DAILY WITNESS

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Notices of births, marriages and deaths, invariably must be endorsed with the name and address of the sender, or otherwise no notice can be taken of them. Verses and extended obituary notices are charged for at regular rates.

MARRIED.

JOHNSON—McCLATCHIE.—On the 21st May, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Geo. Cooper Poyser, Vernon W. Johnson to Isabella Martha McClatchie, both of Hinchinbrook, Que.

BULLOCK—THERRIEN.—In this city, on the 27th of May, at L'Oratoire, by the Reverend Theodore Lafleur, assisted by the father of the bride, William S. Bullock, to Ellen Evangeline, eldest daughter of Rev. A. L. Therrien, of Montreal.

TETT—KILNER—At Toronto, May 22, Benjamin Tett, of Newborough, to Charlotte H. Kilner, granddaughter of Major-General Kilner, R.E.

DIED.

EVANS.—At Cote St. Antoine, on the 26th inst., Selina Wood, relict of the late William Evans.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, the 29th inst., at 2.30 p.m., from the residence of her son Frederick W. Evans, 55 Cote St. Antoine Road, to St. Matthias Church, thence to Mount Royal Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

CRITCHLOW.—At Palm Springs, San Diego Co., Lower California, on Dec. 8th, 1889, Elizabeth Young, wife of Mr. Thomas Critchlow, formerly of Montreal.

Interred in Mount Royal Cemetery May 27th, 1890.

HONEY.—At West Bolton, Que., on the 19th inst., of heart disease, Arthur Wentworth, oldest and beloved son of John and Mary Honey, aged 12 years, 1 month and 4 days.

He fell asleep in Jesus.

PARKER.—At Tyneside, Ont., on the 23rd May, 1890, Margaret Norval, beloved wife of B. W. Parker, in the 37th year of her age.

ADAMS.—In this city, on the 27th inst., Mrs. Sarah Nickless, widow of the late Wm. Adams, in her 89th year.

Funeral from the residence of her niece, Mrs. J. W. Maxwell, 1827 Ontario street, on Thursday, May 29th, at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. No flowers.

BEALL.—At Whitby, Ont., on Friday, the 23rd May, Theophilus Beall, aged 35 years 10 months and 27 days, son of the late William Beall, of Columbus, Ont.

BIFFIN.—At the Church Home, Montreal, May 27, Mrs. Elizabeth Biffen, aged 96 years.

Funeral from Christ Church Cathedral, on Thursday, May 29th, at 10 a.m.

HALL.—At Inverness, Que., on the 11th inst., of inflammation of the lungs, Thomas Hall, aged 53 years, 3 months and 7 days.

MULDOON.—On the 29th inst., Patrick N. Muldoon, son-in-law of William Conroy, Esq., aged 29 years and 6 months.

Funeral from his late residence, 11 Plateau street, on Sunday, at 2.30 p.m.

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THURSDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 29.

Last Edition

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

CABLE.

NO *RAPPROCHEMENT.*

ST. PETERSBURG, May 29.—The papers here deny the truth of the reports of a Russo-German *rapprochement*, which they say would be incompatible with the existence of the Dreibund, which encourages Austrian designs in the Balkans.

CABLE NOTES.

It is officially announced that the Emperor William is recovering from the effects of the recent accident by which he sprained his right ankle.

A canister of gunpowder was exploded outside of the police barracks at Cashel, Ireland, yesterday.

Meissonier's original picture "1814" has been bought by M. Cauchard, ex-manager of the Magasin Louvre, for £34,000 the highest price on record for a picture by a living artist.

Count Tolstoi is, according to a St. Petersburg despatch, dangerously ill with peritonitis.

AMERICAN.

RAILWAY RATES.

CHICAGO, May 29.—A meeting of the Western general passenger agents of all the interested lines will be held to-day to fix a date for the restoration of rates. The Wisconsin Central has already signed the agreement. This removes the only apparent obstacle to the establishment of peace.

THE NEW UNIVERSITY.

CHICAGO, May 29.—At the session of the Baptist Educational Society here yesterday it was stated that Mr. Marshal Field had pledged $125,000 toward the cost of the sites of the new university. The total pledged to the new institution is $1,200,000. The announcement that the Jewish citizens of Chicago had raised $27,000 toward the enterprise called out enthusiastic applause. The new institution will be called the University of Chicago. The alumni of the old university are raising $50,000 to endow a professorship as a memorial to President Edward Olsen, who perished in the Minneapolis *Tribune* fire. The Hon. George A. Pillsbury, of Minneapolis, was re-elected president of the Society, and the Rev. F. T. Gales corresponding secretary. Two thousand people were present last night at the closing exercises of the Baptist anniversary. A telegram was read from Mr. John D. Rockefeller, accepting the report of the raising of the $400,000 for the new university. Mr. Rockefeller pledged himself anew to give $600,000. The reading of the telegram was greeted with tremendous applause.

CANADIAN.

THE ANCIENT CAPITAL.

(*From Our Own Correspondent.*)

QUEBEC, May 28.

THE ROYAL COMMISSION.

It is not yet known when the Royal Commission appointed to investigate the Whelan-Pacaud scandal will begin their enquiry. It is said, however, that the Commissioners will meet on Saturday to fix a day for it, and it is thought that the commencement of next week will be selected. With regard to the despatches claimed to have been exchanged between Messrs. Mercier and Pacaud relative to the $10,000, it is said that the Premier applied to the two telegraph companies which perform the service between Quebec and Montreal, the Great North-Western and the Canadian Pacific, and has obtained from their managers certificates to the effect that no such despatches ever passed through their offices. Mr. Jacques Malouin, the Quebec Commissioner, was formerly M.P. for Quebec Centre, under the Mackenzie Administration, and his appointment gives general satisfaction, as he has been out of politics for some years and is regarded as an exceedingly upright and honest man, besides being one of the soundest lawyers at the Quebec Bar.

A CONSERVATIVE CAUCUS.

Leading Conservatives here have been in secret conclave this afternoon with Sir Adolphe Caron, it being thought that their business related to the bringing out of candidates for Quebec County and the different city divisions, but the result has not transpired. They have, however, called a public meeting of Conservatives and Liberals at Tara Hall for to-morrow night, and Sir Adolphe, the Hon. E. J. Flynn and others are to speak at it. It is quite possible there may be some trouble, as *L'Electeur* will, it is understood, denounce the gathering in furious terms to-morrow morning.

A REPUDIATION.

At the last meeting of the District Trades and Labor Council, a motion was unanimously adopted repudiating the circular issued by certain Levis Conservatives to the effect that certain well known organized labor men of this city had consented, with Mr. Lepine, M.P., to address the meeting held there on Sunday last against Mr. F. X. Lemieux. All the members of the Council emphatically denied that they had promised to address or even attend the meeting in question.

NOTES.

Large quantities of powder were shipped to-day by B Battery to Montreal.

A leading Lower Town lumber merchant stated to-day that the difficulties of Smith, Wade & Co. would seriously affect the local lumber trade, unless they effected a settlement. They had bought two million feet of lumber for the Quebec market and, unless a settlement was reached, it was questionable whether this timber would come down.

The Quebec Government has retained Mr. W. Cook, Q.C., to assist the Hon. F. Langelier in the Pacaud-Whelan scandal enquiry.

The Chief of the Fire Brigade has been instructed to strictly enforce the civic law against wooden buildings.

One of the partners of Armstrong & Co's. bank, of London, was here yesterday on his way to Fraserville with Mr. J. J. Macdonald to visit the Temiscouata Railway, of which his firm negotiated the bonds on the English market.

QUEBEC, May 29.

THE ELECTIONS.

Yesterday a large and influential convention of Quebec County electors was held at the rooms of the Junior Conservative Club in this city, ex-Warden Bedard presiding, to select a candidate in opposition to Mr. Chas. Fitzpatrick, the Government nominee. Sir Adolphe Caron was present and said that though he would have preferred to enter the contest under other circumstances than against his own brother-in-law, still, he could not desert his old friends at the crisis. He, therefore, pressed on Mr. T. Chas. Casgrain to recall his decision about refusing the Conservative nomination and in this he was joined by all present, Mr. Casgrain finally agreeing to re-consider his decision and give his final answer this afternoon. The presence of Sir Adolphe Caron in Quebec to take a hand in the coming contest seems to have infused some life into the local Conservatives who have hitherto appeared very downhearted and disorganized. Although much valuable time has been lost, they seem to be now setting about the organization in earnest. There is a report current, the truth of which, however, *Le Canadien* denies, that Mr. Flynn has received $40,000 from the Federal Government, which may possibly account for the revival of their spirits. Still they are without candidates in thirteen counties of the thirty-one in the district, while the Government has had nominees in all of them for a long time past, and in some of the counties their standard bearers are clearly in the field only to prevent elections by acclamation.

Mr. Mercier will leave for Bonaventure on June 7th to prepare for his election, and Mr. Carrier goes to Gaspe on the 15th to oppose Mr. Flynn.

The Opposition candidate in Dorchester, Mr. Bernier, is a professor of Laval University, and will, it is believed, poll a good vote.

Mr. Lemieux held a large meeting in Levis last night, which he addressed for nearly two hours, followed by Dr. Guay, M.P., and other Ministerial speakers.

NOTES.

The report of the appointment of Dr. De-Grandbois as collector of Customs at this port is contradicted.

The Governor-General paid a visit to the Lieut.-Governor at the Parliament buildings yesterday.

It is thought possible that the Duke and Duchess of Connaught will not pass through here next week, but go by the Canadian Pacific Railway short line from Montreal to St. John, where they will be the guests of Sir Leonard Tilley, before proceeding to the Metapedia for salmon fishing. It will probably be the 10th or 11th of June before they come here to sail by the "Sardinian."

Nothing has yet been agreed upon between the creditors of Smith, Wade & Co.

The first arrivals of fresh salmon here yesterday brought 50 cents a pound.

The civic debentures authorized by the Legislature for improvements in St. Sauveur will shortly be placed on the market.

Mr. Corriveau, representing a Montreal electric light company, had an interview with the Levis Board of Trade relative to the cost of lighting that town with electricity.

THE QUEEN CITY.

(*Special to the Witness.*)

THE POLITICAL FIGHT.

TORONTO, May 29.—The political excitement is beginning to run high in Toronto. A meeting is being held each night by Conservatives, Liberals and Equal Righters, and an odd one thrown in by the new party. The speaking is fairly good and the tone not abusive, so the public entertainment of the campaign is not unsatisfactory. The Equal Righters varied their programme last night by presenting a gentleman from Manchester, England, who assured the audience that the British Government would grant any amendment to the B. N. A. Act asked for by Parliament. The Conservative meetings, so far, have been the least enthusiastic.

NOTES.

The City Council Committee on Technical Education have re-presented a report, recommending an appropriation of $8,000 for classics for working-people, with a fixed programme and a staff of teachers. The high taxation of the year may delay the scheme, but it is popular and may carry in Council.

The Trades and Labor Council have asked candidates to pledge themselves to the election of school trustees on the English School Board plan by an all city vote and Mr. Armour (Equal Righter) has declared himself.

Mr. F. S. Spence has a long letter in the *Globe* this morning pointing out that the "new party" has not the approval of the Dominion Alliance and has no title to represent the Prohibitionists of the province, most of whom are members of the old political parties.

WEATHER REPORT.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, May 28, 11 p.m.—Since last night there has been a slight increase in pressure over the St. Lawrence, but elsewhere in Canada there has been very little change. The weather has been showery in Eastern Quebec and the Maritime Provinces and fair in other parts of the Dominion. Light rain is falling this evening near Lake Huron. The wind has been light westerly on Lake Ontario and easterly on the other lakes. Maximum temperatures:—Calgary, 46; Qu'Appelle, 70; Winnipeg, 70; Toronto, 65; Montreal, 68; Quebec, 48; Halifax, 54. Probabilities for the next twenty-four hours:—Lakes, wind mostly east and south, generally fair weather, stationary or higher temperatures. St. Lawrence and Gulf, moderate winds, fair weather, stationary or higher temperature. Maritime, moderate winds, gradually clearing weather, with a little higher temperature.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SEASONABLE GOODS.—Henry Morgan & Co. are showing a line of ladies' white serge sailor hats, trimmed, navy, light blue and cardinal. These are exceedingly stylish, and make a very pretty headwear, to be worn with a boating or tennis suit.

A GREAT AND IMPORTANT FEATURE in the ladies' kid gloves sold at S. Carsley's is that they are made from the newest and best skins procurable for money, and sold at the lowest price.

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NEWS.

TRANSATLANTIC.

A BAND OF FIENDS.

A WARNING TO TRAVELLERS IN INDIA.

CALCUTTA, May 28.—At every station on the Eastern Bengal Railway passengers are warned not to accept food or drink offered to them by strangers, as an organized band has been discovered whose plan is to treat passengers to food, drink and sweetmeats which have been poisoned, and decamp with their booty. Many deaths have resulted from these crimes.

PARIS, May 28.—M. Secretan and others connected with the recent copper syndicate were found guilty of fraudulent practices to-day. Secretan was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and was fined 10,000 francs. Lavaisier was sentenced to three months' imprisonment and fined 600 francs. Hentch was fined 600 francs.

AMERICAN.

WAR ON THE NATIONAL SCHOOLS.

THE GERMAN ROMAN CATHOLICS' DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 28.—The members of the first state convention of German Roman Catholics in mass meeting last night adopted a declaration of principles which expresses submission to the Holy Father and the wish that the Papal State may be returned to him; acknowledges the final duty of Roman Catholics as members of the church and citizens; points to the sacrifices made by Roman Catholics in defence of the integrity of the union, and continues: "In order to make a nation capable of such sacrifices civil government must not only abstain from attacking personal and hereditary rights, but must protect these by wise, reasonable and just laws. Therefore we demand that religious liberty and liberty of conscience, the most holy and inalienable rights of all citizens, shall remain as granted, unaltered and unabridged. Furthermore, as we consider the maintenance of the above rights absolutely dependent upon the education of our children in our schools we demand this privilege and shall, independent of all other party political interests, join at the polls those citizens who are of the same opinion concerning church schools, so that in the struggle with our oppressors we may be more sure of victory and maintain for our people Christian principles. We, therefore, fully endorse the resolutions adopted by the convention of Roman Catholic benevolent societies of the state in reference to the Bennett law, endorsing the same in all their bearings."

THE INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—In the Senate to-day Mr. Sherman, from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, reported an amendment to be offered to the Consular and Diplomatic Appropriation bill authorizing the President to appoint, with the consent of the Senate, three commissioners to represent the United States in the international railway commission; also to detail army and navy officers to serve as engineers under the commission, and appropriating $65,000 as the United States' share in such commission and survey.

A BAPTIST UNIVERSITY.

CHICAGO, May 28.—The American Baptist Education Society met in annual session to-day. The announcement that the Society had raised $40,000, necessary to supplement the $600,000 given by Mr. Rockefeller, of Cleveland, for a Baptist University in Chicago, aroused great enthusiasm.

A BANK WRECKER CONVICTED.

NEW YORK, May 28.—At 7.35 the jury in the case of the bank wrecker Classen, rendered a verdict of guilty on five counts. These include embezzlement and misapplication. The jury was out six hours. Counsel for Classen gave notice of a motion for a new trial. Classen seemed unmoved. He was led to the marshal's office. When the news was imparted to his wife and daughter, Mrs. Classen fainted.

CANADIAN.

THE PRAIRIE PROVINCE.

THE SCHOOL TEST CASE.

WINNIPEG, May 28.—In the case against the teacher of St. Joseph's school where a bill was filed to restrain the teacher of a Roman Catholic school from continuing religious exercises in the school, to-day before Justice Bain, it appeared that as the question involved the constitutionality of the School Act of last session the judge intimated that it would be better to inform the Attorney-General of the fact, and, also, if he desired to be present or represented at the hearing, the court would be pleased to have him appear. The hearing was adjourned till Wednesday of next week to give the Attorney-General an opportunity of appearing.

NOTES.

Premier Greenway, who denies the correctness of interviews with him appearing in Toronto papers, has returned home.

At Battleford potatoes are selling for $2 a bushel.

Wheat is quoted in Winnipeg at 95 cents.

OBIT.

TORONTO, May 28.—The death is announced of the Rev. Calvin Shaw, one of the best known and most earnest workers in the mission field in the Methodist Church in the Dominion. The reverend gentleman's health had been failing for two years, and in November last he was compelled to abandon active work in connection with the church. He was, at that time, pastor of the congregation at Novar, Muskoka.

A NEW CHURCH.

WINCHESTER, Ont., May 28.—The cornerstone of the new English Church was laid here yesterday by the Masonic fraternity. The ceremony was performed by Lieut.-Col. Jackson. The attendance was large and the day fine. The Governor-General's Foot Guards' band rendered stirring and appropriate music. The proceeds of the day were over $200.

A FRENCH OUTRAGE.

NO WONDER THE NEWFOUNDLANDERS ARE ANGRY.

HALIFAX, May 28.—Advices from the west coast of Newfoundland to-night say that at Bay St. George, on the 23rd, the commanders of the French warships compelled the British residents to take up and remove all their fishing gear and nets from the water under threat of immediate destruction by the French forces. The French claimed that they wanted the fish at that place themselves. Unable to resist the armed force of France the helpless British inhabitants sullenly and reluctantly obeyed the orders of the foreigners.

THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., May 28.—The Royal special left Port Arthur at 10.15 this morning, making a splendid run to White river, a distance of 247 miles, with only three stops, and only one of consequence, that being at Schreiber, for ten minutes, where the party took a promenade. The train passed Chapleau, 131 miles east of White river at 12 o'clock midnight. Much faster time could have been made only the party wished for moderate speed during daylight.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., May 28.—In connection with the visit of the Duke of Connaught and party it has been arranged to have the American falls illuminated on Saturday night and each night thereafter during the season.

THE LIMESTONE CITY.

(Special to the Witness.)

GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

KINGSTON, May 28.—There are 1,345 Methodists on city church rolls. Last year about $15,000 was raised for all purposes.

A fine clock will be placed in St. Andrew's Church tower.

The Rev. Mr. Harding, curate of St. George's Cathedral, goes to England on a visit.

The pallium will be tendered Archbishop Cleary at the next consistory in June.

Mr. Matthew Gage has sold half his irrigating canal scheme in California to an English syndicate for $200,000. He will be retained as manager at $4,000 per year.

CRIMES AND ACCIDENTS.

DES MOINES, Iowa, May 28.—Professor G. W. Southeast, an artist formerly connected with Callaghan College, was found in his studio today fatally stabbed. The deed was done for robbery. The crime is enshrouded in mystery.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Luis D'Oteza Cortez, the former treasury official of Cuba, arrested here some months ago charged with embezzling $40,000 worth of bonds belonging to the Spanish government, was sent back to Havana to day.

MADRID, May 28.—A farm servant at Cordelia murdered his master and four other persons to-day. The murderer had been refused permission to visit a bull fight, and this led to the crime.

NEW YORK, May 28.—John Popoff, a young Russian, who on January 22nd shot and killed Mary Pelvokofsky because she refused to accept his attentions, was to-day sentenced to imprisonment for life.

WINNIPEG, May 28.—The gambling house of Bob Shaw was pulled on Sunday night and he was fined $40 and costs this morning. An appeal was entered. A number of well-known citizens were in the house at the time of the raid.

Letitia McChorister, an old Metis woman, was found dead last night after a prolonged debauch. She was well known in police circles.

THE MARKETS AND FEES.

SOME DISCUSSION AS TO THE COLLECTION—A MAN WHO WANTS MORE.

The Market Committee met yesterday morning, Ald. Malone presiding.

The Council having returned the report to extend St. Lawrence market through to St. Constant street for additional particulars respecting cost of improvement, past and anticipated revenues, etc., Ald. Griffin remarked that he had made enquiries and one party assessed at $18,000 wanted $50,000 for his property, another assessed at $9,000 asked double. He placed the total cost at between $300,000 and $400,000.

The question was referred to a sub-committee.

"That means," said Ald. Cunningham, "that it will never be heard of again." There was a smile, and the Committee proceeded to other business.

The Chairman wanted to know when a list of butchers who kept private stalls was to be forthcoming. Why did not the meat inspectors supply this? "Yes," said Ald. Griffin, "what are those men doing? They promenade up and down, that's about all."

Mr. Lesage reported the total collected from the butchers $600 in two weeks.

Dr. Laberge was requested to furnish a list of all private stalls for next meeting.

The Viger Market clerk complained that the city lost money through farmers selling cattle off the market boats instead of taking them to the markets. The Chief of Police had decided that the clerk had no right to visit the wharves and make collection. It was decided to force all farmers to take their cattle to market in future.

It being proposed to charge each fisherman 25c for the privilege of bringing a canoe of fish to the wharf and retailing it, Mr. Ethier stated that in such case the fishmongers who paid licenses would have a case for damages against the city, and the matter dropped.

Mr. Dufresne, City Auditor, having asked for instructions concerning Mr. Roy and the 25c horse tax, Mr. Ethier stated the tax was very unpopular, that the collector had not taken more than $150, while no less than seven actions were pending against the city in different courts. Mr. Roy—who farms the fees—said he was losing time and money, and it might be advisable to repeal the by-law, setting the whole thing on one side. The by-law, he believed, would be maintained by the courts, but the resolution appointing Mr. Roy collector would likely be disallowed. The Mayor, before leaving, had recommended asking Mr. Roy to abandon the right.

The Chairman—We could then appoint our own clerks and collect. Ald. Cunningham wanted the by-law repealed. Ald. Boisseau said that would mean an action from Mr. Roy for $2,000. Ald. Lamarche said Mr. Roy declared that out of $750 he had only collected $125. He would probably compromise with the city for two years lease of the horse market, worth $1,100. He claimed a loss of $475 in expenses.

Ald. Cunningham—That's nice! He has our property and now calls on us to pay damages.

Left over to hear from Mr. Roy.

HONORING AN OFFICIAL.

The Grand Trunk Railway employees and other citizens assembled in the Oddfellows' Hall, Richmond, on Friday evening and presented an address and purse to Mr. Robert Hay, superintendent of the Eastern and Champlain districts of the Grand Trunk, who is resigning on account of ill health. Mr. W. Young, chief clerk superintendent's office, presided; the programme consisting of an organ selection and addresses. Messrs Dr. Webber, W. E. Jones, and J. C. Sutherland testified to the high esteem in which Mr. Hay is held, and to the regret of all at his departure. Mr. Trenamad presented a handsomely illuminated address and purse (containing $100), speaking at the same time of Mr. Hay's untiring courtesy to everyone. Mr. Hay made a suitable reply.

Mr. and Mrs. Hay leave at once for a few months' sojourn in England and Scotland.

SUICIDE IN LANORAIE.

A report comes from Lanoraie that a young man named Adelard Herrieux, aged 22 years, committed suicide a few days ago by hanging. The unfortunate man had lately returned from the United States, bringing with him $1,200. He was living with his father and brother, but had been despondent ever since his return, and his act is attributed to a severe attack of hypochondriasis.

A DIVIDEND OF FIVE PERCENT.

The annual meeting of the Canada Shipping Company was held yesterday. A dividend of five percent was paid. The directors elected are Messrs. John McLennan, president; H. E. Murray, vice-president; Hugh McLennan, Alex. Buntin, Henry Lyman, James Crathern, Alex. Urquhart, Jonathan Hodgson and McPherson Lemoyne.

RELIEF FOR LONGUE POINTE ASYLUM.

The parish of Boucherville has sent $300 in money and $130 in effects to the authorities of the Longue Pointe asylum for the relief of the inmates.

ONE OF ONTARIO'S SOCIAL PROBLEMS

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

(Special Correspondence of the Witness.)

TORONTO, May 24.—Juvenile criminals have long been a subject of close study and earnest attention by a number of persons in this city who approach the question of crime from the side of prevention rather than from that of punishment. Prominent amongst these people is ex-Mayor Howland, whose impulsive character and unbounded enthusiasm are a great source of strength to any movement with which he identifies himself. The process by which the hardened criminals who prey on society are developed is not a mysterious one. The relation between cause and effect is easily discernible. The parents, for some reason, but too often from mere want of character, lose control of the child. They may be working hard for a living and be constrained to neglect their children, who learn all kinds of bad habits, and form all sorts of evil companionships on the streets. The same children resent the discipline of the public schools because it is too irksome for those who are allowed so much latitude at home and in the gutters. They play truant, and are punished until they become so hardened that neither the parents nor the truant officer can do anything with them. The commission of some petty crime brings them under the eye of the police, and in the usual, old-fashioned course, a few days in gaol in close companionship with fiends in human form make them not merely fit for a life of crime, but eager to enter upon it in spite of its risks. *Facilis descensus Averni.* Of recent years we have entered on a practical experiment of an interesting kind for the purpose of diverting this stream of young humanity from the broad road that is so densely travelled. This is the establishment of

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS,

the effect of which has been so far an almost complete success. The present condition of the only real school of this kind—the one at Mimico for boys—is the result of an interesting process of development. The law under which it is organized and maintained stood for years a dead letter on the statute book until the Public School Board was prompted to take action by the voluntary co-operation of a few sympathetic and benevolent, but at the same time practical men of business. Amongst them were Mr. Howland, Mr. Justin Proudfoot, Mr. McCabe, the general manager of the North American Life Assurance Company, Mr. Beverly Jones, a clear-headed lawyer. They raised a good deal of money for the erection of a suitable building, procured a free site from the Ontario Government, and induced the Public School Board to pay the salaries of the teaching staff. Three years ago the school opened with three pupils. At the end of a month there were 16; at the end of the first year, 50; at the end of a year and a half, 62; and at present there are 109—the full number that can be accommodated. It is expected that a new building will be added in a short time providing accommodation for 45 more.

WHY PUPILS GO THERE

may need, for some, a brief explanation. The discipline of the school is very strict, and runaways are brought back from places as distant as Chicago and Buffalo. By a law enacted a few years ago the county judges and police magistrates are authorized to commit to this school children who have got beyond parental control, even though they may have been guilty of no crime for which imprisonment would be a penalty. This power is freely but judiciously exercised, and it would be exercised with still greater freedom if the accommodation were at all adequate to the demands made upon it. Once, there, the boys—and the Mimico School is for boys alone—seem to like it, with few exceptions. Attempts to get away are few and far between, and the fact that sooner or later the police of the United States cities, acting in concert with our own, run them to earth and hand them over, has been brought thoroughly home to them. The discipline is of a very practical and useful kind. Part of each day is spent by the pupil in learning some useful trade, and part in ordinary school work. Each side of his nature is thus developed, which is more than can be said of the pupils attending the ordinary public schools.

THE USEFULNESS OF THE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL is not limited to those who come directly under its discipline. The public school authorities are able to bring, through its existence, a pressure to bear on viciously inclined boys that is very salutary. Quite recently, while on a visit to the City Inspector's office, I heard the complaint of a mother who had brought her boy to his notice. She had learned by accident that he had become a confirmed cigarette smoker and she could not break him off the cigarette habit. The inspector questioned the boy and ascertained who his companions were. He then entered the complaint against him in a book and warned him that when two more such marks against him were registered he would be turned over to the police and sent to fill the next vacancy in Mimico school. Another boy was brought to the inspector with the complaint from his mother that he was a confirmed truant. The inspector quietly but firmly told him that he had no choice as to whether he would go to school or not; all the choice left him was the school he would go to. If he preferred the one to which his mother sent him he could go there; if he refused to go there the police would decide for him and he would go to Mimico. He quickly made his choice with the evident intention of sticking to it. So strong a hold has the Industrial School idea taken of the people of Toronto that steps have just been taken to establish

AN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

It will be under the same Board of Management as the Boys' School, but the Board has wisely been enlarged to admit a number of ladies. The City Council will grant $20 000 for the purchase of a site and the public will be appealed to for funds to put up a building. The Public School Board will then supply a teaching staff, and the system will go into active operation. It is needed quite as much as the boys' school, perhaps more. The condition of the gutter girl is a very shocking one, and steps to reclaim her have been taken none too soon. Emerson once defined civilization as the "power of good women." The power of bad women must then be the very opposite. Repression of vicious women has not proved efficacious. All who earnestly desire the well-being of society, not to speak of the welfare of the children themselves, must sympathize with so practical a philanthropic project.

A GRAND TRUNK INCREASE.

The Grand Trunk Railway return of traffic for week ending May 24th, 1890, shows:—

	1890.	1889.
Passenger Train Earnings.....	$134,331	$134,837
Freight " "	248,733	237,421
Total for 1890.....	$383,064	$372,258
Increase in 1890, $10,806.		

THE NIGHT SCHOOL PRIZES.

The prizes to be given to the pupils of the evening schools at the formal distribution in the Drill Hall, on Monday next, will represent a value of several hundred dollars, and are made up as follows:—Thirty gold medals, two gold and silver medals, 18 silver medals, one book valued at $15, one at $6, six at $4, four at $3.50, 18 at $3, 23 at $2, 37 at $1.50, 76 at $1.25, 151 at $1, 127 at 75c, 177 at 50c; 21 at 25c, one $5 bank note, 31 $2 bank notes, 11 subscriptions to *Canada Artistique*, seven memberships in L'Union des Commis Marchands, one cheque for $3, one cheque for $2, nine miscellaneous prizes, three silver watches, one purse containing $25, 800 honorable mentions.

"Britannia" writes to ask why the Union Jack "was not hoisted over the City Hall and other civic buildings" on the Queen's Birthday. The answer is that the old flag did wave, from the City Hall at least.

The property of Jacob Wurtele on St. Lawrence Main street, opposite the market, was put up for sale in lots at Mr. Simpson's rooms yesterday. None of the offers reaching the upset price, there was no sale.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Ladies' Committee of the Day Nursery and Industrial School begs to acknowledge with thanks the following contributions: Mrs. James Skelton, framed picture; Mr. Alex. Tait, four bags of potatoes; Mrs. Brophy, two patchwork quilts, one pillow; Crescent Church Mission Band, towels and crib sheets; Mrs. Allan, toys and books; a big boy, toy dog; Mr. Macintosh, blanket suit; Mrs. Learmont, two dozen pairs of moccasins; Miss Hosmer, books; Master Frederick Archibald, two framed pictures and small rocking chair; Mrs. Hagar, children's shoes and rubbers; Mrs. L. H. Holton, underclothing; Mrs. McDunnough, two pairs baby stockings; Mrs. Corse, four baby jackets; Emmanuel Church, parcel of clothing; Miss Freygang, tin of Nestles' food, one pair stockings; T. H. Lyman, one baby sleigh; Mrs. Wilkes, one washstand; one parcel of clothing from Christ Church Cathedral "Ministering Children's League"; house and table requisites from the following:—Mrs. E. Holton, Mr. Hagar, Mrs. McDunnough, Mrs. Learmont, Mrs. Ames, Mrs. McIntosh; Mr. Mock, one box raisins; Mr. Tresider, one screen; Miss Helen McDunnough, books for children; "Children's Society" of Erskine Church, pin cushions and sachet bags; Mrs. Schultze, bundle of samples; Mrs. C. C. Campbell, one can Astral oil; St. Martin's Church St. Monica's Guild, parcel of clothes; E. D. K., curtains, clothing, etc.; Friend M., dresses, shirts and pinafores from Industrial Rooms; Mrs. E. G. Penny, baby carriage; worn clothing from the following—Mesdames J. B. Williamson, Archibald, R. S. Weir, Learmont, Bethune, Shearer, T. H. Lonsdale, Woodley, J. McKedie, S. Lindsay, James, A. S. Ewing, Young, Sutherland and Emmanuel Church; James A. Oglivy, one piece of dress goods; Ladies' Aid, Erskine Church, half dozen print pinafores, three woollen chemises, two pillow slips, one parcel coffee; Miss Thomas, flannel skirts; Mrs. Learmont, picture frames, Xmas cards; anonymous, parcel aprons, children's clothing; Mrs. Dewitt, toys and clothing; Mrs. Askew, Cash A.A., Mrs. Newton, $2 each; Mrs. H. E. Murray, Mrs. Jack Allan, $1; Mrs. Reford, $5; Church of Messiah S. S., $9 45; S. Greenshields & Co., $5; Cash, $2; Mrs. Colin Campbell, $1; Phoebe Tyldsley, 25c; Mr. W. C. McDonald, $10; Mr. Robert McKay, Mr. Hugh Graham, Messrs. J. Corristine & Co., Mrs. A. F. Gault, $5 each; Mrs. P. Laing, Mrs. Mackedie, Mr. Warden King, $2 each; Mrs. Jack, Miss Crathern, $1 each; Mrs. J. Cradock Simpson, $2; Mr. Badenach, Mrs. Badenach, Mr. W. Badenach, Miss Badenach, $1 each; Mrs. Chas. Childs, $5; American Church Sunday-school, $25; Mrs. Pillow, Miss Hastie, Morton, Phillips & Co., Wm. Dow & Co., Mr. F. Robertson, Mrs. Waddell, Mr. Jas. E. Macfarlane, Mr. Jas. Moore, Mr. Wm. Smith, $5 each; Mr. Richard Thomas, $6; Mrs. Ames, Mrs. Arthur Jacques, Mrs. Francis, A. Friend, Mrs. Benj. Dawson, Mrs. J. Cooper, Mrs. Jerdon, Mrs. J. R. Cowans, $1 each; Dr. Craik, J. E., Mrs. G. Reaves, Mr. R. A. Smythe, Miss F. Robertson, Mr. R. Reid, Mrs. A. A. Allan, Messrs. J. W. Grose, Antoine Hamilton, G. B. Muir, H. Hyman, W. V. Gordon, W. Rourke, Edward Askew, H. Dunne, W. Robb, $1 each; Mrs. Cleghorn, $1.50; Miss Spaulding, $1.50; Mrs. Dewit, five cent collections, $5; "In Memoriam," per the Rev. W. S. Barnes, $75.

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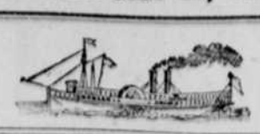
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CHAPTER XXXIII.—*(Continued.)*

Struck with the Jesuit's rare intelligence, feeling her curiosity greatly excited by some mysterious words that he had purposely uttered, hardly explaining to herself the strange influence which this pernicious counsellor already exercised over her, and animated by respectful compassion for a man of his age and talents placed in so precarious a position, Adrienne said to him with all her natural cordiality: "A man of your merit and character, sir, ought not to be at the mercy of the caprice of circumstances. Some of your words have opened a new horizon before me: I feel that, on many points, your counsels may be of the greatest use to me. Moreover, in coming to fetch me from this house, and in devoting yourself to the service of other persons of my family, you have shown me marks of interest which I cannot forget without ingratitude. You have lost a humble but secure situation. Permit me—"

"Not a word more, my dear young lady," said Rodin, interrupting Mdlle. de Cardoville, with an air of chagrin. "I feel for you the deepest sympathy; I am honored by having ideas in common with you; I believe firmly that some day you will have to ask advice of the poor old philosopher; and, precisely because of all that, I must and ought to maintain towards you the most complete independence.

"But, sir, it is I that would be the obliged party, if you deigned to accept what I offer."

"Oh, my dear young lady," said Rodin, with a smile, "I know that your generosity would always know how to make gratitude light and easy; but, once more, I cannot accept anything from you. One day, perhaps, you will know why."

"One day?"

"It is impossible for me to tell you more. And then, supposing that I were under an obligation to you, how could I tell you all that was good and beautiful in your actions? Hereafter, if you are somewhat indebted to me for my advice, so much the better; I shall be the more ready to blame you, if I find anything to blame."

"In this way, sir, you would forbid me to be grateful to you."

"No, no," said Rodin, with apparent emotion. "Oh, believe me! there will come a solemn moment, in which you may repay all, in a manner worthy of yourself and me."

This conversation was here interrupted by the nurse, who said to Adrienne as she entered: "Madame, there is a little humpbacked workwoman downstairs, who wishes to speak to you. As, according to the doctor's new orders, you are to do as you like, I have come to ask if I am to bring her up to you. She is so badly dressed that I did not venture."

"Bring her up, by all means," said Adrienne, hastily, for she had recognized Mother Bunch by the nurse's description. "Bring her up directly."

"The doctor has also left word, that his carriage is to be at your orders, madame; are the horses to be put to?"

"Yes, in a quarter of an hour," answered Adrienne to the nurse, who went out; then, addressing Rodin, she continued: "I do not think the magistrate can now be long, before he returns with Marshal Simon's daughters."

"I think not, my dear young lady; but who is this deformed workwoman?" asked Rodin, with an air of indifference.

"The adopted sister of a gallant fellow, who risked all in endeavoring to rescue me from this house. And, sir," said Adrienne, with emotion, "this young workwoman is a rare and excellent creature. Never was a nobler mind, a more generous heart, concealed beneath an exterior less——"

But reflecting that Rodin seemed to unite in his own person the same moral and physical contrasts as the sewing-girl, Adrienne stopped short, and then added, with inimitable grace, as she looked at the Jesuit, who was somewhat astonished at the sudden pause: "No; this noble girl is not the only person who proves how loftiness of soul, and superiority of mind, can make us indifferent to the vain advantages which belong only to the accidents of birth or fortune."

At the moment of Adrienne speaking these last words, Mother Bunch entered the room.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

SUSPICIONS.

Mdlle. de Cardoville sprang hastily to meet the visitor, and said to her, in a voice of emotion, as she extended her arms towards her: "Come—come—there is no grating to separate us now!"

On this allusion, which reminded her how her poor, laborious hand had been respectfully kissed by the fair and rich patrician, the young workwoman felt a sentiment of gratitude, which was at once ineffable and proud. But, as she hesitated to respond to the cordial reception, Adrienne embraced her with touching affection.

When Mother Bunch found herself clasped in the fair arms of Mdlle. de Cardoville, when she felt the fresh and rosy lips of the young lady fraternally pressed to her own pale and sickly cheek, she burst into tears without being able to utter a word.

Rodin, retired in a corner of the chamber, looked on this scene with secret uneasiness. Informed of the refusal, so full of dignity, which Mother Bunch had opposed to the perfidious temptations of the superior of St. Mary's Convent, and knowing the deep devotion of this generous creature for Agricola—a devotion which for some days she had so bravely extended to Mdlle. de Cardoville—the Jesuit did not like to see the latter thus laboring to increase that affection. He thought wisely, that one should never despise friend or enemy, however small they may appear. Now, devotion to Mdlle. de Cardoville constituted an enemy in his eyes; and we know, moreover, that Rodin combined in his character rare firmness, with a certain degree of superstitious weakness, and he now felt uneasy at the singular impression of fear which Mother Bunch inspired in him. He determined to recollect this presentiment.

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"Look there, sir," said Adrienne to Rodin, who drew near hastily. "Yes," added the young patrician, proudly, "I have indeed discovered a treasure. Look at her, sir; and love her as I love her, honor as I honor. She has one of those hearts, for which we are seeking."

"And which, thank heaven, we are still able to find, my dear young lady!" said Rodin, as he bowed to the needlewoman.

The latter raised her eyes slowly, and looked at the Jesuit. At sight of that cadaverous countenance, which was smiling benignantly upon her, the young girl started. It was strange! she had never seen this man, and yet she felt instantly the same fear and repulsion that he had felt with regard to her. Generally timid and confused, the work-girl could not withdraw her eyes from Rodin's; her heart beat violently, as at the coming of great danger, and, as the excellent creature feared only for those she loved, she approached Adrienne involuntarily, keeping her eyes fixed on Rodin.

The Jesuit was too good a physiognomist, not to perceive the formidable impression he had made, and he felt an increase of his instinctive aversion for the seamstress. Instead of casting down his eyes, he appeared to examine her with such sustained attention, that Mdlle. de Cardoville was astonished at it.

(To be Continued.)

CHILDREN'S CORNER.

THE LEFT HANDS.

"Hurrah, mother! I belong to a secret society."

Otis Adams came hopping into his mother's room, first on one foot, then on the other, banging the door, upsetting a chair, and making as much noise as a nine-year old boy can.

"Isn't it jolly, mother—a sure enough secret society!"

"Do all the members make as much noise as this one?" asked his mother, with a pleasant smile; "because, if they do, I hope the meeting will be held out in the field. But what is the secret, Otis?"

"Oho!" cried the little boy; "that would be telling, and we are not to tell anybody."

"I don't think much of secrets that are not for mothers to know," said the lady.

Otis looked rather sober.

"Well, mother," he said, "at the next meeting I'll move that all mothers be made honorary members and be told the secrets. But I'm to be on duty to-night, and I can't tell you what I'm going to do."

His mother shook her head, and Otis began to be dreadfully afraid he would miss his appointment.

"Just try me this time, mother," he said earnestly.

"It is something I know you would like me to do, and Mr. Ross knows a bout it—indeed, he gave us our society name and motto."

"I think I could trust my boy," she said fondly, looking into his clear, truthful eyes, "even if Mr. Ross did not know about it; but, as nine-year-old judgments are not apt to be very ripe, I am better satisfied that your teacher should be in the secret. What is the name of your society?"

"The Left Hands," he replied proudly; "but don't ask our motto, for that would tell too much."

The next morning, before school time, Otis was seen flying wildly over the house, hunting in vain for his satchel of books.

During the morning Mrs. Adams put on her bonnet and coat and went to see a sick neighbor—a poor widow whose sickness would have been starvation to her family except for the kind charity of those around her.

"Ah, Mrs. Pool," she said, entering the sick woman's room, "I see you have a nice supply of wood laid in for your kitchen stove."

"Yes'm," said the poor woman, "and I reckon you are at the bottom of it, ma'am."

"I? No, indeed. What makes you think so?"

"Don't you know how I got that wood, ma'am?"

"Not a word of it."

"Well, about dark last night some boys came into my little yard as mum and quiet, ma'am, as if they had come to steal, and piled up three barrow-loads there where you see it. As they kept quiet, we kept quiet too; but the children made sure they saw your Otis among them."

"Very likely," said Otis' mother, remembering "The Left Hands;" but she said nothing to the boy until that evening, when Barry Mitten, the blacksmith's son, brought Otis' satchel to the door.

"Dad said he'd ha' went for you-uns 'bout usin' his grindstone if he hadn't seen Mrs. Pool's wood-pile."

So "The Left Hands'" first secret was out, but that has not seemed to discourage them at all, for every week some good turn is being done secretly to somebody; and it is not hard to guess that the motto of the society is, "Let not your left hand know what your right hand doeth."—*Sunday-School Evangelist.*

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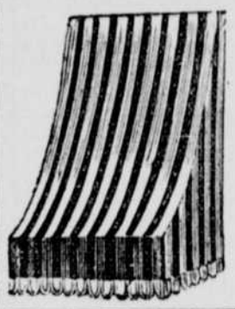
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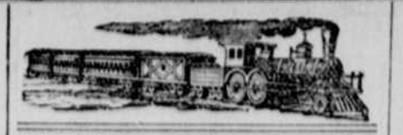
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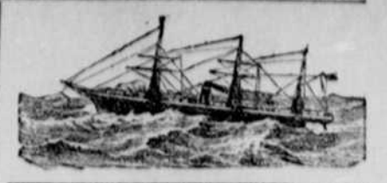
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Steamers "City of Paris" and "City of New York" sail from Pier 43, North River, N.Y. All others from Inman Pier, foot of Grand street, Jersey City.
Intermediate passage, $30. Round Trip, $60.
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Weekly Calendar.

THURSDAY, MAY 29th.

DOMINION W.C.T.U.

The Third Annual Convention of the Dominion W. C. T. U. will be held on

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and FRIDAY,

IN ERSKINE CHURCH.

Meetings from 9.30 to 12 a.m.
" " 2.00 to 5 p.m.
Evening meetings at 8 o'clock.
ALL MEETINGS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

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OF MONTREAL.

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Special Tickets for Schools and Convents can be had at the Gallery.

9 a.m. to 6 p.m. 8 to 10 p.m.



PRIMROSE LODGE,
No. 49, S. O. E. B. S.

The regular monthly meeting of the above Lodge will be held in the Lodge Room, No. 118 MANSFIELD STREET, on WEDNESDAY evening, 28th inst., at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present. T. E. DODD, Rec. Sec.



MONTREAL
LACROSSE CLUB.

The Members are hereby reminded that arrangements have been made whereby the C. P. R. local train leaving Windsor Depot at 6.15 p.m. daily will stop at the M.A.A.A. Grounds, until further orders.

W. GERAGHTY,
Hon. Sec.



MIZPAH LODGE,
No. 3, I.O.O.F.

The Regular Weekly Meeting of the Lodge will be held on THURSDAY EVENING, at EIGHT o'clock, in the Oddfellows' Hall, 863½ Craig street.

Members of all sister lodges cordially invited. Every member requested to be present.

By order of the N. G.

FRIDAY, MAY 30th.

1st PRINCE of WALES
REGIMENT.
ANNUAL DRILL.

The Regiment will parade at the Armory, in Drill Order, on FRIDAY EVENING, 30th inst., at 8 o'clock.

By order. T. E. HOWELL, Capt. & Act. Adjt.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION,
(In connection with McGill Normal School),
TWENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING,
FRIDAY EVENING, May 30th.
ADDRESS, - - - REV. E. I. REXFORD.
The public are cordially invited.

MISS WILLARD.

THURSDAY EVENING, Erskine Church.

FRIDAY EVENING, American Church.

On WEDNESDAY Evening the Y. W. C. T. Unions will hold a Public Meeting in Erskine Church.

On FRIDAY Afternoon, at 4 o'clock, there will be a Mass Meeting of Band of Hope Children in Erskine Church.

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COME TO THE MASS MEETING
—AT—
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A DELIGHTFUL PROGRAMME
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Hearty Temperance Choruses, Motion Songs and other attractions.

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Supt Temp S.S., W.C.T.U.

MONDAY, JUNE 2nd.



THE REGULAR
QUARTERLY MEETING
Of the IRISH PROTESTANT BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, will be held at the Rooms, 49 Dorchester street, on MONDAY NEXT, June 2nd, at 8 p.m.

JOHN STEPHENS,
Secretary.

Montreal, May 28th, 1890.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
—OF—
BUILDING MATERIAL
On Wellington street.

Will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION on the premises at TEN o'clock in the forenoon on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of June next, all the Building Material on the property recently acquired by expropriation for the widening of Wellington street between Richmond and Mullins streets in the St. Ann's Ward of this city.

Terms cash. The materials to be removed immediately.

(By order),

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, Montreal, May 27th, 1890.

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DIVIDEND NO. 68.

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND OF FIVE PERCENT for the current half-year, being at the rate of ten percent per annum, upon the paid up capital of the Bank, has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after MONDAY, the 2nd DAY OF JUNE NEXT.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of May, both days included.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS will be held at the Banking House of the Institution on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of June next. The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board.

(Signed) **D. COULSON, Cashier.**

THE BANK OF TORONTO, TORONTO, April 23rd, 1890.

Last week of the "Angelus" at the Art Gallery, Phillips square. A knowledge of such a picture is more than an education; it is an inspiration and a tendency towards righteousness.

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For the convenience of ladies and other readers of the *Witness* the following agencies have been established where domestic and want advertisements generally will be received at the same rate as at the *Witness* Office, viz., twenty words for ten cents, each insertion:—

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Richard Turner, grocer, 606 Wellington street, Point St. Charles.

John Gilliland, 43 Erie street East End.

Thos. Cathcart, Grocer, 229 and 231 Craig street.

Subscriptions for the *Daily* and *Weekly Witness* also received at these agencies.

The Daily Witness.

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1890.

THE WORKINGMEN of the United States appear to be waking up to the fact that they have in the alien contract labor law a weapon by means of which they can make matters particularly unpleasant for their employers. This law was passed through Congress in order to conciliate the labor vote by giving the workingmen a pretence of protection. It was probably thought that its provisions were so vague that it would never prove troublesome to the gentlemen who furnish the fat. The workingmen, however, appear to have found a method of making it operative.

THE VATICAN has instructed the Roman Catholic bishops in Canada to endeavor to lessen the existing antagonism between the English and the French. The best way to do that would be to call off Mr. Mercier and his Jesuit allies, who have been the promoters of that antagonism. The Vatican, badly counselled, has itself, and not the bishops, to blame for any antagonism which has arisen out of the ill-omened trafficking in race prejudices of these parties. The bishops were opposed to the whole movement, and were only dragged into it by Rome.

THE PERSONS APPOINTED by Mr. Mercier to investigate the Whelan charges are respectable men, but both have been and still are Liberal supporters of Mr. Mercier. A fact like this carries condemnation on the face of it. Perfectly upright honorable men are liable to prejudices and preferences. A commission of judges, if one could have been appointed, would have been better received by the public. Experienced judges who have been inactive as to politics and have trained and schooled themselves into considering evidence without prejudice and pronouncing without partiality, and who look for no preferment, from the Government, would probably have secured the public confidence. As it is, the investigation should be thorough, should be public, and should be immediate.

THE STATESMANLIKE ADDRESS of the Dominion president—who might, but for her own modesty, have been the world's president for this year—of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be read with intense interest, dealing as it does with subjects of a higher import than those ordinarily handled by Parliament. The Convention before which its many pregnant suggestions were laid might be spoken of as a prophetic parliament, for those things which the Christian women of to-day, after mature consideration, declare to be needful for the moral well-being of society, are pretty sure to be those which the political parliament of another generation, if not of this, will shape into law, however unwillingly such parliaments may be forced to turn from squabbles with regard to things of party and things of the pocket to the things of life and death, here and hereafter.

TO-DAY is nomination day in Ontario, and the elections to the Provincial Assembly will take place next Thursday. The result is altogether uncertain, owing principally to the Equal Rights, French language, and separate school issues. The Conservative party has sawn out some planks from Equal Rights timber and inserted them in their platform, and they will, it is confidently expected, make great gains. They now even hope for victory, which was out of the question until Mr. Meredith surprised everyone by his stand in favor of Equal Rights, a course in which his supporters in the strongly Protestant part of the Province were not slow to follow him. The Mowat Government, who have been economical, capable and pure, are confident of being returned to power again. It is probable they will, but by a majority reduced sufficiently to constitute a warning against pandering to the Roman Catholic church, of which the ministry has been guilty.

THE VERDICT OF THE JURY in regard to the loss of life in the Longue Pointe Asylum fire is about as non-committal as it was possible to make it. It seems probable to the jury that either an inmate set the place on fire, or that spontaneous combustion occurred in the sawdust between the floors. There is no expression of opinion with regard to the mismanagement of the institution. One or two of the suggestions concerning construction are in accordance with modern systems of asylum management. That the buildings should be smallar and be isolated is the best of their suggestions; the only thing is that such systems greatly increase the cost of maintenance and the difficulty of management. Some declaration upon the farming out system would have been made by an English-speaking jury in such a case. An amended list of the killed and missing was presented, showing the number to be ninety-one, over eighty of whom are believed to have perished.

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES is of the opinion that it knows more about trade and commerce than the people who are engaged in business, and that it is more enterprising and energetic and more likely to know what financial and commercial undertakings will prove profitable. There is no other explanation of the fact that a bill has been introduced into the House of Representatives, by the initiation of the executive, the object of which is to establish a great international bank for the nations of America, Canada only excepted. The American people have acted upon the opinion that they could find a more profitable investment for their money in the industries of the United States than in banking business between the United States and the other States of America, and they have done their banking through European, principally English, bankers. Mr. Blaine thinks that direct banking, encouraged and fostered by the Government, as well as direct steamship service, also established by the Government, cannot fail of success. The direct steamship service proposal turned out to have been conceived in sin, and has been apparently dropped or postponed. The great banking establishments may also turn out to be possessed of possibilities for great boodling statesmen.

FRANCE AND NEWFOUNDLAND.

The London *Post's* suggestion in regard to the settlement of the Newfoundland difficulty, that fishing rights on the coast of Labrador be given to France in exchange for those she is asked to relinquish on the Newfoundland coast, is not likely to be carried out. The only effect of such an arrangement would be to transfer the seat of the trouble from the island coast to the mainland coast. It would not even relieve the Newfoundland Government and people of the difficulties with the French as the coast of Labrador is under the administration of the island Government. The only possible result if this proposal were carried out would be the postponement of a settlement. France would not, however, consent to such an arrangement, so there is little use in discussing it. That Newfoundland's threat of quitting the empire appears insane to a genuine Tory organ is not strange. A genuine Tory is one to whose mind the existing order of things is the only conceivable order and any attempt to depart from it mere wickedness and insanity. The United States quitted the empire and have managed to survive, and that vigorously. It is but a couple of years since Australia was only saved from secession by the submission of the Imperial Government to her demands in regard to the annexation of New Guinea. If the *Post* and British people of its stamp had the sole management of British affairs there would be a general epidemic of that kind of insanity which would result in the disentegration of the Empire, whose integrity they are so anxious to preserve. The *Post* should consider that if Newfoundland were a part of the United States there would have been such a ferment and fume among sixty millions of people against French aggression as would have reduced the foreign claims to a minimum in short order. The English, on the other hand, generally look on the colonists as spoilt children who are always making a fuss about nothing and embroiling them with other nations. In this case they are wrong; but granted that in all cases this was true it would not lessen the possibilities of disaffection. There is one thing that would be insane, however, and that is to allow the disaffection of Newfoundland to increase if that can possibly be prevented, for the secession of Newfoundland—and it is to be kept in mind that she has in past days been told that she might go if she liked—would be disastrous to British interests in North America.

AND SHALL TRELAWNEY DIE.

Mr. Mercier repeatedly stated that the reception of sixty and odd thousand dollars by the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction was the act of the Protestant community. This he said, though he knew that the Council was of his own absolute making, and could not represent people who did not select it, and could not check it. This he said, too, although the Protestant Committee in taking the money had carefully set forth that in doing so they had nothing to do with Protestant opinion or Protestant rights, but were simply obeying a master for whose course in giving them money they had no responsibility. This he said, in spite of the fact that the Protestant community, by every free voice that it had, utterly repudiated the course of the Committee in accepting the money. Mr. Mercier, however, stuck to it that the Protestants had accepted it, and the same view was echoed throughout the world, and even repeated by that sapient person the Governor-General. One of those who took strong ground against the acceptance of the grant was Dr. MacVicar, who happens to be a member of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners for Montreal—one of the three appointed by Government. His term is now up, and the question of his reappointment is also up. It has been assumed in certain quarters that he will, of course, be dropped on the principle, we presume, that, as in the case of the Protestant Committee, Government appointed commissioners are expected to represent Government rather than the Protestants of Montreal. It was on the basis of information that Dr. MacVicar's term was out that certain Protestants in the East End of Montreal were advised to request the appointment of a very eminent and competent gentleman from that part of the city. This gentleman, almost the leading educationist in the province, and peculiarly fitted by experience and natural aptitude for the position for which his name was suggested, was very naturally heartily approved by those who knew him best without any thought as to why Dr. MacVicar should have become unacceptable to the Government and Dr. Robins more so. In due time these East End Protestants will find themselves referred to as evidence of the concurrence of Protestant opinion in the removal of Dr. MacVicar, and of the repudiation by the Protestants of Dr. MacVicar's course.

THE GREATEST REFORM

DISCUSSED BY THE PARLIAMENT OF TEMPERANCE WOMEN IN ERSKINE CHURCH.

PROGRESS OF THE WORK—MRS. FOSTER'S ADDRESS ON THE SOCIAL QUESTIONS—A GLIMPSE OF THE BENEFITS TO COME FROM UNITED AND PERSISTENT ACTION—SOME THOUGHTFUL SUGGESTIONS, AND A VIVID PICTURE OF THE WRONGS OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

After the report of the proceedings yesterday went to press, Miss Tilley continued the reading of the report, showing that in British Columbia the work was progressing. The young were being educated: the sailors and lumbermen were being ministered to in the matter of literature. In Manitoba out of seventy municipalities only twenty had liquor licenses. There was

PROVINCIAL PROHIBITION ALL OVER THE COUNTRY

through a provincial law. It was the general feeling that in two years there would be total prohibition in Manitoba. (Applause.) There was also a union in the North-West Territory—which was regarded as mission ground—and a first-rate effort was being made there.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

Mrs. Foster then proceeded to deliver the presidential address, which was cordially received, repeatedly evoking the applause of the Convention. The diction was chaste, the arrangement compact, and the matter suggestive, interesting, and deeply pathetic by turns:

DEAR SISTERS,—In asking your kind attention to the few remarks I may make and the suggestions which I may offer at the close of this our first year of real work together as a Dominion Woman's Christian Temperance Union, I think it cannot be considered lost time if we take a look at our position, having as our home and field of work this fair and broad Dominion. When in the region of Mount Washington you can hardly believe that in a few hours time there could be presented to you such a vast panorama. As you ascend the great mountain itself and watch the mists roll away at your feet, unfolding to your wondering eyes that vast array of mountain peaks piled one upon another, while one hundred miles away the sea appears like a silver line upon the horizon, the road over which you have just passed, like stairs "which scale the eternities below," a picture is engraven upon your mind which can never be effaced. If so much loveliness were sent to grace our earthly home, how beautiful will the vision be, when,

THE LAST MOUNTAIN OF DIFFICULTY CONQUERED,

and the river crossed, we stand upon the everlasting hills around the new Jerusalem, "the city of our God."

Whose ageless walls are banded
With amethyst, unpriced!
The saints build up the fabric,
And the corner stone, is Christ!

So from the vantage ground of our present outlook as a Dominion Union, I ask you to take with me a survey of this "land of promise"—this "Canada of ours," which we call home.

Not yet twenty-three years old—the youngest nation in the world, we claim a larger area. Our seven provinces and vast North-West Territory containing 3,470,257 square miles, dotted with mountains, which are the birth place of mighty rivers and lakes, which contain one-half of all the fresh waters on the globe. The great railway systems connecting the Atlantic and Pacific, and tapping the great railway systems of this continent and seeking to annihilate time and space. Its vast area of agricultural and timbered lands. Its important fisheries upon both coasts. Its wealth of mineral deposits, with vast coal fields, the value and extent of which cannot be estimated. With a government in the hands of a sovereign people, the only real connection between Canada and the Mother Country other than the love which is in our hearts for her being "the right of appeal from Canadian courts of law to the Privy Council, the appointment by the Imperial Government of our Governor-General, who nevertheless does as his Canadian ministry advises and instructs him, and the power to make treaties for us."

FIVE MILLIONS OF PRECIOUS SOULS

are scattered over this broad domain, many, it is true, born under other flags than that of this Dominion, but it is our adopted country, and it is for us to develop its vast resources, to guard its interests, and to guide the ship of state away from the shoals and quicksands into the safe peaceful harbor of prohibition. (Applause.) Can we not say of a truth (Ps. 16:6.) "The lines have fallen unto me in pleasant places; yea, I have a goodly heritage!"

A sense of responsibility is a good thing. It has taken many a man and woman, many a child hedged around by poverty and misfortune, and has led them up through successive stages, past the pitfalls and yawning chasms of sin which met at every turn, and has moulded them into some of the bravest men and noblest women which the world has ever known. What are our responsibilities as Christian women to this greatest foe which this Canada of ours has to meet? I refer to

THE MANUFACTURE, IMPORTATION AND SALE OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUORS

which the laws of our country have legalized. According to inland revenue and trade and navigation returns, the following quantities of liquor were manufactured and imported into this Dominion during the past fiscal year:—

	Gallons.
Proof spirits, distilled	5,84[illegible],08
Malt liquors made	14,786,285
Foreign liquors imported	1,785,639
Total	23,415,935

These figures do not include the wines and cider manufactured in Canada, nor the products of the 16 illicit stills which were broken up by the Government officers,—nor the quantities smuggled in on the coasts and the international line, which would amount to thousands of barrels more. Every gallon of proof spirits—as reported above—represents three or four gallons as consumed. It has been stated openly in Parliament, on two or three occasions, that Canada's drink bill amounts to sixty million dollars a year, and this to be divided up among a population of 5,000,000, many of whom are women and children who are free from this dreadful appetite; and yet neither political party will prohibit its manufacture, but rather help to protect the liquor interests and thus send at least 5,000 of our fellow citizens to fill drunkard's graves every year and 16,000 more whose habits have opened the way for disease to lay its hand upon them. The various acts which from time to time have been placed upon our statute books have been so amended again and again in the interests chiefly of the liquor party that the country is awakening to the fact that a prohibitory law and the machinery to enforce it is our only hope. (Applause.) In the North-West Territories a permit system has ruined our hopes, and in this province where we are now assembled a telegram was sent from the License Department of the Quebec Government informing the license inspector of a little country town which, in order to protect its homes, had passed a prohibitory by-law, that

HE MUST GRANT THE APPLICATIONS

of two hotelkeepers for wholesale licenses as a prohibitory law only controlled the retail sale of intoxicating drinks. The bars continue to display their fatal contents before weak souls, and many buy therefrom the dozen bottles or three gallons fixed by law. This is but one instance. When Frederick Douglass sat bemoaning the enslavement of his people, Sojourner Truth roused him from his despondency with the question, "Frederick, is the Lord dead?" My sisters, the omniscient eye which watches over the creatures whom he has made, notes all these things, and they are stored up against the day of wrath. Happy for those who are free from complicity with the drink traffic, in that day. The duty on alcoholic beverages in England last year amounted to £5,800,000 stg., while the amount paid out by her people for this liquor is placed at $700,000,000 and America's drink bill at $900,000,000. The temperance sentiment is steadily increasing throughout the Dominion, and I believe much of this sentiment has been created and roused by the W. C. T. U. A noted man once said:—"With public sentiment nothing can fail, without public sentiment nothing can succeed, consequently he who moulds public sentiment goes deeper than he who enacts statutes or pronounces decisions. He makes statutes and decisions possible to be executed." (Applause.) The various temperance organizations are doing active work. The Dominion Alliance, the Royal Templars of Temperance, the Sons of Temperance, the Good Templars, the Catholic Total Abstinence Society, and work of the Knights of Labor, and the various charitable and protective organizations throughout the Dominion, particularly those of this city, are doing a grand work. (Applause.) Majorities can and do rule. Let us work on and confidently look forward to the time when just and righteous laws will be made and enforced.

"As truth is truth, and God is God,
The right the day shall win!
To doubt would be disloyalty,
To falter would be sin."

(Applause.) Already in every civilized country the traffic is restricted and regulated, as a foe to be feared. The various Church organizations are, almost without exception, prohibitory, both in precept and practice. Several of the United States have already put the drink traffic where it belongs, and it stands upon their statute books as a crime. The great labor organizations are waking up, and they see no reason why the sober, hardworking part of the community should be taxed for the support of the drunken part.

You need hardly be reminded of the growth of temperance organizations, and of our own in particular. We stand, as to White Ribbon women, at least 12,000 strong, though not fully shown by our paid membership, or of the grand work being done by the World's Union in their mammoth prohibition petition, which is so soon to be sent to the Governments of the world. Its consecrated women, as they pass from continent to continent, and from island to island, organizing unions and presenting the work, are "belting the world with the white ribbon," as they plant the standard "For God, and Home and Every Land." Your own Dominion Executive has, at the request of your President, handed over to Miss Willard, the honored President of the World's Union, the reins of Government and the hard work to which Canada might have fallen heir during the present month. We may expect great results during the years to come, and, I trust, join in a world's convention at Chicago at the time of the world's Fair. Our English sisters have lost their leader by the death of Mrs. Margaret Bright Lucas, but another has been raised up in the person of Lady Henry Somerset, from whose leadership we may expect great results. I shall not touch upon the work of the existing departments, as by your expressed wish your superintendents are to have full time allowed them in which to present this work and its needs, and you are to discuss methods of work at your desire. I shall therefore confine myself to suggestions and statements which may serve to open out to us new fields of labor and remove some of the stumbling-blocks from our pathway. I would suggest: That the Government be memorialized for the abolition of sale of both intoxicating liquors and tobacco to minors. Also

AGAINST THE MANUFACTURE OF CIGARETTES,

of which there were 22,705,660 made in Canada during the last fiscal year. These figures do not include the number imported, as the customs returns report cigarettes and cigars under the one heading. Also, petition for a reformatory for Protestant girls. Franchise. I would call your attention to the fact that, during the next session of Parliament, there will again be presented a bill to revise the electoral franchise lists. I would suggest that we take immediate steps to secure the full franchise for women, upon the same terms as it is given to men, and that, failing to secure this, the Provincial unions shall take steps to secure municipal and school suffrage, and

A VOTE UPON ALL QUESTIONS TOUCHING THE HOME LIFE.

The appointment of women on school boards; that there may be better ventilation in school buildings and a careful investigation and oversight of the sanitary conditions of such buildings.

Here Mrs. Foster related the experience of Miss Dodge and Mrs. Agnew, in connection with their appointment upon the New York School Board. Women are persistent creatures, and when they insisted upon their rounds, in visiting the basement of one of the schools, they carried their point, to the intense disgust of the janitor, who declared that he had been sixteen years in his present position, and nobody had ever visited the basement! "You can imagine, ladies, that that basement badly needed visiting," added Mrs. Foster, amidst much laughter.

The creation of a literature department. I would recommend for your consideration the appointment of a committee on publication. Object, to secure and provide for the publication of Dominion leaflets and tracts, which, in facts and figures, shall speak to the hearts and consciences of our people. That the general officers of this Dominion Union form such a committee, whose business shall be to examine and decide upon the merits of all matter furnished for this department, and that they be instructed to accept only the very best; that they be empowered to eliminate or add to any paper. I would also advise that the general officers of each province constitute an advisory board to whom all papers emanating from said province, designed for publication as Dominion literature, shall be submitted and acted upon before being passed on for the consideration of the Dominion officers.

LOTTERIES.

That we express our opinion upon the lottery question and the incorporation of such companies by our provincial legislatures. I would urge our faithful women to be on the watch for any further attempt to introduce this system throughout our Dominion and upon any such attempt being made to promptly bring every influence to bear by petitions and personal influence to prevent such blots upon our statute books.

The State of Louisiana, has had a State lottery feeding upon it for more than twenty years, while it has, by its gifts, silenced the pulpit and the press. An eloquent divine of New Orleans has denounced it as "the monstrous parasite, the great incorporated rat hole of Louisiana." Its charter expires in 1895, and the State refuses to renew it. They have tried to bribe the little State of North Dakota to make it a part of their constitution. They offered a large yearly revenue, but the State, with crops at a shortage and empty granaries, fighting to secure constitutional prohibition, bravely turned from the tempting offer.

The Governor of Louisiana in a message to the Legislature, says:

"I foresee the most direful consequences if the lottery company persists in its scheme to foist itself upon the people. I foresee that this state will be shaken as if by an earthquake from the Arkansas lines to the Gulf by reason of what will be deemed a menace, present and future, to the people's dearest rights, and I consider it my solemn duty to warn this general assembly, for I feel deeply that what I say is true. And for whom and for what is all this strife to be occasioned? For the personal interests of a handful of men, many of them connected with the darkest days of the reconstruction period, and it is for them and to them we are asked to sell out our birthright for a mess of pottage. As the governor of this state and head of the present administration and representing the citizens of the commonwealth who believe that the only legitimate end of government is the enjoyment of life, liberty and property—all three—I will never consent, as far as I am concerned, that the destinies of this great state shall be placed under the control and dominion of any corporation whatsoever, and especially that it shall pass under the control of a gambling institution, and I shall exercise all the influence of my official position at all times to avert and avoid what I would consider a disastrous as well as such a disgraceful event."

Foiled in one country it will go to others. It may seek to build its den in our fair land, or others may seek to rise here. Already the Province of Quebec shelters one. We cannot be too vigilant. Let us be quick to see,—quick to speak and quick to act. (Applause.)

WHAT TO STUDY.

I would strongly recommend not only to our provin-

cial and local unions, but to each individual member, the careful study of our Dominion and Provincial laws, especially upon those points which touch the home life, the guardianship of children, the rights of the mother over her child, the laws concerning the holding of property and the right which it confers, or those sections of the criminal law affecting the status and protection of women and children, and the protection and purity of our homes, that we may be the better able to formulate plans whereby our privileges may be increased and protected.

The science of government is a legitimate study and one which, as a rule, women know far too little about. Let us lay aside for the present the novel and story, good though they may be, and study the political and moral questions of the day, both of our own and other nations, as we study the questions which are uppermost in the minds of the men of the day,—questions which divide the great political parties,—the legislative, judicial and executive functions of the different parts of a Government,—the duties of a British subject and a Canadian citizen, who vote and why, and by what right they vote; who are exclusive and why, the relations of labor and capital law, and upon what basis taxes are levied. On the educational question, &c., &c., all form centres around which our thought may rally, and find material more interesting and fascinating than any novel can present, the understanding of which would serve to break that triple alliance in which we are so often classed—women, children and idiots. (Applause.) The late Hon. John Bright said, "The future of a country is secure, when the young men and women alike are trained to intelligent understanding of the laws which govern them. The next generation will be a race of patriots.

CRIMINAL LAW.

Many of you will have noticed the Ministerial Bill which was before Parliament at its last session, being an act to further amend the criminal law—I refer especially to the sections for

THE PROTECTION OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

I must speak at length upon this. The discussion which this measure evoked, and the result, show only too plainly our legislators make the laws—men make the laws for the protection of their own sex—and should arouse the womanhood of Canada and the true-hearted men to greater exertions. Especially should we thank the Local Legislature for the protection of women and children, and the temperance and labor organizations of this city for their attitude towards these amendments and for the petitions which they forwarded to Ottawa asking for still further protection. The bill has raised "the age of consent," or as we women prefer to call it, "the age of protection" for girls from 12 to 14 years, thus assuming that a child of 13 years "is capable of bearing a woman's responsibility for her acts." The age in England was, on account of Mr. Stead's disclosures, raised to 16 years, while,

TO THE SHAME OF CHRISTIAN CIVILIZATION

be it said that in Georgia it is placed at ten years and in Delaware seven years. The amendments before referred to contain a clause giving a certain kind of protection to women in factories, mills and workshops, but excluding schools, offices, prisons, police courts and domestic servants. A rich and guarded girl is protected up to the age of 21, but a poor girl only to the age of 14. By the new extradition treaty between Canada and the United States rape and abduction are among the extraditable offences. Let us hope that this will arrest in a great measure the infamous traffic in young girls which has been carried on between these countries heretofore. When I was attending the National Convention in Chicago I came across a case of this kind.

Mrs. Foster gave the dreadful particulars. The recital produced a profound impression upon the convention. The Rev. Dr. Antliff subsequently said that the case made his blood boil to think that there was no law to redress such terrible wrongs. Marie Duchesne was a little Montreal girl, about fourteen years of age, rather pretty and intelligent. A procuress from Chicago came along and found her. To the tempting promise of high wages, in a nice home, where she would have little to do, of handsome dresses, and of plenty of money (in token whereof $75 were given her to replenish her wardrobe) she succumbed. When the woman got her to her home in Chicago, she induced her to sign a paper. The child did not understand it. It was a chattel mortgage, which made the woman the proprietor of every stitch of clothing the girl wore. One of the girls in the place told Marie the horrible nature of the business carried on in the house. The girl suffered the fate of so many other victims, and in course of time was passed on from one place to another. She never got a cent of money; the clothes she wore belonged to the "lady" of the house, and in Chicago she could be arrested for leaving with them. At last

THE GIRL RAN AWAY,

She was arrested and brought to the Harrison Police Station. The policeman in giving his testimony, said that the girl was simply a white slave. The woman might be said to own her. The creature from whose house the poor thing had fled, said that the girl had stolen "madame's" clothes, and that she demanded her to be punished. ("Shame!") The case was remanded, while Mrs. Foster was in Chicago.

DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAY WORK.

I would suggest that a department of railway work be created and a superintendent appointed, and that we begin work immediately on all our lines of railway. We should reach thousands of men with copies of the eight cent books, with papers, leaflets, etc. All railways now require their train employees to be sober men, and yet the temptations are very great. There is a good work to be done by our local unions all along the line. In the winter, when the roads are blocked, or storms are raging, when the snow-ploughs are clearing the track, have a good hot cup of tea or coffee, a bite of lunch at the railway station, awaiting the arrival of the employees. How refreshing this would be to them. I would suggest that we provide for a missionary fund which shall be used to extend the work in fresh fields—particularly in our great North-Western Territories. They contain more than half the average of this Dominion and are to be the homes of millions of souls. Distances are great obstacles to many. We have a few signal stations there,—the flags must not be lowered, or the guns allowed to lapse into silence. "We must go in and possess the land." I would recommend a grant of literature, at least, to the superintendent of those territories and the prayerful and helpful remembrance of her by some of our members.

THE Y'S REPRESENTATION.

That the Y.W.C.T.U. have representation in our conventions upon the same basis as the mother organization; that we take increased interest in the promotion of Demorest medal contests throughout the Dominion; that we re-consider the fee to be paid to the World's Union, the same amount paid by the National W. C. T. U.; the appointment of a day of prayer to be observed throughout our land; that as provinces we petition the Provincial Press Associations, or those companies publishing what are known commercially as "patent outsides," and secure the printing of temperance items and stories. We want to send forth by every paper in the land leaves from the Prohibition tree, "which shall be for the healing of the nations." I would urge the provinces to consider if active work cannot be done among our Indian population. The use of liquor by the Indians seems to arouse their savage nature afresh and lead them to the commission of the worst possible crimes. This work is open to every province, though difficult to compass. I am sure the fertile brains of our women can find some way to bring the great truths of temperance and the need of total abstinence to bear upon our Indian population. In order that we may view the number of souls with whom we need to work I will give you statistics from the last annual report of the

DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS.

The number of resident and nomadic Indians in the Dominion at the close of the last fiscal year was as follows:—Ontario, 17,752; Quebec, 13,500; Nova Scotia, 2,069; New Brunswick, 1,574; Prince Edward Island, 314; Manitoba and North-West Territories, 24,522; Peace River district, 2,038; Athabasca district, 8,000; Mackenzie district, 7,600; Eastern Rupert's Land, 4,016; Labrador, Canadian Interior, 1,000; Arctic Coast, 4,000; British Columbia, 35,765; total, 121,520. The report refers to the general progress made by the Indians during the year in industrial pursuits, to the education of the youth and all matters affecting the welfare of the various tribes. The general condition of the Indians of the Dominion in all the provinces and in the Territories is satisfactory; the amount at the credit of the various Indian bands or of individual Indians for whom the Government held moneys in trust aggregated in principal and interest on the 30th June, 1889, $3,428,790 showing an increase since the same date the previous year of $104,555.

THE WOMAN'S PAPER,

There is but one more subject upon which I would address you at this time, viz., our Dominion organ, "The Woman's Journal." I think that you will agree with me when I say that it has been steadily improving ever since we adopted it. Can we not give it a little more of our motherly care during the coming year? Can we not hasten the time which I see before me—the time when it shall be a regular visitor in the house of every white ribboned women—when it shall come to us first semi-monthly and then weekly. I look forward to the time when it shall set up house-keeping for itself, when it shall be printed by women, on a press owned by women, and do for Canada what the U. S. P. A. of Chicago is doing for the United States. And we who are members of this convention, representative of the wings of the standing army who are engaged in this war against the liquor traffic. Let us not be hangers-on to the army! We wear the colors, and I believe our contingent is 12,000 strong in this Dominion. (Applause.)

"Each face our Captain sees,
Our van, and rear, and centres,
Kept in His hand we'll sing,
Ready! Ay ready!
Ready for everything!"

"The work of our hands, 'establish Thou it,'
How often with thoughtless lips we pray,
But He who sits in the heavens shall say,
Is the work of your hands so fair and fit,
That ye dare so pray?"

Softly we answer, "Lord! make it fit,
The work of our hands, so that we may
Lift up our eyes and dare to pray;
The work of our hands, establish thou it
For ever and aye."

(Applause.) May we realize that
He is sounding,
He is sifting out
Be swift my soul,
Our God is marching on.

May we daily "grow up into Him in all things, which is the Head, even Christ. (Ep. 4-15.)

FRATERNAL GREETINGS.

Messrs. J. R. Dougall, Baylis and Carson, of the Dominion Alliance; Messrs. Drysdale and Smith, of the Sons of Temperance, and Mr. A. M. Featherston, of the Royal Templars, extended fraternal and hearty greetings to the convention on the part of the several bodies they represented.

The Rev. Dr. Antliff and Messrs. Morris and Young appeared on behalf of a committee of city gentlemen who purpose establishing a Christian inebriate home for men. The claims of this project were urged with eloquence and feeling. Dr. Antliff said many noble men had their wills paralyzed by drink. Yet they were not past either physical or spiritual redemption. Sheltered in this home, and surrounded with good influences, it was believed that they could win back their manhood again. Mr. Morris related affecting incidents connected with the New York inebriate home, tending to show its beneficent influence. Kept from drink, men with dead will power could be redeemed, and then they could be pointed to Christ, who would strengthen them by his grace. Mr. Young thanked God that Jesus was able to save the drunkard. I have seen it, not once, but twenty times. Let us use all supplementary aids, certainly; but Jesus alone can change the heart, and regenerate the nature.

The intention is to commence upon a small scale, providing a home to accommodate about ten people. A sum of about $5,000 was required.

On the motion of Mrs. Lucas, seconded by Miss Phelps, a resolution offering sympathy and help was unanimously carried.

On the motion of Mrs. Middleton, seconded by Miss Phelps, a message of loving sympathy was sent to Miss Barber (who is laid aside by illness) on the occasion of her birthday.

WELCOME NEWS.

Miss Phelps announced, amid great applause, that the Oddfellows of Missouri have determined to permit no member of their order to sell liquor, and the president said that the Masons in the States were moving in the same direction. Let them do their utmost to influence those bodies in Canada. This was work for them. An old lady who was asked what would be done with the grain when they got prohibition, replied that she would make starch of it to stiffen the backs of the temperance people. (Laughter.)

Miss Tilley read Mrs. Grant's paper on the Franchise, and Mrs. Middleton spoke on "Conference with influential bodies."

The Convention adjourned at half-past five o'clock.

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PARLIAMENTARY DRILL

TAUGHT BY MISS WILLARD OF THE W.C.T.U. ARMY.

PROGRESS OF THE SECOND DAY'S WORK OF THE GREAT CONVENTION OF TEMPERANCE WORKERS—MISS WILLARD TO SPEAK THIS EVENING AT THE HEADQUARTERS, ERSKINE CHURCH.

The Convention met this morning at half-past nine o'clock.

Mrs. Fawcett conducted devotional exercises. The President announced that Miss Willard was expected immediately, and she appointed Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. Tilton a committee to meet the distinguished visitor at the door.

UNFERMENTED WINE.

Mrs. Fawcett read a report upon "Unfermented Wine." It was regretted that notwithstanding the agitation in favor of unfermented wine at the Lord's table, still there was great opposition to its general introduction, many clergymen still considering that alcoholic wine was the proper beverage in which to commemorate the last supper of the Lord. However, light was breaking. The Union was working for prohibition all along the line, and certainly it would be strange if they did not commence with the sanctuary. Mrs. Fawcett described the efforts that had been made during the year throughout the Dominion to introduce the pure juice of the grape for sacramental purposes. These had met with a large measure of success; and in many instances churches which had hitherto used fermented wine had, through the influence of the Union, determined to abandon it. Mrs. Fawcett recommended that ministers and persons in church authority be personally approached upon this matter and invited to use nothing but unfermented wine.

The report was unanimously adopted.

SOCIAL PURITY.

Mrs. Turnbull read the report upon "social purity," from which it appeared that in all the provinces unremitting efforts have been made in the direction of the suppression of impure literature; in the rescue of young women who had been betrayed through ignorance by designing scoundrels; in the dissemination of healthy reading matter; and in the holding of public meetings.

At this stage Miss Willard, leaning upon the arm of Mrs. Middleton, and followed by Mrs. Findley and Mrs. Tilton, entered the church.

"Suspend proceedings," said the President. The Convention rose, the ladies waved their handkerchiefs in a moment of enthusiasm, and dozens of hands were stretched out to grasp that of the distinguished lady who said smilingly, "Well, I'm glad to be here. Seems like coming home." Mrs. Turnbull proceeded with her paper. She urged all mothers present to think of that sad story told by the president yesterday of a young Montreal girl who had been made a white slave, and not to think that because their sweet girls were undefiled it mattered little about other mothers' children. All honor to the Montreal Society for Protection of Women and Children, which was doing noble work on behalf of the honor of woman; and all honor to Dr. Douglas, whose clarion tones had rung out on behalf of social purity.

Miss Phelps said that she read

DR. DOUGLAS'S GREAT SPEECH,

the grandest speech she had ever heard—and which thrilled her through and through—while on the cars, and it had made a great sensation in Ontario.

The President—"It seems to have made a great sensation in Chicago also, the papers stating that Montreal had got a terrible raking up, which she evidently deserved, and cordially congratulating themselves upon being a great deal more virtuous than we are." (Laughter.)

Mrs. Tilton spoke upon the beauty and the sacredness of purity, and the necessity for constant watchfulness all through life. Life itself was short enough for this text.

Mrs. Dr. Rugg said that all women could not make speeches on this question; but every mother in the convention could do one thing—she could discountenance the use of the immodest evening dress on the part of their daughters. (Applause.) She moved a motion to the effect that the convention discountenance the use of evening dress, which obtains so largely in fashionable circles.

This was seconded by Mrs. Turnbull and carried unanimously.

"ROUND" DANCING.

Mrs. Rugg referred to another matter—round dancing. That was a matter to be seriously considered, and she would be glad if some other lady would make a motion on the subject.

Several suggestions on the subject were ordered to be sent to the Resolutions Committee, to be embodied in the original motion of Mrs. Rugg.

Miss Willard said that in the matter of fashion and the immodesty associated with dress, women were the greatest sinners on the face of the earth. (Applause.) Here and there a woman was found who had self-respect in this matter, and attired herself modestly and becomingly, but in order to amount to anything we must get this sentiment aggregated. Fifty years from now every virtuous woman would blush for the ridiculous fashions now affected by the devotees of society. (Applause.) Let the women of the Dominion foster a public sentiment in favor of social purity; let them get a law, which was far better; the women of the States would not be far behind them. (Applause.)

PARLIAMENTARY DRILL.

The president announced that Miss Willard had kindly consented to conduct "parliamentary drill," but she was afraid that the latter would find the convention wofully ignorant on the subject.

Miss Willard said that parliamentary usage was a monument to the ability and the industry of men. It was that that made it possible to fight with ideas instead of bullets. The fashionable ladies of New York now went in for fencing. That had no relation to rail-fencing. (Laughter.) Fencing with a rapier, she believed it was called. Well, just as they fenced with a rapier so we now fenced with ideas. Women had as good ideas as men—at least they would have when—"Now what do you think I was going to say?"—I was going to say that women will have as good ideas as men when they have gone bareheaded as long as they have. (Laughter.) A ligature upon any part of the body had a constricting effect. Remove it and the part will have fuller play. Parliamentary usage was the result of free conditions. She had taken off her bonnet in a bonneted assemblage. Somebody must be the first to set the example, and then others will follow. Miss Willard then assumed an air of judicial gravity, and described the nature of motions, amendments and amendments. The motion was the house, the amendment was the lean-to, and the amendment to the amendment was the woodshed. (Laughter.) She dwelt with mock solemnity upon the functions of the chair, whose decisions were irreversible, and the procedure which governed debate. "Now, I'll be teetotally drunk, and you will begin to make motions." There was a dead silence. Then there came motions to the effect that the members of the executive be not allowed to marry men that smoked; and that no member of the Union be allowed to marry a man that either smoked or snuffed. Anxious questions were asked as to whether those already married to gentlemen who affected the weed would be obliged to get divorce, or whether a young lady engaged to a young gentleman that smoked would be

CALLED UPON TO BREAK WITH HIM.

The chair ruled that in such a case the young lady should be called upon to break, not the engagement, but the habit. All the rulings were extraordinarily prompt and brilliant with incisive wit. Half an hour was thus occupied. The motions were put in regular order, the votes taken after parliamentary usage, and the declaration of results made with all that preternatural gravity and wisdom by which parliamentary speeches are so distinguished.

Miss Wright, of Ottawa, concluded the Bible reading, after which the convention adjourned.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Upon the re-assembling of the convention, Mrs. Dr. Dodd, St. Stephen, N.B., led in prayer.

Miss Leavitt, East Hatley, gave an address called the "Medical 'Y's' Prescription." She gave a thrilling account of the effects of liquor upon the human system; and related, with powerful effect, an incident of personal reminiscence dealing with the tragic death of a brilliant young man through strong drink, whom she had known. Miss Leavitt described the degradation of the prisoners in our penitentiaries who had been brought low in nearly every instance through alcohol. Her hope was in the teaching of the young, who, with proper principles early instilled, would grow up to carry out these reforms for which they were now striving.

SCIENTIFIC INSTRUCTION.

Mrs. Noyes, Montreal, read her report upon "Scientific Instruction." The object of the Union in relation to this matter is to introduce the consideration of hygiene in all the public schools, in the form of popular text-books. The Union even goes the length of asking that this subject be made compulsory. Satisfaction was expressed that text-books, setting forth the evil effects of narcotics upon the system, had been introduced in several instances with gratifying results. Scientific temperance instruction had been introduced into the Winnipeg schools, with the sanction of the school inspectors. Dr. Richardson's papers upon the effect of alcohol upon the human system have also been introduced. In New Brunswick scientific temperance was now compulsory in the higher grades; but the Union was agitating for the application of the law to the junior grades as well, and that oral instruction be given to those not able to read.

THIS EVENING'S PROGRAMME.

8.00—Hymn.
Devotional Exercises—Miss Scovel, Nashville, Tenn.
Music.
Address of Welcome—Mrs. T. G. (Rev.) Williams, President Montreal W.C.T.U.
Reply—Mrs. Tilton, Ottawa.
Duet—"Jesus Lover of My Soul," Mrs. Steadman and Mrs. Randolf.
Address by Miss Willard, President World's W.C.T.U.

THE DUKE'S VISIT.

THE PROGRAMME BEING ARRANGED AS QUIETLY AS POSSIBLE.

The civic reception committee is holding a meeting this afternoon. The programme during the Prince's stay is being got into shape. Mr. Shaughnessy, of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, expects the special train with the royal party on board to arrive at Windsor station between eight and nine on Monday morning, the train leaving Niagara on Sunday evening. The depot will likely be decorated by the Company, and a raised platform erected, tastefully decorated with flags, etc., on which the Prince will receive the civic address from the hands of Acting Mayor Stephens. Mrs. Stephens will present the Princess with a magnificent bouquet from the civic greenhouses, which Park Ranger McGibbon has been specially instructed to have ready.

On Monday the Prince will be driven around the city, visiting the M. A. A. A. Grounds in order to attend a review of all the Cadet corps, including those of St. Mary's College, at 4 o'clock. Arrangements for a lacrosse match between a team of Caughnawaga Indians, dressed in costume, and a picked team of Montrealers are also being made, to take place on the same grounds at the same time.

The excursion to St. Ann's and back over the Rapids will take place on Tuesday afternoon, a special train leaving the Windsor depot at two o'clock. Carriages will be in waiting at St. Ann's to convey the royal party to the boat, a distance of about half a mile from the station.

The Ottawa River Navigation Company's magnificent new steamer "Sovereign" has been chartered for the occasion. She can accommodate 700, but there is no likelihood of those who have charge of the arrangements issuing tickets to anything like that number, and there will not be any crowding. On passing Caughnawaga the Indians talk of assembling in bark canoes and holding a "pow-wow" as the "Sovereign" approaches. The round trip is expected to occupy about three hours, the steamer reaching the wharf here about five o'clock.

Receptions, as already announced, have been arranged for Monday and Tuesday, at Sir George Stephens' and Sir Donald Smith's, the Royal party leaving for Ottawa on Wednesday morning.

During the drive in the city on Monday arrangements will be made for an inspection of the fire brigade.

RICE AND SLIPPERS.

There was a fashionable gathering in the English Cathedral this afternoon to witness the marriage of Mr. E. M. Renouf, bookseller, St. Catherine street, to Miss Sanderson, daughter of Mr. Sanderson, of the hardware firm of Messrs. B. & S. H. Thompson. The Rev. Dean Norman, of Quebec, conducted the ceremony. The bride who was neatly dressed in a becoming costume of white silk, with the traditional "orange blossoms," was accompanied by her two sisters as bridesmaids. Mr. F. Barlow acted as "best man." The newly married pair, who received many beautiful presents, left by the four o'clock train for New York and Boston.

"I AM NOT NUMBER 88."

"I am John Quinn, and my number is 88, and I was not in any row such as your reporter described yesterday," said a respectably dressed individual, who entered the *Witness* Office today to inquire for the reporter who wrote the item. Mr. Quinn is a hackman and does not want himself associated with the man who did the fighting.

MR. BECKINGHAM RECOMMENDED.

Capt. Mann, of No. 5, son-in-law of the late Sub-chief McCulloch, has applied for the position of sub-chief. The Committee this afternoon recommended Mr. Beckingham's name to Council.

COMMERCIAL NOTES.

A CONTRACT DISPUTE.

Mr. C. Gingras is charged by Mr. A. Goudreau with obtaining $382 by false pretences, there being, it is alleged, an undertaking to do certain work paid for but not done. Bail in $800 was accepted.

On the application of the Canada Paper Company Mr. J. B. Clarkson has been appointed provisional liquidator to the *Dominion Illustrated* Publishing Company, under the winding-up act, and a meeting of creditors has been called for the 7th of June.

W. P. Reynolds, general merchant, of Picton, Ont., has assigned to James T. Tennant, of the firm of Haine & Tennant, accountants, Brockville, with liabilities about $6,000.

THE KIMBER PUZZLE.

WHAT IS SAID ABOUT IT IN THE CITY—THE CHIEF OF POLICE AND THE DOCTORS AGREE AS TO SUICIDE.

The finding of young Kimber's body in the reservoir and the peculiar circumstances attending his disappearance are causing much comment on the street to-day. The hasty inquest and the returning of a hasty verdict are somewhat severely criticized. Opinion is divided between the theories of murder and suicide with the balance in favor of the former. Dr. Mount makes the following statement: "I performed an autopsy on the deceased, and found that there were eight cuts in the throat, but not one of them was sufficient to cause death. Only the skin and the cellular tissue were injured. The windpipe was slightly grazed, but the mucous membrane was intact. The internal organs were in too advanced a state of decomposition to tell whether he met his death from drowning or not. There was no matter in the stomach nor was there any bloody foam in the trachea or in the bronchial tube as in the case when a person has been drowned. Nevertheless, under the circumstances, I incline to the belief that drowning was the cause of death. I found no indications of a blow having been struck. The brains were a putrid mass." The doctor believed that Kimber could have walked from the hotel to the reservoir after inflicting the wounds.

MR. PETER SHONFIELD,

who was in Kimber's company two days previous to his disappearance, says: "The affair is so mysterious that I don't know what to make of it. Certainly Kimber was not despondent. He was in the best of spirits, and certainly did not look to be a man that would take his own life."

Mrs. Styles says Kimber had not been drinking the day previous to going away, and had promised her to keep steady. When he went out of the hotel that morning he walked quite briskly. No towel was visible round his neck. As to a motive for suicide there was evidently none that his friends knew of, and the same may be said of the murder theory. He apparently was a person who gave the impression that he had plenty of money—a "hail fellow, well met." The quantity of blood lost by Kimber in his bedroom, appears to create the belief that he could not have walked to the resevoir, put the stones in his own pocket, climbed the high railings, broken the ice—for, it is stated there was ice on the reservoir at the time—and jumped in. Again a very important point is that when Kimber left the hotel he went east along St. James street from the hotel which is on the corner of Inspector street near the Bonaventure station. These are some of the arguments which those favoring the murder theory are advancing.

THE CITY POLICE AND DETECTIVES

are at one in putting the case down as one of sucide and laugh at the murder theory. They will not take any further action in the matter. High Constable Bissonnette said to-day, "The case is one of deliberate murder." Detective Grose has received word from the Government to make a thorough investigation and report.

Chief Hughes has sent in a report to Ottawa characterizing the case as one of suicide. Kimber's father has been cabled informing him of the finding of his son's body.

Up till three o'clock this afternoon the body was lying in the morgue awaiting instructions for burial.

THE CHIEF'S OPINION.

Chief Hughes, speaking to a *Witness* reporter this morning about the verdict, said, "As soon as I saw the dissatisfaction with which some of the newspapers received the verdict I at once went up to Dr. Mount's house to have a conversation with him, and put this question to him. 'Is it possible for medical science to ascertain whether a man found dead in water, met his death by drowning or not?' To this question Dr. Mount replied: 'It is possible to ascertain this, providing decomposition has not too far advanced. But in this case the body was in such a bad state of decomposition that it was simply impossible to tell.' Then he said that Dr. Brennan and Dr. Fenwick were there at the autopsy and they, too, found it impossible to solve this point.

"Do you see," continued the Chief, "all has been done that possibly could be done to solve this question. As for me I am of the same opinion that I always was—that it is a case of suicide. I have many reasons for so thinking; one is, that it is pretty certain that no one would kill him for his money, for it has been proven that he was completely 'broke.' As for any one taking him up to the reservoir and throwing him in because of a row is simply out of the question. I believe he tried to finish himself with the razor that we have here, and that we found covered with blood in his room. This razor is a very blunt one; had it been sharp I do not think he would ever have needed to go to the reservoir to finish the deed. No, I do not think it is a case that warrants further investigation."

A REAL CAUSE OF COMPLAINT.

At the close of the Kimber inquest yesterday two of the jurors complained to a *Witness* reporter very bitterly of the terrible stench which there appeared to have been no efforts made to destroy. It truly was unbearable, and whilst the inquest was being held many of the jurors held handkerchiefs or their coat sleeves to their nostrils.

IS FURTHER PROTECTION NECESSARY?

Mr. McConnell, when asked if he would recommend that a stout wire screen be placed over the water of both reservoirs, said he did not think it necessary. He had never heard of a body being found in either reservoir before although the upper reservoir had been in use 15 years and the lower 34 years. Both he considered well protected by their situation and the railings around them. If the committee should recommend it, however, he would do his best to carry out their wish.

An ex-Alderman says that he has a faint remembrance of a body having been found in the lower reservoir many years ago. The City Surveyor says anyone could get over the upper reservoir railing with ease. He tried it himself once as an experiment.

CORONER JONES

said he had no further action to take in the Kimber matter. The verdict had been rendered and that was enough for him.

The autopsy, it appears, was held after the verdict, a proceeding unheard of, according to Chief Hughes.

THE PROTESTANT HOSPITAL.

FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGMENTS FROM THE TREASURER.

Sir A. T. Galt, $500; from a domestic, 50c; proceeds of readings at Waterloo, Que., by Miss J. Lawrence, forwarded by Archdeacon Lindsay, $8.50; George W. Sadler, $200. The $7 mentioned from Calvary Church was from the ladies of that church in addition to articles for furnishing rooms, and was sent toward purchasing bedsteads. The St. Matthias Sunday-School, Cote St. Antoine, per Rev. J. Newnham, were credited with having sent $30. The amount should be $39.

Mr. Rocheleau, M.P.P. for Chambly, will address a meeting of the electors of St. Lambert in the school house this evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Lamarre, the Opposition candidate, has been invited. Mr. Willet and other well known liberals will be present in the interest of Mr. Rocheleau.

Dr. Jules Prevost, of St. Jerome, has been chosen as the Government candidate to oppose Mr. Nantel in the County of Terrebonne.

ISIDORE B. DUROCHER.

PROPRIETOR OF THE RICHELIEU HOTEL TO BE EXAMINED IN COURT—AN APPLICATION TO SEND HIM TO GAOL FOR A YEAR.

Judge Mathieu this morning rendered judgment granting the petition of Mr. Chas. Desmarteau, curator to the insolvent estate of Isidore B. Durocher, of the Richelieu Hotel, asking that the insolvent be examined in court. In connection with the same matter, Messrs. A. L. Hurtubise & Co., have filed a contestation of Mr. Durocher's bilan. They allege that he secreted part of his property during the year immediately preceding his assignment, and that he ceased to keep his books in a regular manner since the first of May, 1889. They further allege that he mentions in his bilan but $800 cash assets, while he must have had $8,181.97; that he omitted to mention and to give over to the curator jewellery and other effects left as security for sundry hotel bills, and representing an amount of several thousand dollars, which amount can be precisely stated only after the insolvent has been examined. Another allegation is that from the 1st of May, 1889, to the time of his abandonment, he gave fraudulent preferences to his sister, Miss Emelie Durocher, with a view to place a portion of his property out of the reach of his creditors; that on the 28th August, 1889, by notarial deed, he agreed to the cancellation of the lease of the paying part of the premises occupied by him as a hotel, which, by another notarial deed of the 26th August, 1889, he had the right to occupy for three years more, and this with a view to have the landlord give a lease on the same conditions, to his sister Miss Emelie Durocher; that in the deed of the 28th of August, 1889, the premises were given back in the condition in which they stood, with all improvements made, including a hot water furnace worth nearly $3,000; that from the 27th of July, 1889, to the 22nd of February, 1890, he paid to his sister Emélie sums of money amounting to $5,300; that from the 6th of February, 1890, to the 22nd of February, 1890, he paid to the same person by cheques on different banks sums amounting to $4,430; that on the 6th February 1890, he paid to his brother Isaac Durocher, $600, and in the same month paid $1,000 to Dufresne & Mongenais. The contestation then goes on to say that all the above mentioned payments were preferential and fraudulent, the insolvent well knowing at the time that he had placed himself in a position not to be able to face his liabilities, and it concludes by asking that the bilan be declared incorrect and fraudulent, that the insolvent be declared guilty of having secreted during the year immediately preceding and at the time of his abandonment a portion of his property with a view to defraud his creditors, and that he be sentenced to be imprisoned in the common gaol for a term not exceeding one year. The insolvent can, of course, reply to this within the delays allowed.

The Hon. Mr. Mercier passed through the city this morning en route for Rougemont to attend the political meeting to be held this afternoon.

COMMERCIAL.

"WITNESS" OFFICE, Thursday, May 29, 1890.

FINANCIAL.

Money is somewhat firmer at 5 to 5½ percent on call, and at 6 to 7 percent on time for commercial purposes.

Sterling Exchange is dull at 108 15-16 to 109 for round amounts of sixty-day bills, between banks, and 109½ for demand bills. Currency drafts on New York are drawn at 1-32 discount to par.

The Stock market was strong and active to-day. Montreal Street Railway led the advance, and at one time touched 219, or 4 percent higher than the opening price. Montreal Telegraph advanced 1½ percent to 100½, with large sales at the higher figures. Canadian Pacific opened rather weak, but strengthened and advanced to 83½. Gas advanced 2 percent. Bank stocks were inactive but steady.

Morning sales—145 Bank of Montreal, (ex-div), 218; 35 Merchants, (ex-div.) 140½; 25 Commerce, 123½; 25 at 124½; 50 Montreal Telegraph, 99; 75 at 98¾; 250 at 99; 50 at 99½; 345 at 100; 25 at 100½; 125 at 100¼; 600 at 100½; 25 Montreal Street Railway, 215; 22 at 216; 22 at 217½; 25 at 217¼; 79 at 218; 75 at 217¾; 25 at 217½; 25 at 218; 2 at 219; 25 at 218½; 75 Gas, 204; 20 at 204¼; 15 at 204½; 150 at 204¾; 200 at 205; 200 at 206; 60 Gas Rights, 31; 25 Canadian Pacific, 82½; 25 at 82¾; 25 at 82¾; 100 at 83; 10 at 83½; 200 at 83¼; 50 at 83⅜; 625 at 83½; 145 Canada Paper, 112½.

Afternoon sales—145 Bank of Commerce (ex-div.), 124½; 25 Telegraph, 100; 25 at 99¾; 125 at 99¾; 175 at 99½; 25 at 99¾; 50 at 99½; 25 at 99½; 25 at 99¾; 25 at 99½; 1 Montreal Street Railway, 220; 25 at 217¾; 100 Canadian Pacific, 83½; 550 at 83.

The prices at the close of the Board reported to-day by Messrs. Nichols & Marler, Stock Brokers, corner St. Francois Xavier and Notre Dame streets, were as follows:

Stocks. Banks.	Sellers per $100.	Buyers per $100.	Stocks. Miscellaneous.	Sellers per $100.	Buyers per $100.
Montreal	218½	217	Montreal Tel.	99½	99¼
Ville Marie	....	....	Rich&Ont. Nav.	60½	....
Ontario	120	....	City Pass. Ry.	219	215
Peoples	100	96	City Gas Co.	207	205
Molsons	165	....	M. Loan & Mort.	130	120
Toronto	215	....	Canada Cotton	50	....
Jac. Cartier	....	....	Mont. Cotton	95	88
Merchants	141	140½	Dundas Cotton	30	....
Quebec	....	120	Stormont Cot'n	70	....
Nationale	86	82½	HudonCotton	146	140
E. Townships	140	132	St.PaulM.&M.R	....	....
Union	95	....	Can.N.W.Land	82	80
Commerce	124½	124	Can. Pac. Ry.	83½	83
Hochelaga	102	100	St. Henri	....	....

NEW YORK STOCK LIST—May 29.

(*Furnished by J. R. Meeker.*)

13 St. Sacrament street.

Opening and Closing Prices—10.00 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Stg. Demand	....	....	St. Paul, M. & M.	....	....
" 60 days	....	....	M. O. Pac	76¼	75
C. B. & Q.	108	107¾	Nor. Pac.	....	....
Can. Pacific	....	....	Nor Pac. pfd.	85½	83¾
N. Y. Central	....	....	Nor. West	16½	15⅝
Chicago Gas	....	....	Wabash, pfd	....	....
Can. South.	60	59½	Omaha Com	....	....
Del. & Hudson	....	....	O. & Trans. Cont	50½	47¾
D. L. & West	146½	145¾	Pac. Mail	....	....
Erie	28¾	....	Reading	47¼	47
Oil	....	....	St. Paul	79½	78½
N. Y. & N. Eng.	50⅝	48¾	Tex. Pac.	....	....
N. J. Central	....	....	Union Pacific	67¼	66¾
Kan. & Texas	....	....	W. U. Tel.	....	85⅜
Louis & Nash.	91¼	91	Wab. Com.	....	....
L. Shore	112¾	....	Money	....	....
Mich. Central	....	....	Sugar	81½	77¼

MILWAUKEE May 29, 1.15 p.m.—Closing.—Wheat, 87⅞c cash; 87⅞c May; 88⅞c July.

TOLEDO, May 29, 1.15 p. m.—Closing—Wheat, 92½c July; 90⅛c Aug.

DULUTH, May 29, 1.15 p.m.—Closing—Wheat, No. 1 hard, 91½c cash; 91½c May; 93½c June; 93½c July; 93c August.

ST. LOUIS, May 27, 1.20 p.m.—Closing—Wheat, 94c cash; 93½c June; 89⅞c July; 88⅞c Aug.; 89⅞c Sept.; 91⅞c Dec. Corn, 31½c cash; 31½c May; 31½c June; 31½c July; 32½c Aug.; 32½c Sept.

NEW YORK, May 29, 2.15 p.m.—Closing—Wheat, 94½c May; 94½c June; 94½c July; 93½c Aug.; 93½c Sept.; 96½c Dec.; 99½c May of 1891. Corn, 40c May; 40½c June; 41½c July; 41½c Aug.; 42½c Sept. Oats, 34c May; 33c June; 32½c July.

LONDON, May 29, 4 p.m.—Consols, 98 11-16 both for money and on account.

LIVERPOOL, May 29, 11.30 a.m.—Spring wheat, 7s 2½d; Red Winter, 7s 0d; No. 1 California, 7s 1½d to 7s 2d; corn, 3s 6½d; peas, 5s 5d; pork, 54s 9d; lard, 31s 3d; bacon, 30s to 31s 0d; tallow, 24s 6d; cheese, 48s.

LAST WORDS BY WIRE.

THE TENANTS' DEFENCE FUND.

DUBLIN, May 29.—In a letter to the *Freeman's Journal*, Archbishop Walsh says the Tenants' Defence Fund now amounts to over £60,000. The fund, the Archbishop declares, represents an assertion of the most fundamental principle of Christian morality, that is, that the property of the poorest tenant is as sacred as that of the richest landlord.

LEE'S MONUMENT.

THE SOUTH'S GREAT LEADER HONORED.

RICHMOND, Va., May 29.—With blare of trumpet, beat of drum and the booming of cannon the monument to Gen. Robert E. Lee, erected by the ladies of the South, was unveiled to-day in the presence of a great multitude of people. The streets of the city had been elaborately decorated for the occasion. From all the business buildings were swung streamers in which the colors of the Confederacy blended with the national emblem. The state colors of Maryland and Virginia were liberally displayed. On many buildings portraits of the

LEADERS OF THE LOST CAUSE WREATHED IN LAUREL

were prominently displayed. On some of the buildings were hung battle flags, tattered and worn. First came in the procession a squad of mounted police, then the Stonewall band, and following was the chief marshal, ex Governor Fitzhugh Lee, and the chief marshals and aides. Following the marshals were the carriages containing the invited guests and the Farmers' Alliance mounted. Then followed the Veterans of North Carolina followed by the Society of the Army and Navy in Maryland, the Frederick County (Maryland) Veterans and the Veterans of the District of Columbia and other military and civic organizations. The passage of the processional column through the principal streets was a continued ovation. Its progress was much impeded by the crowd. The

ORATOR AT THE UNVEILING CEREMONIES

was Col. Archer Anderson. He said: "Let this monument stand not as a record of civil strife but as a perpetual protest against whatever is low and sordid in our private and public objects. Let it stand as a memorial of personal honor that never brooked a stain of knightly valor without thought of self; of far reaching military genius unsoiled by ambition of heroic constancy from which no cloud of misfortune could ever hide the path of duty. Let it stand for reproof and censure if our people shall ever sink before the standard of their fathers. Let it stand for patriotic hope and cheer if a day of national gloom and disaster shall ever dawn upon our country. Let it stand as the embodiment of a brave and virtuous people's ideal leader. Let it stand as a great public act of thanksgiving and praise for that it pleased Almighty God to bestow upon these Southern States so formed to reflect his attributes of power, majesty and goodness." Every point in Col. Anderson's address was greeted with warm applause.

OPIUM SMUGGLING.

PORTLAND, Oregon, May 29.—Customs officials on Tuesday seized 310 five tael cans of opium, valued at about $2,000, in a Chinese wash house here. John Mays, a brakeman on the Northern Pacific Railway, who took the opium to the wash house, was arrested. May confessed that the opium was bought in Victoria, B.C., and smuggled into the United States. The customs authorities claim that they have proof that a number of Northern Pacific employees and several Chinese are smuggling a large amount of opium into this city. A number of other arrests are expected.

FLOUR MILLS BURNED.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 29.—The Laclede flour mills were entirely destroyed by fire this morning. The property was owned by Keller Brothers. The origin of the fire is a mystery as the mills had been idle for some time and were being remodelled for the manufacture of roller process flour. The loss is $125,000, fully insured.

THE ROYAL SOCIETY OF CANADA.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS—AN INVITATION FROM MONTREAL.

(*Special to the Witness.*)

OTTAWA, May 29.—The Royal Society held its final general session this morning when the Rev. Dr. Patterson, Dr. Kingsford and Dr. Wesley Mills were introduced as new members. On motion of Mr. Sanddord Fleming other learned societies are to be communicated with as to a suggested name fitting to describe the unit measure of time. The word Mr. Fleming said must be taken from the classic languages in order to be universally acceptable. The election of Mr. L. O. David, of Montreal, in the place of the late Sherriff Chaveau was on motion of Dr. Louis Frechette confirmed. The question of meeting in other cities than Ottawa was discussed. Sir William Dawson spoke of the invitation of the Natural History Society of Montreal, and promised that a visit of the Society there would be welcome and productive of good. There was a strong opinion that Ottawa should continue to be the headquarters of the Society and the place of the principal annual meeting. On motion of Dr. Bourinot the Montreal invitation was referred to the council for consideration, with liberty to act as the council thought fit. A motion was carried increasing the limit of membership of the Society from 80 to 100, the increase to be gradual, consisting of the election of one new member annually to each of the four sections.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The officers of sections elected were—Mathematical, physical and chemical: President, Mgr. Hamel; vice-president, Prof. McGregor; secretary, G. F. Hoffman; geological and biological: president, Prof. W. Saunders; vice-president, G. F. Matthews; secretary, J. F. Whiteaves; English literature and history: president, Geo. Stewart, jr.; vice-president, Rev. Dr. Patterson; secretary, Rev. J. Clark Murray. The general officers were then elected. Mgr. Hamel moved the election of Rev. Principal Grant, D.D., of Kingston, as president of the society, which was carried unanimously. On motion Mr. Sandford Fleming, seconded by Sir William Dawson, Abbe Laflamme, D.D., was elected vice-president, Dr. Bourinot was re-elected honorary secretary, and Dr. Selwyn honorary treasurer.

In reply to a vote of thanks, Abbe Casgrain, the ex-president, said he hoped that under the guidance of another divine the society would not go wrong, even though clericalism was regarded as the foe of science. The Society then adjourned.

(*Via C. P. R. Telegraph.*)

A NIHILIST PLOT.

PARIS, May 29.—The police have discovered a formidable Nihilist plot and have arrested fifteen men and women involved in the conspiracy. A man named Mendelsohn at Fontenay-aux-Roses has been arrested as the leader. The frequent purchase of explosives from chemists furnished the clue which led to the arrests.

THE CANADIAN CAPITAL.

(*Special to the Witness.*)

OTTAWA, May 29.

ELECTION NOMINATIONS.

In the Ontario elections the following nominations were made to day for the city: Liberal, E. H. Bronson; Equal Rights, D. Donaldson; Conservative workingmen, Ald. Hill.

THE LINOTYPE MACHINE.

Mr. Senecal, superintendent of the Printing Bureau, left last night for Windsor, Ont., to examine the linotype machine on exhibition there before deciding as to the linotype machine by which the New York *Tribune* is set up, and which Mr. Senecal has studied once or twice. The Windsor machine, which is manufactured in Cleveland, Ohio, it is said is different in some respects from the machine manufactured in Baltimore and controlled by Washington men sufficiently so to make it independent of the Baltimore machine patent. Mr. Senecal wishes to see this Cleveland machine and ascertain its improvements, if any, and as to its relative cost.

ATTEMPTED MURDER.

GALT, Ont., May 29.—What would appear to be an attempted murder occurred here last night about nine o'clock. William Doidge an employee at Boehmer's lime works, near the north-westen suburbs of the town, does night duty, and keeps a watch dog in the shanty with him over night. While talking to the foreman in the shanty his dog ran out and started barking at two men that were near by, who commenced abusing the dog. Doidge came out and remonstrated with them until the altercation became so hot that Doidge struck at one of them, who immediately drew a revolver and fired into Doidge's face. The ball entered near the mouth and came out a little below the ear. The shot was fired at close range, powder marks being visible all over Doidge's cheek. Medical aid was secured and the wound dressed. It is not considered fatal. Both men, whose names are unknown, escaped, but constables are after them. Doidge can identify the man who did the shooting.

THE ROYAL TRAVELLERS.

NORTH BAY, Ont., May 29.—H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, with Royal party and suite, arrived here this morning at 9 o'clock by special train. The citizens turned out *en masse* and tendered them a right royal reception, after which the train was handed over to the Grand Trunk authorities, and left at 9.10 for Toronto.

THE NEWFOUNDLAND DELEGATES

PLEASED WITH THEIR RECEPTION IN ENGLAND.

TORONTO, May 29.—The following special cable appears in this morning's *Globe*: London, May 28.—The unofficial Newfoundland delegates I hear are well satisfied with the result of their labors here so far. The press has given a favorable reception to their views and recognize the importance of the issues and the necessity of prompt and thorough settlement of the difficulty. Above all, there is reason to believe the delegates have been successful in convincing Lord Knutsford of the strong ground which their case rests upon. The delegates hope to have an interview with Lord Salisbury shortly after the present recess.

GENERAL MIDDLETON.

The *Canadian Gazette* returns to the charge this week against Gen. Middleton, urging in reply to a correspondent who defends the General, that the justice of the case will not be met by any mere restitution from Gen. Middleton's purse, which must be followed by resignation.

GULF AND RIVER REPORTS.

L'ISLET—Hazy, calm. The Amyran and Siberian passed.

RIVER DU LOUP—Clear, east wind.

FATHER POINT AND METIS—Cloudy, west wind. The Sea King outward at 6 p.m.

MATANE—Cloudy, west wind. A barque inwards at 6 p.m.

CAPE CHATTE TO CAPE ROSIER—Cloudy, east to south-east wind. The Assyrian inwards.

FAME POINT—Lake Huron outwards at 4 a.m.

ESQUIMAUX POINT—The schooner "Sacre Cœur," with 50 seals; the "Stella Maris," with 440; "Labrador," with 7, arrived last night and this morning.

LOW POINT—Cloudy, strong north-east wind, "Heathfield" inwards.

SHIPPING.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Arrived, steamer Noordland from Antwerp.

LONDON, May 29.—Arrived out steamers Columbia and Saale from New York.

PERSONAL.

Lieutenant Warder, one of the gentlemen injured on the "Circassian," went ashore at Rimouski, not having been much injured, and quite able to join his ship.

The last will and testament of the late Professor John Andrew, of the High School, has filed in the Tutelle office. He leaves the whole of his estate to his daughter Maude.

DIED.

ATWATER.—Suddenly, at New Haven, on the 29th inst., Lucy H. Greene, aged 76 years, widow of the late Edwin Atwater, formerly of this city.
Funeral notice later.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

IN THE MATTER OF

W. P. REYNOLDS,
OF PICTON, ONT.,
INSOLVENT.

Notice is hereby given, that an assignment of the above estate has been made to me, in trust, for the general benefit of creditors under Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, chap. 124 and Amending Acts, and the creditors are hereby notified to meet at the British American Hotel, Kingston, Ont., on TUESDAY, June 10th, 1890, at the hour of Eleven o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving statements of affairs, appointing inspectors, and for ordering affairs of the estate generally.

Creditors having claims against the said insolvent are requested to file them with the undersigned on or before the date of said meeting.

JAMES T. TENNANT,
Trustee.

Brockville, May 29th, 1890.

UNRESERVED
CLEARING SALE

Of Oil Paintings and Water Color Drawings by foreign and Canadian artists, also Fine Engravings, Proof Etchings, Colored Photographs, &c. The subscribers will sell at the store, No. 203 ST. JAMES STREET (corner St. Peter),

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 31st,

a Large Collection of Pictures as above, comprising Oil and Water Color Paintings by Simonetti, Pillo, Grilla, Stevens, Webster, Chatman, Devlin, Cattermole, Gill, Bernard, Martin, Bouvier, Vacuno and others.

Fine Engravings, Proof Etchings, &c.

This Collection will comprise over 250 Pictures, Landscapes, marine figure and cattle subjects, all elegantly framed.

NO RESERVE. SALE AT 2.30 O'CLOCK.

M. HICKS & CO.,
Auctioneers.

THE CHEAP SALE OF PICTURES.—A pleasing feature of the Cheap Sale of Pictures which I have been running for a month or so is the large number of orders I have received from **young gentlemen preparing to "keep house."** Another is the large number I have received from purchasers at my last fall's sale, both indicative of the special good value. I have only about **a couple of hundred left** out of a thousand which I received. These, however, comprise the best subjects, as I ordered them in larger quantity. Secure a pair or two. **Bear in mind,** they are all choice, large, 22 x 28, and **although only Sixty Cents they are Dollar Pictures. Bear also in mind,** and this is important, as the high prices usually charged for frames often prevents one indulging in a pair, even when very cheap, that I give a beautiful wide (4½ inch) **three-dollar Oak Frame for $1.90,** and other styles as low. **And again bear in mind** that this Cheap Sale will soon have run its course. J. T. HENDERSON, Books and Pictures, 139 St. Peter, corner Craig.

READABLE PARAGRAPHS.



THE WAY THE CAT IS JUMPING.

Mrs. Longhed Bakstreet—Didn't your brother Henry's second wife have a cousin whose sister-in-law lives in Chicago?

Mr. Longhed Bakstreet—I think so. Why?

Mrs. Longhed Bakstreet—Well, it strikes me 't would be a good plan to find out where she lives, and invite her to spend a week with us. Then, after the Fair opens, we can take all the children and go to Chicago for a good long visit. See?—*Puck.*

FLATTERY.—Tailor (measuring little Blobbs)—"Very singular, this, sir." Blobbs—"What's that?" Tailor—"All your measurements are exactly the same as the Apollo Belvidere statue." (Blobbs ordered two suits instead of one).—*The Jester.*

ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES in gilding and antique silver, antique gold. Ivorine and imitation water silk in gilding, and defy anybody to tell the difference from real silk. Orders taken for any of the above styles at A. Bishop Stewart's, 743 Craig street, first door west of Victoria square.

HAILSTONES, intended for publication, are usually as big as hen's eggs.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

IT HAS STOOD THE TEST.—Chapman's Anti-Moth Paper, better and far cheaper than camphor. Sold everywhere by druggists.

TIME WILL TELL, but the ordinary man with an important secret won't give time a chance.—*Somerville Journal.*

CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. B. E. McGale, 2123 Notre Dame street; Laviolette & Nelson, 1605 Notre Dame street; J. T. Lyons, corner Craig and Bleury street.

A CASE was recently tried in Argyleshire which originated in a dispute about a pair of trousers. Upon this occasion the judge observed that it was the first time he had ever known a suit made out of a pair of breeches.

MOTHS MUST GO.—If you use Chapman's Anti-Moth paper your Furs and Flannels are safe from the savages of those pests. Sold by every druggist.

A WOMAN, whose husband was blind, was asked, "Gin her husband widna feel it dull, no' bein' able to read?" "Na, na," she answered, "he disna feel that. I read the Scriptures to him every day, an' mony's the bit I pit in for his guid."

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption Cure. B. E. McGale, 2123 Notre Dame street; Laviolette & Nelson, 1605 Notre Dame street; J. T. Lyons, corner Craig and Bleury street.

SCENE—Churchyard. Ancient native to stranger—"Ay, ye may weel say't; it's a bonnie, bonnie place. In my young days it wis considert a great treat to be buried here!"

THE GOAL REACHED,

AND THE REWARD OF THE STRUGGLE FOR THE DIPLOMAS.

We give the list of the Academy and Model School diplomas granted, and which are to be given to-morrow to those successful in the past session of the Normal School. The elementary list will be given later. All the diplomas will be presented to-morrow at the Normal School, Belmont street, at 3 o'clock, on which occasion Hon. Mr. Mercier, it is expected, will be present.

Academy diplomas of the first class, in alphabetical order—Maude E. S. Abbott, B.A.; Elizabeth Binmore B.A.; Oliver H. Cogswell, B.A.; Henry Howard Curtis Carrie M. Derick, B.A.; Isaac Gammell, B.A.; Thomas Chalmers Gilmour, B.A.; Alexander Hunter, B.A.; Silas Wilfred Mack, B.A.; Alexander Tolmie, B.A.; Kate E. Wilson.

MODEL SCHOOL DIPLOMAS IN ORDER OF STANDING.

1. Amy Isabel Law, of Montreal; Prince of Wales medal and prize, honorable mention in art of teaching, geometry, geography, history, literature, French, tonic sol fa intermediate certificate.
2. Cora Frances Dunkerley, of Ulverton; h. m. in bookkeeping, Latin, spelling, French, T.S.F. certif.
3. T Jane Reid, of Sutton; h.m. in algebra, geometry, agricultural chemistry, grammar, Latin, drawing, T.S.F. certif.
4. Gracie Howard Tickle, of Montreal; h.m. in grammar, literature, Latin, Greek, writing, vocal music, Tonic Sol-Fa, T.S.F. certif.
5. Lillian Kate Gyde, of Cote St. Antoine; h. m. in agricultural chemistry, French, elocution, T.S.F. certif.
6. Amy Norris, of Montreal; h. m. in arithmetic, geometry, bookkeeping, geography, writing, drawing, elocution.
7. Florence Nellie Bown, of Lennoxville; h. m. in Latin, vocal and instrumental music, T.S.F. certif.
8. Minnie Muirhead, of Montreal, h. m. in arithmetic, agricultural chemistry, history, writing.
9. Florence Josephine Mackenzie, of Montreal, h. m. in algebra, agricultural chemistry, geography, vocal music, T.S.F. certif.
10. Alfred Elie Rivard, of Montreal, the hon. superintendent's prize in French, h. m. in art of teaching, Greek, vocal music.
11. Agnes Emma Street, of Cote St. Antoine, h. m. in agricultural chemistry, geography, vocal music, instrumental music, T.S.F. certif.
12. Susie Josephine Gilmore, of Cote St. Paul, h. m. in book-keeping, vocal and instrumental music, Tonic Sol-fa, T.S.F. certif.
13. Sara Alice Ferns, of Montreal, h. m. in geometry.
14. Ida May Huddell, of Lachine, h. m. in history and writing.
15. Emma Smith, of Quebec.
16. Mary Tamar Goulden, of Montreal, h. m. in vocal and instrumental music, Tonic Solfa, T.S.F. certif.
17. Anna Maude Hall, of Kirkdale.
18. Christina Cameron, of St. Lambert, h. m. in vocal music, T.S.F. certif.
19. Leo Lorne Leet, of Castlebar.
20. Henrietta Edith Fetherston, of Montreal, T.S.F. certif.
21. Christina Wright Stewart, of Montreal, h. m. in writing.
22. Mary Eliza Hume, of Leeds Village.
23. Sarah Elizabeth Wright, of Athens.

The Superintendent of the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge acknowledges, with thanks, from—Mr. Geo. Nicholson, 2 boxes of meat; Mr. Peter Nicholson, ditto; Mr. Geo. Bridgman, 3 ditto; Mrs. J. Harris, parcel cast-off clothing; Miss Smith, ditto; Leonard Bros., barrel of fish and 2 boxes bloaters; Mr. Finlay, case of fish; Mrs. Dow, 2 dozen pillow cases; Mr. W. W. Ogilvie, barrel of flour and barrel of oatmeal; Mr. George Nicholson, 2 boxes of meat; Mrs. Wallis, parcel of periodicals; Mr. George Webster, basket of bread; Mr. Richard McDonald, box of meat; Messrs. Hunt, Barnes & Co., barrel of fish; a Friend, parcel of cast-off clothing; Miss Jerdon, ditto; Mrs. Richard White, 4 parcels ditto; Mrs. Peter Nicholson, box of meat; Mr. Geo. Nicholson, 2 boxes of meat; Mr. Peter Nicholson, ditto; Mr. George Bridgman, 3 ditto; Mrs. J. Harris, parcel cast-off clothing; Miss Smith, ditto; Leonard Bros., barrel of fish and 2 boxes of bloaters; Mr. Finlay, case of fish; Mrs. Dow, 2 dozen pillow cases.

THE MARTIN EPISODE.

FURTHER PARTICULARS CONCERNING THE REVEREND GENTLEMAN AND HIS PROSPECTS.

The ex-priest, the Rev. Mr. L. Martin, whose affairs have been so much discussed recently in the press, has received an invitation from the Committee of One Hundred in Boston to lecture in that city, and will probably do so. He has been working quietly and has evidently set to work to make his way in life.

WRITING TO HIS TEMPTERS.

Mr. Martin has written to the Archbishop of Montreal and to the abbot of the Tracadie monastery the following letters:—

A SCATHING DENUNCIATION.

(To the Editor of the Witness.)

SIR,—In your article on the case of Mr. L. Martin you kindly offered to receive any money sent to assist in paying the one hundred dollars lent him by Archbishop Fabre to help him desert his wife and family. Enclosed please find five dollars handed to me by Mr. John McConnell of 1037 St. Lawrence street for that fund. While offering no word of extenuation for the sinful and unlawful act perpetrated by Mr. Martin, by the advice and assistance of Archbishop Fabre, I would call attention to the fact stated in your article, that when Mr. Martin, in obedience to the calls of true manliness and duty, returned to his wife and family he performed a courageous as well as Christian act, and is worthy of sympathy and assistance at our hands.

As Mr. Martin had no other purpose in view than to support his family by teaching I trust we, as Protestants, will secure him a sufficient number of pupils to enable him to earn an ordinary and comfortable income.

I am quite sure if the contributions exceed the amount required to repay the loan made by Archbishop Fabre by which to accomplish the nefarious crime of wife desertion, but which has been so providentially frustrated and exposed, exceed the amount required, a committee of ladies can expend it to good advantage in supplying the humble home with conveniences which will conduce greatly to the comfort of Mrs. Martin, that faithful wife, who with a constancy found only in noble womanly hearts, tenaciously clung to the belief that her husband's love for herself and children would bring him back to their once happy home.

No language is too strong to condemn the conduct of one who, in the holy name of the Christian faith, which demands truth and righteousness in all and for all, will counsel and lend money to assist a poor desponding and despairing man to abandon his home, his wife and children. How will God judge one who uses his ecclesiastical position and almost unlimited wealth to rob a wife and children of the husband and father and send the deepest grief into a once happy home.

Let the guilty recognize the reproving finger once pointed at a guilty monarch, now pointed at him, and let him hear the burning words of the prophet, which brought an appalling sense of guilt to David, say to him,

"THOU ART THE MAN."

In view of the proof which establishes beyond all possibility of contradiction the fact that a crime against the laws of our country, the law of our common humanity, and the law of God, and no word of defence nor token of sorrow given by the greatest sinner in the painful drama, I hold it is time for honest men to speak the truth faithfully and hold up to merited scorn and rebuke the evil machinations of a professedly Christian Church and its ecclesiastics.

T. G. WILLIAMS.

TO MY LORD BISHOP.

To His Lordship, Mgr. Fabre, Archbishop of Montreal:—

MY LORD,—I have the honor to write to Your Lordship from Montreal itself. This single word will no doubt be in itself a whole revelation for Your Lordship. I have then returned to my family. However, I pray Your Lordship not to believe that it was my intention to deceive you. No, I was sincere when discussing with Your Lordship the question of my departure, but I had depended too much upon my strength. It has been impossible for me to live far away from my family. The thought of my dear little children, become orphans at such a tender age, haunted me continually. I fancied at every moment that I saw them smiling upon me, and extending their little arms towards me and this fixed idea caused me indescribable torture. On the other hand, I had not the courage to break the heart and life of a woman who had trusted my word, and whose affection and devotion towards me during my absence have excited the admiration of everyone. I profoundly regret to have to cause this grief to Your Lordship, who have shown yourself so good towards me, but there lies for me a question of honor, of fidelity to the oath given and of conscience, which predominates over everything else. God, who knows the hearts and minds, knows that no motive of pride or personal interest induced me to go back on my decision. No one likes obscurity more than I do, and I am grieved at all the noise made about this matter. I place all my hope in Divine mercy, and I cannot believe that the Lord will condemn me for not having been able to kill in my heart my feelings of a husband and a father. Is He not a father himself, and has he not a father's heart for all His children.

My intention is to give French lessons as in the past. I trust that Providence, always so good, will furnish me the means of providing for my small family. I will do my best possible to give them bread, and if I cannot earn any, then I will look after some; but I am quite decided not to abandon them again to the care of public charity.

I thank Your Lordship for your kindness towards me, for which I shall ever preserve a grateful remembrance. I beg Your Lordship's pardon for having caused you all this annoyance. It goes without saying that I will make it my duty to return to Your Lordship the money which you kindly advanced me as soon as I can.

Such are the dispositions, my lord, in which I pray you to kindly accept the sentiments of profound respect and sincere gratitude, with which I have the honor to be, Your Lordship's most humble servant,

L. MARTIN.

To the Very Reverend Father Dominique Abbot of Petit Clairvaux.

MY VERY REV. FATHER,—I have the honor to give you an explanation of my conduct, which must have appeared to you rather strange. You have thought, no doubt, that my trip to Antigonish was a mere pretext to leave the monastery without saying a word. Such is not the case. True it is that I was strongly inclined to return to Montreal, but I was still undecided on the Thursday morning when I asked your permission to go to Antigonish. Certain facts which I learned on the way being added to my previous regret of having abandoned my family decided me definitely, and instead of stopping at Antigonish, I continued on my way to Montreal. I thank you from the bottom of my heart, my very rev. Father, for the cordial reception granted me, and I will forever preserve the best remembrance thereof. I beg of you, at the same time, to kindly let me know what I owe you for the fifteen days which I passed in the monastery. I consider this debt a sacred one, and you know the proverb, Who pays his debts gets rich. Please accept, my very rev. Father, the feelings of profound respect with which I have the honor to be

Your Reverence's most humble servant,

L. MARTIN.

Montreal, May 26, 1889.

MONTREAL, May 29, 1890.

Readings by Hearn & Harrison's Standard Barometer at noon to-day: 30.00; yesterday, 29.95. To-day—Temperature, max., 68; min., 44; yesterday, max., 67; min., 51.

Board and Rooms.

A GENTLEMAN can be accommodated with board in a private family, at Lachine. Address JUNE, "Witness" Office.

BEACONSFIELD.—Two or three rooms, without board, near "the Grove" at Beaconsfield. Address P. O. Box, 1548.

BOARD.—The Valois Boarding House, near station, fronting river, is now ready to accommodate ladies and gentlemen. Good table and rooms. Address "CHEVIGNY," Valois.

BOARD Vacancies. 19 Latour street.

BOARD—pleasant, well-furnished Room, superior table, everything first-class; $3.50 per week; no children; piano. 68 Victoria street.

BOARD.—Furnished large Room, suitable for married couple or two gentlemen. Apply 209 St. Antoine st.

COMFORTABLY Furnished single and double rooms, with good board, for gentlemen. Apply 328½ St. Antoine.

FURNISHED ROOMS, for Gentlemen or married couple; in private family. 43 Anderson street.

FURNISHED ROOM, to let, for one or two Gentlemen or Married couple. 2050 St. Catherine street.

FURNISHED or Unfurnished rooms at 39 St. Phillip street.

FURNISHED Rooms, suitable for married couple or gentlemen, with or without board. 203 St. Martin street.

LARGE ROOM, suitable for one or Two Gentlemen; newly furnished; bath, etc. 14½ Berthelet street.

LARGE ROOM vacant, also small Room on upper floor. 56 University street.

ROOM, for a young Man, with board. 15 Balmoral street.

ROOMS TO LET.—Newly furnished, light and centrally located. 39 Belmont street.

ROOMS.—One Large and Two Small Rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with or without board. Private family. No children. Vicinity of cyclorama. Address PRIVATE FAMILY, "Witness" Office.

ROOMS Vacant. 37 Belmont street.

ROOMS—On 1st floor, 2 large Rooms, unfurnished, suitable for light house-keeping; in a private family. 301 St. Charles Borrommee street.

TWO GENTLEMEN or a Professional Gentleman can obtain a beautiful Front Parlor Bedroom with every convenience, near Street Car terminus. Breakfast and Tea if desired. Address, GREEN AVENUE, "Witness" Office.

TO LET, a large, nicely Furnished Bedroom, suitable for two young men. Address M. L., 3, "Witness" Office.

TO LET, nicely Furnished Rooms, thoroughly cleaned, above St. Catherine; three minutes' walk from Cathedral. Address L.M., "Witness" Office.

TO LET, two bright, airy Rooms, with the comforts of a home at 96 Mansfield street.

TWO Gentlemen or Married Couple can have double Room, use of Drawing room, Piano, Bath, &c. 65 Argyle avenue.

TO LET, a large unfurnished room suitable for storage. 2328 St. Catherine street.

TO LET, Room, one large front room on bath room floor, furnished or unfurnished. 1552 Ontario street.

TO RENT, Parlor Bedroom, suitable for married couple or two gentlemen, with board. 41 Metcalfe street.

TO LET, Furnished and Unfurnished Rooms, with or without use of kitchen, at 22 St. Monique st.

TO LET, Cote St. Antoine, fine Front Parlor Bedroom, suitable for two gentlemen or professional man; breakfast and tea if desired. Address Green avenue, Cote St. Antoine.

TO LET, Room, furnished or unfurnished; water on each flat; in quiet family. Apply at 2081 St. Catherine street.

TO LET, 3 unfurnished Rooms, on bath room flat. Apply 269 St. Antoine street.

TO LET, a large Unfurnished Room. 108 St. Felix street, near St. Antoine street.

TO LET TO GENTLEMEN, in a private family, two nicely Furnished Rooms, with partial board and use of piano; terms moderate. 71 Anderson street, first door from Dorchester.

ROOM, front, for gentleman; newly furnished; bathroom flat; private family; 6 minutes' from Post-office. Address CENTRAL, "Witness" Office.

ROOMS, two nicely furnished rooms, with or without partial board. 78 Mansfield street.

ROOMS AND BOARD.—In a highly respectable family, large, well-furnished Rooms, first-class Board, every convenience. Table Board, gentlemen only; terms moderate. Apply 273 Seigneurs st.

ROOMS to Let. Two very comfortable Furnished Bedrooms on Bathroom flat. English family. 135 St. Andre street. Gentlemen preferred.

ROOM on bathroom flat, handsomely furnished, with all modern conveniences and first-class board at 49 McGill College avenue.

ROOM Furnished, suitable for one or two respectable young ladies, employed during the day; rent four dollars month. Apply 751 St. James st.

ROOM TO LET, furnished, for two young men, with breakfast and tea. Apply 544 Sanguinet street, just above Roy.

VACANCY for two Boarders, at 90 Magdalen street, Point St. Charles.

TWO OR THREE FINE ROOMS

TO LET

In new part Turkish Bath facing the mountain. Address or call on Manager.

Educational.

FRENCH.—Private and Class Lessons, conversation, Berlitz system. Apply to E. GEHRET, 8 McGill College avenue. Telephone 4701.

LADY UNDERGRADUATE, an experienced teacher, will coach for examinations; terms moderate. Address TEACHER 14, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, by a young lady, Pupils to learn French. Terms moderate. Address PUPILS, 14, "Witness" Office.

Wanted.

Notices under this head, 10 cents each insertion, up to 20 words, prepaid.

WANTED, an active partner, with from four to five thousand dollars, in a manufacturing business; guarantee 20 percent. Address, ACTIVE PARTNER' "Witness" Office.

WANTED TO PURCHASE, all kinds of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cast-off Clothing, Winter and Summer Goods; best prices paid. Address H. GILBERT, 575 Craig street.

WANTED, pair of young Horses for the road, about six years old; must be perfectly sound; fast walkers. Address, with lowest price, P.O. Box 2103.

WANTED, to purchase, a No. 2 or 3 Remington type-writer; must be in first-class order. State price and apply TYPEWRITER, Box 1077, city.

WANTED, to buy a good second hand Skiff; must be cheap. Address A. W. MULLAN, Hudson, Que.

Lost, Strayed and Found.

Notices under this head, 10 cents each insertion, up to 20 words, prepaid.

LOST, on Sunday, Irish terrier; owner's name and address on collar. Anyone returning him to Merchant's Bank, or 55 Tupper street will be rewarded. Red color, wire coated.

LOST, Mountain Park, May 24th, small basket containing child's cup and a ball. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at 17 Crescent street.

LOST, on Monday last, in the city, a small Leather Wallet containing a few postage stamps, some newspaper clippings and $75 to $100 in bank bills. Return to 271 St. Urbain street, and receive a reward.

LOST, Black Newfoundland Dog, answers to the name "Pompeii." Return, or information leading to recovery, will be suitably rewarded by D. T. IRISH, Agent Canadian Express Co., 84 and 86 St. Francois Xavier st.

STRAYED, from Redpath street yesterday about noon, a large Dandie Dinmont terrier; answers to "Jack," name of collar, D. MORRICE, JR., 10 Redpath street, city. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to above address.

STRAYED from 1396 Dorchester street west, a young Black and Tan Collie Dog. A liberal reward paid for his return.

Employment Wanted.

Notices under this head, 10 cents each insertion, up to 20 words, prepaid.

A YOUNG GIRL, wishes a place as House or Table-maid; can give good references; city preferred. Apply 76½ Bleury street.

A YOUNG MAN wishes to secure situation in office as Book-keeper, &c.; one year and a half's experience; references. Apply, W. M. 4, "Witness" Office.

A YOUNG MAN who speaks French and English wishes a situation as Clerk. Good references. F. 12, "Witness" Office.

A YOUNG MAN with five years' experience of office work wants a situation as cashier or assistant book-keeper; understands all branches of general office work; best of references and security if required; willing to leave the city. Please address ROSSLYN, "Witness" Office.

SITUATION VACANT in country for Young Man to attend small garden, horse, cow and work around house. References required. State wages expected. J. B. FRASER, Westmeath, Ont.

SITUATION wanted by a young man as Storeman in a wholesale store; three years' experience; best city references. Address G.L. 102, "Witness" Office.

SITUATION wanted by 2 sisters, one to learn the millinery and the other to serve in store; small remuneration required. Address Ada "Witness" Office.

SITUATION wanted, as Groom or Gardener; generally useful; can milk. Good references. 30 St. Antoine street.

STOREKEEPERS.—Wanted, a situation by a young Man of 19, has had nearly five years experience in office work, principally with Dry Goods firm; good Bookkeeper and Penman. References. Address, VERITAS 44, "Witness" Office.

TO PARENTS OR GUARDIANS.—A lady (middle aged) would take charge of a young lady or little girl or two to go for summer months to the sea or mountains. For references and terms address ZETA, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, a situation, by an experienced Housemaid in a small family, or any place of trust; best of references. Address, C. D., 916 Dorchester st.

WANTED, by a respectable Protestant woman, a situation as General Servant, a short distance from the city; references. Address, H., 12 "Witness" Office.

WANTED, by a reliable woman situation as good Plain Cook and laundress. Address SERVANT "Witness" Office.

WANTED, by Young Lady, a position as French and English correspondent; understands book-keeping thoroughly; best references. Address A., 742, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, by a Young Lady, position as assistant book-keeper; best of references; very moderate salary. Address POSITION, 14, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, situation as Night Watchman or Storeman. GEORGE STOCK, Turkish Bath.

WANTED, a situation as General Servant or House maid; three years reference. Apply 576A, St. Dominique street.

WANTED, by a respectable Woman, work by the day; good references. Apply at 140 Canning street.

WANTED, by an experienced young Lady, a situation as Clerk in an office or store. Address L.T. 15, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, by a respectable woman, office cleaning or work by the day of any kind. Apply or address Mrs. BARRY, 136 St. Dominique street.

WANTED, by a young man of 20, situation at some light work, in warehouse, or shop of any kind, smart and willing to make himself generally useful, also willing to go to the country; good recommendations. Address J L. 10, "Witness" Office.

WANTED Washing, Housecleaning, &c., by a respectable English woman. Apply Mrs. GINGELL, 156 St. George street.

WANTED, by a Young Lady, situation as Companion or Nursery Governess. Address, GOVERNESS 13, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, situation as Coachman or Groom. Good city references. Willing to go to the country for the summer. Address H P., "Witness" Office.

WANTED, paperhanging, painting, tinting graining. Personal or postal orders promptly attended. BAKER, 105 Felix street, off St. Antoine street.

WANTED, a situation by a young man, speaking both languages, having experience in invoicing and collecting; can furnish good references. Age 18. Address INVOICE CLERK, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, by a respectable woman, to wash, iron or scrub; good references. Apply 20½ St. Margaret street.

WANTED, situation by a neat, active Young Married Man, good rider, careful driver, understands the care of horses and harness, willing to make himself useful; habits temperate. Good references. Please address F. 19, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, by a Respectable Woman, office-cleaning or work by the day of any kind. Apply at 36 St. Bernard street.

WANTED, situation as Traveller for Grocery House. Address P.O. Box 1406.

To Let.

COTTAGE TO RENT, at Cushing, Que., for summer months. Good boating and fishing. Apply to A. W. MULLAN, Hudson, Que.

FURNISHED HOUSE on Sherbrooke street. Very low to desirable tenant. Inquire 33 Redpath st.

HOUSE TO LET, 432 St. Dominique st., with 11 large apartments, w.c. and bath; rent $17, no taxes. Apply, 430 St. Dominique st.

LITTLE METIS, large furnished house to let, on good beach. Address R.O.G., "Witness" Office.

LARGE Stone Warehouse in Kingston, with wharf and railway facilities, to let. Fifteen-horse power can be supplied. Apply to J. BAWDEN, Kingston.

PART OF STORE TO LET.—Fine Room for an office and sample room, or meeting room for club. Address or apply to store 2387 St. Catherine st.

SUMMER COTTAGES to let, 6, 8 and 12 rooms, convenient to boat and cars; footpath all the way; fare 2½c and 5 cents; cheap markets; hard and soft water; city conveniences in doors; rent low to desirable parties; late boat and cars now established. Apply to F HAMILTON, Gardenville, west of Longueuil, Box 9, Longueuil, or to J. CRADOCK SIMPSON & CO., 181 St. James street.

SUMMER RESIDENCE to let at Murray Bay, containing thirteen rooms, completely furnished, situated on the banks of the St Lawrence. Apply to JAMES GIBB, P. O. Box 1061, Quebec.

TO LET, the new, self-contained Corner House, No. 539 St. Urbain street, at reduced rental. Apply to R. A. DUNTON, 110 St. James street.

TO LET, a partly-furnished House, owner reserving one or two rooms; rent moderate. Address, HOUSE, 19 "Witness" Office.

TO RENT, a tennis lawn on Guy Street; moderate terms. Apply, 250 Bishop street.

TO LET, at Iberville, P.Q., within three minutes of school and church and C. P. R. Station, a detached Cottage, with six Bedrooms, Dining-room, Parlor and Kitchen and large garden; water laid on; would let for summer. Also at St. John, opposite River Richelieu, five minutes from C.P.R. depot, a House of eight rooms, bath and w.c.; and fitted for hot water. Apply to W. M. RYDER, St. John, P.Q.

TO LET, Dwelling House, in good locality, suitable for letting rooms. Apply to J. R. GRANT & CO., 2293 St. Catherine street.

TO LET, at Lachine (Stoney Point), Three Houses, two furnished. For particulars address P. O. Box 1930.

TO LET.—For the summer months; Brick Cottage; furnished; near city; on the line of the C.P.R.; pleasantly situated; near river; good boating; thoroughly healthy; convenient for business. Address SUMMER MONTHS, "Witness" Office.

TO LET, a neat comfortable Cottage on Coursol street; rent, $14 per month; no taxes. Apply 359 St. Antoine street.

TO RENT, a neat pleasant four-roomed House, bath and w.c. and cellar; West End, near St. Catherine and cars. Furniture would be sold cheap if desired. Leaving city. Address S. H., 14, "Witness" Office.

TO LET, new Tenements, five large rooms, w.c., East End, near C.P.R. shops, $7.50. Apply 141 Bleury street, or 234 Parthenais street, in the Terrace.

TO LET, flat of Four Unfurnished Rooms, newly tinted and painted, on bath-room flat; no children. Apply 285 Upper St. Martin st.

TO LET, Stone Front House; hot and cold water. 21 Cherrier street, between St. Louis Park and Logan's Park. Rent, $18.

TO LET, House, No. 20 Balmoral street, with all modern improvements; heated with hot water; rent $20 per month; no taxes. Apply to JAS. YOUNG, 18 Courville street.

TO LET, 89 Fort street, Stone-Front Cottage, extension kitchen, eight rooms, heated by Ryan furnace, with all modern conveniences; will be tinted throughout; rent $300 and taxes. Apply C. L. MALTBY, 309 St. James street.

To Let.

WHOLESALE WAREHOUSE TO LET, Nos. 5 and 7 RECOLLET STREET, extending to Notre Dame street. Rent low.

—ALSO—

That four-story Stone House, 662 SHERBROOKE ST. Rent low. Apply to S. H. & J. MOSS, 180 St. James st.

REDUCED RENTS.

We have a few houses now to let for which low rents will be taken from desirable tenants.

J. CRADOCK SIMPSON & CO.,

181 ST. JAMES STREET.

NEW HOUSES

TO LET, in new block at corner of Bayle and Fox streets; good cellar; kitchen on ground floor; six bedrooms; heated by hot water; nice mantels and grates; moderate rent.

J. CRADOCK SIMPSON & CO.,

181 ST. JAMES STREET.

YARD TO LET.

On Wellington street, at corner of Queen street; area about 11,000 feet. A long lease could be given.

J. CRADOCK SIMPSON & CO.,

181 ST. JAMES STREET.

Situations Vacant.

Notices under this head, 10 cents each insertion, up to 20 words, prepaid.

WANTED, a good Sewing Girl for a month. Apply at 41 St. Luke street.

WANTED, a Man who can mow by hand, to work in garden 15 miles from Montreal. Apply, Temperance Dining Hall, 353 St. James street, Saturday morning before 12 a.m.

WANTED, Saleswoman, for a Fancy Goods Store; references required. Address MUSIC BOX, "Witness" Office.

WANTED, a good brass moulder. Apply at CUTHBERT & SON, 23 College street.

WANTED, a General Servant for family of two, Protestant. Apply at once, 176 Mansfield street.

WANTED a good smart Kitchen Girl. Apply between 5 and 6 p.m., 170 Mountain st.

WANTED, a reliable Nursemaid. Apply in the evening only to 25 Milton street, off Shuter st.

WANTED a daily Governess to teach during morning hours. Apply at 174 Mountain street.

WANTED—A respectable Youth to learn the drug business. Apply to J. A. HARTE, 1780 Notre Dame street.

WANTED, a good General Servant. Apply at 225 Stanley street.

WANTED, first-class Shorthand and Remington Type-writer (gentleman). Must have the highest references as regards character and ability. Address, THOMAS ROBERTSON & CO., City.

WANTED, a good Nurse Girl. Apply at 949 Dorchester street.

WANTED, at once, good General Servant, at 1229 Dorchester street; liberal wages. Apply, with references, between 3 and 5 or after 7 p.m.

WANTED, a good General Servant; must be a good Cook. Apply at 172 Mountain street, city.

WANTED, first-class Steel Plate Printer; non-union; steady position; best pay. Address GAST BANK NOTE COMPANY, St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED, a young Girl; good with children, two English family. 134 Lusignan street.

WANTED, a General Servant, must be a good cook; also Nurse for three children; must have good references. Apply at 127 Bishop street, after 7 p.m.

WANTED, for 10th June, good General Servant; references required. 50 Prince Arthur street.

WANTED, a strong Boy to go messages and make himself useful. Apply at 53 St. Sulpice street.

WANTED, for the Confectionery trade, Young Man with about 3 years' experience. Apply 95 Wellington street.

WANTED, two smart Young Girls, for a Fancy Goods Store. 83 St. Lawrence st.

WANTED, a good Core Maker. Apply at CUTHBERT & SON, 23 College st.

WANTED, immediately, General Servant, must be able to milk. Apply to MRS. A. H. SIMS, Pine avenue, head of Durocher street.

WANTED, General Servant for small family, must have good references. Apply at 2684 St. Catherine street.

WANTED, an experienced nurse girl, willing to assist with light housework. References required. Apply 267 Bishop street.

WANTED, Nurse, must be kind and accustomed to young children; references necessary. Apply between 5 and 7 p.m., at 1015 Dorchester street.

WANTED, Woman to take charge of house and family; Protestant; must be cheap. Apply after 6 p.m., G. E., 111 Lusignan street.

WANTED, a Man competent to take charge of the office and finances of a manufacturing business; one with a few thousand dollars capital, that could eventually take an interest in the business, should it prove satisfactory to him. Address, A. A. "Witness" Office.

WANTED, a young man to drive an express and make himself generally useful; references required. Apply between 6 and 8 p.m. at 55 Aylmer st.

WANTED, a Young Man as Footman and Indoor Servant. None need apply except those who can produce good references. Address in writing, A., Post-Office Drawer No. 1905.

WANTED, two good plain Cooks for the country, also two good Housemaids. Apply at 60 City Councillors street.

WANTED, a respectable young girl, about 14, to assist with care of children and light housework. Apply, 21 Durocher st.

WANTED, good General Servant, willing to go to the country and wash for small family. Apply, 248 Bishop street.

WANTED,

A Young Man as Assistant Book-keeper and General Office hand, with knowledge of French preferred; first-class references required. Salary $300 per annum. Apply, stating experience, to X. Y., "Witness" Office.

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3rd. That piece of land adjoining the park, and bounded on the west side by Law's lane, on the north and south sides by the "Frothingham" property, containing 236 ft. by 446 feet. It will be sold in one lot or sub-divided into building lots.

4th. Two tracts of land at Outremont fronting on the main road going round the mountain, known as the "Harrigan property," containing over nine arpents. There is a brick dwelling, etc. on this property.

5th. That large and convenient Cut-Stone Residence, No. 264 Upper University street. Possession 1st of May.

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FOR SALE, two Second-hand 3-sided Moulding Machines, Steam Pump, 2 inch discharge, and several Engines and Boilers, in running order; also new machines. Apply H. E. PLANT, 89 Common street, Montreal.

FOR SALE, a large Mahogany Wardrobe, with Mirror in door. For further particulars apply 250 Bishop street.

FOR SALE—Three large Barns, near Montreal Junction; two of them new; could easily be removed by rail or otherwise; to be sold at fraction of cost. D. S. LEACH, 180 St. James street.

FOR SALE, Sociable Tricycle; in good order; will sell cheap. P.O. Box 1000.

FOR SALE, a splendid assortment of Knappe & Sons' celebrated pleasure boats, very best workmanship and material, all beautifully finished. DUFF & FRASER, 320 St. James street.

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FOR SALE, a Light Express. Call at A. A. HIGGINS, 936 Dorchester st.

FOR SALE, large Bookcase, $15; large Sideboard, $8; sofa bed, $3. Also lot complete at a bargain. 2198 Notre Dame street.

FOR SALE, a handsome turnout, Horse, Harness and Cart. The horse is a beautiful cob, perfectly docile; the harness and cart quite new. Apply to STARR & KINSELLA, Livery Stable.

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Last Edition

NINETY-ONE MISSING NOW.

THE LONGUE POINTE ASYLUM VICTIMS—THE OFFICIAL LIST AT LAST.

The adjourned Coroner's inquest into the cause of the Longue Pointe Asylum fire and the terrible results were returned yesterday at 3 p.m.

The first witness called was Sister St. Charles, secretary of the Asylum, who produced a list which, she stated, included the names of all the patients missing since the fire. The list formerly produced was incomplete. Now the total of the lost had been raised to 91, five of whom were men. The balance lost were females. The five lay sisters lost were also included in the present list. It was probable that many of the women had run away on the day of the fire. She was positive that the five missing men were not all burned, as the hobby amongst men always was to escape. Witness had written to a number of families to find if any had returned home, but so far had received no reply. She did not believe that all the missing were burned, and believed that many would yet return, as they were doing every day. The following is the official list produced, and which now numbers the missing as ninety-one, which is an increase of forty over the unofficial list given last week:

WOMEN PATIENTS.

Archambault, Dame, wife of Joseph Lamarche.
Anicet, Marie, wife of A. Phaneuf.
Benard, Catherine Axille.
Berard, Eliza.
Bourque, Dame L., nee A. Demarais.
Bonin, Therese, wife of C. Mousseau.
Brisson, Alphonsine.
Brunet, Mathilde.
Binette, Dame P., nee Mainville.
Blais, Dame O., nee L. Lacombe.
Brouillet, Zelee.
Charbonneau, Alphonsine.
Cartier, Ellide.
Collyer, Georgiana.
Courtemanche, Dame A., nee Lafamme.
Cloutier, V., wife of Israel St. Michel.
Chaput, V., wife of A. Lacerune.
Chartrand, Dame P., nee Lucie Emond.
Coleman, Mrs., nee Delaney.
Cardinal, Dame V., nee Lahale.
Carlisle, Charlotte.
Donahoe, Anna.
Daley, Bridget.
Deslauriers, dit Legault, Angelique.
Dauphin, Zoe.
Doyle, Julia.
Doucet, Constance.
Davidson, Elina.
Fallizard, Estherine.
Galarneau, Delima.
Gleeson, Margaret.
Gibeau, Clara, wife F. Rocher.
Genereux, Dame V., nee A. Roers.
Huot, Jane.
Henry, Eliza, nee Fraser.
Hunt, Albina.
Hackhurst, Ellen.
Henault, E., wife J. Marseau.
Kelly, Dame Williams, nee Clark.
Lemay, dit Chretien, Euphebine.
Lecault, Marie.
Laurin, Dame Marguerite.
Latour, Angelique.
Larriviere, Batmy.
Lazerte, dit Vinette, Amerie.
Leonard, Catherine.
Lalumiere, Euphrosine.
Levellee, Exilie.
Lamarre, Sophie.
Lamy, Elizabeth.
Laye, Mary.
Lapierre, Aelida.
Mireault, Dame V., nee R. Mercier.
Michaud, Lida.
Murphy, Alice, widow of M. Mayer.
Maloney, Ellen.
McSheffy, Dora.
McAlpine, Margaret.
McAvoy, wife of P. O'Loughlin.
McGibbon, Hattie.
Oliver, Esther.
Ouellette, Albertine.
Prevost, Delphine.
Page, Victoria.
Poirrier, Delya.
Phelan, Victoria.
Poirrier, Dame Marcel, nee Rocheleau.
Richer, Domitild.
Richard, Eliza.
Raymond, Flavie.
Sullivan, Ellen.
Scanlan, Dame.
Shahan, Dame Marie.
Thibodeau, Lizzie.
Thivierge, Clarisse.
Therriault, Hortense.
Vieux, Dame Pierre.
Vernier dit Ladouceur, Judith.
Whalen, Bridget.
Williams, Sophie.
Williams, Dame Annie.

MEN MISSING.

Bellarose, J. B. A.
Galvin, Thomas.
McLeod, John.
Smith, Thomas.
Sullivan, John, (he returned May 24th.)
Trepanier, Wm.

SISTERS BURNT TO DEATH,

Boutheller, Lumina.
Gilbert, Demerise.
Gravel, Alexandrina.
Gravel, Geronime.
McNicol, Victoria.

Nicholas Harmon, the next witness called, said he had been employed in the asylum as guardian for fourteen months, when he was discharged on the 9th of April by Sister Therese because he could not speak French. The reason Sister Therese gave him was that it was very unhandy to have anyone around the patients who did not speak their language. She had given him, however, a very good character when leaving. Coroner Jones here explained to witness that he had been called before them for a statement that had been printed in one of the city papers, which was signed Nicholas Harmon, and in which the writer stated that the fire had originated in the furnace room; consequently the jury wanted to know on what authority he had made that statement. Witness denied ever having written to any paper as to the origin of the fire, or even expressing an opinion as to it. This was the last witness, and the jury then sat with closed door to consider the verdict, and after half an hour's deliberation returned the following verdict:—The jurors are unanimously of opinion that the persons whose remains were found in the ruins of the St. Jean de Dieu asylum at Longue Pointe perished in the conflagration there on the 6th May instant; but it is impossible for them to say how or in what part of the place the fire originated, though it is probable that an inmate confined in the Ste. Cecile ward, on the third story, set fire to the building, or that spontaneous combustion, caused by the sawdust between the floorings, took place.

The jury would recommend:—1. That in the future the ventilators in institutions of such a nature should be constructed of brick or fireproof material;

2. That such establishments should have fewer stories and should as much as possible be in separate isolated buildings;

3. That the violent and infirm inmates should be placed in the lower stories;

4. That no closets or cupboards containing inflammable material should be permitted in the various wards;

5. That galleries should be placed on each story with staircases communicating with each floor.

The jurors believe that these are necessary measures in order to prevent loss of life in case of fire or any other similar accident at such an institution in the future.

☞The search for bodies, it is expected, will commence either to-day or to-morrow, now that the walls are nearly all demolished.

THE PREMIER WAS ABSENT,

AND THE PEOPLE IN ROBERT HALL WERE DISAPPOINTED—OTHER POLITICAL MATTERS.

A large number of people assembled in the Robert Hall on St. Catherine street last night, as it was rumored that Premier Mercier was to give an address. They were disappointed, however, as a telegram was read from Mr. Mercier stating that circumstances made it impossible for him to arrive here until this morning. Speeches were, however, given by Mr. E. A. Poirier, Hon. Horace Archambault, M.L.C., and Messrs. St. Jean, Brouillet and Earnest Desrosiers, in which they referred to the loss they had sustained by the retirement of Mr. L. O. David, and urged the support of Ald. Brunet.

There was a lively meeting of both parties held yesterday afternoon at Ste. Philippe, Laprarie, at which there was a good attendance. Speeches were made by Mr. Goyette, ex M.P.P., who declared that he had willingly retired in order to make room for Hon. Mr. Duhamel; by the Commissioner of Crown Lands, by Mr. Conrad Pelletier, the Conservative candidate, who spoke for an hour, Mr. Doyon, M.P., Mr. H. D. Tetu, Dr. Lanctot and Messrs. P. Leclaire, F. G. Bissillon and P. M. Sauvalle also spoke.

There is to be a meeting this evening of the Club National, to request Ald. Rainville to be the candidate for St. Louis division. Mr. Beaugrand is nevertheless determined to stay in the field against all comers, so the contest in this division has every appearance of being a lively one.

Mr. Redmond, the proposed labor candidate for St. Ann's division, is to give an answer this evening to a deputation from the Knights of Labor as to whether he will take the field or not.

Dr. Rodier has refused the Conservative candidature for Hochelaga County.

Mr. Mercier is to speak this afternoon at a political meeting in Rougemont. A number of meetings, at which the Premier will speak, will be held throughout the country immediately.

Mr. Thomas Fortin, LL.D., the law partner of the Hon. J. E. Robidoux, has decided to oppose Mr. Leblanc for Laval County. Mr. Leblanc, Conservative, held a meeting at St. Francois de Salles yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Nantel, candidate for Terrebonne County, held a meeting with his supporters at St. Therese yesterday afternoon, at which addresses were given by Mr. Nantel and Mr. J. L. Archambault. It is expected that the Hon. Mr. Chapleau will speak at another meeting to be held at the same place on Tuesday next.

ST. LAWRENCE WARD.

THE WORKERS FOR ALDERMAN STEPHENS.

The requisition for Alderman Stephens has already been signed by six or seven hundred names, all the lists not having been handed in when the requisition was published. The list of names, commencing with Mr. Warden King's, represents persons in the ward of all shades of political opinion, and contains Protestant and Roman Catholic, French and English speaking voters. Besides these there have been almost as many who promise to vote though they did not wish to sign the requisition. A meeting of Alderman Stephens' friends was held last night in the committee room, 172 Bleury street, and Mr. E. T. Perry was named chairman and Mr. John Williamson honorary secretary. The voters' lists were in charge of the secretary, Mr. Connell, and a large number of additional names were reported and lists taken up by supporters of the candidate. Alderman Stephens was present himself for a time, and assisted with his advice in the promotion of the canvass.

"A LIBERAL'S" OPINION.

"A Liberal" writes to the effect that he and hundreds of others in St. Lawrence Ward would have signed the requisition had he known where to go to do so. He urges, "now that Mr. Stephens is in the field, let all good men and true who are desirous to see honest men elected to frame our laws put their shoulder to the wheel and return him with a sweeping majority." He also urges the electors to turn out and work for Mr. Stephens.

THE GOOD WORK GOES ON.

PROVIDING FOR THE PROTESTANT INSANE HOSPITAL.

The treasurer of the Protestant Hospital for the Insane acknowledges, with thanks, the following donations:—Andrew Irwin, Primrose, Ont., $1; St. Martin's Church Offertory, $5; Robert Orr, of English River, $2.25; F. C. B., $2; Avon, per Rev. Samuel Massey, $1; G. W. Reed, $100; Danville & Nicolet, per Miss M. S. Palmer, for furnishing room, $24 54.

THE RAINS AND THE FARMERS.

The frequent rains, accompanied by warmer weather lately, have been favorable for the growth of grass, and the pastures have a very promising appearance. Grain, also, where the soil is not too wet, is doing well, but a large area of tilled land is too wet for cultivation and in some cases where the seed has been sown, it has nearly all rotted, while the few grains that have germinated have a sickly appearance. The cultivators of these wet fields are getting discouraged as the proper time for seeding is drawing to a close, and a week of dry weather is needed to bring a good many fields into a proper condition for cultivation.

A CHARGE OF PARTISANSHIP.

Under the heading "The Royal Commission," *La Minerve* says:—"The Liberal organs announce that a royal commission has been appointed to investigate the Pacaud scandal, and that it will be composed of Mr. Malouin, a Quebec advocate and former Liberal member, and of Mr. Beique, a Liberal lawyer of this city, Messrs. Malouin and Beique may be excellent lawyers, but they are partizans and men mixed up in our political disputes. They do not possess the warranty of impartiality required from such a commission. If Mr. Mercier had wished to furnish us with a serious investigation he would not have acted in this manner. He would have named judges, as did Sir John Macdonald in the Canadian Pacific matter. The investigations held in the Legislative Assembly before the committees appointed by Mr. Mercier have been outrageously partial. The witnesses spoke only in as much as the thing suited the $5,000 hero. We regret to state that the tribunal just announced is tainted with the same original fault."

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

STATEMENT OF EARNINGS AND EXPENSES.

	April, 1890.	Jan. 1st, to April 30, 1890.
Gross earnings	$1,228,518.36	$4,235,893.61
Working expenses	821,846.18	3,113,570.36
Net profits	$406,672.18	$1,122,323.25
In April, 1889, the net profits were		$404,182.55
And from January 1st to April 30th, 1889, there was a net profit of		1,069,360.66
The gain in net profits over the same period last year is, therefore, for April		2,489.63
And from January 1st to April 30th		52,962.59

Montreal, May 28th, 1890.

CRUSHED BY A HUGE STONE.

Emile Erickson, a young man working in a quarry at Mille Roches, was severely injured, yesterday afternoon, by a large stone falling upon him. The General Hospital ambulance met the 5.30 train at the Bonaventure station and removed him to the hospital. It is feared his left leg will have to be amputated.

The Treasurer of the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge acknowledges with thanks, from J. C. Baker, Esq., executor to the estate of his late wife, Louisa F. Workman, a bequest of $250 to this institution.

W. C. T. U. PUBLIC MEETING.

THE FIRST EVENING OF REAL WORK COMMENCED IN ERSKINE CHURCH.

Erskine Church was well-filled last night. It was "Y" night, and the "Y's" were on the platform, Miss Scott of Ottawa presiding. It may be stated for the benefit of the uninitiated that "Y" is the abbreviation for Young Women's Christian Temperance Union. At a quarter past eight the hymn "Bringing in the Sheaves" was sung and a Scripture portion was read. Miss Barber, of this city, was to have taken part but was sick and could not come. Miss Chapman, instead, gave the opening prayer. The Montreal "Y" in an address which gave a synopsis of its history, welcomed the visiting "Y's" and Mrs. Woodbury of the Maritime Province "Y" replied, touching on the importance of "Y" work. It was said that if woman's suffrage were allowed the Dominion would be a Prohibition country. After a solo by Miss Barron, Miss Scott spoke on "the outlook." The prospects were by no means discouraging, the "Y's" were steadily increasing in numbers and strength. In Quebec there were five "Y's," in the Maritime Provinces, six, and in Ontario, thirty-one. Reports from several of the "Y's" of Ontario and Quebec followed. Miss Gordon, Miss Willard's secretary, who was present, made special reference to the "Y's" influence and importance. It was a necessity and it filled its sphere. Miss Wright, the plucky Hull evangelist, spoke of the responsibility of each member. Individual service must not be shirked, and there could be no evasion. The Master of the harvest had called for workers. That call should be sufficient to bring forth the heartiest endeavors. If it did so, the success of the Kingdom could not be long delayed.

Mrs. Middleton, the honorary president for this province, bestowed a motherly blessing on the "Y's."

Those who took some part in the programme were representative "Y's." Mrs. Woodbury is superintendent of "Y" work for the Maritime Provinces. Miss Scott is the editor of the *Woman's Journal*, Ottawa, a strong temperance and W.C.T.U. paper. Miss Dickenson is superintendent of Christian Endeavor work in Hemmingford, Miss Wright is the evangelist who persisted in her work at Hull, Ottawa, in spite of insult and injury. Miss Leavitt is a daughter of Dr. Leavitt of East Hatley and is a clever medical student herself. Miss Tilley is corresponding secretary of the Dominion Union and a daughter of Sir Leonard Tilley.

MISS WILLARD'S TOUR.

As President of the World's W. C. T. U. Miss Willard will, after the Convention here, take a trip through the Maritime Provinces. Her plans include Quebec, Moncton, Charlottetown, Amherst, Pictou, Halifax, Windsor, St. John and Fredericton. Miss Willard will be accompanied by her private secretary, Miss Anna Gordon, who is National Superintendent of Juvenile Work for the United States W. C. T. U. Miss Gordon will hold children's meetings at all these points.

COTE ST. ANTOINE ECONOMY.

(To the Editor of the Witness.)

SIR,—If annexation to the city increase the value of property, the property tax will also be increased, and if so far, our water rates have been lower than the city, it is not probable that they will be higher than the city in the future; but, after all, I would remind "Economist," that material advantages cannot begin to compare with moral and social superiority. Compared with "home rule," which is the highest meaning of economy, the management of pecuniary concerns, or the expenditure of money belongs to a lower plane. Even without annexation all our plans of improvement might seek the endorsement of the City Surveyor; but when we bear in mind that the city does not even possess the power to restrict the number of her tavern licenses, let us beware before we are swallowed in the same destruction.

PROPRIETOR.

CITY ITEMS.

Mr. Thomas, who was injured at the Craig street fire, was well enough to leave the hospital yesterday.

The great Dominican preacher, Father Babonneau, will deliver a lecture on "Lacordaire" in the hall of the Cabinet de Lecture tomorrow evening.

Mr. F. X. Boucher had a son injured by a brick which fell from a house the other day, and has written threatening the city with an action for $1,000 damages. The Building Inspector is making enquiries.

Mr. John Thomas, a brother of the fireman who was injured on Monday, had the lower part of his jaw broken yesterday by the explosion of a Babcock, which he was testing in No. 2 station. He was removed to the General Hospital.

THE FRENCH NAVY.

PARIS, May 29—The Budget Committee yesterday discussed a report on the condition of the French navy. The report says the navy is inferior to the navies of the Dreibund, and it attributes the deficiency to the mode in which the credits are expended, and to the general administration of the naval department. It recommends a reduction of the credits for provisions, which it says are far too heavy, and suggests an increase of the credits to expedite shipbuilding, and to strengthen the crews.

A LADY BOUNTIFUL.

LONDON, May 28—Mlle. Raffalovitch, who is to become the wife of Mr. Wm. O'Brien, M.P., gave a dinner to 500 children at New Tipperary to-day, and crowned her charitable work by donating a large sum to the support of the school conducted by the nuns at that place. The dinner was a most successful affair and aroused the enthusiasm of young and old to a high pitch.

A SEA TYRANT REPRIMANDED.

LONDON, May 28.—The trial by court-martial of Commander Wm. Annesley, of Her Majesty's warship "Icarus," for excessive and illegal punishment of seamen under his command commenced to-day. The charges against Annesley were sustained by the evidence, and he was sentenced by the court to receive a public reprimand.

STRUCK GOLD.

DENVER, Col., May 29.—A report reached here yesterday from Alamosa that a wonderfully rich strike had been made in the Colconda mine owned by ex-Senator Bowen. Ore has been taken from the mine through which runs a solid streak of gold an inch thick. Ten days ago a picket was opened from which $200,000 has been taken. The strike has created general excitement in the southern part of the state.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

NEW YORK, May 29.—Jacob Epstein, aged 27, a Russian cigar maker, living on Eldridge street, shot his wife Flora in the back about 7 o'clock this morning and then fired a bullet into his mouth. Both wounds are supposed to be fatal.

CLOSE SHOOTING.

Mr. J. A. A. Lefebvre, civil engineer, Lachine, was on the lake fishing with two friends when a bullet fired by some imprudent person on the shore struck the pipe which he held in his mouth and broke it to pieces.

THE EFFECT OF PROTECTION IN CANADA.

PROF. GOLDWIN SMITH IN THE MAY "FORUM."

The manufactures forced into existence by protection have not paid. Factitious stimulus has been followed by glut, short time, and combinations. The iron industry, which Sir Charles Tupper hoped to create by laying protective duties on British iron, and which was to do so much for us, has come to nothing. The exportation to distant countries, such as China, is suspected to be slaughter of surplus goods. If farm property has fallen in value, if other industries have not improved, and manufactures have not paid, where are we to look for this growth of wealth since the adoption of protection. There are manufacturers in Canada on a sound basis who do not fear an open market. As to the result to the consumer, the head of our dry goods trade said the other day that if Canadian manufactures were exposed to American competition, the capital invested in them would not be worth more than a third of its nominal value; so that the interest on the rest was to be paid by the public. Moreover, the commercial interests of the provinces have so little in common that the protection which is meat to one is poison to another. The protective tax on coal was meat to Nova Scotia and poison to Ontario. The government is beset by ludicrous embarrassments in trying to frame a protective tariff which shall be meat for all.

Protectionism is in itself corruption. What interests are "native" and to be protected is decided by the lobby. The party leader before an election calls together the manufacturers, takes their subscriptions to the election fund, and pledges to them the commercial policy of the country.

When people are industrious, frugal and temperate, as the Canadians are, and have a country as full of natural resources as Canada, no fiscal policy can prevent them from doing pretty well. But the fruits of the protectionist policy in Canada afford no support to the belief that communities can be made rich by taxation.

NOTES AND NOTICES.

The elegant and spacious St. Lawrence Hall, Cacouna, will be opened on the 15th June, under the management of Mr. John Brennan, who for many years has been connected with the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, and the St. Louis Hotel, Quebec, and who conducted the Hall so satisfactorily and successfully last season. The proprietors, Messrs. Shipman and Stocking, have made complete arrangements for the comfort and amusement of guests.

RICHELIEU AND ONTARIO NAVIGATION CO.—This company's Western Line of steamers will commence their regular daily trips between Montreal and Toronto next Monday, June 2nd. They have been thoroughly overhauled and painted and are in first-class condition. The "Passport," Captain Sinclair, will be the first from Montreal and the "Spartan" the first from Toronto, both leaving the same day, thereby opening the line at both ends for the season. From all appearances, the tourist travel will be very good this year. Besides the running of the rapids they have the additional attraction of the Thousand Islands, which are increasing in favor every season.

PERSONAL.

The First Baptist Church last evening decided to extend a call to the Rev. Donald Grant, of Geneva, N.Y.

COMMERCIAL.

WITNESS OFFICE, Thursday, May 29.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

The British breadstuffs markets are quiet and, if anything, rather easier. Beerbohm's cable advices to-day are as follows: Cargoes off coast, wheat, very quiet; corn, nil. Cargoes on passage and for shipment, wheat, rather easier; do. corn, quiet. California wheat, off coast, 35s 9d; do., promptly to be shipped, 35s 6d; do., nearly due, 35s 9d. Mixed American maize, prompt shipment, 17s 3d. French country markets, steady. Liverpool, wheat, spot, quiet but steady; corn, fair enquiry. Arrivals of wheat cargoes, one; waiting, three. Australian wheat, off coast, 36s; present and following month, 35s 6d; Chilian wheat, off coast, 34s 9d; present and following month, 33s 3d.

The Chicago wheat market opened ½ of a cent per bushel lower at 92⅝ July, and declined to 92⅛ July and 91⅞ August. Receipts 30,000 bushels, and shipments 5,000 do.

GRAIN.—There is a fairly profitable though not large business doing at present. Quotations are unchanged.

Wheat, No. 1 hard Manitoba	$1.20 to $1.22
No. 2 do do do	nominal
Peas, per 66 lbs. in store	.69 to .70
Peas, afloat, May delivery	.70 to .71
Quebec oats	.00 to .36
Ontario oats	.00 to .38
Corn, duty paid	.50 to .51½
Corn, cargoes in bond	.41 to .43
Barley, feeding	.00 to .40
Barley, good malting	.00 to .52

FLOUR.—The market was quiet to-day. No sales were reported on 'Change. Prices are steady. We quote:

Patent Winter	$5.25 to $5.50
Patent Spring	5.75 to 5.90
Straight Roller	5.60 to 5.15
Extra	4.70 to 4.80
Superfine	4.25 to 4.50
Fine	3.50 to 4.00
City Strong Bakers	0.00 to 5.50
Strong Bakers	0.00 to 5.59
Superfine (bags)	2.00 to 2.01
Extra (bags)	2.20 to 2.30
Fine (bags)	1.80 to 1.90
Oatmeal, standard, per bag	2.15 to 2.25
Oatmeal, granulated	2.30 to 2.50
Oatmeal, rolled	2.30 to 2.50

EGGS.—The demand continues to be in excess of the supply. We quote at 13c to 13½c.

HOG PRODUCTS.—The market is very firm, and a fair trade is doing. We quote prices as follows to-day: Western Mess, $16 to $16.50; Chicago Short Cut, $17.00; Canada Short Cut, $17.00. Lard, 8c to 8½c per pound; bacon, 10½c to 11c; Hams, 11½c to 12c.

FRUIT.—Quotations to-day are:—Oranges, $3.50 to $5; lemons, $2.25 to $4; yellow bananas, $1.50 to $2.50; pineapples, $1.20 to $2.75 per doz.; strawberries, 15c to 20c per box.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

CHEESE.—There does not seem to be any great anxiety to get hold of cheese this week, that is on the market. Brockville went at 8½c to 8¾c, the ruling price being 8½c, and the outside figure being paid for colored. Woodstock went at 8¼c, and Napanee at 8¾c.

BUTTER.—The buyers still have it all their own way. We quote as follows to-day:—Creamery, 18½c to 20c; Townships, 16c to 18c; Western, 12c to 15c. For old creamery 14c to 19c; Townships, 10c to 12c; Western, 7c to 10c.

LIVE STOCK MARKET—MAY 29.

There were about 300 head of butchers' cattle, 350 calves and 360 sheep and lambs offered at the East End Abattoir to-day. Trade was brisk and prices have fully recovered from the decline of last week and were about half a cent per lb. higher than they were a week ago. The best cattle sold at from 4½c to 5½c per lb., pretty good stock at from 4½c to 5¼c do., bulls at from 2½c to 4½c do., and milkmen's strippers at from $28 to $50 each, or from 3½c to 4¾c per lb. A pair of oxen in good condition and weighing 3,380 lbs., were sold at 5c per lb. There is a brisk demand for good calves, and from $5 to $8 each is being paid for them. Common and inferior veals are dull of sale, and prices are from $1.25 to $3.50 each. Sheep sell at from $3.50 to $6 each, and lambs at from $2.25 to $4 each. Fat hogs were rather scarce to-day, and sold at about 5½c per lb. for large coarse porkers, but three very nice pigs, weighing 420 lbs., were sold here to-day at 6¼c per lb.

TORONTO MARKETS.

TORONTO, Ont., May 29.—Spring wheat, No. 2, $1.02 to $1.04; red winter, No. 2, $1.02 to $1.06; Manitoba, No. 1 hard, $1.20 to $1.22; Manitoba No. 2 hard, $1.15 to $1.20. Barley, No. 2, 480 to 490; No. 3 extra, 45 to 46c; No. 3, 38c to 41c; peas, No. 2, 62c to 63c; oats No. 2, 40s to 42½c; flour, extra, $4.15 to $4.26; straight roller, $4.60 to $4.80. Market dull. Sales, No. 2 hard Manitoba wheat at $1.20; oats to arrive at 41c, and on track at 40c to 42½c.

THE CHEESE MARKET.

BROCKVILLE, Ont., May 28.—At the Cheese Board here to-day about 3,500 boxes were boarded; about 2,500 sold at from 8½c to 8 11-16c; a few at 8¾. The ruling price was 8½c. The balance will be sold to night.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE DEMAND for our ladies', misses' and children's hats at 25c each has far exceeded our expectations. Fortunately, the purchase was sufficiently large to enable us to have still a good stock on hand, but would advise intending purchasers to call early.

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PONGEE TRIMMED PARASOLS, $3.25	Reduced to $2.25
PONGEE TRIMMED PARASOLS, $3.50	Reduced to $2.40
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BLACK SATIN FIGURED TRIMMED PARASOLS, $3.50	Reduced to $2.40

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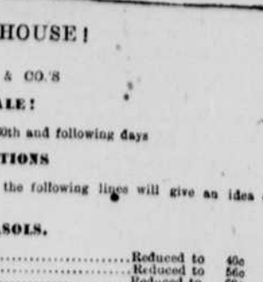
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