

OPENING OF LEGISLATURE OF THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

By His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, Sir A. Pelletier—Large Gathering of Prominent Citizens of Ancient Capital Present.

THE SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

The opening of the Provincial Parliament is as a rule, quite an event in social circles in this city and yesterday was no exception to this rule as the largest crowd ever seen in the Parliament buildings was present when the first session of the twelfth parliament was opened.

unveil the statue of the first Catholic bishop of Canada. My ministers still continue their efforts with the Federal Government respecting the annexation of Ungava and there is reason to hope that such annexation will shortly be an accomplished fact.

A DRINK CRAZED MAN RUNS AMUCK

But is Killed by a Clergyman, After He Had Shot at Many People.

Temple, N.H., March 2—While crazed with drink, Geo. L. Marcotte, a valet in the employ of Brigadier-General James Miller, U.S.A. (retired), ran amuck late to-day, and after shooting at several villagers who attempted to disarm him, was shot and killed by Rev. Harvey Eastman, pastor of the local Congregational Church.

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NEW YORK CITY BONDS POPULAR

New York, March 2.—Comptroller Metz to-day disposed of \$10,000,000 worth of New York city 4 per cent. bonds to 74 bidders at an average price of 101.57. The highest bid was 104, the lowest successful bid 101.38. Kuhn, Loeb & Co., secured \$4,443,000 at prices ranging from 101.38 to 101.75. They bid on the entire amount but their bids for the remainder were not high enough. The only other bid for the entire \$10,000,000 was by Wm. Salomon & Co., who offered 101.273 for the total and also submitted bids for various smaller amounts at better prices.

ALLEGED SWINDLER ARRESTED

Rochester, N.Y., Feb. 2—A German, who gives his name as Ernest Werner, but who is said to have been known as Edward Waldburg, and by other names in New York and other American and old world cities, was arrested here to-day on a charge of grand larceny, first degree, and is held awaiting the arrival of police officers from New York. Werner is said by the Rochester police to have confessed to operations in which he has swindled American speculators out of at least \$18,500 by inducing them to invest in import tobacco enterprises.

YOUNG CORBETT WON

New York, Mar. 2—Young Corbett, of Denver, former featherweight champion, signalled his re-appearance in the ring here to-night by defeating Johnny Marto, of New York, in a fast ten round bout before the members of the Fairmount Athletic Club. Although Corbett disappointed his friends by failing to knock out his opponent, he surprised those at the ringside by the wonderful speed and agility displayed even under the handicap of increased weight. The former featherweight champion has added to his weight until he now weighs fully 140 pounds. Both men received a lot of punishment, Corbett closing one first round with a right hander from Marto's eyes in the second round and the latter drawing blood from the ex-champion's nose in the third.

OCEAN ARRIVALS.

- SS. Kroonland, at New York, from Antwerp.
SS. Maurestania, at Queenstown, from New York.
SS. Lake Michigan, at London, from St. John, N.B.
SS. Helligolav, at Copenhagen, from New York.
SS. Cedric, at Gibraltar, from New York.
SS. Hamburg, at Naples, from New York.
SS. Ancona, at Genoa, from New York.

TELEGRAPH TICKINGS

(Special to the Chronicle.) Vancouver, B.C., March 2—Hon. J. Martin left to-day on his way to London, England, where he will in future reside. "Fighting Joe" will practice before the Pricy Council, and already has a number of western cases to argue before the foot of the throne.

ST. JOHN HARBOUR AND THE C. P. R.

Trouble About the Transfer of Some Land—Mr. Pugsley's Sharp Letter. (Special to Chronicle.) St. John, N.B., March 2.—The City Council to-day discussed the proposed exchange of property by the C. P. R. and city, but deferred action. The matter came up in a report from a committee recommending the transfer.

NEW TRIAL FOR W. G. BROWNE

Montreal, March 2—Despite his recent acquittal, W. Graitem Browne, ex-local manager and acting general manager of the defunct Sovereign Bank, will have to stand his trial on a charge of wilfully sending false reports as to the bank's standing to the Government. The Crown officers first brought the case before Judge Leek, but found Mr. Browne not guilty. Not satisfied with this, Mr. Hibbard, acting for the Crown, carried the case before the Court of King's Bench, and to-day the grand jury found that a sufficient case had been made out to warrant sending him before the King's Bench on three separate charges of having sent in wilfully false returns. The case will come before a jury at the present sessions.

AN NINE YEAR OLD HERO

Port Colborne, Ont., March 2.—Nine-year-old Lyle Anderson proved himself a hero to-day when he rescued Frank Neff, aged 10, from a hole in the ice through which he went while playing in the harbor. Neff had come up for the third time when he was seized by Anderson and dragged to safety.

ONTARIO RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Toronto, March 2.—At the annual meeting of the Ontario Rifle Association to-day, E. B. Osler, M.P., was unanimously elected president.

TO HOLD FOUR TROTTING MEETS

(Special to the Chronicle.) Montreal, Mar. 2—Announcement was made by the Montreal Driving Club of five trotting meets to be held during the coming summer, at which some \$25,000 will be distributed in purses and stakes. Following is a programme:—June 1 to 25, purses, \$1,000; July 19 to 23, purses, \$4,000; Aug. 23 to 27, purses, \$7,000; Sept. 20 to 24, purses, \$5,000; Oct. 11 to 15, purses, \$1,000.

HIS BELIEF ALL RIGHT

(Special to the Chronicle.) St. John, Mar. 2—St. John presbyter dealt with Rev. J. J. McCaskill matter to-day in private session and after discussion adopted the following resolution drawn up by a committee:—"That this committee, after a full consideration of the question, accepts Rev. Mr. McCaskill's statement of his unqualified adherence to the doctrine of the divinity of Christ and the Atonement."

JEFF WILL MEET JOHNSON

Chicago, March 2—Jas. J. Jeffries, retired champion pugilist of the world, to-day left Chicago for New York. During his short stay in Chicago he left the impression in the mind of local sportsmen that he would eventually fight Jack Johnson for the world's championship. "Yes, I will be popular until some one hits me a wallop in the jaw," he said in answer to a question, "and I take the count, then it will be good-bye Jeffries." "In order to have that done, it will be necessary to re-enter the ring," won't it, Jim? he was asked. Jeffries refused to answer this question.

EASTERN BASEBALL LEAGUE

New York, March 2—President P. T. Powers, of the Eastern League of baseball clubs, announced to-day that the spring or schedule meeting of the league would be held at the Victoria Hotel, in this city, on Friday, March 5th. Two schedules have been prepared for consideration. Mr. Powers said, and both are subject to any fair change that may be recommended. "I have decided," Mr. Powers continued, "that the schedule as a whole will not be given out until whatever changes that may be agreed upon are inserted, and at a reasonable time after the meeting, when the schedule will be released for publication on some particular day."

ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

(Special to the Chronicle.) Andover, N.B., Mar. 2—Leon Sepeil and Tony Aroska, the two Italians arrested in December on the charge of murdering "Paddy" Green, of Montreal, were placed on trial here to-day before Judge Landry. The court room was crowded. The grand jury brought in a true bill against the prisoners and as neither had counsel the court assigned a lawyer to defend

HALIFAX HAPPENINGS

(Special to the Chronicle.) Halifax, N.S., March 2—Some time ago the Halifax County Municipal Council at a special meeting voted to guarantee lands of the Halifax and Suburban Electric Co. for half a million dollars. The Council to-day passed a resolution regarding this action. The company proposed to build and operate a tramway from Halifax to Bedford and to generate power for the city of Halifax. Local Halifax curlers are arranging to give a grand reception to the Canadian curlers on their arrival Thursday. Wireless messages will be sent to the steamer inviting them to luncheon. Eleven pipers have been engaged to be at the wharf on the steamer's arrival to play pipelock, and all local curlers will be there with brooms decorated with Scottish tartans. When a reply to the invitation is received more definite arrangements will be made for the programme.

Hot Springs, Ark., Mar. 2—Tommy Devlin, of Philadelphia, Eddy Kenny, of Chicago, and the club's match maker, J. C. Heininger, charged with unlawfully engaging in a prize fight, were discharged to-day by Justice Gladson. The chief of police of Hot Springs testified that the boxing bout Thursday night was more in the nature of a hugging match than a prize fight.

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## The Quebec Chronicle

QUEBEC, MARCH 3, 1909.

### FOREST CONSERVATION.

We referred in our issue of yesterday morning to the address recently delivered by Mr. Kelly Evans, Secretary of the Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association, before the Canadian Club of Halifax, in which he drew a striking comparison between the policy pursued by the State of Maine with regard to the exploitation of these natural assets by the State, and that pursued by the Province of Quebec, considerably to the advantage of the former, but he did not confine himself to this subject, or, rather, it led him to a broader and higher plane, and the conclusion that as nothing could be done in the way of hunting and fishing without the Forest this was the first of the natural resources of the country which claimed our attention. What is true of the Forest from a sporting point of view is true of it from the still more important ones of climatic conditions, of manufactures, and of commerce, and it follows that of all the natural resources of a country its forests are the one which should be most jealously guarded, and most carefully kept from deterioration and ultimate extinction.

It is only within a comparatively recent period that men have awakened to the adequate perception of this important truth. In the earlier stages of the world when men were few and trees were plentiful, and when the hunter was gradually superseded by the agricultural tribes, trees began to be regarded rather as one of the forces of nature against which man had to make war, and whilst they were being utilized, their very abundance encouraged waste and wanton destruction. The results became apparent in many ways, and in none more strikingly than in the drying up of water courses, and the springing up of large stretches of desert in the lower levels. The same feelings of a certain antagonism of nature to cultivation, and of the seeming impunity afforded by an abundance of material have worked until the present day, when the peoples of the world have at length perceived the menace of the future, and are beginning to set to work to call a halt, and to retrace their steps.

It is greatly to the credit of this Province of Quebec that it should have been the pioneer in the new departure. The late lamented Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere was among the first to perceive the pressing need of action, and his active interest was a principal means of bringing about the first step in the shape of the establishment of the State holiday known as Arbor Day, which was devoted to the official planting of trees throughout the Province. It did not seem to amount to much at the time, but it awakened an intelligent interest, and the small seed thus sown has now burgeoned and blossomed in the Governmental policy of the setting aside of large areas at the heads of provincial water courses as forest reserves, a policy which we hope to see still further expanded and increased. It is greatly to the credit of the Government that it has been thoughtful and far-seeing enough to embark on this policy of the conservation of our present forest resources, and we trust that it will see its way not only to their conservation, but also to their rehabilitation to meet the demands of the future without serious diminution, but in the meantime we think that there is one thing which ought to be done, and that is to establish the policy embarked on as a permanent basis, and to eliminate from it a certain amount of insecurity which arises from the fact that it is now dependent on a mere Order-in-Council, which succeeding Governments may, or may not, maintain at will. It is not probable, indeed, that, with our increased acquaintance with the subject, public opinion would tolerate an abandonment of the present policy by any Government, but it is better to be on the safe side, and we would therefore suggest that instead of being, as it now is, dependent on an order-in-Council, and, to that extent, temporary, it should be made permanent and statutory by Parliamentary enactment. We are sure that there would be no difficulty in so doing, and the Government which has already shown itself so clear-headed in the matter, would still further add to the service which it has rendered to the Province by introducing a bill to this effect.

We are only just beginning to waken up to the extent of the natural resources of this great Province. Until the opening of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway we were absolutely blind to them, and even up to the present day when in the Lake St. John district and beyond we have as it were touched on the fringe of them, we still do little more than see them through a glass darkly. Yet they are very vast, and the due development and exploitation of them will tax the powers of our statesmen, and afford a wide and varied field for future legislation. It is very essential that all

things should be done with careful deliberation, and the ground made sure under our feet, step by step as we take it. And it must be borne carefully in mind that the work of building up the Province, and utilizing its resources to their fullest extent is not a party one, but a public one in its highest sense, and that all should assist it to the extent of their ability without any arrière-pensée of party or of private gain.

### THE DIFFERENCE.

One difficulty of the Conservatives at Ottawa, is to get the Government to compel enquiry into alleged frauds. The Opposition members are shunted off, whenever possible. And in cases where the Government is forced to submit to an enquiry the Government always has a majority ready with every device known to shrewd and crooked lawyers to shut out troublesome questions and crinating answers.

In Manitoba, where there is a Conservative Government, the charge was made by Liberals that there were frauds in the preparation of the voters' lists used in the last Dominion election. Mr. Sifton, a former member of the Laurier Government and still one of the men behind the Laurier throne, fathered this charge and it was taken up by Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself. The Roblin Government at once accepted the challenge and ordered an enquiry, the Liberals being given the usual representation on the committee of enquiry. But when the committee met not a single Liberal appeared and there was nothing that the committee could take up.

The object of the Liberals in making charges loosely, was apparently to have them published by the graft press throughout the country as an offset to the many damaging facts proven against the Laurier Government. Manitoba returned nearly all Conservatives in the last October election and the Liberals explained this by alleging that the lists had been stuffed. If there had been anything favoring of official fraud, the Liberals would, doubtless, have been glad of the opportunity to show it.

### WHERE PUBLIC OPINION IS.

The Toronto World continues to be worried about the C.P.R. stock issue. It wants to know where public opinion is that it does not cry out against this \$65,000,000 bonus. The World should calm itself. Public opinion is where it ought to be—on the side of commonsense, because public opinion realizes that when a few thousand shares of stock break the price of C.P.R. down from 175 to 167½, the sale of 500,000 shares would break it to around par or perhaps below. For that matter the World itself must be beginning to realize the foolishness of its own position, because only a few days ago it was talking of an \$80,000,000 bonus whereas now it is talking of a \$65,000,000 bonus—this because of the lower price for the stock. It is easy enough to raise money on paper; it is a different thing to raise it by the actual sale of actual stock in a market which is at best limited. When the World can assure the people of Canada that there is an open, available market ready at all times to absorb C.P.R. stock at 175 then, and only then, will public opinion wax furious, as the World would like it to wax, against a plan that is in truth the only available and sensible plan open to the C.P.R. to raise its money.—Kingston Standard.

### FOREST CONSERVATION.

What Ontario may, indeed will, become as a lumber producing district unless proper measures are taken to protect its forest resources is strikingly shown by the present position of the State of Minnesota, as noted in a recent special communication contributed from Minneapolis to the San Jose Mercury. Not long ago, it says, Minnesota was one of the leading lumber-producing states of the country, but it has now fallen to ninth place on the list, though still first in the production of white pine. Only nine years ago Minneapolis was the greatest lumber manufacturing city in the world, but to-day there are a dozen places that surpass it in that respect, and its total annual cut has fallen from 600,000,000 feet to less than 200,000,000. And there are many smaller cities in Minnesota which were once fragrant with the roar of saws that do not now turn a wheel to make a board.

The decline of Minnesota's lumber industry is, of course, the direct result of a wasteful forest policy, if that can be called in any true sense a policy that leaves natural resources to be depleted for private profit. And even from that standpoint neglect of national forest resources is not a paying proposition if lumber is to be the basis of a continuing industry. This is strikingly brought out in the annual report of 1907, made by J. E. Rhodes, Secretary of the Northern Pine Manufacturers' Association. As quoted in the special correspondence of the San Jose Mercury, he said:—"Since 1895, 248 firms, representing an aggregate annual output of pine lumber of 4,600,000,000 feet, have retired

from business, due to exhaustion of their timber supply. Plants representing approximately 500,000,000 feet capacity, which sawed in 1906, will not be operated in 1907."

At one time there were 100 saw-mills on the Mississippi River between Minneapolis and St. Louis; to-day there are not more than two or three mills in that whole distance, "and they will soon close forever. Once there were 120 steamboats employed in towing logs; to-day there are only five or six." It is worthy of notice, too, that the same report says that "yellow pine has already begun to feel the influence of restricted timber supply, and within a few years more the west coast woods—even fir, now so abundant—will testify in their prices for stumpage that they will be the last great resource of our timber users. Thomas Shevlin, a big lumberman, with his associates, has "mills on the Rainy River on the Minnesota and Ontario sides, with about the same capacity, 60,000,000 feet of lumber per year, and with about the same amount of timber tributary to each. Originally it was intended to operate both mills to their full capacity, but owing to the limitations of the Canadian market the Minnesota mill will this year run to its full capacity, while the Ontario mill will produce only about one-tenth of what it could."

This last representation illustrates the danger to Ontario forest resources which will undoubtedly arise should the United States tariff rate on Canadian lumber be removed. Having made havoc among their own forests, United States lumbermen are looking to Canada to supply the raw material they require to satisfy the growing United States demand, and unless our forests are placed under proper regulation Canada will, before many years have passed, be in similar straits. Wisely conserved, the forests of Canada can easily support a lucrative industry that will continue while the nation exists, and he itself the feeder of other home industries and employments. Both the Federal and Provincial Governments ought to take this matter of forest protection into immediate consideration and lay out a conservation policy under the best expert advice and assistance, with as its dual object permanency and support of Canadian industry. No public question is of greater urgency and importance, and the method of its treatment will be a test of the ability and constructive statesmanship of our public men.—Toronto World.

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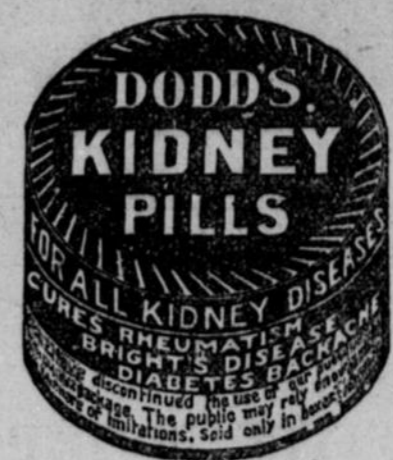
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### COURT OF SESSIONS.

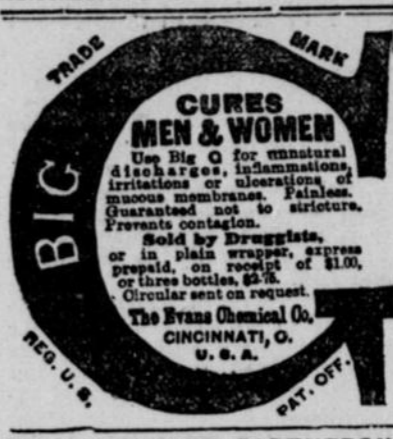
Yesterday, in the Court of Sessions, two moving picture theatres in St. Roch's were fined \$20 and costs each for keeping open on Sunday. It was their second offence. Two similar theatres in Upper Town were fined \$10 and costs each, as it was their second offence. A man convicted of stealing a watch from his mother, will be called up for sentence on the 9th instant.

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MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL. Friday, February 26th, 1909.

Present:—His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Brunet, Campbell, Cannon, Cummings, Dinan, Drouin, Fiset, Foley, Gauvreau, Hogan, Huard, Jobin, Lavigne, Lemay, Letourneau, Lockwell, Madden, Matte, Messervey, Mulrony, Paquet, Picard, Plamondon, St. Pierre, Verret (26).

The minutes of the last meeting are read and confirmed. Read a letter from the Quebec Branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada, praying the Council to enact that By-law No. 427, intitled "By-law concerning the sale of intoxicating liquors in retail liquor stores" shall come into force only on the 1st of May, 1910. Ordered that the said letter lay on the table until the 1st order of the day is called.

Presented the 1909th report of the Finance Committee (appointment of Mr. Joseph Lachance as clerk in the Finance Department and a bill of the Recorder's Court). Presented the 1901st report of the Finance Committee (recommending that the City join the Union of Canadian Municipalities). Moved by Alderman Picard seconded by Alderman Lemay and resolved: that the said reports 1900 and 1901, of the Finance Committee be inscribed as the 4th and 5th orders of the day respectively.

The orders of the day being called. First order of the day. The Council proceeds to the second reading and adoption of By-law No. 427, intitled: "By-law concerning the sale of intoxicating liquors in retail liquor stores," for which second reading and adoption there must be present two thirds of the members of the Council, the following: Aldermen being present, to wit: Aldermen: Barbeau, Brunet, Cannon, Cummings, Dinan, Drouin, Fiset, Foley, Gauvreau, Hogan, Huard, Jobin, Lavigne, Lemay, Letourneau, Lockwell, Madden, Matte, Messervey, Mulrony, Paquet, Picard, Plamondon, St. Pierre, Verret (26).

The first clause being read is unanimously adopted. The second clause being read, Alderman Lockwell moves in amendment thereto, seconded by Alderman Lavigne: That clause No. 2 of said By-law No. 427 be amended, by striking out at the end thereof the words "the first of May next, 1909," and replacing them by the words "the first of May, 1910." And the said amendment is rejected on the following division of 11 for, and 15 against, as follows, to wit: For: Aldermen Campbell, Cannon, Cummings, Drouin, Hogan, Lavigne, Lockwell, Madden, Mulrony, Paquet, Plamondon (11).

Against: Aldermen Barbeau, Brunet, Dinan, Fiset, Foley, Gauvreau, Huard, Jobin, Lemay, Letourneau, Matte, Messervey, Paquet, St. Pierre, Verret (15). And the said clause is then adopted. And the preamble and the said By-law "in toto" are adopted, and His Worship the Mayor declares the said By-law read a second time, enacted and in force. Second order of the day. Pursuant to notice, the Council proceeds to the examination, correction if need be, and approval of the grand and petty jury list for the City of Quebec, for the year 1909.

The City Clerk informs the Council that the public notices required by law have been duly published in the official newspapers of the City, that the said lists have been opened to public inspection, as prescribed by law, that no complaint has been laid and received against the said lists, and that the Council may now approve them as correct. Moved by Alderman Picard seconded by Alderman Lemay, and resolved: that the Council approves the supplement to the extract from the valuation roll, containing the list of persons qualified to act as grand or petty jurors for the City of Quebec. His Worship the Mayor declares that the said lists are hereby approved, no correction thereto being necessary.

Third order of the day. In the absence of Alderman Galipeault, and with the consent of the Council, Alderman Lemay moves, seconded by Alderman Picard; pursuant to notice: That this Council approves the draft of a contract to be passed between the City of Quebec and the town of Montcalm, now submitted to this Council, concerning the laying down and connection of certain drainage pipes of the town of Montcalm with those of the City of Quebec, and that His Worship the Mayor is authorized to sign said contract. And the said motion being put to the vote, Alderman Verret moves in amendment thereto, seconded by Alderman Fiset: That the said draft of contract to be passed between the City of Quebec and the town of Montcalm, concerning the laying down and connection of certain drainage pipes of the town of Montcalm on those of the City of Quebec, be not approved this evening, but that it be referred to the legal advisers, in order that a clause be inserted therein, conferring upon the City of Quebec the right of ending the conventions contained in the said contract by giving a notice of twelve months to the other contracting party. And the said motion being put to the vote, is lost on the following division of 4 for, and 20 against, to wit: For: Aldermen Cannon, Fiset, Lavigne, Verret (4). Against: Aldermen: Barbeau, Brunet, Campbell, Cummings, Dinan, Drouin, Foley, Gauvreau, Hogan, Jobin, Lemay, Letourneau, Lockwell, Madden, Messervey, Mulrony, Paquet, Picard, Plamondon, St. Pierre (20). And the main motion being put to the vote, is carried.

Fourth order of the day. Read the 1909th report of the Finance Committee, which being put to the vote, is adopted, and it is resolved: that Mr. Joseph Lachance is appointed a clerk in the Finance Department, and

he be also sworn in as a bailiff for the Recorder's Court.

Fifth order of the day. Read the 1901st report of the Finance Committee, which being put to the vote, is adopted, and it is resolved: that the City do now join the Union of Canadian Municipalities, and that an annual subscription is hereby authorized to be paid of \$3.00 per each thousand of the City's population, until such time as the City may see fit to withdraw from the said Union, the amount, \$225.00, to be charged to the credits voted for contingent expenditures.

Questions being called—Alderman Brunet asks: What is the amount of taxes and assessments paid by St. Sauveur wards to the City since annexation up to the first of January, 1909. In answer thereto, His Worship the Mayor lays before the Council tabular statement, prepared by the City Treasurer, and Alderman Brunet acknowledges receipt of a copy thereof, and thanks the Mayor and Council. Alderman Messervey asks: Is it legal for a Committee to sit on a legal holiday?

His Worship the Mayor declares that he will submit the question to the legal advisers. Notice of motion being called—Alderman Jobin gives notice that at the next meeting of the Council, he will move that a report be laid before the Council of a chemical and bacteriological examinations made, during the two last years, by Doctor Guimond, Municipal Medical Analyst, and also of those made by his successor, Doctor Valle.

Motions being called—Alderman Lemay moves, seconded by Alderman Drouin, and it is resolved: That when this Council shall adjourn, it stand adjourned until Friday, the 19th of March next. Moved by Alderman Brunet, seconded by Alderman Paquet, and resolved: That the report of the City Engineer, which has been laid on the table of the Council, concerning the extension of Bagot street to St. Valier street, be referred to the Road Committee. Moved by Alderman Lemay, seconded by Alderman Drouin, and resolved: That this Council do now adjourn.

A CHANGE OF NAME. "Father," said Tommy Bardell, of the William Henry Harrison Grammar School, "you want to come next Saturday afternoon and see us play a game with the Oliver Wendell Holmes football team."

"Do you belong to a football team?" asked his father, "it is news to me."

"Do I?" exclaimed Tommy, proudly. "Well, I reckon! I'm quarter-back of the Tornados."

"The Tornados? Who are they?" "That's the name of our school team. 'H'mph! And you are going to play a game next Saturday, are you? Well, I'll go and see it."

The game took place according to announcement, and the Tornados were beaten by a score of 26 to 0. "Tommy," said his father, overtaking him while he was on his way home, "what did you tell me was the name of your team?"

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NO. 425. CITY OF QUEBEC

City of Quebec. to wit. District of Quebec.

A By-law concerning the sale of certain provisions by grocers

(Drawn up in the French language.) At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the second day of February, nineteen hundred and nine (1909), in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting are present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:—His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Brunet, Campbell, Cannon, Cummings, Drouin, Fiset, Foley, Gauvreau, Hogan, Huard, Jobin, Lantier, Lemay, Letourneau, Madden, Matte, Messervey, Paquet, Picard, Plamondon, Pouliot, Samson, St. Pierre, Verret.

It is hereby ordered and enacted by the said Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council ordains and enacts as follows: Notwithstanding the dispositions of By-law 418, passed by this Council, on the 22nd of November, 1907, grocers are allowed to sell, in their shops, in this city, and without being compelled to take a license for that purpose, butter, lard, fish of all kinds, vegetables, fruit, eggs, small game, venison, salted and smoked meat, sausage meat, but not that kind of meat generally known and designated as provisions.

J. GEO. GARNEAU, Mayor.

Attested (L.S.) H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE

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porations and contractors for public utilities, will be referred.

To facilitate the utilization of our water powers my Government will ask you to grant the right of expropriation in certain cases.

You will be asked to legislate on several other matters of general interest, among others the electoral system, the civic service, mines, fisheries and game and the floating of timber. I am confident that you will carefully study each of the questions that will be submitted to you and I pray that your decisions may all be inspired by love for justice and regard for the common weal.

After the delivering of the speech from the Throne, the members of the Lower House retired to their Chamber, when the usual bills were presented.

During the afternoon several of the newly elected members entered the House and were sworn by Mr. L. G. Desjardins and when Mr. Bourassa made his appearance before the Clerk of the House, he was received with applause from his friends, which was taken up by a number of his admirers in the galleries. Mr. P. G. McKenzie, the popular M.P.P., for Richmond, was sworn at the same time as Mr. Bourassa and he also was the object of considerable applause from his friends.

The usual notices presented at the opening of the Legislature were brought down by Premier Gouin who also announced that the reply to the speech from the Throne would take place this afternoon.

NOTES.

Immediately after the House closed yesterday Premier Gouin crossed the floor and shook hands with Mr. Bourassa, the latter also crossing to the Government benches to shake hands with the members of the Government.

In the Legislative Council, Hon. Mr. Turgeon, the new president of the Upper House, entertained the Legislative Councilors and others after the Council had adjourned.

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Unanimously Chosen at a Caucus Held at Parliament House Yesterday.

Mr. J. M. Tellier will lead the opposition forces in the House of Assembly during the coming session. This was unanimously decided upon at a caucus of the Opposition held at the Parliament Building at one o'clock yesterday afternoon. The session was a short one and the choice of the member for Joliette as leader, was received with enthusiasm.  
 Mr. Tellier was born at St. Melanie on January 15, 1861, and followed his studies at the Joliette College and Laval University. He is an advocate by profession. On the 1st of September, 1885, he married Mile. Marie Desilets. In 1892 Mr. Tellier was elected member of the Local House for Joliette, an honor which he has held uninterruptedly since that date. Mr. Tellier is a doctor of law of Laval University and one of the governors of Laval University of Montreal.

**CANADIAN CLUB MEETING.**  
 The annual meeting of the Canadian Club, which was to have been held at the Chateau Frontenac last evening, was postponed until Tuesday next.

**STREET ACCIDENT.**  
 A man named Adelard Brady, boarding at 178 Abraham Hill, fell on the street last evening and dislocated one of his shoulders. Dr. Samson was called in and succeeded in setting the injured member.

**ELECTION IN MONTREAL.**  
 The election in seat No. 1, Ward No. 4, of the town of Montreal, to fill the seat vacated by the choice of Mr. W. H. Brown as Mayor, resulted in the return of Mr. Cantin, who defeated Mr. Alf. J. Jacques by a majority of eleven votes.

**QUEBEC GAS COMPANY.**  
 At the annual meeting of the Quebec Gas Company, the following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year—Messrs. Lorne C. Webster, W. C. Hinds, R. A. Smith, C. E. A. Carr, R. Harcourt Smith, J. C. Duffield and W. H. Pearson, jr.

**RECORDER'S COURT.**  
 Only two prisoners appeared before the Recorder yesterday. One for being drunk was fined \$5 and costs or two months' imprisonment. A man charged by his wife with non-support, was fined \$40 and costs or two months' jail.

**GONE TO NEW YORK.**  
 Mr. P. Thomas Ahern, a well-known Canadian journalist, and for many years past on the staff of the Montreal Star, left last Saturday night to take a position on the New York Herald. Prior to his departure, Mr. Ahern was presented with a gold watch and a fountain pen by his confreres of the press in Montreal, and he was accompanied to the train by a large delegation of friends. At the railway station, Mrs. Ahern being presented with a purse and a handsome bouquet. The many friends in Quebec of "Tom" Ahern will be happy to hear of his good fortune and will unite in wishing him continued prosperity in his profession.

**CLAIRE FONTAINE.**  
 OFFICIAL DINNER  
 At Spencer Wood Last Evening.  
 On the occasion of the opening of the Provincial Legislature yesterday, the following guests were entertained at dinner by Sir C. A. P. Pelletier, Lieutenant-Governor of this Province, at Spencer Wood last evening: Mr. Bezin, Right Reverend Lord Bishop of Quebec, Sir Lomer Gouin, Hon. Messrs. W. A. Weir, C. R. Devlin, L. A. Taschereau, L. E. Roy, J. Allard, J. C. Kaine, J. E. Decarie, J. E. Caron, A. Turgeon, Hon. J. E. LaRue, Hon. C. B. DeBoucherville, Hon. T. Chapais, Hon. N. Garneau, Hon. P. Pelletier, M. C. F. Delage, Deputy Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Mr. Marois, Sir George Garneau, the Consul of France, the Consul of Russia, the Imperial Consul of Austria-Hungary, General Henry, U.S. Consul, Mayor Bernier, Levis, the Very Rev. Dean of Quebec, Lieut.-Colonel O. C. Pelletier, D.O.C., Lieut.-Colonel Benson, Hon. P. B. de La Bruere, Hon. C. Langeheer, Colonel Turnbull, Mr. Gus. Grenier, clerk of the Executive Council, Mr. Robt. Campbell, clerk of the Legislative Council, Mr. L. G. Desjardins, Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, Mr. S. Lesage, Deputy Minister of Public Works, Mr. E. E. Tache, Deputy Minister of Crown Lands, Mr. H. T. Machin, Assistant Provincial Treasurer, Mr. J. Boivin, Assistant Provincial Secretary, Mr. G. W. Parmelee, English Secretary of Public Instruction, Mr. G. A. Gigault, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Mr. S. Dufault, Deputy Minister of Colonization, Mr. C. Lanctot, Assistant Attorney-General, Mr. J. N. Miller, French Secretary of the Public Instruction, Mr. J. Morin, Provincial Auditor, Mr. A. Broome, Rev. Father Casgrain, Rev. Father Bailey, Rev. G. W. Williams, Dr. M. J. Ahern, Chevalier O. Frechette, Consul of Portugal, Mr. A. Joseph, Belgian Consul, Dr. Dionne, Mr. A. G. Guibault, Mr. R. Rocher, Mr. D. C. Robertson, Mr. A. S. Jacques, Mr. A. Baribian, Mr. E. H. LeBlonde, Dr. A. Lavoie, D. Watson, Geo. Morinette, president and secretary respectively of the Press Association of the Province of Quebec, Capt. Piddington, commander of the escort, Lieut. Smith, R.C.R., in charge of the purl of honor, Capt. V. Pelletier, A.D.C., Major W. de I. Panet, A.D.C., and Mr. A. Genevex, private secretary.

### PATRIOTIC CONCERT OF THE A. O. H.

At Loyola Hall in Honor of the Memory of Robert Emmet—A Successful Function.

The anniversary of Ireland's martyred patriot, Robert Emmet, which occurs this week, was observed by Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, last evening in Loyola Hall, a special programme of instrumental music, song and story having been prepared for the occasion.

The audience was a large one, and that it was in thorough sympathy with the spirit of the evening, and anxious to do honor to the memory of the patriot, a striking likeness of whom, draped with the green flag, for which cause his life was expiated, occupied a prominent position on the stage, was evidenced by the response which greeted the remarks of the President, Mr. Thomas J. Murphy, which preceded the regular programme. Mr. Murphy profited by the occasion to refer to the organization of a cadet corps in connection with the order in accordance with the wish expressed by the National President, Mr. Matthew Cummings, and urged the parents to encourage the junior organization, which would be clothed within the next month or so. He then referred feelingly and eloquently to Robert Emmet, terminating with Moore's verse "Breathe Not His Name."

The selections which followed one and all found favor with the audience, the bright particular spots of which were undoubtedly the trio by Miss May Mahony and Messrs. Shields and Laperance, the duo by Mrs. T. J. Murphy and Mr. J. Shields, and the excerpts from Emmet's last speech by Mr. Jas. McManamy, the impressive words of the famous oration by Messrs. P. E. Lane, T. Lane and L. Fitzhenry were also heard to advantage, all being forced to respond to more than one encore. Misses Evoy, Ouellet, Henchey and Cooper found equal favor, while the numbers contributed by the boys of St. Patrick's School and the A. O. H. orchestra met with the appreciation they deserved.

The committee which had the arrangements in hand are certainly to be congratulated on the success which attended their efforts. The programme—

- Overture.....Songs of Ireland
- A.O.H. Orchestra.
- Introductory Remarks.....A.O.H.
- Hibernian March.....A.O.H. Orchestra.
- Vocal Solo.....Erin My Country Mr. P. E. Lane.
- Vocal Solo.....My Little Irish Rose Miss K. Cooper.
- Recitation—Excerpts from Emmet's last speech.....Mr. J. McManamy.
- Vocal Solo.....Miss Vera Henchey.
- Vocal Trio.....The Distant Chimes Boys of St. Patrick's School.
- PART 2.
- Selection.....Sons of Erin A.O.H. Orchestra.
- Chorus.....The Minstrel Boy Boys of St. Patrick's School.
- Vocal Solo.....Meeting of the Waters T. J. Murphy, Ouellet.
- Vocal Duett.....Of in the Stilly Night Messrs. P. A. and T. Lane.
- Recitation—The Painter of Seville, by S. Wilson.
- Miss Irene Evoy.
- Vocal Duett.....Venetian Boat Song Mrs. T. J. Murphy and Mr. J. Shields.
- Vocal Solo.....Dear Little Shamrock Mr. L. Fitzhenry.
- Vocal Trio.....Miss May Mahony, Messrs. E. J. Laperance and J. Shields.
- Vocal Solo.....Mr. T. Lane.
- Solo and Chorus.....(a) Just at the Break of Day; (b) Tara's Harp. Boys of St. Patrick's School.
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 The organ recital at St. Andrew's Church last evening was a most enjoyable event and the various numbers rendered were given with that finish which at all times may be expected from Mr. Reed. Mrs. Beville Pym was the soloist, and the violin selections which this talented lady rendered added greatly to the enjoyable character of the evening.

**ANNIVERSARY OF INSTALLATION.**  
 Monday evening in their lodge room, Garden street, "Iona" Lodge, No. 11, D. of R., I. O. O. F., celebrated the 10th anniversary of its institution by a most enjoyable and successful euchre and social, after which some very interesting songs were rendered by Brother Kearney followed by some realistic imitations by Brother Wells. The first ladies' prize was won by Mrs. Feekey, the second prize by Miss Phillips. The first gentlemen's prize by Mr. E. H. Walling, jr., the second prize by Mr. Kearney.

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## TRANSFER OF ALARM GONG

Created Quite a Discussion at Meeting of the Fire Committee Last Evening.

Whether the firemen of No. 3 Station should have a fire alarm gong in their sleeping quarters or not, occupied the attention of a meeting of the Fire Committee at the City Hall last evening. Capt. Louis Talbot, of the station, was present as an advocate of the transfer of the alarm to the dormitory of the firemen, while Mr. Bezin, superintendent of the fire alarm service, spoke of the interference to the circuit which the transfer of the alarm would ensue.

It was finally decided that the committee would this afternoon go down to the station and investigate for themselves the matter in question, and which had entailed so much discussion.

Ald. Foley presided at the meeting and the members present included Ald. Cummings, Barchen, John, Messervy, Matte and Brunet, members of the committee, and Ald. Madden and Paquet, members of the Council.

## Correspondence

Quebec, Feb. 28, 1909.  
 To the Editor of the Chronicle:

Dear Sir,—Reading in an issue of the 27th ult., of the Montreal Star, giving a report of the "Battle of Paardeburg" and the surrender of General Cronje.

I would like to ask you if you could tell me in the columns of your paper, why "F" Company (or what was known as the Quebec Co., or French Co.) is never mentioned as having taken an active part in the surrender of Cronje on the 27th February, 1900.

Since the war I have read a good many accounts of this battle, and surrender, but fail to remember seeing F. Company mentioned in any, although all others have been. I was a member of "F" Company, and consider that we did our duty and fighting, as well if not better, than G. and H. Companies who are always mentioned.

On that memorable morning did not "F" Company lose as many men, killed and wounded, as either G. or H. Co.? Were they not in the open field when the attack was made? While G. and H. Co.'s were along the river bank protected by trees and the banks of the river.

In this report of the Star it says four companies retired. But G. and H. Companies remained. Did all of "F" Co. retire? No. There remained about half who with the half company of Engineers made a trench and remained there (a distance of about 50 yards from the Boer trenches) until the surrender. True, G. and H. Companies may have remained, but they were well protected. Who was the nearest man to the Boer trenches, when he was killed? Was it not Corporal Wilby, of "F" Co., 2nd Section (formerly of the Citadel, Que.) And from the spot where he was lying to the first line of Boer trenches was a distance of 43 paces, (as measured by Major Hodgins the same morning).

Why should "F" Co. be always left out? Did they not do their duty when called on? Or is it because half of the company were French-Canadians. (Surely not). Whilst in South Africa "F" Co. suffered enough for the latter reason, from certain officers and men, etc., of the regiment. There is one thing that has been proven on the field, viz.: That when there was any hard work or fighting to be done "F" Co. (with its Frenchmen) were never the last to show that they could fight or work with the best.

I do not want to take away merit from G. or H. Companies, but why should only these two companies be mentioned when we all did as well as they.

Give justice when justice is due, and not single out any two companies for all the glory and praise.

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 Have the big-nosed men, as is popularly believed, really done all that has been done in the world? asks a writer who, apparently, is much wrought up over the subject. Have not the people of little noses made history also?  
 There is, it is true, a very formidable array of big noses among the history makers of the world. One recalls such men of big noses and big deeds as Caesar, Hannibal, Wellington, Marlborough, Washington, Turpin, Comde, Shakespeare, Milton, Wordsworth, and many other warriors, statesmen and poets.  
 But if we peep over the bridge of the big noses of the world we will find a very much larger space in history occupied by little noses than their physical dimensions would seem to justify.  
 Of the world's great soldiers—a class of men who, as a rule, seem to run as naturally to big noses as to blood letting—there was Alexander, whose tears, shed because there were no more worlds to conquer, trickled down the sides of a nose that may not be described as exactly diminutive, but which, in comparison with such eagle beaks as that of Julius Caesar, must be classified as small; Marshal Ney, esteemed by Napoleon as his greatest lieutenant, and Marshal Macdonald, whose artillery charge at Wagram decided the battle and the war, were men of impressively small nose.  
 The little-nosed men are ably represented by Gibbon, Goldsmith, Moore, Byron and Sir Walter Scott.  
 In the chronicles of statecraft, Mirabeau, Burke, Talleyrand and Henry Clay prove that greatness and a small nose may, as it were, go hand in hand.  
 Look carefully at Napoleon's nose. Did he have a large nose—this might well be shot from obscure poverty to world power and a throne? It was a strong, finely chiselled nose, with bold spring, an imperious arch, and a predatory, hawklike curve. But was it big?  
 Considered in relation to what we may term its facial context—the great brow, the ample expanse of cheek, the massive jaw and chin, the wide mouth, the whole generous architecture, in short, of the Napoleonic face—might not this world-conquering nose be properly classed as small?  
 Grant for the sake of argument, that we are living in a day of little noses. Is it a sign of deterioration or cause for rejoicing? If this is the day of small noses, it is also the day of the airship, the aeroplane, the X-ray, and all the marvels of steam and electricity. The world never before saw such a day. This is the answer.  
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**\$0.67** Ladies' Underwear  
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## SPORTING GOSSIP OF OLD COUNTRY

### Big Earning from Championship Fight—Grand National Entries—Turf Sensation.

After an absence of six years the inter-variety match is again to be taken to Sandwich. Opinions differ as to the merits of the Royal St. George club course as a championship green, but there can be no question that a more suitable links could be selected for the battle of the blues. Sandwhich has been the scene of some historic Oxford and Cambridge struggles. It was there that Oxford, with a practically invincible team, gained their record victory by 69 holes. That was in 1900, and two years previously the great snowstorm battle was fought. On the latter occasion Cambridge was said to have won by 11 holes, but it is very doubtful if anyone really knows the result of that contest. So many balls were lost and so many matches were left unfinished that it is difficult to see how it was possible to arrive at a result at all.

A few weeks ago it seemed not at all improbable that an Australian cricket team would not visit England this summer, but with the exception of the Stirling and Clement Hill, the pick of the colony will shortly sail. Nine places are now filled and the balance of the sixteen to make the trip will be chosen after the test matches in the Antipodes are concluded. The latest cricketers to have been invited are J. A. O'Connor, H. Carter, A. Cotter and C. G. Macartney. The Australians will be badly off for bowlers, but will be a very strong batting side. Others mentioned as probables are Hopkins and Gehrs.

One of the most remarkable of "doping" turf sensations of the present generation has resulted in the disqualification of a trainer for life. The Western Australia Turf Club recently held an enquiry into the death of the jockey, Claude McDougall. McDougall was riding Wheel of Fortune and fell from the saddle when finishing up the straight. On being picked up it was found he carried an electric battery under his jacket with an attachment connecting the instrument with the spurs.

Tommy Burns, the fallen champion of the ring, is anxious for another battle with Mister Johnson. According to Hugh D. McIntosh, the promoter of the big fight in Australia, Burns will sail for England in a month or two, and will be prepared to win back the lost laurels. Bill Lang, who recently defeated Squires, may keep the Canadian company on the journey, and the Australian will likely meet Gunner Moir. What a wonderful man is this fellow McIntosh, of Sydney. He put up the largest purse ever offered for a fight and was rewarded by making a small fortune. To date he has gathered in \$135,000 clear from the battle, and the increase to his treasury is rolling in at the rate of \$5,000 a week from the pictures. As they will assuredly last a year \$250,000 more should be added to his bank account ere the tide turns. Think of it; nearly \$400,000 profit from one world's championship. And he is going to make more money soon. Jimmy Britt will sail the seas with McIntosh and will be his next money maker. He will fight "down under" Frank Thorn, the champion lightweight. The offer made to Britt is not disclosed, but it is a tempting one, running into thousands, and the American will surely bite.

In the Grand National this year there are fifteen horses which have completed the course on previous occasions. Of the old stagers Ascentic's Silver and Buckway II. have completed the course twice. The following are the names of horses which finished the course last year: Robio (first), Mattie Macgregor (second), Springbok (fifth), Red Hall (sixth). In 1907 of those which finished the following are in the entries: Tom West (second), Patlander (third), Ravenscliffe (fourth), Barababas II. (fifth), Ascentic's Silver (sixth), Buckway II. (seventh). Then in 1906 Ascentic's Silver (first), Red Lad (second), Wolf's Folly (fifth). In 1905 there are fewer, their names being: Buckway II. (third), Rannulus (fourth), Hercules II. (fifth). And in 1904 only Robin Hood IV. is remembered. Nothing which finished in 1903 is entered this year, and that is as far as one need go.

R. J. Arnet, who won the professional sculling championship of the world in New Zealand last month, has cabled an offer to Ernest Barry, the champion of England, to meet him for the championship of the world in Australia, for \$5,000 a side, with \$1,000 allowed for expenses. Barry declined to visit Australia, but he has cabled to Arnet, challenging him to row a match for the championship of the world over the Putney to Mortlake course for \$2,500 a side, with an allowance of \$500 for expenses. The race to take place early in July.

There will shortly appear in England a billiard prodigy, George Gray by name, a boy who, though only in his early teens, created a record last month in his match at Sydney with F. Lindrum, the champion of Australia. Lindrum conceded his opponent 4,000 start in 14,000 up and was actually beaten by 4,643 points, or 643 more than he gave. Gray went to game with 232 unfinished, but his most sensational break was one of 394, 393 of which were off the red. They are expected in London early in April.

An important development is about to take place which will create widespread interest among British amateur rowers. It is proposed to form a united club, consisting of members of the principal rowing clubs affiliated with the Amateur Rowing Association which will have its headquarters at Henley, and which among other useful objects will provide its members with a clubhouse and lawn during Henley week.

There have been more tragedies over the sticks in England this winter than

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in previous years. Three fatal accidents to horses in four days' racing at Birmingham, followed by another at the latter end of the week was the total. The four-year-old Challow fell in the Novices steeplechase at Leicester and broke his back. T. Moran, who had the mount, sustaining a fractured collar bone. Old Silver, Maron Glace and Lord of the Rock, all had to be destroyed as the result of accidents at Birmingham.

LAST EVENING THE GAUVIN TEAM defeated the Colts by a score of two games to one and a pin majority of 220. The total scores were:—Gauvin, 2,519; Colts, 2,299.

THE ST. GEORGE HOCKEY TEAM, leaders of the Junior League, will have a hard proposition this evening to face if they intend to keep the lead, for the Lavals are out to defeat them and will put on the very strongest team possible. The struggle promises to be a great one, and as the hockey played in the Junior League this year is high-class, spectators may expect to see a fine exhibition.

JOE POWER and Russell Bowie will be the officials in to-night's big hockey game at Ottawa between Ottawa and Wanderers.  
Harry Smith is a possibility for the Wanderer team. He is now in Ottawa and has expressed a willingness to again get into the Wanderer line-up. It looks as if the defence would be the one with which Wanderers started the season. Hern, Ross and Smill, with four forwards to be picked from Vair, Glass and Smith for the centre ice positions, and Gardner and Hall for the wings.

THE OTTAWA HOCKEY TEAM will be the same as that which defeated the cup holders at Montreal on February 6. There will be no necessity for a shake-up on the team, for Fred Taylor, who was injured in last Saturday's match, against the Shamrocks, will play on his usual position at cover point.

SYRACUSE, N.Y., March 2—Michael J. Donlin, captain of the New York Nationals, most emphatically denies the despatches sent out from New York that he intends to join Callahan's Chicago outlaw ball team. Donlin is showing here this week, and he remarked this morning that unless his terms are accepted within the next few days he will sign a theatrical contract, which will not terminate until July fifth.

OAKLAND, CAL., March 2—Booger Red displayed splendid form to-day when he gained a neck victory over the speedy Pajarito in the Kilgore handicap at Emeryville. Dorante was a pronounced favorite in the third race at a mile and seven furlongs, but quit when the last furlong was reached. Orcegra was never headed and won cleverly from Millford.

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Public Notice is hereby given that the Town of Levis will apply to the Legislature of this Province, at its next session, for amendments to its charter of incorporation, for the following among other purposes:  
Authority to provide a system of ferry across the river St. Lawrence, between the Town of Levis and the City of Quebec, to enter into an arrangement with the latter, and to borrow the amount of money necessary for that object, to repeal section 37 of 6 Ed. VII., chap. 49, and have it replaced by section 499 of 3 Ed. VII., chap. 38; to amend section 127 of 3 Ed. VII., chap. 38; and power to increase the price on each license certificate for selling intoxicating liquors; and other objects.  
Levis, February 13th, 1909.  
LIONEL LEMIEUX,  
Town Clerk, Levis.  
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## LATEST SPORTING NEWS

### CRACK CURLERS TO COMPETE

#### Contest This Evening for Peil Cup Between Quebec and Victoria.

The crack rinks of the Victoria and Quebec Curling Clubs will this evening compete for the Peil Cup, on the ice of the latter club. The trophy, which was donated by Mr. Arch. Peil, of New York, has already been won twice successively by the Quebec Club and in the event of their proving successful again this evening the cup will become their permanent property. The Victoria Club's medal shots, which were set for this evening, have been postponed until to-morrow (Thursday) evening, on account of the Peil match.

The rinks for the Peil Cup match will be as follows:—  
Quebec. Victoria.  
W. H. Davidson G. H. Thomson  
Alex. Brodie A. E. Swift  
E. Pope W. S. Champion  
J. G. Beuneau H. B. Bignell  
Skip Skip

#### QUEBEC REVOLVER CLUB.

Last night the club had the most keenly contested extra series match of the season, Messrs. Lindsay and Nyberg having both made scores five points over the possible, tying for the prize. Mr. Brown also giving two points above 200. The scores were as follows:—  
Lindsay..... 75 73 57 205  
Nyberg..... 69 76 60 205  
Brown..... 83 79 40 202  
Porter..... 82 79 35 196  
Pres..... 83 72 40 195  
Whitney..... 84 75 34 194  
Judin..... 77 77 37 191

After the shoot, a magnificent medal for the winning of the handicap match was presented to Mr. C. T. Brown, by the President of the Club, Mr. A. W. Hay, and in a few well chosen words, congratulated Mr. Brown on the steady improvement he had made as a revolver shot and his excellent scores in this match.  
It has been arranged to shoot the match with the Boston Revolver Club on the 12th instant, and it is expected that a match with Toronto will be arranged in the near future.

### Claire Fontaine.

## RECORD SCORING IN BRITISH FOOTBALL

### 44 Goals to 0 is the Most Startling Score—Records of University Contests.

The remarkable result which was achieved in the league match between Newcastle United and Sunderland, at St. James' Park, Newcastle, recently, when the Wanderers defeated the Newcastle United by 9 goals to 1, calls to mind some startling performances on the football field.  
This does not rank as the record defeat of a home side. On December 27, 1892, Wolverhampton Wanderers were at home to West Bromwich Albion in connection with their then famous Christmas programme. The Wanderers had done exceptionally well in their two previous matches, for on December 23 they beat Aston Villa 3-0, and on the 26th they defeated Blackburn Rovers—then, of course, a very powerful side, 5-1. The Albion expected a similar beating, but, to the amazement of everyone, the Throstles defeated the Wolves by eight clear goals.

#### LEAGUE RECORD.

The Albion also hold the record for a win at home. On March 4, 1892, they met Darwen, always an unfortunate club under league auspices, and routed them by twelve goals to nil. This is the biggest victory ever accomplished in the league, although on January 21, 1899, Derby County, at home, beat Sheffield Wednesday 9-0; while in September of the same year Glossop North End, as they were then called, were beaten 9-0 by Aston Villa. On September 3, 1906, Everton, playing at Goodison Park, defeated Manchester City 9-1.

#### NEWCASTLE UNITED.

Startling results in connection with the league have been accomplished by Newcastle United; indeed, the average man would generally take them to be the scorers of eight goals to the losers of that number. At home they have beaten Birmingham, Wolverhampton Wanderers, and Notts County by eight goals to nil; while in November, 1902, they were themselves beaten by Aston Villa of Birmingham by seven goals to nothing. Last year Manchester United, when playing at the top of their form, defeated Newcastle at St. James' Park 4-1.

The record victory under English Cup auspices stands to the credit of Preston North End, who beat Hyde by 26 goals to nothing in their season of 1888, when they won both the Cup and the league championship in one and the same season—a feat only equalled by Aston Villa.

## SOME SCHOOL SCORES.

But there are several sensational results which very few people know anything about. Park Hurst School scored 25 goals in a game of seventy minutes' duration against Tidswell Grammar School, and one man—T. Finney—had the distinction of registering fifteen of the points. Then, in the Birmingham Cup Competition, West Bromwich Albion beat Creaseley by 26 goals to nothing; while in a Renshawshire Cup tie, Neilton beat Clifton Athletic by 24 goals to nothing. Probably the tallest score on record is that of the St. Peter's Shield team, who defeated Bucknell Street St. Mary's 44-0 before the losers' own supporters.

#### A CROPPING BLOCK.

Reference has been made earlier in the article to the misfortunes of Darwen. They were the chopping block first for the First League, and then for the clubs in the Second Division. In the year that the Albion compiled the record score, they were also beaten 9-0 by Burnley, and 7-0 by Aston Villa, Derby County, and Sunderland. In their last season in the Second Division, their goal average read: "Goals for, 22; goals against, 141. No wonder they cried, "Hold, enough!"—Answers.

#### A HOCKEY CHALLENGE.

Capt. Shamrock Hockey Club: We, the Emmet Hockey Club, hereby challenge the juvenile Shamrocks to a friendly game to be played on the earliest date possible. Reply by press.

#### CAPT. EMMET HOCKEY TEAM.

#### QUEBEC CURLING CLUB.

The single-handed championship of the Quebec Curling Club was decided yesterday, when Mr. E. E. B. Ratray and Mr. Arch. Miller met in the finals. The competition has been a most interesting one throughout, and there was great enthusiasm when the final results were announced. The final competition resulted as follows:—E. E. B. Ratray, 17; Arch. Miller, 15.

#### THE CALL OF THE LINKS.

New York Herald.  
A well known Scotch author and a young friend has spent the whole day on the links and had had some close and exciting matches.  
As they left for home the elder man remarked: "Do ye think ye could play again to-morrow, lad?" "Well," answered the youth, "I was to be married to-morrow, but I suppose I can put it off."



NO. 421. CITY OF QUEBEC

City of Quebec, To wit: District of Quebec, A By-law concerning the sale of Intoxicating Liquors in Retail Liquor stores.

(Drawn up in the French language.) At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the twenty-sixth day of February, nineteen hundred and nine (1909), in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting are present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:—His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Brunet, Campbell, Cannon, Cummings, Dinan, Drouin, Fiset, Foley, Gauvreau, Hogan, Huard, Jobin, Lavigne, Lemay, Letourneau, Lockwell, Madden, Matte, Messervey, Mulroney, Paquet, Picard, Plamondon, St. Pierre, Verret.

It is ordained by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council ordains and enacts as follows:—1st.—After seven o'clock of the evening of each Saturday, it is forbidden to whomsoever to sell intoxicating liquors in a licensed house or retail liquor store in the City of Quebec, under penalty of a fine not exceeding fifty dollars for each offence, and in default of payment of said fine, of an imprisonment for a period not exceeding three months.

2nd.—The present By-law shall come in force on the first of May next (1909).

J. GEO. GARNEAU, Mayor. Attested (L.S.) H. J. J. B. CHOUNARD, City Clerk.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Province of Quebec, In the District of Chicoutimi, Circuit Court, No. 9766. Epiphane Gagnon, farmer, of Ste. Anne, Plaintiff; vs Zephirin Savard, of St. Urbain, Charlevoix, Defendant; The defendant is ordered to appear within one month. Chicoutimi, February 10th, 1909. J. L. FYFE, D.G.C.C. Feb.15xlm.

Canada, In the Province of Quebec, District of Kamouraska Superior Court No. 4155. The twenty-second day of February, 1909. Reverend Dominique Pelletier, priest, curé of the parish of Bienville, of Levis, Plaintiff; vs Gilles Plourde, farmer, heretofore of the parish of Saint Louis du Ha Ha, and now of parts unknown, Defendant; The defendant is ordered to appear within one month. J. G. PELLETIER, Prothonotary of the Superior Court mar.2x2.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that the Quebec Gas Company at the coming session of the Legislature of the Province of Quebec will apply for the passing of an act to amend their act of incorporation, and amending acts respecting the election of directors of the company and for other purposes. Pentland, Stuart & Brodie, Solicitors for Applicants. Quebec, 10th February, 1909. Feb.18xlm.

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SHIPPING NEWS

C. P. R. LINE. Steamer Empress of China sailed from Yokohama on Monday afternoon, 1st instant, for Vancouver.

DOMINION LINE. Steamer Ottoman, from Liverpool, arrived at Portland at 8 p.m. on the 1st instant.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP CO. Steamer Trinidad arrived at New York, from Bermuda, at 8 a.m. yesterday. Steamer Bermudian sailed from Bermuda for New York, at 1 p.m. yesterday.

ANOTHER RECORD FOR THE MAURETANIA. Queenstown, March 2.—The steamer Mauretania passed Daunta Rock at 9.47 a.m. to-day and established a new record for the east-bound passage, from New York of four days, twenty hours and two minutes. Her average speed for the run was 25.25 nautical miles per hour.

THE LONSDALE'S TRIP. Victoria, B.C., March 2.—Delayed because of assistance rendered to the disabled Mexican gunboat Tampico, which was found at Mazatlan with her boilers burned out, leaving her helpless, and towed to Guaymas by orders of the Mexican Government, the steamer Lonsdale, of the Canadian-Mexican line, arrived this morning, many days late, with 450 tons of cargo from the United Kingdom and Continent via the Tehuantepec Railroad and part cargo of salt.

GREAT LAKES INSURANCE. New York, March 2.—A special London despatch to the World says:—W. A. Prime, insurance broker, of New York, is in London with a power of attorney representing shipping on the Great Lakes valued at upward of ten million dollars for the purpose of conferring with the big insurance agencies of Great Britain on the subject of rates on load lines. He told the correspondent of the World that the outlook for keeping insurance on the lakes down to a reasonable figure seemed fair, though he would know nothing definite until after several meetings, which have been arranged for next week, including a special meeting of the directors of Lloyds, are held.

CAPT. JAMES DUNN DEAD. Lord Line Master Was Popular In Baltimore.

Capt. James Dunn, of the Lord Line steamer Lord Dufferin, died at Galveston, Texas, on Thursday, of hemorrhage of the brain. The information was received in this city yesterday with regret in shipping circles, in which Captain Dunn had been popular for many years. He first came to Baltimore more than 30 years ago in command of sailing barks belonging to Thomas Dixon & Sons, of Belfast, Ireland, a firm he entered when a young man and remained with until death. From sail he went into steam, first commanding the Lord O'Neil, then the Lord Charlemont, following into the first Lord Erne, the first and only twin-screw vessel owned by the Dixons. Captain Dunn had been a trader in this port so long that he regarded Baltimore as his second home, making it one of his yearly pleasures to bring his family with him to visit Baltimore friends. He was born in Dublin, Ireland, and was the son of a shipmaster who lived to a ripe old age. He is survived by three children, his wife having died several years ago. Mr. Herbert Dunn, 1929 East Pratt street, is a son, and Misses Nora and Ethel Dunn, of Liverpool, England, are daughters.—Baltimore Sun, February 27.

Captain Dunn was well-known in Quebec, having made many voyages here in the seventies as master of the barks Humber, Eleanor and Charger.—Ed. M. C.

FEEDING SCHOOL CHILDREN IN FRANCE.

In the French city of Nantes the municipal experiment of serving noonday meals to school children at low cost was begun a few weeks ago, and has proved eminently successful. The "cantine" are installed in each non-sectarian (public) school and are intended to furnish poor children with hot and nourishing food. In one of the rooms of the school there is a refectory where the meals takes place. At 5 minutes to 11 the children are released from their classes. They go into the courtyard, where, under the care of one of the schoolmasters, they wash their hands at the washstands. Then at 11 o'clock they place themselves in regular order and walk into the refectory.

Each child, before entering this room, gives a check to the master. This check is given to the poorer children in an unobtrusive manner and without charge, and is sold at 15 centimes (13 cents) to the scholars whose parents are more able to pay. Thus the children's pride is not hurt, there being no difference between the one who pays and the one who does not. The meal lasts three-fourths of an hour. Two of the older children are appointed to watch over the younger and see that they all secure their food. One of the masters also superintends the meals. The weekly bill of fare has been arranged as follows: Monday:—Cabbage soup, sausage, and beans. Tuesday:—Bean soup, stew, jam. Wednesday:—Meat soup, rice, pie. Thursday:—No school takes place. Friday:—Vegetable soup, codfish, rice. Saturday:—Meat soup, sausages, or blood pudding, beans.

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IN THE PARLIAMENT OF THE DOMINION Telephone Service—Mr. Lennox's Resolution Killed in the Commons HE INSISTED ON A DIVISION Result Was a Strict Party Vote of 101 to 47—Bill Respecting Offensive Weapons.

Ottawa, March 1—Mr. E. N. Lewis introduced a bill to amend the Criminal Code respecting offensive weapons and capital offences. It has for its object the prevention of the exhibition of revolvers and pistols in second-hand stores, etc., without a permit issued by the police authorities. Mr. Lewis explained that the first things immigrants saw exposed for sale, especially in the second-hand shops around railway stations, were revolvers and stilettes, and they came to the conclusion that they were necessary articles to carry about. The law prevented persons carrying revolvers, but did not prevent revolvers being exhibited for sale. The clause relating to capital punishment provides that a prisoner sentenced to death shall be immediately removed to the nearest penitentiary until the time of his execution, instead of being taken to the county jail of the district where the crime was committed. Mr. Lewis explained that his amendment was to prevent exhibitions of morbid curiosity. The bill was read a first time.

Mr. Sinclair was informed by Hon. Mr. Paterson that the amount of goods entering Canada by way of her seaports for the fiscal year ending March 31 last was \$120,344,379, or 81 1/2 per cent. Mr. Fielding informed Mr. Macdonell it was not the intention of the Minister of Finance to introduce this session an amendment to the Bank Act or a revision thereof. Mr. Fielding informed Mr. Foster that the total subscriptions of the provincial governments and private individuals to the battlefields fund was \$150,488 up to January 31 last. The Government had subscribed \$300,000 to the Tercentenary Fund, the total, including sale of tickets for the pageants etc., being \$335,538. The amount expended on the celebration was \$321,168. The amount to the permanent fund for the "battlefields" still held by the trustees was \$436,426. No permanent secretary of the Battlefields Commission had been appointed.

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He moved an amendment to the resolution of Mr. Lennox to the effect that the House reaffirm its approval of the legislation recently passed placing telephone companies under the Board of Railway Commissioners, and until such time as the remaining provinces of the Dominion follow Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan in acquiring the telephone service, such Government control was ample to protect the interests of the public.

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to adopt. He was of the opinion that the provinces which had gone into the operation of telephone systems had done so not for business, but for political reasons. In Manitoba, within the last few days, the Government-owned telephone system had reduced the rates, but Mr. Maclean did not think the business warranted it, and he prophesied that within a year or two the rates would be as high or even higher than those charged by the Bell before the Government took over the 'phones. "They have a surplus," put in Mr. Lennox. "Yes, on paper," added Mr. Maclean.

As to Manitoba, Mr. Maclean said it had only one year's experience of the telephone business, and, therefore, was not in a position to reduce the rates. There was nothing in the experience of Manitoba, Alberta or Saskatchewan's telephone operations. Alberta had not reduced the rates, since she took over the Bell system. There was no prospect of a reduction, and one had not been promised by the Government.

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Arrivals at the Neptune Inn:—T. Moore, W. Mitchell, Quebec; J. A. Lafriere and wife, St. Helene; A. G. Beain, J. C. St. Louis, Alf. Morin, W. Latraverse, Arthur Olivier, Montreal; N. H. Thomas, Montreal; J. R. Dussault, St. Marc; Mrs. J. Coulombe, St. Paoime; Mrs. J. A. Hughes, Halifax, N.S.; Geo. Ball, J. C. Marshall, Montreal; Geo. Gagnon, Toronto.

Mr. M. Monaghan, accompanied by his son, Mr. T. Monaghan, left for Toronto last night. They will attend the annual meeting of the Mutual Life Assurance Co., of Canada, to be held at Waterloo, on Thursday. As president of the Mutual Life Agents' Association, Mr. Monaghan will have the honor of presiding at the two days' convention. Several distinguished financiers are on the programme to address this convention.

At the Clarendon:—J. A. Boyd, Montreal; A. Stein, Fraserville; P. Bochner, Berlin, Ont.; W. R. Chisholm, North Sydney; John A. Appleby, Toronto; F. W. Bean, Waterville; P. Z. Dube, Amqui; D. Champoux, Campbellton; J. A. Bonin, J. H. Girdale, Ottawa; G. A. Binet, Fraserville; J. Trudel, A. H. Thomas, Ottawa; Geo. Bain, Montreal; Jas. C. Mitchell, Toronto; B. Letellier, Beauceville.

PERSONAL Mrs. W. Paton, of Sherbrooke, is a guest at the Chateau. Hon. George Bryson, of Fort Coulonge, is at the Frontenac. Fra. Gosselin, M.P.P., St. Alexandre, is stopping at the Clarendon. Geo. I. Delisle, M.P.P., Yamachiche, is stopping at the Clarendon. P. C. Neault, M.P.P., Grand mere, is a guest at the Clarendon. A. Godbout, M.P.P., Beauce, is registered at the Clarendon. J. A. Tessier, M.P.P., Three Rivers, is staying at the Clarendon. A. Geoffrion, M.P.P., Montreal, is at the Clarendon. F. A. Gaudron, M.P.P., Hull, is at the Clarendon. J. B. Carboneau, Roberval, is a guest at the Clarendon. Rev. A. T. Love left for Lennoxville yesterday. Rev. M. F. Boudreau left yesterday for Lennoxville.

Hon. J. D. Rollard, of Montreal, is at the Chateau. Mr. D. H. Pennington, M.P.P., and Mrs. Pennington, of Lyster, are stopping at the Chateau. Mr. J. J. Broadhurst, manager of the White Metal Department, Lion Metal Co., of Montreal, is in the city. Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kelly of this city, are the guests of Mrs. W. Wray, University street, Montreal.

Mr. Julien Daoust's friends will learn with pleasure that he has almost recovered from his recent indisposition. J. J. B. Gosselin, M.P.P., Stanbridge, is registered at the Clarendon. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Allan of Montreal, spent the week-end in Ottawa, the guests of Sir Charles and Lady Fitzpatrick.

Lady Borden, of Ottawa, entertained a very delightful luncheon Saturday, the guests included: Mrs. Lyons Biggar, Mrs. A. P. Sherwood, Mrs. Mr. Edgar T. Reynolds, representing McFarlane, Son & Hodgson, Limited, wholesale stationers and paper dealers, of Montreal, is in town.

Mr. J. H. Walsh, general manager of the Q. C. Ry., of Sherbrooke, arrived in the city last evening and is registered at the Frontenac. Mrs. Ernest Paeud and her daughter, Mrs. Lafferty, who have been spending some days in the Capital, have returned to town.

Hon. J. Lanctot, M.L.A., Mrs. Tremblay, and Miss L. Lanctot arrived in town yesterday and are guests at the Frontenac. Montrealers at the St. Louis:—A. Fauteux, N. Gougeon, Fred. Shoe, Eug. Seguin, J. J. Broadhurst, S. G. McEwen, Jos. C. Corbell, J. T. Hanna, J. J. Taylor.

Lady Laurier, who is slowly improving in health, will probably leave the Capital for St. Catharines shortly and will be accompanied by Madame L. P. Brodeur. The Hon. D. C. Fraser, Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia, who accompanied the Canadian curlers to Scotland, is returning by the Empress of Ireland.

Mr. A. C. H. Nyland, agent of the Canada Line of steamships, New York, arrived here yesterday and in company with Mr. T. P. Ross, of the Dominion Line, visited the immigration buildings, etc. The marriage of Miss Leah Brodie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brodie, Langeraft, Roslyn avenue, Montreal, to Mr. James Gilman Shearer, will take place on March 18, in St. Andrew's Church, Westmount.

Montrealers at the Chateau:—A. Maclean, Ed. Ouellette, P. Gumeich, E. Schofield, J. O. Marchand, E. Schofield, F. W. Cooper, J. E. Rouillard, P. B. Coulson, O. H. Cote, A. O. Doslater, J. P. Schmidt, E. Gauthier. C. A. Young, Mrs. A. D. Cartwright, Mrs. Hugh Guthrie, Mrs. Cowan, of Vancouver, Mrs. M. J. Butler, Mrs. McCarthy, Mrs. Paeud, and Mrs. Lafferty, of Quebec; Mrs. Clarkem Mrs. Jeffrey Burland, Montreal; Miss Elizabeth Borden.

Messrs. P. C. Lacasse, F. Chas. Bellingsley, Quebec, and T. Chase Casgrain, Montreal, were among the Canadian visitors who registered their names at the Canadian High Commissioner's Office, 17 Victoria street, London, during the week ending February 16th.

At the St. Louis:—James Stewart, Perth; F. Wilson, Ottawa; Martin Griffin, T. C. Gaboury, Bryson; J. E. Halligan, L. J. Frechette, Ed. O'Callaghan, St. Ferdinand; T. J. and Mrs. Sears, Rev. M. M. Doyle, Antigonish; A. Carotte, St. Marie; D. A. Noble, Campbellton; Louis Caron, Jno. O'Shaughnessy, Nicolet; Geo. Albion, St. Gregoire.

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