

DEEP WATERWAY SCHEME WAS FULLY DISCUSSED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Many Speeches For And Against Project—Cost Of Undertaking And Possible Advantages To Be Gained Voiced By Members Of The Federal Legislature—Promise Every Feature Would Be Examined—Final Decision Will Rest With Dominion Parliament

Ottawa, March 24—On a motion for production of correspondence—a motion which was carried without objection—the House of Commons today delved into the St. Lawrence deep waterway scheme. There were speeches both for and against the project. Opposition to the scheme came from Quebec members who criticized it mainly on the question of cost. Supporters of the scheme, in addition to the advantage which, they claimed, would accrue to transportation on the St. Lawrence, stressed the necessity of power development on the St. Lawrence.

Premier King assured the House that every aspect of the situation would be examined before anything final was done. The Government would select outstanding men for the national committee and final decision as to Canadian action would lie with the Canadian Parliament.

Ottawa, March 24—(By Canadian Press)—Opposition to the St. Lawrence waterways project was expressed in the House of Commons today by J. Archambault, Liberal, Chambly and Vercheres. He criticized the removal of Judge Maguire from the International Waterways Commission on the ground that Quebec was left without representation. Any inquiry that might be made into the cost of the project, would in itself be too expensive, Mr. Archambault made three points against the scheme: (1) Economy; (2) That it would be of no value to the Province of Quebec and, finally (3) That it was a bad precedent to set by entering into a joint project with the United States of that nature. If any canal were to be built, it should be the Georgian Bay Canal.

Mr. Archambault referred to a report made by an American engineer, W. L. Cooper, who estimated that the entire cost of the project would be \$1,450,000,000 and said that during the winter months the canal could only be seventy per cent efficient. The deepening of the St. Lawrence, he said, would involve great costs in the matter of dredging harbors.

Mr. Archambault appealed to the financial results of the Panama Canal and the New York barge canal as evidence that the operation of the proposed St. Lawrence waterway would result in a large deficit. He calculated that allowing for cost of operation and for annual charges on the cost of construction there would be a yearly charge against the Dominion of Canada for the canal of \$17,000,000.

Proposal of Senator of Utah.

He cited the proposal of Senator King of Utah, that the south shore of the St. Lawrence should be ceded to the United States, and remarked that he might just as well have proposed that New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island should be handed over.

It would be dangerous, he declared, for Canada to enter into a joint agreement with the United States on this subject. If Canada footed the whole bill, it would be too heavy a load to carry; if the United States paid 75 per cent of the cost, the United States would have control. He cited as an example of the kind of treatment Canada would get in the working of such an agreement the disregard of Canadian interests which had been shown by the United States in connection with the Chicago drainage canal.

The Georgian Bay canal project appealed to Mr. Archambault as a much more satisfactory means of moving western Canada's produce to the sea from Canada's point of view.

Hon. R. J. Manion, Conservative, Fort William, contested the figure given by Mr. Archambault for the entire cost of the project.

The engineers of the International Joint Commission had estimated the cost of the waterway in the international section of the river, including water power development, at \$252,000,000.

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Annual Statement Has Just Been Issued In Pamphlet Form

INCREASED EARNINGS

Working Expenses Including All Taxes Have Been Considerably Decreased

Montreal, March 24—The annual report of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has just been issued in pamphlet form for the year ended December 31, 1923. Gross earnings for the year amounted to \$195,837,089 as compared with \$195,675,016 in the previous year, while net earnings were equal to twelve per cent on the \$260,000,000 of common stock as against 11.6 per cent in 1922 and 11.5 per cent in 1921.

In his report to the shareholders, President E. W. Beatty remarks that the working expenses for the year, including all taxes, amounted to 80.6 per cent of the gross earnings, as compared with 80.55 per cent in 1922.

Referring to financial operations during the period under review the report states, in part, as follows:

"During the year your directors sold in London £208,565 and in New York \$5,000,000 of four per cent consolidated debenture stock, and in London £2,600,000 of four per cent preferred stock, the issuance of which you had previously authorized. "Owing to the magnitude of your capital account will always be necessary if it is to keep pace with the growing transportation requirements of the country, but your directors have adhered to the policy of restricting the issuance of securities to the lowest amount consistent with the maintenance of the property. During the year under review the fixed charges were increased only by the modest amount of \$121,747 and dividends payable on preference stock by the sum of \$447,732.

Opposed to the Scheme. E. St. Peré, Liberal, Hochelaga, was opposed to the St. Lawrence scheme, he said, as a business undertaking. It was an American project, he said. Mr. St. Peré told the House that he felt he was expressing the opinion of all public bodies and the working people of Montreal in associating himself with those who opposed the undertaking.

Premier King said that the debate illustrated the importance of taking everything into consideration before Canada was committed to any course of action in connection with the St. Lawrence waterways. The Government was aware that this was one of the greatest undertakings which Canada had ever been asked to participate in and he assured the House that every aspect of the question would be looked into before anything final was done. For this reason the Government proposed to select outstanding men for the national committee to whom it could look for careful advice. The practical and technical side of the work would be thoroughly gone into by the Canadian members of the joint engineering board and the question of the levels of the river at Montreal would be one of the points taken up. The Government would not devote the millions of the Canadian people to this project without submitting it to Parliament.

The evening sitting of the House brought further debate on the St. Lawrence waterway scheme. From Quebec members, there came opposition to the project. A. J. Lewis, Progressive, of Swift Current, felt that the Government was right in asking for further consideration.

T. L. Church, Conservative, North Toronto, however, hoped the work of the Commissioners would not be delayed as the scheme was most important to Canada.

Pointed Out Advantages. Mr. Church read from a report made two years ago on the St. Lawrence waterways that pointed out the benefits in water power and transportation that would be derived from the deepened St. Lawrence. It was one of the most important economic problems of North America today.

The resolution of Mr. Archambault, which was a request for the production of correspondence on the subject, was then carried and the resolution of Mr. Church, declaring that the Government should begin immediate negotiations with the Government of the United States looking to the carrying out of the finding of the International Joint Commission on the St. Lawrence waterway, was dropped at Mr. Church's suggestion from the order table.

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DEPOSITS OF ONE MILLION DOLLARS IN HOME BANK

Former Minister Of Finance Asks A Number Of Questions In House

DIVIDEND DECLARED

Was Made On Operations Of Bank Up To The 31st Of May

Ottawa, March 24—(By Canadian Press)—The deposit of one million dollars by the Canadian National Railways in the Home Bank on May 28th last, which was subsequently withdrawn on June 2nd, was the subject of a series of questions put by Sir Henry Drayton, former Minister of Finance, in the House of Commons today.

Hon. Geo. P. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, told Sir Henry that the deposit had been made on May 28 and remained in the bank until June 2, when it was transferred to the Bank of Montreal on request of the management of the Canadian National.

Sir Henry asked whether or not the books of the Home Bank were closed for the year on June 1 and submitted to the shareholders at the annual meeting as exhibiting the position of the bank resulting from the year's operations. No answer was given to this.

Was Dividend Declared? "On the showing so made, was a dividend on the bank's stock declared, and if so, what amount?" asked Sir Henry.

"The annual report of the bank as filed with the Government shows that the directors declared a dividend of seven per cent on the operations of the year ending May 31, such dividend being declared on the profits and not determined by the directors."

"Was the deposit authorized by the directors of the Canadian National Railways?" asked Sir Henry. Mr. Graham said that authorization would have been secured at the June meeting of the Board had the deposit remained in the Home Bank. The matter had been discussed by R. P. Gough, then a director of the railway and also of the Home Bank, but did not come before the Board.

ASSIZES BEGUN AT RIMOUSKI

Counsel Asks For Release Of Men Charged With Murder Of Game Warden

Rimouski, March 24—The Criminal Assizes opened on Saturday morning under the presidency of the Hon. Judge Sevigny. The Grand Jury chosen were Alfred Rioux, Hubert Huesen, Jean-Baptiste Guilmet, René Langlois, Syrold Desrochers, Emile Gagnon, Omer Belanger, Ferdinand Dechene, Adelard Parent, Louis Boucher, Arthur Morissette and Ulderic Beaulieu.

Judge Sevigny read the charge to the jury and explained to them their duties. The three persons for trial were Theophile Levesque of Sangué, charged with speculation of public money; Rose Helly of Rimouski, charged with arson, and D. E. Bernier, of Amqui charged with manslaughter. The jury retired at 11 o'clock in the morning and returned at three. They decided that the case of Theophile Levesque should go before the petty jury but very few of opinion that the trial of Rose Helly should be left in abeyance since there was insufficient evidence to proceed. In view of the absence of material witnesses the Grand Jury decided to postpone a decision in the case of Rex vs. Bernier.

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TRAMWAY STRIKE CAUSING TROUBLE TO TRAVELLERS

People Are Forced To Walk From And To Their Daily Work

CLAIM FOR INCREASE

Bill Will Be Introduced To Try And Settle All Similar Matters

London, March 24—The third day of London's bus and tramway strike found the people still doomed to walking as a means of getting to and from their work. There was, however, no extension of the strike to the other transport services.

The Ministry of Labor is displaying great energy in an endeavor to amicably settle the dispute between the workers and the employers. Its committee of enquiry today presented an interim report, which was considered to-night at Conference between Premier MacDonald and the Ministers of Labor and transport.

This conference followed a similar one held earlier in the day with Lord Ashfield, who represents the bus and tramway interests and Ernest Bevan, representing the men.

The interim report by the committee of enquiry admits that the claim of the men for increased wages is not seriously questioned but that the tramways are not able to earn sufficient amounts to meet the claims. All were agreed, says the report that the raising of fares would be impracticable and that the only effective measures would be to place the Metropolitan Area under some co-ordinating control of passenger traffic to prevent overlapping.

Minister of transports Gosling announced in the House of Commons today that a London traffic bill would be introduced to-morrow and advanced rapidly as possible.

The chief provisions of the bill will be based on the report of the committee which discussed the subject last year.

The Weather

Toronto, March 24—Pressure is now highest over the Great Lakes and Middle States, while a shallow depression is approaching the Mississippi Valley from the West. The weather is fair and mild from Manitoba eastward, while in Saskatchewan and Manitoba it is rather cool with light snowfalls.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	2	30
Victoria	40	56
Vancouver	32	54
Calgary	20	34
Edmonton	22	34
Regina	20	34
Winnipeg	22	44
White River	0	38
Toronto	36	46
Ottawa	30	38
Montreal	34	36
Quebec	22	36
St. John	26	50
Halifax	24	46

Below zero.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay: Light winds; fair and mild; Wednesday southeast winds; mild and probably light rain.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence: Light winds; fair and mild.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North Shore: Moderate westerly winds; fair and mild.

Maritime: Moderate northwesterly winds; fair and mild.

Lake Superior: Easterly winds; cloudy; light snow or sleet late tonight or on Wednesday.

Manitoba: Easterly winds; mostly cloudy with light falls of rain or sleet.

Saskatchewan and Alberta: North and northeast winds; mostly cloudy with light local snow or sleet.

Northern New England: Fair Tuesday; Wednesday cloudy; moderate temperature; gentle to moderate northwest winds.

WHAT'S DOING TO-DAY

Columbus Hall—Dr. Edward Avis celebrated Song Bird Initiation.

Cathedral Church Hall—Illustrated Talks for Children.

Auditorium Theatre—French Theatrical Company in "L'Avare".

Princess Theatre—The French Dolls in Musical Comedy "The Village School".

Victoria Theatre—Moving Pictures, "Slave of Desire".

Empire Theatre—Moving Pictures "Wild Oranges".

Canadian Theatre—Moving Pictures, "The Day of Faith".

Classic Theatre—Moving Pictures, "To the Ladies".

Oh, life how long to the wretched, how short to the happy.

NEW CARDINALS WERE APPOINTED BY HIS HOLINESS

American Archbishops Were Elevated To High Rank By The Pope

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

Eulogy Of The People Of The United States For Their Charity

Rome, March 24—The elevation of Archbishop Hayes of New York and Archbishop Mundelein, of Chicago to Cardinals of the Roman Catholic church took place this morning at the moment of the delivery of the sacred "biglietti" by special emissaries from Pope Pius after a secret consistory in which these two prelates were formally raised to the purple of the Cardinals.

When the Pontifical emissaries delivered the momentous tidings from the Holy Father they addressed each recipient as "Most Illustrious and Most Reverend Archbishop" but on their leave-taking, after the "biglietti" had been read, announcing the Pope's action, the form of address was: "Most eminent and Reverend Prince".

Henceforth the title to be employed in addressing the dignitaries will be: "Your Eminence" instead of "Your Grace".

The United States members of the Sacred College now number four, the two others being Cardinals O'Connell of Boston and Cardinal Dougherty, of Philadelphia.

Pronounced Impressive Eulogy

The Pontiff, in reading his allocution in which the prelates were nominated, pronounced an impressive eulogy on the people of the United States, especially the staunch Catholics who had given so liberally to charity since the war. The Pope gave as his reason for elevating Archbishops Hayes and Mundelein to the sacred purple "their personal qualities, the importance of their respective sees and the zeal and merit of their pastoral ministry, which has already shed lustre on the hierarchy of the United States of America."

Despite the unostentatious character of today's ceremonies, large groups of sight-seers gathered around the doors of the Vatican and the propaganda and American colleges to obtain a glimpse of the scenes within. Promptly at ten o'clock a score of violet-garbed Cardinals, resident in Rome, assembled in the historic consistorial hall and seated themselves in semi-circle before the Pontifical throne to await the appearance of the Holy Father.

The Consistorial Hall, constructed under Pope Clement VIII in one of the most richly decorated rooms of the Vatican; its red silk draperies blended with the violet robes of the Cardinals setting off in striking contrast the pure white of the Pontiff's vestments as he strode in with slow and measured steps a few minutes later.

His Holiness advanced to the Throne accompanied by a select staff of Swiss guards attired in yellow and blue uniforms.

The Cardinals, one by one, approached the Pontiff, genuflected and kissed the fisherman's ring. A moment later the Master of ceremonies pronounced in sonorous voice: "Extra omnes" whereupon all but the Pope and the Cardinals filed out of the Hall.

The Pope then read his allocution, nominating the two prelates as members of the Highest Senate of the Catholic Church.

The approval of the Cardinals was indicated at the end by the simultaneous lifting of their skull caps, whereupon His Holiness tinkled a little golden bell, indicating that the emissaries might depart to deliver the "biglietti" to the chosen dignitaries.

In order that there might be no confusion in the ringing of bells, the entire electric bell system of the Vatican had been disconnected by Papal order.

Consistory Ended

The consistory having been declared ended, the three Pontifical emissaries: Monsignor Gervasi, Cardinal Gasparri's master of the Household, Monsignor Tani, Cardinal Gasparri's master of ceremonies and Cavalieri Riggi, Secretary to the Apostolic Chancery, departed on their sacred mission. They drove in a black closed coach drawn by two gleaming black horses, simply decorated with black harness, the only touch of contrast being the highly polished nickel buckles. Two black-liveried coachmen sat erect on the box.

Pedestrians and roman shopkeepers turned to gaze questioning as the coal black steeds pranced through the streets and broad avenues of the eternal City. Finally, the Pontifical coach rolled up to the Piazza di Spagna, upon which fronts the hall wherein Archbishop Mundelein with his friends waited in solemn silence.

Papal Announcement Delivered

The silence became even more profound as the Papal couriers entered the Hall. They advanced to where the Archbishop stood. Monsignor Gervasi and the other two couriers bent the knee and handed



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to the Archbishop an envelope enclosing the Papal announcement.

Archbishop Mundelein accepted it, bowed and handed it over to Monsignor Marchetti Selvadiviti, Secretary of the Congregation of the Holy Father in secret consistory who had the benignity to elevate to the dignity of Cardinal, His Grace, the Archbishop of the diocese of Chicago, in appreciation and consideration of the great work he has done.

(Signed) Gasparri.

The new Cardinal then delivered a short address of gratitude; the emissaries withdrew and the ceremony was over.

The emissaries then drove to the American College where an identical evit had hand.

ceremony was enacted with Archbishop Hayes playing the principal role.

EIGHT KILLED WHEN TWO STEAMERS COLLIDE

Gravesend, Eng., March 24.—Eight persons were killed and three seriously injured on board the British steamer Matutua, in a collision early this morning in the Thames estuary with the United States steamer American Merchant, a new freight vessel on her maiden voyage from New York to London.

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Mar. 29...Andania

June 7...Andania

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Portland to Glasgow

Mar. 29...Cassandra Apr. 12...Saturnia

Portland to London

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The sale will take place at the last domicile and place of business of the said late Edouard Brousseau, situate at Nos. 24 and 25 Henderson street, at the Palais, on the property designated at No. 1846 of the official cadastre plan of St. Peter's Ward of the City of Quebec.

The conditions of the sale shall be made known on the spot at the time of the sale.

The public will be admitted to examine the articles to be sold on the two days preceding the sale, between the hours of ten o'clock a.m. to twelve o'clock a.m. and one o'clock to five o'clock p.m., dated at Quebec, on this twenty-second day of the month of March, nineteen hundred and twenty-four. (Signed) J. A. Charlebois, N.P. march24x8

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Chronicle Files 25 Years Ago

Plains of Abraham

London, March 24—The Morning Standard comments editorially today on the imminent danger of losing historic Plains of Abraham at Quebec, which a recent cable reports are to be mapped out into building lots: "Surely something can be done to save from desecration the graves of the gallant combatants of England and France and preserve the historic site of Wolfe's great victory from the speculative builders."

Hard for Railroads

The month of March has been one of the most trying for many years in the experience of all the railroads in his Province. Since the beginning of the month there has been a succession of snow storms day after day usually accompanied by easterly gales. The accumulation of snow has become so great that every railroad in the Province, and even in the Ottawa district has become almost a canal, their different trains have not been able to venture out unless accompanied or immediately preceded by a snow plough. In fact the handling of freight has almost been abandoned by all the roads in this vicinity which are devoting their entire energies to keeping their lines open for passenger service. Fortunately the winter is nearly at an end, because another severe storm would suffice to close up some of the lines.

MOTHER!

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Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup." A teaspoonful never fails to clean the liver and bowels.

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RADIO PROGRAMME

Schenectady, N. Y., TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 790 Kilocycles (380 Meters) WGY — General Electric Company.

11:55 a.m.—U.S. Naval Observatory time signals.

12:30 p.m.—Stock market report.

12:40 p.m.—Produce market report.

12:45 p.m.—Weather report.

2:00 p.m.—Music and address "Indian Pottery" by Mrs. Russell Magee, Schenectady Woman's Club.

6:00 p.m.—Produce and stock market quotations; news bulletins.

8:30 p.m.—Dinner music by the Instrumental Trio of Hotel Ten Eyck, Albany, N. Y.

7:45 p.m.—Program by Alberto Guerrero, pianist; Rala Valero, soprano and Edward Allen Rice, violinist.

Piano solos.

"Waldstein Sonata".....Beethoven

a. "Allegro con brio"

b. "Adagio molto"

c. "Rondo"

Alberto Guerrero

Soprano solos.

a. "El Majo discreto".....Granados

b. "Adios mi bien".....Ponce (In Spanish)

Rala Valero

Violin solo.

"Andante" from the "Symphonie Espagnole".....Lalo

Edward Allen Rice

Piano solos.

a. "Rondo Capriccioso".....Mendelssohn

b. "Scherzo".....Mendelssohn

Alberto Guerrero

Soprano solo.

"La Partita".....Alvarez

Rala Valero

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SUGARING STARTS
IN RICHMONDFarmers Start Operations
And Report A Good Run Of
Sap From The Trees

Richmond, March 24—(Special corr.)—Spring is upon us; the snow is fast disappearing and already our streets are cleaned of ice and debris; wagons and autos are in action. The farmers have commenced sugaring and are already getting a good run of sap. Our merchants are beginning to brush up their windows for Easter in anticipation of increased business.

The ice is still strong in the St. Francis, but a few days like yesterday will do much towards breaking it up.

The small boys are playing marbles everywhere—Spring is upon us.

Recent visitor: Mr. R. L. Patch, Montreal, M. George, Danville, P. Q., Mr. B. P. Chartrand, Montreal, Miss M. Park, Danville, Miss Melg, Montreal, Rev. W. H. Burnett, Montreal, Mrs. Crack, Danville, Mrs. W. E. Findlay, Toronto, Miss A. McGivney, Sherbrooke, Mrs. T. Gleason, Victoriaville.

The Rev. W. S. G. Bunbury, of St. Anne's Church, Richmond, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Maw, at Christ's Church Rectory, Island Pond, Vt., on Thursday the 13th inst. In the evening Mr. Bunbury conducted services at the Episcopal Church to a good congregation.

Richmond Football Club Reorganizes

Monday evening the 17th inst., a reorganization meeting of the Richmond Football Club was held in the Town office.

The Election of Officers resulted as follows:

Honorary Patrons:—E. W. Tobin, M. P.; S. E. Desmarais, M. L. A.; E. Battley of the C. N. R. Montreal; A. B. Mitchell of the C. N. R. Montreal; A. B. McNaughton of the C. N. R. Richmond and Mayor Dyson.

President—Mr. A. H. Jones.

Vice-President—Messrs. M. Ross and Walker.

Secretary—Mr. S. Flagger.

Treasurer—Mr. A. W. Smith.

Manager—Mr. S. Campbellton.

Selection Committee—Messrs. T. Thomson, MacLeod Ross and Wm. Cunningham.

Captain—Mr. Brodie.

Clerk—Mr. John Graham.

With these men as officials a very successful season is anticipated.

Other matters of importance were brought up before the meeting and were settled in a satisfactory way.

The late Mrs. Mure Steele

The funeral and interment took place Friday morning from the Can. Nat. Ry. station of Mrs. Mary Steele, wife to the late Mrs. Steele and for many years a resident of Richmond. The deceased lady whose maiden name was Mary Hethington, was in her 73 year. She leaves to mourn her loss two daughters, Mrs. (Dr.) Frank Devlin of Montreal and Mrs. Telfer Thomas of Coaticook. The remains were interred in St. Anne's Cemetery. The Rev. Dr. Knowles, of West Shefford, officiating.

Board of Trade Meet

The annual meeting of the associated Boards of Trade of the Eastern Townships was held in Sherbrooke on Wednesday—jointly with that of the Eastern Townships Immigration Society. Amongst the chief topics discussed were:

Excess rates.

Toll bridges.

Conservation of historic names of Brome and Missisquoi in any future territorial distribution.

Reparation—Protection for farmers.

National economy.

Messrs. J. K. Edwards, Bruce Payne, C. R. Wilkins, H. H. Paré, were delegated to attend the national conference to take place 27th inst at Ottawa.

The new officers elected were: president, A. A. Paré, Victoriaville, vice-presidents, E. J. Payne, Sherbrooke, Bruce Payne, Granby, Secy, A. W. Reid, Sherbrooke, comptroller, J. H. Cote, Asbestos, Ernest Dolvin, Granby, W. E. Ewing, Richmond, J. Boulay, Sutton, J. J. Penhale, Thetford, J. E. Alain, Victoriaville.

The officers of the Immigration Society elected were:

B. M. Robinson, president, A. Hunt, W. J. Ewing, vice-president W. M. Hillhouse, secy-treas.

The members were entertained in the evening at a banquet held in the New Sherbrooke House by the Automobile Club.

Delegates present:

L. M. Thomas, Coaticook; W. M. Hillhouse, Sherbrooke; R. C. Wilkins, Farnham; P. C. Duboyse, Richmond; H. H. Paré, Victoriaville; C. E. Soles, Sherbrooke; B. Robinson, Coaticook; J. Alexander, Richmond; W. D. MacCharles, Lennoxville; W. S. Armitage, Sherbrooke; E. J. Caron, Montreal; W. F. Choquette, Farnham; H. H. Collins, Granby; A. W. Hillhouse, Foster; Dr. Joseph Boulay, Sutton; A. M. Hunter, Foster; A. Brouillette, Bury; J. Bruce Payne, Grandby; E. J. Paré, Sherbrooke; W. E. Oughtred, Marlborough; W. J. Erwin, Richmond; J. R. Dixon, Ottawa; V. E. Morrill, Sherbrooke; J. B. Reed, North-Hatley; A. Guerin, Coaticook; J. B. Parker, Dixville; Charles Stokes, Bury; Charles E. Baldwin, Coaticook; Dr. Geo. Mayhew, Dixville; Eugene O. Baldwin, Coaticook; E. E. Akhurst, Coaticook; A. K. Edwards, Sherbrooke; E. W. Farwell, Sherbrooke; W. T. Parker, Dixville; T. J. Grad, Dixville; L. O. Lacombe, Sherbrooke; E. P. McCabe, Sherbrooke; A. W. Reid, Sherbrooke.

FIRST EXECUTION
IN FOUR YEARS
IN MONTREALYoung Man Goes To Scaffold
This Morning After Long
Trial

SHOT COBBLER

Condemned Man Bade Last
Farewell To His Parents
Last Night

Montreal, March 24—The first execution in Montreal since January 23, 1920, will take place at the Bordeaux Jail tomorrow morning at eight o'clock when Wilfrid St. Onge, a young man of 21, will be hanged for the murder of Nestor Gabrilovitch, a cobbler, who was shot on the street near his shop in the downtown section of the city on the night of April 1, 1922.

St. Onge received a visit from his parents tonight to whom he bade farewell and this afternoon the condemned man saw his lawyer, Antonin Lepage, who stated that St. Onge seemed cheerful.

This morning Abbe Lessard, the prison chaplain, heard his confession and the priest said Mass in his cell and gave the prisoner Holy Communion. He spent the day and night with St. Onge.

The prisoner told the Abbe that he was not sorry to die and that the only sorrow he felt was that caused by the thought of the pain his death would give his parents.

POLICE CENSOR
MOVING PICTURESKenogami Authorities Express
Opinion That Some Of The
Movies Are Not Suitable

Kenogami, March 24—(Special corr.)—The spring-like nature of the weather the last eight or nine days has been phenomenal. Snow is disappearing rapidly, and road transit by means of sleighs has become very difficult. Winter sports are at a standstill.

The final heat of the mixed doubles for Badminton players resulted in a win for Miss E. H. Darley and F. H. Walker, who vanquished Mrs. W. G. Mitchell and J. McCaw. Ladies' and gentlemen's singles, for trophies presented respectively by Mr. W. G. Mitchell and Mr. J. H. Price, are now in progress, and as the season is becoming short, and tennis already talked about, should be hurried to a conclusion.

The funeral took place this morning of the young daughter of Mr. George Fortin, one of Kenogami's oldest inhabitants. The young lady died after a very short illness, and deep sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family. A funeral mass was sung in the Catholic Church to a large congregation, including many representatives of the English speaking colony.

At the last council meeting a report from the sub-chief of police was read in which he expressed the opinion that the moving pictures exhibited at the children's performances were not really suitable. A resolution was passed that the manager of the picture hall be asked to modify them.

A letter was read from Price Brothers & Company notifying the council that this spring lots will be offered for sale in sufficient number to satisfy the demands of those wishing to build.

A petition to the Provincial Treasurer asking him to modify the tax on automobiles, largely signed by residents of Jonquiere and Kenogami, was presented to the council for approval, and it was decided to support it.

The question of the terms of engagement of employees, which excited discussion at several previous meetings, again came up, and it was decided that in the case of the chief of police he should be subject to three months notice of termination of service, while the sub-chief will receive only one month's notice. The resolution covering this decision was carried by the casting vote of the Mayor, Alderman J. Olivier Lacroix.

The town has received a notification from the Provincial Board of Health that they must no longer allow the water from Price Brothers' pumps to be turned into their water system. It has been the custom to do this to increase the pressure in case of a serious fire, but it is considered that the introduction of mill water contaminates the system for the time being. The council have therefore notified the Jonquiere authorities, through whose intake the town water is obtained, that in case of fire they will require all pressure available.

brooke: C. MacKenzie, Sherbrooke; J. MacKenzie, Sherbrooke; A. A. Woodman, Coaticook; H. A. Best, Bedford; D. J. Steele, Sherbrooke; J. C. Powers, Sherbrooke; H. J. Enright, Sherbrooke.

ENGINEERS HOLD
GOOD ADDRESSESVery Interesting Talk By Mr.
A. O. Bourbonnais On Elec-
tricity In Province

The members of the local branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada attended a meeting at the City Hall yesterday evening at which two very interesting addresses were heard. Mr. A. O. Bourbonnais, of the Quebec Streams Commission, gave an interesting talk on the activities of that body and Mr. A. F. Hanly entertained his audience by enlightening them on the recent inventions in air compressed machines and their uses.

After explaining that the Streams Commission had been created to study and improve river conditions in the province, Mr. Bourbonnais said that one hundred rivers had received the active attention of the Commission, after which he proceeded to give them details on the work which would prove interesting from an engineer's point of view. As examples of the work accomplished he gave the building of four important dams. The Goulin dam, on the St. Maurice River, was finished in 1917, forming a reservoir which can hold 150 billion cubic feet of water. The Allard dam, on the St. Francois River, had been built at five miles from Disraeli in the same year whose reservoir contained 12 billion cubic feet, while two other large dams had been built on the Brule and the Savane River. He considered that the government had acted wisely in the appointment of the commission.

Mr. Bourbonnais summed up the present situation as follows: The government constructed dams and the companies benefiting by the water power thus made available to be converted into electricity, paid a certain sum each year which represented the cost of control, repairs, sinking fund and the interest on the capital invested in the enterprise. Thus the work turned out to be an investment instead of an expense, or it was the creation of extra wealth for the province.

Calculations had been made with the greatest prudence with the result that the amount of power being generated was found to be in excess on the different rivers had in many cases exceeded the first estimate formed by the commission on the meager information it had at its disposal for some time after its creation. The speaker went on to state that the work of the commission proved that a great deal more power had been realized than had at first been expected.

In the drawing up of plans for the building of a reservoir, the exact nature of the surrounding territory had to be well considered. There was also necessary to learn the quantity of snow and rain which fell annually in the region, as all these details had an important bearing on the force of waterfalls. In 1910, the province had 22 meteorological stations, but this number had improved and the number increased until today there are eighty such stations which prove a great help to the commission in its work.

Several methods have been tried in recent years for the measuring of water currents. The volume of water going over the head of the fall, but the commission has established a scale at all the falls on which it has worked, these enabling observations to be taken every day. Since two years a report of these observations has been sent to the Dominion Water Power Board of the Federal Interior Department, and is published in their annual report. This system keeps the commission informed as to the exact amount of power produced.

In the last nine years the power produced at the Goulin dam varied from 38 to 69 percent, with an average for the nine years of 52 percent. The Allard dam has produced a varied percentage of from 53 to 67, with an average of 62. At the latter dam the power produced has been greater than was at first estimated, the quantity of water reaching 700 and even 900 cubic feet instead of the estimated 600.

The speaker afterwards gave his hearers some interesting facts about the North Shore, which he had actively investigated during three years. In this territory there are 32 rivers which have been investigated by the commission as to their hydraulic value. Equimaux Point was reached in this work which is 300 miles from Quebec. With the aid of slides, Mr. Bourbonnais very clearly explained the nature of this region, showing the many beautiful falls tumbling down in many colors between massive rocky sides of a rich brown color. The speaker gave his audience many technical details concerning these falls as they were flashed on the screen.

There is a very small population in this region who live mainly by work in the woods and fishing in the summer, while during the winter they go still further into the wilds to hunt furred animals. There are several Indian villages, whose inhabitants leave every fall and return only in the spring laden with furs which they sell to agents of the Hudson Bay Company at Repulse. The most picturesque village of the region is Magpie Valley built on the border of a beautiful, wide river which is also rich in falls, situated at thirty miles from the southern extremity of Anticosti Island. The only place in all the district where the lumber is manufactured into available timber is at Clark City, buried in the forest.

The chairman introduced Mr. A. F. Hanly immediately after Mr. Bourbonnais concluded his address, and this gentleman gave the engineers a great deal of information concerning the modern methods of compressed air machinery, especially as used in construction work. He

FOUR CANDIDATES
ARE NOMINATEDFor Two Posts To Represent
Bienville In Lauzon City
Council

Yesterday was Nomination Day in Bienville, for candidates to represent the ward in the Lauzon City Council, and all four candidates whose names were mentioned, Ernest Roy, E. E. Lemieux, Major B. Bourguet, and Joseph Maurice, were nominated to contest the elections.

Messrs. Roy and Lemieux will open their committee rooms this evening, while the other two candidates, Bourguet and Maurice, will open their rooms tomorrow night.

A lively campaign, which has already started, is expected to take place during the time between now and election day, and all the inhabitants of the ward will have an opportunity of hearing each candidate tell them why they should elect him to one of the two posts that are open.

Delegation Leaves Tonight.
Mayor Demers of Lévis, Aldermen Dr. Leblond and Lemieux, and Mr. Eusebe Billeau advocate of Lévis, leave for Ottawa this evening, there to interview the Government in connection with a parcel of land for which the city is claiming \$150,000.

compared figures of the actual cost of hand labor in drilling and other phases of this line, showing very clearly the great economy that could be effected by the use of the more modern methods.

Another consideration which caused contractors to favor compressed air operated drills, etc., was that they were easy to manipulate, and built along lines that fitted them to stand the most severe service. With compressed air clay diggers, it had been proved that one man could do the same amount of work in an eight hour day as five men with a pick and shovel.

He was assisted in his address by the projection of a number of slides which showed the apparatus he wished to draw to their attention at work, in the digging of streets, in stone quarries, and other kinds of heavy construction work. From these stronger instruments he went on to explain that compressed air could also be used in the painting of large constructions such as bridges. If one wished to use a heavy paint a certain sized sprayer could be attached to the main operating tubes, and he declared that it had been found their work could be done much more evenly than with a hand brush, and in practically half the time.

The compressed air pavement breaker was now used by gas companies in many cities of the United States and Canada, as it would locate a leak in a street gas pipe in 45 minutes which otherwise took two men half a day's digging to find. Both Mr. Fraser of the Department of Roads, and chairman Decary thanked the speakers on behalf of the members for the interesting addresses they had given them. Mr. Fraser suggesting that Mr. Hanly let them have all the available information he could on the subject of compressed air machines, as he thought the members, like himself would like to know more about them.

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The House Committee Waited Till

THREAT OF WAR
AGAIN HANGS
OVER NEAR EASTRumania Is Massing Troops
On Frontier And Mining
Danube

VIENNA CONFERENCE

Negotiations With Russia
May Be Broken Off At Any
Moment

Moscow, March 24—Rumania, according to reports from the Bessarabian frontier is beginning to mass her troops and is mining the mouth of the Danube. Protest meetings against Rumanian occupation of Bessarabia are proceeding throughout South Russia prior to the opening of the Vienna conference, where, news from Bucharest intimates the Rumanians may break off negotiations if Russia raises the Bessarabian question.

The conference at Vienna between Rumanian and Russian delegates on the frontier question is about to begin. It concludes the Bessarabian problem which led to a deadlock in the negotiations at Odessa last year. The Rumanians demand the evacuation of Bessarabia and the return of the province to the Bessarabians.

They claim not to desire possession of the province themselves or compensation for it.

PERSONAL

Mr. Thomas A. Gale, of Halifax, N.S., who arrived in town Friday to attend the funeral of his brother, the late Mr. Joseph Gale, leaves today for Montreal, where he will visit his nieces before returning home.

Mr. D. W. Mill, Director of Surveys, Provincial Crown Lands Department, left yesterday for the Atitibi region on official business.

AUTO CLUB SIGNS

CONTRACT FOR

SEASON'S TOWING SERVICE

A contract was signed yesterday by the Quebec Automobile Club and the Black & White Garage and Taxi Co. Ltd., by which the latter company undertake to tow members of the club from within a distance of twenty-five miles of the city, day or night during the summer months. The contract also, provides that club members will receive a special rate on gasoline.

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RIO A BAD PLACE
FOR TRAVELLERSHotel Proprietors Have Spe-
cial Scale Of Charges For
American Tourists

Rio de Janeiro, March 24—
"American Millionaire" is one word
or should be hyphenated at the very
least, in the opinion of most Brazilians.

It is doubtful if many citizens of this country could be brought to believe that there exists a "poor American," or even one in "moderate circumstances."

Perhaps the motion pictures are responsible for some of this golden glamor. The film millionaire is always an American. The travelling American, however, must assume the rest of the blame. His generosity is famous. His tips are bigger and he pays bigger prices than any one else. In fact he rather enjoys his reputation of reckless spending.

But while the American may enjoy a sense of generosity, he likes to believe that his spending is a matter of free will. He has no patience with being over-charged just because he is American.

For this reason, visiting and resident Americans are frowning over the adoption of a double scale of prices by the hotels, restaurants, and certain other business houses of this city, one set of prices being for Americans and other for Brazilians.

The plan to make Americans pay more than others was described in a story published recently in the "Journal do Commercio." The abnormal exchange situation was advanced as the reason. The dollar is now worth three times as many milreis as it was a few years ago. While the general increase in the cost of living has cut the purchasing power of the milreis in half, the dollar has steadily climbed in value, and the Brazilians feel that the Americans are getting all the best of it.

By charging special prices to Americans, the article says, the Rio de Janeiro hotel and restaurant men are killing two birds with one stone, they are increasing their receipts, and at the same time are able to keep prices down for their Brazilian customers.

There is a tendency to include other foreigners in the special price scheme on the suspicion that their income is established on the gold basis, but Americans are the main objective.

The visiting American, if he does not like the special price arrangement, can cut his visit short, but the resident who is obliged to remain for business reasons is out of luck—especially if it happens that his salary is paid in Brazilian money.

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LADIES' MISSION
BAND MEETINGGathering Was Held In Dan-
ville And A Large Number
Of Residents Attended

Danville, March 24—(Special
corr.)—Mr. A. Campbell, of the Mon-
treal Bank staff here has been trans-
ferred to the Sherbrooke office.

Mr. Geo. Doak, has been visiting friends in Montreal.

The members of the Ladies' Mission Band of the Federated Church met recently and were entertained by Mrs. J. H. Boutelle, at the meeting Mrs. E. C. James read letters, which she received from Japan, concerning the recent earthquake at Tokio, and were very interesting.

Miss Antoinette Miquelon, of Quebec was in town recently.

Mr. E. Smith, of Sherbrooke, spent a week-end at his home here recently.

Miss M. Belanger, was a guest in Sherbrooke recently

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DANGEROUS NONSENSE.

"East is East and West is West and never the twain shall meet," sang Kipling and the Manitoba Free Press appears to be singing much the same kind of song. "There is burning, sizzling indignation in a number of eastern papers over the increase in the U. S. duty on wheat from 30c. to 42c. a bushel," runs a recent editorial. There may be a certain amount of indignation, but we have yet to meet the burning, sizzling variety. The paper continues:

"This indignation is being displayed on behalf of the western farmer thus barred out of the United States market."

"Nor do they intend that this unfriendly act towards the western farmer is to pass without reprisal. They have a beautiful plan all worked out by which revenge will be taken upon the United States."

"It is very simple indeed. Since the United States puts up the duties against Canadian wheat let Canada retaliate by putting up the duties against United States machinery and other articles."

"Thus will the farmers be avenged. The Western farmer, despite his troubles, has not lost his sense of humor; and he will get a hearty laugh out of this rally to his defence by the high tariff newspapers of the East."

Apart from the semi-humorous and totally inaccurate assertion that the high tariff papers of the East have a beautiful plan all worked out by which revenge will be taken upon the United States, the general tone of the editorial is dangerous. There is an attempt—a feeble attempt certainly, but no less dangerous because of that—to belittle the opinions of the East section of the community. The people of the East have just as much right to their opinions as the farmers of the prairies, but to counter one section against another is tempting Providence to smash Confederation.

To talk of revenge and reprisals against the United States is unadulterated nonsense and there is not a single responsible paper that would advocate such a policy. On the other hand there are plenty of papers and plenty of people who believe that if we are to protect Canadian industries we should employ the same methods our neighbors take to protect agriculture. That is a far different thing to the petty meanness attributed to the East by the Manitoba Free Press.

The position of those supporting a moderate tariff policy is perfectly clear. They say—and truly say—that a reduction of tariffs would shipwreck Canadian industries. In Canada industry is in its infancy, the markets are still small and as a result the manufacturers cannot compete in price with the United States. In the United States exactly the reverse holds good. Land is more expensive than in the Dominion and it is less fertile. As a result the American farmer cannot produce wheat so cheaply and to protect him a high tariff is necessary. The manufacturer on the other hand is an ardent supporter of free trade. He does not fear competition and the only effect the tariff has, as far as he is concerned, is that it makes the price of food higher.

An illuminating statement on the subject of tariffs was made recently by Mr. H. V. Andrews, a wool goods manufacturer of Toronto. "Our Canadian mills are making a hard fight," he said, "and for the most part have kept running and consuming well, although in many cases at a heavy loss, rather than close down, lose their organization and admit defeat. This condition cannot go on for long. The results are already particularly noticeable. Unless additional and adequate protection is quickly granted, the industry cannot live, and as it is a tremendously valuable and really necessary industry, it seems ridiculous that further British preferences have been granted, reducing protection to our mills and inviting disaster to our manufacturers and our work people."

It will be seen by this statement that the supporters of a tariff policy have a case and a very good case. In upholding their views they are not striving for "revenge" or similar nonsense, they are merely supporting what they consider to be the best policy for the country as a whole.

ROMANCE OF THE PULPWOOD FOREST.

Development of some of the natural resources of Canada has within the two decades of the present century established records which are almost phenomenal, says the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior. The fertile lands of the prairies, owing to their outstanding importance as the source of the enormous grain crops which they have produced, have overshadowed all other development.

The prairies, however, are not the only natural resources in Canada that have come into its own on an imposing scale within very recent years. The older provinces of the East have witnessed the rise of an industrial prodigy that rivals even the record of Western progress. The spread of commercial value over millions of acres of Western farm lands is almost matched by the commercial romance of the pulpwood forests of Eastern Canada and British Columbia. For sheer rapidity of development there is nothing in Canadian experience—excepting only the advance of the farming frontier of the prairies—to equal the speed and abruptness with which the Dominion's immense pulpwood areas have been converted from idle into active assets that today rank among the very foremost producing properties of the country.

From earliest times the forests of Eastern Canada have played a leading role in building up commercial enterprise. The sawmill has founded more Canadian communities and fortunes than almost any other form of industry. More than fifty years ago, when the several provinces were united by Confederation, the new Dominion was known to other countries and continued for years to be known mainly as a source of lumber. And sawmill products have remained down to the present day as one of the chief classes of goods carrying Canadian trade into all quarters of the globe.

But after the long record of decades and even centuries of broadening development, it has been left to the last ten or fifteen years to witness an utterly astonishing growth of forest industries. The pulp and paper mill has usurped the prestige of the sawmill. Lumbering still stands as one of the major pillars of Canadian industry, but in an amazingly short period it has seen the rise of a gigantic upstart which in some respects already overshadows it.

The sudden, almost magic diffusion of commercial value and activity over Canada's millions of acres of pulpwood forests is a striking example of how the needs of one country develop the resources of another. The motive power behind the development of Canada's pulpwood areas is the voracious American market for

paper, particularly for newsprint. The manufacture of newsprint is the big end of the Canadian paper industry and over 80 per cent of the newsprint produced is exported to the United States.

Only ten years ago American mills were able to meet all but a small percentage of the domestic requirements, but in the meantime the output has been steadily falling behind consumption. The use of newsprint has increased tremendously. On the other hand the depletion of the pulpwood supplies of the Eastern and Lake States has permitted only a moderate increase of American output. Faced with this situation American newsprint consumers are now compelled to import almost half of their requirements.

Canada has stepped into the breach. Her exports of newsprint alone have risen from less than four million dollars in 1912 to over eighty million dollars in 1923. Thus the Dominion's pulpwood resources, after suffering a long period of commercial indifference and costly exposure to every form of inroad except that of industrial need, have suddenly been drawn into use on a scale and with a degree of avidity rarely equalled in the annals of world commerce. Scarcely indeed has the magic wand of international trade reached out and as swiftly lifted any industry from half a century of infancy to the stature of an industrial giant.

It is not necessary to retail a long succession of statistics in order to establish the importance of this newcomer to the ranks of outstanding Canadian industries. But some idea of its relative power in enhancing the commercial strength of the Dominion may be gleaned from the fact that its main product—paper—stands second to wheat only among the commodities entering into Canada's sales abroad. Ten years ago the Dominion's exports of paper amounted to less than \$7,000,000—or about one-third of the exports of cheese alone. This year all of the cheese and butter, exports from Canada's three thousand dairy factories, plus all of the apples and other fruits from the famous orchards of British Columbia, Ontario and the Annapolis Valley, plus all of the cattle from the ranches of the West and the stock farms of the East, all of the salmon, lobsters, cod, halibut and other species shipped from Canada's varied fishing grounds to every quarter of the globe, all of the furs from the northern territories that have fed the fur markets of the world for centuries—all of these exports lumped together are scarcely equivalent to the value represented by the Dominion's shipments of paper in 1923.

This industry—the manufacture of pulp and paper—which has been reared to such dimensions in one decade as to overshadow enterprises long established as major pillars of the Dominion's trade abroad, stands out as one of the truly impressive features on the skyline of the newer commercial Canada.

MCGILL UNIVERSITY.

The annual report of the McGill University is not so much a report as a record of progress. In the year 1922-1923 great advances were made and among other things the finances of the University were placed upon a sound basis. A Centennial Campaign was inaugurated during the year with the object of raising \$5,000,000. The objective was surpassed for the amount subscribed and promised was \$6,440,000.

The relief from financial worries has had a marked effect upon the development and conduct of the university, judging from the report. It was found possible, for example, to open the French Summer School, to increase the salaries paid to the staff and to proceed with much wanted additions to the buildings.

The report contains an excellent summary of the primary duty of a university. "However important may be its functions," runs the report, "in the work of research, in the training of men as teachers and as other highly trained specialists, the principal aim of the university is and must always be to do its part in the making of men who will be leaders of the community. She is judged and her work is measured by the great body of students who leave her doors with their primary degrees, the Bachelors of Arts and Science, the Doctors of Medicine, and their classmates of other faculties. These men go out in the community with the stamp of McGill upon them, to be leaders in thought and action. They go to join a body of many other graduates who bear and must always bear the responsibility for the guidance of our whole community. To fit them for this part is the great task of McGill and one which she must always hold first and sacred."

Placing a two-year-old child on the Persian Throne is our idea of cruelty to infants.

The public debt of Canada is now five hundred dollars per individual and this is exclusive of the private debt per individual.

Judging by the amount of attention that is being paid by certain people in this Province to Conservative demonstrations there is a fear that all may not be well with the solid bloc of sixty-five.

Another great war hero has passed in the person of General Nivelle. If another world struggle should break out few, if any of the leaders who achieved fame between 1914 and 1918 will be available for active service.

Press Comment

DEATHS FROM SEPSIS.

(Auckland News, New Zealand.)

At the moment, the public conscience of Auckland is more than ordinarily stirred at the deaths of several mothers from sepsis. The reason is that deaths from sepsis are largely preventable, that they represent waste of mothers, of the most essential component of the family and the nation. Nor is such wastage fully represented in the statistics. Many women survive the onset of sepsis, only to remain as cripples physically and as mothers, barren. These facts are a call to action. In New Zealand there is in such case an ineradicable tendency to look to the state for remedy.

MORE HORSES THAN EVER.

(Toronto Star.)

It used to be said that the motor car would put the horse out of business. But it has not done so. To some of us horses may seem few, but they are not. The agricultural census of Canada shows that there were 1,025,304 more horses in Canada in 1921 than there were in 1911. The actual figures were 3,624,262 in 1921 and 2,598,956 in 1911.

Motor cars have invented a lot of the work they do. One can stand on a corner and see scores of cars being driven down town in the morning, each carrying its solitary passenger. These men were not formerly horse-hauled, but came down in street cars. Motors are sometimes seen in a continuous stream going towards Hamilton. People used to go to Hamilton by train or boat. Because motors can make journeys so horse could ever have attempted, many of them are kept busy doing it.

Motors, too, are fond of good roads, and thousands of horses are kept busy hauling road materials—not to mention the horses which have been much used of late hauling motors out of snow-banks and mud-holes.

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PREHISTORIC SKELETON

FOUND IN SIDE OF CLIFF

Lewiston, Idaho, March 24.—A huge skeleton, believed to be that of a prehistoric human being, has been discovered in the Salmon river country, south of here, by two members of the state highway department who have brought their find to this city. The lower jaw and vertebra will be sent to the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D.C. for analysis as to the probable date of existence.

The bones were found in the side of a cliff at a depth estimated to be 50 feet. Nearly the entire skeleton was recovered, the excavators

proceeding with more care after determining that the find might prove to be of scientific value.

Measuring more than eight feet in height and possessing numerous strange features, the skeleton has aroused widespread interest. Three physicians who examined it pronounced it to be that of a woman.

Belief that the person was of a herbivorous race has been expressed, owing to the peculiar formation of the jaws and teeth. Both the upper and lower jaws have only 10 teeth each and all are intact.

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CITY HALL

HEALTH OFFICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

Concerning Vaccination

In consideration of a letter addressed to every municipality by the General Director of the Provincial Service of Hygiene, making compulsory the By-Laws concerning VACCINATION: The Board of Health of the City of Quebec is hereby giving notice that every person who has not been vaccinated, or persons who have not been successfully vaccinated since seven (7) years are compelled, by the present, to be vaccinated immediately.

Every proprietor, or any other chief of industrial establishments, every director or director of educational houses as well as the School's Commissioners shall be bound to see to the fulfillment of the present notice.

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CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Quebec, March 20th, 1924.

SIDEWALKS

All persons owning or having charge of houses or other buildings or lots of ground in this city are hereby required and ordered to clear or cause to be cleared from snow and ice the footpaths in front of their respective properties, and to have same kept clear of snow and ice from the 1st of April, 1924, until the close of the present winter season.

All persons contravening this order will be liable to the penalty in such cases provided and shall be prosecuted according to law.

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SONS WON BOTH GAMES, AND TOOK ROUND, 3-0; 3-2

LONERGAN ONLY PLAYER TO BEAT WALSH, AND SOO WON LAST NIGHT'S GAME

Match Became Rough In Final Period, Players Handing Out Bump For Bump On Both Teams—Sons Miss Numerous Chances To Score Through Over-Anxiety, When Playing Six Against Four

(Special to The Chronicle by Staff Reporter)

Auditorium, Ottawa, Ont., March 24—The Allan Cup will not find a resting place in Quebec this year though the team representing the Ancient Capital can and will be considered as good a team in every way as Sault Ste. Marie, their conquerors in the semi-finals. The Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds defeated Sons of Ireland at the Ottawa Auditorium tonight by a score of 3-2 and thereby took the two-game series by a 6-2 count. The Greyhounds will now meet Selkirk, the Western champions, in the final in Toronto on the 27th and 29th.

The game tonight was again marked by the sensational net-minding of Walsh, the Soo goalkeeper. He was peppered from all sides and angles by every warrior of the Green and White but Loneragan was the only player who could beat him, once when he circled the net and again on a long shot. Sons outplayed the Greyhounds in the first and third periods but experienced difficulty in breaking through the defence of Donnelly and Cain, both weighty, who used their bodies with telling effect on their much lighter opponents. When they did happen to elude this pair they met a stone-wall in Walsh. Again when Walsh was out of the net the breaks went against the Green Shirts as Laroche, McNaughton and Dinan missed open nets or shot over the twine. Soo adopted a defensive game and were content to stretch their three forwards across centre ice and wait for the onrushing Sons, who forced the pace throughout except for about the last ten minutes of the second twenty when the pace, coupled with the heavy bodying of Phillips, Donnelly and Company told on them. The game was handled by Referee Mike Rodden of Toronto who soon got himself in wrong with the fans by his poor work and they showed their appreciation of his refereeing by aiming a bottle in his direction in the second twenty when he chased Gaudreault to the cooler after Phillips had taken a punch at the latter because the left winger had robbed him of the puck. Rodden was away off color in his work and allowed numerous fouls and offside to go by unnoticed.

Rough in Final Period.

The play became somewhat rough in the final period when Phillips, the sturdy Soo centre, commenced to run for the man. This soon aroused the ire of the Sons with the result that they started to get back and soon every player on the ice was chasing the man and handing out fist checks. Sons missed numerous chances to score, especially in the second and third periods when they were playing six men against four. However, on both occasions the Green Shirts were too anxious and the majority of their shots went wild. There was no scoring done in the first period and in the second twenty Phillips blocked Laroche at centre and fooled Turgeon with a shot from outside the defence. Three minutes later Donnelly blocked Loneragan and rushed by Starkings who was alone on the defence and shot the puck past Turgeon. Nine minutes later Lessard took a pass from Cain and Turgeon fell down on another long shot from the wing.

In the final period Sons played hard to at least avert a whitewash and their efforts were finally rewarded near the close of the twenty when Loneragan rushed with Gaudreault. Walsh blocked the former's shot, though the defenceman secured the rebound and circled the net to shove the puck between the goal-keeper's legs. A minute later Loneragan took a pass from behind the net and fooled Walsh with a shot from the defence. Donnelly played a strong game for Soo and engineered a number of dangerous rushes besides scoring a goal himself. He also steadied the team by his work on the defensive while his heavy body-checking served to slow up the Sons. Soo played a nice combination game and the quick and sure passing gave the Sons plenty to worry about. They were always dangerous when they broke away and seldom rushed without another player with the puck-carrier. Sons also played a strong game and deserved more than two goals on the play. Every man on the team except Turgeon played brilliantly and even went so far as to trade bumps with the hefty Donnelly. Dinan, Loneragan, Starkings and Gaudreault also played up to form. Turgeon also turned in a good game, though he was under a heavy handicap. His left eye is still swollen and has given him considerable pain since he was struck by one of Phillips' shots in Saturday's game.

First Period.

Play was called at 8:30. Cain playing defence in place of Brown who is not in uniform. Sons started to force the play at the face-off and kept buzzing around the Soo defence for the first three minutes. Soo resorted to heavy body-checking and the Green Shirts were given some hard bumps by Donnelly and Cain. Play was mostly in Soo territory but Walsh is having few shots to handle. Phillips was given a penalty for tripping McNaughton. Laroche stickhandled his way through the defence and could not beat Walsh, who slid out to meet him. Phillips came back. Laroche took a pass from Starkings and gave Walsh a hard one. Lessard benched for slashing McNaughton. Laroche tested Walsh with another hard one. The Soo forwards were checking their men closely and broke up all attempts at combination. McNaughton missed a chance with only

Walsh to beat. McNaughton benched for butt-ending Phillips after the latter had given Laroche a heavy body that sent him on his back. Cook and Campbell replaced Phillips and Lessard. McNaughton came back. Sons were having the edge on the play but were experiencing difficulty in breaking through the defence. Soo was playing a defensive game with the three forwards stretched across centre ice. Laroche had two shots in rapid succession which Walsh blocked. Gaudreault replaced Laroche and Lessard replaced Campbell. McNaughton intercepted a pass at centre and skated in on Walsh, who made a nice save. Referee Rodden was loudly booed by the crowd when he benched Gaudreault for checking Phillips. McNaughton went through alone and missed an open net when tripped by Donnelly who drew a penalty. Laroche went on for Dinan. Lessard stickhandled through the Sons' defence and Turgeon made a brilliant save. Sons had the better of the play during the period though Walsh appeared set to put up another brilliant performance as on Saturday. Neither team succeeded in scoring.

Second Period.

Soo started the second period with Donnelly still in the penalty box. Sons used Gaudreault in centre in place of McNaughton. Donnelly came on after twenty seconds of play. Woodruff tried a long shot that Turgeon blocked. Phillips blocked Laroche at centre and let go a long shot that Turgeon failed to reach, putting Soo four goals in the lead for the series. McNaughton replaced Gaudreault. Turgeon blocked from Lessard. Laroche rushed and passed to Dinan whose shot went over the net. Loneragan went down and passed to Laroche who hit Walsh's pads. Donnelly blocked Loneragan and dashed by Starkings who was alone on the defence and drew out Turgeon to score the second goal after three and a half minutes. Dinan was benched for tripping and Woodruff followed him. McNaughton was penalized for pulling down Donnelly as the latter was going through Dinan came back and so did Woodruff. Soo was having the better of the play and were outskating their checks. McNaughton came on. Soo was playing a nice brand of combination, though called back frequently for offside. Gaudreault replaced Laroche. Rodden gave Dinan a three minute penalty for checking the huge Donnelly into the boards. Turgeon made a nice save from Donnelly as the latter skated in on him. Donnelly and Woodruff broke away and Loneragan saved a sure goal when he batted the puck from Turgeon's feet as Woodruff was racing in for the rebound. The fans showed their appreciation of Rodden's refereeing by throwing a bottle in his direction when he whistled for an offside as Turgeon blocked a shot and passed the disc out to Starkings inside the blue line. Cain blocked Laroche's rush and on reaching the defence passed to Lessard who fooled Turgeon with a shot from left wing after nine minutes. McNaughton secured from the face-off and on reaching the defence passed to Laroche who hit Walsh on the head as he was tripped by Cain who drew a penalty. Donnelly followed twenty seconds later when he pulled down McNaughton. Sons now playing six men against four. Soo at the start shot the puck from end to end. Sons sent every man except Turgeon to the attack. Sons shooting wild in their anxiety to score. Cain came on, though Soo still continuing shooting from their territory. Lessard blocked a shot and passed to the corner. Laroche rushed through the defence and shot wild. Pedneault and Gaudreault replaced McNaughton and Laroche with about a minute to go. Soo had the better of this period and the Sons were showing the effects of the game as they had cut out at the start of the game and the heavy bodying handed to them by their heavier opponents.

Third Period.

Laroche secured from a face-off and tested Walsh. McNaughton nearly scored on the rebound, Walsh saving by throwing himself lengthwise in front of the net. Sons forcing the play and Walsh handled two hot one from Laroche and McNaughton in rapid succession. Cain took a pass from Lessard and lited the puck into the rush end and another broke back to be secured as it was refused to return it to the referee. McNaughton took a pass from Dinan and shot wild. Laroche was benched for checking Donnelly into the boards though he returned before Turgeon was given a shot to handle. Loneragan was rushing well but was off color in his shooting. Cain was benched for bodying Laroche. Sons were forcing the pace but the Soo defence was air-tight. Lessard was given a heavy body by Dinan and had to be assisted off the ice. Woodruff replaced him. Gaudreault replaced Dinan. Soo started to rough matters and Sons showed that they could retaliate by landing out bump for bump. Hockey appeared to be forgotten for a couple of minutes with both teams playing for the man. The players soon settled down and started to play the game again. Cook took a slash at Dinan and was benched. Donnelly followed him for tripping Gaudreault and Sons were playing rings around them for a few minutes until Dinan was chased. Gaudreault intercepted a pass and rushed with Loneragan who shot. Walsh blocked but Loneragan secured the rebound and circled the net to shove the puck behind Walsh's legs. Loneragan took a pass from behind the net and again fooled Walsh after one minute of play and less than two minutes to go. Sons were buzzing around the Soo net as the bell rang. Sons again had the edge on what play there was in this period.

The teams:

ANNUAL MEETING MAY ADJOURN

Owing To Certain Deeds And Titles Not Yet Being Completed

The annual meeting of the Victoria Curling Club, in accordance with the constitution of the club, is held this year on the 25th day of March, in the clubrooms, at 8 p.m. Whether or not the meeting will be adjourned until a later date remains for the meeting to decide as matters of great importance are to be discussed.

The reorganization of the club as a no-stock corporation is practically complete and the land upon which the club is built is purchased outright and paid for but certain deeds and titles have yet to be completed. Another important factor is the framing of a new constitution and by-laws which are not yet ready to put before the meeting.

For these reasons the annual meeting may be adjourned. But other matters may be discussed, and for these reasons a large attendance of members is expected and requested.

MILITARY INDOOR RIFLE LEAGUE

Company Sergt.-Major Rancourt Made Best Score—Standing Of League

The Military Indoor Rifle League held its weekly competition last evening at which the winners were the Royal 22nd Regiment which won from the 57th Battery, C.F.A., by 45 points; the D.C.U. which won by default from the 5th C.G.T., and the Voltigeurs de Quebec from the Royal Rifles of Canada by 15 points.

The outstanding feature of the competition last evening was the record score made by Co. Sergt.-Major Rancourt who made a total of 97 and scored a possible on his first target. The next best scorers were B.S.M. Paradis 92, and Sergt. R. Gauthier 92.

The scores of the several units and the League standing are as follows:

Royal 22nd Regiment.	
C.S.M. Rancourt	97
Sgt. R. Gauthier	92
S.-Sgt. Couture	89
Sgt.-I. J. A. Auclair	89
C.S.M. Boulanger	87

454	
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57th C. F. A.	
Sgt. R. Grant	84
Capt. Parker, D.C.M.	83
B.S.M. H. Pugh	82
Sgt. Creighton	80
Sgt. A. Baxter	80

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D. C. U.	
Sgt. H. Conlan	91
S.-Sgt. Ellis	81
C.S.M. Todd	79

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5th C. G. A.	
Defaulted.	

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Royal Rifles of Canada.	
Sgt. W. Creighton	90
Pte. F. Poirer	90
Pte. M. Poirer	84
Sgt. W. Mullis	83
Pte. A. Rudd	82

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Voltigeurs de Quebec.	
B.S.M. Ls. Paradis	93
Cpl. H. Maite	88
Pte. A. Emond	86
Pte. H. Tremblay	86

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League Standing.	
V. de Que.	9 0 0 13 4002
R. 22nd Regt.	6 0 3 12 3327
57th C. F. A.	5 0 4 19 3694
R. R. of C.	3 1 5 7 3760
D. C. U.	2 1 6 5 3302

JOE LYNCH TO MEET

WOLGAST NEXT MONDAY

New York, March 24—Joe Lynch, who lost his world's bantam title to Goldstein at Madison Square Garden last Friday night has been signed for a ten-round match with Bobby Wolgast of Philadelphia at Toledo, Ohio, next Monday, Eddie Mead, Lynch's manager announced today.

TED MOORE VICTOR.

New York, March 24—Ted Moore of England, was awarded a judges' decision over Lou Bogash of Bridgeport, Conn., after a ten-round bout here tonight.

Sons of Ireland.

Goal	Walsh
Turgeon	Point
Loneragan	Cain
Starkings	Cover-Point
McNaughton	Centre
Dinan	Right-Wing
Left-Wing	Woodruff
Laroche	Lessard
Substitutes	Cook
Pedneault	Campbell
Gaudreault	Referee: Mike Rodden, Toronto.

Summary:

First Period.

No score	
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Second Period.

1—Soo, Phillips	1:20
2—Soo, Donnelly	3:35
3—Soo, Lessard	9:00

Third Period.

4—Sons, Loneragan	17:20
5—Sons, Loneragan	1:09

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BEST TEAM LOST, SAY SUPPORTERS

Soo Men And Ottawa Fans Say Sons Outplayed Greyhounds In Both Games

(Special to The Chronicle by Staff Reporter)

Ottawa, March 24—Sons of Ireland were tendered a luncheon this afternoon by Major Chas. G. Power, M.P. for Quebec West at the Parliament House, and needless to say the boys appreciated the thoughtfulness of the Quebec sportsman. Among the other members present were Hon. Ernest Lapointe, and Messrs. George Parent, H. E. Lavigne, and E. St. Perre. After the luncheon Major Power brought the boys on a visit to the Royal Mint and Historical Museum.

Ottawa fans, as well as a number of true Soo supporters, stated that they were firmly convinced that the best team had been defeated in the series, basing their opinions on the two games. Sons outplayed the Greyhounds in both games, and it is due to Walsh's remarkable goal-tending that the team will figure in the finals. Verifin, the crack Canadian net-minder never will have anything on Walsh, if the latter allows turns in games like he did Saturday and tonight. His work was simply marvellous.

GIBBONS K.O.'D DOWNNEY.

Dayton, March 24—Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul, knocked out Joe Downey of Columbus in the first round of a scheduled 12-round bout here tonight. Downey never struck a blow.

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CANCELS BOUT TO SAVE MANAGER

Mickey Walker Offers His Blood For Transfusion To Save Jack Bulger

New York, March 24—Told that only a blood transfusion would prevent the death of his manager, Jack Bulger, in a Newark hospital, Mickey Walker, world's champion welterweight champion, canceled his bout with Johnny Gill at Philadelphia tonight, hurried to Newark and offered his blood for the operation.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RYS.

Montreal-Quebec Train Service.

The Canadian National Railway offers to the travelling public an exceedingly commodious service between Quebec and Montreal. The "Montreal" leaves the Falls Station at 1:30 p. m. daily except Sundays and arrives in Montreal (Bonaventure Station) at 6:05 p. m. (On Sundays this train leaves Quebec at 1:45 p. m. and arrives in Montreal at 9:30 p. m.) The "Mont-Royal" leaves Quebec at 11:45 p. m. daily and enters Montreal at 7:30 a. m. Returning the "Quebec" leaves Montreal (Bonaventure Station) at 4:45 p. m. daily and reaches Quebec (Palais Station) at 9:30 p. m. The "Citadel" leaves Montreal at 11:30 p. m. and arrives in Quebec at 6:45 a. m.

FILM CONTRACT AND TOO BIDS

Million Dollars From Pictures And Brace Of Scraps For Dempsey

New York, March 24—Jack Dempsey has a million dollar picture offer and two championship night bouts from which to select in mapping out his 1934 program of action. This was disclosed today by the heavyweight titleholder's manager, Jack Kearns, who said he would leave tomorrow for Los Angeles for a final conference with motion picture interests and also with James J. Coffroth, California promoter, who has renewed his bid to Dempsey for a title bout with Harry Wills at Tia Juana, Mexico, in September. The motion picture offer came from Carl Laemmle, head of a large producing company, Kearns said.

The other fight bid was made by Tex Rickard for a title match in or near New York in September with the "best available contender." Rickard indicated he preferred to stage a return bout between Dempsey and Luis Firpo but if the Argentine held to his present intention to retire, the promoter would seek an opponent from other contenders, including Wills, Jack Renault, Quintin Romero-Rojas of Chile and Erminio Spalla, European heavyweight champion. Rojas and Spalla both are on their way to the United States to fight under Rickard's direction.

BYRON'S MEMORY

Berne, Mar. 24—A committee has been formed at Montreux on the border of Lake Lemman to commemorate the centenary of the death of Lord Byron May 27. A ceremony will be held in the castle of Chillon, made famous by the poet's lines.

The King of England and the president of Switzerland have accepted invitations to be patrons of the celebration.

FINAL PLANS FOR CARP-GIBBONS

Will Be Completed Today In Chicago—Scrap Slated For Michigan City

Chicago, March 24—The proposed ten-round contest between Tom Gibbons and Georges Carpentier is scheduled to be closed here tomorrow when Floyd Fitzsimmons, the promoter, will meet with Jack Curley, representing the French light-heavyweight and Eddie Kane, manager of Gibbons.

Fitzsimmons plans to stage the contest in his arena at Michigan City, July 4.

DAINTY FRENCHMAN

REFUSES SERVICE FROM DIRTY HANDS.

Havre, March 24—Jean Durand went into court recently in support of the gospel of clean hands. He was arrested because he refused to give his railroad ticket to the conductor on the train from Paris. "He wore no gloves," Durand explained to the clerk sergeant, "and who knows how many microbes had gathered on his hands from the tickets of others?"

SOCIETY GIVES BALL

IN HONOR OF TUT-ANKH-AMEN.

Vienna, March 24—It King Tut-ankh-Amen could have looked in upon the ball given by the Subert Society recently he would have felt very much at home. No costumes were allowed except those depicting the period during which the Pharaoh reigned.

The music, especially written for the occasion, was mostly jazz. It included a two-step, "In the Valley of the Kings"; a march, "The Pharaoh's Parade"; and "The Hieroglyphic Glide."

DERELICT ROW DISAPPEARS

San Pedro, Cal. March 24—Giving way to port expansion and progress, "Derelict Row," a conglomeration of dilapidated shacks and ancient houseboats, was burned. It had lined the shore of Terminal Island for 40 years.

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FOREIGN TRADE MUCH LARGER

Great Britain Did More Business With Outside World In 1923 Than In 1922

The Foreign Trade of Great Britain in 1923 was larger in volume than in 1922, according to a report received by the Bankers' Trust Company of New York from its Foreign Information Service, but was conducted on a lower level of prices. Imports increased 11.6 per cent. in volume but cost 1.5 per cent. less than those of 1922. Exports of goods produced in the United Kingdom increased 11.9 per cent. in volume but these goods were sold for 4.7 per cent. less than if 1922 prices had been realized.

Imports and exports of foodstuffs fell in average value per unit by between 5 and 8 per cent., while in the case of raw materials a substantial rise in values was shown. In the case of manufactured articles the general result was a fall in values somewhat greater than in the case of foodstuffs.

Supplies of imported goods retained for consumption showed an increase of 5 per cent. in cereals, of 20 per cent. in meat and nearly as much in other non-durable goods. In the case of iron ore there was an increase of over 70 per cent. Textile materials showed reductions in quantities varying from about 50 per cent. for wool and 36 per cent. for silk, to about 11 to 12 per cent. for cotton and the aggregate of other textile materials. Net imports of manufactured goods expansion in almost every group.

Among exports of United Kingdom produce and manufactures, the principal feature of the movement in raw materials was a rise in the average value of coal of nearly 12 per cent. and at the same time an increase in quantity shipped of 23 per cent. With few exceptions, average values of exports of manufactures were lower than in 1922. In volume of movement, cotton goods showed a reduction of 1 per cent., machinery an expansion of 8 per cent., woolen goods of 10 per cent., iron and steel goods of 20 per cent., electrical goods of nearly 50 per cent., and paper manufactures of over 60 per cent. Owing to the depression in shipbuilding, the exports of "vessels" showed a reduction of not far short of 25 per cent. In other groups there was greater or less expansion.

As compared with pre-war conditions, the volume of imports was 93 per cent. of the volume of 1913 imports. The exports of United Kingdom goods were 74.5 per cent. in volume of the 1913 exports. However, these figures reflect a great improvement from the depreciation of 1921 when the volume of imports was only 74.3 per cent of



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the 1913 basis and exports were only 48.8 per cent. of the 1913 exports.

On the other hand this increased volume of trade was handled on a very much lower price basis. For instance in 1921, the average value of imports was 190.3 per cent of 1913 values, whereas in 1923 imports were valued at only 149.2 per cent of 1913 values. The value of exports, taking 1913 values as 100 per cent., declined from 268.3 per cent in 1921 to 189.7 per cent in 1923.

The true art of making gold is to have a good estate and spend little of it.



STUDENTS FROM ALL UNIVERSITIES

Metagama Of The Canadian Pacific Will Carry A Special Class Of Passengers

A university at sea is the latest innovation of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Ltd., when the SS. Metagama sails from Montreal on June 26th, 1924, who will carry students from all the universities of Canada on an educational trip to the British Isles, returning by the Empress of Scotland on August 18.

A complete section of the Metagama will be set aside for the travelling scholars, who will be accompanied by leading members of the faculties of various universities and who will assume responsibilities for the vocational and educational interests of the individual scholar.

The tour is available to any student attending a Canadian university and all applications are subject to the approval of the Overseas Educational League.

At a luncheon at the Royal Victoria College, Montreal, last week, Major F. J. Nevy, honorary secretary of the league, addressed the student body regarding the project. Following the address there were many applications for the two-month holiday abroad.

According to the itinerary laid out, the party will disembark at Glasgow and proceed to Edinburgh, where a week will be spent, the programme for which is being arranged with the co-operation of the faculty of Edinburgh University. A letter from the league's representative in England states that members of the faculty are prepared to give special lectures and addresses and that the visiting students will be invited as special guests to the university graduation functions. Following this ceremony, the party will proceed to Oxford, where Sir Michael Sadler, who has recently visited Canada in connection with the activities of the league, has expressed a keen desire to receive the Canadian students at Oxford, and an interesting programme for them has been arranged by this distinguished scholar. The London stay includes visits to the British Empire Exhibition, where the director of the exhibits, Sir Travers Clarke, a member of the league, will welcome the undergraduates at Wembley. The Scottish stay includes a trip to the Burns country and in England the Shakespeare country will be covered.

Returning from the British Isles the students will have the advantage of seeing the wonders of Paris, which occupies a week of the programme, and while on the other side of the channel, one day will be spent on the battlefields of Flanders and France.

Special arrangements have been made for students having relatives on the other side who arrange a personal itinerary, in which case a lesser charge is made. Considering the length of the tour, the number of attractions to be visited and

PROGRAMME FOR WINTER OF 1925

Canadian Pacific Has Already Made All Preparations For Next Cruising Season

Cruising has entered the field of great Canadian enterprises as a permanent institution. After successfully establishing itself in this field in 1924, the Canadian Pacific officially announces an elaborate programme for the winter of 1925, embracing a cruise around the world and one to the Mediterranean in which two Empresses of the Atlantic will be used, viz., the Empress of Scotland and the Empress of France.

The Empress of France which is now being converted into an oil-burner will circle the globe whilst the Empress of Scotland, flagship of the fleet, will traverse the Mediterranean.

The 1925 cruise around-the-world, entirely under Canadian Pacific management, will start from the port of New York on Jan. 27, 1925, sailing eastward and completely rounding the hemisphere, re-turning to New York via Panama Canal on June 1st. Provision has been made in the itinerary to show the Holy Land to the globe-trotters, an innovation in round-the-world touring. Changes made in the itinerary for 1925 comes about by a close study of the interest of the individual traveller in the 1924 operations.

As the cruising ship of today does double duty inasmuch as it has to be the combination of hotel and ship, it is pointed out by the Canadian Pacific authorities, that the Empress of France is adequately suited for "round-the-world voyage." The interior arrangement of the ship signifies the elimination of the "bunk" which is replaced by the single bed such as used by modern hotel. All rooms are equipped with running hot and cold water. Rooms are made up of single and double bed rooms. When required by families and private parties, connecting doors are operated as in hotel suites. As is an up-to-date railway carriage, many of the rooms are equipped with the upper berth ingeniously folding into the wall for the purpose of accommodating an extra member of the family.

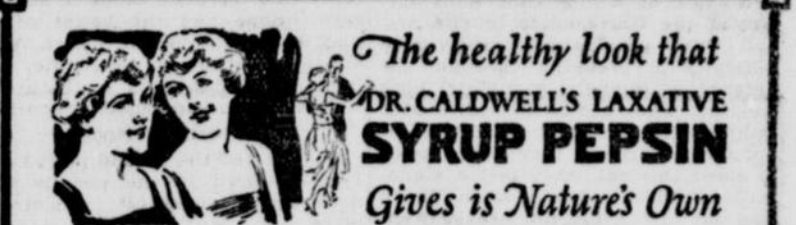
The oil-burning liner, Empress of Scotland, one of the "monsters" of the Atlantic and one of the largest ships used in cruise traffic, will again tour the Mediterranean ports. Her cruise of 81 days' duration starting from New York, on Feb. 9th, will include stops at Madeira, Lisbon, Cadiz, Gibraltar, Algiers, Athens, Constantinople, Beyrout (Syria), Haifa, Alexandria, Naples, Monaco, Cherbourg and terminating at Southampton on April 11th, the

the class of accommodation furnished, the rate of \$325.00 which is fixed, is considered well within the finances of the average university attendant.



later date enabling passengers to spend two weeks on the continent of Europe if they so desire and then sail on one of the first ships to the St. Lawrence. The stop at Beyrout (Syria) has been included as an additional port of call and the length of time, which will be spent in Haifa affords an excellent opportunity for passengers to visit many places of interest in Palestine. Announcement regarding West Indies and South America cruises will be made at a later date.

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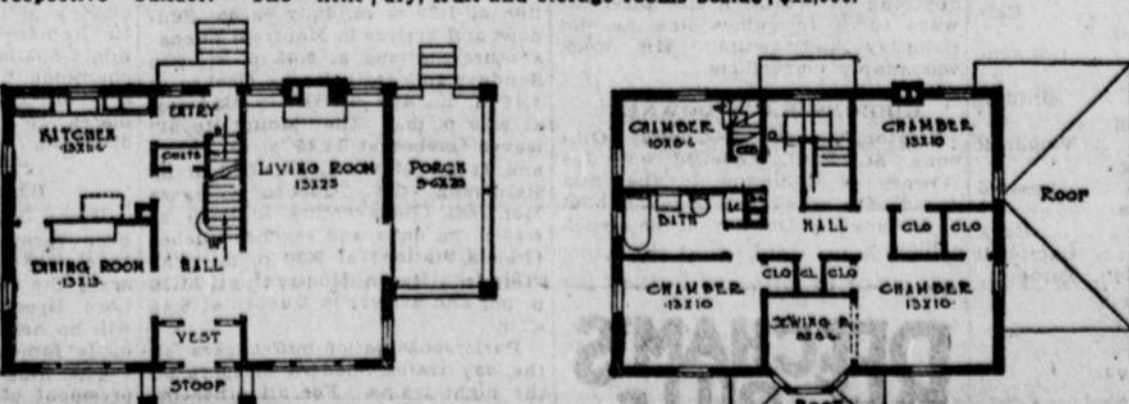


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SUPPORT MOVEMENT FOR NATIONAL GARDEN WEEK

Washington, Mar. 24 — Garden week, the second national event of its kind, has been set for April 20 to 26 by the general federation of women's club. Church and motion pictures will contribute to the effort of the campaign.

Mrs. John D. Sherman, chairman of the department of applied education of the federation, who has been nominated by Colorado, her home state, for the presidency of the federation at the bi-annual election in Los Angeles in June, has announced the endorsement of the movement by President Coolidge and Secretary Hoover, and that the Bureau of Education has asked

schools to emphasize the work in their study on Wednesday.

The program as outlined by the federation goes into every phase of gardening. Friday is tree day and the American Tree Association will send tree day programs and tree planting suggestions to schools and clubs.

Every civic organization has been asked to co-operate in the work. According to reports to the federation, school gardens in New York City last year produced food valued at \$33,000 and that city is considered one in which gardening conditions are the hardest.

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The National Academy of Design has recently rejected a work of Carl Akeley, noted sculptor, which depicts a modern man shedding the shaggy hide of a gorilla. The "descent of man" controversy was feared.



Miss Faye Martyn of Waterloo, Iowa, was chosen by Prof. Ernest Linnencamp, internationally famous artist, as one of the fifteen most beautiful women in the world.



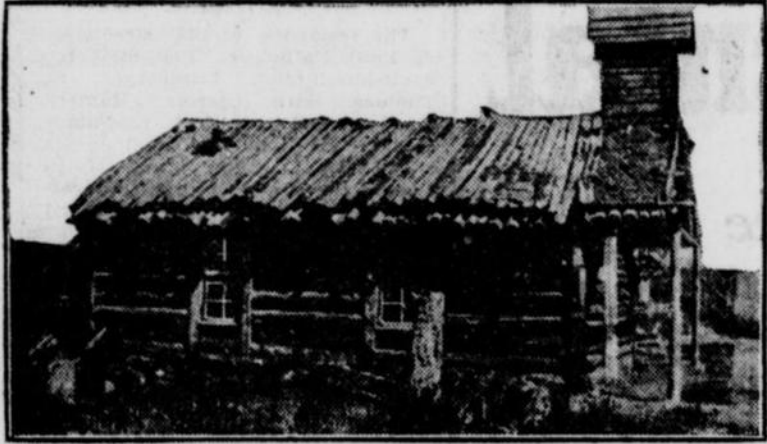
When the Rev. Henry C. Egner, of Pearl River, N.Y., could not secure labor to start his church, he called his congregation together and led them forth in pioneer fashion to tackle the job themselves.



Captain Bartley F. Gorman, a member of the Boston University rifle team is regarded as one of the best shots among college men in the United States. He learned marksmanship while serving with the marines.



While excavating at Aztec, New Mexico, Earl H. Morris found many specimens said to antedate the relics of King Tut's tomb. Among them are overshoes which the natives used in place of the modern goloshes.



This little building is a mission church on Teslin Lake, British Columbia, which is almost out of touch with civilization. It is reached after a week's travel up the Hootalinqua River, where a trading post is located.



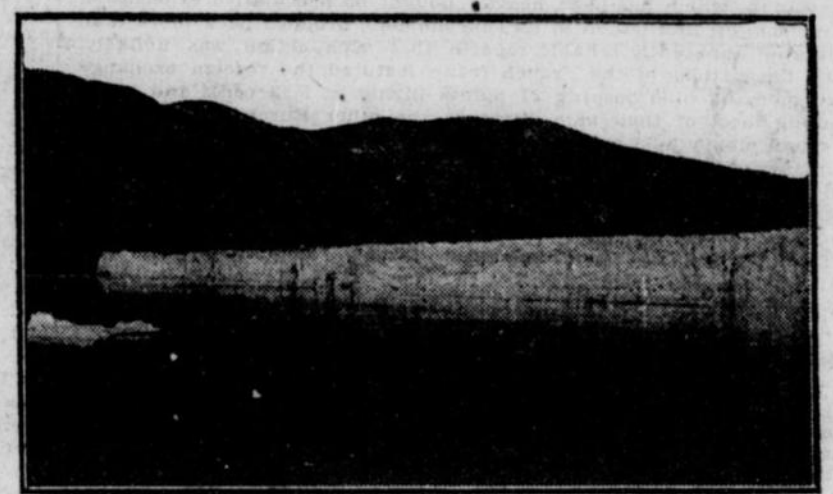
Bedel, the winner of the 31st national cross-country championship of France, which was held recently at Maisons-Lafitte, is shown following the race apparently at ease after his long run.



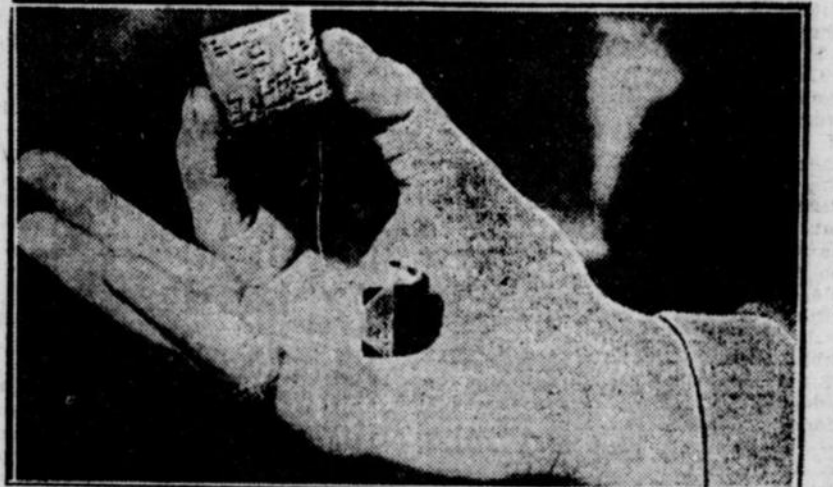
Enid Bennett, popular movie star, is appearing as the heroine in a coming production—a dramatic story of a woman who did not know who her husband really was.



This work, entitled "Teapot Dome", was entered in an art exhibition in New York by Josh Nolan, a milk wagon driver, who deposited his "sculptoon" and left without the formality of an address.



Photograph shows a near view of the Davidson glacier on the British Columbia coast, which is moving into the sea, urged forward by a continually forming body of ice behind.



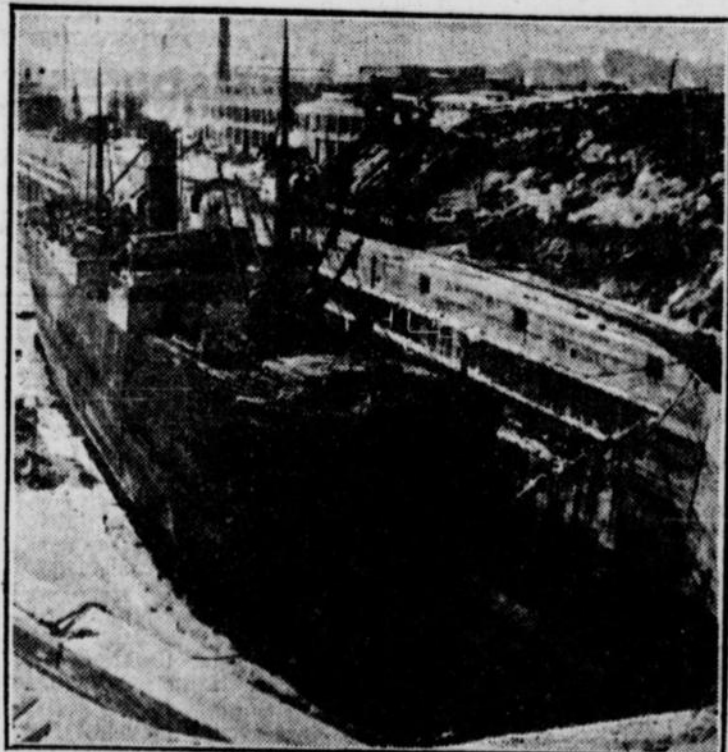
Two relics are shown found in the ruins of the city of Umma, central Babylonia. One is a tiny book, one-half by three-quarters of an inch. The other is an invoice for three lambs.



Felix Doubleday, of the well-known publishing firm of Doubleday-Page, "Michael Strange", well-known writer, known privately as Mrs. John Barrymore and Lady Irene Curzon, were snapped at Cannes, France, recently.



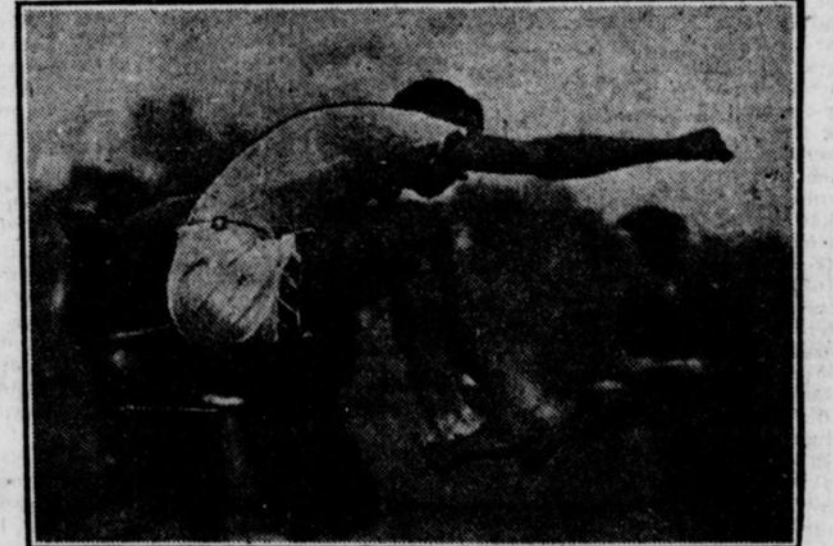
Charley Paddock, called the "human flash", is shown doing his stuff on a cinder track at San Francisco. He has been reinstated by the A.A.U. and so made eligible for a place on the American Olympic team.



St. John, New Brunswick, has the largest drydock in the world. Photograph shows three boats in it at one time and still plenty of room to spare.



An opossum at bay and the hound heralding the cornering of the animal signalizes the arrival of the best season of the year, spring.



This remarkable action photograph shows V. B. Powell winning the long jump at 21 feet 6 inches at the Cambridge University athletic sports recently.



William Callahan, fifteen-year-old high school youth of Waltham, Mass., recently won the "world's championship" for typewriting in the novice class. His average is 94 words per minute without error.



From the expression on their faces there is no doubt that the boys are trying their hardest. Photograph shows the Cambridge crew at Henley, prior to going to Putney for their final training for the boat race.



President Coolidge is shown reading the first name in the draw for the Davis Cup international tennis competition, among a group of officials and foreign diplomats. The famous cup is shown in the centre.

FRANCS STILL OUTSTANDING FEATURE OF MARKETS

IRREGULAR PRICE MOVEMENTS CHARACTERIZED YESTERDAY'S SESSION ON WALL STREET

Selling Pressure Against The Motor Shares And A Few Speculative Industrials Was Counteracted By Strength Of Railroad Shares—Oil Shares Were In Brisk Demand In The Early Session But Lost Ground Later—French Frapes At 5.63 On Demand Bills

New York, March 24.—Irregular price movement characterized today's relatively quiet session of the stock exchange. Renewal of selling pressure against the motor shares and a few speculative industrials was counteracted by the strength of some of the railroad shares and high priced merchandising issues.

Publication of the annual report of the United States Steel Corporation brought fresh buying into the common stock, which crossed par and then fell back to 93 1/2, a net gain of 1-4 on the day. This report showed the Corporation to be in the strongest position in its history. Independent Steel shares improved in sympathy but they, too, were unable to maintain their early gains. Selling of the motor shares was predicted on additional reports of unfavorable conditions in the automobile industry. Studebaker was hammered down to 91 7/8, another new 1924 low, but rallied slightly later on the official denial of reports that the corporation intended going on a four day week basis.

Oil shares were in brisk demand in the early trading on reports of further improvement in the crude and refined oil situation but they reacted somewhat later on the announcement that criminal proceedings would be instituted against certain principals in the naval oil lease cases.

Heavy selling of American Can just before the close was based on alleged inside information that no extra dividend would be authorized at to-morrow's meeting of the Board of Directors.

In the railroad group, new top prices for the year were established by Illinois Central Common and preferred and Frisco preferred. Lackawanna, which has been heavily bought on speculative expectation of some sort of distribution to its shareholders, dropped back more than 2 points on apparently reliable reports that such action was unlikely. Erratic fluctuations of the French franc featured the foreign exchange market demand bills opening 27 points higher at 5.63 cents and then cancelling most of their gain. Most of the other European rates held firm. Call money held steady at 3 percent. Loans up to 90 days in the time money market were 1-4 bid, 1-2 asked, with borrowers indisposed to pay the higher figure of the shorter maturities. Commercial paper showed a slightly firmer tone, the bulk of the business being done at 3-4 percent against 1-2 last week.

Total stock sales \$65,000 shares. Twenty Industrials averaged 96.25; net loss .13. High 1924, 101.24; low 88.85. Twenty railroads averaged 84.85; net gain .03. High 1924, 85.90; low 82.74.

(By BARRY & McMANAMY.)

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amn Car & Fdy.	160	160	160	160
Amn Loco.	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Atchafalpa R.R.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	121 1/2	121 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
C P R.	144 1/2	144 1/2	144 1/2	144 1/2
Cheapeake & Ohio	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Erie Railroad	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Great Northern pfd.	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
High Valley	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2	70 1/2
Missouri Pacific	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Missouri Pacific pfd.	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Norfolk & Western	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
Norfolk Pacific	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
New Haven	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
N Y Central.	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Pennsylvania R.R.	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Reading	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Rock Island.	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Southern Pacific	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Southern Railway	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
St. Paul.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
St. Paul pfd.	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
St. Paul & Pacific	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2	129 1/2
Union Pacific	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Crucible Steel.	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Gulf States Steel.	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2
Republic Steel.	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
U S Steel Corp.	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Vanadium	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Anacosta Copper	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Butte & Superior	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Great Northern Ore	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Inspiration Copper	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Kennecott	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Nickel	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Utah Copper	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Amn Borch Magn.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Allis-Chalmers.	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Chandler	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Goodrich Rubber	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
General Motors.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Keystone Tire.	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Kelly-Springfield.	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Maxwell Truck.	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Maxwell.	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Studebaker.	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2
Stromberg Carburator.	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Timken Roller	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Westinghouse	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
White-Overland	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
White Motor	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
California Petroleum	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Cosden Oil.	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
General Asphalt.	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Marland Oil.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Pan-American Oil.	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Pacific Oil.	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Packard & Refiners.	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Phillips Petroleum	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Royal Dutch	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Sinclair Oil	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Texas Co.	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2

Cotton Market.	Gov't. Bond Yields
New York, March 24.—Cotton futures closed weak. January 24.00; 05c; March 27.05c; May 27.25c; July 26.70c; Sept. 26.25c; December 24.80c. Spot closed quiet. Middlings upland 27.55c. Liverpool, cotton, spot good business. Prices easier. American middling 17.72c. Good middling 17.72c. Fair middling 17.72c. Middling 16.82c. Low middling 15.97c. Good ordinary 14.97c. Ordinary 14.74c. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales included 5,400 American. Receipts were none bales including none American and closed easy.	Information supplied by L. G. Beaubien & Co. 1924 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1925 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1926 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1927 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1928 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1929 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1930 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1931 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1932 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1933 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1934 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1935 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1936 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1937 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1938 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1939 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37% 1940 5 1/2% 100.00 4.37%

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Daily Gossip On Leading Stocks

"Foreign merchandise exported from the United States in 1923 exceeded that of 1922 by more than \$10,000,000 and was double that of the year in which the Panama Canal was opened and the World War began," says the National City Bank of New York in their "Trade Record."

"In fact, our exportation of foreign merchandise in the 10 years preceding 1914, which was marked by the double stimulus to the re-export trade, the opening of the Panama Canal and the beginning of the World War."

The French Chamber of Deputies adopted a bill already ratified by the Senate, providing for the creation of Chambers of Agriculture throughout the whole of France.

These Chambers of Agriculture, which are intended to render the same services to the Agricultural Community that the Chambers of Commerce render to business, will be founded in the chief cities of all the French Departments. The Bankers Trust Company of New York is advised by its French Information Service that, according to the legislation just passed, these Chambers of Agriculture will be empowered to create or subsidize any establishments or institutions considered of agricultural utility, and furthermore, it is expected, that they will co-operate in certain instances with the Chambers of Commerce, whenever questions arise that may be of interest to both the commercial and agricultural communities. A general meeting of all the Chambers of Agriculture from the different departments of France will be held twice a year, in May and December.

"The lumber market continues unsettled and weak, and the large operations are considering further curtailment of production. On the other hand an improvement has been taken place in the last fortnight in the shingle market which has been depressed for the past three or four months," says a Seattle despatch to the Information Department of The Canadian Bank of Commerce.

"Although the Bond Market has been comparatively quiet during the last three or four weeks, it has been very firm and prices have remained unchanged excepting for fractional gains in the cases of certain of the Listed Victory and War Loan issues. Demand has not been very heavy but there have been few new issues since the Dominion Guaranteed Loan last January and therefore the public has had every opportunity to digest to \$50,000,000 issue referred to. It seems that by the time new issues are offered in any quantity, previous issues should be well digested and the market should be found in a more or less receptive mood. Considering the large amount of financing that has taken place during the last five or six months, the present firmness in the face of a diminished demand is very gratifying because it indicates that the issues of last fall were well placed and have not to any extent reappeared upon the market," says Wood Gundy & Co.

"It is also gratifying to know that the level of prices is higher now than before these issues were launched. The 1914 issue which were brought out at 93 1/4 to new buyers and 98 to those who converted maturing bonds, are now strong at a price of about par to investors."

"On the whole, the investment situation seems to be satisfactory. The demand for bonds has been quite sufficient to take care of the existing supply. Saving Deposits are continuing to increase; and from these indications there is no reason to doubt that the present situation stands upon a solid foundation."

Owing to the absence of orders from the Canadian National Railways, The Blue Diamond Coal Mines of Brule, Alberta, have been closed. Gordon F. Dickson, manager, is now visiting in the East. The Blue Diamond Mine, as well as an option on the Canadian Coalfields at Hay River, Alberta, are owned jointly by the McIntyre-Forcupine and The Temiskaming Mining Company.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the English Electric Company of Canada, Limited, will be held some time in May on the return of the president and the chairman of the board, who are in England on important business for the company.

TRADING WAS ON NARROW RANGE AND SOFTER TONE ON MONTREAL STOCK MART

Smelters Led In Activity But Was Down A Fraction—Shawinigan Came Second With A Small Gain—Detroit Railway As Third Advanced 2 Points—St. Lawrence Flour Was The Weak Spot On List With A Net Decline Of 3/2 Points—Winnipeg Railway Touched A New Low Level

Montreal, March 24.—Trading in listed shares on the local stock market was quiet, was carried on in a narrow range of issues and was marked by a generally softer tone. Of the forty three issues that came out, eight gained ground, eleven suffered losses, five were unchanged and nineteen came out in odd lots only. Smelters led in activity and was down quarter at 37 1/2. Shawinigan came second and gained half point at 131 1/2. Detroit Railway was third and advanced 2 points to 57, being the largest gain recorded in the list.

St. Lawrence Flour was the weak spot of the day closing at 68 for a net decline of 3 1/2 points. Winnipeg Railway was the only stock to touch a new low level, selling down to 25 7/8 and closing at 26 for a net decline of half point.

Other price changes included:—Canada Cement, up 1 1/2; Canada Steamships preferred up 5/8; Cuban Canadian Sugar preferred, off 1/4; Illinois traction, off 1 1/2; Montreal Power, off 1/4; Spanish Common, off 1/4, and the preferred off 1/4.

Total sales listed 6,435 shares.

Stocks.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Asbestos Comp.	30	30	30	30
Asbestos Comp pfd.	60	60	60	60
Bromington Pulp.	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Bell Telephone	130 1/2	130 1/2	130 1/2	130 1/2
Brasilia Traction	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
British Empire Steel	4	4	4	4
British Empire Steel, 1st pfd.	53	53	53	53
British Empire, 2nd pfd.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Bell Telephone Rights	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Can Car & Fdy pfd.	96	96	96	96
Can Cement	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Can Cement pfd.	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Can Industrial Alcohol	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Can Cottons pfd.	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Cons Smelting	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Can SS Lines	46	46	46	46
Can SS Lines pfd.	12	12	12	12
Cuban pfd.	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Dom Cement	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Detroit United	56	56	56	56
Dom Glass	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Dom Textile	61	61	61	61
Howard Smith	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Illinois Traction	78	78	78	78
Laurentide Pulp	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Montreal Tramway Debs.	80	80	79 1/2	80
Peter Laval	17	17	17	17
Montreal Telegraph	49	49	49	49
Montreal Power	156	156	155 1/2	155 1/2
National Breweries	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Ogilvie Flour	310	310	310	310
Price Brothers	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Quebec Power	65	65	65	65
Quebec Railway Bonds	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Southern Canada Power	54	54	54	54
Shawinigan Power	131 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2
Spanish River	109	109	108 1/2	108 1/2
Spanish River pfd.	117	117	116 1/2	116 1/2
Steel Co of Canada	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
St Lawrence Flour	68	68	67 1/2	67 1/2
Twin City	63	63	63 1/2	63 1/2
Winnipeg Railway	26	26	25 7/8	25 7/8
Winnipeg Railway pfd.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2

BANKS:				
Nova Scotia	256 1/2	256 1/2	256	256
GOVERNMENT BONDS:				
VICTORY BONDS—(Free from Usual Income Tax):				
1937 5 1/2 p.c. due 1st Dec.	107.05	107.05	107.05	107.05
1933 5 1/2 p.c. due 1st Nov.	105.00	105.00	105.00	105.00
VICTORY BONDS—(Subject to Income Tax):				
1934 5 1/2 p.c. due 1st Nov.	103.00	103.00	103.00	103.00
Cedar Bonds	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Wayagamack Bonds.	79	79	79	79

THE ONTARIO	THE CHICAGO
MINING MARKET	Produce Market
(Closing Quotations on Montreal Mining Exchange)	Chicago, March 24.—Close:—
(By E. L. Hardy & Co.)	Wheat, May 1.02 7-8; July 1.04 1-2; Sept. 1.05 1-4.
Stock.	Corn, May 77 1-2c; July 78 7-8c; Sept. 79 1-8c.
Atlas	Oats, May 47c; July 45c; Sept. 44 1-2c.
Argonaut	Lard, May 11.00; July 11.25.
Baldwin	Ribs, May 9.57; July 9.92.
Beaver Cons.	Bellies, May 10.40; July 10.75.
Buckwood	
Buckingham	
Canadian Truway	
Clifton	
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Dome Mines	
Dome Dale	
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FRENCH BONDS	SUGAR MARKET
Information supplied by E. L. Hardy & Co.	New York, March 23.—An easier feeling developed in local raw sugar market today. Local refiners brought a small quantity of Cuban at \$6.65, a decline of 1-8 cent.
Soissons	Raw sugar futures were weak and closed at the lowest or 21 to 23 points below the final of last week.
Dept. of the	The decline was due to general liquidation, prompted by the issuance of March notices and more favorable labor news from Cuba. May closed \$5.02; July \$5.08; September \$5.03; December \$4.55.
Selle	Demand for refined sugar showed no improvement. Prices were unchanged at \$8.60 for fine granulated. Refined futures were nominal.
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Medium	
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the fashion show at Holt, Renfrew
& Co., Ltd. It is for the Quebec
women the index to the colors,
styles and fabrics that must be
included in their wardrobe. If they
would be numbered among the well
dressed. A tour of inspection of
this shop during the days of the
opening, will richly reward the
shopper. A bit of news was gleaned
and it should be passed on: It is
too good to keep, for it will mean
greater buying power—prices are
down.

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dress. This spring the boyish suit
is the rage—and nothing so chic
has been seen in years. They are
an adoption of the Patou suit, and
are unique in their tuxedo lapels,
suggesting a gentleman's dinner
jacket. With saucy little pocket
for watch fob or gardenia, they
are the only expression of the tail-
leur which the small or young
woman can wear. The materials
are invariably worsteds, tweeds, or
hairline stripe serges. The tailleur
still holds its own, and in navy blue
pique twill, with exceedingly long
coat, reaching well past the knees,
one suit was very attractive. Three
piece suits are being shown by this
firm, and for fussier occasions,
would be most suitable and becoming.
One lovely model in fine
point twill, had a long straight
line coat, made long—the man-
darin style, with straight up collar,
faced in sand colored crepe, the
coat also being lined with colored
silk crepe, and gold and Roman
braided trimming. The one-piece
gown had a matching silk crepe top
embroidered to match the atchery
embroidery on the coat. No lady's
costume is complete without the
inevitable separate coat and Holt,
Renfrew's is featuring some dis-
tinctive ones. A particularly stun-
ning model was of toast or cocoa
colored charmeuse, with standup
Chinese collar and lined through-
out in silk jacquard crepe. There
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Alluring Frocks.
Of gowns there is apparently no
limit. Graceful, colorful and de-
cidedly artistic in design, they are
made for every occasion, and every
figure. Again the straight lines
and long waists are much in evi-
dence, a clever model, in the fash-
ionable black and white, has a very
finely pleated apron of flat crepe,
and a panel down the front of
white finely pleated georgette. The
sleeves are slit and strips of white
finely pleated georgette let in. The
finishing touch is the inevitable
gardenia.

There are also a number of
sports dresses in the new light
weight flannels, in many shades of
fawn, blues or red. Breck is a very
popular shade, and gold braid,
tiny buttons, and suede belts give
a military effect to many of the
frocks. Cost dresses are still very
popular, as are also the separate
skirt and sweaters.

Summer evening dresses in pale
shades are very lovely. One lovely
little model in lavender Elizabeth
crepe, was made with tiers of
flounces, and had a dash of deeper
lavender in very stiff, French rib-
bon.

A joyful piece of news is, that
permanently pleated summer skirts,
in crepe de chene and other crepes,
may be obtained here, and are
made with bodice tops, or without,
as preferred.

Knitted Goods.
The knitted suit or dress is still
very popular and suitable for al-
most any occasion. The dresses
are in all the new shades of honey,
jade, brick, almond green, gray,
etc. Sweaters, sleeveless or with
sleeves, are particularly fascinat-
ing.

Blouses.
Blouses blossom out in crepes,
plain or brocaded. Overblouses
it may be stated with authority are
better style just now than the jac-
quets. Collars are seen on some,
while others display the plain neck-
line, and short and long sleeves are
correct. Sandal wood, greens, of
numerous shades, cocoas and reds,
are among the hues most promi-
nent in the realm of blouses, as else-
where in dress this spring, the
colors are very bright. Manish
blouses in English, broadcloth or
heavy Japanese silk, are selling
very fast, naturally, as of course
these are absolutely necessary for
the tailored suits. Jabots of Irish
lacy are seen on some of the lin-
gerie blouses and will be popular
this season.

Furs.
To give a finishing touch to a
smart suit, a fur of plat num, beige,
cinnamon, or taupe, fox, would be
absolutely the thing. One, two and
three piece Hudson Bay sable or
stone marten, are also very popu-
lar, and squirrel still holds its own
among the fashionable spring furs.

Accessories Important.
At the hosiery section there are
stockings to match every costume.
They are to be had in banana (a
modest name for flesh) and rose
belle shades now so much wanted.
Many smart woolen stockings in
plaid and checks are sure to be
very popular for sports wear.

Every gown must have its gloves,
and here again Holt, Renfrew's has
anticipated the wants of its cus-
tomers and has a lovely and large
selection of wrist, elbow and
shoulder length gloves.

The lingerie department is well
stocked this season. A popular
line is that of French voile, with
French flowers as trimming. One
adorable set was of peach colored
voile bound in orchid, with flowers
of orchid. This consisted of shimy,
step-in, nightie and comb nation.
There is also a large line of crepe
de chene and radium silk sets.

This design, while simple in the
extreme achieves at the same time a
great deal of style and youthful
jaunty. The pattern No. 1420 is
cut in sizes 16 years, 36, 38, 40 and
42 inches bust measure. In the
medium size, 3 yards of 36-inch
material with 1 1/2 yards of lace
ruffling and 3 yards of ribbon is
required. Price 15c, in one or two
cent stamps or coin (coin preferred).
A printed silk with tiny ruffles of
lace to trim around the neck and
sleeve edges would be pretty. Serge,
jersey or silk alpaca might be used
also. For warmer weather wear, a
cotton fabric is suggested.

JUST IN
Spring Fashion Magazine.

From the front cover of our
Spring Fashion Magazine right
on through the book, you will
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mal occasions, and cute styles
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Angus Graham of Rimouski,
spent the week-end in Quebec.

Mr. Guy Merritt is in town from
Toronto, a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. Frank Clarke, who spent the
week-end in town, has left for New
York.

Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Rivard have
left for Ottawa, where they will
spend a few days.

Hon. Judge E. J. Flynn, returned
on Saturday from Montreal, where
he spent last week.

Mr. W. J. Weir, of Toronto, is in
Quebec for a few days, registered
at the Chateau Frontenac.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Danlaud, of
Montreal, are in town for a few days,
staying at the Chateau Frontenac.

Miss Gertrude Nimmo of Mont-
real, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Syd-
ney Lamplough, at Portneuf, Que.

Hon. Judge and Mrs. Alphonse
Bernier, returned on Saturday from
Montreal, where they had been for
a week.

Hon. Judge C. E. Dorion and Hon.
Judge Adolphe Rivard, are expected
to return to town this week from
Montreal.

Miss Marie Green of this city, was
a recent visitor to Three Rivers,
where she was the guest of Mrs. C.
S. Smith.

Dr. Grace F. Boelke, of Sydney,
Australia, arrived in Quebec on Sun-
day, and is registered at the Chateau
Frontenac.

Mr. and Mrs. William Whithead
of Three Rivers, are spending a
couple of weeks at Southern Pines,
South Carolina.

Mrs. Wilbert N. Nelson Smith,
Notre Dame de Grace, who spent a
short time in this city, returned
home on Sunday.

Mrs. Portier, of Ottawa, enter-
tained at a delightful mah-jong
party recently in honour of Madame
E. B. Garneau, of this city.

Mrs. H. B. Cressman, who has been
visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H.
Churchill in La Tuque, has returned
to her home in Three Rivers.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Ritchie of
Three Rivers, returned recently from
a two months trip to France, Italy,
Belgium and the British Isles.

Miss Lorna MacDougall, of Mont-
real, is expected in town, tomor-
row, and will be the guest of Mrs.
Price, Grande Allée Apartments.

Dr. J. H. Grisdale, returned on
Saturday to Ottawa, after having
spent a few days in Quebec, regis-
tered at the Chateau Frontenac.

Her Excellency the Lady Byng of
Vimy, accompanied by Miss Wal-
pole, will sail for England at the
end of the month on board the Mont-
clare.

Mrs. C. B. Edsall and Miss Nancy
Edsall, of Montreal, are expected
home in April from Bermuda where
they have already been spending
over a month.

Miss Audrey McLeod of St. John,
N.B., who was a recent visitor to
this city, is sailing in April with her
aunt, Mrs. Busby, to spend the sum-
mer in England.

Miss Annette Macdonald, of this
city, who spent ten days in Mont-
real, left on Sunday for Ottawa,
where she will be the guests of Mrs.
E. H. Saint-Denis.

Madame Costa, of Montreal, who
has been spending a short time at
Spencer Wood, the guest of Mrs.
Frank McKenna, returned to the
Metropolis, on Sunday.

Mrs. P. J. Paradis, left on Satur-
day for Montreal, where she will
spend a few days, with her daugh-
ter, Mrs. Russell Hannon. Miss
Marcelle Paradis also left for Mon-
treal on Saturday.

General Sir Arthur Currie and
Lady Currie of Montreal, had the
honour of luncheon at Government
House on Saturday with their Ex-
cellencies, the Governor-General and
the Lady Byng of Vimy.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hannon, of
Montreal, are receiving the congrat-
ulations of their many friends, upon
the birth of a son, on Sunday,
March 22nd. Mrs. Hannon, formerly,
Miss Margaret Paradis, of this
city.

The many friends of Mr. Thos. A.

are used, their place being taken
by copper plates set into the top
and base of the cabinet. This obvi-
ates the frame loop common to
most sets not having out-door
aerials.

The set embodies two stages of
radio frequency amplification be-
fore the detector tube, and three
stages of audio amplification.

The British Broadcasting Com-
pany is planning an attempt during
the spring to radio the song of the
nightingale in its native haunts. A
microphone and small transmitting
set will be located in a grove fre-
quented by the feathered songsters,
and the bird notes amplified and
re-broadcast by the London sta-
tion.

**Bridemaids' Frocks to Strike New
Note.**
London, March 24.—Harlequin
bridemaids' frocks will be a sensa-
tional fashion note at this season's
spring weddings.

A "bride" appeared lately in the
traditional white satin. Her two
bridemaids were an absolute con-
trast to each other—one with raven
black, one wearing a filmy frock of
pale blue georgette, the other a
frock of coral pink silk embroidered
with diamante. Each frock was
designed in a totally different
style.

**SCHOOL CHILDREN TAKE
READILY TO SWIMMING**
Stockholm, March 24.—The na-
tion-wide drive in Sweden, which
aims to make every school child a
good swimmer, has scored notable
results in the city of Stockholm, ac-
cording to official reports.

Systematic competitions have
been held jointly by state, municipal,
and private schools, and the re-
sults show that in some institu-
tions 86 per cent of the pupils can
swim more than 300 feet under test
conditions. In the high schools the
average is 35 per cent for the 100
meter distance, while in the grade
schools 22 per cent of the children
can swim at least 25 feet. Nearly
5,000 pupils passed the rigid tests.

RADIO FOR ALL SHIPS
Peking, Mar. 24.—The ministry of
communications has issued an order
requiring all vessels plying Chinese
waters, if of 500 tons or over, to be
equipped with radio. The order ap-
plies to foreign and Chinese vessels
alike. It is estimated that about
300 ships will be affected.

O'Neill, who has undergone two
serious operations at the Royal Vic-
toria Hospital, Montreal, during the
past month, will be pleased to learn
that he is now convalescent and ex-
pects to return home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hildell, Sher-
brooke Street West, Montreal, who
left for Europe early in January,
spending the greater part of the
time in the South of France, are
going to England on March 24, and
are sailing for Canada about the end
of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin C. Stead and
family, Comte street, Montreal,
are sailing from New York on April
15, by the Canadian for England.
Mrs. Stead and family will remain
abroad for a year. Miss Mary Arden
Stead who has been studying French
at Tours, France, since January, will
join her parents in England.

Miss Juliette Taschereau enter-
tained informally at the tea hour
yesterday afternoon, at the residence
of her parents, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. L.
Alexandre Taschereau, Grande Allée,
for Miss Simone Parent, of Ottawa,
who is the guest of Madame Georges
Parent, Grande Allée. Mrs. Court-
land Pages did the tea table honors.

Lady Thornton has consented to
act as honorary president of the
Mount Royal Women's Community
Club and with Sir Henry Thornton,
will attend the performance of
"Eliza Comes to Stay," which will be
presented by the Dramatic Commit-
tee of the Club on Thursday evening
next at a quarter past eight o'clock
in the Country Club house.

Madame Simeon Grondin, who
has been living in Paris for the
past few months, left on Saturday,
a passenger on board of the
"Paris," enroute for Canada. Mrs.
Grondin is coming to spend the
summer months in Quebec, and
take up her apartments at the Cha-
teau Frontenac. Dr. Grondin will
also sail for Canada, at the begin-
ning of June.

Miss Marguerite de Vere was the
raison d'être for a very delightful
"tea cup shower," given on Satur-
day afternoon by Mrs. J. N. White,
at the residence of her mother, Mrs. J.
Weir, the Elizabeth Apartments.
The guests included Mrs. J. N.
White, Mrs. Leon H. D. Van Borren,
Mrs. John Weir, Mrs. Charles A.
Jordan, Mrs. L. D. Hudson, Mrs. W.
McKenna, Misses Alice Conway,
Mary Conway, Vera Henchey, Violet
Lynch, Belle McClary, Isabelle
Doyle, Mary Byrne and Tilly de
Vere.

Several of the London brides have
adopted the shawl fashion. Miss
Viola Meeking, whose marriage to
Lord Aspley, D.S.O., M.C., M.P.,
eldest son of the Earl and Countess
Bathurst, brought a big gathering of
well-known people to St. Paul's
Knightsbridge, on the last Wednes-
day in February, was wrapped in a
beautifully embroidered white shawl
when she drove up to the church
with her stepfather, Mr. Herbert
Johnson. She paid no attention to
bridal superstitions as the whole of
her dress of white crepe monst was
unobscured with seed pearls in a
sweepte design. Viscount Gage
was best man, and the band of the
Royal Gloucestershire Hussars
Yeomanry, Lord Aspley's regiment,
played. The band was also present
at Bathurst House, Belgrave Square,
where the reception was held.

Miss Margaret Cecil, who was to
have returned to England on April
2, has postponed her return until
May. Miss Cecil is remaining for
the wedding of her cousin, the Hon.
John Francis Ashurst Cecil, First
Secretary of the British Embassy at
Washington, to Miss Cornelia Van-
derbilt, which is taking place on
April 29, at the residence of the
bride's mother, Mrs. Edith Stuyve-
nant Dresser Vanderbilt, at "Mill-
more," the Vanderbilt estate in
North Carolina, which is one of the
finest in the United States. It will
be a large and fashionable event.

Lord William Cecil, Gentleman
Usher to the King, will be present at
the wedding of his son, Miss Cecil
will return to England with her
uncle, Lord William Cecil, early in
May. He is at present in Washington,
and will return to Montreal on
March 29, to again visit Lady
Drammond for a short time.

WOMEN'S MEETINGS
TODAY.

Notice of Women's Meetings may
be sent to the Chronicle, care of
the Social Editor.

I. O. D. E. Millinery Class —
Y.W.C.A., Ann St., 10 a.m.

St. Matthew's Church Parish
Helpers—Parish Hall, 3.00 p.m.

Trinity Church Ladies' Aid —
Parish Hall, St. Stanislas street,
2.30 p.m.

Chalmers' Church Senior Mission
Band—Church Parlor, Ursule St.,
3.00 p.m.

Ladies' Aid of Methodist Church
—Meeting in Church Parlor at 3.30
p.m.

**SIX LOSE LIVES IN
ODD ACCIDENT.**
Tientsin, March 24.—Four men
were roasted alive in a blazing
coach of a moving train on the
Tientsin-Tientsin railway recently.
Two others to escape being burned
leaped from the train and were
killed.

The train was running at high
speed when a carelessly dropped
lighted match in a third-class coach
ignited a can of alcohol. The acci-
dent happened at midnight and the
resultant explosion covered sleeping
passengers with the burning liquid.
A stampede to adjoining cars en-
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Spring Wash Fabrics

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