

POLICE ENQUIRY.

Views of Well-known Citizens Foreibly Expressed.

THE REV. MR. NICHOLS AND CHIEF HUGHES.

Despite his illness, something of his old fire shone in the eye of ex-Ald. Donovan this morning as he spoke his mind upon the necessity of a police investigation.

"Though laid aside for some time past, I have kept myself posted upon public affairs," he said. "From what I can see the police force is in such a demoralized state that an enquiry has now become absolutely necessary."

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AT CHIEF HUGHES'S REQUEST.

HOW A LAW-BREAKING RESORT GOT A HOTEL LICENSE—A STRANGE STATE OF AFFAIRS.

When liquor licenses were being granted last spring, Mr. Chavalier, chief of the provincial police, fought hard with the license commissioners to prevent a woman named French Mary, who keeps a resort on Commissioners street, from getting a license.

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(To the Editor of the 'Witness.')

Sir,—I wish to contradict most emphatically the assertion of the Rev. Mr. Nichols, that I ever told him I had the opinion of the Lord Bishop of Montreal on the question of the houses of ill-fame."

"It is not going too far, I believe, in saying that I told him what he stated to your reporter in an interview which appeared in Tuesday's issue of your paper."

MR. NICHOLS'S VIEWS CRITICISED. (To the Editor of the 'Witness.')

Sir,—I have a few remarks to offer, by way of criticism, on the observations of the Rev. Mr. Nichols, reported in your issue of Monday."

"In reply the detective indulged in the platitudes usual in such cases, Had I been he I would have retorted on Mr. Nichols by telling him that in detecting the infamy and making its existence manifest to a responsible tax-paying citizen in a public position, I had fulfilled my whole duty."

GIGUERE'S RESIGNATION.

Constable Giguere sent in his resignation as a member of the police force, for the honor of working for the prosperity of their city."

A FEW STUBBORN FACTS.

It is a fact that within a stone's throw of No. 15 police station, there are two houses known as the European Hotel and the Liverpool House, which Sunday after Sunday are scenes of riot and open scandal to public decency."

THE CHARTER MIGHT BE CHANGED.

A French speaking ex-alderman stopped a 'Witness' reporter on the street this morning. He shook the reporter's hand with fervor."

A DEADLY EPIDEMIC.

IT IS PLAYING SAD HAVOC AMONG THE ICELANDERS AT LAKE WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 19.—A special to the 'Tribune' from Selkirk says: A strange disease has broken out among the Icelanders at the settlement on Lake Winnipeg, and many are dying."

MANITOBA'S WHEAT CROP.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—Sir William P. Howland, who has been on an extensive trip through Western Canada, returned to Toronto last night. Speaking to a reporter last night, he said:—"The crop in Manitoba has not suffered from frost in the slightest this year. In consequence all the wheat is good in quality, and the quantity is moderate."

ONE MORE VICTIM FOUND.

Washington, Sept. 19.—The body of Robert Ritzel was taken out of the ruins of the Stumph mattress factory yesterday. One other is yet to be found. Six men met death in the building, one died at the Emergency Hospital, and another is in a critical condition there."

A VICTIM OF HYPNOTISM.

Vienna, Sept. 19.—At Tuskar Castle, near Nytreghyza, Hungary, a dinner was given on Monday evening by its proprietor, Theodore Von Salomon. In order to entertain the guests after dinner a hypnotist named Neukor, was called upon to make some experiments."

FOUND DEAD ON THE ROADSIDE.

Peterboro, Ont., Sept. 19.—What is probably a murder most foul was perpetrated last night on the road between south of Midbrook, on the Port Hope road. Mr. H. A. Walker, who is well known in Peterboro and the surrounding country, was found dead on the roadside."

HORRIBLE CASE OF INFANTICIDE.

Spring Hill Mines, N.S., Sept. 19.—A shocking case of infanticide came to light to-day. The body of a fully developed child was found by a woman looking for mushrooms. Its neck had been hacked with a blunt instrument, and it had bled to death."

OBITUARY.

London, Ont., Sept. 19.—Lieut.-Col. Moffatt, one of London's oldest citizens, and until a few days ago prominent in military, Masonic and civic affairs, died at his residence this morning. Deceased was in his 74th year."

HEAVY ACTION OF DAMAGES.

As a sequel to the judgment of the Court yesterday, liberating Mr. Alton F. Clerk in the famous Robidoux-Clerk case, the latter has now taken an action for \$50,000 damages against Mr. and Mrs. Robidoux."

\$30 FOR INJURED CLOTHES.

Judge Gill rendered judgment yesterday in a case of Belan vs. the Montreal Street Railway Company. This was a claim for fifty dollars on account of injury to plaintiff's clothes, the result of an accident. The Court granted thirty dollars."

THE COURT MUST PROCEED.

The Court of Appeal had to adjourn at noon yesterday, owing to there being no case ready to go on with. Chief Justice Sir Alexander Lacoste took this occasion to state that the business of the court could not be thus suspended. The Quebec judges were not to be kept here losing their time."

LIBERAL CANDIDATES.

The names of Messrs. Goff Penny, Robert McShane and Brunet are mentioned as Liberal candidates for Montreal at the coming elections."

HOOPER NOW A TAILOR.

THE GRAND JURY VISITS ST. VINCENT DE PAUL—FARNEY VERY ILL AND RECOMMENDED FOR PARDON.

The grand jury paid an interesting visit to the Penitentiary of St. Vincent de Paul yesterday. Accompanied by the deputy warden, Mr. McCarthy, the various sections of the prison were inspected, and everywhere exquisite cleanliness and order were displayed."

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Notices of births, marriages and deaths must invariably be endorsed with the name and address of the sender, or otherwise no notice can be taken of them.

Birth notices are inserted for \$5, marriage notices for \$10, death notices for \$10 prepaid. The announcement of funeral appended to death notice, \$5 extra; other extension to obituary, such as short sketch of life, two cents per line extra, except poetry, which is 50 cents per line extra—prepaid.

Annual subscribers may have announcements of births, marriages and deaths (without extended obituary or verses) occurring in their immediate families, free of charge, in which case name and address of subscribers should be given.

BIRTHS.

FELLOWS.—At Quebec, on Sept. 16, 1894, the wife of C. Sergt.-Major A. Fellows, R.C.A., of a daughter.

GILL.—At Grenville, Que., on Sept. 13, 1894, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Gill.

MACAULAY.—At 296b Aqueduct street, on the 13th inst. the wife of Harry L. Macaulay of the Canadian Ex. Co., of a daughter.

McALLISTER.—At Shawbridge, on Sept. 14, 1894, Mrs. Andrew McAllister, of a son.

MUNROE.—At Malboro, Que., on Sunday, Sept. 16, 1894, the wife of John Munroe, of a son—seventh son.

PEARSON.—At 589 Wellington street, on Sept. 17, 1894, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pearson.

READ.—At Ballundur, West Central Africa, on April 25, 1894, the wife of the Rev. Frank W. Read, of twin daughters.

MARRIED.

CAMPBELL—REID.—At the residence of the bride's parents on Sept. 17, 1894, by the Rev. W. Timberlake, James D. Campbell, of Ottawa, to Gertrude M., daughter of Mr. Reuben Reid of Morrisburg, Ont.

HUNTER—BEGG.—On Sept. 11, at the residence of Wm. Clark, Esq., Cardinal, uncle of the bride, by the Rev. Geo. McArthur, Mr. Wm. Hunter, Point Cardinal Farm, to Helen Ann (Nellie) Begg, both of Cardinal.

ORTON—REYNOLDS.—At St. George's Church, Guelph, Ont., on Sept. 17, 1894, by the Ven. Archdeacon Dixon, assisted by the Rev. J. H. Ross, and the Rev. A. J. Belt, Dr. Thomas H. Orton, to Frances Susanna, second daughter of Wm. Reynolds, Esq., County Treasurer.

PARSONS—MOONEY.—In St. Paul's Church, East Hawkesbury, on Sept. 4, 1894, by the Rev. T. H. Lloyd, William J. Parsons, of Hudson, Quebec, to Edith Mooney, of East Hawkesbury, Ontario.

REID—BOY.—At the residence of the bride's father, Chambly Canton, on the 11th inst., by the Rev. J. E. Duhaio, B.A., Valleyfield, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Myers, Chambly, Mr. Andrew Reid, of Scottstown, Que., to Lizzie, only daughter of Mr. Anthony Boy (missionary).

SMITH—DENON.—At St. George's Church on the 17th inst., by the Very Rev. the Dean of Montreal, Mr. Fred. W. Smith, of the Union Bank, Quebec, to Maud, daughter of Mr. Wm. Denon.

DIED.

BESWICK.—In this city on the 19th inst., Hilda Hearn, infant daughter of Thomas Beswick. Funeral private.

BALDERSTONE.—On the 16th Sept., Robert Balderstone, native of Larbert, Scotland, formerly of Montreal, in the 78th year of his age.

CARVELL.—On Monday, the 17th inst., at 135 Abbott avenue, Cote St. Antoine, in the 53rd year of her age, Mary Lucinda, wife of Albert Carvell.

GIBSON.—Suddenly, at his home, near Kinsey Falls, on Sept. 8, Joseph Gibson, aged seventy-eight years and two months.

HOUSTON.—At Paisley, Ont., on Sept. 10, 1894, Mr. James Houston, aged 79, father of Mr. William Houston, Director of the Teachers' Institutes, Toronto.

HODGE.—At 541 St. Dominique street, on Monday Sept. 17, 1894, Olive Annie, aged nineteen days, infant daughter of David and Annie Hodge. Interred in Mount Royal Cemetery.

McCRIMMON.—At Vankleek Hill, Ont., on Sept. 7, 1894, Sarah McLeod, daughter of William D. DeLoed, and beloved wife of Benjamin McCrimmon, aged 35 years.

MACDONALD.—At Cote St. Antoine, on the 16th inst., of consumption, Allan Macdonald, quarryman. Interred this morning at 8 o'clock in Cote des Neiges Cemetery.

McDONALD.—In Lochiel, Glengarry County, Ont., on Sept. 8, 1894, John Norman, aged one year, nine months and nineteen days, youngest son of Roderic McDonald and Christy Ann McLeod, both of Lochiel.

McINTOSH.—At Waterville, Que., on Sept. 13, Winnie, third daughter of John McIntosh, Esq., Sheriff of St. Francis District, aged 18 years. Interred at Elmwood Cemetery, Sherbrooke, on Saturday afternoon, 15th inst.

ORR.—At his residence, Drummondville, on Sept. 15, 1894, Robert K. Orr, brother of W. H. Orr, manager Bna Life Insurance Co., Toronto, of apoplexy, aged 47 years.

PATTISON.—In this city, on the 17th inst., John Pattison, second son of the late Robert Pattison, of Stonham, aged 53 years. Quebec, Toronto and Elora papers please copy.

TURNER.—On Saturday afternoon, Sept. 15, 1894, at the residence of his son, 38 Wood street, Toronto, John Turner, senior member of the firm of John Turner & Son, machinists, in his 79th year.

WALKER.—In this city, on the 18th inst., in his 75th year, James Archibald, son of the late Hamilton Walker, barrister, of Prescott, Ont. Funeral from his late residence, 238 St. Martin street, on Friday, 21st inst., at 2:30 p.m.

Those sending notices for the above column may send with them a list of names of interested friends. Marked copies of the 'Witness' containing such notices will be sent free to any address in Canada. Montreal excepted.

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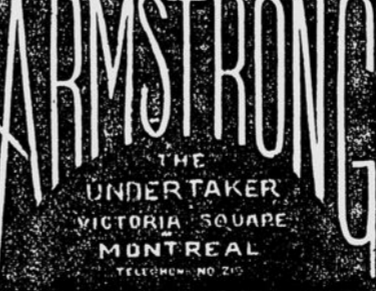
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WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

RAILWAY PASSENGERS

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS. DAY—WILL MEET.

Quebec, Sept. 18.—The meeting of the Railway Board, which took place at three o'clock in the afternoon, is being held at the Hotel de Ville.

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Weekly Calendar. WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19. FEDERATION LODGE 2. The next regular meeting of the above Lodge will be held on WEDNESDAY EVENING, Sept. 19th, at 8 o'clock, a large attendance of Members requested. Members of sister Lodges welcome. Members having tickets for sale for the Excursion to St. Jerome on Thursday evening, Sept. 21st, so as to enable the committee to complete arrangements for transportation. By order J. E. McROBIE, Recorder.

ART ASSOCIATION OF MONTREAL. The Classes in Water Color Drawing, under the direction of Mr. CHAS. E. MOSS, will commence on SATURDAY, Sept. 15. Galleries open daily 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. ADMISSION, 25c.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 20. MIZPAH LODGE, No. 3, I.O.O.F. The Regular Weekly Meeting of the Lodge will be held TO-MORROW (Thursday) EVENING, at 8, in their Lodge Room, the Y. M. C. A. Building, Dominion square. Every member is requested to be present. By order of W. CHAMBERS, Rec-Secy.

ROYAL TEMPERANCE OF TEMPERANCE. MASS MEETING IN WALFORD HALL. THURSDAY, SEPT. 20th, 8 P.M. As urgent business of great importance to the order will be brought up. Every member in the Montreal District is requested to attend. H. G. MARGO, District Secy.

Y. W. C. T. U. THURSDAY, 20th SEPT. EVANGELISTIC HALL. Business Meeting 3 p.m. All interested in Juvenile work invited.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25. MISS JESSIE ALEXANDER, ELOCUTIONIST. In the Lecture Hall of ST. JAMES METHODIST CHURCH. TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25. Tickets 25c. Reserved seats 50c. To be had at Sheppard's, Coates's Book Room, G. H. Featherston's and Pratt & Young's.

FUTURE MEETINGS. CALEDONIAN SOCIETY LITERARY COURSE. The Hon. WALLACE BRUCE. (Late United States Consul at Edin.) Will deliver a lecture under the auspices of the Caledonian Society in the WINDSOR HALL On FRIDAY, October 5th. SUBJECT: 'LAND MARKS OF SIR WALTER SCOTT.'

Tickets for sale at Sheppard's after today. J. T. MITCHELL, Hon.-Secy. PATRONS AT RICHMOND. AN ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING—PRESIDENT MALLORY'S ADDRESS. Richmond, Que., Sept. 19.—The Patrons of Industry met in great force here yesterday, on the Agricultural Society's grounds. The occasion was a basket picnic with free lunch for all, and the object of the coming together of the order and its friends in Richmond County was the speech-making of Grand President Mallory of Ontario, Mr. James Eason and others.

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The police have put forward a defence of their course in the case of the little girl, Blanche Lemire, which while it appears flatly to contradict Constable Giguere's statement in the witness box that nothing was done when he reported at the station the harboring in evil resorts of the child Lemire, is in effect a plea of incapacity and a shifting of the blame upon the Recorder's Court. According to a lieutenant of police, the child has since a year ago last spring, the Chief of Police says last spring, attracted the attention of the police as one who was in the paths of perdition, and they notified the mother, and for her protection had the women keepers of houses of ill-fame in which she was found brought before the courts, and even had her committed to a house of correction for children. But all their efforts were rendered futile. The women still kept houses of ill-fame, the Recorder took the child from the house of correction and gave her back to her mother, and when brought out of the house of ill-fame handed her over to her mother. The Recorder, the police and the mother of the child formed a combination all of whose efforts had no effect, apparently in keeping this child thirteen or fourteen from pursuing the paths of perdition by way of the streets at night and houses of prostitution. If the Recorder has the same tale of helplessness as the Chief of Police it is time that the 'protection of citizens and of morals,' to use the words of the Chief of Police, should be taken from the hands of men who cannot control a child of thirteen and be given in charge of less helpless people.

THE CHAMPLAIN ROUTE.

The Champlain route for a deep waterway from the great lakes to the Atlantic ocean will at first sight be opposed by all Canadians who are anxious to see Montreal or Quebec or Three Rivers or some other port on the middle or lower St. Lawrence the great ocean port of the future for the vast commerce which must in the future pass up and down the St. Lawrence between the great lakes and Europe. The Champlain route looks like a mere device on the part of our smart American cousins to divert the commerce from the Canadian route just before it reaches the head of ocean navigation at Montreal, and take it by way of Lake Champlain and the Hudson to New York, thus securing for the American port of New York the trade which should be done by the Canadian ports of Montreal or Quebec. The Lake Champlain route is identical with the St. Lawrence route until Lake St. Francis is reached, which is about thirty-five miles above this city, and there it leaves the St. Lawrence river by a proposed canal to be cut straight to the head of Lake Champlain, thence by the Champlain route via Albany to New York. Why the waterway should follow the St. Lawrence route as far as the foot of Lake St. Francis, after utilizing the St. Lawrence canals above that lake and turn away from the natural channel and the Soulanges and Lachine canals when within sight almost of ocean navigation at Montreal in order to pursue a route involving forty or fifty miles of heavy canal construction, in order to reach an American water route to New York city, unless merely to deflect commerce from Montreal to New York, seems at first a puzzle to Canadians. It is obvious that Americans would not propose

such a deflection to Canadians, knowing that it could not but be immediately scouted by them. The explanation of their proposal is very simple, and we think, is worthy of serious consideration on the part of Canadians. The American promoters of a deep waterway via the St. Lawrence who advocate the Champlain route from Lake St. Francis have their eyes fixed upon an altogether different commerce from that which Canadian promoters have been solely considering. Canadians have thought only of the ocean going, the foreign transportation trade, as that which would be secured by making the deep waterway. The western men, who are not, like the men of the Atlantic ports, interested in the ocean trade only, have their attention fixed not upon the foreign trade but upon the home trade. They regard the deep waterway project as a means for cheapening the transportation of food products from the Western States to the home markets in the Eastern States, and especially to the immense home markets afforded by New York State and city. They expect that the deep waterway would prove not only a competitor with the Erie canal but with the railways, for the distributing trade of the Eastern States. Everyone acquainted with the trade and commerce of the United States knows that of the total amount of freight carried by the railways, lakes and canals between the west and the east only a fraction is for ocean transport. It is in order, if possible, to make the deep waterway by the St. Lawrence a competitor in the domestic carrying trade of the United States between the west and the east that the American promoters are so desirous of having the Lake Champlain route. It seems to us that this is a very important view of the case, and that it is worth considering. It must be remembered that in the event of free trade between Canada and the United States western Canada would also share in the advantage of a cheap route to the markets of New England and the Eastern States. We do not see either that the Champlain route need interfere with the lower St. Lawrence route for foreign trade. Given a deep waterway to Lake St. Francis, and a deep waterway the rest of the way to Montreal would be certain. With a deep waterway of only thirty-five miles to an ocean port hundreds of miles nearer its destination than New York, we would have no fear of traffic destined for Europe turning away to pursue a route of, say, two hundred and fifty miles to reach that port. Mr. Cooley, the Chicago engineer who advocates strongly the Champlain route, is of the opinion that for the foreign trade the all St. Lawrence route is by far the most direct and cheapest. It seems to us that Canadians might very well give the Champlain route fair consideration. Of course, the United States would have to bear a great share of the burden of the enormous cost of the Champlain route, from which their people, both east and west, would have by far the greatest share of the advantage.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

CLOSE OF THE LACROSSE SEASON. VALLEYFIELD LOSES THEIR PROTEST—YESTERDAY'S CRICKET MATCHES STOPPED BY RAIN—FAMOUS ATHLETE COMING TO MONTREAL—THE LANTERN PARADE OF THE WANDERERS' BICYCLE CLUB—OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST. The last match of the Senior Lacrosse League series will be played on Saturday between the Shamrock and Montreal teams on the former's grounds. It may be that this will be the last lacrosse match here this season as the proposed game between the Shamrocks and Capitals is more uncertain than it was a fortnight ago. While no one will be prepared to concede victory to the Montreal aggregation this game will be an interesting one. The Montreal men are all conversant with the Shamrock style of play and in this much have an advantage over the other clubs in the series and they may therefore be looked to to put up a stiff game on Saturday afternoon. The Shamrock executive has made arrangements for a number of chairs on the new platform on the south side of the field for the accommodation of their patrons. VALLEYFIELD LOSES. The N.A.L.A. Council have decided the protest entered by Valleyfield against the Huntington Club for playing several Crescent men at a recent match. By the vote of the council Valleyfield's protest is overruled and Huntington is allowed the victory scored on the occasion in question. This of course settles the matter but the wisdom of the decision is open to question. The vote stood:—For Huntington, 5; for Valleyfield, 4; for playing the match over, 1; to be heard from, 1.

CRICKET. CANADA-UNITED STATES MATCH. Lowering clouds and an occasional shower rendered the outlook for the second day's play in the Canadian-United States match at the Montreal Cricket Grounds, this morning, not very bright. When stumps were drawn yesterday the United States eleven had led by the better of the argument, having led only three wickets in springing 81 against their opponents' total of 115. It was a few minutes past 11 o'clock when play was called E. W. Clark, Jr., joining Bohlen at the wickets. The latter batsman faced the fast delivery of Laine, who opened with a magnificent drive, hitting Hamilton's crack bowler, trundled from the other end, and Clark drove the first ball he received for 3, but in playing forward at the next Bohlen got too far under the ball, returning it into the bowler's hands. Score 85-42. Laine W. Muir joined Clark, but after the latter had secured a fling Muir, in attempting to off-drive Laine, played the ball into his wickets. Score, 87-50. 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Chairman, to answer a question? Am I to understand that we have the right to appeal people?

All Robert—It's a very hard question.

All Jacques—If we cannot do it, why lose time?

All McBridge—We can close this house if we want.

All Jacques—All right, then, go ahead.

Another part of the matter described how on Aug. 17 the League had requested the Chief to stop gambling at Parc Royal, that the request had been met with prompt and satisfactory action, but when a similar request had been made respecting Sommer Park, it had not been complied with. Mr. Richardson had called on the police, but had only received unsatisfactory answers. Why had not the Chief acted as requested? Had he given any instructions not to interfere? Why had not Sub-Chief Kehoe given orders? At Parc Royal at a later date gambling was in progress. Why had not the police taken action to enforce the law? If any unwillingness existed on their part the League was quite willing, but desired authority to do so.

Mr. George Richardson wrote in confirmation that Sub-Chief Kehoe had said he had no authority to stop those gambling tables.

Ald. Penny—Is it true that the Park has permission?

Ald. Robert—They say by letter that they have, but who from?

Ald. Penny—Who gave it?

Ald. Robert—I'm told I see in the papers, that they got it from Quebec—from Mr. Tallion.

Ald. Kennedy—Not at all. I deny it in toto. Have we a law to suppress these?

The Chief—Certainly. If you wish me to tell what I know, I'm ready. In view of the approaching investigation it might be better to leave it until to-morrow; but for my part I'm ready to tell all I know.

The Committee decided that it did not want to hear all just then. It would wait for the investigation.

Ald. McBridge—Then I move that that letter be referred to the Council.

All Jacques—Yes, send it there.

Ald. Lefebvre—Yes, that's right.

Ald. Penny—But the letter is addressed to this committee. Is it not a question with which the Committee should deal? I suppose, however, it would in the end have to come before the investigating committee.

All Jacques—We can't send it to the investigating committee until it is established. Consequently I think Ald. McBridge is right. Send it to the Council and let them refer it.

Ald. Kennedy—Send it to the city attorney.

Ald. McBridge—What is the use of that?

Ald. Kennedy—It is a question of law.

Ald. McBridge—Stuff! We have enough law already.

It was sent to Council.

Ald. Penny moved that in the meantime the law be enforced.

Ald. Lefebvre—In future.

Ald. McBridge—What law? The law against gamblers and disorderly houses?

All Penny—Of course.

All Kennedy (doubtfully)—That's a pretty big contract.

All Jacques—I'm satisfied with the motion.

Ald. McBridge—But is it carried?

All Kennedy—It's very dirty work.

Ald. Penny's motion to enforce the law was declared "carried."

Mr. Justice Wurtelle's charge to the Grand Jury was referred to the Council.

DAVID-BACHAND.

Mr. Horace David, advocate, was married yesterday to Miss Amelie Bachand. Mr. and Mrs. David left in the evening for New York whence they will sail for Europe on Saturday.

local demand is fair. Prices are unchanged. We quote:—

Patent Spring \$3.40 to \$3.50

Superfine 2.25 to 2.40

Extra 2.50 to 2.65

Straight rollers 2.85 to 2.95

Strong Dakers' (Man) 2.25 to 2.40

Meal—Meal is moving in a small way. Prices hold steady. We quote:—

Granulated, in brls \$4.20 to \$4.30

Granulated, in bags 2.05 to 2.10

Standard, in brls 4.20 to 4.30

Standard, in bags 2.05 to 2.10

Roller oats, brls 4.20 to 4.25

Pot barley, per brl 3.75 to 4.00

Split peas, per brl 3.40 to 3.50

Feed—The demand holds active and prices are very firm under small supplies. We quote:—

Bran \$15.50 to \$16.00

Shorts 17.00 to 17.50

Middlings 19.00 to 20.00

Moultie 20.00 to 21.00

Hog Products.—The demand for Canadian short cut pork is good and other lines of provision are moving freely. Prices are unchanged and firm. We quote:—

Canadian s.c., heavy \$21.50 to \$22.00

Canadian s.c., light 19.50 to 20.00

Hams, cured, per lb. 06.11 to 06.12

Lard, compound 00.74 to 00.74 1/2

Lard, pure 00.09 to 00.09 1/2

Bacon 00.10 to 00.13

Butter.—Butter is moving in a small way for local consumption and there is little doing outside of this. Prices hold steady. We quote:—

Creamery at 13 1/4 to 13 3/4; seconds, 13c to 13 1/4; Townships, 16c to 17c; Western, 14c to 15 1/4c.

Cheese.—The cheese market is unchanged. Holders are firm in their ideas and are willing to wait until shippers come to their prices. Cable is unchanged. We quote to-day:—

Ontario colored, at 10 1/4 to 10 3/4; Ontario White, 10 1/4 to 10 3/4; Townships, 10 1/4 to 10 3/4; Quebec, 10 1/4 to 10 3/4; cable, 8 1/2 to 8 3/4.

Eggs.—There is a very fair movement in eggs and prices hold steady. We quote 10 1/4 to 11 1/4 for large lots and 12c for single cases.

Ashes.—The local market for ashes continues fairly active and firm. We quote:—

Firsts, \$4.15 to \$4.20; seconds, \$3.75 to \$3.80; pearls, \$7 to \$7.25 per 100 lbs.

RECEIPTS IN MONTREAL.

	G.T.R.	C.P.R.	C.N.I.	T.M.
Peas, bush	10200	10200	10200	10200
Oats, bush	1850	1850	1850	1850
Wheat, bush	215	215	215	215
Butter, pkgs	180	328	508	508
Cheese, bxs	5605	4388	9991	9991
Pork, brls	85	85	85	85
Lard, lbs	1500	151	1590	1590
Eggs, cases	321	151	472	472
Ham, Bacon	145	145	145	145
Leather, rolls	2	131	133	133
Beef, brls	125	125	125	125

CHEESE MARKETS.

Ingersoll, Ont., Sept. 18.—Offerings to-day, 4,370 boxes of August make. Sales—140 at 10 1/4; 1,125 at 10 3/4; market quiet.

Peterboro, Ont., Sept. 18.—At the cheese board to-day, 3,855 boxes of cheese were offered, being the last half of September make, and 795 August. Cluxton bought about 2,700 boxes and 2,100 at 10 1/4; 800 at 10 1/2 to 10 3/4; 100 at 10 3/4; Hodgson took 600 boxes at 10 1/2 to 10 3/4. A few factories remained unsold at the close of the board. The board adjourned for two weeks. Buyers present: Cluxton, Cook, Wrighton, Hodgson, Spence.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

London, Sept. 19.—The new series of wool sales opened yesterday with a large attendance. The offerings comprised 7,350 bales. There was little that would suit America, however, and only 100 bales were taken by American buyers. Home dealers were the real operators; French operators were reserved, and Germany bought sparingly. The following is a statement of the day's sales of greasies:—New South Wales, 1,000 bales at 34d to 34 1/4d; Queensland, 300 at 34d to 34 1/4d; Victoria, 1,300 at 34d to 34 1/4d; Tasmania, 500 at 34d to 34 1/4d; South Australia, 300 at 34d to 34 1/4d; New Zealand, 3,700 at 34d to 34 1/4d; Cape of Good Hope and Natal, 700 bales at 34d to 34 1/4d.

Charles Baum & Co., wool brokers, gave the competition for wool is good. Australian had an occasional advance for good pieces. Cases have sold on a par with July rates, with the exception of long greasy, which shows a farthing advance.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Sept. 19.—The market is dull. White wheat is offering freely; middle freights west at 56c and north and west freights at 52c. Red wheat quoted north and west at 51 1/2c and purchases reported at a fraction less. No. 1 hard man offering at 68c west and 68c east, but purchases would probably be made at concessions of 1/2 cent or better. Good wheat quoted nominally at 50c west. Flour, straight roller selling from \$2.45 to \$2.60 according to quality. Toronto freights, Peas, offering freely 53 1/4c north and west freights, several cases bought at 53c. Oats, purchases of mixed made at 26c and 27c, and car lots of white bought at 27c west. Choice heavy white for milling in demand at 27 1/4 to 28c. Barley, feed quoted at 38c to 39c west and 40c east.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Sept. 19 '94. Hogs.—To-day's estimated receipts, 22,000; yesterday's receipts, according to official returns, 12,885; shipments, 6,568; left over, 8,000; light mixed, \$5.15 to \$5.15; mixed packing, \$5.35 to \$5.35; heavy shipping, \$5.20 to \$5.50; rough grades, \$5.20 to \$5.40. The receipts of cattle were 18,500, including 1,500 Texans and 1,000 Westerns. Market for natives steady; do., Westerns, 5c to 10c lower.

LIVERPOOL MARKET PRICES CURRENT.

Liverpool, Sept. 19, 12.30 p.m. Spring wheat 4s 6 1/2d to 4s 9d; red winter, 4s 3 1/2d to 4s 4 1/2d; No. 1 Corn, 4s 9 1/2d to 4s 10 1/2d; corn, 4s 10 1/2d; peas, 6s 4d; pork, 7s 6d; lard, 4s; tallow, 2s 6d; bacon, navy, 4s 6d; light, 4s; cheese, both, 6s 6d. Wheat quiet, demand poor; holders offer moderately; corn steady; fair demand.

LONDON CONSOLS.

London, Sept. 19, 12.30 p.m.—Consols, 102 1/4 money; 102 1/4 account.

GULF REPORT.

L'Islet, River du Loup, Sept. 19.—Clear; east wind; no vessels.

Father Point, Sept. 19.—Clear; calm; in-ward at 7 a.m., two barques in tow; 11.30 p.m., yesterday, Toronto.

Martin's River, Sept. 19.—Clear; south-west wind.

Fame Point, Sept. 19.—Clear; calm.

North Shore, Sept. 19.—Clear; north-east wind; in-ward at 6 p.m., yesterday, off Point des Monts, barque H.F.J.W., and four other barques; 7 p.m., Florence with two barques, Esquimaux Point, Sept. 19.—Oiler anchored.

ANTI-OFF.

Sept. 19.—Clear; north-west wind; Health Point, Sept. 19.—Packet arrived.

Grindleton Island, Sept. 19.—Clear; west wind; St. Olaf fair.

Low Point, Sept. 19.—Cloudy; north-east wind; in-ward Coban.

Grosse Ile, Sept. 19.—SS. Toronto passed here at 11.50 a.m.

SHIPPING.

The Hamburg American Packet Co.'s SS. Baumrals, which sailed from Montreal on Sept. 18, and landed all her live stock in good condition.

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and groaning over hard times will not bring business; it is the silent searching advertisement in the columns of the 'Witness' that will jog the public mind and bring customers to your store.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The Hamburg-American Packet Co.'s SS. 'Stubbenhuk' Schmidt, Master, from Hamburg and Antwerp, is entered at Customs. Consignees will please pass their entries without delay.

HAMBURG AMERICAN PACKET CO., 19 JAMES THOM' Manager.

NOTES AND NOTICES.

Piano in White Mahogany.—There is now on view in the windows of Mr. L. E. N. Pratte's piano warehouses, 1676 Notre Dame street, an upright piano in white mahogany, of very chaste and elegant design. All the mouldings are in solid white mahogany and the panels are enriched with carvings of garlands of flowers and festoons. This instrument, which is attracting general attention, has been made in the workshops of Mr. Pratte's establishment and possesses peculiar musical qualities to be found in no other piano.

A very stylish and at the same time a very serviceable suit is a black or a navy blue serge; and we have imported a lot of excellent goods in both Scotch and English Serges, in the fall and winter weights, for the coming season's trade. These serges are all wool and guaranteed fast color, and will make a very genteel suit, and one that will not get shabby before it is worn out, as some makes of cloth do. The price of a good serge suit is from \$18.50 to \$22, and if you decide to go in for one we shall be glad to take your order. If you wish to see the goods come in and we shall be delighted to show them. We have also several lines of Navy Blue Serges, all wool and fast color, that will make first-rate business suits, at from \$12.50 to \$16.50 per suit. John Allan, Men's Hatter, Clothier and Outfitter, 652 to 655 Craig street.

WHY SPOIL GOOD MATERIALS FOR THE WANT OF ONE SMALL ARTICLE. USE ONLY COOK'S FRIEND BAKING POWDER.

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Furniture! At 30 to 40 percent reduction.

Do you know the cheapest place in the city to buy furniture, and the only place where you can get it at prices mentioned below?

Parlor Sets from \$18.50 to \$25.00

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PARLOR SETS AND FANCY CHAIRS.

That will be sold at a reduction of 30 to 40 percent

To make room for New Goods coming in.

A. BELANGER, 1672 NOTRE DAME STREET.

CHAMBER SETS, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.50. WITH PAILS, \$4.50, \$6.00, \$8.00, \$9.50.

New and Choice.

E. HAGAR & CO., 446 & 448 ST. PAUL STREET.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED. MONEY TO LEND. — BY — JOHN M. M. DUFF, ACCOUNTANT AND COMMISSIONER, 107 St. James st. and 345 Prince Arthur st.

Looking Up!

Times are looking up, especially with readers of the 'Witness.' Why don't you meet their look by an argument for your business in its columns? RATES ON APPLICATION.

ST. NICHOLAS STREET.

AUCTION SALE — OF A — PIECE OF GROUND — AND — BUILDING MATERIALS.

On MONDAY, the 24th Sept., 1894, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.

On the premises at the above date and hour, all the building materials recently expropriated by the city for the widening of the said St. Nicholas street, will be sold by auction.

The said building materials consist in portions of stone and brick buildings.

Terms—Cash on adjudication. The materials to be removed immediately.

On the same date and hour will be sold on the premises—that piece of ground described as follows:—

An irregular and vacant piece of land, bounded on the north-east side by St. Nicholas street, said side measuring about 110.3 feet; on the south-east side by Commissioners street, said side measuring about 6.9 feet; on the south-west side by lot cadastral No. 32, said side measuring about 109.9 feet; on the north-west side by St. Paul street, said side measuring about 4.5 feet; containing as far as could be ascertained, and without guarantee of measurements, an area of about 477.0 square feet; the said piece of land being the north-east portion of lot cadastral No. 32, on the official plan and book of reference for the West Ward of the said city; the whole as shown on a plan deposited in the City Surveyor's office.

Terms—Cash on the signature of the deed of sale. A deposit will be required on the adjudication.

The buyer is to pay all costs of sale and transfer.

The lot is sold subject to the special tax imposed for the widening of St. Nicholas st.

L. O. DAVID, City Clerk.

RAE & DONNELLY, Auctioneers.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, Montreal, 17th Sept., 1894.

R. A. DICKSON & CO., 1791 Notre Dame st., Corner St. Peter street.

Would call attention to their new importation of ELECTRO-PLATE just opened. Novelties of all kinds, also staple lines.

Ladies' & Gent's Gold & Silver Watches. Boys' Watches from \$3 up. Diamond Mounting and Jewellery Repairing a specialty.

Have Your SLATE, METAL or GRAYEL Roofing. ASPHALT FLOORING, &c., — DONE BY — GEO. W. REED, 783 & 785 Craig street.

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WATER WORKS — FOR — Farmers, Dairymen, Suburban Residences, Etc., Etc.

GET A Wind Mill Pump AND HAVE A Plentiful Supply of Water. ESTIMATES GIVEN — AND — Satisfaction Guaranteed. Send for Prices. R. DONALDSON & SONS Montreal.

INSOLVENT NOTICE.

IN THE MATTER OF A. J. FRASER, Lachute, P. Q.

The above-named has made an assignment of his Estate and Effects to me, in trust for the general benefit of his creditors, who are requested to file their claims before me within a delay of fifteen days.

JOHN McIL HAINS, Trustee.

43 St. Sacrament St., Montreal, Sept. 8, 1894.

Auction Sales. Alexander Shaw.

SALE OF FINE PRIVATE RESIDENCE AND FURNITURE BY AUCTION.

N. Y. Upright Cabinet Grand Piano, Thomas Organ, Fine Crystal Gasaliers, Brussels Carpets, Gold frame Mantel Mirrors, 2 Wire Back Drawing-Room Suites in satin and Brocade, Paintings, and Engravings, Silverware and Cutlery, China and Glassware, Ornaments, Pictures, Contents of six Bedrooms, Hair Mattresses, Pillows, Exhibition Bedroom Set, &c., &c.

The subscriber has received instructions from the executors of the estate of the late Robert Miller, Esq., to sell at his late residence, No. 33 Park avenue, on TUESDAY, the 25th inst., at 10.20 a.m., immediately after the sale of the real estate, the whole of the Household Furniture and Effects.

In Drawing-room—N. Y. Upright Piano, Thomas Organ, 31 stops, Must. Cabinet, two Drawing-room Wire Frame Sets covered in Satin, Brocade, coat \$500; Easy Chairs, Fancy Chairs, about 150 yards of best Brussels Carpet, 2 elegant Crystal Gasaliers and Brackets, cost \$22; Paintings and Engravings, Gold Frame Mantel Mirrors, Ornaments, Vases, &c.

In Dining-room—Brussels Carpet, Massive Oak Dining Table, 14 feet, made in Glasgow; British Plate Sideboard, Leather Covered Chairs, Easy Chairs, Couches, Silver tea set, Fine Silverware and Cutlery, China Ware, Persian Ware, Dessert Service, China and Glassware, Dinner Service, &c. Hall—Brussels Carpet, Hall Stand, Marble top set, Fine Curled Hair, Mueses, Engravings, &c.

Bedrooms—Contents of six Bedrooms: best Brussels Carpets, Black Walnut Exhibition prize Bedroom Set, Mahogany Set, Walnut Sets; best Curled Hair, Mueses, Feather Pillows, Spring Beds, Easy Chairs, Tables, etc., Ornaments, Pictures, etc.

In Library—Walnut Bookcase, Writing Desk, Revolving Chair Table, Sewing Machine, &c.

In Kitchen—Cooking Range, Gas Stove, Dish Covers and Crockery, and all Kitchen Utensils, &c.

Sale on TUESDAY MORNING, 25th inst. Sale of House and Real Estate at 10 o'clock sharp. Furniture continued at 10.20. The Furniture and Property on view Monday, 24th from 2 to 6 p.m.

ALEXANDER SHAW, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF REAL ESTATE. Fine Cut Stone Residence, Four Stories, Bay Windows, All Modern Improvements, Coach-House and Stable in rear, opening on Inne, etc. Vacant Lot, 25 x 120 feet.

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The House and Furniture will be open for inspection Monday, 24th, from 2 to 6 p.m. Sale sharp at 10 a.m., Tuesday, 25th. Furniture sale immediately after Property.

ALEXANDER SHAW, Auctioneer.

MEETINGS AND SOCIETIES.

ADVERTISEMENTS. NOW IS THE TIME TO MAKE Your Preserves And you can get the Very Finest Quality of ALL KINDS OF FRUIT At the VERY LOWEST PRICE, fresh every morning from WALTER PAUL, Cor. Metcalfe and St. Catherine Sts.

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THE WATERWAYS CONVENTION.

A PROPOSAL WHICH CANADIANS DO NOT RELISH.

TO-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS—THAT REBATE CAUSES A HEATED DISCUSSION.

Toronto, Sept. 12.—The feature of yesterday's deep waterway convention was the address of Mr. L. E. Cooley, the engineer whose name is well known in connection with the drainage canal at Chicago, on canal construction. His statement that freight from the West must come into Lake Ontario, and that this could not be avoided, greatly pleased the Canadian promoters of the scheme, and who expected him to favor the St. Lawrence route, but when he said the best outlet would be by canal to Lake Champlain, thence to Albany and New York, with only an incidental waterway by way of Montreal, they were disappointed. This is probably what the American delegates were preparing the Canadian promoters for yesterday when they spoke of the matter being discussed entirely on its merits and without respect to what country the waterway might traverse.

Marine men here are wondering why it is they are not represented at the Deep Waterways Convention. It is said by those who are in a position to know that of those interested in the shipping interest in this city not one has been invited, not even the president of the Marine Association. One shipping man said today that the promoters of the scheme knew they were too well posted on the question to be asked to take part in the convention.

There was not so large an attendance at the convention this morning. Mr. John Brown, of Toronto, read a paper on "Organization." He dwelt on the importance of the object aimed at. He urged the formation of branch organizations in every state and province. He hoped in other cities the same indifference on the part of the press would not be met with as in Toronto.

Mr. E. V. Smalley, of Minneapolis, said it would be desirable to hold another convention in the American North-West, Duluth, Minneapolis. The impetus of the movement must be secured by a permanent organization made primarily in America. An organization to make any impression at Washington must be rooted in the American North-West.

Mr. R. C. Steele, of Toronto, said prosperous agriculture had hitherto enabled the people of North America to live up to higher planes than other people. This prosperity could not be now maintained unless improved transportation could be obtained for agricultural products. He could understand the opposition of Buffalo, and one or two other points, but why New York and Montreal should stand back and refuse to aid the movement for deeper waterways he could not understand.

Mr. D. B. Smith, secretary of the Board of Trade, of Toledo, speaking on the commercial and financial reasons for deeper waterways, said he came from a city which handled as much as 48,000,000 bushels of wheat in a season. Speaking as a New England resident sixty years in Ohio, of the strictest sect of the Puritans, Mr. Smith said of the

RELATIONS OF THE TWO COUNTRIES: "If we are not brethren we ought to be. A common interest, unrestricted trade, a common destiny ought to mark and control our politics, and as the nearest and most fraternal approach to such relations between the two countries, I do not know why Ohio should not trade with Canada and Canada with Ohio as we do with Pennsylvania and New York. I have steadily maintained this position since the commercial convention at Detroit in the sixties. He predicted a great flow of prosperity from the accomplishment of the object aimed at by this convention, and hoped the work of deepening the canal would be undertaken by the United States government.

Mr. W. L. Mackenzie, of Toronto, and Col. J. H. Davidson, of St. Paul, spoke briefly in favor of deep waterways. Senator Ferguson said that as a Canadian public man he wished to say there was neither selfishness nor desire for reprisals on the part of Canada. They desired to further the scheme of canal deepening as much as possible, and had exhausted every effort in their power during the past thirty years to gain closer relations with the people of the United States. Canada has done everything in her power and exhausted every resource to secure reciprocity. As to the canals

CANADA DESIRED HER CANALS SHOULD BE FREE TO ALL.

There had been no discrimination against American vessels or American ports, except that a rebate was given to freight to Montreal, for export. Canadian vessels carrying through the Welland canal to Canadian ports grain not intended for export did not get the rebate, just as American public men he wished to say that Odensburg did not get the rebate, because Canada could not follow the grain or tell whether it was for home or foreign consumption. The rebate was given only on grain for export. He desired to remove the impression that Canadians were not friendly to the people of the United States. He was a Canadian first and last and desired to remain a Canadian, and as such he wished to say that was not in the breast of one Canadian a selfish thought or desire to act as "dog in the manger." They wished to be friendly and were friendly and had exhausted every resource to this end, and this was true of both political parties.

Mr. E. V. Smalley, of Minneapolis, said the reason Canada had been unable to obtain reciprocity in trade was that her statesmen had sought to secure reciprocity in natural products alone, whereas the Americans naturally sought to secure some market for their manufactured products.

Mr. Frank Moberley explained briefly the project of an air line from Collingwood to Toronto, and the convention adjourned.

TO SUCCEED CERAT.

Mr. Alfred Perry waited upon the Mayor this morning. He asked for the immediate appointment of a secretary to the Fire Commissioners. If not forthcoming they must petition the government for one. The Mayor promised a new secretary on Monday.

'ARMY' THANKSGIVING.

The Salvation Army will hold its annual harvest thanksgiving to-morrow evening. The corps from Point St. Charles will assist, and an excellent musical programme is expected.

NOTARIES WILL MEET.

A meeting of notaries of the district of Montreal has been called for Saturday evening next. Some of the local French papers say that the real object of the meeting is to discuss the abolition of the profession, or at least important modifications in the present state of things. In connection with the meeting a 'Witness' reporter was informed by several members of the profession this morning that the object is to consider what means should be adopted to prevent the ever increasing diminution of their business. They claim that a large percentage of the work formerly done by them is now entrusted to lawyers, and if lawyers take over notaries' business there is a compensation by allowing notaries to appear before the courts, or, in other words, let the two professions be united into one.

ACTIONS AGAINST THE CITY.

An action for \$5,000 has been entered by Mr. C. J. Gregoire against the city and Mr. P. O. Cerat, secretary of the Fire Commissioners. The ground of the action is alleged unjustifiable arrest on a charge of arson. Louis Petit is suing the city for \$200 damages, on the ground that a policeman acted in a rough manner to his wife and threatened to arrest her without cause. The Masseu estate has taken an action against the city for \$16,037, amount claimed on certain properties taken for the opening of Mount Royal avenue.

THE BAXTER-DAVIS CASE.

Judge Pagnuelo rendered judgment, this morning, in the case of James Baxter vs. Wm. H. Davis. This was an action for the recovery of the amount of the \$1,000 note which caused so much trouble between the parties. The court rendered judgment in favor of plaintiff, and held that the two other notes which defendant transferred to plaintiff could not be considered as a compensation. The two transactions were quite separate and different, and although Baxter had agreed to keep Davis harmless as regards these notes, such a promise was simply a guarantee, and could not constitute a regular debt.

A \$35,000 CASE.

The case of Thomas vs. McEntyre, came up for hearing before Judge Delorme, this morning, in the first division of the Superior Court. This will be remembered as an action taken by the late W. T. Thomas, architect, claiming fees in connection with the building of the Duncan McIntyre mansion. About \$35,000 are involved. A large number of witnesses were present.

SUGGESTION TO LIQUOR MEN.

A Point St. Charles reader makes the suggestion that the Licensed Victuallers' Association, which boasts so loudly of the respectability of the liquor traffic, should inaugurate a system of patrol to take care of the poor unfortunates who expose themselves through drunkenness. By tender protection to its patrons, the victuallers' patrol wagon would rarely have trouble in reaching the victim before the police appeared.

THE CRIMINAL COURTS.

J. C. Senecal, clerk to the dry goods firm of Jasmine & Vallieres, 1869 Notre Dame st. appeared in court this morning to answer a charge of infringing the Canada Postal Act. It is charged by the Crown that Senecal sent a parcel containing samples of embroidery to Miss A. Goulet, St. Clet, Soulanges, and labelled the same 'samples.' He had, however, written at the foot of the bill of lading: 'Not having any more left of other sample, I am sending you the one I showed you yesterday.' Yours, thankfully, J. C. Senecal.' This is alleged to have constituted an offence against the law. The arguments of opposing counsel are still proceeding.

A RALLY AT SOREL.

Another Conservative political meeting has been arranged to take place at Sorel to-morrow. The speakers on the programme are the Hon. Messrs. Oulmet, Corrigan, Guerevont and Tasse, and Messrs. Girouard, Dupont and Bergeron.

'NO FUNDS.'

Mr. W. Bremner has taken an action to recover from the city the sum of \$120, price of a quantity of tile piping furnished, payment of which he has been so far unable to secure on the ground that no funds were available for such purpose at present.

PERSONAL.

The Rev. Fathers Beaudet and Renaud, of the St. Laurent College, are leaving for Europe to attend the general chapter of their order.

Mr. Herbert Jones, son of Mr. C. G. Jones of Cote St. Antoine, has gone to the Reformed Episcopal Theological Seminary, at Philadelphia, with the object of studying for the ministry. A large number of friends were at the station to see him off last evening. Mr. Jones is the seventh young man who has gone forth from St. Bartholomew's Church to this institution. Most of the others are now filling pulpits with ability.

Mrs. Thompson, the newly appointed lady superintendent of the Homeopathic Hospital, comes to this city very highly recommended. She obtained her training as medical and surgical nurse in the Royal Infirmary of Manchester, England, and since leaving there has had practical experience, not only in England, but in the province of Ontario.

CITY ITEMS.

An important document, relating to a claim of Mr. McClanaghan for \$11,400 has been lost at the City Hall.

The house of the Rev. G. Osborne Troop was broken into on Monday evening and the sum of \$33 was taken from his desk.

The Dominion convention of the International order of the King's Daughters and Sons will be held in the Y.M.C.A. building on Oct. 17, 18 and 19.

UNITED STATES TIN PLATE INDUSTRY.

London, Sept. 12.—The 'Daily News' today says the announcement has been made by a wealthy American iron and steel manufacturer, who is now in this country, that he, with a number of other capitalists, is about to begin the manufacture of tinplate in the United States on a scale that will very largely add to the American output.

INDIAN BRAVES AT ST. REGIS.

Hogansburg, N.Y., Sept. 12.—The great Indian pow-wow, adjourned from last June, commenced its sessions at St. Regis today. There are present the principal chiefs of the St. Regis and Caughnawaga tribes. Chief D. A. Yo Dekane, of Onondaga, from Grand River, is also here, and many more are expected today. They have erected quite a large tent just a few yards from the boundary post, and on the Canadian side, where every evening a grand Indian show and Indian band concert will hold forth. They appointed their committees yesterday and convened until 2 p.m. today when the desired restoration of old laws and customs will be discussed also the reading of the wampum or treaty bill. The conference is to continue daily all the rest of this week.

ONTARIO EXHIBITIONS.

Bellefleur, Ont., Sept. 12.—The Bay of Quinte District Agricultural and Horticultural exhibition was opened yesterday afternoon by Ald. W. N. Ponton, the president, who made a graceful address. The number of entries is larger than usual, and the show is a good one in all departments, particularly cattle and hops, amongst which many prize winners at Toronto, Sherbrooke, Chicago, and other big shows. The display of fruit and flowers is also particularly fine. There was a good attendance of visitors.

Guelph, Ont., Sept. 12.—The Guelph central exhibition opened yesterday, with beautiful weather, a great increase over last year's entries and the best of prospects for success.

MAY VOTE FOR ALL ALDERMEN.

Fredericton, N.B., Sept. 12.—The citizens today voted on a change in the city charter whereby it is proposed to give all citizens a chance to vote for all aldermen, thus doing away with the ward system. The change was adopted by a large majority.

THE POPE'S ENCYCLICAL.

Rome, Sept. 12.—The encyclical addressed to the American bishops, which the United Press recently announced the Pope was about to issue, will appear in November.

UNITED STATES NEWS.

United States marshal Johnson went from Springfield, Mo., to the village of Mayflower last night to arrest J. C. Little, postmaster, for opening a registered letter. Little heard of Johnson's coming and was found dead in bed when the officer arrived.

Jung Lee, a St. Louis, Mo., Chinaman, was shot and killed last night by Fung Lo, a fellow countryman. Lee was asleep when Lo crept up the stairs, placed a pistol to his side and fired. Lo was arrested. The two belonged to rival secret societies.

While a gang of bridge builders for the North-western Railway were near Elva, Ill., yesterday on a hand car they ran over an explosive which had been carefully placed on the rails. Seven men were injured and Walter Black, Samuel Olsen and Throp received wounds which may prove fatal. A northbound passenger train arrived at the spot a few minutes later and was held until the track had been examined.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

WITH THE WANDERERS. All cyclists attending the Chinese lantern parade of the above club are requested to have their lanterns unlighted until they arrive at the meeting place. Nearly all the cyclists are taking part in this parade, and it promises to be one of the successes of the season.

BASEBALL.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS. Won. Lost. Baltimore 83 37. New York 82 42. Boston 77 44. Philadelphia 69 50. Brooklyn 68 65. Cleveland 62 57. Pittsburgh 59 62. Chicago 58 71. Cincinnati 51 70. St. Louis 50 72. Washington 42 81. Louisville 34 87.

DOWN A CENT.

WHEAT DROPS AND CORN FOLLOWS. INCREASE IN STOCKS—FOREIGN MARKETS DULL.

The wheat market was again extremely dull this morning. There was little move to it one way or the other, prices being confined within a limit of 1/4 of a cent. It opened in Chicago at an advance of 1/4 of a cent, but at noon it lost that advance and 1/4 of a cent besides, the prices then being 53 1/2¢ Sept., 56 1/4¢ Dec. and 61 1/4¢ May. Corn was also dull and decidedly easier. It opened firm but declined, and at noon was quoted at 58¢ Oct. and 53 1/2¢ May, being 1/4 of a cent lower than the closing prices of yesterday. Foreign markets were quiet and lower. Beerbohm of Sept. 7, among other things, says: Heavy rain has again fallen on several days this week, and the crops still in the field have suffered in consequence. It is no exaggeration to say that 5 percent in quantity and 10 percent in quality has been taken from the promise of August 1. Potatoes have deteriorated in condition, and there are reports of blight in Ireland, as well as in Scotland and England. The Hungarian Minister of Agriculture now estimates the wheat crop at 15,600,000 qrs. as against 21,000,000 qrs. last year. In France the water has improved, but there are continued complaints regarding the quality and quantity of the new wheat. From Germany our latest advices state that the wet weather has sadly marred the prospects for wheat and rye. In certain districts rye is yielding 25 percent less than last year, but in wheat the deficit is less considerable.

The 'Prairie Farmer' estimates issued to-day are as follows: wheat, 500,000,000 bushels; corn, 1,287,000,000 bushels, and oats 210,000 bushels. Eighty percent of the crops mention wheat feeding to animals, and the surplus probably will all be fed. Considering the small crops of the two previous years the supply of corn on hand is the smallest per capita ever reported.

The wheat market moved this afternoon, but it moved downward to the disgust of the bulls. In Chicago wheat closed at 52 1/2¢ Sept., 55 1/4¢ Dec., and 61 1/4¢ May, being one cent lower than the closing prices of yesterday. Corn closed at 54 1/2¢ Sept., 54 1/4¢ Oct., 51 1/4¢ Dec., being one cent lower than the closing prices of yesterday for September and May, and 1 1/2 cents lower for October and December. Bradford's East of Rockies, wheat, increased 2,000,000; Pacific Coast, increased 807,000; corn, increased 345,000; oats, increased 611,000; Europe and Africa, for Europe, decreased 736,000 bushels.

LONDON SUGAR MARKET. London, Sept. 12.—Sugar, centrifugal, 96 test, 13s 6d; Muscovado, fair refining, 10s 9d; beet, Sept., 11s 3/4; Oct., 10s 4 1/2.

SHIPPING. The Dominion Line SS. Sarnia, from Montreal, Sept. 9, arrived at Liverpool to-day, and landed her shipment of 337 cattle and 760 sheep in good order with the exception of one bullock, which died on the passage.

ACTIVE AND STRONG.

GOOD BUSINESS IN STREET RAILWAY, CABLE, RICHELIEU AND TELEPHONE. Gas stock was unusually strong and active at the morning session of the Stock Exchange, and large sales were made within a range of 180 1/2 and 181, closing firm. Street Railway was also active and strong. Call money is quoted at 4 to 4 1/2 percent, and mercantile discounts at from 6 1/2 to 7 percent.

GAS STOCK STILL BOOMING.

Gas was a little easier this afternoon, selling down to 173 1/2. The sales this morning were—150 Commercial Cable at 142; 25 at 142; 13 Street Railway at 157 1/2; 12 at 157; 50 at 157 1/2; 150 at 152 1/2; 24 Telephone at 152; 25 at 151 1/4; 1 at 150; 75 at 151; 5 Royal Electric at 117; 50 Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co. at 85; 25 at 84 1/2; 75 at 85; 250 Gas at 151; 225 at 180 1/2; 300 at 180 1/2; 25 at 180 1/2; 125 at 180 1/2; 100 at 180 1/2; 25 at 180 1/2; 20 Bank of Montreal at 223; 10 Colored Cotton at 65; 25 Dominion Cotton at 112.

The sales this afternoon were—12 Commercial Cable at 142 1/2; 100 at 142; 50 Street Railway at 157 1/2; 25 new stock at 152 1/2; 200 at 152 1/2; 50 Royal Electric at 120; 75 Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Co. at 85; 475 Gas at 150 1/2; 25 at 180; 25 at 179 1/2; 100 at 179 1/2; 50 Merchants Bank at 165; 50 Duluth pref. at 12 1/2.

Reported by Messrs. Nichols & Marler, Stock Brokers, corner Notre Dame and St. Francois Xavier streets.

Stocks. per \$100 per \$100. Canadian Pacific 147 1/2. Do. do. Land Bonds 67 1/2. Duluth S. & Atlantic 5 1/2. Do. do. Prof. 13 1/2. Grand Trunk Pref. 100 1/2. Do. do. 2nd Pref. 100 1/2. Commercial Cable 142 1/2. Montreal Tr. & Nav. Co. 85. Richelieu & Ont. Nav. Co. 85. Montreal Street Railway (New) 157 1/2. Montreal Gas Co. 151. Bell Telephone Co. 151. Do. do. Bonds 125. Royal Electric 117. Bank of Montreal 223. Ontario Bank 103. Bank of British North America 127. La Banque de Peuple 127. Molsons Bank 127. Bank of Toronto 260. La Banque Jacques Cartier 114. Merchants Bank 170. Do. do. of Halifax 153. Eastern Townships Bank 128. Quebec Bank 128. La Banque Nationale 128. Union Bank 141. Canadian Bank of Commerce 140. La Banque Ville Marie 89. Hochelaga Bank 127. Intercontinental Bank 810. Do. do. of St. Paul 55. North-West Land 55. Canada Shipping Co. 10. Canada Paper Co. 109. Champlain & St. Lawrence Bonds 100. Montreal Cotton 125. Can. Col. Cot. Mills Co. 70. Do. do. Bonds 123. Merchants Manufacturing Co. 130. Dominion Cot. Mills Co. 115. Loan & Mortgage Co. 115.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

(Furnished by J. R. Meakin). Opening and Closing Prices—10 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Atchafalaya 7 1/2. Canadian Pacific 147 1/2. Can. Southern 51 1/2. Chicago, Burlington & Quincy 79 1/2. Can. C. & St. Louis 39 1/2. Com. Cable 104. Del. & Hud. 104. Del., Lack & West 15 1/2. Ill. Central 15 1/2. Louis. & Nash 55 1/2. Lake Shore 118 1/2. Montreal Consol. 29. Missouri Pacific 29. North American 19 1/2. Nor. Pac. pd. 19 1/2. New Jersey Central 104. N.Y. Cent. 104. N.Y. & N. Eng. 27 1/2. N.Y. Central 101. Omaha, O. & N. 37. Pacific Mail 37. Reading, Philadelphia 19 1/2. Richmond Terminal 19 1/2. Rock Island, Chicago & Pac. 29. St. Paul, Chicago & Minn. 62 1/2. St. Paul, Minn. & Man. 101. Texas Pacific 13 1/2. Union Pacific 29. Wabash Com. 15 1/2. Wash. pd. 15 1/2. Western Union Tel. 95 1/2. Sugar 90. Lead 40. Gas, Chicago 68 1/2. Rubber 6 1/2. Toledo, Ann Arbor & Nor. Mich. 5 1/2.

DID NOT KEEP HIS WORD.

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The Gymnasium in connection with the Institute will Re-open the 1st Oct. Classes for Young Men, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday evenings, from 7 to 10 o'clock. Ladies' Classes Monday and Friday evenings. Crownwell Cadets Wednesday evenings. Educational Classes will be resumed at the same date. For further particulars apply any evening at the Institute, 578 Wellington street, after 7 o'clock. WANTED, a Christian young man to have charge of the Reading and Amusement Rooms and assist in the Religious meetings. APPLY AT THE INSTITUTE. J. O. RICHARDSON, Manager.

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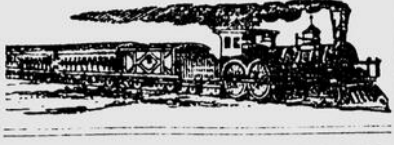
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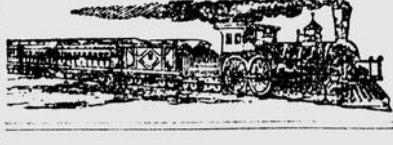


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HOW THEY HELPED THE FAIR.

BY EVA JONES.

"I don't think I shall ever want to go to the fair again, this year or any other," declared Mrs. Hepburn to her husband, "and I wish you would not coax me. If you think it is a good plan to take Jennie and Tom, I'll stand in the way of anything you wish to do; but for myself—just to think of the drinking and swearing, the wheel of fortune and other chances to persuade people to gamble, and the horse-racing and betting and all, is enough. I tell you the saloons of Clayton are glad enough to have fair time come, for numbers of men and boys just turn themselves loose for a jollification, and before they know it they have slipped into drinking. The sights I saw of that kind last year are grieving me yet."

"Now, mother, you are not worrying a little bit about me, I trust," said Farmer Hepburn, with a teasing glance out of the corner of his eye. "You dear goose! I guess that a man who has kept sober for fifty-seven years, and voted for prohibition ever since he knew of the ticket, won't need to be kept at home from the fair for his own sake. And I know—I feel sure—our Tom would never so disgrace us and break our hearts. I can trust his good principles, though it makes me shiver to remember how sly are some of the temptations that beset fifteen-year-old boys, and I sometimes fear he will be drawn into some evil before he knows it."

"But, mother, now talk a little about the good that compensates for all the bad, the better and brighter side to the fair." "Oh, yes. I always do enjoy the sights with old friends and neighbors; some of them I seldom meet any other way. And the ten miles' ride with you and the children would be a rest and pleasure any time. And I suppose I could get a prize or two for butter or fruit as well as I have before. Tom has done splendidly with the garden this year, and his vegetables will make a nice showing if he chooses to take them, and so will some of your stock. That part of the question is always attractive enough. But you remember how our best hand went off on a spree last fair time, and worried and tired you out for need of his help. It's just that side of it, John, that has worn me out."

"This was about six weeks before the date for the fair, and on that same afternoon the Clayton W. C. T. U. was also discussing the coming fair. "I suppose it will fill the town full of drunken folks and make a harvest for the saloons," said Mrs. Billings. "I wish there would not be any fair until prohibition carries in our town. They are more harm than good the way they are now run."

"Couldn't we put an influence in this one to help bring prohibition?" asked Grandma Siskles. "There will be lots of folks there, if we could only set them at our kind of thinking, and farmers are more willing than most folks are to think right. We could try and do a little, even if there are but six of us."

"And then followed a long, earnest discussion, and a careful laying of plans. Six determined and courageous women are a host any time to the wonders, and the result may be partly guessed from the chatter of Jennie and Tom the day after they visited the fair, for Mrs. Hepburn had stayed at home, though she urged the others to go, since she saw the children would so much about it, and she knew they would have the best of the fair."

"It was too bad you were not there that year, mother, of all the years, for I have seen the difference. It seems a petition had been prepared and signed by most everybody asking the fair directors not to allow liquor, drinking or gambling on the grounds, and the W. C. T. U. agreed to furnish barrels of free ice water, and a pleasant sort of parlor or resting place for tired people, and to help water the grounds and make the place as nice as they could, and you saw it look so gay and pretty."

"You interrupted Tom," there were lots of things there not shown for years; and I would like to know how they found their parrots and stuffed birds and curios, and long ways nicer to look at than their old trick gambling place. The W. C. T. U. parlor, mother, was filled with plenty of easy chairs, and all sorts of temperance papers and a long table draped with a white cloth, and a kind, jolly woman sent them away to everybody. Pa was glad for this one, the 'Union Signal' for he knew you would like it, and you could have that much of the fair, anyway."

stories better than a horse-race any day. A fellow could just strut by the saloons and be proud he belonged to the temperance side after that fellow had had his say to the crowd. "I'm very glad," said Mrs. Hepburn, "and I shall certainly want to go next year. But how do you suppose they got money for all this? Is the W. C. T. U. a large, wealthy society?" "I asked one of them," her husband replied, "and this was all done by a band of six women. But they asked others to help and to give this or that, as they needed, and they gathered a special fund to buy literature and pay for their speaker, and I don't know how much they made from their ice-cream and lemonade. I know it was proper good."

And six tired, happy women at their next union meeting counted sixteen new members gained, with hopes of many more, a treasury a little richer than before and a host of friends, who said: "That was splendid work your union did. Be sure to 'chip in' again with us next year."—"Union Signal."

DAILY STEPS UPWARD.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 19.
Temptations sore obstruct my way
And ill I cannot flee;
Oh, give me strength, Lord, as my day,
For good remember me!
Thomas Haweis.
Thou shalt not be forgotten of me.
—Is. xlv., 21.
When Thou Thy jewels up dost bind,
That day
Remember us, we pray.
Jeremy Taylor.

The following personal experiences related by an eminent minister not long since are of great service in encouraging all believers to address those about them on the subject of their soul's welfare: "At the beginning of my Christian life, having myself been led to Christ by the personal effort of a friend, I made up my mind that I would always speak about religion when I was so situated that I could choose the subject of conversation. Once, in a city where I was living, there was a great deal of religious interest. At the same table with ourselves in the boarding-house were Mr. A. and his wife, excellent people, but not Christians. I felt that they came within the scope of my resolution. I said to my wife, 'If you will speak to Mrs. A., I will speak to her husband.' I went to his place of business, and after some delay succeeded in being alone with him. As soon as I began to speak he said, 'I am so glad you have come. I have been wanting to have some one speak to me. When Christians have come in here I have tried to draw them into conversation.' When I went home my wife said, 'You had hardly gone out of the house when Mrs. A. came to my room and said, 'Won't you talk to me about religion?' In another instance I had spent the Sunday with a minister, living a little off the railway; and on Monday morning his son drove me to the station. On the way I spoke to him about Christ. He said that his father had never spoken to him. Three years afterwards I was speaking to the students at College, and a young man came up to me and said, 'You do not remember me, but I shall never forget you.' It was this same young man, who was now studying for the ministry."

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READABLE PARAGRAPHS. A COMPREHENSIVE MENU. The eastern guest at a wild western tavern didn't appear to be well pleased or very greatly encouraged by the view he had taken of the table, and when the waiter came forward he felt even less hopeful. "Walter," he said, almost pleadingly, "bring me some roast beef." "Some what?" inquired the waiter, as if he were firing the words out of a gun. "Some roast beef." "I guess you mean some cooked steer, don't you?" "I suppose so. Bring it to me anyhow." "We haven't got 'ny." "What have you got?" inquired the guest, with a feeling of relief that he had escaped. "Balk shoulder." "What's that?" "Salt pork." "I don't want it." The waiter began to be very sorry for the guest, and his voice took on a sympathetic cast. "Well," he said pleasantly, "you jist tackle them knives and forks fer yer main gny, and I'll go out and see if I can't make a raise uv a spoon fer yer dezzert."—"Detroit Free Press."

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A RAW RECRUIT.

Once during the training of the famous Wiltshire Militia, at Devizes, the following incident occurred. A recruit, who seemed so thick-headed that he could not tell which was his right and which his left-about turn, was successfully managed by the sergeant in this way:— "Said the sergeant, 'Where did you come from?' 'Caen,' he replied. 'Well, what did you do before you came here?' 'Moastly ploughin'.' 'What with?' 'Waal, sometimes oxen, and sometimes horses, but mostly oxen.' 'Now,' said the sergeant, 'supposing you were driving a team of oxen up this furrow—drawing a line on the ground—and, when at the top you wanted them to turn this way—indicating right-about—what would you say to them?' 'Coom wi' a woot round,' was the reply, in the broadest Wiltshire dialect. 'Well,' said the sergeant, 'this is right-about turn. Now, supposing you got them to the bottom, and wanted them to go up the same furrow, what would you say?' 'Coom wi' a ha' woot round,' was his reply. 'That is left-about turn,' said the sergeant. And in a few minutes that thickest of skulls knew all about his turnings.—Exchange.

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A TOUGH HEN.

A remarkable story comes from Salem, N.J., concerning a hen which was buried under a barn for four months and brought out alive. The story is told by a Philadelphia, who claims to have been on the ground, and he tells it as though he, at least, is fully convinced of the truth of his statements. 'About a year ago,' so the narrator begins his story, 'my boy was down in Salem with his dog, which unearthed a nest of 'possums in a barn. As soon as the boy and dog got down there this year the dog went right for this same spot in the barn. He created such an uproar that every one thought he had found another nest of the same kind. After the boards of the floor had been torn up an old hen was pulled out. She was so weak that she could not stand, and every time she attempted to she fell forward on her head. 'She did not try to eat much, but drank water for two hours with but few intermissions. The old hen had been buried in that hole for months without anything to eat or drink, but she is doing all right now.'

He explained that he knew the hen had been there at least four months because there were two sheddings of feathers. A hen, he says, sheds its feathers every two months.—Philadelphia 'Call.'

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To the electrician a visit to the new power house of the Montreal Street Railway would no doubt be a demonstration and a study. To the ordinary person, unaccustomed to moving about among broad belts and rapidly-revolving gigantic wheels, it is apt to occasion nervousness and astonishment at the marvellous range of man's ingenuity in adapting and controlling the powers of nature.

The latest novelty in the new building is the first pair of six large generators, which the Canadian General Electric Company, of Peterboro, Ont., is putting in the power house.

The first pair have just been installed. Two of these machines are bolted to a base frame, carrying a pulley, fifty-eight inches wide and forty-eight inches in diameter, which is driven by a belt fifty-four inches wide, from a Laurie Corliss engine. Each machine has a friction clutch on its shaft, by means of which it may be attached to the pulley and driven by it or thrown out of connection at will.

The generators are of the Thomson-Houston multipolar type. Each is 375 horse power, making the complete unit of 750 horse power. The first pair of these machines is already running in the power house in circuit with the other twelve generators, which were likewise manufactured by the Canadian General Electric Company, Peterboro. These twelve are of the bi-polar type, each with a capacity of 240 horse power.

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Mr. Dave Elliott is the machine shop foreman, and Mr. Mackenzie, of Peterboro, is supervising the installation of the machines.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL UNION.

The executive committee have been arranging their plans for efficient work during the autumn months, and so the county conventions commence this week at Hull for Wright County. The second follows at Thurso, for Labelle County on Sept. 24, and the third at Kirkcubbin's Mills for Meagantic County on Sept. 27. Each of these will, as usual, be attended by some member of the committee.

THE GOSPEL PATROL.

MR. ALLAN SAYS HE WROTE ALD. PENNY A LETTER—WHERE DID IT GO?

Ald. Penny, referring to the statement of Mr. Allan, in the 'Witness,' on Monday that he had received and read a letter in council, called at this office yesterday to say that he advised Mr. Allan to write to him, and also to petition Council for leave to hold mission meetings, but that he never heard anything further from him, and read no letter in Council.

Mr. Allan sent the letter. It should be found out by Ald. Penny if the letter ever reached the City Hall. As he is chairman of the City Hall Committee, he should be easily able to trace it.

A NEW PAPER.

The first number of a daily and weekly newspaper called the 'Sun,' was issued in Belleville, on Saturday. The paper presents a good appearance, and contains, besides news, considerable general reading matter, including much that is interesting and profitable. In political matters the 'Sun' will be independent, the leading article states, but will be aggressive in the interests of Belleville and the Bay of Quinte district.

MEETINGS AND SOCIETIES.

ST. MARK'S C. E. ORGANIZED.

St. Mark's Y.P.S.C.E. has elected officers for the winter session. The Rev. John Nichols presided at the election, and referred to the large and interesting meetings of the society held during last winter and spring, and urged the young people to aim at a large advance all along the line.

Look-out Committee—Miss Linton, convener; Miss Grieve, Miss Butler, Miss Smyth; Miss Lindsay and Miss Clendenning, vice-presidents; Miss Grieve, second vice-president; Mrs. Ferguson, secretary-treasurer; Miss M. Lindsay; corresponding secretary, Miss Clendenning; representative to the Montreal Christian Endeavor Union, Mr. W. McDougall; organists, Miss Grieve, Miss Butler and Miss Clendenning.

Prayer Meeting Committee—Mr. McDougall, convener; Misses Grieve, Smyth and Linton.

ST. MARY'S BAND OF HOPE.

The Band of Hope in connection with St. Mary's Anglican Church, Hochelaga, opened its meetings for the ensuing year in the schoolroom of the church on Friday evening last. There was a large attendance, and the programme was well rendered in all its parts.

GRACE CHURCH ANNIVERSARY SERVICES. Anniversary services were held in Grace Church, Point St. Charles, on Sunday, the occasion being the second anniversary of the opening of the church.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Saratoga, N.Y., Sept. 18.—A beautiful autumn morning greeted the Republican leaders when they arose to begin in earnest the business of nominating a ticket for the November election.

CRIMINAL COURTS.

A FRAUD AT ST. LAMBERT.

On the eastbound train which leaves St. Lambert station at four o'clock an intoxicated man was smoking in a first-class carriage. There were a number of ladies present and the man was asked by one of the train hands to desist. He refused and showed fight, in which attitude he was supported by a fellow passenger who was traveling with him.

HE SPEAKS HOPEFULLY.

Mr. R. R. Stevenson, of the firm of Stevenson & Blackader, St. Peter street, the well known selling agents for several large manufacturing companies, left on Saturday per S.S. 'Labrador' for England and Scotland, in furtherance of the business interests of the companies with which he is connected.

COMMERCIAL NOTES.

The following business firms have been registered.—Mrs. Emile Sainbault, confectioner, A. Sainbault & Co.; Mrs. Saul J. Walker, second-hand store, Saul J. Walker & Co.; Mrs. Arthur Senecal, trader, A. Senecal & Co.; Mrs. Alme Turcotte, merchant tailor, Turcotte & Co.; Malvina Lamoureux, grocer, C. Lamoureux; Alphonse Loranger and Leon Loranger, carpenters, Loranger & Co.; Joseph Labelle, Nap. Vallee and G. Huot, tinmiths, Labelle, Vallee & Huot; Saul John Walker and Aaron Wood, traders, H. Walker & Co., have dissolved partnership.

ERSKINE CHURCH.

On Sunday next the congregation of Erskine Church will meet for the last time in their old church, on the corner of Peel and St. Catherine streets. In the morning a communion service is to be held, when the pastor is to be assisted by the Rev. Prof. Scribner, and in the evening the closing service takes place, when addresses are to be given by the Rev. Messrs. A. J. Mowatt, E. Scott, and Dr. Warden. To these services all friends of the congregation, and especially all former members, are cordially invited, and will be warmly welcomed. The new church is to be opened on the following Sabbath, Sept. 30.

INDEMNITY OF CANADIAN SEALERS

THAT OFFER OF \$425,000 IN SETTLEMENT IS NOT LIKELY TO BE GRANTED JUST NOW.

Washington, Sept. 18.—The positive statement attributed in an Ottawa interview, to Sir Chas. H. Tupper, Canadian minister of fisheries, that an offer of \$425,000 had been made by Secretary Gresham in lieu of the claims of the Canadian sealers for damages for seizure in Behring Sea under the modus vivendi, if correct, indicates once more the inability of even the best informed officials of the British provinces to appreciate the difference between the methods of government in the United States and in Great Britain and its colonies. As near as can be gathered from the cautious admissions of the State department of the United States, Mr. Gresham did convey to Sir Charles H. Tupper, during his visit to Washington, just before the adjournment of Congress, an intimation that the payment of a certain amount by the United States, which may have been \$425,000, might perhaps be regarded as a satisfactory settlement of the disputed question left open by the Paris award.

THE PULLMAN CASE.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 18.—Attorney-General Maloney appeared before Judge Gibbons yesterday, and asked leave to file his amended petition in the quo warranto proceedings against the Pullman Company. Attorney John S. Reynolds, for the Pullman Company, not objecting, Judge Gibbons made the answer returnable on Oct. 8. Information in the form of quo warranto proceedings was filed by the Attorney-General against the Millington White Sand Company. The information sets forth that this corporation, with others, has formed a national trust to control the output of white sand.

MR. BLAKE ANNOUNCED TO SPEAK.

New York, Sept. 18.—At a meeting of the Irish National Federation of America to-night a report on the coming of the Hon. Edward Blake, M.P., to this city was made by Chairman John F. Walsh. Mr. Blake will come to this city on Oct. 17. He will speak at Lenox Lyceum, under the auspices of the Federation. From this city he will go to Georgia, and then to Philadelphia. He will sail for Europe on Oct. 27, and it is possible he will speak in Brooklyn on Oct. 26. Mr. Blake is now in Toronto, Ont., and will leave there on Oct. 13.

DISCOVERED BY A DECOY.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Ellis A. Watson, colored, a clerk in the postoffice, was arrested last evening by Inspector Stuart while rifling a decoy letter containing \$20. Watson was formerly an attendant at the bath rooms of a prominent hotel. Six years ago he found a package containing \$8,000 which had been dropped by a bibulous customer. Although this was an opportunity for Watson to make himself rich, he took the money to the hotel office and turned it over to the clerk. The next day the money was returned to the owner, who presented Watson with a gold watch.

GARMENT WORKERS STRIKE.

New York, Sept. 18.—The strike of the Brotherhood of Tailors is virtually at an end, and has resulted in an absolute victory for the workmen. Every demand made by the strikers is to be complied with. Less than half a score of contractors are still holding out, and are expected to come to terms to-day. Of the 6,000 men who went out, less than 150 are now unemployed.

A FULL BENCH.

There was a full bench of Judges in the Court of Appeal yesterday. Judge Oulmet taking the place of Judge Baby, confined to his house by illness.

PERSONAL.

Ald. Little, of Providence, R.I., is in the city. He visited the Mayor and city clerk yesterday.

The Rev. Brothers Flamen and Andre, of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, left to-day for France, to attend the general chapter of their order as delegates from the Canadian provinces.

Mr. H. Foster Chaffee, district passenger agent of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company, and Mr. Joseph Louis, one of the directors of the company, returned from a trip to the Saguenay, where they have been for several days past on business connected with the company.

OCEAN CATTLE FREIGHT RATES.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THOSE INTERESTED TO MEET IN OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—An Order-in-Council has been passed on the recommendation of Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, appointing Mr. W. L. Magee, of the department of Marine and Fisheries, a commissioner to enquire into the question of ocean cattle rates, as was promised last session would be done. Mr. Magee will invite representatives of the Dominion Live Stock Association, steamship owners, cattle shippers and others interested in the trade to agree together on some day on which they can come to Ottawa and submit such statements and evidence to him as they desire.

ANOTHER OLD LANDMARK GONE.

Cornwall, Sept. 17.—One of the oldest inhabitants of the United Counties and with one of the most noted and best known men of the district, passed over to the great silent majority the other day at his home in Moose Creek. This man was Hiram E. Barnhart, who was born where the town of Cornwall now stands in 1800. As a young man he was by turns painter, merchant, soldier and farmer. He enlisted under Col. Van-koughnet in the Stormont Royal Militia and served during the troublous time of 1837-38.

THE ANCIENT CAPITAL.

Quebec, Sept. 18.—One of the members of Lord Aberdeen's suite called upon the Hon. G. Oumet, Superintendent of Education, on Monday to inform him that His Excellency desired to visit the public schools before leaving Quebec. It was accordingly arranged that the Vice-regal party should visit the High School and the Christian Brothers Commercial Academy this forenoon.

SIR N. F. BELLEAU'S WILL.

Quebec, Sept. 19.—After the funeral and interment of the late Sir N. F. Belleau, his relatives and nearest of kin assembled at his late residence to hear his last will read by the notary, Mr. W. Larue. The document bore the date of April 5, 1886, and disposes of the whole of the deceased's estate, valued at close upon four hundred thousand dollars, and including his furniture, horses and carriages, pictures, real estate, bank and other stocks, in favor of deceased's nephew, Dr. A. G. Belleau, coroner of the Quebec district, and secretary of the provincial College of Physicians and Surgeons, subject to substitution in favor of the latter's children, and of the payment of a life rent of two hundred dollars a year to another nephew, Mr. Fortuné Belleau, of Pointe aux Trembles, Portneuf County, farmer. Not one cent was left by the deceased for any charitable or public purpose.

ONTARIO C. E.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 18.—The Christian Endeavorers are bestirring themselves for the Ontario convention, convening here on Oct. 11, 12, and 13. The local executive, under the capable chairmanship of Mr. George Mills, jr., is making ready for the visitors. The addresses of welcome will be made by Mayor Herald, for the city, the Rev. C. O. Johnston, for the pastors, and Mr. George Mills, jr., for the C. E.'s. Just now an efficient quartette:—Messrs. Mills, Shanks, McElroy and Phillips—are visiting the societies, and stirring up enthusiasm over the coming rally. It is announced that Ottawa and Hamilton are seeking this convention of 1895. Last April a committee waited upon Lord Aberdeen, while here, and he promised to attend, provided he was in the province at that date. The authoritative announcement will be made shortly.

GOVERNMENT OF ALASKA.

A CONVENTION CALLED TO FORM LAWS. Victoria, B.C., Sept. 17.—The steamer 'City of Topeka,' from Alaska, brings news of that vast domain and the necessity of that vast domain and the necessity of the establishment of a mail route into the Yukon country by way of Chitkat Pass. After a full discussion of the specific wants of the territory no solutions were adopted providing for a convention of the people of Alaska, to be held at Juneau, Nov. 5, for the purpose of considering the best means of securing remedial legislation by Congress. The election of delegates to the convention will be held Oct. 6.

KINGSTON MAKES A BID.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 18.—The City Council has offered exemption to the Kingston & Montreal Forwarding Company should it decide to remove from Portsmouth to this city. The Portsmouth Council has notified the company that if it does not re-engage the men it discharged its exemption there will be repealed. A political motive was imputed by Ald. Gaskin as the cause of the matter coming up in the city Council. The Kingston Vehicle Company has been granted exemption from municipal taxes and free water on establishing here.

SUPREME COURT CALENDAR.

CASES INSCRIBED FOR THE APPROACHING SITTING.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—The following is a list of the cases inscribed for hearing at the sitting of the Supreme Court, which opens here on Tuesday, Oct. 2:—

Maritime Provinces cases, including Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick—Emrie vs. Archibald, Fairbanks vs. the Queen, Exchequer appeal; Doyle vs. McPhee, Reid vs. Creighton, Chisholm vs. Robinson, N. S. Mar. Ins. Co. vs. Eisenhauer, Wrayton vs. Naylor, Williams vs. Bartling, Phillips vs. McGrath, McDonald vs. Cummings, Clinch vs. Perrette, Wallace vs. Wiskul, New Glasgow, etc. vs. Tobin, Murdoch vs. West, St. Stephens vs. Charlotte, St. Stephens Bank vs. Bounness, Bank of N. S. vs. Fish, Connor vs. Vroom.

Quebec cases—Quebec Skating Club vs. the Queen (Exchequer appeal), Dupont vs. the Queen, De Kuyper vs. Van Dulken (Exchequer appeal), Van Dulken vs. De Kuyper (Exchequer appeal), Fortier vs. Lambe, Hunt vs. Taplin, Ferrier vs. Trepanier, Archibald vs. DeLisle, Archibald vs. Baker, Archibald vs. Mont, Angus vs. Union Gas and Oil Store Company, McKay vs. Hinchinbrooke, Webster vs. Sherbrooke, Caldwell vs. Accident Insurance Company, the Queen vs. Canada Agricultural and Coal Company (Exchequer appeal), Queen vs. Filion (Exchequer appeal).

Ontario cases, including the North-West Territories and Provinces of British Columbia, Manitoba and Ontario—C. Mills vs. Scott, Kenny vs. Caldwell, Armstrong vs. Nason, Armstrong vs. McLeod, Armstrong vs. Wright, Craig vs. Samuel, Segsworth vs. Anderson, Toronto vs. Jarvis, York vs. Osoble, Ferguson vs. Innes, Murray vs. Jones, French River Tug Company vs. Kerr Engine Company, Tooth vs. Kittredge, Headford vs. McClary, Michigan Central Railway vs. Neallens, Cornwall vs. Deroche, Godlerham vs. Toronto.

References by Governor-General-in-Council, in re Provincial Fisheries case. In re arbitration between the Dominion and provinces. Appeal of Dominion award.

SEIZURE OF THE 'FAVORITE.'

THE MINISTER OF MARINE SAYS IT WAS ILLEGAL—THE VESSEL LIBERATED.

Ottawa, Sept. 18.—The Minister of Marine and Fisheries, speaking of the seizure of the Canadian sealer schooner 'Favorite' by a United States cruiser in the North Pacific ocean, says that the Paris regulations were made against the use of shot guns and that the mere possession of a gun was no violation of the law. He has accordingly notified the Collector at Victoria not to recognize the seizure as valid, although the 'Favorite' was towed into harbor by the British admiral, to whom the United States captain handed her over.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 18.—The sealing schooner 'Favorite' has been liberated. Rear-Admiral Stephenson sent word from Esquimalt this morning that he would utterly disregard the seizure by the United States ship 'Mohican,' and directed the immediate release of the schooner. The matter was placed before the rear-admiral and the now famous shot gun was given into his possession. He was not long in making up his mind, and forty hours after the vessel was formally passed into custody she was released. Capt. McLean took possession of her again to-day, and after discharging the skins will strip her and put her in shape for the winter's work. The admiral and officers agree with the local fishermen that the schooner has a good case for substantial damages against the American Government and it will be pressed.

COMPTON NEWS.

BIG SHIPMENT OF CATTLE TO ENGLAND—SERIOUS SHOOTING ACCIDENT. Compton, Que., Sept. 17.—A large shipment of fat cattle was made from here to the English market to-day. About ninety head in all were shipped and they were in magnificent condition. The shippers were Messrs. P. Ryan, Quartus Ellis and C. F. Drake, of Compton, and Mr. John Ryan, of Lennoxville.

THE MASSEY-HARRIS CO.

CANADIAN TARIFFS FORCING THEM TO OPEN A BRANCH IN THE UNITED STATES. Toronto, Sept. 18.—A member of the Massey-Harris firm speaking to a reporter relative to the rumored removal of the firm to Niagara, N.Y., said the new Canadian tariff made it difficult for the firm to compete with the United States firms, consequently the establishment of a branch in the United States had become desirable. This would mean the closing of the Toronto works although it might lead to a reduction in the number of workmen. The assimilation of the Canadian tariff on raw material to that of the United States would possibly obviate the necessity of having works at Niagara, N.Y.

DISPUTE ITS GENUINENESS.

Toronto, Sept. 18.—The 'Evening Telegram's' special London cable says: 'The authorities at the Admiralty office have received a letter from an officer who served under Col. Dunne, in which the writer expresses doubt as to the genuineness of the sword which the Hon. J. C. Patterson, Canadian Minister of Militia, bought, believing it to have belonged to Gen. Wolfe. The writer asserts that it is impossible that the sword can have lain ninety years in the earth without rusting away.'

EASTERN WAR NEWS.

LI HUNG CHANG'S GRAVE IN CHINA.

London, Sept. 18.—The 'Times' from reports received from China, says that the grave of Li Hung Chang, the late Chinese viceroy, is still in the hands of the Japanese. The reports state that the Japanese are still in possession of the grave, and that the Chinese are unable to recover it.

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UNITED STATES CASES.

FRANCE AND BELGIUM. PARIS, Sept. 18.—The 'Times' from reports received from Paris, says that the French government has decided to take certain steps in connection with the Belgian case.

LATEST SWINDLING.

London, Ont., Sept. 18.—The 'Witness' from reports received from London, Ont., says that a swindler has been arrested in connection with a large sum of money.

SENT DOWN FOR THIS.

Cornwall, Sept. 18.—The 'Witness' from reports received from Cornwall, says that a man has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment for a crime.

GRAIN STANDARDS.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—The 'Witness' from reports received from Winnipeg, says that the grain standards have been discussed in a meeting.

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