

The Weather

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly winds; fair and cold, local snow flurries.

ESTABLISHED 1764

The Quebec Chronicle.

QUEBEC, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1910

Temperatures

Quebec Temperature.—Minimum, 6; maximum, 16.

ONE CENT.

A. PINARD "Cresca" Brand :

VEGETABLES IN TINS AND BOTTLES.

Peas, Moyens in tins.....	15c.
" Fins in tins.....	20c.
" Extra Fins in tins.....	25c.
" Extra Fins in bottles.....	35c.
" a la Rochambeau (new) prepared with French herbs and small French Onions (in tins only).....	18c.
Mushrooms d'Hotel (pieces) in tins.....	25c.
" Sur Choix.....	30c.
" Sur Extra.....	35c.
" Sur Extra in 1/2 bottles.....	35c.
" Sur Extra in 1/4 bottles.....	60c.
Asparagus (whole) Extra Large and White in tins.....	60c.
Asparagus (whole) Extra Large and White in bottles.....	60c.
Macedoines (mixed vegetables) in tins.....	25c.
Macedoines (mixed vegetables) in 1/2 bottles.....	20c.
Macedoines (mixed vegetables) in 1/4 bottles.....	25c.
Haricots (string beans) Extra Fins in tins.....	25c.
Haricots (string beans) Extra Fins in 1/2 bottles.....	35c.
Artichokes (whole) four in a tin.....	25c.
Artichokes (whole) one in a tin.....	18c.
Fonds d'Artichauts (Artichoke bottoms) in 1/2 bottles.....	60c.

A. GRENIER

nov25xmon,fristf.

PARTIES ARE STILL RUNNING VERY CLOSE

Not Much Change in the Composition of the House of Commons is Expected

ELECTION IS A MOST REMARKABLE ONE

London, Dec. 8.—At the close of to-night the polling in the general elections the standing of the parties is as follows:

Government coalition, Liberals.....	147
Laborites.....	28
Nationalists.....	45
Independent Nationalists.....	6

Total.....226
Opposition.....193

Parties Still Even.
The fifth day of the elections ended with the parties still running neck and neck, and with the prospect that they will come under the wire in almost precisely the same relative position they held at the start. Returns had been received up to midnight from the voting for 419 members, and the result is a Unionist gain of two seats in that number over those held by that party in the last Parliament.

Result Is Remarkable.
This amazing result is unprecedented in English history as it is embarrassing to politicians of all factions. Both parties predicted great gains, but are now convinced that the new House of Commons will be practically identical with the old. The Conservatives argue that Premier Asquith has bid for a sweeping endorsement from the country and has not obtained it, therefore he cannot be justified in fastening upon the nation such radical changes as home rule and the disarming of the House of Lords. The Coalitionists insist that the voters by returning them to power, endorse their policies and direct them to carry out their programme in its entirety.

Forty-Four Seats Contested.
Forty-four seats were ballotted for to-day. Returns were received from 21 of these and from 44, which were ballotted yesterday. In these 65, the Liberals gained Radnorshire and Bedford, while the Unionists gained Eidsdale. The contests were close nearly everywhere. The Unionists continue to cut down the Liberal majority and to make numerical gains all along the line, but insufficient to turn out the Liberal members.

Winston Spencer Churchill, the Home Secretary, was returned by Dundee, but about 1,500 votes shifted to the Unionist column.

O'Brienites Cutting In.
The indications are that O'Brienites are cutting down the strength of Redmondites in most sections of Ireland. Heavy rains to-night, coupled with a delay in the reports, decreased the general enthusiasm.

Some Trouble in Belfast.
At Belfast rioting followed the closing of the polls. There was much stone-throwing and many windows were broken. Police reinforcements were turned out and quelled the trouble.

There designedly on the night of the murder.
The senior counsel for the defense, Melville M. Johnson, called District Attorney John J. Higgins to the stand as the first witness for the defense. Mr. Higgins declined to acquiesce. The jury was sent from the room and a heated argument followed. Mr. Johnson declared that the prosecution had kept material witnesses off the stand, had introduced one witness who showed great bias and had done everything he could to prevent the defense from properly preparing its case.

Mr. Higgins denied the allegations and retorted that Mr. Johnson had kept witnesses for the defense locked up so that the prosecution could not interview them.

Judge Bond finally ruled that the District Attorney need not take the stand, and the jury was recalled.
Neighbors and relatives of the defendant were first called, including the girl's father, Abraham Leblanc, of West Arich, N. S. These witnesses testified that Hattie was one of nineteen children, that she had had no opportunity for an education, and had spent only six months at school, and that she always bore a good reputation before coming to the States.

The final witness of the day, Hattie Leblanc's sister, Mrs. Irene Leblanc Langley, said Mrs. Glover had shown her three notes which she had written, in which she declared that she wished to rid herself of her husband and would do it. On the night before the murder, Mrs. Langley testified, Mrs. Glover forbade her husband to come into the house to supper, and exclaimed that if he did come in it would be the last supper he would ever eat.

Mr. Johnson said to-night that he hoped to complete his direct case by Saturday.

PROVINCIAL PREMIERS MEET AT OTTAWA

Interprovincial Conference to Open at Federal Capital To-day.

Special to Chronicle.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—A conference of Provincial Premiers and Representatives will be held here to-morrow, and already a number have arrived. Premier Scott, of Saskatchewan, is here, together with Premier Whitney, of Ontario, and Hon. J. J. Foy, Attorney General of that Province. The Quebec delegation, consisting of Sir Lomer Gouin, Hon. L. A. Taschereau and P. S. G. MacKenzie, arrive to-night, as does Premier Hazen, of New Brunswick. Premier Hazard, of Prince Edward Island, is also expected to-night.

The main question to be considered is that of the representation of the Maritime Provinces in the Federal Parliament, as there has been much agitation recently for some arrangement whereby the present representation would not be decreased.

The matter of the extra provincial companies tax will also be taken up. British Columbia is not to be represented by any of their Government men.

MANITOBA BOUNDARY ALSO.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—The conference between the Premiers of the various Provinces open here to-morrow and is expected to last two or three days. The main question is likely to be the Manitoba boundaries and the Maritime Provincial representation in the Provincial House.

The Atlantic shore people are afraid the next census will reduce their number in membership. They want a fixed minimum of representation.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT OF STEEL CORPORATION.

Montreal, Dec. 8.—George H. McDougall has been appointed mechanical superintendent of the Dominion Steel Corporation at a salary of \$9,000 a year.

ROGERS WILL NOT ENTER DOMINION POLITICS.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Hon. Robert Rogers, the Minister of Public Works in Manitoba, was in the city this morning, and he denies that he is contemplating entering Dominion politics. He says the report that he is likely to leave his colleague, Hon. R. P. Roblin, the Premier of Manitoba, and join hands with Mr. R. L. Borden, is not true.

HOUSE DEMOLISHED BY GAS EXPLOSION.

Templeton, Pa., Dec. 8.—The infant child of Alexander French was killed and five other members of his family were injured when his house was blown to pieces by a natural gas explosion early today. The family was asleep when the explosion occurred. The floors dropped into the cellar and the wrecked building, taking fire, was entirely consumed. The adjoining dwelling were also burned.

FIVE-MASTED SCHOONER GOES ASHORE ON REEF.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 8.—The five-masted schooner Henry O. Barrett, Captain Dutton, from Bangor and Bath, Me., to Hampton Roads, went ashore at 10 o'clock last night on the James or Nautical shoals, just north of Cape Charles, the Virginia coast. The weather to-day was good and the vessel may be saved. Wrecking tugs have gone to her assistance. The Barrett, which hails from Bath, is of 1,564 tons net register.

WIFE OF COLPORTEUR SUES FOR NON-SUPPORT.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—George Buskin, for 35 years a missionary and colporteur, was summoned to the Police Court to-day on a charge of non-support laid by his wife. Mr. Buskin's lawyer raised the question of the validity of the woman's marriage and she explained that she had been married 33 years ago in the United States, but had divorced her husband for "incompatibility of temper" and since then he had died. Mr. Buskin's counsel, however, said he was told the man was still alive and also that the divorce was worthless. He further alleged that Mrs. Buskin was of unsound mind and had been so described by several doctors. The case was finally adjourned to allow of investigation being made.

AUSTRIA WILL ADMIT AMERICAN MEAT.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Ambassador Kerens cabled the State Department to-day from Vienna that the Austrian Parliament had adopted a resolution by a majority of seventeen votes, admitting free of duty trans-oceanic meats as long as the necessity therefor exists. It was not positively known that this legislation would apply to American beef products until the Ambassador's advice was received. He stated, however, that concurrence in the legislation by the Hungarian Parliament is doubtful. Without it the action of the Austrian Parliament will be ineffective.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

SS Adriatic, at New York, from Southampton; ss Main, at New York, from Bremen.
SS Zealand, at Boston, from Liverpool.
SS Cymric, at Liverpool (7th), from Boston.
SS Kursk, at Libau (3rd), from New York.
SS Sant Anna, at Naples (7), from New York; ss Duet Aosta (8th), at Naples, from New York.
SS Laura, at Trieste (4th), from New York.

14

SHOPPING DAYS FROM NOW UNTIL CHRISTMAS

14

10 Per Cent Discount In China, Bric-a-Brac, Etc.

For ten days only, from December 1st to 10th, inclusive, the China Department offers a discount of 10% on all Fancy China, Bric-a-Brac, Cut Glass and Silverware. Only two days left!

THE PAQUET COMPANY LIMITED

Retail Division, 157-173 St. Joseph Street.

Store Closed Thursday Open Wednesday Evening

THURSDAY being a Holiday this store will be closed all day. As usual on the eves of Holidays the doors will remain open on Wednesday evening until 10 o'clock for your convenience.

Santa Claus Will Visit St. Roch's On Friday



ALL the little girls and boys of St. Roch's will be pleased to know that Santa Claus has decided to visit them on Friday afternoon. Look for him driving around St. Roch's with his Russian Outfit and three horses, accompanied by his coachman in livery. Papa and Mamma will be interested in the things he has brought us. These are now in Toyland, Santa Claus' Headquarters in the Big Basement Section. Ask Mamma to bring you to see them.

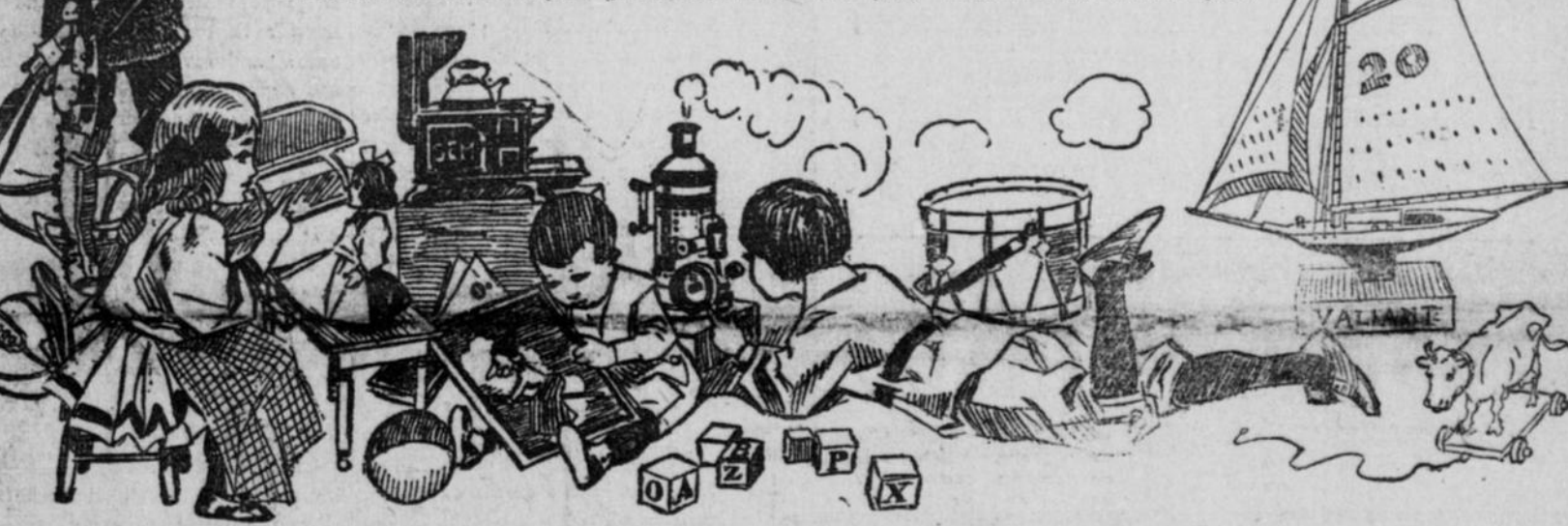
AUTOMOBILES, with clock-work motors, will run all over the floor, all sizes at prices ranging from 15c, 25c, 35c, 75c. to \$2.00, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.50.

SEWING MACHINES for Little Girls who want to be useful to their Mammams, prices \$1.25, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$7.00.

TEA SETS for the Dolly's Tea Party, very pretty and attractive. Cups, Saucers and everything at 8c, 15c, 25c to \$1.00.

SLEIGHS of every description, from the plainest to the most elaborate, prices 25c to 45c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 to \$3.00.

GO-CARTS for Dolls, folding steel frames, very fine lot at the following prices: 75c, \$1.25, \$1.75 to \$5.00.



ANCIENT REGIME IN CHINA AT END

Will Only Exist Historically After the Chinese New Year in 1911.

Peking, Dec. 8.—It seems safe to announce to-night that the ancient absolute regime in China will exist only historically after the Chinese New Year in January, 1911. It is stated that the throne has decided to accede to the resolution of the Imperial Senate praying for immediate creation of a constitutional cabinet.

The first Imperial Senate met on October 3 last and demanded the immediate convocation of a general parliament, which had been promised for 1915. The Throne and Grand Council yielded to the extent of advancing the date for the inauguration of parliament to 1913. It was at first thought that the Senate, one-half the membership of which was appointed by the Throne, would be subservient, but early in its existence it developed a striking independence and exhibited a spirit that was almost rebellious. At a series of secret sessions it was decided by the Provincial Senators that they would not further tolerate a Grand Council which was not responsible to the Imperial Senate and would not execute that assembly's resolutions.



FRASER'S SPECIAL

1910—Holiday Cases—1911

Our Special Holiday Cases, each containing a dozen of assorted Wines and Liquors, have now become so popular that we are shipping them all over the country from Halifax to Fort William. This year, as in former years, we will ship by express, and

PREPAY ALL CHARGES to any point in Quebec, Ontario and the Maritime Provinces, which means that we will deliver free of charges by express any or all of the Special Holiday Cases at the prices quoted.

READ THIS OVER CAREFULLY.
Every year hundreds of cases of our best Wines and Liquors are broken on, and we make up the Special Holiday Cases from these.
This is a chance to get a dozen bottles of Assorted Wines and Liquors at exceptionally low prices, and if a case is too much for any individual customer, club together and take advantage of this special offer.

Fraser's Holiday Cases

are known all over the country. They always give satisfaction, and we guarantee the contents of every bottle. Here they are:

Fraser's Holiday Case No. 1 Fraser's Holiday Case No. 2

At \$7.50 Contains:	At \$9.50 Contains:
2 bottles Fine Old Rye Whisky	2 bottles Walker's Imperial Rye Whisky
2 bottles Good Scotch Whisky	2 bottles Good Scotch Whisky
1 bottle Best High Wines	1 bottle Good Irish Whisky
1 bottle Bols' Liqueur Gin	1 bottle Bols' Liqueur Gin
1 bottle Genuine Jamaica Rum	1 bottle Genuine Jamaica Rum
1 bottle Good Brandy	1 bottle Salamander Brandy
2 bottles White Whisky	1 bottle White Whisky
1 bottle Good Port Wine	1 bottle Best High Wines
1 bottle Good Sherry Wine	1 bottle Good Table Sherry

Fraser's Holiday Case No. 3

At \$11.50 Contains:	At \$12.25 Contains:
2 bottles Salamander Brandy	1 bottle Bols' Liqueur Gin
2 bottles "Fine Old" Scotch	1 bottle Old Tom Gin
2 bottles Walker's Imperial Rye	1 bottle High Wines
1 bottle Jamaica Rum	1 bottle Dinner Sherry
	1 bottle Choice Old Port

"The Gilbey Special" Holiday Case of Wines and Liquors

At \$12.25 Contains:
2 bottles Gilbey's Invalid Port
1 bottle Gilbey's Chateau Louedenne Claret
1 bottle Gilbey's London Dry Gin
2 bottles Gilbey's Strathmill Scotch
1 bottle Gilbey's Champagne Cognac
1 bottle Gilbey's Pommard Burgund
1 bottle Gilbey's Old Tom Gin
1 bottle Gilbey's Plymouth Gin
1 bottle Gilbey's Old Jamaica Rum

These Cases can be delivered on any date required.
N.B.—Watch for our advertisement of SPECIAL HOLIDAY CASES —OF— GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
FRASER, VICER & CO., LIMITED
P. O. Box 2372, MONTREAL.

Investment Securities

We offer Government Municipal, Public Utility and Industrial Bonds yielding from 4 to 6 per cent.
All offerings carry our recommendation.
Send for our list of investments.

Royal Securities Corporation, Limited.

164 St. James Street, Montreal.
Toronto, Quebec, Halifax, London, Eng.

\$6.00 a Barrel

and

\$3.50 Half Barrel

Also Malbecques, Caraquets, Currian Islands and extra large Oysters by the barrels and half barrels.

By the basket, \$1.00 and \$3.00.

H. DEROME

Finlay Market, Quebec
Phone 1252

nov.22xtu,th,sat

STANDARD BRANDIES

RENAULT "50 Years Old"

RENAULT "CLUB"

RENAULT "THREE STARS"

COGNAC ESTABLISHED 1835.

Law, Young & Co. Montreal.

GLOVER, FRY & CO.

Immense Reductions For Cash on

Imported Trimmed Millinery.
Imported Jackets and Mantles.
Imported Morning Wrappers and
Jackets.
New Chene and Fancy Ribbons.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Christmas Prints 10c, 12c and 15c
Job Dress Goods only 25c, 35c & 55c

TAILORING

First Class Suits to Order \$15.00
First Class Suits to Order \$18.00
First Class Suits to Order \$20.00
First Class Overcoats to Order \$17.00
Gent's Ties only 25c, 50c and 60c

FRENCH KID GLOVES

French Kid Gloves only \$1.00
French Kid Gloves \$1.35 to \$2.75
Ladies' and Gents' Lined Gloves

All at Lowest Prices

NEW CARPETS

New Designs in Axminster Squares
New designs in Lace Curtains
New Oilcloths, Linoleums & Curtains

All at Lowest Prices

GLOVER, FRY & Co

Messrs. G. Seifert & Sons

Diamond Merchants

Present their Compliments and request the pleasure
of your presence at their

Holiday Opening

Friday and Saturday

December 9th and 10th, 1910

16 Fabrique St.,
Quebec.

G. SEIFERT & SONS

The Quebec Chronicle

QUEBEC, DECEMBER 9, 1910.

AS YOU WERE.

So far as can be gathered from the results of the British elections, it will be a case of the status quo. The Unionists have made very few gains and the Liberals do not seem likely to suffer any material loss. The chief lesson to be learned from the election is the power of the Irish minority.

To the ordinary eye Mr. Redmond seems to have established himself more securely than ever. Neither of the two English parties can do without the vote of the Nationalists.

In the words of the New York Herald, "unless the remaining elections go decidedly in favor of the unionists, he remains a 'dictator' in the British Parliament and a sort of uncrowned king of the United Kingdom. As in the folds of the Roman's toga, so in the skirts of Mr. Redmond's frock coat, there is peace or war. One or the other will result according to whether his demands are complied with or opposed. In the existing circumstances, Mr. Asquith can continue to lead the British democracy only by following Mr. Redmond."

"This is with a vengeance a case of 'the tail wagging the dog.' Theoretically a minority—the Redmondites—can make and unmake the majority. They are therefore for all practical purposes the government."

There is, of course, the chance that the Government and the Opposition may realize from this election who it is that holds the whip hand in English politics at the present moment and may confer together for the purpose of eliminating the third party. But party spirit and British obstinacy are likely to militate against the realization of any such possibility.

A REDUCED CITY COUNCIL.

Alderman Cannon's motion to reduce the numbers of the City Council is well worth consideration. Here in Quebec we have 34 aldermen for a city with a population of only 80,000 to 90,000, which seems much too large a representation, when we consider that Boston and such cities conduct all their civic business with no more than ten aldermen.

It has been suggested that a board of control system might be adopted if the number of the aldermen was reduced. The system appears to be a success in Toronto and in Winnipeg. In the latter city the board consists of five members—i.e., the Mayor as chairman and four controllers, who are elected by the city at large. There are also fourteen aldermen, or two for each ward.

The controllers are elected annually, while the aldermen are elected for two-year terms, one from each ward retiring every year.

The act changing the old form of government to that just outlined was passed early in 1906, but did not come into force until after the citizens had voted affirmatively on the measure, bringing it into force on November 10th, 1906.

The general act outlines the powers and duties of the board of control and gives the city council power to further define its duties, or assign to it other duties. As new matters come before the council and the board of control, the tendency is to clear up the spheres of action. At present questions of policy are referred to council committees, and after report and action thereon by the council, the matter is referred to the board of control for execution.

The board of control is the executive board of the city council, occupying practically the same position as a cabinet in respect to the legislature. As in the case of the latter, the board of control is part of the general legislative body.

In addition to being the executive, the board of control is also the finance committee of the council, initiating all questions of finance, and preparing the annual estimates for submission to the council. The public school board, the board of police commissioners, and the public parks board, all independent of the council, furnish the board of control with their annual estimates before March 1st of each year, to be included in the report to the council.

Other duties of the board of control are to award all contracts (all contracts being by tender), to inspect all city works and report thereon to the council each month or oftener, to nominate, dismiss or suspend heads of departments and other officers, to recommend salaries, to make regulations regarding the duties of all clerks, assistants and city employees, and a hundred other matters.

As a rule, a recommendation of the board can only be reversed or varied by a majority vote of the council. There is usually a division of work among the members of the board, each having a separate department, and being supposed to master all the facts appertaining to that department.

Such a system would probably re-

Fifty Years a Leader

The reasons for the unparalleled success of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey are that being devoid of impurities, it has all the healing properties of a medicinal whiskey not found in beverage whiskeys, that it is an absolutely pure, gentle, invigorating stimulant and tonic that overcomes all weakening, wasting and run down conditions of the body, brain and muscles, giving the system power to throw off and resist coughs, colds, grip, catarrh, bronchitis and lung trouble; and that it is a wonderful remedy in the treatment and cure of consumption, pneumonia, malaria, low fevers and all stomach troubles, taken as directed.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

has had many imitators, some of them going so far as to imitate the bottle, label and seal over the cork, but they could not deceive the people as to the contents of the bottle.

Be sure when you purchase Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey that you get the genuine. Make certain that the seal over the cork is unbroken. The genuine can be purchased at grocers and liquor dealers everywhere or direct. \$1.25 a large bottle. Write for our Aseptic Drinking Cup, sent free.



lieve the civic council from the tiresome routine of insignificant things and would facilitate public business.

ARCHBISHOP LANGEVIN'S BAN

A few days ago a statement appeared in the Liberal press to the effect that Archbishop Langevin had put the ban on four of the subsidized organs in this province and had recommended his flock to read Le Devoir and L'Action Sociale. As every one now knows, the Archbishop has strenuously denied the accusation, and, as the Toronto Mail suggests, it would not be at all surprising if the active Laurier press had invented the whole story for political purposes. It is only the other day that one of the most prominent Grit organs circulated a rumor that Archbishop Bruchesi "had given money to Rome in the expectation of becoming a Cardinal and being appointed to the papal chair—in which position, it was alleged, he would be hostile to the so-called Liberalism and friendly to the Nationalists."

This idiotic and baseless appeal to an anti-ecclesiastical sentiment, which must have been inspired by political motives, naturally had to be abandoned.

THE NOISELESS SOUP SPOON.

There are few men who deserve to be styled as universal benefactors. None are born to this title, few achieve it, still less have it thrust upon them. But there is one man to whom it should be awarded without hesitation—without question. He lives in St. Louis, but even that fact does not constitute his claim to go down the ages. Despite that he might have passed away comparatively unwept, unhonored and unsung, had not his fertile brain and skilful hands designed a noiseless soup spoon. It has taken a long time to supply this essential of civilization, but this boon and blessing is at last fashioned and may even be on the market for Christmas, or, at any rate, for the afflicted to enter upon a new lease of life and hope on January 1.

Henceforth there will be no more fearful and wonderful gurglings as the luscious fluid is imbibed. For the St. Louis man "guarantees positively" that one cannot inhale soup through his spoon and make a noise at the same time. There's a reason.

The spoon is made somewhat after the fashion of those drinking cups for men who are bothered by the hirsute appendage on their superior lips when they find it, so to speak, "in the soup."

It has a lid over one-half of its surface with a slit through which the soup enters the mouth. Evidently this must act as a "silencer." One of its advantages, in the estimation of its designer, is that when using it you must dip your soup from you, not towards you, and thus observe the rules of etiquette as laid down by the elite of society.

Unfortunately, the spoon is still susceptible of improvement. As it is now made it is only capable of accommodating such soups as consommé, purée of navy bean, julienne and several varieties of vegetable soups. But a commencement has been made, and it is to be hoped that the day is not far distant when a special type of spoon with a large aperture capable of negotiating the mulligatawny, split pea and mock turtle varieties will be constructed.

In any case another milestone has been set up on the road of civilization.

British capital invested in Canada for the five years ending in 1909 amounted to \$605,000,000. Investments of American capital for the same time do not amount to half as much.

THE FREEDOM OF THE PRESS.

Had Archbishop Langevin actually put the four French Liberal papers under the ban, as he was falsely accused of doing, there would have been an outcry from all quarters against such an encroachment on the liberty of the press. And this outcry would have been justified.

Yet such a proceeding, serious as it would undoubtedly have been, would have been little worse than the Laurier method which holds practically every Liberal paper in the Dominion in a servile and mercenary bondage. Last year more than a million dollars was distributed in "advertising and printing" to these journals. Any Liberal paper that attempts to be independent immediately loses its subsidy. The St. John Sun ventured to criticize the administration of the Intercolonial Railway and was notified in writing that if this kind of thing continued the coffers would be closed. The Telegraph of the same place did not find the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme to its liking, and was immediately divested of a printing and advertising business worth something like \$10,000 a year.

Had Archbishop Langevin really put these Liberal papers under the ban, he would probably have undergone much unfavorable criticism from all sides. But his motives would have been conscientious. The Premier has no such excuse, as the Liberal papers are bought to block investigation into departmental scandals and to defend questionable schemes.

CHEATING THE CUSTOMS.

Since the order went forth in New York that all persons convicted of smuggling would receive prison sentences, American smugglers seem to have shown a tendency to operate by way of the border. Perhaps this is one of the reasons for the increase in the passenger business of the trans-Atlantic lines to this port and Montreal, agents of the American Department of Justice and the Treasury Department having reported that Americans who had made big purchases of valuable goods, especially jewellery, had booked their passage home via this country and had made the excuse the steamers for New York were uncomfortably crowded.

Investigation in the Dominion soon revealed the modus operandi. The incoming tourists would stop for a day or two in this city or in Montreal or Toronto. The baggage would be sent to the hotel and there the steamship labels would be soaked off. Then the trip to the United States would be continued and the wily tourist would explain to the inspector at the border that he had been up in the Dominion on a little recreation. The resulting examination would be largely perfunctory.

Another matter now engaging the attention of the customs men is the report that fashionable dressmakers have been using the Canadian route to get in their dress models.

As a consequence of this smuggling through Canada, the smuggling at New York is said to have almost entirely ceased.

The department at Washington has now decreed that there must be a reform in the collection of customs on the border. This will probably cause a good deal of annoyance to Canadians at times.

And now even the cigar-cutter is declared to be a microbe-disseminator. Another case of living in blissful ignorance of the deadly perils that lurk unseen about our daily path.

A German paper says that the Kaiser's verses are very similar to those of Alfred Austin, the English poet laureate. And yet they say that Germany is anxious to preserve friendly relations with the little island. If we find that the next naval estimates provide for another six or seven Dreadnoughts, we shall know the cause.

If the evening paper "doesn't stand in with the clique" in the City Council chamber, it is not from any lack of endeavor to do so. We had no knowledge that its council reports were inaccurate and that it was "in error" until it revealed the fact itself. "Well," it continues, "all papers can't have aldermen to write their reports of the city council and civic committee meetings."

But this is precisely what the evening paper has. Perhaps the alderman does not write his own speech; perhaps he merely dictates it. But in any case there is no excuse for reporting words which were never uttered, especially when they were in the nature of a personal attack on other members of the city council.

EVENING DRESS.

We invite you to come and see our ball dresses, everything that is desirable in nice ball dresses and evening costumes. Come and see our blouses. Look in our windows.

FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cure

HEADACHE.

As they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint, but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE.

In the hands of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure what others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action place all who use them.

CARTER MEDICINE CO., NEW YORK.

Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

R. J. WINFIELD

Caterer and Confectioner

OYSTER SEASON

Oyster Pies, Oyster Patties, Croquettes, Ice Cream, Sherbets and Jellies. Fancy Cakes and Pastry, large variety. Also Raw Paste always on hand. Cream Caramels and Candies, Bon Bons, Milk Chocolate Bars, Chocolate Creams, Mint Chocolate Wafers, Marshmallows. Put up in any quantity in neat boxes. Guaranteed fresh goods, and all my own manufacture.

Phone 170. 126 St. John St.

FOR SALE

The following at a great reduction to quick cash buyers:

- 1 Bob Sleigh.
- 2 Carioles.
- 1 Sleigh.
- 3 Horses and Harness.
- 3 Fur Rugs.
- 2 Buggies.

Apply to

C. A. PARADIS
81 Dalhousie St.

nov.29x2w

NOTICE

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Chronicle Printing Company will be held at the offices of the company, 9 Buede street, on Wednesday, 14th December, 1910, at 3 o'clock.

D. WATSON,
Secretary.

The Yearly Meeting of Pilots

The yearly meeting of Licensed Pilots for and Below the Harbor of Quebec will take place at their office, No. 2 Sous-le-Fort Street, Lower Town, Saturday, the 10th of December next, at 9 o'clock a.m. precisely, in order to proceed for the election of members of the board for the year 1911.

F. X. DION,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Quebec, 23d November, 1910.
Nov.25 to 10 Dec.

Application to Parliament

Notice is hereby given that the Indian River Railway Co. will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act extending the time within which it may construct a line of railway which it has been authorized to construct by section 1 of chapter 95 of the Statutes of Canada of 1907, and for other purposes.

L. A. CANNON, K.C.,
139 St. Peter Street,
Quebec, Que.

Solicitor for the Indian River Railway Company.

Nov18x5w

NOTICE.

Take notice that a demand will be made at the forthcoming session of the Provincial Legislature for the incorporation of a company under the name of "La Quebec Compagnie d'Assurance-Vie et d'Accidents," or in the English language: "The Quebec Life and Accident Assurance Company," to obtain the right to carry on in general the business of insurance on life, against accidents and illness.

ROY, LANGLOIS & MORIN,
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Dec.3x1m.

FURNITURE REPAIRED

Buy Truman's Sanitary Vermont Proof Moss Mattress at \$4.50, nothing better. All kinds of Furniture repaired, re-covered and polished. Work collected and delivered free. Truman, 13 Cote d'Abraham.

Phone 3022.

CHINIC HARDWARE CO.

Fabrique Street and
Foot of Mountain Hill

Fire Sets and Fenders
in
Brass and Wrought Iron Finish

FIRE SCREENS
COAL HODS
GAS LOGS

Brass Tea Kettles on Stands
Coffee Machines
Chafing Dishes

KITCHEN UTENSILS

S. J. SHAW & CO.

See our Assortment of

Shin and Coaler

Hockey Pads

Hockey Sticks

Skates

Skis of all Sizes

TOBOGGANS and SLEIGHS

Snow Berlines

Xmas Periodicals

Large selection of Xmas numbers of Canadian, English and American Magazines, beautifully illustrated with large plates of famous

Historic Paintings

Beautiful Colored Prints with each one.
Order now, the earlier the better.

John E. Walsh's
11 John Street.

OUR STOCK

of
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

is now
COMPLETE

We give below a list of articles comprising part of our large assortment of Christmas presents.

DOLLS, all sizes, dressed and undressed, at very low prices, 24c, 25c, 30c, 45c, 48c, 98c, \$1.48, \$1.75, \$1.88 \$2.48.

TOYS, a good assortment of mechanical toys at 24c. and 48c.

ENGLISH PRINTS, best quality at 10c. and 12c. for maids' dresses.

WHITE APRONS, a large assortment for maids for 25c, 35c, 40c, 48c, 65c, 72c, 75c, 85c, 88c, 98c, \$1.10.

PIANO DRAPES, colored embroidered silk, at \$3.00 and \$4.25.

LACE BED SETTS, in the newest designs at \$3.40, \$4.25, \$8.50, \$9.25, \$10.00, \$12.00.

PURSES in a variety of different leathers at 20c, 24c, 35c, 40c, 68c, 78c, 98c, \$1.10 \$1.48.

NEEDLE CASES, fitted with the best quality needles, 18c, 20c, 24c, 30c, 35c, 45c, 48c.

FANCY CUSHIONS in a variety of designs at 55c, 68c, 85c, 98c, \$1.10, \$1.18, \$1.35, \$1.40, \$2.10.

FANCY COLLARS AND JABOTS in all the newest styles at 25c, 30c, 38c, 48c, 58c, 68c, 75c.

LADIES' BELTS in Black Elastic at 38c, 58c, 65c, 98c, \$1.10, \$1.18; in Black Patent Leather at 25c, 30c, 38c, 48c.

KID GLOVES in Tans, Greys and Black, all guaranteed at \$1.10 and \$1.48.

SHOPPING BAGS, a good assortment in the newest shapes.

SIMONS & MINGUY

20 Fabrique Street,
Telephone 338. QUEBEC

SPECIAL VALUES

"Morley's" English Natural Wool Underwear.....\$2.50 per Suit
Morley's Natural Wool Fleece Lined Underwear.....\$4.00 per Suit
Morley's Extra Heavy Black Cashmere Socks, spliced heels and toes.....35c
Extra Heavy Scotch Wool Sweaters, \$1.50, \$2.50 and.....\$4.50

Lloyd, Attre & Smith, Special, Colored Striped, Starched Front Shirt.....\$1.25
English Flannel Neglige Shirt, Soft, Double Cuffs and Collars.....\$2.25
Extra Marin, Heavy English Knitted Vests "The Latest".....\$2.75

J. H. MULLIN,

Ladies' and Gents' Tailor and Haberdasher.

48 Fabrique St.

School Boots

Boys' and Youths' "Goodyear Welts," Misses' & Children's "Goodyear Welts" All the Latest Styles.

Ladies' Satin Slippers in all colors. Evening Slippers and Pumps. Scafes' Leather and Rubber Soles For Winter Wear. Custom Work and Repairing Shop. Tel. 427.

Wm. Jacques & Sons, 42 1/2 FABRIQUE STREET

SEE THE Old Folks AT HOME CHRISTMAS

SAILINGS

Dec. 10	Steamer	From	To
Dec. 10	Victoria	Halifax	Liverpool
Dec. 10	Le. Manitoba	St. John	"
Dec. 11	Canada	Halifax	"
Dec. 11	Kr. Wm. de Grosse	New York	Plymouth
Dec. 14	Royal George	Halifax	Bristol
Dec. 14	Adriatic	New York	Southampton
Dec. 14	Caronia	"	"
Dec. 15	La Lorraine	"	"
Dec. 15	Grampian	St. John	Liverpool
Dec. 17	Emp. of Britain	Halifax	Liverpool
Dec. 17	Manitoba	New York	"
Dec. 17	Arabic	"	"
Dec. 17	Philadelphia	"	Southampton
Dec. 17	Minnehaha	"	London
Dec. 17	Koenigsluise	"	Bremen
Dec. 17	Presdt. Grant	"	Hamburg
Dec. 17	Teutonic	"	Southampton

Sailings, rates, etc., furnished on application.

F. S. STOCKING, 32 ST. LOUIS STREET
Gen'l. A.R. and S.S. Agent.



CITY OF QUEBEC.

CITY HALL,
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.
Quebec, December 24, 1910.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN that, in virtue of the Municipal By-law of the City of Quebec, No. 411, passed by this Council the third of May, 1907, "concerning Finlay Market Square"—

10. "A market place is hereby established, under the name of Finlay Market, on the piece of ground heretofore being the west-southwest portion of the old Finlay Market, and comprising the space outside the ground now reserved for a carter's stand.

20. "The law and By-laws of this Council, concerning markets in this city, shall apply to the said market place.

30. "No vehicles shall be allowed on said market place for the purpose of selling goods or provisions of any kind."

By order,
H. J. B. CHOUINARD,
City Clerk.

C. A. PARADIS

Call at
81 Dalhousie St.
For Special Quotations on Mc-Cann Knox Milling Co's.
Rolled Oats, 60 lbs to the bag.
5 bag lot at \$1.85 per bag
10 bag lot at \$1.82 1/2 per bag
15 bag lot at \$1.80 per bag
20 bag lot at \$1.77 1/2 per bag
35 bag lot at \$1.75 per bag
Also Pat. Barley, Oat Feed, Flour of all kinds, Oats, Barley Feed, etc.
Quotations given on request.
dec.7xim

Before Purchasing

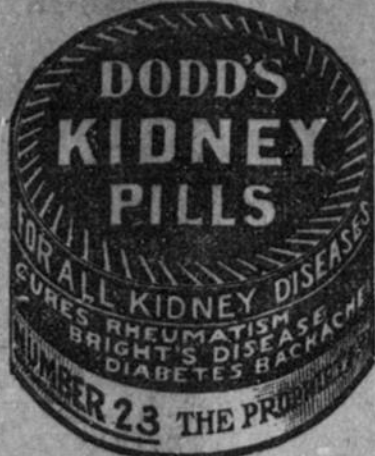
Come and see our assortment of the finest footwear, which is the largest in the city. No outside firm can supply you with the elegant stock we have on hand at lower prices than we offer, moreover we guarantee the quality.

J. GILBERT & CIE
294 St. John St.
nov.4.e.o.d.xtyr.

The National Breweries, Limited.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of "The National Breweries, Limited," will be held at the head office of the Company, Eastern Townships Bank Building, Montreal on Wednesday, December 14th, 1910, at twelve o'clock noon in accordance with the by-laws of the Company.

By order of the Board,
J. D. HUDSON,
Secy.-Treasurer.
Montreal, Nov. 25th, 1910.
dec.2cxtr



SHIPPING NEWS

ALLAN LINE.

R.M.S. Victoria leaves St. John, N.B., for Liverpool with 46 first, 240 second, 900 third class passengers. Among her saloon passengers will be Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dobell and Mr. P. T. Dobell of Quebec.

R.M.S. Empress of Britain, Captain Murray, from Liverpool, with passengers and mails, arrived at Halifax at 6 p.m. yesterday.

C.P.R. LINE.

Steamer Lake Champlain, Lieut. Webster, R.N.R., from Quebec, arrived at Liverpool on the 7th instant.

DOMINION LINE.

Steamer Turcoman, from Quebec for Bristol, passed Kinsale at 9 a.m. on the 7th and arrived home yesterday.

FISHING SCHOONER WRECKED.
Vineyard Haven, Mass., Dec. 8.—The Boston fishing schooner Olive May was thrown ashore on the south side of Martha's Vineyard to-day, and one of her crew, Peter Silva, of New Bedford, was washed overboard and drowned. The other members of the crew were saved by two schooners.

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS.

New York, Dec. 8.—Chartering was slow in both the steam and sail tonnage markets, due to the scarcity of available steamers and the light demand for sail tonnage. Rates were steady and unchanged in all instances. Quotations to Liverpool, London and Antwerp, 15d; Glasgow, 2 1/4d; Rotterdam, 4c; Bremen, 2 1/4d; ppenings; Hamburg, 3 1/4d; ppenings; Hull, 2 1/4d, January; Bristol, 2 1/4d; Cork for orders, 2s 6d; picked ports, large tonnage, 2s 3d; cotton to Liverpool, per 100 lbs, 15c.

Charters.—Dutch steamer, 1,662 tons, lumber, Gulf to Buenos Ayres, 112s 6d, December-January; Norwegian steamer, 846 tons, West India trade, one round trip, private terms, December; Norwegian steamer, 815 tons, same; British steamer, 1,778 tons, coal, Philadelphia to Vera Cruz or Tampico, private terms, prompt; Norwegian steamer, 2,116 tons, coal, Philadelphia to Martinique, private terms, prompt; British schooner, 330 tons, coal, hence to San Domingo, private terms, hence Jacksonville to San Domingo, lumber, private terms; schooner, 1,069 tons, ties, Brunswick or Fernandina to New York, private terms; schooner 632 tons, lumber, Savannah to New York, \$5.25; schooner, 870 tons, coal, Baltimore to Savannah, \$1.25.

WIRELESS REPORT.

Cape Race, N.F., Dec. 8.—Steamer Arabic, from Liverpool to New York, was 1,120 miles east of Sandy Hook at 1 p.m. Dock 130 p.m. Sunday.

NOTES.

Steamer M. C. Holm, Captain Limet, from Chioctini, arrived at Manchester on the 5th instant.

Steamer Waimate, Captain Ryley, from the St. Lawrence, arrived at Melbourne, Australia, on the 5th instant.

HIGH WATER AT QUEBEC.

	A.M.	P.M.
Friday, December 9.....	11.16	11.40
Saturday, December 10.....	12.00	12.25
Sunday, December 11.....	12.57	1.36

MOON PHASES.

First quarter, Friday, 9th, 2.05 p.m.

YOUR TOYS.

Don't go elsewhere but to Faguy, Lepinay & Frere for your toys, as we have 5,000 samples to show you. See the display in our windows.

FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE...

HEBREW HOCKEY LEAGUE IN TORONTO.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Since the organization of the Jewish Athletic Club, there has been talk of other Hebrew clubs forming into athletic clubs, and there is now a chance for a Hebrew Hockey League. A meeting with this end in view has been called in Zion temple. It is the intention to have several speakers present to talk on the Canadian winter sport.

ARE YOU INTERESTED?

If you have need of presents. Useless to enumerate are we certain to have what you want. Visit the basement and cast a glance at our windows.

FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE.

BAHAMAS IDEAL WINTER RESORT

First Cabin \$25 UP.
New twin screw S. S. BRAZOS and four other large steamships in service, connecting Nassau with Havana, Mexico and Galveston, the gateway to California and Pacific Coast points.

WEEKLY SERVICE FROM NEW YORK

Seat of British Colonial Government. Splendid hotels, excellent golfing, tennis, polo, motoring, yachting, fishing, bathing. A paradise of beautiful flowers and vegetation with abundance of fruits. Write for particulars and rates.
N.Y. & OCEAN MAIL S. S. CO. (WIRE LINE)
General Office, Pier 14, East River, New York.
F. S. STOKING, 32 St. Louis St., Quebec.
nov.17-19-21-23-25-28-30 dec.1-3-5-7-9-13-15

Fighters Cannot Quit.

Battling Nelson, who was invincible a couple of years ago, was used as a chopping block by Owen Moran, an English fighter, a couple of days ago. He has been in the has-been class ever since his fight with Volgaast a year or so ago, and everybody knew except himself. He still thinks he will be able to regain the championship, and has all sorts of explanations of his latest defeat. It is a strange thing that a fighter seldom realizes when he is down and out. John L. Sullivan is about the only celebrated pugilist who had sense enough to quit the ring when he found that he no longer had any business in it. He never fought again after being defeated by Corbett. Fitzsimmons, Peter Jackson, Sharkey, Corbett, Nelson, and the rest of them persisted in fighting when they should have been taking in washing, and not one ever was able to make good. Even the conspicuous example of Jeffries doesn't discourage the has-beens from making exhibitions of themselves. —Emporia, Kas., Gazette.

HOTELS AND RESORTS

Hotel Blanchard

Jos. Cloutier Prop.
American and European Plans.
Near the Terminus of Railways and Navigation Companies.

Notre Dame Square Quebec

PHILLIPS HOUSE

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.
Mass. Ave. and Beach. Rooms single or en suite, with private bath; electric lights; steam heat, elevator to street level. Booklets.
F. P. PHILLIPS.
Dec.3,10,thurs,satx26.

NEPTUNE INN

J. T. LEVALLEE, Prop.
115 Mountain Hill
American and European Plan
Cafe Attached to Hotel
Close to Boats, Elevator, Cars and Trains
Phone 1703. QUEBEC
June23xly

MARTHA WASHINGTON New York's

Exclusive Woman's Hotel.
20 East 29th St., Near 5th Ave.
European Plan. 450 Rooms with Telephone Bath free on each floor. Fireproof.
Restaurant and Tea Room for men and women.
Rates, \$1.00 and Up.
Convenient to Subway and across town car lines.
Centre of Theatre and Shopping District.
A. W. EAGER

ST. LAWRENCE HALL

Montreal
150 ROOMS
Rates for Rooms \$1.00 per day
First Class Grill Room and Cafe.

A. J. HIGGINS, Proprietor

Hotel Flanders

133-137 West 47th St., N. Y. City.
200 feet east of Broadway.
A modern fireproof hotel, in the heart of the theatre, club and hotel district; convenient to all car lines. An exceptional location. Rooms with private bath \$2.00 per day. From Grand Central Station: Broadway cars with transfer. From Pennsylvania Station: 7th Avenue cars without transfer. Booklet on request.
H. R. SHARES, Prop.
oct.18xtu-th-sat to 20 june.

ST. ANTOINE CAFE

L. DEROME, Prop.
Most up-to-date Lunch Room in the City.
OYSTERS A SPECIALTY
Also Wines and Liquors
10 St. Antoine St., Lower Town
oct.1xtu-th-sat,x2m.

AUDITORIUM CAFE

142 St. John Street
Board by the week, \$3.50.
Oysters, 35c and 50c per doz.
Meals, 35c; 6 tickets for \$1.50.
Broiled steak, 35c.
Euchre party, lunches included, 25c each.
Banquets, for \$1 per head up.
Open till 1 A.M.
P. W. DUCAL, Proprietor

Christmas Furnishings

I am thoroughly well organized for exceptional Christmas business, with goods enough, help enough and determination enough to ensure best satisfaction in Men's Furnishings.

Smoking Jackets, Silk Hosiery, Bath Robes, Sweaters, Fancy Vests, Slik Mufflers, Kilt Gloves, House Gowns, Suspender, Wool Gloves,

Sweater Coats, Fancy Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Pyjamas, Fur Gloves.

T. LAFRANCE,

TAILOR AND HABERDASHER,
11 Buade Street.

A Leading New York Hotel

The Gregorian

35th Street
Between 5th Avenue and Broadway
New Modern 11 Story Fireproof Hotel just away from the noise yet surrounded by all leading shops and principal theatres, Pennsylvania and New York Central R. R. Stations.
Here you will find the height of comfort, elegance and efficient service appreciated by the most exacting.
300 large light rooms, each with bath, at \$2.00 to \$5.00 per day—Suite \$1.00 up per day.
Restaurants, a la Carte—Club Breakfast Table d'Hôte Luncheon, 60 cents
DANIEL P. RITCHEY
Aug 2xly

GRAND UNION HOTEL

Opp. GRAND CENTRAL STATION NEW YORK CITY
Rooms \$1.00 a day and upward
Luggage to and from Station Free
Send for Stamp for N. Y. City Guide Book and Map

Glover's Dye Works

Have your Portieres, Piano Covers, Furniture Covers and Table Cover cleaned, and if not the color to match your room send them to us and send a sample the shade you want, and we will make them the same no matter what color they are now and they will look like new for Christmas.

GLOVER'S DYE WORKS
393-395 St. Valier St. Phone 1813

WANTED.

WANTED TO SELL.—One full set of books—"The Library of Universal History," written by Israel Smith Clark, complete in fifteen massive volumes 10x7 1/2 in., containing over 5,000 pages of solid reading matter, together with 700 full page illustrations, many of them in color. Write for particulars and prices. Address C. N. Begin, 17 St. Henri St., Levis, Que.

YOUNG MAN WANTS ROOM and board in an English speaking private family, in St. Roch's preferred. Apply J. A. Chronicle.

WANTED.—A stenographer for a manufacturer's office; must be a good writer and quick at figures. Apply M., Chronicle office.

JANITOR.—Wanted steady married couple for club, to live on premises. Must be well recommended, and wife a good cook. Write giving full particulars and wages required. Secretary Thetford Mines Club, Thetford Mines.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

LADIES DESIRING A DRESS-maker at home would find a reliable one in addressing to Miss R. Marois, 38 St. Louis street. Phone 1356.

MALE HELP WANTED.

LEARN THE BARBER TRADE right. The Moler Barber College is the original college; founded in 1893; graduates are now successful barbers all over the world. You get expert instruction, constant practice. Write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, 119 Craig West, Montreal.

FOR SALE.

SAFES.—ONE OF OUR \$25.00 safes in your home will protect your valuables. We carry Dominion Safe & Vault Co.'s Safes, in all sizes and types. The Canadian Fairbanks Company, Limited, Montreal.

FOR SALE.—A parrot, 36 inches in height; good talker in French and English; beautiful color; only one of its kind in Quebec. Apply 108 Dorchester street.

FOR SALE.—House on Grande Allee, containing Daisy furnace, electric light, bath, extension kitchen, cemented cellar, large yard and stables. For further particulars address S.C., care Chronicle.

FOR SALE.—A sleigh (cutter) and family sleigh, almost new. Apply 205 Richelieu street.

HOUSE FOR SALE OR TO LET
—A large house, situated near St. John's Church; all modern improvements; a two-story brick hanged, besides a yard and entrance in St. Gabriel street. Parties wishing to see the premises should apply to Mr. G. A. Paradis, notary, 402 St. John street, or to Mr. L. D. Morin, Advocate, 111 Mountain Hill, Quebec.

TO LET.

TO RENT.—The second story of the store occupied by Mr. L. Borne, 487 St. Valier street, 40 feet front by 50 feet in depth, with hard wood floor, situated in the centre of manufacturers and near the St. Sauveur and St. Roch's merchants. Heated by hot water. Apply to Jobin & Rochette, 35 Colombe St., Quebec.
wed,fr,sat.

ROOM TO LET.—Comfortably furnished room, well heated, with privileges; located uptown, within three minutes' walk of post office; to let refined gentleman; English-speaking family. Address MODERATE, care of Chronicle.

TO LET.—Factory building situated at 32 Fraser street, Levis, three and a half stories. Rental very cheap. Apply Royal Trust Co., Quebec.

TO LET.—SINGLE AND double furnished rooms, with use of bath and telephone. Hot and cold water. Electric light. Apply No. 41 Richelieu St., or telephone 2970.
t.

TO RENT.—A HANDSOME modern house, 12 rooms, concrete cellar, in a most desirable locality; almost on the corner of St. Cyrille street and Maple avenue; moderate terms. Apply to Jno. E. Walsh, bookseller, 11 St. John street.
t.

TO LET OR FOR SALE.—No. 13 Dolbeau street, near St. Foye tollgate; semi-detached; eight rooms; furnace. Apply to E. D. Sewell, Ville Montcalm.
t.

TO RENT.—Furnish House, containing ten rooms. All modern conveniences. Centrally located. Within eight minutes of Parliament building. Apply C. W., this office.

TO LET.—Several fine houses of different styles, from two to eighteen rooms, with modern conveniences. Also offices and stores, heated, furnished or unfurnished; situated on Maple avenue, Stigmatis, Oliver, Joseph, St. Helene, St. Margaret, Grant, Richardson, Bridge and Crown Sts., etc., etc. For further information apply to J. F. Bourbonnais, agent, 111 Joseph street. Phone 3231.

MALE HELP WANTED.

MEN WANTED.—Age 18 to 35, for fifteen \$100 monthly, and brakemen \$80 on railroads in Quebec vicinity. Experience unnecessary; no strike. Positions guaranteed competent men. Promotion. Railroad Employing Headquarters—over 500 men sent to positions monthly. State age; send stamp. Railway Association, Dept. 377, 227 Monroe street, Brooklyn, N.Y.
law,sat,x4.

J. Arthur LaRue,

ACCOUNTANT

Auditing, Drafting, Balance Sheets Reports and Statements, Appraiser in Cases of Disputed Accounts, Trustee and Administrator of Estates and Properties, Arbitrator between Debtors and Creditors, Liquidator of Insolvent Estates
Phone No. 3497.
93 St. Peter Street
aug.1.e.o.d.xly

The Best Evidence

of the popularity and excellent quality of

OUR BEEF

is the constant increasing demand which has recently exceeded our best expectations. There can be no true appreciation of what special value is now offered in

GOOD BEEF at

BOWLES BROS

Successors to Daily Bros
Montcalm Market St. 33
PHONE 3833
nov.11xtuon,wed,fr,x2m

OCEAN ACCIDENT & GUARANTEE CORPORATION, LIMITED

(of London, England)

ASSETS OVER \$10,000,000.00

Place your EMPLOYERS LIABILITY INSURANCE in a strong Company with funds that will enable them to make good all demands by Employees for annuities, weekly wages, or other compensation provided for under the "TASCHEREAU ACT."

ALEX. LAURIE, Sp'cl Agent,
98 St. Peter St.
Phone 1397.

W. J. FRASER, General Agent,
Hochelaga Bank Building,
PHONES: Office 3659, Residence 79

When purchasing a
PLAYER PIANO
why not get the best? The
STEINWAY
PIANOLA PIANO
with Metronome and Thermo-
stat attachment in the same
of perfection.

ARTHUR LAVIGNE
93-95 St. John Street
Quebec

Have We Had An Opportunity

to show you what quality of work we turn out.
We feel confident that we can please you.
What about your FAT WORK, SHIRTS, COLLARS, etc.
Dyeing and Cleaning in all its branches carefully attended to.

We aim to please.

THE IMPERIAL LAUNDRY
Cor. Valier and Bath Sts
Phone 95



City Treasurer's Office,
Quebec, 17th November, 1910.

PAY YOUR TAXES

NOTICE is hereby given that unless the taxes for the current year are paid without delay, the accounts will be handed over to the Recorder's Court for collection.

By order,
C. J. L. LAFRANCE,
City Treasurer.

SANTAL-MIDY
Standard remedy for Gleet, Gonorrhoea and Runnings IN 48 HOURS. Cures Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

BOSSE & BANKS

Steel Beams, Columns, Plates, Gas and Water Pipes, Contractors', Municipal and Builders' Supplies, Machinery and Specialties.

BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING,
39 St. Paul St., QUEBEC

J. F. GUAY

CIVIL ENGINEER
Morin Building, Quebec
Railroads, Water Works, Water Power Developments, Arbitrations, Expert Opinion in Law Cases Reports.
aug2xly

TRUE LOVERS OF LONDON FIND ANCIENT CITY NOW AT ITS BEST

IS ALMOST SHOT BY AN ELEPHANT

Mr. John Boyes, "King of the Kukuris," Tells of Marvellous Incident.

MAKES HUNTING RECORD

Only Living White Man Who Has Killed Two Pachyderms with Consecutive Bullets.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday. COULD Mr. John Boyes, who has returned for a brief visit in his native city of Hull, be persuaded to adapt his eyes to the glare of the limelight and to consent to publish his African experiences, there are those who would wager long odds that he would make Mr. Theodore Roosevelt's "big game memoirs" look like a miniature side-show to the real thing. Mr. Boyes, who looks like the first syllable of his name so far as age is concerned, has won the title of "The White King of the Kukuris." He is held to be the only living white man who has shot a brace of elephants with the consecutive cartridges of a double-barrelled gun. He it was who directed the "mighty hunter," Colonel Roosevelt, to where the almost extinct white rhinoceros can yet be found, and he has established a record within the last eighteen months of shooting approximately 250 elephants.

Mr. Boyes' experiences began when he ran away from home, at the age of thirteen years, and went to sea. He struck Africa in 1896. He endured great privations in the Matabele campaign, and after that he was the first white man to fall under the optics of several native tribes. While thus "seeing the sights" the Hull wanderer fell in with a warlike tribe known as the Kukuris.

"Oh, I should think there are about a half million of those folks altogether," explained the big game hunter and explorer when he consented to talk about himself. "They were particularly devoted to the war game, and they lived among the wild mountain passes of British East Africa. They thought I was a great warrior, and they were so hospitable, as a result, that they not only took me in, but made me king over them. For three years I wore the title and commanded more than five thousand warriors, but owing to difficulties with the British government I resigned my regal position and returned to England in 1902."

But he was back in Africa the same year, where he joined with Mr. W. N. Macmillan, of White Nile exploration fame, and others in a big game hunting expedition. Later he made a journey through Abyssinia, traversing country in which only one white man, Lord Deramore, had been previously. In 1907 he was captured by members of the savage Danakil tribe, King Menelik finally squaring matters for him. It was at a small place bearing the name of Kobo that Mr. Boyes met Colonel Roosevelt.

"Was the Colonel as keen on meeting game as reports had it?" was asked. "Oh, sure," returned Mr. Boyes. "He then was looking for what is known as the white rhinoceros and asked me if I knew where the animal could be found. As it happened, I knew the only place where white rhinos can be found, for they are almost extinct. I believe the Colonel shot eight of them."

"What was your own narrowest escape from death in the jungle?" "Well, once I was charged and knocked down by a bull elephant, which ran right over me. By the help of Providence, however, the animal's feet did not touch me, or it would have been all over. But that wasn't as bad as the time I came very nearly being shot by an elephant."

"Shot by an elephant? That's a new proposition, certainly," put in the interviewer.

"It was a peculiar adventure," admitted the big game hunter. "Early one morning one of my natives brought news to the camp that three big bull elephants were close by our pitch. I hastened, together with two of my rifle leading natives, and was successful in getting close to the monsters. The tall grass in that section prevented man's speedy passage through it, and thus made elephant hunting dangerous. I shot one of the beasts, but the other two were only wounded, and they promptly charged us before I had a time to reload. My rifle bearer was just in the act of handing me a loaded gun when one of the beasts reached us. It picked the gun out of the hands of the native with its trunk, and, lifting it on high, brought down the weapon to the ground with a smash. The gun was discharged by the impact and the bullet sung past my ear, while the poor rifle bearer was gored to death."

"Needless to say, Mr. Boyes, like certain other big game hunters, has opportunities offered to drag him into the limelight, but it is back to Africa for him."

FOUND DEAD ON RANGE.

LONDON.—Another mountain tragedy has occurred on Snowdon, the victims being two Londoners, father and son. A shepherd, drawn to the spot by the barking of his sheepdog, on Saturday, discovered them on a grassy slope on the Slatod side of the Snowdon range. There were no marks of violence or even of a fall on the bodies. The name of the victim is stated by the police to be Harding, of No. 23 Bromley road, Cardiff.

It is supposed, the Daily Mirror says, that they perished in an awful gale that swept over the district on Friday. The unfortunate men, it seems, had wandered on the bleak Slatod part of the Snowdon range and lost their way in the gale. Tired by their wanderings, they seem to have lain down on the grassy slope where their bodies were found and have died from exhaustion and exposure.

Many American Additions to Ranks of London Hostesses

Lady Acheson, Lady Maidstone and Mrs. Montague Eliot Among the Number.

ALL ARE VERY POPULAR

Receptivity of Mind of the Women from This Country Impresses British Society.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

SPREADING the other day to a prominent American railway magnate anent the ever increasing popularity of the European three weeks "cure" and subsequent "after cure," when, according to all one hears, there are innumerable springs and health resorts of equal curative power in the United States which are absolutely unexploited, although known to many Americans, the cause was fully explained. "By coming over here," said he, "we leave for a time all the surroundings which might tend to lure us away from the strenuousness of the treatment, which we find recuperates and invigorates all our tissues for a fresh year of work, while at the same time we are surrounded by such a vast number of attractions in the way of sightseeing that we feel we are doing our bodies good at the same time that we are improving our minds."

"Why," he continued, "a three weeks' cure at one of the springs in Yellowstone Park would be unendurable for an American, unless he were real ill, because there is nothing outside of it to interest him like there is over here."

This is, of course, the mere man's point of view, but to a certain extent it is likewise that of the American woman, who possesses a mind which is nothing if not receptive, and it is this very receptivity which makes her such a popular and charming hostess, when she takes up with life in Great Britain; for to her quickly acquired sense of the fitness of things English she unites the sprightliness and vivacity of the daughter of the New World.

NEW AMERICAN HOSTESSES.

Every year sees fresh recruits to the list of American hostesses in England, either for the London or autumn season, not forgetting the many whose names are familiar over here as in their own native land. Many of these will not be returning to America for the autumn season, and they include Mr. and Mrs. Townsend Burden, with their two daughters, who spent three weeks at Carlsbad before going on to Munich; Mrs. Richard Townsend, another habitué of that health resort, who with Mrs. Moore was a frequent luncheon hostess; Mr. and Mrs. Hoppenheimer and their very pretty daughter, Miss Gladys Hoppenheimer, who with the latter's aunt Mrs. Miller, were regarded as the two belles of Carlsbad during their stay.

Mrs. Leeds, who is now recognized as one of the regular annual visitors to London for the season, has been doing a good deal of entertaining, both at Deauville and Aix les Bains, where, too, Lady Paget has been stopping. The latter, in fact, is once more resuming the habits of years before great accident, and is getting about as great deal more; while her twin sons, Arthur and Reggie, have been on a visit to their sister and brother-in-law, Sir Ralph and Lady Paget, in Munich. Mrs. Leeds returns to New York very soon but only, it is said, in order to make arrangements for returning to more permanent quarters in Europe.

A new young hostess of next season will be Mrs. Gilbert Elliott (Miss Rita Barbey), daughter of the Mr. Henry Barbey, of New York, whose marriage with Mr. Elliott, son of the late Mr. Frederick and Lady Charlotte Elliott, has just taken place in Switzerland. Among the other new Anglo-American hostesses of next year will be Lady Acheson, Lady Maidstone, Mrs. Montague Eliot (née Post) and Miss Clara Frewen, who is soon to be married to Mr. Sheridan, of Frampton Court.

To the regret of many friends in England the new year will see the departure of Captain Sidney Cloman, Military Attaché to the United States Embassy in London, and Mrs. Cloman, as Captain Cloman has been recalled to his regiment in Texas. During their four years' residence over here they have made themselves very popular, and at their Wednesday afternoons at No. 15 Great Stanhope street during the season one was always sure of meeting all one's American friends.

Meanwhile Captain and Mrs. Cloman are going up to Appleby, Lord and Lady Hothfield's Westmoreland home, where they entertain for shooting at this time of the year, and later they will proceed to Scotland for a shooting visit.

LONDON AT ITS BEST.

Although to the seeker after excitement London would seem just now to be dull, the true London lover finds it at its best and pleasantest. Nor need one feel out of touch with the goings on of the social world, for always there are friends and acquaintances passing through who are glad to find "some one they know" in town, whom they can look up. Mr. and Mrs. Macgrane Cox, who have been on the Continent for the past two months, are stopping at the Carlton for a week before returning to New York.

The northern gatherings are a centre of gaiety to the Americans in Scotland, and Mr. Bradley Martin is one of the chief hostesses for the Inverness meeting. She always takes her house party over on a bioc and occupies the greater part of one of the large hotels in town. Balmacan is a charming place to stay at, and Mrs. Martin, though she takes no active part in the day's sport, makes all arrangements in an admirable manner.

Another American hostess at this time of the year in the North is Mrs. Millington Drake who lives chiefly in Paris, at her beautiful home in the Bois de Bou-



MRS. MONTAGUE ELIOT.

VISCOUNTESS ACHESON.

VISCOUNTESS MAIDSTONE.

MONKEY BURIED IN PARK AT CARDIFF

Jenny Was Great Favorite and Lord Mayor Gives Permission for Public Interment.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

THE lying in state of a monkey and its burial in the Victoria Park have diverted public attention in Cardiff for a while from its fight with Carnarvon the honor of holding the investiture ceremony of the Prince of Wales. Jenny was a pet monkey belonging to Mr. Karling, of York street, in Canton, Cardiff. Everybody in the Canton division of Cardiff, at any rate, knew Jenny, who, for her gentleness and intelligence, was a very great favorite. Jenny fell ill, and despite the best of medical treatment succumbed to pneumonia. Mrs. Karling was in the deepest distress, and everybody in the street went into mourning. From the death till the funeral day every window blind in the street was drawn as a mark of respect for poor Jenny, who lay in state in a front room.

A correspondent describing the scene says that when he called at the house he found policemen regulating the crowd waiting for admission to pay their respects to Jenny, and he had to wait his turn among about three hundred people till he could be admitted. "On a couch lay the coffin, made by one of the city's chief mourning establishments, and in it lay Jenny, wrapped in a spotless white shroud, while on her body was laid the loveliest of little wreaths."

Mrs. Karling made application to the Lord Mayor of Cardiff for permission to bury her pet in the Victoria Park, for, she said, people like herself, who loved their pets, should be allowed to bury their pets in public parks. The Lord Mayor offered no objection, and in the park the little monkey now lies buried.

INVESTIGATING BETS, HE COMES TO GRIEF

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

Another martyr to science has been duly recorded. The Rev. Edward Palliser Carew-Brown, of Tregmouthe, has fallen a victim to his passion for sociology. Desirous, as he explained, of writing a pamphlet to convince the public that "it was almost, if not quite, impossible to win money by the systematic backing of horses," he became a customer of a local betting house. When the police visited the place unexpectedly they found a slip of paper in the waste basket which showed an adverse balance of ninepence in the minister's account upon a total investment of £1 15s. 6d.

The investigator, having apparently thus proved his hypothesis, was made the subject of the summons issued by the police, and the magistrate who officiated at the function which followed imposed upon him a fine of £5. This climax, it is held, should drive home with effectiveness the Rev. Carew-Brown's demonstration of the unprofitableness of betting, more especially as he has felt obliged to surrender his clerical employment in consequence of the publicity thrust upon his investigations. It is suggested that if such devotees of science will persist in such investigations it might be well to petition Parliament to authorize the issuance of special licenses.

8,000 Ton Motor Driven Liner to Use Oil Fuel

Hamburg-American Company Constructing a Vessel Embodying All the Latest Developments of New Engines with Silent Exhaust and Odorless Fumes.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

IN the face of all the rumors and counter rumors as to what the Admiralty intended to do in the production of motor driven war ships, information as to what the Hamburg-American line actually is doing in the real construction of the 8,000 ton motor driven liner that is being built for it by the Hamburg firm of Blohm & Voß has attracted wide attention. This vessel's comparative tonnage may be judged by the fact that it is to be slightly larger than that of a P. and O. vessel of the Egypt class.

According to statements issued, the German line was firmly convinced that the marine motor now has reached a point of development at which it can be increasingly used for large vessels. Whether that belief at this stage extends to the utilization of present motor possibilities to the propulsion of large liners or ships of war is not discussed by the company's experts. With oil engines, naturally, the boilers become superfluous. The physical process of the transposition of the energy contained

in the fuel into power is accomplished in the cylinders. A new device will render the exhaust almost silent and the fumes of the gases will be invisible and odorless. The two three-cylinder engines, which will give the ship a speed of twelve and a half knots, are the joint product of the Maschinenfabrik Augsburg-Nürnberg and of Blohm & Voß. It is understood, too, that the German line has entered into a long term contract with the Standard Oil Company for the delivery of its oil fuel. The residue in the process of the refinement of the oil only will be used as oil fuel. The rate of heating with such oil, so tests have demonstrated, is one and a half times greater than that of coal. The loading of the liquid fuel, which will be done by pumps, is quicker and cheaper than coaling. Only twenty-seven persons will be needed for the oil engines, while in steam vessels of similar size about two hundred and fifty stokers and coal drawers would be employed. Moreover, the motor liner, by space conservation thus obtained, can carry two thousand tons more cargo than her steam rival of similar dimensions.

Chinese of Canton Tell of Cruelties

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.)

HONG KONG, August 6, 1910.

THE routing out of the Colowan horde of pirates is one of the most important episodes in the history of South China. For sixty years at least, how much further back it is impossible to say, these pirates terrorized the whole of the Canton delta.

Leung-i-Wah, now a fugitive, was chief of the band for thirty-five years. His second in command, also named Leung, is now confined in the military prison at Macao. Leung-i-Wah's father and his grandfather, long since dead, were pirate chiefs in their day. The fact of Colowan being a territory in dispute between China and Portugal made the island all the easier a base of operations for the pirates. Although within four miles of Macao, the oldest foreign colony in China, a stone's throw from China proper, and less than four hours from the British colony of Hong Kong, the pirates of Colowan have been able to hatch and execute their designs without fear of interruption.

So great has been the dread of the pirates among the ignorant people of the delta that they have been able to carry on their trade of murder, pillage and blackmail at their own sweet will, the people being under constant threat of torture or death if they dared to oppose them or inform the authorities. It is scarcely conceivable that such a lawless horde should have been allowed to exist for so many years, but they seem to have taken the fullest advantage of the intricate political situation, for neither Macao nor China appears to have been willing to assume the initiative in their extermination.

Since 1882 Colowan has been ostensibly under the jurisdiction of the Portuguese government, but the sole claim to occupation seems to have been the maintenance of a small guard and collection of a trifling revenue from the quarrying of stone. The pirates took good care in all their operations to avoid conflict with the Portuguese. They were Chinese themselves, their particular prey were also Chinese, and Portuguese occupation of the island seems to have prevented the Chinese government from taking any step against them.

Emboldened by the energy and success of the measures taken to suppress the pirates, the people of the delta are now telling almost incredible stories of atrocities committed in recent years. Five hundred dollars was demanded of a poor woman as ransom for her kidnapped son. After canvassing all her friends she could raise no more than \$300. This money was taken by the pirates and the mother was told that she would see her boy for the last time. The lad was brought out and tied to a stake, kerosene was poured over him and he was burned to death before the eyes of his mother. In another case a poor woman was unable to raise the hundred dollars required for the release of her son. The child was cut into pieces and cooked, and the remains were sent to her in a box.

Another unfortunate lad was thrust into a pig basket, weighted down with stones and flung into a river. These are only specimens of hundreds of atrocious deeds committed by the Colowan pirates. A Hankow tea merchant, who was good for the \$30,000 ransom demanded for him, was, on the other hand, luxuriously treated until the money was forthcoming, but before leaving he was made to swear that he would never disclose anything he had seen or heard during the eight weeks of his captivity.



MISS CLARA FREWEN.

Excellent Sport Is Seen on the Moors, Despite Bad Weather.

RECORD BAG OF GROUSE

Mr. Clarence Mackay, but are soon to return to America. The men of the party have been having excellent sport on the moors notwithstanding the wind and rain which has been general all over the north country. One day ten guns accounted for 80½ brace of grouse, which is a record for that moor.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Pelton are at Castle Forbes, the property of Lord Forbes, in Aberdeenshire, which they have rented for the autumn season.

Lady Dufferin is not going to Scotland at present, as she has a large number of visits promised to friends in England, and so the tale of American visits in Great Britain goes on and never one complaint of dulness and ennui is to be heard.

STAMP COLLECTING AGAIN IN VOGUE

Public Learns It is Hobby of King George and Court Circles Become Interested.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

STAMP collecting rapidly is coming into vogue again. And all because the public has ascertained that it for years has been one of King George's hobbies. "Why, more than a dozen persons connected with the Court already have decided to start collections and have come to us as clients," said the head of a prominent West End firm of philatelists. "Others who formerly collected have taken up the task again with renewed zeal and are bothering their friends half to death for stamps. Then, too, the infection has spread to all classes, though the effort to attain the most extensive and valuable collection fairly promises to become a contest as popular in society as was the solving of jig-saw puzzles for a time."

"Numbers of lawyers and men in the financial district have caught the idea, as we have by our books. All these collectors are keenly waiting the impending new issue of postage stamps, hoping that certain initial stamps may suffer some irregularities which will give them great value. As the Earl of Crawford remarked recently, stamp collecting as a boy's hobby is dead, but stamp collecting as a science is just beginning. And, of course, His Majesty has done a very great deal toward advancing stamp collecting to recognition as a scientific study. The boyish interest in stamps centres chiefly in having a large number of fairly uncommon and obviously different specimens and a better collection than the other boys. There it stops."

"But the new scientific interest, which is slowly but surely attaining its hold, lies much more in possessing stamps with only the veriest shade of difference in them and in collecting entire sets. For instance, almost all stamps really worth collecting have been printed from a wooden 'sheet'—a sheet being a piece of wood upon which the engraver has carved out a compact square of twelve or more impressions. Though the engraver would aim at perfect similarity, each of those twelve impressions would produce stamps with, to the trained eye, quite distinct markings upon them. So the intelligent collector sets to work to procure a specimen of all the twelve impressions, and so on. You can see, therefore, that it affords some interest."

OLD GARBS OFFERED AT BARGAIN RATES

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

SHOULD any one, dislodged with the prospect of step back in the medieval ages or beyond, he can do so here at small outlay. At least he can obtain the outer garb for a few paltry shillings, and the axiom has it that "it is the clothes that make the man." This opportunity is available by reason of the fact that the costumes and uniforms used in the army pageant during the summer have been laid on the bargain counter for any one to catch up who has the price and the inclination.

The complete outfit of an ancient Briton, even including the real skin robes of those dipping days of the past, may be had for six shillings.

HUMOR OF BRITISH ARMY MANOEUVRES

Doctors Rehearse in War Game and Treat Imaginary Casualties of Battle.

VICTIMS ARE LABELLED

Then Treated to Stretcher and Ambulance Service Before Reaching Hands of Surgeons.

(Special Dispatch.)

LONDON, Saturday.

ASIDE from the rain if there is anything that England is being surfeited with it is "army manoeuvres." Army manoeuvres have been waged over half the northern counties, involving regulars and the volunteer forces alike, and the conflict will continue through September. This is why the Queen's Own Rifles, of Canada, will have a thorough knowledge of the tenacity of real British mud before they finally break camp at Aldershot, where they were first brigaded on their arrival, to take the boat for home.

Of all the varied manoeuvres, however, the most discussion has followed in the wake of the three days' movements on Salisbury Plain, where the doctors and members of the Royal Army Medical Corps were especially rehearsed in their specific branch of the war game. The imaginary casualties accruing from shot were dealt with just as they would be in actual conflict. Medical units pitched their field hospitals on the lines of march, and the afore-said casualties were supposed to range from grazes and flesh wounds by shell splinters to fractures by bullets, the exact nature of each supposed injury being marked on the casualty label issued by the umpires.

UNHURT, BUT DISSATISFIED.

The surgeons promptly bandaged and splined each case in the field, according to the label's diagnosis, and then the peripatetic ambulance bearers had the pleasing duty of conveying the healthy passengers miles, in some cases, to the central hospitals. Small wonder it is that stories continue afloat. "Say, driver!" yelled one "victim," who was being borne in an ambulance that bumped him about like a cork in a mill race, "don't you know I've broke my leg? Can't you put some grease to the springs to ease the jolting?" "Shut up!" roared the driver. "I reckon you've got a mighty soft job being a 'casualty.' You ought to be handling horses over these roads and then you'd know what work means!"

A soldier marching along was suddenly pounced on, given a ticket stating his injuries and told to fall out while the army surgeons dressed the wounds. Then six men of the Field Ambulance Corps were assigned to a stretcher to carry him four miles over a rocky road to the field hospital.

"Lovely country, isn't it?" commented the comfortable stretcher passenger as he smoked a cigarette complacently while the bearers swore and perspired up and down the hills. "Most pleasant for walking!"

"Just for that," roared the disgruntled bearers, when they thought there were little chances of being detected, "you can get out and walk a spell, and the 'casualty' was forthwith dumped out in the roadway."

DIDN'T MIND "SHELL."

"I was 'shattered in the right leg by a shell splinter," complained the victim, when the hospital was reached, he having been restored to the stretcher for the last half mile, "but please have the surgeons look after the corns on my feet, and they will be nearer to the real base of injury."

At one hospital six dusty, foot sore "Tommies" struggled up with a "casualty," whose label read, "Abdomen, rifle bullet through stomach; patient not sick, but very thirsty." The injured man, grinning broadly, was taken to the operating tent, where the "bullet" was extracted. Five minutes later the surgeon who had handled the instruments came out, looking grave.

"How is the patient?" asked an officer. "Dead—died of hemorrhage; didn't have a chance," returned the surgeon. Then the "dead man" was carried to an adjacent tent, where he made such a jolly meal of beef and potatoes as would have done credit to a farmer who had just followed a plough over the "west eighty." It was high speed surgery with a vengeance, but British army men insist that it was worth while and recommended the same to "young American army folks."

RIVER CROSSING CONTEST.

The other day there was a river crossing contest at the Hythe military canal. Various devices were utilized by the troops involved to make a fording. One regiment netted bundles of bedding straw, wrapped in the waterproof sheets used for bivouacking. About a dozen of these bundles were lashed to poles in rows of three, giving floating and carrying capacity to bear four men. Then a soldier swam with a rope to the other side, and this improvised raft was worked back and forth as a miniature ferry to carry men over.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry brought numbers of table tops and poles from their barrack rooms. The table tops were lashed to the poles and a most effective bridge was quickly made and thrown across the canal. The Oxford put the other contesting regiments down and out, for when this impromptu equipment was set in order they were enabled to send a continuous stream of troops across.

LA CAISSE D'ECONOMIE DE NOTRE-DAME DE QUEBEC SAVINGS BANK

Upper Town (Head Office)..... 51 St. John Street
St. Roch..... 12 St. Joseph Street
St. Simeon..... 301 St. Valer Street
St. John's Church..... 50 St. John and St. Denis Streets
Lower Town..... 50 St. Peter Street and Mountain Hill
Limoilou..... 50 St. Peter Street and Mountain Hill
Limoilou..... 50 St. Peter Street and Mountain Hill

The branches of St. Roch, St. Simeon, St. John Suburbs, Limoilou and Limouilou, are open every Saturday and Monday evening, from 7.00 to 8.30 o'clock.

INTEREST PAID FROM DATE OF DEPOSIT AND ON DAILY BALANCE.

New Advertisements

Beautiful Goods For Christmas—Jno. Darlington.
Week Ends Out of Town.—Jules Hone, Jr.
Glover's Dye Works.
Sale of Sample Blouses—T. Donohue.
Has No Rival—Dewar's Whisky.
Useful Gifts—Perrin Gloves.
Postum.
Go Home for Christmas.—Jules Hone or F. S. Stocking.
An Exposure—Frontenac Laundry.
Fraser's Special Bargains—Fraser, Viger & Co., Ltd.
Dolls, Toys and Games—F. Simard & Co.
Vegetables in Tins and Bottles—A. Grenier.
Great Sale at the Central Store—J. P. Pare.
Legal Notice—Vezina & Ferron.
Q. S. P. C. A.—A. Robertson.
The Only Place in Town to Dine.—St. Louis Hotel.

Auditorium

THIS WEEK
THE ENGELFORDS,
Equilibrists.
PHIL BENNETT,
Italian Street Singer.
FRANKS & SCHUMAN,
Singers and Dancers.
PICTURES
(4) SHOWS DAILY (4)
1.30 - 3.00 - 7.30 - 9.00 P.M.
5 and 10c
COMING—Italian Grand Opera Co.

Theatre NATIONAL
Tel. 375 **THIS WEEK**
"L'ARLESIENNE"
The celebrated play by Alphonse Daudet
with music by Bizet
Orchestra of 15. Choir of 25
The greatest production of the kind
ever presented in this city.
Prices: Boxes 63 & 75. Reserved Seats 33,
35 & 25. Admission 15 & 7.50.
Matinee: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday,
2.30, 2.55 & 1.25.

NICKEL NANN ST.

THE CROWN MUSICAL DUO
Entertaining—Musical Numbers.
They laugh and you scream. You can't
help it.
Entire change of Four Reels of the
best Moving Pictures.
SATURDAY AMATEUR NIGHT
Continuous performance—7.30 and
7.15. Mat. 5c. to all. Evening 5c. and
10c.
ALWAYS A GOOD SHOW.

QUEBEC CURLING CLUB

Think now open for season.
"Beef and Greens" will be served in
the rink on Saturday at 1.15 p.m.
Rev. Wylie C. Clark, Chaplain, will be
guest of Club.
Large attendance requested.
GEO. BRODIE,
Hon. Secretary.
Dec 8x3

**GO HOME
FOR
CHRISTMAS**
ON ONE OF THE FAST
Atlantic Royals
Less Than Four Days at Sea.
Sailings From Halifax:
ROYAL GEORGE.....Dec. 14
F. S. STOCKING,
TICKET AGENT
32 ST. LOUIS ST.,
OR
JULES HONE
C. P. R. QUEBEC.
Dec 7xmon, wed, fri

Quebec Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals

The Annual Meeting of the above
Society will be held in the Rooms of
Morris Michaels on Monday the 12th
December instant, at 12.15 P.M.
Members of the Ladies' Branch are
invited to be present.
A. ROBERTSON,
Hon. Secy.
dec 9x3

IN AND ABOUT TOWN

CHRISTMAS BALL AT THE CHATEAU

Will Be in Aid of Convalescent
Home for the Hotel's
Employees.

The most important social event of the
holiday season promises to be the Christ-
mas ball to be given at the Chateau
Frontenac on Tuesday evening, Dec. 27,
in aid of the Convalescent Home of Em-
ployees of the Chateau Frontenac, at
Port Neuf, P. Q. A Christmas ball for
so worthy an object will be all the more
enjoyable because of the spirit for which
it stands and the patronesses, Mesdames
William Price, B. A. Scott, John Break-
er, J. McLimont and Oscar Pelletier, will
be important factors in its success.
The news that this home has flourished
during the past two years will come as a
surprise to many who have not previously
known of its existence, and since its
founding many patients have been cared
for and nursed back to health. Maintained
wholly by private subscription, it has
heretofore been independent of outside
contributions, but with the increasing
number of employees at the Chateau and
the corresponding increase in the patron-
age of the home, the time has come when
some assistance is necessary, and this ball
will be a popular mode of raising extra
funds for its maintenance. The hard la-
bor and long hours of work during the
summer months, when the season is at
its height and local business is enriched
by thousands upon thousands of dollars
spent in Quebec by the tourist and travel-
er, often result in illness and breakdown
of the faithful employees who sacrifice
their own health to the summer rush of
travel. It is for them that the home is
maintained and many cases where rest,
quiet and the fresh air and strict diet
only are needed, are not sufficiently se-
rious to require treatment at a hospital.
With this worthy object in view, it is
hoped that the subscription will be liberal
and that the ball, aside from raising the
needed funds, will be a distinct social
success, is already assured. Tickets are
on sale at \$2 each and may be secured
from the management of the Chateau
Frontenac.

RECEPTION TO BISHOP FARRAR.
The laymen of the Church of England
resident in Quebec are holding a recep-
tion in the Cathedral Church hall, on
Thursday evening, Dec. 15, at 8.15
o'clock, in honor of His Lordship Bishop
Farrar, who is presently acting as As-
sistant Bishop in the Diocese of Quebec.
All adult members of the various Angli-
can congregations are cordially invited
to attend this reception.

Go to Darlington's store if you
want a useful and inexpensive Christ-
mas present. See advt.

OFFICERS ELECTED.
A largely attended meeting of Division
No. 1, A.O.H., was held last evening in
their rooms, Tara Hall. Among other
business transacted was the election of
officers, which resulted as follows: Coun-
ty President, D. Convey; President, P.
W. Brown; Vice President, E. O'Connor;
Secretary, W. T. Egan; Treasurer,
R. H. Hartley; Sergeant at Arms, Jas.
Donovan; Sentinel, Jos. Brown; Stand-
ing Committee, P. Hanrahan (chairman),
W. J. Delany, J. E. Walsh, J. A. Shields
and J. Berrigan.

METHODIST CHURCH
ANNIVERSARY.
The services of next Sunday are an-
ticipated with much interest not only by
the congregation of the Methodist
Church, but by many others as well. It
will be the one hundred and fourth an-
niversary of the institution of Methodism
in the city and the sixty-first anniversary
of the beautiful Gothic edifice in which
the congregation now worships.
The preacher of the day will be Rev. W. R.
Young, D.D., who is pastor of Douglas
Church, Montreal, to which he went from
a successful term in St. James' Church.
Dr. Young is a very prominent man not
only in the Montreal Conference of which
he will in all probability be president
next year, but also in the Methodist of
Canada, having been for years secretary
of the General Board of Missions. The
choir, under the able direction of Mr. C.
H. Thorn, will furnish special music.

LADIES' COSTUMES.
The balance of our Ladies'
Fall Costumes have been re-
duced to a very low figure.
Suits originally \$25 reduced to
\$15, \$33 to \$18, \$42 to \$27.50,
\$22.80 to \$12.50.

See our show window.
Holt, Renfrew & Co., Ltd.

INDEPENDENT FORESTERS
ELECT OFFICERS.
At the regular meeting of Court
Stadacona, No. 224, I.O.F., held last
evening, the following officers were
elected for the ensuing term:—
Court Physician—Dr. J. Stevenson.
Court Deputy H.C.R.—George M.
Craig.
Chief Ranger—R. Modler.
Vice-Chief Ranger—V. Fusk.
Recording Secretary—W. J. Judd.
Financial Secretary—R. H. Smith.
Treasurer—W. D. McCaghey.
Orator—W. Pennington.
Senior Woodward—J. M. Coleman.
Junior Woodward—R. Watt.
Senior Beadle—M. Tierney.
Junior Beadle—H. McQueen.
Finance Committee—F. C. Wurtele,
Geo. Ross.
Trustees—R. Amy and W. C. Weary.
After the meeting there was an in-
teresting turkey euchre, the winners
being Arch. McCallum and M. Dinan.

SUDDEN DEATH.
Dr. Jolicœur received information
last evening that a resident of Ste.
Emilie, County of Lotbinière, died
suddenly on Wednesday evening last.
Dr. Jolicœur will hold an inquest to-
day.

The great mass of people have eyes
and ears, and not much more, espe-
cially little power of judgment, and
even memory.

FAMOUS FRENCH TENOR WILL BE HEARD

Edmond Clement Has Been Se-
cured for the Opera Sea-
son in Quebec.

Mr. J. H. Alox, Manager of the
Auditorium, received a telegram yester-
day that Quebec will be given the
opportunity of hearing one of the
greatest tenor singers from the Metro-
politan Opera House in New York, in
the person of Mr. Edmond Clement,
pronounced by the New York critics
as one of the finest singers ever heard
since Jean De Reszke.
Mr. Clement has succeeded in having
the opening bill changed to "Lakme,"
in which Mr. Clement will appear in
the leading role. The remainder of
the week's bill will be as already an-
nounced. Mr. Clement has arrived in
Montreal, and in an interview with a
newspaper reporter he said, in his
pretty broken English, that he was
sure Montreal must be a delightful
city, because the first thing which
struck him on his arrival was the
beauty of it. "I am glad to sing with
the opera here," he said. "I have
wanted to when I hear about it, how
nice the orchestra is and how much
the public appreciate."

Don Jose in "Carmen" is his favor-
ite part. "I like," he explained, "with
a glow of enthusiasm on his mobile
face, "because it is complex—like the
music. But I also like very much Des
Grioux in 'Manon.' There is much
very much for the mind; and I put it
with Werther among my best." Inci-
dentally, it may be mentioned that it
is in "Manon" that M. Clement will
make his debut here next Saturday
make his debut there next Satur-
day lary fond of him in this role.

Famous divas travel with their pet
animals, their own chefs and maids
galore, but M. Clement's tastes in the
line of a suite takes a different turn,
and he has brought with him to Mon-
treal a secretary and accompanist in
the person of M. Pierre Augieras, who
can boast of no small reputation
abroad as a player of Liszt, and who
may be heard at one of the popular
Saturday afternoon concerts. It was
M. Augieras who confided to the re-
porter that M. Clement had received
from the King of Denmark an order
which had never before been conferred
upon a musician, and which followed
a special engagement of ten perform-
ances at Copenhagen. M. Clement
seems to be too much in demand to be
kept very long in any one place. His
successes last year in the Metropolitan,
and his re-engagement for this
season, preclude his staying away
from New York altogether; and he is
also wanted in Boston.

Raccoon, Black Wolf, Wombat,
Mongolian Beaver, and brown and
black calf coats, Beaver cloth and
twelve overcoats, fur lined with collars
in Otter, Creamer and other furs.
Duck, Corduroy and cloth coats, sheep
lined with fur collar. Also the
famous "Husky" shirts.

ED. BELANGER & CIE.....
86 Mountain Hill.
29 Notre-Dame St.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION.
Yesterday being the feast of the
Immaculate Conception was generally
observed as a holiday. The public
offices, banks, courts and the major-
ity of the places of business were
closed. Large congregations attend-
ed the services in the different Roman
Catholic churches.

QUEBEC CURLING CLUB.
The Quebec Curling Club rink is
now open for the season, and the ice
is in good condition. "Beef and
greens" will be served in the rink on
Saturday evening, when the Revd.
Wylie C. Clark, chaplain, will be the
guest of the club. A large attend-
ance is particularly requested.

OLD LADY INJURED.
Yesterday morning an old lady,
Mrs. French, aged 84 years, while
coming out of her room in the Women's
Christian Association building by
some means tripped and fell heavily
to the floor. When picked up it was
found she had seriously injured one
of her hips. She was conveyed to
Jeffery Hall's Hospital where her in-
juries were attended to.

FIRST COMMUNION.
A number of children took their
First Communion at the Ursuline and
Good Shepherd Convents yesterday
morning. At the Ursuline Convent
Revd. Jules Laberge officiated at
mass and sixty-four pupils received
Holy Communion. A full choir ren-
dered hymns during the mass.
Revd. Odilon Gosselin celebrated
mass at the Good Shepherd Chapel
and a sermon was preached by Revd.
Eugene Miller. The chapel was taste-
fully decorated for the occasion and
the relatives of the children assisted
at the ceremony. There were 110
boys and 36 girls who received Holy
Communion at the Convent.

GOOD NEWS
for the
coffee-wreck
POSTUM
"There's a Reason"
Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs

EIGHT TEAMS IN SIX DAY GRIND

Race Is Close and Five Teams
Are Tied for First
Place.

New York, Dec. 8.—Eight teams,
one of them the Rutt-Clarke combi-
nation, remained in the six-day bi-
cycle race to-night. At that hour, the
24th, the score was as follows:—

Teams—	Miles.	Laps.
Rutt and Moran.....	1,769	2
Fogler and Hill.....	1,769	2
Muten and Thomas.....	1,769	2
Collins and Drobach.....	1,769	2
Hehir and Goulet.....	1,769	2
Cameron and Halstead.....	1,769	1
West and Demara.....	1,769	1
Rutt and Clarke.....	1,769	0

Rutt and Clarke combined to-night
after the withdrawal earlier of their
partners, Stol and MacFarland. Rutt
and Stol at the time were the tail-end-
ers, with MacFarland and Clarke only
a lap ahead. The new team was re-
quired to take the lowest score—that
is, the score of Rutt and Stol.

One of the surprises of the evening
was the lapping of the Cameron-Hal-
stead team, which had remained with
the leaders throughout and was often
picked as the winners. The Austral-
ian team of Pye and Walker retired
shortly before noon. Rutt stole a lap
during the early evening, but the
judges ruled that he had done so
through the interference of Fogler,
and the lap was not allowed.

At midnight the five leading teams
still maintained their advanced position
with a tie of 1,804 miles at the 96th
hour. Cameron and Halstead and West
and Demara were a lap behind, with 1-
803 miles 9 laps, and Rutt and Clarke
a lap farther in the rear. The record is
1,871 miles 3 laps, made last year by
Walthour and Collins.

The score at 2 o'clock: Rutt and Mo-
ran, Mitten and Thomas, Fogler and Hill,
Collins and Drobach, Hehir and Goulet—
tied at 1,838 miles 8 laps; Cameron and
Halstead, West and Demara, at 1,838
miles 7 laps; Rutt and Clarke, 1,838
miles 6 laps. The record is 1,906 miles 1
lay, made by Pye and Hehir in 1909.

ALLEGED MURDERER CONDUCTED OWN DEFENSE.

St. Louis, Dec. 8.—Life imprison-
ment was the verdict in the case of
Austin Greaves, a carpenter, who con-
ducted his own defense against the
charge of first degree murder in kill-
ing his neighbor, Alfred Hunter, about
four months ago. Greaves yesterday
examined his wife and to-day exam-
ined two of his children, Goldie, aged
12, and John, aged 9. The boy and
girl witnessed the killing, but Greaves
did not question them about it, con-
fining his questions to the troubles
the family had with neighbors. The
circuit attorney cross-examined the
children about the killing over the pro-
test of Greaves, who told the trial
judge he thought the state should fol-
low the questions he had asked. The
children testified they heard Hunter
threaten their father. Greaves, in
summing up, pleaded with the jury for
either a verdict to acquit or to hang
him.

FURS ! FURS !

Ladies' mantles in Caracul, Musk
Rat, Poney, Electric Seal, Astrakan,
cloth lined or unlined, with fur collar.
Also Stoles and Muffs in Creamer,
Musk Rat, Caracul, Seal, Isabella
Fox and Marten. A large assort-
ment of Fur Boas of all kinds and
any length at

ED. BELANGER & CIE.....
86 Mountain Hill.
29 Notre-Dame St.
nov.29xdec.1,3,5,7,9,10.

BRIEF NOTES OF

THE DAY'S NEWS.

The treasurer of the Portuguese Min-
istry of Finance has been arrested
charged with paying the debts of
Queen Maria Pia, grandmother of
King Manuel.

The Dowager Grand Duchess Alice
of Tuscany is seriously ill at her es-
tate near Via Regio.

The Compton Pulp and Paper Co.
has purchased the timber limits of T.
M. Craig, in Compton County, Que.,
about 5,000 acres, with heavy timber.
The same company has also bought
out the Emberton Lumber Co.'s lim-
its about 30,000 acres.

Dr. McCullough, Secretary of the
Provincial Board of Health, is now
busy preparing a little Christmas box
for the seventy patients treated by
the department during the recent rabies
outbreak in Western Ontario. When
the order was placed in New York the
price was fixed at \$25 a patient. Re-
cently Dr. McCullough was informed
that \$5 would be refunded to the de-
partment on each case, and the total
amount thus received, \$350, is now be-
ing returned to the patients.

Smallpox is rife in the village of
Moose Creek, Stormont County, Ont.
The disease has been spreading
among the French Canadian popula-
tion for two months, mainly owing to
the local doctors taking the cases to
be chicken pox. Dr. R. W. Bell, in-
spector for the Provincial Board of
Health, just returned from the vil-
lage, reports there are now twenty-
five cases of smallpox under treat-
ment. He has had most of the popu-
lation vaccinated and the quarantine
regulations put in force.

Five new cases of cholera and three
deaths were reported during the past
twenty-four hours in Rome. Four
cases and two deaths occurred in Pa-
termo.

Get a pair of Jaeger slippers, ladies,
\$1.50, men's, \$1.75. Darlington has
them. Also a large range of Jaeger
goods suitable for Xmas presents.

Dewar's Whisky

Has No Rival

MORRIS MICHAELS, Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, AND Windsor Hotel, - Montreal,

invites inspection of his spe-
cial brands of cigars, manu-
factured exclusively from
PURE HAVANA TOBACCO
by Cuban workmen of the
highest skill.

LA PROTECTORA, Made by Granda Hnos y Ca,
CARLOTTA, " S. Davis & Sons.
ROSARITA, " Ed. Youngheart & Co
MIRAMAR, " J. Hirsch & Sons.
EL GLOBO, " Jose Granda.

These cigars represent, not
only his own careful judg-
ment, the result of

42 YEARS EXPERIENCE,

but in addition, the best
efforts of the above noted
factories.

AT THE CENTRAL STORE

Great Sale
Beginning December 5th
Last Week of Our Great Reductions.

All the goods marked at 30c. This week 22c.	Gray flannel. Worth 40c. and 50c. for 29c.
All the goods marked at 60c. This week 44c.	Satchels, special price 44c.
Fancy flannellette. Worth 18c. for 14c.	One lot of tourmalines and beils. Special price 15c.
One lot of remnants in dress goods and costume cloths. Re- duction of 30 p.c. to 50 p.c.	One lot of golfers. Worth \$3.50 and \$4.00. This week \$2.43
Red cloth for children's coats. Worth \$1.25 for 99c.	GENTLEMEN.
One lot of costume cloth, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. This week 64c.	Negligee shirts. Worth \$1.25 for 89c.
One lot of woollen challies. Worth 45c. for 29c.	Fancy vests, worth \$3.50 and \$5.00. Special price \$1.49
Table centers and bureau covers.	Ties ! Ties ! Special price 34c.
Worth 40c. for 19c.	Fleece vests and drawers. Special price 44c.
Worth 50c. for 29c.	Black and colored woollen hose. Special price 44c.
Worth 80c. for 54c.	Soft white shirts. Worth 75c. and 85c. for 64c.
Worth \$1.00 for 69c.	Flannel shirts. Worth \$1.50 for 89c.
Worth \$1.50 for 89c.	
Gray cotton. Good quality. Worth 13c. for 9c.	
White Table Linen. Worth 60c. for 44c.	
Suitable linen towels. Worth 50c. and 60c. for 27c.	
Table napkins. Worth \$1.25 a dozen, for 84c.	
Plain flannellette in white, pink and blue. Worth 12c. for 9c.	

It is the Last Week

J. P. PARE,

172-176 St. John Street

WEEK ENDS OUT OF TOWN

Complete change of scenery and surroundings, even for a day or two, accomplishes wonders.

TRY IT!!!
Montreal and Return
Good going Saturday and Sunday, returning up to Monday Night.
Proportionate reduced rates to all intermediate stations.

For full particulars, tickets, etc., please apply to 30 St. John St., corner Palais Hill, 46 Dalhousie St., Chateau Frontenac or at Station ticket office.

JULES HONE, JR.,
General Ry. and Steamship Agency.
All lines represented.

ESTEY FLOUR

WOLVERTON MILLING CO.
ESTEY PATENT
WOLVERTON, ONT.

IS
THE BEST
TRY IT
AND BE CONVINCED

FOR SALE BY
J.B. RENAUD & CO.
P.G. BUSSIERE & CO.
AND FIRST CLASS GROCERS.

MASTER MASON CUT PLUG Tobacco

Superior Quality
The Favorite of the
Discriminating
Smoker.

TEMISCOUATA RAILWAY.
TIME TABLE

Taking Effect October 24, 1910.

Express	Leaves	Arrives
MIXED	Leaves Riviere du Loup 7:10 A.M.	Arrives Compton, N.B. 11:05 A.M.
MIXED	Leaves Compton, N.B. 1:05 P.M.	Arrives Riviere du Loup 4:10 P.M.
EXPRESS	Leaves Compton, N.B. 4:05 P.M.	Arrives Riviere du Loup 6:15 P.M.
MIXED	Leaves Riviere du Loup 6:15 P.M.	Arrives Compton, N.B. 9:10 P.M.

All Trains Daily except Sunday.
Connecting at Edmundston Junction with Canadian Pacific Ry. for Woodville, Fredericton, St. John, N.B.; Hamilton, Prescott, Joliette, Carleton Place, Port Hope, etc.
And at Riviere du Loup with all Intercolonial Railway Express Trains.
For further information, folders, etc., apply to F. S. Stocking, 32 St. Louis St., Quebec.
G. G. Grundy, General Manager.
F. S. Stocking, General Freight and Passenger Agent, Riviere du Loup.

TAKE NO CHANCE

When buying canned foods or general groceries for your children or wife, for the sake of a few cents, will you take the chance on their precious health? Old good Goods are mighty scarce in our grocery line, you know!

New imported plum pudding have arrived in 1-2-3-4 and 5 lbs. \$1.50, 1.20 90c 70c 35c
Martell's Sardines, large tins good 25c
K. C. Chutney pickles, a luxury 25c

ELZEAR TURCOTTE'S, The Popular Store
Wines and Groceries, St. Roch. QUEBEC.

New Goods just to hand suitable for Christmas and New Year's Gifts.

Fancy Lace Collars, Jabots and Neck Wear. Fancy Frilling, Veilings and Handkerchiefs. Children's and Misses Lawn and Silk Dresses. Tea Aprons and Maids Aprons. Silk and Moirette Petticoats, Dress Skirts and Blouse Waists, Ladies' Night Dresses and Underwear. Also a lovely lot of daintily dressed Dolls.

N.B.—To clear we are making big reduction on our trimmed and Felt Hats.

MRS. D. R. MURPHY
46 Fabrique Street.
Phone 22. QUEBEC

DOMINION COAL COMPANY, LIMITED
MINERS AND SHIPPERS OF THE CELEBRATED
"DOMINION" STEAM AND GAS COALS
Screened, Run-of-Mine and Slack
For Particulars, apply to
SALES AGENT, 112 ST. JAMES ST., MONTREAL

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM
TRAINS LEAVE LEVIS

Train	Leaves	Arrives
17.00	Leaves Levis	Arrives St. Hyacinthe 11:55 a.m.
Daily Except Sunday		Arrives Montreal 1:30 p.m.
12.30	Leaves Levis	Arrives Sherbrooke 11:55 a.m.
Daily		Arrives Boston 6:30 p.m.
16.40	Leaves Levis	Arrives Montreal 7:00 p.m.
Daily Except Sunday		Arrives New York 7:30 a.m.

Direct connections at Montreal without changing depots with fast service to all points South and West.
For Portland and all New England Points, arriving Portland 7:30 a.m. and Boston 10:15 a.m.

Train Service from Levis
7.00 A.M. 12.30 P.M. 6.40 P.M.
Daily Except Sundays.
FERRY FROM QUEBEC
6.45 A.M. 12.15 NOON 6.15 P.M.
(Daily Except Sunday)
Ferry Service from Quebec:
6.45 a.m. 12.15 noon. 6.15 p.m.
For further particulars apply at No. 10 St. Anne street. (Phone 567.)
GEO. H. STOTT, C.P.&T.A.

CANADIAN NOR. QUEBEC
AND
QUEBEC & LAKE ST. JOHN RY.

On and after Monday, Nov. 14th, 1910, trains will leave Quebec as follows:

Canadian Northern Quebec Ry.
6.30 A.M. Daily except Sunday for Montreal, Grand Mere, Shawinigan Falls, etc., connecting at Grosse Pointe with trains to and from Riviere a Pierre, La Tuque and intermediate points. This train has a buffet-parlor car attached.
6.15 P.M. Daily except Sunday for St. Casimir
Quebec & Lake St. John Ry.
8.30 A.M. Daily except Saturday and Sunday for La Tuque, Roberval, Chicoutimi, etc.
1.30 P.M. Daily except Sunday for St. Raymond.
8.00 P.M. Saturday only for Roberval, Chicoutimi, etc., with sleeping car for Chicoutimi.
Tickets for sale at depot, St. Andrew St., F. S. Stocking, 32 St. Louis St. and Chateau Frontenac.

QUEBEC CENTRAL RAILWAY
EXCURSIONS
from
Boston and Springfield
to
QUEBEC

Leaving Dec. 29th, 1910 to Jan. 2nd, 1911. Returning up to Jan. 17th, 1911.

ADVISE YOUR FRIENDS that the **QUEBEC CENTRAL RAILWAY** is the only line running through cars to Quebec from these points. Daily with Dining Cars.

Arriving Levis at 1.00 P.M. Leaving Levis at 8.30 P.M.

For further information and Pullman reservations, apply City Ticket Office, 32 St. Louis St.
F. S. STOCKING, C.P. and T. Agt.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

On and after Sunday, October 23rd, 1910, trains will run as follows:—
8.20 A.M. Express for Murray Bay, Rivier du Loup, St. Flavie and Campbellton, daily except Sunday.
5.40 P.M. Maritime Express for St. John, Halifax and Sydney, daily except Saturday. This train only runs to St. Flavie Saturday.
4.20 P.M. Express for Riv. du Loup, daily except Saturday and Sunday.
12.50 P.M. Maritime Express for St. Hyacinthe and Montreal, daily.
4.20 P.M. Express for St. Hyacinthe and Montreal, daily except Sunday.

City Ticket Offices: 7 Du Fort St., 22 Dalhousie St.

Latest Sporting News

SEASON'S FIRST CURLING MATCH
Quebec Club's Rink Is Now in Full Swing and Curlers Are Rejoicing.

The first curling match of the season took place yesterday morning, when two rinks had an enjoyable game on the ice of the Quebec Club. The ice was good and the play keen, and all engaged had a most pleasurable time. The rink is now in full swing, and yesterday afternoon and evening the curlers took full opportunity of the first day's ice and the rink resounded with the ring of the stones and the swish of the brooms, while the cry of "Soap 'er up" rang out with a merry ring that brought back fond memories to the curlers' heart.

The first game played yesterday morning was taken part in by the following rinks:—
E. Ernest Ross, A. W. Hay, S. J. Grogan, J. G. Bruneau, Skip—8.
W. G. Sibthorpe, W. Lambton, I. J. Delany, A. Miller, Skip—6.

NATIONAL TROTTER ASSOCIATION MEETS.
New York, Dec. 8.—The board of review of the National Trotting Association to-day again took up the discussion of the question of drivers who do not drive to win, but action was delayed on the proposition to increase the penalty or possibly disqualify the driver. L. G. Marshall, of Towanda, Pa., and the bay mare pacer Lucy Simpson were expelled from the association. The charge was that Marshall had entered the mare out of class and under the name of Roscoe Belle.

PEACE REIGNS IN THE RENFREW CAMP.
Ottawa, Dec. 8.—The Renfrew Hockey Club came out of its shell this afternoon when an important meeting was held at the Windsor Hotel. Those present included Mr. Ambrose O'Brien, George Martel, James and George Barnett, William Jamieson, M. Doherty, and almost every other notable of note from the creamery town. The club was in session for over half an hour, although very few announcements were made. It was announced that Renfrew would certainly be in the game as strongly as ever. The creamery kings already have four good men at their disposal, Lindsay, Jordan, Taylor and Rowe. They will try to bring Frank Patrick back to the East again, also Hay Miller. One or two dark horses are also in sight. Newsy Lalonde's case was also discussed, matters being left in abeyance. It is likely, however, that a deal between Renfrew and Canadiens' Clubs will be put through, whereby the Montreal team will get the crack goal-netter, who led the Nationals in lacrosse last summer.

CON JONES IN TORONTO.
Toronto, Dec. 8.—Con Jones, president of the Vancouver Lacrosse Club and one of the most successful business men in the West, is in Toronto with his wife and two boys. The Jones family have been on a transcontinental pleasure trip for the past two months and expect to be home by the 20th. Mr. Jones' one sporting ambition in life is to get a lacrosse team in Vancouver that will beat New Westminster and capture the Minto Cup, but up to date his quest has been unsuccessful. Harry Griffith, Harry Pickering and Archie Adamson, of the Tecumsehs, who went to the coast last year, are all doing well in a business way and played good lacrosse last season. Archie is married and has a government position.

The Vancouver Club spent \$12,000 in salaries last season and, though the gate receipts were \$20,000, lost \$740 on the season. Mr. Jones is hopeful that the experience his team gained last season against New Westminster will help them sufficiently to lift the cup next year. He is on a pleasure trip to Toronto and not looking for players to take to the west.

UNIFORM RUGBY RULES.
Toronto, Ont., Dec. 8.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Intercollegiate Rugby Union will be held at the King Edward Hotel on Saturday afternoon. The formal congratulations of the Union will be tendered to the champion teams of the Union, as follows: Senior, University of Toronto; intermediate, Royal Military College, Kingston; junior, University of Toronto. The Union will express pleasure in the fact that their senior and intermediate champion teams also won the Canadian championship, indicating clearly that the best Rugby was played in the College Union.

The most important suggestion to be made is that the College Union play under the rules of the Canadian Rugby Union, which are those governing all games in the O.R.F.U., the Interprovincial and the Quebec unions. If this decision is reached the rules will be uniform in all the unions, such as has been the desire of all concerned in the welfare of the game for some time past. The difference in the rules at present existing are of a minor character only, but enough to cause argument at times from contentious persons.

ARE YOU INTERESTED.
If you have need of presents. Useless to enumerate; we are certain to have what you want. Visit the basement and cast a glance at our windows.
FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE...

WOLGAST'S INJURED ARM

Will Prevent Him From Fighting Before Next March, or Perhaps May.

Cadillac, Mich., Dec. 8.—Tom Jones, Champion Ad Wolgast's manager, held a conference to-day with the champion and a physician. Jones, with the physician's aid, carefully scrutinized an X-ray picture of Wolgast's injured arm. The break, a few inches above the wrist, is knitting fast, but not as fast as the champion wants it to.

When Jones emerged from the office he said: "Ad is not going to fight any one before the latter part of March. That much is certain. Ten chances to one he will not fight before May. His arm is healing nicely, but the danger of another break is to be feared. We have got to lay down now, but when Ad's arm is better we will meet them all."

Old Game—New Rules.
The one difference that is important and that does not seem likely to disappear is the difference in the number on the teams. We with fourteen a side have a formation that gives greater time to get the ball into play. Our game really possesses greater strategic possibilities. We could legislate away one half-back to advantage. Their eleven men formation tends to closer, harder work on the line. The great trouble over on the other side regarding the new game is that few of the teams have settled down to master them. They have tried to adapt their old plays to the new rules.

To Their Advantage.
It would be a great advantage for one of these American teams to get a game on with Varsity. Varsity have been playing the new game for years, and are the cleverest exponents of its possibilities in the business.

A game between Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Brown, Wisconsin or Columbia, if it could be arranged to take place here would draw an enormous crowd. Varsity could easily arrange to have the first league fixture put on a week early thus leaving a Saturday toward the end of the season.

Must Be Done Now.
The one difficulty about making arrangements for a game of this sort is that the U. S. colleges make their dates for next year now, and as the talk never starts until a few weeks before the game would be pulled off, it is of course impossible to make connections.

If the Canadian champions went after a game now for next fall they would probably have no trouble in making the arrangements. A contest of this sort would certainly be a great drawing card and rouse exceeding interest.

WILD GEESSE IN THE GULF.
The size, strength and grace of the Canadian goose never fail to command admiration. That long, graceful black neck and white tie-band, whether in the easy curvaceous rest or the straining rigidity of flight, give a distinction among the waterfowl that even the swans cannot rival. Great wings of steady strength seem to take hold of the sustaining air, whether in the hasty grouping of alarm or the regular alignment of sustained flight. About the interior waters it is a treat of spring or fall to see the dotted line pass slowly out of sight against the concealing clouds in the vanishing distance, and on occasions of special good fortune a flock may swing low and call in harsh familiarity, revealing the clear outlines of their necks and distended pinions. Such tolerant familiarity is generally confined to the northward migration of spring toward the well-watered prairies of the remote interior and the still more attractive shores of the great northern archipelago. Along the Atlantic coast and in the St. Lawrence Gulf they seem to have abundant leisure, and there in wary distrust of passing vessels they fly hurriedly about, their great size seeming to harmonize with the open endless distance and easy retreating coast lines.

There is a perpetual fascination in the flocks that rise before the disturbing steamers connecting Prince Edward Island with the mainland. They are never tolerant of a near approach as they rest on the undulating waves, but rise timidly at a safe distance, steadily changing from a grouped irregularity to an angled alignment. Sometimes they lower out of sight toward the open strait where the horizon is not interrupted by the land's irregularities. Flocks reaching toward the shores often rise and turn as if in dread of grater dangers, passing close in front of the disturbing steamer and curiously returning the steady stare of the passengers on deck. This conflict between alarm and curiosity seems to bring the startled flocks back across the course of the vessel and as they strain steadily over their great size seems lost in the immensity of open distance. Sometimes in the alarm of the steamer's disturbance they mingle with a flock of brants, fine birds but small in comparison. The mixed flock never assumes a regular formation, but hurries away from the swiftly advancing menace. The loons, solitary fishers in the open water, are far less timid, for they often wait till the menacing bow is quite close. When there is no room to rise against the wind the loon makes but a poor attempt, snapping helplessly from crest to crest and generally seeking safety in a long dive. His solitary ways are in striking contrast to the friendly and social habits of the wild geese. Rising flock and flock as the long headlands of the island recede and the mainland grows more and more distinct they relieve the bleak cold stretch of open water with the satisfying presence of active life.—Toronto Globe.

PUBLIC NOTICE
CITY OF QUEBEC
City Clerk's Office
Quebec, June 11th, 1910.
BY-LAW No. 442
To amend By-Law No. 192, concerning Order and Peace.

(Drawn up in the French Language)
At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the Seventeenth of June, One Thousand and Nine Hundred and Ten (1910), in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting were present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:—
Present: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Beaumont, Bergevin, Campbell, Collier, Cote, Cummings, Delisle, Dinan, Emond, Gauvreau, Guillet, Jobin, Lamontagne, Lavoie, Lockwell, Madden, Messervy, Monaghan, Morin, Mulrooney, Paquet, Plamondon, Pouliot, Shink, Trudel and Verret (27).
It is hereby ordered and enacted by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec as follows:—
1. The following article is hereby added after article 32 of By-law No. 192, passed by this Council on the 22nd of December, 1895, to wit:—
No. 32 A.—"It is forbidden under the same penalty as above to any boy or less than ten years of age, and to any woman, or girl, to sell or offer for sale newspapers or any other articles in the streets of the said city."

NAP. DROUIN, Mayor.
Attest.
(L.S.)
H. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

ALWAYS the SAME

No matter when or where you buy "Old Orkney" Whisky, every bottle—every drop—is just the same.

We insure this by always holding a 10 years supply in our bonded warehouses, and by bottling every drop of it ourselves.

The "O. O." Label means uniform quality as well as highest quality. Have you tried "Old Orkney" Whisky—a rare old Liqueur Scotch?

McConnell's Distillery Limited
Dacre House, Argyle St., London, Eng.
Proprietors of STROMNESS DISTILLERY, Orkney, Scotland.
Agents for Quebec Province
A. E. MALLETT & CO.,
49 St. Jean Baptiste St., MONTREAL.

EMILE JACOT, Jeweler, 95 St. Joseph St., Quebec

FIVE RICH PREMIUMS FREE

1st. 1 Cheque \$100.00; 2nd. 1 Ladies' or Gents Diamond Ring \$75.00; 3rd. 1 Ladies' or Gents Solid Gold Watch \$50.00; 4th. 1 Clock \$15.00; 5th. 1 Leather Satchel \$10.00.

THE CONDITIONS—Each purchase of one dollar or more entitles you to one ticket or more, according to the amount of your purchase. Each ticket is numbered and registered. The drawing to take place at 11.30 on the night of December 31st, 1910, at the store of

EMILE JACOT, Jeweler, 95 St. Joseph St., Quebec.
Orders by mail will receive our best attention.

Founded in 1878 Telephone 2234

CHARLES VEZINA
CONTRACTING PLUMBER, TINSMITH and ROOFER

Specialty:—Steam, Hot Air and Hot Water Heating

Varied assortment of the most modern Electrical and Plumbing Apparatus, as well as Kitchen and Passage Stoves of all makes and Refrigerators.

ALSO ON HAND

A complete assortment of Asphalt and Rubber Roofing Material from the Brantford Roofing Company, of Brantford, Ont., Mr. Vezina having accepted the general agency of that firm for the district of Quebec. This material advantageously replaces the present system of Metal, tingles and Concrete Roofing.

119-123 BRIDGE STREET, QUEBEC.

When you Need A Pail, or a Tub, or a Fire Bucket See that you get EDDY'S FIBREWARE

It is Light, Tight, and Durable.
Made in one Solid, Compact Mass, and Positively will not taint Liquids of any kind.

The E. B. EDDY Co., Limited, Hull, Canada.

Education AND Amusement COMBINED

Pyrography
Repoussé Work
Pierced Brass Work
Wood Carving
Clay Moulding

MOORE'S 143 St. John St. QUEBEC

THE MARSHALL SANITARY MATTRESS
Patented all over the world. Every Mattress guaranteed for 5 years.

JAMES PERRY, 323 St. Paul Street.

For Skin Health

A lifetime of disfigurement and suffering often results from improper treatment of the skin or neglect of simple skin affections. Cuticura Soap, assisted by Cuticura Ointment, affords the purest, sweetest and most economical method of caring for the complexion, preventing minor eruptions from becoming chronic, and speedily dispelling severe eczemas and other torturing humors, itches and irritations, from infancy to age.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists everywhere. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass. Mailed free. Refuse to look on the case of skin and scalp.



Revillon Freres

ESTABLISHED 1728
The largest dealers in
Furs and Skins in the world.
We pay the
HIGHEST MARKET PRICE
for all kinds of
Raw Furs and Skins
Honest assortment. Quick returns
Ask for our 1909-1910 PRICE LIST
IT'S FREE
OFFICE AND STORES:
134 and 136 McGill St. Montreal.
WE PAY EXPRESS CHARGES.

Province of Quebec,
District of Chicoutimi.

In re
VILLENEUVE & VILLENEUVE,
Insolvent.

Public notice is hereby given that the accounts of Villeneuve & Villeneuve, insolvent, has been sold by the curator, M. O. Bosse, to Joseph O. Duguay and a private deed of sale passed by the curator to me the 26th of November, 1910.

JOSEPH O. DUGUAY,
Dec8x2

CANADA,
Province of Quebec, } In the
District of Beauce. } Circuit Court.

No. 1393.
Pierre Poulin, farmer, of St. Martin,
Plaintiff;

vs.
Frank Veilleux, of Jackman, Maine,
Defendant.

The defendant is ordered to appear within one month.
Clerk's Office, St. Joseph, Beauce.
December 6th, 1910.

(Sgd.) Vezina & Ferron,
C.C.C.
(True Copy)
Arthur Godbout,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
dec.9x2.

THE WINNIPEG

VICE INVESTIGATION.
Winnipeg, Dec. 8.—To-day's session of the vice investigation was occupied by the rather academic examination of Dr. Shearer, by City Solicitor Hunt, who elicited from Mr. Shearer that he had not interviewed any of the civic authorities, police or magistrate, as he had in case of the Lord's Day observance campaign, and that none of his charges were the result of personal observation and knowledge. Dr. Shearer, while admitting this, affirmed that his information was correct and well established. Finally he claimed that the administrators of the law were either incompetent or not acting in good faith. Regarding graft, Dr. Shearer said in an interview that he had used the term "private police graft," but that papers had dropped the word private.

Drink
ROBERTSON'S DUNDEE
Sooty Whisky
JOHN ROBERTSON & SON, Ltd., Distillers, 310 Notre Dame St. West, Montreal

FOREST CONVENTION IN QUEBEC

Arrangements for Meeting—
Hon. Mr. Brodeur Denies
He Is to Be Lieut.-Gov.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—Preparations for the Dominion forestry convention called by Sir Wilfrid Laurier to meet in Quebec city, January 18-20 next, are rapidly going forward. The secretary, Mr. Jas. Lawler, has just returned to Ottawa from Quebec, where the members of the Provincial Government, under Sir Lomer Gouin, are forwarding the plans. Hon. Jules Allard, Minister of Lands and Forests, personally taking part in the work. A strong local committee has been formed. In Ottawa, Hon. W. C. Edwards, the President, is dealing with the main lines of the meeting. The commission of conservation, under Hon. Clifford Sifton, will hold its annual meeting in Quebec on Jan. 17, and as the Legislature of Quebec will then be in session and there will be special railway rates it is expected there will be a large gathering and important discussions.

St. John's Ambulance.
A meeting for the organization of the Ontario Council of the St. John Ambulance Association will be held in Toronto on Dec. 22. The principal speaker on the occasion will be His Excellency the Governor-General and accompanying him from Ottawa among others will be Dr. Montizambert, President of the Canadian branch, Col. G. Carleton Jones, D.C. M.S., Fred Cooke, Hon. Secretary, and Capt. R. J. Birdwhistle, the General Secretary. Invitations have been sent out throughout the Province. The objects of the Association will be explained and a thorough organization for the Province made.

A National Museum.
A deputation of prominent citizens of the Capital waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier this morning and requested some changes in the management and nature of the Royal Victoria Memorial Museum asking that it be placed under a separate commission and made an exhibit of a more national character. The Premier, in reply, was impressed with the idea of management of the museum by a commission, providing its members were gentlemen of sufficient leisure and enthusiasm to make such a success of the project as those of the Ottawa improvement commission had done. Precedents from other countries would greatly assist him in reaching a conclusion. He stated that he had heard that the Militia Department's collection of records which, with the national art gallery, he thought, ought to be treasured within the walls of the splendid new building. He asked the deputation to secure facts regarding the management of such museums in other countries by commission.

Hon. Mr. Brodeur's Denial.
Hon. L. P. Brodeur gave an emphatic denial to-day to the story that he is to succeed Lieut.-Governor Pelletier. "There is nothing in it," he said. "I have ceased to pay any attention to these stories, which for years have represented me as intending to resign."

ZAM-BUK CURES PILES.

Maritime Magistrate's Case.
Mr. C. E. Sanford, of Weston, King's Co., N.S., a Justice of the Peace for the county, and a Deacon of the Baptist Church in Berwick, says: "I have used Zam-Buk for piles and found it a splendid remedy. It cured me."

Mr. Thomas Pearson, of Prince Albert, Sask., writes: "I must thank you for the benefit I have received from the use of Zam-Buk. Last summer I had a fever, which left me with piles. I started to use Zam-Buk and found it gave me relief, so I continued with it. After using three or four boxes, it effected a complete cure."

Zam-Buk will also be found a sure cure for cold sores, chapped hands, frost bite, ulcers, eczema, blood poison, varicose sores, scalp sores, ringworm, inflamed patches, babies' eruptions and chapped places, cuts, burns, bruises, and skin injuries generally. All druggists and stores sell at 50c box, or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, upon receipt of price. You are warned against harmful imitations and substitutes. See the registered name "Zam-Buk" on every package before buying.

COOLING OF THE WORLDS.

All bodies in space are gradually approaching frigidity. When a red-hot cannon ball is taken out of a furnace and suspended in the air it parts with its heat and keeps on parting with it until it finally reaches the temperature surrounding it. And what happens to the cannon ball is happening to the sun. The sun is steadily losing its heat and contracting, and the same is true of the planets and of every other body in space. Just as the arctic circle is ever encroaching upon the temperate and equatorial regions, so the final chill is steadily advancing upon the warmth everywhere.—New York American.

Every duty we omit obscures some truth we should have known.

AN EVENING OF SACRED MUSIC

Splendid Performance Given by
Choir of the Methodist Church.

The large congregation which attended the sacred concert at the Methodist Church last evening heard a splendid rendition of some of the choicest selections from the great masters of church music. Under the skilful direction of Mr. C. H. Thorn, the choir was heard to fine effect. It was a well-balanced chorus which Mr. Thorn led, and the different selections were rendered in a manner that gave the greatest pleasure. The unaccompanied numbers were particularly striking, but it would be invidious to specialize, all being given with such beautiful effect. The programme included compositions by Martin, Dudley Buck, Mendelssohn, Sullivan, and other well-known composers, but in the opinion of all present the excerpts from Handel's "Messiah" were really the most appealing of all the numbers on the programme, and in these selections the choir were heard to the greatest advantage. The male quartette rendered a couple of selections which were deeply appreciated, and the solo work of Mr. A. Carpenter and Mr. P. T. Thomas also added to the general success of the evening. Mr. R. Burston, the talented organist of the Methodist Church, was the accompanist, and his accompaniments were played with an artistic discrimination that left little to be desired. His solo numbers were also greatly appreciated.

A very interesting incident of the evening was the brief but very attractive address delivered by the Rev. Dr. Jackson upon "Mendelssohn and his Music," which proved very instructive, and appropriate to the occasion. The greatest credit must be given the choir of the Methodist Church, its devoted leader, Mr. Chas. Thorn, and its organist, Mr. Burston, for the really splendid evening which they afforded all lovers of sacred music last evening, and the large congregation present were united in their wish that it would not be long before another opportunity would be afforded them of hearing another such brilliant performance.

WOULD DO AWAY WITH CUSTOM HOUSES

Says J. J. Hill in Talking of the
Policy of President
Taft.

New York, Dec. 8.—"The political platform of the party which represents the protective principle in this country, the doctrine announced by President Taft and accepted by Republican leaders to-day, if literally acted upon, would dismantle to-morrow every customs house along the international border," said Jas. J. Hill, in a speech read to-night at the Canadian Society's dinner by Dr. Geo. D. Stewart, Mr. Hill's physician. Mr. Hill himself was unable to come on from the West.

"If we are to levy only such imposts," the address continues, "as will equalize the cost of production here and elsewhere—and that is now the universal slogan—then there would be free trade between the United States and Canada immediately."

In support of this statement, Mr. Hill contended that there was virtually no difference in wages or cost of raw products, with few exceptions, in the two countries. "Canada and the United States have failed to improve the opportunity plainly awaiting them," he declared. "It is possible that should these countries fail again, as they have failed so many times in the past, since 1866, to listen to intelligent and self-interest combined with real statesmanship, as embodied in the reciprocity policy, the voice of opportunity may be silenced for ever by the changing circumstances that alter permanently the outlook of nations as well as the fortunes of men. In both nations to-day a thousand interests are calling for a closer and more definite commercial compact."

A. Mitchell Innes, consul of the British Embassy at Washington, opposed the idea that Canada and England would be separated. "People are fond of talking lightly of the inevitable separation of the over-sea dominions from the mother country," he said. "They cannot see the value of connection between the two. If the British Empire were to be broken up it is not so much we ourselves would suffer. It is the world which would suffer, through the failure of this magnificent example to maintain its high standard in the face of difficulties."

REVOLUTION IN HONDURAS NOW

Guatemala City, Guatemala, Dec. 8.—A revolutionary outbreak is threatened in Honduras, and intense excitement prevails throughout the country. Martial law has been proclaimed in the capital and the larger cities of the republic, and the jails are filled with political prisoners. Wholesale arrests of persons suspected of having connection with the threatened uprising are being made on the orders of the President.

There are extra Government troops in Puerto Cortes and Ceiba and the well-to-do residents are fleeing across the border into Guatemala. Advises from Tegucigalpa say President Davilla last Saturday issued an order for the arrest of former President Bonilla.



Gram-ophones
\$15.00 up
Easy
Payments

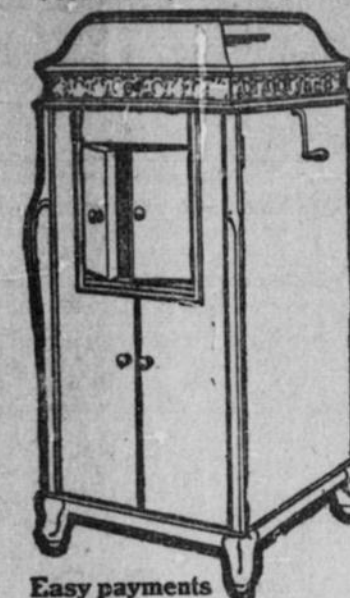
The One Best Christmas Gift

and the one that brings the most grateful
recollections of the giver is to be found in

Victor & Berliner

Never has it been possible before to give so much entertainment and genuine pleasure at so modest an outlay. Think of obtaining for a few dollars the means whereby there is always at one's command the priceless voices of the world's great singers, exquisite instrumental melodies, by famous bands and orchestras, and the best achievements of the kings and queens of comedy. Think of having all this in the home ready to entertain yourself, a few friends or a house full of guests.

Victrolas \$100 to \$300



Easy payments

Berliner Gram-o-phone Co., Limited

MONTREAL

Remember this trade-mark and you can't go wrong.



- Sizes, styles and prices (\$15.00 up) to suit all purses. Over 3,000 selections to choose from.
- Double-sided records are 90c. for the two. Sample by mail on receipt of price and 10c. for postage.
- Call at the nearest dealer's to-day and know what this wonderful entertainer means to you.
- Be sure to hear the VICTROLA.

Victor AND Berliner Gramophones AND Records
ARE ON SALE BY
C. ROBITAILLE
320 ST. JOSEPH STREET - - - QUEBEC

FUNERAL OF MRS. BAKER EDDY

Remains of Christian Science
Leader Laid to Rest With
Simple Rights.

Boston, Dec. 8.—The followers of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, the founder of the Christian Science Church, parted with her visible form to-day at a funeral service that was marked by its simplicity and lack of ostentation; that brought no expressions of sorrow, at least not from her followers; that was surrounded by no trappings of mourning, but which, nevertheless, was sufficiently impressive to linger long in the memory of six score of persons who attended.

Judge Clifford P. Smith, first reader of the Mother Church, read the greater part of the service, which consisted of selections from the Bible, correlative passages from Mrs. Eddy's book, "Science and Health," and a prayer. He was assisted by Mrs. Carol Hoyt Powers, the second reader, who rendered Mrs. Eddy's poem, "Mother's Evening Prayer."

There was no eulogy. The only sobbing heard was from the young granddaughter, Mary Baker Glover, whose crepe-shrouded hat was the only sombre color note in the house.

The spacious parlors where the little gathering sat for eighteen minutes, in calm, grave thought, were bathed in sunlight. A spray of roses lay on the coffin, and here and there about the room was a bouquet, as if for decorative effect. It seemed like one of Mrs. Eddy's metaphysical meetings of years gone by, and one had to glance up at the massive bronze casket to realize the significance of the occasion.

Those who looked for the last time on the features of the leader saw the small, delicate face of a woman seemingly of 60 years instead of 90. The expression on the face of the dead was singularly peaceful and showed

Secure Health

while you may! The first good step is to regulate the action of your sluggish bowels by early use of

Beecham's Pills

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 25c.

NOTICE TO SMOKERS

For The
Holidays

Big Reduction on Cigars

of from

10 to 25%

This ought to fall in nicely with all who intend giving a gift of Cigars, who no doubt are many, as a nice box of cigars is one of the most appreciable gifts that can be given.

Here Are Some of The Brands We Are Offering:

Diaz y Garcia	J. Otero,	Little Lord,	Sparto,
A. F. Garcia,	La Industria,	Upmann,	Portagas,
Alicia,	Romeo & Juliette	Boek,	Henry Clay,
Primeros,	Galbos,	Flor Eminente,	Eldimante,
Ofrenda,	Boston,	Germinal,	La Justicia,
Lord Bacon			

Order a Trial Box To-day

GEORGES PATRY

22 Fabrique Street

Phone 3515

no sign of suffering.

George Glover, of Lead, S. D., son of Mrs. Eddy, and Dr. E. J. Foster Eddy, her adopted son, of Waterbury, Vt., to-day informed the Christian Science officials that, as their mother had expressed a desire that her remains should finally rest at Pleasant View, Concord, N. H., and they would insist upon such final disposition of the body.

At a conference to-day of the sons and Henry M. Baker, representing the trustees of the Eddy estate, and Archibald McLellan, it was said that the matter of a burial place would be finally decided upon.

FIRST PRODUCTION OF

"SALOME" IN LONDON

London, Dec. 8.—No other operatic event remembered in London excited such a sensation as the first performance of "Salome" last night. The censor, who had previously prohibited the opera, consented to its rendition by the Beecham Company on condition that John the Baptist's head should not be exhibited, and that other expurgations be made. The recent withdrawal of the opera in Chicago enhanced the public's curiosity and the application for seats far exceeded the capacity of Covent Garden, which was packed with the prominent members of London society. The newspapers say the

opera as presented was not more repulsive than works like "La Tosca" and "Carmen," and that the Bowdlerized version does justice neither to Wilde nor Strauss.

PROJECTED MILITARY COUP.

London, Dec. 8.—According to special despatches, rumors have reached Berlin and Vienna of a projected coup at Constantinople to establish a military dictatorship. No confirmation of this report has been received here.

"I say, my man, is that dog of yours a mongrel?"
"No, sah; ain't no class to 'm. Jes' common dog, sah."

"A wise physician is more than armies to the public weal."

POPE.

Medical Experience

has conclusively proved that the best, the most reliable and the most uniformly successful tonic wine is

WILSON'S INVALIDS' PORT

(A la Quina du Pérou)

The following are appreciations from practising physicians who have personally tested the merits of Wilson's Invalids' Port—hence their testimony is all the more significant:

Dr. CHAS. L. BARNES, L.R.C.P. & S.
Murray River, P. E. I., says:
"Good Port Wine is a notably hard article to secure, and I believe that 'Wilson's Invalids' Port' which is admittedly a good wine, is a safe article to prescribe in cases of debility or convalescence."
Dr. H. R. MACKAY, M.D., C.M. EDIN.
Rapid City, Manitoba, says:
"I very rarely indeed give a testimonial beyond prescribing the article, which is, after all, what you want, and the best form of testimonial. This I frequently do with your Invalids' Port, and I think it is all that it claims to be and excellent of its kind."
Dr. J. J. DAVIS, M.D., C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lon.
Gananoque, Ontario, says:
"I can recommend 'Wilson's Invalids' Port.' The patients like it and you get results. It is a good tonic."

BIG BOTTLE

774

"AN EXPOSURE"

Your clothes are not exposed to the ripping, tearing winds nor the soot laden rains, when you send them to us.

We use fitted water and the best of soap in the wash.

Our work-rooms are clean and airy, we court comparison with the best of home work.

THE FRONTENAC LAUNDRY

Launderers—Dyers—Cleaners

NOV. 21 MON, WED, FRI

The Famous Rayo

The Lamp with Diffused Light

should always be used where several people sit, because it does not strain the eyes of those sitting far from it.

The Rayo Lamp is constructed to give the maximum diffused white light. Every detail that increases its light-giving value has been included.

The Rayo is a low-priced lamp. You may pay \$5, \$10 or even \$20 for other lamps and get a more expensive container—but you cannot get a better light than the Rayo gives.

This season's Rayo has a new and strengthened burner. A strong, durable shade-holder keeps the shade on firm and true. Easy to keep polished, as it is made of solid brass, finished in nickel.

Once a Rayo User, Always One.

Dealers Everywhere. If not at yours, write for descriptive circular to the nearest agency of the

The Imperial Oil Company Limited.



THOS. DONOHUE

SALE OF SAMPLE BLOUSES

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,
Dec. 9th and 10th

The sample lot of Lingerie Blouses of The Crescent Mfg. Co., all perfectly fresh and of VERY FINE QUALITY, are offered for sale AT THE MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.

THOS. DONOHUE
188 and 194 St. John St.

dec. 9x2

FOR ADVENT.

FISH: Fresh Haddock, Fresh Herrings, Finnan Haddie, Smoked Fillets, Bloaters, Collish, Salt Herrings, Boneless Salmon, also Canned Fish of all kinds.

BUTTER: Fresh and Salt, Creamery Butter
Biscuits of all kinds to suit every taste.
Teas and Coffees, Wines and Liquors, of usual standard quality
GENERAL GROCERIES

M. BOYCE & SON, THE RELIABLE GROCER
19-21 Cote d'Abraham Established 1855, Tel. 294

SCENE OF "GARDEN OF ALLAH."

Biskra, Made Famous by Robert Michens, Attracts Tourists.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox and her husband are spending some time at Biskra, that strange town that Robert Michens made famous by his "Garden of Allah." Possibly no writer has succeeded better in conveying the atmosphere of a locality than Michens has of this queer, sleepy town in Africa, which contains about 8,000 Arabs and 400 French. In proportion it has many more natives than Algiers, and therein lies its charm. The natives are Arabs, Kabyles and Nomads, or tent dwellers, who lead an easy life, living on cous-cous and dried dates. As the sun shines all the year they have little need to work, and the word worry is not in their vocabulary.

The better class of Arabs are fine-looking and aristocratic, but rich or poor they are bright and interesting and possess occult powers to a marked degree. In many cases the lower types seem mind readers. The most interesting diversion for the foreigners since the "Garden of Allah" made the place famous is to walk through the long and narrow native villages about half a mile from the fashionable hotel which the tourists frequent. In fact, after a few drives there is little for foreigners to do but lounge, visit the beautiful public gardens and let the natives, guides and children amuse them.

At night the tourists walk around the streets, which are filled with Arab men and dancing girls of the neighboring tribe of Ouled-Nail, who come here for the season. These girls live in two streets and have a hospital devoted to their exclusive use. If sick or injured they are obliged to go here, where they receive the best of care.

Since Biskra has become celebrated it has, as a rule, been filled with tourists, but the season this year has been poor, both at the Riviera and in Egypt. Even Algiers has felt it, and the wreck of the Balearic Islands occurred to a boat that was frequented by tourists.

Moral "Risks."

It is pointed out by a modern thinker that there is such thing as a moral risk, for when we talk about a "risk" we mean that there is a possibility, but not a certainty, that harm will result. A boy takes a physical risk when he goes skating on that part of the river where the ice is thin. He may fall through and injure his health or lose his life. But when we venture on thin ice in our moral life there is no risk in the matter at all. There is assured catastrophe from the moment we start in that direction. No one can do anything which he knows involves possible moral danger without thereby definitely passing beyond the line of mere danger into positive injury to his character.

China's National Tree.

The tung or wood oil tree is worthily named the national tree of China. It is stately in appearance, with smooth green bark and widespread branches, affording a fine shade. It bears a fruit resembling a shell-bark hickory nut, but as large as a small orange. Each nut contains three triangular seeds similar to small Brazil nuts. The oil is pressed from these seeds, and the refuse is used as a fertilizer. The oil is used principally for polishing woodwork and dressing leather. Considerable quantities are exported. The wood of the tung tree is used for making musical instruments, fine boxes and the framework of small houses. It is free from ravages of insects.

Early History of Rubber.

Rubber is first known to history as a plaything. It was during Columbus' second voyage that Herrera observed that the inhabitants of Haiti played a game with balls "made of the gum of a tree." Even as early as the beginning of the seventeenth century, however, the Spaniards used rubber to waterproof their cloaks, but the fact attracted no attention in the old world, and it was not until the eighteenth century that the rubber industry began. Early writers mention an oil extracted from rubber which was taken medicinally with cocoa.

Muscle and Music.

A story used to be told of Paderewski that he could crack a pane of French plate glass half an inch thick merely by placing one hand upon it as if upon a piano keyboard and striking it sharply with his middle finger. Chopin's last study in C minor has a passage which takes two minutes and five seconds to play. The total pressure brought to bear on this, it is estimated, is equal to three full tons. The average "tonnage" of an hour's piano playing of Chopin's music varies from twelve to eighty-four tons.

The Dinner Horn.

Details in regard to the manner in which meals were served during the dark ages do not abound. It is only toward the twelfth century that we begin to have a little light on this interesting subject. When a meal was ready in the thirteenth century the guests of a castle, with the vassals, were assembled to the sound of a horn, a method of summoning that appears to have been the privilege only of the greatest lords. Some hundreds of years later a bell was used for the purpose.

The Color of the Eye.

The color of the iris is not uniform in any eye. Some eyes have spots, others stripes, still others blotches of white, green, blue, yellow and black, and the eye takes its color from the predominance of one hue. An eye that is considered gray will often be composed of black and yellow. An eye that is thought to be brown will be very dark red with spots of yellow or blue.

Questioning Grandma.

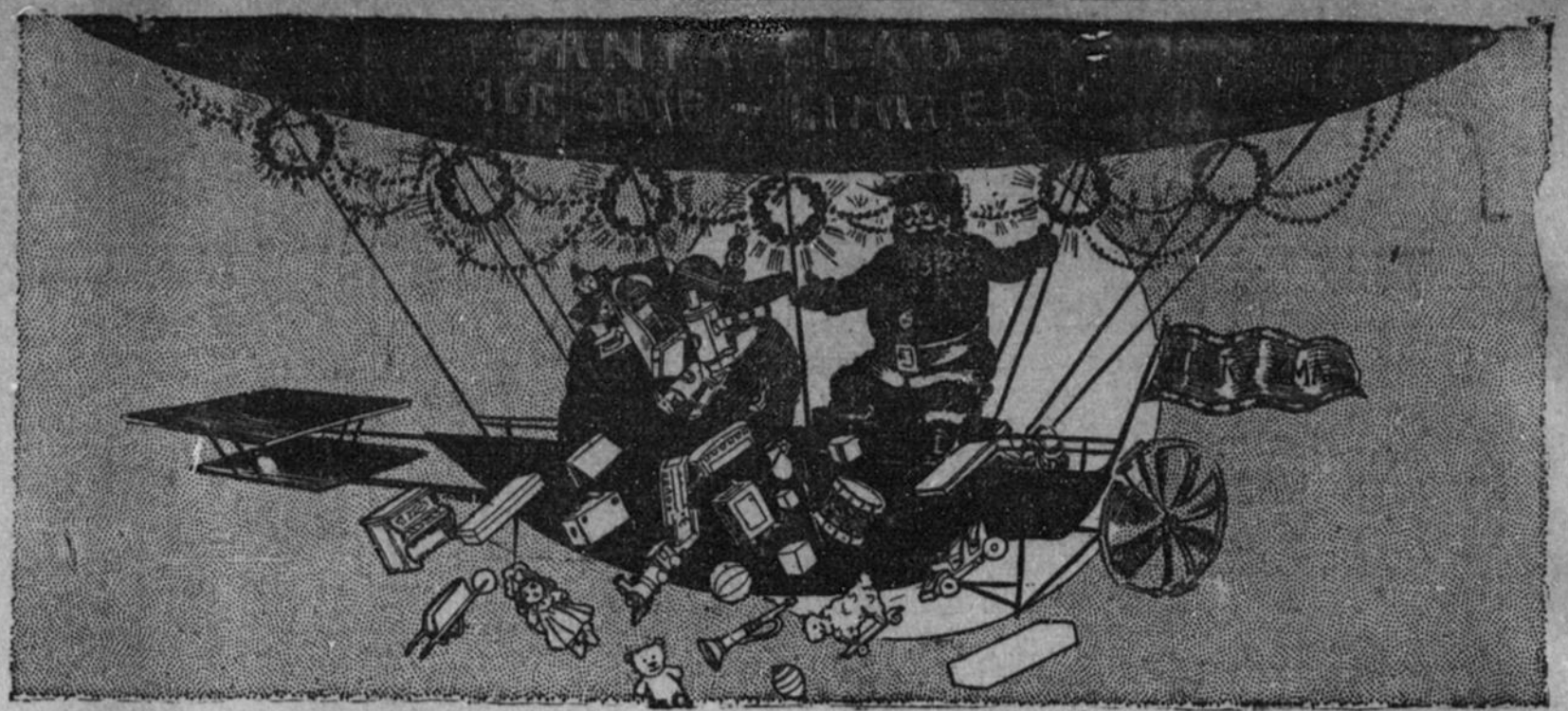
"Grandma," inquired her little grandson the day of her arrival, "did you sleep on your face last night?" "Of course not, dear. Why do you ask that?" "Cause it's all wrinkled."

Flannelette bags made to fit the brooms are most useful. A string should be run in each and tied round the handle of the broom. Thus covered, the broom will be most useful for sweeping down walls, high wardrobes, and even polished floors.

SMOKING JACKETS.

We have just received 50 samples of smoking jackets, and also long dressing gowns.

FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE...



CHALIS.

Colored, for kimonos or matinees, pompadour designs as well as cream ground; colored striped; a great variety.

TOWELS.

We have a large assortment of Towels, in damask linen, hemstitched or fringed; sold at all prices, from \$2.25 to \$9.00 a dozen.

SILK REMNANTS.

All remnants of taffeta silk—black, white and colored—worth 50, 60 and 75 cents, this week 39 cents.

FANCY COLLARS.

Come see the splendid assortment we have of these goods, such as collars, frills, and ties; all of the latest fashions and specially-received for the holiday season.

MATINEES.

Matinees in ecru and white point for ladies, all sizes; special price at \$3.50.

KIMONOS.

Long Kimonos for ladies, in flannelette and colored eiderdown; a great assortment.

SILKS.

15 pieces of Japanese Silk, 27 inches wide, 10 different colors, worth 55 cents; this week 29 cents.

TOWELING.

200 yards of Crash Toweling, with colored border, Imperial quality; special price this week, 15 cents.

SATIN.

Three ends of satin, colored red, pink, and magenta, width 21 inches; worth 60 cents; this week 42 cents.

APPROPRIATE PRESENTS.

Braid belts in pompadour silk with magnificent silver or gold-plated buckle; special value, 50 cents.

LADIES' GLOVES.

Gloves in mocha, tan, lined with wool, one button; special value, \$1.00.

MATINEES.

Matinees in white ecru for ladies; all sizes; special value, \$3.50.

OVERCOATS.

Overcoats in black beaver cloth, lined with muskrat and other, or creamer collar; ready-made or made to order a specialty.

TABLE COVERS & TOILET COVERS.

In embroidered hemstitched linen, in all prices, from 30 cents to \$5.00.

TABLE CLOTHS.

White linen, 72 inches in width, hand-some pattern; worth \$1.10, this week 85 cents.

TOILET COVERS.

In white linen, hemstitched embroidery; sizes 58 and 72; for 30, 40, 55 and 75 cts.

DRESS CLOTHES.

A great variety of cream and white goods, such as popelins, woolen, muslin and cashmere—cloth serge, etc.

FUR SETS.

Small sets in imitation of white furs for children. Ties and muffs are a handsome Christmas present. Price \$1.00.

MATINEES.

200 samples of white and ecru points; the latest novelties; special price \$2.95.

TIES.

Come immediately to choose your ties, while our stock is complete. You will be sure to find what you require and the latest novelties.

If you have not yet visited our Toy Department, come this week during the morning so as to avoid the crowd.

FAGUY, LEPINAY & FRERE.

Quebec Market

FLOUR.

(Per 98 lbs.)

Hungarian patent	\$2.95 to \$3.00
No. 1 strong bakers'	2.50 2.70
Choice family str. bakers'	2.40 2.45
Second bakers'	2.20 2.25
Ninety per cent patent	2.25 2.30
Feed flour	1.70 1.75

FARM PRODUCE.

Manitoba oats, per bu.	\$0.43 to \$0.44
Barley, per bu.	0.48
Pens, boiling, choices	1.36 1.35
Hay, good No. 2, per 1,500 lbs.	8.50 9.50
Clover and mixed hay	13.00 14.00
Straw, sheafed	16.00 16.50
Baled hay, track	15.00 15.50
Potatoes, per bag	0.75 0.85

SUGAR.

Montreal, granulated, bbls. 100 lbs.	\$4.75
Montreal, granulated, bags	4.70
Yellow, bbls.	4.35
Yellow, bags	4.30
Acadia, granulated, bags or bbls.	4.60
Acadia, yellow	4.05

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Wholesale.

Creamery prints	\$0.21½ to \$0.25
Creamery solids, choice	0.25 0.25½
Creamery solids, second	0.23 0.24
Dairy prints	0.22½ 0.23
Dairy solids	0.22½ 0.23½
New cheese	0.13

DRESSED MEATS.

Hogs, dressed, cwt.	\$9.50 to \$10.00
Beef, forequarters	6.00 8.00
Beef, hindquarters	9.00 11.00
Carcasses, good	9.00 10.00
Carcasses, common	6.00 7.00
Mutton	8.50 10.00
Veal	9.00 12.00
Spring lamb	11.00 12.00

POULTRY.

Spring chickens, dressed, per lb.	\$0.14
Live fowl, per lb.	0.12
Turkeys, dressed	0.24
Young turkeys, alive	0.22
Ducks, dressed	0.16

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Fruits—Wholesale.

Apples, bbl	\$4.00 to \$4.50
Bananas	1.75 2.00
Watermelons, each	0.45 0.60
Lemons, box	4.00 4.50
Cantaloupes, crate	4.00
Limes, per box	1.25
Oranges, California, box 4.00	4.50
Oranges, Mexican, box	3.00 3.50

Vegetables—Wholesale.

Green peas, basket	\$0.75 to \$1.00
Cabbage, doz.	0.50
Asparagus, basket	1.75 2.00
Beets, doz	0.40
Can. tomatoes, outdoor	1.75

HIDES.

No. 1 inspected, steers and cows, 11c; No. 2 do 10c; No. 3 do, 9c; country hides, 8 to 8½c; calfskins, city, 11 to 13c; lambskins, \$1.40; horsehides, \$2.75; horsehair, per lb., 30c. Tallow, 6 to 7c.

What Is a Cigar?

Exactly what is a cigar? Is it a drug, a food, a smoke or what? J. Walter Curry, the noted criminal lawyer of Toronto, made the argument before Judge Morson that it was a drug and on that ground had a conviction quashed for illegal selling on Sunday. Another similar case in Toronto will be taken to the Court of Appeal so that an authoritative decision may be given. The wise man will buy his cigars and tobacco on Saturday night and enjoy his usual Sunday smoke without fear of breaking the Lord's Day Act.—Kingston Standard.

ARTHUR PAQUET

MANUFACTURING JEWELLER.

67-69 Joseph St.

Immense stock of Xmas and New Year Gifts on hand. Latest Novelties specially imported for this season. All tastes and purses suited.

Pure White Diamonds from \$10.00 to \$1,000.00. Watches from \$1.00 to \$300.00. Rings, Brooches, Earrings, Watch Chains, Lockets, etc., etc.

ENGRAVING A SPECIALITY

Before making a choice call at this store.

Don't forget the address: 65-67 ST. JOSEPH ST.

Dec 6 to 31 Dec

SUITABLE CHRISTMAS GIFTS

If you desire to give a gift that will be both appreciated and serviceable, give us a call before going elsewhere. See our Window Display.

Silk and Wool Knitted Motor Scarves in all the latest shades from 50c to.....\$3.50

Perfection mufflers with lock fastener, very comfortable in all shades, at.....35c

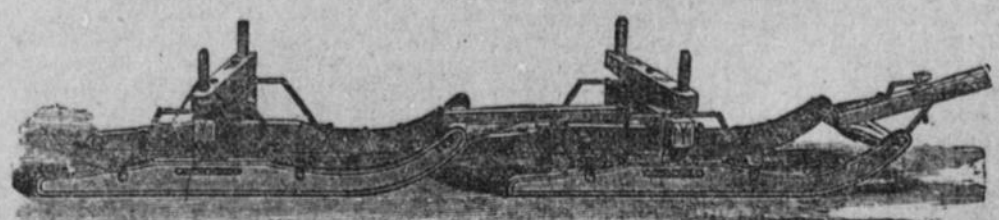
GASPARD HUOT

Phone 1664

106 St. John St.

Dec 31 mo

BOB SLEIGHS of All Kinds



For One or Two Horses

The Sleighs specially built for:

Lumbermen, Wood Merchants, Contractors, Etc.

Now is the time to place your order, we have a complete stock on hand.

Different Sizes, Different Capacities and Best Quality

Ask our Circulars and Prices.

P.T. LEGARE LIMITED

Most advantageous terms.

273-287 ST PAUL ST } QUEBEC
32-38 ST VALIER ST }

Dec 7, 9x2.

Sectional Filing Cabinet

Filing cabinets made in sections have come into such general use that, as with our sectional bookcases, the principle needs no extended description. The modern business office demands expensive equipment that will always harmonize with the original purchase.

Our filing devices offer a complete variety to select from—Vertical Letter Files, Card Index Files, Document Files, Check Files, Legal Blank Files, cap size, Vertical Files, Report Files, Catalogue Files, Insurance Files, etc.

We sell equipment suitable for any system in any business, and we furnish a higher class of equipment at lower prices than the so-called system experts who, to introduce their methods, often neglect the important question of construction, quality and utility.

I. P. DERY & FILS - - - 49 DALHOUSIE ST

tues, thurs, sat.

dec.lxixm

CITY OF QUEBEC.

City Clerk's Office
Quebec, June 11th, 1910.

BY-LAW No. 447
To Amend By-Law No. 364.

(Drawn up in the French Language.)

At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the Twenty-third day of September One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ten (1910), in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by the Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting were present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:

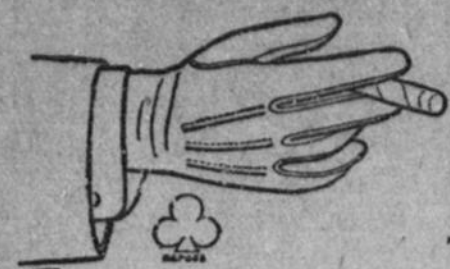
Present: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Campbell, Cannon, Collier, Cote, Cummings, Delisle, Dignan, Emond, Fiset, Gauvin, Guayre, Gosselin, Goulet, Guillot, Jobin, Latier, Levallee, Lavigueur, Madder, Messervy, Monaghan, Morin, Shindler, Trudel and Verret (26).

It is ordained and enacted by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council ordains and enacts as follows:—

10. Article 2 of By-law No. 35 passed by this Council on the 20th April, 1900, concerning the opening certain streets, in the City of Quebec is hereby amended by striking out the words: "And on a length of about one thousand feet."

Attested: **NAP. DROUIN,**
L.S. Mayor.
H. L. S. CHOUINARD

Useful Gifts for The Holidays



**PERRIN
GLOVES**

The World's Standard
of Glove Perfection.

Style — Fit — Durability.



You cannot cook a good Xmas dinner
without a good

Cooking Stove

Just Try Ours

MECHANICS' SUPPLY CO.
80-90 St. Paul Street.



**SLEIGHS
FOR BABIES**

Parlor Suits and Handsome
Odd Chairs

Mirrors in Variety
Furniture Upholstered, Repaired, Polished

D. S. Rickaby
Cabinet Making and Undertaking Establish-
ment

Phone 351 337 St. John St.

**Tombola Xmas Card
Packets**

Our Tombola Xmas card Packets
contain six Assorted Booklets and
Greeting Cards (not Post Cards).
The regular retail price of the
cards in each packet varies from
8 cents to 15 cents. We offer
them while they last at

5 cents per packet

By mail 7 cts per packet

Come and try your luck. Re-
member each and every packet
contains six Assorted Xmas
Booklets and Greeting Cards.

T. H. O'NEILL
248 St. John Street

**Flour, Grain and
General Provisions**
— ALSO —

HAY, OATS
and all
KINDS OF FEED

GEORGE TANGUAY
Lower Town
QUEBEC

TO PURCHASE TOYS.

Don't try any place before going to
Faguy, Lepinay & Frere, where you
can select from 5,000 samples, which
are at your disposal. Just take a
look at our window display.

Press Opinions

The Post Office at Christmas.

"Do your Christmas addressing
plainly" is just as good advice as "Do
your Christmas shopping early." The
postal service is overworked at Christ-
mas time, and many of its troubles
would vanish if parcels were always
addressed legibly and correctly.—To-
ronto Star.

To Celebrate Peace.

There is considerable discussion as
to how best to celebrate the century
of peace between Canada and the
United States. An agreement to sub-
mit to arbitration all matters of dis-
pute for the next hundred years would
be one fitting way to mark the event.
—Kingston Standard.

Worried Editors.

Four of the leading French news-
papers of Quebec Province have been
placed under ecclesiastical ban. It's
bad enough to run a newspaper to
suit the whims and caprices of the in-
dividual subscriber, but what must it
be when a church takes a hand in the
game and dictates what the editor
shall or shall not do?—Hamilton
Spectator.

An Expensive Official.

The population of the Yukon has
now dwindled to about 3,500, but the
gubernatorial magnificence permitted
and encouraged by the Laurier Gov-
ernment is still in full swing. Accord-
ing to the Auditor-General, the com-
missioner in charge of the adminis-
tration of the Yukon cost the people
of Canada:

Salary	\$ 6,000
Living allowance	6,000
Administrator (replaced com- missioner during absence)	2,874
Travelling expenses	947
Expenditure on official resi- dence	21,512
Total	\$37,333

This is not a bad showing for a
man who has no more to worry him
than the Yukon Commissioner. It is
but fair to explain that the amount
given above includes a considerable
sum expended in making the Commis-
sioner comfortable. The Yukon is a
cold place, and so the Commissioner
reposes under a \$50 eider down quilt,
which in turn is covered by a \$50 lace
bedspread, and dines on a \$35 table-
cloth, and his tea is kept warm under
a lace cosy that cost the taxpayers
\$20, while the gong that summons him
to his humble repast only cost \$45. Of
course this sum of \$37,333 does not re-
present all that the Commissioner
cost the country last year, for a part
of the expenditure is hidden away in
the totals of other Yukon services.
Still the amount is large enough to
indicate that the Laurier Government's
generous disregard of cost is as fully
understood in the Yukon as elsewhere.

What of the Future?

Boston Transcript:—"What will be
Christian Science's future? Will it
die with its founder? Was the be-
lief in her own personal immortality
the rock upon which this Church was
built? Probably not. A religion that
was projected by ideas and grew
strong by them will continue through
them. Whether it will not have a
temporary check is another matter."

Effect on Other Denominations.

Philadelphia Record:—"There is no
doubt that Mrs. Eddy and the rapid
spread of her cult have caused great
heart searchings among many of the
orthodox Christians on the subject
of the relation of the Christian religion
to physical health, a subject which
has become very prominent at the
very period when Christian people
have begun to think of religion less as
a means of entering heaven than as an
agency for making the world a better
place to live in."

Much Depends On Successor.

New Haven Journal-Courier:—"The
New Haven Journal-Courier says:—
"Much, perhaps, depends upon Mrs.
Eddy's successor. If she possess the
rare genius and gentle spirit of the
fallen leader, we see no reason why her
followers may not wax even stronger
in their faith."

Things to Recognize.

Syracuse Post-Standard:—"What-
ever may be one's opinion with re-
spect to Christian Science, no one can
fail to recognize that within one gen-
eration has arisen a new faith, having
churches in all the leading cities of
America and Canada and many in
Great Britain, France and Germany;
that its members are not generally
the unthinking, but people of intelli-
gence; that Christian Scientists are
intensely loyal to their Church, and
their generosity is shown in the erec-
tion of beautiful houses of worship."

Will It Prosper?

Baltimore American:—"Will Chris-
tian Science live and continue to pros-
per? Mrs. Eddy has left the cult in
fine physical condition, rich in com-
modious and even costly places of
worship, strong in the high character
of the men and women who are regu-
lar attendants upon its Sunday ser-
vices and earnest believers in all its
teachings. Are those teachings going
to prove a bond of sufficient strength
to keep the cult together, without a
leader, singled out above all the rest
as the final arbiter of every question
that may arise?"

No Other Can Exert Her Power.

Troy Times:—"From the nature of
the case no other personality of this
faith can ever exert the wonderful
power shown by the founder, whose
ability to lead and unite has caused
one of the marvellous episodes in the
course of human thought and religious
faith."

Will Be Judged By Her Church

Cleveland Leader:—"She will be
judged by Christian Science. By that
faith her fame will grow or dwindle."

The Church she made will determine
her ultimate place in the larger view
of history. But nothing can prevent
her from being one of the most strik-
ing and forceful figures in the annals
of the period covered by her triumph-
ant and unparalleled activities."

Church's History a Struggle.

Washington Star:—"A movement
affecting so large a number of people
of all classes of society must neces-
sarily involve pitted, even bitter, con-
troversy. The history of the Church
founded by Mrs. Eddy is one of almost
continuous struggle and conflict with
the civil law on the one side and with
already established religious institu-
tions on the other."

The Weather

Toronto, Dec. 8.—A disturbance from
the Pacific has crossed the mountains and
is centered in Northern Alberta, accom-
panied by milder weather in Alberta and
Saskatchewan. Light local snow falls or
flurries have occurred to-day from the
lake region to the Maritime Provinces,
and rain has fallen in Southern British
Columbia. Temperatures:

Stations.	Min.	Max.
Dawson	*18	*2
Atlin	Zero	6
Victoria	44	48
Vancouver	43	46
Kamloops	34	46
Edmonton	*10	28
Battleford	*12	8
Prince Albert	*10	24
Moose Jaw	*15	18
Quappelle	*12	12
Winnipeg	*6	6
Port Arthur	Zero	10
Parry Sound	12	18
London	12	20
Toronto	19	28
Ottawa	6	10
Montreal	6	24
Quebec	6	16
St. John	20	28
Halifax	10	34

* Below zero.
Lakes and Georgian Bay.—Fine and
cold.

Ottawa and Upper Lawrence.—Westerly
winds; fine and cold.

Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and Mari-
time.—Moderate to fresh westerly winds;
fair and cold, local snow flurries.

**Stamina In Men And
How to Possess It.**

(From "Man's Maladies.")
A prominent physician being asked
the question: "What are the things
in life a man needs most?" answered:
"Physical health, strong nerves, men-
tal efficiency, money and social suc-
cess." Any man possessing these five
attributes is a success. Any man pos-
sessing the first three can be a suc-
cess and have the other two. Posses-
sion of a sound body with strong
nerves is really the requirement which
men need most. Men need stamina,
courage, staying qualities, endurance
and perseverance, but in order to have
these qualities the nerves must be
strong and keenly sensitive to every
emotion. When a man has forebod-
ing, sensations of fear, timidity, ac-
companied with such symptoms as
trembling hands and limbs, weak
voice, nervousness, sleeplessness,
numbness, dizziness, heart palpitation,
restlessness, forgetfulness, melanco-
lia, weariness without cause, and many
others of a similar nature, it cannot
be expected that he will be a success
financially, socially or otherwise.

Strong virile magnetism comes only
to those whose nerves are properly
nourished in a sound body. Nature in
her wisdom has supplied certain ex-
tracts, essences, etc., which, if prop-
erly blended, will restore a normal
keenness to the nerves so that any
man can feel the rich red blood sur-
ging through his body supplying alkali
elements necessary to derive the most
out of life in all its various phases.

For the benefit of those temporarily
deficient in nerve strength the fol-
lowing ingredients can be obtained of
any good druggist and prepared in the
privacy of home. Purchase three
ounces of syrup sarsaparilla com-
pound in a six ounce bottle. Add one
ounce of compound fluid balmwort,
shake and let stand two hours. Then
add one ounce tincture cadomene com-
pound (not cardamom) and one ounce
compound essence cardiol. Mix. Shake
well and take a teaspoonful after each
meal and one when retiring. All dis-
tressing symptoms will soon vanish
and a complete restoration to normal
follows.

See Darlington's advertisement for
Christmas. He is offering a choice
selection of goods suitable for Xmas
presents, and will be pleased to show
the assortment.

PERSONAL

A very charming "at home" and re-
ception was given yesterday afternoon by
Mrs. T. C. Herbert at the Chateau Fron-
tenac, on the occasion of the return here
of Mrs. Walter Sharpe. A large number
of ladies were present and a most enjoy-
able afternoon was spent by all present.
Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe will be here on this
visit for over a month.

Latest arrivals at the Clarendon: W.
B. Kingford, Jos. Beaudry, St. John;
Jos. V. Simard, L. G. Guillet, T. P. Grif-
fith, G. A. Scott, Montreal; H. D. Kim-
ky, Cleveland; Adolph Stain, Fraserville;
A. J. Burton, Vancouver; A. G. Bennett,
D. G. Longaker, A. J. Jebb, Philadel-
phia; E. L. Wood and wife, Calcuttini;
D. E. Demers, St. Pierre.

DR. CLARK GONE

begs to notify the public that he
has reduced his price for remov-
ing corns to 25c during the
month of December.

We would draw special attention
to the announcement in another
column of the annual sale of the Wo-
men's Christian Association, which
opens at eleven o'clock this morning
in the New Building. A splendid op-
portunity to secure suitable Christ-
mas gifts.

PORCH CLIMBERS GOT

AWAY WITH \$8,000.
Detroit, Dec. 8.—Porch climbers last
night entered the residence of Mrs. J.
Elizabeth Buhl, widow of the late Theod-
ore D. Buhl, 1610 Jefferson avenue,
while the family were at dinner, and es-
caped with \$8,000 worth of jewelry and
diamonds.

**ANNUAL MEETING OF
PRESS ASSOCIATION.**

At the annual meeting of the Press
Association of the Province of Quebec
the following officers were elected for
the ensuing year:—

Hon. President—Hon. J. L. Decarie,
Provincial Secretary.
President—J. Dorion.
Vice-President—L. J. Tarte, Joseph
Barnard.
Secretary-Treasurer—George Mor-
issette.
Assistant Secretary-Treasurer—O.
Mayrand.
Directors—H. I. Hellenbourg, U.
Barthe, R. Leduc, J. E. Prevost, L.
Houle, A. Cing-Mars.

The new steamships of the Grand
Trunk Pacific Coast Steamship Co., op-
erating between Seattle, Victoria, Van-
couver, Prince Rupert and the Portland
Canal, are receiving pleasing encomiums
regarding the service they are offering.
At the Grand Trunk Pacific headquarters
a letter has been received from a promi-
nent member of the Government which
reads as follows:

"I made so enjoyable a trip on the
steamer Prince Rupert to the north and
return that I cannot allow the occasion
to pass without congratulating you on
the splendid service of that steamer. Cap-
tain Johnson and his officers are a fine
lot of men, and the service and attention
on the vessel are all that can be desired."

Another letter, which came in by the
same mail, from a prominent traveller,
and which was unsolicited, reads as fol-
lows:
"Along with a couple of friends of
mine I travelled to Prince Rupert early
in October, and I feel that it would be
lacking in appreciation not to let you
know how much we were impressed with
the magnificent steamships you have on
that route. The appointments, food and
service we found all that could be desired,
and as one of the party stated: 'This is
the finest steamship (Prince Rupert) I
have ever had the good fortune to travel
on; the service the best, and the trip the
most interesting I have ever had.'"

FOR SALE

At a Great Sacrifice

1,500 Bushels of Slightly
Damaged Oats, which
must be disposed of
immediately.

Anyone desirous of availing
themselves of the above excep-
tional offer, can inspect the
grain on the Cross Wall of the
Louis Embankment, North-East
side of draw-bridge.

For further information, price,
etc., apply to

P. J. HOLDEN
Ice Merchant

Phone 454. Champlain St.

QUEBEC, 6 DECEMBER, 1910.

LADIES:—

Do you want to give a handsome present for
Xmas, New Year's and at the same time get the
worth of your money.

Come immediately to our branch at No. 179
St. Joseph Street, where you will get the latest
novelties in smokers' requisites at the most reason-
able prices.

As a guarantee we can offer our 25 years expe-
rience in this line of business. We are advertising
one price which is based upon the real value of
our goods.

JOS. COTE,

Importer of Smokers' Requisites and Wholesale Tobacco Dealer, Quebec.

Dec 8, 9, 10, 12, 14

F. SIMARD & CIE.
DOLLS, TOYS and GAMES

Also special counters displaying articles for Christmas Gifts, like Leath-
er Goods, Fancy Goods, Fancy Baskets, Perfumery, Practical Gifts for
the home and hundred of other suggestions.

**A Big Attractive,
Helpful Christmas Store**

The merchandise is spread before you in a way that will make Christ-
mas shopping convenient and easy, in fact a real pleasure. Articles of
merit, of quality, of good looks, articles that are clean and new, articles
that, while not expensive possess an inherent quality that reflects discrim-
inating taste upon the givers and command real appreciation from the re-
cipients, articles of sufficient variety to permit selection of gifts for every
member of the family, yet restricted enough to avoid commonness.

**Visit Every Department Throughout
The Store, It Abounds in
Christmas Gift Suggestions**

**And Save From 10 to 33 Per Cent on The Regular
Prices**

We are not making any contest this year for the reason already given,
but wish that all our customers benefit of our

SPECIAL DISCOUNT SALE

Which is now going on.
Discounts in every department, varying from 10 to 33 per cent.

GENT'S FURNISHINGS.

10 P.C. Discount.

Special all wool Vest, gray with
green, all sizes, regular \$1.50 for .98c.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

15 P.C. Discount.

Special all wool Suiting, serge, 50in.
wide, a good assortment of colors,
regular 90c., special .65c.

CARPETS AND

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

20 P.C. Discount.

Special Axminster Rugs, size 27x54,
different patterns, regular \$3.00 qual-
ity for \$1.98

GLOVES.

10 P.C. Discount.

Special, Alexandre Kid Gloves,
black and colors, regular value \$1.00.
Special .68c.

LACES AND TRIMMINGS.

15 P.C. Discount.

Consisting of all the newest Laces,
Allovers, Braids and Fancy Nets.

TRIMMED AND

UNTRIMMED HATS.

33 1/3 P.C. Discount.

COATS AND SUITS.

25 P.C. Discount.

10% Discount

On the following lines:—Cottons and Flannellettes, Linens, Leather
Goods, Fancy Articles, Hosiery, Embroidery, Blouses and Waists. Kim-
onos and House Gowns, White and Underwear, Oilcloths and Lino-
leums, Toys and Dolls.

F. SIMARD & CIE.

142 St. Joseph St., St. Roch, Quebec

COLUMBIA VARSITY

MAY DROP LACROSSE.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Charlie Querrie's lit-
tle trip to New York to coach the Colum-
bia University lacrosse team, may not ma-
terialize after all. Advice from Gotham
are to the effect that the University Ath-
letic Association has decided that unless
more interest in the sport is manifested
by the students the game will be dropped
and the money laid aside for expenses re-
turned to the treasury. The resignation

of the captain of the Columbia team is
said to be the reason for the apathy ex-
isting at the college.

Fine Beaver Cloth Overcoats with
Creamer Collar, made to order; price
\$40. Style and workmanship guaran-
teed.

Ed. Belanger & Cie,
86 Mountain Hill,
29 Notre-Dame Street.

**Joy and Pleasure
for Children**

Splendid little brass and iron beds, for dolls, with
wire mattresses, also wool mattresses and pillows to fit the
beds. Color: Brass, white, pink and blue

Prices \$1.75, \$3.60, \$4.50

1000 samples of beautiful cream madras, length 1 1/2
yard long, worth \$1.50, sold at 50c.

Rich table covers in every descriptions from \$2.00 to
\$25.00.

Every style of Curtains in our store: Nottingham,
Applique, Irish Point, Brussell Point, Marie-Antoinette,
Venise Point, Point de Lisse, etc., etc.

We have specials jobs in the carpet Department:
Axminsters at \$1.37 1/2 worth \$1.75; Brussels at 84c
worth \$1.35; Tapestry at 65c worth 95c. Also great bargains
in the Axminster and Wilton Rugs, some of them at
30 per cent under their real value.

Having an enormous stock of Linoleums, the raise on
the market has not affected us, we still sell them at the old
price.

P. J. COTE,
Opposite Palace Hill

OPPORTUNITY

**The Day, the Firm and the Place
for Bargains**

Saturday, December the 10th
No. 768 Valier St., St. Sauveur
Myrand & Pouliot's Branch

Dress yourself for the coming holidays; enjoy the best bargains
ever offered in ready-made garments for children.

LADIES' AND MEN.

There is no humbug in here, but this is a timely offer of which
you should take advantage. Read carefully.
Overcoats, sizes from 35 to 37, auto collar or double breasted,
price for Saturday.....\$2.99

Overcoats for boys, sizes 25 to 32, special price for Saturday
.....\$3.90

Men's overcoats, all styles, black or color; the one you will pre-
fer; no matter if the price is \$13.00, \$14.00, \$15.00 or \$16.00. One to
your taste at\$9.95

Men's ready made suits, \$4.95. Hurry as there are only a few of
them; beautifully trimmed children's suits, Saturday.....\$2.79

A good many pairs of men's pants, all sizes, assorted colors,
cheap at \$2.50 for.....\$1.69

Blankets, a special line of blankets, good weight, nicely striped,
worth at least \$5.00 for\$3.98 a pair

25 per cent off on any ladies' coats that we have in stock.

20 percent off on all ready made clothes, excepting the lines
offered above.

Remember: No. 768 Valier St., St. Sauveur.

Myrand & Pouliot's Branch

Formerly