

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

BIRTHS.

BROWN.—At London, Ont., on the 21st inst., the wife of A. A. Brown, Esq., M.D. of a son.

MARRIED.

WATSON—FRAZER.—By the Rev. John Lawrence, in the new parsonage, Arden, Ont., August 16th, 1883, Mr. Benjamin Watson to Miss Jane Frazer, both of Olden, Ont.

McARTHUR.—On the 22nd inst., at 121 Fulford street the wife of Daniel McArthur, of a daughter.

JACKSON—LANE.—In this city, August 23rd, 1883, Mr. W. E. Jackson, son of the late Mr. Henry Jackson, builder, to Miss Katie, fourth daughter of Mr. M. Lane, both of this city.

ALEXANDER.—At Brockville, on Saturday, the 18th inst., Frederick Charles, aged 11 months, son of James Alexander, of Lancaster.

THOMPSON.—In this city, on the 23rd of August, 1883, Mary Duncan, aged 10 months and 29 days, infant daughter of Robert S. and Susie A. Thompson.

GREENWOOD.—At Chambly Canton, on the 23rd inst., Percy Stansfield, infant son of Stansfield and Mary Ann Greenwood, aged 3 months and 12 days.

PROWSE.—At St. Lambert, on the 22nd of August, George F. Prowse, aged 78 years.

McCREADY.—At Moncton, N.B., August 20th, Alice Maud, wife of J. E. B. McCreedy, editor Daily Transcript, and daughter of Edwin Prowse, Penobscot, N.B., aged 41 years.

CLAXTON.—On the evening of August 23rd, after 17 months of great suffering, Charles Russell, aged 13 years and 8 months, beloved son of T. James Claxton.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

AN OASIS in the desert is no brighter light to the wandering Arab than a bottle of Dr. Van Buren's Cure is to the unfortunate sufferer from Kidney Disease.

BUY YOUR BEDDING from the manufacturers! Mattresses of all kinds in stock and made to order, see our Cotton top Mattresses at \$6.00 Wm. King & Co., 652 Craig Street.

FINE BLACK WALNUT SIDE-boards at reasonable prices at H. J. SHAW & CO'S, 726 Craig street.

CARPETS, OILCLOTHS, LINOLEUM, &c. Advance shipments of FALL STOCK now arriving at the CARPET WAREHOUSE, comprising every grade and quality made in all the latest styles.

FURNITURE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION made to order on short notice at H. J. SHAW & CO'S, Cabinet Makers, 726 Craig st.

THE FAMOUS FULFORDER HATS Are acknowledged by the public to be the best. Christy's in Soft and Hard Hats are not excelled.

FOR GOOD VALUE IN FINE and substantial BEDROOM SETS, be sure and go to H. J. SHAW & CO'S, 726 Craig st.

CARSLEY'S COLUMN.

HALF A DAY!

During the months of our Saturday half holidays we have to try and do a day's trade in the half day. With this in view we offer to-morrow morning a large lot of Gray Striped WASHING SILK at 31c per yard—same as sold elsewhere at 50c.

MEN'S SHIRTS!

With the above object in view, a large lot of Men's White Dress Shirts will be offered to-morrow morning at 45c each. All full sizes, well made and well laundered.

S. CARSLEY'S

Useful GRAY STRIPED SILKS from 35c to 38c yd. Fair quality COLORED SATINS, only 25c per yd. Plain COLORED SILKS, suitable for dresses or fall costumes, in the new winter colorings.

BEST IN CANADA! BEST IN CANADA! BEST IN CANADA! S. Carsley's stock of Silks is spoken of as the best assortment in the Dominion.

CHEAPEST IN CANADA! CHEAPEST IN CANADA! CHEAPEST IN CANADA! S. Carsley's Silks are acknowledged to be the best value in the market.

BEST AND LARGEST! S. Carsley's stock of Ladies' and Children's SILK HOSIERY is the best in the Dominion.

THE BEST! S. Carsley's stock of Ladies' all-silk and spun silk UNDERWEAR is the largest and best in the Dominion.

THE LARGEST! S. Carsley's stock of fancy plain SASH RIBBONS is the largest in the Dominion.

THE BEST! S. Carsley has the BEST stock of Hosiery for Boys and Girls, from the finest to the strongest makes.

THE LARGEST! S. Carsley is showing the largest and choicest stock of Dress and Mantle Buttons for Fall wear yet seen in Montreal.

THE BEST! S. Carsley's stock of real Lace Fichus are most recherche, and are kept in all sizes.

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SILKS! SILKS! SILKS!

JOHN MURPHY & CO. CALL SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THEIR BLACK AND COLORED SILKS! Also their striped Washing Silks, which they are selling at 40 cents per yard.

The demand for John Murphy & Co's Silks during their Cheap Sale has been unprecedented. Every one acknowledges the bargain offered.

DRESS GOODS!

JOHN MURPHY & CO. Call special attention to their Black and Colored Dress Goods; also, Velvets and Velvetines. The assortment of these goods is large and all splendid value.

VELVET, RIBBONS, LACES, &c.

JOHN MURPHY & CO. Call special attention to their new Velvet Ribbons, Laces and Trimmings. All new fresh Goods, for the Fall Trade, and all marked at the Low Cash Price.

KID GLOVES!

JOHN MURPHY & CO. Call special attention to their Kid Gloves. They keep the largest assortment in Canada, in every style and color. Prices from 75c to \$3.50.

HOSIERY!

JOHN MURPHY & CO. Call special attention to their Ladies' and Children's stock of Fall Hosiery, which they are showing in all the newest Dark Colors, at Lowest Prices.

THE STORE FOR RUBBER WATERPROOFS.

JOHN MURPHY & CO'S, 403 and 405 NOTRE DAME STREET, Corner of St. Peter Street.

TERMS CASH AND ONLY ONE PRICE.

ALWAYS AS BUSY AS EVER AT OGILVY'S.

Which shows that those who advertise cheap sales Cannot Undersell Ogilvy in Prices.

SCOTCH YARNS!

SCOTCH YARNS! The few colors we are out of in these goods we will have in shortly. Our customers will kindly bear with us for a short time with this inconvenience, but as we always like to have fresh stock, the order was not placed far forward.

FIVE CENT LINE.

Another five cent line in 500 yards. A five hundred yard spool of lace thread at 5 cents. The same thread is sold in England for 10c or 12c sterling regularly. Only a few numbers of this thread could be prepared.

BLANKETS.

BLANKETS, BLANKETS! Now is the time to buy cheap Blankets at Ogilvy's. ALL SURPLUS STOCK to be sold off cheap before our new stock of the goods arrive.

A SPLENDID LINE OF HOME MADE BLANKETS.

Only \$4.00 per pair. This is much below any mill made goods for wear. These goods cannot be surpassed.

JAMES A. OGILVY,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, 199 ST. ANTOINE STREET.

CALEDONIAN SOCIETY GAMES.

The Pipes and Drummers of the 5th Royal Scots will leave Mechanics' Hall TO-MORROW at twelve o'clock sharp.

ESTATE OF HENRY G. LEVETUS.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 16th August instant, by order of Mr. Justice Deberry, duly appointed sequestrator to the estate, property and effects of Henry G. Levetus, of the City of Montreal, trader.

AUCTION SALE.

LARGE RETAIL STOCK OF DRY GOODS. I have received instructions to sell At the Up-town Auction Rooms, 1419 St. Catherine st.

On THURSDAY AFTERNOON, 25th inst., the whole of a large and well assorted stock of over \$1,500 worth of Choice Goods. Consisting of Tweeds, Coatings, Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Velvetines, Table Linens, Towelling, Shirtings, Ladies' Jackets, Fancy Shawls, buttons, Belts, scarfs, Trimmings, a quantity of second-hand clothing, &c., &c., in lots to suit purchasers.

INCH ARRAN HOUSE, Dal-

house, N.B. Situation unsurpassed for scenery; boating, bathing and fishing. Board reduced to 85c for rest of season. Return ticket from Montreal \$15.

INSTRUCTION IN DRAWING

and Painting, pictorial and decorative. At pupils residence, or 104 Drolet street. Terms moderate. Enroll at once.

The Daily Witness.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 24.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

CABLE NOTES. The Dublin Freeman's Journal bitterly denounces the House of Lords for its action yesterday in rejecting the Irish Registration bill.

The Patriarch of Armenia has tendered his resignation. The members of the Austrian polar expedition have arrived in Vienna. They received an ovation from the citizens.

The Times' correspondent at Vienna says:—"The report that Spain will join the Austro-German alliance is idle gossip."

Prince Bismarck has invited the sculptor Schilling to go to Kissingen in order to make a bust of the Chancellor, which is to be the final model for all future portrayals of the Prince.

A BALLOON ADVENTURE.

PARIS, August 22.—At Royau on the Girondo, there was on Friday a scene perhaps unprecedented in the annals of ballooning. M. Gratien, a well-known aeronaut, was about to make an ascent in a hot-air balloon called "La Vidonvillaise."

Mlle. Albertine, the heroine of several balloon ascensions, was seated in the car, and M. Gratien was holding in his right hand a loose coil tied to one of the cords that served to attach the balloon. The balloon unexpectedly broke loose, and the cord, unrolling itself with lightning rapidity, caught in a sort of running knot around the first and second fingers of Gratien's right hand.

Gratien was immediately whisked off into the air 600 metres high. In vain he tried to haul himself up on the cord and loop it over his arm. After frantic efforts he became exhausted and hung at the end of the cord suspended solely by his two fingers and suffering a excruciating agony.

Owing to the jerking of the balloon the cord cut like a razor through the flesh to the bone. In that situation Gratien was carried to the distance of nearly four miles, at the height of 600 metres above the earth. Mlle. Albertine, overcome by the horror of the situation, fainted away and sank helpless to the bottom of the car.

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SAD DROWNING CASUALTY.

BOSTON, August 24.—A despatch from Portland, Me., says: Yesterday four Boston people, a gentleman, his daughters and a young man, were drowned while bathing at Wells Beach, being carried off by the undertow. The accident was witnessed by many people, but as the party kept well together and some distance from the rest of the bathers no help could be rendered.

The names of the persons drowned are Emma Gould, of Boston, and Eddy Little, of Washington. The others are unknown, one being a child. None were rescued.

PORTLAND, Aug. 24.—A party of fifteen or twenty drove to Ogunquit beach. The undertow and surf running strong the party were warned of the danger. Nearly all were swept out by the undertow and four were drowned. Four others were rescued in a critical condition. The Rev. Mr. Little, of Washington, rescued his wife and child, but his son Eddie was drowned.

THE SULTAN'S RIFLES.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Judge Blatchford, in the United States Court, has denied the motion for an injunction to compel the Providence Tool Company to fulfil a contract to furnish 48,000 rifles claimed by the Sultan of Turkey.

ARRIVAL OF LORD CHIEF-JUSTICE COLERIDGE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Lord Chief-Justice Coleridge arrived from England to-day.

THE POSTAL TELEGRAPH.

CONCORD, N.H., August 24.—The Legislature to-day passed a resolution in favor of a government postal telegraph.

MADISON, Ind., August 24.—The immense wheat elevator of Trow & Co., containing 100,000 bushels of wheat, was burned this morning. The loss amounts to \$125,000.

NOT A COMET.

BOSTON, August 24.—Professor Swift, of Rochester, telegraphs to Harvard he has not found a comet but a nebula.

THEY DIVIDE ON THE TARIFF.

NEW YORK, August 24.—The Federation of Trades-Unionists this morning resolved to consider the question of shortening the hours of labor as paramount to all questions at present. The Amalgamated Association and steel workers of Pennsylvania sent notice it would not connect with the Federation on account of the position of the latter on the tariff. The iron workers favor a high tariff.

THE DEVASTATING CYCLONE.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 24.—Specials about the cyclone say the storm started in Westfield township and extended sixty miles. Pleasant Grove is reported annihilated. Two persons were killed and ten injured. In DeWitt County the horns were actually blown off the cattle. On approaching Rochester from the west two distinct tracks of the storm can be observed, one north the other south of the railway.

ST. PAUL, Aug. 24.—Andrew Johnson, a farmer nine miles south of Rochester, was injured and died yesterday. Mr. Quick, one of the injured in Rochester, died yesterday. Mr. Quick's wife and two children were instantly killed. He and five children were removed to the hospital seriously wounded. Two more children are expected to die.

ROCHESTER, MICH., Aug. 24.—On Thursday strangers began to pour in. The streets are crowded. An expression of sadness marks every face. Ten bodies were interred in the cemetery in the afternoon. The ceremonies were of the simplest character. Reports from Salem indicate heavy damage.

THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR.

CHICAGO, August 24.—A despatch from the President's party yesterday says:—This evening we are camping at the crossing of Snake River. Our tents are pitched on the banks of the stream in a grove of lofty pines. Trout are abundant and the party are taking advantage of their last opportunity for fishing before reaching the Yellowstone. The surroundings of the camp are beautiful and the opportunity for sport is so good that President Arthur has decided to remain another day. The President and other members of the party are in their usual good health and spirits.

CANADIAN.

OTTAWA. (Special to the Witness, Aug. 24.) SIR HECTOR LANGRIVEN left last night for Gananoque to lay the foundation stone of the new custom house.

RAILWAY NOTES.

(Special to the Witness.) OTTAWA, Aug. 24.—The Gatineau Valley Railway works are now in full blast. Plant and men are arriving every day from Ontario and Quebec and other places. Mr. MacDonnell, of MacDonnell, Bray & Co., arrived yesterday with a large quantity of railway utensils. Last night sixty Italians arrived from New York State, and will be put on the works to-day, if room can be found for them.

CRIMES AND ACCIDENTS.

OTTAWA, August 24.—Alphonse Prevost, employed on the tug "Allan Gilmour," on Wednesday fell into the Chamby Canal and was crushed to death. His remains were brought to Hull last evening. Mr. R. W. Gates, General Freight Agent of the Canada Atlantic Railway, ran a pin in one of his eyes yesterday and his medical attendants said he had a narrow escape from losing the sight of the injured eye.

SHIPPING.

NEW YORK, August 24.—Arrived "Celtic," from Liverpool, "Llandaff City" from Bristol. NEW YORK, August 23.—Arrived "Belgenland" from Antwerp, "Canada" from London. QUEENSTOWN, Aug. 23.—Arrived "Abyssinia" from New York.

The Allan S.S. "Waldenslan," from Boston, arrived at Glasgow on Wednesday and landed her entire live stock shipment of 302 oxen in good condition.

The Thomson Line S.S. "Avonia," leaves on 12th August, arrived at London on the 21st August, and landed all her live stock, 1,229 sheep and 131 cattle, in good condition, except 22 sheep which died on the passage.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—Arrived "Suevia" from Hamburg.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

METEOLOGICAL OFFICE TORONTO, August 24, 1 a.m.—To-night the pressure is highest over the Lake region and South-western States, and lowest over the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Very fine weather prevails in Canada. Probabilities for the next twenty-four hours—Lakes and Upper St. Lawrence, light to moderate winds, mostly west and south-west, fine weather, stationary or higher temperature. Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf, moderate to fresh west to south winds, fair warm weather with local showers. Maritime, moderate to fresh west to south-west winds, fine warm weather.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24. TEMPERATURE in the shade by Standard Thermometer by HEARN, HARRISON & CO., Optician, and Mathematical Instrument Makers, 242 and 244 Notre Dame street.

Table with 4 columns: Time (6 p.m., 8 a.m., 2 p.m.), Barometer (70, 60, 70), Max. Min. Mean (71, 59, 63-8), and 2 p.m. (29.97).

Meetings, Amusements, &c.

CHAMPIONSHIP
LACROSSE MATCH.
MONTREAL
VS.
SHAMROCK
(Champions)
ON SHAMROCK LACROSSE GROUNDS.
SATURDAY, 25th AUGUST.
Bell fixed at 3:30 p.m. Admission as usual.
PLAY RAIN OR SHINE!

Tickets for sale at Windsor Hotel Ticket Office, A. W. Craig & Co.'s, St. James street; Ronayne Bros. and Clark & Moore's, Chaboussier square.
Tickets for S. L. G. Excursion may be procured on the grounds.
T. E. McKENNA,
Hon. Sec. S. L. G.

MONTREAL
GARRISON ARTILLERY
RIFLE ASSOCIATION.
The Annual Matches of the Association will be held at the Point St. Charles grounds on
SATURDAY, 25th Inst.
commencing at 8 a.m. sharp.
Open Match (Open to all comers) at 2:30 p.m.
J. A. FINLAYSON,
Lieut.-Sec.

FLOWER MISSION!
All young ladies interested in this Mission are requested to meet at the GYMNASIUM, 19 Universal street, on SATURDAY MORNING.
Contributions of Flowers will be received from 9 to 11 a.m.

ART ASSOCIATION
OF MONTREAL.
GALLERY OF PAINTINGS AND STATUARY,
PHILLIPS SQUARE.
Open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Admission—Non-members, 25c. Members free.
Saturdays Free.
S. ENGLISH, Secy.

Excursions, Pic-nics, &c.

HIGHLANDERS!
KILTIES! KILTIES!
No. 1 COMPANY ROYAL SCOTS
WILL HOLD A
MOONLIGHT EXCURSION
On Friday, 24th Inst. (weather permitting).
Steamer "FLORATE" will leave Island Wharf at 8 p.m. sharp. Band Pipes, Singing, etc. Load of fun. Come one! Come all! Tickets, 25c.
N.B.—The boat will call at Longueuil Ferry Wharf going and returning.
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!

CALEDONIAN GAMES
SATURDAY, 25th Aug.
Pipers and Drummers 5th Royal Scots.
A Great Gathering of Kilties!
A year contest may be expected in the TWO MILE BICYCLE HANDICAP RACE FOR AMATEURS, MONTREAL LACROSSE GROUNDS.

SHERBROOKE ST. CHURCH
YOUNG MEN'S LITERARY CIRCLE.
GRAND TRIP TO OTTAWA.
Only \$3.00
For Return Ticket by Special Train.
SATURDAY NEXT, 25th August.
By special concession the Government Buildings will be open, and a selected team from the Montreal Lacrosse Club will be taken to the Capital to play against the Metropolitan.
Metropolis for Dinner at the Russell House will be sold on the train at reduced rates.

PROVINCIAL TEMPERANCE
—PICNIC!—
COWANSVILLE, P.Q.
FRIDAY, 31st AUGUST, 1883.
The Third Annual Temperance Picnic, under the auspices of the Quebec Branch of the Dominion Alliance, will be held in FULLER'S GROVE, Cowansville, on Friday, August 31st, 1883.
The several County Alliances and other Temperance organizations are expected to take a deep interest in the meeting, and give it the benefit of their united influence.
The following gentlemen, along with others, are expected to take part in the proceedings:—The Hon. Neal Dow, of Portland, Maine; Mr. John Duggan, New York; Rev. J. W. Manning, of Almonte, Ont., and Rev. G. H. Wells, Montreal.
Arrangements have been made with the different Railway Companies to convey passengers to and from the Grove for ONE FARE.
Music will be furnished by the Cowansville Brass Band. The gathering will be what is known as a "BASKET PICNIC," but such as desire to do so can procure refreshments on the ground at a trifling cost.
Officers of Temperance Societies, Clergymen and others are cordially invited to be present, to make the Picnic as widely known as possible, and to use their best endeavors to make the gathering in every way a success.
Trains leave Montreal at 9 a.m., returning leave Cowansville at 6:25 p.m.
Tickets good to go and return same day, \$1.00, or good to return till Monday, September 3rd, \$1.50.

OTTAWA RIVER
NAVIGATION COMPANY.
NEW ALL BOAT TRIPS.
To Kingston, via O. E. N. Co. to Ottawa and Rideau River (Steamer "Gipsy") to Kingston, Fare, \$3.
Round Trip to Kingston and Thousand Islands, via O. E. N. Co. Rideau River, returning via St. Lawrence (S. & O. Nav. Co.), \$3.
Steamer "Gipsy" leaves Ottawa every MONDAY and THURSDAY at 6 a.m. for Kingston; excellent accommodations. The scenery of the Rideau River is the most enchanting in the Dominion.
H. W. SHEPHERD, Jr.,
Manager.
Tickets at corner McGill and St. James streets

CIRCULATION OF THE WITNESS during the week ending Aug. 18th, 1883, and the corresponding week of last year:—

AUG. 1883.		AUG. 1882.	
DAILY.	TOTAL.	DAILY.	TOTAL.
Monday.....13	13,273	Monday.....14	12,845
Tuesday.....14	13,323	Tuesday.....15	12,985
Wednesday.....15	13,353	Wednesday.....16	12,973
Thursday.....16	13,318	Thursday.....17	12,829
Friday.....17	13,450	Friday.....18	12,709
Saturday.....18	13,701	Saturday.....19	13,215
Total.....80,260		Total.....77,709	
Weekly.....32,500		Weekly.....32,450	
Messenger, fortnight 57,852		Messenger, fortnight 52,000	

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.
Daily Witness, \$3; Weekly Witness, \$1.00; Northern Messenger, 10 copies to one address, \$2.50; 25, \$6; 50, \$11.50; 100, \$22; Weekly Messenger, 50c. 5 copies to one address, \$2.
These rates include postage to any part of the Dominion, United States and Great Britain.

ADVERTISING RATES.
Five lines and upward, 10c. per line first insertion, and all after insertions on pages 1, 5 and 8; 5c. per line each after insertion on pages 3 and 7. Annual Contracts on favorable terms.
WEEKLY WITNESS.
Twenty cents per line first insertion, and 15c. per line after insertions for large type or cuts. When set in usual small type, 10c. per line each insertion.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.
The date printed on each paper denotes the time when the subscription expires.

The Daily Witness.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1883.

THERE is a rather remarkable array of big figures unobtrusively going the rounds of the press of this Dominion, which seems to show that the wonders of Aladdin's lamp may be rivalled in our days, or else the credulity of many newspaper writers is rapidly increasing. It is stated in this remarkable paragraph that the gross earnings of the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railway for the past year exceeded nine hundred and twenty-four million dollars; the operating expenses were over four hundred and fifty-nine and a half millions, leaving the net earnings at over four hundred and sixty-four and a half millions of dollars. The net earnings per mile for 1883 are stated to be \$399,442 against \$358,615 in 1882, and \$269,696 in 1881. Such big statements as these might be passed successfully on the marines, but no sailor would believe them. Imagine a million and a half net profit a day to divide among half a dozen gentlemen.

THE ENGLISH SYSTEM.

Prince Hohenzollern, a member of the noblest house in Germany excepting always that of Hohenzollern now on the throne, is in Toronto, his mission being, according to his own account, to find out how England conducts her system of colonization. A German cannot understand anything being done unless government does it. How to conduct a system of government colonization is the very thing that the English are diligently asking themselves at the present time, and there is almost no nation that does not know more about it than she does. France could tell how she peopled Canada first by almost enforced emigration, and then by heavy premiums on large families. But England could only tell how she made a mess of governing colonies, and after one discredit war gave it up. The Germans are more amenable to a loving home government and consequently have no colonies. The fact is that since the English first settled on the Kentish and adjacent coasts, and their cousins the Norsemen, or Normans, took possession of the opposite coasts of France, and probably since long before that, it has been in the very nature of the English people to colonize, and no matter to what time the hen at home might cluck and cackle the ducklings would take to the water. For a long time all that the English Government has done, except under exceptional circumstances, in the way of conducting emigration has been to make regulations for the protection of the emigrant. Germany now looks around and sees that whenever Germans go abroad they are almost sure to find their way to an English country with an early prospect of ceasing to be Germans, and that thus a rival race is growing proportionately stronger at the expense of the best blood of Germany. All this is owing first, to the desolation of Germany by the Thirty Years' War, which almost depopulated her own country; and secondly, to Germany's past successes at repressing emigration. Had the Germans been an emigrating people and taken first possession of distant shores the tables would have been turned and the English would now have been swarming into German countries instead of the Germans into English ones. If Germany wants to conduct a successful colonial system all she has to do is to be less fatherly or motherly, to give her children a little freedom to think for themselves and do as they like, and then, after a new generation has grown up, if there are any countries left for them, they will, without any assistance or advice from Government, form German communities that will be to the praise and glory of Fatherland.



COMTE DE CHAMBORD.

LE ROI EST MORT.

This will be the exclamation of all Legitimists in France when they learn of the death of the Count de Chambord, or as they love to call him, Henri Cinq. If they have faith enough or stubbornness to finish the sentence which formed the ancient proclamation, *vive le roi*, they will still be in ignorance of the name of their king, for Henry was the last of the regular or eldest house of his family, the French Bourbons. Some days ago when his death was certain a family council was held at Frohsdorf, where the Count was dying, at which the heir was settled upon, but it was left until after death a secret to be declared in his will. The Republicans of France will not be greatly moved by his death. He was not a dangerous foe to the republic, perhaps his death will make room for a more active if not more ambitious man who might prove more troublesome though hardly at present dangerous. Henry Charles Ferdinand Marie Dieudonne d'Artois, Duc de Bordeaux and Count de Chambord, the son of the Duc de Berri and grandson of Charles X. of France, was "the babe of miracle," as Chateaubriand called him, having been born eight months after the death of his father who was assassinated by a political fanatic who wished to end the line of the Bourbons. His mother, the Duchesse de Berri, was also a Bourbon, being Marie Caroline Ferdinande Louise, daughter of Francis I. of Naples. She was because of her force of character and because of the lack of it in her kindred termed "the only man" of the house of Bourbon." Charles X. abdicated in favor of his grandson on the 2nd of August, 1830, but the Duke of Orleans met the congress next day and being offered the crown accepted it, proclaiming himself King of France by the grace of God and the will of the people. The Count de Chambord, then only ten years of age, had no friend powerful enough to defend his rights and he remained quietly in Paris. He never renounced them and always accepted royal honors at the hands of his supporters. In 1846 he married Princess Marie Theresa Beatrice Goitana, daughter of the Duke of Modena, and soon afterwards became the head of the house of Bourbon by the death of Charles X. He had hopes just before the revolution of 1848 and again when Louis Napoleon was elected President, of gaining his throne; but beyond writing proclamations and manifestoes—in one of which he declared himself a partisan of the temporal power of the Pope and willing to shed his blood in the cause which was bound up, he declared, with his own—he did little to forward his claims. His alliance with the Pope revived the fear of feudalism which was the greatest obstacle to his return to France as its king. When the Franco-German war was in progress he made his biggest bid for fame by subscribing largely to the French funds and declaring publicly that if the French rallied round him he would free the land of the invader and restore the glory of France. In 1871 he published a programme accepting constitutionalism and declaring that he would accept the throne, but not at the bidding of a party. Had he not refused to become "King of the Revolution," that is, to accept the result of the revolution, refused to sanction the tri-color, and declared that "he could not abandon the white flag of Henri IV," he might have gained his throne. In the fall of 1873 Paris was prepared to receive him, but instead of coming, he published another proclamation insisting upon the white flag, and his political career was closed. Being very rich and childless, he had much to lose and not a great deal to gain by attempting a revolution. His heir will probably be Louis Philippe the Count de Paris, grandson of Louis Philippe, who seized the throne on the abdication of Charles X., and great-grandson of Philippe "Egalite," the revolutionist prince, who died on the scaffold in 1793.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.

EXHIBITION OF THE THOMSON-HOUSTON DYNAMO ELECTRIC MACHINE.
The factory of the Thomson & Houston Electric Light Company of Canada, on Dowd street was visited last night by a large number of well known city machinists and others interested in electricity, to witness an exhibition of the working of the new dynamo-electric machines and lamps manufactured by the company. A full and satisfactory test was made of the power of the machines. The company guarantee that each machine can supply power to run twelve lamps and by a peculiarity of construction one light used in street lighting or the incandescent light used in offices. The general opinion of a number of practical electricians and others present was that the machines are a complete success and able to accomplish even more than the company claim for them.

THE CANADIAN ARTILLERYMEN.

THEY HOLD THE PLACE OF HONOR IN PARADE.
Speaking of the camp exercises of the brigades in camp at Sheburness, a recent English exchange has the following: "The whole force in camp, except the guard, afterwards marched out in full dress for drill in the cricket field. The force was formed up as a battalion, and a good smart drill was given to the men and officers. In the evening another drill was given and the brigades were inspected by Colonel Fox Strangways. The division presented a very smart appearance, and all the review movements were fairly executed. The Canadian team, under Colonel Macdonald and Major Short, were a marked feature in the drill, and had the place of honor in the parade."

ARRIVED FROM BRAZIL.

The steamship "Grasbrooke," the first of the line to run between Europe, Canada and Brazil, arrived yesterday in port. She is a fine vessel, and is rigged, carries a large spread of canvas and runs under steam from 11 to 12 knots an hour. Her carrying capacity is 1,500 tons length 300 feet, and breadth thirty-eight feet. She was built at Hamburg with water tight bulkheads and iron decks. Her engines are exceptionally strong, and her hull is in fine lines with a view to speed. The "Grasbrooke," is commanded by Capt. Schwamer, an old navigator. She brings only a light cargo being pressed for time, but returns with a full one to Hamburg. The next steamer to the "Bauwall," will, however, be the first to make the round trip to Brazil.

UNDESERVED REPROACHES.

The *Etendard* reproaches the *Minerve* for being too respectful toward M. Jules Grévy, President of the French Republic, and for using too courteous epithets toward him. It would like to treat him with "rascal" and "wretch." But, Mr. *Etendard*, anger misleads and "wretch" is too well-bred not to show some good will toward the man who has given a new "Commander" to Canada in the person of Mr. L. A. Senechal. Apropos of this name we read that this gentleman is no longer going to soil his pure soul with politics. Who will take up the mantle he wishes to drop—*Aurore*.

THE COUNCIL OF THE BAR.

At a special meeting of the Council of the Bar of Montreal held yesterday afternoon, the Bar-tender, Mr. C. A. Geoffrion, Q.C., in the chair, a committee was appointed to carry out arrangements for the reception to Lord Chief Justice Coleridge of England, who will shortly visit this city.

THE COURT STENOGRAPHERS.

The general feeling of the Council of the Bar is in favor of allowing the official stenographers to practise in the Enquete room when not engaged in any of the enquete and merit divisions.

A LANDMARK GONE.

The old fort on St. Patrick street, opposite the mill works of Messrs. Pilon & Huet, is being rapidly demolished. The building, it is said to have been constructed in 1659 by the Sulpicians, and served both as a farm house and fort to those pioneers of France in the new world.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

A man named Pierre Moulin, 51, engaged at Brush's foundry, was yesterday helping to remove a screw from a steamship, and as he unfastened one of the fans the other swung around, inflicting a serious wound on the head and breaking the jaw-bone. He was taken to the Notre Dame Hospital.

SPORTS AND GAMES.

THE PROVINCIAL RIFLE MATCHES.
The New Brunswick meetings have turned out to be a great success so far. Yesterday the Domville Cup was won by Sergt. Gray, of the 24th, with a score of 58. The Affiliated match was won by the King's County team, and the first prize in the nursery was won by Pte. McAlpine, with 30 points.
In Toronto yesterday, in the Tall-brassy match, the Queen's Own won the first prize, a \$250 silver cup, by a score of 648 points. The first series of the Ontario match was won by Major Wilson, of the 33rd, with 167 points; this gives him the Governor-General's medal. In the second series the Edlington Cup was won by Capt. Orchard, of the 16th, with 147 points. In the third series Lieut. Anderson, 37th, was first, with 225 points.

THE UPPER HUDSON NAVY.
The annual regatta of the clubs of the Upper Hudson took place at Troy yesterday and was a success. The four-oared race was won by the Laureates of Troy in 13.06; Cohoes, second. Junior singles, Hopkins, of Watervliet, first, in 15.02. The double-sculs a head race, was won by the Laureates in 13.52.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP MATCH.
It is altogether probable that the teams who play to-morrow will be composed as follows:—
Shamrocks—Lally, Morton, McInerogor, Butler, Maguire, Hart, Devine, Mackay, Green, Creagan, Heelan, Daly, and M. Polan captain.
Montrealers—Trilley, Fraser, Dillon, Grant, W. Hamilton, G. Aird, W. Aird, R. Elliott, E. Elliott, W. Griffin, Cleghorn, White, and R. B. Ross, captain.

THE BELLEVILLE REGATTA.
To-morrow afternoon the usual annual regatta will take place at Belleville. The programme includes single sculls for amateurs, one mile with a turn; single sculls for boys under 16 years, half a mile; double sculls for ladies, quarter of a mile; double sculls for amateurs, two miles with a turn; and double sculls, open, at the same distance. A special train will leave the Belleville depot at half past one o'clock, to-morrow, for the accommodation of those wishing to attend. In the evening fireworks, illuminations and a torchlight procession will take place on the Richelieu River, and as special excursions have been arranged for from Sorel and Chambly there is no doubt the attendance will be large.

ENGLISH CRICKET NOTES.
On the 10th, Middlesex defeated Kent at Canterbury by nine wickets, scoring 294 and 41 against 216 and 110. For Middlesex C. T. Studd made 105, not out. Kent's top score was Lord Harris, 79 and 32, not out.
Surrey defeated Wiltshire on the 10th by an innings and 4 runs, scoring 401 against 178, 122. Mr. F. W. Freeman for Surrey made 118.

THE AMERICAN CANOE CONGRESS.
Life at the canoe camp on Juniper Island, Stoney Lake, has been going on in an extremely quiet and happy manner. The number in camp is very large, something like one hundred canoes brigading together, and informal races, cruises, and exploring expeditions have been very numerous. On the 22nd the races began, and the number that poured into the camp was altogether too large. The first race was the No. 1 paddling class, juniors—1st, J. Adams, Peterborough C. C.; 2nd, Arthur Blade, ditto. This was for members who had never won an association race before. The course was a mile, and the winners were 100 yards ahead of the American double-blade paddles that competed in a junior sailing race. Gibson, of the Albany C. C., was first; J. E. Hawkins, of the Peterborough C. C., second, and Mr. Cottensam, of Peterborough C. C., third. In the paddling class, juniors, Fisk Johnson, of the Toronto C. C., was first, and J. Weller, of Cobourg, second. The review of the whole fleet in divisions took place at one p.m., and it was a grand sight. The fifty canoes and it was a grand sight. The review of the whole fleet in the sailing race for juniors canoes not over fourteen feet, Gibson, of the Albany C. C., was first, and J. E. Hawkins, Peterborough C. C., second. In the combined paddling and sailing for all classes, Gibson was first, and Whitlock, of the Knickerbocker C. C., second.

A GAME AT BOWLS.
Perhaps the first bowling match ever played in Canada came off in Toronto on Wednesday last. Some years ago a club was formed in Toronto and a green established, and a club having been formed in Belleville a match was arranged and played. There were two links, the winner to take two games out of three, thirteen shots to each player. The result was a victory for the Toronto who won two games out of three in both links.
ODES AND ENDS.
Plalsted, Wallace Ross, G. Lee and Hoemer have announced that they are willing to row any four oared crew in the world.
The Toronto Lawn Tennis Club will hold their annual tournament on the 25th of August. The entry list will be closed on Saturday.
This is the way they play lacrosse across the lines:—"There was a game of lacrosse at Eclipse park between the teams from Louisville and Chicago, which was rather exciting. During the contest Burke, of the Louisvilles, and one of the Chicagoese indulged in a little matinee not down in the programme. During a scuffle for the ball, the Chicago chap got his back on a high hit Burke over the head with one of those paddles with holes in it (don't know what they are called) and Burke returned the compliment by tapping him gently on the nose."

AN INDEPENDENT BAND.
The Harmony Band, refused permission by the Government to go to Boston for playing during the coming exhibition, have purchased new uniforms, and are now preparing to depart as an independent band.

PERSONAL.
The Rev. Canon Empson left for Quebec by boat last night.
Dr. W. G. Beers has been elected a Fellow of the Royal Colonial Institute.
Mr. A. P. Gelnals was yesterday appointed Principal of St. Mary's Academy.
Judge Doherty has gone to one of the summer resorts of New York State for a ten days' vacation.
Messrs. G. D. Chapman and C. E. Kimball, of the South-Eastern Railway, left Montreal for New York last evening.
Lord and Lady Carnarvon, accompanied by Lord Forrester, will arrive in Canada in about ten days and will remain for several weeks.
Archbishop Tache, accompanied by Father Malsonneuve, left Winnipeg on Monday last for the end of the track, and will visit all the mission stations along the line of the C.P.R.

A meeting of the French National Society was held at their hall on Wednesday night, and a committee chosen to prepare a grand banquet to Dr. P. E. Picault, of this city, on the 21st of September next.

CITY ITEMS.

St. Jude's Church Sunday school intend holding their annual Excursion and picnic to Isle Perot on Friday the 31st of August.
A new Convent is at present in course of erection at St. Michel d'Yamaska, Que. It is almost finished, and will be opened shortly.
Eugene Giroux, a resident of Cote St. Louis, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy High Constable Contant, on a charge of using threatening language to his brother.
Patrick Muller, who had been subpoenaed on the 16th instant to appear as a witness in the Duggan liquor case but failed to attend, has been arrested by Deputy High Constable Contant, but being able to prove that he was not near the saloon in question and knew nothing of the matter he was dismissed.

COMMERCIAL.

Friday, August 24. THE STATE OF TRADE. As the fall advances the volume of business in the wholesale trade is increasing.

LEATHER.—There is no change to note. Business continues unusually dull for the season.

WHOLESALE PRICES. The English wheat markets are somewhat easier to-day. Berbohm's advices to-day are as follows:

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LAST EDITION.

THE DEAD COUNT.

AMONG FRENCHMEN IN MONTREAL. KNIGHT "SANS PEUR ET SANS REPROCHE." Speaking of the death of the Count de Chambord to our reporter this morning, Chevalier Perrault, Vice-Consul of France, said:—"His loss to the royal party of France is equivalent to the death of Gambetta to the Republic. His firmness of character, his great honesty of purpose which was never questioned by the most extremists of all parties, the noble manner in which he upheld the fleur-de-lis flag in opposition to the tri-color of the Republic, his refusal of sovereignty unless the principle he advocated all his life were respected and maintained—these reasons endeared him to his partisans in France. General Charette, who visited Canada some time ago, was his military adviser, and has not left his bedside for the past three months.

With Count de Chambord goes down in the grave the last hope of the monarchist cause. Had he not been so chivalrous and lived more in keeping with the ideas of the present century, he would have proved the most terrible opponent to the establishment of a republic. For not many years ago, in a moment of ministerial crisis, in 1873, it is a known fact that all aspirants to the monarchist side had resigned their claims in his favor. His obstinacy defeated their aims, and the Republican party came out with a struggle stronger than the Count de Chambord was typical of his race, a nobleman in all the highest sense of the word, holding intrigue in contempt, and whose motto was "Dieu, honneur et patrie." France loses one of her most devoted sons, a great and honest patriot. His loss will be deeply felt by all admirers and friends of monarchy in Canada.

Prominent Canadian members of the Gallies and Ultramontane parties also express great regret at the news of his death. Several of the Canadian Papal Zonaves speak of the void it will create in their ranks. In Church circles he was looked upon as having been unequalled since the crusades as a knight. Next to the Pope the Count de Chambord held the leading position in the Catholic world and he was regarded as the flag bearer of the Catholic party in France. His death is a very serious blow to the Ultramontanes. It is reported that solemn Masses and grand memorial services will be held in the principal Catholic churches in the city.

THE SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY.

THE ARRANGEMENTS GOING ON SMOOTHLY. The departure of Messrs. G. D. Chapman and C. E. Kimball last night took place in the ordinary course of arrangements connected with the sale of the road and is not significant of a hitch as supposed in certain quarters. The facts are that by arrangement Mr. Chapman, his lawyer Mr. Smith, Mr. C. E. Kimball, Mr. James O'Halloran, attorney for the South-Eastern, and Col. Ashley Hibbard left yesterday for St. Albans and had a long conference with the Hon. Bradley Barlow, Mr. Chapman remained in St. Albans, and Col. Hibbard returned to the city. It is asserted by responsible parties that no hitch whatever in regard to the sale has taken place.

CIVIC COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

A meeting of the City Hall Committee took place this afternoon. Present, Ald. Robert (Chairman), Rainville, Stroud and Farrell. The business consisted chiefly of signing accounts, of which there were quite a number. The question of more heat during winter being necessary was brought up, it being stated that the present apparatus was insufficient, pipes often getting frozen. Left over until next meeting. The Committee agreed to advertise civic matters in the usual newspapers with the addition in future of Le Temps. Ald. Stroud took exception to the addition, and said that he thought the newspapers obtaining a share of the advertising patronage were already too numerous. The Chairman explained that no further expense would be necessary, the amount for advertising remaining similar to last year. The question of a new desk for His Worship the Mayor, was decided to at a cost of \$175. The meeting then adjourned.

A DANGEROUS CHARACTER.

Patrick Ryder, 22 years of age, was charged this morning before the Recorder with being drunk and resisting the police. The constable said he noticed the prisoner yesterday going along St. Patrick street, and, although drunk, he considered the man was able to take care of himself and therefore allowed him to pass on. After a few moments an old man drove along in a cart when the prisoner rushed at the cart and tried to stop the horse, and pick a quarrel with his driver. The constable then intervened, when Ryder took off coat, vest and hat, and picking up several stones threw them at the policeman, who approached to arrest him, when the man bent down and tried to throw his opponent. He also resisted all the way to the station in every possible manner. The prisoner was notorious for bad conduct, and had been arrested previously several times. He was fined \$10, or in default, one month's imprisonment.

THE ROYAL SCOTS.

ANNUAL EXCURSION OF COMPANY A. "A" company of the Royal Scots hold their annual moonlight excursion to-night on board the steamer "Fingert." The boat calls at Longueuil ferry wharf, Hochelaga, to take up East End excursionists. "A" Company deserves the cordial encouragement and support of the Scotch citizens of Montreal, the knit movement having been strongly worked up by many non-commissioned officers and privates of the Company, the result of which is that the Company is now full, and every man in complete Highland uniform.

A LIVELY RUNAWAY.

Dr. Griffin's horse, left standing in front of his residence on St. Catherine street, this morning, ran away. At the corner of Fort street a man tried to stop it and was run over by the buggy which overturned and smashed, and the horse, continuing his flight, ran into one of Sharpe's express wagons at the corner of Mountain and St. Catherine streets. It was finally stopped at Guy street without doing any further damage.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

A little boy named Ladouceur, who resides in St. Beatrice, met with a serious accident a day or two since. Putting his head through a broken window in his father's house, to look out, his foot slipped and the broken glass inflicted a severe wound in his neck. The injury is said to be a serious one.

A CLOSE SHAVE.

Joseph Langlois, aged 39 years, engaged at a vineyard maker's on St. Paul street, was at work cutting hard wood shavings yesterday afternoon when the plane becoming unscrewed, slipped, cutting the tendons of his left hand severely. The unfortunate man was taken to the Notre Dame Hospital and his injuries attended to.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Thomas Daly, aged 26, residing at 70 Commissioners street, while at work at the SS. "Lake Manitoba" last night had two of the fingers of one hand badly crushed. The man was removed to the Notre Dame Hospital.

THE LAVAL ELECTION.

JUDGMENT IN CHAMBERS ON A PETITION IN THE CASE. In Chambers this morning His Honor Judge Torrance gave judgment on certain preliminary objections made by P. E. Leblanc, the mis en cause in the Laval election case of Lavoie vs. Gaboury against the case going to proof. These objections were to the effect that the proceedings were illegal, in that the petition had not been taken within the time prescribed in the act, that no deposit of \$1,000 had been made as required by law, that they related to the facts of the contested election of 1882, and that the petition did not state that Leblanc was a candidate and Gaboury an elector. A motion to set aside the objection was made some time ago before Judge Lorange, who ruled that the objection was made within the legal delay, and that no deposit was required. Judge Torrance, on the petition to the same effect, agreed with the decision of Judge Lorange, and ruled that the contestation of 1882 did not bear on the present facts, and that it was sufficiently shown in the petition that Leblanc was a candidate and Gaboury an elector. The objections were, therefore, overruled with costs against the mis en cause.

THE MONTREAL FIELD BATTERY.

A CREDIT TO THE VOLUNTEER FORCE. Colonel Stevenson, of the Montreal Field Battery, is in receipt of a private letter from Lieut.-Col. Irwin, in which that gentleman repeats in words of no mean praise his previous remarks as to the general efficiency and appearance of the Battery. He declares that the Battery never turned out so well before, and agrees with Colonel Luard's remark that it is a credit to the force. The full text of General Luard's remarks having, so far as can be ascertained, not yet been made public, a general synopsis may prove interesting. He remarked at the close of the inspection that when he came to Canada some three years ago the Montreal Field Battery was one of the best he had seen of any other corps, and is well known as a careful and extremely critical commanding officer, the remarks were all the more appreciated by the officers and men of the Montreal Field Battery.

STRIKING A CONSTABLE.

A SCENE ON ST. CATHERINE STREET. Charles Lamoureux, 27, was charged this morning before the Recorder with striking a constable and assaulting the police. The constable testified that, being on duty last night on St. Catherine street, he noticed a large crowd gathered, and proceeding hastily to the spot, noticed a couple of women gesticulating and calling "Police! police!" A buggy stood near by with three men seated therein, and understanding that the women wished him to stop it from moving off, he ran and caught hold of the horse's bridle, telling Lamoureux, the driver, to wait a moment. The man refused and began beating the horse in a violent manner, and in order to release the constable's hold on the horse, hit him over the shoulder with his whip. The constable said he only wished to find out what was wrong, and did not offer to arrest the man until he resisted. The attorney for the defence attempted to prove that the officer exceeded his duty in attempting to make an arrest before any crime had been committed, but the Recorder looked on the matter in a different light, considering the constable had simply done his duty, sentenced the prisoner to a fine of \$5 or fifteen days. The fine was paid.

THE CATTLE TRADE.

INFLUENCE OF THE FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE ON THE CANADIAN MARKETS. The foot and mouth disease among cattle in Bristol and Glasgow has not affected Canadian exports, the decline in Canadian cattle being due to an overstocked market. Irish cattle have been since last Monday shut out for one month from the English markets and as they brought the disease and spread contagion among the foreign imports the market will be in a more healthy condition. This exclusion of Irish cattle will be very beneficial to those coming from Canada and the United States. There has been unfortunately for Canada an increased mortality among sheep. Mr. Pope, a large exporter, says that deaths last year were not over one percent and a fraction, but this season they ran from 3 to 5 percent. He attributes the cause to a wet season and rapid growth of grass which has not the nutriment that a slower growth with fine weather gives. The sudden change from this to dry food generates rages and produces disease.

IN HIS CUPS.

AN UNNATURAL RETURN FOR A FRIEND'S GENUINITY. On the 17th inst. two men, Henri Desrochers and Joseph Mantha, met at Saizureur street. Both these gentlemen were just about to go on the spree, and, for the better furtherance of their plans, they together adjourned to a neighboring hotel, when Mantha "set 'em up" several times. When they came out something happened, exactly what no one knows, but Desrochers became filled with a sudden and mighty desire to immolate Mantha. Selling his benefactor by the necktie, he dragged him round by it until it broke. He then put it in his pocket and resorted to fistic measures with some success. After a time the men were separated, and the assaulted one at once took out a warrant, and this morning had the satisfaction of seeing his assailant fined \$10 or one month.

A SAVAGE.

SERIOUS ASSAULT ON THE WHARF. Yesterday afternoon a serious row took place on the wharf. Mr. John, a stevedore, ordered one of his men, who had got drunk by tapping a barrel of liquor in the cargo, to quit work. The man felt considerably aggrieved at this, and, watching his opportunity, felled Mr. Cannon to the ground by striking him with some heavy weapon on the head. As soon as he fell he commenced to kick and beat him in the most brutal manner, kicking him in the face, inflicting a very severe wound and almost breaking his head. A warrant has been issued for the man's arrest.

THROWN FROM A MOWING MACHINE.

A short time ago, Mr. Hugh Macdonald, of Cote St. Louis, while driving a mowing machine was thrown from the seat by the horses breaking into a trot, and had his collar bone broken. The accident, occurring as it did in the midst of the busiest portion of the hay season, would have resulted in serious loss to Mr. Macdonald had it not been for the kindness of the neighbors who turned on the street with horses, carts and machines, and made short work of what remained of the hay.

FULLY COMMITTED.

The two young men, Frederick Leete and James Thompson, accused of stealing some two hundred dollars from a man named William Pitchford, were to-day fully committed to stand their trial.

FOND OF FLOWERS.

Mary Ann Murphy, 50 years of age, was this morning sentenced to a fine of \$10, or one month's imprisonment, for stealing flowers from the lawn of Mr. John Ogilvy.

NOT PROVIDING.

AFTER MANY DAYS—THE EVER VIGILANT LAW. About a year ago a warrant was issued for the arrest of one Joseph Theoret for not providing for his wife and child. Theoret not sooner found that a warrant had been issued against him than he absconded, and for a year he has resided where the Queen's writ runneth not. He heard, however, such tales of his beloved one that he resolved to brave the writ, and returned, only to be arrested. In defence of his conduct he pleaded that he would not have returned had he not found that his wife was not living in a manner that did not promise well for the future well-being of his child, and it was not just that a man should be put in gaol because he refused to support a woman who lived as his wife did. He was committed to stand his trial nevertheless.

SUMMER TRAVEL.

The tide of summer travel by Americans seems to have vastly improved since the early part of the season which opened rather unfavorably. A gentleman connected with the Windsor Hotel states that it has done the best legitimate steady business this year on record.

THE U. S. "VANDALIA."

The U. S. corvette "Vandalia" arrived in port at noon to-day and is lying at the Longueuil ferry wharf. Shortly after her arrival she was visited by Consul General Stearns and will leave for a week for Quebec and Prince Edward Island.

PERSONAL.

The Rev. S. Gifford Nelson, of Brooklyn, pastor of the Bethel of Plymouth Church (Mr. Beecher's), is the guest of Mr. James B. Fudge, and will preach in Olivet Baptist Church on Sunday next, morning and evening. The Pall Mall Gazette points out that during Mrs. Langtry's nine months in the United States she cleared about five times as much as the income of the Prime Minister of Great Britain, and more than twice the monthly emoluments of the Archbishop of Canterbury.

THE DAY'S DOINGS.

IN THE RECORDER'S COURT—TEN DELINQUENTS. Ten names were on the charge sheet at the Recorder's Court this morning. Margaret McDonnell, 39, was charged with having been disorderly in St. Alexander street. The woman is well known to the police and is said to be a very noisy character, and a trouble to the neighborhood. Her home, it was asserted, is very much neglected and her little child is allowed to run on the streets in almost nude state. The husband, who is a hard working man, having failed to appear, the Recorder postponed any further hearing of the case until Monday for his attendance. William Bolton, a laborer on the wharf, was next charged with lying drunk upon the public sidewalk on Orléans street. The constable said that the man was in an inebriated toper, and that he no sooner earned a few dollars than he quitted work and spent his earnings in liquor. He was fined \$5 or fifteen days. Rose Ann Parker, 30, describing herself as a widow, was charged with loitering on St. Urban street at an early hour this morning. Had been arrested twice before, and the loitering was proved the Recorder considered it necessary to make an example by sending the woman to gaol for a term of six months. Rose Morrissey was charged by Mr. Hennessy, an old man who is in very infirm health, with beating him whilst she was in liquor. Mr. Hennessy said the woman was violent and did not wish her to be sent to gaol, but simply asked that she be ordered to remove and not annoy him longer as he lived in the same house. His Honor consented to suspend judgment as desired in order to give the woman a chance to remove.

CITY ITEMS.

A cricket match will be played to-morrow on the Montreal Cricket Grounds between the Montreal and Chamby clubs. Play commences at eleven o'clock. A military tent bar with camp equipments was discovered by a night watchman this morning lying on Notre Dame street. It is believed to have been dropped from a wagon in transit and can be seen at the Central Police Station. The Chief of the Fire Brigade, Mr. Patton, this morning received a contribution to the firemen's fund of \$25, from Mr. Charles Martin, as a mark of his gratitude for the skillful manner in which they saved his property from destruction by fire on Sunday morning last.

"WHICH HIS NAME IS WINANS."

Last year Mr. Winans, an American millionaire, and a slayer of deer on scientific principles, leased the forest of Kintail, in Ross shire, from Mr. Mackenzie. Mr. Winans claimed the right of clearing the forest of every creature it contained, except birds and beast, gamekeepers and gillies, and the destroyers of the former and the employers of the latter. Mr. Mackenzie, however, refused to grant the right to a sportsman who has been possessed of their holdings from time immemorial, and he has been upheld in his very proper refusal by the Court of Session. The case has excited great interest in the Highlands, and no little indignation, as Mr. Winans is a depopulator of a very aggravated kind, and a proprietor of sheep who has been worthy of Monte Cristo himself. His "ground" extends across Scotland from the Atlantic to the Moray Firth, and there is no reason why he should not in process of time extend his holding till it covers the north of the Caledonian Canal. Except for such shootings as are held by the proprietors there is no sport in the Highlands, and it is a question of money. If Mr. Winans obtains the present shooting tenancy he will obtain the forests which they rent. At present Mr. Winans rents five shootings in Inverness shire and seven in Ross shire. His aggregate rent being about £13,000. Among these is Lord Lovat's forest of Glenstrathfar, which is the highest rented deer-forest in Scotland. Sir A. Matheson, M.P., and Mr. Chisholm are the landlords of the other shootings held by this voracious Nimrod.—London World.

A BABY'S ADVENTURE.

A remarkable incident has occurred on the Midland Railway at Birmingham. A lady on reaching Selly Oak Junction with a quantity of luggage and a baby was told that she must change for New Street Station. In her hurry she placed her baby in a first-class compartment and then went to the goods van to see after her boxes, but before she could return to the compartment where she had deposited the infant the train started, leaving the terrified lady on the platform almost distracted, she cried about for help and fainted away, but on recovering consciousness was placed in a cab with instructions to be driven to the Central Station, Birmingham, as fast as possible. The baby in the meantime had been carried through the tunnel kicking and screaming to the alarm of other passengers in the train, and on arrival at New Street was found to the astonishment of the railway officials, to be the only occupant of the carriage. It was at first imagined that some one had deserted the child, and a conference was held as to what had best be done with it. Just at this time a gentleman sauntered up and enquired what was the matter. Before an explanation could be given him, the baby, who had so far been crying and screaming lustily, suddenly began to clap his hands and look pleased, whereupon the gentleman exclaimed, "Why, dear me, this is my own little niece." The gentleman had arrived at the station with the intention of meeting his sister. Naturally he was at a slight distance from the train, and had become of the mother, but the arrival of the afflicted lady in a cab quickly set matters right.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

COLONIAL HOUSE. HENRY MORGAN & CO. HAVE OPENED THIS DAY FIFTEEN CASES OF CONTAINING 15,000 YARDS! PRICE 10c PER YARD, REGULAR PRICE 15c PER YARD. HENRY MORGAN & CO. Colonial House—Corner St. James street and Victoria Square.

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COMMERCIAL. FINANCIAL. There is no change to note in the rates for money, 5 percent for call loans on stock, and 7 percent for commercial paper. The Sterling market is quiet; prices a shade firmer; 108 7/16 to 108 1/2 for 60 day bills between banks, and 108 1/2 counter. Demand bills 109 1/2 for round amounts, and 109 1/2 counter. Currency drafts firm about 1-16 premium. There was a fair business to-day on bank stock, at an advance of about 1/2 percent. The miscellaneous list was quiet and values unchanged. Morning sales—11 Montreal at 198 1/2; 219 at 199; 50 Ontario at 115 1/4; 10 Commerce at 133; 75 at 133 1/2; 25 Merchants at 123; 300 Gas at 180; 78 Dundas Cotton at 60; 50 Canada at 84; 25 Richelieu at 78 1/2; 150 Telegraph at 125; 30 Molson's at 126 1/2. Afternoon Sales: 150 Montreal, 198 1/2; 77 at 199; 50 Ontario 115 1/4; 70 at 115 1/4; 25 at 115 1/4; 39 at 116; 100 at 116 1/4; 25 Toronto 185 1/2; 25 at 186; 50 at 187 1/2; 25 at 186 1/2; 25 at 186 1/2, 15 Merchants at 123; Federal 101; 50 at 161 1/2.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST—Aug. 24. Opening and closing prices, 10.10 a.m. and 3.20 p.m. (Quoted by J. R. Meeker.) C. B. Q. 110 1/2; Erie 20 1/2; N. Y. C. 110 1/2; Reading 50 1/2; U. S. S. 25 1/2; W. V. V. 25 1/2; D. & Hudson 108 1/2; 107 1/2; Rock Island 129 1/2; D. L. & W. 128 1/2; 122 1/2; St. Paul, M. & N. 103 1/2; Erie 20 1/2; Ill. Cent. 22 1/2; St. Paul 101 1/2; N. J. Central 22 1/2; Omaha 25 1/2; Rock 25 1/2; K. & Texas 24 1/2; Canadian Pac. 59 1/2; 58 1/2; Louis & N. 41 1/2; 44 1/2; U. Pac. 88 1/2; Lake Shore 104 1/2; 104 1/2; W. U. Term. 77 1/2; 77 1/2; M. Central 83 1/2; 83 1/2; Wash. 19 1/2; 18 1/2; Man. 40 1/2; 40 1/2; Wal. 31 1/2; 31 1/2; Nor. Pac. 78 1/2; 78 1/2; M. O. Pac. 95 1/2; 95 1/2; N. W. 133 1/2; 133 1/2; Den. & Rio G. 25 1/2; 25 1/2; N. Y. 126 1/2; Money 2 1/2; 2 1/2.

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"SELBY GRANGE." Plans of this delightful property, divided into building lots, can now be had from the undersigned. Sale takes place on SEPTEMBER 15th next. C. P. R. cars run to within three minutes' walk of the property. W. H. ARNTON, Auctioneer.

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MRS. FEATHERSTONAGH'S school will re-open, N.Y., at 25 Mackay street, on Tuesday, 13th September.

FOR SALE, 53 Sharon street, Point St. Charles, brick cottage; lot 44 x 87 foot, lane in rear. Apply on premises.

WANTED, A Nurse to take care of children from two to four years old. Apply Protestant Infants' Home, 508 Guy street.

WANTED, comfortable quiet sitting room and bedroom, with board, required for a gentleman, neighborhood of McGill College preferred; terms moderate. Address, DELTA, "Witness" office.

WANTED—Nurse—A smart, intelligent girl, to take care of two children; references required. Apply at 623 Brookbrooke street.

WANTED, An Invoice Clerk, for hardware. 1695 Post Office.

WANTED, a General Servant, 5 Thistle Terrace, of St. Menique street.

WANTED, to Rent, small office; centrally situated. Apply JAS. TARKER, 81 Mance st.

WANTED, a Second hand Pony Cart and Harness. Apply 173 St. James st.

WANTED, a Boy. DAVID CRAWFORD, 173 St. James st.

WANTED, a Girl to help to wait on table and make herself generally useful. 37 Belmont st.

WANTED, 25 Girls, to make paper boxes; must be experienced hands; steady work and good pay. Apply RICE, MILLER & CO., 594 Craig st.

WANTED, a Nurse Girl. Apply at 134 Mansfield street.

WANTED, a General Servant, in a small family. 28 St. Menique street.

WANTED, immediately, 250 men for Brockville, 150 for Beaufort, Carpenters, Masons, Millers and their families, Shoemakers and Saddlers, Cooks, Housemaids, Nurses, General Servants, SCOBELL, VIDLER & CO., 5 Place d'Armes square.

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ROOMS.—Nice furnished Rooms to let. Apply 301 Peel st.

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