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MILITANTS WIN, SUFFRAGE BILL TO BE PROPOSED

LLOYD-GEORGE ANNOUNCES
SUFFRAGE MEASURE FOR
DEBATE IN MAY.

London, April 17.—The Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Right Honorable Lloyd-George, announced in the House of Commons this afternoon, that the Government had set aside May 5th and 6th for debate upon the Women's Enfranchisement Bill.

MILITANT VICTORY.

This announcement was regarded by some as tantamount to a declaration that a Bill granting suffrage to women will be introduced at once and that it will be brought up for second reading on May 5 and 6, when debate will follow.

The introduction of the Bill will, it is stated by suffragists, be hailed as a sweeping victory for the militant suffragettes, and as a surrender on the part of the Government.

SUFFRAGETTE PLOT TO

BURN OUT NEWSPAPER
London, April 17.—A militant suffragette plot to burn the offices of the Standard newspaper has been revealed to Scotland Yard. The police have taken stringent preventive measures.

TRIES TO CUT THROAT

IN MONTREAL STATION

Montreal, April 17.—A young man giving his name as Arthur Christian Swanson, of Rutland, Vt., was taken to Royal Victoria Hospital tonight with a fearfully gashed throat, the result of a determined attempt to commit suicide in the baggage room of the Windsor Station.

MORMON WORKERS STIR UP PASTORS

MONTREAL CLERGY START
INVESTIGATION OF
METHOD OF MISSIONARIES.

Montreal, April 17.—The report that missionaries of the Mormon Church are at work in Montreal, coupled with the fact that large numbers of Mormon converts from Europe are passing through the city on their way to the west, provided cause for the opening today in Montreal of what a committee of city pastors term "The Mormon Peril."

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Farthing is the chairman of the committee, and the convener is the Rev. John Chisholm, Presbyterian chaplain for immigrants arriving in Canada. While the committee has as yet decided upon no plan of action, it has been decided to investigate the reports of Mormon activity in Montreal at once, and a plan may be adopted at a meeting of the committee to be held shortly in the Synod Hall.

At a meeting on Monday afternoon the committee received reports containing data from other countries as to the progress of the Mormon propaganda abroad. The reports were from Norway, Sweden, Germany, Switzerland and even Turkey.

The committee is composed of clergymen representing the Anglican, Presbyterian, Congregational and Methodist churches.

DIES AGED 102 YEARS.

London, Ont., April 17.—Alexander Sinclair, probably the oldest resident of Middlesex county, died today in this city, aged 102 years. He was born in Scotland in 1811 and came to Canada in 1831, settling in Belmont.

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POPE PIUS IS IMPROVED BUT DANGER IS NOT OVER

Physicians Say It Is Impossible To Tell If He
Will Recover, Condition Is Precarious
If He Does

Rome, April 17.—Medical skill and strong vitality have combined to bring about a more hopeful change in the condition of Pope Pius. The official bulletins issued today relieved present anxiety, but there are some who are skeptical and fear a third relapse, owing to the general weakness of the Pontiff and because he is inclined to disobey the orders of the attending physicians. The bulletin issued at 8 o'clock tonight was of a reassuring character. It read:

PASSES GOOD DAY.

"His Holiness passed a good day without fever. This evening his temperature is 98 degrees. The improvement in the bronchial symptoms continues."

Early today the Pope declared that he felt better than at any time since his first relapse. The sun pouring into the chamber impelled him to leave his bed, which he did without assistance. On such occasions it is the Pope's custom to order his attendants out of the room, and they reluctantly obey him, but watch, unobserved, through the half open door, fearing an accident.

Cardinal Merry Del Val, the Papal Secretary of State, visited the Pope this evening, and, having first obtained permission from the doctors, submitted for his signature several decrees on important questions of an urgent character. Pope Pius signed them, and his handwriting was firm and clear and showed no change from his writing before his illness.

The deep concern of the Italian government regarding the illness of the Pope was manifested today when a request was made to those in charge of the case for a statement regarding the prognosis. This met with a declaration that it was pretty nearly impossible to say whether the Pontiff would recover, but that if he did, his condition hereafter might be considered precarious.

Queen Mother Anxious.

Princess Belmont, Lady-in-Waiting to the Dowager Queen Margherita, went to the Vatican this afternoon, where she requested from Mgr. resan detailed information of the progress of the Pope in the name of the Queen Mother, whose most earnest wishes for his recovery she brought. The relations between the members of the House of Savoy and Cardinal Sarto before he was elected Pontiff were always of the most cordial nature. When King Humbert and Queen Margherita visited Venice in 1895 Patriarch Sarto applied for instructions. Cardinal Rampolla, then Papal Secretary of State, answered, suggesting he leave Venice, but left the decision to the Patriarch.

Cardinal Sarto visited the sovereigns and invited them to the Patriarchate, where he sat between them. After a moment King Humbert smilingly asked: "What would Rome say if Rome could see us?" In answer, the Patriarch handed him Rampolla's letter to read, and then added: "But in Venice I am master."

Many Cardinals, high prelates, members of the aristocracy and the grand master of the Knights of Malta also called at the Vatican to make inquiries, and showed great relief at the favorable reports.

Dr. Amici visited the patient twice during the night and administered remedies for the cough, and chloral for restlessness, after which the Pontiff went tranquilly to sleep.

Deny Wild Rumors.

In spite of the official reports, there are reports emanating from other sources that the Pope is suffering from arterio sclerosis and a variety of other diseases, but the doctors emphatically deny this and declare that these reports are comparable with the stories in circulation that Cardinal Oreglia, dean of the Sacred College, had claimed the privilege enjoyed, since the middle ages by the Cardinals of assisting the Pontiff in his bedroom when seriously ill, and that Cardinal Vives Y Tuto visited Pope Pius and compiled his religious will. No such privilege has been claimed, as Cardinal Oreglia is confined to his apartment by gout, and Cardinal Vives Y Tuto is severely affected by cerebral anemia.

Many remedies have been received at the Vatican, and the Pope has been especially touched by the thoughtfulness of the Venetian pharmacist, who attended to the needs of the Patriarch Sarto in Venice. He sent a preparation of his own manufacture, which Prof. Marchisava, after analysis, approved and prescribed.

Arrived at Halifax: Consul Olsson, Trapani; Manchester Miller, Manchester; Conford Chine, Swansea; Niagara, Havre.

BOSTON BOXER CONFESSES TO MANY MURDERS

"YOUNG KID CARTER" ADMITS
KILLING MILDRED DONOVAN AND OTHERS

Boston, April 17.—"I killed Mildred Donovan. That was only one of many murders that I committed. That is all I have to say. What do you think of that?"

This confession was uttered from the dock in the Superior Criminal Court today by William B. Jennings, known in the prize ring as Young Kid Carter, just after he had been found guilty of killing William H. MacPherson, a bartender, on New Year's Day, and had been sentenced to imprisonment for life.

BOASTS OF ESCAPES.

In boasting of the success in evading punishment for his deeds, the prisoner said:

"It was as late as 1910 that I beat the cops at their own game in Jackson, Mich. My pal, Bert Smith, was found guilty of murder in the second degree, but I got out of it. Leave it to me. I was mixed up in lots of other murders but they were in the western part of the country where they have no electric chair, and I can safely say that no man was hung for any of the crimes I committed."

"I place the blame for all my troubles with the police. When I was a little kid they locked me up without any reason, put me in a cell and beat me. They did it many times. If I had been used all right when I was young I would be all right today."

Mrs. Mildred Donovan, of Revere, whom Jennings described in a statement made after court adjourned, as "a pal who would do anything for me," met her death on New Year's eve. Jennings said today that he invited her for a walk and near Holy Cross cemetery, in the Linden section of Malden, strangled her. Her body was found there the next day. "I killed her because I was afraid she would squeal about some of my crimes," Jennings declared.

MacPherson was shot by Jennings during a bar room brawl in a South End Saloon in which the former was bartender. This happened on New Year's afternoon. MacPherson died a few days later, after saying he knew of no reason for the shooting. Jennings gave no reason in his statement. "I just had murder in my heart," he said.

Confesses After Sentence.

The prisoner's declaration in the Court room was not made until sentence had been pronounced, although he had been given the usual opportunity to speak at that time. Just as the Judge was about to order court dismissed Jennings arose in the dock and proceeded calmly with his confession. As he sat down after the brief statement, he looked around apparently to see how his declaration had been taken by those in the room and a moment later was led out by the court officers to be removed to the state prison.

In the detention room he talked to reporters.

"I killed Mildred Donovan," he said. "I confess this to save any innocent parties. She died easy. I choked her for 18 minutes, pressing both my thumbs into her mouth. Mildred died at exactly 7.55 o'clock. I know that, because the bells in the town clock struck 8 o'clock five minutes after she stopped squirming. After her death I was getting ready to make my get-away. See this rain coat? I bought it the next morning for a disguise. See this blood here and here and here? I had this coat on when I shot MacPherson. That is MacPherson's blood. I was just about ready to get out of town when I shot him. But there was murder in my heart."

Jennings said he was resigned to his fate. "I am willing to take anything they give me; even the chair. I do not fear the chair. I have played my cards in luck until today. Now I played the last one. I never did a day's work in my life."

Two new Great Lakes freight services announced to connect Port Arthur direct with Chicago, and Buffalo.

FRENCH MILITARY BALLOON BURSTS FIVE ARE KILLED

"ZODIAC" COLLAPSES AT A
HEIGHT OF 650 FEET, FALLS
TO EARTH.

Noisy Le Grand, France, April 17.—One of the most terrible accidents to a spherical balloon in many years occurred here this afternoon. The military balloon Zodiac collapsed at a height of about 650 feet and fell to the ground with its five occupants, all of whom were killed.

SHRIVELS UP AND FALLS.

The Zodiac, which had a capacity of 1,600 cubic metres, was inflated with ordinary gas and left the Aero Club Park at St. Cloud, with the military aeronauts Captains Clavenad and Denoué, Lieut. De Vaissetot, and Artilleryman Rechy and the civilian pilot Aumont Thieville aboard. Propelled by a strong wind the balloon passed rapidly over Paris and arrived at Noisy Le Grand. Observers suddenly saw it shrivel up and fall. Laborers working in the fields rushed to the assistance of the aeronauts, but had difficulty in extricating them from the vast mass of silk.

Three of the men—Clavenad, Rechy and Aumont Thieville were killed outright. Denoué and De Vaissetot were still breathing. They were placed in an automobile which happened to be passing along the high road and rushed to the military hospital at Vincennes. Denoué died on the way and De Vaissetot died at the hospital.

The exact cause of the accident remains for the present a mystery. The collapse of the balloon was due to a tear in the cover, which apparently was made intentionally.

The theory is that something went wrong with the valve and that one of the aeronauts lost his head and cut the cover, causing the immediate deflation of the balloon.

The log aboard indicates that the Zodiac passed over Paris at an altitude of about 2,500 feet, after which it dropped and then ascended above the clouds. Here the log stops.

Zouaves stationed at Fontenay Sous Bois report that the guide rope was thrown out there. They tried to hold it, but the wind was too strong and they were obliged to let go.

BOSTON GARMENT WORKERS WIN STRIKE DEMANDS.

Boston, April 17.—The last of the garment workers strikes which have paralyzed that industry in this city for the past ten weeks was settled tonight when the 2,500 members of the Men's Garment Workers' Union voted to accept the terms of an agreement reached today. The strikers win practically all their demands. A working week of 58 hours is provided and an increase of wages of at least \$1 a week is given to each worker. The old hours ranged from 54 to 56 a week. A general committee of three representatives of the manufacturers and workers is to act as an arbitration board. Only one firm refused to subscribe to the agreement.

The Men's Garment Workers who settled today were the first of the trade in this city to strike. Their walkout from the shops on Feb. 3 was followed within a few weeks by strikes that affected a total of 14,000 workers in the garment making industry. All these strikes have resulted in concessions to the strikers.

The Weather

Toronto, April 17.—A few local showers have occurred in the western provinces and also in Nova Scotia, but the weather has been for the most part fair throughout the Dominion. It has been cool in eastern Quebec and the Maritime Provinces and mild elsewhere.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

Victoria, 38-68; Vancouver, 38-64; Kamloops, 36-70; Calgary, 36-64; Prince Albert, 40-64; Moose Jaw, 45-63; Qu'Appelle, 40-56; Winnipeg, 46-60; Port Arthur, 36-52; Parry Sound, 28-62; London, 31-63; Toronto, 39-64; Kingston, 36-54; Ottawa, 40-54; Montreal, 34-50; Quebec, 30-42; St. John, 34-46; Halifax, 34-38.

Forecasts:

Lower St. Lawrence: Generally fair with not much change in temperature. Gulf: Moderate winds; fair, not much change in temperature.

DAILY ALMANAC.

Friday, April 18.

108th day of year, 29th day of Spring.

Sun rises 4:52 a.m.; sets 6:37 p.m.; day 13 hours 45 minutes long; increase 5 hours 13 minutes.

Moon rises 4:01 p.m.; sets 3:45 a.m.; moon in perigee, 11 days old.

High tide 3:57 a.m., height 15.8 ft.; 4:21 p.m., height 17 ft.

Low tide 10:50 a.m.; 11:27 p.m.

A year ago today—SS Carpathia arrives at New York with survivors of Titanic disaster.

Anniversary—Great earthquake and conflagration at San Francisco, April 18-19, 1906.

CONSERVATIVES MAKE A GREAT GAIN IN ALBERTA

Liberals Win 33 Seats, Same As In Last House, But Opposition Jumps From Six To Eighteen

HOW ALBERTA'S NEXT HOUSE WILL DIVIDE.

Liberals..... 33
Conservatives..... 18
Independent..... 1
Still to hear from..... 2

THE LAST HOUSE.

Liberals..... 33
Conservatives..... 6
Independent..... 1
Socialist..... 1

The Sifton Liberal Government was returned in the Alberta provincial elections yesterday, but it is cold comfort the Liberal party can take when it sits down quietly to analyze the returns.

From the best sources available at an early hour this morning, it was admitted that the Liberals had won only 33 seats, which is exactly the same number they had in the last House. Of the larger membership due to increased population, the Conservatives apparently won 18 seats instead of the meagre 6 they had in the last House. One riding was won by an independent and from two constituencies returns were completely lacking.

At Medicine Hat, a Liberal Cabinet Minister, Hon. C. R. Mitchell, was defeated outright. Premier Sifton carried his constituency of Vermilion, but by a reduced majority, and he was defeated in his second seat of MacLeod. Attorney-General Cross was also unsuccessful in carrying his second seat of Edson. The Conservatives carried all three of the seats in Calgary and ran well in all the other cities, carrying Lethbridge and breaking even in Edmonton.

CONSERVATIVE GAIN.

Opposition Cuts Down Liberal Majority—One Minister Defeated—Sweep of Calgary.

Calgary, Alta., April 17.—From all

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NEW ZEALAND DEFENCE.

MINISTER COMING HERE.

London, April 17.—The Hon. Col. Allen, the New Zealand Minister of Defence, sails on the Empress of Ireland to-morrow. He will address the Canada Clubs at Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and Winnipeg.

GREEK AVIATOR KILLED.

Saloniki, April 17.—Lieutenant Arghyriopoulos, a Greek aviator, and a passenger, Constantinos Manos, a noted Cretan chief, were killed today by the fall of an aeroplane from a height of nearly 2,000 feet.

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THE GRAND TRUNK.

President Marsh of the Quebec Board of Trade is to be congratulated on his efforts to pin the president of the Grand Trunk Pacific down to something definite as to the intentions of that road so far as it is a matter of Quebec. The chairman of the local body would have us learn these intentions that we in Quebec may make all preparations to fit in with them.

That Mr. Chamberlin is a pretty hard customer to pin down to anything definite is admitted and an illustration of this is to be found in the fact that he made no answer to two of the questions addressed to him. These questions have been put with the object of finding out what proportion of the summer traffic of the G. T. P. is likely to come to Quebec and what facilities in the way of terminals, elevators, docks, etc. are required to cope with this traffic. Also, if the railway has approved of the workshops to be built at the north end of the bridge and if these are ample and sufficient for the needs of the situation.

Mr. Marsh takes up a statement in Mr. Chamberlin's letter to the effect that the Grand Trunk never had any intention of developing ports in the United States and of diverting the traffic of the Canadian West to these ports. These intentions of the Grand Trunk have been voiced so often and so emphatically by accredited representatives of this line in their negotiations with Boston and other ports that Mr. Chamberlin's seeming ignorance of the fact seems rather startling. It is in striking contrast with a letter of Mr. Cy. Warman, publicity agent of the Grand Trunk, which was published in these columns yesterday.

In this letter Mr. Warman says he knows from his own knowledge that President Chamberlin has tried and is still trying to complete the Providence line. He would have us believe that the object of connecting the New England States with the Canadian West is merely for an exchange of manufactured and natural products. But, if this were all, what would be the sense of developing the ports?

Leaving aside the two Atlantic ports in the United States, Portland and New London, we will just recall some words used by Mr. Murdoch, the legal representative of the Grand Trunk, when he announced the intention of the railway to enter Providence a couple of years or so ago and when he was appearing before the Rhode Island Legislative Committee. That gentleman said:—

"Now, as to the advantage of the line. We have at Providence what we believe to be one of the finest harbors on the Atlantic coast. Mr. Hays and his associates believe that when this vast territory—the Canadian North-West—is developed, they will have further need of ports to take care of this vast amount of grain that is coming out of this wonderful country. Besides Portland, they have Montreal, which is closed during a large part of the year. Then they have New London. But they desire an entrance into a port which is in the centre of a large population, which is a growing country, and they desire to extend their line into a country which has the germs of growth within it, and which is already the centre of a large population; and such a community we have to offer. I am authorized to state that, if we can offer adequate harbor facilities, if the improvements now projected in the harbor are carried to completion, that when this line is built we will have a trans-Atlantic service running from Providence to Europe."

This is but one of many like instances. And yet Mr. Chamberlin says that the Grand Trunk never thought of diverting the traffic of the Canadian West to New England ports.

PAPAL POSSIBILITIES.

In these days the passing of one Pope and the coming of another are events only slightly removed. Time was when the Roman Catholic Church was without its supreme head for months and even years at a time. Time was when the cardinals prolonged their conclaves to almost inordinate lengths with the result that the whole ecclesiastical world was long in suspense. Happily those days are past and the election of the new now follows closely upon the death of the old.

The next election of a pontiff will not be marked by such scenes as have arisen in the past. Pius X. has been above all and before all a domestic pontiff. The inner welfare of the church has always been his first consideration. A review of his regime makes it appear that to his way of thinking it has been better at times to appear to lose than to battle and compromise. His policy has been one of quiet defiance rather than that of aggression. Ordinary politics are not likely, therefore, to play any important part in the new conclave's proceedings.

The further fact that the veto power no longer exists will tend to expedite the election. Up to 1904 the governments of France, Spain and Austria, which were supposed to be ever ready to come to the aid of the papacy, enjoyed the rare privilege of being able to prevent the choice of any pope that was distasteful to them. As a matter of fact the story goes that had not Austria objected Cardinal Rampolla would have been pope instead of Pius nine years ago. The former had the necessary number of votes but apparently Germany induced Austria to exercise her veto power. And the man who profited most by this transaction was the man who, with the consent and approval of the Sacred College, abolished the veto power in 1904.

The mere fact that politics will be a very small factor in the election of the next pope makes prediction the more difficult. That the new pontiff is now a cardinal and that he is an Italian is morally certain. Beyond that it is hardly safe to go. For our present purposes there are three classes of cardinals. First there are those who are more than seventy years of age. None of these has more than an outside chance of election. Secondly, there are the new cardinals, young men most of them and only recently elevated. That one of these will be chosen is also virtually out of the question. Thirdly, there are the cardinals who have held office long enough to have proved their calibre and are yet young enough to be of service for many years to come. It is in this last group that we find the probabilities. In it are De Lai, Ferrari, Ferrata, Gennari, Lorenzelli, Merry del Val and Gaspari. Four of them—De Lai, Gennari, Gaspari and Merry del Val—are thoroughly in sympathy with the policy

inaugurated and so successfully carried out by Pius X. If it is decided that this policy is the proper one for the Church to pursue in the future, then one of these will undoubtedly be the man selected. If, on the other hand, it is decided that aggression is to be the policy, then the choice may very well fall on Ferrari, Ferrata or Lorenzelli.

There is still another line of action. The cardinals, though determined on extreme action, may find that the time for aggression is not yet at hand. They may want to spend a few years in peace and preparation for their campaign. In that case they may elect a hold-over pope. Therein will lie the opportunity of Rampolla or the younger Vannutelli. In the unlikely event of a deadlock there will be a further chance accorded these two men. Taken all in all, it is predicting most safely to say that the mantle of Pius will fall on the shoulders of one of the seven in the first list.

G. T. P. GRADES.

Some of the more empty-headed and irresponsible of the Liberal organs in this vicinity still continue their efforts to make the public believe that the Conservatives have done something terrible and hitherto unheard of in making some trifling changes to the Transcontinental grades with the view of securing efficiency and economy of operation. They would have us think that it was a cardinal sin to have a single little stretch where the grade exceeded 4-10ths.

This "tampering" with the grades is no new thing. It was done to a very large extent by the Liberals during their regime. The gradients on which the original Quebec Bridge, that pride of the Liberals, was first built, were 1.00 on either side and the new bridge will of necessity be built to the same grades. The gradient approaching the Quebec bridge from the eastern side, including the Chaudiere bridge, was 1.00 and this cannot be altered.

In New Brunswick in the middle of the division there is a grade of 1.10 that is thirteen miles long against eastbound traffic, and in Quebec in the middle of another division there are eleven miles of 1.10 grade against westbound traffic. Each of these will limit the hauling capacity of locomotives over these divisions to the same extent as if the whole division had been located on these grades.

If the Liberals now think it the most heinous sin to make a change affecting a few hundred yards or a mile or so, what excuse have they to offer for their changed grades of eleven and thirteen miles long?

THE CASE OF WILKS.

Continuing and fast-succeeding fires, explosions and other disturbances of the peace in England on ground that is invariably found covered with suffragette literature convey the impression that women in England believe themselves deprived of their natural rights. Such tactics can hardly fail to create such an impression. But they cannot prove the case as clearly as does that of one James Wilks, recently committed to jail because his wife, who is a suffragette, refuses to pay her income tax.

British law moves in a mysterious way its wonders to perform. Refusing to regard Mrs. Wilks as a responsible person, although in receipt of an income making her liable for the payment of income taxes, it turns, on her refusal to pay any taxes while she is deprived of a voice in government, to a husband who relies upon his wife's income for his own support as a person responsible for the failures of his wife as a taxpayer. Demand having been made upon him for the amount of the tax, his inability to pay has resulted in his imprisonment while Mrs. Wilks, an irresponsible person under the British law, remains at large. Resolutely refusing to release him through a payment of the tax she may now be avenging both him and herself by blowing up railway stations, setting fire to schoolhouses or pouring molasses into mail boxes.

Mrs. Wilks has been trying to get inside a jail and has been insisting that it is she and not her husband who is taxed and refuses to pay. But, while the government is obliged to admit that it is she who has the money and whose name is carried on the tax books, it sticks to British law and says that, though she has the money and has long paid the tax, she is an irresponsible person while her hubby, who has no money and has never paid the tax, is wholly responsible.

Do not let the sad fate of Mr. Wilks obscure for you the still sadder one of Mrs. Wilks. Let the natural rage of a provider and head of a family on finding herself locked out of jail while one of her dependents is locked in to do a vicarious atonement for her illegal acts plead for whatever she may be up to now. If we forget about votes and think only of natural rights we may better understand why Mrs. Pankhurst and the rest are doing things which nobody but themselves can get sent to jail for doing. They may not get votes but at least they are getting one of their rights recognized.

In various parts of the city the employees of the Corporation are busily engaged in patching up some of the wooden sidewalks. The fact that Quebec, with all its handsome stone buildings, has so many of these wooden pavements, many of which are in the poorest condition, is matter for comment for nearly every tourist or stranger that comes here. Surely it is time that there should be a move to have permanent pavements all over the city.

Comment of The Press

English newspapers call attention to the remarkable unanimity of the British Parliament in reference to the European crisis. Sir Edward Grey is able to count upon the friendly support of Mr. Bonar Law, Mr. Balfour and Lord Lansdowne in everything he does to extend British influence abroad and preserve the peace of Europe. Would that like unanimity could be manifested in Canada in matters of foreign policy, including the navy bill now under discussion. —Hamilton Spectator.

In 50 years France has increased only 4,000,000 in population, Germany by 26,000,000. In 70 years French population has increased 20 per cent, German 88 per cent. The German birth rate now has commenced to decline, but Bismarck's dictum, "She is the best mother who gives the country the largest addition to the population," is still observed as a national proverb. —Toronto Mail and Empire.

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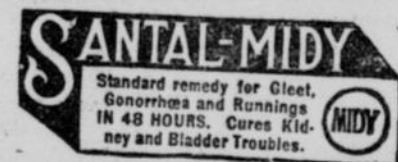
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Quebec, April 5th, 1913.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to four o'clock P.M., on the 30th day of April instant, for the work in connection with the extension to the Chateau d'Eau and the new intake at Lorette, all as per plans and specifications to be seen at this office.

Tenders must be submitted on blank forms, obtainable at this office, endorsed: "Tender for work at Chateau d'Eau," and must be signed by two responsible parties as sureties for the fulfilment of the contract.

The tender will also contain an accepted cheque, payable to the City Treasurer, for the sum of five per cent (5 p.c.) of the total amount of the contract.

The City does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and the contractor shall be required to pay the Corporation notaries their expenses for drawing up the contract, and a notarial copy of same for official use.

By order,

T. A. JARDINE FORRESTER, Consulting Eng. New Water Works.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP CO'Y., LIMITED.

66th DIVIDEND

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend for the year ending 31st December, 1912, at the rate of four per cent (4 per cent) on the Paid-up Capital Stock, has been declared, payable at the office of the Company in Quebec on the 1st of May, 1913.

The Transfer Book will be closed from the 21st April, to the 1st May, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

ARTHUR AHERN, Managing Director. Quebec, March 24th, 1913.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

No. 2378.

DAME LUCIE POULIN, wife of Louis Denis, of the city of Quebec, joiner, issued an action for separation as to property from her husband, on the 28th March instant. Quebec, 29th March, 1913.

Drouin, Drouin, Sevigny, Drouin & Grenier.

Attys. for Plaintiff.

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You could not ask to know more about this Hosiery than that it is the celebrated Pen-Angle Brand, and the special price for a few days in either black or tan Cashmere, in sizes 8½, 9, 9½ and 10, is three pairs for....\$1.40

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We cannot say much about the offer in this small space but the heading tells the story.

Men's Suits of stylish Tweeds in grey or brown, made to order in faultless fashion. Special for a few days..... \$16.00
Sizes over 42 charged a little extra.



Every Woman Should Read This Book

Though it costs only 5c there is more news of genuine interest to women contained in the "Style Book" than in any other magazine we know of. Thousands of women in this city buy it for what it contains, and not because the price is so little, but even if it cost several times five cents they would still want it, and you will want every issue if you read the Summer number.

Men's "Pen-Angle"

Underwear Underpriced

Penman's No. 95 line of natural wool Underwear for men is one of the best known lines in the trade. It is recommended by haberdashers everywhere as one of the best lines of wool Underwear on the market. It is soft comfortable, wears well, and does not shrink.

We are going to sell this line at a special price for a few days.

Medium weight natural wool Underwear, double-breasted. Shirt size 34 to 42, drawers size 32 to 40, all sizes, per garment.....\$1.10

Madam! Let Us Show You These New Spring Coats

The weather is too changeable at this season of the year for you to think of doing without a coat, particularly in the chilly evening air.

Our moderately priced coats combine smartness and utility to a remarkable degree.

The selected styles here described indicate how little you need pay.

A coat of diagonal serge in navy, made with long shawl collar; trimmed with black silk braid. Semi-fitting back, and wide cuffs. Price, only.....\$12.75

A coat in mixed grey Tweed, with loose back and belt. Sailor collar of grey cloth, plain revers and fancy buttons. Moderately priced at.....\$12.00

Coat of blue and white double-faced flannel in stripes; with loose dark grey and black. Made with sack, sailor collar and cuffs, trimmed with fancy buttons. Price only.....\$16.50

Coat of Flannel in checked blue and grey, made in the loose back style, with belt; large collar, revers and cuffs, and fancy buttons. Price only.....\$16.50

Coat of light grey Tweed, with red faced Robespierre collar, and long self revers; made in loose back style. Price.....\$18.00

Full length Coat of whipcord in dark grey and black. Made with large round collar and deep revers; trimmed with black satin. Very smart coat at.....\$19.50



A Kid Glove Sale Of Unusual Attractiveness

Right at the beginning of the season when everyone is buying gloves, and you would least expect to buy them at special prices, we are glad to announce this big bargain event, that will surprise everybody with its low prices. If you are in need of gloves this is a rare opportunity to save considerably on the price.

These Gloves are real Chevreau Kid bought direct from the makers in Grenoble, France. There is a world of meaning in that word "Kid".

Colors are black, white, champagne, tan, grey and navy. Two-dome style.

Sizes 5 3-4 to 7 1-2. The retail values of these gloves are \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair. We will sell them at about the wholesale cost.

\$1.00 and \$1.25 Value for..... **79c**

There is a very brisk demand this season for 16-button-length gloves and here they are at a special price, that will be very welcome to customers who are looking for that style of gloves. These Gloves are in both suede and kid. Colors, black, green, grey and red, not all sizes. Sixteen-button-length gloves of this quality could not be sold for less than \$1.50 a pair regularly.

During this Sale.

\$1.50 Value for..... **79c**



Quilts, Special

Honeycomb Quilts in sky and pink, with knotted fringe all around.
size 54x78 inches, 89c
size 60x84 inches, 99c
size 68x94 inches, \$1.19
White Honeycomb Quilts, in good quality, size 66x81 inches, \$1.49, size 74x92 inches, \$1.69

Stylish Veilings For Spring Wear

Our stock of Veilings is at its very best right now. If you are buying a hat on Friday be sure to see the veilings afterward, and see how one of these new nets will add to the appearance of your hat and costume.

Veilings of brown silk fishnet, with small square and dot. Per yd.....35c.

Veilings of grey fishnet in very pretty pattern with black dot. Per yd.....45c.

Black shadow Veiling in a very attractive pattern with flower effect. Per yd.....50c.

Fine Veiling of silk fishnet in purple, with large squares and finished with edging at each side. This is a very stylish effect. Per yd.....50c.



Black Veiling of fine net, with two folds of silk at the bottom. A special veiling to be worn with mourning. Price, per yd. 50c.

There is Not a Single Unclean Spot In Our Bright, Spacious Grocery Department

The voice of the local press is raised in a praiseworthy agitation against the uncleanness that exists in some stores. We invite the citizens of Quebec—and particularly keen-nosed newspaper investigators—to inspect our scrupulously clean Grocery Department. We doubt if groceries are sold under better conditions in any store in any city on the continent. We sell pure foods only, and sell them in the cleanest manner.

Rola Brand Sultana Raisins, per lb. pkg.....23c.
Cleaned Sultana Raisins, per lb. pkg.....15c.
"Fairy Cakes" Brand Cleaned Currants per lb. pkg.....10c.
Souchong Black Tea, 1 lb. box 40c.
Maggi Soup Tablets, 4 in a tube for.....10c.
French Peas "Soleil" brand, sur extra fin, per tin.....15c.

Granulated Sugar, 10 lbs. for.....48c.
Vermicelli, Hironelle, per lb. pkg.....8c.
Tomatoes, "Fleur de lis" Brand, 3 cans for.....35c.
Sweet Corn, "Fleur de lis" Brand, 4 cans for.....32c.
Peas "Fleur de lis" Brand, 3 cans for.....32c.
Rowat's Pickled Gherkins, 60-oz bottle.....38c.
Real Maple Syrup per bottle.....30c.

Strawberries in heavy syrup, 2-lb. can.....22c.
Libby's Sliced Pineapple, 1½ lb. tin.....28c.
Fowler's Pure Lard, 1-lb. pkg.....19c.
Raw Tomatoes, per lb.....15c.
West Indian Ripe Pineapples, each.....25 & 35c.
Olive Oil Soap, 2½ lb. bar.....28c.
Barcelou's Imperial Soap, per cake.....7c.

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GLIMPSES OF OLD QUEBEC

From the Files of the CHRONICLE, APRIL, 1813 and 1883.

A HUNDRED YEARS AGO TODAY

Letter to Commodore Beresford.
Sir,—As Governor of the State of Delaware and the commander of its military force, I improve the earliest time afforded me. Since my arrival at this place, of acknowledging the receipt of your letter, directed to the Chief Magistrate of Lewis. The respect which generous and magnanimous nations, even when they are enemies, take pride in cherishing towards each other, enjoins it upon me as a duty I owe the state over which I have the honor at this time to preside; to the government of which this State is a member, and to the civilized world, to enquire of you, whether upon further and more mature reflection you continue resolved to attempt the destruction of this town? I shall probably, this evening receive your reply to the present communication, and your determination of executing or relinquishing the demand mentioned in your letter. If that demand is still insisted upon, I have only to observe to you that a compliance would be an immediate violation of the laws of my country, and an eternal stigma on the nation of which I am a citizen; a compliance, therefore, cannot be acceded to. I have the honor to be, sir, your most obedient servant,
JOS. HASLET.

MAYOR STRONG WILL BE GOVERNOR OF ALASKA.

Washington, April 17—Major J. F. A. Strong, of Juneau, has been selected for appointment as Governor of Alaska, to succeed Walter E. Clark, resigned. Major Strong's appointment will be sent to the Senate, possibly tomorrow.

Major Strong is the editor and publisher of the Alaska Daily Empire at Juneau. He has been a resident of Alaska for fourteen years and formerly published newspapers in Fairbanks and Nome. For many years he was a newspaper man in California and Washington. For appointment as governor of the territory he was endorsed by practically the entire territorial legislature and many citizens.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Navigation Open.
As reported in these columns, 30 years ago, navigation from Quebec to the sea is now fully open, and the first schooner for the Saguenay left here a few days ago. Notwithstanding the disappearance of the key of the bridge, the ice which still remains in front of the city acts as a barrier to prevent shipping passing up above the port. The cargoes of schooners loaded with firewood and other produce from below, are landed at the Commissioners Wharf, where supplies are also transferred to canoes for transshipment at the low end of the bridge into schooners which then, await them. Messrs. Beaudet and Chincie are thus shipping away a large quantity of goods to the establishments of Messrs. Price on the Saguenay.

Mind Reader at Victoria Hall.

At this time, thirty years ago, Mr. Stuart Cumberland, before a large audience, in Victoria Hall, gave some wonderful examples of his powers. His Worship Mayor Langheir presided and the committee included amongst others the following gentlemen: Dr. Roy, Dr. Mathews, Alderman Choinard, Mr. George Stuart, Mr. J. Brown, Mr. T. Chase-Casgrain, assisted the professor in his cabinet experiments. Mr. Casgrain, on being blindfolded, lost his watch, just as Mr. Desbats had done the previous evening. It was found by a policeman in Dr. Mathew's pocket amidst loud applause. He also succeeded in removing a bracelet from the arm of a lady thought of by Dr. Mathews, and conveying it to another lady also thought of by Dr. Mathews. This was received with loud applause.

HIGH COST OF LIVING.

Everyone is trying to solve the problem of the high cost of living. Here's a suggestion: Suits, dresses, underwear, etc. for ladies are costly; you can furnish your wardrobe at factory prices if you buy from The Bon-Ton Co., 423 St. Joseph St. Style, cut, quality—you get all that for a very low price. It will pay you to investigate.

UNCLE WALT MASON'S DAILY PROSE POEM

THE IMPOSSIBLE BOY.

I do not wish to go and fish as other lads are going; I'd rather take the spade and rake, or spend the long day hoeing. I'll plant the seeds and pull the weeds where grow the beet and radish, nor yearn at all to play baseball or other pastimes foolish. When I am done, at set of sun, with cabbage, bean and onion, I won't forsooth, read tale of sleuth—I'll read the works of Bunyan. I do not care to see the bear or elephant performing, or watch the clown come tumbling down when up a pole he's swarming. To do my task is all I ask, all day, till light is dwindling. Let other lads distress their dads and in the brook go swimming, with knife on edge I'll prune the hedge and give the trees a trimming. I'll clean the yard which now looks hard, and paint the shed and stable, and fix the fence with zeal intense, and toil while I am able. I do not see how there can be a joy in foolish pleasure; the one best bet is honest sweat, and toil's our greatest treasure.—Walt Mason.

N. Y. POLICEMEN PLEAD NOT GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY

New York, April 17—Police Inspectors Murtha, Thompson, Sweeney, and Hussey pleaded not guilty this afternoon to indictments charging them with conspiracy. The indictments were returned several days ago on evidence obtained by the District-Attorney in his crusade against police graft.

Before the four inspectors pleaded not guilty, their counsel made futile motions to inspect the grand jury minutes and quash the indictments. Simultaneously with the arraignment of the inspectors, the trial of Thomas F. Robinson, a policeman charged with grafting, was begun in the Supreme Court. Robinson is accused of being a collector for Sweeney and is the second man to stand trial in District Attorney Whitman's attack on the "system." John J. Harrigan, another policeman, is in Sing Sing on conviction for perjury.

A Harlem restaurant and hotel owner, L. Tancredi, is the complaining witness in Robinson's trial.

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Chiver's Raspberries, in syrup..... 25c for 30c
Chiver's Strawberry Jam..... 25c for 23c
Chiver's Raspberry Jam..... 25c for 23c
Chiver's Orange Marmalade..... 25c for 20c
Duerr's Strawberry Jam..... 35c for 30c
Duerr's Raspberry Jam..... 35c for 30c
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CITY OF QUEBEC

CITY HALL

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

QUEBEC, APRIL 18, 1913.

Leases of Shops, Stalls, Sheds on Montcalm, Berthelot, St. Peter's Markets of the City and of Stalls on Champlain Wharf.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the shops, stalls and sheds on the divers markets of the city shall be put up at auction and leased from the first day of May next, 1913, to the 30th of April, 1914, at the City Hall, in the rooms of the Finance Department, beginning at ten o'clock in the morning of the days hereinafter named, viz.:

Montcalm and Berthelot Markets, Wednesday, the 16th OF APRIL, INSTANT.

St. Peter's Market and Stalls on Champlain Wharf on Thursday, the 17th OF APRIL.

In the event of the present lessees not paying before the sale by auction all arrears of rent due by them, the said shops, stalls and sheds shall be put up by auction and shall be leased to any other applicant who will then and there comply with the said conditions.

Instructions have been given by the Market Committee to lock up on the last day of April instant, at five o'clock p.m., the stalls that shall not be leased on the days above mentioned.

A notarial lease, containing the conditions will then and there be signed by the lessees and paid by them, with a copy for the corporation.

One month's rent in advance, and the price of the license shall be paid by each of the lessees for each stall prior to the passing of the deed of lease to the notary then and there in attendance in the rooms of the Finance Department.

Possession of premises shall not be given by the city to any person who shall not have previously signed his lease and paid his dues as such, and as long as he shall not fulfil his obligations.

Each lessee shall furnish before the execution of the said deed of lease, and to the satisfaction of His Worship the Mayor, two good and sufficient securities.

The lease of any shop signed by the lessees and their sureties after the adjudication, leases shall be absolutely null and void, and the market committee shall proceed forthwith to grant them to other parties.

The terms of payment and other conditions of the leases will be made known publicly on the spot before proceeding to the sale.

For more ample information, apply to Mr. George Trudel, City Hall.

By order:

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD,

City Clerk.

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CITY OF QUEBEC.

CITY HALL,

City of Quebec,
District of Quebec.

BY-LAW NO. 16c.

Concerning the change of names of Certain Streets.

At a meeting of the City Council of Quebec, held at the City Hall, on the eleventh day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirteen (1913), in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting were present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:

His Worship the Mayor.

Aldermen Berube, Campbell, Cannon, Collier, Dinan, Dussault, Emond, Fiset, Gauvin, Gosselin, Lantier, Lavigne, Lockwell, Madden, Martin, Morin, Pouliot, Trudel, and Verret.

It is ordained and enacted by By-Law of the Council of the City of Quebec and this Council ordains and statutes as follows:

1st—That portion of Boulevard Langelier extending from the summit of the cliff to St. John street, in St. John Ward, shall henceforth be named "De Salaberry."

2d—"St. Cecile" street, in St. John Ward, shall henceforth be called "Martello" street.

3d—"Des Annonces" street, in Palace

HUSBAND WILL NOT
APPEAR IN APPEAL

TREMBLAY UNABLE TO STAND
EXPENSE IN "FOURTH
COUSIN DISPUTE."

Montreal, April 17.—That Napoleon Tremblay, who was able by ecclesiastical decree backed up by the civil courts, to secure separation from his wife on the ground that she was his fourth cousin, will not take part in the Privy Council appeal by his wife against the nullification of the marriage, was announced today by Mr. Paul St. Germain, K. C., the husband's counsel, as extremely probable. Mr. St. Germain said that Tremblay could not stand the legal expenses.

"My client," he explained this morning, "is financially unable to stand the expenses of the trip and of the trial, and as his expenses would certainly not be subscribed by anyone not directly related to him, it is impossible that his side of the case should be represented when the Council meets in November. His attorney, Mr. Lefebvre, of Sorel, has not advised me as to whether the case is to be taken to England, but personally I am nearly certain that it cannot."

Mr. Arnold Wainwright, K. C., counsel and attorney for Mrs. Tremblay, said that this action would not prevent his client's case being brought before the British tribunal. "She has so much at stake in the annulment of her marriage," he said, "that it would be far from right not to give her a chance to plead before the Privy Council. The fact that her husband is not represented will not have any bearing on the presentation of her case, as it is still necessary to prove that the judgment of the Canadian court was erroneous."

Ward, shall henceforth go by the name of "McWilliam" street.

NAP. DROUIN,
Mayor.

Attested,
L. S.

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD,

City Clerk.

No. 26.

CITY OF QUEBEC.

DISTRICT OF QUEBEC,

BY-LAW NO. 26

CONCERNING

HOUSES OF PROSTITUTION.

HOUSES OF ILL-FAME OR

DISORDERLY, OR REPUTED

SUCH.

(Drawn up in the French language.)

At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held on the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen (1913), in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the Statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting were present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:

Present:

His Worship the Mayor.

Aldermen Campbell, Cannon, Collier, Cote, Dinan, Dussault, Emond, Fiset, Gauvin, Gosselin, Guilloit, Lantier, Lavigne, Lockwell, Madden, Martin, Morin, Plamondon, Pouliot, Trudel, Verret.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council doth ordain and enact as follows, to wit:

1. In this present by-law, the words "house of prostitution" signify a house, building, apartment, room, or any premises, in the City of Quebec, kept for the purpose of prostitution, or inhabited or frequented by one or more persons for such purposes, and the words "house of ill-repute or houses of ill-fame" signify every house of prostitution or of ill-repute and also every building, or part of building, or house, ill-famed, disorderly or reputed as such, or known as such, in the City of Quebec.

2. Whomever keeps, inhabits or frequents a house of prostitution, or disorderly house, of ill-fame or reputed as such, in the City of Quebec, is liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars, and in default of payment of said fine and costs, to an imprisonment at hard labour for a space of time not exceeding six months.

3. By-law No. 234 passed by this Council on the 23d of September, 1870, is hereby repealed.

NAP. DROUIN,

Mayor.

Attested,
(L. S.)

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD,

City Clerk.

City Engineer's Office.

CITY HALL.

Quebec, March 13th, 1913.

SIDEWALKS.

All persons owning, occupying or having charge of houses or other buildings or lots of ground in this city, are hereby required and ordered to clear, or cause to be cleared, from snow and ice, the footpaths in front of their respective property, and to have same kept clear of snow and ice from the 22nd instant, until the close of the present winter.

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

W. D. BAILLAIRGE,

City Engineer's Office.

CONSERVATIVES MAKES A
GREAT GAIN IN ALBERTA

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returns received thus far, with some remote polls to hear from which will not change the result. According to the forecast made at 10.20 p.m. by the Morning Alberta (Liberal), the Government has elected 31 members, the Conservatives 13, with two seats deferred and ten doubtful. Premier Sifton claims that a majority of the doubtful seats will go Liberal, and that the next House will comprise 43 Liberals and 16 Conservatives. Leader Michener is of the opinion that later returns will cut down the apparent Liberal majority materially.

Early returns received of to-day's elections throughout the province, says the Edmonton Bulletin, (Ind.), "indicate the return of the Liberal Government by a substantial though somewhat reduced majority. At 10 o'clock returns stood: Liberals, 33; Conservatives, 18; Independent, 1; still to be heard from, 2."

At 10 o'clock this evening incomplete returns for the province give 31 Liberals, 18 Conservatives, and one independent Liberal elected, or probably elected, and four seats so incomplete that no trustworthy estimate can be made. Very few even of the seats given in the following summaries, with the exception of the cities, are anyway complete, and there may be changes. Following is the summary:

Liberals—Acadia, Alexander, Beaver River, Bow Valley, Camrose, Cardston, Claresholm, Cochrane, Coronation, Didsbury, Edmonton (one seat); Gleichen, Grouard, Hand Hills, Lacombe, Leduc, Little Bow, Nanton, Olds, Ponoka, Red Cliffe, Sedgewick, Stettler, Sturgeon, St. Albert, St. Paul, Taber, Vegreville, Vermillion, Victoria, and Wetaskiwin; total 31.

Independent Liberals—Lethbridge, in Warner.

Conservatives—Calgary (3 seats); Edmonton (one seat); Edmonton South, Edson, High River, Innisfail, Lethbridge, MacLeod, Medicine Hat, Okotoks, Pincher Creek, Red Deer, Ribstone, Rocky Mountain, Stony Plain, Wainwright; total 18.

Doubtful—Clearwater, Lac St. Ann, Pembina, and Whitford.

Conservatives Make Gains.

The Opposition had some mitigation in the general defeat, for their numbers both actually and relatively are greatly increased and they scored some notable victories. At Medicine Hat they defeated a cabinet minister outright, Hon. C. R. Mitchell, and they ran well in all the cities, carrying Lethbridge, sweeping the three Calgary seats and breaking even in Edmonton. Premier Sifton's majority in Vermillion is probably reduced as is that of Hon. Duncan Marshall in Olds. The Premier was beaten by a narrow margin in his second seat of MacLeod, and Attorney-General Cross, who headed the poll by a good majority in Edmonton, was also unsuccessful in carrying his second seat of Edson. The Conservative candidate in Rocky Mountain succeeded in defeating the only Socialist member, O'Brien, of the old legislature, the vote being split up.

The Government expects to increase its lead from the seats in doubt and the two deferred elections of Peace River and Athabasca and if these hopes are realized will have a comfortable working majority of about 20. The loss of Mr. Mitchell is keenly regretted and possibly a seat for him may be found.

Rather unexpectedly ex-Premier Rutherford was beaten by 350 in South Edmonton, which is his old seat of Strathcona re-named. While running as an independent Liberal, it was understood that he would have the support of the official Liberal organization.

Hon. A. C. McKay, ex-Opposition leader of Ontario, would certainly have been taken into the Sifton government if he had run second instead of third in Edmonton, where Mr. Ewing, Conservative, captured the junior seat.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

Demand that Japan resort to arms against United States on account of California land legislation is hysterically cheered at Tokio meeting.

J. S. Douglas and S. W. Applewhite, president and secretary of Cananea Copper Co., reported held for \$500,000 ransom in Mexico.

International Harvester Co. agrees to arbitrate on strike at Auburn, N. Y.

THREE FIREMEN KILLED

IN PHILADELPHIA BLAZE

Philadelphia, April 17.—Three firemen were killed and a dozen others were seriously, some probably fatally, injured tonight when they were buried beneath a falling wall at a fire which destroyed the five story candy factory of W. T. Wescott, near the centre of this city. The dead men are Walter Costello, Henry King and Charles Moritz, all members of engine company No. 23.

FLESH POTS TOO MUCH FOR

I. W. W. HUNGER STRIKERS

Denver, Colo., April 7.—The hunger strike which was begun 48 hours ago by sixty of the 100 Industrial Workers of the World who are in jail in this city, ended tonight at supper time. The prisoners went without food for six meals and at supper tonight, practically all of whom renounced their strike agreement and partook ravenously of the bread and water.

Immediately after the strike had been called off Chief of Police O'Neill announced that the regular prison fare would be served the Industrial workers in the future.

BELGIAN STRIKE
IS STATIONARY,
ALSO ORDERLY

GOVERNMENT SHOWING NO
SIGNS OF YIELDING TO DEMONSTRATION.

Brussels, April 17.—The general strike for manhood suffrage is now stationary. In some places work has been resumed, but this is about evenly balanced by additions to the strikers forces.

STRIKE IS ORDERLY.

The movement is being carried on in an orderly manner. There are evidences that the Socialists are exerting themselves strenuously to obtain the adhesion of the municipal workers, and the civic authorities of Brussels have asked that military engineers be placed in the gas and electric plants as a precautionary measure.

There was a lively session of the Chamber of Deputies today. The aged Clerical leader, Herr Woeste, amid a great uproar on the part of the Socialists and Liberals, emphatically opposed any concession by the majority duly elected by the country before the threats of the minority.

The Premier followed but added nothing to his previous declaration, which seemed to indicate that the strike has accomplished nothing towards inducing the government to depart from its uncompromising attitude.

Two sticks of dynamite with detonators attached were found on the road today near Brussels.

PORT OF ANTWERP IS
BECOMING DESERTED

Antwerp, April 17.—The port of Antwerp is becoming more and more deserted. Vessels are not coming here and the cars in the freight yards number about one quarter of the normal. Several freighters sailed today half laden; others were quite empty.

The dock warehouses hold small stores and no goods are coming in. The dock workers are keeping away from the water front and as a consequence there has been no trouble. Even non-unionists dockers are becoming scarce, and at the Hamburg-American dock the loading had to be done by crews.

The hydraulic machinists at the big Berchem telephone factory have joined the strike.

MONTENEGRO READY TO
GIVE IN ON SCUTARI

London, April 18.—A Cetinje despatch to the Express says it is understood that Montenegro is ready to withdraw her troops from Scutari, provided Europe concedes certain territory and guarantees that Scutari will not be fortified. The ambassadorial conference was in prolonged session today. It is understood that it was agreed to offer Montenegro a loan of \$6,000,000, guaranteed by the six powers, as a solatium for the loss of Scutari.

TRANSATLANTIC FLIGHT
IS POSTPONED AGAIN

Las Palmas, Canary Islands, April 17.—Joseph Brucker, whose proposed Trans-Atlantic flight to the West Indies in the dirigible balloon Suchard II, was prevented today by the sudden deflation of the envelope, announces that his departure has been indefinitely postponed. He gives as his reason difficulty in obtaining hydrogen and fear of bad weather.

MANY RAILWAY MEN AT
MR. McCLEARY'S FUNERAL

The funeral of Mr. Robert McCleary, for several years one of the most popular C. P. R. conductors, took place from his residence yesterday afternoon to St. Matthew church, and was attended by a very large number of relatives and friends, among the latter being about 30 railway conductors, a number of whom came by special car from Montreal and Ottawa, while the C. P. R. branch at Winnipeg was represented by one of its prominent officials.

The funeral cortege was preceded by a vehicle containing an exceptionally large number of floral tributes, while a number of railway conductors from all the Levis and Quebec lines, marched in front of the hearse.

The principal mourners were the two brothers, one an engineer from Montreal and the other of Levis, and Messrs. Reid and Fred Atkinson.

Rev. F. G. Scott received the body at the church and read the lesson, and the church choir sang "Rock of Ages" and "Nearer My God to Thee."

At the conclusion of the church service, the body was interred in Mount Hermon Cemetery where it was followed to its last resting place by a very large number of mourners.

Among the C. P. R. conductors who were specially in town to attend the funeral were: Messrs. W. Chester, Winnipeg, D. Howard, A. E. Wright, A. McDonald, A. Hamilton, A. Woodward and J. Wallace, Ottawa; R. Church, J. Flynn, L. A. Lepage, J. Decaire, Montreal, E. Reynolds, A. E. Frenette, E. E. Reynolds, J. Higgins, A. Rousseau, W. Rousseau, P. Ayotte, and O. Frechette.

ADDITIONS TO FAMILY

Jigson—Hear you have had an addition to your family?
Nugson—Yes, two.
Jigson—Twins?
Nugson—No—a baby boy and my wife's mother.

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In union linen, for kitchen, toilet, and bathrooms. Special price 10c.

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LADIES' RAINCOATS.

Ladies' Waterproof Cloth Coats, new spring models, loose back or semi-fitted, all sizes. Value \$6.50.

Friday... \$4.90

LADIES' WAISTS.

White embroidered Mull Waists, in all sizes and very special, at 69c.

Friday, at... 59c

LONG KIMONOS.

Colored Cotton Crepon of new Japanese designs, trimmed with colored silk bias; value of \$2.90.

Friday, at... \$1.98

UNDERWEAR, at 39c.

Women's White Cotton Corset Covers, Drawers, Chemises and Gowns; trimmed with lace and insertions; very special.

Friday... 39c

WOMEN'S UNDERSKIRTS.

Made of good Moirette, brown, grey, navy and black; special value at 98c.

Friday, at... 79c

BOYS' PANTS.

25 pairs separate Pants, made of good tweed mixtures, assorted colors, sizes 27 to 33.

Special for Friday... 49c

CARPETS.

Tapestry Carpets, new designs; value of 75 cents.

Friday, at... 58c

CARPET SQUARES.

Tapestry Squares, assorted colors and designs, 3 x 3½; value \$9.75.

Friday... \$7.58

Axminster Squares, newest floral designs, 3 x 4; regular value \$28.00.

Friday... \$18.90

LINEN TABLING.

Bleached Damask Linen, in new designs and wide width; quality of \$1.00.

Friday, at... 59c

GLASS LINEN.

Blue and Red Checks, extra value and worth 20c.

Friday, at... 15c

DRESS GOODS.

15 pieces of All-wool Poplin, in all shades and black; special 88c.

Friday... 39c

Navy and Black All-wool Cheviots, 44 inches wide; reg. value 85c.

Friday... 59c

OVERCOATINGS.

Ladies Mixed Tweed, in the newest spring shades, diagonal cords, 54 ins. Special, \$2.25.

Friday... \$1.18

SILK AND SATIN.

Two-tone Chiffon Taffetas, all new spring shades; value of \$1.00.

Friday, at... 59c

Black 36-inch wide Paillette Silk, Special 98c.

Friday, at... 78c

36-inch Dress Satins, new spring

shades; value of \$1.50 a yard. Friday... 98c

Homeland Silk, in several new stripes and colorings; very special at 49c.

Friday, at... 38c

BROCADED DAMASK
PORTIERES.

Of a very good value, in green and red. Value \$3.60.

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With polished brass trimmings, 3 x 6. Value \$3.50.

3 x 6; value of \$4.50.

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Inlaid Linoleums, two yards wide, and wide range of new designs; value of \$1.00 a square yard.

Friday... 79c

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Prices: Thursday, \$1.00, 75c. and 50c.
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Horses For Sale

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Mr. U. Gauvin will arrive today with a car of magnificent horses, which will be sold at most advantageous prices.

Estate William Tierney

All parties indebted to the said estate, must settle, and all who have claims must file their amounts within the next fifteen days, in the hands of the undersigned.

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By order of the Testamentary
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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

HARBOR BOARD TO RUSH ITS WORKS

BIG FORCE OF LABORERS WILL
BE PUT ON THE JOB NEXT
WEEK.

The Quebec Harbor Commission has come to a decision to have all works in connection with the department of the port of Quebec pushed forward with all possible despatch, and next Monday, when Mr. Robitaille, the new superintendent of Construction, enters upon his duties, he will have positive instructions to secure all the labor assistance he requires to start in with vigor and get all the results he can for the advertisement of the work of construction.

The President of the Quebec Harbor Commission, Mr. William Price, in a conversation with a Chronicle representative last evening said: "The Commission, desirous of getting good results from now until the close of the season of navigation next fall, has decided to employ all the necessary help, and push forward all branches of work in connection with the development of the port with all possible speed.

"We have fallen behind in the work of late, and are determined to remedy these conditions by inaugurating a system of greater activity and keep it going from now on until the undertakings we have shouldered are completed. Our new superintendent of construction will enter upon his duties next Monday and thenceforth every effort will be made to achieve results.

"There is an immense amount of work that we want done at once, and we intend to employ the necessary labor to do it, and will leave nothing undone, as far as the Commission is concerned, to make all possible progress.

"Besides the principal work of construction for the development of the port. We wish to proceed vigorously with the building of the new freight depot and the car ferry service, which includes the laying of street rails along the river frontage from the Louise docks along Point a Carrey Wharf, past the Custom House, former East Indies wharf to the foot of St. James street, where the car ferry landing will be located. We want also to hurry the building of the new Harbor Commission office.

"In the meantime every effort will be made to proceed with the main works of construction, which include the carrying out to completion of arrangements with the Transcontinental Railway Commission for construction that will be decided upon next week when Major Lessard, Chairman and the staff of engineers connected with the Transcontinental Railway Commission will arrive in Quebec to go over the ground and come to a practical understanding, that will herald the beginnings of important works.

TENDERS WANTED

The Municipality of Cap Rouge will receive tenders up to the 30th April inclusively, for the macadamizing of 2 1-2 miles of roads, according to the description of the Government's "good roads law," the whole under the supervision of an officer from the Department. The Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest nor highest, nor any of them if they wish to do so.

For information, apply to
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Province of Quebec,
District of Beauce.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

No. 250.
Joseph Edouard Morency, merchant, of Ste. Marie, and doing business there alone under the name of F. Morency,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Baptiste Boutin, formerly of Saint Samuel, and now of the United States of America,

Defendant;

The defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

St. Joseph Beauce, 16 April, 1913.

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Attys. for Plaintiff.

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Province of Quebec,
District of Beauce.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

No. 252.

Joseph Edouard Morency, merchant of Sainte Marie, and doing business there alone, under the name of F. Morency,

Plaintiff;

vs.

Joseph Fortier, formerly of Sainte Martine de Courcelles, and now of parts unknown,

Defendant;

The defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

St. Joseph Beauce, 16 April, 1913.

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BIRTHS ADD TO ZOO

AT MONTMORENCY FALLS

Births occurred yesterday in two of Holt Renfrew's Zoological Gardens at Kent House, when a buffalo calf was born from the herd purchased by that firm four years ago from the Corbin Park Co., Newport, New Hampshire. A litter of coyotes was also born.

CARS IN COLLISION

ON ST. LOUIS STREET

Shortly after ten o'clock last evening, a green car from St. Roch's stopped near Ald Campbell's, on St. Louis street, when it was run into by a St. Louis street car. The rear end of the green car, as well as the front part of the red car, were badly damaged, but none of the occupants were injured, although several were shaken up.

200 MEN WANTED

In order to push on the works under construction by the Quebec Harbor Commission, it has been decided to employ a considerable number of additional hands, from the present time, and consequently we are gratified to announce that 200 additional men may obtain immediate employment by applying to the Superintendent on the works. This is evidence of the good faith of the Commission, who do not wait for the approach of an election, but who have at heart the sincere interest of the Port of Quebec, and its immediate requirements.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

In the Recorder's Court yesterday, four prisoners convicted of drunkenness were fined \$10 and costs or a month's jail each. Two others, on a similar charge, one of whom accused the other of stealing money from him were fined \$5 and costs or fifteen days each.

LATEST SHADE TIES.

The very latest "Frost" effect in English Silk Ties have carried from England for J. H. Mullin, they are England's latest creation of smart patterns in Ties.

FIRE IN DWELLING ON

MASSUE ST., LOSS \$500

The firemen were summoned at 6 o'clock yesterday morning for a fire that had broken out in the residence of Ulderice Deslauriers, 12 Massue street. The damage will amount to \$500. The cause of the fire was a defective chimney. The furniture of Mr. Deslauriers, next door to Mr. Deslauriers, was damaged to the extent of \$30.

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MGR. MATHIEU, BISHOP OF

REGINA, TO VISIT QUEBEC

Mgr. S. G. Mathieu, C. M. G., Bishop of Regina, will visit Quebec toward the end of May, and during his sojourn will be a guest of the Seminary. Bishop Mathieu will assist at the silver jubilee celebration of the ordination of His Grace, Archbishop Beign, to the Priesthood, which will take place at the beginning of June.

1913 EXPOSITION.

The actual Millinery Exposition at Faguy, Lepinay & Frere is the most important event of this week in the world of fashions.

FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Following are the bank clearings through Canadian clearing houses for the week ending yesterday, with the comparative figures for the corresponding week of 1912.

	1913	1912.
Quebec	\$ 2,958,314	\$ 3,100,858
Winnipeg	25,581,204	28,512,472
Montreal	55,956,631	52,763,953
Toronto	41,833,706	43,586,585
Ottawa	3,946,098	6,308,632

FOUNDATION FOR GRAIN

ELEVATOR MAKES PROGRESS

The Canadian Stewart Co., Ltd., the contractors who were awarded the contract for the building of the new grain elevator on the north embankment of the Louise docks, for the Quebec Harbor Commission, are making good progress on the foundation work. The pile sheeting to keep the sand from falling back into the excavation is completed, and the excavation, which is to reach a depth of 14 feet, is now half done. The engineer and superintendent of the work expect to be able to start sinking the 5,000 piles at the bottom of the pit, preparatory to laying the concrete, in the course of another week or ten days.

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH OF

CARDINAL TASCHEREAU

Yesterday morning the fifteenth anniversary of the death of His Eminence Cardinal Taschereau was observed at the Basilica by a solemn requiem mass, in the presence of the Taschereau family and a large number of members of the congregation. His Grace the Archbishop, Mgr. Beign, officiated, assisted by Mgr. Marois, V. G. Rev. Abbes F. Masse and O. Turgeon, as deacon and sub-deacon of honor, and Rev. Abbes Duffy and Godet as deacon and sub-deacon.

The main altar was dressed in mourning, and a catafalque, on which rested the Cardinal's hat, worn by His Eminence during his life, was situated within the chancel rails.

The service in memory of Canada's first and only cardinal was most impressive.

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VOLTIGEURS MAKE FINE APPEARANCE

MAJOR GENERAL COTTON
PRAISES 9th BATTALION AT
INSPECTION.

The 9th battalion, Voltigeurs de Quebec, was inspected at the drill hall last evening, by Major-General Cotton, who was accompanied by Lt.-Col. Landry, D.O.C., Lt.-Col. Heward, Lt.-Col. Wurtele, Major Robertson, Major Doull, Major Hill, and Capt. Pope.

The battalion never looked better and mustered 524 of all ranks, only 14 below its strength. The inspecting officer, made a thorough inspection of each company and when this company inspection was completed, the regiment marched past in sections of four and in quarter column, under the command of Lt.-Col. Chabot, and was subsequently put through a number of battalion movements by Major Belleau.

When the inspection was concluded General Cotton called the officers out and after shaking hands with them, congratulated Lt.-Col. Chabot and his officers upon the physique and the splendid appearance of the men of the regiment, which has undoubtedly shown up much better than ever. The marching of the men, as well as their general appearance, was also highly commented upon by a number of local officers and retired officers present, among whom were Lt.-Col. T. Roy, Lt.-Col. E. G. Scott, Lt.-Col. Bacon, Lt.-Col. Laurin, Lt.-Col. Guay, Major Panet, Swift, Rinfret, Paquet and Lavergne.

Sergeant Instructors R. J. Good and H. P. Bilodeau, of the R.C.R., who had been detailed for duty with the regiment since the commencement of the annual exercises and to whom is due, in great part, the present efficiency of the regiment, were also present.

The signal corps and regimental band were also on parade, the latter rendering several musical selections during the evening, and at the conclusion of the inspection, the staff and other local officers were entertained by Lt.-Col. Chabot and his fellow-officers.

The Commanding Officers inspection will take place on Thursday evening next.

The officers of the 9th battalion are as follows:
Commanding officers: Lt.-Col. L. G. Chabot, Majors G. Belleau and J. B. Matter; Captains: P. T. Trudel, F. Blouin, J. A. Beaubien, H. Grenier, P. E. Trudel, S. O. Rivest, and A. Thiboutot; Lieutenants: J. B. Martel, J. N. Francoeur, L. A. Beaubien, L. Plante, J. E. Legare, L. Bouchard, A. E. Routhier, A. J. Laberte, G. H. Duquet, C. Desroches, M. L. Hebert, J. Binet, E. Normandeau, L. Rondeau, J. Chouinard, H. A. Ruelland, E. Dessault and C. Dumais; Instructor of Musketry, Capt. L. A. Beaubien, signalling officer, Lt. J. B. Martel, Quartermaster, Capt. S. J. Myrand; Surgeon, Capt. J. O. Leclerc; Paymaster, Major D. Gendron and Chaplain, Hon. Capt. Rev. A. J. V. Pare.

The 8th Royal Rifles will be inspected this evening at the Drill Hall, when every member of the regiment is expected to be present.
Major-General Cotton, inspected the Armories at the Drill Hall on Wednesday last, and commented very highly in the manner in which they were kept and taking occasion to congratulate Mr. Genest, who has, for years been in charge of the drill hall.

FIND CLUE TO MURDER

AND JEWEL ROBBERY

New York, April 17.—A murder and jewel robbery mystery of a year's standing may be solved, the police believe, through the sworn statement today of George McVetty, a convicted burglar who was brought to court to be sentenced. The automobile bandits who looted the diamond shop of Jacob Jacoby, killing his nephew, Adolph Stern, as they fled, were never apprehended. McVetty declared today that a cell-mate had confessed to him that he instigated the crime, and carried it out with the aid of two men and a hired chauffeur.

The cellmate whom McVetty named is Joseph Taylor, confessed leader of the band of automobile thieves that terrorized a business section of the city for several months. Taylor is a college graduate and former choir boy.

Taylor was brought from the Tombs and confronted with McVetty's statement. He said McVetty had

quoted him correctly but that he told of the Stern murder to the members of his gang as well as to McVetty "to throw a little nerve into them." He was only "chucking a bluff," he said. The police are trying to verify from other sources Taylor's alleged complicity in the Stern murder.

GETS DAMAGES FOR AN INJURY ON STREET CAR

In the Superior Court yesterday, Mr. Justice McCorkill awarded Paul Parent \$133.75 damages against the Q. R. L. H. & P. Co. for injuries caused to plaintiff's knee while traveling on one of the company's cars.

WHOLESALE EXECUTION OF PRISONERS IN MEXICO

El Paso, Tex., April 17.—Bodies hang from nearly every telegraph pole along fifty miles of the Mexican Central Railway below Chihuahua City, report refugees arriving here tonight. Both the federal and insurgent state troops are said to have participated in the execution of prisoners.

In a quarrel over the disposition of silver bullion stolen from a train last

week Juan Bozal, a former Orozco chief, was executed by order of Pancho Villa, whose men held up the train west of Chihuahua City. Bozal had joined Villa in an expedition against the federals.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

NEW MODELS IN MEN'S CLOTHING.

At the Shops of Fashion-Craft, 178 St. John street, and 128 St. Joseph street, the Spring models show some new styles and indicate that London has had more to do with this season's fashions in men's wear than has New York. The rather close fitting coats with natural shoulders will please especially those Quebecers who object to exaggeration in dress, while the tweeds and worsteds are also quite in patterns and colors. Mr. L. Achille Roy, the proprietor, will gladly show the latest samples to any callers—all are invited.

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Latest Sporting News

MONTREAL WINS
OPENING GAMETORONTO CHAMPIONS LOSE
TO NEWARK — BUFFALO
AND ROCHESTER WIN.

The International League opened its season yesterday, the weather permitting all four games to be played. Montreal beat Providence in a ragged fielding game. The Toronto champions dropped their opening game to Newark. Rochester beat Baltimore and Buffalo beat Jersey City, 1 to 0, in a remarkable game, played without error, and with only three hits being made by each team.

For the first day since the opening of the major leagues seasons all the scheduled games were played yesterday.

MONTREAL 6, PROVIDENCE 2.

Providence, R.I., April 17—Montreal took the opening game from Providence here today 6 to 2. The playing of both teams was ragged and erratic. Score:

	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
Gilhooley, cf.	5	1	1	2	0	0
Esmond, ss.	4	0	2	5	4	2
Yeager, 3b.	5	1	1	2	4	0
Allen, rf.	4	1	1	1	0	1
Miller, lb.	3	1	0	9	0	1
Cunningham, 2b.	3	1	0	3	0	0
Demmitt, lf.	3	1	0	2	0	0
Burns, c.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Mattern, p.	4	0	0	0	4	0
Totals	35	6	5	27	17	4

Providence.

	ab.	r.	h.	po.	a.	e.
McDermott, rf.	5	0	1	1	0	0
Enz, 3b.	4	0	0	2	3	1
Shean, 2b.	4	0	0	4	2	0
McIntyre, lf.	4	1	2	3	0	1
Onslow, lb.	4	0	2	10	2	0
Bauman, cf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Omar, ss.	4	0	0	0	2	1
Kocher, c.	4	1	1	3	2	0
Bailey, p.	4	0	2	1	5	1
Totals	27	2	9	27	14	6

Montreal.....300 102 000—6
Providence.....000 100 100—2

Stolen bases: Gilhooley, Demmitt. Sacrifice hits: Demmitt. Double plays: Cunningham to Esmond to Miller. Struck out: By Bailey, 3; Mattern, 2. Bases on balls: Off Bailey, 5; Mattern, 2. Wild pitch: Mattern. First on errors: Providence, 9; Montreal, 8. Time 1:45. Umpires: Carpenter and O'Toole.

NEWARK 3, TORONTO 1.

Newark, N.J., April 17—Newark took the champions into camp in the opening game of the season by three runs to one. Heavy hitting by Myers, Collins and Gagner was the contributory cause of the local victory.

	R.	H.	E.
Newark	100	100	10x—3
Toronto	001	000	000—1

Atchison and Smith; Maxwell and Bemis. Umpires: Finneran and Quibley.

ROCHESTER 8, BALTIMORE 2.

	R.	H.	E.
Rochester	010	100	402—8
Baltimore	000	000	200—2

Quinn and Blair; Shawkey, W. Smith and Egan. Umpires: Mullin and Beirhalter.

BUFFALO 1, JERSEY CITY 0.

	R.	H.	E.
Jersey City	010	000	000—1
Buffalo	000	000	000—0

Fullenweider and Gowdy; McHale and Wells. Umpires: Nallin and Hayes.

National League.

	R.	H.	E.
At Boston	000	000	002 0—2
Boston	000	000	010 1—3

Mathewson and Wilson; Perdue, James and Rariden, Devost.

At Pittsburgh:

	R.	H.	E.
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Pittsburg.....000 003 00x—3

Cincinnati.....000 010 100—2

Adams and Gibson; Suggs, Works and Clarke.

At St. Louis:

	R.	H.	E.
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Chicago.....012 000 121—7

St. Louis.....000 000 001—1

Cheney and Bresnahan; Griner and Wingo.

American League.

	R.	H.	E.
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At New York:

	R.	H.	E.
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Washington.....000 003 105—9

New York.....000 100 002—3

Groom and Henry; Ainsmith; McConnell, Schultz and Sweeney.

At Philadelphia:

	R.	H.	E.
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Philadelphia.....010 100 031—6

Boston.....005 000 000—5

Bender, Bush and Thomas; R. Collins, O'Brien and Carrigan.

At Detroit:

	R.	H.	E.
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Detroit.....130 000 00x—4

St. Louis.....000 000 210—3

Hall and Stange; Leverenz, Stone and Agnew.

At Chicago:

	R.	H.	E.
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Chicago.....020 000 00x—2

Cleveland.....000 000 100—1

Scott and Schalk; Mitchell, Kahler and Land, O'Neill.

Keokuk, Iowa, April 17—Jerry

Harrington, once catcher for the Cincinnati "reds" and also for the Louisville team, died today from the effects of a blow alleged to have been delivered by Tom Merritt, a negro, on April 1. The negro claims self-defence. He is under arrest.

LACROSSE PEACE
IS NOW IN SIGHT"BIG FOUR" HOLDS MEETING
AT TORONTO — PLAYERS
STATUS SETTLED.

Toronto, April 17—The Big Four, otherwise the Dominion Lacrosse Association, held a combination meeting today, transacted much of their own business, including the adoption of a schedule, and in addition had a conference with Con Jones and Lionel York, representing the British Columbia interests in the game. Everybody seemed satisfied at the conclusion of the deliberations, and Jones and York left for home tonight assured that the settlement of troublesome questions had been reached and all danger of disruption passed.

What was done here to-day will be presented at a meeting of the Coast clubs to be held in Vancouver on April 26th, and the arrangement seems to be one with which New Westminster can hardly find fault. An important point of agreement was that all of last year's players are to be regarded as the property of the clubs with which they played. This disposes of the Lalonde case and all others, though there is nothing to prevent mutual arrangements or deals for players, and one was completed today which gives the two Macs—McGregor and McDougall—back to the Tecumsehs from Vancouver, and strengthens Charlie Querrie's team in the right spots.

There will be no salary limit, but with players tied up to the clubs under this provision a holdout can not look elsewhere for backing in demands for a wage that the club is not prepared to give. The question of limiting the number of players to be held by each club was not disposed of, but stands for further consideration.

The application of Ottawa for admission was supported only by the Nationals, and as a unanimous vote is required for admission, nothing came of it.

The Irish-Canadians will play this year on the Montreal baseball grounds at Atwater avenue, and the schedule, which was adopted in the main today, will not be made public until the dates have been clearly arranged. In addition to any trophy that may represent the championship the association will provide from its funds a trophy or individual mementoes for the winners each year.

At the close of the season exhibitions will be arranged between the East and the West.

President Percy Quinn occupied the chair, and the representatives in attendance were:

Toronto—R. J. Fleming, J. V. Mc-Aree, Fred Hubbard, E. Uthegrove.

Tecumsehs—Lol Solman, Charles Querrie, Fred Hamblly.

Nationals—A. Caron, J. Cattarinich.

Irish-Canadians—George Kennedy, H. Bisailon.

British Columbia—Con Jones, J. T. Hewitt, Lionel York.

NATIONAL COURT TENNIS.

New York, April 17—In the second round of the National Court Tennis championship in doubles at the Racquet and Tennis Club today, Chas. E. Sands and J. B. Low, of New York, defeated Philip Stockton and D. P. Rhodes, of Boston, three sets to two. The scores were: 6-2, 6-5, 4-6, 2-6, 6-3.

T. H. Frothington and R. Ganbrill, of Boston, forfeited to M. S. Barger and Payne Whitney, of New York.

The semi-finals will be played to-morrow.

AMERICAN-AUSTRALIAN
TENNIS MATCHES IN JUNE

New York, April 17—Plans for the matches between the American tennis players and the Australian team in competition for the Dwight F. Davis international challenge cup, which will begin here on June 6th, were completed today. The matches will be held on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club. Accommodation for 6,000 spectators will be provided.

Contrary to the custom in previous matches, it was announced, the singles will be played one following the other, instead of simultaneously.

R. D. Wrenn, president of the American tennis governing body, acting for the international committee today, authorized exhibition competitions to be held between American and Australian players after the arrival of the latter in San Francisco on April 25. The cities fortunate in securing these competitions are San Francisco, Omaha, Chicago, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Boston, Rockaway, Piping Rock, Westchester, N.Y.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Buffalo	1	0	1.000
Montreal	1	0	1.000
Newark	1	0	1.000
Rochester	1	0	1.000
Baltimore	0	1	.000
Jersey City	0	1	.000
Providence	0	1	.000
Toronto	0	1	.000

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Brooklyn	2	1	.667
Chicago	3	2	.600
Pittsburg	3	2	.600
St. Louis	2	2	.500
Boston	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
New York	1	2	.333
Cincinnati	1	3	.250



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our agencies will satisfyHOFFMANN WINS IN
VIRGINIA HANDICAPOVERCAME HIS AVERSION FOR
HEAVY GOING AND ROMP-
ED IN FIRST.

Norfolk, Va., April 17—Hoffman, overcoming his well known aversion for heavy going, took the feature at Jamestown today, the Virginia Handicap. Ashe's bay had quite a following, though Col. Cook was regarded as the classiest horse in the race, but was so heavily handicapped that he had not a chance. The dopesters had figured out that El Oro and Woodcraft would have to fight it out, and as King Dods gelding has rounded into perfect form he had a lot of friends. Blue Mouse has been figured as a good third in the last fixture, but Harry Hermann's Daughter justified her supporters by landing out in front, while the pair tought on form to win, Hedge Rose and Lord Elam led the also rans.

York Lad was the favorite of a rather common lot in the first race and won over Touch Me, a rank outsider in the ring. Queen Bee was regarded as absolutely sure of the second race, but she did not even figure in the money, while Cutie B. surprised even her friends by taking the third race. Fairy Godmother had been regarded as a possible contender, but her win was hardly expected even by those who risked their money on her in the fifth. The event was the most open of the day and there were no short odds on any of the entries.

KILBANE AND DUNDEE
TO BATTLE APRIL 29.

Los Angeles, April 17—Articles of agreement for the featherweight championship Kilbane-Dundee fight at Vernon, April 29, were signed today by the fighters' managers. It was agreed the men should weigh 122 pounds at 9.15 o'clock the night of the contest, and be in the ring fifteen minutes later.

The champion's manager said a fight with Jim Driscoll, the featherweight champion of England, was in prospect if Kilbane won from Dundee.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	3	0	1.000
Washington	2	0	1.000
Chicago	5	2	.714
Cleveland	3	3	.500
St. Louis	3	4	.429
Detroit	2	4	.333
New York	1	3	.333
Boston	1	4	.250

BASEBALL TODAY.

International League.

Montreal at Providence.
Toronto at Newark.
Buffalo at Jersey City.
Rochester at Baltimore.

National League.

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.
Chicago at St. Louis.

American League.

Boston at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Cleveland at Chicago.
Washington at New York.

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CAZEUX WINS
IN SLOW BOUTVINCENT NO MATCH FOR THE
FRENCHMAN AND CONTEST
LOOKED FISHY.

There was a poor attendance at the Princess Theatre last night to see the wrestling match between Cazeaux and Vincent and the brand of wrestling was about the same as the attendance. All things considered, the game got a pretty black eye, and if any more bouts are staged here, they will have to be productive of better stuff than the audience had to put up with for more than three-quarters of an hour. The only redeeming feature of the evening was the good showing made by Audet, a local man, in one of the preliminaries.

Whatever suspicions one may entertain about the wrestling game in general, last night's celebration was almost too much for anyone to swallow. In spite of the negro's cleverness and strength he is apparently no match for the Frenchman, and it looked as though the latter could have pinned him to the mat at any moment that he wished. Certainly he had chance after chance to do so if he had followed up his advantage.

To do them justice the two men seemed to try to give the public something to justify the price of admission. They were allowed to slap each other's faces whenever they liked and when Vincent tried a little ingighting or made a bluff at doing so Cazeaux created a very mild diversion by threatening to instruct him the tricks of the savate. Cazeaux also worked off a few of his stock gallery stunts in the rough-house line, and made a very credible display of suffering excruciating agony when Vincent tried a toe hold from which he could probably have freed himself with east by a little kick.

But in spite of all these heroics, it was a dull procession, and it is entirely to be hoped that the next will be somewhat more lively.

Two preliminaries were staged, the first at 105 pounds, between Lapointe and Plante. This was not exactly a thrilling exhibition as the latter was much too weak for his opponent who took two straight falls from him in short order.

The next match was far more exciting. It was between Binet and Audet. The former looked much taller and stronger than Audet, but the latter was very deceptive and succeeded in downing his man twice in less than nine minutes, showing considerable coolness, cleverness and strength. He should be heard from again.



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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**
Tender for Railway Ties.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Ties," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon of the 15th day of May, 1913, for 30,000 Second Class Ties, in accordance with the Specifications of the Commissioners, delivered in the Quebec Yard of the Railway, and piled where directed by the Engineer.

The Specifications and full information may be obtained on application to Gordon Grant, Chief Engineer, Ottawa, or A. E. Donnet, District Engineer, Quebec.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered Bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, for a sum equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By order,
P. E. RYAN, Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway.

Dated at Ottawa, April 11th, 1913.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Commissioners, will not be paid for it—39884.

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DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE SALE OF OLD STORES.

UNDER the direction of the Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence, certain old stores and junk as follows, viz:

1278 lbs. old brass.
818 lbs. old Canvas.
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108 lbs. old wrought iron.
384 lbs. old scrap steel.

and other condemned stores, including 17 saddle blankets, 245 general service blankets, 96 lbs. white worsted, 177 lbs. woolen rags, etc., etc., in possession of the Senior Ordnance Officer, No. 4 Division, Montreal, are for sale by public tender.

These stores may be seen on application to the Senior Ordnance Officer, 274 St. Paul street, Montreal, any day between the hours of 10 a.m., and 4 p.m., Saturdays, and Sundays excepted.

Sealed tenders for the purchase of any, or all, of the lots, addressed to the Senior Ordnance Officer at the above address, the envelope marked "Tenders," will be received until 12 noon on Monday, 21st April, instant.

The Department does not bind itself to accept any tender.

Terms—Cash.

The goods to be removed within 7 days from date of purchase.

EUGENE FISET, Colonel, Deputy Minister.

Department of Militia and Defence.

Ottawa, April 5, 1913.

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H.Q. 96-37-6.—39592.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 23rd May, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, over the rural mail route No. 1, from Chicoutimi and Grand Baie, Quebec, from the 1st July next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Chicoutimi, Grande Baie, Bagotville, Riviere du Moulin and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Quebec.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent.

Pose Office Department,

Mail Service Branch,

Ottawa, April 5th, 1913.

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MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 23rd May, 1913, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week each way, between St. Casimir and St. Ubalde, from the Postmaster-General's pleasure.

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G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent.

Pose Office Department,

Mail Service Branch,

Ottawa, 8th April, 1913.

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NEW ENGLAND WEATHER.

Washington, April 17.—Forecast: Northern New England; Fair and somewhat warmer Friday; Saturday fair; moderate variable winds becoming south.

FIGHT ON TARIFF BILL IN SENATE

REPUBLICANS GET READY TO
OPPOSE ALL SCHEDULES—
WOOL LIST STANDS.

Washington, April 17.—The Democratic tariff revision bill came in for its first attack in the Senate today, and the skirmish outlined the scope and vigor of the fight that will be made against it by Republican political forces when the discussions begin in the two houses. Backed by requests from many interests for hearings on certain sections of the Underwood bill, Republican senators made a demand upon members of the Finance Committee for hearings, and openly attacked the "secret legislation" now going on in the Democratic caucus of House members.

Democratic Senators who replied to the attack made it clear that the Finance Committee does not plan to grant any public hearings. Senator Williams and Stone insisted full hearings had been given by the House committee before the bill was prepared, while Republican Senators declared that these hearings had been of little value because the rates of the Underwood bill were not then known.

With many complaints and objections before them, Republican members of the Senate are preparing for a general attack on all schedules of the bill. Senator Smoot has put two experts at work to analyze the Underwood bill and previous measures, to give the protectionist forces a basis for their fight. Other republicans, who claim that important industries would be wiped out by the Underwood bill, will again insist that business men and laboring men should have an opportunity to be heard before the new bill is passed.

Woolen Schedule Stands.

The Democratic House caucus worked over the Underwood bill throughout the day, upholding the Democratic House leaders and President Wilson upon all contested points.

The woolen schedule was under fire throughout today's session. Attempts to put ready-made clothing on the free list, and to alter other rates in the bill, were defeated.

Late in the day, after the wool schedule had been approved without change, the caucus disposed in short order of the silk, pulp and paper and sundry schedules, voting down all proposed amendments. The free list was under consideration when the Democrats adjourned until tomorrow.

Representative Underwood admitted during the wool schedule discussion that the proposed rates might have a serious effect upon some manufacturers.

Representative Bathrick of Ohio moved to place manufactured wool and clothing on the free list, instead of dutiable at 35 per cent ad valorem as proposed. The amendment was voted down 68 to 99. Another motion by Mr. Bathrick to reduce the duty on ready-made clothing to 15 per cent was also lost.

Representative Decker, a new member from Missouri, criticized the Ways and Means Committee and other members of the House, declaring that the new men were not given ample opportunity to express their views. Representative Thomas of Kentucky replied that new members, if they had superior knowledge about tariff rates, should come forward with their information rather than criticize the committee.

Defends President Wilson.

Commending President Wilson for his part in the making of the tariff bill Mr. Thomas said:

"This city has been besieged by lobbyists, corporation lawyers and manufacturers who came here telling this committee what they thought ought to be done with the tariff. Members of congress have told the committee what they thought. I want to say to you that the President of the United States has just as much right as any other citizen to tell what he thinks and out of 4,000 times, he only expressed his opinion on two."

When the free list was reached the attendance of the caucus had dwindled to a few members. An amendment proposed by Representative Bartlett of Georgia, placing phosphoric acid on the free list was passed with little opposition. The committee had fixed the duty of two cents a pound. Representative Bartlett argued that phosphoric acid was used in the preparation of fertilizer and to tax it would raise the price of fertilizer to the farmer. This was the second change in the bill since the caucus began its consideration a week ago, shoe machinery having been the other items.

The caucus will complete the free list discussion early tomorrow and then take up the income tax. It will finish the bill this week and will probably report it to the House next Monday.

QUEBEC APPEALS IN MAY

BEFORE SUPREME COURT

Ottawa, April 17.—In the Supreme Court today it was ordered that in the May sessions, which begin May 6, the appeals from the Province of Quebec should be heard first.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Steamer arrivals April 17th:

New York: Majestic, Southampton;

Koenig Albert, Genoa.

Portland: Cymric, Liverpool.

Liverpool: Haverford, Philadelphia;

Ultonia, Boston.

London: Corinthian, St. John, N. B.

Bremen; Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm.

New York.

Naples: St. Paulina, New York.

St. John, N. B.: Oceana, West, I.

dian ports.

WAYMAN MORTALLY WOUNDS HIMSELF

FORMER STATES ATTORNEY
OF CHICAGO BROODED
OVER ILL HEALTH.

Chicago, April 17.—John E. Wayman, former States attorney for Cook county, fired two bullets into his body at his residence today and is lying at the point of death. The cause ascribed was a nervous breakdown, due to ill-health.

Wayman had but recently retired from office and had gone into a law partnership with a former assistant. He had been conspicuous during his term of office in the prosecution of men accused of bribery in connection with the election, later declared void, of William Lorimer, as United States Senator, had been active at the close of his incumbency in closing the vice district in Chicago and had undergone a strain in an unsuccessful campaign for the Republican nomination for Governor.

For several weeks his physician had warned him that unless he quit work entirely he would undoubtedly die. Yesterday he sought a physician at a hotel and received similar advice. He became greatly discouraged and went to a hospital. He remained at the institution two hours and then went home, where he passed a sleepless night. He arose this morning but did not dress, lying about the house all day clad in a bath robe.

Later in the afternoon he turned a revolver upon himself, sending two bullets into his body below the heart. The first completely severed the spinal cord, the second took effect lower down.

Efforts of the family to conceal the facts of the attempted suicide resulted in the spread of sensational rumors that Wayman had been assassinated by some criminal whose disfavor he had earned during his work as States attorney, but these were afterwards disproved.

The physicians tonight held out no hopes of Mr. Wayman's recovery.

TORONTO MAY BUY TRAMS AND LIGHTS

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PROBABLE COST WILL
REACH \$21,000,000.

Toronto, April 11.—It took the city council thirty minutes this afternoon to endorse the following recommendation of the Board of Control that permissive legislation should be secured in order that advantage may be taken of the willingness of the Toronto Street Railway and the Toronto Electric Light Companies to sell their properties:

The Board recommends that an application be made to the Ontario legislature at its present session for an act to empower the city, upon the favorable vote of the municipal electors, to purchase the assets of the Toronto Railway Company and the Toronto Electric Light Company."

The recommendation was introduced by Controller Church, who explained that it was simply a measure to enable the city to go on with the negotiations that have been inaugurated for the purchase of these properties.

Immediately the council resolved itself into committee of the whole. Mayor Hocken said the recommendation had been brought forward rather hurriedly, owing to the necessity of securing legislation before the closing of the session tomorrow. It was only last Tuesday, said the mayor, that he had been convinced of the possibility of carrying out a deal between the railway and the city.

Probable Cost \$21,000,000.

Proceeding to deal with the basis upon which it was possible for the city to secure the companies, Mayor Hocken stated that what has been agreed upon as a starting point for the negotiations was the price of 160 for the street railway stock and 135 for the electric light company stock. This latter price was the same that the city had offered to the company two years ago. If Toronto pays 160 for the railway stock, said the mayor, it can be shown that the city is paying more, perhaps, than the exact figure of the value of the assets of the company, but there are many other things that enter into the deal. Questioned by Alderman Risk as to what this figure would mean that the city would have to pay for the railway, the mayor said that he had computed it, with the price of the bonds, at \$21,000,000.

The mayor stated that there are many details to be considered that he would not do to make public, the mention of which would embarrass the course of the negotiations. He hoped in one month, perhaps, at the outside in two months, to be able to bring before the council the complete result of the negotiations and to place before them a concrete offer from the companies. In the meantime, he appealed to the council, to the citizens and to the press not to insist upon a more detailed statement of the negotiations, pending their completion, when he hoped with the assistance of the Board of Control to be able to give the widest possible publicity to the proposals in such a manner that the citizens could consider them in every detail.

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Let the pilotage be absolutely free. Not only not compulsory but Government pilots furnished free to vessels requiring pilots, or a merest nominal fee might perhaps be charged.

What after all do the pilotage charges collected amount to as compared with the enormous sums the country is annually expending to ensure the safety of the St. Lawrence route? The Government at present assumes the expense of tenders at Father Point, superintendents, etc. Why not make a clean sweep and supply pilots as well? It will, I think, come cheaper than going into the insurance business in opposition to Lloyd's.

I think it would be found that 15 or certainly 20 men, could perform the service satisfactorily, as all the liners would undoubtedly, as at present, select and employ their own pilots rather than take chances on the "Tour de Role." This would simply leave the tramp steamer to be provided for, and we already have too few of these.

By all means let it be known to whom it may concern that the great and mighty St. Lawrence is the safest and freest waterway in the world. This is in the interest of the whole Dominion.

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SYNOPSIS OF REGULATIONS.

GOVERNING Timber on Dominion
Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan,
Alberta, the Northwest Territories,
the Railway Belt in the Province of
British Columbia, and the tract of
Three and a Half Million Acres Lo-
cated by the Government of the Do-
minion in the Peace River District
in the Province of British Columbia.

LICENSES.

A license to cut timber on a tract
not exceeding twenty-five square miles
in extent may be acquired only at
public auction. A rental of \$5.00 per
square mile, per annum, is charged
on all timber berths excepting those
situated west of Yale in the Province
of British Columbia, on which the
rental is at the rate of 5 cents per
acre. In addition to rental, dues are
charged on the timber cut at the rates
set out in section 20 of the regula-
tions.

TIMBER PERMITS AND DUES.

Permits may be granted in the Pro-
vinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and
Alberta, to owners of portable saw
mills, to cut over a definitely describ-
ed tract of land not exceeding one
square mile in extent, on payment of
dues at the rate of 50c per thousand
feet B.M., and of a fee at the rate of
\$100.00 per square mile for each per-
mit.

TIMBER FOR HOMESTEADERS.

Any occupant of a homestead quar-
ter-section having no timber of his
own suitable for the purpose may,
provided he has not previously been
granted free allowance of timber, ob-
tain a free permit to cut the quantity
of building and fencing timber set out
in Section 50 of the Regulations.

W. W. CORY.

Deputy Minister of the Interior.

LA BANQUE NATIONALE

NOTICE.—On and after Friday,
the second day of May next, this
bank will pay to its shareholders a
dividend of two per cent (being at
the rate of eight per cent per annum)
upon its paid-up capital, for the three
months ending on the 30th April
next.

The transfer book will be closed
from the 16th to the 30th April next,
both days inclusive.

The annual meeting of the share-
holders will take place at the bank-
ing-house, Lower Town, on Wednesday,
the 21st May next, at three o'clock
p. m.

The powers of attorney to vote
must, to be valid, be deposited at the
bank five full days before that of the
meeting, i. e., before three o'clock p.
m., on Thursday, the 15th of May
next.

By order of the Board of Directors,
N. LAVOIE
General Manager.
Quebec, 18th March, 1913.
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return trip at 4 p. m. The steamer
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wharf and will stop at Ste. Petronille
both going and coming.

GASPE STEAMSHIP LINE.

SS. LADY OF GASPE, Captain
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SHIPPING NEWS

DIRECTORY OF OCEAN

SAILINGS.

Date of Sailing with ports of departure and
arrival, compiled for the Chronicle by F. S.
Stocking, General Steamship Agents, 32 St.
Louis Street, Quebec.

Ship	Port of Departure	Port of Arrival
16 R. Edward	Halifax	Bristol
17 France	New York	Havre
18 Scandinavia	Portland	Glasgow
19 Scythia	St. John	Halifax
20 Baltic	New York	Liverpool
21 Emp. Britain	Halifax	Liverpool
22 W. Washington	New York	P. C. & S.
23 Canada	Portland	Liverpool
24 Corsican	St. John	Liverpool
25 Ascania	Portland	Liverpool
26 Carmania	New York	Liverpool
27 Caledonia	New York	Glasgow
28 Majestic	New York	P. C. & S.
29 St. John	New York	Med.
30 Minerva	New York	Med.
31 Zealand	New York	Antwerp
32 Kr. W. Der G.	New York	P. C. & S.
33 Cymric	Boston	Liverpool
34 Rotterdam	New York	Rotterdam
35 Mauritania	New York	Liverpool
36 La Province	New York	P. C. & S.
37 Cincinnati	New York	Glasgow
38 Letitia	St. John	Halifax
39 Adriatic	New York	Liverpool
40 Lake Manitoba	St. John	Liverpool
41 Mercur	Portland	Liverpool
42 Virginian	Halifax	Liverpool
43 Columbia	New York	Glasgow
44 Oceanic	New York	P. C. & S.
45 Canonic	Boston	Med.
46 Saxonia	New York	Med.
47 Minnetonka	New York	London
48 Finland	New York	Antwerp
49 Kr. Wm. H.	New York	P. C. & S.
50 Rotterdam	New York	Rotterdam
51 Koenig Albert	New York	Med.
52 Kr. Aug. Vic.	New York	P. C. & S.

Notes: Abbreviations: P., Plymouth; C.,
Cebu; B., Bremen; S., Southampton; H.,
Hamburg; P., President of Prince; Wm.,
Wilhelm.

C. P. R. LINE.

R. M. S. Empress of Britain leaves
St. John for Liverpool via Halifax,
this afternoon, with passengers and
general cargo.

Steamer Lake Manitoba left Liver-
pool on Wednesday afternoon for
Quebec, with passengers and general
cargo.

Steamer Milwaukee left Caletto
Bueno yesterday, with a cargo of
nitrate for Montreal.

MANCHESTER LINE.

Steamer Manchester Commerce left
St. John for Manchester yesterday
morning.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP COMPANY
Steamer "Parima," sailed from St.
Thomas, W.I., for New York, at 3
o'clock last Wednesday afternoon.

WHITE STAR-DOMINION LINE.

Steamer Dominion, from Portland
for Liverpool, was reported 95 miles
West of Fastnet at 7 p. m. on Wednes-
day, and is due in Liverpool early
this morning.

Steamer Megantic, from Liverpool,
was reported 1,020 miles east of Hal-
ifax, at 9 p. m. on Wednesday, and is
due in Halifax on Saturday after-
noon and Portland on Sunday even-
ing.

LEFT FOR QUEBEC.

Steamer Sokoto, Captain Pierce,
from Mexico, with a cargo of as-
phalt, left Louisburg, C.B., at 6.30
a. m., yesterday for Quebec and Mon-
real.

DOWN FROM SOREL.

Tug Sim-Mac, Captain Leggo, arrived
from Sorel at 3.30 p. m. yesterday.
She is on her way to Summerside,
P.E.I., to tow up a dredge. Captain
Leggo says he left Sorel at 5 o'clock
yesterday morning, and found the
channel clear of ice, except at Port
St. Francis, where he had some trou-
ble with it. There is ice on the beach
at both sides of the river, but it does
not interfere with navigation, except
at the place mentioned. The captain
does not think that all the buoys
would be laid down from Montreal
before next week.

DUE THIS MORNING.

Steamer Knutsford, Captain Butlin,
passed Cape Salmon at 3.00 p. m. yes-
terday, and is due here this morning.
She is from Lonsburg, with a cargo
of coal, and will discharge in the
Louis dock.

"RIGHT" AND "LEFT" IN

THE U. S. NAVY.

Washington, April 17.—An order
was issued today by Secretary of the
Navy Daniel, abolishing the terms
"port" and "starboard" in the navy
in steering vessels. "Right" and "left"
are to become the official usage.
Simplicity and clearness are the
objects sought. Under the new order
the motions of the wheel, the rudder
and the ship will correspond.

The change was recommended by
Rear-Admiral Schreiber, former com-
mander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet,
and was approved by the General
Board of the Navy, of which Admiral
Dewey is the head.

MONTHLY SERVICE TO CALAIS

The Robert Record Company an-
nounce a monthly service to Calais
by vessels of the Thompson Line,
throughout the coming season. The
first sailing from Canada will be
made by the Devona, scheduled to
leave here on May 15, to be followed
by the Cairnro, on June 10. Grain
and general cargoes will be carried
by the Thompson liners to Calais, and
it says much for the excellence of
Canadian-grown grain that there
should be any market for it in
France, for the duties on almost

every species of imported grain are
there very high.

WEST INDIA MAILS CONTRACT

Although the contract for the car-
riage of the mails between Canada
and the West Indies has been award-
ed to Pickford and Black, who will
maintain a fortnightly service be-
tween Halifax, St. John and the Brit-
ish West Indies, the Montreal Board
of Trade, as previously announced,
will continue the agitation to have
Montreal made the terminal port dur-
ing the summer months in future
years. The chance of the Board of
Trade attaining its object would be
enhanced if opinions on the merits of
the question were not so divided,
even in commercial circles here. Many
of the fruit importers do not consider
there should be anything gained by a
direct service to Montreal, in spite of
the fact that it would prevent con-
siderable extra handling of a perish-
able commodity. Some representatives
of local steamship lines also state
that they consider Halifax is the pro-
per terminal port for the service,
which apart from the merits of the
question, at least shows that they take
a broad view of the question which is
calculated to make strong appeal to
local sentiment. But diversity of
opinion is not an encouraging factor
from the standpoint of those, both in
Montreal and the British West In-
dies, who think the claims of this
port are well founded.—Montreal
Gazette.

GENERAL NOTES

Steamer Inishowen Head left Lon-
don on the 10th inst., for the St. Law-
rence.

There is now a clear channel all
through the river St. Charles.

Four schooners arrived here yester-
day from the lower parishes, to load.
One of them, the O. C. Captain
Caron, from Murray Bay, is on her
second trip this season.

Schooner Sea Star left for below
yesterday afternoon with a general
cargo.

The gates of the Louise dock will
be closed for the first time this sea-
son today.

All the vessels that wintered in the
Graving Dock will be floated out on
Saturday morning. Among them are
the Quebec Steamship Company's
steamer Cascapedia, Captain Hearn,
which after coaling, will proceed to
Montreal to commence her regular
trips between Quebec, Montreal and
the Maritime Provinces.

C.G.S. Lady Evelyn will proceed
in a few days for the Magdalen Is-
lands, before commencing her sea-
son's work on the mail service at
Father Point.

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

New York, April 17.—A moderate
demand prevailed for steam and sail
tonnage, but only a limited business
was reported in chartering. Steamer
rates were easy and sail rates firm.
Quotations to Liverpool, 23-4d; Lon-
don and Glasgow, rd; Rotterdam, 8½s;
Hamburg and Bremen, 10 pinnings;
Hull and Bristol, 3-2-4d; Antwerp,
4½d; Cork for orders, 3s 6d; nominal;
picked ports, large tonnage, 2s 9d;
cotton to Liverpool, per 100 lbs., 25c.

Charters.—British steamer, 3,051
tons, coal, Norfolk to Rio Janeiro, 18s
6d, May, June; British steamer, 30,000
quarters grain, Baltimore to Rotter-
dam, 2s 6d, May; British steamer,
38,000 quarters grain, Baltimore to
Avonmouth or Rotterdam, 2s 6-4d, May;
British steamer, 1,608 tons, sugar,
Cuba to London or Liverpool, 20s,
May; Uruguayan ship, 1,590 tons, gulf
to Rio Janeiro, \$16.75; Norwegian
bark, 1,517 tons, lumber, Gulf
to Hontevidio, \$18, July, August;
British schooner, 723 tons, lumber,
Bridgewater to New York, \$4.50; a
schooner, about 380 tons, coal, South
Amboy, N.J., to Labec, Me., \$135 and
discharged.

SIGNAL SERVICE REPORT.

Quebec, April 17, 1913.

L'Islet to Martin River: Cloudy,
northeast.

Magdalen Island: Light snow,
north.

Fame Point: Snowing north.

Cape Rosier: Light snow, strong
north.

Point Maquereau: Light snow,
strong northeast.

Point Esquimaux: N.B.: Cloudy,
strong north. Miramichi Bay still full
of ice.

Cape Anguille: Clear, north. Loose
ice everywhere moving south.

Flat Point, N.S.: Raining, north-
east. Heavy open ice distant, moving
south.

Cape Race, Nfld.: Dense fog, west.
Cassandra 350 miles southeast at 11
p. m. yesterday, bound for Halifax,
N.S.

Pointe des Monts: Schooner Vigie
enforced.

Esquimaux Point: Natashquan at
wharf.

Ice Report.

Steamer Linthouse reports: Arrived
at North Sydney at 6 a. m. today, met
open ice ten miles from channel lead
to Flag Point, N.S.

C.G.S. Earl Grey reports: Left
Georgetown, P.E.I., yesterday morn-
ing, arrived at Magdalen Islands at 1
p. m.; light south wind and rain
showers; no ice at all.

Above Quebec.

Quebec to Montreal: Clear, north-
east. Very little ice; batture ice be-
tween Three Rivers and Batiscan.

H. S. McGREEVEY,
Superintendent.

HIGH WATER AT QUEBEC.

April. A.M. P.M.

Friday 18 3.57 4.21

Saturday 19 4.41 5.10

Sunday 20 5.23 5.56

Moon Phases.

Full Moon, Sunday, 20th, at 4.30
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FINANCIAL.

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BULLION MOVEMENT

London, April 17.—Bullion amount-
ing to £97,000 was taken into the
Bank of England on balance today.

OILS, ETC.

Savannah, April 17.—Turpentine
firm, 38½ to 39; sales, 517; receipts,
348; shipments, 25; stocks, 16,982.
Rosin, nominal; sales, none; re-
ceipts, 1,993; shipments, 20,350; stocks,
54,247.

LONDON MARKETS

London, April 17.—Raw sugar, cen-
trifugal, 10s 4½d; muscovado 9s 6d.
Beet sugar, April, 9s 6d.

Calcutta linseed, April-June, 44s
10½d.

Linseed oil, 25s 4½d.

Sperm oil, £30.

Petroleum, American refined, 8½d;
spirits, 9½d.

Turpentine, spirits, 2s 6d.

Rosin, American, strained, 12s 3d;
tine, 18s 3d.

COTTON MARKET.

New York.—Cotton futures closed
steady. Closing bids:

Apr. 11.94 Sept. 11.50

May 11.94 Oct. 11.44

June 11.90 Dec. 11.47

July 11.89 Jan. 11.42

Aug. 11.76 Mar. 11.47

Spot closed quiet. Middling up-
lands, 12.40; do Gulf, 12.65. Sales,
700 bales.

Liverpool.—Cotton, spot, moderate
business; prices easier.

Am. mid., fair, 7.42 Low mid., 6.72

Good mid., 7.08 Good ordy, 6.38

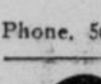
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1.55 p.m.—Maritime Express, for Campbellton daily, St. John, Halifax and Sydney, daily except Saturday.

2.10 a.m.—Ocean Limited to Halifax daily, connecting for Truro and the Sydney except on Sundays.

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PRINCE ALBERT LAND CASE DOES NOT GIVE LIBERALS MUCH OF A GLOAT.

(Special to the Chronicle.)

Ottawa, April 17.—The privilege granted by the Premier to the Opposition of bringing up the Prince Albert land case today gave them a respite from the closure debate that must have greatly relieved them. It has been with the utmost difficulty that the Opposition has been able to keep the debate going since last Wednesday and there have been several occasions when it threatened to collapse, but today gave them a rest.

The Prince Albert land case has been a favorite stalking ground of the Hon. Frank Oliver this year, this being the third occasion when it has been before the House. Nor did the discussion today add anything to what has gone before except that it served to bring back on the former Minister of Interior a boomerang in the shape of an expose by the Hon. Robert Rogers of some of the practices that went on in the department under the regime of the member for Edmonton.

The Prince Albert case has become familiar by repetition. The Opposition claim that one Arthur Donaldson homesteaded a valuable piece of property within the corporate limits of Prince Albert, securing for a very small amount a piece of property that is valued at a large sum. The charge has been made that the Minister of Interior at the time, Mr. Rogers, must have been in collusion.

Mr. Rogers Denies It.

Today, as on the previous occasion, Mr. Rogers gave his most emphatic denial to the charge that he had any knowledge of the transaction, and he showed that the transfer was made possible by the rule which Mr. Oliver had laid down in the Prince Albert land agency and which had made possible the granting of an adjoining homestead to one Everett. This man was a brother-in-law of Mr. Gladstone, the homestead inspector and Liberal organizer. Mr. Rogers said he had been told that Everett sold the land for \$100,000.

Reverting to the Donaldson case, Mr. Rogers said that when Donaldson got a letter advising him that this land was vacant he went to the land agent and found this to be true. The agent, following the precedents set by Mr. Oliver, granted the entry. The minister said he did not know of the facts and if he did, Donaldson or no one else would have got the land. He did not deny that it was a valuable property, but the value placed upon it by the members of the Opposition was ridiculous.

Mr. Rogers gave Mr. Oliver hot shot as he proceeded then to detail the labors of R. E. A. Leach, who was placed at the head of all civil servants in the West, Howard Douglas, inspector of parks, and Liberal organizer Perry. These men, said Mr. Oliver, grew so bold in their operations that they had left a lot of evidence behind them in the Department. They had gone so far as to form a joint stock company for the purpose of plundering the public domain. Manipulation of valuable forest lands was their game, and the

Minister showed clearly from the correspondence that had passed, to what an extent their operations had been carried on.

Timber Tracts Given Away.

The most extraordinary feature of the case was the fact that nine days after the Dominion elections of 1911, the cabinet passed an order-in-council transferring a timber berth in British Columbia, having on it 160 million feet of timber, to an agent of these three men for a berth which had not proved valuable. This order-in-council was signed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself, as Hon. Frank Oliver, Minister of the Interior, had not then returned from Alberta. Previous to the contest Mr. Oliver had refused to make this transfer. The reading by Mr. Rogers of this order created quite a sensation.

The history of this deal is most interesting. Two Americans, Messrs. Lammers Bros. of Stillwater, Minn., in 1906 held berths No. 550 1-2, comprising some 27 square miles, situated in the Rocky Mountain park over which Mr. Douglas was superintendent. The berth proved to be a difficult one to operate and in addition denuding it would have marred the beauty of the park.

Messrs. Lammers asked for an exchange of the berth. This was refused at Ottawa. The Rocky Mountain berth was then transferred by Messrs. Lammers to a man named William Crawford, a railway conductor at Medicine Hat, who was apparently selected as the agent on account of his closeness of mouth. A request for a change was again made and R. E. A. Leach now appeared on the scene and went to Ottawa some time in September, 1906. Mr. Leach soon got action and a few days later Mr. Douglas, who was acting with Leach, got word that the department was willing to accept an exchange of the timber lands. A berth consisting of a number of tracts in British Columbia was then transferred to Mr. Crawford, who, from extensive correspondence which Mr. Rogers read, was shown to be only acting as a go-between for Messrs. Leach, Douglas and Perry.

Take Back Bad Ones.

The selection was duly made and the department even surveyed the berth for them. Part of the berth was sold but later it was found that blocks 3 and 5 were not valuable and a request was made to be allowed to reselect for these blocks. This request was refused by Mr. Oliver in January, 1910. Negotiations, as Mr. Rogers showed by a remarkable series of letters between Messrs. Douglas and Leach, were kept up. Then came the election and the matter apparently dropped for the time being. When the government was defeated Mr. Leach rushed to Ottawa, arriving Sept. 29, just a week after the election. Mr. Leach had sufficient influence to get what he wanted and four days later an order-in-council was passed, signed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, transferring to Mr. Crawford, acting for Leach, Douglas and Perry, berth 532, consisting of no less than 160 million feet of timber. Needless to say the transfer was cancelled by the incoming Minister of Interior, Mr. Rogers, as soon as he learned the facts.

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PERSONAL

Mr. R. J. Coulson, of Montreal, is a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. J. C. Dohan, of Winnipeg, is a guest of his brother, Mr. M. L. Dohan. Mrs. Liniere Taschereau is in Ottawa, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. (Col.) Fiset.

Messrs. J. O. Richard, G. Pruneau, J. O. Cote, H. Debs, and F. X. Cote, of Montreal, are guests at the St. Louis.

Mr. W. A. Dall, of H. M. Customs, who has been doing duty in Ottawa, for some time past, returned to Quebec yesterday, to resume his work here.

Mr. H. S. McGreevy, Superintendent of the Signal Service and family, are passengers by the Allan steamer Virginian, from Liverpool, which is due in Halifax tomorrow.

Mr. Fred Glackemeyer, who has been spending a few days in town on his semi-annual business trip, returns to Montreal today, where he will spend the week end to enjoy a well deserved rest.

Among the latest Canadians who registered at La Banque Nationale, Paris, are Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Taschereau, Dr. and Mrs. A. Langlois, Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lapointe, Chicoutimi; Mr. Louis Morin, and Mr. Eug. Taschereau, Beauce.

Madame Eugene Lasalle, wife of the director of the Conservatory of French Eloquence in Montreal, has arrived in town and is the guest of Mrs. Alfred Pellard, St. Cyrille street. Mrs. Lasalle will give a lecture, accompanied by five of her pupils, before the Women's Canadian Club of Quebec at the Chateau Frontenac at 4 o'clock this afternoon, her subject being "L'Enfance dans la litterature."

Last arrivals at the Blanchard: Mr. A. Morin, A. Faucher, M. E. Enright, H. J. Hugill, Montmagny; J. P. Belanger, St. Valier; Miss Mannie Lacasse, Ste. Malachie; Leger L. Hardif, St. Basile; J. H. Ducharme, St. Eleuthere; L. M. Roy, St. Valier; Mr. and Mrs. L. Talbot, Cap St. Ignace; Mr. J. Coulombe, Baie St. Paul; E. Cloutier, L'Islet; S. W. Mooney, Inverness; Nap. Trudel, St. Irene; A. A. Baxter, Three Rivers; J. Savarin, Riviere du Loup.

Arrivals at Neptune Inn: Etienne Ouellette, Louis Levesque, Louiston, Mass.; Alphonse Fortin, Hebertville; D. Fortin, East Broughton; A. Couillard, Lewis; J. E. Belanger, Father Point; A. Brassard, Sherbrooke; J. E. Langlois, Montreal; George Crawford, Toronto; J. P. Goulet, Lewis; G. Stephens, St. Flarie; J. McRerer, E. T. Kearney, Montreal; Ina and P. St. Pierre, St. Nicolas; R. H. Scroggall, St. Malachie; W. H. Lunn, Chicoutimi; G. Robertson, St. John, N. B.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Taylor, Ste. Sabina; Leo Roy, Sorel; Mr. and Mrs. F. Jones, Montreal; W. Akison, Moncton.

Arrivals at the Clarendon: S. J. Davis, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. A. Gohier, Montreal; Ls. McDuff, Montreal; G. A. Binet, Fraserville; G. Byrnes, P. Power, Newfoundland; E. Mayer, J. E. Lagne, Montreal; L. B. Le Blanc, Montreal; John Montgomery, J. A. King, F. Young, Toronto; Wm. P. Grant, Batiscan; J. E. Michaud, Arthabaska; A. Godbout, Beauce; L. Bouloine, Montreal; W. G. Fowlesland, Toronto; C. Le Marquand, Gaspe; Mr. and Mrs. Labelle, P. Jordin, J. E. Pepin, J. H. Pare, Montreal; A. P. Pattenau, Loretteville; J. Harcourt, Joliette.

Dr. Emile Boissoneault of Grouard, Alberta, and son of Mr. Alphonse Boissoneault, deputy prothonotary of the superior court of this district, has arrived here to spend a few days with his family at Beauport. Dr. Boissoneault, who has been on a professional trip to Montreal, and who has been a resident of the northwest for little over a year, speaks most highly of the western part of the Dominion, where already a number of young Quebecers are making their mark in the many growing towns. Grouard has a population of only about 1,500, but contains a few banks and important stores, and the population is expected to largely increase this year, as a large influx of immigrants are expected.

The following have registered at La Banque Nationale, Paris, France: Mr. and Mrs. C. Taschereau, Quebec, at Hotel Mirabeau; Dr. and Mrs. A. Langlois, Quebec, at Hotel Grosvenor; Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Lesage, of Montreal, at 7 rue de Rome; Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Lesage, Montreal, at 7 rue de Rome; Dr. and Mrs. Forest, of Montreal, at Hotel Holland; Mr. A. Bergevin, Montreal, at Grand Hotel; Mr. Elie Lalumiere, Montreal, Hotel de Rouen; Mr. J. A. Davis, Montreal, Grand Hotel; Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lapointe, Chicoutimi, Hotel Grosvenor; Mr. Louis Morin, 25 Boulevard des Capucines; Mr. Eug. Taschereau, Beauce, at 25 Boulevard des Capucines.

PROPOSED STOCK EXCHANGE LAW IS VERY DRASTIC

Washington, April 17.—The incorporation of stock exchanges and the listing of securities of inter-state corporations under penalty of being barred from the use of mails and telegraph services is proposed in a bill introduced today by Representative Neeley of Kansas, a member of the Pujo money trust investigating committee. The bill will impose severe penalties on stock exchange officials, brokers or telegraph company officials who transmit between states any business of an unincorporated exchange and would give the Postmaster-General authority to regulate transactions on stock exchanges, with particular prohibitions against "wash sales," and other manipulative transactions.

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