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A BIG BOOM IN TORONTO RY. SHARES

Nearly 4,000 Changed hands This Morning at a Good-sized Advance.

DOM. COTTON CHANGES

Bank of England Rate Goes Up in Order to Check Gold Movement.

SUGAR LOWER IN WALL STREET

There was quite a boom in Toronto Railway this morning, and the quotation was run up to 104 1-4 before the gong sounded at 12.30.

Nearly 4,000 shares of the stock changed hands, and L. J. Forget & Co. were buyers to the extent of about 2,500.

As far as could be learned there is really nothing new in connection with the stock excepting of course the fact that the earnings continue remarkably good, and it is thought that the company this year is going to show something like 6 3-4 per cent. That, it seems, is the chief bull argument.

There was no remarkable feature to Wall street this morning excepting that sugar took something of a tumble from its high level of yesterday, and it looks as if the bear campaign is not over yet. There is a strong factor, however, still believing in better prices. Another feature this morning was the advance in the Bank of England's rate of discount to 3 per cent., the object no doubt being to prevent the gold exports. It is not likely to be immediately successful though unless

Money Eases

in New York. There were further engagements of gold to-day.

In the local market this morning there was no further trading in Dominion Cotton, but talk of the prospective changes keeps up, and it was rumored this morning that perhaps Mr. Ernest Gault and Mr. Jacques Grenier will leave the board.

The other securities, apart from Toronto Railway, were rather quiet, although 600 shares of Pacific changed hands at 86 3-4, and 100 shares Halifax at 133 3-4.

There was further trading in War Eagle, and 9,000 shares were placed on the basis of $2.94.

Montreal Street Railway earnings yesterday amounted to $4,089.90, an increase of $378.46. On Tuesday Toronto Railway earnings were $3,226.44, a gain of $552.57.

Rossland, B.C., Sept. 22.—The Iron Horse Company has ordered seven drill compressors, to be installed in six weeks. The owners have subscribed $50,000 for working capital. The manager is building a road from the Virginia siding.

Stock quotations yesterday: War Eagle, $2.94; Iron Mask, 85c.; Virginia, 74c.; Jumbo, 50c.; Monte Cristo, 28c.; Deer Park, 20c.; Commander, 13½c.; Iron Horse, 17½c.; Giant 17½c.; Novelty, 4½c.

In Wall Street.

Sugar was lower on Wall street this morning, but the remainder of the list was quiet and about steady. Mr. C. D. Monk despatches said:—

London: Americans closed weak, with special selling in Union Pacific pfd. on the belief that the dividend will be 1½ per cent., instead of 2 per cent., as has been expected.

Northwest earnings for August again made a record. Last year they exceeded any previous record compared with August, 1897, they increased over 31 per cent.

Sell Sugar for a turn around 122.

Ladenburg & Thalman have $800,000 coming.

Early buying in Manhattan was partly on Mr. George Gould's utterances in regard to intentions of improving the property. It was observed, however, that the stock came out on the advance of a rumor gained currency that the recent strength in Manhattan had been utilized to dispose of a line of stock.

Mr. J. R. Keene makes the following statement to the Times: "I feel extremely bullish. I do not recall a time in twenty years when the conditions affecting business and transportation were so universally and distinctly favorable as now."

MORNING BOARD.

600 shares	Pacific	at 86¾
25 "	Street Ry	at 278
100 "	Halifax	at 133¾
19 "	Molsons	at 203
46 "	Molsons	at 202½
25 "	Gas	at 194½
4 "	Telephone	at 172¼
5 "	Electric	at 160
5 "	Electric	at 159½
4 "	Ville Marie	at 92½
860 "	Toronto Ry	at 103⅛
300 "	Toronto Ry	at 103
25 "	Toronto Ry	at 103¼
200 "	Toronto Ry	at 103¾
100 "	Toronto Ry	at 103⅞
1540 "	Toronto Ry	at 104
625 "	Toronto Ry	at 104⅛
250 "	Toronto Ry	at 104¼
9000 "	War Eagle	at $2.94

Fort William Debentures.

Fort William, Ont., Sept. 22.—The debentures issued by Fort William for water works have been purchased by Ray, Street & Co., for $38,000, being at the rate of 108 1-2.

Excursions each Saturday and Sunday from Windsor station via St. Lawrence & Adirondack Railway to Chateauguay, Beauharnois, Valleyfield, Huntingdon and Malone; also each Saturday to the Adirondacks. Low rates. Saturday special leaves 1.55 p.m. Sunday special leaves 9.45 a.m., returns at 9.25 p.m. Tickets good returning until Monday.

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STREET GOSSIP OF THE DAY.

A miller stated on 'Change this morning that there is considerable activity in the wheat markets up West just now, and there would be more if the farmers showed an increased disposition to sell. The majority of them, however, show an inclination to hold off and wait for higher prices. No. 1 hard for prompt delivery at Fort William is quoted at 72c, and in Ontario millers are paying 66c to 67c. At the latter figures exporters are out of it, as they are relatively above the quotations across the line.

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There has been some bullish talk among the cheese men lately, resulting in a 9c market in the country. There seems to be a much healthier tone to the foreign markets, and the demand has expanded appreciably. It looks now as if the season will wind up at higher prices than have existed during the summer.

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There was a lot of talk yesterday about the rumored changes in the Dominion Cotton board, and it is generally believed now that, as The Herald stated yesterday, Rudolph Forget and Hugh McLennan are going on the board at the next annual meeting.

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Money here is about the same at 4 per cent. Speaking of the situation in New York yesterday, a report said:—"Call money was marked up to 5 per cent. by many banks this morning, and in the Exchange most of the day's loans were made at 4 1-2 and 5 per cent. Heavy handlers of money were quoted by speculative interests as stating that the money market was in better shape than it had been for two weeks, and on these statements there was a good deal of speculative buying. In the afternoon there were many offers at 4 per cent., and later at even lower rates, but most of the loans had already been made at higher rates early in the day."

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All the Canadian Street Railways continue to show largely increased earnings over a year ago. The Halifax, St. John, Ottawa and Cornwall roads are all doing well, and the earnings of Toronto and Montreal roads published daily tell the story as far as they are concerned.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS.

Montreal Sent Out 3,500 Head of Cattle During the Week.

The Movement of Sheep Is on the Increase and Over 2,000 Head Have Gone Forward.

The movement of cattle from Montreal continues to run slightly behind a year ago, but present shipments are fairly large when the state of the foreign markets are taken into consideration. During the past week 3,446 head of cattle went forward, London and Liverpool as usual getting the most. There is a larger movement of sheep, however, and during the week over 2,000 head went out. The shipments of cattle and sheep for the week ending to-day are given in detail as follows:

	Cattle.	Sheep.
Sept. 15—Brazilian, London	...	709
" 15—Arona, London	200	...
" 18—Monarch, London	472	392
" 20—Rosarian, London	114	854
" 15—Laurentian, Liv	486	...
" 16—Oakmore, Liverpool	363	...
" 18—Irishman, Liv	633	232
" 16—Montrose, Bristol	245	...
" 21—L. Ontario, Liv	291	...
" 20—Sarmatian, Glasgow	352	...
" 18—Manchester Enterprise, Manchester	290	...
Total	3446	2187

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

DESCRIPTION.	Sept. 22 Ask.	Sept. 22 Bid	Sept. 21 Ask.	Sept. 21 Bid
Canadian Pacific Railway	86⅞	86⅝	86¼	86⅜
D.S.S.A	3½	3	3¼	3
D.S.S. A. pfd	8	6¼	8	6½
Commercial Cable Co	184	182½	183¼	182½
Do. Coupon Bonds	....	....	....	....
Do. Reg. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Rich. and Ont. Nav. Co	103	102	104	102
Cornwall Ry	....	....	....	....
M.S.R	278½	278	278½	278
M.S.R. new stock	273¾	273¼	273¾	273
Halifax Elec. Tram Co	134	133½	134	133½
Do do Bonds	....	....	110	105
Toronto Street Ry	104½	104⅜	103	102⅞
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Montreal Gas Co	195	194	195	194
Royal Electric Co	159½	159¼	160	159¼
Montreal Telegraph Co	180	177	180	177
St John Ry. Co	....	....	....	....
Bell Telephone Co	173	170	173	170
Dom. Coal pfd	27	25½	112	111
Do. Common	....	....	26	25
Do. Bonds	111½	111½	....	....
Montreal Cotton Co	156	151½	155	151½
Canada Colored Cotton Co	60	55½	60	55
Do do. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Dominion Cotton Co	9)	97½	99½	99¼
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
People's H. & L	....	....	....	....
Do. do. Bonds	....	....	....	....
War Eagle	294	293½	295	292
Bank of Montreal	250	242	250	240
Ontario Bank	....	....	....	....
Bank of British N.A	....	....	....	....
Molsons Bank	205	202	....	202
Bank of Toronto	200	....	260	240
La Banque Jacques Cartier	....	110	....	110
Merchants	180	177½	180	178
Merchants' Bk. of Halifax	....	....	....	180
Bank of Nova Scotia	....	....	....	....
Eastern Townships	156	150	156	150
Quebec	....	123	....	123
La Banque Nationale	....	....	....	....
Union	110	103	110	103
Commerce	144	143	144	143
Ville Marie	100	92	100	92
Imperial	....	204	....	204
Hochelaga	158	154	158	154
North West Land pfd	57½	55½	57	55

LONDON STOCK MARKET.

STOCKS.	Sept. 22.	Sept. 21.	Sept. 20.
Atchison	13⅜	13¼	13⅜
Paris Rentes	....	....	....
Canadian Pacific	89⅜	88¼	89¼
Grand Trunk 1st	....	....	....
Do do 2nd	....	....	....
Do do 3rd	....	....	....
Do do 4th	....	....	....
Erie	14⅝	14¼	14⅝
Do pfd	37⅝	37⅜	38
Illinois Central	116	115½	116½
Louisville & Nashville	58¼	58⅛	58⅞
Lake Shore	....	....	....
Northern Pacific	79⅜	79	80¼
New York Central	120¼	120	120⅞
Ontario & Western	....	16	16⅞
Reading, assess. pfd	9	9	9¼
St. Paul	113⅞	11..	113
Union Pacific	33⅞	32⅝	31
Wabash pfd	23	22⅜	23¼
Bank Rate	2½	2½	2½
Consols	....	....	....

Onondaga Arrives.

The second part of the U. S. cutter Onondaga arrived at Cantin's dry dock yesterday, and the two parts will be put together as soon as possible. The Algonquin is still in port, but will leave for Boston on Thursday.

THE BULLS WORK WHEAT UPWARDS

Market in Cheese This Morning Was More Active and Higher.

CHEESE STILL BOOMING.

Small Movement of Cattle, but Large Sheep Shipments to the Other Side.

RESULTS OF THE FRUIT SALE.

There was quite a strong tone to the Chicago wheat market this morning, and December, after opening at 63 3-4c, went up to 64 3-8c at 12.30. May at the same time was quoted at 65 3-8c, and September at 66 7-8c. A wire to a local broker said: "Gifford a good buyer of December wheat. Selling by holders of calls principally. Corn has a good tone to it. Outside wheat markets are stronger at the advance.

St. Paul, Sept. 22.—There are complaints at head of lakes that the grading of wheat is too stiff, nearly everything turning out No. 2, but nothing else could be expected from first receipts, because the grain is too tough and damp. The usual percentage of No. 1 Northern, at least, will be shown in the present crop.

Milwaukee, Sept. 22.—In spite of unusually cold September weather, late crops have matured uncommonly well, and with slight damage to anything except the most tender vegetation. Second crops of strawberries and the like have been reported in various parts of the State.

MONTREAL GRAIN.

A Firm Tone to Manitoba Wheat, With Coarse Grains Here Just About Steady.

There is quite a firm tone to Manitoba wheat still, and No. 1 hard, prompt delivery at Fort William is quoted on the basis of 72c. In Ontario wheat exporters are doing nothing, but millers are moderate buyers on the basis of 66c to 67c. Coarse grains are about steady. No. 2 white oats are quoted at 28 1-2c, afloat, and peas 61 1-2c. Indications point to a light crop of buckwheat.

The position of the flour market is not radically altered, but millers say that there is a very fair trade in progress and are disposed to call the market rather a firm one. We quote: Winter wheat patents, $4 to $4.25; straight rollers, $3.50 to $3.75; in bags, $1.65 to $1.80; Manitoba patents, $4.30 to $4.90; strong bakers' best, $4.50 to $4.60.

The market for feed is fairly active and prices show no change. We quote: Ontario red winter wheat bran, $12, and shorts, $14.50 to $15 per ton, in bulk; Manitoba bran, $11 to $11.50; shorts, $15.

There was some demand for small lots of rolled oats and sales were made at $3.60 per barrel and at $1.75 per bag.

The market for baled hay was about steady, with a fair trade doing. We quote: No. 1 at $6.50, No. 2 at $5 to $5.50 and clover mixed at $4 to $4.50 in car lots.

MONTREAL EXPORTS.

The Steamship Vancouver Takes a Big General Cargo to the Other Side of the Water.

Per steamship Vancouver, for Liverpool—Grand Trunk Railway, 949 pkgs meats, 160 bxs cheese, 137 bxs butter, 370 sks flour, 28 bags seed, 226 cases eggs, 25 organs, 2 cases sundries, 2,038 brls apples; Canadian Pacific Railway, 961 pkgs meats, 3,493 bxs cheese, 250 sks flour, 138 sks peas, 573 doors, 32 cases mdse; G. E. Jaques & Co., 1,845 pcs oak scantling; Wight & Esdaile, 16,000 bush wheat; Jas. Carruthers & Co., 8,617 bush oats, 24,964 do. corn; A. McFee & Co., 17,467 do peas; W. Ware & Sons, 1,068 bxs cheese; A. A. Ayer & Co., 293 do.; Hodgson Bros., 1,070 do., 100 tubs butter; A. W. Grant, 939 bxs cheese, 10 pkgs butter; Jas. Alexander, 763 do.; D. A. Macpherson & Co., 194 do.; Laing Packing and Provision Company, 120 do., 53 cs bacon; A. C. H. Froemcke, 102 pkgs butter; J. W. Hill, for A. A. Davis & Co., 151 bxs cheese; A. D. McGillis, for J. J. Dickey, 511 do.; A. C. H. Froemcke, for Imp. Produce Co., 120 do.; A. J. Bruce, 100 cs eggs; Crowe, Fyfe & Co., 355 bales chopped hay; Dominion Express Company, 3 pkgs; Frank Strong, 352 brls apples; Arthur R. Fowler, 72 do.; F. Hamilton, 5 do.; J. Burstall & Co., 889 pcs deals; W. & J. Sharples, 1,893 pcs deals, 10,220 pcs boards.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Nine-Cent Cheese in the Country and a Very Firm Tone Here—Butter Is Firm.

Cheese sold at 9 cents in the country yesterday, and holders here regulated their ideas on cheese accordingly. The local market, however, seems relatively lower, but it is doubtful now if the finest varieties could be had much below the country figures:

Finest western, colored	8 3-4 to 9
Finest western, white	8 5-8 to 8 3-4
Finest eastern, colored	8 5-8 to 8 3-4
Finest eastern, white	8 1-2 to 8 5-8
Liverpool cable, colored	39s 6d
Liverpool cable, white	38s 6d

Butter is not as excited as it was earlier in the week, but values are quite firmly held nevertheless, as last quoted. Receipts were 2,436 packages.

Extra finest creamery, boxes, 19 1-4c to 19 1-2c; extra finest creamery, tubs, 18 3-4c to 19c; ordinary finest creamery, boxes, 18 1-4c to 18 1-2c; ordinary finest creamery, tubs, 17 1-2c to 18c; dairy butter, 14c to 14 1-2c.

The receipts and exports of cheese in New York since May 1st, the beginning of the trade year, are as follows:

	Receipts. Pkgs.	Exports. Lbs.
For week ending Sept. 19	29,728	325,450
Same time in 1897	31,281	1,342,492
Since May 1	635,470	13,617,046
Same time last year	1,119,229	9,245,480

There continues to be a steady demand for strictly new-laid eggs, and a fair amount of business is doing at firm prices. We quote: Strictly new-laid, 17 1-2c to 18c; held fresh, 15 1-2c to 16c; No. 1 candled, 13 1-2c to 14c, and No. 2, 10c per dozen.

Business in beans continues quiet. We quote: Choice hand-picked, 95c to $1 a bushel; primes, 85c to 90c.

Honey moves slow and prices are easy on account of the heavy offerings. We quote: White clover comb, in 1-lb. sections, 7c to 7 1-2c; dark, 5 1-2c to 6 1-2c; white extracted, 6c to 6 1-2c, and dark, 4c to 5c.

There is nothing doing in maple product. Syrup in wood, 4 1-2c to 4 3-4c per lb.; in tins, 45c to 55c, according to size. Sugar, 6c to 6 1-4c per lb.

Williams & Fallon have a small army of men at work tearing up the old plank sidewalk on Second street west, preparing the foundation for the new granolithic walk, of which they have the contract of building nearly two miles. The Street Railway Company have a force of men at work removing poles which sustain their trolley wires into line with the shade trees along the street line where the sidewalks are being built.

THE CONDITION OF THE SHIP CHANNEL

Board of Trade Receives a Communication From Mr. E. L. Bond

ON NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS

Had Board of Trade Recommendations Been Carried Out There Would Have Been Fewer Accidents.

RECIPROCAL TRADE MATTER.

The Board of Trade Council yesterday dealt with the law regulating the carriage of deck loads of vessels from Canadian ports. It was agreed that the regulation providing that no sailing vessel or steamer shall carry over three feet of deck load, leaving port after October 1st, was disadvantageous to the lumber trade.

The English law permitting the carriage of full deck loads arriving there before the 1st of November was quoted, and it was further pointed out that the Canadian law was made at a time when the carrying trade was mostly done by sailing vessels, and was intended to apply to them. The council decided to ask the Government to extend the time allowed to vessels carrying full deck loads to the 15th of October.

The condition of the ship channel between Montreal and Quebec formed the subject of a communication received from Mr. E. L. Bond, president of the Marine Underwriters' Association. Mr. Bond, in alluding to the frequency of accidents in the channel during the season, expressed the opinion that had the recommendations of the Board of Trade, made last November, been carried out, some at least of the accidents would have been avoided. Some of the board's recommendations were: that the buoy service should be improved and that additional buoys should be laid down. Also that buoys should be numbered; that the land marks be bettered and that an improvement be made in the pilotage service.

These facts, and other points in Mr. Bond's letters were, by resolution, ordered to be submitted to the Hon. Minister of Marine and Fisheries. A deputation to wait upon the Minister for this purpose was named: Messrs. James Crathern, president; Chas. F. Smith, vice-president; and Mr. E. L. Bond, being nominated.

At present a pilotage regulation obtains, providing for the employment of Tour de Role men, by shipping men, after the regular pilot has run thirty trips. Some shipping men objected to this, urging that the large vessels they were bringing to the port demanded the best pilotage skill available, and that they should be allowed to retain the services of the pilots who had won their confidence during the season. The council decided to petition the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, asking that the Harbor Commissioners be immediately authorized to suspend the by-law referred to, to meet such cases as might seem to warrant it, allowing the retention of the old pilots until the close of the season.

The subject of reciprocal trade arrangements between Canada and the United States, in which opinions were invited from sister associations and other bodies by the council, with a view of preparing some suggestions to be made to the Canadian commissioners at the Quebec Conference, was referred to a committee composed of Messrs. James Crathern, Charles F. Smith, Henry Miles, John McFarlane, William McMaster, Robert Peddie and James W. Pyke.

A letter from the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, stating his inability to visit Montreal, in response to the board's invitation was read. It was ordered that an acknowledgement be made, and Mr. Chamberlain asked to bear the invitation in mind in view of some future visit to America.

CHEESE JUMPS AGAIN

And Nine Cents Is at Last Realized at Country Boards.

All the Cheese at Napanee Sold on That Basis—Peterboro Was Just a Shade Below That.

Cheese reached the 9c point in the country yesterday just as was surmised by the leading exporters here. At Napanee there was not a great deal of stuff boarded, but it all went at 9 cents, while that figure was bid at Picton. Fractionally lower rates ruled at the other boards.

Napanee, Ont., Sept. 21.—At the cheese board to-day 280 colored and 360 white were boarded. Thompson bought 100 and Alexander 80, all at 9c.

Picton, Ont., Sept. 21.—At the cheese board thirteen factories boarded 755 September make, all colored. Highest bid 9c; 50 boxes sold.

Peterboro, Ont., Sept. 21.—About 4,000 colored cheese offered, being the first half September make. Bidding brisk, and all cheese sold were disposed of in half an hour, and at the same price, 8 5-16c. Sales: —Hodgson, 1,000 boxes; Whitton, 1,700 boxes; Roland, 600 boxes. Two or three factories remaining unsold at the close of board. Board adjourned for two weeks. Buyers present:—Whitton, Hodgson, Fitzgerald, Wrighton, Jones, Roland, Bailey and Cook.

Woodstock, Ont., Sept. 21.—Thirteen factories offered 2,480 boxes cheese, 535 colored and 1,955 white; all sold at prices ranging at from 8 9-16c to 8 5-8c. Seven buyers present.

Cucumbers and melons are "forbidden fruit" to many persons so constituted that the least indulgence is followed by attacks of cholera, dysentery, griping, etc. These persons are not aware that they can indulge to their hearts content if they have on hand a bottle of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial, a medicine that will give immediate relief, and is a sure cure for all summer complaints.

THE GOLD MOVEMENT.

Now That it Has Started the Bank of England May Advance the Discount Rate.

It is very evident that the Bank of England is now taking active measures to advance money rates in London, and it would not be at all surprising if the rate were formally advanced to-morrow. Cable advices speak of the bank borrowing on Consols to raise money rates and by this means the rate has been brought up practically to the official minimum. This lends color to the belief that an early advance in the rate will be ordered.

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HIS EXCELLENCY PULLED THE STRING

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standing by the body of the murdered Caesar, say:—

"The evil that men do lives after them,
The good is often interr'd with their bones;
So let it be with Caesar."

Pagan Rome, at the height of her glory, would reward 'the noblest Roman of them all' with assassination and oblivion. But in a Christian age this magnificent gathering, composed not only of Canadians of every profession and calling, but also of the foremost men of three great nations, declares before the world that the good men do lives after them, and the truly great do never die.

It is, as Webster has said, a noble faculty of our nature, which enables us to live not only in the present, but in the future and the past. We live in the past in the knowledge of history and in the future by hope and anticipation. We live in the past by ascending to an association with our ancestors, by contemplating their example, by studying their character, by imbibing their spirit, by accompanying them in their toil, by sympathizing with their suffering, and by rejoicing with them in their successes and their triumphs. We live in the future in so far as we may be able to stamp upon the memory of time noble deeds and actions of our own, to be borne on to future ages and to inspire generations yet to come.

In North America there are two spots which shall ever remain sacred above all others. The one is Plymouth Rock, ever sacred to the memory of the descendants of the Pilgrim Fathers, and the other is this old rock of Quebec, ever sacred to the descendants of the French race.

Standing on this spot, hallowed by a thousand historic memories, and in these relations with the past and the future, we assemble today to discharge a duty—for it is a duty—to the immortal founder of this city.

The mind, before reverting to the past, naturally lingers for a moment on the surrounding scenes. By our side, crowning this proud rock, is the old citadel of Quebec, bidding defiance to every foe. On yonder hill are our beautiful Parliament Buildings, where the representatives of a free people assemble to enact for themselves free laws. Yonder again is a renowned seat of learning, Laval University, where the youth of our country are instructed in literature, science and philosophy by learned professors. Before us is this unique and picturesque city and this assembly of fair women and brave men. Far along the rich valley of the St. Lawrence, amid the spires of many a church, we view the cultivated fields, the happy homes, the green pastures and the cattle upon a thousand hills. Here, at our feet, upon the peaceful waters of the St. Lawrence are England's warships to remind us that the mistress of the seas is ever near us with her protecting arm. Here also our southern neighbors have sent one of their ships of war, representing a navy fresh from battle and crowned with victory, but bearing messages of peace and good will to us. Around us we see peace and industry go hand in hand under the reign of law, order and religion.

Far other scenes than these met the gaze of Champlain when, well-nigh three hundred years ago, he first visited our shores. He then saw no cities or towns, or villages, or fields, or homesteads, or churches, or religion, or law, or order. Stretching in every direction, there was one illimitable forest, dark, mysterious and sublime, filled by savage animals and still more savage men. This was the region into which the heroic spirit of Champlain penetrated.

Champlain's Heroic Spirit.

Upon the discovery of America, the countries of Europe sent forth many heroic spirits, but none more heroic than that of Champlain. He was endowed with extraordinary ability, but he was even greater in character than in ability. Champlain did not go forth merely as an explorer to acquire personal glory or personal gain. He was guided by principles—an enthusiastic desire to promote the glory of France and its king, and to promote and extend the Christian religion. All his actions, all his thoughts were subordinate to this desire.

To accomplish it he certainly brought to his task the greatest enterprise, the greatest boldness, the most courageous spirit and the most untiring energy that a man could possibly possess. The mind is bewildered in contemplating the extent of his explorations and the vastness of his achievements. We find him entering the Gulf of St. Lawrence, exploring the regions of Tadousac, directing his course to Quebec, passing up the St. Lawrence, entering and exploring the Richelieu, and discovering Lake Champlain. We again find him at Montreal, then following the course of the Ottawa to Lake Nipissing, nor does he stop in his career until he has reached the Great Lakes of the West.

He did not explore merely for the sake of discovery; he explored that he might settle and civilize. He immediately entered into friendly relations and treaties with the Hurons and Algonquins. He sought to tame their savage spirit by implanting in their heart the Christian faith. He introduced into the country ministers of religion for that purpose. He brought with him the spirit of industry, trade and commerce. And in the midst of rivalries and jealousies, he established trading companies to the end that exploration, religion and commerce might go hand in hand. Above all, his keen eye sought out this rock, and here he founded a city, a capital, a home for the descendants of his race for all time. It would require the poetical genius of another Virgil to describe the wanderings of this second Aeneas or his founding of another Rome. During the French regime in Canada, France gave to America many men of commanding ability and heroic character, but I think we may safely say that Champlain possesses in a greater degree than any other the characteristics of the French-Canadians. He was a man of undaunted courage, untiring energy and heroic enterprise, a renowned navigator, explorer and trader, an author and diplomat, a loyal subject and devoted Christian, a benefactor of mankind—he was loyal to his King and faithful to his God.

These qualities of loyalty, religious devotion, energy, thrift, ability and diplomacy, added to their capacity for eloquence and art, are common to our French-Canadians, and have given to them the commending influence they exercise in North America. This race with these qualities are the gifts France made to America, but with them, her mission in Canada was to end.

Shakespeare says:—

"There's a divinity that shapes our ends,
Rough-hew them how we will.

The Period of Revolution.

There lay before France a stormy period of revolution, anarchy and disorder, but the Fates loved Canada too well to permit her children to be drawn through the frightful disorders of the French Revolution. France had given to Canada the best she had, but she could not give free institutions. The power of France in Canada fell in the shock of battle with the English on yonder plains, and paved the way for the introduction of English liberty and free institutions. The French rose from the field of battle not sullen and discouraged, but extended to the victors the hand of fellowship, and by their skill and diplomacy they negotiated a treaty which preserved to them their religion, their customs and their laws. Down through all the different periods of our history, the diplomatic skill and political sagacity of the French Canadians have enabled them to take a foremost part in the events that have resulted in the formation of our great Dominion.

French Canadians have been loyal to the British crown, and if they have ever exhibited any discontent in the past, it was not at the introduction of British institutions, but because these institutions were not at once introduced in their entirety.

A Frenchman, a learned jurist, deeply versed in literature and philosophy, with the polished manners of the old French court, occupies the seat of the French Governor of this Province; another distinguished Frenchman is Prime Minister of the Province. But the genius of our French Canadians for eloquence and politics has overleaped the limits of our Province and placed a French Canadian as Prime Minister of the Dominion. Over a century ago, England entered into a quarrel with her children in America, ending in war and the birth of a new nation, but leaving more or less bitterness down to recent times. It is a tribute to French Canadian diplomacy that it is a French Canadian Prime Minister who has brought the representatives of England and the United States here to the old city of Champlain to—let us hope—heal old wounds, solve present difficulties, and lay the foundations of a lasting peace. If the Anglo-Saxon spirit of contention becomes at any time a little ruffled, I would invoke the spirit of harmony that raised yonder monument to Wolfe and Montcalm; and that spirit that brought peace between the English and French in this Province ought not to fail to bring peace between those of the same race.

Long ago we shook hands over the gulf that may have somewhat divided us, and joined in the foundation of our grand Dominion, which, we proudly hope, will endure forever, a Dominion embracing half of the American continent, extending from ocean to ocean, rich in mines, and forests, and fisheries and agriculture, with the Province of Quebec as one of the great corner stones, peopled by the descendants of England and France, the heirs of all their glorious deeds, of all their literature, science and philosophy, and enjoying private liberty combined with public order, under the protection of the British constitution. Such are the consequences that have followed largely the deeds of Champlain.

The Decrees of Destiny.

Destiny appears to have decreed that neither his deeds nor his memory should be confined within the narrow limits of national boundaries; he was born in the old world—his grave is in the new. His life was spent now amid nobles and princes in the "salons" of Paris, now amid the rivalries of jealous traders, now amid the perils of the trackless ocean, and now amid savage Indians in the pathless forests of North America. He lived and died under the lilies of France, but the halo of glory that has gathered around his name shall be perpetuated from age to age beneath the shamrock, the thistle and the rose.

Champlain's life had its trials, its sorrows and its perils; but if, when his end came, heaven parted for a moment the veil of the future and permitted his expiring vision to gaze upon the scenes he explored and the condition of those of his own race as we see them to-day, we may believe he breathed his last in peace.

When we, after nearly three hundred years, contemplate the purity of his character, the greatness of his deeds, and the marvellous consequences that have issued from them, we involuntarily declare that Champlain deserves a monument in the temple of fame among the good and great of all ages.

GLASS IS UP.

Prices Show a Gain of Ten Cents on Fifty Feet and Thirty Cents on One Hundred Feet.

There has been a very strong tone to the local glass market for some time past in sympathy with a continual appreciation in prices across the water, and yesterday the people here at last decided to mark their prices up. The advance is 10c per box on 50 feet and 30c on 100 feet. The demand of late has been very good, in consequence stocks have been reduced considerably, and they are now light; in fact some sizes are scarce. A good trade is looked for from now on, as this is the season of the year buyers lay in supplies. We quote first break, $1.60; second break, $1.70 per 50 feet; first break, $3.50; second, $3.75; third, $4; fourth, $4.50, and fifth, $5 per 100 feet.

WHEAT IS STRONGER.

Better Prices Realized for Both Manitoba and Ontario Wheats in the West.

Toronto, Sept. 22.—Flour—Straight rollers, in barrels, middle freights, are quoted at $3.10 to $3.15, at Toronto. Wheat—Offerings of Ontario wheat remain light and demand for export is nil. Millers pay 66c to 67c for new red and white at north and west points. Spring, 63 1-2c, north and west; No. 1 Manitoba hard, 80c, at Toronto. Rye—Quoted at 40c, west. Oats—New white oats quoted at 22 1-2c to 23 1-2c, north and west. Barley—Quoted at 40c, middle freights, for No. 1. Buckwheat—Prices nominal. Bran—Sells at $8.50 to $9, west, and shorts at $13 to $13.50, west. Corn—Canadian, 32c to 33c, west, and American, 38c to 39c, at Toronto. Peas—New peas are quoted at 50c, north and west, in car lots. Oatmeal—Car lots of rolled oats, in bags on track at Toronto, $3.60; in barrels, $3.70.

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FRUIT AT AUCTION.

A Lively Early Morning Sale—A Lot of Michigan Pears Were Sold.

There was a lively early morning sale yesterday at the Grand Trunk Railway's new fruit station. The Montreal Fruit Auction Company sold 1,500 small baskets of peaches on arrival of car from Michigan. The strong demand was again shown by the vigorous bidding. Lots of 25, 50, 75 and 100 were "rattled off" by Mr. Potter at "scorching" speed. Prices 48c to 38c, the higher figure being for a special line; the prices being for the bulk 38c to 41c. The peaches were sold by order of J. R. Clogg & Co. After this there was a good sale of Canada pears for Vipond, McBride & Co. Barrels sold at $3.80, $3.75, $2.60, $2.30, etc., and baskets, 30c to 41c. There will be another sale of peaches at the same place this morning early. Potter & Morin, auctioneers.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that permission was asked to the Water Works Department for the erection of a Skating Rink on St. Hubert street, between Duluth avenue and Rachel street. Le Patinoir Le Montagnard. Montreal, September 22, 1898.

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CHAS. P. SCLATER,
Secretary-Treasurer.
Montreal, 13th September, 1898.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC Railway Company.

The undermentioned Dividends have been declared for the half year ended June 30th, 1898:

On the Preference Stock, Two Per Cent.
On the Common Stock, Two Per Cent.

The Common Stock Transfer Books will close in London at 3 p.m., on Friday, 26th August, and in Montreal and New York on Friday, 9th September.

The Preference Stock Books will close at 3 p.m. on Friday, 2nd September.

All books will be re-opened Monday, 3rd October.

Warrants for the Common Stock Dividend will be mailed on or about 1st October to Shareholders of record at the closing of the books in New York and London respectively. The Preference Stock Dividend will be paid on Saturday, 1st October, to Shareholders of record at the closing of the books, and warrants will be posted from the Company's London Office.

By order of the Board.

CHARLES DRINKWATER,
Secretary.
Montreal, 8th August, 1898.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Stone," will be received at the office of Secretary of the Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, until noon Saturday, the twenty-fourth of September next, for the supply and delivery of six thousand (6,000) cubic yards of building stone.

Specifications can be seen and forms of tender can be obtained at the office of the Superintending Engineer, 1709 Notre Dame street, Montreal, on Thursday, the fifteenth instant.

No tender will be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the forms supplied.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque to the amount of $1,000, to the credit of the Receiver-General of Canada, which sum shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines or fails to enter into contract for the work when called upon to do so, at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

This Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
L. K. JONES,
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Department of Railways and Canals,
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FAVORS CHURCH TION.

His Grace Archbishop Bruchesi Understood to be in Favor of the Church

The question of the abolition of tax exemptions upon church property is one that the members of the Charter Committee think will arouse a great deal of discussion not only before the committee, but in the Council and the Legislature. Archbishop Bruchesi has been invited to lay his views on the question before the committee when this section of the charter is under discussion. The new charter as it now stands, in that section referring to exemptions, reads:

The following immoveable property is exempt from taxation.

a. Any building exclusive of the land on which it is constructed, which is used solely for the purpose of religious worship.

b. Lands and buildings under the control of the Catholic and Protestant school commissioners in the city of Montreal, provided the same are actually used for educational purposes.

c. Lands and buildings entirely devoted to and actually used for the purposes of giving free education.

d. Lands and buildings actually occupied and used as public hospitals and asylums and recognized by the Council as such.

e. Lands and buildings used or occupied exclusively as free public libraries.

f. The buildings only of every incorporated institution of learning or education, so long as the same are used as such exclusively.

g. Lands and buildings belonging to or the city of Montreal, when used for public purposes.

The above exemptions shall not apply to special taxes, assessments or water rates.

It will be seen that a large number of church properties that now pay no taxes will not be exempt if the charter passes in its prese nt form. The Roman Catholic church will be particularly affected owing to the large amount of property they hold in the city.

It is understood that Archbishop Bruchesi will protest to the committee either personally or through a deputy, against the adoption of the above clauses of the charter. How far his objections will influence the decision of the committee is yet to be seen, but it is believed that the charter will go to the Legislature with these particular clauses substantially as they are.

According to the 1896 report of the City Comptroller there is now in Montreal over thirty-six million dollars of property that is exempt from taxation.

SALOONS CLOSE ON 29TH.

City Attorney Ethier Gives The Herald an Unofficial Opinion—Hotel Keepers Do Not Agree on the Question.

The question of closing the bars during voting hours on plebiscite day, 29th inst., is agitating the hotel and saloonkeepers of Montreal.

At present they are in a quandary as to what the law says on the matter. Joint City Attorney Ethier will no doubt have the final say in the matter, and his reading of the statutes will be adopted. He said this morning:

"I have not yet had the question put into my hands, though I believe it is to be sent to me for consideration. I cannot say off-hand what my decision will be after reading the law, but at present it would seem that the saloons must close just as they do during any other vote. If we are to take the matter seriously and not look upon the vote as a farce, then we must conduct it on principles laid down for all such occasions. This being the case, I should judge that the saloons must close, but I will only give my final and formal opinion after I have been asked by the city."

The licensed victuallers as a body have taken no action up to the present. There is a general feeling among the saloonkeepers that they should close during the voting hours. They point out that if they are all open and the anti-prohibitionists be in the majority the prohibitionists will claim that the saloon bought the vote and that it does not constitute a fair and unbiased opinion of the people. It would then, they claim, be better to close up as on the occasion of any other vote. The profit on money taken in during the day would be more than lost in the quantity of liquor that would have to be given away.

Of course there are a number of saloonkeepers who do not take this view, and who will work hard to be allowed to keep open on the day of the big vote. They argue that it is not an election in the ordinary sense of the term—simply an expression of opinion—and that the law as applied to the closing of saloons on election day has nothing to do with this case. Had the framers of the law foreseen such a vote they would doubtless have included it in the cases to which the law should apply, but they did not, and so the saloonkeeper can keep open or shut up, just as he likes.

Whether or not the City Attorney will view the matter in this light remains to be seen.

The Manchester Meet.

London, Sept. 22.—At the first day's racing of the Manchester September meeting, today, the race for the Peel Park plate of 200 sovereigns was won by Mr. H. McCalmont's 2-year-old horse Haughty.

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OWNERS WHO SIGNED.

The Petition to the St. Henri Council to Allow an Abattoir at "Victoriatown."

The statement having been made that the large property-owners in Victoria town were not petitioners against the proposed abattoir, The Herald has been furnished with the following partial list of the petitioners, among whom are some very large property-owners, Mr. Patrick McDermott, for illustration, figuring in the assessment roll as owning about $100,000 worth of real estate. The property-owners petitioning are:—David Cameron, John Jones, John Taylor, William Hassan, W. G. Beaudoin, Jas. McNamara, M. Davin, H. Hostier, Mrs. Morgan McMahon, Mrs. Peter Taillon, Mrs. Michael Moonan, W. Mulling, A. Wallace, E. Rogers, J. G. Guerin, Mrs. Michael Merriman, Mrs. Wm. Morton, W. H. Taylor, T. Y. M. McLean, W. Allan, M. Hughes, J. Furlong, C. Felly, Jas. MacWhinney, R. R. Rolston, E. Ramsay, R. McIntosh, W. A. Bell, R. Morris, M. J. Henry, D. McCarthy, Frances Roberts, R. Grave, H. Brown, Patrick McDermott, R. Smart, D. Truat, F. Lydon, T. A. Silvester, Jas. Logan, Cari Olifare, M. J. Reddy, J. Taylor, C. Marshall, Chas. Rynonds, J. Taylor, T. T. Darres, Mrs. E. Stewart, Mrs. Martha Pitts, Geo. Ulley, Mrs. Margaret Locke, M. J. Norris, Mrs. D. Cameron, Mrs. D. Wright, R. Dorgan, S. Robinson, B. Betts, Louise McCormick.

Following are tenants:—W. Hasson, Mrs. J. Lydon, Jas. Glenny, H. Goldthorpe, T. Daniels, Geo. Nelson, A. Thompson, John Thompson, J. Furlong, Geo. Roberts, J. Muldoon, B. Pitts, John Green, W. T. McDermott, J. Foster, R. Wallace, D. N. McHood, W. Murphy, Jas. Davin, P. McMahon, J. Jones, D. MacVicar, J. Ulley, W. Scamore, D. McDonald, D. L. Robinson, M Cummings, Mrs. Chauvin, J. Fenlong, L. Robinson.

RUSSIA AND CHINA.

A Despatch from Hong Kong Purports to Give Details of the Agreement Recently Arrived at.

London, Sept. 22.—A despatch to the Globe from Hong Kong, published this afternoon, purports to give details of the secret convention signed at Pekin on March 27. It appears that Hsu-Ying-Kiouoi, of the Chinese Foreign Office, thereby concluded an agreement with St. Petersburg by which China ceded Port Arthur and Ta-Lien-Wan, stipulating that only Russian and Chinese warships enter or dock at Port Arthur.

Russia, it also appears, gets the exclusive use of the inner harbor of Ta-Lien-Wan, the sole administration of the ceded territories, and a tract of land north of Ta-Lien-Wan is designated as a buffer-belt.

IT WAS AN ACCIDENT

The Verdict of the Coroner's Jury Regarding the Death of Narcisse Gomelin.

Coroner McMahon held an inquest last evening on the body of Narcisse Gamelin, the Bell Telephone Company employe, who was killed on Tuesday evening by handling a live wire. The evidence showed that the broken wire Gamelin had in his hand when killed crossed a wire belonging to the Lachine Company and received the current from it. No material evidence as to the insulation on the wires was offered, and the jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

Hon. Mr. Evanturel Ill.

Vankleek Hill, Ont., Sept. 22.—Speaker Evantuell, Speaker of the Ontario Legislature, has been ill for some time. Latest acounts say that he is improving.

Fatal Fall of Twenty-five Feet.

Guelph, Ont., Sept. 22.—Frank McQuillan, a farmer living about four miles from here, was killed this forenoon by falling twenty-five feet from the top of a silo into a stone cellar used for storing corn.

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ANGLICAN SYNOD HAS ADJOURNED.

Dr. Davidson's Motion Re Opening Service is Laid on the Table.

THE CHOIR IS THANKED

Committee on Systematic Giving Appointed—Congratulations on Clerical Jubilees.

A PROPOSAL ABOUT SEATING.

The Provincial Synod of the Church of England in the Ecclesiastical Province of Canada concluded its business this morning, and adjourned, to meet again in the same place at half-past two o'clock on Wednesday, September 11th, 1901. The Lower House has been thinning out rapidly, and there was a mere handful of delegates present when the Upper House came down to be present at the formal adjournment. During the morning a number of small matters were disposed of.

On motion of Archdeacon Weston-Jones, seconded by Archdeacon Bedford-Jones, a minute was adopted warmly congratulating the following members of the synod, who this year celebrate the jubilee of their ordination: Archbishop Lewis, Archdeacon Allen, Millbrook; Archdeacon Dixon, Guelph; Canon Worrell, Hamilton, and Canon Ellegood, Montreal.

The Cathedral Services.

Canon Norton took the floor to repeat that if the motion was withdrawn and everyone waived his right to speak, he would say no more.

Dr. Davidson and two or three other gentlemen rose at once to speak.

The Prolocutor—"Once more, notwithstanding, the Prolocutor would again urge affectionately and earnestly on the mover of this resolution and the seconder and Dr. Norton, to come to an arrangement by which, with the consent of this House, this resolution might be withdrawn." (Applause.)

Dr. Davidson said he would withdraw his resolution if he was allowed to make a personal explanation, but the synod would not allow this.

Canon Norton resumed his remarks, which had been interrupted the night before, and gave an explanation of the arrangement of the service in 1886 by the late Metropolitan Medley, and the continuation of the same service by Metropolitan Lewis. He wished it clearly understood that at diocesan and provincial synod services he was the curate and servant of the bishop or archbishop respectively. If these prelates would take over, or have imposed upon them, the powers of rector on these occasions, he would be very glad, but he would most decidedly not hand over his powers as rector to a promiscuous committee of quasi-archbishops. He moved in amendment, therefore, seconded by Archdeacon Mills, that the agreement signed on the 12th June, 1875, by the then metropolitan bishop and the then rector of Montreal, and since that time always used as a practical working arrangement, at all diocesan and provincial synod services, be printed in the journal of the synod for the information of its members.

Infringement of Parish Rights.

Rev. Dr. Dumbell, Sherbrooke, trusted that the motion would not pass. For the House to pass such a resolution would be a clear infringement of the rights of any parish priest. It was monstrous that a committee, two members of which were to be laymen, should go into any church and direct its services. "That might suit Protestant, but not Catholics," said Dr. Dumbell, and the sentence was applauded. "I trust the House will hesitate, and hesitating, refuse to pass any such resolution."

Dr. Davidson explained that he had never prevented a vote of thanks being passed to the rector and choir of the cathedral, and that he had no wish to reflect upon them.

Mr. J. J. Mason, Hamilton, put an end to the discussion by moving that the resolution be laid on the table, which was agreed to.

Committee on Systematic Giving.

The Prolocutor named the following committee on systematic and proportionate giving: Nova Scotia, Rev. E. P. Crawford (convener), and Mr. A. de B. Tremayne; Quebec, Rev. L. W. Williams and Mr. John Hamilton; Toronto, Rev. C. L. Ingles and Mr. N. W. Hoyles; Fredericton, Very Rev. Dean Partridge and Mr. G. A. Schofield; Montreal, Rev. G. Osborne Troop and Mr. Richard White; Huron, Canon Brown and Mr. John Ransford; Ontario, Rev. J. K. McMorine and Judge Macdonald; Niagara, Rev. G. Forneret and Mr. Kirwan Martin; Ottawa, Rev. Rural Dean Elliott and Lt.-Col. Matheson; Algoma, Rev. J. Boydell and Mr. G. S. Wilgress.

Seating Arrangements in the House.

Canon Davidson proposed that hereafter the floor space be divided into sections of twenty-four seats each, one section for each diocese, the delegates to keep their own sections. In doing so he said that there was not the same dignity in the Synod as in similar bodies elsewhere. The gavel of the Prolocutor had fallen too frequently, and the order was not what it should be.

Archdeacon Evans in seconding the proposal, praised the scheme, which was in force in the General Synod of the Church in the States.

Other speakers considered that order would not be helped, and that the friendly intercourse of the delegates would suffer. The resolution was voted down.

A proposition made by Provost Welch to have the fees for examinations in divinity degrees at Trinity College, Toronto, borne by the Provincial Synod, instead of the college was left over until next Synod.

A motion proposed by Archdeacon Bedford-Jones and seconded by Mr. Justice Hanington, was adopted, congratulating the Society for the Promotion of Christian knowledge on its 200th anniversary.

Dr. Davidson moved, seconded by Rev. Canon Spencer, "that the thanks of this House be conveyed by the secretaries to the Rev. Canon Norton, D.D., and the organist and choir of Christ Church Cathedral for their careful preparation for and rendering of the opening services of this Provincial Synod." This was unanimously adopted.

Canon Norton—"It will be a pleasure to me to convey your thanks, and I am thankful to Dr. Davidson for presenting it."

Votes of thanks were passed to those who had entertained delegates, to the authorities of the Diocesan Theological College and the Andrew's Home, the secretaries, the press and the treasurer.

The Prolocutor having been requested to leave the chair, Archdeacon Pollard, seconded by Mr. A. Tremayne, moved a hearty vote of thanks to the Very Rev. Dean Carmichael for the dignified, courteous and able manner in which he had presided over their deliberations. This was carried by a standing vote amid applause.

The Dean returned his thanks for the vote, and also thanked Archdeacon Kaulbach and Dean Innes for their assistance in acting in his absence.

At half-past twelve the Bishops of Montreal, Quebec, Toronto, Nova Scotia, Fredericton, Niagara, Huron and Algoma came down, and the first-named, as senior bishop present, pronounced the benediction.

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The lowest or any of the tenders will not necessarily be accepted.

The asphalt pavement must be guaranteed for five or ten years.

More details are given in the specifications and forms of tender, which, together with all information, can be had at the office of the undersigned City Surveyor, in the City Hall. No tender will be entertained unless submitted on the forms to be had at the office of the undersigned.

Note.—Tenderers refusing to accept the work awarded them shall forfeit the amount deposited with their tender.

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REAL OR[illegible]GIN OF TROUSER AFFAIR.

They Say at the City Hall That a Certain Contractor Needs Money More Than the Police Need Clothes.

The noise made by some of the members of the Police Committee over the alleged shabby condition of the clothes worn by the constables is looked upon by many people as a game of pure "bluff." It was taken for granted by some of the aldermen in the Council that all that was said by the Police Committee was absolutely true, and that some of the constables would soon have to go in plain clothes or stay in the police stations. The shouting was not quite loud enough to coerce Council into giving the Police Committee power to buy the clothes and make the constables pay for them temporarily out of their salaries. Before the Council hears of the subject again many of the aldermen who were disposed to sympathize with the constables and the Police Committee will have changed their minds as to the necessity of laying in a new stock of trousers.

As a matter of fact, the clothing of the constables is in fairly good shape, quite good enough to finish out the year with. It is hinted that the truth of the matter is that a certain contractor, who has a string on the Police Department is a little short of capital and would like a contract to make up a few hundred pairs of trousers for the police constables. It has been remarked that the motion made by Ald. Marsolois and Kinsilla in Council on Monday did not provide that the work should be given out by tender. The constables were to be directed to the right tailor by the officials, and anyone who has watched the workings of the Police Department can guess to whom they would have gone.

A Kingston Opinion.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The Whig remarks: "The City Council of Montreal refuses to purchase uniforms for the police, on the ground that it has not the money. The chief appealed for 'at least, for goodness sake, buy pants for the men,' and the answer was the same. The spectacle of a police force without pants is not every day encountered. And Montreal is a mighty cool place during the winter months."

The Plaintiff was Non-suited.

Editor of The Herald:—

Sir:—I have read with interest your articles on policemen's pants.

Why not clothe them in their right mind.

A Victim.

SWORD TO ROOSEVELT.

The Gallant Soldier Receives a Present from the People of Oyster Bay.

New York, Sept. 22.—The people of Oyster Bay, L.I., turned out in great numbers yesterday to honor their native townsman, Col. Theodore Roosevelt, the Rough Rider. The afternoon was made the occasion of a festive demonstration and elaborate arrangements had been made. In a grove near the railroad station an immense platform had been erected and on it was seated the band and also the members of the reception committee. Hon. Theodore Cooke presided and called the meeting to order. He at once introduced Col. Roosevelt, who spoke to his townsmen upon the history of the Rough Riders. At the opening of his speech he introduced the color sergeant of the regiment, Albert B. Wright, who carried the colors of the Rough Riders through all the fighting of the campaign in Cuba. Col. Roosevelt then went on to say how the Rough Riders had been organized; how they had worked steadily and unselfishly for the good of their country; how they had gone through the war and came out with great fame upon their shoulders. He spoke at length about the men who composed the regiment, the cowboys from the plains, the men reared in luxury, the backwoodsman from the South and the fifty Indians who rode side by side with pale faces who rode down the Spaniards.

At the conclusion of his address, Col. Roosevelt was given three rousing cheers and a tiger. District Attorney W. J. Youngs, of Queen's County, then on behalf of the people of Oyster Bay, took the platform, and in a short speech of felicitation, prsented Col. Roosevelt with a handsomely mounted sword.

MILES HAS A PLAN

For Reorganization of the Valunteers Forces Into Corps, Divisions and Brigades.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Maj.-Gen. Miles, commanding the army, has completed his plan for the reorganization of the volunteer forces into corps, divisions and brigades. This plan has been submitted to the War Department for approval. The plan contemplates a reorganization of the volunteer force which has not been ordered mustered out, and designates an army of occupation for Cuba, provides for the relief of the army in Porto Rico and establishes a reserve to relieve the troops in the various islands which will be occupied by the United States. It is known that the troops of the Seventh Corps now under Gen. Lee, will be designated to go to Cuba and that troops from the camps at Lexington, Knoxville and Middletown will be selected for Cuban duty. It is understood that Gen. Miles deals only with organizations such as corps, divisions, brigades and regiments. The matter of commanding and staff officers will be settled after the mustering out of general and staff officers has been determined.

CONVENTION OPENED.

Delegates of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew's Reach Hamilton — The Formal Opening To-day.

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The Brotherhood of St. Andrew convention opened last night, when a preparatory service was held in Christ Church Cathedral. The formal opening will take place today, when a service will be conducted by Bishop Dumoulin, after which there will be an adjournment to Association Hall, where the business meetings will be held. The afternoon session will be devoted to business. In the evening addresses will be delivered by James L. Houghteling, of Chicago; Rt. Rev. E. Sullivan, D.D., St. James, Toronto, and Rt. Rev. T. W. Dudley, Bishop of Kentucky. Judge Senkler will preside.

Fractured His Wrist.

By falling on the sidewalk at the corner of Bleury and Lagauchetiere streets yesterday evening while on his way home, William Gallagher sustained a broken wrist. He was taken to the General Hospital, where the fracture was speedily reduced, and he will be able to go out in a day or two.

Collided With a Warship.

Quebec, Sept. 23.—The steam yacht Siesta, while cruising around the harbor yesterday afternoon, collided with H.M.S. Indefatigable, anchored in the stream. Some of the paint was scratched from the cruiser's side, and one of her metallic life buoys smashed. What damage the yacht sustained has not yet been ascertained.

YUKON MURDERERS.

The Law Will be Allowed to Take Its Course in all the Cases But One.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—Questions of life and death occupied the attention of the Cabinet yesterday. There are several death sentences passed in the Yukon country upon murderers who have the unenviable distinction of being the first to qualify for legal execution. These sentences have to be passed upon immediately, as the executions are timed for Nov. 1st, and it will take some time to communicate the decision of the Government to the authorities at Dawson. Four Indians, Joe, Dawson, Jim and Frank Nantuck, all brothers, are the first candidates for the gallows. They shot two prospectors, Chrysten Fox and Wm. Meeham, near Lake Marsh, under circumstances of peculiar cruelty and treachery. The Indians had some time before been with the prospectors and had been well treated by them. They watched them enter their boat, and fired a volley at them, with the result that Meeham was killed. Fox survived, though shot in the lung, and dragged himself many miles to assistance. All the Indians were arrested by the Mounted Police, and two of them pleaded guilty. They are men of a very low order of intelligence. The only excuse they gave was that some time before a white man shot one of their trible. It is thought they will all pay the death penalty, except the youngest, aged 15, who gave Queen's evidence.

The case of Henderson, a prospector sentenced to hang on the 1st for killing his companion, Paterson, was also considered.

PORTO RICO EVACUATION.

Everything is Proceeding Satisfactorily and the Spaniards Will Soon Depart From the Island.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Sept. 23.—Everything regarding the evacuation of the Island of Porto Rico by the Spanish troops is proceeding satisfactorily. The Spaniards are acting in perfect good faith, and are turning over everything as they quit the various towns.

Preparations are being made for an elaborate and impressive ceremony when the American flag is raised over San Juan.

The lights on the north coast of the island, which have been dark since the war began, have been relighted by the Spaniards, except at San Juan, where the lighthouse was destroyed when this place was bombarded by the fleet under Rear-Admiral Sampson.

United States Consul Hanna is flooded with letters from fortune-hunters. He strongly advises all of them to remain at home until the Americans are in complete control.

CREW'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Managed to Get Off a Burning Vessel Just Before a Heavy Explosion Took Place.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Fire broke out in the boiler room of the tug Ira O. Smith, while the tug was in the vicinity of Lake View crib, and but for the presence of mind of Captain Crawford, he and his crew might have perished in the explosion which followed. The tug was burned almost to the water's edge, and sank in twenty feet of water near the outer breakwater at the entrance of the river harbor. The escape of Captain Crawford and the two men who composed the crew was effected just in time, as a few minutes after they abandoned the vessel, the six-inch steam pipe exploded, and the boat was soon a mass of flames. The tug was run ahead on against the pier at full speed, and when she struck the crew leaped for the pier, all reaching it in safety. The boat was worth $12,000 and is a total loss.

Plebiscite Committee Meets.

The Central Plebiscite Committee held a meeting last evening in the Y.M.C.A. board room. Mr. H. A. Moulton presided. Reports were received from St. Antoine, St. Lawrence, St. Cunegonde, St. Henry, Westmount, St. Louis, St. Ann's, Maisonneuve and Point St. Charles divisions, showing satisfactory progress in the campaign.

There is a need of scrutineers for polling day, and it was noticed with pleasure that several prominent business men had promised the assistance of a number of their employes in that capacity. A determined effort will be made to obtain and place enough men to perform the work efficiently.

After a variety of other business had been accomplished, the meeting adjourned until the call of the chairman.

TALKS OF HIS 22 YEARS IN PRISON.

Damien Bonin, Just Out of St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, Tells How it Feels to be Pardoned When All Hope Had Gone.

Damien Bonin, pardoned on September 13th, after serving 22 years in penitentiary, was in the court house this morning looking for work. Bonin was 55 years old last April, but does not look that age, in spite of his long confinement. He looks anything but a criminal, standing erect and looking every one straight in the eye as an honest man does. His face was sallow and his iron-grey whiskers had not been trimmed since he was liberated. He was dressed in the coarse grey suit issued by the penitentiary authorities when he received his discharge.

"The pardon came," said Bonin in broken English, "about 10.30 on the morning of the 13th and by 2.30 in the afternoon I was a free man."

The feeling he put into the last four words cannot be described. After 22 years! He nodded his head and repeated to himself "free."

"When the news came to me that I was to be allowed to go away out into the world again I could have cried. I felt as if my life had been given to me. To see old Montreal again, and the river, and to meet old friends—."

The emotion the poor fellow showed was pathetic. There was a strange light in his eyes as he recalled the scene—the most supreme of his life.

"I felt very weak after I got away from that place, and when I walked a short distance I had to sit down and rest, for I had not had much exercise in the place. I was put on the train for Montreal and got off at Hochelaga. I began to look for work along the docks, but found that there were more men than there was work for. I wandered around till I was tired and then went up Amherst Street, where I met a man who took me in, and I am there yet. I have tried every day to get work, but have not had an hour's work yet."

"Twenty-two years is a long time to be in prison."

"Twenty-two years is a long time, but when you can't speak to anybody and have to spend the greatest part of it in a narrow cell, it is eternity."

"What did you do?"

"I was sewing most of the time. For a while I worked in the yard. While I was sewing I got no exercise, and that is how I was so weak when I came out."

"After living 22 years in prison one would almost think that you would get used to it and not care to come again into the world."

"No, no," cried Bonin with energy, "every day the sense of confinement became greater and greater. The first few days were bad enough, but the years and years after were terrible, terrible. I don't want to talk about them. Day after day and night after night to never exchange a word with anyone but the guard, and that only to ask for instructions.

"Day after day, did I say? Year after year I should have said. To go in there a young man and come out—friends dead—relatives dead—your name forgotten! Twenty-two years! Ah! I have been punished!

"Did you expect the pardon?"

"No, I had given up all hope. I had no friends to work for me. But I am free now, and not old, only 55 last April, and I must get work right away or starve."

"Did you find much change in Montreal? Twenty-two years is a long time to be away."

"Yes, I did not know the city. Everywhere new buildings, new parts of the city built up; what was an open common twenty-two years ago is now closely packed with houses. I am a stranger in a strange city, but thanks be to le bon Dieu, I am free."

CONFESSION (?) WAS NONSENSE

Perras Never Committed Murder at Beauharnois—Marie Giroux's Murderers Not Yet Found.

PERRAS INNOCENT.

Arthur Perras, according to the story told by Larocque, a fellow-prisoner, helped to kill Marie Giroux, and some years ago he murdered a girl in Beauharnois, putting the body in a manure box.

I talked with the sheriff of Beauharnois to-day and he stated very emphatically that no such murder had ever been committed in Beauharnois. Other residents of the old town were telegraphed to and they are unanimous in stating that there is not one word of truth in the story. Besides this, Perras has been in the reformatory for five years, so he would have had to commit the Beauharnois crime at the age of seven, about eleven years ago.

Thus, at least half of the alleged confession of Perras is without foundation.

It looks very much as though the other half is equally absurd.

The boy's mother says that he was in the house on the night of the killing of Marie Giroux and Granger, who is one of the men alleged to be implicated with Perras, says that he was working on a Dominion Line steamship that night.

That Perras, Larocque and several prisoners in the jail did talk over the Giroux murder there is little doubt, but judging by Larocque's reputation, it was this same Larocque that made a sensation by declaring tht he had met a man who acknowledged to having killed Mrs. Demers. The matter was well probed, and it was found that there was not a word of truth in it. Afterwards he made a list of about a dozen mysteries, this list he sent to Governor Vallee with a statement that he could pick out the culprit in every case. The interesting part of Mr. Larocques' declaration is that he is always in trouble when he makes them and requests a pardon for so doing. The police believe that his mind is not quite right.

Perras, when confronted by the jail officials with the alleged statements, said:

"I did not talk about these things in fun, and these men believed me. I have nothing more to say."

Perras' alleged companions are Charles Granger and a man named Laflamme. They pleaded not guilty yesterday and were remanded until Tuesday.

IT WAS MURDER.

The theory that Marie Giroux was murdered and then thrown into the water of the quarry is based upon evidence that makes out a strong case.

In the first place the marks upon the unfortunate girl's neck go far towards proving tht she was strangled, and a wound on one of her hands looks as though it was done while she was struggling with her murderers. Dr. Wyatt Johnson's autopsy shows that there was very little water in the stomach of the deceased girl, in fact, not nearly what would have been there had she been drowned.

There is not the slightest doubt that the poor girl had saved some money and this was and doubtless is yet in the hands of some one who did not give any receipt for it and who intends to keep it. Otherwise surely by this time the holder would have made some report to the police. It was stated by the victim that she was about to be married, and that naturally meant that she would want her money. This would establish a motive, on the part of the holder of the money, for the removal of Marie Giroux. Every effort has been put forth to find some record of the whereabouts of the money, but not a scrap of paper bearing any reference has yet been discovered.

The presence of Marie Giroux at the faraway quarries in St. Denis ward would tend to show that she had been lured there by some one with an ulterior object. Is it likely that three men would have taken her all the way from the city to the quarries with the sole purpose of committing an assault upon her? Is it not more likely that the man or woman having possession of the money saved by Marie Giroux would arrange some scheme to get her to the quarries and there bring about her death as told by Dr. Johnson?

The police are satified that murder has been done, but there is little reliance placed on the story told or alleged to have been told by young Perras.

FIFTY MINERS ARE ENTOMED

A Disastrous Explosion of Fire Damp in the Coal Mines at Brownsville, Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 23.—An explosion of fire-damp occurred at the Umpire coal mines near Brownsville, Pa., this morning. Fifty men are entombed; two have been taken out dead.

The explosion occurred at 8 a.m., and was caused by an accumulation of gas. There were 130 men at work at the time, and all but fifty escaped without injury. Five men are believed to have been killed and a large number are still entombed. As soon as possible after the explosion rescuing parties were organized, and are now trying to reach the unfortunate men. There is great excitement, and hundreds of women and children surround the mouth of the pit.

The mine is owned by the Umpire Coal Company.

A JEALOUS HUSBAND.

It is Said He Threatened to Kill His Wife and the Police Want His Address.

Chief Clermont, of St. Louis du Mile End, is hard after William Dogherty, for whom a warrant has been issued on a serious charge. On Sunday last Mrs. Dogherty went to Chief Clermont and told him that her husband was jealous of her. On Friday night he took all his clothes and his brushes (he is a painter) and went away. On Saturday, shortly after midnight, he came back, put his hand through a broken pane of glass and opened the window. This awakened her, and she screamed, as she thought it was a burglar. He sprang into the room.

"Shut up or I'll shoot you," he said. "No, shooting would make too much noise. I have a razor here, and I'll cut your throat."

She was very much frightened and kept quiet.

Such is the story Mrs. Dogherty told the chief of police. The chief made arrangements to have Dogherty watched, and on Monday a warrant was issued, but he had made good his escape. Since then he has not been seen, but Chief Clermont has now got wind of where he is, and no doubt will soon have him in the cells.

Dr. Duchesneau Better.

Dr. Duchesneau, warden of St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, who has been seriously ill for some days, has taken a turn for the better.

BANK PRESIDE NT BACK

Mr. Charles Magee, of Ottawa, Returns From the Pacific Coast and Discusses Matters Generally.

Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 23.—Mr. Charles Magee, president of the Ottawa Bank, has returned from a visit to the Pacific Coast. He visited Seattle and other points, and talked with them about the Yukon. "What did you hear about the Klondike?" was asked Mr. Magee.

"Well, that name seems to be used in the United States cities of the Pacific Coast to cover all the Alaskan gold fields as well as those in Canada. The boom seems to have burst and the great rush is now to get home again, as there are over 20,000 men about Dawson City who cannot get either work or claims. I crossed from Victoria to Seattle with over 500 who had arrived the night before in the steamer Garonde from St. Michael's, and a sadder and more disappointed looking lot of men you never saw. Several were carried on board, being too ill to walk. They all seemed to be pleased to get back to civilization again."

Buffalo Bill is Sick.

Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 23.—Colonel W. F. Cody, "Buffalo Bill,' 'has been taken very ill, and has been removed from his private car to St. Joseph's Hospital. He is suffering from typhoid fever, and his physicians say his condition is serious. He has been ailing for ten days.

THEY DRANK BLACK TEA.

The Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association Convention Was a Temperance Affair—Election of Officers.

Kingsville, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The fifteenth annual meeting of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association convened at the Hotel Mettewas here yesterday. Thirty members were present. P. H. Sims, president, occupied the chair. At 7.30 the annual banquet was served. The only guest present was Mr. Alf. W. Smith, of Toronto, whose presence after recovery from his recent serious accident was greatly appreciated by all. "Our Queen," "Past Presidents," "Toronto Board of Fire Underwriters," and "The Ladies" the toasts, were ably responded to. The officers re-elected were: P. H. Sims, president; E. A. Lilly, Montreal, and H. M. Blackburn, Toronto, vice-presidents. The members expressed great satisfaction at the improvements made in water appliances throughout Ontario and Quebec, and were greatly pleased with Kingsville and the surrounding country. No intoxicants were used; it was strictly a temperance gathering, black tea being the favorite drink.

The Mill Shut Down.

Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 23.—At a meeting of ingrain carpet yarn spinners held in this city, an absolute shut-down of the mills represented was decided upon. This action is taken because of the over-production of yarn. Seventy-five per cent. of the ingrain yarn capacity was represented. The shut-down will be indefinite.

AN ORDINARY WIRE MAY KILL.

The electrocution of three persons in three days by live wires which were thought to be harmless has raised the question of the insulation of electric wires. The statement of an official of the Lachine Hydraulic Company that currents were likely to be communicated from insulated high voltage wires to a man standing on the wet ground and holding in his hand an ordinary telegraph wire crossing the high voltage wire, is regarded with astonishment by people who had been led to believe that a well-insulated wire was harmless. It is a well-known fact that the insulation in use in some cities is very defective. At a fire inquest held in Toronto a few years ago a New York expert swore that the electric wires in use in Toronto were so poorly insulated they should not be allowed to enter any building where there was the remotest danger of communicating fire. Local electricians who were asked by a Herald representative for an expression of opinion all replied that they did not care to say anything for publication.

Business Notes.

The followinig business firms have been registered:

James Burbie Bell, Westmount, and Charles Robert Brydon McGilchrist, Liverpool, Eng., dealers in sanitary preparations (Jeyes Sanitary Compounds Company of Canada).

Jules Delattre and Leon Giguere, Montreal, general agents (Delattre & Giguere).

Miss Marie Villeneuve (alone) grocer, provision and liquor merchant, under the name "Ferdinand Decary."

Thomas Arthur Morrison (alone) dealer in patent medicines, as the "Herberoot Medical Co."

More Soldiers Take Sick.

Washington, Sept. 23.—General Lawton last night reported to the War Department 114 new cases of sickness and two deaths among the American troops at Santiago.

Mr. Mancantelli Honored.

Last evening Triskaideka Circle entertained and presented with an illuminated address, at the residence of Mr. J. M. Mace, 5 Lara Hall avenue, one of its members, Mr. J. Mancantelli, previous to his departing from this city to join his parents at Alexandria, Egypt. Mr. J. A. Monroe, the president of the Circle, in a few well-chosen words, made the presentation, and took occasion to refer to the many sterling qualities possessed by the recipient, and especially his untiring zeal in the cause of temperance, and wished him all kinds of good luck and prosperity in his new home. Mr. Mancantelli, who was completely taken by surprise, made a very feeling reply, thanking the members for the great honor done him.

THE GILLESPIE CASE.

Judge Ouimet Grants a Reserved Case After the Prisoner is Found Guilty.

The term of the Court of Queen's Bench practically closed this morning, when the Gillespie case was disposed of, all but the passing of senteince.

Yesterday argument was heard from the counsel on each side, and the jury, after being out some time, returned a verdict of guilty, with a strong recommendation to the mercy of the court.

Mr. Greenshields asked for a reserved case, on the ground that the alleged offence was said to have been committed in the Province of Ontario, and that, therefore, the courts here had no jurisdiction, and this point the judge took en delibere till this morning.

Mr. Justice Ouimet said there was no doubt left in his mind which would justify him in granting a reserve case. The fact that the offence began in another jurisdiction did not affect the case, as it was completed within this jurisdiction. His Honor quoted the authorities given by Crankshaw, including the cognate case of a man accused of sending a threatening letter, posted in one country and delivered in another. He had nothing left but to pass sentence.

Mr. J. N. Greenshield, Q.C., asked that sentence be not passed until Monday, as a petition is being circulated asking for clemency.

There being no objection from Mr. J. P. Cooke, Q.C., Crown prosecutor, the request was granted, and the Court adjourned.

EMPEROR'S LIFE IN DANGER.

The Dowager Empress Wants to Place a Young Man on the Throne—Palace Guards Increased.

London, Sept. 23.—According to special despatches received from Pekin, members of the European community there believe that the life of the Emperor of China is in danger. It is added that the Dowager Empress desires to place Prince Kung's grandson on the throne. The Emperor, it is added, realizes the strength of the conspiracy against him, and has ordered the guards at the Palace to be strengthened.

Insurrection Spreading.

London, Sept. 23.—The Times' Pekin correspondent says: "The Government is increasingly anxious regarding the northward movement of the anti-dynastic insurrection, which has already entered the Hunan province.

CATHOLICS ACCEPT QUEUE AND ALL.

The Protestant School Commissioners have been outwitted by a little China boy, and Mr. Greenshields will have no opportunity of deciding, for the present at least, whether or not a queue is the key to Heaven

Ah Sing is going to school.

When the Protestants refused him admission to their schools because he would not cut his hair to suit the principal of Dufferin school and Archdeacon Evans, he was heartbroken. Next to his queue an English education was the thing most dear to him.

It might have been all right had he waited for Mr. Greenshields' decision, but when The Herald announced that the board had not yet even asked for the opinion, Ah Sing quit crying and took the bull by the horns.

That is to say, he told the Protestants to keep their old schools and made application for entrance to the Catholic schools. He was quickly accepted, queue and all.

It is said that already he can place the letters to read: "Consistency thou art a jewel."

SENTENCE NOT COMMUTED

No Decision Will be Reached in the Guillemaine Till Saturday.

A Premature Report Dauses Some Excitement at St. Hyacinthe Where the Feeling is Against Prisoner.

Ottawa, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Reports sent out yesterday to the effect that the death sentence passed on Guillemain the murderer of Johnny Laplante of St. Liboire, had been commuted to imprisonment for life, were, at the least, premature. The Cabinet Council has still got the matter under consideration, together with a couple of other cases. It is not expected that any of them will be disposed of until tomorrow.

St. Hyacinthe, Que., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The semi-official despatch which appeared in La Patrie last evening to the effect that Guillemain's sentence had been commuted to imprisonment for life provoked much adverse criticism in this neighborhood, the most general opinion being that the law should have taken its course under the circumstances. The most of the leading citizens disapprove of the council's action. There is much sympathy entertained here for the Laplante family, and the fact that the poor woman, once in fairly good circumstances, has now to work by the day from house to house at St. Liboire, with six children depending upon her, intensifies the feeling. It is said that Mr. Plamondon, the jailer, told Guillemain last night that a commutation of his sentence might possibly be granted. The prisoner said that were it not for the disgrace to his family he would still prefer hanging to life imprisonment.

SUNDAY'S TRAGEDY.

One of Young Mackenzie's Companions Gives His Version of the St. Antoine Street Tragedy.

Editor of The Herald:

Sir,—My attention having been drawn to your report in last Monday's issue, of the sad accident which occurred on St. Antoine street last Sunday afternoon, I beg to correct a few misstatements. As one of the young men who was with the deceased at the time of the accident, I beg to inform you that none of his companions left him, till his body arirved at the hospital, and that no policeman put in ain appearance till the ambulance came on the scene.

If a policeman had been there to guard the wires, the accident might never have occurred. The deceased was not dared to handle the wires, nor was it from any foolhardy motive that he made his fatal mistake.

The whole report seems to have been drawn from a most unreliable source, and all interested feel very indignant by the manner in which the story was exaggerated. You will much oblige by correcting your former statement.

Yours, etc.,

W. Jowett.

(A Herald employe was an eye-witness of the whole tragedy. He was told by several bystaniders who hear the foolhardy bet made that such was the case, and he heard bystanders trying to dissuade Mackenzie from handling the wire. He was prepared to go before the coroner's jury and swear to the story as it appeared in The Herald.—Ed. Herald.)

Carriage and Occupants in Canal.

Welland, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Yesterday morning as Roy White was driving with J. Lawrence, paymaster of the Welland canal, from Port Robinson to Welland, the horse shied, and all went into the canal. Both gentlemen had a narrow escape from drowning.

The Wind Raised the Roof.

During the storm of Sunday last the roof of the St. Lambert School House was lifted from the building and carried 100 feet. Building Inspector Lacroix, at the request of the School Commissioners of St. Lambert, has made an examination of the building. His report says that the roof was constructed in the ordinary way, but it was not as well braced to the outer walls as it might have been. The roof weighed 40,000 pounds.

The last weekly hop of the summer season will be held at the Strathcona Hotel, Lachine, on Saturday evening. Miss Riley will preside at the piano, and an enjoyable time is anticipated.

KILLED ON THE TRACK.

Shortly Before Eleven O'Clock Last Evening Charles Twidg was Killed on the G.T.R. Track.

Shortly before eleven o'clock last night a man named Charles Twidg was run over by a Grand Trunk Railway train at the Charlevoix street crossing and instantly killed. The coroner was notified, and the body, which was terribly mangled, was removed to the morgue. The deceased, who was 30 years of age, and was a roofer by trade, lived at 85 Arcade street, and Mrs. Twidg stated to a reporter that he left home about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, stating that he was going to see his father, who works for the Road Department, and after that he would go to Cornwall where he expected to get work. The first intimation which she received of the accident to her husband was conveyed to her at an early hour this morning by a reporter. It is supposed that Twidge was walking along the track when he was struck by the train. The coroner will hold an inquest tomorrow morning.

2,000,000 Feet of Lumber Burned.

St. John, N.B., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Fire last evening destroyed the wharves adjoining Dunn Bros.' big lumber mill at Grand Bay, and over two million feet of lumber piled thereon, considerable of it pine. The loss is about $25,000; insured for $10,000 in the Commercial Union. The mill will close down for a month while repairs are being made.

NOTES ON A RECENT POLICE COURT CASE.

Mr. Lemay will lose business if he sells goods that he hasn't in stock.

If Mr. Lemay merely agreed to "try" and get Houde on the police force why did he pay back the money?

Mr. St. Pierre's skill in examining-in-chief is equalled only by his ability in cross-examining the same witness.

Not being able to deliver the goods, Mr. Lemay returned the purchase money. Nothing could be fairer.

How does it come that applicants for positions on the police force apply to Mr. Lemay? Have we a new Chief and a new Committee?

Mr. Houde was fortunate in not getting on the police force—that is, if he has trousers now.

That is a queer idea some people have that they can get on the police force of the city of Montreal by paying money to somebody. The suggestion is incredible—to those who don't know anything about the force.

Is Mr. Lemay somebody's agent or somebody's principal? When he undertakes to appoint men to positions on the force, for whom is he acting?

That must have been a dream of Mr. Houde's, that story of his about paying money to secure an appointment on the police force. The next thing we will hear will be the dream of some sergeant that he paid $400 to get on the force, and then another $400 to be made sergeant. Or perhaps the dream will take the form of a beneficent uncle who pays the $800.

A policeman's lot would not be a happy one if he had to pay $400 to get on the force—and then buy his own clothes.

CHICAGO MARKET.

Messrs. J. S. Bache & Co. report the following quotations from Chicago:

Sept. 23.	Opg.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	64	64⅜-½	63⅝-¾	63⅞
May.	65⅜	65⅜	64⅞	65⅞
Corn—				
Dec.	29⅝	29¾	29⅝	29⅝b
May.	31¾	31¾-⅞	31⅝	31⅝
Oats—				
Dec.	21⅛	21⅛	20⅞	20⅞
May.	22¾-⅞	23	22⅝-¾	22⅝-¾
Pork—				
Oct.	8 17	8 17	8 17	8 17
Lard—				
Oct.	....	4 80	4 80	4 80b
Dec.	4 77	4 85	4 75	4 85b
Short Ribs—				
Oct.	5 27	5 30	5 25	5 30
Dec.	4 72	4 75	4 72	4 75

WET AND COLDER.

Probabilities: Showers or thunderstorms to-day; clearing, with a little lower temperature on Saturday.—

Highest and lowest temperatures yesterday: Kamloops, 66, 46; Battleford, 62, 44; Qu'Appelle, 60, 46; Winnipeg, 56, 48; Parry Sound, 74, 58; Toronto, 68, 62; Ottawa, 72, 56; Montreal, 70, 58; Quebec, 68, 56; Halifax, 62, 54.

Temperatures observed by Messrs. Hearn & Harrison, Opticians, 1640 and 1642 Notre Dame street, Montreal: Standard thermometer—8 a.m., 59; 11 a.m., 62; maximum, 64; minimum, 58. Standard barometer—8 a.m., 29.73; 11 a.m., 29.72.

THE MISSISQUOI FRUIT FAIR.

Twentieth Annual Exhibition Held on Tuesday and Wednesday Was a Success.

ENTRIES WERE NUMEROUS.

Quality of the Articles Shown Reflects Credit on the Industry of the Growers.

LIST OF ALL THE PRIZE-WINNERS.

Dunham, Que., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—The twentieth annual exhibition of the Missisquoi Horticultural and Fruit-growers' Association was held here on Tuesday and Wednesday, in the Dunham Town Hall. The entries in all departments were very numerous, and the display of apples was an exceptionally good one, and shows what the county is capable of in this direction. The exhibition occupied two flats of the Town Hall, the lower being devoted to vegetables and grains, while upstairs were set forth the appetizing samples of the various fruits, apples, pears, plums, grapes, etc., and the beautiful assortment of pot plants and flowers, as well as the exhibits of honey, maple syrup and sugar, and cookery. Altogether the show was highly creditable, both to the society and to the county. This is the twentith year of the society's existence. The officers for the present years are: Hon. Thos. Wood, M.L.C., president; A. J. Longeway, vice-president; David Westover, secretary-treasurer; C. O. Robb, J. Pickering, C. P. England, J. Buchanan, directors.

The judges in the several departments were: Fruit, Wm. Craig, Jr., Abbotsford; R. D. Wells, Sweetsburg; Charles S. Reynolds, St. Armand, West. Vegetables, Thos. Slack, Waterloo; G. W. Reynolds and E. Tandy, Frelighsburg. Plants and ladies' work, Miss Craig, Mrs. Reynolds and Mrs. Tandy.

Apples.

Collection of apples—1 Hall Bros., 2 Collection of apples—1 Hall Bros., 2nd prize, 3 D. Westover; best five varieties, Jos. Selby, D. Westover, Geo. Doherty; heaviest five specimens, Clarence Selby, Hall Bros., Miss Jacques; seedlings, collection, R. R. Small, Geo. Doherty, John Pickering, H. M. and C. P. Taber; plate Alexanders, Miss Jacques, Geo. Doherty, F. C. Curley; plate duchess, R. Doherty & Son, Miss Jacques, Clarence Selby; plate St. Lawrence, Geo. Doherty, C. P. England, Miss Jacques; plate Famuese, S. && M. E. Baker, Jos. Selby, H. O. Martin; plate Canada Baldwins, H. O. Martin, Miss Jacques, S. & M. E. Baker.

Plate golden russets, R. R. Small, T. F. Curley, S. & M. E. Baker; tolman sweets, Jos. Selby, R. Doherty & Son, Geo. Doherty; winter St. Lawrence, S. & M. E. Baker, C. T. Baker, D. Westover; plate late strawberry, R. Doherty & Son, S. & M. E. Baker, C. E. Baker; plate wealthy, R. Doherty & Son, G. W. Doherty, J. G. Selby; plate new Russian, Jos. Selby, C. E. Baker, S. & M. E. Baker; Ben Davis, David Westover, Jos. Selby, Clarence Selby; plate winter seedlings, Clarence Selby, Hon. Thos. Woods, J. G. Selby; collection crab apples, Hon. Thos. Woods, Hall Bros., J. W. Ferries; crab apples, best ten specimens, H. H. Garrick, Hall Bros., R. P. Small.

Plate grafted fruit, Clarence Selby, H. M. & C. P. Taber, S. P. Cameron.

Best basket fruit, Hall Bros., A. J. Longeway, J. G. Selby.

Other Fruits.

Pears, collection, S. & M. E. Baker, no second prize, Miss Staniland; pears, plate, E. L. Watson, Hall Bros., S. & M. E. Baker; plums, collection, Hall Bros., plums, plate, Hall Bros., Clarence Selby, Geo. Doherty; collection grapes, Hon. T. Wood, A. J. Longeway; grapes, best three varieties, T. L. Watson, Hon. T. Wood; grapes, heaviest bunch, E. L. Watson, Hon. Thos. Wood.

Salsify, or vegetable oysters, H. H. Garrick, J. G. Selby, J. Pickering; peppers, G. R. Longeway, Miss Staneland, C. O. Robb; tomatoes, collection, Miss Staneland, C. O. Robb, J. G. Selby, Hon. T. Wood; tomatoes, plate, C. P. & H. M. Taber, C. O. Robb, H. H. Garrick; turnijs, H. O. Martin, C. O. Robb, S. P. Cameron; onions, red, C. O. Robb, H. Shufelt, G. R. Longeway; onions, yellow, C. O. Robb, H. O. Martin, H. Shufelt; onions, silver-skinned, C. O. Robb, G. R. Longeway, H. H. Hibbard; potatoes, collection of six varieties, H. H. Garrick, R. Doherty & Son, J. Pickering, J. W. Ferris; potatoes, single peck, C. O. Robb, S. P. Cameron, Hall Bros.; sweet corn, C. O. Robb, H. Shufelt, H. H. Garrick, J. G. Selby; popcorn, C. O. Robb, George Doherty, Hon. T. Wood; vegetables, general collection, C. O. Robb, J. Pickering, Hon. T. Wood, J. G. Selby.

Vegetables.

Beets, turnip rooted, H. H. Garrick, C. O. Robb, Hon. T. Wood; beets, long rooted, Hon. T. Wood, J. G. Selby, J. Pickering; beets, sugar, C. O. Robb, C. P. & H. M. Taber, H. H. Garrick; cabbages, C. O. Robb, J. W. Ferris, C. P. & H. M. Taber; cabbages, red, C. O. Robb, C. P. & H. M. Taber, John Pickering; cauliflowers, J. W. Ferris, Hall Bros., C. O. Robb; carrots, long orange, Charles Best, A. J. Longeway, J. G. Selby; carrots, stump rooted and half long, H. H. Garrick, C. O. Robb, G. R. Longeway; celery, G. R. Longeway, Hon. T. Wood, J. G. Selby, C. O. Robb; cucumbers, C. O. Robb, H. H. Garrick, J. G. Selby; parsnips, C. P. & H. M. Taber, C. E. Baker, G. R. Longeway.

Watermelons—H. H. Garrick, W. E. O'Brien, J. S. Lee, C. P. & H. M. Taber; musk melons, H. H. Hibbard, G. R. Longeway, H. H. Garrick, Hon. Thomas Wood; squash, heaviest specimen, E. L. Watson, C. O. Robb, Hon. Thos. Wood; Hubbard squash, H. Shufelt, J. Pickering, H. H. Garrick, C. O. Robb; squash, collection, C. O. Robb, J. Pickering, Hon. Thos. Wood; pumpkins, Hon. T. Wood, S. P. Cameron, R. Doherty & Son.

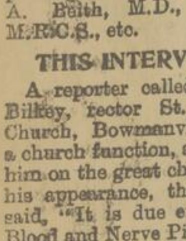
Plants and Flowers.

Floral designs, J. W. Ferres, Miss Staniland, J. Pickering; bouquet, Miss Staniland, J. W. Ferres, H. H. Garrick; hanging basket, J. G. Selby, J. Pickering, J. W. Ferres; geraniums, single, J. W. Ferres, Miss Staniland, Hon. Thos. Wood; geraniums, double, Miss Staniland, J. W. Ferres, Hon. Thos. Wood; geraniums, ornamental, Miss Staniland, J. W. Ferres; geraniums, ivy leaf, G. R. Longeway, Miss Staniland; geraniums, scented, G. R. Longeway, Miss Staniland; roses, J. W. Ferres, John Pickering, Miss Staniland; fuschias, Miss Staniland, J. W. Ferres; begonias, J. W. Ferres, Miss Staniland; colens, J. W. Ferres, Miss Staniland, Hall Bros.; cut flowers, J. W. Ferres, Miss Staniland, J. Pickering; house plants, J. W. Ferres, Miss Staniland, J. Pickering; asters, J. W. Ferres, Hon. Thos. Wood, Miss Staniland; pansies, J. W. Ferres, H. H. Garrick.

Best loaf of white bread, Charles Best, M. Curley, R. Doherty & Son; best loaf brown bread, H. Shufelt, C. P. England, A. J. Longeway.

Best tray seed corn, C. E. Baker, Hall Bros., Geo. Doherty.

Honey in comb, R. P. Small, D. Westover; honey, extracts, R. P. Small; maple sugar, H. H. Garrick, Clarence Selby, A. J. Longeway; maple syrup, H. O. Martin, Clarence Selby, R. Doherty & Son.



(From Toronto *Globe.*)

THIS CERTIFICATE

Brings Forth a Story.

BOWMANVILLE, ONT.

We, the undersigned, certify that the health of the Rev. R. A. Bilkey has for months been deteriorating, and that he is now suffering from severe nervous prostration, and urgently requires immediate and prolonged rest. J. W. McLaughlin, M.D., A. Beith, M.D., L. Holland Reid, M.R.C.S., etc.

THIS INTERVIEW TELLS IT.

A reporter called on the Rev. R. A. Bilkey, rector St. John's (Episcopal) Church, Bowmanville, Ontario, during a church function, and on congratulating him on the great change for the better in his appearance, the reverend gentleman said, "It is due entirely to Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills.

"I suffered for over three years from extreme nervousness, weakness and prostration, and could not obtain relief. A few months ago it became only too apparent that extreme nervous prostration had set in, as I lost flesh and appetite rapidly. Three of our four medical men pronounced me in urgent need of immediate and prolonged rest in order to build up my nervous system, giving me a certificate to that effect. About this time, by pure accident, Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills were brought to my notice. I decided to try them, and on doing so a decided change for the better took place at once. I have since continued taking the pills, with continued and marked benefit and improvement. My appetite has returned. I am gaining in flesh steadily, and my general health is now good. Further, I am sure that these results are due to the action of Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills, and I have every confidence that they will do for others all that they have done for me."

Dr. Ward's Blood and Nerve Pills are sold at 50c. per box, 5 boxes for $2, at Druggists, or mailed on receipt of price by the Dr. Ward Co., 71 Victoria Street, Toronto. Book of information free.

MASONIC FRATERNITY.

Official Visit of the District Deputy Grand Master to the Historic Lodge of Antiquity.

The istrict Deputy Grand Master paid an official visit to Lodge of Antiquity, No. 1, A.F. and A.M., at its regular communication in the Masonic Temple Wednesday evening. The D.D.G.M. was accompanied by several Grand Lodge officers and Past Masters, including R.W. Bro. Geo. O. Stanton, P.D.D.G.M. R.W. Bro. C. J. Williams, grand registrary; V.W. Bros. J. Beamish Saul, James Dougherty, James Mitchell and R. I. Griffin, and W. Bros. Taylor, A. Strachan, T. McRobie and J. S. Jellyman.

After the meeting the D.D.G.M. and visiting brethren were entertained by W. Bro. J. S. Thompson, W.M., and the members of Lodge of Antiquity, when the usual loyal Masonic toasts were duly honored and responded to.

In replying to the toast of "The Grand Lodge of Quebec," R.W. Bro. W. Paterson expressed his hearty appreciation of the cordial reception which had been tendered him as D.D.G.M. The Grand Lodge of Quebec held a proud position among the Grand Lodges of the world, and he was pleased to be able to say that peace and harmony prevailed throughout her borders. He had been gratified at the work of Antiquity that evening; the lodge had a noble record of 150 years behind it, and he was glad to see that the members to-day fully appreciated the necessity of keeping up the reputation of this grand old military lodge.

R.W. Bro. Stanton and R.W. Bro. C. J. Williams also responded, and both complimented the lodge upon its excellent work.

"The Visiting Brethren" were next honored, and the toast was acknowledged by W. Bro. J. S. Jellyman, of Elgin Lodge; W. Bro. A. Strachan, of Kilwinning; Bro. Isaac Harris, of Chatham, N.B., and Bro. Blake, of America Lodge, No. 535, New York.

R.W. Bro. Paterson proposed the health of the Lodge of Antiquity, and the W.M., after briefly acknowledging the compliment, called upon V.W. Bro. J. Beamish Saul, I.P.M.

V.W. Bro. Saul gave many interesting historical facts in connection with the history of the lodge, especially referring to the part which was taken by the 46th Regiment, with which the lodge was so long connected, in the capture of Cuba by the English. The Lodge of Social and Military Virtues, by which name it was then known, was subsequently established under the Grand Lodge of Ireland, as a permanent lodge in Montreal. Since that time, of course, it had been under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of Canada, and finally the Grand Lodge of Quebec, but during all its history it had remained true to those principles of brotherly love and friendship which were characteristic of all true Masons, principles which were being lovally carried out by its members of to-day.

During the evening songs were given by Bro. J. Poole, V.W.; Bro. J. Dougherty and Bro. Davis, a violin solo by Bro. J. Silverstone and a piano solo by Bro. Blundell.

Selling Roosvelt's Horses.

New York, Sept. 23.—The third day of the sale of the horses of the Roosevelt Rough Riders was begun yesterday morning. Nearly a thousand horses had been sold, and but 169 remained to go under the hammer. The auctioneers said that the first day's sales had realized $12,000 and yesterday $14,000. It was expected that the entire sale would realize about $35,000, for horses which had cost the Government $65,000.

The crowd was somewhat slim, but the horses shown looked better than any yet sold, as they have been receiving better food recently. The first horse sold to-day was that of Lieut.-Col. Brodie, who succeeded Col. Roosevelt. He was a steel grey, good-looking horse, but he only brought $40. Other animals sold at from $8 to $35 apiece.

Business Notes.

The following partnerships have been registered: Henry Reynaud and Georges Charbonneau, as restaurant keepers (Reynaud & Charbonneau); John Ryan, of Ontario, and Allen R. Macdonell, of Montreal, as contractors at Cascade's Point (Ryan & Macdonell); Thomas Arthur Morrison (Herbaroot Medical Company), alone as patent medicine dealer.

Notice is given of the incorporation of the Canadian Mining Exhibit Company, (Limited), with headquarters in Montreal.

Albert Ratelle and Theo. Goulet (Theo. Goulet & Co.), contractors, have dissolved partnership.

East Northumberland Election.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—At Osgoode Hall yesterday morning application was made on behalf of the petitioner in the East Northumberland election protest for a change of place of trial from Cobourg to Colborne. It was urged there are from two to three hundred witnesses, most of them living near Colborne, so that the change would save much expense. Judgment was reserved.

Cervera Reaches Madrid.

Madrid, Sept. 2.3—Admiral Cervera arrived here yesterday. There were no incidents worth noting in connection with his return.

ST. JOHN VISITED BY TWO LEADERS

How Sir Charles Tupper and Hon. A. G. Blair Were Received by the Citizens.

RECEPTIONS CONTRASTED.

Sympathy for One as an Old Man, and Respect and Confidence in the Other.

MR. BLAIR'S TOUR A SUCCESS.

St. John, N.B., Sept. 20.—(Special.)—St. John has been favored with the visits of two prominent politicians, Sir Charles Tupper and the Hon. Andrew G. Blair. Minister of Railways and Canals. We speak of Sir Charles first because he is the older man.

The passing of Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., would be a most melancholy spectacle indeed were it not that the old Knight is perfectly unconscious of the fact; that go where he will throughout Canada the people look upon him as a man who has been false to all his pledges.

Sir Charles was brought to this city a few days since by some ardent Conservatives who hoped thus to bolster up their weak position, and was accorded a good hearing. St. John people pride themselves on this — no matter whether in sympathy with a speaker or not they will corially and kindly hear what he has to say. Sir Charles did not appear in their eyes so much a politician as an old man, disposed to be garrulous. One of the Conservative journals thus speaks of him, showing how he was regarded:

"Sir Charles does not possess his former vigor, but he has his old-time enthusiasm and confidence in his principles. He is a wonderful old man."

This was how St. John heard him, and the people felt that an old man should get a good hearing and be well treated.

But there were those in the audience who knew Sir Charles well. They knew that at Sydney, C.B., in September, 1878 Sir Charles denounced the 23,500,000 expenditure of the Mackenzie Government as extravagant, and he (Sir Charles) pledged his reputation that if the Conservatives were returned to power they would govern the country efficiently for $22,500,000, a million less. This was his pledge; the actual fact was the Conservatives added yearly to the expenditure, till, in 1894-95, it had reached a total of $38,132,005.

There were Conservatives at that meeting who looked back over his history, saw the words of the Conservative Toronto World of July 22, 1896: "A convention is necessary to rid the party of the noxious gang that led it on to destruction last month. A convention is absolutely necessary to select a leader who enjoys the confidence of the whole party, to clean out the gang to whose intrigues the party owes its recent defeat."

This very expressively voices the opinion of not a few of the Conservatives of New Brunswick.

Others in the audience remembered when Sir Charles was telling of the brilliant glories in store for the party he would lead, how he prophesied great things for Canada in 1882. In the Queen's Hall at Montreal in that year Sir Charles said, with the most posintive assurance, that by the year 1890 Manitoba and the Territories would produce 650,000,000 bushels of wheat, and that sufficient public lands would be sold to wipe out the national debt. He also at that time spoke of the Chicgnecto Marine Railway, in our own Province, which was to be a great bonanza; six hundred thousand tons of freight per year were to be taken across that neck of land.

Conservatives here, in the words of the Toronto Mail of June 9, 1891, knew Sir Charles: "As the prince of political cracksmen and the appointment of such a man at the head of the state would be not merely the inauguration of violence and corruption unredeemed by any true wisdom or statesmanship, it would be the signal for a disruption of the community and far a moral civil war."

Not only were these views held, but the people of St. John have long recognized Sir Charles as an enemy of their port, as one who would not hesitate to destroy the business prosperity of the city.

Another politician has been with us, the Hon. Andrew G. Blair, a man of deeds, not words, one who makes few promises, but who is known by his capacity for work.

Mr. Blair's reception here was totally different from that accorded Sir Charles. Sir Charles was treated as a man whose usefulness, if he ever had any, is long since done. Mr. Blair, on the other hand, is regarded as a young man, fully alive to the necessities and developments of the hour—not like Sir Charles looking back on history and living on that, but taking an active interest in the doings of the day, in the march of progress; shaping the destiny of Canada along her avenues of railways, canals, ports and commercial enterprises. There is no comparison between these men, only as Tupper belonged to a past age, Blair lives in the present. One is the friend of St. John who is giving her a stimulating hand in the form of gigantic railway termini and elevators—the other, Sir Charles, throwing out promises never intended to be fulfilled.

Their reception by the people was totally different. Mr. Blair got a rousing reception because of his work for the people—Sir Charles had the sympathy of the public. One was respect and esteem for a capable man and leader of men, the other was sympathy for an old man who should seek a quiet place by the fire and retire from general publicity.

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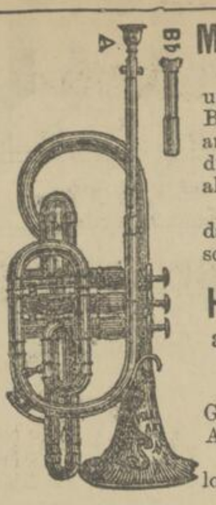

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THE EMPRESS REIGNS.

Emperor of China Abdicates in Favor of His Wife,

In all Probability Li Hung Chung Will Resume Office—Ito's Mission Will be a Failure.

Pekin, Sept. 23.—An Imperial edict just issued definitely announces that the Emperor of China has resigned his power to the Empress (Dowager Empress), who has ordered the ministers to deliver to her, in future, their official reports.

It is difficult to obtain reliable information at the Palace in regard to the proceeding, but the recent reformatory edicts probably caused the change. While the Emperor was subservient and a mere figurehead, the Dowager Empress permitted him to remain in peace. But so soon as he attempted to act on his own initiative, his practical deposition was the result. His principal adviser, Kang-Yumei, the Cantonese reformer, fled in spite of the vigorous attempts made to arrest him, and it is said he is now on his way to Shanghai.

The effect of the change must be great, and in all probability Li Hung Chang will be reinstated in power and Russian influence will increase. The hopes of reform so ardently cherished by the intelligent factions of the Chinese are now impossible.

The suddenness of the coup is said to be due to the desire of the Dowager Empress to prevent the mission of the Marquis Ito from being successful. The Japanese statesman recently came to Pekin, with the object of trying to bring about an alliance offensive and defensive between Japan and China.

The new order of things will undoubtedly prejudice British interests in China. It is reported to-day that the next edict will give the full reasons for the change. The wording of the present edict is not yet obtainable, but it is in effect that the Emperor requested the Dowager Empress to assume power, this being the third time the request has been made.

The Marquis Ito, in an interview before the edict was issued, said the Emperor received him yesterday in the most cordial manner, and said he hoped to have the advantage of the advice of the Marquis in the reforms which His Majesty intended to undertake. The Marquis even then feared that the inaction and conservatism of the Chinese officials would nullify the reforms, although he believed the Emperor was acting in good faith.

Shanghai, Sept. 23.—A local rumor is current here to the effect that the Emperor of China is dead. No details are obtainable, but it is said the gates of Pekin are closed.

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AUGUSTI AND CERVERA.

They Both Reach Home and Talk of Their Defeats at the Hands of the Americans.

Madrid, Sept. 23.—General Augusti, the former captain-general of the Philippine Islands, who has just arrived at Vittoria, Spain, from Manila, in an interview just published is quoted as discussing the Philippine question in an interesting manner. He is alleged to have remarked: "Before I left Spain I knew the situation in the Philippine Islands was grave. Senor Moret, the Minister for the Colonies in the last Cabinet of Senor Sagasta, remarked to me that if war with the United States broke out there would be a terrible state of things."

Continuing, General Augusti described Admiral Montojo's fleet as "some old, wooden ships," and said they came to Manila practically pursued by Dewey. He then said: "Our batteries fired at the American, but our guns were mounted on false plates, and after the first shots they became useless. At daybreak we were in the power of the Americans, and an hour afterwards the Spanish fleet had ceased to exist.

Dewey summoned me to surrender. I refused, and he threatened to raze the town. I replied, "Raze it; but, so long as I live, the Spanish flag will float on the ruins of Manila."

"Then began the terrible time of the siege and the anguish of the blockade. Famine stared us in the face. In the meantime hostilities were conducted throughout the provinces, but, save in isolated cases, humanely.

"Dewey repeated his summons to surrender, and I again refused. Dewey then bombarded the town, and Manila surrendered.

"But, the danger was not over. Considering my presence no longer necessary, I asked the Government for permission to go home, as my position had become by no means easy. I think I have done my duty as a soldier and a Spaniard."

Madrid, Sept. 23.—Admiral Cervera arrived here yesterday. There were no incidents worth noting in connection with his return.

In an interview the admiral said he had a clear conscience rearding Santiago, but he added, nations grow great by their victories and not by their defeats, however glorious they might be. Spain, he continued, had lived in a dream, and she now had to face reality.

The Spanish admiral added that his warships were not destroyed in battle, but were destroyed by fire. General Toral, the Spanish commander, who surrendered his forces at Santiago de Cuba, has also arrived here. He did so without attracting any attention, and is now sick in bed.

The marked coolness of Admiral Cervera and his officers towards the Minister of Marine, Senor Aunon, is much commented upon here. Senor Aunon and his staff, in uniform, met Admiral Cervera and his party at the railroad depot.

The admiral halted before the Minister, saluted, and said, stiffly: "I am at the orders of Your Excellency. I shall present myself to the Ministry to-day, as is my duty."

The admiral then started to leave, after embracing Captain Eulate, the former commander of the Vizcaya, and his other comrades.

The Minister of Marine offered the use of his carriage to Admiral Cervera, but the latter declined to accept it, and entered another conveyance.

Daily Hints to Housekeepers.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24.

We can give gentle thought
And charity by life's long lesson taught.

BREAKFAST.

Fruit. Oatmeal and Cream. Baked Potatoes. Panned Oysters. Graham Cream Cake. Honey. Coffee.

DINNER.

Vegetable and Mutton Stew. Cheese Toast. Sliced Cucumbers. Loaf Corn Bread. Sliced Plums. Baked Apples and Pears. Wafers. Coffee.

SUPPER.

Sliced Meat. Stewed Apricots. Warm Gingerbread. Biscuits. Chocolate.

Vegetable and Mutton Stew.—Make brown sauce with butter and four tablespoons of flour browned in, and one cup and one-half of hot water poured over and stirred. If the mutton was saved from the "grill" of Monday, use that; if none, two pounds of neck cut in small slices will do. Add one teaspoon of pepper, a little salt, a dozen peeled tomatoes, four sliced carrots, one dozen medium potatoes, three small onions. Simmer 4 hours. This is called a "ragout."

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25.

BREAKFAST.

Sliced Oranges. Rolled White Oats, Sugar and Cream. Broiled Beefsteak. Baked Potatoes. Graham Gems. Doughnuts. Coffee.

DINNER.

Tomato Soup. Roast Lamb. Mashed Potatoes. Batter Beans. Beets. Celery. Steamed Blackberry Pudding. Apple Pie. Tea.

SUPPER.

Cold Lamb. Hot Tea Biscuit. Sliced Tomatoes. Coffee Jelly. Whipped Cream. Marble Cake. Cocoa.

Tomato Soup.—One can of tomatoes, boiled and strained; add a cup and two tablespoonfuls of corn starch; let boil together and season to taste.

Household Markets.

Bonsecours market is not exactly the pleasantest place in the world on a rainy day, yet there was a fair attendance of buyers there in the early hours this morning, and, everything considered, there was a good, active trade. The farmers, of course, do not mind the rain, and they turned out in the usual large numbers, and crowded the square with their offerings of fruit and vegetables.

Prices were not materially changed from a week ago. There is a falling off in the quality of the tomatoes offered, but the range is still 20c to 30c in boxes, according to quality. Carrots were quoted at 6c to 7c a bunch, beets 5c, and onions about 20c to 25c a small pail. The quality of the potatoes is still very fine, and they were offered freely at 50c to 60c a bag, according to condition. Corn is about finished. Califlowers were quoted from 50c upwards a dozen, and celery from 10c to 15c.

The quantity of fruit, and particularly apples, on the market, was very large. Apples sold in all sizes of boxes and baskets, and some varieties were "dirt cheap. In barrels some of the best were sold at $2, but good cooking apples were quoted as low as $1. Canadian pears were quoted at 50c to 75c for a good-sized basket, peaches $1.50, while California peaches are more expensive, and large ones were quoted at 40c a dozen. The idea for oranges was 25c to 30c a dozen, lemons 25c a dozen, and bananas 20c a dozen.

There was no great demand in the poultry market, but prices held steady. Geese sold at 8c per lb., turkeys 11c to 13c, fowl 10c, and spring chickens from 35c to 55c a pair. Plover were steady around $2.50 a dozen and black ducks went at 65c to 75c a pair.

Prices in the dairy market were a little firmer. Butter sold at 20c to 21c a pound, and cheese at 10c to 11c. Eggs were quoted at 18c to 20c.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Announcements under this head 25c each insertion.

BIRTHS.

TOURVILLE—At 26 Cherrier street, on September 11th, the wife of Mr. Rod. Tourville, of a daughter.

CARBRAY—At Quebec, September 21, the wife of Willie J. Carbray, of a son.

MITCHELL—In Pmbroke Township, September 15, the wife of Mr. G. R. Mitchell, of a daughter.

EDWARDS—At Carleton Place, September 20, the wife of Mr. John Edwards, of a son.

McNABB—At Carleton Place, September 16, the wife of Mr. Hugh McNabb, of a daughter.

ASHMAN—At Carleton Place, September 19, the wife of Mr. George Ashman, of a daughter.

EAGER—At Carleton Place, September 19th, the wife of Mr. F. Eager, of Ottawa, of a daughter.

BRADFORD—At Carleton Place, September 16th, the wife of Mr. Ed. Bradford, of a daughter.

McFARLANE—At Carleton Place, September 14, the wife of M. A. McFarlane, M. D., of a son.

McFARLANE—At Carleton Place, September 19, the wife of Mr. Angus McFarlane, of a daughter.

ANDERSON—At Toronto, September 20, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Anderson.

THOMSON—At Toronto, September 20, the wife of McDowall Thomson, barrister-at-law, of a son.

CRYSDALE—At Toronto, September 19, the wife of Arthur G. Crydale, of a son.

LYONS—At Toronto, September 20, the wife of J. H. Lyons, commercial traveller, of a son.

CARTY—At London, Ont., September 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Carty, a daughter.

BINGHAM—At Hamilton, September 19, the wife of J. J. Bingham of a son.

CAMPBELL—At Truro, N. S., September 19, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell, a son.

KENNEDY—At Yarmouth, N. S., September 16, to the wife of A. Kennedy, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, a daughter.

BEER—At Toronto, September 20, the wife of Mr. William James Beer, of a daughter.

BROWN—At Toronto, September 19, the wife of George B. Brown, Standard Bank, Toronto, of a son.

MARRIAGES

STEWART-BULMER—On September 21, at the Church of St. James the Apostle, by the Rev. Canon Ellegood, Campbell Stewart to Ethel May, daughter of John A. Bulmer.

ABRAHAM-McHUGH—On September 19th, at St. Ann's Church, by the Rev. Father Strubbe, John Abraham to Mary McHugh, daughter of the late Michael McHugh, both of this city. (Quebec, Jersey, British Islands, Newfoundland papers please copy.)

CALLAGHAN-FLYNN — At the Bishop's Palace, Montreal, September 21, by the Rev. Father Sinett, J. G. Callaghan, of Middleton, Co. Cork, Ireland, to Mary Tresa, daughter of the late James Flynn, of Ballymartin House, Co. Waterford.

HODGSON-ADDISON—In this city, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. Robert Hopkin, of Westmount, Margaret H. Addison to Thos. L. Hodgson, of Ottawa.

THOMPSON-STODDORT—On September 15, by the Rev. Mr. Marriott, Albert M. Thompson, of Montreal, to Agnes Stoddort, of Chambly Basin.

NOWLAN-GASTON—On September 19, at Montreal, by the Rev. Robert Campbell, D. D., H. W. Nowlan to Elxa L., daughter of the late James Gaston, of Chatham, Que.

ENRIGHT-DOYLE—At Frampton, Que., on September 20, by the Rev. Father O'Farrell, W. J. Enright, M.D., of Port Daniel, to Marguerite Doyle, of Frampton.

JAMES-LECLARE-HAMMON—On September 25, at St. John's Church, by the Rev. Arthur French, A. W. James to Julia Hammon.

CURTIS-CHANT—At Athens, Ont., September 13, by Rev. B. Camreon, Mr. William E. Curtis, of Ramsay, to Miss Emily Chant, of Delta.

GORDON-SADLER—At St. Paul's Church, Lindsay, on September 14, Alexander Burton Gordon, of Pembroke, to Miss Jennie Sadler, of Lindsay.

FRASER-CREIGHTON—At Pembroke, on September 21, by Rev. C. O. Carson, Stafford, Mr. Daniel Fraser to Miss Emma Creighton, both of Pembroke.

McNAUGHT-SEATH—At Toronto, September 20, by Rev. Dr. Thomas, Violet Louisa, elder daughter of Mr. John Seath, to Charles Boyd, second son of Mr. William K. McNaught.

PORTER-ENGLISH—On September 20, at Toronto, by Rev. J. J. McCann, May Constance, youngest daughter of John English, to Frederick Robert Porter, D.D.S., L.D.S., son of Dr. W. H. Porter, of Bradford, Ont.

DICKSON-FECHNIE—In Dundas, Ont., on September 21, by Rev. E. A. Irving, Dundas, James Dickson to Jessie L. Fechnie, both of Dundas.

McCADDEN-WRIGHT—In London, Ont., on September 20, by Rev. Canon Dann, Miss Janet Wright to Mr. James A. McCadden, of Dundas, Minnesota.

DORAN-YOUNG—At Toronto, September 21, by the Rev. William Patterson, Frederick W. Doran, of Toronto, to Christina May, daughter of Mr. John Young, of the Upper Canada Bible and Tract Societies.

MARON-SMART—At St. James Cathedral, Toronto, September 21, by Rev. Canon Sanson, assisted by the Bishop of Niagara, Mr. Alfred Conrad Maron, of Philadelphia, to Lillian Constance Smart, younger daughter of the late Mrs. E. A. Smart, of Toronto.

MAXELL-POTTS—At Toronto, September 21, by Rev. Oswald Rigby, M.A., dean of Trinity College, Henry E. Maxwell, barrister, son of the Hon. S. Maxwell, Nebraska, to Helene E. F. Potts, eldest daughter of Dr. George F. Potts, of Eglinton, formerly of Belleville.

SUMNER-CHADWICK—At Simcoe, September 21, by Rev. R. Hicks, C. Hartsuff Sumner, of Ingersoll, to Alice Doone, daughter of the late Francis L. Walsh, registrar of the County of Norfolk.

ALLPORT-GAULT—At London, England, on September 8, William H. Allport, of London, England, to M. Florence Gault, daughter of Mrs. M. H. Gault, Braehead, Montreal.

DEATHS

ROSS—In this city, on Wednesday, September 21, at the age of 53 years, William E. Ross, formerly of Brockville. Funeral will take place from his late residence, 76 Shuter street, on Saturday morning, the 24th inst., at 8 o'clock, to Bonaventure station. Interment at Brockville. Please omit flowers.

ELCOME—At Royal Victoria Hospital, September 22, Edwin Browning Elcime, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Elcome, Durocher street, aged 6 weeks and 1 day.

PHELPS—At London, England, on Saturday, September 17, Emily Augusta, widow of the Rev. Robert Phelps, M.A., Oxon., and third daughter of the late Hon. Robert Jones.

FERGUSON—In this city, on Tuesday, 20th inst., Kate Suttle, beloved wife of James Ferguson.

HARRIS—On September 21, at the Western Hospital, Emily Caroline, daughter of Alexander and Mary Anna Harris, late of Longford, Ireland, aged 28 years.

HOPE—In this city, September 22nd, John Hope, master carter, aged 44 years. Funeral from his late residence, 119 Murray street, at 8 o'clock on Saturday morning, 24th inst., to St. Ann's Church, thence to Cote des Neiges cemetery. Frineds and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend.

TILDEN—At the residence of her son, A. A. Barnhart, 589 St. Urbain street, Lucretia Electa, widow of the late Daniel Barnhart.

KANAGH—At 77 Jurors street, on September 21, John Kanagh, aged 10 months and 6 days, youngest son of Michael Kanagh.

McRAE—At Glen Sandfield, Glengarry Co., Ont., September 15, Malcolm HcRae, aged 72 years and 9 months.

MUNRO—At Denver, Col., on September 15, Alexander Gordon Munro, aged 24 years, only son of the late Malcolm Gordon Munro, of Morrisburg, Ont.

BROWN—At Mouiinette, Ont., September 21, Agnes Nelson Comrie, wife of the late Rev. W. D. Brown, Methodist minister, in the 86th year of her age.

STEWART—At Winnipeg, September 16th, Jennie E., beloved daughter of the Rev. John Stewart, aged 18 years and eleven months.

ST. HILAIRE—At Quebec, September 21st, David St. Hilaire, aged 77 years.

HALE—At Pembroke, September 15, Thos. Hale, aged 56 years and 9 months.

McCONNELL—At Morden, Man., on September 15, Mrs. Catherine McConnell, relict of the late Benjamin McConnell, of Pembroke.

CAMERON—In Beckwith, Ont., September 15, Allan Cameron, sr., aged 98 years.

CAMPBELL—In Beckwith, Ont., September 14, Isabella Campbell, daughter of Archibald Campbell, aged 38 years.

HOUSTON—In Ramsay, Ont., September 19, Marion S. Donald, beloved wife of Mr. John Houston, aged 67 years.

McMILLAN—At Hilsburg, Ont., September 17, Charles McMillan, in his 76th year.

WELLS—At Toronto, September 18, James Edward Wells, aged 61 years.

JONES—At West Flamboro Village, Ont., on September 20, George Jones, aged [illegible] years 3 months and 16 days.

MARSDEN—At Montmorency Falls, Eva Lydia, infant daughter of George and Emily Marsden, aged 1 year and 9 months.

PARENT—At Beauport, September 19, at the age of 43 years, Madame Laure Eugenie Rousseau, wife of Francois Parent, contractor.

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DEFENCES OF CANADA.

Members of the Imperial Defence Commission Reach Toronto, Where They Will Continue Their Labors.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—A number of British officers, who have been commissioned by the Imperial Government to make an investigation into the defences of Canada and to report upon the best means of strengthening the Dominion against invasion by a foreign foe, arrived in the city yesterday. The party consists of Lieut.-Col. Percy Lake, formerly Quarter-master-General of the Dominion; Col. White, Col. Dalton and Capt. White, R.N. The commission began their labors in Quebec about the middle of August, and have since that time been moving slowly westward. Yesterday they paid a visit to Stanley barracks, and were entertained at luncheon by the officers there.

Ontario Election Trials.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—It was arranged yesterday at Osgoode Hall, that the trial of the protests in East and West Hastings, represented respectively by S. Russell, Liberal, and M. B. Morrison, Conservative, shall take place at Osgoode Hall. This is understood to mean that those protests will be abandoned.

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"	Campbellton	8.40 a.m.
"	Moncton	1.50 p.m.
"	St. John	5.00 p.m.
"	Truro	5.55 p.m.
"	Halifax	8.00 p.m.

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Sundays excepted.

Dep.	Montreal	8.05 a.m.
Arr.	Levis	1.15 p.m.
"	Riviere du Loup	5.10 p.m.
"	St. Flavie	8.00 p.m.
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Dep.	Montreal	11.00 p.m.
Arr.	Levis	7.30 a.m
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23 Sept.	NORWEGIAN	9 Oct.
23 Sept.	GRECIAN	11 Oct.
30 Sept.	POMERANIAN	15 Oct.

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Houde Got His Money Back.

(From Yesterday's Herald.)

"Discharged."—That is the result of yesterday's trial of Ephrem Lemay on a charge of obtaining $225 on a promise to get A. Houde on the Montreal police force. The important part of the proceedings is not even hinted at in the word "discharged," entered on the enquete book opposite the name of Ephrem Lemay, accused of obtaining money under false pretences.

Mr. A. Houde, the complainant, was the first and only witness called. Mr. St. Pierre, who appeared for the plaintiff, asked him to tell his story. Mr. Houde said that in June, 1897, having decided to try to get a position on the Montreal police force, he spoke to a friend of his in the city about it, and was referred to Mr. Ephrem Lemay. He called on Mr. Lemay and had a long conversation with him. Mr. Lemay said he could get him on the force, but it would cost something, not much, about $225. Mr. Houde thought that was too much, but finally agreed, and said he would give Mr. Lemay that amount to be used for the purpose of having his name placed on the roll of police constables of the city of Montreal. Mr. Houde, not having the amount of cash on hand at the time, went to his parish priest, who immediately gave him $150 in cash and a note for $75. The standing of the parish priest was so good that the note was practically cash. Mr. Houde returned to Montreal from Louiseville, where he lived, and offered Mr. Lemay $150 cash and the $75 note. Mr. Lemay took the cash, but would not accept the note. A short time afterwards the $75 was paid in cash and Mr. Lemay promised to get Mr. Houde on the force. Up to the present time he had not been appointed.

Such was the evidence in chief of the complainant. And just here is where the funny part of the case comes in.

"Cross-examined by Mr. Bisaillon," declared Mr. St. Pierre to the court stenographer (but Mr. Bisaillon was present only in spirit; that is, he wasn't present).

"Had you ever," demanded Mr. Bisaillon (through Mr. St. Pierre), "had you ever before your conversation with the defendant, been told by him that he had done anything towards getting you on the police force?"

"No." (Answer given by Mr. St. Pierre to himself.)

"When you paid over the money he promised to do what he could to get you on? That was all?"

"Yes, that was all." (Answer again given by Mr. St. Pierre.)

"That is all the evidence," said Mr. St. Pierre, and they went before the magistrate, who discharged Mr. Ephrem Lemay, there being nothing to convict him of false pretences, and Mr. Bisaillon was present in the flesh when the discharge was granted.

But that is not all the story.

As soon as the evidence was all in, and Mr. Houde had left the box, he was asked if he got his $225 back.

"Not yet," was the answer.

A moment later Mr. St. Pierre, Mr. Bisaillon and Mr. Houde emerged from the Court House, the two former engaged in an animated conversation, which was for their ears alone. Mr. Houde walked somewhat apart and did not look at all displeased with the result of the trial.

"Have you got your money back yet, Mr. Houde?" he was asked.

"Yes," was the reply.

"But what about costs; were all your costs paid also?"

"Yes, everything was paid. I have my $225, and the case in court cost me nothing."

And that is what the word "discharged" in the enquete book really means.

A QUESTION OF RESPONSIBILITY.

Let the citizens of Montreal fasten their attention upon one question in connection with the revision of the charter.

Amid a host of lesser questions one stands of paramount importance. It is the absolute necessity of making a reform in the committee system of the City Council.

Reform in this direction The Herald believes would do more for the city's good government than all the minor changes which are proposed. An outline of the present committee system is necessary to an understanding:

There are eight committees of Council, each composed of seven members, and each having oversight of a department of civic administration.

Every committee has control over the officials of its department, dismissing from and appointing to offices whomsoever it chooses, and increasing the number of offices at will.

Each committee decides what expenditures are necessary in connection with its department, and lets contracts as it pleases for such as are decided upon. It afterwards supervises the carrying out of works.

The only check upon a committee is the necessity which it is supposed to be under of having Council vote it the money necessary to carry out its designs. Where, however, the chairman of a committee is influential with his fellow-aldermen this has been shown to be no check at all. Neither is it a check in cases where the log-rolling principle is introduced between two or more aldermen, each interested in getting an improper vote through. And check of this or any other kind, imaginary or practical, there is none at all once the City Treasurer has been instructed by Council to place a sum of money at the credit of one of these groups of seven aldermen.

Nor is the vote of Council always respected. If it were there would at least be the shadow of a safeguard for the taxpayer. But shadow there is not, for within recent years the committees have got into the habit of ordering works for which Council has refused to grant money. They have not scrupled—it has in fact grown into a practice—to commit the city to expenditures for which there was no money in the treasury, and to which the Council, when applied to, had refused to consent.

This is the condition to which, by the present system, the administration of the taxpayers' money has been brought. The committees drive ahead with expenditures as long as the money at their credit lasts, and when it is exhausted they have simply let the accounts, charged against the city, accumulate. And these outstanding accounts they have shifted at the end of the year from their own shoulders on to the succeeding year's committee as easily as they have shifted all responsibility for them.

It is just here we find the weak place in our committee system. It is the practical impossibility of fixing responsibility. Money is wasted or spent corruptly, and while the taxpayer puzzles helplessly to decide who should be condemned among the various groups of seven aldermen, the responsibility is hung in the air. When a scandal turns up it may be found that some treacherously-worded resolution passed unawares during skilfully-planned delays and references between one committee and another binds the city and furnishes the corrupt aldermen a shelter behind an honest one. The Council ultimately throws a veil over the whole thing and the public, caught in a web of intrigue, knows not whom to hold responsible.

Without personal responsibility there can be no hope of good government. Having it, we may yet miss economy and honesty, but not having it, all effort for betterment is futile. At present we have not responsibility and all the minor reforms which the revisers of the charter may make will fall short unless they put the expenditure of money under some greater safeguard.

The system which The Herald has several times proposed is as follows:

To separate as far as possible the legislative from the executive and administrative branches of the corporation by placing all executive and administrative duties, works and services under the control of an executive board, of which the Mayor shall be the head, and by confining the duties and powers of the Council to proper legislative work and the voting of supplies upon the recommendation of the executive.

To provide that no estimate shall be adopted or appropriation made by Council which shall not have been previously recommended by the executive or referred to the board for their approval; and in the case of the board refusing, it shall require a two-thirds vote of the whole Council to make any such appropriation or authorize any such work or service.

The Mayor shall have the power to nominate from among the aldermen the three members of the executive board, their election being made by vote of the Council at the first meeting of each newly-elected Council.

The members of the executive shall preside over the departments of the city service and works, each having supervision over the department to which he may be elected, and representing it on the board.

The functions of the board shall be

(a) The preparation of the annual estimates and such special estimates as may be decided upon.

(b) The consideration of all departmental recommendations prior to their presentation to the City Council.

(c) The calling for tenders and the awarding of all contracts for works, materials and supplies.

(d) The general oversight of all works in progress in the various departments.

All the executive and administrative works, services and duties of the corporation shall be carried on and discharged under the general direction of the board by the Mayor and several appointed heads of departments under the provisions of the statutes and bylaws of the Council.

Under this system the city would have the responsibility for the evils under which the city suffers narrowed down from twenty-six aldermen to three. And it is through this door of narrowed responsibility that reform must enter the City Hall.

EXPORT DUTY ON PULP WOOD.

There appears in the Toronto Globe of last Saturday an able article, contributed by the paper's Montreal correspondent, dealing with the question of an export duty on pulp wood. The erection of the Laurentide Company's immense pulp mill at Grand Mere and the growth in recent years of the pulp and paper industry in this Province as well as in other parts of the country give to the subject a lively interest. The article's purpose is to show that if an export duty were imposed upon pulp wood exported out of Canada, it would have the result of compelling American paper mills to locate in Canada. Or, on the other hand, this same result, the article says, would be attained by the removal by Congress of the duties on paper entering the United States. The hinge upon which the whole argument is made to hang is the statement that Canadian pulp wood is a necessity to American paper mills, that the supply of American wood is nearly exhausted. "Quebec's strong point is this: that the amount of spruce available in the United States is decidedly limited and will be soon exhausted. For their supply of paper made from wood pulp the United States must rely on us."

The question arises at the outset: How true is this? We are not sure that if it were altogether true it would suffice to carry the argument which is hung upon it. But it would certainly have a very important bearing. Evidence of a convincing nature in its support is, however, not furnished. Mr. E. W. Rathbun, in a pamphlet, gave the figures for our exports of pulp wood to the United States in 1896 as worth $600,000. According to another authority, Lockwood's Paper Trade Directory, for 1896, it appears that our contribution of pulp wood to the stock for American mills for 1896 was 193,000 cords, and that the American forests furnished to the same mills 1,325,000 cords. Accepting these figures as accurate, then Canada contributed in that year just 12 1-2 per cent. of the supply. This is hardly a "key of the situation." There appears to be no danger of the immediate exhaustion of the pulp wood supplies of the United States.

Later figures we have not seen, but if there are any available by which our "control" of the American trade is shown to be more actual than this, we suppose they will be offered. The advocates of the export duty may fairly be asked to establish their case with more than general statements.

It would be interesting to know what basis there is for the statement that the American pulp mills, which are buying largely of Canadian stock, hold reserves of forest land to which they could turn for supply in case of unfavorable Canadian legislation. It is most essential to know, too, whether the action which Canada is asked to take would have the effect of transferring a considerable portion of the wood pulp industry to the Southern States, and whether it is true that in those States abundant supplies of pulp wood exist, and the industry has as yet scarcely developed at all. This information and whatever else bears upon the question, should be before us previous to our being asked to come to any judgment.

Of this we may be sure, that the imposition of an export duty would fall as a peculiar hardship upon a class of farmers and settlers in the Eastern Townships and other portions of this Province, and in portions of Ontario, who supply eighty per cent. of the pulp wood exported to the United States, which is cut upon their lands in the course of clearing. An export duty would jeopardize an important source of income to this worthy class. Its only other certain effect, we fear, would be to give the pulp mill owner his raw material cheaper at the expense of the small farmer and settler, whose lot is not already so enviable that it should be made harder.

THE GERMAN GRAIN TRADE.

The Herald yesterday ventured the opinion that the considerable increase of Canadian business with Germany last year was due to the exceptional shortage of wheat in Europe and the fact that coarser grains had been largely used to take the place of wheat bread, an expedient nearly always resorted to in lean years by peoples whose staple food is derived from wheat. Further enquiry tends to confirm this supposition. Rye, for example, is a favorite substitute for wheat in such cases. It is therefore instructive to note that whereas the total exports of rye from Canada to Germany in 1897 were for only $7,206, in 1898 the exports from Montreal alone amounted to $340,694. In the export of oats, which in the form of meal is also a substitute for bread when wheat is dear, Montreal did a business of $200,125, although the total for the Dominion in 1897 was only $97,144. In wheat itself Montreal did a business in 1898 of $181,767, although in 1897 the total for the Dominion was $12,594. Buckwheat, which is the largest grain item of normal export to Germany, was not affected, and moreover the discrimination lately enforced by Germany does not apply to buckwheat

Such Conservative journals as notice the case at all base their calculations of the loss to Canadian trade upon last year's exports. It seems to us a much fairer test is to be found in the returns for 1897, when trade was running in its normal channels and when the total sales of Canadian grain reached only $276,000. Moreover, if there were to be again such a wheat famine as was seen last year, the one cause which might be expected to increase German purchases of Canadian grain, the discrimination would probably be waived in the effort to secure cheap food for the people. France, Spain and Italy suspended their import tax on breadstuffs altogether a few months ago, and Germany would doubtless, under pressure, adopt similar measures.

A grain merchant is quoted by the Mail and Empire as saying that Germany has always been a competitor with England for Canadian products, which competition has enabled the Canadian farmer to get a better price for his produce, as the Englishman was thereby prevented from having it all his own way. We do not care to offer our own opinion against that of one in the business, but there does seem to be room for believing that Germany, which in 1897 took from us only $12,594 in wheat, could not have had a tremendous influence upon the British market, which took from Canada $5,477,219 of our own and $3,676,752 of American wheat. It looks like a very advanced case of the tail wagging the dog.

It is not a matter of rejoicing, of course, that the German market should be closed, even though it normally receives only three-quarters of a million worth of Canadian produce of all kinds, and one-fifth of a million worth of the interdicted cereals. But if it had to be lost utterly for the sake of in a few years doubling or trebling our sales to the country that buys ninety-three millions of our products and is willing to take as much more as we can send, not so much would be sacrificed after all. As Mr. Mulock has sagely reminded us, if we will have omelettes, a few eggs must be broken.

Governor Pingree, of Michigan, has again received the Republican nomination for that office. He has been beset by a clique of capitalists who have found fault with his outspoken views on many questions, notably his opposition to large corporations when they sought to take undue advantage of their wealth in order to shift their share of the public burdens to the shoulders of the poor. Opposition has, however, been of no avail, the eccentric Governor receiving the party nomination by acclamation. This is one case where the people have proved themselves superior to the boss system which dominates some of the other States, notably New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Ohio. Pingree's appeals have always been made direct to the people, and he has shown the combination of courage and ingenuity necessary to success.

NEWS NOTES.

Ontario.

Mr. James Stevenson, who was an alderman of Hamilton for seventeen years, is dead at the age of 71 years.

Mr. John G. Laven, Canadian passenger agent of the Michigan Central Railway, has resigned his position, and it is understood that the office will be abolished.

Marks Bros., who are playing in London, Ont., have presented $60 to Mrs. Emerson, wife of the actor who awaits trial for killing his manager, James Tuttle, on the stage of the Music Hall.

Prof. Robertson, of Ottawa, is going to Western Ontario to make arrangements for conducting a series of experiments in the feeding of hogs to try and discover the cause of what is called soft hogs and soft bacon.

William McConnell died at Portsmouth, Ont., aged 84 years. He had resided there for the last thirty-five years.

The hog cholera epidemic at Ottawa is nearly stamped out. The Government veterinary inspector, Dr. James, thinks that it is now so well under control that there will be very few more deaths from the disease in the district.

In the case of Charles W. Jones, against the Grand Trunk Railway Company for $8,000 damages caused by plaintiff being struck by a freight train at St. Mary's, Ont., the jury has rendered a verdict against the railway company for $3,750.

Quebec.

Mr. George Roy, a well known tobacco and furniture merchant of Levis while sitting in his store dropped to the floor dead. He was 42 years of age.

The coroner held an inquest on the remains of Alphonse Gregoire, the boy who was killed at Quebec by the electric cars, and a verdict of accidental death was rendered.

An old man named Goulet was run over by an express waggon in Quebec, and fears are entertained for his recovery.

A man named Simard was drowned in the St. Charles River at Quebec.

Baldwin's condensed milk factory, at Baldwin's Mills, was badly damaged by fire. The building is insured for $2,500.

Maritime Provinces.

Fredericton has voted a bonus of $10,000 to a shoe company to be established there, and exemption from taxes.

John McEachern, of Bridgeport, C.B., committed suicide by hanging.

The fishing schooner Galatea, of Lunenburg, is a total wreck at Shagrocks, C.B. She had one thousand quintals of fish. The crew was saved.

The 7-year-old son of James Hunt was run over by a heavily loaded wagon at Halifax and the life crushed out of him on the spot.

There is another case of cattle poisoning at Canterbury Station, N.B. A cow owned by William Jamieson there was found dead in the same field where the others were poisoned. This makes seven cattle poisoned there.

While an old gentleman named Ebenezer Sims was testifying at a prayer meeting at Tusket, near Yarmouth, N.S., he dropped to his seat and expired immediately.

United States.

The American War Department has decided to furnish facilities for conveying to the soldiers in the Philippines Christmas packages. It is proposed to send a vessel from San Francisco in the early part of November.

The Supreme Court of Wisconsin has rendered a decision upholding the law which forbids the printing of a candidate's name in two columns on the official ballot, and practically prevents fusion of parties in the future.

As a result of the announcement of four cases of yellow fever in New Orleans, Texas has put on an absolutely rigid quarantine against all freight from New Orleans. Both Southern and Texas Pacific Roads are thus tied up.

One thousand dollars' worth of valuables, belonging to James J. Corbett, mysteriously disappeared from an Asbury Park hotel.

Judge Hemphill, at Media, Pa., refused naturalization papers to four aliens on the ground that they cannot read the English language.

During a demonstration at Danville, Pa., in honor of returned soldiers, a rocket pierced Mrs. Amos Valentine, producing death.

The commission to investigate the conduct of the war, so far as it relates to the American War Department, has been invited to a conference with the President tomorrow with a veiw to beginning the investigation next week.

Renewed efforts are being made by the Washington authorities to secure the entrance of the steamer Comal, with the million rations on board, into some Cuban port without the payment of the $60,000 duty demanded by the Spanish authorities.

General.

The Government of Nicaragua, by a decree signed by President Zelaya, has advanced about 100 per cent. the duties on nearly all articles imported into that country which were dutiable under the preceding tariff.

Advices from Honolulu are to the effect that the natives of Hawaii are divided into two factions as regards annexation. One faction desires the restoration of the Queen, while the other accepts the new order of affairs, and asks for certain rights under the new form of government.

A cable from Manila says that unless checked by the American forces, it seems more than probable that the insurgents under Aguinaldo will soon have seized all the southern islands of the group.

Diplomatic representatives of Russia, France, Belgium, Spain and Holland, in Pekin, have called upon Li Hung Chang to condole with him upon his dismissal from the Chinese Foreign Office.

Royal Arcanum.

The Executive Committee appointed by the various councils of Montreal to arrange for the reception of the Supreme Regent, Edson M. Schryver, on the 6th and 7th of October, is making rapid progress. It is proposed to have a regular meeting of the brethren of the Royal Arcanum, in the rooms of Laurentian Council, No. 1321, on the evening of October 6th, at which any member of the order will be privileged to ask questions of the supreme officers, etc. After the adjournment of the meeting a Royal Arcanum banquet (on temperance principles) will be held in the spacious banquet hall in the Masonic Temple. A drive through and around the city will take place on the same or following day. On the evening of the 7th an elaborate concert programme of vocal and instrumental music, with addresses, will be given, to which the Mayor, members of Parliament, Regents and Past Regents of the various councils will receive invitations. Following this concert a banquet in the Ladies' Ordinary of the Windsor will be tendered the invited guests.

Killed by Fireworks.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 23.—Captain Geo. J. Adams, aged 33, and Captain Charles Miller, aged 22, his assistant, were instantly killed while conducting a fireworks display and reproduction of the Manila battle on the Allegheny river in front of the Exposition building last night.

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PERSONALS.

Hon. Geo. A. Cox, of Toronto, is a guest at the Windsor.

Mr. H. W. Bowie, of Ottawa, is a guest at the Place Viger.

Dr. Peter Brown has returned to the city from a pleasant holiday trip.

Mr. Douglas Stewart, inspector of penitentiaries, is at the Windsor.

Mr. W. F. Viles, of Cowansville, P.Q., is registered at the Place Viger.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Macdonald, of Victoria, are guests at the Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatton are enjoying a short visit at Sweetwater, Bedford, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsdale Molson leave today for England, via New York.

Jos. H. Pennington, of Evening News, of Toledo, Ohio, is a guest at the Balmoral.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunkley, of Quebec, are among the guests registered at the Hotel Carslake.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller have returned to town after spending the summer in Muskoka.

Miss Mabel Leonard, of Scranton, Pa., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cross, 55 Cathcart street.

Mrs. S. Greenshields has left town for Quebec on a short visit before sailing for Europe.

Mrs. Hebden and family, who have been at Metis all summer, have returned to 263 Peel street.

Miss Charland, daughter of Mr. Justice Charland, is the guest of Madame Marchand, at Quebec.

Hon. A. G. Blair arrived at Bonaventure last evening in his private car, and will proceed to Ottawa to-day.

Dr. Mosher, of Rawdon, N.S., and Mrs. Mosher, who have been in the city during the last ten days, left last evening for St. John, N.B.

Lady Thompson and the Misses Thompson are guests of their Excellencies at the Citadel, Quebec.

Miss Helen Parker is enjoying the gaities of Quebec, and is at present the guest of Mrs. Andrew Thomson, Bijou.

Mrs. Robert Cassels and Miss Cassels, Peel street, are staying in Quebec, and are the guests of Mrs. Cassels' daughter, Mrs. W. Cook.

Mr. D. Pottinger, general manager of the Government Railways, and his secretary, D. M. Condon, of Moncton, N.B., are at the Queen's.

Miss Beatrice Taylor, 32 Hutchison street, has gone to New York, where she will continue her vocal studies under one of the first teachers of that city.

Lady Pauncefote, wife of the British Ambassador at Washington, and daughter, are in town. They are the guests of Sir William and Lady Van Horne.

Mr. Robert S. Logan, assistant general manager G.T.R., who has been enjoying a vacation in St. Louis during the past week, returned to the city yesterday.

Mr. W. R. Stewart, of the Star staff, sailed on the Montcalm for the Old Country. He will spend six weeks in Great Britain and on the Continent.

The lovely country residence of Mr. Roswald Fisher at Bolton's Cliffs is closed for this season, and he and his family are once again settled at The Sherbrooke for the winter.

In Trinity Church, St. Thomas, on Wednesday, Mr. Daniel W. B. Spry, city editor of the Chatham Banner, was married to Miss Ethelyn Alma Rich, only daughter of the late Charles Rich.

Local Lodge, No. 44, Theatrical Mechanical Association, presented Miss Phyllis Allen with a floral emblem of their order last night. The presentation took place at the Academy of Music. Miss Allen is a member of the Devil's Auction Company.

Mr. Adolphe McKee, who has been absent from Montreal for twenty-two years, residing in Jersey, Channel Islands, is now in Montreal visiting his brothers, the well-known musicians. Mr. McKee leaves for home on the 29th instant.

The Buenos Ayrean, Capt. McAdam, from Glasgow, is due this afternoon. Her cabin passengers are: Mr. John Watson, Miss M. Fallis, Miss Mary G. Gordon, Mr. J. H. McNaughton, Mrs. Jarvis, Mr. William Pride, Mrs. Harper, Miss Mary Harper.

Senor DuBosc, formerly secretary of the Spanish legation at Washington, and who became widely known in Canada through the incident connected with his stay in Montreal, is reported to have been appointed to a post in the Spanish diplomatic service at Vienna.

Mr. Meredith Heward, the well-known banjo-guitar artist and teacher, has returned from a successful summer season's work at Sherbrooke. Previous to returning Mr. Heward visited Boston, where he took a finishing course in mandolin playing from Professor Lansing.

Dr. John W. Flynn (McGill, '96), of Wallace, N.S., is in town, en route to the South-Western States to seek the restoration of his health. Dr. Flynn was presented with a farewell address and a travelling case at a dinner given him at East Wallace before leaving. Mrs. Flynn accompanies him.

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday at Graphite City, P.Q., the country residence of Mr. W. H. Walker, Q.C., when his daughter, Miss Florence Maud Walker, was married to Mr. Charles Frederick Dawson, of Montreal, son of Mr. S. E. Dawson, Queen's Printer, of Ottawa. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. Y. Overing, rector of St. James, Buckingham. The bridesmaid was Miss Mildred Dawson, sister of the groom, while the groom was assisted by Mr. Herbert Pennock, cousin of the bride. The happy couple left by the Montreal train for an extended tour through the Eastern States, after which they will take up their residence in Montreal.

The following is a list of saloon passengers per steamship Numidian, Capt. Angus Macnicol, due Monday morning: Mrs. C. Armstrong, Miss J. Armstrong, Mrs. Astley, Mr. Bellingall, Miss M. F. Barrett, Mr. J. A. Blake, Mr. M. H. Buckham, Mrs. Buckham, Mr. B. Barnes, Mr. C. C. Cleveland, Mr. G. F. C. Caffin, Sister Marie Claire, Miss Emberson, Mrs. Endall, Miss A. E. Fenwick, Mr. J. Feore, Miss S. E. Hagarty, Mr. R. H. Hickson, Hon. W. B. Ives, Mr. Robert Innes, Mrs. Innes, Mrs. Kenrick, Miss Kenrick, Miss T. Kormann, Miss E. Kormann, Mr. Hnery J. Le Fevre, Mr. J. Lundy, Miss Lundy, Mr. J. Livesey, Miss McHardy, Lieut. R. A. Orpen-Palmer, Mr. J. A. Proctor, Mrs. Proctor, Master J. A. Proctor and infant, Mr. Paul, Mr. H. G. Punnett, Dr. Paradis, Mr. W. A. Randolph, Mme. Rousille, Rev. Father Seddon, Mr. H. C. Simpson, Sister Marie Secoars, Sister Marie Tertre, Mr. W. M. Whitehead, Mr. W. Walton, Miss Yates.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place in the Church of St. James the Apostle at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon, when Lieut. Campbell Stewart, son of the late Mr. James Stewart, was married to Miss Ethel Bulwer, daughter of Mr. John A. Bulwer. The church was crowded with friends of the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by the rector, Rev. Canon Ellegood. The groomsman was Mr. W. T. Rodden, and the bridesmaid Miss Caligher, of Chicago. Messrs. S. Phillips, Oswald Stewart and Arthur Bulwer acted as ushers, and the maids of honor were Miss Amy Stewart, Miss Katie Bulwer and little Miss Milligan, of Boston. After the ceremony a brilliant reception was held at the residence of the bride's father, 41 McGregor street. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion. After the wedding breakfast the newly married couple left by the 7.50 train for New York, and will visit Baltimore, Philadelphia and Washington on their wedding trip.

The following is a list of saloon passengers per Dominion Line steamship Dominion, from Liverpool, 15th September, for Montreal:—Mrs. J. H. Arnold, Miss A. G. Arnold, Mr. A. P. Barr, Mrs. Barr, Mr. Bilsbury, Dr. H. S. Birkett, Mr. F. A. Blackburn, Mrs. Blackburn, Mr. J. H. Cameron, Mr. M. C. Cameron, Mr. D. A. Campbell, Mr. Thomas Coombs, Mr. William Cope, Mrs. Cope, Mr. R. Duclos, Mr. Groesbeck Fowler, Master Robert Fowler, Mr. R. Ludlow Fowler, Mrs. Fowler, Miss Fowler, Miss E. Fowler, Rev. James Goodwin, Mrs. Goodwin, Dr. G. Gordon, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. C. H. Grant, Miss Grant, Mr. F. H. Grose, Mr. Hannaford, Mrs. Hannaford, Miss Hannaford, Mr. C. Hill, Mrs. W. F. Hunt, Mr. G. B. Hunt, Mr. A. Ingram, Mr. Jackson's nurse, Miss Jansen, Mr. Ernest L. Jew, Mr. J. Kerr, Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Paul Krell, Mr. C. A. Leveille, Mr. Long, Mrs. Long, Miss Long, Mrs. Mary Lonnsbury, Professor A. B. Macallum, Mr. L. S. Marks, Mr. David Morton, Mrs. Morton, Surgeon-Major Nattress, Mrs. Nattress, Mr. James Kerr Osborne, Mrs. Osborne, Mr. T. C. Paterson, Mr. W. Paul, Mr. T. R. Phillips, Dr. G. Porter, Mrs. Porter, Miss Rixon, Mr. J. S. Robertson, Mrs. Robertson, Miss Robertson, Master Robertson and two governesses, Mr. F. N. Robertson, Mrs. Robertson, Miss Robertson, Miss Robertson, Miss Y. Robertson, Professor E. B. Rosa, Mrs. Rosa, Mrs. Eugene Rosedale and infant, Mr. W. M. Ryder, Mrs. Ryder, Mr. B. A. Shaw, Mrs. R. A. Smith, Master Frank Smith, Miss Ruth Smith, Miss E. M. Reid Taylor and maid, Mr. Wolferstan Thomas, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Warrington and child, Master Warrington, Mr. R. J. Wickenden, Mr. A. Mill. Wilcocks, Mrs. Wilcocks, Mr. H. G. Williams, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. E. Wilson, Professor G. M. Wrong, Mr. T. Williams, Mr. Wilfred J. Yates.

Lieut.-Col. R. R. McLennan, M.P. for Glengarry, is in the city on his return from New Glasgow, N.S., where he was one of the speakers at the formal opening of the United Counties Exhibition, in which seven counties took part. The gallant Colonel, who built a portion of the railway there some forty years ago, met many of his old Scotch friends, who gave him a most cordial reception.

The Allan Line steamship Californian, Capt. Brown, sailed yesterday morning for the Old Country with a full general cargo and the following saloon passengers:—Mr. R. Aube, St. Johns, Que.; Mr. R. W. Bennett, Mrs. Bennett, London, Ont.; Mr. Thomas Bilsborough, Quebec; Mr. Andrew Boyd, Kilrea, Ireland; Mr. N. R. H. Butler, Quebec; Mr. A. D. Campbell, St. Thomas, Ont.; Mrs. Carr, Miss Rachel Carr, Master W. Carr, Master Jack Carr, Winnipeg; Man.; Mr. T. H. Cleeve, Mrs. Cleeve, Miss E. R. Cleeve, Miss L. S. J. Cleeve, Master Cecil Cleeve, Limerick, Ireland; Mr. P. Davis, Mr. F. Davis, Windsor, Ont.; Miss Louise De Lund, New York; Mr. Gerald Fitzgibbon, jr., Dublin, Ireland; Mrs. M. H. Gault, Miss Gault, Miss Edythe Gault, Montreal; Mr. R. C. Gillett, Mrs. Gillett, Master R. L. Gillett, Master R. E. Gillett, Master F. Gillett, infant and maid, Toronto; Mr. J. A. Grundy, Mr. E. E. Grundy, Southport, Eng.; Mr. W. Hirst, Montreal; Miss M. G. Holmes, Winnipeg, Man.; Mr. Louis Hancock, Mrs. Hancock, Miss Dorothy Hancock, Miss Marjory Hancock, Master Louis Hancock and maid, New York; Rev. Father Hughes, Liverpool, Eng.; Miss Labatt, London, Ont.; Mr. J. Lavoie, St. Johns, Que.; Mr. Laidlaw, London, Eng.; Mr. Geo. Olmstead, London, Ont.; Mr. E. Parnell, London, Ont.; Mr. W. B. Paterson, Norwich, Eng.; Mrs. R. W. Puddicombe, Miss Puddicombe, London, Ont.; Mr. F. Rumball, Mrs. Rumball, London, Ont.; Mr. H. M. Rumball, Quebec; Mr. G. H. Simpson, Mr. E. E. Simpson, Ackworth, Eng.; Mrs. C. J. Smith, Liverpool, Eng.; Mr. J. E. Shanks, Mrs. Shanks, Barhead, Scot.; Mr. George Stackhouse, St. Thomas, Ont.; Mr. E. A. Stanley, Mrs. Stanley, Miss Mary tSanley, Miss Grace Stanley, Miss Nellie Stanley, New York; Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., G.C.M.G., Lady Tupper, Ottawa, Ont.; Col. C. M. Watson, C.M.G., Mrs. Watson, London, Eng.; Mr. N. E. Weydert, New York; Dr. J. Young, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deacon, of Brockville, Ont., are at the St. Lawrence Hall.

Messrs. Fred. Goulet, of New Bedford, Mass., and A. N. Cheney, of Glen Falls, N.Y., registered at the Place Viger today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Robertson, Miss Robertson and Miss Jane Robertson, of Kingston, Ont., are guests at the St. Lawrence Hall.

Ex-Mayor McLeod Stewart and Miss Stewart, of Ottawa, are in the city to-day on their way home from Quebec, where they attended the unveiling of the monument to Champlain and the citizens' ball. Mr. Stewart is writing a book, "In the Footsteps of Champlain," and he went to Quebec to gather information. Mr. Stewart is writing a second article for the Pall Mall Magazine, entitled, "How Canada Will Defend Great Britain." The article is to be profusely illustrated with views of Canada. Mr. Stewart leaves for England on October 15th, in connection with the Georgian Bay canal scheme, and will return to Canada before Christmas. He hopes to secure the necessary capital on this trip to commence the surveys in connection with the project.

A TEXAS RIOT.

Negro Longshoremen Make an Attack Upon the Guards in the Mallory Ship Yards at Galveston.

Galveston, Texas, Sept. 23.—The Mallory Steamship Line labor riots broke out afresh here last night by the striking negro 'longshoremen, masked and armed with pistols, making an attack upon the guard at the wharf. The police repelled the attack with pistols. One of the attacking negroes was killed, and one of the negroes employed on the wharf was wounded. The police captured one of the rioters. There has been an ominous quiet in the situation for several days, but six policemen were guarding the shed. The negroes made a sortie in the shadow of one of the sheds, and overpowered the sentinel. They announced that they were after the leaders of the negroes employd after the leaders of the negroes employed at the docks. The negroes were asleep, but they soon got to cover, and although over a hundred shots were fired but one of them was wounded.

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MR. LAFONTAINE ON THE LEMAY CASE.

Describes His Connection With the Whole Affair, and Says the Houde-Lemay Bargain Was Illegal.

Magistrate Lafontaine had a few words to say this morning about the now famous Lemay case, which corroborates the story told yesterday in The Herald, and he shows that besides enforcing the law, he had no connection with the case.

"I will tell you the whole history of the case," said the magistrate to a Herald representative. "Mr. Houde went to Judge Dugas to get a warrant, and as Judge Dugas was very busy he sent Mr. Houde down to me with a note asking me to issue the warrant. I did so. Later I saw Mr. Houde, and he told me the whole story as it appeared in The Herald last night. I saw at once that there was no ground for the action which had been taken, and if Mr. Houde had come to me in the first place I would not have issued a warrant. There was no false pretence, from Mr. Houde's own story. Mr. Lemay promised, according to Mr. Houde, to work towards getting him on the force. He did work towards that end. There is no false pretence in that.

"With regard to the way the enquete was conducted, I want to explan my own position. Though not approving of a warrant being issued, once the warrant was issued and Mr. Lemay arrested, the case had to go on. The lawyers interested came to me to have a settlement, but I refused to do anything. The case was in court, and it had to go through in the regular way. The enquete was held yesterday, and as usual the evidence was taken before an official stenographer, Mr. Lomax, in this case. As usual I was not present, being in court. Mr. Lomax, as you know, read the evidence verbatim to me, and as there was no evidence of false pretences I discharged the prisoner. I had nothing further to do with the case."

"But was the transaction not pretty shady, Mr. Lafontaine?"

"Well, of course the agreement between Lemay and Houde was illegal. There is no doubt about that. But the charge laid was obtaining money under false pretences, and there was no evidence of any such act."

"Did you know the money was paid back?"

"No, my connection with the case ceased when the discharge was signed."

MR. HARLING TO MANAGE LEYLAND LINE.

Mr. Thomas Harling, former manager of the Elder-Dempster steamship line, returned home this morning from England, where he has been for the last couple of months. Mr. Harling comes back to Montreal as the agent of the Leyland Steamship Line, one of the largest companies in the transatlantic carrying trade. This is the line with which the Grand Trunk Railway has made arrangements to take the place of the Dominion Line on the winter service from Portland to Liverpool. Five of the best steamers which the Leyland Line is now using on its New York-Liverpool route will be transferred to the Canadian route—as this virtually is—and with the Allan and Thomson Lines, will perform the service. But the most interesting part of the matter to Montrealers is that next summer the Leyland Line will run to this port. Mr. Harling was a busy man this morning, and was unable to give The Herald more than this statement of his appointment and the general intentions of the line. This afternoon he was closeted with General Manager Hays and other Grand Trunk officials, discussing the details of the new service.

LOCAL RATES DO NOT GO UP.

To-morrow will be the last day upon which the public will be able to take advantage of the cheap rates in transcontinental traffic, as the old figures go into effect on Sunday.

As yet there is no prospect of the local rates being restored. The most important of these to Montrealers is perhaps that to Toronto and return. The one-way fare is five dollars, and it will probably remain so for some time yet. All the other local rates that were lowered when the war between the C.P.R. and G.T.R. was on will not be touched for some time to come.

Only the railway authorities know when the old figures will be restored. At present they keep that knowledge to themselves. One of them took The Herald sufficiently into his confidence to say: "It may be in a short time—it may not be for many months."

The Interstate Commerce Commission that settled the differential dispute, and in accordance with whose decision the transcontinental rates were restored, has nothing to do with the local rates, as it is a question affecting the C.P.R. and G.T.R. alone, and is purely Canadian.

M. A, R. A. WANTS GOOD RANGES.

There was a meeting of the executive committee of the M.A.R.A. yesterday evening, and a resolution was passed urging strongly on the Government the necessity of having up-to-date ranges next year for th Montreal regiments. The resolution points out that there are more militiamen in Montreal than in any other centre, and that for a whole year there had been no range, and consequently some 2,000 militiamen had had no rifle practice. It urges the Government to take steps to have a range early next year.

50 MINERS ENTOMBED.

(See also page 1.)

Bowmansville, Pa., Sept. 23.—Fifty-four men were entombed in the Nmpire mine of Snowden, Gould & Company, one-fourth of a mile below Brownsville, by an explosion of gas, at 8 o'clock this morning. Two dead bodies have so far been taken out.

The dead are:

JAMES HALL.
JOHN BENNETT.

Searching parties are making frantic efforts to reach the entombed miners, but their progress is slow, and there is great dnger of another explosion, which might bury themselves also under tons of rock and earth.

Immediately following the explosion of gas there was a second explosion of fire-damp. There were 140 men in the mine at the time of the explosion, work having been begun for the day a short time previous. Of these 58 were in entries Nos. 9 and 10. Four men—Jcobs, Davis, Whetzell and Walker—were near the mouth of the entries. The others were far in. When the explosion came these four men made a rush for the main heading, which they succeeded in reaching, though all were more or less injured. They finlly crawled out to the open air. Of the fiftq-eight men in entries 9 and 10 these are the only ones who are known to be alive. They say there is no possible chance for the escape of the forty-five who worked with them.

Intelligence of the disaster spread and crowds gathered around the mouth of the mine. Terrible scenes of grief and horror were presented. Wives and children of the entombed men were frantic with grief and their shrieks and wails were frightful to hear. Notwithstanding the great danger, the rescuing parties are working brvely, but their efforts have so far been unavailing.

A Newsboy's Row.

There was a stir in newsboy circles yesterday, and Boyer, one of the "boys" who frequent St. James street, was the centre of attraction for the rest of the paper vendors. Boyer, a Polish Jew, is a grown up man, and the youniger members of the fraternity did not agree with the number of papers he was selling. So they organized a crusade against him, and he was shoved around and insulted in a good many ways. Three of the boys were arrested, but the fathers of the boys settled up and the plaitiff dropped the case.

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Liberal Club Meeting.

A special meeting of the Liberal Club was held last evening in the rooms of the Reform Club, Cathcart street, for the purpose of meeting the Liberal English-speaking members and candidates of the last Federal and Provincial elections in the English divisions of the city. Mr. James Cochrane, president, occupied the chair. The president, in opening the meeting, explained the reasons for which it was called. The hon. secretary read a letter from R. Bickerdike, Esq., M.P.P., regretting his inability to attend. Discussion on matters before the meeting was then carried on by various members, after which Mr. Penny was called upon for a speech. He thanked the club for their invitation, and in a short but pointed speech expressed his views on matters regarding the interests of the Government and the Liberal party. A resolution was carried thanking Mr. Penny for his presence, and for the plain and independent manner in which he had expressed his views. Mr. J. P. Cooke, ex-M.P.P., who was a late arrival, made a few remarks before the meeting adjourned.

MURDER OF MISS GILL

Bridgeport, Conn., Sept. 23.—The work which is being done by the police to-day in their efforts to trace the murderers of Miss Emma Gill, the Yellow Mill Pond murder mystery victim, is being carried on very quietly, and during the forenoon, so far as the public is made aware, very little was accomplished. The police officers were evidently very greatly disturbed this morning, and an investigation proved that the cause of their troubles centered about the early morning discovery that one of the windows in the house vacated by Dr. Nancy Guilford had been opened. While the detectives refuse to admit it, it is whispered that they fear that someone entered the Guilford residence during the night and performed the errand whih may have been enrusted to Dr. Guilford's son, Harry, who was arrested as he was about to enter the house yesterday evening.

The really interesting development of the morning was to be found in the statement of Superintendent Birmingham to the effect that Charles A. Plumb, one of those under arrest, will be probably released to-day. Plumb, however, it is added, will be an important witness later on. The detectives are at work in Stratford to-day in an effort to trace the movements of Miss Gill during her sojourn there.

Coming Church Congress at Bradford

Bradford, which last year became entitled to be styled a city, has during the Queen's reign played no mean part in the political history of the country. It is about to add to its ecclesiastical record as the place of meeting of the Thirty-eighth Church Congress, which is to assemble, as it did last year, a week before the usual time—the last four days of September instead of the first week in October. This is the first visit of the congress to this great manufacturing centre, though industrial Yorkshire has on three previous occasions welcomed the annual gathering of churchmen. They met at Leeds in 1872, at Sheffield in 1878, and at Wakefield in 1886; while Archbishop Longley welcomed the congress to York in 1866.

What is called the "intermediate edition" of the official guide to the coming congress has just been published, and it is possible in some measure to forecast the degree of success which the congress is likely to attain. The framing of a programme which shall offer any elements of novelty is no enviable task. The choice of speakers, clerical and lay, is a still more difficult matter. Any annual gathering, whether of men of science or churchmen, is the bore's opportunity. It is too much to hope that none of the class will be heard at Bradford, and the list is obviously not yet complete. But one can say that the term is not applicable to any of the readers and speakers whose names appear in the guide. It is also refreshing to note an unusually large number of new names. The organizers of the congress have been so fortunate as to secure the assistance of the two Lord Chancellors and Mr. Justice Grantham. Lord Halsbury has a great theme, The Church and the Nation," in connection with "Imperial Policy," and Lord Ashbourne is to address the men's meeting. It is, by the way, satisfactory to observe that the meeting is no longer confined to "working men." Mr. Justice Grantham is to speak as one of the "simple laity," and is to discuss the mutual relations of the clergy and their flocks. No doubt other representative laymen will be found in the later editions of the guide, as the present list comprises only about two-thirds as many as spoke at last year's congress. The subjects for discussion, on the whole, appear to be well chosen, and there is less of the merely parochial element and more variety than there was at Nottingham last year.

As the President is the Bishop of Ripon, the opening address, it may be anticipated, will be of better literary quality than most of the episcopal resumes of the year's events to which we have been accustomed. Only three sermons—the inevitable number with which the proceedings begin—are announced, and the preachers are the Archbishop of York, the Bishop of Glasgow and the Bishop of Derry. The principal meetings are to be held in St. George's hall, and some of the sectional meetings in the Mechanics' Institute and Technical College. A marked innovation has been made in the diminution of the number of meetings, and this can hardly fail to be an improvement, as the multiplication of meetings dissipates interest.—London Times.

The Multitude Rises to Gladstone.

(Sir Wemyss Reid, in The Nineteenth Century.)

It was in his speech at a Newcastle banquet that Mr. Gladstone made use of the well-known phrase regarding the "resources of civilization." On the following day some of the walls of this banquet hall had been removed, and it had been enlarged to such an extent that 30,000 people, all admitted by ticket, were assembled within its bounds to hear the leader they trusted and loved. There was one memorable incident in connection with his appearance at this vast gathering that will never be forgotten by those who witnessed it. The crowd was enormous, every inch of room was occupied, and the heat was so oppressive that the managers had to send young men upon the roof to tear away the planks and admit fresh air. There was necessarily a great deal of noise and confusion, and none of the speakers who preceded Mr. Gladstone could make themselves heard. At last his turn came to stand forth. The outburst of cheering was frantic and lasted minute after minute; then came the refrain "For he's a jolly good fellow!" roared forth from 30,000 throats; then a long period of settling down into silence, while Mr. Gladstone stood pale and erect in front of the tribune.

At last silence fell upon that seething multitude. Every man seemed to hold his breath in fear lest he should lose the sound of the voice for which he waited. It came at length; but when the words "Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen," in the sonorous tones of the orator, were heard distinctly in the furthest corners of the hall, there was instantaneously the wildest, maddest shout of joy that was ever heard from such a multitude. They had heard the voice for which they longed, their fears were set at rest; and so for several minutes they raised cheer after cheer—just in recognition of their leader's voice. No scene of enthusiasm like this have I ever seen elsewhere; and yet even then there were many people who had not the faintest conception of the hold which Mr. Gladstone had upon the hearts and consciences of the multitude, and who believed that it would be an easy matter to replace him if he stepped out of the arena.

How a Story Grows.

(Glasgow Weekly Herald.)

An amusing instance has come under my notice of the way in which a story grows in the telling, and acquires fresh details as it grows. It illustrates, also, the artistic side of the French character as compared with our own more prosaic regard for facts. Among the multitude of stories which found their way into print after the death of Prince Bismarck there was one which told how the great Chancellor, during one of his rare visits to London, had visited a certain famous brewery, where at the end of his visit he had been presented with a mighty jug full of the firm's best brew, and had drained it to the bottom, though he subsequently had been compelled to rest for a time in the recess of one of the London bridges, which, as he told Sir Charles Dilke, who was quoted as sponsor for the story, seemed to be going round and round. This bald narrative of facts has found its way over the Channel, and has been transformed by French genius into something much more artistically complete. Sir Charles Dilke no longer figures as the sponsor of the story. He was Bismarck's companion—had, indeed, arranged the visit, which was to the famous "Brasserie" of Messrs. Barclay & Perkins. The visit lasted two hours, and at frequent intervals Bismarck was halted before a huge cask and requested to sample it. With the most extreme politeness and marvellous sang froid the Prince tossed off a pint each time the request was addressed to him. Finally, he was requested by the director who had paid the honors of the brewery to accept a momento of his visit, and on proceeding to the office of the firm found a magnificent two-handled flagon in silver inscribed with his name. Into this an attendant solemnly poured six bottles of old ale, and the mighty drink was then tendered to the Prince, who, bowing to Sir Charles Dilke, said in French—be it remembered that Bismarck spoke English perfectly—"This is a delicious bowl. After all that I have been made to drink here, I had not expected to be put to this last proof; but it shall never be said that a German was afraid of English beer," and, raising the cup to his mouth, he drained it to the last drop, thanked his hosts and left. The Prince insisted on walking, and leant heavily on Sir Charles Dilke's arm, "blowing like a whale." Arriving finally at London Bridge, Bismarck suddenly stopped and remarked: "Tiens! tiens I had never before noticed that this was a revolving bridge." Sir Charles Dilke will be the first to admit that his French collaborateur has "endowed the story with artistic merit."

Queenstown, Sept. 23.—The Cunard Line steamer Campania, from New York, on September 17th, with the United States Peace Commission on board, arrived here at about 2 o'clock this afternoon, after an uneventful voyage, with all well on board excepting Senator Gray, who has been suffering from neuralgia for two days.

AFTERNOON BOARD.

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25	"	Toronto..	at 104⅝
50	"	Toronto..	at 104¼
25	"	Toronto..	at 104⅜
13	"	Hochelaga, new	at 153

THE CORNWALL BUDGET,

Archibald Leitch Loses His Arm While Operating a Cutter.

An Old Resident of Moulinette Passed Away Yesterday—Jubilee Day of Vicar-General Corbett.

Cornwall, Sept. 22.—(Special.)—A very sad accident happened at the South Branch this afternoon. Archibald Leitch, the sixteen-year-old son of David Leitch, while operating an ensilage cutter along with his brother, had his arm caught in the machine. The hand and arm were literally chopped off within a short distance of the elbow, at which point the doctors found it necessary to amputate the arm. He might have bled to death but for the presence of mind of his elder brother, who tied a handkerchief on the severed stump so tightly that the flow of blood was stopped, until he was taken to the Cornwall General Hospital, a distance of about five miles.

Mrs. Rev. W. D. Brown, one of the oldest and most highly esteemed residents of Moulinette, passed away yesterday at the residence of her daughter, Miss Brown. The deceased lady was eighty-five years of age, and was a native of Fintyre, Scotland. Her husband, the late Rev. W. D. Brown, was formerly pastor of the Moulinette Methodist Church, and previously in charge of the Methodist congregation at Aultsville and Amherst Island. He died ten years ago. The funeral will take place to-morrow to Moulinette cemetery.

Mary McDonald, widow of the late Archibald McInnis, of St. Raphael's, died last week. The couple were married in 1817 at St. Polycarpe, Que. Blessed with a large share of health, strength and energy peculiar to their race, the couple in their lifetime struggled courageously and patiently and shared in the privations falling to the lot of the early settlers in discharging their duties and maintaining themselves and their families, consisting of four sons, still living, John, of River Beaudette, Allan, of St. Raphael's, Archibald, of Duluth, and Donald, of the Western States and two daughters, Margaret, wife of Francis Valade, of St. Andrew's, and Christy, wife of Francis Lalonde, of Cornwall. The deceased lady died at the residence of her son, John McInnis, at River Beaudette.

Tuesday was the silver jubilee of the entry of the Rev. Vicar-General Corbett to the priesthood, and the Ladies' Auxiliary Society of St. Columban's Church presented him with a handsome solid silver altar set in a handsome case. Mr. McInery presided, and called upon Dr. Harrison, who read an address to Rev. Father Corbett, congratulating him upon having reached the silver jubilee of his priesthood. Duncan McDonald, of Augusta street, then made the presentation on behalf of the ladies. Rev. Vicar-General Corbett, who has been kept in the dark as to the ladies' efforts, expressed his surprice, and warmly thanked them for their handsome present and the kindly expressions of the address. Mayor Mulhern, who occupied a seat on the platform, was then called upon, and made a very neat speech, expressing his pleasure at being present on the occasion of the Rev. Vicar-General's jubilee. Rev. Father Towney, of Williamstown, Rev. Father Campbell, of Cornwall, and Rev. Father McDonald, of St. Andrew's, also said a few words. Rev. Father D. R. McDonald, of Crysler, in the course of his remarks, paid high tribute to the vicar-general, who he said was most highly esteemed and looked upon by the clergy of the church throughout the Province. The reason the priests of the diocese had not taken steps to celebrate the silver jubilee was because Father Corbett, in his great Christian humility, had urged them not to have any demonstration whatever.

The Elm Lacrosse Club, an aggregation of young players, who certainly deserve a helping hand from the people of Cornwall, will hold an assembly in the Victoria Hall this (Friday) evening. Good music has been secured for the occasion.

The teachers and scholars of the St John's Sunday school on EtaSud-i,ard' [illegible] John's Sunday school on Saturday last went to Stanley Island on the steamer Granada, and were entertained to a dinner at the Algonquin House by D. B. McLennan, Q.C. A good programme of games took place in the afternoon, some of the races being very interesting. The return trip up the river was very enjoyable.

The annual exhibition of Roxborough Township Agricultural Society, held at Avonmore on Thursday and Friday of last week, was a success. There was a good display, and despite the counter attractions in Kenyon fair at Maxville, and the disagreeable weather, there was a good attendance. The sky cleared at noon on Friday, and in the afternoon there was quite a crowd present. Fleck's independent band from Cornwall rendered a good open air concert during the afternoon.

The bridge at South Lancaster has been temporarily repaired so that parties may now drive over it in safety.

Work on the Lancaster Anglican chapel is rapidly progressing under the able management of J. Thompson.

Mrs. D. A. McPherson, of Montreal, and Mrs. A. J. McLean, of Napanee, were the guests on Tuesday of Mrs. Miria McLean, of Lancaster.

Communion service will be observed in Knox Church, Lancaster, on the first Sabbath in October.

On account of the plebiscite vote on Sept. 29th, the St. Andrew's Ladies' Missionary meeting will be changed to Friday, 30th inst., and will be held at the manse, Lancaster.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed in the stone church, Lancaster, on Sabbath, October 2nd. Preparatory service will be held on Saturday morning at 11.

Donald J. McPhail, son of Archibald D. McPhail, of the Island, Martintown, died last Friday. Deceased had the consolation of being surrounded by his father, mother, sister and four brothers. The funeral took place on Monday to the Roman Catholic Church and cemetery, St. Andrew's. Upwards of 95 carriages carried friends and relatives who followed the remains to their last resting place. A requiem mass was sung by Rev. Dean McDonald.

A large number of friends gathered at the residence of Arthur Neill, South Branch, on Tuesday to witness the marriage of his daughter Miss Ellen, to William A. McLennan, of the South Branch. Rev. Rural Dean Houstan officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Jessie Neill, while W. J. McLeod supported the groom.

A Question of Chimney Sweeping.

Editor of The Herald:

Sir,—In your paper of Thursday, September 22nd, is an article relating to chimney-sweeping, by which I am given to understand that chimneys must be swept twice a year and that the time for cleaning them is between March 15 and June 1, and between September 1 and October 15. pital, and that no policeman put in an ap- Now, I am in favor of keeping my chimney, as well as my doorstep, clean, but I strongly object to being imposed upon, even if the sum of money involved is only a paltry ten cents. If chimneys are only by law supposed to be swept twice a year, how comes it that the "sweeps" insisted on sweeping mine three times in 1897, viz., on February 15, May 17, and November 30, and have swept it twice already this year, viz., on March 21 and June 27, and now, according to your article, propose, "willy-nilly," to sweep it again this month or next? You will notice also that three times out of the five I mention the chimney was not swept within the dates mentioned in your article. Thus a sweep can knock at your door any day during the year and demand his fee. Is this according to the charter? If so its time it was revised. Now for another phase of the question. Since June 27—in fact, since April 28—my chimney has not been used by me at all, as burn a gas stove for cooking purposes, and since that date, as most of your readers will doubtless agree, it has not been necessary to light a hall stove. Am I therefore, compelled to pay my share of the ten cents for having a chimney swept which I have not used? I might explain that I live in the upper tenement of a two-storey house. The people who live in the lower tenement burn coal and, therefore, use the chimney. The usual way is for each party to pay five cents. Can the collection of my five cents be enforced under the circumstainces? And how many times a year must I pay for it? There are doubtless hundreds of people in the city who have the same complaint, but as it is only five cents they prefer to submit to the extortion rather thani "kick." I would like if you would give this question free vent. It may be only a small matter iindividually, but five or ten cents illegally extracted from a thousanid people counts up "quite a few."

Yours, etc.,
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Montreal, Sept. 22

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The Uses of Cold Storage.

Prof. James W. Robertson, Dairy Commissioner, in his last annual report, says:

The chief uses of cold storage in agriculture and commerce, are:

1. To preserve products.
2. To prolong the marketing season and the period of consumption.
3. To give the owner some chance to choose a time for selling.

But its main and comprehensive use is to keep products in their best condition on their way from the places where they are to be delivered to the ultimate consumer. And as a rule the sooner they are delivered to the consumer after they are ready for use, the better will be the results to all concerned.

It has been complained of a little in certain quarters that cold storage may encourage and permit much speculation in food products; and by throwing the epithet of "speculator" at a buyer, some of the producers and some of the consumers consider that his transactions are thereby condemned. If a man actually buys butter or cheese on speculation, he thereby proves his faith in the future of the market for his purchase. The period for the production of cheese in Canada is only about six months, and the cheese made during that time are spread over twelve months of consumption. A legitimate and bona fide speculator is usually a beneficial factor in commercial life; and such a buyer will study the market and pay higher prices for products when means exist for keeping them in good condition until they are to be consumed.

A Boy's Long Ride.

In these days of records and record breakers, it seems almost impossible for any one to win fame in a wholly new sphere. It is improbable, hokever, that the record made by Launcelot Ashley Lewis, son of John Lewis, a stockman of Kooringa, South Australia, will be beaten for many years to come. His ride may be loked upon as unique in the annals of Australian travel.

Few lads of twelve summers would care or dare to face a journey of nearly 600 miles through the Australian scrub, land overgrown with stunted trees, with no companion but a couple of ponies, and no guide but his own idea of locality and such direction as he could obtain from an occasional camp or from a bushman that he chanced to meet.

Young Lewis, notwithstanding all these difficulties, looked upon his trip in a very matter of fact way, for he undertook it purely as a holiday journey.

Early last January he decided to pay a visit to some friends linving at Warrnonbool, Victoria. In such a case, most boys of that age would be taken to the railroad station and handed over to the conductor, who would keep an eye on him.

This boy came from a more daring stock. His father has on more than one occasion made overland trips from the southern to the northern parts of the Australian continent. The boy himself, having had a thorough training in bush life and horsemanship, conceived the bold plan of doing the long and lonely journey of 570 miles each way in true bush fashion, astride his favorite pony, with a pack pony by his side.

He arrived at Adelaide, Australia, from Kooringa, about Jan. 20, and after loading his pack horse proceeded via the Coorong and south-eastern towns to the border, thence to Portland, Port Fairy, and then on to Warranbool. He covered the 570 miles in 16 days of actual travel.

In writing of his experience young Lewis says:

"The only exciting experiences I met were when travelling through a bush fire between the Glenelg river and Portland. I travelled 44 miles in one day through forest country and heavy sand. About midway I had to pass through about three miles of burning timber. It was the warmest time I ever had.

"My pony Rex carried me splendidly, and was quite fresh on arriving home. Neither of my ponies had a scratch or a hair off them. I brought all my traps back with me and I had a most enjoyable trip. My actual travelling time was 23 days, although I rested five days of this time, so I suppose I really could say that I travelled the whole distance in 18 days."

Bismarck on England and Russia Asia.

Herr Memminger, editor of the Neue Bayerische Landeszeitung, has been publishing in his journal various political conversations with the late Prince Bismarck. The text is asserted to be Bismarck's own; this would appear to be so judging from the style, which was with him so characteristic as to be almost unmistakable. Any attempt to reproduce the utterances of the late Prince with anything of that feu sacre so peculiar to his style must invariably fail. His poignant criticisms often lose much of their interest when robbed of the trenchant language in which they are couched, and the following statements, though in no way peculiarly characteristic of the style, are interesting as reflecting the political opinions of the man with regard to politics in general.

Speaking of England, he says: 'If the English take amiss the expansion of Russia in East Asia, then let them settle the point with Russia. When we were hard pressed England took the side of our enemies and endeavored to score on both sides. If, therefore, England gets between the French steed and the Russian elephant, we Germans will not rush in with a big oven fork; we will calmly look on and see how the stiffened lord is crushed until he yells for mercy."

With regard to Russia, he continues: "I wished to preserve peace, and in view of this great end did not jump at certain things which would have given excitable and excited politicians cause for dissatisfaction. Accordingly, I passed over the swaggering declarations of the vain Russian Imperial Chancellor Gortchakoff, who prided himself on having prevented us from declaring war a second time on France. I let him jabber on. What have we to get either in or from Russia? Even were we completely to conquer her, we should at best only have the turbulent Poles as neighbors, who are as little fitted for a self-governing state organism as are the Jews to-day to a new kingdom of Judea. There is nothing to get out of Russia. Germany is quite enough for us. We are full up (Wirsind satt)."

Carrying the Zareba.

(From "The Reconquest of the Soudan," Bennet Burleigh.)

In the few momentous half-seconds, while officers and men were making a passage through the hedge, their comrades covering them as well as they were able, sending showers of bullets through the palisades and a hail of lead over and across the inner lines of trenches, hundreds of brave deeds were done. The Dervish fire was so bitter and their lines of trenches so many and so close behind the palisades, that the plan of attack had to be changed on the instant. Instead of the Camerons being halted to allow the other battalions to go through to the front, an operation which would have entailed delay and great loss of life, the general called upon the men to push forward. Our big Union Jack, borne on high by Staff-Sergt. Wyatt, as usual marked and directed the centre of the Camerons' line. Its bearer was mauled in the knee by a bullet from an elephant gun, and could go no further. An orderly in the Camerons gripped the staff, and, under Gatacre's direction, triumphantly carried the Union Jack forward through a storm of bullets, which left him unscathed, but checkered the flag with holes and rents.

Stubbornly clung the Dervishes to their trenches, firing at us at a few paces' range. To deal better with them the front and rear ranks fired alternately. Capt. Findlay, of the Camerons, with his revolver in one hand and sword in the other, sprang in safety over the palisade and first trench, although the latter was crammed two deep with Dervishes. Shooting and bayoneting all before them, his men strove to keep up with their tall, herculean captain, for Findlay stood over six feet two inches. He had gone but half a dozen yards further when he was shot through the body in two places by Mahdists concealed in a trench but a few yards off. His men, who had been unable to protect him, took an instant vengeance upon every Dervish in the trench.

Peace.

The flowers float their censers on the sated air,
The waters of the fountain foam in wanton wave,
While sunbeams, slowly streaming through the arch of palm,
Shine softly, filtered to a shaded splendor there.
And all is soother by silence, naught is sounding save
The fountain's flow, which purls a rhythm to the calm.

And I, my soul, would soar in space supernal, still
And sated, in the calm of timeless ecstasy;
No thought, save only dreams of color-glories, blent
With lethal odors thronging. These my bliss fulfill,
While languored harmonies soft whisper peace to me,
So sleep for aye, my soul, and, dreaming, find content.

—Marvin Dana, in the Pall Mall Magazine.

The Alternative.—"Suppose Spain does not agree to our peace terms?" "Well, then, Dewey, Schley and Miles will have to lead other peace commissions against the Spanish and convince them."—Philadelphia North American.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

Mr. C. D. Monk has received the following quotations by private wire from J. S. Bache & Co., New York:

DESCRIPTION.	Sept. 23. Opg.	Clg.
Am. Cotton Oil	38¾	39½
do. do. pref	....	....
Am. Tobacco Co	149⅜	148½
do. do. pref	....	....
Am. Sugar Rfg. Co	119⅞	120⅜
do. do. pref	....	110
Am. Spirits Mfg. Co	12¾	12¾
do. do. pref	....	37
Atch., Top. & St. F., all paid	....	....
do. do. pref	34⅜	34⅝
Baltimore and Ohio	44¼	44¼
Bay State Gas	....	....
Canadian Pacific	....	....
Canada Southern	....	....
Ches. & Ohio	....	....
Chicago Burlington & Quincy	115¼	115⅝
Chicago Gas	104	105¼
Chicago & North Western	130¼	130⅛
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	102⅛	102¼
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	106⅜	107⅜
Consolidated Gas, N.Y	180¼	...
Cleveland, C.C. & St. Louis	....	10
Delaware, Lack & Western	....	....
Delaware & Hudson	....	....
Denver & Rio Grande, pref	55¼	55
Duluth, Sth., Sh. & Atl	....	....
do, do pref	....	....
General Electric	50¼	49¾
Hocking Valley	....	....
Jersey Central	92½	93
Laclede Gas Co	....	....
Lake Erie & Western	....	....
do. do. pref	75	75
Lake Shore	....	....
Louisville & Nashville	56¼	56⅜
Manhattan Elevated	97⅜	97⅜
Missour Pacific	....	....
Michigan Central	....	....
National Lead Co	....	34
do. pref	....	....
North American	....	....
Northern Pacific, com, new	41¼	41¼
do. pref	77	76⅝
N.Y. Central & Hudson	115¼	115⅛
N.Y. Lake Erie and Western	....	....
do do. II. pref	....	....
do do. I. pref	....	....
N.Y. Ontario & Western	....	15⅜
N.Y. Chicago & St. Louis com	....	....
Omaha com	....	80
Pacific Mail	....	....
Pac. C. C. & St. L. com	....	33¼
Phil. & Reading, all paid	....	....
Pullman	....	....
Southern Railway, com	....	....
do. do. pref	33⅞	....
Standard Rope & Twine	....	33⅜
Tenn. Coal & Iron	....	29
Texas Pacific	1¼	14
United States Leather, com	6¼	6¼
do. do. pref	68⅜	68⅞
United States Rubber, com	45	45½
do. do. pref	104	104¼
Union Pacific Rcts	31¾	32¼
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Metropolitan	155¼	155
Rapid Transit	62⅜	63⅜

The Great Man.

"What I must do is all that concerns me, not what the people think. This rule, equally arduous in actual and in intellectual life, may serve for the whole distinction between greatness and meanness. It is the harder because you will always find those who think they know what is your duty better than you know it. It is easy in the world to live after the world's opinion; it is easy in solitude to live after our own; but the great man is he who in the midst of the crowd keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude.—Emerson.

Gilbert Parker's New Book.

What spot in the whole wide world could be more suggestive of romance than the quaint old Island of Jersey, whose fierce and treacherous currents dashing upon its rugged coast seem to hurl a mocking challenge at its hardy sons to meet them in the struggle.

Yet, it is not only in their love of the sea, but in their loyalty that the men of the Channel Islands, speaking the French language and of Norman-French descent are true Britains. What is if one call that feeling loyalty, which prompts them to say with a pretty pride, oblivious of contrasts, and a simplicity unconscious of mirth, "We are the conquering race, we conquered England, England did not conquer us."

This is the happy choice which Gilbert Parker, that prince of Canadian novelists, has made for the scene of his latest work, "The Battle of the Strong," which will appear from the press of the Copp Clark Company about October 15th.

Peopled with many French exiles, each with his tale of woe or adventure, the picture is doubly interesting, and one which in the hands of the author of "The Seats of the Mighty," should be a masterpiece.

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South Lanark, at Perth, Ont., Sept. 21 to 23.
Edwardsburg, at Spencerville, Ont., Sept. 27 and 28.
North Lanark, at Almonte, Ont., Sept. 27 to 29.
South Leeds, at Delta, Ont., Sept. 27 and 28.
East Nipissing Agricultural and Arts, at Mattawa, Ont., Sept. 29 and 30.
Oxford Township Agricultural, at Kemptville, Ont., Sept. 29 and 30.
Peterborough Central, at Peterborough, Ont., Sept. 29 to October 1.
County of Russell, at Metcalfe, Ont., Sept. 6 and 7.
District Fair, at Belleville, Ont., Sept. 14 and 15.
North Renfrew, at Beachburg, Ont., Oct. 6 and 7.

AT THE BALL GAME.

The day is perfectly divine!
Which men are ours? the ones in grey?
Can I keep score? thanks, this is fine!
Know how? Of course! We used to play
At boarding school. What makes them yell?
Why does he run? Where is the ball?
He's out, you say—who's out? Do tell?
I'm quite confused about it all.

There's Jen Devore with Wofl Boutin—
He's that new man I spoke about.
Dead swell! Two runs you say came in?
I'll mark down two. But two are out,
And so the score is nothing—my!
How does he get another try?
A foul, you say—what is a foul?

Who is that funny fellow there
Behind the man who throws the balls?
The umpire! Oh, I declare
I might have guessed. What's that he calls?
Do look at Jen—she doesn't know
A blessed thing about the game—
Three out? This soon? Of course, that's so—
My score and yours are not the same.

And now our side can have their bats,
I bet they do not get a run.
What makes the crowd yell "rotten," "rats?"
And "shoot the umpire?" What's he done?
Why, that man didn't have a hit!
Thred strikes—but why? It seems a cheat.
He didn't play a single bit!
First inning ended? Well, who beat?

OF INTEREST TO ATHLETES.

The officers of the A.A.A. of C. have been gazing skyward all day. They hope it will clear up and think that Mr. J. Pluvius will be very mean indeed if he is in evidence to-morrow when the annual championship games take place. Everything in connection with the meet has such a hopeful appearance that it will be the best ever held in Canada if the weather only braces up and gives us something like the first class article. The athletes are gathering from all quarters and as each one drops in, he says he is feeling as fit as a fiddle and will be able to go some to-morrow. The tickets are being sold rapidly and nearly all the seats in the immense grand stand have been reserved. The attendance promises to be very large. The officers of the A.A.A. of C. have made all preparations for the meet with a creditable attention to details that should be rewarded with a good day and large crowd. The public may be assured that the sport will be of the very highest class and it will be strange if some records do not go.

The A.A.A. of C. council meets this afternoon to finish up accumulated business before the general annual meeting to-morrow evening. There is any amount of work to do, but it is mostly unimportant and of a routine nature. The most interesting thing to come up will probably be the application of E. Gleason for reinstatement as an amateur. This case has been widely discussed in the papers but the discussion has generally shown that the facts of the case are not generally understood. Gleason was transferred to the professional class not because he received a cash bonus from the Capital Lacrosse Club—he has filed an affidavit that he never received a cent—but because he played with those who did. Westwick was transferred for the same reason and was subsequently reinstated as an amateur. A precedent has been established and it will hardly be fair now to refuse Gleason's reinstatement. Those who advocate the reinstatement of all the Capital players will be disappointed, for there is no chance of them getting back into the amateur fold. There is no similarity between the case of those who received money and of Gleason's. One thing is apparent and that is that we hear too much of reinstatement these days. The terror of a transfer to the professional class is rapidly becoming less, for it seems that a few good friends with a strong pull can remove the mantle of dishonor. Perhaps with no particular case could I find much fault, but it seems to me that the athletic air is surcharged too much with talk of reinstatement.

At the meeting to-morrow evening the application of the Capitals for admission to the A.A.A. of C. will be considered. It will be remembered that their first application made some time ago was refused, and they were advised to bring their application before the annual meeting. A lively discussion will likely follow the reading of the Capital letter. There is a strong feeling against their admission on account of the old lacrosse trouble, and there is no saying which way the cat will jump. There is one thing certain—if the Ottawa sportsmen would get over their Kilkenny cat proclivities they would find themselves better treated by outside athletic authorities.

George Orton has written the A.A.A. of C. suggesting that a team of Canadian athletes be gathered together and go over to England to measure their prowess with the Old Country athletes. Mr. Orton is thoroughly conversant with athletic matters across the pond, and his opinion is entitled to respect. He thinks that great encouragement could be given to Canadian athletes by sending a Canadian team to the Old Country next summer. He thinks considerations should not be a deterrent, and points out forcibly, that monetary as there would be no doubt of expenses being easily paid if arrangements were made with the Irish and Scottish A. A.'s and the London A. C., about which there would be no difficulty. After going into details, Mr. Orton shows that a very superior team of amateur athletes could be easily got together in Canada. scheme is a splendid one, and with the people behind it that engineer such big meets as we are to have to-morrow, there is no reason why it should not be successfully engineered. The Argonaut Rowing Club intends to send ten or a dozen oarsmen to England next summer. Surely the athletic organizations of Canada could send the same number of athletes to compete in the Old Country.

Stephen, the Halifax man, is running like a streak of lightning, and many pick him as the winner in to-morrow's hundred yards dash. It will be a great race.

BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Baltimore—First game—	R.H.E.
Baltimore 520004031	15 19 2
Chicago 000300012	6 14 2

Batteries—Kitson and Robinson; Phylo and Nichols.

Second game—	R.H.E.
Baltimore 000300	3 4 1
Chicago 100000	1 3 1

Batteries—Hughes and Clarke; Woods and Nichols. Called end sixth; rain.

At Brooklyn—	R.H.E.
Brooklyn 0020000100	3 [illegible]
St. Louis 0000010200	3 7 2

Batteries—McKenna and Ryan; Hughey and Clements.

At New York—	R.H.E.
New York 10000100	2 8 2
Louisville 30002002	7 8 1

Batteries—Meekin and Grady; Warner and Gettig; Dowling and Kittredge. Called end eighth; darkness.

At Philadelphia—	R.H.E.
Philadelphia 00321502x	13 20 0
Cleveland 100000110	3 11 8

Batteries—Fifield and McFarland; Cuppy and Criger.

At Boston—	R.H.E.
Boston 23000210x	8 16 0
Pittsburg 100000000	1 12 1

Batteries—Klobendanz and Bergen; Gardiner and Schriver.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Boston	88	44	.667
Baltimore	85	46	.647
Cincinnati	82	53	.608
Cleveland	74	57	.565
Chicago	72	63	.533
New York	70	62	.530
Philadelphia	66	62	.516
Pittsburg	67	68	.496
Louisville	59	74	.443
Brooklyn	48	76	.387
Washington	43	88	.329
St. Louis	35	96	.267

THE TURF.

SLOAN WON A RACE.

London, Sept. 22.—At the first day's racing of the Winchester September meeting to-day the race for the Peel Park Plate of 200 sovereigns was won by Mr. M. McCalmont's 2-year-old horse Haughty.

The De Trafford Handicap of 500 sovereigns for 3-year-olds and upwards, one mile and a half, was won by Mr. C. H. Plummer's 4-year-old filly Carnatum. Nine horses ran. Tod Sloane had the mount on the Lorillard-Beresford stable's Jiffy II., which was not placed.

The Thursday Selling Plate of 200 sovereigns, was won by the 3-year-old colt Pan II., ridden by Sloane. Eight horses ran.

FORT ERIE RESULTS.

Fort Erie Race Track, Ont., Sept. 22.—The race meeting wound up here to-day with the following results:

First race, 6 furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Can I See 'Em, 103, won; Josephine K., 95, second; Earl Fonso, 101, third. Time, 1.15.

Second race, 5 furlongs, maiden 2-year-olds — Nettie Regent, 107, won; Mark Hanna, 110, second; Reed, 100, third. Time, 1.03 1-4.

Third race, 1 mile—E. Farrell, 100, won; Henry Lount, 103, second; Simon D., 100, third. Time, 1.41 1-2.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, 2-year-olds, selling—By George, 102, won; Mouzeltoff, 102, second; Cosada, 102, third. Time, 1 .17 1-4.

Fifth race, 1 1-4 miles, 3-year-olds and up, selling—Clay Pointer, 87, won; Rockwood, 105, second; Fred K., 110, third. Time, 2.11 1-2.

Sixth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs—Lady Irene, 107, won; Holton, 113, second; Farm Life, 99, third. Time, no time given.

FAVORITES SLAUGHTERED.

New York, Sept. 22.—It was cold and cheerless at Gravesend to-day and a small crowd watched some ordinary horses win. George Keene was the favorite for the Sea Breeze Stakes, the third race, and the slaughter of first choices continued. Loiterer and Lennep got the best of a poor start and soon opened up a big gap, Keene being off in the rear and running there from start to finish. As the lot rounded the upper turn, Nosey went out and when straightened for home had a good lead which he maintained to the end and won easily. He was bought after the race for $1,500 by the Fleischmanns. Hildreth, his owner, then claimed George Keene for $3,335.

A JOCKEY INJURED.

Owen Sound, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—An accident, which may prove fatal, marred, to a certain extent, this afternoon's programme at the North Grey fall show. Jockey Johnson and two or three other jockeys were thrown, the result of a general mix-up in one of the races, and Johnson was trampled on by one of the horses coming from the rear.

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ATHLETICS.

ATHLETICS AT THE POINT.

The following is the list of entries for the "Point" Bicycle Club to-morrow afternoon, Sept. 24. on the Queen's Park grounds, Verdun:

Bicycle Events.

One mile, novice—G. E. Tate, L. Payne, W. H. Tate, N. R. McMahon, P.A.A.A.; J. Moore, M.B.C.; J. Prowd, H C. Clarke, J. W. Hoffman, St. Denis B. C.,; A. E. Hurd and W. H. Snelling, unattached.

One mile, boys, sixteen and under—A. E. Tate, P.A.A.A.; C. W. May and G. W. Edwards, unattached; A. Bercovitch, and J. W. Hoffman, St. Denis B.C.; W. H. Owden, M.B.C.

Two mile, tandem—H. A. Coussirat, J. Drury, L. G. Cameron, A. J. Lee, M.B.C.; L. Payne, and S. Broadhurst, P.A.A.A.

Two mile, handicap—A. E. Hurd, unattached; H. J. Clarke, J. F. Adcock, and C. Boisvert, St. Denis B.C.; J. Moore, jr., H. A. Coussirat and J. Drury, M.B.C.; J. M. Edwards, Thistle B.C.; J. E. Tetrault, J. McMahon, and C. N. Provencher, V.B.C.; A. Ross, O.B.C.; N. R. McMahon, L. Payne, G. E. Tate, W. H. Tate, and S. Broadhurst, P.A.A.A.

Five mile, handicap—H. A. Coussirat, and J. Drury, M.B.C.; C. N. Provencher, J. McMahon, and J. E. Tetrault, V.B.C.; C. Boisvert, J. Prowd, and J. F. Adcock, St. Denis B.C.; L. Payne, W. H. Tate and S. Broadhurst, P.A.A.A.

Field Events.

One hundred yards run—J. R. Lewis, H. Veary, J. H. Bird, R. Hanson, P.A.A.A.; W. Farrell, M.L.C.; W. C. Nicholsin, Y.M.C.A.; R. Saunderson, unattached.

Four hundred and forty yards, run—E. Shee, Quebec High School; R. Saunderson, unattached; T. H. Bird, J. R. Lewis, G. E. Tate, H. Veary, A. Marshall, P.A.A.A.; W. Farrell, M.L.C.; S. J. Farrell, Pastime A.C.; R. Hanson, F.F.B.C.

One mile, run—A Marshall, P.A.A.A.; E. Shee, Q.H.S.; J. Doyle, unattached.

Running broad jump—W. C. Nicholson, Y.M.C.A.; W. McQueston, and A. Surgeon, P.A.A.A.

Running hop, step and jump—R. Hanson, P.A.A.A.; W. C. Nicholson, Y.M.C.A.; A. Surgeon, and G. E. Tate, P.A.A.A.

Putting the shot, sixteen pounds—G. E. Tate, and A. Surgeon, P.A.A.A.; E. Smith, M.B.C.

TENNIS.

A PLEASANT COUNTRY TOURNAMENT.

Richmond, Sept. 22.—A tennis tournament between Richmond and Melbourne began on Monday of this week on the grounds of Mr. S. C. Fowler, "Bleak House," Melbourne, was continued yesterday on the grounds of Mr. F. T. Mappin, "Inglewood," Richmond, and ended today on the grounds of Mr. J. M. Wilcocks, "Spurbarne," Melbourne. In addition to the players there have been about fifty guests each day watching the progress of the game with breathless interest. The result was a draw so far as sets are concerned, with the advantage in favor of Melbourne, counting by games won. In the concluding sets for the prizes, the winning couple were Mr. J. M. Wilcocks and Miss Kate Penfold. The first prizes were given by Mr. Jeffrey Penfold, of Montreal. Second prizes were also given by Messrs. J. M. and Clement Wilcocks, and were won by Mr. Clifton Thirkell and Miss Harkom.

CRICKET.

WITH PLENTY OVER.

New York, Sept. 22.—The match between the English cricketers and the New York eleven was resumed at Livingston, Staten Island, to-day. The Englishmen finished their first innings with a total of 419 runs. The New Yorkers then started their second innings, and when the game was suspended for lunch they had scored 75 runs with a loss of five wickets. The New Yorkers were all out in their second innings for 123 runs, leaving the Englishmen the winners by 247 runs and an innings to spare.

TROTTING.

PATCHEN WINS EASILY.

Readville, Mass., Sept. 22.—Barring Star Pointer, the two fastest harness horses in the world, Joe Patchen and John R. Gentry, had a match race at the Readville track to-day, and Patchen won in two straight heats. A stiff wind blew down the stretch, and held the horses back so that the time was slow, the first heat being in 2.05 3-4 and the second in 2.04 3-4. The other two races of the day were won in straight heats, neither Frank Rysdyk, in the 2.19 pace, nor Hal B., in the 2.14, being pushed to any extent.

AT SOREL.

The following are the results of the second day's sports at Sorel:

2.30 class, purse $100—

Nellie S., A. Flibotte..	4	4	4	4
Morrell Pilot, J. Vigneux..	3	2	1	2
Little John, J. Archambault.. ..	2	3	3	3
Black B., M. Archambault..	1	1	2	1

Time—2,33 1-4.

2.20 class, purse $150—

Ben Morrell, A. Daignault..	1	1	1
Daisy B., Peter Morris....	2	2	2
May Girl, J. Houde....	3	3	3

Time—2.24 1-4, 2.24 3-4, 2.26.

Bicycle race, three miles, four best laps out of six—

Mayrand, Sorel....	4	4	3	3	3	3
Vandal, Sorel..	1	*2	4	retired		
Deguise, Sorel..	*2	*2	2	2	2	2
Mayrand, Contrecoeur.. ..	*2	1	1	1	1	1

Time—1.28, 3.03, 4.35, 6.13, 7.48, 9.24.

*Ties.

Half mile—

B. J. Kaine..	1
A. Thibaudeau...	2
O. Grenier...	3

Time—1.30.

One mile, local—

Frs. Vandal, Sorel..	1
F. Mayrand, Contrecoeur..	2
A. Myrand, Sorel..	3

Time—2.58.

The first day's resulted as follows:

Three minute class, purse $75—

Maud, R. Heneault..	2	5	4	2
Black B., M. Archambault.. .. .	1	2	1	1
Corbeau, J. Chauvette..	4	3	3	5
General Bank, F. St. Vincent.	3	4	2	4
Little John, J. Archambault..	5	1	5	3

Time—2.34 1-4.

Selected horse class, purse $50—

Clarion, Max. Papillon..	2	1	1	1
Princesse, J. Peloquin..	1	2	2	2
Johnny Boy, Ls. Lalancette..	4	3	3	3
Plaisante, M. Lemoine..	3	4	4	4

Time—2.59 1-4.

2.24 class, purse, $125—

Eska, A. Flibotte..	1	1	2	3	1
Myronette, Peter Morris..	2	2	1	1	2
Fred. Mrgan, P. Beauchemin.....	4	4	4	—	—
Daisy B., J. Vigneau..	3	3	3	2	3

Time—2.24 1-2.

Bicycle races, one mile, open—

J. Lesperance, Varennes..	1
F. Mayrand, Contrecoeur..	2
F. Vandal, Sorel..	3

Time—2.48

ROWING.

ANOTHER RACE.

Halifax, N.S., Sept. 22.—There are good prospects of another professional double scull race here this season. It will, if arranged, be a contest between Lynch Brothers, by whom Durnan and Rice were defeated on the northwest arm to-day, and Ten Eyck and Rogers, of Worcester ,Mass. Ten Eyck and Rogers have challenged the winners of to-day's race, and it is probable that they will be accommodated if the stakes are made $1,000 a side. Eddie Durnan is anxious to row in singles against either Mike or Mark Lynch, the winning pair to-day, but the double scull proposition will be disposed of first.

HE IS WILLING.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Dan Murphy, of this city, will accept the challenge of Charles Gaudaur, for a professional single scull race, to take place at Rat Portage.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HOMING PIGEON RACE.

In view of the increased interest being taken in the homing pigeon fancy, not only as a sport but also as of practical value, as in military tactics, where these birds have been found of special benefit in carrying messages, the Poultry Association of Ontario are offering prizes for races to be flown this fall between birds from Hamilton, Toronto, Kingston and Montreal, the distances being 60, 100 and 150 miles from each of these places. In addition to the usual cash prizes offered, a silver cup will be given to the club or loft scoring the greatest number of wins, which will represent the championship of Canada. All entries should be made with the secretary, R. Durston, Toronto, who will furnish all further information as to date, etc., of races.

NEWS FROM ST. JOHNS.

A Couple of Residents Leave on a Business Trip to France—Syrian Girls Pay a Heavy Fine.

St. Johns, Que., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—On Thursday morning several friends, amongst whom were Messrs. Duncan MacDonald, Alphonse Morin, prothonotary of the Superior Court, J. Lavoie, sr., and several others, bade good-bye to Messrs. Raoul Aube, manager of the Canada Stone and Chinaware Company, and Joseph Lavoie, agent for Messrs. D. & A. MacDonald, who were leaving on a two months' business trip to France, on the Allan steamship Californian.

At one o'clock Thursday morning, the firemen were called up to etinguish a fire at Dr. A. LaRocque's house. The damages are put at about $125.

The Hon. A. N. Charland, judge of the Superior Court, has presided at the Montreal Court House during this week, at the request of Chief Justice Tait.

In virtue of a proclamation which has appeared in the Quebec Official Gazette, the dates of holding the terms of the Superior Court, sitting in the district of Iberville, have been changed, and in future will be as follows:—For the Superior Court the terms will be from the 1st to the 6th of the months of February, March, April, May, June, October and November; for the Circuit Court, on the 7th and 8th of the above months; for the Circuit Court for the county of Iberville, on the 9th of the months of February, May and October, at Iberville; for the Circuit Court for the county of Napierville, on the 11th of the above months, at Napierville.

DEEPENING THE CANALS.

They Will all be Down to Fourteen Feet bp the Opening of Navigation Next Year.

Ottawa Sept. 23.—There have been some doubts as to whether the deepening of the St. Lawrence canals to fourteen feet can be completed by the opening of navigation next year. In the mind of the canal experts here those doubts have now been set at rest. Mr. Schreiber, the chief engineer of canals, returned yesterday from an inspection of the works in company with Mr. Walter Shanly. The latter has been very skeptical to date as to early completion of the work. However, both gentlemen state that they are satisfied that if the present rate of progress is maintained during all the available time in the interim, the canals will be completed to a uniform depth of fourteen feet by the opening of navigation next year. The only possibility of failure arises from the fact that the contractors may relax their energy.

Fall Overcoats.

We never gave better value in fall overcoats than those we make to order this season. Call early and leave your order. Don't wait until the choicest patterns are sold. Hugh Ross, 206 St. James street.

Ha'l a Baby Show.

Napanee, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The baby show at the country fair proved a great drawing card. The little cherubs seemed to realize the occasion and behaved in their very best manner. The judges, Daniel Schryver, Las Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. Lake, Providence, R.I., and Mrs. Thayer, Fulton, N. Y., had no easy task before them, and finally made the following selection:

Best baby boy—Cameron Good; second, Herbert Wilson; third, Aubrey Steacy.

Best baby girl—Hazel Charade; second, Letha Scott; third, Freda Jackson.

A special prize was awarded to Mabel L. Page, and also to the little twins, Frank and Frederick McParland.

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BUSINESS MEN COME TO PROTEST

Representatives of Interests Across the Line Which Are Opposed to Reciprocity Visit Quebec.

WANT THINGS THEIR WAY.

Representatives from New England States Are Kindly Disposed Towards Our Railways.

THE MANY SOCIAL FUNCTIONS,

Luncheon Was Taken by the Commissioners on Board the Warship Renown Yesterday.

(By a Staff Correspondent.)

Quebec, Sept. 23.—That the business men of the United States feel deeply interested in the proceedings of the International Conference is proved by daily evidence in the form of delegations from all parts of the Union to lay the views of various industrial and commercial bodies before the commissioners deliberating here. The advocates of restricted competition in lines of trade in which each is specially interested are naturaly most active in their opposition to any scheme by which it may be proposed to admit Canadian products into the United States markets at more favorable rates of duty than are provided under the Dingley tariff. The voice of the consumer who would be benefited by the lightening of the burdens which he bears under the specious form of duties for the protection of home industries, does not make itself so plainly heard, from the fact that their oppressiveness does not make itself so clearly felt, owing to the widespread distribution of the tax. An attempt, however, to restrict the business of Canadian railways in the interest of the great United States systems, meets with formal protest, and, as the subject is not one which the commission has placed in its programme, the effort to introduce it at this stage is likely to prove abortive. The lumbermen of the States interested in that great industry are still apparently uncompromising in their resistance to all proposals looking to any reciprocal arrangement with respect to forest products, and, from what I could learn to-day, the United States members of the International Commission were treated to some rather plain speaking on this matter. It is fairly evident that the influence of the men who monopolize the supply of this staple to the United States consumer will be actively employed to defeat the return to Congress of any member who will support a measure tending to interfere with their present control of the home market.

Notwithstanding the many social calls to which the lavish hospitality of private citizens and official dignitaries imposes upon them the agreeable obligation of responding, the commissioners did a fairly good day's work yesterday. They were favored with the views of many leading men from across the line, and although their deliberations are very properly private, enough has been communicated to show that at least they cannot plead lack of information, when they come to prepare their final report. The only drawback seems to be, as already noticed, that the men who directly benefit by restricted competition are those who are most anxious to supply evidence in support of their pretensions.

The Home Market Club.

Mr. Albert Clarke, of Boston, represents a body which bears the attractive title of the Home Market Club, of which he is the president, and whose two thousand members, he states, represent the modest capital of seven hundred millions of dollars. No reciprocity treaty for these gentlemen, thank you. They are doing very nicely under the present high tariff, and can give the citizens of the United States everything they want.

What the U.S. Railways Want.

Col. Aldace Walker is a railway magnate. There is no question of his title to pose as such. He is chairman of the Board of Directors of the great Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad, a system with probably the largest mileage of track in the world. The Colonel has sat as a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission and what he does not know of railways and their working could be compressed into an infinitesimally small volume. This gentleman's trouble is that the competition of Canadian railways interferes with the arrangements of the mighty United States trunk lines when they desire to fix the rate of tribute which they shall levy upon the United States shipper. He desires a home market for the carriers, and would have the United States Commissioners urged upon their colleagues the desirability of restricting the privileges which Canadian railways at present enjoy by at least making them amenable to the provisions of the Interstate Commerce Law, extending that measure to the Canadian provinces.

The Canadian railways, however, found a champion in the Hon. C. O. Hamlin, formerly assistant treasurer of the United States. Mr. Hamlin was the chosen spokesman of the Boston Merchants' Association, and told the Commissioners how much New England traders appreciated the advantage of an alternate route for their shipments between the East and West. The present equitable system of bonding through freight, passing through Canada on its way between Eastern and Western points in the United States, is, according to Mr. Hamlin, entirely satisfactory. The Canadian lines, he told the Commissioners, were well managed, and their rates were reasonable. Their relations with the United States lines were of as cordial a character as could be expected between rivals for a particular class of traffic. He reminded the Commission that the subject of railway bonding privileges was not included in their programme.

The American Farmers.

According to Mr. Aaron Jones, of South Bend, Ind., president of the Grangers' Association, who was accompanied by Mr. Batchelder, the farmers of the United States want no Canadian produce on the home market. Mr. Jones protested against any modification in the Dingley tariff in this way. The farmers of the United States are contented and happy as things are. In fact, they have not been so prosperous for a number of years past.

The lumbermen of the Western States cames again to the charge yesterday, through their representative, Mr. Taurney, a member of Congress from Winona, Minnesota. That gentleman renewed his protests against any reduction in the United States lumber duties. He spoke, he said, for the lumbermen of twenty-one States of the Union, and they were very determined on the subject. They would, in fact, individually and collectively, raise a certain unmentionable place if their business was disturbed. As to United States capital being invested in Canadian timber limits, that cut no figure worth mentioning. There was not $5 of United States money in Canadian lumber industries for every hundred simiarly invested across the border.

Lunched with the Admiral.

The commissioners lunched with the admiral, Sir John Fisher, and officers on board the Renown yesterday. In the afternoon they attended an enjoyable garden party given in their honor by the Lieutenant-Governor, and greatly enjoyed the entertainment, for which the handsome grounds at Spencerwood were tastefully arranged. Tomorrow (Friday) the Hon. R. R. and Mrs. Dobell give a garden party at Beauvoir Manor, at which a living chess game will be an interesting feature.

A Literary Contribution.

Among the literary contributions to the Champlain monument celebration is a poem in blank verse, Dominus Domi (the Master at Home), or, Chateau St. Louis, from the praticed pen of Dr. J. M. Harper, previously known to the literary world as the talented author of "Our Jeames" and other literary and historical works. The poem is printed in a little book whose appearance does infinite credit to the printer and designer, and contains a number of apt quotations from works dealing with the exploits of Champlain. The work is dedicated to the Hon. Justice Chauveau. There are about two hundred lines to the poem, which is in Dr. Harper's best style. The conclusion is well worth reproducing, as a sample of the whole.

"The light is fading, yet we still may see,
On Western wall where twilight magnifies,
Grouped round the gravings of the brave Champlain,
And Malo's mariner, the forms of those
Whose life's devotion solved a country's fate.
The heroes of the past! Their spirits near,
Are with us still, as float within the courts
And corridors the silver accents sweet
Of motherland, the sounds they loved so well.
A living music echoes through the nooks
They knew; the sounds of louder joy approach.
The dream takes sudden wing, and ere we know,
The spirits near have laughter in their ring
That wakes us to the life this side of death."

A PEMBROKE CEREMONY

In Connection With the Installation of Bishop Lorrain—Presentation of a Mitre and Purse.

Pembroke, Ont., Sept. 23.—At 9 a.m. yesterday all the visiting prelates, archbishops, bishops, canons, vicar-generals, provincials and superiors of religious orders and colleges, and priests who came for the ceremony of installation of Right Rev. N. Z. Lorrain, went in procession from the Bishop's Palace to the beautiful cathedral, which was artistically decorated for the occasion. In the cathedral, pontifical high mass was celebrated by Right Rev. N. Z. Lorrain, Rev. E. A. Latulippe, rector of the cathedral, assistant. Archbishop Duhamel assisted in full pontifical vestments. After mass addresses were presented from the clergy and people. The clergy address was read by Rev. Father Latulippe, and the presentation of a beautiful mitre and purse from the priests of the diocese was made by Rev. H. S. Marion and Rev. A. Brunet. Right Rev. Bishop Lorrain replied to the addresses and thanked the visitors for their attendance, and the people for the success of the feast. The proceedings were crowned by a grand banquet, tendered by the ladies of the town in the Academy Hall of the convent.

KILLED FOR HIS MONEY.

That is the Verdict of Coroner's Jury in the Case of Henri Betournay.

The Coroner's jury last evening arrived at the following verdict with respect to the death of Henri Betournay, contractor, of 34 Plymouth Grove: "That Henri Betournay was killed on the night of September 7th, by being thrown into the river, after being first robbed; and that grave suspicions rest on a certain person, but the evidence not being sufficient to convict him, the police are to continue their searches."

The Bank Failed.

The Court of Appeals yesterday heard argument in the case of Berger, respondent, and St. Louis, appellants. The appeal is from a judgment which maintained an action brought by the respondent under the following circumstances. He was borrowing a sum of $25,000 from appellant, and, giving a mortgage on immovable property, the notary was instructed to retain the cheque for the amount until it should be ascertained that the property was clear. The notary retained the cheque for some days, and the bank closed its doors before it was paid. The respondent sued to recover an amount of excess of interest which he had been obliged to pay, and the action was maintained in the court below. Judgment was reserved. Mr. Beique, Q.C., appeared for appellant, and Messrs. Beaudin, Q.C., and Lafleur, for the respondent.

Montreal Junior C. E. Union.

The Junior Christian Endeavor Union will hold its rally in the Inspector Street Mission to-morrow at 3 p.m. Several new superintendents have been appointed, and two beautiful banners donated to the Union by an enthusiastic Junior worker. The societies in the Union will compete for these banners, one being given to the society having the best record for taking part in the meetings by testimony, prayer, learning, or reading a text of Scripture, and the other will be awarded the society which records the best conduct and regular attendance of the members. All Junior superintendents are urged to try and attend the Provincial Christian Endeavor convention to be held at Sherbrooke, on October 4th and 6th, as a whole afternoon will be given over to the discussion of Junior work. Mr. C. J. Atkinson, of Toronto, will also address the workers. A union meeting will be held on September 27th, to which all former Junior superintendents are cordially invited to attend.

Auer Light Suits.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—The Toronto Auer Light Company has suits against upwards of thirty parties in the County Court seeking an injunction restraining them from using lights other than its own. One of these cases was made a test before Judge Morgan, and yesterday he handed in his decision. The company maintained that the parties were infringing upon its patent right by using American patents, and other lights, mantels, etc. His Honor puts an injunction into force against the defendant in this test case, against James H. Calling, and he must not use any other mantels; he must pay $8 and all costs, and return the mantels he has been using. The judge also held if the plaintiff company wished, he could grant an interim injunction in all cases.

Chronic Bronchitis Cured.

Mr. Charles E. Reid, the leading druggist of Revelstoke, B.C., writes: I have every reason to believe Griffiths' Menthol Liniment will cure chronic bronchitis. A lady customer says she has been troubled with chronic bronchitis for years, and that this liniment has cured her completely. It always gives the best satisfaction to my customers. 25 cts. All druggists.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

The Heinrich song recital at the Queen's Theatre last night was a treat such as is the privilege of Montrealers to enjoy but seldom. Hitherto Mr. and Mrs. Heinrich were alone on the programme, but last night Miss Julie Heinrich made her Montreal debut, and it is keeping within bounds to say that in many respects her performance outshone that of her talented father and mother. Miss Heinrich has a fine, rich contralto voice of wonderful range. She follows in the same easy style as Mr. and Mrs. Heinrich, and evidently has been a close student of their methods. Her numbers last night were chosen with evident care, and they were received with unbounded enthusiasm. "On the Way to Kew" was probably the favorite, though "My Laddie" and the duet with Mrs. Heinrich, "Laendliches," gave her a better opportunity to display the richness of her voice. Of Mr. and Mrs. Heinrich little need be said. They are well known in Montreal as artists of the very first class, and their reappearance in the city is always looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure. Mr. Heinrich's rendering of "Gipsy John" was the feature of the programme.

The occasion was the first on which the beautiful Queen's parlors have been thrown open for inspection and occupation. It is safe to say that no theatre in America has such a magnificent parlor where ladies and gentleman can congregate at all hours of the day. Rich Turkish rugs cover the floors, and the cosy, costly chairs and tables furnish the big room in a manner equal to the drawing rooms of Sherbrooke street residences. In one corner is a branch candy store, while above is the musical gallery, where last night a fine Pratte piano was well played by Mr. Pratte's representative, Mr. Smythe. The parlors add much to the importance of the Queen's Theatre.

"McSorley's Twins" are now three years old; that is to say, this is the third season of that highly successful and laughable absurdity. The music is up to date and refreshing, as also are the numerous specialties that are introduced by an exceedingly competent company of comedians, dancers, soubrettes and pretty girls, headed by the famous Billy Gaylor, who has been engaged to play the leading role. It will be seen at the Queen's Theatre next week.

Rice & Barton's Rose Hill English Folly Co. has been secured by Manager Sparrow to appear at the Theatre Royal all next week, September 26th. The Rose Hill Company will present one of the strongest and best burlesque shows ever seen here, introducing more new and original novelties than any other aggregation ever organized. They will present for the first time here the grand spectacular burlesque, "Wicked Paris," and the new and original musical comedy, "Round the Town."

If reports that have come in advance are to be credited, local theatre-goers may be safely promised an exceptional treat when "The Purser," a new and original farcical comedy is seen at the Academy of Music next week. The piece is now in its second year in England, where it was a "go" in the large provincial cities, as well as in London, where it was played at the famous Old Strand Theatre. Its American career also has so far been a most promising one. The play is reported to be a high-class, genteel, light comedy. It bears no relation to the so-called farce comedies of the day, but has a legitimate story, and its fun, which is said to be continuous and contagious, comes from naturally developed situations.

The Theatre Francais' new leading man, Mr. Hallett Thompson, arrived in town yesterday and at once commenced rehearsals for the production of "In Mizzoura," which is to be presented at the Francais during the coming week. Some interesting details of the play will be given later on. Mr. Thompson has held the position of leading man with many of the best stars in America. His last visit to Montreal was with James O'Neill.

MILWAUKEE BREAKING UP

She Can Stand the Present Pounding on the Rocks Very Little Longer, and is Surely Doomed.

London, Sept. 23.—The British steamer Milwaukee, from Tyne, for New Orleans, previously reported stranded on Porter Roll, Scotland, has a rock through her bottom, standing eight feet high. Steam pumps are working on her, but it is doubtful if the vessel can be saved, as she cannot stand her present racking long.

Good Templars Meet.

The adjourned annual session of Montreal District Lodge, I.O.G.T., was held on Wednesday in Terra Nova lodge room. Mr. H. Holden, D.C.T.-elect, presided. The following officers were installed by Mr. A. Norwood, L.. of Terra Nova Lodge, in the absence of District Deputy W. Clarke: District chief templar, H. Holden; vice-templar, Miss N. Deacon; councillor, A. G. Ellis; secretary, James W. Roch; treasurer, S. J. MacArthur; superintendent of Juvenile Templars, Miss E. Mitchell; chaplain, Miss Maud Boyd; marshal, H. Fry; guard, Miss S. Sandilands; sentinel, R. M. Adam; deputy marshal, Miss M. Jones; messenger, F. Munn. Messrs. R. Slater and F. Munn acted as installing marshals. Mr. A. Munroe was recommended for the position of D.E.S. The lodges were reported as actively interested in plebiscite work. The executive will meet at an early date to formulate plans for work for the coming year.

roposed New Atlantic Route.

Halifax, N.S., Sept. 23. — Considerable discussion has been aroused in local steamship circles over the recent suggestions of Capt. Wm. H. Smith, Canadian Wreck Commissioner, in reference to a new route for fast trans-atlantic steamers. The route proposed by Capt. Smith lies to the south of those now generally followed by ocean liners, running due east on the 40th parallel of latitude as far as longitude 47 west, and then taking the great circle track. On the west-bound voyage Capt. Smith proposes that passenger steamers take a course thirty miles north of this route. He holds that the course proposed by him would greatly lessen the dangers resulting from fog and ice.

"Sherbrooke Illuminated."

This is the title of a very handsomely printed pamphlet issued by W. A. Morehouse & Co., publishers of the Sherbrooke Examiner. As its name indicates, it is a descriptive account of the prosperous capital of the Eastern Townships, and both letter-press and typography are what might have been expected from the reputation of the publishers for doing their work thoroughly. The little book is a record which every resident of Sherbrooke will prize, and to many an ex-resident it will be an acceptable souvenir.

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Dr. Duchesneau Ill.

Dr. Duchesneau, the recently re-appointed Warden of St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, is seriously ill, and his friends have grave fears for his recovery. The trouble began with a severe cold, followed by bronchial complications.

Banquet to Lord Herschell.

At a meeting of the Council of the Bar it was decided to tender a banquet to Lord Herschell at the Windsor Hotel on October 1st. The banquet hall will be specially decorated for the occasion and the affair is expected to be a brilliant success.

Notice.

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R. C. CHURCH IN CUBA.

In that Island and the Philippines it Will Come Under the General Government of U. S. Church.

Chicago, Sept. 23.—Archbishop Ireland has given the first definite information regarding the policy of the Roman Catholic Church in Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines. It includes approval of the administration plan of leaving the Church question out of the peace discussions and announces that the Church in the islands will conform to the new conditions. He says:

"When the dominion of the United States is fully established, the Church will come under the same laws that will govern this country and be separated from the State, the same as it is now in America."

Whether the ecclesiastical jurisdiction of Cardinal Gibbons shall be extended to cover at least a part of America's new possessions, according to Archbishop Ireland, is still a matter for the Holy Father to decide, and at present no American prelate knows what will be done. The Archbishop declares the present personnel of the clergy in the islands will be undisturbed. He has been attending the opening exercises at Notre Dame and learned upon his arrival in Chicago that talk of an ecclesiastical commisssion had been published.

"There will be no commisssion from America to investigate the Church in Cuba, Porto Rico, or the Philippines," he said. "Any statement that there will be is false and unfair to the clergy in our new possessions.

"The Spanish priests will not be requested to retire for the reason that they, better than anyone else, know what is needed under the new conditions and can bring about a change much more easily than any commission that might be appointed. The clergy in the islands is made up of men of intelligence and tact: They will attend to their own work and do it well. None of our priests or bishops could speak the language of the people and would be at a loss to do as much as the men now at the head of the Church.

"You may say that the priests of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines will be in accord with American ideas, and they will be left to bring about the necessary change in their own way, and it will be the best way."

Pastor Wanted in Chicago.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—Two Chicago churches are trying to get the pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church here, Rev. W. J. McCaughan, who came here from Belfast, Ireland, a year ago, to accept calls from them. The churches are the Third Presbyterian Church and the church which is so handsomely endowed by Mr. McCormick, the big agricultural implement manufacturer in the West. A deputation heard Mr. McCaughan preach Sunday last, and urged him to allow his name to go before their congregation, but he refused both offers, and says he intends to remain in Toronto.

THE PIER AT SOREL.

Work Which is Being Done by the Government Will Soon be Completed—Small Plebiscite Vote Expected.

Sorel, P.Q., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—The pier which the Federal Government is building for the protection of the lower part of the city is nearly completed. Another will be built opposite St. Ann's as soon as this one is finished.

The steel hulls of the two new dredges for the ship channel have been laid at the Government's shipyards here, and the dredges will be ready early next season.

The Department of Public Works is building a large machine shop of solid brick with two wooden extensions, which will be a credit to our city.

Mr. A. A. Bruneau, M.P., rendered an account of his doings as representative of this country for the past three sessions, to a large gathering Tuesday evening.

It looks as if prohibition would carry in this county, as the majority of farmers around here have no idea of what it means, and a very poor vote will be cast.

The old shoe factory belonging to the corporation of this city was sold some time ago to Pontbriand Brothers, and has been fitted up as a foundry, and will be the largest of its kind around here.

The St. James Hotel, belonging to John Mullen, of Montreal, which was being repaired for the proprietor of the St. Lawrence Hotel, Mr. Lavallee, took fire last night about 12 o'clock. About $1,000 damagewas done. The origin of the fire is a mystery so far.

Banquet to Chevalier Pinoteau.

The friends of Mr. Auguste Pinoteau, head gardener to the city of Montreal, have arranged to give him a banquet in honor of his having been named a chevalier of the Ordre du Merite Agricole, at which a presentation will be made. The banquet will be held on Monday evening in Theo. Lanctot's restaurant, Notre Dame street.

Death of a Convict.

A convict named John Likens, age 49, died yesterday in St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary. Likens was a Caughnawaga Indian, who was serving a sentence of three years for theft. He had two years to put in. He died of heart disease.

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FRIDAY FLATNESS TO LOCAL STOCKS

And for That Matter There Was Little Snap in London or Wall Street.

TORONTO RAILS A FEATURE.

Money Abont the Same and Gold Shipments From London Continue.

NEWS FROM ROSSLAND MINES.

There was a flatness to the stock market to-day, which the superstitious ones observed often comes on a Friday.

Certain it was that there was very little snap to either Wall street or London this morning, and the local market fell into line. The volume of business here was small in comparison with some days this week, but the undertone, everything considered, was fairly firm. To-morrow the usual Saturday morning sessions will be resumed.

Regarding the action of the Wall street market yesterday a telegram to a local broker this morning said: "Twenty active stocks declined .62 yesterday, after advancing .62 the previous day. Bull leaders not disappointed at market's action. Grangers, Industrials and Pacific stocks were bought on reaction. Decline in Sugar without effect on general list; insiders say stock undoubtedly sell lower before permanent rally. Large offerings money. No danger recurrence high rates. Probably advance discounts abroad prevent large imports of gold from Europe this fall. Rumors extra dividend or increased dividend on Brooklyn Union denied. Company, however, will increase dividend when earnings justify. Feeling on Manhattan rather more bearish than of late. Important developments expected in rubber stocks within three weeks."

The Market Here.

There were several good-sized blocks ot Toronto Railway sold, 770 shares going on the basis of 104 3-4, and 535 shares at 104 5-8. Pacific was rather flat at 86 1-2 to 86 5-8, and 50 shares of Richelieu were placed on the basis of 102 1-4. There was nothing done in Montreal Street Railway shares, but ,3500 shares War Eagle were put through at $2.93 1-2 and 100 shares at $2.94.

Montreal Street Railway earnings yesterday amounted to $4,630.60, an increase over the same day last year of $748.47.

L. J. Forget & Co.'s cable quoted Grand Trunk first preference shares in London at 76 5-8, third preference 19 3-4, Canadian Pacific 88 7-8, and Hudson Bay 21 1-2.

There is no material change in the position of the local money market, and call loans remain the same at 4 per cent.

The Banque du Peuple authorities sold 275 shares Sohmer Park stock yesterday at par. The shares are $60. It is understood that the Park business the past season has been especially good.

From the Mines.

Rossland, B.C., Sept. 23.—No. 5 tunnel in the Columbia and Kootenay mine yesterday broke into the big body cut by the No. 4 tunnel about a month ago. It is not yet fully cross-cut, but already twenty-six feet of ore have been exposed, and the value is yet unknown, as no assays have been obtained, but, judging from appearances, it will run as well as in the level above, which averaged over fifty dollars.

MORNING BOARD.

50	shares	Pacific	at 86½
25	"	Pacific	at 86⅝
5	"	Merchants	at 178¾
32	"	Merchants	at 179
40	"	Commerce	at 143
20	"	Bank of Montreal	at 243¾
50	"	Richelieu	at 102¼
770	"	Toronto Ry	at 104¾
535	"	Toronto Ry	at 104⅝
25	"	D. Coal pref	at 111½
25	"	D. Coal pref	at 111
50	"	D. Coal pref	at 110¾
3500	"	ar Eagle	at $2.93½
100	"	ar Eagle	at 2.94

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

DESCRIPTION.	Sept. 23		Sept. 22	
	Ask.	Bid	Ask.	Bid
Canadian Pacific Railway	86¾	86½	86¾	86⅝
D.S.S.A	3½	3¼	3½	3
D.S.S. A. pfd	7½	6¾	8	6¾
Commercial Cable Co	183	182	184	182½
Do. Coupon Bonds	....	....	....	....
Do. Reg. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Rich. and Ont. Nav. Co	103	102½	103	102
Cornwall Ry	....	....	....	....
M.S.R	278¾	278½	278½	278
M.S.R. new stock	274	273	273½	273½
Halifax Elec. Tram Co	134	133½	134	133½
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Toronto Street Ry	104¾	104½	104½	104⅜
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Montreal Gas Co	195	194	195	194
Royal Electric Co.	159½	159	159½	159¼
Montreal Telegraph Co.	180	177	180	177
St. John Ry. Co	....	....	....	....
Bell Telephone Co	176	171½	173	170
Dom. Coal pfd	112	110¾	27	25¼
Do. Common	26½	24½	....	....
Do. Bonds	....	....	111¾	111¼
Montreal Cotton Co	156	151½	156	151¼
Canada Colored Cotton Co.	60	55	60	55¼
Do do. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Dominion Cotton Co.	99½	98	99	97½
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
People's H. & L.	....	....	....	....
Do. do. Bonds	....	....	....	....
War Eagle	293¾	293	294	293½
Bank of Montreal	250	240	250	242
Ontario Bank	....	....	....	....
Bank of British N.A.	....	....	....	....
Molsons Bank	203	197½	205	202
Bank of Toronto	260	....	260	....
La Banque Jacques Cartier	....	110	....	110
Merchants	180	175	180	177½
Merchants' Bk. of Halifax	....	180	....	....
Bank of Nova Scotia	....	....	....	....
Eastern Townships	156	150	156	150
Quebec	....	123	....	123
La Banque Nationale	....	....	....	....
Union	110	103	110	103
Commerce	144	142¾	144	143
Ville Marie	100	92	100	92
Imperial	....	204	....	204
Hochelaga	158	154	158	154
North West Land pfd	56½	54½	57½	55½

A Win for Tod Sloan.

London, Sept. 23.—At Manchester to-day the New Barns' selling handicap of 150 sovereigns, for three-year-olds and upwards, was won by Mr. H. Hardy's filly Queen of Song, with Tod Sloan up. Eight horses ran. Tod Sloane also won the Lancaster nursery handicap plate of 500 sovereigns, riding the Lorillard-Beresford stable's Myakka.

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BANK OF ENGLAND.

An Advance of 1-2 Per Cent. in the Rate of Discount — The Usual Weekly Changes.

London, Sept. 22.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes, as compared with the previous account:—

Total reserve, decreased	£ 526,000
Circulation, decreased	320,000
Bullion, decreased	845,925
Other securities, decreased	1,615,000
Public deposits, increased	971,000
Notes, reserve, decreased	544,000
Government securities, decreased	425,000

The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability is 50.92 per cent., as compared with 49.31 per cent. last week.

London, Sept. 22.—The Bank of England has increased its rate of discount from 2 1-2 to 3 per cent.

RAW SUGAR EASIER,

But Refined Here is Steady, and There is Only Just a Moderate Trade in Progress.

Sugar markets on the other side are easier, and raws within a week have declined 3-4d to 1 1-2d. A private cable received from London this morning reported the market for cane firm. Beet opened firm, but later became quiet with September at 9s 6d and October at 9s 8 1-4d. In sympathy with the above there has also been an easier feeling in the New York market for raw, and prices are 1-16c lower. The local market for refined has been much quieter, but on the whole a fair amount of business has been done. The feeling is steady, and prices show no change. Granulated is selling at 4 1-2c and yellows at 3 11-16c to 4 3-16c as to quality at the factory.

CHEESE MEN SMILE.

Another Advance in Prices, and They Are In Good Humor.

Nine and a Quarter Cents Was Paid at Brockville, and Nine Cents at Kingston.

Cheese is still booming in the country, and as high as 9 1-4c was bid at Brockville yesterday for white. It was a very strong market, and most of the cheese offered was whipped up at the advance. At Kingston the sales were all on the basis of 9c.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 22.—At the cheese board to-day 250 white and 1,042 colored were boarded, all September make. Sales at 9c.

Brockville, Ont., Sept. 22.—There were pleasant smiles on the faces of the salesmen at the cheese board to-day, in consequence of the big advance in prices, which was one cent over last week. The market was one of the best in weeks, the bidding was brisk, and the buyers all seemed anxious to get cheese. A few buyers felt disposed to accept 9 1-8c for colored, McGregor getting two lots, which were the first sales. The salesmen held off, and when 9 1-4c for colored was reached sold freely. There was a good demand for white at 9 3-16c. The offerings were 930 boxes white and 2,663 colored, making a total of 3,593; about two-thirds sold on the board, and the balance on the curb, with 400 additional boxes at board prices. The sales of the day are estimated as follows: Warrington, 2,000; Ware, 600; Hodgson, 500; Alexander, 500; Ayer & Co., 300. A resolution was adopted providing that no bid would be accepted unless it called for at least 250 boxes. In order not to conflict with the plebiscite next week's meeting will be held on Wednesday.

THE BEARS HAD A SAY IN WHEAT,

Market Opened Fairly Firm, but it Eased Off a Little Later On.

CATTLE SAID TO BE SCARCE

And Some Steamers are Now Leaving Montreal Without Live Stock.

BOOM IN CHEESE CONTINUES

In the early hours this morning wheat in Chicago had a fairly firm tone, but it eased off later and went fractionally lower around noon. The opening price was 64c for December, and it afterwards went to 64 3-8c to 64 1-2c. Around 12 o'clock it stood at 63 7-8c, and that figure was repeated again at 12.30. Wheat in Liverpool closed 1-8c higher than yesterday, but corn there was unchanged. A wire to a local broker from Chicago said: "Wheat is easing off on realizing by local longs, and free selling by the scalping crowd. Buy it on this break. The bull factors in wheat yesterday were the strong and higher cables, the advance in N.W. and moderate receipts there, bad Russian crop advices, liberal demand from the seaboard supposed to be from foreign account, and buying to cover shorts."

The New York Journal of Commerce says:—"There was one of the largest export trades in wheat, if not the largest, on the crop to-day, both the United Kingdom and Continent buying everything offered, for which ocean freights could be obtained at advancing prices on both. Corn was also active, as well as rye, at much higher prices for the latter, but oats and flour did not share in the activity or strength."

MONTREAL GRAIN.

Good Demand for Grain, With a Little Export Business in the Flour Market.

There appears to be a much better demand for Manitoba wheat, and there was some business yesterday and to-day on export account. Sales aggregating 50,000 bushels No. 1 hard were made yesterday, October delivery, and holders are asking 72c, Fort William, for prompt delivery. Peas were firmer, at 61 1-2c to 62c, and oats are still quoted around the basis of 28 1-2c afloat.

The better feeling noted in the flour market some time age still continues, and the enquiry for old wheat flour, both on local and export account, seems to be on the increase. Yesterday afternoon 1,000 sacks Manitoba flour were placed for shipment to Glasgow and 500 sacks to London. Values are: Winter wheat, patents, $4 to $4.25; straight rollers, $3.50 to $3.75; in bags, $1.65 to $1.80; Manitoba patents, $4.80 to $4.90; strong bakers' best, $4.50 to $4.60.

There continues to be a steady demand for feed, and a good business is doing at quotations. We quote: Ontario red winter wheat bran, $12, and shorts, $14.50 to $15 per ton, in bulk; Manitoba bran, $11 to $11.50; shorts, $15.

A weaker feeling prevailed in the meal market to-day, and prices for rolled oats declined 10c per barrel, with sales at $3.50 per barrel, and at $1.70 per bag.

In baled hay, there is no new feature. The supply is in excess of local requirements, and owing to the high ocean rates of freight asked, little is being exported, consequently on the whole the market is quiet. We quote: No. 1 at $6.50; No. 2 at $5 to $5.50; and clover mixed, at $4 to $4.50, in car lots.

CANADIAN PUBLIC HAS $234,279,101 IN BANKS.

The public deposits in Canadian banks have now reached the enormous total of $234,279,101, the largest on record. Of this amount $84,306,117 is payable on demand and $149,972,984 payable after notice. The figures are taken from the bank statement for the month of August and are therefore official.

Current loans of the Canadian banks at present amount to $218,077,369, an increase over August last year of $15,620,182, while call loans show an increase over last year of $4,869,068, amounting to $21,475,172.

Another very important item in the bank statement which illustrates the vast expansion in Canada's foreign trade is the balance due to Canadian banks from foreign agencies. This amounts to $25,533,817. At the end of July the total was only $19,327,662. Balances due from agencies in the United Kingdom amounted to $11,483,170. In July, the month before, the balance was only $10,513,602, while in August last year it was $12,249,663. The circulation of the banks continues on the increase and has now reached the record figures of $37,299,496, or an increase over the same time a year ago of $2,845,110. The specie holdings have increased during the year by $931,967, and the Dominion note holdings are $17,579,203, or $34,160 less than a year ago. The holdings of Government debentures and stocks are $40,016,696, or an increase of over ten millions.

TRADE IN AUGUST.

It Was Over Three Million Dollars Better Than Last Year, and the Revenue Was Larger.

Ottawa, Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Trade figures for the month of August last have been prepared by the Customs Department. They show a big increase both in regard to the revenue and the volume of trade. The aggregate trade increased over the same month last year by over three million dollars, and the revenue increased by $340,000. The imports increased by $2,500,000 and the exports by about half a million. Following are the figures compared with August, 1897:—

	1898.	1897.
Imports—		
Dutiable goods	$ 7,210,457	$ 5,889,761
Free goods	5,357,715	4,610,307
Coin and bullion	1,528,497	1,046,158
Total	$14,090,759	$11,546,225
Duty collected	$ 2,047,265	$ 1,703,514
Exports—		
Canadian	12,961,136	12,508,328
Foreign	1,138,547	1,215,224
Coin and bullion	167,430	45,382
Total	$14,267,113	$13,768,824

LONDON STOCK MARKET.

STOCKS.	Sept. 23.	Sept. 22.	Sept. 21.
Atchison	13⅜	13⅜	13¼
Paris Rentes	.....	.....	.....
Canadian Pacific	88⅞	89⅜	88¼
Grand Trunk 1st	.....	.....	.....
Do do 2nd	43½	.....	.....
Do do 3rd	.....	.....	.....
Do do 4th	78¾	.....	.....
Erie	14¼	14⅜	14¼
Do pfd	37¼	37⅜	37¼
Illinois Central	115½	116	115¾
Louisville & Nashville	57¾	58¼	58¼
Lake Shore	.....	.....	.....
Northern Pacific	79¼	79⅜	79⅜
New York Central	120½	120½	120¾
Ontario & Western	16¼	.....	16¼
Reading, assess. pfd	9⅝	9	9
St. Paul	112⅞	113⅜	112⅜
Union Pacific	32⅝	33⅜	32⅞
Wabash pfd	22½	23	22½
Bank Rate	2½	2½	2½
Consols	.....	.....	.....

EXPORT APPLE TRADE.

Fully 20,000 Barrels Expected to Go Out of Montreal This Week—Current Prices.

The shipments of fall fruit from this port will be large this week, as fully 20,000 barrels are expected to go forward, of which about 10,000 barrels are for Liverpool, 3,000 for London and 4,000 for Glasgow. The Liverpool cable to Mr. Frank Hamilton on Monday was lower at 6s to 16s per barrel. This was expected. About 1,600 barrels of hard fall apples are going on steamer to-night in cold storage at an extra cost of 1s 6d per barrel.

The Western States are taking a considerable quantity of fall fruit out of Western Ontario, costing $1.25 to $1.50 on board cars. A part car of greenings was received this week, and sold at $2.10 per barrel.—Trade Bulletin.

GRAIN UP WEST.

Not Very Much Business Doing in Either Grain or Flour—To-day's Prices.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—Flour—Straight rollers, in barrels, middle freights, are quoted at $3.10 to $3.20 at Toronto. Wheat—New red and white Ontario wheat quoted at 65c to 66 1-2c at north and west points and spring at 63c. Rye—Quoted at 40c west. Oats—New white oats quoted at 23c to 24c north and west. Barley—Quoted at 40c, middle freights, for No. 1. Buckwheat—Prices nominal. Bran—Sells at $8.50 to $9 west, and shorts at $13 to $13.50 west. Corn—Canadian, 32c to 33c west, and American 38c to 39c at Toronto. Peas—New peas are quoted at 52c north and west in car lots. Oatmeal—Car lots of rolled oats in bags on track at Toronto, $3.60; in barrels, $3.70.

Glad to Get Back From Dawson.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 23.—The steamer Humboldt arrived here to-day, twelve days from St. Michael, with 230 passengers from Dawson City. The majority of them were "Cheechareos" glad to get back to civilization. There were only a few who had any gold dust. Purser Twigg estimates the total amount of treasure brought down on the steamer at $100,000. The troops that were taken up from San Francisco on the Humboldt left St. Michaels on September 9th for Rampart City.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Cheese Very Strong, in Sympathy With the Advance in the Country—Butter Steady.

There is a much stronger tone to the local cheese market in sympathy with the further advance at Brockville and Kingston, and the fact that the market across the water shows additional strength. The Trade Bulletin's cable from London says: "Recent low prices have stimulated demand, and rates have advanced both here and in Liverpool, but I notice that cables from your side are getting ahead of prices here, and it looks as if importers were determined to follow your lead very cautiously." Finest western, colored, 8 7-8c to 9 1-8c; finest western, white, 8 3-4c to 9 1-8c; finest eastern, colored, 8 3-4c to 8 7-8c; finest eastern, white, 8 1-2c to 8 5-8c; Liverpool cable, colored, 40s; Liverpool cable, white, 38s 6d.

Butter has a strong tone to it, although the market is not showing quite as much activity now as it was some days ago. Extra finest creamery, boxes, 19 1-2c to 20c; etxra finest creamery, tubs, 19c to 19 1-4c; ordinary finest creamery, boxes, 18 1-2c to 18 3-4c; ordinary finest creamery, tubs, 17 3-4c to 18 1-4c; dairy butter, 14c to 14 1-2c.

The Trade Bulletin's London cable on butter says:—London, Sept. 22.—The price of finest butters has gone up 4s since my last cable, and the market is steady at the rise, but some of our large houses here are not as free buyers as they were a week ago, as the advance which retailers have been compelled to make has had a perceptible influence already in checking the demand. There is a good enquiry, however, for fine second qualities.

A fairly active business continues to be done in eggs, there being a good local demand for small lots. Some round lots are to arrive from the lower ports to-morrow on consignment, and this has caused a little easier feeling in the market, but no actual change in prices has taken place. We quote:—Strictly new laid, 17 1-2c to 18c; No. 1 candled, 14c; No. 2 do., 12c to 13c; P.E.I., 12c to 13c; and culls, 9c per dozen.

There was no change in beans, and the market is dull. We quote: Choice hand-picked, 95c to $1 a bushel; primes, 85c to 90c.

The demand for honey is slow, and prices rule easy. We quote: White clover comb, in 1-lb. sections, 7c to 7 1-2c; dark, 5 1-2c to 6 1-2c; white extracted, 6c to 6 1-2c; and dark, 4c to 5c.

Maple product is neglected, and prices are nominal. Syrup in wood, 4 1-2c to 4 3-4c per lb.; in tins, 45c to 55c, according to size. Sugar, 6c to 6 1-4c per lb.

CATTLE ARE SCARCE,

Several Steamers Have Left Montreal Without Live Strck,

Owing Mainly to the Limited Supply of Suitable Shipping Stock Throughout Province of Ontario.

Several cattle-carrying steamers have left Montreal without their usual freight of sheep and cattle, and this is said to be due to the fact that suitable exporting stock throughout Ontario is really in limited supply. There is another reason, however, and that is that American shippers have been buying quite freely of late, and have been shipping by way of Boston.

Yesterday at the East End abattoir the offerings were 500 head cattle, 1,100 lambs, 200 sheep and about 100 calves. American buyers were conspicuous on the market, and there was an active demand for shipment to Buffalo. Ten cars were bought, consisting of young bulls, heifers and steers, and the prices paid were 2c to 2 1-4c for bulls; 2 1-4c to 2 1-2c for heifers, and 3c for steers. Really choice butchers' cattle were very scarce, in fact there were none to be had on the market, consequently buyers of such found it difficult to fill their wants. On the whole the demand was only fair from local buyers, and at the close some were left unsold. Trade was quiet, but the tone was steady, and prices showed little change, sales being made at from 3c to 4c uer lb., live weight. The trade in sheep was fair, and prices were steady at 3c to 3 1-4c per lb. The supply of lambs was in excess of the demand, and some were left over. The heavy receipts depressed prices fully 1-2c per lb., sales being made freely at 3 1-2c to 4 1-2c per lb. Calves went with a good demand at prices ranging from $2 to $10 each, as to size and quality.

At the Grand Trunk stock yards, at Point St. Charles, there were 1,500 live hogs offered, which met with a good demand at $4.75 to $4.90 per 100 lbs.; weighed off cars. A few lambs sold at 4 1-4c, and sheep at 3 1-4c per lb., live weight.

BUSINESS AT MANILA.

The Americans Have Taken an Inventory of Everything in the Harbor—Blowing Up the Wrecks.

San Francisco, Sept. 23.—An Associated Press correspondent, writing from Manila, says:—The work of setting the wheels of business in the harbor of Manila in motion has been entrusted to Captain Henry Clans, of the United States ship Charleston. One of his first duties was that of taking an inventory of all the shipping that fell into Admiral Dewey's hands on the 13th instant. This includes everything afloat, either on the bay or river, which means a radius of forty miles, and its value is about $1,500,000.

Ensign Moffat has been busy with guncotton and dynamite, blowing up the wrecks that were sunk in the Pasig river and the outer harbor, and of the twenty or thirty wrecks in the river, nearly all have been destroyed so that ships drawing fifteen feet of water may now enter and come to the wharves.

Lieutenant J. T. Myers, of the Marine Corps, is in charge of all the prizes.

FROM THE MINES.

Virginia is Looking Well—Transactions in Mining Shares the Largest for Two Weeks.

(Special to The Herald.)

Rossland, B.C., Sept. 23.—Virginia is looking well, particularly in the east drift at the 300-foot level. Sinking will be resumed, and the shaft driven to the 500-foot level without delay. When work was suspended on Commander the vein was broken up at 180 feet with no particular showing. The shaft is now down 200 feet, and in the bottom there is a foot and a half of high grade copper ore in the camp. The shaft will be sunk to 400 feet before drifting. The transactions to-day were the largest for two weeks.

CHIEF DUSK MURDERED.

One of the Most Famous Indians of the Stickeen River Killed—The Assassin Suicided.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—News reached here this morning of the murder and robbery of old Chief Dusk, one of the most famous Indians of the Stickeen River. Dusk had been blind for years, but was the most influential and wealthy native of the North. His assassin, Wisttawa, one of the big men of the trible living near Shakan, South-eastern Alaska, was detected in the crime and taken in charge by Dusk's relatives. He was compelled by tribal custom to attend the funeral of his victim, and did so, amid the threatening looks of the rest of the trible. The strain was too much for him, however, and he killed himself before the services were over.

METHODIST FIRE INSURANCE,

The Church Will Soon Organize a Company to Insure Churches, Parsonages, Etc.

LIVELY EVENING SITTING.

Deputation Will Wait on Government in Reference to Liquor in the Yukon.

WORK OF CONFERENCE OVER

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Yesterday the Methodist General Conference resumed consideration of the discipline committee's report, and decided not to make any change in the name of the church. Rev. W. J. Hunter, D.D., was elected a representative to the M. E. Church of the United States as a fraternal delegate, and the Rev. Dr. Brecken to the Methodist Church of the South. The Conference then elected the seven ministers to the board of directors of Ontario Ladies' College, and the General Conference committee and the Court of Appeals were also elected. After some sharp cross-firing between Dr. Potts and Judge Chesley, the recommendation to admit women to the offices of the church was squelched. The recommendation that ministers be not allowed to join Free-masons or similar orders was voted down.

It was moved by the Rev. F. A. Cassidy, seconded by Rev. Chancellor Burwash, and resolved: "That we desire to place upon record an expression of our high appreciation of the services rendered by the eRv. Davidson McDonald in the Japan mission field from 1893 to the present. We are devoutly grateful for the kind Providence which has preserved him during those years and enabled him to serve the church for the long term of a quarter of a century in foreign mission work with the honor and esteem of his fellow-workers at home and abroad."

In the afternoon the following reports were adopted without delay: The report on course of study, on the Sunday-school and Epworth League Board, on state of work, on church property and on systematic beneficence.

Settled an Old Question.

The committee on fire insurance seems to have settled the question which has been troubling the Methodist people for four years, and after some questioning, the Conference accepted the report. It is the intention of the Methodist body to organize an insurance company as soon as possible. Shares will be issued for $50,000, and a board of directors composed of members of the Methodist Church will form the executive. The only risks carried will be those on churches, parsonages and schools belonging to the Methodist Church. The ministers in each district will act as agents for the company. Profits will be devoted to either the superannuation or supernumery funds.

Mr. Warring Kennedy was elceted treasurer of the Sunday-school aid fund, and Mr. A. E. Kemp, of the Epworth League, after which the report of the Ecumenical Conference committee was adopted.

The report of the temperance committee, which name has been changed to that of temperance, prohibition and moral reform committee, was also adopted.

Called It a Fraud.

In the evening the question of whether the Book Room or the General Conference should pay the expenses of the Methodist trust fire insurance committee was resurrected, and a very lively discussion took place. Dr. Griffin said the whole thing was a fraud. Dr. Antliff objected to this, and called on the chairman for his ruling. Mr. Jos. Tait—"Oh, he only means it in the Pickwickian sense." Rev. Dr. Antliff still objected to the statement, and it was taken up by Dr. T. G. Williams introducing a resolution to request the press to say nothing about it. Mr. W. T. R. Preston declared that they were humiliating themselves by constantly appealing to the press to shield hem. He thought it was time the members learned to use language which they would not be ashamed to have made public. Dr. Griffin endeavored to give an explanation of his expression, and the discussion was terminated by the chairman, who put the clause in the minutes of the meeting. The clause was confirmed.

A deputation was chosen to present to the Dominion Governmnt the views of the Conference regarding the sale of liquor in canteens and the granting of liquor permits in the Yukon district.

The following committee reports were adopted: Church union, statistics and schedules, civl privileges and sociology.

The meeting of the next General Conference will be arranged by the General Conference special committee.

The thanks of the Conference were tendered the billeting committee, the trustees of the Metropolitan Church, the Methodist Social Union, Toronto friends who opened their homes to delegates, and also to the representatives of the press for the courteous reports of their proceedings, and the great Conference was over.

SARGENT WILL STAY.

Will Resign His Position as Industrial Commissioner and Continue to be Grand Master, Locomotive Firemen.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Mr. F. P. Sargent, grand master of the Locomotive Firemen, announced to the Grand Lodge yesterday afternoon that he would again be a candidate for the office of grand master, and that if elected he would resign his position on the non-partisan industrial commission, to which he was recently appointed by President McKinley. When the announcement was made, cheer after cheer went up from the delegates. Mr. Sargent came to the convention possessed of the intention to resign the grand mastership, which he has held for fourteen years, but one after another of the delegates have been urging him to retain office, and he finally succumbed to their solicitations. The sessions of the convention were occupied yesterday wholly with the report of the grand executive board on the report of the board of grand trustees. It now looks as if the election of officers would entail little, if any, change.

A Belleville Wedding.

Belleville, Ont., Sept. 23.—Miss Florence May Lingham, daughter of Mr. F. P. Lingham, and Mr. S. D. Lazier, barrister, of this city, were married at St. Thomas Church yesterday. Rev. Canon Burke, and Rev. S. Rhodes, officiated. After the reception at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mr. Lazier left for the west on their bridal trip.

Three of Them Were Shot.

Cumberland, Md., Sept. 23.—Frank P. Myers shot and instantly killed John Lenhart, a constable, and Michael Kerns, a bystander, at Garrett, Md., yesterday, while resisting eviction from a house which was the subject of a family dispute. As he was being taken to jail someone in the crowd shot the prisoner in the head and he fell dead in the sheriff's arms.

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A Resident of Knowlton Locates Gold in Paying Quantities—More in the Same Vicinity.

Knowlton, Que., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Mr. F. A. Knowlton has discovered a "Klondike," not in the frozen north, but in one of the neighboring brooks from the Bolton Mountain. He has been looking over the several streams during the past summer, and has found gold nuggets, some of which are as large as a wheat kernel. Mr. Knowlton is well satisfied that gold can be found in quite large quantities in Brome County if only looked for. He has put in a sluice for the purpose of washing the precious metal, and is satisfied that the yellow nuggets are present.

The anniversary of the Methodist Church was celebrated on Monday evening last. A very large number were present, both at the supper, which was served by the ladies of the congregation, and at the entertainment afterwards. Addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Cummings and Rev. W. P. Chambers, and also by the visiting minister, Rev. C. A. Sikes. Mr. Ferrier also contributed two of his songs. The Knowlton Orchestra was also present.

Want a Royal Commission.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The petition embodying the resolution of the City Council asking for the appointment of a Royal Commission to investigate the charges of irregularities in connection with the sale of the Street Railway franchise, provided the evidence forthcoming warranted such a step, was this morning stamped with the corporate seal, signed by the Mayor and City Clerk, and forwarded to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

An Unknown Injured.

Collingwood, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—At the Exhibition yesterday afternoon a young man, identity unknown, attempted to cross the race track and was struck down by the leading horse and terribly mangled. Jockey Bellwood was pitched on his head and picked up senseless. The doctors think the unknown man has a chance of recovery, but is not so sure of Bellwood.

Forged Archie McKee's Name.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Mr. R. O. Webb, of Pittsburg, stayed in this city for a few hours Wednesday, and while here cashed at Halton and Company's bank a cheque for $50, on the back of which was the forged endorsement of Archibald McNee, editor of the Record. The police have not been able to locate Webb.

The Fourth African Victim.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Capt. W. E. Cooke, is the fourth grauduate of the Royal Military College who has lost his life in South Africa. Captains Mackay and Stairs died from fever, and Capt. Robinson was killed in an attack on a native village on the west coast.

An Old Man Dropped Dead.

Cookshire, Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Herman Sunbury, a man 62 years of age, fell dead at Island Brooke yesterday morning. Coroner Woodward was summoned from Sherbrooke, and the inquest was held last night. The verdict was death from syncope.

AMONG THE SHIPS.

In and Out of Montreal.

Arrived—September 21 and 23.

Steamship Tongariro, Liverpool, D. W. Campbell, general.

Steamship Britannic, Nilson, Sydney, Kingman & Co., coal.

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Steamship Buenos Ayrean, McAdam, Glasgow, H. & A. Allan, general.

Cleared—September 21 and 23.

Steamship Californian, Brown, Liverpool, H. & A. Allan, general.

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Strathgarry, Hamburg, September 4.
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Bengore Head, Dublin, September 8.
Malin Head, Barrow, September 8.
Gala, Shields, September 10.
Kastalia, Glasgow, September 10.
Glenvech, Leith, September 10.
Ashanti, London, September 11.
Malin Head, Ardrossan, September 11.
Ganges, Leith, September 11.
Bengore Head, Ardrossan, September 12.
Torr Head, Belfast, September 13.
Alcides, Glasgow, September 14.
Dominion, Liverpool, September 15.
Baltimore, Liverpool, September 15.
Lycia, Bristol, September 15.
Numidian, Liverpool, September 15.
Montevidean, London, September 16.
Lake Huron, Liverpool, September 17.
Amarynthia, Glasgow, September 17.
Sylvania, Hamburg, September 18.
Switzerland, Hull, September 18.
Fremona, Leith, September 20.
Hurona, Shields, September 21.
Monterey, Bristol September 21.
Manchester Trader, Liverpool, Sept. 21.

Gulf Report.

L'Islet.—Cloudy; west.

River du Loup.—Cloudy; raining; east.

Father Point.—Cloudy; raining; east. Inwards, 2.30 a.m., Zola; 7.30 a.m., Bengore Head; yesterday, 8.30 p.m., Malin Head.

Metis.—Cloudy; east. Inwards, 7 a.m., Glenvech.

Matane.—Cloudy; east. Inwards, 7 a.m., Alcides; 8 a.m., Ashanti; barque Desideria left for St. Thomas; barque Kelly for Saguenay.

Cape Chatte.—Cloudy; east. Inwards, 7 a.m., Dominion.

Martin River.—Cloudy; calm. Inwards yesterday, 4 p.m., Illaro.

Fame Point.—Cloudy; strong north-west. Outwards, 6 a.m., Tiber.

Cape Rosier.—Cloudy; raining; calm. Outwards yesterday, 8.30 p.m., Admiral.

Point Maquereau.—Cloudy; raining; strong south-west. Outwards, 3 a.m., Monticello.

North Shore.—Clear; north.

Point des Monts.—Inwards, 5 a.m., steamer Bersimis; inwards, three barques.

Pentecost.—Inwards, 8 a.m., schooner Marie Josephine.

Anticosti.—Clearing; strong north-west.

Heath Point.—Outwards, 8 a.m., Lake Ontario.

Low Point.—Cloudy; west. Outwards yesterday, Krim and Cape Creton; inwards to-day, Glenlivet.

Cape Race.—Cloudy; strong south-west. Outwards yesterday, 10 a.m., Ethelaide, reported eight feet of water in hold; 5 p.m., Barcelona.

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Found His Wife in Jail.

Hamilton, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—When William J. Clark returned yesterday from the North-West, where he went to look for work, he was surprised to find that his little home had been broken up and that his wife had been missing for some time. He made enquiries of the police, and learned that the woman had been sent to gaol for six months for being a loose, idle and disorderly person, and that his child was in a home.

Lawyer Charged With Theft.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Mr. Wm. Werrett, of the legal firm of Bull & Werrett, was placed under arrest last night on a warrant which charged theft, the amount stated being $1,000, and the prosecutor being Mr. T. H. Bull, partner of Mr. Werrett. The charge arises out of some business transaction of the firm.

Fire at Vaudreuil.

Mr. Miles' residence at Vaudreuil narrowly escape destruction by fire at noon yesterday. Through the energetic efforts of neighbors the fire was extinguished after an hour's fight. The damage to the building is slight, smoke and water have, however, caused considerable damage to its contents.

Morrision Goes to Dawson.

Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 23.—Aulay Morrison, M.P., has left hurriedly for Dawson. He refused to disclose the object of his visit, but it is understood he has been asked by the Dominion Government to enquire carefully into complaints about the Government of the Yukon.

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THE MISSES LADFORD.

A Story of the Rhine, by W, Pett Ridge.

The Misses Ladford walked across the road from the German station to the small hotel, having after ten minutes of pantomime succeeded in gaining from the station master that their train from Coblentz had lost the connection to Luxembourg. What gave additional annoyance to the elder Miss Ladford (who was not very old, but only thirty something) was that, not being on close and friendly terms with the German language, she had been unable to inform the station master of her decided views on German railways generally and the tardy 8.35 p.m. from Coblentz in particular. Her sister (who was twenty nothing) seemed less perturbed, being, indeed, a young woman with sunshine in her face, and one upon whom it was always a pleasure to look.

"And now," complained the elder Miss Ladford, "I suppose we shall have more unintelligible argument at this ridiculous hotel. Not a soul to speak English or French, and"——

"We shall manage," said her young sister, hopefully. The porter carrying their luggage pushed open the door, and they stepped into a big, square room, with a pewter-covered bar at the side. A few men were playing with grubby cards in a corner; the proprietor shuffled forward and took his pipe from his mouth reluctantly.

"Bah!" cried the elder Miss Ladford.

"That's not German," remarked her young sister, cheerfully. "Kellner, ein zimmer."

If young Miss Ladford had known the German for hotel proprietor she would not have called him a waiter. It was unfortunate, because the proprietor's brow clouded at the word "Kellner," and he appeared to be instructing the porter to take the luggage outside. The two ladies started at each other distressedly.

"Can I be of any use?"

"Mr. Wallis!" cried the young sister, delightedly.

"Mr. Wallis!" remarked Miss Ladford, distantly.

In a few words the young man explained everything to the offended hotel proprietor; in a few more words he informed the ladies that he, too, had arrived by the [illegible] from Berlin, and that, finding the [illegible] train for Luxembourg had gone, he had said a few words——

"I am glad you did that," said Miss Ladford.

——And had come straight across to the hotel. Mr. Mark Wallis further mentioned that he had ordered supper for one; while the ladies were upstairs he would amend the order and make it supper for three. A stout, apple-faced maid appeared and prepared to conduct them stolidly up the broad wooden staircase to their room.

"Mr. Wallis!" said Miss Ladford. "We quarrelled, I'm afraid, at Baireuth."

"No, no!" said the

"No, no!" replied the young man, flushing. "Don't dignify our argument to that extent. It was a mere difference of opinion." He glanced at the young sister, who was following the apple-cheeked maid.

"You made some unkind remarks in your journal last winter about my playing, and I felt bound to tell you that I resented those criticisms. We had been good friends, too."

"I tried to be fair, Miss Ladford. I had every reason not to be unkind."

"Every reason?"

"Every reason!"

She hesitated a moment, and then held out her hand.

"Shall we forget all about it, Mr. Wallis?"

"It will give me great pleasure," said the young man, earnestly. And being in a foreign land, where courtly acts can be done without creating derision, he lifted her gloved hand and kissed it.

Such a supper party that night in the bare-boarded dining-room of the sleepy little hotel at Karthaus, and such determination on Mark Wallis's part to propitiate Miss Ladford; so much general good humor, indeed, that the chromo of the Emperor William on the walls stared as though alfg-inclined to assume that the laughter approached leze-majesty. Even the apple-cheeked servant became infected by the general gayety, and served the dishes with positive cheerfulness, crowning the evening, when supper was over and Mark Wallis had lighted a cigar and had said good night, by remarking (as she took the two pairs of shoes from the tired young women and closed their door) in a confidential whisper, "Jarring Cross!" And disappeared with the air of one who has said a reassuring and a comforting word to Englishwomen in a strange land.

"He improves on acquaintance," remarked Miss Ladford.

"Who, dear?"

"Why, Mr. Wallis, of course."

"Oh!"

"I disliked him extremely when I met him at first."

"Because of that notice?"

"That was the principal cause."

"Musical critics," said the younger lady, casually, "have a hard task to perform."

"And some of them hardly perform it. But I'm quite sure now, dear, that Mr. Wallis did not mean to be unfair." Miss Ladford went on argumentatively, as though trying to persuade her young sister to abandon an indefensible position in the debate. "So much depends, Alice, on the point of view in these matters. Mark Wallis, being so strong a Mozart worshipper, you see, he naturally enough"——

"Is Mr. Wallis going by our train in the morning?"

"I hope so," said Miss Ladford.

"You have changed your opinion, dear, about him? I'm so glad." Alice Ladford kissed her elder sister affectionately.

"A woman who doesn't change her opinion," said Miss Ladford, dogmatically, "is as tiresome as one who never changes her hats. I don't know which is worse."

It seemed that everybody in the little hotel awoke early the following morning. At 6.30 the round-cheeked maid came up with coffee and rolls, and these they had near to the open window that looked on the square in front of the station. Miss Ladford, in admirable spirits and enjoying now the whole adventure, saw Mr. Mark Wallis below, and remarked to her young sister that she supposed she had better go down in order to make sure about the Luxembourg train. Alice Ladford cordially seconded this resolution, and said that she for her part would stay upstairs and write.

"Train doesn't go till 8," said Mark Wallis, cheerfully. "There's nothing to see at Karthaus, so I thought of having a look round."

"I am tired of sight-seeing," remarked Miss Ladford. "This will have all the charm of novelty. May I come with you?"

"I want you to."

"Doesn't matter about a hat, does it? Nobody knows us."

"Nobody knows us here," he agreed, lightly. "In town we are, of course, important people. At least, you are. Critics don't count."

They walked down the principal lane of the village. The sun was in its pleasantly decorous mood, less obtrusive than it had been, but showing nevertheless a polite attention. Two stout matrons at their doorways remarked to each other confidentially that she was older than he, and after some haggling decided that there was a difference of five years.

"Nearly everything happens for the best in this world," said Mark Wallis. "If that train had not been late last night it would have been long perhaps before I had a chance of making my peace with you."

"I cannot permit," she said, quaintly, "any reference to a former discussion."

"As a matter of fact, I particularly want to be on good terms with you, Miss Ladford. I haven't many enemies, and I do not want to think of you as one of them."

"I believe," she said, quietly, pulling a blade of grass as they walked along, "that we are going to be very excellent friends."

"I'm so glad," he cried, honestly. "Indeed, I hope that we shall be something more." She did not look at him, and he went on. "Do you know, Miss Ladford, I feel very much the want of companionship at home. I'm almost twenty-eight, but already I am beginning to dread the possibility of journeying through my life a lonely traveller. Twenty-eight is not too young for a man to marry, is it?"

She shook her head and put her hand for a moment to her throat. Her thoughts went back swiftly to her first and last proposal. Dear, dear! what a long time ago that was. Nearly ten years ago, she feared; she remembered how she had refused the offer because she had an idea that it would be foolish to say "yes" to the first. And since (Miss Ladford remembered this with a little sigh) there had not been a second.

"What I mean to say is," said Mark Wallis, with nervous enthusiasm, "that the time comes to every man when he meets someone he really likes; if he misses that chance it is quite likely that an exactly similar opportunity may never occur again. And although it may appear very sudden to you, Miss Ladford, it's not really sudden, you know."

The poor blade of grass was getting terribly maltreated. For a self-possessed person Miss Ladford appeared singularly tremulous; she found that when she lifted her eyes from the ground the neat little cottages danced.

"I think—I think we had better return," she said, hesitatingly. "We mustn't miss the train, and we ought not to keep my sister waiting."

"Oh! Alice won't mind," he said, cheerfully.

"She's a dear girl," said Miss Ladford, endeavoring to regain her self-possession. "Although she's my sister, I have never quarrelled with her."

"She can keep a secret, too."

"When you know her better, Mr. Wallis, you will find that she is quite unlike me. That is why we get on so well together, I think. I don't like to think that I shall ever have to say good-bye to her.

"It won't be quite saying good-bye," urged Mark Wallis. "You see, a honeymoon—"

"We must talk about it," she interrupted, shyly, "when me meet in town."

"I would rather know now," he said.

"Until we reach Luxembourg, then."

"No, no!" he said, good-humoredly. He took her hand and placed it on his arm. "I must know now. Your sister will be anxious." Her hand trembled. "Point of fact, Miss Ladford, I want Alice to marry me as soon as we get back to town, if you don't mind."

The way seemed very long back to the little hotel, and the sunshine appeared strangely blurred. Neverthless Miss Ladford, like a sensible woman, said no word until she reached the Bahnhof, where her pretty young sister was waiting. Then she went up to her and kissed her.

"—I—I don't mind," she said, unsteadily.

—Woman at Home.

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BARBADOES HURRICANE.

Later Reports Indicate That the First News of the Disaster was not Exaggerated.

Kingston, Jamaica, Sept. 23.—Mail advices which reached here to-day brought details of the hurricane disaster at the Islands of St. Vincent, St. Lucia and Barbadoes, showing that the first accounts were not exaggerated. At St. Vincent about 200 loves were lost, not counting the loss of life suffered through the destruction of shipping. The coast is strewn with the wrecks of vessels.

The storm raged from ten o'clock in the morning (September 11th) until two o'clock in the afternoon, completely wrecking the island. At the capital, Kingston, fully 200 houses were demolished.

Throughout the island the destruction was on a wholesale scale, nearly all the estates and buildings being razed and cultivation being obliterated.

A dozen towns or villages were destroyed.

No approximate estimate of the value of the damage done has been reported, but the island is practically ruined.

DEATH OF DR. LAMARCHE.

Clever Young House Surgeon of Notre Dame Hospital Passes Away This Morning.

Dr. Amadee Lamarche, house surgeon of the Notre Dame Hospital, died at the hospital at four o'clock this morning. The deceased who had been ill for three weeks, was a son of Dr. J. B. Lamarche, and was only 24 years of age. He graduated with honors in medicine from Laval University about two and a half years ago, and had beeni house surgeon of Notre Dame Hospital for the past two years. He had a most promising career before him, and he was universally esteemed by all with whom he came in contact.

DID HE STEAL COAL?

Alexander Hughes, who drives a coal cart for Evans Bros., is accused of delivering short loads of coal and appropriating the rest of the load to his own purposes. Hughes has been with Evans Bros. as driver for about fourteen years, and has always been regarded as an honest man and a good servant. For some time past a good many complaints, it is said, have been made from time to time that the coal he delivered was under weight. Yesterday he was sent with a ton of coal to Mr. Desbarats, 197 Morrice street, and it is alleged that it was 500 pounds short. Later he was sent to 77 Mackay street with a quarter of a ton, and Constable Locasse went there before he arrived and secreted himself in a barrel in the cellar. The quarter-ton was in six bags, and Constable Lacasse says that Hughes only delivered five bags. Constable Larocque says that he saw Hughes deliver one bag at a hotel at the corner of McCord and Notre Dame streets.

Hughes came up in court this morning, and the trial was fixed for next Wednesday.

A PEREMPTORY NOTE

Washington, Sept. 23.—A very peremptory message of instruction has been sent to the Cuban military commission and by them made the basis of a note to the Spanish commissioners. The authorities in Washington will not make public the terms of the note, but its general tenor is that the United States will not be satisfied with any further delay in the evacuation of Cuba.

It is to the effect that the terms of the protocol called for the immediate evacuation of Cuba and that Spanish sovereignty must be relinquished. The American commissioners have been informed that the evacuation of Cuba cannot be delayed.

NAPANEE BANK ROBBERY AGAIN.

Toronto, Ont., Sept. 23.—There seem to be strange developments in the Napanee Bank robbery case. Private despatches have been coming in to the effect that Pinkerton detectives were in the vicinity again, and were working on a new clue. Monday morning Detectives Greer and Rogers left for the East. Greer went as far as Brockville, and there joined the Pinkertons, and had been working with them ever since. A new plan seems to be in progress, for though Greer worked with the detectives before the first trial, no Crown detectives have been near the place since. The Attorney-General's department would say nothing about the matter when questioned.

Notice.

Parties wishing to connect with Lachine Line Park and Island cars should take any Notre Dame or St. Denis street car, on account of interruptions in the service on Notre Dame street, which prevents cars from running on time.

Bank M[illegible]

Mr. Justice Mathieu has handed down a judgment condemning the Eastern Townships Bank to pay the sum of $15,780, the amount of a judgment against it as tiers saisie in the case of the Banque Jacques Cartier and Dame Ovile Beaudet et al.

That Boundary Dispute.

Santiago de Chili, Sept. 23.—An agreement was signed yesterday between the representatives of Chili and Argentina, by which the boundary south of latitude 26.52.45 is submitted to arbitration. Negotiations are still proceeding in regard to the boundary north of that latitude, and as Chili insists that this also be arbitrated the danger is not yet passed, especially as Argentina still declines to submit the whole boundary to arbitration.

GOOD WILL SOAP
NONE BETTER—FEW
AS GOOD—ALWAYS
THE SAME QUALITY—

DEBS IS DEFEATED.

Sargent and Common Sense Will Carry the Day With the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Toronto, Sept. 23.—The biennial convention of Locomotive Engineers is fast drawing to a close, and to-morrow will see the conclusion of its proceedings. The question perhaps the most disturbing of any before the delegates was the new officials to be elected to lead the order for the next two years. The climax of the matter was reached when Eugene V. Debs, an ex-member and an ex-official of the order, arrived to throw the weight of his influence in favor of a more advanced programme on the matter of increased wages and a change in the conservative "no strike" policy of the order.

The members are reassured and comforted by the resolution of Grand Master F. H. Sargent to abide with the Brotherhood refusing in order to do so, the position on the non-partisan industrial commission to which he was recently appointed by President McKinley. His decision has cleared the atmosphere. It was feared that the influence of Eugene Debs might be exercised over a new Grand Master in a way that would revolutionize the conservative industrial and beneficiary policy of the order. It is known that Debs has no hold upon the present Grand Master. Sargent has judgment in spotting demagogues, and he has surrounded himself with the best elements of the Brotherhood.

That Debs failed in the purpose of his recent visit few will deny.

The Brotherhood of Firemen, it is generally conceded, will hold aloof from the trouble threatened on all roads entering Pittsburg, and in consequence the hands of the strikers will be weakened.

STABBED TWICE.

Francois Mennier Had a Very Disagreeable Time on St. Paul Street Yesterday.

As announced in yesterday's Herald. Francois Mennier, a native of France, was beaten and robbed on St. Paul street yesterday. But the case is more serious than was supposed. He was stabbed twice with a knife, and when he fell he was beaten and kicked till his face was hardly recognizable. This morning in court his face was covered with court-plaster. One eye is blackened and his nose is all cut. One ear is slashed and there is a bad wound in one cheek.

Joseph Hamel was arrested on a charge of being one of the assailants, and the enquete is in progress.

CONFERENCE ADJOURNS.

Deliberations Have Reached Such a Stage That it is Necessary to Communicate With Washington and Ottawa.

Quebec, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—The International conference commissioners after this morning's sitting decided to adjourn until Tuesday, the deliberations having reached such a stage that a suspension is necessary pending the preparation and exchange of written statements of the cases of the representatives of the different governments. Meantime the joint committees will sit daily.

DROWNED AT ST. ANNE'S

Louise Lachapelle, of Lavaltrie, Loses His Life While Jumping on to a Barge.

Louis Lachapelle, aged 45 years, and a native of Lavaltrie, Que., was drowned in the canal at Ste. Anne de Bellevue last night. While a barge on which he was employed was going through the locks he jumped off to take shelter from the rain, but when he attempted to jump on again he missed his footing, fell into the water and was drowned before assistance could be rendered him.

The Renewn Can't Come.

Vice-Admiral Fisher has wired to the Mayor expressing regret at not being able to bring the battleship Renown to Montreal. The water in the channel, he says, is not deep enough. Admiral Fisher also says that he intends issuing about 200 invitations to Montreal citizens to be present at a ball to be given on board the Renown, at Quebec, on the evening of Oct. 3rd. The Mayor has been invited to attend a dinner on board the Renown at 1.30 p.m.

Information Wanted.

Mr. Edward Cassidy, of 918 N. 4 ave., Saginaw, E.S., Mich., writes to the Mayor asking for information concerning his sisters, Alice, Ellen and Mary, all of whom he thinks are married and residing in or near Montreal. He says that property has been bequeathed to them, and he desires to inform them of the fact and have the property settled up.

Death of a Novelist.

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 23.—Richard Malcolm Johnson, the lecturer and novelist, died in this city this morning after an illness of several months.

A Temperance Lecture.

A temperance lecture will be given at Fraternity Hall, 715 Wellington street, Point St. Charles, Sunday, 7.45 p.m. Subject, "As ye sow, so shall ye reap." Everybody invited. Silver collection.

Personals.

Mr. William Campbell, Mr. C. R. Hosmer's secretary, leaves this evening for a six weeks' business trip in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank, prominent residents of Whitby, Ont., are visiting the city, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hugill, 421 Metcalf avenue.

The following members of the New York Amateur Athletic Club registered at the Windsor this morning: J. Flanagan, W. C. Carroll, M. W. Long, J. Bray, W. D. Hennen, R. J. Paulding, P. G. Clapp, W. B. Tewksbury, E. J. Grannin, H. E. Manville. They will take part in the games of the A.A.A. of C. to-morrow.

Hon. J. J. Rogerson, of Newfoundland, registered at the Queen's this morning.

Mr. Charles Allaway, banker, of Winnipeg, is in the city en route to New York and Philadelphia. Mr. Alloway is a brother of the late Dr. Alloway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stewart Tupper left yesterday for Winnipeg.

The family of Hon. George W. Stephens has returned to town after spending the summer in the country, and the handsome home on Dorchester street is again open.

When the inquest on Napoleon Couterer, the eleven-year-old boy who was killed by taking hold of a live wire at the corner of Notre Dame and Beaudry streets, Tuesday, was resumed this morning, Joseph Duval, one of the jurors, failed to put in an appearance. The coroner at once issued a warrant for his apprehension, and adjourned the inquest to this afternoon. The address "Robertson street," which the juror gave, is supposed to be a false one.

JUDGE DEFENDS YUKON OFFICIALS

He Says Most of the Present Agitation Could be Traced to Australian Miners.

AMERICANS KEEP QUIET

If the Regulations Are Not Right the Government Will Have Them Altered.

PLAIN FACTS OF THE CASE.

Kingston, Ont., Sept. 23.—(Special.)—Judge McGuire reached the city last night. He will remain here for some weeks to rest and recuperate and will then resume his judicial duties at Prince Albert, N.W.T. He has much to say about the Klondike. He denies the stories afloat of corruption among the Government commissioners. His first words were: "I see by certain news papers that I am quoted as saying that the persons who are agitating against the Government officials in Dawson City are convicts from Australia. In that I am misquoted. What I did say was that there are a number of persons at present in Dawson who had been witnesses of the success of agitation in Ballarat and other places in Australia when the Government had been forced to back down. Perhaps the Government had to concede to the demands because the population there are tough, a large percentage of them being ex-convicts and these men coming out here probably thought to force our Government to accede to their demands. Most of the agitators up there are Australians, aided by a few Canadians. Americans have generally kept quiet for the reason that they are satisfied to allow the British subjects to do the agitating, realizing that if they entered into the agitation they would probably be told the doors were open to them and they could depart if not satisfied. Probably the Australians, realizing that they are British subjects, and Canadians, knowing they are in their own country, think they have a right to discuss and criticize the mining regulations."

"Have they cause for complaint?"

"Well, different views are bound to exist in regard to the mining regulations. No doubt the Government acted as they thought wisely upon the information at hand when they framed the regulations, but I am satisfied that if the Government find the reports upon which they acted were too highly colored they will modify the regulations accordingly."

THE A.A.A. OF C. REJECTS THE CAPITAL A.A.

The Ottawa Organization Not Allowed to Become a Member of the Canadian Association.

The council of the Amateur Athletic Association of Canada met in the St. Lawrence Hall this morning, Mr. Brophy, president, occupied the chair, and ten of the fourteen members were present.

The Capital Athletic Association of Ottawa applied for admission to the association, and the application was rejected.

The application of the Osgoode Hall A. A. was also rejected, as the application was not put in properly.

The Amateur Hockey Association of Canada was admitted to membership.

All applications for reinstatement to the amateur class will be left for the new executive, which will be elected to-morrow, to deal with.

The council was asked by the Ontario Rugby Football Union to decide the question raised as to the amateur standing of a man who accepted money to referee a football match. It was decided that anyone who accepts money to referee an amateur game, thereby becomes a professional.

Other matters of a routine nature were dealt with.

Jewish Marriage Customs.

It occurs to very few people (says the Rev. A. A. Green in an article contributed to "Young Israel"), as they witness the pretty ceremony that a Jewish wedding always is, that there are really two ceremonies in one, viz., the betrothal and the actual marriage ceremony. The first set of blessings recited before the putting on of the ring are the blessings consecrating the betrothal, and the second and concluding series of benedictions are the blessings consecrating the marriage. The force of an engagement to be married was formerly so strong that if two people were betrothed to each other in promise of marriage, it required a divorce to release them in case they altered their minds. But what will require some little explanation is the use of the Chupah, which gives to all these weddings so delightful a touch of Orientalism. This canopy takes us back to the very old times, when the bridal procession escorted the newly-married Jewess to the home of her future husband. It was a semi-royal procession, the canopy being carried over the head of the bride, partly as a sign of state, partly to shield her from the glare of the eastern sun. In the wedding ceremony as we have it to-day, the use of the canopy is the result of a gradual tendency to remove the celebration from the streets to the synagogue. The religious ceremony itself is comparatively late. Originally the parties were considered married when the bride entered the bridegroom's home in the presence of her friends, and thus publicly proclaimed herself a wife. As soon as the religious rite became a recognized and regular custom, the bridal procession wended its way to the place of worship instead of to the bridegroom's house, and, later, when the procession through the streets had to be curtailed, the canopy remained in use, but inside the synagogue, as we have it to-day. The writer continues: The drinking of wine by the bride and bridegroom out of the same glass is something more than the mere partaking of the wine over which a blessing has been said. One can never be absolutely sure about these things, but there is every reason to suppose that this joint partaking of the same cup of wine is a relic of a more primitive marriage custom, which made the eating or drinking out of the same vessel a public declaration of marriage. There are many places even now where the eating or drinking from the same plate or cup is all that people have in the way of wedding ceremonial. In some places the wedding ceremony consists of the bridge and bridegroom drinking rum out of the same vessel. That is the sign that they have linked their future together. In other places the two families meet at a banquet, and their partaking of a meal together signifies that an alliance has been effected. All who have studied the history of early Semitic tribes and nations, know the great significance attached to the sharing of a meal. Among the half-civilized wandering Arabs, to eat bread and salt in a man's house is so strong an act of alliance that anyone having done so may confidently rely upon not being harmed by the person who has been his host. All great occasions among Semitic tribes were signalled by a great tribal meal, and this is, possibly, the foundation of the marriage feast which, merely a fashion or conventionality among other people, is among Jews still something partaking of a religious character, the wedding blessings being added to the grace after the banquet. Whatever the use of the veil among other people, there is no doubt that the wearing of the veil among Jews at the wedding is a link to the eastern custom, which keeps every wife veiled from all except her intimate relations. The reading of the Hebrew marriage contract (the Kesubah) seems somewhat tedious to young people, but it was at one time, before registration and marriage settlements, a very important part of the proceedings. It gave the parties their certificate of marriage, and it bound the husband to make certain provision, specially named, for the maintenance of his wife. In some places these documents were very bulky, and were illuminated with more or less artistic taste.

A VICTIM OF NEURALGIA.

Mrs. Roberts, of Montreal, Tells a Wonderful Story.

She was a Sufferer for Some Seven Years, and Medical Treatment Failed to Give Her More Than Temporary Relief—A Herald Reporter Investigates the Case.

"I thought it was something wonderful when I went three days without being sick," said Mrs. Annie Roberts to a representative of The Montreal Herald, referring to her remarkable recovery from an illness of over seven long years. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts reside at 34 Wolfe street, Montreal, and the reporter was cordially welcomed when he went to inquire as to the truth of the report, that Mrs. Roberts had been restored to health through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts came to Canada from England a little more than five years ago, and Mrs. Roberts' illness began while still in the old country. "I was really the victim of a combination of troubles" said Mrs. Roberts. "For seven years neuralgia, with all its excruciating pains, has been my almost constant attendant. Added to this I was attacked with rheumatism and palpitation of the heart, and for the last five years, was not able to go out of doors during the winter months. Sometimes I felt as though those terrible pains in my head would drive me mad; my nerves were all unstrung, and a knock at the door would send me nearly crazy. I was treated at different times by four doctors since coming to Montreal, but without any lasting good, and I had given up hope of ever being better on this side of the grave. A friend of mine whose father had been helpless for two years, but was restored by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, urged me to try them. My husband asked the doctor who was attending me what he thought of them, and the doctor replied that he believed them to be a good medicine. This persuaded me to begin their use. No one who sees me now can form any idea of my condition when I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I had only taken three boxes when I began to recover. But seven years of pain had nearly shattered my constitution and I did not look for a speedy recovery, and was more than gratified to find that after I had used, I think, about a dozen and a half boxes, I was fully restored to health. It seemed all the more wonderful because the doctors, both in England and here, never did more than give me temporary relief, and their treatment was much more expensive. The past summer was the first in years that I really enjoyed life, and I was able to go on a visit to Radnor Forges. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have also been of much benefit to my daughter Violet. She is just nine years old, but she suffered a great deal from pains in the back and sick headache, but the pills have made her feel all right again."

"I never fail to recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when any of my friends are ill," said Mrs. Roberts. "While visiting at Radnor Forges, I urged a young lady friend who has long been a sufferer from curvature of the spine and obstinate constipation, to try them, and they have done her a vast amount of good."

The reporter confesses that Mrs. Roberts' story is a wonderful one. That she is now thoroughly well is clear, from her face, her manner and her happy spirit. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts are intelligent and reliable people. Mr. Roberts is head engineer in the biscuit works of Viau & Frere, the wealthiest firm in this line in the Dominion, and he fully endorses the good words his wife has to say in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In fact he says the speedy cure they wrought in his wife's case has saved him many dollars.

Brighton, Ont., Sept. 23.—J. E. Proctor's butcher shop and ice-house, and a small building adjoining, used as a bicycle repair shop, were destroyed by fire this morning; small insurance. Cause of fire unknown.

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WANTED—A superior general servant for a small family of three persons. No washing. Apply to Mrs. Simpson, "The Stanley," 131 Stanley street, door 1.

WANTED—Boys wanted at The Herald office to sell papers on Monday. Special. Apply Business Office. The Herald Office, St. James street.

WANTED—A good cook; no washing. 1404 St. Catherine street.

WANTED—An experienced man to take charge of the sale in Montreal of the subscription publications of a prominent New York house. Apply Saturday morning to Mr. Howell, 30 St. Helen street.*

WANTED—A young lady who can play dance music would like to attend balls two or three evenings in the week. Can read music at sight. Address B., Herald Office. 228

WANTED—Position as accountant; with long practical experience; capable of discharging satisfactorily any work of this nature entrusted to me. Formerly principal of Sackville, N. B., Business College. Address A. W. Young, 25 Resther avenue, Montreal. dtf

PERSONAL—G. Savolino, ladies' tailor, has now opened at 26 McGill College avenue; two years as cutter and fitter with J. J. Milloy. First-class work guaranteed at moderate prices.

BOARD—With double or single room, in a French family. Apply 105 St. Hubert street. 229

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CALLING IN CREDITORS

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
District of Montreal

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

No. 91.—In the matter of Robert J. Reeves and Samuel Upton, both of the city and district of Montreal, manufacturers, and those doing business as such in co-partnership, under the name and firm of "Reeves, Upton Manufacturing Co.," Insolvents.

The creditors of said insolvents are hereby ordered to appear before one of the judges of this court, in the court room, for insolvent matters, in the Court House at Montreal, on the thirtieth day of September instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in order to give their advice touching the appointment of a curator and inspectors to the property of the said insolvents.

L. H. COLLARD,
Deputy Prothonotary, C.S.
Montreal, 22nd September, 1898.

France Won't Much Wheat.

Paris, Sept. 23.—The French wheat crop is estimated at 123,000,000 hectolitres, the largest since 1874, when the yield was 135,000,000 hectolitres. This will render France independent of foreign importations of wheat.

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ROAD DEPARTMENT.

Tenders for the Paving of Maisonneuve Street.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Road Committee, and deposited in the office of the City Clerk, will be received up to 12 o'clock noon ON TUESDAY, THE 27th OF SEPTEMBER, 1898, for the paving with asphalt of part of Maisonneuve street, between Dorchester and St. Catherine streets, and also for the execution of works in connection with the said paving.

The lowest or any of the tenders will not necessarily be accepted.

The asphalt pavement must be guaranteed for five or ten years.

More details are given in the specifications and forms of tender, which, together with all information, can be had at the office of the undersigned City Surveyor, in the City Hall. No tender will be entertained unless submitted on the forms to be had at the office of the undersigned.

Note.—Tenderers refusing to accept the work awarded them shall forfeit the amount deposited with their tender.

PERCIVAL W. ST. GEORGE,
City Surveyor.
City Surveyor's Office,
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Montreal, Sept. 21, 1898.

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GENERAL INSURANCE CO., of Trieste.
Certificates payable in any part of the world.
Bankers give fullest protection on Credits or Advances to Customers.

WILLIAMSON—On the 19th inst., at 139 Charron street, point St. Charles, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Williamson.

CURZON ELEVATED TO THE PEERAGE.

London, Sept. 23.—(Special.)—It is officially announced that the Hon. George Curzon, until recently Parliamentary Secretary for the Foreign Office, who is to succeed the Earl of Elgin as Viceroy of India, has been elevated to the peerage as Baron Curzon, of Kedleston.

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