a man named Patullo, was fined this morning $2 and costs or 15 days. In defence he stated that he slapped the man's face because he brought an immoral woman to his sister's hotel.

ATTACKED BY A COW.—A boy five years of age, an inmate of the Boys' Home, was attacked by a cow in a shed, and had his arm badly bitten, besides which he was butted in the stomach. The little fellow lies in a very precarious condition.

THE OPPOSITION LEADERSHIP. — It is mentioned in political circles as a recognized fact that the Hon. Edward Blake intends breaking with his party on the question of the Pacific Railway. The probability is that he will lead the more advanced section of Reformers, and that this is the last session in which Hon. Alex. Mackenzie will lead the opposition.

BABY FARMING.—The police this morning discovered a baby farming establishment on Seaton street, in which there were nine infants, the eldest being three months old. No arrests were made, on the proprietor promising to distribute the children to their respective mothers.

ROWING CLUB.—The police of Toronto contemplate establishing a rowing club this summer.

City News.

SKATORIAL.—The ice in the Champ de Mars rink was almost as good this afternoon as any day during the winter. A large number of skaters were out enjoying themselves throughout the day.

RECORDER'S COURT—THURSDAY.—Pierre Groulx, 18, carter, assaulting Homidas Gauthier, $1.50 or eight days. Joseph Blouin, 43, lying drunk in Foundling street, one month. John Dolan, 62, laborer, drunk and breaking a pane of glass in St. Joseph street, $2 or one month.

THEATRE ROYAL.—To-morrow evening in honor of the presence of his Honor Lieut. Governor Robitaille, Mr. and Mrs. Bandmann, in addition to the play of "Narcisse," will give the charming comedietta, "A Happy Pair." At the Saturday matinee "Romeo and Juliet" will be given.

THE BULSTRODE TRADEGY.—High Constable Bissonnette, who left for Arthabaskaville Tuesday night to work up the murder case against Desislets, is not expected to return to the city before Saturday night. It is said that the evidence so far collected is damaging to the prisoner, who protests his innocence stoutly.

MILK DOWN.—A milkman's horse ran away on St. Bonaventure street this morning. At the corner of St. David's lane the waggon upset and the cans were scattered on the ground. As the milkman was of a philosophical turn of mind he did not stop to cry over his spilled milk, but gathered up the fragments of his turn-out and proceeded on his way.

PAY OF THE WATER POLICE.—An evening contemporary made the announcement last evening that the pay of the Montreal Water Police Force had been reduced from $1.90 to $1.50. As a matter of fact the members of that body only received $1 per day last year for their services, nor is an increase or decrease of the remuneration contemplated this year.

CORRECTION.—We are requested to state that the amount of coupon bonds issued by the Montreal Warehousing Company is $500,000 not pounds as stated in our issue of yesterday, in referring to the action of the Scottish American Investment Company. The plaintiffs in the case desire us to state that they believe the defence will be withdrawn before the day of trial.

BITTEN BY A DOG.—Between three and four o'clock on Tuesday afternoon Mr. Chas. Raymond, druggist, was passing on St. Paul street opposite the Bonsecours market when a dog rushed out from an alley and attacked him, biting him twice in the leg. Severe wounds were inflicted. The dog is said to belong to a tavern-keeper on St. Paul street, and an action of damages is spoken of.

CITY MORTALITY.—The death rate in the city has rather decreased during the past month, the number of interments in the Cote des Neiges Cemetery being only 81; five of these were caused by small-pox. In St Mary's Ward were 15 deaths; St James, 15; St Louis, 6; St Antoine, 10; St Ann, 5; St Lawrence, 1; East, 3; Suburbs, 25. In the Mount Royal Cemetery were 12 interments. St Louis Ward had 3; St Antoine, 4; St Lawrence, 1; St Ann, 1; Suburbs, 3.

THE RIVER FRONT.—The appearance of the river this morning was one of unusual grandeur and beauty. Along its centre the ice lay piled up in irregular mounds, upon which the sun threw thousands of many-tinted dancing and sparkling rays. At the base of the miniature range of snowy mountains, the water rushed fiercely past, carrying large cakes of ice with it. At Isle Ronde the shove piled a mass of ice to the height of at least thirty feet. Some of the pieces appear to have been lifted bodily out of the water and placed in a perpendicular position. Near the Bonsecours market the ice thrown up bodily upon the revetment was being carted away by several parties this morning for summer use. From present appearances it is not expected that another shove will take place for a day or two.

Crusade Against City Liquids.

The Health Office, in the person of Dr. Larocque, has moved in the direction of accurately testing the city water and milk. Dr. Larocque yesterday collected a number of samples of water in different quarters of the city and suburbs with a view of having them analyzed, and comparing the results with the statistics of fevers and death in various districts of the city. To-day he was also at work, and it is understood that the milkmen and grocers came in for a share of his attentions. The samples will be analyzed probably by Dr. Girdwood.

ASKING FOR DELAY.

Marriage with a Deceased Wife's Sister—The Montreal Presbytery Speaks.

The following petition was yesterday agreed upon by the Presbytery of Montreal:—

To His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir John Douglass Sutherland Campbell, Marquis of Lorne, Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada in Council:

The petition of the undersigned, representing the Presbytery of Montreal, of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, humbly sheweth:

That the Presbytery of Montreal embraces forty-four congregations, forming no inconsiderable or unimportant part of the population of the city of Montreal and the adjacent districts;

That they have observed that a Bill is now before the Parliament of Canada, which proposes to legalize not only the marriage of a man with his deceased wife's sister, but also that of a woman with her deceased husband's brother;

That this is a question which seriously concerns the religious views and sentiments of the members and adherents of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, one of the largest Churches in the Dominion;

That the union of said church, as a whole, can be obtained only through the deliverances of its general assembly, which meets once a year, but which has not met since this question was introduced into Parliament;

Wherefore, your petitioners most earnestly crave that said bill do not pass into law until the said church, which is to meet in general assembly in this city on the 9th day of June, prox., shall have had an opportunity of considering its provisions, and of taking joint action thereon.

And your petitioners, as in duty bound, shall ever pray.

JAMES STEWART,
Moderator of Presbytery.
JAMES PATTERSON,
Clerk of Presbytery.
St. Paul's Church, Montreal, April 7th, 1880.

THE C. P. R.

Negotiations Not Ended Yet.

The Board of Chairmen had a discussion this afternoon on the C. P. R. charter, before proceeding to the appropriations. Ald. Greene said that they had had two negotiations with the C. P. R. and done all they could to come to an amicable arrangement, and he was not in favor of giving way any further in this matter.

Ald. Grenier thought the sticking point in the arrangement was in regard to the clause obliging the C. P. R. Co. to grant 25 tickets for $1, and also the granting of a charter for 20 years instead of 40 years as they requested.

Ald. Grenier moved that the second objection be concurred in so far as to allow the company to reach the Mount Royal avenue by continuation of Bleury street.—Carried.

Ald. Grenier also moved that forty be substituted for twenty years.—Carried. And also decided that if the Company do not raise the capital required the penalty clause not to be enforced.

Ald. Grenier moved that the committee report the proceedings of this meeting to the C.P.R. Co. and they be given a month to answer.—Carried.

COURT OF QUEEN'S BENCH.

Morning Session—Before Judge Ramsay.

The Court opened at 10.15.

George Ridyard was placed in the dock, accused of having set fire to his shop in order to defraud an insurance company. He was committed on three indictments, the second that of setting fire to a dwelling house, and the last that of endangering the lives of several parties in the building.

Mr. Keller raised several technical objections to the indictments, which he could not explain satisfactorily to His Honor without due consideration. The latter therefore adjourned the Court for twenty minutes in order to give him an opportunity of consulting the statutes bearing upon the case in dispute.

When the Court resumed His Honor heard the arguments of counsel *pro* and *con*, and decided to reject Mr. Keller's application.

The evidence of the sub-constable who first discovered the fire was then taken, and the Court adjourned until two o'clock.

Annual Meeting Mount Royal Cemetery Company.

The annual meeting of this Company was held at three o'clock this afternoon, at 181 St. James street, Mr. A. M. Esdaile, president, in the chair. The chairman opened the meeting by remarking that the business of the past year had been conducted in a most satisfactory manner, and that a number of improvements had been made. The expenditures had been larger than those of last year, and the receipts smaller, the reasons of which he explained.

The secretary then read the twenty-ninth annual report. The total expenditures during the year were $11,600, and the financial condition he showed was $250 less than last year. The two fires which occurred were mentioned, one in the green house, the other in the stables, by which five valuable horses were lost. They had been insured for $2,296 in the British America Company. There had been many improvements made during the year, such as opening up new roads, repairing and re-building buildings, &c., which necessarily entailed considerable expense. The total number of deaths during the year was 848, or 11 less than last year. Meeting in progress.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

On the stock market to-day bank shares were generally firmer. Bank of Montreal taking the lead. It is now pretty well assured that this institution will announce its usual 5 per cent dividend at the meeting of directors next week, without having to take anything from the rest account. It is said that several of our banking institutions have loaned money at 6, 7 and even 8 per cent in Chicago and New York, not including daily commissions, and have done well. The advance in Montreal regular to-day was 2¼ per cent. from the closing sale of yesterday, and ex-dividend went up 1½ per cent. Merchants' rose 1 to 1½ per cent. Montreal Telegraph closed with buyers at 94, sellers 94⅞. City Gas was neglected. Sellers have advanced their views to 120, buyers only offering 118⅞.

Morning Sales—1 Montreal, 140⅞; 25 do, 141½; 8 do, 141⅞; 9 do, 142; 50 do, (ex-div), 137½; 25 Ontario, 78⅞; 77 Merchants', 95⅞; 113 do, 96; 25 Montreal Telegraph, 94⅞. Ontario advanced 1½ per cent.

Afternoon Sales—26 Montreal, 141⅞; 25 do, 142⅞; 25 do, 143; 39 do, (ex.-div.,) 138; 75 Ontario, 78⅞; 50 do, 79; 40 do, 80; 25 Merchants', 96½; 25 do, 96⅞.

Money market steady at 5 per cent. on call and 6 per cent. on time loans. Mercantile paper is readily discounted at 7 per cent. Sterling Exchange has been in fair demand. Bankers' rates for 60-day bills were 109⅛ to ⅜. Counter rate, 109⅞ to ⅛. Drafts on New York, 1-16 to ⅛ premium. Sterling in New York, 4.86 between banks, 4.89 demand.

LONDON, 5:00 p.m.—Consols, 98⅞; 4½'s, 111⅞, 5's, 105⅞. Erie, 45; Illinois Central, 108⅞.

LATEST PRICES—STOCKS AND PROVISIONS.

Prices of breadstuffs and provisions in Liverpool:—

	April 7. 5:00 p.m. s.	d.	s.	d.	April 8. 5:00 p.m. s.	d.	s.	d.
Flour per cwt.	11	3	13	0	11	3	13	0
Spring Wheat	10	0	10	11	10	0	10	11
Red Winter	10	8	11	8	10	8	11	6
White Winter	10	4	10	10	10	4	10	10
Club	10	11	11	4	10	11	11	4
Corn, (new) cwt.	5	8½	0	0	5	8½	0	0
Barley	5	3	0	0	5	3	0	0
Oats, per cental	6	6	0	0	6	6	0	0
Peas, "	6	11	7	0	6	11	7	0
Pork	60	0	0	0	61	0	0	0
Lard	39	0	0	0	39	3	0	0
New Beef	75	0	0	0	75	0	0	0
Bacon	35	0	36	9	35	6	36	6
Tallow	35	0	00	0	35	0	00	0
Cheese	71	6	00	0	71	0	00	0

The following were the fluctuations in New York Stocks, furnished by Messrs. Macdougall Bros., stock brokers, 69 St. Francois Xavier street:—

April 8, 1880.

	Op'g.	Cls'g.		Op'g	Cls'g.
W. U. Tel. x-d.	105¾	106⅝	N. Y. Cent xd	131¾	134
Lake Shore	107⅜	108⅞	Del. & Lack.	89⅞	92⅛
Pacific Mail	41¼	42½	Del. & Hudson	81¼	83⅜
Erie	43¾	44⅞	St. Joseph	34½	35⅞
Ohio & Miss.	36¼	37⅝	Rock Island	......	......
North-West	95	95⅞	C. C. & I. C.	15½	......
Do Pref. x-d.	......	109⅛	St. L. & N.	4½	......
St. Paul	81⅛	82	Union Pacific	88⅝	90
Do Pref. x-d.	103¼	......	A. & P. Tel.	......	......
Mich. Central	91½	92½	Exchange	486	488
Jersey Central	77¼	80½	Money	......	4

CHICAGO, 1.03 p.m.—Wheat, 1 09½ April; 1 11⅞ May; 1 10½ June. Corn, 31⅞ April; 35⅞ May; 36⅛ to 36¼ June; 36⅞ July. Pork, 10 15 April; 10 17½ May; 10 32½ June. Lard, 6 92½ to 6 95 April; 6 95 May; 7 02½ to 7 05 June.

Appointments this Evening.

Theatre Royal—"Richelieu."

Mechanics' Hall—Mendelssohn Concert.

Academy of Music—"A Very Merry Mariner."

Poetry.

WAITING TO GROW.

Little white snowdrop, just waking up,
Violet, daisy, and sweet buttercup!
Think of the flowers that are under the snow,
Waiting to grow!

And think what hosts of queer little seeds,
Of flowers and mosses, of ferns and of weeds,
Are under the leaves and under the snow,
Waiting to grow!

Think of the roots getting ready to sprout,
Reaching their slender, brown fingers about
Under the ice and the leaves and the snow,
Waiting to grow!

Only a month or a few weeks more
Will they have to wait behind that door;
Listen and watch and wait below,—
Waiting to grow!

Nothing so small, and hidden so well,
That God will not find it, and presently tell
His sun where to shine and his rain where to go,
Helping them grow!

—*Presbyterian.*

THROUGH MANY TRIALS

OR,

Struggling against Heavy Odds.

CHAPTER LXIX—*Continued.*

"I knew it was too late and too long a walk for you to go afoot, my dear, so I told Sam to put Chally to the shay, and you needn't say a word, because it's no inconvenience at all," said Mrs. Potts, as Amy attempted to thank her.

"Stop at Mr. Lacy's store, if you please," said Amy to the driver, who accordingly drove straight to Lacy's, and stopped.

Amy got out, and went in.

The shop was lighted up for the evening, but there were no customers in. The proprietor stood behind the counter.

People like those upon whom they have heaped benefits. Good-hearted Lacy liked poor Amy now more than he had ever liked her before, and he bent across the counter gladly and kindly to greet her.

"I came, Mr. Lacy," she said, "to inquire if you know who those strangers are whom you sent over to our shop this afternoon."

"No, indeed, I do not know even their names. They were strangers in the town, stopping, I believe, at the Elm Tree Inn."

"Yes, I know that much; and you can tell me no more?"

"Nothing more whatever. But—excuse me for asking the question, I do it not from idle curiosity, but from real interest—why do you wish to know anything about them?"

"Ah!" said Amy, smiling deprecatingly, "it might only have been a woman's fancy; but I hoped that they were something to the poor babe that was left so strangely on my hands."

"But, pardon me again! why should you have hoped so?"

"They called while I was absent, and no one but Owen and the—and Lily May was at home. And the lady made much of Lily May, and gave her a sovereign. Now ladies don't drop sovereigns into the laps of strange infants!"

"I don't know!—that depends! Please tell me all about it."

Amy gave a brief sketch of the lady's and gentleman's visit to the shop.

"Oh, I daresay it is all right, and there was nothing more in the affair than appears. The visit was purely accidental on their part, madam. They came here to purchase articles that I do not keep for sale, and I sent them to your shop, where they might be bought; the rest grew out of the baby's beauty and the lady's benevolence. You may depend that was all. If I were you, I would think no more of it, Mrs. Wynne; it will only worry you."

Amy thanked him, and bade him good night, and left the shop. At the door she dismissed the gig, and then she walked across the street to her own little home.

As she entered the shop, she glanced over the show-cases; they were half empty. The stock was getting very low; the credit customers had not paid up; the fund accumulating to settle Mr. Lacy's account was very small. How was the stock to be renewed?—how was Mr. Lacy to be paid?—and, oh, above all! how was the rent-day to be met? With a deep sigh, Amy passed through the shop and entered the parlor.

The table was set, and the supper was ready to be placed upon it. The two little sisters were asleep in the cradle, and Nancy was nodding over the stove. Owen was nowhere to be seen.

"Where is my boy, Nancy?" inquired Amy.

"Aw-oo-co!" yawned Nancy, opening an awful red chasm between her flat nose and round chin. "What you say, Miss Amy?"

"Where is Owen?"

"Oh, *he!* He growed so fidgety that nobody couldn't do nothing with him—all on your account. At last he clapped his hat on his head and runned out to look arter you. And, bless patience! here he comes now back again!"

At this moment Owen entered breathless.

"My dear boy, where have you been?"

"I went to meet you, mother, to walk home with you; but when I got to the Elm Tree, they told me you had come home in the gig."

"My poor little protector!" said Amy, smiling tenderly on her boy.

"Nancy, set the tea on the table—tea, bread, and treacle, nothing more; but Amy was feverish, and drank cup after cup of weak tea, to quench her thirst and keep her awake, for she had to sit up and sew late that night, to make up for the time lost that day, she said.

After the frugal meal was over, and the humble service cleared away, Amy, with her needlework, drew up to one side of the table, and Owen, with his books and slate, to the other. The one tallow candle stood between them.

"Before you settle to your studies, Owen, I want you to tell me how much that case of fancy goods cost at the wholesale price."

"Thirty pounds, mother; but at the retail price they are worth forty-five pounds."

"Are they? Well, and we owe Mr. Lacy thirty pounds!"

"Yes, mother dear."

"How much money have we got saved up towards paying him, Owen?"

"Twenty-three pounds cash, mother dear, and twelve pounds on our books. If the people would pay up, we would have thirty-five pounds, and we could pay Mr. Lacy all we owe him."

"Ah, yes! if the people would pay us, Owen; but they won't."

"Then let us stop crediting them, mother dear, and sell what little stock we have left for cash only, and then we might still make enough to pay Mr. Lacy."

"Ah! Owen, but I told you before that we cannot do that; while we have to ask credit we cannot refuse it."

"Oh, mother, mother dear, it is so different, if you would but see it so! We go in debt a little to rich tradesmen for things that we can't do without, and we mean to pay, sooner or later, and just as soon as we can. But those people who are on our books, mother, they go in debt to poor us for things that they don't need, and never mean to pay for. Oh, mother! please let me do a cash business for the future."

"I cannot, Owen. I cannot refuse credit to one person while I have to ask it of another," sighed Amy.

And Owen was obliged to submit.

Amy had noticed how low the stock was as she passed through the shop that evening. It was, in fact, so low, that another ten days saw the end of it. The last few articles were sold out on a certain busy Saturday, when the village was full of country people, who had come to do their shopping. And the very last article, a pretty dressing-case, had been sold to a credit customer.

At sunset Owen closed the shop door, and went into the little back parlor, where his mother sat bending over her needlework, sewing fast, to finish a job that night.

"We may put up the shutters now, mother dear; the stock is all sold out," said Owen, half sadly, half smilingly.

Amy looked up anxiously from her work.

"Is it all gone, Owen?"

"All gone, mother dear."

"Have you taken in much money to-day, Owen?"

"Pretty well; about three pounds."

"Now bring your books here, and let us see how we stand."

Owen went and brought in his books, and laid them open on the table before his mother. Passing his finger down the column, he said, with a droll smile—

"Mother dear, we have come out even, you and I, without any profit, and without any loss, except loss of time and labor. This is how we stand; we have thirty pounds one shilling cash, and we have thirteen pounds five shillings on our books. So you see, dear mother, that our credit customers have got all the profits of our business."

"It cannot be helped, Owen, dear; perhaps they may pay us some time, little by little. Now take that thirty pounds and go right over and pay Mr. Lacy."

Owen went upstairs to his mother's bureau drawer, where the money was kept, and brought it down, and took it over to Mr. Lacy.

The shop was full of Saturday evening customers, and Mr. Lacy was very busy; but as soon as he had a moment's leisure, he turned to Owen, and said—

"Well, my lad! what is it?"

"If you please, sir," said Owen, as he handed over the funds, "here is the thirty pounds we owed you for the fancy goods."

"Ha! why, have you done so well as to be able to pay already? I did not expect it for a month or two to come," said Mr. Lacy, as he rapidly counted over the money.

"It is right I hope, sir?"

"Quite right, my boy; wait until I give you a receipt," said Mr. Lacy, as he took a pencil.

He rapidly wrote out an acknowledgment of the money, and handed it to Owen, who received it with a bow and left the shop.

"Yes," said Owen, as he crossed the street, "poor mother's credit customers have run off with all her profits; but now that I have nothing to do I will try to hunt them up a little."

He entered his home with a smile.

"Well, mother, dear, here is the receipt. Mr. Lacy was so pleased!"

Amy looked up from her work.

"I am glad; oh! I am so glad to have paid him, Owen! Now he knows that his confidence was not misplaced—he knows that we are honest," she said.

"There is a shilling left, mother dear! What shall I buy with it for to-morrow's dinner?" inquired the boy.

Amy reflected for a moment. It required thought to lay out that mite to advantage.

"Owen, you may get two pounds of cheap lean beef to make us some soup to-morrow, and then the next day we can hash the cold beef, so it will serve for two days."

Owen was off like a flash, and soon returned with his frugal marketing. When he got back, Nancy had the supper ready. But neither mother nor son complained of their fare. On the contrary, both were grateful for it, and Amy asked a blessing on it. Owen ate his bread and treacle with a good appetite, and poor Amy drank cup after cup of tea with feverish avidity.

And when supper was over she told Nancy to set the teapot on the stove, as she should want to drink it all through the evening to support her strength, as she had to sit up and sew until twelve o'clock.

Owen heard that with dismay. He implored his mother to leave off and go to bed, but in vain. Amy told him that she had promised to finish that dress that night, so that the owner could send for it and get it early the next morning to wear to church.

Then Owen begged to be permitted to sit up with his mother and read to her. But again he pleaded in vain. Amy would not allow him so to tax his strength. She laid her commands upon him to go to bed and go to sleep.

Ah! she might send her boy off to bed, but to sleep was not so easy a matter.

Owen lay awake, watching, until midnight, when his mother at last come up to her room.

To be Continued.

Mr. Emerson's Home.

In a pleasant paper in the *Christian Union* describing a day in Concord, Mass., the Rev. J. DeWitt Miller, of New York City, says:

"Nearer the village [than Mr. Olcott's and Hawthorne's], and standing close by the fork of the roads, is Mr. Emerson's. A plain fence comes well into the street, and not many feet back stands the large, square-built house. To the left of the house is an over-grown wood-pile that speaks of long Winters and untold comfort in cheery fire-places. I mount the porch, and ring, and the servant ushers me into a roomy hallway and thence into Mr. Emerson's room at the right, a most pleasant apartment, not too large, but just large enough. To the left as I enter stands a book-case stretching from the floor to the ceiling. Upon one of the lower shelves are the five volumes which Mr. Emerson has given to the world. The furnishing of the room is plain to homeliness. In the centre stands a square-built mahogany table, and at its side an old-fashioned 'Boston rocker.' Upon the table are a few books, a pen and inkstand, and a much worn portfolio. Between two windows looking to the street is a square-built lounge. A chest of drawers is at the right of the lounge, and the window-sills toward the village are full of newspapers. A conch-shell such as our grandmothers used to think so highly ornamental, occupies an honored place upon the shelf over the fire-place. A few portraits are scattered upon the walls, and a fair bust of Charles Sumner is given a conspicuous position. Presently Mr. Emerson enters. His thin, white hair is carefully combed over his bald crown, and his old-fashioned turn-over collar barely conceals the edge of his black silk handkerchief. He is dressed in a Prince Albert coat, black vest, and light pantaloons, and dangles his 'eyes' as he calls them, in his left hand. He eagerly and persistently asks questions about the busy world outside, and seems to look upon his visitor as a messenger come to give him glimpses of that grosser existence the slightest noise of whose tireless life scarcely reaches him. It has been said of late that Mr. Emerson was growing old very fast, and was losing, in some respect, the use of his faculties. I found, in the two hours I remained with him, the only indication of this to be that matters of contemporaneous worldly importance are apt to be forgotten, and that very often he finds it difficult to recall the word that he wishes to use, but his intellect when turned to the illumination of the themes in the contemplation of which his life has been spent, is as clear, as grasping, as unapproached and unapproachable as ever. When asked if he had undergone a change of religious belief, he replied that he had seen no reason whatever for modifying the views he had held for so many years. He accompanied me to the door as I took my departure, putting me under additional obligations for his kindness by saying that he was 'an old man, and saw very few visitors,' and I left him whose genius as a philosopher is unrivalled save by his virtues as a man."

The Dutchman's Trouble with his Telephone.

"I guess I haf to gif up my delephone already," said an old citizen of Gratiot avenue yesterday, as he entered the office of the company with a very long face.

"Why, what's the matter now?"

"Oh! eferytings. I got dot delephone in mine house so as I could shpeak mit der poys in der saloon down town, and mit my relations in Springwells; but I haf to gif it up. I nefer haf so much droubles."

"How?"

"Vell, my poy, Shon, in der saloon, he rings der pell und calls me oop und says an old frent of mine vhants to see how she works. Dot ish all right. I say 'Hello!' und he says, 'Come closer.' I goes closer und helloes again. Den he says, 'Shtand a little off.' I shtands a little off und yells vunce more, und he says, 'Shpeak louder.' I yells louder. It goes dot vhay for ten minutes, und den he says, 'Go to Texas, you old Dutchmans.' You see?"

"Yes."

"Und den mein brudder in Springwells he rings der pell und calls me oop und says how I vhas dis eafnings? I says I vhas feeling like some colts, und he says, 'Who vhants to puy some goats?' I says, 'Colts—colts—colts!' und he answers, 'Oh! coats. I thought you saidt goats!' Vhen I goes to ask him of he feels petter, I hears a voice crying oudt, 'Vhat Dutchmans ish dot on dis line?' Den somepody answers, 'I doan' know, but I likes to punch his headt!' You see?"

"Yes."

"Vhell, somedimes my vife vhants to shpeak mit me vhen I am down in der saloon. She rings mein pell und I says, 'Hello!' Nopody shpeaks to me. She rings again, und I says 'Hello!' like dunder! Den der Central Office tells me go aheadt, und den tells me holdt on, und den tells my vhife dot I am gone avhay. I yells oudt dot ish not so, und somepody says, 'How can I talk if dot old Dutchmans doan' keep shtill? You see?"

"Yes."

"And when I gits in bedt at night, somepody rings der pell like der house vas on fire, und vhen I shumps oudt and says 'Hello,' I hear somepody saying, 'Kaiser, doan' you vhant to puy a dog?' I vhants no dog, und vhen I tells 'em so, I hear some peoples laughing, 'Haw! haw! haw! You see?'"

"Yes."

"Und so dake it oudt, und when somepody likes to shpeak mit me dey shall come right avay to mein saloon. Oof my brudder ish sick he shall get petter, und if somepody vhants to puy me a dog, he shall come vhere I can punch him mit a glub!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

PUBLIC OPINION.

Art Gallery.

To the Editor of THE STAR:

SIR,—I would respectfully draw the attention of the Art Association to the fact that a large class of our citizens—the working people—are virtually excluded from the privileges of the Gallery, as the hours, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., are suited only to a privileged class. Why not have the Gallery open every Saturday night, or, better still, for a couple of hours on Sunday afternoon? It seems a little too bad that the exclusive plan that at present obtains should be persisted in. To say that the working class have no interest in art is not correct, as witness how the place was crowded during the free admission. The primary aim of founding the Association was to foster art and encourage a taste for the beautiful, and as a correct taste is not necessarily the accompaniment of broad acres or broadcloth, neither is it always wanting in the poor and the humble.

MECHANIC.

Tilley and Cartwright.

To the Editor of THE STAR:

SIR,—I happened to be in the House of Commons when Sir Richard Cartwright replied to Sir Samuel Tilley, and when Sir Samuel in turn "castigated" Sir Richard. I cannot say that I was edified on either occasion, and I could not help thinking that neither of the statesmen in question gave a good example to the younger members of the House. Their language was far from being refined, in fact it was what some people would call coarse. Surely politicians are not possessed of such a burning patriotism that they cannot speak to each other in a becoming manner? If they are, then the sooner they understand that the people would like to see a change, the better. We talk a great deal about "This Canada of Ours," and indulge in a good deal of cant about the "greatness of the Dominion," &c., &c., and we see two of the leading statesmen of the country abusing each other like pickpockets. If this is politics, I am not surprised that our best men fight shy of it altogether.

Yours, &c.,

CANADIAN.

The Rev. Mr. Bray and Col. Ingersoll—Christianity vs. Infidelity.

To the Editor of THE STAR:

SIR,—I have heard both of the above named gentlemen on the above named subjects respectively. Col. Ingersoll had a large and intelligent audience composed of most of our leading merchants and professional men and a large representation of our young men especially, who appeared from their applause to coincide with the views expressed by the Colonel. The Colonel and those present, however, it must be remarked, were carefully watched by the Chief of Police and three detectives under the instructions of our Mayor. Had any attempt been made to stop the lecturer, it is probable the chief and detectives would have been quietly dropped into the street by the indignant audience. The Rev. A. J. Bray was present, and after the lecture was concluded actually went on to the platform and passed into the room off it, to see the Colonel. I can imagine what a thrill must run through the Christian community at such a statement, and what prayers must be offered up for the Rev. gentleman by his fellow pastors in this city. Did Mr. Bray dare to call upon Col. Ingersoll? Did he extend his hand to him? No Christian minister could dream of such a thing. I have spoken to over fifty who were present at the lecture, and all of them expressed the same idea. "Ingersoll's arguments are unanswerable." "No minister in the city will take up the gauntlet." "They will hear him with silence and contempt; these are their only weapons." It may be said that the young men who were present must have very weak intellects, and little faith to be so easily shaken. It may be so. It may be even that infidelity and skepticism have a much stronger hold on our young men than is dreamed of, but one thing is certain, if the Christian doctrine be true, Christ died for the weak as well as for the strong. Who was the man who boldly challenged Col. Ingersoll in this crisis? What minister of Christ came forward without fear to uphold His cause? The Rev. Mr. Bray. No one could properly answer Mr. Ingersoll unless *he heard him*, as even the press did not report his lecture. As I looked round Zion Church last Sunday evening I saw face after face that I had seen at Col. Ingersoll's lecture; the same men who had listened to Ingersoll listening with rapt attention to the Rev. Mr. Bray's answer. Permit me to say, Mr. Editor, that I consider, with hundreds of others, that the pastor of Zion Church has done more good by his sermon to uphold the wavering faith of men, and to check the impression made by Col. Ingersoll, than the vast congregation of ministers in this city, who treated his lecture with silence and were afraid to hear the cause of infidelity discussed in our midst.

Your obedt servt.

COURAGE.

Liability for Costs.

To the Editor of THE STAR:

SIR,—In a suit now pending against me and my former partner in business, I was summoned to appear in Court, which I did by fyling my appearance personally without attorney, which was duly taken by the Clerk of the Court. Since then the case has been hanging fire, my former partner employing attorneys to defend the action. Some time ago I was approached by a brother of the partner before referred to, who asked me if I would leave certain documents with his brother's lawyers, which I declined to do, on the ground that such action would be looked upon by them as clientage on my part. He then offered to go with me to their office to remove any such impression, and I, thinking it a fair and square offer, consented. Upon arriving at the office of the legal gentleman, and being introduced to him, my companion asked me if I could speak French, which I, of course, had to answer in the negative. A parley then ensued between the lawyer and my companion in French for about five minutes, at the conclusion of which a legal document was drawn up and handed me for my signature, with the lawyer's assurance that if I signed it he would defend my case free of expense. I at once found out, however, that this document had for its object the squaring off of an old score between my partner and myself, which I preferred to leave *in statu quo*, so I, of course, refused point blank to acquiesce in any such arrangement. I was then requested as a favor to leave certain documents they were in need of, which I afterwards did, as I found they had nothing with which to fight the case, first above referred to. It has since transpired that not only was my visit to the lawyers as previously described taken in the light of that of a client, but my name was actually used without my knowledge or consent in a joint action with my former partner, the object of which was precisely identical with that contained in the document which I refused to sign as above mentioned. Upon being apprised of these facts I at once remonstrated, and subsequently sent a letter to the lawyer, telling him in the most emphatic terms that I intended to appear in my own case *personally*, without attorney, when it comes on for trial. Now, sir, in the face of this can he carry the case on in my behalf and charge me with expenses? My former partner has plenty of means, and belongs to a wealthy family. Through conduct of his, which he has admitted, I have been considerably reduced in circumstances, and am now compelled to work hard as an employee to keep the wolf from the door. If his lawyer can now come upon me for expenses through my visiting his office under the above circumstances, which looks like a trap laid for me by the brother of my ex-partner, it would about wipe out what little furniture I have managed to get together in a very small home. Please give me your opinion in this matter and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

DEFENCE.

Ans.—No one is obliged to pay a lawyer if they have not employed him, and you can disavow the acts in question. Our advice would be for you to consult some respectable lawyer, who, for a very small fee, would examine the records, see exactly what position you were in and take steps to rid you of any liability in connection with the suit. Laymen generally make a mess of it, when they undertake to defend or prosecute their own cases, and the cheapest and best thing you can do is to do as above indicated.

A monk belonging to a monastery in Palestine having been assaulted and robbed on his way from Bethlehem to Jerusalem, his superior has appealed to the intervention of the French Consul, but the Italian Consul protests against this, the monk being an Italian. The dispute is to be settled by the ambassadors of the two Powers at Constantinople.

HISTORICAL ITEMS.

The first iron steamship was built in 1830.

Gold was discovered in California in 1848.

Until 1776 cotton spinning was performed by the hand spinning-wheel.

The first steam engine on this continent was brought from England in 1753.

It is not generally known that Andrew Jackson married a lady whose husband was still living. She was an amiable woman, and was most devoutly attached to the old warrior and statesman.

Ann Radcliffe, the popular English novelist, was born in London, in 1764. Her "Mysteries of Udolpho" had a wonderful sale in 1794, and for many and many years after that day. She was remarkable as possessing a most vivid and poetical imagination.

SOME VERY FAMOUS MEN BAD SPELLERS.—It must be admitted that Hogarth spelled ill (he writes "guilt" for "gilt" in a facsimile I possess,) and his education had been avowedly neglected. Nevertheless, instead of cataloguing his lapses, it might, perhaps, have been remembered that many of his contemporaries sinned nearly as much, and with less justification. Setting aside her Majesty Queen Anne, Marlborough, Peterborough, and others of rank, who may be held to be above such trifling considerations as doubling the consonant and so forth, I have found errors in scholars like Warburton—in Swift, even. In a letter of Dr. Watts, of pious memory, "the heavenly mansions" is written with a *t*. But I take Reynolds, who, as a painter, is more a case in point. In one letter of his, in Mr. Locker's collection, he writes "conunicate," "coffe-house," "Aden," and "Whales" (for Wales) twice. In his "Italian Journal" of 1750, which also belongs to Mr. Locker, I find, on hasty examination, "trofies," "Appollo," "espeacially," "agreable," "Raffiel," "Raffele." Many of these were no doubt due to mere carelessness. So, too, were some of Hogarth's, though no one seems to have excused him on that head, or to have remembered that orthography in the eighteenth century was not yet a fine art.—*Austin Dobson, in Notes and Queries.*

COFFEE.—In the early part of the eighteenth century, coffee was still a great luxury in France, and it is stated that Louis XV. expended fifteen million dollars yearly to gratify his daughter's extravagant use of it. At that time four or five guineas a pound was paid for coffee, or from twenty to twenty-five dollars. In 1714 Louis XVI. was presented with a coffee-tree by the magistrates of Amsterdam. It was committed to the care of the head gardener for propagation and by him taken to Martinique, where he could give it the most careful cultivation. The voyage was severe and long; but when the food and water failed, and all were put on short rations, so sacredly did the gardener who had charge of the tree protect and guard it that he divided his small pittance of water with it during the storm to keep it from dying. By such faithful care, according to the French legend, the one coffee-tree presented to the king was brought safely to the hot India soil, and from that one plant, by skilful propagation, have sprung most of the coffee plantations and supplies that are now so widely and freely scattered over Europe. The English, however, dispute this story, (as a matter of course.) They claim that fifty-seven years earlier an English merchant brought coffee from Smyrna which his Turkish servant taught him to prepare, and that after a time this servant opened a coffee-house in London, in partnership with a son-in-law of his former master. Both stories may well enough be true.

SKINS, MONEY.—How were the men to be brought together who wanted each other's articles? How was the farmer to find a tailor who would give him a coat in exchange for a sheep or a sack of corn? How was he to get furniture from an upholsterer with a calf or a load of hay? The progress of human life would have been brought to a dead-lock. Village life on a petty scale, upon the system of things made to order, would have been the inevitable fate of human beings. Some contrivance was imperiously called for to clear away the difficulty, and thus it happened that money was invented. It made its appearance at the very origin of the human race; savages bethought themselves of furs or skins to make trade, the exchange of goods, possible. Their instinct revealed to them the principle of money, the principle of all instruments of exchange. They saw that the only way to get over the perplexity was to select some article which every one should be willing to take in exchange for the goods which he had to sell, and then with it to buy those particular things which he required for the supply of his wants. The path for trade was instantly cleared for the whole human race. Money was found forever in the form of that primitive period—skins. Its essence and action were discovered for all time. Furs acted as an interposed commodity, as a go-between; between what a seller parted with and what he obtained in return, and this has been the nature of all money down to this very hour. The skins so employed were instruments for exchanging goods, and nothing else; and so are sovereigns and dollars and every form of money. The mighty machinery of division of employments was at once brought within the reach of the human race. Progress in civilization was made possible. The hatter and the shoe-maker could make hats and shoes for the whole town. The grocer could pile up stores in his shop for all. The manufacturer could weave cloth for the whole community. They all relied, and their confidence was not deceived, on their goods being bought with money, whatever that money happened to be, and on their being able in return to procure with it whatever they required. And here it was that consent came in for money, and still continues to come in. All the hunters took skins for their agreement; no law or force compelled them. The skins came naturally into use as convenient for all. And so it is now. No law forces any shop-keeper to sell his goods for coin. He may prefer barter. He may affix a leg of mutton as the price of one article, a pair of boots as that of another. But he consents to take sovereigns and shillings, and what he does every one does too. So, also, does the government of the nation. It selects its form of money at its own pleasure, and every laborer and merchant adopts it.—*Bonamy Price, in Fraser's Magazine.*

CURIOUS FACTS.

Scarlet fever was lately transmitted to over thirty persons in one English neighborhood, by means of infected milk.

The Countess Massena, the daughter-in-law of the first Napoleon's field marshal of that name, is now reported a domestic in a Salt Lake family.

The pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Deposit, N.Y., preaches from a pulpit in Delaware County to an audience in Broome County. The county line runs between the minister's desk and the pews.

A Vermont man living in St. Johnsbury advertised his delinquents by driving a wagon through the streets with their names painted on the side in large letters. After dinner, when the team again appeared several of the names were marked paid.

Cuttle bone is not bone at all, but a structure of pure chalk, once embodied loosely in the substance of certain extinct species of cuttlefish. It is inclosed in a membraneous sac within the body of the fish, and drops out when the sac is opened, but has no connection whatever with the sac or the cuttlefish.

Samuel W. Melvin's wife, in answer to his advertisement as to leaving his bed and board, retorts by saying that his bed was a bunk filled with straw and the board a slab; that the ladies should beware, as he is again in the market, and has already killed two wives by starvation and brutality, besides damaging the third.

The condition of Olympia, Washington Territory, is thus described by the Puget Sound *Courier*: "We are completely shut out from the outside world to-day. It is impossible for the mails to go or come by land or water; the steamboats are tied up at their wharves, and the telegraph is of no more use than a broken clothesline."

In 1802 there was no snow until Feb. 1, and in the first week in April in Connecticut the snow was nearly five feet deep on a level. Snow shoes were used by Northfield people in getting to church. On the 19th of April peach trees were in blossom, and the 1st of May Amos Morse turned his cattle to grass, so abundant was the feed.

A literary curiosity has just been published in Amsterdam. It consists of three short stories, possessing the peculiarity that in each of them only one vowel is employed; in the first *a*, in the second *e*, and in the third *o*, according to which the stories are entitled, "A-Saga," "E-Legende," "O-Sprook." In the Dutch language only would such a feat be possible.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

The ecclesiastical property in New York exempt from taxation is valued at $110,000,000.

Mr. Jay Gould, now controls 7,864 miles of railroad, and will soon control 304 miles more.

Over 1200 miles of railroad, it is claimed, are under contract or actually building in Texas.

In 1840 the debts of the New England States were $4,840,000. The debts of the same states now amount to $51,000,000.

Last year twelve persons in the United States and Europe gave an aggregate of $3,000,000 to the cause of foreign missions.

The Pullman car company has just closed a $275,000 black-walnut lumber contract, the largest hard-wood lumber purchase ever made in Detroit.

The total debt of the United Kingdom is now £779,551,000, an increase since the accession to power of the present Government in 1874 of only £268,000.

Beyond the fact that Queen Victoria receives $1,925,000 a year from the British nation, and $200,000 a year from the duchy of Lancaster, and that the fortune left to her by the miser Neild amounted to $2,500,000, no one knows except herself and secretary what her income is.

British imports since 1869 have risen in value from $1,457,000,000 to $1,810,000,000, or about 23 per cent, while the imports of the United States have advanced but 18 per cent. In the same period, however, the exports from the United States have doubled, while British exports have advanced hardly 1 per cent, or from $943,750,000 to $957,500,000.

Nova Scotia shipped but 51,641 tons of coal to the United States last year,—the smallest quantity for some time. The Dominion's new protective policy, however, enabled the province to make the loss good by heavier shipments to the upper provinces. Nova Scotia's yield of gold was increased from 12,557 to 13,501 ounces, besides which she mined 29,889 tons of iron, 95,126 tons of gypsum, 5562 tons of building stone and 1075 tons of grindstones.

A week's work in Birmingham comprises, among its various results, the fabrication of 14,000,000 pens, 6000 bedsteads, 7000 guns, 300,000,000 cut nails, 100,000,000 buttons, 1000 saddles, 5,000,000 copper coins, 20,000 pairs of spectacles, six tons of papier-mache wares, over £30,000 worth of jewelry, 4000 miles of iron and steel wire, ten tons of pins, five tons of hair-pins and hooks and eyes, 130,000 gross of screws, 500 tons of screw bolts and spikes, fifty tons of iron hinges, 350 miles' length of wax for vestas, forty tons of refined metal, forty tons of German silver, 1000 dozen of fenders, 3500 belows and 800 tons of brass and copper wares.

The whole number of registered voters in England is 2,459,999 in a population of 22,764,300, or a little more than one voter to ten inhabitants. In the cities called boroughs there is one voter to every six or seven inhabitants, while in the rural districts, country villages, and among the farmers there is not one voter to every twenty inhabitants. This is because the farm hands are all disfranchised, and most of the laboring classes in the small towns. In Scotland there are 307,941 voters in a population of 3,366 375, or about one to eleven inhabitants. The same causes that operate in England to disfranchise the laboring classes operate in Scotland. In Ireland only 231,239 men are permitted to vote out of a population of 5,486,703, or one man to every twenty-five inhabitants or four-fifths of the male adults are disfranchised. And yet the Tories proclaim that "the Irish enjoy the same political rights and privileges as the English and Scotch, and still they are not contented." The total registered voters in the three kingdoms are 3,000,000 in a population of 33,000,000.

Western Debts and Eastern Capital.

Western newspapers never weary of telling their readers how much richer the West is than the East, and how rapidly and steadily that section is gaining upon this. They frequently present figures to prove their statements, but these are apt to be presented in a way to count entirely in their favor. A little investigation reveals another side than the one usually exhibited. Notwithstanding averments to the contrary, it is doubtful if legitimate labor in the West insures a larger net income through actual product than in the East. A Western farmer does not, as a rule, make as much money on 100 acres of land as an Eastern farmer does. There a farmer must plow three times as much ground and plant, hoe, and carry to market three times as much corn to get $1 as a farmer does here. A Western farmer grows prosperous by buying land at $5 an acre, and selling it, after a few years' cultivation and the introducing of a railway, for $25 to $50 an acre. The greater portion of pecuniary increment in the West is from this source, not from the actual product of crops, as it is in the East. According to the last census, if Illinois had as many men and women employed in proportion to its inhabitants as New Hampshire and Massachusetts had, it would set at work 26,300 men and 76,000 women, who are now mere consumers, and they would earn enough annually to build and equip 1,100 miles of railway. Wealth is correctly reckoned as the amount a man owns over and above what he owes. The debts of the West are far greater than is generally thought, and nearly all its wealth, being on the surface, shows, as in its railways, growing towns, teeming farms, &c. In the East, however, great sums of capital are invisible, often sustaining Western enterprises. Municipal debts in the East and West are very different. In the East, a debt, whether State or municipal, is due to its citizens; but in the West such a debt is generally due to some Eastern capitalist. So it was with the Western railways. More than one-half of their capital belongs to men living in the East; but they own the greater part of their own roads. Of the $800,000,000 deposited in the savings banks of the Republic in 1879 the Eastern States owned all but $50,000,000, and not $15,000,000 of this belonged to the Western States. Of the national bank capital the West owns $60,000,000 and the East $316,000,000, while the national debt is held in about the same proportion. Eastern men hold most of the mortgages on Western property. A single banking house here, for example, collects $500,000 interest annually on money lent on mortgages, mainly in Iowa. If a balance could be struck, and all debts cancelled to-day between Eastern and Western men, there is very little question that the former would be able to show $3 where the latter could show $1.—*N. Y. Times.*

Influence of Electric Light on Vegetation.

Dr. Siemens recently gave, before the Royal Society in London, an account of some very interesting and important experiments which he has been making with the view of determining the influence of electric light on vegetation. The experiments had been made with mustard, carrot, bean, cucumber, melon, and other quick-growing plants. These, which had been planted in pots, he had arranged in four classes or groups. One class was kept always in the dark, another in the light of day as long as possible, a third always in the electric light, and the fourth was exposed to daylight and electric light in succession. It was found that the plants would not live long when kept in the dark, but that they would thrive about as well in the electric light as the daylight. But those did best of all which were constantly exposed to both daylight and electric light in succession. Dr. Siemen's experiments extended through only about two months, and he does not claim that the results are conclusive or final. But he has reached the conclusions that plants do not require any rest during the 24 hours; that their growth may be materially quickened by giving them the benefit of electric light at night: that electric light will produce chlorophyl in the leaves of plants and promote their growth, and that injurious effects upon plants are not caused, to any material extent, by the small amount of carbonic acid and nitrogenous compounds generated in the electric arc. Dr. Siemens further expresses the opinion that the effects of night frost may be counteracted, and the ripening of fruit promoted, by means of the radiation of heat from powerful electric arcs. If there results shall be confirmed by further experiments which Dr. Siemens is making, the practical value which the facts will have in horticulture is manifest. They will also afford new facilities for the investigation of some important scientific questions as to the influence of natural light on vegetation. Dr. Siemens gave his audience a beautiful illustration of one of his experiments by putting some budding tulips in a strong electric light, which in about 40 minutes caused the buds to open out in full bloom.—*N. Y. Times.*

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Dept. of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 11th February, 1880.

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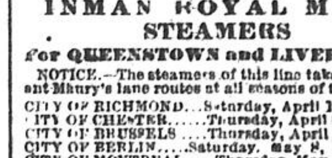
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Leave Three Rivers	6.25 p.m.	4.15 a.m.
Arrive Quebec	9.25 p.m.	9.00 a.m.

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	MAIL.	MIXED.
Leave Quebec	9.30 a.m.	5.30 p.m.
Leave Three Rivers	12.45 p.m.	4.00 a.m.
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" Trois Pistoles..........2:41 "
" Rimouski..........4:25 "
" Campbelltown..........8:15 "
" Dalhousie..........9:55 "
" Bathurst..........12:00 A.M.
" Newcastle..........1:42 "
" Moncton..........5:00 "
" St. John..........9:25 "
Halifax..........1:40 P.M.

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The Trains to St. John and Halifax remain in Moncton over Sunday.

The Trains leaving Halifax at 1:14 P.M. and St. John at 5:05 P.M. and which reach Montreal at 6:30 A.M. by connecting at Point Levi with Grand Trunk Train leaving at 7:30 P.M., remain at Campbelltown over Sunday.

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" Aylmer at	2.35 p.m.	and	[illegible]
	A.M.		P.M.
Express Trains from Aylmer at	8.15	and	[illegible]
" " " Hull at	9.20	and	4.30
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