



1628 Notre Dame street, Montreal
May 6, 1904.—Readings by the Optical & Engineers' Supply Company's Standard Barometer at noon

Yesterday, 30.14	to-day, 30.36.
Temperature.	Max. Min.
To-day	64 40
Yesterday	72 48

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Notices of births, marriages and deaths must invariably be endorsed with the name and address of the sender, or otherwise no notice can be taken of them. Birth notices are inserted for 25c, marriage notices for 50c, death notices for 25c prepaid. The announcement of funeral appended to death notice, 50c extra; other extension to obituary, such as short sketch of life, two cents per word extra, except poetry, which is 50 cents per line extra—prepaid.

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

BIRTHS.

COOPER — At 644 Cadieux street, on Tuesday, May 3, 1904, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper.

HODGSON — At 718 St. Urbain street, on May 1, 1904, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Hodgson.

TAIT — At St. Laurent, Que., on Monday, May 2, 1904, the wife of Robert Tait, of a son.

MARRIED.

PHILLIPS-JACK — On April 27, 1904, by the Rev. Mr. Love, Edward Charles Phillips, youngest son of Edward Charles Phillips, of Quebec, to Christina, second daughter of the late James Jack, of Little River, Que.

TARWOOD — GREENE — On May 4, 1904, at the Cathedral of St. Alban the Martyr, Toronto, by the Rev. Canon Macnab, Stephen Tarwood, of Mexico son of the late C. St. George Tarwood, Esq., to Edith Alberta, only daughter of Columbus H. Greene, Esq., barrister, of Toronto.

DIED.

DRUMMOND — At Petite Cote, on May 5, 1904, Daniel Drummond, farmer, in his 79th year.

Funeral from his late residence, on Saturday, at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

EMPEY — At the Montreal General Hospital, on May 4, 1904, Percy Roy, eldest son of Herman H. and Mary Empey, aged 14 years.

Funeral will take place from the residence of his father, No. 90 Parnass street, on Saturday at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances will kindly accept this notice.

EWERS — At her late residence, Newmarket, Ont., on April 30, 1904, Rebecca McPhaden Ewers, wife of Geo. W. Ewers, aged 61 years.

HURDMAN — At his late residence, 74 Frank street, west, Ottawa, on May 4, 1904, Robert Hurdmann, lumberman, aged 71 years.

Funeral Friday, 6th inst., at 2:30 p.m. 444 ave. Ottawa, on May 3, 1904, Jane Horsey, beloved wife of H. A. May.

MACPHERSON — At the family residence, Ingleton, on May 3, 1904, in the 88th year of her age, Sage Rowland, dearly beloved wife of Alexander Macpherson.

MACDIARMID — At 36 Chomedy street, on May 5, 1904, Mary, eldest daughter of J. C. Macdiarmid, aged 21 years.

Funeral private.

McCREARY — Suddenly at the Russell House, Ottawa on May 4, 1904 William F. McCreary, M.P. for Selkirk, Man., in his 49th year.

OHMAN — In loving memory of James Olof, youngest son of Jessie and Nils Ohman, who died May 6, 1902, aged 7 years.

RUSSELL — At Winnipeg, on May 2, 1904, suddenly of heart failure, John Russell, barrister formerly of Richmond Hill, Toronto.

SEGSWORTH — On April 23, 1904 at his late residence Monck, in the Township of West Luther, Ont. Wm. Segsworth, aged 70 years.

TERHUNE — At his residence, 2619 Sutton avenue, Maplewood, St. Louis, Mo., on April 24, 1904, Deacon Richard Terhune, in the 75th year of his age, for some years a resident of Quebec.

WEBBROOK — On May 4, 1904, at her residence, 157 Dovercourt Road, Toronto, Mary, the beloved wife of the late Wm. Webbroom, in her 82nd year.

WURTELE — In this city, on April 21, 1904, at the age of 76 years and 3 months, the Hon. Jonathan Saxton Campbell Wurtele, one of the Judges of the Court of King's Bench.

IN MEMORIAM.

CUNNINGHAM — In this city, on Friday, May 5, 1899, Bertha E., aged 23 years and 7 months, eldest daughter of John Cunningham, 25 Murray street.

GOODFELLOW — In loving memory of Amy F. Goodfellow, died May 6, 1900, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Goodfellow, Beauharnois.

Those sending notices for the above columns may send with them a list of names of interested friends together with a one-cent stamp for each address, and marked copies of the "Witness" containing the notice, will be promptly mailed. For address in foreign countries three cents will be required.

Notices received too late for this page may possibly be in time for page 4.

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L. K. JONES,
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Ottawa, 4th May, 1904.

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THE DAILY WITNESS.
FRIDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 6.
OF INTEREST TO WOMEN
ERRORS IN THE HOME.
Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Gilman rarely says anything that accords with commonly accepted views, and her new book on "The Home" is no exception to the rule. It is directed against what the author calls a "school of myths," and among these myths are numbered some of the most cherished and least questioned ideas of this and past times, "more tenacious in their hold on the popular mind than even religious beliefs."
Gilman says, "with one especially dominant domestic myth, that fondly cherished popular idea—the 'privacy of the home.'"
In the home who has privacy? Privacy means the decent seclusion of the individual, the right to do what one likes, unwatched, uncriticized, uninterfered with. Neither father, mother nor child has this right at home. The young man setting up in "chambers," the young woman in college room or studio, at last realize what privacy is. The home does provide some privacy for the family as a lump—but it remains a lump. There is no privacy of the individual. The usual result is the bickering which is so destructive a feature of family life. Sore from too much rubbing, there is a state of chronic irritability in the more sensitive; callous from too much rubbing, there is a state of chronic indifference in the more hardy, and indignities are common in family life which would shock and break the bonds of friendship or of love, and which would be simply inconceivable among polite acquaintances. The home, as we know it, does not furnish privacy to the individual, rich or poor. With the poor there is such crowding as renders it impossible, and the rich admit to the most intimate personal association absolute strangers—strangers by birth, by class, by race, by education, as utterly alien as it is possible to conceive.
"Another devoutly believed domestic myth," Mrs. Gilman continues, "is the 'economy' of the home. The economic dependence of women upon men and all its deadly consequences is defended because of our conviction that her labor in the home is as productive as his out of it. When plain financial facts appear, when economic laws are explained, it is shown that our 'domestic economy' is the most wasteful department of life. The domestic system of feeding, clothing and cleaning humanity costs more time, strength and money than it could cost in any other way except absolute individual isolation. The most effort and the least result are found where each person does all things for himself. The least effort and the most result are found in the largest specialization and exchange.
"Still another domestic myth is the be-

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loved dogma of the 'maternal instinct.' The mother by virtue of being a mother is supposed to know just what is right for her children. But if there were an instinct inherent in human mothers sufficient to enable them to care rightly for their children, then all human mothers would care rightly for their children. Do they? What percentage of our human young live to grow up? About 50 percent. What percentage are healthy? We do not even expect them to be healthy. What percentage of our children grow up wise and good? Ask the great army of teachers and preachers who are trying forever and ever something to improve the adult humanity which is turned out upon the world from the care of its innumerable mothers and their instincts. The mothers of each nation repeat from generation to generation the mistakes of their more ignorant ancestors, and that the care and education of children have developed at the bottom of civilization, untouched by the whirling centuries, the primitive woman, in the primitive home, still toils at her primitive tasks.
And in conclusion she asks: 'Is it not time that the home be freed from these industries so palpably out of place—that our homes, no longer greasy, dusty workshops, but centres of rest and peace; no longer gorgeous places of entertainment that do not entertain, but quiet places of happiness; no longer costing the laborious lives of overworked women, or supporting the useless lives of idle ones; but properly maintained by organized industries, may be enjoyed by men and women alike, both glad and honorable workers in an easy world?'—Troy Press.

BOYS' HOME
EXERCISES OF PHYSICAL TRAINING CLASS LAST EVENING.

Yesterday evening the boys of the physical training class of the Boys' Home of Montreal gave the closing exercises in the hall of the institution. It was expected that parties from the M. A. A. A. and Y. M. C. A. would be present with bar and dumb-bells, but, owing to other engagements, they were absent. The little fellows of the Home were left entirely to themselves to interest the audience. The boys executed their exercises in the most creditable style and will be very hard to beat after a little more practice. A special squad of fifteen picked boys gave some dumb bell exercises in first-rate order. Mr. Merritt, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., acted as judge and picked out seven of the boys for prizes. He spoke very nicely to the boys and said that physical exercises would help to make good men out of them, as care of the body would give a wholesome and clear mind. Mr. S. M. Baylis complimented the boys on their smart appearance and clever work. Mr. J. C. Holden was also pleased with the exercises, and expressed surprise and pleasure that the boys had done so well. Mr. F. Gold Lyman and Mr. David Bentley also spoke of their interest in the boys and their performance.
Mr. J. R. Dick said that this year has been the best they have ever had. Mr. and Mrs. Dick felt greatly encouraged in their work. The general standing of the boys at present is higher than he has ever known it to be.
Mr. W. A. McLaren has been their instructor and has shown patience and tact in handling the boys.
The prize winners are:
Senior class—1, Chas. Deere; 2, Edward Tait; 3, Andrew Nelson.
Intermediate—1, Thos. Keenan; 2, J. J. Gossell.
Junior class—1, Chas. Goldney; 2, J. Martin Luther.
Mr. Merritt, of the Y. M. C. A., will lecture to the boys at an early date on the 'Boy and his body.' The lecture will be illustrated by means of a mannikin or chart.

NEWS IN BRIEF.
William F. Miller, who has been in Sing Sing prison for his connection with the famous 520 percent Franklin syndicate, was transferred yesterday from Sing Sing, New York, to Dannemora prison, on account of his health.

Fire at the Union Stock Yards, Indianapolis, yesterday, caused a loss of \$300,000 to the Belt Railway and the Union Stock Yards Company. The insurance is \$100,000. Thirty-five head of cattle, forty acres of cattle sheds, 500 tons of hay and 10,000 bushels of corn were burned.

Ottawa Scotchmen are contemplating the erection of a national hall at the capital, to be named after the late Sir Hector Macdonald, and have appointed Lord Dundonald, Sir Sandford Fleming, Dr. Thorburn, Mr. W. D. Hogg, K.C., Mr. John Macdonald, Mr. George Burns, Mr. David MacLaren, Mr. W. Wilfrid Campbell, the Rev. William McIntosh, Mr. J. R. Reed and Mr. J. A. Gemmell a committee to report upon the subject.

THE GRANITE COMPANY

THE MANAGER DESCRIBES THE METHODS OF RUNNING THE CONCERN.

The Granite Company of Argentina case was continued yesterday afternoon before Judge Choquet in the Empress Court. Telesphore Belair, the manager and secretary of the company, again took the stand. He deposed that since the company had been organized there had been two drawings daily, fifty per cent in all. One afternoon \$208.90 was taken in, making \$490 for the day. Out of this \$33.78 was paid to the agents as commission, something in the neighborhood of \$133 went to the clients, and the balance, about \$80, was the day's profit. Witness said that N. F. Duquette, 123 LaSalle street, a former director, but who had resigned some time ago, had bought 1,162 'privileged' shares in the company at thirty cents each.

Questioned by the Court whether under the Incorporation Act the promoters had paid subscriptions before applying for a charter, witness said he had signed the petition, though somebody else had paid his subscription.

Napoleon Boule told how the drawings were made. The three men appointed for this purpose, he said, were Gervais, Morvan and himself.

The names of the clients were divided into three lists, and each man selected twelve names from the list assigned to him. They then exchanged papers, and eight names were struck off from each list, leaving twelve names altogether. These were the winning names.

There were besides two other methods of drawing, more or less complicated.

Mr. Charles Wilson, for the defence, said that his clients would admit that 'privileged shares' had been issued on mere chance, but with perfect conformity to the regulations of the company, but Mr. Ladlamme, counsel for the prosecution, laughed those 'regulations of the company' to scorn, saying they were simply a blind.

The Court adjourned the case until Tuesday next for judgment.

OBITUARY.

DEATH OF MAURUS JOKAI, NOVELIST.

Buda-Pest, May 6.—Maurus Jokai, the Hungarian novelist, who was recently reported to be seriously ill, died last night from inflammation of the lungs. He was seventy-nine years old.

Maurus Jokai, Hungarian novelist, and chief editor of the "Nemzet," was born at Komarny on Feb. 15, 1825. He received his early education at Pressburg, passing afterwards to the Calvinist College. He achieved a great reputation as an advocate and took an active part in the revolution of 1848. He married that year Rosa Benke Labofalvi. His principal works, which have been translated into English, and have gained a worldwide reputation, embrace the following: "Timar's Two Worlds," "Pretty Michal," "Eyes Like the Sea," "Black Diamonds," "The Lion of Janina," "The Poor Plutocrats," "The Tower of Dayo," "Manasseh," "Hall the Pdlar," etc. He retained an active connection with the paper, which he helped so much to make famous, the "Nimzet," until quite recently.

St. Paul, May 6.—Captain James A. Campbell is dead at Fort Snelling, aged sixty. He served as a volunteer scout with General Sheridan during the Civil War and is said to have furnished the general with information which led to the winning of the Battle at Winchester. He served on General Brooke's staff during the Spanish-American War.

Halifax, N.S., May 6.—Mr. Richard F. Armstrong, city ticket agent of the Intercolonial Railway, died shortly before four o'clock this morning. Mr. Armstrong was sixty-two years of age and was one of the best known and most capable railway men in Canada. He came to Halifax from the Southern States and was for many years agent of the Grand Trunk Railway in this city. After the Grand Trunk Railway closed up its office Mr. Armstrong remained here, and about five years ago was appointed city ticket agent of the Intercolonial.

Munich, Bavaria, May 6.—Franz von Lenbach, the famous historical and portrait painter, and president of the Munich artists' association, is dead.

Ridgeway, Ont., May 6.—The Rev. Cheney Burdett, a superannuated minister of the Methodist Church, died here yesterday, aged eighty years. He was a native of Northamptonshire, England, and coming to this country a young man entered the Methodist ministry, in which he spent nearly half a century in effective work, retiring from active work about sixteen years ago, and taking up his residence in Ridgeway.

DR. JOSEPH MAY.

The following from a recent English paper refers to the death of a gentleman well known to a number of Montreal people: "Dr. Joseph May, F.R.C.S., who died at Devonport yesterday afternoon, aged 90, could boast of having seen the four Napoleons. The first he saw on board the 'Bellerophon' in Plymouth Sound, before being banished to St. Helena, and the second at Vienna, and the third and fourth (Prinz Imperial) at Mount Edgemoor Park. Mr. May served as a surgeon with the Polish army in their struggle for independence against Russia. He was an alderman of the borough, and a few years ago with W. White was presented with the freedom of the borough."

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Weekly Calendar.

FRIDAY, MAY 6.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS,

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SATURDAY, MAY 7.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION,

Dorchester Square.

SATURDAY, 8 p.m. Week Night Meeting for Men.

Leader this week, MR. C. S. PATERSON.

SUNDAY, 4 p.m. Young Men's Bible Study.

SPECIAL SERVICE, MR. WILLIAM HAYES, Chairman.

The meeting this Sunday will consist of short addresses by members of the class and others on the occasion of Mr. Hayes' departure for a visit to Australia in the interests of the Young Men's Christian Association of those countries.

Old members of the class specially invited.

THESE MEETINGS OPEN TO ALL MEN.

SUNDAY, MAY 8.

THE BIBLE

AND THE CRITIC.

NORMAN MURRAY

Will Lecture (D. V.)

on the above subject at

EMPIRE HALL,

Cor. St. Catherine and St. Lawrence.

SUNDAY, 8th May, 3 p.m.

FUTURE MEETINGS.

HORSE SHOW

MAY 11 to 14

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A special general meeting of the

shareholders of the Union Card &

Paper Co. Ltd.,

will be held in the office of the Company,

on SATURDAY, 14th inst., at 11 a.m.,

for the purpose of considering the election

of a by-law declaring the unissued shares

of the capital stock of the Company to be

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W. BRISBANE,

Secretary-Treasurer.

Art Association,

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will commence on MONDAY, the 15th May,

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Instruction on Monday, Wednesday,

Thursday and Saturday in each week, 2

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For particulars, apply to the Secretary.

NEW WHARF SHEDS

EIGHT FIRMS HAVE TENDERED

AND COMPETITION WILL BE

CLOSE.

Yesterday was the last day for receipt

of tenders for the erection of the new

steel wharf sheds, and last evening the

chief engineer, Mr. Kennedy, said that

eight well-known firms are represented.

These tenders are now in the hands of

the secretary of the Harbor Commission,

and will probably be considered at the

meeting of the board on Monday next.

The following firms have each put up

guarantee deposits of \$50,000.

W. Davis & Sons, general contractors,

Ottawa.

Mulliken Bros, steel workers, of New

York.

Canadian Bridge Company, of Peter-

borough.

J. Haney, general contractor, Toronto.

Peter Lyall & Sons, general contractors,

Montreal.

Canada Foundry Company, Toronto.

The Tidewater Bridge Company, New

York.

McClintock & Marshall, New York.

The Canadian firms mentioned are all

responsible people.

Neither the fortunate tenderer, nor the

price will be known until next week,

when the commissioners will consider

the matter. It is believed that the

competition will be close and that the

price on the entire group of fourteen

sheds will not be above \$3,250,000, or

below the three-million-dollar mark.

When once the contract is let work

on the construction of the first group

of four sheds will be immediately com-

menced, so that this section may be

completed by Oct 15 next.

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The Daily Witness.

FRIDAY, MAY 6, 1904.

THE WAR.

The Japanese fleet, like a mosquito which has been humming about one's ears all night in every direction at once, has lit at last and in two places at once, and these peculiarly uncomfortable ones. The first landing took place at Pi tze wo, on the east side of the Liao tung peninsula, straight across from a bay on the west side, which cuts the peninsula half through. It is a point from which roads radiate in four directions, south-west to Kin chow, Dalny and Port Arthur; west to the head of the bay just mentioned; north, to Niu chwang and north-east to Taku shan, Fung whang and the Yalu. The distance by road from there to the railway where it passes the head of the bay is less than twenty miles. The other landing is at Port Adams, a station on the railway at the head of the bay just mentioned, from which south-westward the railway skirts the shore of the bay for ten miles. A landing there, of course, means the cutting off of Port Arthur, and practically laying siege to it. To have them from being cut off in Port Arthur, Viceroy Alexieff and the Grand Duke Boris were hurriedly ordered to join the army and have apparently escaped just in time. As the new commander of the fleet at Port Arthur, Admiral Skrydoff, has not yet arrived there, and is now hardly likely to, this recall of Admiral Alexieff, who, in his double capacity as viceroy and admiral, had taken temporary command of it, would seem to imply that the fleet is no longer accounted as of any use. It is therefore coming to be believed that Port Arthur is really closed up. The accounts of the assaults upon it were somewhat confusing, one giving the number of 'fireships' as eight and another as ten, and some are now conjecturing that there may have been two assaults, and that the second was the more successful. This would imply a great deal of preparation on the part of the Russians. Another little battle has been fought on the road from the Yalu to Fung wang. A small force of Russians withstood an advance guard of the Japanese at a place called Tang shan, about ten miles up the road. The Russians, however, fled in confusion, being pursued for twenty miles as far as Kow li men, the place where the 'Pekin Road' crosses the old scientific boundary of the Chinese Empire, marked by an old palisade running along the slopes of the mountain range, which renders that region defensible.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

On Wednesday the United States Canal Commission took formal possession of the canal route and of the property of the Panama Canal Company, immediately after the transfer the United States flag was hoisted over the legation by the direction of Mr. William W. Russell, the retiring United States minister to Panama, who is also the newly appointed minister to Colombia. Henceforward, the canal work will be under the direction of Major Mark Brooke, of the Engineer Corps of the United States army. Messrs. Morgan & Company are the agents appointed by the United States to make the transfer to the canal company of forty million dollars, the price agreed upon. Morgan & Company will make the distribution as follows:—

They will place twenty million francs in the Bank of France, to the credit of Jean Pierre Gautrin, the liquidator of the old Panama Canal Company. This represents the value of the Panama Railway shares, the title to which was not to pass to the new company until the completion of the canal, unless twenty million francs were paid therefor to the liquidator of the old company. Five million francs will be paid into the Bank of France to the credit of the new Panama Canal Company, which, under the award of the arbitrators, is due to the new company to reimburse it for the five million francs paid in April, 1900, for the extension of the concession. Of the remainder of the forty million dollars, forty percent thereof is to be paid into the Bank of France to the credit of the new company, and sixty percent to the credit of the liquidator of the old company, as provided by the decree of the French courts confirming the award of the arbitrators. As this arrangement was made for the accommodation of the French parties, all expenses incident thereto are borne by them, and the United States is protected from all costs whatever. Stated concisely, the arrangement is that the French interests accept the deposit with Morgan & Co., as equivalent to payment for all purposes of delivery of the property. The canal company has likewise placed at the disposition of the United States the personnel of its organization upon the Isthmus, for the purpose of temporary service in the preservation of the works and property pending the preparations by the canal commission to undertake active operations. Now that the financial end of the business has been arranged and the route formally handed over, the work will probably proceed with speed. The fight has been a long, expensive, and bitter one as between the advocates of the Nicaragua and Panama routes and, incidentally, a new republic is one of the results of it. The canal will be one of the world's big things and a potent force in commerce.

All the fools do not live in Montreal, although we have enough here all the time to make such concerns as the 'credit' companies, and lottery and 'policy' companies, profitable to those who lie awake at night hatching out schemes to gull the public. In New York the lambs lie down with the wolves with the same sheepish confidence as they do here. There was the case of Miller, now in jail, who promised to pay depositors ten percent interest, and robbed them of thousands. And there is a case now going on in New York, where one Rothschild is indicted for fraud in connection with his management of the Federal Bank. 'Hard-headed' business men, as it is the fashion to call them, as well as ordinary people, were deceived right and left by this fellow, and they entrusted him with their money. He used to employ solicitors to get the small tradesmen to deposit money in the Federal Bank upon specious pretexts, and he used to get notes from people, discount them, and then appropriate the proceeds. He also carried on that the Minister of Justice is inquiring a usury business, under the style of the Globe Security Company, some of the subordinate officers of which are also now being prosecuted. The latest thing of the kind in Montreal is the Argentelle Granite Company, which did not deal in granite. The company obtained a charter for the purpose of buying quarries and operating them, but the managing secretary acknowledged that no arrangements have been made to purchase any quarries, and Judge Choquet pronounced plainly that the operations of the company differed in no way from the methods of an ordinary lottery. The secretary also admitted that from the time the charter was obtained there had been two drawings a day, making a total of fifty-eight drawings. The receipts were about four hundred dollars a day, of which about twenty-five percent went to agents for commission, more than a third went to those running the lottery, and the 'clients' were supposed to get the balance. In the case of the suspended 'Credit du Canada' Company, the provisional liquidator finds that there were some ten thousand clients drawn from every walk of life. The former head of this company has absconded, and we do not hear of any warrant being out for his arrest. Neither do we learn into the affairs of the several similar concerns now running in the city, as the House of Commons was told that he would do.

Three months ago Mr. Fielding, the Minister of Finance, announced that there would be no general revision of the tariff, which did not quite close the door on the expectations of the manufacturers, and, to further hearten them, he added that the government was always ready to consider earnestly any special cases brought to its notice. It has been remarked, however, that the demand for tariff revision has not had one-half the force and insistence of late that it had a year ago, possibly because the ultra-protectionists have given up hope of getting what they want out of this

government, or because they begin to see that such a policy might not further their best interests after all. Most likely because they have no distinct policy on which they are agreed. Among the few instances that have been pressed upon the government's attention of industries in actual distress because of foreign competition, the most conspicuous are one branch of the woollen manufactures, wire rods, steel rails, cordage and British Columbia lumber. These industries have been calling loudly for higher duties, while the producers of crude petroleum are seeking a reduction of the tariff on imported petroleum. Last session parliament took steps to 'encourage' the manufacture of wire rods and of steel rails in Canada. A bounty of six dollars a ton was sanctioned on the production of the rods, and authority was taken to impose a customs rate of seven dollars a ton on imported steel rails when the Governor-in-Council was satisfied that the Canadian rail mills were capable of meeting the domestic demand. Much pressure was brought to bear upon the government before it could be brought to do these things, the deputations to Ottawa including bankers, promoters, financial magnates and prominent politicians. However, they are still unsatisfied. They now say that the combine which controls the rod and rail market in the United States has plainly intimidated the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, at Sydney, C.B., that if wire rods are turned out of that establishment, the United States manufacturers will put them speedily out of business by cutting the price of rods in Canada from the current price of about twenty-eight dollars a ton to eighteen dollars, which is less, they say, than the rods can be made for at Sydney. The United States combine, so it is said, also makes the threat to 'slaughter' steel rails in Canada until the Canadian rail manufacturers are driven to the wall. If, however, the Canadian rail makers will agree to pay their United States competitors a suitable consideration, the latter will agree to divide with them the Canadian market for steel rails, east and west. The Sydney company is understood to have declined the proffered compact, and to have asked the government instead to bring into force a countervailing duty if any such tactics are attempted by the United States combine.

The tariff on woollen manufactures is 35 percent, but, because of the preference, all goods from Great Britain come in at a third less, or 23 1/3 percent. This the woollen manufacturers claim is not sufficient protection, and they want it increased to 30 percent. This would make the duty under the general tariff applicable to the United States and other foreign countries 45 percent. In the case of Germany, from which we imported three-quarters of a million dollars' worth of woollens last year, the duty would be 45 percent and the surtax a third more, which would bring it up to about 60 percent. Most of the complaints come from the weaving branch of the woollen industry, which is most affected by the competition of British mills. The knitting mills are not so much affected, and, in fact, some of them are in good enough shape to compete with British mills in the markets of the world. The woollen men give as the reason why they cannot, with over twenty-three percent protection, compete with British manufacturers, that the latter make very nice looking goods out of shoddy, and the suggestion has been made that the shoddy, which now pays a duty of 20 percent, should be admitted free. Machinery for manufacturing woollens might at least be admitted free. It has been openly stated in parliament by prominent Liberals that the woollen men are not entitled to any higher tariff protection because the failure to manufacture successfully is due entirely to lack of business methods, and to the fact that their plant is antiquated and useless for purposes of competition. The plaint of the woollen men is, however, reinforced by the localities where the factories are situated, and the Minister of Finance has had a trying time to stave them off.

A petition was presented to Mr. Fielding recently on behalf of 5,427 crude petroleum producers in western Ontario, who are more or less tied to the Standard Oil Company, asking that the duty on crude oil be reduced from five cents a gallon to two cents, so as to permit the importation of enough petroleum to keep the Canadian refineries in operation. The Canadian well owners realize that they are not in a position to supply enough for the refineries and at the same time keep up with the demand from the customers who want crude oil for the generation of gas and fuel purposes. The big refinery at Sarnia has had to reduce its staff very much on account of the lack of crude petroleum, and the petitioners declare that the only remedy is to let in United States petroleum at a lower rate of duty. Among the farming interest, there is always the same demand from year to year for the abolition of the five cents a gallon on refined coal

oil, and the plea comes with added force now that the refining business in western Ontario has passed into the hands of the Standard Oil Company. The government, however, finds it hard to make up its mind what to do. While the crude petroleum producers of western Ontario would like to see the duty reduced, they do not desire its abolition altogether, as they are said to fear that with its removal, the Standard Oil Co. would either shut up its Canadian refinery, or else force them to sell their crude petroleum at prices that would leave them no profit. The oil men freely admit that the price of coal oil to the public is higher than it ought to be, but they lay the blame on the retailers for collecting exorbitant rates from their customers.

The local stock market with one or two exceptions closed yesterday with only trifling differences from the closing prices of a week ago. Canadian Pacific at 117 1/2, the closing price yesterday was 14 point lower; Montreal Street at 208 was 7-3 point lower; Toronto Street at 101 1/2 was 1-8 point lower; Power at 73 1/4 was 1 3/4 point lower; Nova Scotia at 76 was 1 1/2 point lower, and Coal Common at 65 1/4 was 3/4 point lower than a week ago. Richelieu, on the other hand, at 87 1/8 was 3-8 point higher; Bell Telephone at 143 1/2 was 3-4 point higher; Iron Common at 10 1/2 was a quarter point higher; Bank of Montreal at 250 was 1 point higher, and Iron bonds at 67 1/2 were 3/4 points higher. The highest price this year for Iron bonds previous to this week was 64, and the highest price for Richelieu was 87. The bank clearings for the week amounted to \$20,837,689, as compared with \$25,822,149 for the corresponding week of last year, and \$24,769,760 for the corresponding week of 1902. The local money market is unchanged with call loans quoted at 5 percent. The proportion of the Bank of England's reserve to liability this week is 47.68 percent, as compared with 49.60 percent last week.

DISAPPEARANCE ACCOUNTED FOR.

(Ottawa 'Free Press'.)

The disappearance of the lion and unicorn crest from the Ontario Government stationery, while it is not exactly revolutionary, may be regarded as one of the straw that indicate the direction of the wind. The explanation is, however, very simple—simple and unquestionable. The dies were destroyed in the great fire, and as the lion and unicorn had been used without authority, it was decided to use hereafter only the arms of the province.

DUSTLESS ROADS IN FRANCE.

An official report of the Department of Bridges and Roads in France shows the continuance of the good results obtained in rendering roads free from dust by coating the surface with tar.

The engineer for the Seine and Marne Departments reports that after an unsuccessful trial of a mixture of oil and petroleum, a coating of tar was in the summer of 1902 laid down on seven different lengths of road. After carefully observing these during a period of twelve months, he finds that dust and mud have wholly disappeared and the cost of maintenance of the roads has been considerably reduced. Further comparing the previous outlay on the roads with that of those with tarred surface, he says: 'It appears that the tarring method requires no greater outlay, and at the same time very considerably improves the condition of the roadway. In La Cher two lengths of the Chaussee Nationale were coated with tar in June and August of 1902. Both these experiments have been entirely successful, the road now being covered with an elastic skin, while the sound of foot-passengers' tread is muffled and horses and draught oxen require only one-half the effort they put forth before. The noise and vibration caused by vehicular traffic is much reduced, and neither dust nor mud is formed on the tarred surface.'

TRADE WITH TRINIDAD.

GOODS FROM THE WEST INDIAN ISLAND TO BE EXHIBITED ON CHANGE.

The officials of the Board of Trade are daily awaiting the arrival of an exhibit of goods from Trinidad, which will be placed on view in a specially prepared oaken glass case on 'Change, where members and others interested in the promotion of trade with the island may interest themselves in the products of the island.

At a recent meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of Port-of-Spain, Island of Trinidad, the question of the establishment of reciprocal trade relations between that colony and Canada was broached, and a formal resolution passed empowering a deputation to wait on His Excellency the acting Governor, and request him on behalf of the mercantile body of Port-of-Spain to approach the Government of the Dominion with a view to the reopening of the negotiations which fell through in 1900.

The Port-of-Spain 'Gazette,' commenting on the resolution of the Chamber, said: 'It is very satisfactory, and we hope at last to see some definite result ensue therefrom, to the increased commercial prosperity of the whole colony.'

HIGH WATER AT BRANDON.

Brandon, Man., May 6.—The Electric Light Company's dam on the Assiniboine river, nine miles west of Brandon, was washed completely away yesterday by a heavy volume of water coming from the high land which flooded the river. The power house has not yet gone, but fears are entertained for its safety.

THE SUPREME COURT

MONTREAL CASE ARGUED YESTERDAY.

Ottawa, May 6.—In the Supreme Court yesterday, the hearing in the case of Desautels vs. Borden, was continued, the principal questions arising in the argument being whether the action for dissolution of the partnership (which was for ten years), could be brought within the months of the date of its formation, before it was possible, on account of the nature of the business, to say whether or not it could be carried on at a profit, and, if so, whether the liquidation of the partnership assets should be according to actual value at about \$100,000, or according to the value of the parties which placed the value at about \$10,000. On conclusion of the arguments, judgment was reserved.

Mignault, K.C., and Desautels, for the plaintiff.

The Hon. A. A. Angers, K.C., and Desautels, for the respondent.

The hearing of Maritime cases was fixed to commence on Monday, May 16.

The case of Desautels vs. Borden, and 'Opera Comique de Montreal' then taken up. Payette sued the Opera Comique and seized and advertised the mortgaged property to be sold by the sheriff. The appellant filed an opposition, asking that the sale should be subject to his lease of the premises. The court ordered the appellant to carry out the first place, security to the effect that the property should realize sufficient to satisfy the judgment, if so sold, subject to his lease charge. He failed to do so, and now appeals from the judgment of the Court of King's Bench dismissing his opposition for default in complying with the interlocutory order to give security. Macmaster, K.C., and Lemieux, K.C., for the appellant (Desautels with them). Angers, K.C., and Desautels, K.C., for respondents. The arguments were not concluded when the court adjourned.

THE MAYOR'S FAMILY ILL.

His Worship Mayor Laporte left last evening for Atlantic City, having received word that Madame Laporte had been confined to her room through illness since Monday and that his twelve-year-old son, Joseph, was not recovering from his recent attack of typhoid fever as rapidly as could be desired. This was a source of grief and also of disappointment to His Worship. When he came from Atlantic City a week or ten days ago the health of the family was quite satisfactory and high hopes were entertained of their early return to Montreal, fully recovered. The Mayor is greatly concerned about the city's interests in connection with the charter amendments and had hoped to have been able to spend a few days at Quebec this week in that connection. As it is he hopes to return early next week.

N. W. M. P. DEPORTERS CAUGHT.

Winnipeg, May 6.—Two of the North West Mounted Police, who recently departed from a detachment stationed at Medicine Hat, have been captured, and will be tried at Regina.

'WORLD WIDE.'

A weekly reprint of articles from leading journals and reviews reflecting the current thought of both hemispheres.

So many men, so many minds. Every man in his own way.—Lerence.

The following are the contents of last week's issue of 'World Wide.'

ALL THE WORLD OVER.

The First Land Battle—The New York 'Evening Post'.

Germany and 'Weltpolitik'—The New York 'Times'.

The End of the Somaliland Campaign—The 'Daily Telegraph,' London.

The Licensing Bill Summarized—English Papers.

Mr. Arthur Chamberlain's Views on the Licensing Bill—The Manchester 'Guardian'.

The English Budget—English Papers.

A War Budget Without a War—The Manchester 'Guardian'.

Has the Small Family Become an American Ideal?—The 'Independent,' New York.

The Canadian Emigrant's First Month in a Steamer Passenger, in the Manchester 'Guardian'.

A Noteworthy Address—A Railway Manager to Workmen—The Springfield 'Republican'.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE ARTS.

Antonin Dvorak—Death of Bohemian Great Composer—The New York 'Herald'.

Some Thoughts on Dvorak—Extract from a Paper read before the Incorporated Society of Musicians, by Dr. E. Macdonald Lee, M.A.—Musical News, London.

Art in Furnishings—On Wall Paper, by Mrs. George Tweedie, in the 'Illustrated' London.

CONCERNING THINGS LITERARY.

Springtime—Robert Browning (Paraphrase) Whippoorwill Time.—Poem, by Mark Twain, in the 'Atlantic Monthly'.

Springtime—Extract from a sermon, by Mr. Thomas Spurgeon.

Mustard and Cress—By O. B. Lippincott, 'Pilot,' London.

Old Magazines—By H. B. Marriott-Watson, in 'T.P.'s Weekly,' London.

An Unpublished Letter of Gerdner to the Manchester 'Guardian'.

The Hunger of the Soul—By A. G. D. in 'The Daily News,' London.

The Mystery of Sleep—The 'Daily News,' London.

HINTS OF THE PROGRESS OF KNOWLEDGE.

The Heavens in May.—The New York 'Times'.

Professor Bakewell's Berzelium and Radium—Public Opinion, New York.

Dr. Rutherford's Book—The 'Scottish Edinburgh'.

The Age of the Camera—Leslie's Weekly.

The Story of the Camera—By W. B. A. in 'May Outlook'.

Hotter Than Death Valley—The 'St. Louis Globe-Democrat'.

Roman Coins Unearthed—The 'Daily Telegraph'.

Our Wealth of Flowers—The 'Youth Companion'.

One dollar a year, John Dougall & Son, Publishers, Montreal, Canada.

TEAM AUGMENTED.

Mr. Joseph Valois, Formerly of the Nationals, will Play on Shamrock's Defence.

TORONTO'S RELEASE ONE OF THEIR BASEBALL MEN TO MONTREAL

As predicted in the 'Witness' of March 19, the prospects of the local senior baseball teams for this season are very favorable. One of the principal changes in the personnel of the Shamrock lacrosse team is that of Mr. Joseph Valois, a former point man of the Nationals who will this season strengthen the defense of the Shamrocks. A full practice of all the senior teams will take place to-morrow afternoon, on their respective grounds. The prospective changes will then be in evidence.

The new Westmount Lacrosse Club, organized with the Westmount A. A. A., will hold their first practice on the Westmount Park to-morrow, at 2:30 p.m.

The prospects for the coming season of lacrosse were discussed at the annual meeting of the Sherbrooke Club, held at the Magog House, on Wednesday evening. There was a good attendance, and it would appear that the interest in the game, which has been on the wane for the past two years, has revived. The meeting was presided over by Mr. T. J. Maguire, who presented the annual report, and they having been adopted the meeting proceeded to the election of officers. The result of the ballot is as follows:—Hon. patrons, Mayor Camarand, Mr. Frank Grundy, Col. H. R. Fraser, Dr. P. Pelletier, M.P.P.; Mr. L. E. Funnell, B.C.; hon. president, Mr. W. J. Jenkins; hon. first vice-president, Mr. A. M. Sangster; hon. second vice-president, Mr. L. H. Olivier; president, Mr. A. E. Odell; first vice-president, Mr. A. E. Wiggitt; second vice-president, Mr. F. J. Godefré; secretary-treasurer, Mr. Gus Lafleur; committee of management, Messrs. J. Maguire, A. Bartlett, O. W. Maguire, F. J. Grith and Dr. Bradley; team committee, Messrs. R. A. Bartlett, T. J. Maguire and Gus Lafleur.

A NEW FIELD GAME

A number of Montrealsers have become interested in field hockey, a game which has had considerable vogue in the British Isles, and particularly in England. There are now some clubs throughout Ontario and quite a number in British Columbia. It is likely that the M. A. A. A. and the Westmount athletes will become interested in the game and so in its local development. A number of those interested in the game will meet to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock at the ground occupied by the White Star rink, St. Catherine and Fort streets for the purpose of having a practice. Messrs. Cuthers and Power will have charge of the initial arrangements and they hope to be able to select two good teams from the material offered.

MONTREAL HARRIERS.

Owing to the bad weather of last Saturday the opening of the track season at the M. A. A. A. did not take place. Most of the M. A. A. A. track athletes are now members of the Montreal Harrier Club, and there will be a general turn out to-morrow afternoon on the grounds, at which the senior and junior teams to compete on the two following Saturdays will be chosen. The event decided on will probably take the form of a three-mile race on the track, to take place about 3:30.

W.A.A.A. ANNUAL DINNER.

The fourth annual dinner of the Westmount Amateur Athletic Association will be held in the large gymnasium, Victoria Hall, Westmount, on Thursday evening, May 19, next, at 7:30 o'clock. This event is always looked forward to by the members of the W. A. A. A. with a certain amount of interest, as it is now conceded to be the 'glad' night of the year. The committee in charge of the arrangements are enthusiastic for the success of the dinner and the largest attendance on record is expected. The hall will be specially decorated for the occasion and a splendid programme of vocal and instrumental music is being prepared, while the usual 'toast' will be suitably honored by the 'orators' of the W. A. A. A.

BILLIARDS.

Two games were played in the M. A. A. A. straight rail billiard tournament last night. The results were as follows:—Group 1.—M. J. Murphy (75) scored 75, defeating W. J. Legault (75) who scored 102. Group 2.—A. J. Brice (75) scored 90, defeating Dr. Gilray (75) who scored 31.

THE HORSE SHOW.

The entries for the window-trimming competition will close with the secretary of the Horse Show, room 30, Windsor Hotel, on Saturday, May 7, and must be made in writing as only those entries duly entered will be considered in the judging, which takes place on Monday, May 9. There are already a number of entries in and from enquiries being made it is expected that the list, when closed, will be a large one.

Tomorrow, May 6, the balance of the Horse Show, which was given at a meeting of the board of directors held in the King Edward Hotel yesterday afternoon. The statements presented show-

ed that the receipts have been larger than at any previous show at which no military tournament had been a feature. The attendance from outside Toronto was shown to have been greater than ever before. The financial report was not complete. A number of protests were considered, but no definite action was taken.

THE KENNEL

The Montreal Canine Association have this week received over forty additional cash prizes, cups, shields, and other valuable specials to be competed for at the coming bench show in the Arena, on May 17, 18 and 19. These have been equally distributed among the various breeds of dogs so that each and every dog entered has the opportunity of winning these specials in addition to the regular prizes.

GOLF.

Mrs. William Herrick, who for two years has won the women's golf championship of the Washington Park Club, will again captain the club team. Under her able guidance last summer the women players had the busiest season in the history of the organization, and this year the programme will be even more extensive. A series of open four-some handicaps will commence in the latter part of June and in addition there will be a number of medal play handicaps and other events. The open tournament for women will be held from Sept. 12 to Sept. 15, and the club championship will follow later in the month. The club team will compete in the team matches of the Women's Western Golf Association, being grouped with Midlothian, Calumet, Homewood, and Auburn Park in the south division.

CHESS.

Cambridge Springs, Pa., May 6.—Close play was the order on nearly all the boards when the seventh round of the international chess masters' tourney began yesterday. Only Schlechter and Mieses made exceptions. The order of play and the opening adopted on each board follow:

Lasker vs. Barry, Queen's pawn opening.
Lawrence vs. Pillsbury, Sicilian defence.
Schlechter vs. Marshall, King's bishop opening.
Teichmann vs. Fox Queen's pawn opening.
Hodges vs. Napier Queen's pawn opening.
Showalter vs. Marco Queen's pawn opening.
Janowski vs. Delema Queen's pawn opening.

Delema played in answer to the Queen's Fianchetto.

Mieses vs. Tschigorin Danish gambit. Marshall won from Schlechter after 37 moves.

Janowski won from Delmar after 31 moves.

After 30 moves Showalter forced a draw with Marco by perpetual check.

Lasker and Barry adjourned after 50 moves; Teichmann lost to Fox after 38 moves; Napier beat Hodges in 46 moves; Mieses lost to Tschigorin in 54 moves.

When play was closed in the seventh round this evening Janowski was still in the lead with six and a half points.

Marshall being second, half a point behind, while Teichmann occupied the third place, with five points. Mieses, stood fourth with four and a half points while Lasker, Fox and Showalter were bunched together each with four to his credit.

BASEBALL

Mr. John Toft, catcher for the Toronto Baseball Club, has been released to the Montreal team. He has not been doing as well this year as was expected and some time ago Mr. Irwin, the manager, said that he would do without him. Mr. Toft has been with the Toronto Club for several years. The price paid by Montreal for his release was \$500.

Baltimore defeated Montreal yesterday by a score of 8 to 0. Runs by innings.

Baltimore 2 1 0 0 2 1 2 0 x-8
Montreal 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

Summary.—Two-base hits, Hayden, Stolen bases, Kelly (2), McFarland, Jordan, Hayden. Double plays, Lewis to Loudenslager (2). Bases on balls, off Adkins, 2; off Pappalau, 3. Struck out by Adkins, 6. Wild pitch, Adkins, 1. Left on bases, Baltimore, 3; Montreal, 1. First on errors, Baltimore, 3; Montreal, 2. Time, 1:30. Attendance, 1,117. Umpire, Kelly.

The annual meeting of the Star A. A. A. Baseball Club will take place next Wednesday evening, May 11, at 8 o'clock sharp at 748 Sherbrooke street (corner Aylmer street), when the reports for last season will be read, and election of officers for coming year will take place. All members are earnestly requested to attend, also any one wishing to join.

OTHER EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.
At Jersey City—Jersey City, 3; Buffalo, 2.
At Newark—Toronto, 3; Newark, 2.
At Providence—Providence, 6; Rochester, 4.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING. Won. Lost. P.C.

Jersey City 5 1 .833
Newark 4 2 .667
Providence 3 3 .500
Toronto 3 3 .500
Rochester 2 4 .333
Montreal 0 6 .000

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cincinnati—Cincinnati 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 x-3 7 0
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-4 5 0
Batteries—Elliot and Schiel; McFarland and Myers. Umpire, O'Day.

At Boston—New York 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 5-10 13 7
Boston 3 0 0 0 0 1 0 10-5 9 1
Batteries—Matthewson and Bowerman; Pittinger and Moran. Umpire, Moran.

At Philadelphia—Brooklyn 0 2 1 1 5 0 1 0 13 11 3
Philadelphia 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 0-2 8 4

Batteries—Cronin and Bergin; Brocklinridge, Sparks and Doolin. Umpire, Emstle.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

Won. Lost. P.C.
New York 12 3 .800
Brooklyn 10 5 .667
Cincinnati 11 7 .611
Chicago 8 6 .571
St. Louis 7 8 .467
Boston 6 10 .375
Pittsburgh 5 10 .333
Philadelphia 2 12 .143

THE AMERICAN LEAGUE.

The greatest pitching feat recorded in the history of the game was performed yesterday by C. Young, in the game at Boston, between Boston and Philadelphia. Twenty-seven players came to the bat, and not one of them reached first base. There have been other games in which no hits have been made, but there is no other known instance of such superb combination of pitching and fielding preventing a single player from getting on bases. Waddell was in for the Athletics, and ten hits were obtained off his delivery.

R. H. E.

At Boston—Boston 0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 x-3 10 0
Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0 0 1
Batteries—Young and Criger; Waddell and Schrock. Umpire, Dwyer.

At Detroit—Detroit 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 10-11 4
Cleveland 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 1-5 7 2
Batteries—Mallin and Buelow; Bernard and Hemis. Umpires, King and Sheridan.

At Chicago—Chicago 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1-2 3 3
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1-6 3
Batteries—White and Sullivan; Howell and Sargent. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

At New York—New York 1 0 0 0 1 0 2 0-4 10 8
Washington 0 0 0 2 2 0 2 0-9 12 3
Batteries—Putnam, Wolfe and Beville; Patton, Dunkle and Drill. Umpires, Connolly and Carpenter.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

Won. Lost. P.C.
Boston 13 3 .813
New York 8 6 .571
Chicago 10 8 .556
Detroit 8 8 .500
Philadelphia 7 7 .500
St. Louis 7 7 .500
Cleveland 6 8 .428
Washington 1 12 .071

CITY OF ST. HENRI

THE CANADA MALTING COMPANY WILL BUILD AN ELEVATOR.

At the meeting of the Council of St. Henri on Wednesday, Acting Mayor Robitoux presiding, the Mayor was authorized to sign a contract with the Canada Malting Co., who propose to put up an elevator in St. Henri in connection with their business. It is understood that the plans have been submitted and approved of and that the work of construction will begin at an early day.

A complaint having been received alleging that the Williams Sewing Machine factory building was not provided with fire escapes, the secretary was instructed to refer the matter to the government inspector.

Mr. L. N. Senecal was also directed to enquire whether or not the Corporation of Montreal was enforcing the by-law against trading stamps.

A saloon license was granted to Mr. Lecuyer and the application of Dame Caroline Trepanier for a license was referred to next meeting.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC

WORK WILL BE STARTED AS SOON AS THE BILL ACTUALLY BECOMES LAW.

The administration of the Grand Trunk state that as soon as the bill actually becomes law—as soon as the talking is over and the measure is signed by the Governor-General—the Grand Trunk will proceed to actually commence the work of construction. Nothing can be said at the moment as to the personnel of the new board of directors. There has been a board, which was necessary from a legal point of view, but this will disappear, and new men will come to the front who will be permanently associated with the new project.

In regard to the eastern section, of which the Grand Trunk has fought shy, while it could do so with effect, it may be said that surveying parties have been doing much work in the region between Quebec and Winnipeg. These men have been employed tentatively by the Grand Trunk, but it will remain for the government to undertake this work in earnest.

BETTER CONDITIONS.

The Grand Trunk is able to report better conditions from day to day. The company has gone to enormous expense during the past few years in perfecting the physical condition of the road. This is now bearing fruit. Both passenger and freight business are improving, and all the lines are busy. The company is now able to send to the directors in London the best possible reports, which are an indication of those which may be forwarded when the new project is launched. The management is under enormous compulsion to show that not only the old system but the new has ample justification in the development of Canada.

DEATH OF AN OLD CITIZEN.

Mr. Leandre Gauthier, one of the best-known citizens in the east end, who kept a boot and shoe store for many years, at the corner of Notre Dame and Panet streets, died early yesterday morning of typhoid fever, at the age of 71 years.

NOTES AND NOTICES.

The Very Thing You Want.—For a clear brain, a good stomach, an eagerness for business, try 'Swiss Food' for breakfast. It's a fine starter.

Saturday to Monday Excursion Tickets.—Reduced rate excursion tickets, good going Saturday and Sunday, returning following Monday, are now on sale by the St. Lawrence & Adirondack Railway to Chateaugay, Woodlands, Valleyfield and other local stations, also to Adirondack Mountain points.

TRADE WITH BRITAIN

STEPS BEING TAKEN TO PROMOTE A BETTER COMMERCIAL UNDERSTANDING.

An active canvass is being made among manufacturers and wholesale houses by gentlemen interested in promoting to a greater degree trade between Montreal merchants and the Mother Country, and with this object in view steps have been taken whereby something definite may be accomplished in assisting merchants to better understand the requirements of the English people.

Alderman H. B. Ames is interesting himself in this move and he has working with him representative Canadians. At a private meeting held recently it was decided to send out circulars to the different manufacturers and wholesale men of this city with the intention of ascertaining to what extent the trade interests of the English and Canadian merchants might be more readily understood, and studied. The following are the questions asked by the circular:

1. What kinds of manufactured goods do you import into Canada, and what proportion comes (1) from Great Britain, (2) from the United States, (3) from Germany, (4) from France, or (5) from other lands?

2. Have these proportions remained constant during the past ten years, or have your importations of manufactured articles from one country increased in quantity while those from another country have decreased?

3. Where you find it necessary to import articles manufactured outside of Canada, would you, all things being equal, be inclined to give the preference to goods made within the Empire?

4. Do you find that the style, manner of packing, etc., of goods made by British houses is as acceptable to your customers as in the case of similar goods made elsewhere? If not, kindly particularize.

5. Are British commercial houses as ready to accept orders for special lines as the representatives from other lands? Can you give any specific instances of their refusal to accept such orders?

6. Are British houses prompt in the delivery of goods? What difference of time would be required to have an order filled from Manchester compared with New York? Give any instance of delay and the cause?

7. Do British houses demand methods of payment, less convenient to you than is the case with other outside firms?

8. What special inducements do the American, German and other foreign houses offer to Canadian purchasers which the English manufacturer is not prepared to give?

9. Under the existing preference, do you find that British goods can, as a rule, be laid down in Canada at a lower price than the equivalent purchased elsewhere?

10. Were the present preferential advantage, which Great Britain possesses in the Canadian market, further increased by placing higher duties upon the manufactures of the United States, Germany and other extra-imperial countries, would your importations from Great Britain be thereby enlarged?

11. If existing conditions as to tariff and preferences were maintained, what steps, in your opinion, should the British manufacturer require to take to secure a larger proportion of Canada's import trade in manufactured goods?

12. Any specific instances illustrative of your experience upon the above points would be useful and interesting.

Alderman Ames, in speaking of this movement, said that it is meeting with success and favor and that all the firms who have received circulars have replied to them as requested and at the same time have expressed their views as to what they deem advisable ways and means. In fact, it was only yesterday that a representative of an English firm on St. Paul street, received a letter from headquarters in London requesting their representatives here to look into the question with Canadian merchants as to the best methods of increasing the sale of British manufactures in Canada, consistently with the actual requirements of the colonial market. According to rumor on 'Change to-day there is every probability of a manufacturers' union being formed in the near future for the purposes mentioned, as such a commercial body is considered certain to prove beneficial.

CITY ITEMS.

His Grace the Archbishop will administer the rite of confirmation at St. Simon's Church on Sunday next at the 11 o'clock service.

The Mayor yesterday signed the bonds for the recent civic loan. There were over four hundred bonds of \$1,000 each requiring his personal signature.

Ald. St. Denis, chairman of the Police Committee, has issued an order to the police that in future when meeting militia officers in full uniform, members of the force shall salute such officers.

The Incineration Committee has now over one hundred carts employed in scavenging work. It is expected that the garbage now lying in lanes and back yards will have been removed within a week or ten days.

A debate has been arranged to take place in Unity Hall, 1149 Notre Dame street, on Tuesday evening, May 31, on the following resolution:—That gambling is more injurious to the individual than alcohol. The public are invited.

The Mayor has received several complaints about automobiles being run on the mountain. A regulation of the Parks and Ferries Committee, passed some time ago, forbade this practice, owing to the danger of frightening horses.

The young people of Sherbrooke Street Methodist Church are providing an entertainment, including maple sugar and other refreshments, to take place in the lecture room of the church this evening.

Among those expected to take part are Mrs. Harwood, Miss Munison, Miss Thompson, Messrs. W. Cox, A. Peden, H. Diplock and Mr. Happell and others.

Ald. Levy, Couture and Bumbay, as a sub-committee of markets, visited the site of the Eastern Abattoir this morn-

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DAVID SEATH, Secretary-Treasurer, 57 Common Street, Montreal, 4th May, 1904.

BOHEMIA'S GREATEST COMPOSER

A paper by Dr. Markham Lee, M.A., entitled "Some thought on Devorak," will be found in this week's 'World Wide.' This paper was read before the Incorporated Society of Musicians a few weeks before the death of the great musical composer. Three cents, from all news-dealers, or \$1.00 a year from the publishers, John Dougall & Son, Montreal. Adv.

Monsieur Segara, rector of the Academia dei nobili ecclesiastici, has decided to add the German language to the courses taught in his school, in view of complaints that the papal representatives in German countries seldom knew that language, and therefore were unable to attend to their duties properly.

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CHAPTER LXV.—Continued.

He remembered, too, that George had said sorrowfully to him more than once, "No letters for me, Mr. Levi, no letter again this month!" The shrewd old man tied these two threads together directly.

"All these things are one," said Isaac Levi, pondering, and patiently following out his threads, the old man paced slowly down the camp to the post-office, as he had heard the postman's horn, and he expected important letters from England, from his friend and agent at Farnborough, Old Cohen.

There were letters from England, and none in Old Cohen's hand. He put them in his bosom with a disappointed sigh, and paced slowly and deeply pondering back towards his tent. He was about half-way, when much to his surprise a stone fell close to him. He took, however, no notice—did not even accelerate his pace or look round; but the next moment a lump of clay struck him on the arm. He turned round quivering with rage at the insult, and then saw a whole band of diggers behind him, who the moment he turned his back began to hoot and pelt him.

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"Who got poor Walker drowned? Ah! ah! ah!"

"Who refused to give evidence before Judge Lynch," cried another. "Ah! ah! ah!"

There were clearly two parties in the mob.

"Down with the Jew—the blood-sucker. We do all the work, and he gets all the profit. Ah! ah! ah!"

And a lump of clay struck that reverend head and almost stunned the poor old man. He sank upon his knees, and in a moment his coat was torn to shreds, but with unexpected activity he wriggled himself free, and drew a dagger, long, bright and sharp as a needle. His assailants recoiled a moment. The next a voice was heard from behind—"Get on both sides of him at once!"

Isaac looked and saw Peter Crawley. Then the old man trembled for his life, and cried "Help! help!" and he hemmed him in and knocked his dagger out of his hand, and hustled and pommelled him, and would have torn him in pieces, but he slipped down, and two of them got in front and dragged him along the ground.

"To Walker's pool," cried Brutus, putting himself at the head of those who followed.

All of a sudden Isaac, though half-insensible, heard a roar of rage that seemed to come from a lion—a whizz, a blow like a thunder-clap—saw one of his assailants driven into the air, and falling like a dead clod three yards off, found himself dropped and a man striding over him. It was George Fielding, who stood a single moment snorting and blowing out his cheeks with rage, then went slap at the mob as a lion goes at sheep; seized one of the small ruffians by the knees, and by a tremendous effect of strength and rage, actually used him as a fall, and struck brutus with the man's head, and knocked that ruffian down, stunned and his nose levelled with his cheeks. The mob recoiled a moment from this one hero. George knew it could be but for a moment, so he had no sooner felled brutus, and hurled the other's carcass in their faces, then he nounced on Isaacs, whipped him on his back and ran off with him.

He had got thirty yards with him ere the staggered mob could realize it all. The mob recovered their surprise, and with a yell like a pack of hounds bursting covert dashed after the pair. The young Hercules made a wonderful effort, but no mortal man could run very fast so weighted. In spite of his start they caught him in about a hundred yards. He heard them close upon him—put the Jew down—and whispered hastily "Run to your tent," and instantly wheeled round and flung himself at thirty men. He struck two blows and disabled a couple; the rest came upon him like one battering-ram and bore him to the ground; but even as he went down he caught the nearest assailant by the throat and they rolled over one another, the rest kicking savagely at George's head and loins. The poor fellow defended his head with one arm and his assailant's body for a little while, but he received some terrible kicks on the back and legs.

"Give it to him on the head!"

"Kick his life out!"

"Settle his hash!"

They were so fiercely intent on finishing George that they did not observe danger that menaced themselves. As a round shot cuts a lane through a column of infantry so clean came two lines of special constables with their short staves severing the mob in two—crack, crack, crack, crack, crack, crack, crack. In three seconds ten heads were broken with a sound just like glass bottles under the short deadly truncheon, and there lay half-a-dozen ruffians writhing on the ground and beating the devil's tattoo with their heels.

"Charge back!" cried the head-policeman as soon as he had cut clean through. But at the very word the cowardly crew fled on all sides yelling. The police followed in different directions a little way, and three of the felled got up and ran staggering off. When the head-policeman saw that he cried out: "Back, and secure prisoners."

They caught three who were too stupefied to run, and rescued brutus from George, who had got him by the throat and was hammering the ground with his head.

"Let go, George," cried policeman Robinson, in some anxiety, "you are killing the man!"

"Oh, I don't want to kill him, neither," said George.

And he slowly withdrew his grasp and left off hammering with the rascal's head, but looked at him as if he would have preferred to have gone on a little longer. They captured the three others.

"Now secure them," cried Edie. "Out with your wipers."

"There is no need of wipers," said Robinson.

He then, with a slight blush, and rather avoiding George's eye, put his hand in his pockets and produced four beautiful sets of handcuffs brand new polished to the tune. With a magical turn of the hand he handcuffed the three men, still avoiding George's eye. Unnecessary. George's sense of humor was very faint, and so was his sweet heart's—a sad defect.

Perhaps I may as well explain here how Robinson came so opportunely to the rescue. The fact is, that a week ago he had ordered a lot of constables' staves and four sets of handcuffs. The staves were nicely painted and lettered, and the handcuffs were of the best. Captain Robinson, Police, A. B. C. They had just come home, and Robinson was showing them to Edie and his gang, when a hullabaloo was heard and Levi was seen full half a mile off being hunted. Such an opportunity of trying the new staves was not to be neglected. Edie and his men jumped out of their claim and ran with Robinson

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DAILY TEXT.

May 6.

What must I do to be saved?—Acts xvi, 30.

Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved.—Acts xvi, 31.

The Japanese have repeatedly told us, says the Rev. T. Barclay, M.A., how they have found the Christians in Formosa more truthful, trustworthy and law-abiding than their heathen neighbors.

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CONVERSATION FOR COMBATANTS.

(In the preparations for war the Japanese seem to have left nothing undone to contribute to the smooth working of the Army and Navy. A pocket Russo-Japanese dictionary, styled the 'Nichi-ro Gunyo Shu-chin Kaiwa,' in which terms relating to naval and military affairs are chiefly noted, was published last month. It is proposed to present about 50,000 volumes to the naval and military authorities. In relations of any kind with the enemy the Japanese will find such a volume most useful.—Red Admiral Ingles, in the 'Daily Telegraph.') "Mr. Punch," strongly approving the wisdom of the above proposal, ventures to go one better, and present to the belligerents a companion volume in the form of a pocket manual of Russo-Japanese conversation suitable to the circumstances. He appends a few extracts:—

- THE BATTLE-FIELD.**
- (i.) Be so good as to direct me to the scene of hostilities.
- (ii.) I am myself a stranger in these parts.
- (iii.) The battle has commenced.
- (iv.) I find the noise very fatiguing.
- (v.) They are about to fire their guns.
- (vi.) I am unable to remain longer.
- ON BOARD SHIP.**
- (i.) How many times has the fleet been destroyed?
- (ii.) Pray be careful of the mines.
- (iii.) That is a fine vessel of the enemy.
- (iv.) Here are some torpedoes.
- (v.) I thank you, I have already sufficient.
- (vi.) At what o'clock does the ship sink?
- THE ARMISTICE.**
- (i.) What cold weather we are having!
- (ii.) How did you leave the (Czar Mikado)?
- (iii.) I trust that the Imperial family is well?
- (iv.) I am delighted to have met you.
- THE PRESS.**
- (i.) Where is the War Correspondent?
- (ii.) We have cut off his head.
- Punch.

"I hear the Japanese soldiers were tickled to death when war was declared." "Yes. They went into transports when the news arrived."—Cornell Widow.

"What are you going to do this summer?" "Well, we haven't quite decided whether to go to St. Louis for two days or to the seashore for a month."—Chicago 'Evening Post.'

Pedler, to supposed servant—"Can I see the lady of the house?" Woman of the House—"Well, if you can't, you ought to go and see an eye doctor."—Cleveland 'Leader.'

The passenger who had been holding himself up by a strap sat down in a seat that had just been vacated. "There is plenty of room, ma'am," he said to the pudgy little matron sitting next. "Don't move." "We don't have to," she said with a cheerful smile. "We own the house we live in."—Chicago 'Tribune.'

Mistress—"Did the fisherman who stopped here this morning have frogs' legs?" Nora—"Sure, mum, I dinna. He wore pants."—Cornell Widow.

"Well," he muttered, butting his head on a landing as he fell down the elevator shaft. "As Mr. Kipling would say, 'That is another story.'"—Harvard Lampoon.

"I had an awful time persuading the landlord to paper our house." "Are you pleased with the result?" "Hardly. I think it was put on for revenge."—Detroit 'Free Press.'

Clara—"Our club bars out gum chewing and slang." Bertha—"It does." Clara—"Yes; women who chew gum and talk slang oughtn't to cut any ice in a literary club."—Cincinnati 'Commercial Tribune.'

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KING ALFONSO

HIS MAJESTY TO VISIT PARIS, BERLIN AND VIENNA.

Paris, May 5.—The correspondent of the "Temps" at Madrid says it has now been decided in principle that King Alfonso will visit Paris, Berlin and Vienna. His Majesty's visit to France is expected to supplement President Loubet's visit to Rome and to strengthen the Franco-Spanish understanding.

THEIR MAJESTIES BACK

RETURNED LAST EVENING FROM THEIR TRIP TO IRELAND.

London, May 5.—King Edward, Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria arrived in London from Ireland shortly after 6 o'clock this evening and drove to Buckingham Palace.

BRAZIL-PERU FRONTIER.

Rio Janeiro, May 5.—The Associated Press correspondent is assured by government officials who are in a position to speak with authority that while both the Brazilian and Peruvian armies are being reinforced on the frontier between the two countries, war is improbable. The differences over the boundary line are the subject of diplomatic negotiations, and will probably result in arbitration. There is no excitement here as the people are utterly indifferent upon the matter.

POWDER MILL BLEW UP.

Newport, Ind., May 4.—A powder mill owned by the Northwestern Powder Company, three miles from Newport, was blown up to-day. Four men were killed outright and two were injured. Ten thousand pounds of powder exploded and the bodies of two of the men were blown into such small pieces that they could not be picked up. The other bodies were not badly mangled. The injured men will recover. The loss on the plant was seven thousand dollars.

NO GROUND FOR EXCEPTION.

In a case of Dionne vs. the Slater Shoe Company, which is an action to recover penalties imposed by law, on account of the alleged importation of alien labor by the company defendant, Mr. Justice Tait rendered judgment yesterday morning on an exception to the form filed by said defendant. The exception was based principally on the ground that the allegations set forth in the declaration were disjunctive, while they should be cumulative. The Court found that the exception to the form was not justified, and it was dismissed.

LICENSES INCREASED.

Stationary engineers this year will have to pay a higher fee for licenses than they have done heretofore. First class engineers are now charged four dollars instead of two; second class engineers, three dollars instead of one; third class, two dollars instead of 50 cents, and firemen, one dollar instead of 25 cents.

THE SMALL FAMILY.

A quietly written statement of the results of an investigation into the actually existing conditions in New York—the article quoted in this week's "World Wide" on "Has the small family become an American ideal?" has roused all thoughtful Americans to protest against such a state of affairs. Three cents, from all newsdealers, or \$1.00 a year, from the publishers, John Dougall & Son, Montreal. Adv.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

Modified Contract Passes the Committee Stage—Yesterday's Discussion.

Ottawa, May 6.—The remaining clauses of the modified contract with the Grand Trunk Pacific passed committee stage in the House of Commons last evening, but the clauses which accompany the schedule in the government bill remain for further consideration and may be disposed of either to-day or to-morrow.

RAILWAY PETITIONS.
At the opening of yesterday's sitting petitions were presented by consent on behalf of the Edmonton Street Railway Company looking for larger bonding powers on behalf of the Lake Erie & Detroit River Railway Company, who wish power to build a branch line to Walkerville.

POSTMASTER OF ATHENS.
In answer to a question the Postmaster-General explained the change that has taken place in the postmastership at Athens, Ontario. The late postmaster, it seems, was not dismissed, but resigned after an official investigation had shown his running of the office to be unsatisfactory. His wife was given the appointment on the understanding that the late postmaster shall have no part in the management.

THE RAILWAY BILL.
When the transcontinental railway bill was taken up in committee oppositionists again found fault with the government for agreeing to let the Grand Trunk Railway have the entire common stock of the new venture and to sell half of it.

Mr. E. B. Osler, Conservative member for West Toronto, declared once more that there is no effective provision in the agreement to compel the operation of the Eastern Division of the new road from Winnipeg to Quebec and Moncton. The government, he held, had shown itself to be under the influence of the G. T. R. The Grand Trunk directors had never even submitted the original compact to their shareholders in London, although if this step had been taken with the endorsement of the president and his colleagues, it would undoubtedly have been accepted without any modification. Mr. Osler laid great stress on the statement that there was not a single dollar of liability laid on the Grand Trunk in the event of their failure to live up to the bargain.

Mr. Kemp, Conservative member for East Toronto, could not see if the government desired having trade over the new highway carried to St. John and Halifax why the government had not compelled them to use the I. C. R. between Moncton and these ports. As he viewed the contract the Grand Trunk would not actually be putting up one dollar.

The Minister of Justice promised at a later date to answer fully all the objections that have been taken by the Opposition to the feature of the contract regarding the issue and disposition of the common stock of the new enterprise amounting to twenty-five million dollars. Clause nine then passed.

The next clause ensures to the company running rights over the eastern sections for fifty years after the expiry of the present lease. Mr. Borden wanted to know why a provision was not made to secure a similar right for the government on the western division.

Mr. Fitzpatrick answered that the government would have running rights over the western division in perpetuity.

OPPOSITION AMENDMENTS.
When the remaining clauses had been put through the Opposition entered on the presentation of a long series of amendments embodying suggestions they have made in the course of debate. It was agreed to take these up to-day.

Mr. Barker moved for the insertion of a specific declaration by the rolling stock for the first equipment of the road shall be so acquired by the Pacific Company that an absolute and indefeasible interest therein shall rest in the company.

CANADIAN PICTURES

AT THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXHIBITION.

Canadian art is represented by a hundred and twenty pictures at the St. Louis exhibition. They occupy four rooms in a wing of the Fine Arts building and were selected at the Royal Canadian Exhibition, held in March, at the Art Gallery, Phillips square. The pictures are as follows:

The following is a full list of the artists represented and their works:

Atkinson (W. E.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Indian Summer and Woodland.

Beatty (J. W.), Jr., Toronto—Early Moonrise.

Beau (H.), Montreal—Portrait of Dr. Villeneuve; Mother and Child.

Bell-Smith (F. M.), R.C.A., Toronto—A Forgotten Melody and Fraser River.

Brynmor (William), R.C.A., Montreal—Cloud Shadows, Early Moonrise, September, Calves Drinking, Evening.

Carlisle (Florence), A.R.C.A., Woodstock, Ont.—The Tiff, loaned by Ontario Government.

Challenger (Frederic S.), R.C.A., Toronto—The Milkmaid, loaned by Ontario Government.

Clapp (W. H.), Montreal—Apple Trees.

Clapp (F. S.), Quebec and Antwerp—Flemish Fire Place, the Cow Kettle.

Crunkshank (W.), R.C.A., Toronto—Breaking a Road.

Cullen (Maurice), A.R.C.A., Montreal—Wolfe's Cove, Quebec from Lewis, A March River, The Valley of the St. Charles.

Dyonnet (Edmond), R.C.A., Montreal—Portrait of C. E. L. Porteous, Professor P. T. Ladner, of McGill University.

Ford (Harriet), Toronto—Santa Maria, Brittany Peasant.

Forster (J. W. L.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Portrait Rev. G. M. Milligan, D.D., LL.D.

Franchère (J. C.), A.R.C.A., Montreal—Country People, Province of Quebec.

Gagnon (Clarence A.), Montreal—

Mr. Borden proposed that all freight originating on the lines of the Grand Trunk Pacific or on the branches, not specifically routed otherwise by the shipper, shall, where destined for points in Canada, be carried entirely on Canadian territory, or between Canadian inland ports and that the rates for such carriage shall not be greater than the rate charged between the same points by any route not wholly Canadian, which includes any part of the Grand Trunk Railway system.

Mr. Borden proposed another amendment that all agreements between the Grand Trunk and the Grand Trunk Pacific must first obtain the sanction of the Governor-in-Council.

An amendment was suggested that in the event of the completion of that portion of the eastern division from Winnipeg East to North Bay or to the Lake Superior connection before the Dominion Government has finished the whole eastern division to Quebec and Moncton, then the company shall be entitled to lease such portions from the Commission at a rental of three percent.

THE LINE FROM QUEBEC.
Mr. Morin, of Dorchester, introduced an amendment that the line from Quebec should cross immediately to the southern side of the Allegheny mountains, which, he said, would open up an undeveloped region to settlement. It might make the road five miles longer, but this would be more than compensated for by the easier grades. He proposed also simultaneous construction from Moncton and Quebec.

The Minister of Justice said the government proposed the insertion of an amendment requiring the simultaneous starting of construction at Winnipeg, Moncton and Quebec, so as to have the various stretches completed about the same time.

Mr. Morin produced maps prepared by one of the departments last session, showing the new line as running north of the Alleghenies from Quebec down to New Brunswick, but the Minister of Justice said that he maps could give the accurate route proposed because the requisite surveys had not yet been undertaken.

It was agreed to allow these amendments to stand as notices of motion and the House rose at eleven o'clock.

MINGAN FISHING LICENSES.

A return was submitted to parliament yesterday showing that Mr. P. V. Savard, ex-M.P., of Chicoutimi, was paid \$1,600 last year for an enquiry into the question as to whether the right to issue fishing licenses along the seignory of Mingan resided with the Dominion or with the province of Quebec. The commissioner gives no opinion of his own but cites the records of the seignory back to the seventeenth century, as produced in a suit that went through the Quebec courts and was finally carried to the Privy Council. He recommends a reference to the Exchequer Court to interpret the Privy Council decision.

THE CANADIAN MILITIA.

It is understood that the Minister of Militia proposes that the control of the militia shall be vested in a council composed, as in the British army, of the military and civil heads of this department with the addition of a chief-of-staff and an inspector-general. The inspector-general will probably be the British officer commanding His Majesty's troops in Canada, and his duties will be to see that the efficiency of the force is maintained under the executive administration of the chief-of-staff. His reports and recommendations will be of an advisory character for the information and guidance of the council. The chief of staff will be responsible for seeing that the policy is carried into effect, as outlined by the council, and the inspector-general will carry out an annual inspection to report upon the effects upon the militia of the policy that has been framed by council.

Oxen Ploughing, Weaving Rag Carpets, The Old Barn.

Gill (Charles), Montreal—Portrait.

Graham (J. L.), A.R.C.A., Ontario—The Stable and The Cart.

Grier (E. W.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Portrait Mr. E. F. B. Johnson, Rev. Professor Clark and Mrs. Eber Ward.

Hagarty (Clara S.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Washing Day.

Hammond (John), R.C.A., Sackville, N.B.—Sunset St. John Harbor, Summer.

N.B., Fishing Boats, Bay of Fundy, Rising Moon, Early Morning.

Harris (Robert), C.M.P., President R.C.A., Montreal—Her Excellency the Countess of Minto, loaned by Montreal Art Association; Dr. William Osler, portrait.

Hillyard (Carrie Learoyd), Toronto—The Morning Glory.

Hope (William), R.C.A., Montreal—Early Summer and Early Moonrise.

Innes (John), Toronto—When Ways are Short.

Knowles (F. McGilivray), R.C.A., Toronto—Landing the Catch.

Lomer (Lorna), Montreal—Head of an Old Man.

Miller (E. Cheseboro), Toronto—Study of an Old Man.

Morris (Edmond), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Cap Tourmente, a Quebec Landscape, the Laurentians.

Muntz (Laura), A.R.C.A., Toronto—The Little Scribe.

Nelson (Marion H.), St. Catharines, Ont.—The Blacksmith.

Pemberton (Sophie), Victoria, B.C.—A Lavre Overt.

Patterson (E. L.), Toronto—Poplars.

Smith (William), A.R.C.A., St. Thomas, Ont.—Misty Morning at Sea, Moonlight at Sea.

Staples (Owen P.), Toronto—The First Snow, pastel.

Tully (Sidney Strickland), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Portrait Mrs. Hayter Reed, pastel.

Winch (Mary E.), Toronto—Case of Miniatures.

Spurr (Gertrude E.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Blue Devils.

Staples (Owen P.), Toronto—Haymaking.

Tully (Sydney Strickland), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Twilight of Life.

Verner (F. A.), A.R.C.A., London, Eng.—Old Fruit Winter.

—The Loggers, The Floodgate.

Watts (John W.), Ottawa—October Afternoon.

Williamson (E. C.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Klaasie, Toil and Trouble, The Bachelor, Normandy Peasant, Old Man in Blue Coat.

WATER COLORS, ETC.

Bell-Smith (F. M.), R.C.A., Toronto—Winter Afternoon, Luxembourg, An Old Street, Coventry, in the Park—a thirsty afternoon.

Bridgen (F.), Toronto—Sunset Glow, Ayrshire, The Heart of the Valley, The Winding Stream.

Brynmor (William), R.C.A., Montreal—Cool Shade.

Chavignand (George), Montreal—Evening Bridges, Clair de Lune.

Coburn (F. S.), Quebec and Antwerp—Le Pot au Feu.

Gagen (R. F.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Dark Harbor, Grand Manan, Evening.

Hahn (Gustav), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Decorative Frieze.

Jeffreys (C. W.), Toronto—The Pine Woods, loaned by Ontario Government.

Manly (C. M.), A.R.C.A., Toronto—Goli of Eventide.

Matthews (M.), R.C.A., Toronto—Our Camp on the Pipe Stone.

Martin (T. Mower), R.C.A., Toronto—Near Sudbury.

Muntz (Laura), R.C.A., Toronto—Angel from The Reaper and the Flowers, Mother and Babe, The Dream, an Elf.

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PRESBYTERIAN W.F.M.S.

ANNUAL SESSION CONCLUDED.

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PORT ARTHUR SURROUNDED.

Japanese Land in Force on Both Sides of the Liao tung Peninsula.

ADMIRAL ALEXEIEFF AND THE GRAND DUKE BORIS ESCAPE FROM THE TOWN.

Tuesday, May 6.—It is official news that a Japanese force began landing on the Liao tung peninsula yesterday.

The place where the landing is taking place and the number of men being landed is withheld.

THEY WERE JAPANESE.
Tokyo, May 6.—(Noon.)—General Kuroki is reporting yesterday, tells of a bloody encounter during the Russian retreat on Sunday last, when, according to information furnished by a native, a body of Russian infantry, two thousand strong, occupying a hill near Tientsin, long, stood for Japanese a detachment of their own infantry about two hundred strong, retiring before the Japanese.

General Kuroki says that a Japanese patrol, consisting of fourteen men, reached Tientsin on the third instant, when a Russian patrol posted on a hill south of the village attacked them. The Japanese patrol thereupon opened fire, and after an hour's fighting, the Russian patrol was driven in the direction of Feng tian cheng. The Japanese patrol pursued them to a stream three miles south-west of Kaohmen, where Russian sentries were discovered posted on hills on both sides of the road.

NEWS IN ST. PETERSBURG.
St. Petersburg, May 6.—A despatch from Port Arthur dated yesterday, says that the Japanese fleet has taken up a position behind the Liao tung peninsula, carrying transports, carrying Japanese troops have arrived at Pitsewo, it being intention to land there. Admiral Alexeieff, in compliance with an imperial order, left Port Arthur at 11 o'clock yesterday morning to rejoin the active army. The command of the Russian fleet has been bestowed temporarily on Admiral Zheleznevsky, with the title of flag captain to command the fleet.

JAPANESE HAVE LANDED.
London, May 6.—The landing of the Japanese on the Liao tung peninsula, it is reported, is officially confirmed. It is expected that the railway connecting Port Arthur with Mukden and Harbin will be cut.

The departure of Admiral Alexeieff and Grand Duke Boris from Port Arthur is reported to be due to the possibility of an interruption of railway communication. The Japanese landed in sufficient force to discourage the few hundred Russians remaining at Pitsewo from offering any resistance.

London, May 6.—A despatch to the "Daily News" from St. Petersburg to-day says that the Japanese landed at Port Arthur on the west coast of the Liao tung peninsula, as well as at Pitsewo.

Port Adams is situated about fifty miles from Port Arthur at the head of the Yalu, and on the railway connecting Port Arthur with Mukden and Harbin. Consequently it may be inferred that the report of a Japanese landing at Port Arthur has been cut off. Pitsewo, on the east coast, where the Japanese landed, is less than twenty miles from Adams.

It is situated on the east coast of the Liao tung peninsula, and about twenty miles north-east of Port Arthur. It is near the narrowest part of the peninsula, along which passes the railway connecting Port Arthur with Mukden and Harbin. Kin chow bay, where the Japanese landed, is also reported to be situated, is not far from Pitsewo.

WAR COMMISSION.
The commission sat until two o'clock this morning, and at the close of the session it was announced that the commission was to communicate to the government. It is known, however, that the commission has been informed of the Japanese fleet off the coast of the Liao tung peninsula, and the appearance of the Japanese fleet.

SHIPPING EVENTS.
The fact that the two events occurred on the same day may have significance. It is expected that the Japanese fleet will be able to land at Pitsewo, and that the Japanese fleet will be able to land at Pitsewo.

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JAPANESE BRAVERY.
Port Arthur, May 5.—The Japanese displayed desperate courage in their fireship attack on the night of Tuesday.

The ships as they approached were divided into three groups, all heading straight for the entrance of the harbor. While still far from the shore they ran on the Russian mines and they were under a murderous fire from the Russian batteries. Three torpedo boats followed the fireships to pick up the crews of the latter. When the first ship foundered the crew clambered up the mast, cheering for the Emperor of Japan as they went down. From the masthead of the second vessel, as she began to sink, her crew waved lanterns to indicate her course to those ashore. Their small boats, though soon riddled, did not raise the white flag.

A Japanese sailor, who came ashore at Electric Hill, when summoned to surrender, sprang forward with a revolver in his hand and died fighting.

Another Japanese sailor who was pulled out of the water, tried to throttle himself with his necktie.

One of the Russian rowboats which approached a sinking ship for the purpose of saving her crew, was met by a small arm fire.

The Russian sailors showed every consideration for the captured Japanese, wrapping them up in their own coats and carrying them ashore.

One of the rescued Japanese officers committed suicide by disemboweling himself, declaring he would rather die than go home in disgrace.

FOREIGN MILITARY OBSERVERS.
Soul, Korea, May 5, 8.45 p.m.—The fourteen foreign military observers who have been assigned to the first Japanese column have arrived at Chiem po. The party left Tokyo on April 30.

PERSIA AND RUSSIA.
Grand Duke Michael Pays a Visit to Teheran.

Tiflis, Transcaucasia, May 6.—It is reported that the visit of Grand Duke Michael, the heir apparent, to Teheran, is due to the illness of the Shah. The Grand Duke will confer with the government regarding administrative, fiscal and army reforms. The Persians are contributing to the relief of the Russian wounded.

MR. HODGSON IN LIVERPOOL.
Produce Exchange Sends Message to Canadians Through Him.

(Canadian Associated Press.)
London, May 5.—The president of the Liverpool Produce Exchange, in introducing Mr. A. J. Hodgson, wished him to convey to the Montreal Board of Trade, the railway companies and the people of Canada generally their sincere thanks for the magnificent and unique hospitality extended to the delegates to the Chambers of Congress meeting in Montreal last year.

Mr. Price Jones also referred to the hospitality and remarked that Canadians had shown them how to make butter and cheese second to none.

Mr. Hodgson strongly urged the appointment of a Royal Commission to thoroughly thresh out the fiscal question. In Canada there was no political aspect to this question and no knowledge of what Mr. Chamberlain's policy consisted, consequently, Canada could not have endorsed what was called Mr. Chamberlain's progress.

The Liverpool "Daily Post" says Mr. Hodgson's saying, "Let there be a Royal Commission on the fiscal matter upon which will be representatives of Canada and other British possessions, and let there be a fair and square investigation," is an infinitely more statesmanlike proposal than any Mr. Chamberlain has proposed or any that his tariff commission is likely to evolve.

NASSI FOUND GUILTY.
Misappropriated Government Funds.

Rome, May 5.—After a parliamentary enquiry, Signor Nassi, former Minister of Public Instruction, was found guilty of peculation. He was charged with the misappropriation of several hundred thousand francs destined for the expenses of the ministry, which he was the head. The judicial authorities have asked the permission of the Chamber of Deputies to prosecute. Permission assuredly will be granted. The case has created a great sensation in Rome. Nassi's house is being watched by the police.

His secretary, Lombardo, escaped abroad. Nassi's whereabouts is unknown.

Nassi was a strong politician, and it was believed he was destined to become Premier. The result of the parliamentary inquiry into his conduct has caused great excitement.

THIBETANS ARE DEFIANT.
Further Fighting Expected Shortly.

Gyangtse, Thibet, May 5.—The officials at Lhasa seem to be determined to defy the British Thibetan expedition. A strong reconnoitering force has left Gyangtse to dislodge the Thibetans from the further side of Kharola pass, where it menaces the British communications. The presence of this army there has been known for a long time, but it was lately learned that its strength is being daily increased. The Lhasan authorities are leaving recruits in all directions. It is expected that there will be further fighting shortly.

ACTION AGAINST THE CITY.
Through her attorneys, Messrs. Curran & Curran, Dame A. Hodden has entered an action against the city for \$9,999 damages, on account of injuries received by slipping on a Guy street sidewalk, in December last.

QUEBEC LEGISLATURE

Ministerial Caucus—Legislative Council.

THE QUEBEC BRIDGE—THE DROLET PRIZE FIGHT.

Quebec, May 5.—The questions discussed in this ministerial caucus this morning must have been either of a very interesting or a very contentious nature, for the members only came out of their secret conclave at 1.30 this afternoon and then only to meet again after the sitting of the House to-night and complete their business.

THE SCHOOL ACT AND CENSUS.
When the House met at three, Mr. Neault (Champlain) introduced a bill to amend the Education act so as to provide for the taking of a triennial census by the school commissioners of the children of school age in each municipality for the better apportionment of the grant. A bill to amend the law respecting mutual benefit and charitable associations was also brought in by Mr. Chetrier in order to give power to such associations to change their corporate names, whenever deemed necessary, by a two-thirds vote of their members.

In reply to Mr. Pelletier, the Treasurer said the total amount of the taxes collected from 1897 inclusively to date under the act of 1892 and 1893 would be found in the Public Accounts.

In reply to Mr. Lafontaine (Maskinonge), who asked, Does the government intend to introduce a bill this session to amend the law respecting industrial establishments so as to limit the period of work to ten hours a day for men generally employed in establishments worked by steam? Mr. Gouin said the subject was under consideration.

In reply to Mr. Pelletier, the Premier said there were no American companies (from the United States), holding timber limits in this province and doing business with his department, who at the same time employ or had employed his law firm or any one of the firm of Fitzpatrick, Parent, Taschereau, Roy & Cannon as their legal advisers.

Nor did the member for Dorchester obtain any great amount of information from the following question, which he next put to the government:

1. Did the Hon. S. N. Parent, president of the Bridge Company, subscribe at the beginning for one hundred shares in the capital stock of that company? 2. Was such subscription afterwards changed and did the Prime Minister become the holder of fifty shares not fully paid up and of seventy-five other shares paid up? 3. On Oct. 14, 1903, the date when the contract between the Federal Government and the Bridge Company was signed, how many shares did the Prime Minister hold in the company? 4. Has he paid twenty-five percent on a certain number of his shares, and if so on how many? 5. Did he hold other shares then entered in the company's books as paid up? If so, how many? If so, also, how had such shares become paid up? Was it in money or by counter account or for services rendered, and, if so, in what capacity?

Mr. Gouin replied that all the information on this subject in the government's possession was contained in the documents already laid before the House in 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904.

THE PRIZE FIGHT.
Mr. Pelletier next moved for copies of all instructions given by the government in connection with boxing exhibitions in this province, and also of the instructions given in connection with prosecutions to be instituted against all who are responsible in law for the death of one Drolet, recently killed in Quebec in one of such pugilistic encounters. This brought up the whole question of prize fighting and the fatal result of the recent so-called boxing exhibition in Quebec, the mover contending that Mr. Parent, both as Mayor of Quebec and head of the Provincial Government, had tolerated and encouraged these so-called boxing exhibitions, which were nothing more or less than prize fights, and that he and his government, but more especially the Attorney-General, who had utterly failed to do his duty in the connection, were morally if not as directly responsible for the death of the unfortunate man Drolet as any of the others who were aiding and abetting his fight with Wagner, to the making of a scapegoat of whom for others he strongly objected. He also dwelt upon the demoralizing influences of such exhibitions upon the population and especially upon youth.

Mr. Taschereau denounced Mr. Pelletier's indignation on this head as merely put in for political effect and to gratify his feelings of ill-will towards the Premier. He claimed that Drolet's death had been a mere accident and that Mr. Pelletier had his share of responsibility for it inasmuch as under the government in which he was attorney-general, these boxing exhibitions had been freely held in Montreal, Hull and even under his very nose in Quebec, and the state of things which he now so violently condemned had flourished long before the present government came to power. He gave the dates of a number of these fights which had been held in Quebec when Mr. Pelletier belonged to the government, and when he might have stopped them had he really desired to do so, and had been as scandalized as he pretended to be to-day in regard to them. Referring to the credit which he (Mr. Pelletier) took for stopping the Hall-Shavin fight here when he was attorney-general and to the letters he wrote to Mayor Parent, taxing him with failing to do his duty in the matter, here, again, contended the speaker, the member for Dorchester was posing for political effect, as only the night before coming to Quebec, Hall and Shavin had engaged in one of these boxing exhibitions at Sohmer Park, Montreal, which was equally under the attorney-general's jurisdiction and yet he had done nothing to stop the scandal. He had not even noticed it, but, when it came to putting a political adversary like Mayor Parent, of Quebec, at fault, he was right there every time. The member for Montmorency also insisted

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Mr. Roy (St. John's), then continued the debate on the Legislative Council question. He favored the making of that House elective, but did not see the necessity for an immediate change. On his motion, the debate was again adjourned.

The bill to amend the constitution of the Superior Court was next put through its final stages on division and passed, and a number of other public bills were advanced a stage.

SUPPLY.
The House then went into committee of supply, passed a few items of estimates, and adjourned at nine o'clock, when the ministerial members again went into caucus and continued in secret conclave until a late hour. Nothing of the business up is definitely known, but it is presumed that it referred to the colonization and railway subsidy questions chiefly, the length of which explains the length of the caucus. It is said that the utmost union and harmony prevailed among all present.

NOTES.
Mr. Charet has given notice that he will ask whether the municipalities which built iron bridges under the Mercier Government with the aid of said government have since received any assistance in money or otherwise for the maintenance of such bridges and if so what were the municipalities and what amounts were subscribed and paid.

PROROGATION.
The "Evening" assigns May 21 as the date definitely determined upon by the government for prorogation.

FIRE AT RICHMOND.
Richmond, Que., May 5.—Yesterday at noon a fire broke out in the "Guardian" Printing Office, caused, as is supposed by sparks from a passing engine. It caught on the roof of the building and did \$600 damage.

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Ladies' Neckwear Dept.

Dainty, pretty and exclusive effects are seen all round this department; why not secure a few to put round your neck? The prices ought to tempt you visit us on Friday.

Stocks and Turnover Collars, in large variety; the 50c values for 15c; 75 values for 25c; 35c and 35c values for 10c.

Ladies' Gloves.



Don't let this chance to secure some perfectly made and perfectly fitting gloves at a very low price slip by. The first two lines mentioned are ones we shall not be able to repeat. The "PREMIER" is, of course, one of our well known specially low priced lines.

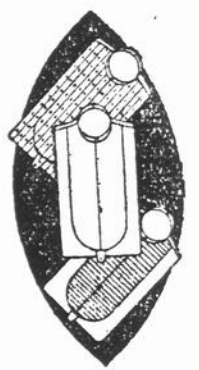
French Kid Gloves, 3 clasps, twist point back, in colors: White, Cream, Tan, Mode, Grey and Brown; sizes, 5 1/2 to 7. A regular \$1.25 Glove; Saturday's price, 80c.

A few dozen left of Genuine French Kid Gloves, 3 clasps, fancy back, in colors: Tan, Mode, Brown; size, 5 1/2 to 7 1/4. Regular price, 40c. Saturday's price, 15c.

THE "PREMIER" GLOVE, with self or fancy stitchings, in Beaver, Mode, Brown, Tan, Grey, Black and White, per pair \$1.25.

BLACK SILK MOIRETTE UNDERSKIRT \$3.95

We have scored an enormous success with our SILK MOIRETTE UNDERSKIRTS this season, and this is certain proof that we have the most popular styles at prices you cannot beat elsewhere. Among the large range we shall show on Saturday is a Black Silk Moirette Underskirt with wide flounce from knee and three ruffles with fine tuck. Saturday's Price \$3.95.



Men's Needs.

Fancy Vests will be, if possible, worn more than ever this season, and what can look nicer. Of course, you want to get nice, quiet patterns, and the Vest cut correctly and made properly. Buy your Vests at OGILVY'S, and you can rely on all these details being looked after for you.

Men's Washable Vests, Plain, White or Fancy Figured, adjustable buttons, all sizes. Prices, \$1.25 and \$1.50 each.

Men's Soft Fronted Colored Shirts, separate cuffs, up to date patterns, fast colors. All sizes, 14 to 17. Special price, each 75c.

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They are so nice and light looking that they at once seem to draw you towards them directly you get near the Department. They're very popular, and justly so. They'll be more popular than ever when these prices get known.

1,500 YARDS. 1,500 YARDS. FRENCH ORGANDIE MUSLINS, with Flower and Stripe Designs; regular price, 45c to 55c. Special price Saturday 22 1/2c.

750 YARDS. 750 YARDS. FIGURED MERCERIZED FRENCH ORGANDIE MUSLINS; regular price, 45c. Special price Saturday, 22 1/2c.

150 YARDS. 150 YARDS. 44 in. SWISS EMBROIDERED DRESS MUSLIN; regular prices \$1.50 to \$1.85. Special price Saturday, 22 1/2c.

Ribbons in Demand



It's well known by now that Ribbons are being much worn this season, and we want it to be well known that OGILVY'S have them at specially low prices. Because some of our ribbon prices are so low, it does not mean the goods are old-fashioned, or will fade quickly, etc. What it does mean is that we anticipated the great rush, and bought in proportion what prices.

Duchess Satin Ribbon, 4 in. wide, in Pale Blue, Pink, Yellow, Green, Mauve, Red, Black and white.

Shaded Ribbons for Cushion frills 4 in. wide. Regular, 25c, for 19c.

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Five totally different styles, different in material, different in cut, but all at one price, \$1.00.

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Bias Gored Corset, for short, full figures, low bust, medium, long below waist, each \$1.00.

Straight strip Corset, in Linen Batiste, well trimmed with lace and ribbon, two lengths long and short, each \$1.00.

Dainty little Ribbon Girdles, for the Misses, made of 5 strands of Mercerized tape, 10 inch front steel, boned with horn, finished Satin ribbon bow, each \$1.00.

Size 18 to 20 inches. Colors—White and Dove.

\$2.25 LADIES' KIMONAS FOR \$1.50.

Just the kind you are wanting now the weather has changed. Note the price; cut nearly half.

FANCY MUSLIN KIMONAS, Roll Collar, Broad trimmed, fast colors, 55, 58, 60 in. long. Regular price \$2.25. Saturday's price \$1.50.

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Are you moving? If so, you are put to a lot of trouble and are worried a good deal. Ogilvy's are always moving, that is, we should say moving with the times, but there's plenty of trouble and worry attached to moving with the times. We don't mind this though, just as long as we are able to give our customers satisfaction. That's what we are always aiming at.

THIS SEASON'S COSTUMES FOR HALF PRICE.



An announcement like this surely concerns you. It's true absolutely we've cut the prices down in some instances more than half, and this is one of the best offers we've given you for some time. There's not more than two or three of any style, and in some cases one only. In fact, they're just broken lines, in different patterns and sizes, and we want to clear them out. All choice, new, well tailored goods, in Fancy Tweeds, Cheviot, Serge, and Plain Cloth, silk and satin lined, some trimmed and some untrimmed; all are fashionable and neat styles. Chiefly Eton and Blouse Coat Shapes.

Regular prices from \$25.00 to \$35.00. Special price Saturday each,

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THE TOWEL SEASON is now with us, for it's certain in the hot weather, with its dust and heat, etc., we have to wash and dry much more often. A good towel is a real luxury. We append a few prices of FIRST CLASS ALL LINEN TOWELS, etc.

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25 by 56 inches, worth 35c each; Special for 25c each.

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Ages, 12 to 16 years. Regular, \$6.50 to \$9.00. For Saturday's selling, \$4.59.

Boys' All Wool 3 piece Suits, in Cheviots, Scotch or English Tweeds, \$7.50, for \$4.49.

Boys' Long Pants Suits, in fashionable All Wool Tweed, with pin stripe, \$8.00.

Boys' English Sailor Suits, with detachable collar of English Drill, shield and lanyard. These Suits are made from the Finest Bell-warp Serge, \$4.25 to \$5.59.

Boys' All Wool Norfolk Suits, made of Finest Donegal Navy or Black Serge, imported, \$6 to \$7.50.

Boys' English Serge Navy Reefers, with Anchor buttons; ages, 5 to 8; regular, \$1.50, for \$3.00.

We are showing a fine lot of English Drills, Lustre and Crash, in nearly all shades. Ages, 5 to 14 years. These we are offering at 25 PERCENT Reduction.

Boys' Sailor Suits, in Pale Blue or White Satin Drill, with Pale Blue collar, and cuffs, \$1.75, for 99c.

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LADIES' BAGS, in Black only; regular price 85c; Special price 50c each.

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White Escorial Insertion, 4 in. wide, Vandyke, \$1.00, for 25c.

Butter Guipure Medallion Insertion, 7 1/2 in. wide, for 25c.

Fine Duchesse Lace, 5 in. wide, 50c, for 25c.

Vandyke Flouncing, Paris shade, \$3.00, for 50c.

Teneriffe Insertion, 5 in. wide, Paris shade, \$1.00, for 25c.

Brussels Insertion Medallion, 50c, for 25c.

Black Insertion, Cluny effect, 6 in. wide, 80c, for 25c.

Paris Shade Insertion Medallion, 50c, for 25c.

Black Escorial Insertion, Medallion, \$1.25, for 50c.

Batiste Insertion, 75c, for 25c.

Black Chantilly Insertion, \$1.25, for 50c.

White Silk Medallion, \$1.25, for 50c.

Batiste Medallion, 75c, for 25c.

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\$1.45 Military Blouse of Persian Lawn, front and back with Cluny Lace, band of wide Cluny Insertion and 1 1/2 inch stitched pleats down front, tucked cuff.

\$1.75 India Lawn Waist, centre pleat of a combination of tucks and side pleats, graduated pin tucks on each side of pleat down front, side pleats at back, fancy tucked sleeve and cuff.