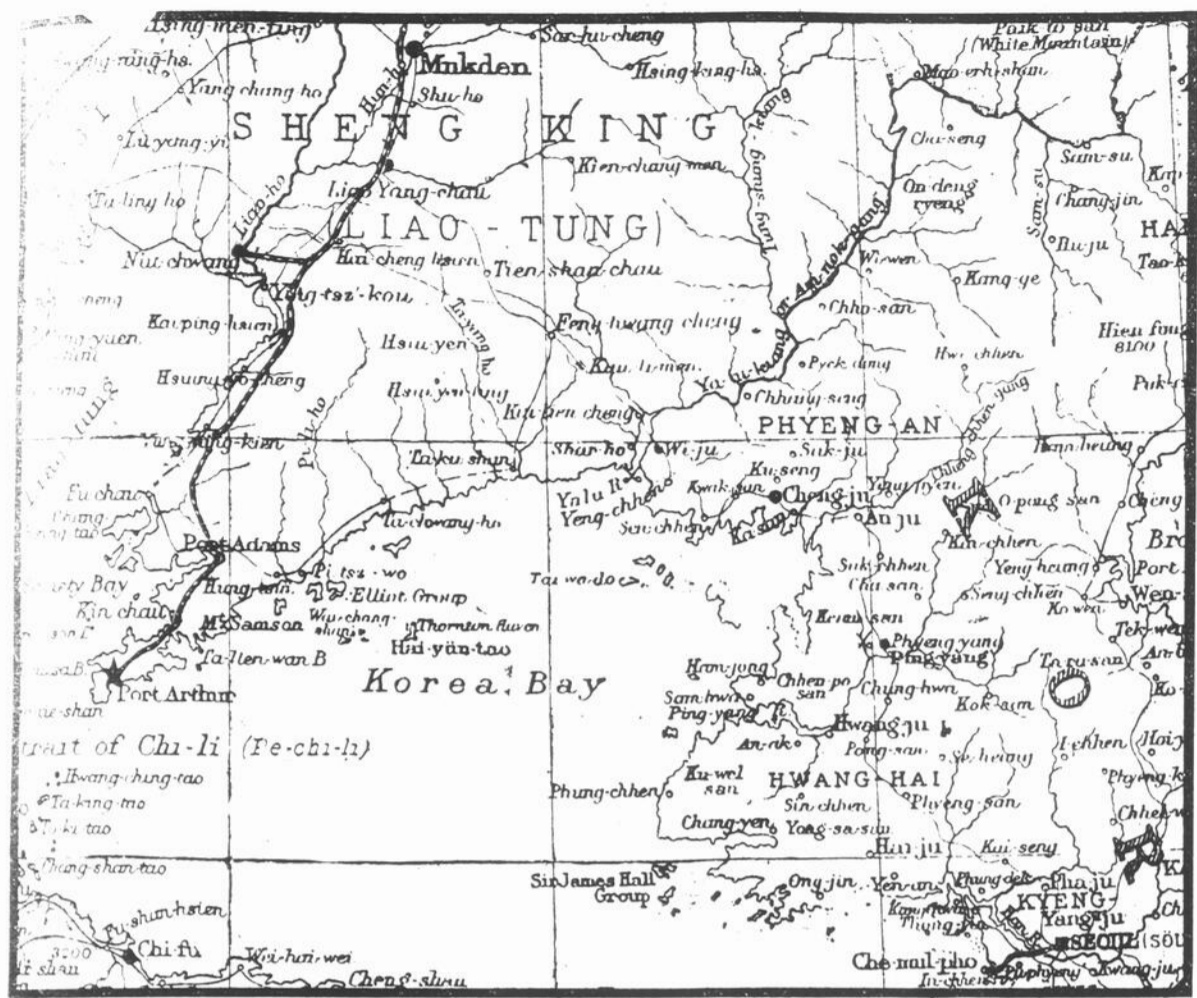


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STRUCK A MINE.

Japanese Despatch Boat Destroyed in Kerr Bay.

TWO LIVES REPORTED TO BE LOST.

May 15, 3:20 p.m.—The Japanese despatch boat 'Miyako' was destroyed in Kerr Bay by striking a submerged mine...

STOLEN PLANS

The Paris 'Matin' Discloses a Plot to Sell French Secrets.

Documents REFERRED PARTIALLY TO FORTIFICATIONS AT TOULON.

May 16.—The 'Matin' London edition has obtained nearly authentic plans of the fortifications at Toulon...

NEW AMERICAN RULING

WILL AFFECT ATLANTIC COAST TRADE BETWEEN CANADA AND UNITED STATES.

Ottawa, May 16.—The British ambassador at Washington has forwarded to Ottawa a copy of a United States statute which takes effect on May 27...

east of Kerr Bay, which adjoins Talien bay)

May 12, they erected a temporary fort on a height north-east of Taku mountain...

ST. PETERSBURG STORIES.

St. Petersburg, May 16.—4:50 p.m.—The Japanese are evidently determined that there shall not be any further communication between General Kouropatkin and Port Arthur...

WORK OF CHINESE SOLDIERS.

Liao yang, May 16.—Further details of the attack made on May 14 by Chinese soldiers upon the railway coal mines occupied by the Russian administration...

THEIR MAJESTIES

SECOND COURT OF THE SEASON AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

London, May 14.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra held the second court of the season at Buckingham Palace to-night...

THE KING

THIS MAJESTY TO VISIT THE EMPEROR WILLIAM IN JUNE.

Berlin, May 16.—King Edward has just definitely announced his intention to visit the Emperor William during the regatta week at Kiel...

A COWARDLY MURDER.

Denver, Col., May 16.—Lyte Gregory, a former policeman, has been assassinated while returning home from a social visit...

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY.

M. GOLUCHOWSKI REVIEWS THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION.

Buda-Pest, Hungary, May 16.—The Foreign Minister, M. Goluchowski, made a speech in a meeting of the Budget Committee to-day in which he lengthily reviewed the international situation...

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Another conflict between Cossacks and Chinese bandits has occurred in the village of Chantaiy.

A HUMANE ACT.

Lieut. Sorokin, who was wounded in the eye in the fight at Kiu lien cheng, owes his life to the mercy of a Japanese soldier.

HEAVY FIGHTING REPORTED.

Niu chwang, May 16.—Morning.—There is an unconfirmed rumor that heavy fighting took place in the district of Liao yang yesterday.

PORT ARTHUR CLOSED.

Niu chwang, May 15.—The Russians now admit that the railway is practically closed to Port Arthur.

LONDON, MAY 16.—The Admiralty Court to-day awarded the owners of the German steamer 'Excelsior' £4,000 salvage remuneration for service rendered the Allan liner 'Ontario'.

A CORNWALL MYSTERY

BODY OF ARMLESS MAN FOUND IN THE CANAL IDENTIFIED.

Cornwall, Ont., May 16.—E. B. McCluskey, of Henderson, Me., came to Cornwall on Saturday, and secured an order to see the body of the man who had been found in the Cornwall canal on Friday.

THE LATE JAMES MCGEE.

Ottawa, May 16.—The funeral of Jas. McGee, fourth son of J. J. McGee, took place this morning.

SAVED FROM DEATH.

Kingston, Ont., May 16.—John O'Gorman, a clerk in the Red Cross drug store, was in the third story when he tumbled in passing the elevator shaft...

COL. HENRY SMITH ILL.

Ottawa, May 16.—Col. Henry Smith, Military Secretary of the Militia Department, is dangerously ill of pneumonia.

CANADIAN CABLES

Mr. Lyttelton, the Colonial Secretary, Makes a Notable Speech.

PRESENT COURSE OF BRITAIN TOWARDS THE COLONIES THE GERM OF GREATER THINGS.

(Canadian Associated Press.) London, May 15.—Mr. Lyttelton, Colonial Secretary, replying to the toast of the government at the Cambridge University banquet, said he was not wholly unhappy that Lord Beaconsfield's programme of self-government for the colonies...

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LONDON, MAY 16.—Subscriptions are invited for 188,000 £1-shares in the Canadian Produce Corporation out of a total capital of £200,000.

LONDON, MAY 16.—Sixteen thousand emigrants have sailed for Canada since January, a thousand more than in 1903.

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reviewed the international situation. The most interesting portion was a reference to the gloomy situation in the Far East.

There, said Count Goluchowski, far-reaching antagonistic interests have brought about a struggle which, owing to the impossibility of gauging its duration and on account of the general economic depression it may entail, threatens to make itself felt even by those not directly concerned.

Count Goluchowski expressed satisfaction at the cordial relations existing between Austria and Italy, especially in regard to the Balkans, which constituted a guarantee of peace which should not be underestimated.

The Anglo-French convention Count Goluchowski considered to be another link in the chain of arrangements intended to weld more firmly the peaceful union of the European powers.

Count Goluchowski considered that satisfactory progress was making in the Macedonian reform programme and said both Austria Hungary and Russia deemed it an honor to do the fullest justice to the mission entrusted to them by the great powers and they hoped Turkey would not further impede the task.

Unless Turkey loyally assisted in the reforms she should have herself to blame for the serious dangers to which she inevitably would be exposed.

LORD CURZON ARRIVES

VICEROY OF INDIA AND LADY CURZON GIVEN GREAT RECEPTION IN LONDON.

London, May 16.—Lord Curzon, the Viceroy of India, and Lady Curzon arrived in London this morning, and had a great reception.

MAY ADJOURN ON THURSDAY

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THE RETORT COURTEOUS.

(A Reminiscence of the Past Harrier Season.) Major Topknot, M.H. (to butcher's boy): 'Hi! Hulloah! Have you seen my hare?' Butcher's Boy: 'Ga-a-rn! 'Ave you seen my whiskers?'—Punch.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

A Russian naval officer with three sailors in a small naphtha launch crept out of Port Arthur harbor on the night of May 10 torpedoed and badly crippled a big Japanese armored cruiser of Dalny.

A notable religious gathering was held in the public park in Tokio yesterday to determine the question of founding in Japan a church, Christian in character, but on independent lines.

Col. Younghusband's force continues to suffer violent bombardment. Curiously enough, his line of communication remains uncut, a proof that the Tibetans lack initiative, and are unable to act except in large bodies.

Mr. Lyttelton, the Colonial Secretary, at a Cambridge University banquet, speaks of Britain's present course in dealing with her colonies as the germ of greater things yet to come.

The aged Marquis of Donegal, who a short time ago married Miss Violet Manning of Halifax, is dead. He leaves a son and heir a few months old.

His Majesty and Queen Alexandra hold the second court of the season in Buckingham Palace. The King sends an autograph letter to Lady Stanley, paying a high tribute to the worth of her late distinguished husband.

His Majesty will visit the Emperor William in June.

A plot to sell French secrets, referring especially to the fortifications at Toulon, has been unearthed by the Paris 'Matin'.

Col. Marchand, of Fashoda fame, may offer his services to Russia.

The Methodist General Conference, in session at Los Angeles, California, on Saturday retired from all participation in church work five of its venerable bishops.

Archie Hooper and Bert Horsfall, well known among Montreal hockey players, narrowly escaped drowning on Saturday. They were sailing from the Grand Trunk Boating Club House to St. Lambert, when their boat upset near the bridge and they clung to the upturned keel for an hour before they were rescued.

Saturday's gale caused much damage on the Lake front. The 'Clare' broke her moorings, and is now on the rocks.

Mr. A. J. Hodgson returns home, and gives his views on Canadian-British affairs.

Lord and Lady Curzon arrive in London from India and receive an enthusiastic reception.

The body of the armless man found in the Cornwall canal has been identified as that of T. J. McCluskey, who disappeared last October.

Chief Legault declares he has good reason for lack of confidence in some of his officers.

A Galveston thief has been operated on and a valuable diamond taken from his stomach.

Sir Cavendish Boyle, in passing through the city, speaks of the rejoicing in Newfoundland at the settlement of the French Shore trouble.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, May 16, 11 a.m.—The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures:—Victoria, 54-50; Calgary, 50-40; Qu'Appelle, 60-48; Winnipeg, 60-38; Port Arthur, 44-30; Parry Sound, 42-32; Toronto, 58-37; Ottawa, 52-46; Montreal, 66-46; Quebec, 66-46; Halifax, 50-42.

Forecasts for to-day and to-morrow:—Unsettled and cool, with showers; to-morrow, cool and mostly fair.

Rain has fallen heavily in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys, elsewhere a few scattered showers have been experienced. Cool weather everywhere prevails.

1628 Notre Dame street, Montreal, May 16, 1904.—Readings by the Optical Engineers' Supply Company's Standard Barometer at noon.

Yesterday, 29.85; to-day, 29.81. Temperature. Max. Min. To-day . . . . . 69 50 Yesterday . . . . . 64 47



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. H. V. Meredith, Mrs. H. V. Meredith, in gown of satin and lace, and white hat with violets; Dr. James Bell, Mrs. Bell wearing an eclair gown and white hat; Dr. Charles McEclair, Mrs. McEclair, wearing a handsome gown and small hat; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Meredith, Dr. and Mrs. Morse, of Boston; Mrs. Hugh Mackay, wearing a pale blue gown and black hat; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Cook, the Misses Hays, Mr. David Morrice, Jr., Mrs. Morrice, wearing a pale gray gown; Mrs. F. L. Cams, gown in white; Miss Margaret Angus, Miss Louise Brown, in a cream gown, and pale pink hat; Miss Edna Arnton, wearing white; Miss Ruby Ramsay, Miss Creelman, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reford, Mrs. Harold G. Eadie, in a fawn gown; Mrs. Eadie, who in the afternoon was in her riding habit, and in the evening wore a pale yellow gown and picture hat; Miss Gault, Miss Grace Stearns, Miss Margaret Stearns, Mrs. MacCulloch, of Toronto; Mr. Wellington Dixon, Mrs. Dixon, wearing blue; Miss Hilda Wainwright, Mr. Clouston, Mrs. W. S. Clouston, in gray; Miss D. Campbell, in pink gown and black hat; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ogilvie; Mrs. H. B. MacDougall, in pink, with black and white hat; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hendrie, of Hamilton; Miss Phyllis Hendrie, in fawn gown and white hat; Mrs. Austin G. Stead, Miss Mary Alloway, Mrs. H. Huntley Drummond, wearing light blue; the Misses Bagg, the Misses Marion and Alice Thompson, Mrs. Birckett, Dr. Yates, Mrs. Yates, who in the afternoon was in white with black and white hat; Lady Hickson, gown in black and white; Miss Mary Hickson, in pale blue; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loring, Mrs. Mortimer Davis, who in the afternoon wore a dark blue gown and straw hat trimmed with roses; Mrs. F. Beardmore, Mrs. George Caverhill, who was present in the morning wearing white; Mrs. Frank Caverhill, Miss Alloway, Miss Edith Cassis, Miss Grace Robertson, Mrs. McIntyre, Miss McIntyre, Mrs. Mussen, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Learmont, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Campbell, Miss Enid Campbell, Major Hooper, Mr. F. W. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sheppard, Mr. Angus, Mr. A. W. Hooper, and very many others.

EXPRESS DERAILED

BOSTON TRAIN LEFT THE TRACK NEAR ST. JOHNS YESTERDAY.

On Sunday morning, May 15, the express train from Boston, Mass., was derailed between St. Johns and Lucerne, the engine, baggage car, smoker and one passenger coach left the rails, but the remainder of the train, including the Pullmans in the rear, remained on the rails. Two passengers, who were in the smoking car, Thomas Kennedy, of Boston, and Louis Gilbert, of Springfield, Mass., sustained slight injuries. The passengers arrived in Montreal about 11 a.m. The cause of the accident has not yet been determined, but it is supposed that something dropped from the engine in front of the wheels, causing it to leave the rails.

BOOKBINDERS STRIKE

UNION MEN IN THREE SHOPS WENT OUT THIS MORNING.

The dispute between the journeymen bookbinders and the employers regarding acceptance of the schedule of demands presented by the union some time ago culminated this morning in the thirty-nine employees of the following three firms going on strike: The 'Gazette' Printing Company, the Modern Printing Co., and B. Plow & Co. The men held a meeting on Saturday evening, at which the final report of the committee appointed to interview the firms in question was presented, showing that the firms had decided not to accept the union schedule. A lengthy discussion took place, resulting in a unanimous vote to strike.

A THOUSAND DOLLARS MADE.

The ladies of the Montreal Day Nursery have much pleasure in announcing that the sum of \$1,063.62 was made at the afternoon musicale and the ball held in the King's Hall, on April 21 and 22, for the benefit of the Nursery, 50 Belmont Park. The ladies express sincere thanks to those who helped to bring about the satisfactory results achieved.

CITY ITEMS.

Even Amundson, who disappeared so mysteriously from the Notre Dame Hospital, was found by Detective Laberge, sleeping on the roadside between Longue Pointe and Pointe aux Trembles. The formal opening of the Model School building, just completed, by the Protestant School Commissioners of Longueuil, will take place at Longueuil West next Saturday at 7:30 o'clock in the evening. About midnight on Saturday Mr. Bolduc, of 357 Visitation street, fell from an upper balcony of his house, into the yard at the rear. He was taken to Notre Dame Hospital by the ambulance and was found to have sustained a broken thigh. A fire caused by spontaneous combustion broke out yesterday about noon in the boiler room of the Excelsior Woolen Company, on the corner of Ontario and Papineau streets. No. 11 station of the fire brigade were soon on the spot, and little damage took place. Wilbrod Ethier, thirty-eight years of age, of St. Cunege, had his left leg badly crushed yesterday morning on the Grand Trunk Railway track at St. Henri. He was removed to the Notre Dame Hospital, where amputation of the leg above the knee was found to be necessary. Joseph Morin, thirty years of age, was admitted to the Notre Dame Hospital on Saturday night. He had been wounded in several places on the face by knife stabs, which he stated he had received from Italians in a fight in St. Paul street. He was a deck hand on one of the ferry boats. Joseph Johansen, twenty-eight years of age, a seaman on board the steamer 'Manchester City,' was taken to the General Hospital at noon yesterday. He had fallen off the gangway while going aboard and sustained a severe cut on the head besides severe internal injuries. The Grand Trunk Railway cars lying about half way down the guard pier, and which were filled with empty boxes were observed to be on fire last night. Shunters at work near Victoria bridge first noticed the flames and ran down the pier on an engine. They quickly discovered the burning cars and so saved the rest of the train. Edward Phillips, thirty years of age, of 417 Bourgeois street, a fireman on the Grand Trunk Railway, was taken to the General Hospital on Saturday night. While at work at Acton Vale he met with an accident and on examination it was found that his left leg was broken near the ankle and the right arm near the wrist. Mrs. (Rev.) W. A. Smith, who, with her infant daughter, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mook, 60 St. Matthew street, returned to her parsonage home in western Ontario on Friday. The Rev. Mr. Smith, who has been paying a brief visit here, has also returned to his home and work. Mrs. Eliza Gingras, fifty-five years of age, while riding on a load of furniture on Saguenay street, at 7:45 this morning, fell from the conveyance, dropping between it and the horse. A wheel passed over her body causing severe internal injuries besides bad bruises to the face and other parts of her body. She was taken by the ambulance to the Notre Dame Hospital.

SHANTYMAN'S BODY FOUND.

Ottawa, May 16.—The body of a shantyman was found in the Ottawa river this morning, near the Queen's wharf. It was very much decomposed, and had evidently been in the stream for months.

DIED IN JAIL.

William Lafontaine, sixty years of age, died in jail this morning from acute pneumonia. He was brought in on May 8 on a charge of loitering, and was detained as he was thought to be mentally weak. The coroner held an inquest into the cause of death this morning. It was not considered necessary to empanel a jury.

KNOCKED DOWN BY A BICYCLE.

Armand Therien, ten years of age, living at 15 Leon XIII. avenue, Maisonneuve, was taken to the Notre Dame Hospital. He had been knocked down in Notre Dame street, near St. Timothee, by a bicycle. It was found that he had a bad cut on the head and concussion of the brain. He remained unconscious until midnight, but is now reported to be slightly better.

SHAKESPEARE AT MCGILL.

MR. BEN. GREET WILL BRING HIS COMPANY HERE AGAIN NEXT MONTH.

Shakespeare, pure and undefiled, amid surroundings attuned to his native wood notes, will be seen under the most delightful circumstances on the grounds of McGill University about the middle of June. Mr. Ben. Greet and his splendid Shakespearean company will visit Montreal again this year under the auspices of McGill University, and will present four Shakespearean comedies on two successive afternoons and evenings. Mr. Greet has added not merely to his forces but also to his repertoire. On the first afternoon 'As You Like It' will be presented, and in the evening, 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'; on the second afternoon 'Twelfth Night'; and in the evening 'Much Ado About Nothing.' The single act McGill furnishes in itself a most delightful open air theatre, and the leafy surroundings with the trees at the centre of the stage, make it an ideal spot for the Pastors. Mr. Greet himself and Miss Matthison will be in the leading roles, Mr. Charles Rann Kennedy, Mr. B. A. Field and other faces familiar to the Montreal public, assisting. Mr. Greet has had great success with the Pastoral Plays, and is producing them at Harvard, Yale, Columbia, and all the university cities in the United States. At New York over twelve thousand people turned out to hear his performance at Columbia University. In Toronto the Pastoral Plays are made an attractive part of convocation week programme, and are given under the auspices of Toronto University.

ON THE KING'S BENCH.

MR. JUSTICE TRENHOLME INSTALLED THIS MORNING.

At the opening of the May term of the Court of Appeal this morning Mr. Justice Trenholme took his seat on the Bench, and his commission was read by the clerk, Mr. Chenevert. After the commission had been read, Mr. Lamothe, K.C., Batonnier, presented to the new judge the congratulations of the Bar, stating that his promotion was a well-deserved reward for his brilliant and useful career, both as a lawyer and a judge of the Superior Court. The Chief Justice, Sir Alexandre LaCoste, added the congratulations of the Court to those of the Bar, and said that he was happy to state publicly what he had already mentioned privately, namely, that this tribunal would derive great benefit from the knowledge and experience of Mr. Justice Trenholme. Judge Trenholme thanked his colleagues and the members of the Bar for their hearty welcome, stating that he felt gratified in meeting with the same cordiality from both the English and French-speaking elements. He highly prized the honor of taking part in the deliberations of the highest court in the province, called upon to interpret a system of laws probably surpassed by those of no other country. He knew that the duties of his new office were arduous, but he came with a willingness to exert himself to the best of his ability.

READY FOR INVESTIGATION

SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE HAS EVIDENCE BEHIND HIS STATEMENTS.

Chief Legault when seen by a 'Witness' reporter stated that if an investigation is asked for he has some reports in his office that will show he has good reason for lack of confidence in some of those who wear officers' uniforms in the police force. He does not want people to imagine the whole force is bad, but he does think it is time for some weeding out to be done. The citizens pay good salaries and they expect good service, and this cannot be had without good men, says the chief. A few, he considers, are old enough to retire. They have done good service to the city in years gone by, but their day of usefulness has gone by. They are physically unfit for the duties of their office. They should retire, claim their pension and give place to younger men. Then, a few have habits which they cannot conquer, and this is a constant source of trouble. Reports about them are in the hands of the chairman of the committee, and will, no doubt, be fully dealt with. The chief says it is not his place to discharge officers. The duty is a delicate one, but he is not afraid to do his part and submit the reports to the committee to be dealt with. The matter, he thought, would be dealt with at the regular committee meeting on Wednesday. Something might be said about it in council to-day. The chairman was fully aware of the facts. So far the lieutenants had not, to his knowledge, asked for an investigation. It would be a good thing for the force to have the matter cleared up. He thought the present system, with corporals, was working well; the committee had sanctioned it and he did not expect any change in this respect. When he was appointed superintendent of the force he laid down certain principles on which to build up a good force and he intended to stand by them, believing the outcome would be satisfactory.

FIRE RECORD

In a big fire at Grand Bay, on the Saguenay river, on Saturday, Messrs. Price Bros. saw mill and the saw and flour mills belonging to Mr. Honoré Petit, M.P.P., were burned, and also part of the village. Telegraph and telephone communication have been interrupted.

SHIPPING NEWS.

DAMAGED BY ICE. Sydney, C.B., May 16.—The Norwegian SS. Verdante, Captain Pedersen, from Shields, April 28, for Quebec, arrived here yesterday morning with the starboard bow broken. The accident occurred on the Banks through contact with ice. Temporary repairs were effected and the ship proceeded without mishap until Saturday, when she again encountered ice eastward of St. Paul's and the temporary work was carried away. The Verdante was then headed for Sydney where further repairs will be made before proceeding. The Verdante reports six steamers in the ice. Among them are the disabled Norwood, which was then lying on the north-west side of ice waiting opportunity to reach Sydney. The Black Diamond steamers arriving here for the past few days from the Gulf have all come close around Cape North and report little ice in that vicinity, although very extensive field ice is in sight of coast to north-westward.

PRETORIAN DUE THIS EVENING.

The Allan line R.M.S. Pretorian, Captain Johnston, with 42 first, 120 second class passengers, from Liverpool, is expected to arrive at Montreal this evening. She disembarked 320 third-class passengers at Quebec. Following is a list of her saloon passengers:—Mrs. B. J. Allan, Miss M. S. Amy, Capt. K. Betty, Mrs. Bond, Mr. P. E. Bousfield, Miss Burstall, Mr. B. Cohen, Mr. J. Dyke, Miss M. Flaxman, Mrs. R. H. Gurd, Capt. J. De M. Hutchinson, Miss E. E. Lansdale, Miss Leckie, Miss Lintburn, Miss M. L. Lee, Miss Livingston, Mr. H. E. Luntbam, Miss Macleannan, Miss S. Malcolmson, Lieut. Marshall, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Owen and two children, Miss Parks, Mr. Robert Patterson, Mrs. Pennie, Mrs. Ponton, Mr. J. Roy, Mrs. Roy, Miss Roy, Miss I. Roy, Mr. J. W. Smith, Mr. E. Stairs, Mrs. A. Stratford, Mr. Walcott, Miss Warner, Mr. T. M. Waterton, Miss Woods, Mr. Geo. Worth, Miss Worth, Mr. G. F. Wray.

THE SS. LAKE ERIE.

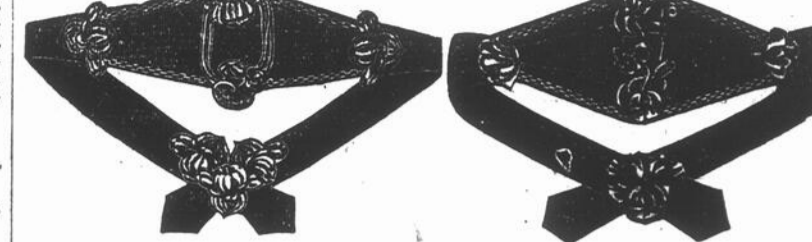
The Canadian Pacific Atlantic line SS. Lake Erie, Captain Carey, with 34 first, 32 second and 660 third class passengers, is the next boat of the company to arrive. Following is a list of the steamer's saloon passengers:—Mr. Wm. Argall, Mr. J. G. Borthwick, Mrs. Borthwick, Captain Cartwright, Mrs. Cartwright and maid, Mr. Walter Crocker, Mr. F. W. Dawson, Mr. E. Denning, Mr. F. L. Dunlop, Mr. R. L. Elliott, Miss M. Gordon, Mr. Edward Henninger, Mrs. L. M. Henninger, Master J. E. P. Henninger, Mr. J. B. Jessop, Mr. E. Johnson, Mr. A. Jones, Mr. W. Jones, Mr. Kitson, Mr. Thomas Moodie, Mrs. Moodie, Mr. H. G. Ogden, Mr. F. M. Oldham, Mr. H. Pearce, Mrs. Pearce, Miss Pearce, Mr. H. C. Suttill, Mr. J. V. Tedcastle, Mr. J. H. C. Thackwell, Mr. E. R. Thatcher, Mrs. J. White, Miss Wilson, Mr. Robert A. Wreford.

CULBUTE CANAL LOCKS.

The last issue of the 'Canada Gazette' contains notice of the abandoning by the Government of the Culbute canal locks on the Ottawa river as public works. This step was decided upon in 1899, owing to the fact that the locks were much decayed, and that in order to make them permanently effective considerable cost would have been entailed, while on the other hand the traffic was of inconsiderable extent, the railway facilities having greatly lessened the anticipated usefulness of the works. An order-in-council was passed on Oct. 24 of the fore-mentioned year to the effect that the river should be allowed to resume the natural level. The works in question consist of the Culbute locks and dams, being two combined locks constructed and situated on the north channel of the river at L'Islet, on the north side of the Allumette Island,

Colonial House, Phillips Square.

LADIES' BELTS.



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with the submerged dam between L'Islet and the north shore of Allumette Island; the Chapeau Bridge, consisting of a high-way bridge built across the Culbute channel at the Chapeau Rapids between Chapeau met Island and the Rocher Fenouillet Island, and a small island in the south channel of the Ottawa river, and other works associated therewith. TO HAVE STEAMERS. Kingston, Ont., May 16.—It is the intention of the Ontario Electric Railway to run its own boats for carrying freight from Kingston to Montreal till such time as the road is extended to that point. By this means the shippers will have the privilege of sending their goods from Toronto right through to Montreal, at a uniform rate, about one-half of the present one. NOTES. The Dominion line SS. Weishman sailed from Portland on Saturday afternoon with general cargo for Liverpool. The Dominion line SS. Maxman sailed from Liverpool at 6 o'clock on Thursday morning with general cargo for Montreal. The SS. Tusela, Capt. Marchbanks, sailed from Gulpfort last Thursday, with a cargo of pitch pine for Three Rivers and Montreal. The Dominion line SS. Ottoman, with general cargo from Liverpool, arrived at Portland on Saturday night and docked yesterday morning. The Dominion line SS. Canada, Captain Jones, with passengers and general cargo from Liverpool, reached Quebec last evening. She will arrive in Montreal this afternoon. She sailed from Liverpool with 75 cabin, 395 intermediate, 764 steerage

GULF REPORT.

L'Islet—Foggy, raining, east wind. River du Loup—Cloudy, strong north-east wind. Father Point—Foggy, strong east wind; inward yesterday at 11 p.m., Urania. Martin River—Dense fog, raining, strong gale, east wind. Fame Point—Dense fog, south-east wind. Cape Rosier—Foggy, east wind; inward at 6 a.m., steamer. Desamis—Clear, strong north-east wind. Anticosti—Cloudy, strong wind. Mead Cove—Cloudy, strong north-east wind, no ice. St. Paul's Island—Foggy, south-east wind no ice. Low Point—Foggy, south-east wind; inward yesterday at 8 a.m., Verdande, 1:30 p.m., Tancredy, 8 p.m., Fos; outward yesterday at 2 a.m., Avana and Falk. Cape Ray—Cloudy, south-east wind; no ice; inward yesterday at 7 p.m., steamer. Cape Race—Dense fog, strong east wind.





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Class No. 53—Pair of ponies in harness, 13 hands and under, to be ridden by boy or girl not over 15 years of age; the ponies to count 50 percent, driving 30 percent, appointments 20 percent. 1. Tommy, ch. s., 11.14, 8 years, Jerry, ch. s., 11.1, years, exhibited by Hugh A. Allan.

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Class No. 52—Ponies in harness, over 13 hands and not exceeding 14 hands 2 inches, to be driven by boy or girl not over 15 years of age, and shown over fences about 3 feet high; conformation and quality to count 50 percent, performance over fences 50 percent, to be ridden by amateur or an owner. 1. Battledore, bay m., 14.1, aged, exhibited by Allan Forbes; 2. Bombo, skeelhead, g. g., 14.1, aged, exhibited by Lady Violet Elliott; 3. Chatterbox, b. m., 14.1, aged, exhibited by Miss Enid Campbell; 4. C. Queenie, br. m., 12.2, aged, exhibited by W. Nicholls, Outremont.

The ladies' driving tandem evoked much applause. Lady Violet Elliott showed her pluck by handling her own exhibits, but Mr. Learmont's entry carried off the cup offered by Senator Forget. Mrs. Colin Campbell the whip, offered by the Horse Show Association; Mrs. V. Vincent Meredith, the yellow, and Lady Violet, the white.

The last afternoon event was the choosing of the champion hunter. All five competing horses touched the bars in one of the four jumps allowed, but the handsome Pepper mare, 'Blue Girl,' was awarded first place, with Mr. Bartlett McLennan's 'Myrtle,' which had won Mr. Montagu Allan's cup in the Corinthian class second.

The Governor-General, in the evening, came late and left early, returning to Ottawa, and it might be as well to point out here the necessity, if there be viceregal attendance at the next horse show, for more alertness on the part of the official in charge of the band regarding the playing of the National Anthem on the entrance and departure of His Excellency. There was an awkwardness about each occasion for which there seems to have been little excuse. On Saturday evening the viceregal party had walked all the way from the entrance to the viceregal box and had become seated before the opening crash of the National Anthem was heard.

Owing to His Excellency's enforced early departure there was a rearrangement of the programme and the high jump, the event of the evening was commenced before scheduled time. There proved to be nothing very sensational about it though, though it was exciting enough at times. The safety of the \$500 offered to the owner of the horse beating the world's record of seven feet nine and a quarter inches was never endangered, for though five horses which had gone over six feet three inches easily essayed six feet six inches in vain. However, 'Pearl,' bay mare 16 hands now owned by Mr. E. H. Weatherbee, of New York, was adjudged to have done the cleanest work.

There was no competition for the saddle horse championship. Mr. Hugh Paton's 'Woodlark' securing the ribbon. Very smart and well-mounted, too, were the troopers competing in class 62, reflecting great credit on the Duke of York's Royal Canadian Hussars, to which all save one, of the dozen competitors belonged.

Local exhibitors had the best of it with the sporting tandems. Mr. A. E. Ogilvie and Mrs. Colin Campbell taking first and second place respectively, with Pepper & Co. and Crowe & Murray third and fourth.

The last event of the show was the awarding of the harness horse championship, when Messrs. Henry Birks & Sons' handsome cup was carried off by Pepper & Co. with 'Creighton,' the reserve ribbon going to Major Hooper's 'Gay Lady.'

The association, the officials and all concerned may congratulate themselves upon a big undertaking carried out without an accident of any moment and almost without the slightest hitch.

Class 34—Qualified hunters, light weight, up to carrying 150 to 170 pounds, to count 50 percent, conformation and quality to count 50 percent, performance over fences 50 percent. 1. The Gowan, ch. g., 15.3, 6 years, exhibited by Mrs. Colin Campbell; 2. Woodlark, b. m., 15.2, 5 years, exhibited by Hugh Paton; 3. Batherskite, ch. g., 15.3, aged, exhibited by Bartlett McLennan; H. C. Dandy, ch. g., 15.1, 6 years, exhibited by A. G. Law, Montreal.

Class No. 51—Ponies in harness, 15 hands and under, to be driven by boy or girl not over 15 years of age, the ponies to count 50 percent, driving 30 percent, appointments 20 percent. 1. Dot, br. m., 12.14, 7 years, exhibited by Miss Irene Bender; 2. Dolly, b. m., 12.2, aged, exhibited by W. L. Chipchase; 3. Glendower, b. g., 12.1, aged, exhibited by Miss Shoda McEachran; H. C. Buster Brown, roan s., 11.8 years, exhibited by Miss Emma Larocque.

Class No. 55—Ponies over 13 hands, and not exceeding 14 hands 2 inches, to be ridden by boy or girl not over 15 years of age; pony to count 50 percent, pace and manners 30 percent, riding 20 percent. 1. Bingo, gr. f., 14.1, aged, exhibited by Allan Forbes, Boston; 2. Chatterbox, b. m., 14.1, aged, exhibited by Miss Enid Campbell; 3. Rosie, bl. m., 13.2, 6 years, exhibited by A. Labelle, Montreal; 4. C. Black Prince, bl. g., 14.2, 5 years, exhibited by W. J. Donnelly.

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Class No. 7—Pairs of heavy draught horses, any breed, shown in harness to draw or heavy wagon, horses to be owned and in use by exhibitor at time of entry. 1. Blue Skin, blk. g., 18, 4 years, exhibited by Wm. Hendrie, Hamilton; 2. George, bay g., 17, 6 years; Willie, bay g., 17, 5 years, exhibited by Lake of the Woods Milling Company. 3. Trunk, b.g., 16.3, 5 years; Continental, b. g., 16.3, 5 years, exhibited by Sheden Forwarding Company. H. C. Sady, ch. g., 16.2, 5 years; Joe, ch. g., 16.2, 4 years, exhibited by Dominion Transport Company.

Class No. 25—For the best harness tandem driven by a lady (dealers and professionals barred). First prize, cup offered by president of M. S. R. 1. Lady Fashion, br. m., 15.1, 5 years; Little Favorite, br. m., 15.1, 5 years, exhibited by Mr. H. H. Learmont. 2. Golden Rod, ch. g., 16, aged; The Gowan, ch. g., 15.3, 6 years, exhibited by Mrs. Colin Campbell. 3. Madame, br. m., 15.2, aged; Mistress, bay m., 15.2, 1.2, aged, exhibited by Lady Violet Elliott, Ottawa. H. C. Mary, b.m., 15.2, aged; Rosemary, gr. m., 15.3, 4 years, exhibited by Mrs. H. V. Meredith.

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Y.M.C.A. AT BUFFALO

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CLOSED ON SATURDAY EVENING.

Buffalo, N.Y., May 14.—The thirty-fifth International Conference of the Young Men's Christian Associations of North America practically ended to-day. One business session was held, and the delegates visited Niagara Falls this afternoon, returning for to-night's meeting. The selection of the place for holding the international conference of 1907 was left in the hands of the International Committee.

It was announced that a message had been sent President Roosevelt, expressing regret at his absence, and reciprocating his good wishes.

Invitations were then received from Portland, Ore., San Francisco, Denver, Washington and Memphis, which were desirous of entertaining the next convention. The invitations were referred to the International Committee. The International Committee reported recommending that the next convention be held in 1907, that the membership of the committee be increased to fifty-four, and that the committee be permitted to carry on its army, navy and other work in accordance with plans already followed by the committee.

The report was adopted. A report was then read from W. M. Danner, of Denver, telling of the work of the association's health farm. The report showed that already 84 Y.M.C.A. members had been admitted to the farm. The property is valued at \$42,000, and there are 42 endowed tenants there. The report of the committee on credentials showed that 1,628 delegates were present.

The topic of discussion at this evening's session was 'Student work.' The principal address was delivered by Frank A. Strong, one of the vice-presidents of the convention and chancellor of the Kansas State University. Dr. W. H. Marquess, of Louisville, Ky., also spoke and C. C. Minchener, industrial secretary of the international committee, gave an illustrated lecture.

A reception in honor of Miss Helen

Gould was held at the Y.M.C.A. building between four and six o'clock. The banquet room was handsomely decorated for the occasion. About six hundred women greeted Miss Gould.

BROCKVILLE FIRM ASSIGNS.

Brockville, Ont., May 14.—The Union Hat Works which received a bonus from the town on April 28, 1902, to remove from St. Johns, Que., made an assignment to-day for the benefit of their creditors. The money was not all to be paid at once, and of the \$20,000 the firm has received \$13,000, the remainder falling due yearly, when the terms of the contract were complied with. The town is the only creditor having any security on this business, though La Banque National are also creditors for \$13,750, less security on the St. Johns building for \$4,000. The pushing of this claim by the bank, together with the cutting off of trade by the recent Toronto and Montreal fires, is given as the reason for the assignment. Altogether the liabilities amount to about \$35,000, with assets about the same, the property on which the town holds the mortgage not included. The town's position seems to be a good one so far as security is concerned. A meeting of creditors has been called, and an amicable settlement is expected. The firm employed upwards of a hundred hands.

DEATH OF DR. WICKHAM.

Dr. W. W. Wickham, of Charlottetown, P.E.I., died on Saturday at Ste. Agathe, where he had gone on account of ill health. The body arrived here at 8.30 this morning, and was met by the Montreal councils of the Knights of Columbus and conveyed to the club house at the corner of Sherbrooke and Park avenue. At 6.30 p.m. the body will be removed to the Windsor street station, en route for Prince Edward Island. Dr. Wickham was a McGill graduate, having passed a most brilliant course.

MARQUIS OF DONEGALL DEAD.

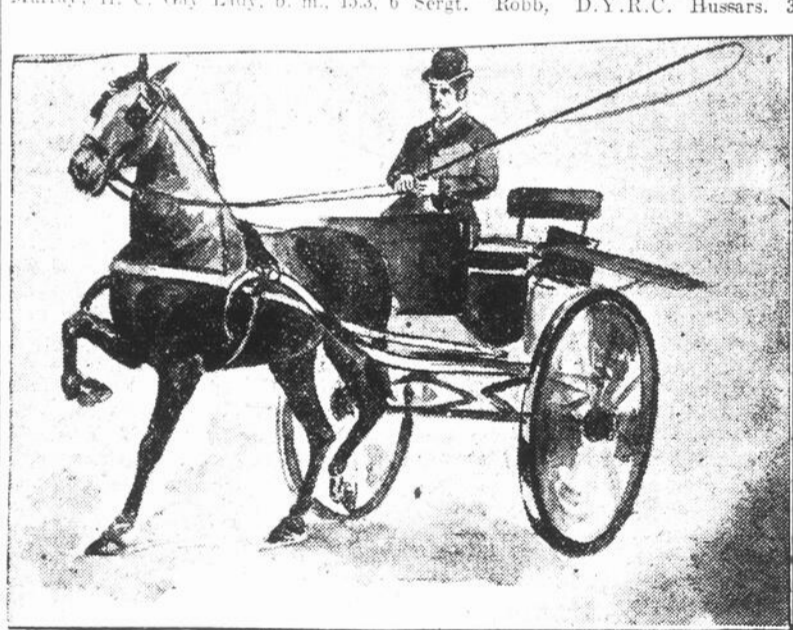
London, May 15.—George Augustus Hamilton Chichester, fifth Marquis of Donegall, is dead. He was born June 27, 1822. The Marquis married, on Dec. 23, 1902, Miss Violet Twining, of Halifax, who was twenty-two years old, at the time. On Oct. 8, 1903, a son and heir was born to the Marquis, who had twice previously been married without having issue.



A GOOD PAIR OF CARRIAGE HORSES.

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Class No. 14—Horses over 15.1 and not exceeding 15.3, to be shown in a two-wheeled vehicle. 1. Creighton, b. g., 15.2, 7 years, exhibited by Pepper & Co.; 2. Show Girl, b. m., 15.2, 7 years, exhibited by Crow & Murray; 3. Sporting Duchess, b. m., 15.2, 6 years, exhibited by Crow & Murray; H. C. Gay Lady, b. m., 15.3, 6



A HIGH STEPPER.

years, exhibited by Major G. R. Hooper. Class No. 40—Ladies' hunters, up to carrying 150 pounds, to count 25 percent, conformation and quality to count 25 percent, performance over fences 50 percent, manner 25 percent, ladies to ride. First prize, cup, by Mr. Hugh Graham; second, ladies' hunting crop, offered by the Gorham Co., Limited. 1. Woodlark, b. m., 15.2, 5 years, exhibited by Mr. Hugh Paton; 2. The Gowan, ch. g., 15.3, 6 years, exhibited by Mrs. Colin Campbell; 3. Batherskite, ch. g., 15.3, aged, exhibited by Mr. Bartlett McLennan; H. C. Dandy, ch. g., 15.1, aged, exhibited by Dr. Arthur Mignault.

Class No. 57—Polo ponies, not over 14.2, up to carrying 200 pounds, belonging to members of a recognized polo club, to be shown with mallet by members in their club costumes; ponies to be judged by their manners, handiness and conformation; conformation to count 50 percent, performance 50 percent. 1. Buffalo, br. g., 14.14, aged, exhibited by Mr. Allan Forbes, Boston; 2. Pinto, pearly b, 14.2, aged, exhibited by Major F. S. Meigs, 3. Arden, blk. g., 14.2, 6 years, exhibited by Major G. R. Hooper. H. C. Tuppeny, Sgt.-Major Jost, D.Y.R.C. Hussars.

Class No. 46—High jump. — For the first trial the bars were four feet six inches, and were raised four inches at a time up to five feet six inches, after which they were raised three inches at a time. Only three trials were allowed each horse at different heights. The top bar secured by twine. 1. Pearl, b.m., 16, 7 years, exhibited by E. H. Weatherbee, New York; 2. King Edward, br. g., 16, 7 years, exhibited by Pepper & Co. 3. Senator, ch. g., 16.2, 7 years, exhibited by Pepper & Co. H. C. Myopia, b.g., 15.3, 7 years, exhibited by Pepper & Co.

Class No. 48—Sporting tandem.— Wheeler to be over 15 hands 2 inches, to be first shown as a tandem, then the leader to be saddled in the ring and ridden over the regulation jumps. Tandem to count 50 percent; performance over jumps, 40 percent; appointment, 10 percent. Both horses to be ridden and driven by same man, owner or an amateur. 1. Boldur, br. g., 16 aged; Peter, br. g., 16.1, aged, exhibited by A. E. Ogilvie. 2. Golden Rod, ch. g., 16, aged; The Gowan, ch. g., 15.3, 6 years, exhibited by Mrs. Colin Campbell. 3. Myopia, b.g., 15.3, 7 years; Wire Jim, b.g., 15.2, 6 years, exhibited by Pepper & Co. H. C. Montrose, ch. g., 16, 5 years; Thistle-down, b.m., 16, 6 years, exhibited by Crow and Murray.

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Half the happiness of home life depends upon the mother's disposition. If sickness makes her weak and nervous, if she is irritable and cross, everything will surely go wrong. On the other hand the household presided over by an animated, bright, healthy mother will always ring with gladness and joy. Everyone will be happy. Many women think just because they are women that eternal suffering is necessary. What a grievous error? What a mistaken belief, when Ferrozone will banish weakness and replace it with vigor, virility, buoyancy—absolute good health. Whatever you do, never make the mistake of thinking you can't be cured, for Ferrozone is a special remedy for womanly disorders that restores the bloom and beauty to faded cheeks in a short time. Thousands of strong women are strong because Ferrozone made them so. By acting through the blood it is able to reach the organs that need assistance. This is why it gives such prompt results. It establishes correct and normal action of all bodily functions, removes the causes of the many disorders from which all women suffer. There isn't a weak woman in the world that can't be made well and strong by Ferrozone. It is a special remedy, does specially good work, and does it thoroughly. In order that you may know what Ferrozone has done for others, and to show you just what it will do in your own case, we print the following:— SO WEAK SHE COULDN'T WALK. Another astonishing case of female trouble cured by FERROZONE. 'Before taking the first box of Ferrozone,' writes Mrs. Annie Jeffry, of Sandy Cove, N.S., 'my condition was deplorable. I employed the most skillful medical aid I grew steadily weaker. In fact, I was in such a low condition it was impossible for me to walk across the room. My heart was very weak and I suffered from terrible palpitations, which the doctors said were from troubles peculiar to women. Friends urged me to try Ferrozone and I bought six boxes. When I had used the third box my old-time vigor and strength returned. The palpitations ceased, my appetite increased, and I got a good rosy color in my cheeks. It would be impossible to speak too strongly of Ferrozone. All weak women should use it. I hope many suffering sisters will use Ferrozone, for it will surely cure them.' Cured of Irregularities. Miss Cora V. Sweet, of Amherst, writes—'I experienced splendid results from Ferrozone. I used to be bothered with female derangements, chiefly in the form of irregularities, and got no permanent relief before using Ferrozone. It put an end to all suppressions, and ever since using it I have been perfectly free from the pain and sickness that formerly made my life so miserable. I am stronger now, my nerves no longer jump and start, and in many ways I am better. My sister-in-law, who lives in Detroit, also was cured of similar trouble by Ferrozone, which is the best tonic I ever used.' No tonic will in the long run prove so satisfactory. Ferrozone is the most popular with physicians, the most highly recommended, and the safest. Price 50 cents per box, or six boxes for \$2.50. At all druggists, or by mail from N. C. Polson and Co., Kingston, Ont.

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Weekly Calendar.

MONDAY, MAY 16.

Art Association, PHILLIPS SQUARE.

The Annual Exhibition of Drawings

By the Students in the Art Classes in now on view, May 14th to 21st. Galleries open daily, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. ADMISSION FREE.

TUESDAY, MAY 17.

DOG SHOW ARENA, MAY 17th, 18th, 19th

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday. Admission, 50c. Children, 10c.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18.

THE MONTREAL FLOWER MISSION

Annual Meeting will be held on May 18th, at 4 p.m., at 32 UNIVERSITY STREET.

FRIDAY, MAY 20.

'SCENE, SONG AND STORY.'

PROGRAMME OF Readings and Vocal Selections, ILLUSTRATED WITH Mr. Geo. Legge's Limelight Views, MOUNTAIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH FRIDAY EVENING, May 20th, 1904. Admission, 25c. Children Half Price. Miss WILHELM MYERS will preside at the piano. Soloist—Miss TERRILL.

THE DIOCESE OF JOLIETTE.

A circular recently addressed by Archbishop Bruchesi to the clergy of the district of Joliette is regarded as a sure indication that the name of the first bishop of the new diocese recently erected in that section, will be made known at an early date. His Grace in forming the priests of that district that, having received the decree erecting the new diocese, and as the appointment of the new bishop may be made at an early date, he deems it advisable to cancel the dates already fixed for confirmation services in their respective parishes, leaving it for their future chief pastor to perform this duty. His Grace expresses the desire to meet again the clergy of Joliette before they pass under a new jurisdiction, thanks them for their affection and devotion, and declares that he will ever cherish for them the warmest regard.

TRANSATLANTIC MAILS.

The mails for Great Britain and Europe close at the Montreal post-office during the present week as hereunder: Tuesday—9.30 a.m., 'Cedric,' White Star line. Friday—9.30 a.m., 'Campania,' Cunard line; 6 p.m., 'Campania,' supplement. Saturday—6 p.m., 'Preorian,' Allan line. The mail for France, Germany, Italy, etc., per 'La Bretagne,' General Transatlantic line, closes on Wednesday, 6 p.m. \*Letters may be posted up to 6 p.m.; other matter should be posted before 5 p.m.

FIFTEEN YEARS OLD.

To-day is the fifteenth anniversary of the founding of the Royal Arcanum in the province of Quebec. The first council to be instituted was Montreal Council, No. 1154, which was inaugurated on May 16, 1889. At present there are twenty-one councils in the province, ten of which are on the island of Montreal. The twenty-seventh annual session of the Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum opens on Wednesday next at the Hotel Chamberlain, Fort St. George, Virginia. The Quebec members are Mr. J. B. Tresidder and Dr. W. Grieve Nichol.

A MONTREALER'S BRAVERY.

On Sunday afternoon next the Dominion Commercial Travellers' Association will hold a demonstration at the City Hall, Quebec, at which the Hon. S. N. Parent will present the Royal Canadian Humane Association's medal to Mr. Maurice Frizon, a Montreal commercial traveller, who distinguished himself by his bravery at the Victoria Hotel fire, in December, 1902. The Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company have decided to extend the time limit of the round-trip ticket so as to include Victoria Day, Tuesday, May 24. This will afford members of the Association an opportunity to take part in the celebration on Saturday afternoon.

MR. BOYD'S SUDDEN DEATH.

The death occurred suddenly on Saturday of Thomas Boyd, 71 years of age, of 480 St. Urbain street. He had opened the door of his residence to admit a man with some goods when he suddenly fell down and examination showed that he was quite dead. Mr. Boyd, who was well known, was bookkeeper for Messrs. Lyman & Co., wholesale druggists. Death was due to heart failure.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

Daily Witness, \$3.00; Weekly Witness, \$1.00, with reduction to clubs. Northern Messenger, thirty cents; 10 copies to one address and over, twenty cents per copy. Post paid in each case to Canada, Newfoundland, Great Britain, United States and its colonies (excepting Cuba). Transvaal, Barbadoes, Bermuda, British Honduras, Ceylon, Gambia, Sarawak, Bahamas Islands, Zanzibar, Hongkong, Cyprus, New Zealand. For postal union countries, excepting those mentioned above, add for postage, \$3.50 for Daily Witness, \$1.00 for Weekly Witness, 50c for Northern Messenger. World Wide, one dollar, including postage, for Canada, Newfoundland, Great Britain, United States and foreign countries. The last edition of the Daily Witness is delivered in the city every evening of publication at \$1 per annum.

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Calendar table for May 1904, showing days of the week and dates from 1 to 31.

The Daily Witness.

MONDAY, MAY 16, 1904.

most glaring instance was the accusation of disobedience of orders brought against General Zassalitch, who was defeated in the battle of the Yalu by the Japanese. Well may the unhappy Czar contemplate the operations in Manchuria with grief and misgiving, if the picture drawn by Prince Khilkoff be true, and there are abundant reasons to believe it is.

THE WAR.

The left or southern wing of the army of the Yalu did not reach the railway at Hai cheng on Sunday, as the Russians counted that it would. Their explanation is that the Japanese are careful not to be premature, and that the force is keeping in touch with its own reserves and with the other wings of the army. That division is now in strength at Siu yen, south-west of Feng whang, which it is fortifying. The centre, consisting of two divisions, is pressing on from Feng whang along the main highway, called in those parts the Pekin road, but seems to have the mountain defiles still before it. And there is apparently an army corps on the right working round towards Liao yang by the north-east of Feng whang, as Kwan tien, on the line of the old Chinese palisade, sixty miles north-east of Feng whang, has been occupied. The objective of all these movements is evidently Liao yang. The army of the peninsula, which landed at Pi tze wo, is heading northward in the same direction, and would not appear to have much to overcome on the way. Niu chwang having been practically evacuated. Once it could use the railway, this army would soon be on the ground. The present appearance is that the main strength of this army, which is at present marching between Pi tze wo and Kai ping, will be thrown against General Kouropatkin, and that Port Arthur and neighborhood will not get its first attention. A correspondent of the 'Daily News' who got away from Port Arthur on Thursday says that the harbor mouth is still open, and that not only torpedo boats, but cruisers, have been cruising outside. As he telegraphs from Chefoo it would look as though he had himself got away by sea, though he does not tell how. Curiously, we have official news from Viceroy Alexieff up to the same date, in which the fact that the harbor is open is not mentioned, nor is there any word of excursions from it, but he says it is still blockaded by the Japanese fleet, which implies that the Japanese do not trust to their obstructions. He admits now that the 'Pobieda' was destroyed by a Japanese mine. The Russians have scored one success of the Hebson sort, a young naval officer having passed in the night into the Japanese fleet in a petroleum launch and crippled a Japanese cruiser and then got away unharmed. That lad ought to go to Russia and take his kisses straight. The Russians say that General Linievitch, with a large army, is moving from Vladivostok towards Corea.

A TRANSFORMATION.

Often have we known men, not by gradual climbing, but by a meteor flare, flashed into fame, who thenceforward could not live happily, indeed drooped and withered, when they were not in the eye of the world. Painful have sometimes been the efforts of such to keep in sight. Col. Marchand, of Fashoda fame, is one of these. He recently asked leave to enlist under Russia and was forbidden. He has now married a rich widow and has been worried out of his regiment by his brother officers. He sent in his resignation, which was treated as an act of insubordination, for which he was imprisoned and then dismissed from the army. In 1898 he was the pet of all French chauvinists, and nearly the cause of war between England and France, while now there are few so poor as to do him honor. The Egyptian government, under British direction, had in 1884 unwillingly abandoned to the Mahdists the annexed provinces in the Sudan and Equatorial Africa. In subsequent treaties with Germany and Italy, however, Great Britain obtained the recognition by those powers of the whole valley of the Nile as a British sphere of influence. France alone objected, and organized the Liotard mission, with the object of extending the French posts on the Congo and securing an outlet on the Nile. In 1893, Great Britain protested against the occupation of any part of the Nile valley by France, but, in spite of that, in 1896, Captain Marchand set out with a party of seven other Frenchmen and a hundred and sixty trained soldiers from Timbuctoo to extend M. Liotard's line of stations down the Bahr el Ghazel to the Nile at Fashoda. The Anglo-Egyptian operations for the reconquest of the Sudan, begun in 1896, were intended to forestall the French and prevent these missions advancing secretly from the French Congo, and also French adventurers, acting in conjunction with the Abyssinians, from getting a foothold in the Nile Valley. However, on July 10, 1898, or two months after Sir Herbert Kitchener had smashed up the Khalifa's forces at Om-

durman, Captain Marchand raised the French flag at Fashoda. Very peremptory parleying then took place between Lord Salisbury and M. Delcasse, and at last, the British government decided to demand the evacuation of Fashoda before entering upon any further discussions. The naval preparations of England and the warlike temper of her people convinced the French government that it would be wisest to comply, so that when, on Nov. 1, Lord Salisbury demanded the unconditional withdrawal of the French claim to Fashoda, the French cabinet decided to endure the humiliation, and Captain Marchand, who had been released by the British from distressed conditions at Fashoda and politely but firmly conducted by them to Cairo, was ordered to return and to withdraw his forces through Abyssinian territory to Jibutit. The French people, however, and more especially the Parisians, made a god of him and fell down at his feet. But like many of the gods, especially military ones, that the French people have worshipped, like Boulanger, for instance, he has been found to have a grain of brass and feet of clay. That disease, so fatal to the vain, which is called megalomania, or swelled head, attacked him, and like Cardinal Wolsey, whose pride at length broke under him, he has fallen, and it is unlikely that he will rise again. Who could have told in 1898 that in six short years the two nations, who were almost at one another's throats, would be friends and have settled all their differences, while he who was being acclaimed, because of the fortuitous circumstances, as a national hero, would be sent to jail and turned out of the army in disgrace.

THE 'SPANISH PRISONER.'

The very oldest of us can remember the poor 'Spanish prisoner,' and our fathers could remember his pitiful tale before us. The story had slightly different forms, but a very good variant of it is the following, which was received recently by a gentleman living at Upper Holloway, London: Madrid, April 21, 1904. Dear Sir,—Prisoner in this town for bankruptcy, I ask you, if you will help me to save a sum of £120,000—which I possess in a banking house of London. But for this, it is necessary to come to Madrid to redeem the embargo of my luggage and to pay to the clerk of the tribunal the expenses of my judgment, on order to take possession of a hand valise which contains a secret, in which are hidden the titles which are absolutely necessary to withdraw said sum from the banking house. For recompense, I will give you a fourth part of said sum, (£30,000) and travelling expenses. I must have your answer before I can sign my name and confide you my secret. I cannot receive your telegram in the prison. I beg you to direct a telegram to my old servant, who will bring it to me with all surety. For precaution, and that I know if you accept, you will send the telegram, textually as follows: RAMOS SORIA. Gonzalo de Cordoba tercero, Madrid. Accordingly—Perguson. I recommend you all kinds of discretion in this affair, and till I hear from you, will sign but (Note)—Answer by telegram and never by letter.

Sometimes, he is a prisoner in Spain, but more often in South America; sometimes the money is buried treasure and sometimes it is in a bank; but the many trivies who work this trick from Spanish towns follow the main lines of the communication we quote. Only recently a big New York daily published innocently a case in which there was a young daughter whom the prisoner desired his correspondent to adopt. He was dying, but would share his wealth with the kind Englishman if only he would adopt his child. We have met this variant of the story in England quite a dozen times during as many years. If the bait is taken the next letter states that the prisoner is dead, but the daughter is coming with the fortune, only there are customs duties to pay, amounting to so and so. If he succeeds in drawing a remittance, that is the last that is heard of the 'Spanish prisoner' and his child. The swindle always ends that way, the request for a remittance to pay costs or release baggage. The Spanish police do nothing to stop this swindle, and seem to consider it quite a natural thing for their townsmen to do, as the authorities of St. Pierre and Miquelon seem to think that smuggling is quite comme il faut. The 'prisoner' is constantly changing his name and the word 'accordingly' in the telegram is doubtless to guide the swindler as to who has replied among the thousands to whom the circular has been addressed. If any of our readers receive these circulars they may know by this that it is one of the oldest and most transparent of fakes. Yet it must have deceived many thousands and must be doing so still, otherwise it would not have been carried on so long. Montreal should be a happy hunting ground for this special fraud, seeing how easily our citizens part with their hard-earned money on every specious pretext, policy, lottery, 'credit company,' and what not. One thing they will miss about the 'Spanish prisoner' scheme, however, in comparison with the games hatched by local geniuses, is that the Spanish prisoner is satisfied with 'doing you' once. Our local schemers would consider that a mark of great inefficiency and weakness of criminal character.

WHEN THE GRAY BIRDS SING.

The gray-bird sings on the apple-tree, Of April's snow-storm heeds not he; Of the blue, blue skies to come he'll sing, For a time of hope is the time of spring. When the gray-birds sing.

Not always the husbandman reaps the grain, He hath wrought for early and late with pain; For storm and stress the summer may bring, But hope is strong in the early spring. When the gray-birds sing.

The gold of autumn oft turneth to dross, For frost and hailstorm work harm and loss, And we fear till the harvest home we bring, But hope mounts high in the early spring. When the gray-birds sing.

April 18, 1904. R.T.D.V.

SIR CAVENDISH BOYLE HERE

HE SAYS NEWFOUNDLAND REJOICES AT SETTLEMENT OF FRENCH SHORE DISPUTE.

In the order of service and succession, Sir Cavendish Boyle passes from the Governorship of Newfoundland to that of the Maritimes. In passing through Montreal Sir Cavendish, on Saturday, paid a visit to Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Mr. R. G. Reid. The ex-governor stated that Newfoundland was exceedingly prosperous. The whole island, indeed, was on the top of the wave of prosperity; the trade of the colony was bound to increase by leaps and bounds, and there were great things in store for the ancient colony. In regard to the Anglo-French agreement, which removed the French shore dispute, Sir Cavendish said that the rejoicings over the completion of that instrument were the most general and spontaneous he had ever seen. The Newfoundland people were amongst the most loyal of the British Empire and this latest piece of diplomacy had intensified their loyalty a thousandfold.

THE FISHERY CLAIM.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND EXPECTS TO GET A MILLION AND A QUARTER DOLLARS FROM THE HALIFAX FISHERY AWARD.

The Hon. Arthur Peters, Premier of Prince Edward Island, who passed through the city yesterday on his way east, stated that he had not the least doubt that Prince Edward Island would get a million and a quarter dollars as its share of the Halifax fishery award—an award which gave to the Dominion at the time almost five million dollars. The question of the provincial control of the fisheries having been settled by the Privy Council in favor of the provinces, a demand has been made for the re-appointment of the original award. Quebec, through Premier Parent; New Brunswick, through Premier Tweedie; and Prince Edward Island, through Premier Peters, have laid claim. Nova Scotia has taken no steps in the matter. The case is not yet settled. It has been sent to the Supreme Court with the consent of the federal authorities. Prince Edward Island claims \$1,250,000; New Brunswick, \$2,000,000; and Quebec 'wants all that is left.' That is the way Premier Peters puts it. There is the case of the reduction of the number of the representatives in Prince Edward Island, following the results of the census, which shows a decrease in the population. The Premier, on behalf of the people, resists the idea of a reduction following the census, and this matter, too, is to be argued before the Supreme Court.

A DENTAL DINNER.

REPRESENTATIVE GATHERING OF MEMBERS OF THE PROFESSION.

The annual dinner of the Montreal Dental Club took place on Saturday night at the Windsor Hotel. The event was of special interest on account of the presence of Dr. George C. Ainsworth, of Boston, who gave a paper on 'Orthodontia, the modulating of teeth which have grown out of their natural place.' The toasts of 'The King' and 'The President of the United States,' were proposed by Dr. C. F. Morison, the president of the Club, who acted as toastmaster. Dr. Ainsworth responded to 'The President.' Dr. Ainsworth's paper on orthodontia then followed. The doctor has made a special study of the readjustment of crooked teeth and his remarks were followed with interest by all present. The paper was illustrated with lantern slides and casts of mouth interiors. 'Our Guests' was proposed by Dr. J. H. Springle, who said that most of the strides in dental progress seemed to be first taken by Americans, and the names of Miller, Black and Williams were honored in the profession. Dr. F. W. Campbell, dean of Bishop's Medical Faculty, in replying to the toast said that not only in this but also in the principal cities of Europe, American dentists were to be found taking the lead. Others who replied to 'Our Guests' were Dr. Ainsworth, Dr. Jos. Nolin, and Dr. J. G. Gendreau. Among those present were:—Drs. Geo. C. Ainsworth, F. W. Campbell, Joseph Nolin, J. G. Gendreau, C. F. Morison, G. W. Oliver, F. W. McKenna, A. D. Angus, J. Berwick, George Briggs, Peter Brown, S. Burns, E. A. Cleveland, C. de Pencier, J. G. Gardner, W.

J. Giles, F. G. Henry, A. E. B. G. A. Scott Ives, A. C. Jack, W. J. Kerr, H. H. Kerr, W. Kennedy, J. B. M. J. H. Springle, F. A. Stevenson, J. Shaw, G. H. A. Stevenson, W. Smith, R. Simpson, F. L. Williams, W. W. Watson.

DEATH OF MR. DUMOUCHEL

The notarial profession has lost one of its oldest members in the person of Mr. Louis Napoleon Dumouchel, who died yesterday, of congestion of the lungs, after only a few days illness, at the age of 64 years. During his forty years' practice as a notary, Mr. Dumouchel had acquired respect and esteem of his confreres of the public. He represented several important estates and religious communities, and among other important deeds passed before him was that of the sale of the North Shore Railway by the Quebec Government to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. Born at Beauport, in 1839, Mr. Dumouchel followed the classical course in the Joliette college, after which he followed a military course at Quebec, graduating as captain. Subsequently, he served in the regular army, and also took service in the army of session. Having returned to Beauport, he studied the notarial profession under Mr. A. de Martigny, at Beauport, and was admitted to practice in 1864. He was successively a partner with the Messrs. Papineau, the late Senator Bureau, the late Mr. L. H. Hetu, and in later years with his son, Mr. Raoul Dumouchel. Mr. Dumouchel was a member of the Chamber of Notaries and of the Numismatic Society. He leaves a widow, a son, and a daughter. The funeral will take place on Wednesday next, the service being held in the chapel of the Nazareth Assn., where one of his sisters is a nun.

TO MAKE AN ESTIMATE.

Kingston, Ont., May 16.—Mr. Robert A. Ross, of the consulting and supervising engineering firm of Ross & Hekker, Montreal, was here to look over the Light, Heat & Power Company's plans. The Fire and Light Committee desired to know what Mr. Ross would charge to make an estimate and specifications of what is required to place the plant in good condition, not only for ordinary service, but for supplying power to the street railway company. Mr. Ross preferred to first have a look at the plant before naming a figure, and accordingly he came to the city. He will report in a few days.

CONGRESS OF MOTHERS.

Chicago, May 14.—Mr. James J. Hughes, Inspector of Schools, Toronto, addressed the National Congress of Mothers in Handel Hall at the University of Chicago. In explaining the subject, 'Education for the art of life,' Mr. Hughes said that the child should be so educated that he should achieve the best not only for himself but for his race. A plea for teaching the worship of the divinity was made by Mrs. E. C. Grice, of Riverton, N.J., corresponding secretary of the National Congress. Mrs. E. R. Weeks, of Kansas City, Mo., spoke on conducting parents and teachers' meetings.

MR. HODGSON IS HOME.

GIVES HIS VIEWS ABOUT CANADIAN BRITISH AFFAIRS.

Mr. Arthur J. Hodgson, who has been in the British Isles during the past few months, returned to the city on Saturday last much pleased with his visit to the Motherland. Mr. Hodgson says that the Canadian Parliament has adopted a resolution asking the home government to appoint a royal commission to enquire into the fiscal question, such a step on the part of Canadian legislators would contribute in a large degree towards the realization of such a reform. Mr. Hodgson personally is in favor of such a commission, and also states that the British people are in favor of it. 'Canada to-day,' Mr. Hodgson said, is the bright gem in the British Crown, and this fact was now recognized throughout the British Isles. Many prejudices have been dissipated, and many false opinions of this country had been repudiated. Canada, of course, stood away from the estimation of the gentlemen who had been here in Montreal attending the session of the Chamber of Commerce of the British Isles. Those gentlemen had received new views as to fiscal conditions generally, and the argument heard on all sides was that the fact that Canada had never as yet officially been understood that she desired to participate in Mr. Hodgson's policy of free reform. Mr. Hodgson expressed the belief in an appeal to the British people would be held this year. He says that the standing adverse opinions in certain quarters it is pretty well understood that Premier Balfour and Mr. Chamberlain understand each other perfectly, and they feel certain about it, said Mr. Hodgson, that sooner or later the people of the British Isles will accept the Chamberlain policy. The merchants of England have put on their thinking caps, and many of their investigations will doubtless be in favor of inter-empire trade. Mr. Hodgson speaks highly of the treatment accorded the Canadians during their sojourn in the British Isles, and respects Lord Strathcona simply and solely in his intentions. Mr. Hodgson included Mr. Hodgson, 'Canada to-day' as the future hope and home of the English settler, as well as the main source of England's food supply. In conclusion, Mr. Hodgson pointed to the appointment of the royal commission which the British Government of Canada. Mr. Hodgson expressed pleasure at being home again, and said that Canada is good enough for him.

MONTREALERS REMEMBER.

The 'Canada,' which is expected to depart to-day, has on board the distinguished Mr. Arthur J. Hodgson, President of the Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, held here last year, have been fully sent to this side of the water. It is a grandfather's clock for Mr. Hodgson, secretary of the Board of Trade, a solid silver bowl for Aid. J. H. Springle, and another for Mr. Arthur J. Hodgson, in token of the Montreal Board of Trade, and a solid silver barometer for La Roche de Commerce. Illuminated addresses have also been sent to the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railways.

YACHTS WRECKED.

Saturday's Gale Caused Much Damage on the Lake Front.

THE 'CLAIRE' BROKE HER MOORINGS AND IS NOW ON THE ROCKS.

Coming from the south, the most of the favorite anchorage of the Lake St. Lawrence...

The inter-club interest now centres on the junior race next Saturday. The course will be finally decided when the league meets on Wednesday...

ROWING

The Toronto Argonauts have received a letter from Mr. J. H. G. of the Ottawa Rowing Club...

WESTMOUNT BOWLING CLUB.

The committee of the Westmount Bowling Club have decided to hold their annual meeting on Saturday next...

WITH THE HARRIERS.

Some of the harrier boys of the St. Stephen's Harrier Club were M.A.A.A. leaders...

BASEBALL

EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES. At Jersey City—Jersey City, 4; Toronto, 2. At Newark—Buffalo, 7; Newark, 3.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 10; Boston, 1. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 10; Boston, 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

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PIANOS FOR SUMMER HIRE.

The largest assortment of summer pianos for hire and rent is now on hand...

McCaig is that, as secretary of the league, his duties occupied him right up to the last minute...

CHESS.

Cambridge Springs, Pa., May 15.—In the international chess masters' tournament on Saturday...

LACROSSE

New York, May 15.—The Harvard lacrosse team was defeated by the Crescent A.C. on the grounds of the latter at Bay Ridge...

BASKETBALL

Toronto, May 15.—The West and Y.M.C.A. senior basketball champions on Saturday night won the city championship...

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York, May 15.—The New York National League team has decided to release Pitcher Milligan to Montreal.

Providence, R.I., May 15.—Montreal again took Providence into camp on Saturday afternoon by a score of 8 to 3.

THE SHEPHERD.

Miss Eva Booth Addressed Large Audiences in Windsor Hall Yesterday.

Miss Booth, leader of the Canadian wing of the world-wide Salvation Army, was the centre of attraction for large congregations in Windsor Hall yesterday.

THE RED KNIGHTS' SINGING WAS A RARE TREAT.

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GREAT LAKES STRIKE

Kingston, Ont., May 15.—Mr. J. Daly has returned from Fall River, Mass., whither he went to play center field with the New England league baseball team...

NEW YORK CANALS PARALYZED.

New York, May 14.—In consequence of the tie-up in traffic on the Great Lakes, through business on the New York canals is in a state of paralysis.

NORTH-WEST NOTES

NEW CHURCH FOR CALGARY—PORT ARTHUR BREWERY BURNED—MR. SPARKS ON 'THE HORSE.'

Winnipeg, May 14.—Mrs. (Senator) Loughheed laid the corner stone of the new Methodist Church at Calgary yesterday, having been appointed by Lord Strathcona, his proxy, to conduct the ceremony.

PATENT REPORT.

Owen N. Evans, Solicitor of Patents and Expert, Temple Building, reports the following United States patents granted to Canadians...

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CHRISTIANITY IN JAPAN

PROPOSAL TO FORM A CHURCH INDEPENDENT IN CHARACTER.

London, May 15.—The 'Daily Telegraph's' Tokio correspondent cables the following under yesterday's date: 'A great religious meeting, promoted by influential men, was held in the park today to determine the question of founding in Japan a church pro-Christian in character, but on independent lines.'

Advertisements.

YOUR SHOES HURT?

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A SESSION OF THE COURT OF KING'S BENCH

(Crown side), holding criminal jurisdiction in and for the DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, will be held in the COURT HOUSE, in the CITY OF MONTREAL, on WEDNESDAY, the FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT, at TEN o'clock in the forenoon.

In consequence, I give PUBLIC NOTICE

to all who intend to proceed against any prisoners now in the Common Gaol of the said District, and all others, that they must be present then and there, and I also give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and Peace Officers, in and for the said District, that they must be present then and there, with their Records, Rolls, Indictments, and other Documents, in order to do those things which belong to them in their respective capacities.

J. R. THIBAUDEAU, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Montreal, 14th May, 1904.

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CORN CUSHIONS FREE.

We want the name of every Druggist in Canada. Send us the name of your Druggist and 15 cents in stamps, and we will send you a full size box of the Best Corn Remedy ever manufactured, and with each box you will get two Corn Cushions free. If this remedy does not cure your corns in three days we will return your money.

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HARBOR MATTERS.

THE COMMISSIONERS OCCUPIED WITH ROUTINE BUSINESS.

The Harbor Commissioners this morning put through a considerable amount of business, the only feature that caused any thing like the old-time discussion being the objections raised by Messrs. Doran, Geoffrion and McFee to the adoption of the report of the Finance Committee in which it was proposed to make further allowance for delay in the removal of iron and steel rails from the wharf, as suggested by a recent letter received from Messrs. Drummond, McCall & Co. This it was claimed by the commissioner dissenting, if adopted, will simply lead up to many complications in the very face of the by-law recently passed regarding the removal of goods within a certain time from the discharge of the vessel. The matter of discriminating in the charges for certain wharf allotments was also touched on but the report was finally adopted with the above-mentioned commissioners dissenting.

Mr. Reford pleaded on behalf of the lumber firms and claimed that no extra fees should be imposed on them for wharfage space for this season at least. Mr. Bickerdike—Do you think that the Dobbell and other lumber interests doing business in this port are paying enough for the privileges they enjoy? To which Mr. Lemay answered: 'Certainly I do, especially for this year.'

The chief engineer, by letter, reported to the board that he was ready to go on with the work of constructing the new wharf at Longue Pointe. There appears to be some difficulty as to the Longue Pointe Council assuming the responsibility of maintaining the roadway from the proposed new wharf to the regular highway.

It was maintained that, if the locomotive works company donate the land required for the roadway to and from the wharf the council will be compelled to maintain it. This was a question and the matter was referred for legal advice. The Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries notified the commissioners that the department will assume all charges regarding the raising of the sunken elevator. Mr. Hays, of the Grand Trunk Railway system, requested permission to construct surface tracks on Mill street. This was referred to the improvement committee. A letter was received from the clerk of the town of Maisonneuve complaining against the accumulation of stagnant water on the river front opposite that municipality caused, so it is claimed, by the dumping of earth along the shore by the tugs in the progress of harbor improvements. The complaint will be investigated.

Mr. Geoffrion was desirous to have a full report from the chief engineer as to all the proposed harbor improvements to be carried out this year. This was granted.

Mr. Doran wished to have a meeting held to discuss amendments necessary to the general plan of harbor improvements adopted some years ago. He alluded to the fact that Mr. Kennedy, on the occasion of the last visit of inspection by the board, stated that Jacques Cartier pier was too short for double berths, while much too long for simple berths—also that the Mackay pier needed improvement. Mr. Doran also had a scheme to suggest by which Montreal would have one continuous harbor, instead of two, as at present. This he held, could be accomplished by cutting away a portion of Isle Ronde. The space could then be taken to extend outwards and make continuous shore wharves outside the Canadian Pacific tracks, thus allowing the harbor to grow.

STARVING ITALIANS

EIGHT HUNDRED LOAVES DISTRIBUTED DAILY TO IMMIGRANTS.

There are, at this moment, four thousand idle Italians in Montreal. Some have come direct from Italy, others from the United States. With many it was the simple lure of labor. They had read in the press rumors to the effect that the Grand Trunk would be wanting ten thousand men in the spring, in connection with their new project. Circulars had said so quite openly. Who scattered those circulars over Italy? Mr. R. Candori, the agent of the Italian Immigration Aid Society for Canada, will tell you. Speculators—men on this side who saw the chance to make money out of credulity. It was they who sent out the circulars. They charge every Italian from one to two dollars, pretending to get employment for them which never materializes. On the other hand, many have gravitated to Montreal from the United States, who worked on railways there, but, finding work slack, thought of Canada, where railway work is only beginning, so to say. Out of the total number there are not a few who have already labored in this country.

The situation is menacing at this moment. Mr. Candori stated to-day that for a week or more he had been distributing over eight hundred loaves of bread each day to the most needy cases. This did not look at solving the problem.

The idle people congregate in the squares; they sleep out at night; they fill to overflowing the temporary quarters on Windsor street, where they are huddled together like sheep; there are noisome smells; the whole aspect of the place and people is forbidding in the extreme.

Mr. Candori points out that there has been no crime committed, so far, and the people have remained sober. He admits that they are excitable; that he has great difficulty in restraining a naturally mercurial people, hungry and idle; and he points to the barriers which he had to erect to keep the men out of his office.

Indeed, the situation in these temporary premises cannot, from a sanitary point of view, be prolonged. It would be dangerous to the public health to allow it.

ICE-BREAKING BOATS.

SHIPPING INTERESTS ENDORSE THE GOVERNMENT'S ACTION.

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SUPREME COURT.

JUDGMENTS DELIVERED IN SEVERAL QUEBEC CASES.

Ottawa, May 16.—In the Supreme Court the following judgments were rendered in cases from the Province of Quebec:

Danelle vs. Bourdon, appeal dismissed with costs; Armstrong vs. Beauchemin, appeal dismissed with costs; Dufresne vs. Fee, motion to quash dismissed with costs; Lapointe vs. Montreal Police Association, appeal quashed with costs, as on motion in limine; Desaulniers vs. Payette, appeal dismissed with costs. A motion to quash the appeal in Connolly vs. Armstrong was then made on the ground that the judgment appealed from was merely interlocutory in its nature, as it simply permitted E. N. Armstrong to intervene and protect rights claimed by him as transferee of a judgment now sought to be executed by Connolly against the Baie des Chaleurs Railway Company. Judgment reserved.

CITY NEED NOT PAY

POWER COMPANY CANNOT COLLECT FOR ELECTRICITY NOT USED.

Some weeks ago the Water Committee received an account for a large amount for electric power supplied by the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company in connection with the McTavish street

THE DEADLY WIRE.

TWO SHOCKING CASUALTIES ARE CAUSED BY IT.

Omaha, Neb., May 14.—A special to the 'World-Herald' says that at Indianola, Iowa, Basil L. Miskey, brother of Governor Miskey of Nebraska, was caught under the chin by an electric wire, and so seriously injured that he will die. He was dragged from his horse, his neck was dislocated, and the spinal cord was injured.

Glenn Falls, N. Y., May 13.—Daniel O'Leary, aged fifteen years, a nephew of Mr. O'Leary, the village president, was killed last night by coming in contact with a live electric light wire which was broken and dangling from the pole. Young O'Leary was playing with a group of boys, and as he ran past the wire he touched it. The force of the current threw him into the street. He was picked up and carried into a hotel near by, where he lived but a short time. The superintendent of the electric light company said that the break in the wire had not been reported, and that the indicators at the station did not show a broken circuit.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, May 16.—Wall Street. Small gains and losses were quite equally divided on the opening quotations in the stock market to-day. Consolidated Gas rose a point and United States Steel advanced 1/8. The market showed considerable variety and activity.

New York, May 16, Wall Street—Noon.—The tone of the market was soft and yielding, with but little rallying power. Many prominent railway stocks were fractionally below last week. New York Central lost a full point. Bonds were easy.

New York, May 16.—Noon—Money on call nominally at 2 to 2 1/2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 1/2 to 4 1/2. Exchanges, \$133,959,970.

B. Picken & Co's wire—The general depression has created a lack of confidence in the present situation; this explains why only high grade securities are wanted. The technical position of the market is unchanged, and until there is some new development of importance little upward movement outside of occasional recoveries is to be expected.

Wall Street, 2 p.m.—Some of the standard railway stocks reached a lower level, but selling in general was more concentrated against the specialties. Continued offerings of these stocks discouraged buying of the favorite stocks. Brooklyn Transit gained 2 points.

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Table with columns: Stocks, Op. Clo., Op. Clo. May 16. Includes American Lead, Amer. Sugar Refining, etc.

THE TRADING STAMP CASE.

Argument was heard before Mr. Justice Tait, on Saturday, on the merits of a petition in the case of Wilder vs. the city. This, it will be remembered, is a petition having for its object to contest the legality of the city by-law prohibiting the use of trading stamps. One of the principal arguments brought forward in support of the petition is that the city had no power to impose a penalty of \$40, its limit being \$20. After hearing argument the court took the case on deliberation.

DEATH OF MR. MEEKER.

Mr. C. J. Meeker, father of Mr. J. R. Meeker of the Montreal Stock Exchange, died on Friday at Baltimore, Md., at the age of 88 years. Over twenty-five years ago Mr. Meeker started business as an exchange broker, and was also a member of the Stock Exchange in this city, subsequently leaving here for Baltimore, in which city he resided until the time of his death. Mr. J. R. Meeker left immediately on receipt of the news to attend the funeral.

THEATRE CHANGES OWNERS.

A rumor which is admitted by interested parties to have some foundation is to the effect that a controlling interest in the Guy street theatre, formerly known as Her Majesty's, and latterly as Pictorial's, has been purchased by the Sparrow Amusement Company, of this city. It is understood that under a new name Pictorial's will next season accommodate the higher quality performances that will be given in Montreal, replacing the Academy for this purpose.

JUDGE DUNLOP'S MAIDEN CASE.

Mr. Justice Dunlop heard his maiden case this morning. The issues were on an opposition in connection with the liquidation of the Victoria-Montreal Fire Insurance Company, and the counsel engaged in the case were Messrs. Martin Howard and Laurendeau. Mr. Howard extended to the new judge the greetings of the Junior Bar, and Mr. Justice Dunlop replied in suitable terms.

CLUB LIFE DENOUNCED.

In St. James Church, St. Denis street, yesterday, the Rev. Abbé Chevrier delivered a very earnest sermon on 'Club life,' which he denounced as calculated to destroy the family spirit, to bring on foolish expense, and in many instances cause moral and social ruin. Women's clubs came in for a good share of blame.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

MEASURES J. S. BACHE & CO. 16 ST. SACRAMENT STREET, REPORT THE CLOSING PRICES TO-DAY AS FOLLOWS:

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, Pork, Lard, Ribs.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Chicago, May 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 27,000; market steady to easy; good to prime steers, \$5.10 to \$5.65; poor to medium, \$4.10 to \$4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.10 to \$4.40; canners, \$1.75 to \$2.75; bulls, \$2 to \$4; calves, \$2.50 to \$5.25; Texas fed steers, \$4.25 to \$5.

Hogs—Receipts 40,000; market 5c to 10c lower; mixed and butchers, \$4.60 to \$4.80; good to choice heavy, \$4.70 to \$4.85; rough heavy, \$4.60 to \$4.70; light, \$4.60 to \$4.75; bulk of sales, \$4.65 to \$4.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market steady to strong; good to choice wethers, \$4.50 to \$5.50; fair to choice mixed, \$4.25 to \$4.50; clipped, native lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.

East Buffalo, May 16.—Cattle, receipts, 4,500 head; heavy, steady to strong; other 10c to 15c higher; prime steers, \$5.15 to \$5.25; shipping, \$4.75 to \$5.10; butchers, \$4.35 to \$5.00; heifers, \$3.80 to \$4.75; cows, \$3.15 to \$4.25; bulls, \$2.80 to \$3.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.40 to \$4.50; stock large, \$2.50 to \$3.25; fresh cows and springers, strong; good to choice, \$48 to \$60; medium to good, \$35 to \$45; common, \$22 to \$33.

Veals, receipts, 1,300 head; steady, \$4.50 to \$5.50.

Sheep, receipts, 21,500 head; active; pigs, steady; others, 10c to 15c lower; heavy, mixed, \$5.05 to \$5.10; Yorkers, \$4.95 to \$5.05; pigs, \$4.75 to \$4.80; roughs, \$4.10 to \$4.30; stags, \$2.75 to \$3.25; dairies, \$4.85 to \$5.

Sheep and lambs, receipts, 26,200 head; active; sheep steady; lambs, 15c to 20c lower; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.75; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6.00; wethers, \$5.25 to \$5.40; large, \$4.75 to \$5.00; sheep mixed, \$3.25 to \$3.50.

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C.P.R.—25 at 100, 5 at 100; Iron pref.—22 at 100; Bell pref.—22 at 100; Coal pref.—10 at 100; Richelleu—10 at 100; Eastern Townships Bank—4 at 100; Ogilvie bonds—2000 at 100; M.S.R. bonds—1000 at 100.

AFTERNOON BOARD.

Reported by Messrs. Nichols & Meeker, 1134 Notre Dame Street. Stocks: Sillars, Bayars, Stocks, etc.

RAILWAYS.

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LONDON QUOTATIONS.

London, May 16, 4 p.m. (Crompton Clocks) Money, 90%; do. for account, 90 3/4.

Discount rate for short bills 2 percent; in 3 months, 2 percent; in 6 months, 2 1/2 percent; in 12 months, 3 percent.

J. J. Forde & Co. exchange G.T.R. at 3 1/2; S.L. 3d, 3 1/2; Hudson Bay, 3 1/2.

MONTREAL EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Table with columns: Exchange, Rates. Includes New York funds, Sterling, etc.

NEW YORK BANK STATEMENT.

New York, May 16.—The statement of averages of the Clearing House banks for last week show the following: Increase in Loans, \$7,898,000; Deposits, \$2,000,000; Circulation, \$25,000; Legal tenders, \$200,000; Reserve, \$1,000,000; Reserve required, \$1,000,000; Surplus, \$1,000,000; Ex. U.S. deposits, \$1,000,000.

TORONTO STOCKS.

Toronto morning sales, by L. J. Forde & Co. S.P. 50 at 110 1/4; Traders' Bank—3 at 125, cash; Sao Paulo—16 at 95; Dominion Steel—10 at 11; Coal—3 at 66, 10 at 65 1/2; Dominion Bank—20 at 22 1/2.

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**BOYS' OUTFITS.**



We have everything to clothe your boys, except the boots. And we have compiled a small list for Tuesday's shoppers, which will, if you take advantage of the prices offered, help you to clothe your boys in a better and more money-saving way than you could do elsewhere.

**PRICES REDUCED FOR TUESDAY.**

- Boys' Sailor Suits, with white silk anchor embroidered on shield. Tuesday's price \$3.00 each.
- Boys' Wash Suits, in English drill, or cotton serges, 99c and \$1.10.
- Boys' Russian Blouse Suits, in finest striped zephyr, colors ox-blood, pale blue, etc. Tuesday's price, \$1.85 each.
- Boys' Russian Mercerized Linen Suits, \$2.50 each.
- Boys' English Galatea Suits, with detachable collar and cuffs, \$2.00 each.
- Boys' All-Wool Norfolk Suits, in new shades of grey. Just the suits for the warm season, \$3.75 and \$4.25 each.
- Boys' Sailor Suits, in pale blue or white satin drill, with pale blue collar and cuffs. The \$1.75 value for 99c each.
- Boys' Summer Caps, very nice for boating or country wear, made in English drill, 20c each.
- Boys' Scotch Caps, 50c and 75c each.
- Boys' Overalls, 47c, 55c and 65c a pair.
- Boys' K and E. Waists, the 75 cents value for 58c.
- Boys' odd Pants, 39c and 59c each.

**BOYS' SHIRTS.**

- Boys' Outing Shirts, made of flannelette, Oxford shirting and fancy flannelette, trimmed pearl buttons and pocket, a large range of new patterns. All sizes, 10 1/2 to 14. Special price 50c
- Boys' Ceylon Flannel Shirts, collar attached, trimmed pocket and pearl buttons, sizes 12 1/2 to 14. Special price 65c.

**BOYS' BELTS.**

- Boys' Leather Belts, in assorted tan shades, with nickel buckles, different sizes. Prices 25c and 30c each.

**BOYS' WINDSOR TIES FOR 10 CENTS.**

- Boys' Windsor Ties, in pretty plaid patterns, made of pure silk and 45 inches long. Regular price 40 cents.

**TUESDAY'S PRICE, 10 CENTS EACH.**

**BOYS' HOSIERY.**

- Boys' Black and Tan Cotton Socks, sizes 5, 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2. Prices 13c, 13c, 13c, 15c, 15c, 18c.
- Boys' White Cotton Socks, sizes 4, 4 1/2, 5, 5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2, 7, 7 1/2. Prices 10c, 12c, 13c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 23c, 25c a pair.
- Boys' Stockings of every description and at all prices.

**Ogilvy's Bleached Linens.**

For Costumes, Blouses, etc.  
**OLD BLEACH, HEAVY MAKE.**

- 36 inches wide, 55c a yard.
- 40 inches wide, 60c a yard.
- 45 inches wide, 70c a yard.

**HEAVY WEIGHT BUTCHER LINENS.**

- 40 inches wide, 40c, 50c, 60c a yard.
- 45 inches wide, 50c, 60c, 70c a yard.

**LIGHT WEIGHT BUTCHER LINENS.**

- 36 inches wide, 40c, 50c, 55c a yard.

**FINE LINENS.**

- 36 inches wide, 33c, 38c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 60c, 70c per yd.



**REAL LINEN LAWN.**

- 36 inches wide, 75c, 80c a yard.

**REAL LINEN CANNEVAS.**

- 36 inches wide, 75c a yard.

**REAL LINEN TRICOT (Cream).**

- 36 inches wide, 75c a yard.

**DRESS LINEN (Natural).**

- 36 inches wide, 20c a yard.

**HEAVY CRASH.**

- 36 inches wide, 17c a yard.

**STRIPED CRASH (Heavy Make).**

- 27 inches wide, 25c a yard.



**How Much of Your Life is Spent Sleeping.**

Has it ever struck you to think of this? Anyhow, you may as well spend that time in comfort. We supply the necessities to help you.

- Large Size Flannelette Blankets, 95c each.
- Extra large sizes, \$1.15, \$1.37.
- Pure Filled Comforters, full size, \$1.50.
- Good Feather Pillows, really all feathers, 58c each.
- Serviceable Mattresses, double bed size, from \$2.50 each.
- Handsome Colored Quilts, from 70c.

**Big Drive in**

**NECKWEAR**

Tuesday morning. Besieged by people who were too late for our last Big Neckwear Special, we have been reluctantly compelled to meet the case by giving everyone another chance on Tuesday next. Laid out so that you can easily make your selections.

Heaps and heaps of the most up-to-date and daintily pretty washing Silk Stocks we have ever offered for the money. Blue and White, Pink and White, Black and White, all Black.

Tuesday is the day to seize your opportunity.

**See These Before You Buy Elsewhere.**

- Crush Leather Belts in grey, white, red, black and brown. Very Special at 25 cents each.
- And a better line in red, brown, grey, white, and black. Very Special at 50 cents each.

**ORIGINAL LINEN MESH UNDERWEAR.**

**THE 'SCHOENHERR LINEN' MESH UNDERWEAR.**

- Ladies' Vests and Drawers, \$3.00 each.
- Ladies' Combination Dresses, \$5.00 each.
- Gentlemen's Open Mesh Linen Shirts and Drawers, \$1.75 per garment.
- LADIES' DAINTY STOCKINGS.**
- Ladies' Colored Silk Lace Hose, in sky, pink and grey, \$1.10 a pair.
- Ladies' Black All-Lace Lisle Thread Hose, 50c a pair.
- Ladies' Tan Lace Lisle Thread Hose, also in white, 65c a pair.

**15c EACH.**

**OGILVY'S,**

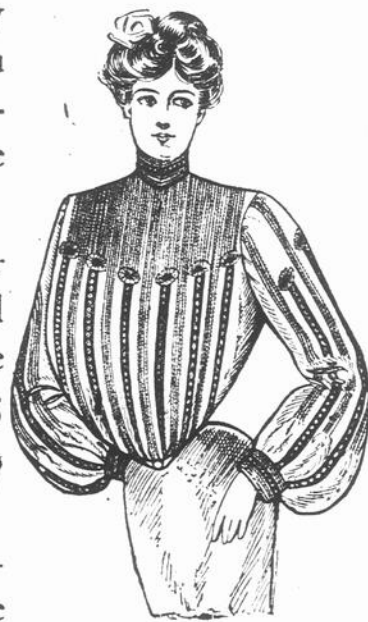
**ST. CATHERINE AND MOUNTAIN STREETS.**

**Shirt Waists**

**That will positively sell themselves**

**To-morrow (Tuesday).**

At least we mean you will only want us to take your money and give you the Shirt Waists. There will be no hesitating by any one for fear they should lose their chance to get one.



Ladies' Cream Lustre Blouses for Summer Wear with fancy pin tucked yoke, edged with a fancy trimming, large tucks across front. Regular price \$2.25 each. Tuesday's special **\$1.67** price, each

Ladies' Fine Lustre Blouses in champagne with clusters of pin tucks, wide pleat in centre with trimming of applique, full sleeve with pin tucks and tab collar. Regular price \$2.50 each, Tuesday's price, each **\$1.67**

120 only, Women's White Organdie Shirt Waists in two styles, one with yoke of lace and Swiss insertions over, three bias tucks each side, cuffs and sleeves prettily tucked. The other style has extra wide tucks down front and medallions and Crescents between the tucks, four wide tucks down the back, tucked sleeves and cuffs. Regular price \$1.75 and \$2.00, Tuesday's price **95c**

**65c and 75c Maids' Aprons**

**Reduced Tuesday to 38c.**

Maids' Aprons of fine lawn, with extra wide skirt and ties, trimmed fine embroidery insertion, hemstitching and tucks on band and skirt. Regular prices 65c and 75c. Tuesday's price, **38c**

**To Interest Our Lady Friends**

We will make a Special Show on Tuesday of Pure Linen Shirt Waist Fronts, in drawn work designs at \$1.00, \$1.20 and \$1.50 each

Pure Linen Blouse material in drawn work at \$1.65 and \$1.85 a yard.

**Leather Goods and Notions.**

Another Big Shipment just arrived of the fashionable 'FLAT IRON' Bags, in black, brown and grey. Very specially priced at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.50 each.

Black Leather Bag, with leather handle, fitted with pocket and purse inside, a regular 85 cents line. Special for 50 cents.

See our Special Blouse Set, in bright and dull gilt, or gun-metal. Very Special for 15 cents a set.

**Can You Use a Golf Cape?**

We have a limited quantity of Golf Capes, which we shall offer on Tuesday, they are worth your while coming to see. There's only one or two of a style, and nothing can be more useful when travelling or on cool evenings. Remember there's only a few and the regular prices were from \$9.00 to \$12.50 each. Tuesday's Special Price is \$4.95 each.

**TEMPTATION OF THE RIGHT KIND**

That's what we think it would be if you came into our department, for it is certain that one or the other of our dainty colorings or bewitching fabrics would, coupled with our low prices, tempt you to purchase here.



Flake Etamine, in pale blue, pink, green, grey, or ox-blood, 25c to 40c a yd

**SNOWFLAKE VOILE.**

This is one of the very latest materials, in all colors, 12 1/2c to 25c.

Something nice for

Shirt Waist Suits, is the

new Twine Linen, in colors grey, fawn, blue and green, 50c

Mercerized Lace Stripe, and Woven Colored Stripe, 50c

Mercerized Basket Weave with brocaded stripe, very nice, a

yard.

Light Weight Brocaded Mercerized Vestings, 30c a yard

White Linen with embroidered spot and figures, \$1.10 a yard

Pale Blue Linen with embroidered figure, \$1.30 a yard

Embroidered Spot and Figured White Swiss Muslin, very nice, cool Shirt Waists, 65c to 80c a yard.

**ENTICING DRESS GOODS.**

Silk and Wool Eolienne, all shades, \$1.00 a yard.

Silk and Wool Creoline, all shades, 70c a yard.

All-Wool Etamine, \$1.25 a yard.

Snowflake Voile de Paris, 85c a yard.

Cream Silk and Wool Creoline, \$1.25 a yard.

Cream Silk and Wool Eolienne, \$1.00 and \$1.25 a yard.

Cream Voile de Paris, 65c, 85c, \$1.00 a yard.

Cream Mohair, 65c and 75c a yard.

Cream Sicilian, \$1.25 a yard.

Cream Panama Cloth, 85c a yard.

Cream Etamine Serge, 65c, 75c and 95c a yard.

**Fashionable Silks.**

We don't do the largest trade in this department of any store in Canada, and we don't want to, either. What we do, is an exclusive trade. All our prices are cut as low as possible, and all our values are extra good. We have no old stock to try and get rid of to you, but what we show you can rely on being right up to date, and at fair price.



French Foulards, white and black spots, per yard, 65c.

Black with white spots, per yard 65c.

English Foulards, black with white figures, or black with white spots, per yard, \$1.10.

American Foulards, brown and white figure, satin finish, per yard, 80c.

Fancy Colored and Figured Satin Foulards, per yard, 67c.

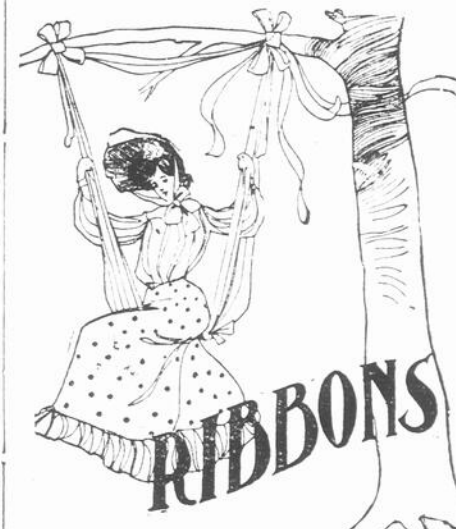
French Colored Foulards, lavender and green figured, per yard, 55 cents.

Pink and Black figured, per yard 55 cents.

Corn Flower blue and white figured, per yard 75c.

Navy and white figured, 65c, 85c, 95c, \$1.10, \$1.20.

**Ribbons at Striking Prices.**



Some of our Ribbons are very low priced. You should have some now, for the kind you need for Neck Bows, Sash Trimmings, etc. etc.

Fancy Black and White Neck Ribbons, 6 in wide, Regular \$1.50, Special \$1.30 a yard.

Fancy Neck Ribbons, with best work and a dotted, or blue, pink, or yellow, or black and white, 30c a yard.

Fancy Frill Cushion Ribbon, in all shades, 6 inch wide, Regular price 35c. Special for 25c.

Soft Collar Foundations, black, and white, in all shades, 10c

**Take a Hammock With You**

When you go away this season it's sure to come in handy for you. They can be fixed up almost anywhere; but the best lot of beating for the comfort to be got out of them, is to keep them in large and small sizes, and a large variety of patterns. Prices range from 75c each to \$0.50

**THE MOST BEAUTIFUL MILLINERY**



Have you seen our latest creations? We have all the latest innovations in Millinery. To see and to be seen, is the aim of the present season. We have the most beautiful hats in every style. We have the most beautiful hats in every style. We have the most beautiful hats in every style.

A good assortment of Artificial Flowers, 25c to \$1.50 a spray. TUESDAY'S PRICE 17c a bunch. Artificial Fruit in great variety, worth up to \$1.50 a bunch. TUESDAY'S PRICE A BUNCH, 20 cents.