

The Petition for a Royal Commission to Enquire Into Civic Misgovernment Was Presented This Morning.

amounting to nearly \$70,000, were given without the authority of any committee of Council. Indeed in some cases the

ing was the statement read by the treasurer, Mr. John Ogilvy in which he pronounced the church free of all debt.

WATSON'S NAME WAS USED.

first witness called by the Crown.
John James Goodwin, of Arnprior,
16-year-old son of Mrs. Goodwin,
was examined before. He knew that

Four Quebeckers Fight Forest Fires

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Out in a few Weeks.

THE CASE OF MR. H. COSTIGA

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der for Mrs. Castor's husband, w
charged with committing the deed.

N A TWO MONTHS' SIEGE ENDED

RANSOM—Aaron F. Ransom, on May 1899.

Decide to Wear White Helmets and

A GODFATHER'S MISTAKE.

Because He Forgot the Name of the
Child's Mother Lawsuit Ensues.

Dionne can now testify. In October his wife made him a happy father of

of pocket several dollars.



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Mrs. Horn-The was

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from Virden, and not deposited at proper time. This is to anticipate a

5th inst., when I was taken to the hospital. In the meantime I quite overlooked the entry. However, when in hospital I thought of it, and as I expected to return to duty from day to day, intended attending to it. I was only discharged from the hospital on Saturday, 12th inst., and returning to

you as a duty I owe to show how
a delay occurred, and I regret very

In the case of Lewis vs. Allison, entered in the Supreme Court yesterday, appellants, plaintiffs, are trustees under settlement of Charles Moore, deceased, and property for the benefit of Moore's daughter.

warehouses is built, on Wellington st. Toronto. The trustees conveyed one warehouses, and the land on which it s

French-Canadian Killed.
Keen, N.H., May 31.—Mrs. Louise
tor, a French-Canadian, was shot and
ed this forenoon at the residence of
William Van Ness. The police are
s in the woods in the vicinity of the

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Kanloops, 66 above to 33 above.
Calgary, 46 above to 34 above.
Qu'Appelle, 62 above to 42 above.
Winnipeg, 72 above to 50 above.
Port Arthur, 78 above to 46 above.
PARRY SOUND, 66 above to 46 above.
Toronto, 78 above to 52 above.
Ottawa, 68 above to 54 above.
Quebec, 66 above to 56 above.

Temperature to-day, maximum 76, minimum 56.

Births.
KAVANAGH—At 223 St. George st., on 25th, the wife of T. Kavanagh, of a daughter.
GOLDSTEIN—At 82 St. Matthew st., Maidenhead, the wife of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, of a daughter.

LAWRENCE—At 15 Laval ave., May 25, died D. Lawrence of a son.

Deaths.

CORISTINE—On May 29th, at her son's
dence, 277 Papineau road, Emma
chand, wife of the late James Cori
in her 54th year.

LAVALLEE—In this city, on the 29th
at the age of 10 years and 4 mo
of age, a child of the late J. J. Lavallee, who was
born in this city on the 19th of May, 1894.

Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances requested to attend without further notice.

PAYNTER—At 278 Charron st., on the inst., infant daughter of F. W. Paynter, aged 7 months.

RANSOM—Aaron F. Ransom, on May 1899.

DECORATING THE GRAVES

Of Departed Comrades Who Belonged to Grand Army of the Republic.

Mr. St. Pierre's Oration—"Do Not Forget That We Also Are Living in a Free Country."

The Decoration Day ceremonies which began yesterday with service in the Hall of Hancock Post, No. 105 Grand Army of the Republic, 15 Bleury street, were continued in the afternoon at Mount Royal and Côte-des-Neiges cemeteries, where the veterans of Hancock Post, and its auxiliary, the Woman's Relief Corps, adorned with flowers in a simple but impressive manner the graves of their departed comrades. The whole of the members of the order assisted in commemorating the services and sacrifices which are left green in the public memory by these celebrations. Garlands and wreaths of flowers and flags of the Republic were the decorations placed over the graves of the departed. The principal ceremony was held over the grave of Comrade William H. Boyd, where, under the shade of a splendid lime tree, and surrounded by a wilderness of blossoms, Past Commander Murray, assisted by Chaplain Young, exemplified the Grand Army ceremony. Following the salute to the dead, during which the old soldiers stood uncovered, flowers contributed by Lady Van Horne, Mrs. J. H. R. Molson, Mrs. Thornton, Mrs. W. S. Norris, Messrs. Wilshire, Campbell, Bennett, Martin, Girdwood, Harris, Cunningham, and others, were laid on the grave of Comrade Boyd. The specially invited guests were: Mr. Thomas Hutton Farmer, Verger; Messrs. F. M. Doyon, H. H. Mitchell and William Dunne, of New York City. Mr. Henri C. St. Pierre, Q.C., who was admitted to membership in the ranks of the Grand Army five weeks ago, delivered the oration of the day. It was the second time in recent years that Mr. St. Pierre had performed the function, and his eloquent sentences were listened to with much interest. His subject was to decorate their tombs with flowers and to remind their old friends whose spirit was still hovering over those graves, that they had not been forgotten. There by the side of those tombs they spoke together of days gone by. They talked of their battles, of their sufferings and of their devotion to their flag and to their country.

The American Republic was the first one among all the republics known to the world which was founded upon the principle that "every man is free," and that "the source of all power and all sovereignty lies in the people and in the people only." Athens and Rome were both centers of might and power in the olden times, but in neither of them was there a form of government such as is enjoyed by the American people.

"Such comrades, has been the work of the Grand Army of the Republic. It has perpetuated and spread throughout the country the same spirit of patriotism and self-sacrifice which had distinguished them during the war. It has maintained its military character, and through an organization similar to their own, among the rising generation, and more particularly among children of veterans, they have aroused and kept the same spirit with which they themselves are animated.

"We fought for liberty and for humanity. We fought also for the preservation of that sacred compact by which the founders of the Republic had pledged themselves to the maintenance of a government of the people, by the people and for the people, and by which they had dedicated the fate of their country to the proposition that 'every man was free.' Have we faithfully accomplished our task? History, which has recorded our labor and the grateful thanks of the nation and of the whole world, have given to this question an answer far more forcible and in language far more eloquent than I have at my command.

"While performing," said Mr. St. Pierre at the close of his oration, "this sacred duty towards our dead companions, and while thus speaking of what we have done in our younger days in the American Republic, let us not forget that we also are living in a free country; that our first and dearest desires are for our own country, and that what we did elsewhere years ago for the defence of liberty and right we would be ready to do again for the defence of our own flag and the protection of our own country."

Major Marchand's Reception. Toulon, May 30.—Major Marchand arrived here this afternoon on board the French cruiser D'Assas. The hero of Fashoda was greeted with immense enthusiasm. The ship having him on board.

IT MERITS ATTENTION.

A NEW PREPARATION WHICH CURES DYSPEPSIA AND STOMACH TROUBLE.

Remarkable Curative Properties.

A new remedy, which may revolutionize the treatment of stomach troubles, has recently been placed before the public, and bears the endorsement of many leading physicians and scientific men.

The remedy is not a wonderful secret discovery, nor a patent medicine, neither is it claimed to cure anything except indigestion and stomach troubles, with which nine-tenths of our nation are afflicted. The remedy is in the form of pleasant-tasting tablets or lozenges containing vegetable and fruit essences, pure ascorbic acid (free from animal impurities) bismuth and Golden Seal; they are sold by druggists generally under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Many interesting experiments made with these tablets show that they possess remarkable digestive power, one grain of the active principle being sufficient to thoroughly digest 3,000 times its own weight of lean meat, eggs, oatmeal or similar whole-some foods; these tablets do not act on the bowels like after-dinner pills, nor in fact do they act upon any particular organ, but the manner in which they cure all forms of indigestion is this: They act entirely upon the food eaten, digesting it completely, nourishing every fibre of tissue and nerve in the body; they simply perform the work of digestion, thus giving the weak stomach rest and assistance sufficient to enable it to recover its normal strength. This is the reason why so many pretended cures have signally failed; they do not furnish the digestive power which is the one thing above all others that the stomach of the dyspeptic lacks, and unless that lack is supplied, it is waste of time to attempt to restore the feeble stomach by means of "tonics," "stomach bitters" and "bills" no permanent good can result from their use.

If the stomach can be rested and assisted, if the cure of the indigestion is soon recovered, this is the secret and the whole secret of the remarkable success of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, a remedy practically unknown a year ago and now the most popular, widely used dyspepsia remedy, everywhere a success secured almost entirely on its merits, as it has never been extensively advertised.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are now sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cts. per package; if he hasn't them in stock he will order them for you from his wholesale house. They are made by the E. A. Stuart Co., chemists, Marshall, Mich., who will be pleased to send information and testimonials from every state in the union.

HERALD WANT ADVERTISEMENTS

Situations WANTED FREE. Other notices SIX insertions for the PRICE OF FOUR.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED—A good lithograph steam press printer; steady employment to the right man; also lithograph press feeder. Apply The Canada Eng. and Lith. Co., Ltd., 9 Bleury st.

WANTED—Good general servant, for June 1st; no washing; references required. Apply 300 St. Louis, Murray ave. First and West of Metcalfe ave., above the Cote St. Antoine road, Westmount.

WANTED—For the 1st June, a good plain cook, to go to the country for the summer months. Apply to Mrs. R. Fisher, 1018 Sherbrooke st.

WANTED—Boy for delivery of papers, for one hour in morning and two hours in afternoon; wages \$2.00 per week. Apply evenings, between 7 and 8, at 38 Plymouth Grove, off Canning st.

WANTED—Smart boy, apply at once, to Montreal Stencil Works, 221 McGill st.

WANTED—25 first class masons to work on new Drill Hall, Kingston. Good wages. Apply at Drill Hall, Kingston.

BOY WANTED—To assist in stable and make himself useful about house; references required. Apply 230 Drummond st. between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

WANTED—A good steady boy, to work about shop and make himself generally useful; a good home for the right boy. Apply to 131 Wellington st.

WANTED—A general servant, where another girl is kept, no washing or ironing; willing to go to the country; references required. Apply 4202 Dorchester st.

WANTED—A man to take care of two trotters; must be sober and thoroughly understand his business. Apply to J. H. Lane, Phoenix Hotel, Richmond, Que.

WANTED—Competent general servant for family of two; no washing or ironing; must understand his business and references; good wages will be paid to suitable person. Apply from 9 to 12 a.m., or after 7 p.m., to 81 Mansfield st.

WANTED—Immediately, good general servant for small family. Apply 763 Palace st.

PERSONALS.

PERSONAL—PARTIES GOING TO THE Old Country would do well to engage berths from City Ticket Office, Canadian Pacific Railway, 129 St. James Street. W. F. Egan, Agent.

CORNS REMOVED WITHOUT PAIN OR DRAWING BLOOD. 25c each. Several weeks ago I was afflicted with corns on both feet. I was cured by the use of Dr. J. H. Lane's Corn Remover. It is a most effective and reliable remedy. I have since used it on several other persons and with the same success.

PERSONAL—WILLIAMS, MRS. WM. CHARLES. Belden, please send her address to Groves' Secret Service, Room 462, 464 and 466 Temple Bldg., John A. Groves, Manager.

WHEN ANSWERING ADVERTISEMENTS PLEASE MENTION THE HERALD.

was escorted into the harbor by a large number of steamers. At the landing Major Marchand was received by the Mayor of Toulon and several generals of the French army, who welcomed him with speeches of laudation.

IRON STILL BOOMS.

Indications of an extraordinary demand for all Furnaces and Mill Products.

The reiterated expression of opinion of the highest and most conservative authorities on steel and iron all over the States is that there will be an extraordinary demand for all iron and mill products. Pig bars, sheets, merchant pipe, billets and plates, all have been fractionally marked up, and the mills are so far overworked that newcomers are unable to get a hearing as to when their urgent necessities can be met. Steel is scarce, and all finishing mills have more business offered than they can or will handle. It is clear that the demand for iron and steel is not a passing fancy, but a permanent one. The western bar-iron combination will mark prices up this week. Structural mills have immense requirements under consideration, which means that they cannot accept the business offered, and bridge builders say they simply must have material. Shaves will be advanced in a few days. Skelp is also going up. Machinery steel was marked up only a week ago, and the urgent demands since they show that consumers will stand another notch; a large business is being done in steel rails, mostly on small orders, but big orders are likely to be placed in June, largely on account of western and southwestern roads. Urgent enquiries for steel rails are coming from Asiatic and Australian markets, and a marking up of prices to record with raw material is daily expected.

Why Not Try.

It doesn't cost anything to try. We sell goods cheaper than others, and still you may be the twentieth buyer, therefore getting your purchase free. Marchand's Popular Store, 1871 Notre Dame.

HER MAJESTY'S EYESIGHT

The Operation Will Be Performed Probably After the Parliamentary Session.

London, May 30.—Truth, in its issue today, says that Queen Victoria has decided to undergo an operation for cataract when Prof. Hermann Pagenstecher, director of the Ophthalmic Hospital at Wiesbaden, thinks the proper time has arrived. The operation will be performed, according to Truth, either at Osborne or Balmoral, probably after the parliamentary session.

It Still Exists. We are still continuing the twentieth sale system, which means giving away the amount of the sale falling the twentieth. Marchand, The Regular Store, 1871 Notre Dame.

The Varney Testimonial. The testimonial to Edwin W. Varney, Jr., which takes place in the Queen's Theatre to-night, will, from all accounts, be a most brilliant affair. Under Mr. Varney's direction, "The Sculptor's Dream," with a cast professional (with two exceptions) is complete in every detail.

You Will Surely Find. In the use of "Morin's Wine Cresson's" the cure of young Bronchitis, Grippe, Cold, Cough, etc. You will also find it a powerful and generous tonic, infusing into your system fresh life, strength and vigor.

Try it at once. Our Address. Marchand's, The Popular Store, is at 1871 Notre Dame street, near McGill.

FOR SALE OR TO LET

Advertisements under this head to per word.

GASPE—HOUSE FOR SALE. FURNISHED houses to let. Apply J. Blouin, Gaspé.

COMFORTABLE RESIDENTIAL FLAT. Lighted on three sides, 6 rooms, bath and w.c., newly decorated. Rent, \$9.50. 187 Roy st., near St. Denis.

TO LET—AT CHAMBLAY BASIN, FOR the summer months, furnished house (6 rooms), beautifully situated on the basin; possession immediately; water in the house. Address G. Chamblay Basin.

EDUCATIONAL. ADDRESS: BELLEVILLE BUSINESS COLLEGE, Belleville, Ont.—Commercial, shorthand and Typewriting Departments. Also full Civil Service Course, English and French Options. Bogie & Jeffers, Proprietors.

BOARD AND LODGING

BOARD—PLEASANT COUNTRY LOCALITY, river within ten minutes' walk. Apply M. B. Box 47, Stanbridge, P.Q.

ROOMS—Furnished front parlor, bedroom, ground floor, also nice bright front double room, bath flat, for June 1st. 87 University street.

ROOMS—Single and double, for gentlemen only; steam heat, gas, water, telephone; no children, 25 University street.

LOST.

LOST—MONDAY EVENING LAST, ON the Windsor Express, a pocket diary, containing money and car tickets. Finder will be liberally rewarded at 85 St. Urbain st.

LOST—ON QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY, ON Notre Dame st., or Park ave., a roll of Dominion Bank bills, Owner would readily and prove property. Liberal reward offered. Apply to R. R. Solmes, Bank of Commerce, city.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LEND in first mortgage, agents wanted. Apply to O. Lege, Sun Life Assurance Co., 176 Notre Dame Street.

Marriage Licenses Issued. MONEY TO LEND

JOHN M. M. DUFF, Accountant and Commissioner. 107 St. James Street and 345 Prince Arthur Street.

MONEY LOANED SALARIED PEOPLE holding permanent positions, with responsible concerns, upon their own names, without security, easy payment. Tolman, 302 New York Life Building.

MISCELLANEOUS

Advertisements under this head to per word.

HIGH CLASS FURNITURE, MANTELS, Chabannes, etc., in Antique, Louis XV., Rococo, Sheraton and Chippendale styles, made to order; also hair mattresses made over, furniture repaired, polished and upholstered, in first-class style; window draperies and portieres made and remodeled. Designs and prices submitted on application. Call or ring us up. 175 St. Antoine st., Phone, Main, 284.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO CHILDREN TO mind at her own home; references. St. George st.

WANTED—Three or four invalid ladies to go to a country home, where they will receive all comforts and massage treatment at a reasonable price. Please call or address for particulars at 635 Dorchester st., before Wednesday.

FOR SALE—HOTELS, SALOONS, GROCERIES, Dry Goods, Cigars, Confectioneries, Boarding Houses, and all other kinds of businesses. Also houses, stores, rooms and tenements, furnished or unfurnished, to let in different parts of the city. Apply to L. Harris, Real Estate Agent (established 32 years), 42 St. James Street, Evening Office, 374 Sherbrooke st., corner St. Denis st.

FOR SALE

Advertisements under this head to per word.

FOR SALE—ONE WIRE WEAVING Machine. Apply 774 Palace st.

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND MONARCH bicycle (gentleman's), in perfect order; cheap. Apply 110 Mansfield st.

FOR SALE—SINGLE SEATED BUGGY, made by E. N. Harvey Co., latest style of business rig, run but very little; taken for debt; will be sold very cheap. Can be seen at 240 St. Catherine st.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND LADIES' 26-inch "Red Bird" Bicycle; good tires, etc. Cash price, only \$5.00. Carl Griggs, Sutton, Que.

FOR SALE—FAMOUS BED-BUG, ROACH, rat and mice killer, in tins, 25c, 50c and \$1. Money returned if it does not clear your house. 71 Main Street. Wholesale and retail.

FOR SALE—SAFES AND VAULT DOORS, fire and burglar-proof, new and second-hand. Safes removed and repaired. A. Albert, Montreal Safe Works, 363 St. James st. Tel. Main 815.

BUSINESS CHANCES

Advertisements under this head to per word.

FOR SALE—DENTIST'S COMPLETE OUTFIT, with lease of rooms, at 152 Peel st.; Gloucester, good location. W. B. Gowan, Dentist.

ACCOUNTS, NOTES, CLAIMS OF ALL sorts, etc., bought. Will pay cash. Apply from 8 to 9 p.m. Collection Agency, 2443 St. Catherine st.

ROOMS TO LET.

TO RENT—CHEAP, LARGE UNFURNISHED ROOM, first floor, 42 Laurier st.

FURNISHED ROOM, FOR MARRIED couple or gentlemen, with or without board. 635 Dorchester st.

PERFECTION IN HEATING. "HAMILTON" RADIATORS

MANUFACTURED BY GURNEY TILDEN CO.

For Hot Water or Steam

Have been installed in many of the LARGEST BUILDINGS in Canada, and are giving ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

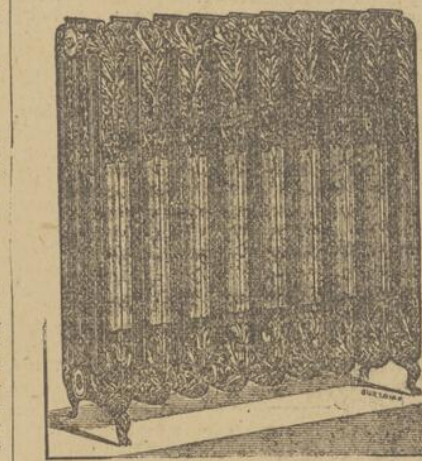
"Hamilton" Radiators are unexcelled in Quality, Durability and Efficiency, are made with Iron-to-Iron Joints. No packing of any kind is used. THEY NEVER LEAK.

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H. R. IVES & CO.

Queen Street, MONTREAL.

We will be pleased to quote prices and supply new 1899 Catalogues on application



FOUR-LOOPHOT WATER.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Births. HUTTON—On May 27th, the wife of S. J. Hutton, of a daughter.

ABBOTT—At Lennoxville, May 28th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Abbott.

SUTHERLAND—At 347 Brook st., Kingston, May 28th, the wife of James T. Sutherland, of a daughter.

Ogilvie—On May 27th, at 4 Second ave., Ottawa, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew B. Ogilvie. Both well.

PARKER—At 379 Somerset st., Ottawa, May 28, the wife of J. E. Parker, of a son.

GALE—On May 27th, at 405 Gladstone ave., Ottawa, the wife of J. W. Gale, of a son.

McCURDY—At Spring road, Lennoxville, on May 28, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Archie McCurdy.

Marriages.

WALKER-DUNSE—At Ottawa, by Rev. J. M. Snowden, B. Sherwood Walker, to Miss Emily L. Dunse.

BEGG-BWENS—On May 24th, at Gerard Street Methodist Church, Toronto, by the Rev. A. B. Chambers, D.D., Gordon James Beggs, to Laura Kathleen Bwens, both of Toronto.

HOPE-WELCH—On May 23rd, at the residence of the bride's parents, Franklin P.Q., by the Rev. Wm. Wells, Mr. Geo. J. Hope, of Holton, to Miss Emma Welch, eldest daughter of Mr. George Welch.

Deaths.

FLANDERS—At Waterville, after a long and painful illness, Sarah Jane Rooney, wife of George S. Flanders, aged 59 years and 11 months.

BILLING—At Quebec, Wallace Harold, infant son of Henry H. and Alice Billing, aged 1 year and 6 days.

COLEMAN—At Quebec, on the 28th inst., Michael Coleman, aged 75 years, a native of Kilbarr, Waterford, Ireland, and for many years a resident of this city. He was the father of M. W. Coleman, grocer.

WADDINGTON—At his residence, Williams-ville, May 28th, William Waddington, aged 61 years.

ELLIOTT—On May 28th, at 129 John st., Toronto, John Charles Ligat, infant son of Dr. and Mrs. George Elliott, aged 6 months and 2 days.

BURKART—At his late residence, in Detroit, Mich., May 27th, Anselm Burkart, in his 74th year. Father of Mr. A. O. Burkart, of 657 Ontario st., Toronto.

JAKWAY—Mrs. Jakeway, wife of Dr. Chas. E. Jakeway, author of "The Lion and the Lilies," and mother of Mr. Harry W. Jakeway, editor of the Stayer Star, died at

the family residence, Stayner, aged 50 years.

MAGEE—On the 27th inst., at 131 Dunn ave., Toronto, Sarah Jane Cordella, widow of the late Robert Magee, in her 61st year.

SHAW—Suddenly, at his residence, 166 Jameson ave., Toronto, Samuel Shaw, in his 70th year.

GAMBLE—At his residence, on the 28th inst., David Gamble, Esq., of Gloucester, Ont., in the 65th year of his age.

McISAAC—On May 28th, at 108 1/2 First ave., Ottawa, Donald McIsaac, in the 77th year of his age.

STEPHENSON—At Chatham, Ont., on the 23rd inst., in her 65th year, Georgina, beloved wife of Rufus Stephenson, collector of customs.

SHERBROOKE REJOICES

—at having delicious charlotte gelatine.

SOUTHPORT ELECTION

Mr. Balfour's Nephew is Defeated by a Large Majority—A Liberal is Elected.

London, May 30.—A parliamentary bye-election was held to-day in the Southport division of southwest Lancashire to fill the vacancy caused by the death on May 7th last of Captain Sir Herbert Naylor-Leland, who had represented the constituency in the Liberal interest since August last. The result was a victory for the Liberal candidate, Sir George Augustus Pilkington, who defeated his Unionist opponent, Mr. C. B. Balfour, by 533 votes. The voting was as follows: Sir George Pilkington, Liberal, 5,635; C. B. Balfour, Unionist, 5,052. Liberal majority, 583.

PARSONS—Mr. C. B. Balfour is a nephew of the Right Hon. Arthur James Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, and Government leader in the House of Commons.

Electric Line Accident.

Chicago, May 30.—Forty people were injured this afternoon in a rear end collision between a Harlem race track special and a 48th street train on the Lake street elevated road. It is not believed that any of the injured will die, the most serious injuries reported being broken limbs. The motorman on the Harlem special lost control of his train as he was nearing the Oakley avenue station, and the motor car, with its two trailers, crashed into the rear end of the 48th street train which had stopped at the station platform.

COLONIAL HOUSE PHILLIPS SQUARE.

PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS accurately dispensed at the MEDICAL HALL.

Drugs Pure. Delivery Prompt. Prices Moderate. —KENNETH CAMPBELL & CO.

Men's, Boys' and Youths' Furnishings.

A handsome range of Boys' Negligee Shirts in silk and wool, ranging from 12 to 14, price 85c.

Boys' Negligee Shirts in fancy striped Ceylons, with or without collar, sizes 12 to 14, price \$1.00.

The above goods are exceptionally good value, having been purchased below regular cost.

Silk Department

Just received special job line.

Striped Taffeta Silks at a great reduction.

Striped Taffeta, regular value \$1.00. Special price to sell them quickly 70c per yard.

Special Taffeta, regular value \$1.25. Special value, to sell them quickly 85c per yard.

Striped Taffeta, regular value \$1.50. Special price to sell them quickly, \$1.00 per yd.

BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS and PUBLICATIONS complete assortment of these reliable patterns always on hand.

HIGH-CLASS TAILORING. CHARGES MODERATE.

Shoe Department.

Several cases of Tan Shoes to hand.

Misses' and Children's Tan Boots, buttoned or laced, light or heavy soles.

Ladies' Tan Shoes, round and common-sense toe, light or heavy soles.

Ladies' Tan Boots, button or laced, Good-year welt, medium and round toe, light and heavy soles.

Ladies' Footless Leggings

In Black, Oxford Gray, Drab and Black and Blue mixed.

Regular price 65 and 75c a pair. To be sold at 33c a pair.

These goods are of soft elastic Ribbed Wools, and suitable for bicycling.

Children's White Gauze Cotton Vests, assorted sizes, at 50 per cent off.

DRESSMAKING.—This important department is now fully equipped for the season.

For FIT, WORKMANSHIP and STYLE, charges moderate.

Hosiery Department.

Special reductions.

Boys' Bicycle Hose at Half Price.

Sizes 7, 7 1-2, 8, 8 1-2, 9. Prices 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c and 65c per pair. Reduced to 23c, 25c, 28c, 30c, 33c.

Boys' Bicycle Hose,

Sizes 7, 7 1-2, 8, 8 1-2 and 9 in. Prices 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c per pair. Reduced to 28c, 30c, 33c, 35c, 38c.

Ladies' Silk Waists.

Extreme Novelties in High-Class Goods

Special attention is directed to a recent purchase of Ladies' Silk Waists. These, while they will not suit every one, should be seen by all. Also a complete assortment of Ladies' Striped Cambric Waists, Ladies' Fancy Gingham Waists, Ladies' White Muslin Waists, Ladies' White Pique Waists.

SEWING MACHINE DEPARTMENT. A large stock. Full range of prices. \$12.50 to \$35.00. GOOD VALUE.

OPTICAL DEPARTMENT. Sight scientifically tested free of charge. The most approved aids for hearing. Artificial eyes matched and inserted.

Just Received.

Ladies white and colored Piques, Duck, Crash and Linen Skirts in the latest styles and designs. Ladies'

MONTREAL MEN BUY A MINE.

It is Understood That Local People
Have Got The Black Tail
Republic Camp.

IRON MASK—CENTRE STAR

What is Going on in the Active Ros-
land Camp Just at
Present.

A GOLDEN STAR DIVIDEND.

It is understood that another big mining deal, in which prominent local capitalists are largely interested, has been practically put through. The deal involves the control of the Black Tail mine, which is claimed to be one of the richest mines in the Republic camp, and it is understood that the capitalists have secured control by the purchase of 100,000 shares of the stock, and have also secured a sixty-day option upon 100,000 more. The development of the mine until recently was of an unsatisfactory character. Recently, however, additional development work has been accomplished, and the mine is reported to have the finest surface showing in the Republic camp. Should the mine, as reported, pass under Canadian control, a vigorous system of development will be commenced in order to prove conclusively the value of the mine before the expiration of the option.

The Golden Star dividend of 1 cent a share has been declared.

A Strike.

News has been received here of a rich strike made on the Dardanelles.

The Copper King.

W. A. Magor, of Montreal, has bonded the Copper King in the Lardene district for the sum of \$50,000. The property will be worked this summer. The average of assays on the claim range from 25 to 30 per cent. copper.

Queen Bess.

British enquiries, says the Standard Review, for shares in the Queen Bess Property Company are becoming more frequent, due to satisfactory reports to the mine and to the prospect of a dividend in the near future. There is little doubt but that the Queen Bess will become one of the big properties of the camp.

Van Horne Property.

It is said that a deal is almost consummated by which the big Van Horne property, south of the mine, will fall into the hands of a strong syndicate, who will work it immediately.—Wabigoon Star.

Refused \$85,000.

The Wabigoon Star thinks that the Munro-Watson stamp mill will commence dropping next week. Mr. Munro refused an offer recently of \$85,000 for his mine.

Silver-Led Mines.

British Columbia journals affect to believe that the environment of the eight-hour labor law will prove a serious matter to the silver-lead mines in the Sloan, and may lead to many of them suspending operations for a time. The miners are not disposed to accept the law, and the silver companies say they cannot afford to pay the old ten-hour day rate of \$3.50. Where the matter stands for the present.

News From Rossland.

The following information is gleaned from the mining review of the week in the Rossland Miner of 21st inst.: The ore shipments from Rossland for the week ending May 20th amounted to 4,078 tons. The accident at the War Eagle, which resulted in the death of four miners, interfered with the mining business of the camp. The shipment of the Le Roi mine reduced its shipments below what had been expected. There is a considerable amount of ore in the Centre Star mine ready for shipment, but the Iron Mask will be a small shipper for the next few weeks, until the new machinery is installed, when it will become one of the big mines of the camp.

The only new feature contemplated on the Le Roi is the improvement of a new and more powerful compressor plant, which will be operated in addition to the one on the Black Bear ground now in use. The manager of the Iron Mask has been authorized to make a small shipper for the next few weeks, until the new machinery is installed, when it will become one of the big mines of the camp.

On the Velvet cross-cutting is in progress on the 100 and 250-foot levels for the purpose of tapping the main lode. There is now only 150 feet to run. Work on the Magnet, Sunset, No. 2, Evening Star, and Minnie No. 2 is progressing favorably.

A promising strike has been made on the Black Iron, which is on the north side of the Dewdney trail on the Sleep creek, and only a short distance from the Valley road group. In the shaft at a small depth from the surface a vein of six feet of gold-copper ore has been uncovered. The ore assays about \$20 to the ton. There is about five per cent. of copper in it. The work of pumping the water out of the White Bear is in progress. The intention then is to explore for mineral at Deer Park.

Iron Mask Manager's Report.

Those holding stock in the Iron Mask mine will probably be interested in the following circular. It was issued at Spokane on May 15 by Mr. J. F. Herrick, manager of the mine, and it was addressed to the trustees of the mine. It reads:

"During the past year the mine has proven of value beyond expectation. A careful estimate taken by two engineers of the value of the total amount of ore exposed in the mine above the 350-foot level is over \$50,000, less than \$10,000 of which is in the ground in dispute with the Centre Star Mining Company.

"In regard to the litigation with the Centre Star Mining Company, I have to state, although we do not deem it necessary to have the case postponed on account of the Centre Star Company changing their original contention to another requiring more development work on our part to disprove their new theories, it has been the Iron Mask Company in possession of all the ore bodies it has developed. In the first place, by the admission of the Centre Star people in court that the ore bodies in dispute west of No. 4 trail was Iron Mask ore, in Iron Mask vein, that had its apex in Iron Mask ground. They admit a trespass and confess judgment to the taking wrongfully of several thousand dollars' worth of Iron Mask ground. In the second

place, previous to the trial they claimed that their so-called Centre Star vein entered Iron Mask ground and joined the Iron Mask vein, claiming that the ore from intersection down would be theirs. This contention they have now abandoned, but claim that their so-called vein crosses through the Iron Mask vein and enters the unexplored portion of the Iron Mask, leaving the Iron Mask vein intact with all the ore in it. The point at issue now in litigation is that the Centre Star people have a right to follow their so-called vein in Iron Mask ground through breaks and faults that make its identity uncertain. The unanimous opinion of the directors is that this promiscuous prospecting for ore by the Centre Star people in Iron Mask ground should be resisted with all the resources of the mine."

The Randolph.

A telegram received in this city today from Rat Portage states that the newly discovered vein on the Randolph, which adjoins the Golden Star, has widened from fifteen inches on the surface to three feet at a depth of eleven feet. The property was supposed to have only the Golden Star and Randolph veins, but since starting development work three additional ones have been uncovered.

NO LONGER HOSTILE TO CANADA.

London, May 31.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier's statement denying the latest Washington story on the subject of the Anglo-American negotiations, which has been telegraphed here by Reuter's Agency, has taken the edge off the American anti-Canadian press campaign. The newspapers, which were yesterday inclined to be hostile to Canada, are to-day, in consequence, assuming an apologetic tone.

TO GET CORRECT BEARINGS

An Important Invention in Which
Cornwall is Interested.

Boston Visitors in Town—A Lunatic
Escapes—Court of Revision is
in Session.

Cornwall, Ont., May 30.—(Special).—Col. Abbott and Mr. Ayres, of Boston, who are visiting friends in Cornwall and Millie Roches, are interested in the Arboreal Indicator Company, of which they are trying to organize a branch in Canada. Capt. H. P. Arboreal, a retired sea captain, has invented an instrument to ascertain the absolute and correct bearing from the ship's compass. This instrument is called the Arboreal indicator, and is claimed to be superior to the telescope or any other similar instrument. The principal feature claimed in its favor is that the correct bearings can be exactly ascertained by the ship master, when anywhere near land. According to Col. Abbott it will eliminate all danger of accidents resulting from improper and erroneous bearings, which have so often happened. He says that if this instrument had been used it would have done away with most of the accidents that happened in large steamers in the St. Lawrence and elsewhere. The model which Col. Abbott has with him is simplicity itself, and the indicator can be attached to any binocular. He intends bringing the matter before the ship owners of Montreal at a very early date.

Rev. H. McKellar, of Martintown, occupied the pulpit in Knox church on Sunday morning and evening, when he preached very instructive sermons. Mr. Hastie, of Cornwall, occupied Mr. McKellar's pulpit in Martintown.

The interior of St. John's church will be thoroughly overhauled and renovated this summer.

Rev. Father Campbell, of Dickinson's Landing, was in town yesterday.

A. McEwan, of Lunenburg, was in town today.

J. C. McMartin, of Martintown, was in town yesterday.

Rev. P. F. Langill, of Martintown, was in town yesterday.

F. D. McNaughton, of South Finch, was in town yesterday.

Chief of Police Cameron has received a letter from the trustees of the St. Lawrence Insane Asylum, at Odontsburg, N. Y., asking him to keep a lookout for an escaped lunatic named George Durin, 25 years of age, weighing 135 pounds, and standing 5 feet 8 inches high. He is on neither hat nor coat at the time of his escape, and is suffering from a delusion that trees are growing out of the top of his head.

The Cornwall Football Club held a very successful smoker last night. There were several excellent songs, and some very interesting little bouts on the programme.

The contract for ten blocks of roadway according to the plans of specification of Road Inspector A. W. Campbell, has been awarded to W. H. Hendershot, of Thorold, Ont.

The Court of Revision of the town of Cornwall sat to-day and disposed of several appeals. One of these was the appeal of the Bell Telephone Company to have their assessment reduced from \$5,000 to \$450. The court made a reduction to \$1,600, and the company intend to appeal for a further reduction. Another case was that of Relyea, whose assessment had been raised from \$1,200 to \$7,200. The court reduced his assessment to \$3,500. The G. N. W.'s assessment was reduced from \$300 to \$200. The Court of Revision was composed as follows: Reeve Campbell, chairman; Councillors Atchison, Gillie and Deputy Reeve Derochie.

A grand picnic and day of sports will be held at Rebec, on the banks of the river, on Wednesday, June 28, for the benefit of the new church, Our Lady of Grace. Dinner will be served on the grounds by the ladies of the congregation, and it is expected a large number will take place between the Aberdeens of Cornwall and the Stars of Alexandria. An effort will be made to arrange for a football match between Cornwall Football Club and Ironquits, of Finch. There will be excursion rates over the G.T.R. from Bainsville and Morrisburg, and all intermediate points, and probably over the N.Y. & O. from Crysler.

Manhood.

With child faith dead, and youth dreams to the Court, and the blinding sun Upon life's dusty road, our course half run, No more we stray through woods where birds hold tryst, Nor over mountains which the dawn hath blest, In glare and heat the race must now be run. On this blank plain, while round us, one by one, Our friends drop out and urge us to desert, Then from the barren sky urge us a voice, "Pain not, strong souls, quit you like men, rejoice, Now, like men, ye bear the stress and strain, With eyes unbound seeing life's naked truth, And your joys, press on with might and main, And taste a richer wine than that of youth."

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BLOODLESS BATTLE OF ACTONVALE

A Midnight Scare and Journey of
Judge, Solicitor and Detectives,
Anticipated Strikers' Riot

"EVEN TO BLOODSHED"

But No Blood Was Spilt and Every
body Returned to Montreal
Without Doing Anything.

WHAT CHAIRMAN POLE SAYS.

Chief Detective Carpenter, Judge Choquet, Mr. Beckett, the solicitor of the Grand Trunk, and a dozen or so of special constables and detectives, had an interesting midnight journey to Acton Vale the night before last. They were "fully prepared to meet with any emergency," even to the spilling of blood. They returned apparently having had time for mature reflection over the matter, convinced that the spilling of blood was a profitless and useless occupation in which it was better not to engage. It is on record that Judge Choquet was awakened out of bed and accompanied the police to Acton Vale, so that they might be prepared for any eventuality, and, if necessary, the quick reading of the Riot Act, in which event a death-dealing volley would have awakened the stillness of the sleeping village.

It was about 12.30 a.m. on Tuesday morning that Chief Carpenter was awakened by the ringing of his private telephone, and he dressed hastily and went down to his office. His presence and that of the judge and the company's solicitor was required at Acton Vale, where it was said a gang of trackmen were in possession of a quarter of a mile. The trackmen refused to leave it. He hastily organized a party of a dozen "resolute" men, and travelled by special train from Bonaventure station to Acton Vale, which was reached about 4 a.m.

The trouble arose out of the trackmen's strike in this way. On Monday Superintendent Herbert, a siding where the active McCaskill for a half a dozen men, who were at once despatched to Acton Vale. The special reason of this was that Foreman James King and a gang of men who had been laying a siding when the strike began, quit work with the rest, but they still continued to live in the boarding car. Some Italians had arrived to take the place of the strikers, and one thing and another enraged King and his men to the fighting point. They obstinately refused to obey commands or threats, and they were well armed, the outcome looked serious.

At this point, Detective McCaskill's men were asked if they could eject King. They replied they would try, and one of them, P. H. Williams, boldly approached the car and began to mount the ladder. One of the gang was standing on the top of the car, and threatening to pounce on the head of anyone who interfered. Williams kept on climbing, saying something to the effect that murder would be avenged anyway, and perhaps he might be able to use his own weapon first. But Superintendent Herbert called the man back, saying it was useless to spill blood. Everybody present felt relieved, as both sides were in an angry mood, and a collision was imminent, and especially so as the citizens were in active sympathy with the trackmen.

Superintendent Herbert then returned to Montreal, and secured the judge, the solicitor, the chief detective and his men, who made their memorable journey under the circumstances already outlined, but when the reinforcements arrived at Acton Vale everything was quiet. The car was vacated, and calmer counsel had prevailed.

A search was, however, made, and two of the men were arrested and taken to St. Hyacinthe.

The detectives returned to the city at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, little the worse for their bloodless battle.

Mr. Pole, the chairman of the Brotherhood of Trackmen, says the executive are of opinion that Foreman King and his men had a perfect right to hold the car. He said: "The foreman usually occupies the boarding car from April 1 to November 1, and it is in every way his home. King had charge of an extra gang, picked up in Montreal, but these men never had, nor have they any connection with the Brotherhood. King's home is at Lindsay, but when not at work in the gravel pits near there, he is out on the line with his gang." "I do not know that the company notified King to quit the car previous to the proposed eviction, but I am of the opinion he would have gone quietly had a reasonable notice been given by either Mr. McGuigan or Mr. Herbert. As for myself, I would have left the car immediately after the strike was declared in force, and I have no objection to my not having issued any notice ordering the men to leave the company's houses, but there is no telling when it will come."

THE ENGLISH DERBY.

It Was Won This Morning by
Flying Fox.

Tod Sloan on Holocauste Was Not in
the Race at All—A Brilliant
Assemblage.

London, May 31.—Glorious weather prevailed at Epsom yesterday, bright sunshine and a cloudless sky enlivened the spirit of those who journeyed to the Downs in order to be present at the race for the classic Derby stakes. The usual scenes were witnessed along the roads leading to Epsom this morning, and the familiar crowds assembled on the Downs.

The Prince of Wales and a party, including the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, the Duke and Duchess of York, the Duke of Cambridge, Prince Francis of Teck, Prince Christian, the Duke and Duchess of Portland, the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, the Grand Duke of Hesse, the Right Hon. Henry Chaplin, President of the Local Government Board, the Earl of Coventry, the Duke of Westminster, the Marquis of Londonderry, Lord Lurgan and the Earl of Derby, left Victoria station on a special train for Epsom.

Mr. Joseph H. Choate, the United States ambassador, drove to the Downs as the guest of the Lord Chief Justice, Baron Russell of Killowen, from Tadworth Court. Mr. Jos. H. Choate, Jr., formed one of Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan's coaching party.

Major-General Samuel S. Sumner, the new military attaché of the United States Embassy, was also present.

Sloan's riding of the French horse Holocauste greatly increased interest in the Derby, which had previously been regarded as an absolute certainty for Flying

Fox. The latter was exercised on the Downs at a walking pace this morning. Holocauste was out early. There were no signs of his suggested lameness. The colt went six furlongs steadily.

London, May 31.—Before the racing started Holocauste receded in the betting from 4 to 1 until 7 to 1 against was vainly shouted. In the meanwhile 3 to 1 was laid on Flying Fox, whose owner was a noticeable figure in the paddock, with his racing colors at his belt-hole.

London, May 31.—The Derby, otherwise the two hundred and nineteenth renewal of the Derby stakes, was run to-day at Epsom, and was won by Flying Fox. The conditions of the race are as follows:—

The Derby Stakes of 6,000 sovereigns, by subscription of 50 sovereigns each, half subscription, or 3 sovereigns only, if declared by the first Tuesday in January, 1888; for three-year-olds; the nominator of the winner to receive 500 sovereigns, the owner of the second 300 sovereigns, and the owner of the third 200 sovereigns out of the stakes; about one mile and a half; 275 subscribers.

London, May 31.—Damocles was second, Innocence third, twelve horses ran. Flying Fox won by two lengths. The time was 2:42.45.

Holocauste, who entered the straight in second place, thereupon his felloak point, and was subsequently shot.

Tod Sloan was uninjured and walked back to the weighing room, escorted by a policeman.

My Boy was fourth. Heeding was 5 to 2 on Flying Fox, ridden by Cannon; 15 to 1 against Damocles, and 50 to 1 against Innocence.

HARBOR COMMISSIONERS

A Fountain Wanted at Windmill Point—
Mr. Tarte Writes a Letter—Other
Matters.

The weekly meeting of the Harbor Board was held yesterday afternoon. Present: Mr. Tarte, chairman. All the members were present with the exception of Mr. Torrance.

The minutes of the former meeting having been read and adopted, new business was taken up. A letter signed by a number of large shipping companies and many individuals was read asking that a fountain be placed on Windmill Point, below the bridges. The letter seems to be a repetition of an old request of some two years standing. At present wharf laborers and others, if desirous of getting fresh water are obliged to travel a quarter of a mile. The Harbor engineer stated that a 4 inch pipe could be laid to the spot at a cost of \$1,200. However, as there was no fire protection in the vicinity he thought it likely the city would join them in laying an 8-inch pipe, the cost of which would be about \$1,800.

The Mayor was in favor of asking the city to share in the cost but could not say what would be done. He was pretty certain, however, that the city would be willing to supply the piping, and free water.

A letter from Carriere, Laine and Co., was also read, in which they accounted for the delay in delivering the new harbor tug. They had had considerable trouble in procuring the necessary machinery, and complained that they had not been officially informed of the \$20 a day penalty which was being levied on them. They promised to have the boat completed within six weeks.

A request of the Gas Co. to lay pipes on the wharf to the sheds of Messrs. Furness Withy and Co., was granted; the conditions to be those of the contract made last June.

A communication from the Hon. Mr. Tarte was read in which he stated that he was still giving the harbor and channel improvements his close attention, and in connection a resolution from the Montreal Car Exchange was laid before the board. It asked that the building of elevators be carried out as soon as possible, and that they be built in connection with the deepening of the canals which would be able to cope with the increased traffic that the deepening of the canals will bring. Letters were also read from Mr. Rendon confirming his offer to do the work, and from Mr. G. T. R. asking for an extension of certain wharf tracks at Windmill Point.

Superintendent Bouville wrote, stating that he had received a telegram from Messrs. Allan to the effect that they would not employ him further until after the decision had been rendered in the arbitration case.

Useless to expect to be again employed by them, he asked the commissioners to grant him the pension allowed a retired pilot, and promised to send in his certificate as soon as he knew their ruling.

DUSTY STREETS AFTER SEP. 1

City Surveyor St. George Says Funds
Will Be Exhausted Then

And Citizens Will Have to Put up With
the Nuisance, as the Mayor Can't
Help Them This Time

City Surveyor St. George says that the Roads Department's appropriation for street watering and for the cleaning of the city will be exhausted about September 1 unless the staff is reduced, which he says, it is impossible to do. This means that the street watering service will be discontinued this year one week earlier than last year.

The appropriation for the cleaning of the asphalt pavements has been divided so as to assure a service, throughout the season. But after September 1 the citizens will be compelled to put up with the dust just as they did last fall, with this difference, that the Mayor cannot order the work continued on his own responsibility, as he did last year.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

Arrivals and Departures of Ocean
Liners at Montreal and Other
Ports—Vessel Report

New York Sailing Dates

Phoenicia, for Hamburg, May 30.
Tatiana, for Bremen, May 30.
New York, for Southampton, May 31.
Majestic, for Liverpool, May 31.
Steinberg, for Havre, May 31.
F. der Grosse, for Bremen, June 1.
Fuerst Bismarck, for Hamburg, June 1.
Alma, for London, June 2.
Gaston, for Havre, June 2.
Kaiser Wilhelm II, for Genoa, June 2.
S. Waldsee, for Hamburg, June 2.
City of Rome, for Glasgow, June 2.
Spandau, for Rotterdam, June 2.
König Wilhelm der Grosse, for Bremen, June 2.
Aurania, for Liverpool, June 6.
St. Paul, for Southampton, June 7.
Nordland, for London, June 7.
Britannic, for Liverpool, June 7.
Bremen, for Bremen, June 7.
State of Nebraska, for Glasgow, June 9.
Acheron, for Glasgow, June 10.
City of Rome, for London, June 10.
Etruria, for Liverpool, June 10.
Bms. for Genoa, June 10.

Gulf Report.

L'Isle-Clear; west.
River du Loup—Cloudy; strong west. In, 8 a.m. one barque.
Father Point—Cloudy; strong west.
Martin River—Raining; strong west.
Cap Magdalen—Cloudy; strong north-west.
Fame Point—Cloudy; southwest. In, 6.30 a.m., Campana.
North Shore—Clear; strong northwest.
Anticosti—Cloudy; west.
Low Point—Clear; west. In, 5 a.m., Oscar. Out, to-day, Ceylon and Cape Breton.

This Port.

Arrived—May 30.
Steamship Falco, Berulden, Sydney, Kingston, May 30.
Steamship Turret Chief, Macoubrey, Sydney, Kingston, May 30.
Steamship Monterey, Perry, Bristol, El Dorado, May 30.
Steamship Clear, May 30.
Steamship Fram, Hummel, rictou, Intercontinental Coal Company, light.
Steamship Mary Park, Copp, London, H. H. Allan, general.
Steamship Beaulieu, Rollo, Aberdeen, R. Beaufort & Co., general.
Steamship Concordia, Abernethy, Glasgow, R. Beaufort & Co., general.
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Vessels in Port.

Steamships.
Manchester Enterprise, Wright, Furness, Withy & Co.
Forest Holme, Johnston, McLean, Kennedy & Co.
Laurentia, Vipond, H. & A. Allan.
Dominion, James, D. Torrance & Co.
Huron, Doreward, R. Beaufort & Co.
Turret Chief, Macoubrey, Kingston & Co.
Verbanus, Alan, McLean, Kennedy & Co.
Theresa Heyman, Key, McLean, Kennedy & Co.
Almanian, Parkin, F. Leyland & Co.
Monterey, Perry, Elder, Dempster & Co.

Port of Quebec.

Quebec, May 30.—The steamship Lake Ontario left at 11 a.m. for Montreal. Steamship Turret Bell passed up at 11:30 a.m.
Steamship Ramore Head arrived down at noon and went to Indian Cove to coal. The Hamburg-American line steamship Sophie Rickmers, Capt. Struck, arrived this morning and is discharging gun, mill-stones and other freight at the basin. She will leave at 2:30 a.m. for Montreal.
The steamship Beeching, Capt. Kragh, sailed on Saturday from St. Thomas, Montenegro, with deals.

Steamship St. Olaf left at 8 p.m. for North Shore, with mail, passengers and cargo. Among the passengers is a mining party, consisting of six men led by Count de Puysalun. They are going down to the Watchtower river. The Union Industrielle and Metallurgique, which was incorporated at last session, have valuable copper claims at Saguenay, which is thirty miles beyond Saguenay Point.

The Elder-Dempster steamer Mount Royal, Capt. Morgan, arrived to-night and after taking on some deals, left at 10:30 p.m. for Montreal.
The Allan liner Pomeranian passed down at 6:30 p.m. and the steamship Hiso at 9:45 p.m.

Steamship Royalist passed up at 9:30 p.m., Louisbourg at 10:30 p.m., and Cacouna arrived at midnight, and after leaving coal barge Rembrandt here proceeded to Montreal.

McKen Beaver line steamship Rapahuc, Capt. Potter, arrived in port about 10 p.m. and is discharging about forty tons of goods and passengers. The latter are for New York and Boston. Some of them, however, as well as a few of the second cabin, are for San Francisco, while about fifteen passengers will land about 5 in the morning and the ship will proceed to Montreal.

The Leyland line steamer Virginia, from Montreal for Liverpool, passed Kinsale, Ireland, May 31.

Object to Whistles.

The Quebec Harbor Commissioners have received so many complaints from citizens regarding the annoyance caused by the whistling of steamers, especially by the whistles, when they sound in the still hours of the night, request the masters of steamships to confine the use of their steam signal to actual necessity, on calling for their goods, and the Commissioners are confident they have only to call the attention of masters to the subject in order to secure their compliance.

May Cattle Shipments.

Messrs Pope and Morgan, the Government cattle inspectors, have just turned in the live stock shipments for the month of May. The cattle shipments were 12,955, a decrease on last year's figures of 2,948. On the other hand, the shipment of sheep was 3,363, showing an increase of 1,605 over last May. There were 674 horses shipped, as compared to 1,669, a decrease of 995.

The Bishop's Visitation.

The following is the arrangement of His Lordship Bishop Bond's parish visitations for July:
Sunday, July 9—Rawdon, Rev. W. Davies.
Sunday, July 9—Kildare, Rev. G. H. Gagnon, E.
Monday and Tuesday, 10th and 11th—De Ramsey, P.O. address De Ramsey.
Sunday, July 16—Hudson, Rev. J. Carmichael.
Monday, July 17—St. Andrew's, Rev. A. F. Mount.
Tuesday, July 18—Lachute, Rev. A. B. Given.
Wednesday, July 19—Lafayette, Mr. R. G. Asch, Church of England student.
Thursday, July 20—Mile Isles, Rev. J. W. Dennis.
Friday, July 21—Morin, Rev. J. W. Dennis.
Sunday, July 23—St. Amelée, Rev. F. W. Stacy.
Monday, July 24—Avoca, Rev. F. W. Stacy

DEFEAT AFTER THE FIREWORKS

The Champions Couldn't Stand the
Pace They Set in the
Morning Game.

THE SCORE WAS 6 TO 2.

Our Lead Is Just as Large as it
Was When the Local Birds
Left Home.

WILL BE BACK HERE ON FRIDAY.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Montreal.	17	7	.703
Rochester.	14	9	.609
Toronto.	13	13	.500
Providence.	13	13	.500
Springfield.	10	11	.455
Worcester.	10	13	.435
Hartford.	10	17	.370
Syracuse.	5	14	.261

The Afternoon Game.

The tale in the afternoon was different, and those who saw the local team play in the morning could hardly believe it was the same aggregation. It is true that at first some symptoms of stage fright were noticeable, the result of the morning's work, and the effect of the immense crowd, which numbered 7,000. Morse pitched fine ball, as did Abbey. Morse had his pitching hand bound up, but he did fine work, and was well supported, except in the beginning, when Smith and Burke contributed errors. Barclay was the chief feature of the game. His batting was fine, and his work on bases sensational. He is "coming" fast as a fielder, and won batting recognition from the crowd. The fifth was a sensational inning. Abbey opened with a single, and Schiebeck followed. Bannan hit to base, who threw Abbey out to Burke. But Smith made his second error on Schiebeck. Then Johnson fouled out to O'Hagan and Doyle drove one to centre field, which looked good to clear the bases. But Cavellie got it beautifully, running backward, and Montreal did not score. The play set the crowd wild, and it got another chance to applaud in the ninth, when a beautiful double between Bannan, Smith and O'Hagan retired Montreal.

Montreal's two scores were made in the fourth, when, with two out, Johnson hit for two bases. Burke juggled Doyle's drive, and the two came in on singles by Henry and G. Bannan. Sensational fielding prevented Montreal from being dangerous at any other time, except the extra sensational fifth. All Montreal's errors were costly, and Rochester's hits were bunched.

Rochester.

A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Totals
Campan	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Smith	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Barclay	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
O'Hagan	1	1	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	14
Smink	1	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	9
Cavellie	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Burke	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	4
Bean	1	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	6
Morse	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Totals	31	6	7	27	10	2	0	0	0	56

Montreal.

A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Totals
Schiebeck	5	0	1	0	4	2	0	0	0	12
T. Bannan	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Shearon	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Dooley	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Henry	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
G. Bannan	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	5
Jacklitz	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Abbey	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Felix	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	35	2	9	27	13	4	0	0	0	68

Batted for Abbey in the ninth. R. H. E.

By Innings.	R. H. E.
Rochester	02010205-7 2
Montreal	00020000-2 9 4

Summary.

Two-base hits—Johnson, Dooley. Three-base hits—Barclay. Bases on errors—Rochester 3, Montreal 2. Double plays—Bannan to Smith to O'Hagan; Smink to Bannan. Struck out—By Morse 4; Bannan 3; Barclay 2. Left on bases—Rochester 5, Montreal 7. Hit by pitched ball—Bannan. Sacrifice hits—O'Hagan 2, Barclay, Time—1:50. Umpire—O'Laughlin.

HARTFORD WON BOTH.

Springfield, Mass., May 30.—Three thousand people saw Hartford defeat Springfield this morning through a rain storm. The visitors were outplayed at every turn, but won out. Johnson was batted out of the game in the eighth, and Knell put in to save it.

R.H.E.

Hartford	R. H. E.
Springfield	00010020-5 12 3
Batteries—Johnson and Urquhart; McDermott and Phelps.	

Worcester, Mass., May 30.—Five thousand people saw the Hartford team defeat Springfield for the second time today. Although the visitors put up an errorless game, they were unable to win the ball, except in the fifth inning, when they lighted on Esper for three runs. Crate replaced Esper, and was uninvincible.

R.H.E.

Hartford	R. H. E.
Springfield	00010020-5 12 3
Batteries—Esper, Crate and Urquhart; Hemming and Phelps.	

FARMERS LOSE TWICE.

Worcester, Mass., May 30.—Providence won from Worcester with ease this morning, touching up Clark for six hits in an inning. Worcester could do nothing with Braun. The score by innings:

R.H.E.

Providence	R. H. E.
Worcester	02100325-13 11 6
Batteries—Clark and Bransfield; Braun and Leahy.	

Umpire—Burns.

Providence, R.I., May 30.—Providence had everything running its way in the game this afternoon. Attendance, 4,600. Score:

R.H.E.

Providence	R. H. E.
Worcester	00020000-2 9 4
Batteries—Dunkle and Leahy; Lampe and Bransfield.	

TORONTO WON TWICE.

Syracuse, N.Y., May 30.—Toronto won after the afternoon game by hitting McFarland all over the field in the third inning. Six hits and a base on balls in that inning, however, did not save them, as there was a diligent effort to win in the ninth, when the Stars scored four runs after two were gone. Score:

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Toronto	01000000-1 7 2
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At Brooklyn—Morning game—Louisville.....00100000-1 4 2
Brooklyn.....00000000-5 11 0
Batteries—Mages and Kitzridge; Dunn and Farrell. Umpires, Lynch and Connolly.

Afternoon game.

Louisville.....00210000-3 8 2
Brooklyn.....00000000-4 8 3
Batteries—Cunningham and Kitzridge; Kennedy and Farrell.

At Philadelphia—Morning game.

Chicago.....11104000-14 17 2
Philadelphia.....00000000-2 8 3
Batteries—Callahan and Nichols; Einfeld, Wheeler and Douglas. Umpires, Emslie and McDonald.

Afternoon game.

Chicago.....21040101-9 16 3
Philadelphia.....00010010-4 9 2
Batteries—Taylor and Donahue; Bernhardt and Platt and Douglas.

At Cleveland—Morning game.

Cleveland.....00000003-4 5 1
Boston.....20013100-7 13 3
Batteries—Stivett, Hill and Zimmer; Killen and Clark. Umpires, Smith and Burns.

Afternoon game.

Cleveland.....00021000-6 10 1
Boston.....01000001-3 6 2
Batteries—Madden, Dowd and Suckoff; Nichols and Bergsma.

At Baltimore—Morning game.

Baltimore.....00100010-3 12 2
St. Louis.....20014000-7 10 3
Batteries—Jones and Origer; Kitzson and Robinson.

Afternoon game.

Baltimore.....10401000-6 13 1
St. Louis.....102000010-4 5 1
Batteries—Nops and Robinson; Young and Criger.

At New York—Morning game.

Cincinnati.....02001004-9 15 4
New York.....00010000-3 12 6
Batteries—Phillips and Peitz; Carrick and Warner. Umpires, Gaffney and Andrews.

Afternoon game.

Cincinnati.....01120100-5 9 2
New York.....30002002-7 10 2
Batteries—Taylor and Peitz; Doherty and Grady.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Brooklyn	27	11	.711
Philadelphia	23	13	.639
Chicago	22	16	.579
Cincinnati	19	17	.524
Baltimore	20	17	.541
New York	15	21	.417
Pittsburgh	14	21	.400
Washington	13	25	.342
Louisville	12	25	.324
Cleveland	8	25	.242

THEY WANT MATCHES.

The Watson-Foster Company Junior Baseball team played a game of ball with the Canadians of St. Henri, which resulted in a victory for the W. F. Company juniors, to the tune of 20 to 4. The Watson-Foster Company juniors were open to all challenges from any junior club in the city. Address all communications to H. Thompson, 56 Latourneux avenue, Maisonneuve.

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R.H.E.

Yales	R. H. E.
Ramblers	05411164-22 13 5
Batteries—Forale; Cummings and Bergeron for Ramblers; Meade and Quinn.	

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ANOTHER BREAK

IN WALL STREET

Prices Go Lower With Metropolitan, Traction Ahead of the Procession.

LOCAL LIST FAIRLY STEADY.

Another Shipment of \$100,000 Gold Comes Here From New York.

MINING STOCKS WERE BRISK.

The bulls in Wall street got a black eye this morning and the market here entertained the street with one of its characteristic slumps. Almost the entire list was affected with Metropolitan Traction at the head of the procession with a break of about 10 points. It was simply another of the all round bear attacks with the Traction and Industrials suffering the most.

It is rather remarkable but here we have the ease of a market with easy money showing a violent decline while the local list exhibits comparative firmness rounded by tight money.

To some extent perhaps the market here was influenced, by Wall Street's weakness and there was talk of liquidation in Pacific in order to cover New York deals.

A local broker stated that another shipment of gold came here from New York City, and that the market was tight.

It is needless to say of course that the local money market is just as tight as ever and call loans are quoted purely nominal on the basis of 5 per cent.

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Street Gossip

Considerable money will change hands in the street today, as many were made that Canadian Pacific would see 100 in this market before the first of June. Brokers say that nothing in the world has kept Pacific from touching par long before this, but the "800" money in the local money market. In London, the feeling towards Pacific is said to be generally bullish, and London Trust is out again with the prediction that it is going higher.

Money is tight here with call loans nominally quoted on the basis of 5 per cent.

The break in Montreal-London shares has been a feature of the market during the past few days, and many people forget in figuring it out that the par value of the shares is 24 cents.

A Wall Street man, writing on the situation there, says: "Bulls say that when prices decline they do so to ease severe pressure when they rise they do so easily. From this the deduction is made that stocks are well held, and the floating supply is not over-abundant."

In connection with Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Gazette, of London, has the following interesting item in its last issue: "This week the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has issued a new series of 2,000,000 mortgage bonds at 2 1/2 per cent. of 1,000 each. The lists were opened on Monday morning and closed on Tuesday morning. By this

R. J. TOOKE.

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OGILVIE'S REPORT ON YUKON CHARGES

Full Text of the Document Laid Before Parliament
Yesterday by the Hon.
Mr. Sifton.

(Staff Correspondence of The Herald.)

Ottawa, May 31.—The report of Commissioner Ogilvie upon the charges against the Yukon, which arrived at the Department of the Interior on Monday morning, was laid on the table of the House yesterday by Hon. Clifford Sifton.

The report, which is dated at the Commissioner's Office, Dawson City, April 27th, 1899, opens with the words: "I transmit herewith the evidence before me, as Royal Commissioner under letters-patent of October 7th, 1898, for the investigation of the charges made in a certain letter or memorial transmitted to the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada. This memorial was signed by a committee appointed, it is alleged, by a meeting of miners. As will be seen, none of the charges are sustained."

"I may say that word of my appointment as Royal Commissioner reached me soon after the river set, but the commission itself did not arrive until the close of the year; and Mr. Clement, the legal adviser, did not arrive until the 11th of January, so that he could not take part in the investigation of the charges earlier than the latter date. When he arrived the work before me, as commissioner of the Yukon Territory, was so urgent that I could not immediately take the matter in hand; but as soon as the stress of work would permit it was taken up."

"The first step was a meeting in the court house, February 1899, for the purpose of receiving charges and arranging with those interested in the prosecution as to the manner of procedure. At this meeting the commission was ready; a general discussion took place between those bringing charges, their advocates and the commissioners, under the advice of the legal adviser, Mr. Clement. The details of the discussion were taken somewhat at length by Dr. Brown, Clerk of the Council, private secretary to the commissioner, and one of the stenographers to the Royal Commission."

"The result of this meeting was the issuance of the following printed notice:

Public Notice.

To whom it may concern: Any party or parties having any charges to make against any Government employee or official within the scope of the commission for the investigation of the conduct of the official hereunder letters-patent, dated October 7th, 1898, must present such charges in writing, giving as specifically as possible the nature of the charges made and against whom, if the latter is known. Such statements or charges must be received at the Commissioner's Office up to and including the fifteenth day of March. The public are requested to act on this information, and to put in their charges or statements as speedily as possible.

(Signed) William Ogilvie, Commissioner.

Feb. 7th, 1899. "One hundred copies of the above notices were struck off and posted up at as many points as possible in the country. In pursuance of the understanding arrived at at the first meeting a series of charges was submitted by Mr. Armstrong, who was chairman of the Miners' Committee aforesaid, and Dr. Percy Macdonald, who was secretary of the said Miners' Committee."

"Also several charges were submitted by E. C. Allan, proprietor of the newspaper known as the Klondike Nugget, in Dawson. Granted Every Facility. "These gentlemen were asked when they would be ready to proceed with the investigation, and asked for time for consideration and decision on that question, which was granted. They asked what facilities would be afforded them in the way of procuring evidence, and were assured that every proper and reasonable aid would be extended to them in that direction."

"To oblige Mr. E. C. Allan, of the Nugget, and Mr. George, the editor, who was associated with him, I gave them blank subpoenas with which to summon witnesses. These were signed by me, as commissioner, so that they might serve them without any hindrance whatsoever. The only stipulation made in this direction was that they keep the commission duly informed of the witnesses summoned as soon after the summons was served on them as possible. They also asked permission to enter the Gold Commissioner's Office to examine records on the questions they had raised. This privilege

was accorded them, and I gave them letters to the Gold Commissioner, asking him to extend that privilege to them, but to see that the examination of the documents was made under the supervision of a clerk of the office.

"Outside of the charges above stated, other charges were made. This was made by a man named F. W. McWhirter, but was not taken into consideration, as it was found to be a mistake made by a clerk in the office. The facts were shortly these:

"A man applied for a claim, in a piece of ground which he considered vacant, alleged to be upwards of 1,200 feet in extent. The clerk to whom he applied, Mr. Boulton, informed him that there was no vacant ground in that place. He went away dissatisfied, and shortly afterwards returned with evidence to show that there was that amount of ground vacant. During this interval it was found that this ground had already been located and recorded. Mr. Boulton being in the office, through ignorance, at the first time misinformed the man. He again presented himself for record he was informed that the ground was already located and recorded. When he asked at what time, they told him in March, his application being made in the month of June. I believe, however, that he was told this immediately jumped at the conclusion that there was something wrong."

"Investigation showed that Mr. Boulton was entirely ignorant of the ground being located and recorded when he made his first statement to Mr. McWhirter, but had learned the facts in the case before Mr. McWhirter returned. Mr. McWhirter was somewhat loath to accept this explanation, but finally did, and exonerated the officials from any duplicity in the matter."

A Satisfactory Explanation. "Another question was afterwards submitted by a miner in regard to a claim on Bonanza Creek, but it was more in the nature of a mistake than anything else, and, I believe, was explained to his satisfaction."

"Dr. Isidore McWilliam Bourke, who has resided here for some months, challenged the title of a company to certain claims on Bonanza and other creeks, and because the company was not properly certified, he with the aid of one or two of his friends, jumped two or three companies' claims for which they had paid a good price."

"Mr. J. C. McLaren, who represented the company, which is known as the Klondike Gold Company, Limited, in order to overcome the difficulty of his company not being registered in Canada and not having paid a miners' licence, had the claims recorded in his own name under a power of attorney from the company."

"The Doctor was quite anxious of obtaining one or two of the company's best claims on Bonanza Creek in the seventies, and jumped them and brought a contest before Mr. Fawcett to acquire title."

"Mr. Fawcett decided that Mr. McLaren's title was good, much to the dissatisfaction of the Doctor. Shortly after my arrival, Dr. Bourke applied to me for justice in the matter, and after a long hearing, he decided that he had a contest before Mr. Fawcett; at least he never referred to it in any way. He submitted the matter to me and promised me that the matter would be looked into. This I had not time to do, and was being delayed by more important work until the Royal Commission arrived, when the Doctor considered it a case to be tried before me. He was told before his case would be entertained he would have to engage counsel, and he did not hesitate to do, which he did not hesitate to do, putting it under the head of undue friendship between Mr. Fawcett and Mr. McLaren."

"It will be seen from Mr. McLaren's evidence that he had a letter of introduction to Mr. Fawcett, but never met him, but once before asking for a favor, if it can be called a favor, which Mr. Fawcett granted him; that is, that he be allowed to group four successive claims which he had procured, and to do all the representation work of the four on one—a very thing with the letter of introduction in hand, and I do not think that any one was seriously injured in his doing so, except Mr. Bourke, who appears to have been very much disappointed in not securing the claims."

"I think it will be found on reading the evidence submitted that the Doctor's charge against Mr. Fawcett for wrong-doing in this connection was not sustained. The evidence presented did not show even bad faith on the part of Mr. Fawcett, and Mr. Fawcett and not attention was made to show that any improper consideration passed between them. So that, in my opinion, the charge in this connection falls to the ground."

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"The charge of having improperly closed Dominion Creek, was then taken up. In that connection it was shown that Mr. Fawcett was not responsible for the closing of the Creek in the manner charged. The testimony submitted shows that he had closed the creek in November, 1897, owing to the numerous complications that arose through different applicants having staked each other, their having several points of beginning for the staking of claims on the Creek. Different parties started on these several points and went on regarding one another as doing and staking on one ground, and in many cases were recorded. Of course, there could only be one owner for such ground the first staker and recorder."

Investigations Held. "Before work could proceed on the Creek, Mr. Fawcett determined it was necessary that in all these cases an investigation should be made and the title to the claim ascertained in each case. As he was very busy in the office, and as there were numerous cases to be investigated, he determined to close the Creek until such time as he could take the matter up. He was, however, proved by the then Commissioner Major Walsh, and the Creek, as a matter of fact, still stands closed within the limits mentioned in the evidence, and from upper discovery to one hundred and twenty below lower, which comprises about one hundred and fifty claims, I understand."

"Against this charge, Mr. Fawcett also exonerated himself in so far as complaint act on his part was concerned. The case was not a little of evidence to show that he benefited in any way from the closing of the Creek, and he showed conclusively that it was absolutely necessary to do so in the public interest."

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It will be seen from Mr. McLaren's evidence that he had a letter of introduction to Mr. Fawcett, but never met him, but once before asking for a favor, if it can be called a favor, which Mr. Fawcett granted him; that is, that he be allowed to group four successive claims which he had procured, and to do all the representation work of the four on one—a very thing with the letter of introduction in hand, and I do not think that any one was seriously injured in his doing so, except Mr. Bourke, who appears to have been very much disappointed in not securing the claims. I think it will be found on reading the evidence submitted that the Doctor's charge against Mr. Fawcett for wrong-doing in this connection was not sustained. The evidence presented did not show even bad faith on the part of Mr. Fawcett, and Mr. Fawcett and not attention was made to show that any improper consideration passed between them. So that, in my opinion, the charge in this connection falls to the ground.

Commission Opened February 22. The first sitting of the commission for the investigation of charges was held on the 22nd of February, the earliest date possible under the conditions. Much interest was manifested by those bringing the charges for an early sitting, but when the matter was thrown entirely on their own hands, I may say there was more delay than anticipated. The first day was devoted to investigation of charges of corruption against officials in the Gold Commissioner's office, for having accepted bribes for admission into the office. The result was that a doorkeeper named Villeneuve, who was employed as a special constable in the North-west Mounted Police Service, and who had been for some time a dog-driver, had accepted money for admitting people out of their turn into the office. No one else was implicated in any way, except that some of the evidence showed that clerks had received pay from outsiders for attending to work before and after office hours. This was so usual an occurrence that it was readily admitted, no one attempted to deny it.

The charge of having improperly closed Dominion Creek, was then taken up. In that connection it was shown that Mr. Fawcett was not responsible for the closing of the Creek in the manner charged. The testimony submitted shows that he had closed the creek in November, 1897, owing to the numerous complications that arose through different applicants having staked each other, their having several points of beginning for the staking of claims on the Creek. Different parties started on these several points and went on regarding one another as doing and staking on one ground, and in many cases were recorded. Of course, there could only be one owner for such ground the first staker and recorder.

Investigations Held. Before work could proceed on the Creek, Mr. Fawcett determined it was necessary that in all these cases an investigation should be made and the title to the claim ascertained in each case. As he was very busy in the office, and as there were numerous cases to be investigated, he determined to close the Creek until such time as he could take the matter up. He was, however, proved by the then Commissioner Major Walsh, and the Creek, as a matter of fact, still stands closed within the limits mentioned in the evidence, and from upper discovery to one hundred and twenty below lower, which comprises about one hundred and fifty claims, I understand.

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brother Donald McDonald, relocated the claim on the 1st of September. Mrs. Miner and Mrs. Kelly were there at the same time, all three staking the ground simultaneously, or nearly so; this brought about a dispute as to which of the three was the original staker.

Hard to Understand the Women.

"A contest was involved, and you see from the evidence that Mrs. Miner and Mrs. Kelly were both claiming the claim was not legally responsible for the \$2,000 that Mrs. Kelly, one of the interested parties, determined to settle the matter in a business way, and approached Mr. Donald's agent with a proposal to this effect, that they, Mrs. Miner and Mrs. Kelly, assumed the liability of the \$2,000, which Mrs. Kelly had advanced. Mr. Donald took an option on the claims for the amount of \$30,000, providing he could sell them while in Europe; and that if he succeeded in selling them he was to pay \$14,000 to the credit of Mrs. Miner and a like amount to that of Mrs. Kelly. An option was taken by McDonald on the two claims, and the document was submitted during the trial."

"The two women in this case, Mrs. Miner and Mrs. Kelly, persisted in the statement that Mr. Fawcett insisted as one of the conditions of their recording the claims that they should pay McDonald \$2,000 each. Mr. Fawcett denies this, and considerable credence to the evidence of these two ladies until I found them very reluctant to admit that they knew Mr. Kelly had made the statement as set forth on their behalf; they were loath to admit, and I may say it had to be dragged out of them. This, to a certain extent, discredited their statement in my mind."

"Mr. Kelly, I might say, was very straightforward in giving his evidence, as will appear from his statement, and he seemed to have done quite a smart act in making the deal; as he had a box of \$1,000 in his case to secure \$14,000. These are the facts shortly as placed before the commission in the manner stated. "I may say that the statements written down in this case were submitted to the various witnesses for their perusal, and for the purpose of taking their declaration thereto. Some of them, especially Mrs. Kelly, objected to the statement as it appeared in type was not as she put it. Mr. Kelly, on the other hand, admitted that, with a few trivial corrections, the statements were exactly as he believed he had made them. Mr. and Mrs. Miner have made statutory declaration as to their evidence. I have, therefore, transmitted the evidence as it was received, and the court stenographers, Dr. Brown and Mr. Sheppard, and typewritten by them, with the statutory declaration attached as to its being a true record of the evidence given by the various witnesses."

"If you should deem it necessary, I will have the declaration made by the various witnesses, as far as they will go, but as the case does not seriously implicate Mr. Fawcett, the only person charged in the question, I think the evidence as submitted is quite sufficient as it stands, to show the facts of the case. You will also see that some enquiry into the laying over of Mr. Alex. McDonald's royalty and an explanation furnished for the same. All the evidence submitted in this connection was furnished in the letters between Mr. Kelly, Mr. McDonald and Mr. Fawcett."

Their appears to have been no wrong-doing in this case, none was made manifest, Major Walsh taking the view that it would be impolitic to exact Mr. McDonald's royalty, as it would put him to considerable hardship if he was compelled to pay it, and later on his paying it would benefit the country as much as if he had paid it last spring. "With the exception of a few rambling charges made by Dr. Bourke, before mentioned, this was all that came before the commission for investigation to take."

"This gentleman (Dr. Bourke) is somewhat testy in his nature, and is apt to take offence where none is meant, and it was found extremely difficult to keep him within due bounds; in fact, it was done, and could not very well be done, owing to the doctor's own choleric disposition. At one time I had to treat him with committal for contempt for abusing two parties in court, Mr. W. M. Galpin and Colonel McGregor, who attended as members of the original committee who signed the memorial to the Right Honorable Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and took an active interest in the proceedings against Mr. Armstrong and Dr. McDonald had withdrawn."

"The doctor (Bourke) concedes that these gentlemen were interfering with his right in the way of bringing charges, when he immediately proceeded to bring them. The warmth of his language cannot be judged from the typewritten statements."

"When this was announced to the public the gentlemen representing the Miner's Committee, that is, Dr. Bourke, Mr. Armstrong, withdrew from any further prosecution or examination of charges; and the two gentlemen associated with the "Nugget" did the same, which to a great extent terminated the labors of the Commission."

"This was accounted for by those gentlemen in this wise. They alleged if they were not allowed to continue the investigation indefinitely, they would be much hampered, as many of the witnesses to transactions occurring before August 25th, had gone out of the country or were not available."

"Several charges were laid against Mr. Fawcett which that gentleman demanded to be cleared off, and as the Miner-Kelly case could not be taken up under the terms of the commission to me, it was agreed with the parties concerned that the evidence of the witnesses should be taken down in the usual manner, and that after being transcribed to type it would be read over carefully to them, and they would make, after any corrections they wished, a statutory declaration that it was true. In this way had we determined to proceed as the investigation of the Miner-Kelly case was concluded, or any other case occurring after the 25th of August which any one might elect to go on with."

"The facts of the Miner-Kelly case are shortly these: "A man named Birt owed Alexander McDonald the sum of \$2,000; Birt did not represent his claim, so that McDonald's \$2,000 was likely to be lost to him if Birt's presentation. McDonald, consulted Mr. Fawcett as to the best way of securing his \$2,000. What the conference between them was, we do not know, but Mr. Fawcett certainly there was nothing more than a few questions asked, and that he held the opinion that through Birt's claim the claim lapsing McDonald's did too. McDonald was absent from the country at the time of the sitting of the Commission, and consequently his evidence could not be obtained. To protect McDonald's \$2,000, his

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PROMOTERS WANT \$6,400 A MILE.

Ottawa, May 30.—(Special.)—A very large and influential deputation waited upon the Government this morning to urge the importance of Government aid to the Rainy River Railway, by which it is hoped to open to the world a rich and valuable tract of territory, and to break the existing monopoly in Western transportation.

From the statement made by the Premier at the close there is no longer any doubt but that the proposal is being favorably considered and that the building of the road will soon be an accomplished fact.

Besides Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the members of the Cabinet present were Hon. A. G. Blair, Hon. J. I. Tarte, Hon. Wm. Mulock, Hon. Clifford Sifton.

The deputation, which was introduced by Mr. James McMullen, M.P., included Messrs. G. T. Marks, Mayor of Port Arthur; J. L. Matthews, president of the Liberal Association of Port Arthur; John T. Horne, Port William; R. Rogers, Portage; Walter Ross, Rat Portage; D. Irving, Port Francis; Walter Hogarth, president of Board of Trade, Port William; John McKeller, Mayor of Port William; J. J. O'Connor, president Board of Trade, Port Arthur; George H. McDonald, Port Arthur; D. F. Burke, Port Arthur; James Conmee, M.P.P., Port Arthur; H. C. Hamilton, Sault Ste. Marie; F. S. Willie, Port Arthur; Z. Malhotra, Port Arthur; Contr. Lynd, Kingsmill; W. H. Moore, Toronto; W. W. McMullen, Winnipeg; P. W. Hogarth, Port William; Hugh L. Sutherland, ex-M.P., Winnipeg; James Conmee, M.P., Algoma; Messrs. Casey, Davies, Douglas and a number of other members of Parliament.

Mr. McMullen, M.P., for North Wellington, introduced the deputation, arguing that the great mineral and other resources of the district affected demanded that every effort be made to speedily open it up. He was sure that the new line would be a competing line independent of C.P.R. influence.

Mr. G. T. Marks explained that the aim of the deputation was to ask for Government aid for a line from Stanley to the mouth of the Rainy River, a distance of 280 miles, of which 80 miles had already been provided for. The competition of the line was the key to the transportation system, as it would mean the breaking up of the Western Railway monopoly. The C.P.R.'s capacity was already overtaxed. To Hon. Mr. Blair he stated that the project involved crossing a strip of Minnesota. Hon. Mr. Tarte pointed out the difficulty that would thus arise. Mr. Burke, of Port Arthur, stated that to avoid this would involve a great financial outlay. The road as proposed also passed through a rich country.

Mr. J. L. Matthews, president of the Liberal Association of Port Arthur, said that the people of the West were united, and asked that the grant of \$6,400 per mile be made unconditionally in order that the railway might be constructed at once. Mr. John T. Horne, of Port William, pointed out the importance at the present juncture of exploiting the iron ore of the West. To get at this ore a railway was necessary. Mr. R. Rogers, ex-M.P.P., of Rat Portage, emphasized the value of the mineral deposits of the district, and particularly of the gold areas. At present the heavy freight rates upon machinery were a great disadvantage in working these minerals.

Mr. Walter Ross, of Rat Portage, president of the Western Steamship line, spoke of the great pine forests which only awaited railway facilities to be profitably worked.

Mr. John McKeller, Mayor of Port William, said the line, when built, would be as good as the C.P.R., and would furnish a great stimulus to immigration.

Mr. J. J. O'Connor, president of the Port Arthur Board of Trade, emphasized

the significance of the road from an international point of view, without the road the iron ore would be well not there.

Mr. Geo. H. McDonald, ex-M.P., of Port Arthur, said that in granting the aid it was the duty of the Government to safeguard the interests of the public at the same time. He suggested that necessary steps should be taken to prevent the amalgamation of the railway with the C. P. R. in the future. The trade of the country was yet in its infancy. Were the grant increased proportionately he did not see why the projectors of the railway would object to accepting American territory. The object was, however, to involve a great financial outlay. With the aid asked for he was sure the railway could be constructed within the next two years.

Ottawa, May 30.—Mr. D. F. Burke, of Port Arthur, spoke of the prospects of iron manufacturing industry in Canada. The government's policy regarding the canals was of great advantage to the iron industry. The railway project would be necessary. The district involves 60 miles of iron ore in three bunches. He wanted the iron bounty extended for a period of 10 years. With the aid asked for the iron ore used in Canada could be supplied by the district. Even in the matter of steel rails, the canal policy and railway policy were right, but bricks could not be made without straw. Nova Scotia and Cape Breton had great coal deposits. What was wanted was cheapened transportation.

Messrs. McKenzie & Mann, the contractors in charge of the road, were present. Mr. McKenzie explained the difficulties of building across the Lake of the Woods. He thought it would be better for all parties to pass through a section of Minnesota.

To Hon. Mr. Tarte he explained that the Canadian route would go through an inhospitable territory and would be somewhat further. Subsequently he admitted as a through route the all-Canadian line, though more expensive, this would be the option to be selected. This point was under discussion Hon. Mr. Tarte interjected, "I would sooner see the route all-Canadian even if it cost more."

Mr. James Conmee, M.P.P., closed the case in a strong speech. The aid was necessary if the road were to be constructed in the near future. The government engineers had found it impossible to carry the road through the Northern district. It had been difficult to finance the road because of the difficulties. What was wanted was relief from temporary conditions so as to enable the promoters to make the road a going concern.

The construction so far were better than those of the C.P.R. This was the only railway which would give access to the country and access was necessary to development. The Ontario government had given aid. It was strongly desired that the route be the one of the C.P.R. or any other combination against the interest of the country.

To Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mr. Conmee said that it was feasible to take the road across the Lake of the Woods. The line would cost more money by about one and a half millions, and he thought it would be a shorter line as a direct line by about 20 miles. Mr. Mann stated that unless the line were deflected at Port Francis, the line would be built as suggested. Mr. McKenzie thought the option line through Canadian territory might be built subsequently.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier—Now is the time to say what you think. In a brief reply, stated that there was absolutely no question as to the advantage to be gained by the line. That he was satisfied. The questions only remained to be decided, the amount of the subsidy and the consideration regarding the all-Canadian route. Both of these points required consideration. "You may," he concluded, "count upon the most favorable consideration of the advantage of the railway there is no question. These two points require thorough consideration. I think this is all you could ask me to say at present." The deputation was one of the strongest which has appeared at Ottawa this session, and had planned to stay in the city and wait before the Government, and went away well satisfied with its reception. The general impression here is that the subsidy will be granted by the Government, and that the amount will be increased upon condition of the route being built throughout in Canadian territory.

SUPRISED NEW YORK.

The Size and Merit of the Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Combination.

The New York Daily News in commenting on the inaugural performance of the combined Adam Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Circus in Madison Square Garden, New York, said:

"The Forepaugh and Sells Brothers' Circus, which opened at the Garden last night, scored a hit. A great many people who attended the opening feared that it 'wouldn't be as good as Barnum's,' but it stood up very strongly and convincingly on earth, and came through with flying colors."

The most novel and startling exhibition was given by the Sells Brothers' trained seals. These animals have been seen here before, but never in such marvellous feats as those performed last night. Besides playing band instruments and firing pis-

tols, Mr. Woodward introduces a couple of the animals in juggling feats, which a man would find it difficult to do. The animals are placed upon boxes, and their manager takes a couple of rods with fire-balls on both ends. He tosses this improved baton to the seal, who catches it in his mouth, accurately dividing the distance between the flaming ends. With a twist of the head the animal throws the double flaming ball high in the air, giving it an end over end motion, and when it descends he catches it as gracefully and as neatly as any two-handed human juggler you ever saw.

"Altogether it was a very elaborate and very entertaining programme, one that is calculated to please every patron, from the small boy who sits in the front seat in the gallery, to the less demonstrative adult patrons of the arena circle."

In Montreal June 19 and 20.

IN THE TRANSVAAL

Great Preparations for the Reception of the Commissioners—A Report from Cape Town.

Bloemfontein, Orange Free State, May 30.—Sir Alfred Milner, governor of the Cape Colony, and Mr. High Commissioner of South Africa, and President Kruger, of the South African Republic, left Cape Town and Pretoria, respectively, this morning for the Transvaal, to receive to the demands of the Transvaal Government and in return are pledging themselves to rally to the Transvaal flag at Christiaan van der Merwe.

London, May 30.—The Mail's Cape Town correspondent says Sir Alfred Milner, a member of the Cape Parliament, having recently toured Barly district, Cape Colony, reports that a number of farmers there have received Mauser rifles and sealed parcels of ammunition from the Transvaal Government and in return are pledging themselves to rally to the Transvaal flag at Christiaan van der Merwe.

Secret also says a detachment of Transvaal artillery lately inspected a bridge across the Vaal river, north of Kimberley, with a view of destroying it in the event of hostilities.

PADEREWSKI IS SINGLE.

Report That the Pianist Was Married Was a New York Journal's Fake.

Paris, May 30.—The agents here of Ignace Paderewski, the celebrated Russian pianist, declare there is no truth in the report that M. Paderewski has married the former wife of Ladislav Gorski, the violinist. The lady in question, it is added, is Paderewski's sister.

The Wedding Month.

Although June is the wedding month, the Canadian Magazine in its current issue has nothing particular to say on the subject. Nevertheless, by number and attractive one, containing a splendid short story by Gilbert Parker, three French-Canadian sketches by different writers, two instalments of continued stories, and a number of splendid articles. One of the most interesting of the latter is entitled "With Rifle and Rod in the Moose Lands of Northern Ontario." It is illustrated with numerous photographs of waterfalls, rapids, canoeing expeditions and camp-fire scenes. Another very attractive article is an illustrated description of our present garden birding, written by one whose recent book on birds issued by the Ontario Government, has attracted much attention. Among the other contributors are: "The House of the Future," by Prof. William Clark (the new president of the Royal Society), Florence Hamilton Randall, A. H. U. Colquhoun, Arthur Stringer and John Stuart Thomson. The Canadian Magazine is now in its thirteenth volume.

Superfluous Heat.

"Why so hot, little sir?" is the question which, according to Emerson, nature asks of the impatient man. Well, one reason is that there is so much unnecessary heat in the world. Take the ordinary kitchen in summer with the blazing coal range in it. There is far more heat given off by the coal range than is necessary to cook by, and much more than is necessary to exist in. All this waste and suffering is reduced to a minimum by the use of the gas range. You can regulate it to a quarter of a degree on the thermometer. You can shut off the heat instantly and absolutely the moment you are through with it, which makes living in the kitchen comfortable, and its economy is as great as its convenience, as is proved by its adoption in 9,000 Montreal households.

Chinese Immigration.

There was a very spirited debate by members of the Christian Endeavor Society in the lecture room of Taylor Presbyterian Church Monday evening. "Re-Opening of the Chinese Immigration from Canada," was the subject for debate. Messrs. Bright, Cunningham and Miss Coffey taking the affirmative, and Messrs. Wilson, Sutherland and Paterson the negative.

The Rev. W. D. Reid occupied the chair, strictly confining the speakers to ten minutes each.

A jury of nine was formed to return a verdict according to the arguments brought forward. The jury having retired, balloted and returned with a verdict of five to four for the affirmative.

Eastern Townships Farmers' Excursion.

Eastern Townships farmers are running an excursion to the Experiments Farm at Ottawa, on June 5th and 6th. The limits of tickets will allow enough time to visit the Farm and spend two days in the capital.

The Ottawa Electric Railway is now extended as far as the Farm, which can be reached at any hour of the day. The officials of the Farm have been in communication with the committee of organization and they are prepared to make it instructive and pleasant for the visitors on the occasion. All the Eastern Townships' railways have granted reduced rates on their lines and information can be had by applying at the different stations.

St. Louis Council.

A meeting of the St. Louis Council was held Monday night, Mayor Villeneuve presiding. There was a full attendance of members, and a deputation of the Citizens' Association was present. The business transacted was altogether of a routine nature.

An Infinite Number.

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An Occasional Belt Line.

The belt line of the Montreal Street Railway, Bligny and St. Lawrence streets, runs on Sunday, and sometimes during the evenings on week days, by way of Bligny, Mount Royal and St. Lawrence streets. The line is proving a boon to many who desire to pass a few hours up at the mountain.

BRIGHTER DAYS FOR DREYFUS

Evidence That Esterhazy Wrote the Famous Bordereau.

The Manau Report Cites Many Facts Which Go to Prove That the Captain Was Innocent.

Paris, May 30.—A striking sign of the calm which has come upon public opinion and the utter indifference of the people generally to the revision proceedings was shown in the fact that there was not a sufficient attendance of the general public in the Court of Cassation to constitute a quorum of spectators in the case of a public hearing, and court ushers had to go out into the street and get the idlers in the Hotel Dauphine and induce them to come into the court room. The arrival of the judges and others connected with the celebrated case was marked by no unusual incident. The interior of the Court of Cassation, presented to-day the same aspect as on yesterday, the same ladies occupying seats in the galleries, the same President Mareau there were several many judges and court officers, public notaries and distinguished men of letters. When the sitting opened at noon M. Dalloz de Beaupre resumed the reading of his report on the Cassation case.

M. de Beaupre said that if in 1894 the officers of the court-martial had thought it was not their duty to show Dreyfus the documents concerning him, the judges, not being lawyers, had erred, though acting in good faith.

M. de Beaupre read a fresh report drawn up by a legal point of view, was the result of the Cassation case, presented on Saturday last, in view of the recent developments, enumerating ten fresh facts in favor of Dreyfus, viz.:

Two.—The changing of the date of the bordereau to August instead of April.

Three.—Contradictions of the handwritten experts.

Four.—Absolute identity of the paper upon which the bordereau was written with Major Esterhazy's letter paper.

The sentence, "Am starting for the maneuvers, which could not have been written by Dreyfus."

Six.—The police report withheld by the court-martial.

Seven.—Lieut. Col. Henry's weeping confession in Martini's despatch.

Eight.—The Panizzardi despatch.

Nine.—Official documents proving that Dreyfus had no relations with foreign embassies.

Ten.—A document demonstrating that Dreyfus never confessed guilt.

M. Manau's report concluded with an expression in favor of a retrial of Capt. Dreyfus.

M. Baillet de Beaupre said that one new fact before a legal point of view, was the discovery that the bordereau was written on precisely the same paper as that used by Major Esterhazy. The judges in 1894 did not know this, and M. de Beaupre declared that on his soul and conscience, according to his conviction, the bordereau was written by Esterhazy. He deplored the attacks of revisionists upon the army, but said that the honor of the army was not dependent upon the retention of an innocent man on Devil's Island.

M. de Beaupre concluded: "I do not ask you to proclaim the innocence of Dreyfus, but I do ask you to recognize that it is with a firm conviction and a lively sense of my duty and responsibility that I declare before another court, whose task will be to give a decision with a full knowledge of the facts. My report is ended," said M. de Beaupre, while cries of "Bravo" and other marks of approbation filled the court room.

Amidst general excitement M. Manau, the procurator-general, addressed the court. He claimed that the change in the date of the bordereau constituted a new fact apart from numerous other new facts, and declared that the bordereau was really the work of Major Esterhazy. M. Manau dwelt upon the strangeness of the general staff's protection of Esterhazy and the latter's ambiguity.

The court adjourned at 5 o'clock without incident. M. Manau will continue his speech to-morrow.

The news that M. de Beaupre had directly ascribed the authorship of the bordereau to Major Esterhazy produced a continuation of stupefaction among members of the League of Patriots in the precincts of the court. They made no attempt to conceal their chagrin. "It is the collapse of our charges," shouted Maurice Barres, the novelist, and deputy from Charente-Maritime. The anti-semites generally bitterly denounced M. de Beaupre, and some accused him of having sold himself.

The Deroulede Trial.

Paris, May 30.—The section of the Court of Cassation engaged in the revision of the case of Paul Deroulede and Marcel Habert, charged with inciting soldiers to insubordination, resumed its sitting at noon. The entry of the defendants excited shouts of "Vive Deroulede" from the galleries. M. Deroulede resumed his harangue immediately upon the court being called to order, reiterating, amid applause, his statement to the court yesterday that he had not desired the overthrow of a dynasty but of a plebeian republic.

A number of witnesses were heard in favor of M. Deroulede, including Francois Coppee, Deputy Joseph Lascaris, and General Henry, who paid high tributes to Deroulede as a Frenchman, and praised his conduct in the war of 1870.

M. Quesnay de Beaupre, formerly president of the civil section of the Court of Cassation in response to an appeal from M. Deroulede, addressed the court in support of Deroulede's charges against President Loubet. M. de Beaupre said that as President Loubet had not denied the accusation made against him, he had no reference to the Panama Canal scandal on the morning of his election to the presidency of the republic, the charges must be true. M. de Beaupre said that he had delivered a glowing testimonial from his colleagues in the Faculty of Applied Science, on the occasion of his leaving Montreal for Manchester, Eng., where he will in future reside. The presentation, which took place at the residence of Mr. A. T. Boyer, Essex avenue, was made by Dean Boyer, who wished Dr. and Mrs. Nicholson success and happiness in their new home.

As Consul of Monaco.

Mr. J. L. Coutelle, of the notarial firm of Coutelle & Lamerche, has been appointed consul of the principality of Monaco, in this city, and as he is the first representative that Albert I. has in this country the appointment is equivalent to one of consul-general.

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In consequence, I give PUBLIC NOTICE to all who intend to proceed against any prisoners now in the Common Jail of the said District, and all others, that they must be present then and there; and I also give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and Peace Officers, in and for the said District, that they must be present, then and there, with their records, Rolls, Indictments and other Documents, in order to do those things which belong to them in their respective capacities.

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Wednesday, 7th day of June next.

The chair will be taken at 2 o'clock p.m.

By order of the Board, WM. FARWELL, General Manager.

Sherbrooke, 6th May, 1899.

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DIVIDEND NO. 48.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Four Per Cent. and a Bonus of One Per Cent. upon the Capital Stock of this Institution will be paid on the 15th day of June next, to the holders of the Bank and its Branches, on and after

THURSDAY, the 1ST day of JUNE next.

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

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Bank on Wednesday, the 21st day of June next. The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board, J. R. WILKIE, General Manager.

Toronto, 25th April, 1899.

