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CORONATION OF PIUS X. HAS BEEN DEFINITELY FIXED FOR SUNDAY NEXT

The New Pope Accedes to the Wishes of the Cardinals—— Receptions at the Eternal City To-day —Many Congratulations.

Rome, August 5.—The Pope, yielding to the pressure exercised by the foreign cardinals, who are desirous of returning to their respective countries as soon as possible, has decided that his coronation shall take place next Sunday.

Rome, August 5.—Pope Pius X. rose at 5.30 this morning, saying that he did not wish to change his habits. He slept last night in the apartment occupied by Cardinal Oreglia during the interregnum, located on the first floor of the Vatican. No decision has yet been taken concerning the Pontiff's ultimate quarters, but it is said that he desires to be extremely modest.

At 7.15 the Pope said mass, assisted only by Monsignor Bressan, his conclavist. He afterwards took breakfast, which consisted of coffee, milk and a roll. Then, as he stood against the window, from which he caught a glimpse of the gardens of the Vatican, the Pontiff exclaimed:

WILL EXPLORE GARDENS.

"My first pleasure, when I can spare a moment, will be to explore the gardens, which now confine my little world.

"Heigho! How shall I get on without my long country tramps? How I shall miss them, and my sea."

Pope Pius wished to see personally most of the innumerable telegrams of congratulation received, giving instructions for the answers to those for whom he cared most and looked at the copies, changing here and there a word. Then he prepared for this morning's state reception of the cardinals in the Sistine chapel, which during the night had been cleared of its temporary furniture, used for the ballots, and was assuming its normal aspect.

THE THIRD OBEDIENCE.

The third and last obedience of the Sacred College was consumated this morning with the same ceremonial as before in the Sistine Chapel, the Pope being in his full Pontifical robes and restored in mind and nerves by a night's rest. The Cardinals filed before him and kissed his hand and foot all smiling and apparently in a perfectly contented frame of mind. They then in turn received a hearty embrace from Pius X. The music was directed by Abbe Perosi, who was the Pontiff's protege, all present remarking how the Sistine Choir had improved its method since being under the Abbe's care. Every available corner of the small chapel was filled this morning, and those present seemed to forget Pius X. in their pleasure in the magnificent harmony of the voices of the choir, and the feast of colour as they rested their eyes on the pictures before them.

POPE WALKED BOTH WAYS.

The ceremony ended about noon.

Both going to and coming from the Sistine Chapel, when he passed through the Rapheal Loggia and the Ducal Hall, the Pope refused to be carried in the Sedia Gestatoria, which, however, followed him. After taking a few steps, he turned to Mgr. Bisleti, and said: "I shall never voluntarily get into that box."

A Te Deum was sung this morning in the Sistine Chapel in honour of the election of the new Pope. All the Cardinals were present except Herrero, who is still ill in his cell, although somewhat better than yesterday.

This morning the Pope confirmed in their posts as secretary Chamberlains Mgrs. Zichy, Scapinelli, Misciatelli and Sanz De Sampere, and confirmed the Marquis of Serlupi as Master of the Horse, and Monsignor Silli, as Dean of the Grooms. He appointed Monsignor Galli secretary of Latin letters to replace Mgr. Tarozzi who is ill, and also Mgr. Sardi as secretary for the briefs to the princes to replace Mgr. Volpini who recently died.

RECEIVED PRINCE MASSINO.

Pope Pius has received Prince Massino, the head of the Papal section of the Roman Aristocracy, who was accompanied by his daughter-in-law, Princess Beatrice, the daughter of Don Carlos. The Pontiff seemed especially glad to see her, saying: "We are from the same town. Your father is my friend, and I have not forgotten his amiability in coming to see me off at the station, when I left for the conclave, little imagining that I would ever see my beloved canals again. I hope your Royal father will soon come to our court."

Receives American Pilgrims.

Rome, August 5.—Pope Pius X. to-day received the members of the American pilgrimage to Rome, led by Father McGowan, of New York. This constitutes an event of considerable significance, the American pilgrims being the first to be submitted to the presence of the new Pontiff.

SARTO RECEIVED FIFTY-FIVE VOTES.

An Interesting Story of the Four Days' Voting—A Combination Against Rampolla.

Special to The Montreal Star.

New York, August 5.— The New York Sun's Rome correspondent says the method by which Sarto came to be elected Pope on the seventh ballot was explained by the Cardinals to-day.

The supporters of Rampolla voted solidly for him on the early ballots, eventually mustering thirty votes. Rampolla's opponents divided their votes between Vannutelli and Gotti, the Austrian and German Cardinals supporting Gotti.

On Sunday Cardinals Vincenzo Vannutelli, Satolli and Agliardi consulted the German party and pointed out that a division of the opponents of Rampolla probably would result in his election. Cardinal Kopp replied that he would not insist upon the selection of Gotti, but would only support a religious, non-political candidate. Satolli then suggested Sarto, and he was accepted immediately by the Germans, who hold him in high esteem.

On the next ballot Sarto received twenty votes. Then the French Cardinals transferred their votes to Sarto, whose total on the next ballot, with other accessions, was 37. That evening Sarto begged his intimate friends to desist from supporting him, but they pointed out that it was his duty to accept any responsibility that Heaven might impose. Next morning he received fifty-five out of sixty-one votes.

It was ascertained definitely to-day that Mgr. Merry Del Val has not been created a Cardinal.

There are rumours that the Pope suffers from a weak heart, but no authority is quoted in support of such a statement.

LEADING CHURCHMEN DISCUSS THE ELECTION OF THE NEW POPE.

Special to The Montreal Star.

St. John, N. B., August 5. — Bishop Casey, of the diocese of St. John, in speaking of the choice of Cardinal Sarto as Pope, said:

"The Welcome news will be received with joy by the Catholic world, and it is evident, too, that non-Catholics participate in the interest attaching to the election of a new Sovereign Pontiff. That the new Pope is eminently fitted for the exalted position there can be no doubt in the Catholic mind, since he was chosen by such competent judges as at present comprise the Sacred College. The new Pope shows close accord with the older ones amongst us in the church, when he sufficiently venerates the name of Pius as to assume it as his own, calling himself Pius X. Many in the world still have the fondest recollection and veneration for the last Pope who bore that name. The present Pontiff shows that he is of the same spirit, and we doubt not that he will prove himself worthy of the great name he has chosen."

After the 11 o'clock service on Sunday the Te Deum will be sung in the Cathedral as an expression of joy in the election of a new Sovereign Pontiff.

MGR. FALCONIO.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Washington, August 5.—Mgr. Falconio, the Papal Delegate, when asked to discuss the possible policy of the new Pope, said: "How can I when I don't know it. How can I predict when I hardly know him. I have been told that as cardinal the new head of the church has not visited Rome. Then he has taken little part in church affairs outside of his own pastoral duties. That is, he is a pastoral man. At Venice he is loved, and that speaks well for him. He has been made the choice of the church. That is enough. As to his policy, I can say nothing. My position would not permit it, even if I knew."

ARCHBISHOP IRELAND.

St. Paul, Minn., August 5.—Archbishop Ireland, m speaking of the new Pope, said:

"So far as known, Cardinal Sarto, now elected Pope, is a man of deep learning, and recognized prudence of action.

"He enters upon the Pontificate free from all entangling alliances, free in every way to carve out for himself his own career.

"The election of Cardinal Sarto is not a surprise.

"It was evident from the beginning that if one outside of Rome was to be chosen that one would be Cardinal Sarto, and a not uncommon course of conclaves is to take as its candidate one outside the Eternal City, so that his future administration may be from the beginning one entirely manifestly inspired by his own wisdom and knowledge of affairs."

(See also pages six and twelve.)

MUCH MYSTERY IN LIBERAL CIRCLES

It Is Said That Premier Is Anxious to Retire.

FRENCH MEMBERS OBJECT

Mr. Fielding Credited With Desire to Lead—Sir William Mulock Objects.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—There was an air of mystery and excitement in the corriders and about the smoke room last evening arising out of the movements of the Quebec members, both French and English-speaking. Just before the House met the whole of the Government supporters from Quebec met the Premier and Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick in Hon. W. S. Fielding's room, while between 10 and 11 o'clock another meeting too place, at which Mr. Fielding met the majority of the members. The greater secrecy is maintained by all parties. The rumour which is current, however, is that the Quebec members are on strike.

It is current gossip about the House that Mr. Fielding has refused to go to the country, in case the Redistribution Bill passes, except as Premier. Some time ago it was reported that there was an understanding amongst the Ministers that unless the Premier's health materially improved he would retire, and that the Minister of Finance would succeed him. Now it is said that Mr. Fielding is anxious to seize upon the reins of Government, and make the next appeal to the country in his own name.

To this, two parties are said to object. Sir William Mulock is reported to be dissatisfied with this arrangement, and the Quebec representatives.

The meetings of last evening are stated to have been held for the purpose of the Quebec members having an opportunity to enter their protest. The reasons are twofold. One is that they do not desire to see Sir Wilfrid Laurier step down and out. The second that certain articles written by Mr. Fielding from 1885 to 1887 and published in the Halifax Chronicle, would render him unpalatable to the Quebec people, and that they would not be certain of carrying the Province.

Such is the story, developments will show the results.

ANOTHER VERSION OF STORY.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto August 5.—The Mails and Empire's Ottawa correspondent says: "There is perturbation in the Liberal camp and all sorts of rumours were flying around the corridors to-night. About 8.30 nearly every Liberal member from Quebec assembled in Mr. Fielding's room and were in caucus there with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fitzpatrick for nearly two hours. The object of the meeting, it is said, was to consider a proposal for the retirement of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, on account of ill-health. Lady Laurier is insistant upon her husband quitting political life, and the great question is whether this shall be immediately after the session of Parliament or after the general election.

The French Liberals dread an appeal to the country without Laurier at their head, and it is said they were most emphatic that he must remain Prime Minister until after the elections. At the caucus the Manitoba school issue came up accidentally and Sir Wilfrid took the sense of his followers on the question, urging their acquiescence in his proposed policy of "jollying," the minority in Manitoba for a further indefinite period.

RECONSTITUTION OF PRIVY COUNCIL.

Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick's Defence Pleases Judicial Lords.

(Special Cable from our London Correspondent.)

London, August 5.—The Lords of the Judicial Committee received to-day, with much satisfaction, the defence of Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Minister of Justice, made recently in the Canadian House of Commons, taking direct issue with the Australasian critics of Privy Council. At the same time, unofficial friends of Canada hope the full weight of Canadian authority will be given to the movement for the reconstitution of the Judicial Committee upon more dignified and more fully representative lines.

WINDERMERE.

GOLDWIN SMITH ON GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC.

Says Undertaking is An Attempt to Force Traffic Out of Its Proper Channels.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto, Ont., August 5.—"We need not question the patriotism of the Government in undertaking to build this new transcontinental railway, or doubt that Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues have done their best to guard the interests of the country," says Golwin Smith in the Farmer's Sun to-day. "The speech in which the Premier advocated his policy seems to have been deservedly admired. But the undertaking is another attempt to force communication and transportation out of their natural and commercial lines into those of political sentiment. It will ultimately share the fate of other attempts of the same kind. No eloquence will exempt a sub-Arctic railway from having to bear the incubus of unremunerative tracts of desert and the difficulties of a sub-Arctic winter. The Canadian Pacific Railway was to be a great national road. It was to be exclusively national, and Sir George Cartier swore that no American should ever have a share in it. In Europe the railroads do not tend to nationality, they run straight through various nationalities and Governments. Yet, nobody has ever suspected their national character suffered by the straight run from London to St. Petersburg. Is it any consciousness of weakness that makes us so sensitive on this point?"

More Finlanders Banished.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Helsingfors, August 5.—Four more distinguished Finlanders have been banished, namely, Axel Wahren, a country gentleman and a landowner in the province of Tavastehus; Michael Linden, a lecturer at the training college at Ekenaes; Baron Vontroil, secretary of the Court of Appeal at Vaas, and known as the champion of the labouring classes, and Gustav Aminoff, the deputy burgomaster of Kalkox.

CANADA'S INTERESTS WILL BE PROTECTED

Chief Justice Alverstone Will Be Guided Solely by the Evidence.

AN ALASKAN COMMISSION

Denial of Silly Story That Britain Would Sacrifice Canada for American Friendship.

(Special Cable from the Montreal Star Correspondent in London.)

London, August 5.—I am asked to give unqualified contradiction to a recent London cablegram in Canadian journals that Lord Alverstone intends to decide against the Dominion, when the time comes for the Alaskan Commission to give its award. The cablegram suggested that this step would be dictated solely by diplomatic reasons, the friendship existing between Great Britain and the United States being too important in the eyes of British diplomats to be imperilled even for the sake of Canada.

I am assured that the statement has no possible basis. The Lord Chief Justice is no politician. He is the head of the English judiciary, and will be actuated in his decision solely by the evidence when formally presented to the Alaskan tribunal. No other thought is possible to Englishmen, and much regret is expressed here that such a thought should be possible to any Canadian.

WINDERMERE.

DIVIDEND OF BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

Half Year Declaration is at Rate of 6 Per Cent.

(Special Cable from our London Correspondent.)

London, August 5.—The Bank of British North America has declared an interim dividend, the same as last year, of 30 shillings per share for the half-year ending June 30, being at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum. The bank carries forward £5,400, compared with £6,000 last year.

WINDERMERE.

FLOATING TEMISKAMING RAILWAY BONDS.

An Issue of $2,750,000 Offered on London Market.

(Special Cable from our London Correspondent.)

London, August 5.—The Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway Commission insert advertisements in to-day's papers, inviting tenders for $2,750,000 of 3½ per cent. 30 year gold bonds, consisting of 5,500 bonds of $500 each, guaranteed by the Province of Ontario. Tenders are receivable at Toronto up to September 12.

The Chronicle commenting on the issue says: "The railway will inevitably be extended north a distance approximately 60 miles to connect with the projected Grand Trunk Pacific.

WINDERMERE.

SEEKING HARVEST HANDS IN ENGLAND.

Mr. Preston Inserts Invitation in British Press.

(Special Cable from Our London Correspondent.)

London, August 5.—Mr. W. T. R. Preston, Commissioner of Immigration, issues an invitation in the press for harvest workers to come to Canada, urging that they must leave at once. The men unacquainted with farming are told that they must be willing to accept $10 monthly the farmers being responsible for their board and lodging. Agriculturists are promised $20 to $25 monthly, with board and lodging.

Persons desiring situations as clerks or shop assistants are not advised to emigrate unless proceeding to appointments already secured or to join friends.

WINDERMERE.

ANTI-CHAMBERLAINITES SHORT OF ARGUMENTS.

(Special Cable from our London Correspondent.)

London, August 5.—The failure of the Pacific Cable to realize a profit is being made a ground of attack upon Chamberlain in anti-Chamberlainite journals. A correspondent of the Chronicle says that though Mr. Chamberlain doubtless has the capacity of managing his own financial affairs, it is quite clear his counsel is not to be trusted in connection with national finance.

Impartial critics admit the gross unfairness of this attack.

WINDERMERE.

"Get the Habit"

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VISITED THE SITE OF NEW LOOK-OUT

City Fathers Journeyed Up the Mountainside To-day.

ARCHITECT EXPLAINS PLAN

It is One-Third Completed and Thirteen Hundred Dollars Have Already Been Spent.

Ald. Couture, Martineau, Wilson and Turner, members of the Parks and Ferries Committee, the sub-committee appointed to inspect the building of the new lookout on the mountain, visited the place to-day. Accompanying the committee were Ald. Lebeuf, Mr. Henderson, park ranger; Mr. Pinoteau, head gardener of Lafontaine Park, and Mr. Beaugrasd, architect, who prepared the plans for the new lookout. Members of the press also inspected the structure.

When the lookout was reached the architect took the visiting committee in hand and explained the structure which has caused so much adverse criticism. A third of it has now been completed and the sum of thirteen hundred dollars has been spent. Mr. Beaugrand said the statement had been made by aldermen that before the structure was completed it would cost several thousand dollars. This, he said, was incorrect. To show his good faith he said he would be willing to tender for its completion for $2,000 more; this would make the lookout cost $3,500, instead of $1,500 as was expected.

Explaining the structure, Mr. Beaugrand showed that it was in the form of a horse shoe. The old lookout was to be torn down and the lumber used in the construction of the new building. From his point of view, when completed, the lookout would be quite beautiful, and too good to go into "a back yard," as Ald. Nelson had put it. The height of the lookout will be fifteen feet. It is constructed of white birch and at one end will have an awning, so as to prevent the sun annoying visitors who are enjoying a view of the city. The new structure is very much higher than the old one.

HELD A CONSULTATION.

After the explanations the aldermen held converse together. The general opinion was that the new lookout was much too high; it was probable that some riotous winter night the roof of the towering structure might be carried away and deposited in some of the streets. Exception was also taken to white birch being used in construction. It was shown the outer bark would soon be torn off by visitors; then again, birch would not stand much exposure. On the whole the aldermen thought that if a goodly sum was spent on the new venture, and if it was made a little more substantial it would be quite presentable.

It was finally decided to report to the Parks and Ferries Committee not to stop the work at once, but to wait till the whole $1,500 had been spent. Work could then be stopped as there would be no more cash on hand.

It was also decided to go before the Finance Committee, lays all the facts before ance Committee, lay all the facts before the structure. Members of the Parks Committee had heard that the Finance Committee had decided to tear the structure down owing to it not being a thing of beauty, and on account of it costing more cash than what was at first stated.

The deputation agreed to try and soften the hearts of the members of the Finance Committee in this connection.

Before leaving the mountain the committee visited a number of new lavatories that had been erected at the urgent appeals of Ald. Lebeuf, and it was decided that they were a great improvement over the old buildings.

C. P. R. CHAIRMAN RETURNS AFTER VISIT TO TORONTO.

Sir William Van Horne returned to the city this morning after a trip to Toronto, where, as chairman of the Board of Directors of the C.P.R., he offered the first general criticism which has come from the opposition line on the Grand Trunk Pacific project.

Sir William takes the ground that the Government's proposition does not solve the transportation problem for the Canadian West.

FRANCE AND ENGLAND.

New Prospect for Good Feeling Opened Up.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Paris, August 5.—Baron D'Estournells, writing to Minister of Foreign Affairs Decasse, says that the co-operation of the British and French Parliaments as revealed in the recent visit of French legislators to London, has opened a new prospect. France and England ought first to conclude a treaty of arbitration; secondly, agree with one another and with Russia, to a diminution of armaments, and thirdly, settle amicably the disputes which have been pending during the last twenty years. With goodwill on both sides, he says, a general agreement with England is possible within a few months.

Jews Leave Russia.

St. Petersburg, August 5.—According to advices from Elisabethgrad, the Jewish emigration to America from the Province of Kherson is rapidly increasing. Three hundred Jewish families started for the United States in June, while during July ten to twenty families left daily for the same destination.

Britain Will Not Agree.

London, August 5.—In the House of Commons to-day, Premier Balfour, in reply to Henry Norman, announced that instructions had been sent to the British Minister at Pekin not to agree to the Chinese Government's demand for the surrender at Shanghai of the editor and staff of the Chinese reform organ, Supao.

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SS. HOLMLEA ASHORE OFF NEWFOUNDLAND

The steamship Holmlea from Montreal to Fleetwood, England, is ashore off Point Rich, Newfoundland.

The steamer loaded deals for Robert Cox and Co. at this port, and sailed a week ago last Tuesday, the 28th of July.

From the information obtainable, it appears that the steamer ran ashore at Point Rich on Friday last. According to the last despatches, she is making no water, but, in spite of the endeavours of two French cruisers, is still fast aground.

It appears that two cruisers flying the French flag discovered the plight of the Holmlea, and gave her a line with the idea of setting her afloat again. Their endeavours were in vain, however, as she appears to be stuck hard and fast.

The vessel which has a gross tonnage of 1,781 and is of 1,143 net tons, has on board 780 standards of deal, which are worth about $40,000. The vessel is owned by G. P. English, and her agents in Montreal are McLean, Kennedy and Company.

The Holmlea, while not a large vessel, was rated 100 A 1 in Lloyds. She was built in 1891 by W. Grey and Co., of West Hartlepool, and has a length of 260 feet, a breadth of 36 feet, and is 18 feet beam. This is the first cargo of lumber in connection with which Messrs. Cox and Company have had occasion to ask damages from the insurance companies for a number of years, though they are large shippers.

Wants Partnership Dissolved.

Mr. Emile Schwartz, through his attorney, Mr. F. S. Maclennan, K.C., yesterday took action for the dissolution of the partnership existing between the plaintiff and Mr. Joseph Schwartz, under the name of J. and E. Schwartz. In the affidavit accompanying the declaration, the plaintiff alleges that his partner has violated the parnership agreement, and refuses to arbitrate differences which have arisen. The action is accompanied by a conservatory attachment of the funds of the firm in the Eastern Townships Bank, and the whole of the stock in hand, plant and other assets.

Tour of Company's Lines.

Mr. P. Bell, chief clerk of the advertising department of the C. P. R., has left on an extended tour of the company's lines West.

A Will and Three Weddings.

In Warsaw recently a banker died and left his entire fortune to which ever of his three nieces—daughters of three different brothers and sisters—married first. The parties interested in this provision were present when the will was read, and all of them took immediate steps to secure the prize. By procuring special licenses and taking other unusual measures it was found that the earliest possible time for a wedding to take place was at 8 o'clock on the morning of the tenth day after the will had been read. Before noon on that day all three nieces appeared at the natory's office with certificates showing that they had all become wives between 8 and 8.15 o'clock that morning, though not one of them had even been engaged when the will was read. All three claimed the fortune, and the courts solved the difficulty by dividing it into equal parts.

A Notable Philanthropy.

M. Chauchard, head of the Magasins du Louvre in Paris, has handed over his superb property at Versailles for the benefit of all his employes who can show at least twenty-five years' service, and do not receive more than $800 a year. The immense park has been divided into 105 lots, so as to ensure to each meritorious servant a holding of about 600 square yards. The land is given free, and the employes can erect houses to their liking. So pleased are they with the gift that a building society has been formed, and it is expected that by next October a little colony will be well started. A small castle occupies a place on the estate, and this will be converted into small flats for the accommodation of aged bachelors.

Russia and Japan.

On the one hand is a mighty nation conscious of great and pressing needs born of its own evolutionary forces; conscious also of its almost limitless power. On the other is practically a new nation with unbounded faith in itself and quickly responsive to the impulse of its expanding national life. These two are in head-on collision if they proceed with their diverse interests, and under these conditions it is almost impossible to prevent the generation of friction. Russia and Japan can win no glory in the pages of future history by an appeal to force, but they can illumine them by an exhibition of forbearance and mutual justice under trying circumstances. — Boston Transcript.

The Flood of Immigrants.

The remedy is to be found in a wider distribution of the flood. Scattered throughout the union a million foreigners would exert but little influence, and in the course of a few years they would acquire a knowledge of American ways and institutions. Their children would grow up in the midst of an American envio nment, and, learning the English language and attending public schools, they would become American in every sense. The country is big enough and has sufficient resources to accommodate many more people than will come, even though they come at the rate of a million a year for the next half century.—Denver Republican.

"From Darkness to Dawn."

The management of Sohmer Park has engaged Mons. von Palm, of New York, to produce his grand spectacle, "From Darkness to Dawn." Fifty young ladies are wanted for it. All those willing to take part should apply to Mons. von Palm, at Sohmer Park office, from 10 to 12 a.m.

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Special Notice.

To Read.

Do not miss to read the Marchand Ready-to-Wear ad. in to-morrow's papers.

Coverton's Nipple Oil a sure cure for cracked or sore nipples. Price 25c. For sale by all druggists. D. Watson & Co., 444 St. Paul St., Agents. 178 tf

Taasjo, or jerked beef, is the principal export of Uruguay, the amount being 8,500,000 lbs. per annum. The great market for it is Cuba.

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He Confessed to the Murder of a Young Girl.

SHERIFF WAS POWERLESS

One Thousand Men Took Part in the Lynching—Body Left in Air.

Asotin, Wash., August 5.—Despite the efforts of Sheriff Richards, of Asotin county father of the victim, who had sworn in 25 deputies to guard him, William Hamilton, a well-to-do farmer, the self-confessed murderer of little Mabel Richards, was forcibly taken from the Asotin county gaol shortly after midnight and lynched by a mob of over 1,000 men, which had been congregating all yesterday from all parts of Asotin county. The officers and guards were overwhelmed by the mob, and the keys were taken from the gaoler. When Hamilton's cell was reached no key could be found, and the mob sawed at the bars until the door could be opened, and after about 15 minutes' delay the prisoner was dragged out of the cell and down into the yard. Meanwhile another company of masked men kept back the crowd which had filled the streets all night.

As the prisoner came from the gaol yard masked men clutched the murderer's arms. Beside him, another masked man pressed closely, with his hand over the murderer's mouth. As the group came forward the masked men who had been guarding the entrance to the gaol formed a linked chain about the captive and captors, and in this manner they proceeded, keeping the crowd at a respectable distance.

When the lynchers, with Hamilton, reached First and Fillmore streets, they halted under a guy wire which crosses the street and connects electric light poles. Here one of the leaders asked Hamilton if he wanted to confess. He did so. Finally he asked that his jewellery, some trifling trinkets he had in his possession, and his watch be given to his father and mother. Then there was another delay while the manner of Hamilton's death was under discussion. Some of the mob wanted to torture him, but the original programme prevailed, and it was decided to hang him. A black mask was put over Hamilton's head. It reached down to his shoulders. The rope was then placed about his neck and thrown over the guy wire. It was seized by many hands, and the body lifted about four feet off the ground. The man began to gasp for breath and his efforts were plainly discernible a distance of two blocks. After Hamilton's body had been held long enough to make certain that he was dead, the rope was tied to the telegraph pole, and the body left suspended. The crowd, satisfied that he had breathed his last, quietly dispersed and the streets were soon deserted.

EIGHT HUNDRED PERSONS DROWNED AT CHE FOO, CHINA.

Berlin, August 5.—A despatch received here says 800 persons were drowned in the disastrous floods which occurred at Che Foo, China, July 27.—The bridges within the city and many houses with their occupants were swept away in the torrent. Two thousands of the inhabitants are left without means of subsistence.

Che Foo is a city in the province of Ngan Hoei, not far from the Yangtse-Kiang, and about twenty miles from the city of Ngan King.

RUMOUR DENIED.

No Attempt Made on Life of King Alfonso of Spain.

Madrid, August 5.—In consequence of a rumour that an attempt had been made on the life of King Alfonso, the Government has issued a statement officially contradicting the report and further denying that the King is indisposed.

Rescued From a Tenement.

New York, August 5.—Policemen and firemen contested for honours and heroism in a Brooklyn tenement house fire early to-day. Over 20 persons, whose escape had been cut off by the flames, were rescued in their night clothes by firemen, two policemen caught a mother and child who leaped from a third story window, and several firemen stood over a tank of gasoline, which was surrounded by fire, and prevented its explosion. The money loss was not large.

School of Methods.

Toronto, August 5.—The Central Y. M. C. A. has this week opened the first training school ever held in Canada for the instruction of secretaries, physical directors and committeemen in the most up-to-date methods of association work. The students registered number about a dozen, and among them places represented are Ottawa and Quebec. The instructors in attendance include J. E. Merritt, Montreal, in physical work. The course of instruction will last two weeks.

School Teacher Shot Himself.

Special to The Montreal Star.

St Stephen, N. B., August 5.—J. B. Sutherland, Principal of Milltown schools, New Brunswick, accidentally shot himself this morning while out shooting crows at Oak Bay. He was at once brought into Chipman Hospital, where one foot has been amputated just below the knee. The other foot though badly lacerated may be saved.

Mr. Meigs, M.P., Ill.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—Mr. Meigs, M. P., was taken suddenly ill in the smoke room of the House of Commons last evening, about 7.50 o'clock. He was removed to No. 16, and later to his hotel. He is suffering from a severe bilious attack, partly induced by the prolonged sessions of the House.

Russians Disappointed.

St. Petersburg, August 5.—Although disappointed at Cardinal Rampolla's defeat, the newspapers accept Sarto's election with good grace. They regard it as a compromise between the followers of Cardinals Serafino, Vannutelli and Rampolla, and therefore deny that the German element has won a victory. The new Pontiff is regarded here as the possessor of statesmanlike, practical and administrative qualities, and one who will pursue a cautious political policy and as most likely to effect changes in the religious field of the church rather than in its political sphere.

THE PRESIDENT A Slave to Catarrh.

Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder Relieves in ten Minutes.

D. T. Sample, president of Sample's Installment Company, Washington, Pa., writes: "For years I was afflicted with Chronic Catarrh. Remedies and treatment by specialists only gave me temporary relief until I was induced to use Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder. It gave almost instant relief.

Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure is for the Nerves, Heart and Blood. 184 1

PERSONALS.

Mrs. J. O. Cuthbert is at Willard, Me.

Mrs. H. Fry is among the Montrealers at Gorham, Me.

J. N. Christie, of Montreal, is at the Clarendon, Quebec.

Rev. James and Mrs. Fleck and family are at South Bolton.

Mrs. Wm. Stewart has gone to New York to visit friends.

Mrs. T. Stewart and her daughter have gone to Murray Bay.

Mrs. J. W. Bennallack is spending August at Peak's Island.

Mrs. J. C. Charlton is spending some weeks at Ste. Adele, Que.

D. McCormick, K.C., is spending a few days at Caledonia Springs.

Miss Beatrice Cooper is visiting friends at Hanlon's Point, Toronto.

Miss Ship is at Beaconsfield, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott.

Mr. Percy N. Foley has left for Old Orchard to spend two weeks.

Miss Ada Hatcher, of Sherbrooke, is spending a week in town with friends.

Dr. Stewart, Prince Arthur street, has returned to town from Hudson Heights.

Dr. Blackader returns to Montreal today from a vacation in the United States.

Mrs. C. I. de Sola will be among the Montrealers spending August at Prout's Neck.

Mrs. McGlynn, of Stanley st., accompanied by Miss Candon, has left for Quebec and St. Annes to spend the next few weeks.

Mrs. Melbourn J. Ferneyhough has gone to Phillipsburg, Missisquoi Bay, for a month's stay.

Dr. Fred Bradley, of Sherbrooke, spent a day in town with friends prior to sailing for England.

Mrs. Turnour and Miss Turnour, of Lennoxville, are in town the guests of Mrs. Wyatt Johnston.

Mr. W. Macdonald and Mr. E. F. Dugan, of Montreal, were at the Chateau, Quebec, this week.

Miss Alice Fuerst, of 3 Overdale ave., has left on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. W. Patterson, in Toronto.

Mr. Albert Dumoulin, of Three Rivers, is in town, visiting his brothers, Messrs. Ernest and Paul Dumoulin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hudson are with Mrs. Hudson's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Boucher, at Oak Orchard.

Mr. F. H. Mathewson, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, returned today from the Maine Coast.

Dr. Geo. H. Mathewson has returned to town from Little Metis, where he spent last week with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Clarke and Rev. and Mrs. H. Cameron left Belleville to-day for a trip to Montreal and Quebec.

Mrs. D. A. Hart and Mr. Reginald J. Hart, have returned from a trip to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Toronto.

Mrs. James Booth and family have returned home after spending a month at Spring Hill Cottage, Sweetsburg, Que.

Mr. A. G. Jones, B.C.L., of Montreal, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jones, at "The Cedars," Richmond.

Mrs. Fuerst, Miss Fuerst and Miss Kate Fuerst, of Sherbourne st., Toronto, have returned home, after visiting relatives in town.

Miss H. Woolryche, of Toronto, who spent the past month visiting friends in Dixie and Montreal, left for Lome this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. David E. Jennings, of Montreal, are visiting Mrs. Jennings' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smallpiece, in Toronto.

Mrs. Warrington, the Misses Warrington and Miss Eleanor Crossby, have left to spend August at Philipsburg, Lake Champlain.

Mrs. J. W. Collins, of Admiral road, Toronto, and her son, Maurice, have left to visit friends in Montreal, Quebec, and the lower St. Lawrence.

The marriage of Miss Olive B. Hutchison, who recently graduated from Grace Hospital, Toronto, to Mr. W. H. D. Miller, of Toronto, is announced to take place on August 29.

Mrs. Albert G. Duberry, who has been visiting her old home in Cornwall, is now the guests of friends, Montreal. Mr. Duberry will arrive from New York on Sunday.

Mrs. Jeffrey H. Burland, who has been for the past week at the White Mountains with Mrs. Ami, of Ottawa, returned to the city yesterday, and left last evening for Metis, where she will spend the rest of the summer.

Mrs. G. A. Truax, and her little daughter, Marion, of Farnham, have gone to New Ontario, where they will join Mr. G. A. Truax, prior to making a trip through the North-West Territories. Mr. and Mrs. Truax will visit their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Whitlock, formerly of Farnham, at Moose Jaw, Assiniboia, before returning.

In Kingston this morning, at "Mozart Place," Earl street, the marriage took place of Mr. Percy L. Murray, of Westport, son of the late Mr. W. Murray, of Kingston, to Miss Millicent Newlands, daughter of Mr. William Newlands. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. McGillivray, of Chalmer's Church, in the presence of intimate friends. The bride wore white organdie, trimmed with lace, and a tulle veil, and carried white roses. Miss Alice Newlands, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. Mr. J. C. Newlands was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Murray have left on a western trip. The bride's going-away gown was of navy blue, with embroidered blouse of white linen, and a hat of Burnt straw.

MR. GEO. LESSARD APPOINTED GUARDIAN AT PUBLIC BATHS.

At a short meeting of the Hygiene Committee yesterday afternoon, three candidates applied for the position of guardian at the public bath on St. Helen's Island. One of the applicants was Geo. Lessard, son of the late caretaker, who was drowned a few days ago. The committee thought the son should certainly get the position, as he had already proved his ability to save lives. A motion to appoint him in the place of his father was carried.

The Medical Health Officer reported that there were now no cases in the smallpox hospital, and that it would be fumigated at once. The process will take ten days, and Dr. Laberge read an application from the head matron, who offered to remain in charge while the fumigating was in progress, at the rate of $4 a day.

This offer was refused and the work will be done under the superintendency of Dr. J. A. Laberge.

IMMIGRANTS WERE REFUSED ADMISSION.

During the month of July, 85 out of the 403 persons, desirous of passing from Canada into the United States were rejected by the medical examiner, at the United States Bureau, of Immigration, St. Antoine st., on account of disease.

Large numbers of persons who intend to settle down in the United States come to Canada, and the past month has seen a large increase in the number of immigrants landed at Quebec and Montreal for the United States.

It is said that New York is the destination of mostof the Hebrews who land, Pennsylvania of the Italians and the Western States of the Scandinivians and Norwegians.

HOCKEY.

RUSSELL BOWIE WILL RETIRE

Brilliant Victoria Captain to Go Out of Hockey.

THINKS HE HAS HAD ENOUGH

But it is Hoped That He Will Take Another Try at Football This Year.

Russell Bowie has announced that he will not play hockey again.

Announcements of that sort have been made often by shining lights in the game, but in Bowie's case there is no reason to doubt it.

A gentleman well known in amateur ahhletic circles accosted him the other day, and jokingly said:

"Well, Russell, I suppose you are going to play for the Montreal team next season?"

"I am not going to play at all," replied the Captain of the Victorias. "I have done my share of the game, and I am going to retire with whatever few laurels I have acquired."

He was then asked, if he intended to go out of active sport entirely, and did not make any definite answer to this.

It is therefore expected that he will still keep on playing football this coming season.

TENNIS.

A DOHERTY HAS STRAINED SHOULDER.

Will Not Be Able to Play in the Doubles To-day.

Boston, Mass., August 5.—A default by one of the British players and a decisive defeat for one of the American contestants made the first day's play for the international lawn tennis challenge cup at the Longwood Cricket Club yesterday dull. The result leaves each team with a point each in the total of five. R. F. Doherty defaulted to W. A. Larned, because of strained shoulder, while H. L. Doherty defeated R. D. Wrenn, in straight sets, 6—0; 6—3; 6—4.

Under the conditions governing the contest the British team was obliged last night to nominate contestants for the doubles today, and the Doherty brothers were submitted. There is a provision, in case one of the team is disabled, another member may take his place, so it is possible that Mahoney may be substituted for R. F. Doherty.

In the second set Wrenn showed more strength than in the first, but the British player continued his brilliant work at the net, and back court, and his errors were few. He passed Wrenn fifteen times.

The rain fell steadily, but the players continued, and hundreds of spectators watched them. In the third set Wrenn rallied brilliantly after Doherty had won four games to Wrenn's one, but Doherty clinched the set after Wrenn took four games.

EDWARD DUMORESQUE WAS ARRESTED TO-DAY ON CHARGES OF THEFT.

Armed with a warrant Deputy High Constable Lambert went to No. 1 Little St. Antoine street at 9.30 o'clock to-day and arrested Edward Dumoresque on charges of theft.

It is alleged that the accused obtained a $100 promisory note from Maurice Meredith under false pretences. He is also charged with obtaining five dollars in money and a pair of boots from a St. James street merchant.

When brought before Judge Lafontaine he pleaded not guilty and the case was adjourned for a few days, when the enquete will take place. Mr. Charles Gaudet is defending the prisoner. Bail was allowed.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

LAST NIGHT'S ARRIVALS.

At the Windsor—W. H. Foster, New York; Dr. J. A. Macdonald, Philadelphia; P. B. Levey, New York; R. Macdonald, Toronto; T. Bressard, Paris; H. G. Larkin, St. Catharines; C. McLachlin, Arnprior; Mrs. M. A. Clement, Prescott.

At the Place Viger Hotel—Dr. J. E. Martineau, Quebec; Harry McLaughlin, New York; Roy. Richmond, Brockton; Geo. C. Downes and wife, Miss Downes, Toronto.

At Hotel Carslake—E. Laugham, Chicago; S. Harris, New York; Jno. Ewing, Richmond; C. D. Ruckley, Chicago; F. Meekle, Morrisburg; E. A. Smith, and wife, Rochester; C. J. Erickson, Chicago.

At the St. James Hotel—M. Sleith, Richmond, F. C. Savage, Granby; C. R. Moore, Newport; Miss L. V. Vinton, Hartford; C. F. Halford, Toronto; Mrs. M. L. Macdonald, Compton; A. L. Kurk, St. Albans.

TO-DAY'S ARRIVALS.

At the Windsor—J. J. Gibbons, Toronto; H. B. Duncan, Pittsburg; J. R. Hayden, Cobourg; A. B. Boak, Halifax; G. H. Campbell, Toronto; M. H. Geary, Boston; E. Macaulay, Trenton; Thomas McDougall, Quebec; J. Bromley Wilson, England; J. J. Barclay, Brandon.

At the Carslake—George Elliott, Toronto; Wm. Smith, Ingersoll; Geo. Ridout, Toronto; P. J. Herbert Laprairie; Walter Jay, Greenville; J. H. Hein, Chicago.

At the Hall—George Cassidy, Vancouver; F. Valentine, Three Rivers; W. J. Breau, St. Albans; R. J. McDonald, Labelle; E. C. Tomson, Labelle; J. C. Langlier, Quebec.

At the St. James—J. A. Stetson, Gloucester; A. W. Long; Sherbrooke; R. L. MacNabb, New York; G. W. Ball, Halifax; W. R. Norris, Rochester; E. Wickett, Toronto.

Well-Founded Complaints.

Thomas Lewis, George Burgess and Richard Franklyn, three of the English 'longshoremen, quartered on Grey Nun street, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Constable John Collins on a charge of being drunk on St. Patrick's square. Many complaints were made about the conduct of men on the square and Collins landed the three accused. They all admitted their bad conduct to-day and were fined $2 each.

Man's Terrible Death.

While at work yesterday evening at the coal towers at Windmill Point, Juan Franzo, an Italian, was terribly injured, as the result of a coal bucket falling on him. When rescued he was unconscious and blood was pouring from his mouth, nose and ears. His right arm and shoulder were fractured and he was internally injured. He was taken to the General Hospital, where he died at an early hour to-day. The coroner was notified and an inquest will be held to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock at the hospital.

WILL BE RAZED.—The old Hochelaga municipal building on Desery street, an ancient landmark, was sold at auction yesterday by Marcotte Bros. for $800, the terms of the sale calling for the immediate demolition of the structure.

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AMERICAN CANOEISTS TO MEET THIS WEEK

Canadian Section Will Be Well Represented at Sugar Island.

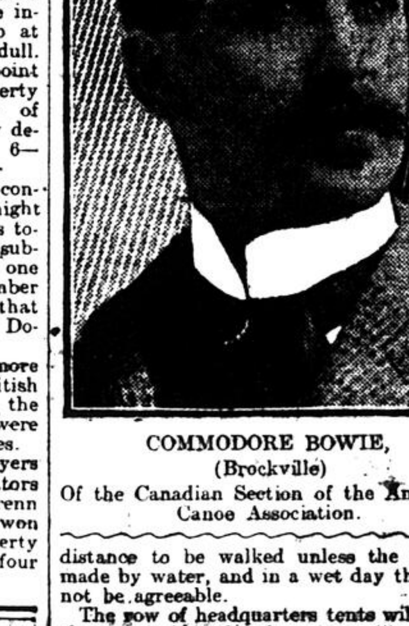
The twenty-fourth annual meet of the American Canoe Association will take place on Sugar Island, from the 7th to the 20th of this month. There will be entries for the war canoe races from Lachine, St. Lambert, Grand Trunk, Britannia, Ottawa, Y. M. C. A. and Bohemians, Brockville, and Smith Falls, and Toronto Clubs. These clubs will also supply entries for singles, tandems and fours in both single and double blade races.

The Meet this year will be one of the most important the Association has ever held, as it will be the first Camp on Sugar Island, a new possession.

It will be easily seen that the work of the Camp Site Committee will be unusually difficult, for there must be something of permanency in what is done in the way of building this year.

It is earnestly hoped that all those who come to Camp will be as patient as possible during the building of their tent-floors, moving of baggage, etc. Heretofore it has been possible to decide on a camp-site for each man as he has applied, but on account of the large size of the Island, it is impossible to tell beforehand where anyone will prefer to locate.

The Chairman of the Camp Site Committee, with Commodore Hyatt and different members of the Committee, has already made two trips to Sugar Island, and on the last trip, three weeks ago, decided on the location of the Camp. Each man has gone there with a determination to locate "Headquarters" near the centre of the Island, and each one has come away with the decision that there is only one place for it—towards the western end. That will mean that the eastern end of the Island, while a beautiful place, will be too far away to use, too far to get to "Headquarters" and "Mess," for there are rock bluffs to be climbed, and a long



COMMODORE BOWIE,
(Brockville)
Of the Canadian Section of the American Canoe Association.

distance to be walked unless the trip is made by water, and in a wet day that will not be agreeable.

The row of headquarters tents will be on the west side of a long open space, in front of a row of trees, and will be approached directly from the dock which is now being built.

The mess-hall will be on the south side of the large field. The field will be available for baseball and other sports as desired.

The ladies' camp will be on the neck of the Island at the western end of the Island. It is a good place, with fine views.

The men's camp will be to the east on both sides of the Island as far as the members may find it convenient to locate.

Tents, tent-floors, cots and mattresses, blankets and such conveniences will be rented as usual.

Every member of the Association who can possibly arrange their holidays for that date should make an effort to attend this Meet.

Following is the racing programme:

Record Races (Prescribed by Racing Regulations).

Event No. 1—Combined paddling and sailing record race; 3 miles; limit one and one-half hours; start to be made under paddle; one-half mile alternately, paddling and sailing.

Event No. 2 — Paddling record race; 1-2 mile, straightaway.

Event No. 3—Sailing record race; 4 1-2 miles; limit, two and one-half hours.

Note—The record races are governed by Rule VI. of the Racing Regulations.

Sailing Races (Prescribed by Racing Regulations.)

Event No. 4—Trophy sailing race; 9 miles; limit, 3 1-2 hours.

Event No. 5—Dolphin Trophy sailing race; 7 1-2 miles; limit, 3 hours.

Note.—By deed-of-gift the winner of the

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sailing trophy race is debarred from entry in the Dolphin trophy race.

Event No. 6—Decked, or open, canoe sailing race; 6 miles; limit, 2 1-2 hours.

Paddling Races (Prescribed by Racing Regulations).

Event No. 7—Trophy paddling race; 1 mile, straightaway.

Event No. 8—One-man paddling race; single blade; 1-2 mile.

Event No. 9—One-man paddling race; double blade; 1-2 mile.

Event No. 10—Tandem paddling race; single blade; 1-2 mile.

Event No. 11—Tandem paddling race; double blades, 1-2 mile.

Event No. 12—Fours paddling race; single blade; 1-2 mile.

Event No. 13—Fours paddling race; double blades; 1-2 mile.

Sailing Races (Not Prescribed by Racing Regulations).

Event No. 14—Novice sailing race; 3 miles; limit, 1 1-2 hours; open to men who have not sailed canoes prior to September 1, 1902.

Event No. 15—Club sailing race; 2 miles to leeward (or windward) and return. This race shall be won by the club that shall have first three canoes finish.

Event No. 16—Open canoe sailing race; 1 1-2 miles.

Event No. 17—Cruising canoe sailing race; 3 miles; limit, 1 1-2 hours.

Event No. 18—Special class sailing race.

Note.—Events Nos. 17 and 18 are governed by Rule 1 of the Racing Regulations, and may be changed by the amendment of such rule.

Paddling Races (Not Prescribed by Racing Regulations).

Event No. 19—Novice paddling race; single (or double) blade; 1-2 mile; open to men who have never raced at any division or general camp of the A.C.A.

Event No. 20 — War canoe paddling race; 1 mile straightaway.

Event No. 21—Upset paddling race; 1-4 mile.

Event No. 22—Gunwale paddling race; 1-4 mile.

Event No. 23—Tail-end paddling race; 1-4 mile.

Sundry Races (Not Prescribed by Racing Regulations).

Event No. 24—Hurry-scurry race; run, swim, paddle (or vice-versa); 300 yards.

Event No. 25—Tilting tournament.

BASEBALL.

The Leading Batsmen.

The following table shows the relative standing of the league's leading batsmen:

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	PC.
Toohey, Roch.	5	20	2	8	.400
McCormick, J. C.	73	288	60	104	.361
McAleese, Balt.	17	56	5	20	.357
McIntyre, Buf.	72	273	59	97	.355
Castro, Balt.	65	265	41	93	.351
Gettman, Buf.	72	297	74	104	.350
Atherton, Buf.	61	240	45	83	.345
Hayden, Balt.	72	291	43	98	.337
Jones, Balt.	77	306	41	101	.330
Jennings, Balt.	25	89	18	29	.326
Halligan, J. C.	76	283	47	91	.322
Fertsch, Roch.	9	28	4	9	.321
White, Tor.	76	302	45	97	.321
Kelly, Balt.	51	189	37	60	.317
Pounds, Balt.	7	19	1	6	.316
Hartman, Buf.	60	214	33	77	.315
Bruce, Tor.	45	161	27	50	.311
Devlin, New.	81	303	49	94	.310
Wiltse, Balt.	17	55	4	17	.309
Lepine, Roch.	83	266	39	82	.308
Cassidy, J. C.	71	299	55	92	.308
Clancy, Mont.	54	234	36	71	.303
Doolin, J. C.	77	281	49	85	.302
Hemming, Mont.	20	63	4	19	.302
Milligan, Buf.	26	73	17	22	.301
Grimshaw, Buf.	69	293	40	88	.300

RAIN PREVENTS GAMES.

Rain prevented all the Eastern League games scheduled yesterday. To-day's games are: Montreal at Providence, Rochester at Toronto, Baltimore at Buffalo, and Jersey City at Newark.

National League Games.

At Chicago—

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 x	1	5	1
Pittsburg	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	4	0

Batteries—Menefee and Kling; Philippi and Smith. Umpire, Moran. Attendance, 2,100.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost	Per cent.
Pittsburg	60	33	.666
Chicago	56	39	.583
New York	51	36	.586
Cincinnati	47	44	.516
Brooklyn	42	44	.488
Boston	36	49	.424
St. Louis	34	57	.374
Philadelphia	31	59	.344

American League Games.

At Cleveland—

		R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2	8	2
Detroit	2 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0	5	9	0

Batteries—Donohue and Abbott; Kitson, Mullin and McGuire. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 3,308.

At St. Louis—

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 x	3	6	1
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0	3	0

Batteries—Powell and Kahoe; Patterson and Slattery.

Second game—

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	5	1
Chicago	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0	4	8	3

Batteries—Evans and Kahoe; Altrock and Slattery. Umpire, O'Loughlin. Attendance, 1,800.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost	Per cent.
Boston	55	33	.625
Philadelphia	53	36	.596
Cleveland	46	42	.523
New York	41	41	.500
Detroit	43	43	.500
Chicago	40	47	.455
St. Louis	40	47	.455
Washington	29	58	.333

On the Diamond.

"Buck" Freeman now leads the sluggers of both leagues and the Bostons in doubles, triples and homers.

In the big leagues to date 45 men have been sent to the bench for misconduct on the field. Twenty-four were National players, 21 American. Several of these have suffered more than once. The worst offenders are: Lajoie, Kelly, Peitz and McGraw, who on three occasions have had a chance to think it over in retirement, and conclude that kicking doesn't pay.

Welcome T. Gaston, of Colorado Springs, once with Toronto, first base for the M. D. Barnet team, of Denver, made a triple play unassisted in the game played with the C. F. & I. team in Pueblo. Col. Brierly, of the locals, knocked a liner to rst, which Boston caught. Lee left the first base under the impression that a clean hit had been made and was touched with the ball by Gaston. Krowell, a runner on second base, had got so near to third that Gaston was able to run to second and touch the base in time to put him out. This is the fourth single-handed triple play on record.

ODDS AND ENDS.

A smoking concert will take place to-morrow night at the Country Club, Summerlea.

The Grand Circuit trotting races scheduled yesterday for Buffalo were postponed on account of rain.

"Tommy" Boyle, of Horseshoe fame, wants it known that he is still in the land of the living. Some man named Thomas Boyle had the impertinence to die the other day, and the former arranger of boxing matches objects to being taken for his own ghost.

The first day of the western amateur golf championship opened in a cold rain accompanied by wind, at Cleveland, Ohio. The day was not filled with anything exciting. Louis James, the United States champion, drew a bye and rested. H. Chandler Egan, the present western champion, defeated R. Deming, of Cleveland, five up and four to go. Walter Egan, a cousin, defeated H. W. Fraser. Good experts are picking the Egans or James to win the finals.

AQUATICS

EVERYTHING READY FOR THE REGATTA

Canadian Henley Promises to Be a Big Success.

COURSE A SPLENDID ONE

Grand Stand Will Seat 1,200 — St. Catharines the Mecca for Oarsmen.

Toronto, August 5. — "Bug" Jones returned this morning from St. Catharines, where he spent a day looking over the new permanent course and enquiring into the arrangements made for the regatta.

The course is a splendid one, and should present a smooth surface in any weather. A strong north wind hardly rippled its surface, and the high banks will protect it from both east and west. It is straightaway for the English Henley distance, one mile and 550 yards, and from the new grand stand at the finish one can see the crews all the way. The stand, which is near the steamboat landing at Port Dalhousie, is finished and will accommodate 1,200 persons. It is covered and made to last. Around the stand is erected a fence enclosing a small lawn, where spectators may stroll, and where a band will enliven proceedings between the races. Refreshments will also be procurable on the lawn, and also in a large marquee to be placed near the starting line up at the St. Kitts' end of the course. This latter arrangement has been made for the accommodation of the guests of the committee. At the start, a permanent wharf has been placed, against which the crews and scullers will back up for the start, and this end of the course is being connected by 'phone with the finish line near the grand stand, so that there should be no delays in getting competitors up to the start in time for each event.

The boats will be stored in a large warehouse near the finish line and close to the water, and a very commodious float has been erected for the launching of the racing craft. A splendid view of the races can be had, not only from the stand, but all along the east bank. The course will be marked out all the distance on both sides, and crews going up to the start will be required to keep outside of these course buoys. There is plenty of water for fast going, the average depth being nearly ten feet, and the few weeds that marred the course have been thoroughly cleared away. Both the local committee and the officials of the C. A. A. O. have worked hard, and everything points to a most successful meet.

The St. Catharines boats will leave at 8, 11, 2 and 5 each day, and it is possible to see the races and return each day to the city. Band concerts have been arranged at the grand stand enclosure each afternoon, and each evening the band will play at St. Catharines, and the city will be decorated and illuminated.

The grand stand tickets will be placed on sale on Wednesday morning simultaneously at St. Catharines and the Yonge street wharf, at the Niagara, St. Catharines and Toronto Railway offices. A very large number have already been bespoken. Large excursions are coming from Detroit, Rochester, Suspension Bridge, Buffalo and all the Niagara Peninsula, and it is estimated that twenty-five thousand spectators will assemble to watch the races.

The great pair-oar race between the Detroits and the Argos will be rowed the first day. Detroits are given odds. Long Donald Mackenzie and Big Joe Wright are pulling away without fear.

The Dons and Torontos will cross Wednesday and the Argos on Thursday. All the American crews will be on hand by Wednesday evening.

THEY KEEP ON SAILING AGAINST EACH OTHER STILL.

The Two Shamrocks Had a Close Contest.

Atlantic-Highlands, August 5.—Captain Wringe, of Shamrock III., and Captain Bevis, of Shamrock I., had a stirring contest in yesterday's race off Scotland Lightship, and the masterly fashion in which the clever skippers handled the big racers delighted Sir Thomas Lipton and his guests.

Captain Wringe sent the Challenger over the line with the old boat under her lee for a line beat to windward, and a run home in a rattling 12-knot breeze from the southeast. Wringe blanketed his rival for fifteen minutes, and when the latter tacked, followed him, and held his position.

Seven tasks were made in three minutes, each time Shamrock III. holding the old boat under her lee. Then Captain Bevis got his wind clear.

Shamrock III. drew rapidly ahead, however, and at the turn was two minutes seventeen seconds ahead.

Running home, the cup hunter added almost five minutes to her victory. Summary:

	Start.	Finish.
Shamrock III.	11.09.05	1.27.02
Shamrock I.	11.09.17	1.34.19

LONGUEUIL BOATING CLUB TO ENQUIRE INTO LOSS OF PADDLES.

Will Try and Make Effort to Locate Them.

The Longueuil Boating Club has decided to hold a thorough investigation into the reported loss of paddles on behalf of the Lachine Boating Club as the result of the Canadian Canoe Association Regatta.

They will leave no stone unturned to get the paddles back.

FOR THE CANADA'S CUP.

The Two Boats Officially Measured at Toronto.

Toronto, August 5.—The Strathcona, defender of Canada's Cup and Irondequoit, the challenger were officially measured yesterday, and were within the restrictions governing their class. The Irondequoit will likely be drydocked to-morrow, and cleaned for the first race on Saturday, which will be sailed over a course opposite Gooderham's house at the Island. It has not been decided whether the first course will be straight away or triangular.

Local critics after looking over the challenger are much impressed with her appearance, and are inclined to think she will make things interesting for the Canadian defender.

The Bank of Montreal crew won the double championship at Halifax Saturday at the bankers' annual regatta. Twining and O'Brien covered one and a half miles in 13 minutes 30 seconds.

Fifty-eight feet is the height of a colossal monument to the late Prince Henry of Orleans, which is to be erected on Cape St. Jacques, at the mouth of the Saigon River, French Cochin-China.

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ALABAMA STAKES RUN AT SARATOGA

They Were Won by Stamping Ground Yesterday Afternoon.

RACES AT FORT ERIE TRACK

Entries Already Made for the Classic English Races of the Coming Year.

Saratoga, N.Y., August 5.—Conditions for racing were very unfavourable yesterday. A great deal of rain fell the night before, and it continued to drizzle throughout the day, rendering the track inches deep in mud. The Alabama stakes of $5,000, at a mile and sixteenth, however, was run on the turf, that course being used for the first time. Stamping Ground captured the stakes. Whitney's pair of three-year-old fillies, Girdle and Judith Campbell, who went to the post favourites at 11 to 5, finished in the ruck. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Memories, 100, O'Neil, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, won; Stalwart, 115, J. Burns, 3 to 1 and even; second; Baseful, 115, Odom, 3 to 1 and even, third. Time, 1.10 2-5. Delhi, Highball, Gold Saint, Arnetta, Cascine, Rain or Shine, Ascotic and Gold Spink also ran.

Second race, 1 mile, selling—Rosland, 101, Fuller, 9 to 5 and 3 to 5, won; Trinity Bell, 106, O'Neil, even and out, second; Dinksie, 86, McCafferty, 50 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1.44 3-5. Lady Potentate also ran.

Third race, 3½ furlongs—Bobadil, 100, G. Williams, 16 to 5, won; Mineola, 109, Stonebridge, 7 to 10 and out, second; Glad Tidings, 109, O'Land, 3 to 1 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1.10 4-5. Tamarix and Applause also ran.

Fourth race, the Alabama, 1 mile and a sixteenth, on turf—Stamping Ground, 116, Fuller, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, won; Gravina, 116, Cochran, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, second; Astarita, 124, Hicks, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time. 1.56 4-5. Adanay, Stolen Moments, Wild Thyme, Nun, Judith Campbell, Girdle and Rockmart also ran.

Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs—King Pepper, 103, Fuller, 9 to 10 and out, won; Yardarm, 109, Rice, 8 to 5 and 2 to 5, second; Birch Broom, 103, Gannon, 5 to 1 and even, third. Time, 1.16 3-5. Sweet Bill also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile, for 3-year-olds—Jim Crack, 109, Gannon, 7 to 5 and out, won; High Chancellor, 109, O'Neil, 6 to 5 and out, second; Dramatist, 109, Hoar, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.45 4-5. Canajoharie also ran.

Entries for Classic Games.

The entries for Derby (colts and fillies) and the Oaks (fillies) of 1905 have closed. For the Derby there are 282 nominations, and 229 for the Oaks, rather below the average for the last ten years.

The Derby entry includes 22 French and about the same number of American colts and fillies, but particulars with regard to the most of the American entries, made in New York, have not yet been received, and the principal English nominators include several breeders who sell their yearlings at Doncaster, such as Mr. J. E. Platt (eight), Mr. Simons Harrison (six), Lord Clonmel (five), and Sir Tatton Sykes (four). Mr. Platt's eight entries include a chestnut colt by St. Angelo—Gravlety, half-brother to William the Third, and a bay colt by Patron Saint—Lucy Ashton, the dam of Wolf's Crag; while the private breeders who have taken six nominations each are the Duke of Portland and Lord Rosebery. The former's nominations include Tom Boyce, a colt by Melton—Memoir, while Lord Rosebery has entered a colt by Velasquez—Seabreeze, a colt by Sir Visto—Illuminata, the dam of Ladas, and a colt by Cyllene—Gas. His Majesty and Sir Ernest Cassel have five nominations each, four of the King's colts being by Persimmon and a fifth by Orme. The owners with four nominations each include Mr. A. Bartram (who sells his yearlings at Doncaster), M. Edmond Blanc, Mr. J. Musker, the Duke of Westminster, and Mr. Reid Walker. There is no brother or sister to any previous Derby winner among the entries, and the best of the French entries are likely to be those made by M. Edmond Blanc and M. Caillault, who have three colts by Flying Fox engaged.

The entries for the Oaks are considerably less than they were for this year, and a trifle below the total for next year, but the decrease in the last decade is very slight. The 229 entries made for 1905 comprise 11 French fillies and the same number of American, the entries for which were made in New York. The principal English nominator is Sir J. B. Maple, who has engaged nine fillies, four by Royal Hampton, four by Childwick, and one by Common; the next largest contributor is Mr. J. Robinson, owner of the Workshop Stud, who has entered seven fillies; while Lord Derby and M. Leopold Rothschild have five nominations each, among the latter's nominations being a chestnut filly by Orme—St. Bride and a filly by Florizel II—Lady Loverule, a half-sister to St. Amant. His Majesty is one of five who have taken four nominations each, one of the King's four being La Paix, by Persimmon—Laodamia, two of his three other fillies being also by Persimmon. The Duke of Devonshire's four include a filly by Flying Fox—Lady Villikins, while among the other nominators is Sir James Miller, who has entered Amitie, a daughter of Chaleureux and La Sagesse; but there is no sister to Our Lassie, Sceptre, or any other recent winner of the Oaks. The Duke of Westminster has only one nomination, but as she is a sister to Flying Fox, by Orme—Vampire, she ought to be a good one. Lord Rosebery, too, has only one nomination, but as this is a daughter of Isinglass and Chelandry, she should hold her own if all goes well with her.

The Fort Erie Races.

Fort Erie Race Track, Ont., August 5.—The track yesterday was very heavy, rain falling a considerable portion of the day. The attendance was small. Summary:

First race, one mile; purse, $250; for three-year-olds—Artist, 98, Paul, 3 to 1, won by two lengths; Melbourne, Eclipse, 106, Sullivan, 10 to 1, second; Jerry, 103, Adams, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1.47. Fuego, Helen Tarwater, Brookston, Charlotte Jr., Florenza, Annota, Michaelmas, Savond and Fracas also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs; purse, $250; for two-year-olds, selling—War Paint, 100, J. Walsh, 30 to 1, won by three lengths; Dick Ripley, 92, Hyams, 30 to 1, second; Tennessean, 106, L. Walsh, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.20¼. Tontue and Iola also ran. Probable, Two Penny and T. G. Scarborough fell.

Third race, 6 furlongs; purse, $250; for three-year-olds and up, selling— Spring-Brook, 94, Happel, 10 to 1, won by a neck; Amigari, 107, Adams, even, second; Louise Collier 93, M. Johnson, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.18¼. Flaneur Fairbury, Vitality, Dynasty, and Florussum also ran.

Fourth race, 1⅛ miles; purse, $300; for three-year-olds and upwards — Bank Street, 105, Adams, 9 to 5, won by a length; Allopath, 106, Raomannel, second; Dubious, 106, Munro, 8 to 1, third. Time, 2.00¼. Scortic also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs; purse, $260; for three-year-olds and upwards, selling—Illumate, 94, Bland, 5 to 2, won by four lengths; Amorous, 97, Pieratt, 2 to 1, second; Morella 100, J. Kelly, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1.19¼. Russiona, Spaldy Y., Cinch, Fair Edna, and On the Quiet, also ran.

Sixth race, one mile; purse, $250; for three-year-olds and upwards, selling—Briers, 88, D. Boland, 9 to 5, won by six lengths; Nellie Forrest, 109, Pieratt, 2 to 1, second; Kiwat 98, Gilmour, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.46½. Bounteous, Onyx, King's Pet and Alice Mantell also ran.

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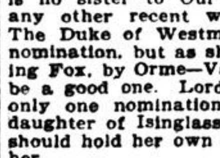

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GOVERNMENT WISHES TO AVOID DEBATE

Reports of Elections and Privileges Committee Presented in House.

MATTER WILL COME UP AGAIN

Question of Printing Evidence Was Referred to Parliamentary Committee on Printing.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—The committee on privileges and elections reported to the House of Commons yesterday afternoon that Mr. Loy, member of Beauharnois, was not guilty of any breach of the Independence of Parliament Act, in connection with the sale of his property at Valleyfield to the Government for a post office site.

It became at once evident that the majority had decided to shove this motion through and to avoid debate thereon as far as possible. Mr. Monk's motion that the rules be suspended so as to have the evidence and report printed at once, was not entertained, because it cannot be done without unanimous consent, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier objected. The Premier did consent to a motion that the question of printing the evidence should be referred to the joint committee on the printing of Parliament, but as this committee will probably not meet for a couple of weeks at least, the concession is not of great value.

This course was taken despite Mr. R. L. Borden's protest that he had never known anything of the kind before, and in his experience such papers were printed almost as a matter of course. The Liberals followed this up by offering a motion that the report of the privileges and elections committee be adopted forthwith, which would have closed the whole incident and would have allowed Mr. Loy to resume his seat without further unpleasantness. The Premier, however, evidently thought that this was overdoing the thing and at this stage he consented to have the matter go over until to-morrow.

The following is the summary of the evidence and deductions therefrom as presented by the minority of the committee:

In the opinion of the committee the following facts have been established by the evidence adduced before the committee, which is annexed to the report of the committee:

1. As far back as the year 1898, when Mr. George Loy was Mayor of the town of Valleyfield, a petition of the citizens of Valleyfield to the Government, praying that a post office be built at the town of Valleyfield and on the property known as the Loy property, was circulated for signature and was forwarded to Ottawa and acknowledged by letter from the Department of Public Works to the Mayor, Mr. George Loy, himself, one of the signatories of the petition.

During the same year the Municipal Council authorized two deputations to Ottawa to press upon the attention of the Government the two questions of sewers and Post Office building, and Mr. Loy, as Mayor, formed part of both deputations.

2. After the election of Mr. Loy, as member for Beauharnois, in the autumn of 1900, and at the first session which followed his election, a sum of $10,000 was appropriated by Parliament for a Post Office at Valleyfield, Mr. Loy being at the time of such appropriation the sitting member for Beauharnois, wherein Valleyfield is situate.

3. Mr. Loy's election was protested and declared void, but he was re-elected at the by-election of 1902, and the sum of $10,000 was revoted at the session of 1902 for the same object, the previous vote having elapsed, Mr. Loy being again the sitting member for Beauharnois.

4. On the 10th July, 1902, the Department of Public Works directed Mr. V. H. Dandurand, real estate agent, of Montreal, to purchase the Loy property at Valleyfield, the instructions to that effect being conveyed in the following terms:

On Board the SS. Stanley,
10th July, 1902.
(Translation.)

Mr. U. H. Dandurand, Real Estate Agent, Montreal.

My Dear Dandurand,—My department requires a site to construct a public building at Valleyfield. The locality most suitable for us is a property which belongs to Mr. Loy, on the principal street, fronting on the canal on one side and on a street at the rear part. The fact that this property belongs to the sitting member makes the purchase embarrassing for us. I request you, therefore, to purchase the property on the best possible terms. You have an extensive experience. You will not say for whom you want to buy. I believe it was sold two years ago for $8,000. I fear you will not be able to have it for less than $10,000. You will, if you please, lose no time and obtain an option on this property without delay.

I, myself, will pay you the usual commission. I have reasons for purchasing quickly.

Yours truly,
J. ISRAEL TARTE.

SECURED AN OPTION.

5. Pursuant to these instructions Mr. Dandurand sent out to Valleyfield a sub-agent usually employed by him in similar cases, named R. B. Johnston, who arrived in Valleyfield in the afternoon of the 14th July, and on the same evening secured from Mr. Loy an option in the following terms:

Valleyfield, 14th July, 1902.

R. B. Johnston, Esq.:

Dear Sir,—Confirming our conversation of this evening, I beg to say that I will give you an option until three o'clock Wednesday afternoon, on the 16th inst., for the purchase of my property in the town of Valleyfield, consisting of a lot of land situated on Victoria street and extending to the street in the rear, on which are two dwelling houses, i.e., one of stone and the other of wood, the price to be $10,000, payable in cash on day of sale; the buildings at present on the lot, one used as a store house and the other as a tin shop, to be removed within sixty days from date of purchase. It is agreed that the present tenants shall remove within sixty days before mentioned.

Notice of acceptance or refusal of option to be given to me in Montreal on above date or left at the office of McIntosh and Hyde there.

Yours, respectfully,
Geo. M. Loy.

While Johnston did not disclose to Mr. Loy that he was acting in the purchase, for the Government, Mr. Loy said to him:

"Well," he said, "now it is not for the Government, is it?"

I said: "That, Mr. Loy, is a matter that interests me whether I wish to deal with the outsiders or the Government." He said: "I would like to know!"

Question—Yes.

Answer—I said: "I have several."

(Johnston's evidence, p. 129.)

Johnston returned the following morning and reported to Mr. Dandurand and an acceptance of the option was prepared by Mr. R. A. Dunton, notary, of Montreal, acting under Mr. Dandurand's instructions, and signed by Johnston. It is in the following terms:

Montreal, 16th July, 1902.

George M. Loy, Esq., care of McIntosh and Hyde, Montreal.

Dear Sir,—I beg to accept your offer to sell me your property on Victoria st. for $10,000, as contained in your letter addressed to me, dated 14th July, 1902, upon the terms therein mentioned, deeds to be executed before R. A. Dunton, N. P., with due diligence and within fifteen days. Price will be paid in cash on title being found satisfactory and deeds executed by you. Please send all papers and titles to Mr. Dunton to prepare deeds of conveyance if desired.

(Signed) R. B. Johnston.

On the day of the acceptance of the option (the 16th July), Mr. Loy came to Montreal, went to the office of Mr. Hyde, enquired about Johnston, and Mr. Hyde, at Mr. Loy's request, telephoned to Mr. R. A. Dunton, notary, as to Johnston; later in the day the acceptance was brought to Mr. Hyde with $100 to bind the bargain, by Mr. Dunton, said $100 being furnished by Mr. U. H. Dandurand, and Mr. Hyde forwarded the $100 to Mr. Loy.

MR. LOY SENT PLAN.

The delay of fifteen days mentioned in the option expired, but nothing occurred, according to the evidence adduced, until on the 8th September following, when the Secretary of the Department of Public Works wired Mr. Loy as follows:

"Kindly see the city clerk and ask him to forward us by next mail, if possible, a copy of the plan of the city of Valleyfield, which is needed to complete the purchase of site for public building. Fred. Gelinas, secretary."

Mr. Loy sent up the plan called for with the accompanying letter:

Fred. Gelinas, Esq., Secretary Department of Public Works, Ottawa:

Dear Sir,—Your telegram received last night. I send you herewith enclosed the only plan of the town which I could get. I am informed that Mr. Sullivan, the former engineer of the town, has a new plan, but he is away from home to-day. I will see him on his return and if he will lend it I will send it or take it up to you. I would call your attention to the fact that at present there are two post offices in the town, one in the central part and another near the C. A. Railway station, in Bellerive ward.

I am, Sir,
Yours, very truly,
George M. Loy.

And this letter from Mr. Loy was acknowledged by the secretary of the Department of Public Works as follows:

Department of Public Works of Canada:
Secretary's Office,
Ottawa, September 16th, 1902.

Geo. M. Loy, Esq., M.P., Valleyfield, P. Q.:

Sir,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th September instant, enclosing a copy of the plan of the city of Valleyfield, said plan being required by the department in connection with the purchase of Mr. R. B. Johnston's property.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
Fred. Gelinas, Secretary.

On the 17th September, 1902, a memorandum for reference to council was prepared in the Department of Public Works:

It alleges as follows:

"That it is necessary to acquire a site "for the public building which is to be "erected at Valleyfield, P.Q., and for "which Parliament, at its last session "voted a sum of $20,000 (should be "$10,000).

"That an officer of the department had "examined the different sites available for "this building and has reported that the "lot shown in pink on the sketch hereto "annexed is the most suitable for the "purpose. This lot is centrally situated, "it runs from Victoria to St. Cecile "streets and has frontages on these streets "of 77½ feet and 163 feet deep.

"That the lot in question is owned by "Mr. R. B. Johnston, who is willing to "sell for $10,000, which price is considered reasonable by the officer who examined the site.

"The undersigned, in view of the foregoing, has the honour to recommend "that the authority be given to purchase "from Mr. R. B. Johnston, the lot described above and which is shown in "pink on the plan hereto annexed, the "said land being required for the purpose of a site for the public building "which is to be erected at Valleyfield, "P.Q., the price to be paid being $10,000."

This recommendation was adopted by council on the 22nd November, 1902.

On the 1st of December following (1902), the deed of sale from Mr. Loy to Johnston was ready for signature by the parties concerned, and then, for the first time, since Johnston's visit to Valleyfield, they met at the office of Mr. R. A. Dunton, notary, but the Government cheque had not been issued and it became necessary to procure money.

A note for $10,000 at one month was made by Johnston, and it was discounted by the Sovereign Bank on representations made to the bank by Mr. Dandurand, the Government agent, and the proceeds of the note in question were handed over by Mr. Johnston to Mr. R. A. Dunton, the notary, who gave of the said monies $1,000 to Mr. Loy on account.

Mr. R. A. Dunton gave the committee a statement showing how he subsequently disposed of the balance.

Here is the statement:—

1902.		
Dec. 1..Net cheque am't..	....	$9,600.00
Contra.		
Dec. 1..Paid Mr. Low...	.. ..	1,000.00
Dec. 6..N. Papineau..	.. ..	4,500.00
Interest..	.. ..	731.90
Dec. 18..Paid R. A. Dunton, discharge..	.. ..	7.30
Balance	.. ..	3,360.80

IS THIS SIGNIFICANT?

It will be seen that Mr. Loy only received in reality $9,700, Johnston having been allowed by Loy to keep and having kept $300 on account, as he represented, of trouble, etc., in negotiating to procure the amount.

The note of $10,000 matured in due course, but the Government cheque not having yet arrived, it was renewed at 15 days from 31st December, 1902.

Pressure seems to have been brought to bear to cause the official cheque to issue. The papers were in the hands of the Department of Justice for examination as to title.

The Deputy Minister of Justice, on the 17th January, 1903, wrote as follows:—

"I have the honour to request that you will send me a cheque for the compensation money in this case in favour of Robert Bruce Johnston and Robert A. Dunton, agent of the Minister of Justice. I would be glad to have this cheque immediately, as the Minister of Marine and Fisheries has telegraphed asking that the purchase may be completed to-day."

Finally, on the 19th January, 1903, a cheque of $10,000 issued from the Finance Department, payable to the order of R. B. Johnston and of Notary Dunton, who was to act as agent of the Department of Justice specially appointed, and it was forwarded to Mr. Dunton, who caused it to be endorsed by Johnston, and went with the latter to the Sovereign Bank to take up the $10,000 note previously discounted, and at the same time Johnston signed a deed of sale in favour of the Government, the Department of Public Works being represented by Mr. Charles Archer, advocate, of Montreal.

(Deed dated 20th January, 1903, similar in terms to deed from Loy to Johnston dat December, 1902.

The only interest Johnston, the subagent employed by Mr. Dandurand, had in the transaction was the remuneration given him by Mr. Dandurand himself, when Johnston returned from Valleyfield, and made his report, as well as handed in the options to Mr. Dandurand.

Mr. Dandurand is quite clear in his evidence on this point.

Johnston was paid a sum between $50 and $100 for his services.

The reduction of $300 on the $10,000 obtained from Mr. Loy, whereby the price was reduced to $9,700, was without Mr. Dandurand's knowledge, and was a matter between Mr. Loy and Johnston only. In all other respects, in signing the deeds, in obtaining the discount of the $10,000 note, in signing cheques, etc., Johnston merely executed the instructions given him by Mr. Dandurand and Mr. R. A. Dunton.

Mr. Dandurand paid the notary $22, amount of his account, but his commission of $500, due by the Government, is not yet paid.

MR. LOY COGNIZANT.

It is difficult to understand, even outside of the documentary evidence, how Mr. Loy could be completely ignorant of what was going on in respect to his property from the time when he received Johnston's first and only visit at Valleyfield, 14th July, 1902, until the day when he made the sale to Johnston, on 1st December, 1902.

He never, as he admits, saw or endeavoured to see Johnston during that long period, until he finally met him to sign the deed and draw money on the 1st of December; although in the interval correspondence passed between Mr. Loy and the Government relating to the purchase of the Loy property by the Government.

He merely went to see a friend, Mr. Hyde, and had him enquire from Mr. Dunton if Johnston was all right.

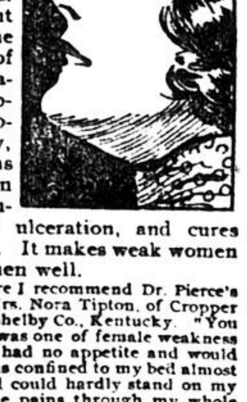
The delay fixed in the option expired on the 30th July; the Department of Public Works prepared its memorandum for council, corresponded with Mr. Loy, the order-in-council was passed, there was a change of Ministers, money had to be borrowed because the Government cheque had not issued, the Loy contract had been delayed for four months, and all of this Mr. Loy states that he had no knowledge whatever and never thought that the Government was in reality the sole purchaser of his property.

The Government part in the transaction must have been brought home to Mr. Loy when he received a formal demand from the Department of Public Works, on September 8, 1902, "for a plan of the city of Valleyfield, which is needed to complete the purchase of site for public building."

Indeed, in his answer accompanying the plan sent by him, Mr. Loy refers to the fact of there being two post offices in Valleyfield. Furthermore, information of a precise and definite nature was certainly conveyed to Mr. Loy when the department, on September 16, wrote him officially that the said plan was required by the department in connection with the purchase of Mr. R. B. Johnston's property. Under these circumstances Mr. Loy could not have remained ignorant of the fact that Johnston in the transaction with Mr. Loy was but an agent of the Government.

In the opinion of the committee, the sitting member for Beauharnois was thus officially notified of the real state of affairs and it became his duty not to carry out the sale of the 1st of December following, which he clearly was prohibited from doing under section 10 of the act respecting the independence of Parliament Act.

The report of the majority exonerating Mr. Loy was published in The Star yesterday.



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SIR WILFRID WILL REPLY IN WRITING.

Ottawa, August 5.— Messrs. Deegan and Russell, representatives of the Roman Catholic minority in Winnipeg, had a meeting with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fitzpatrick yesterday, at which all the grievances of the separate school supporters in that city were thrashed out. The Prime Minister deferred his answer till Thursday, when he will reply in writing to the memorial of the delegates. The Winnipegers paid their respect to Mr. Sbaretti, Papal delegate, in the afternoon, and discussed the school question with him. Mr. Deegan left for Toronto last night.

Curzon Will Stay in India.

Simla, India, August 5.—Viceroy Curzon informed the council at yesterday's sitting that he had decided to accept the Government's offer of an extension of his term of office with permission to take a vacation in England in 1904 should he so desire. Lord Curzon said five years was too short a term for a Government which had embarked on wide schemes of reform, and it would be a neglect of duty to abandon his share of the work.

Druggists Elect Officers.

Toronto, August 5.—The council of the Ontario College of Pharmacy opened its session yesterday, when the officers were elected as follows: W. B. Graham, Ridgetown, president; Edward W. Case, Picton, vice-president; Isaac T. Lewis, registrar and treasurer. The college has assets over liabilities of $61,000, and there is a cash balance of $2,700.

Killed by a Fall.

London, Ont., August 5.—Miss Elizabeth Hill, an elderly lady who sustained a severe fall and injuries on Richmond st. a few days ago by being frightened by a dog died at Victoria Hospital.

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THE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL.

Protest Against Its Erection by Caithness Men.

Toronto, Ont., August 5.—A number of Caithness men throughout Ontario are signing a letter protesting against the proposed erection in Westminster Abbey of a memorial to George Washington. The protest will be sent to Archdeacon Sinclair who is a native of Caithness and who has charge of the Abbey. The protest says the erection of such a memorial would be looked upon as a condemnation of the Canadian sentiment of loyalty to Britain for which the United Empire loyalists suffered so much. It also claims that the American people in their anxiety to pose as "World-beaters" would look on such a memorial as a pure act of surrender on Britain's part to America.

WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

International Congress Opens at Berlin—Seven Nations Represented.

Berlin, August 5—The First International Congress of Wireless Telegraphy convened by the Imperial Post Office, began yesterday. Forty-four delegates attended representing Germany, Russia, France, Italy, Austro-Hungary, Spain and the United States.

The Congress was called upon Germany's invitation, with the avowed purpose of agreeing on international regulations to control the operation of wireless telegraphy systems, and prevent any one system getting a monopoly. The proceedings are secret.

The Ottawa City Council.

Ottawa, August 5.—A motion looking to opening negotiations with the Bell Telephone Company for a renewal of its contract with the city was proposed in the council last evening and rejected by the close vote of 7 to 8. The mayor ruled the proposed purchase of another fire engine out of order, on the ground that no money had been provided for such an expenditure. The mayor added, however, that if the money can be provided by next meeting of the council, the question would then be properly before them.

It is officially announced that the Hon. Edward Blake has resigned his appointment as chief Canadian counsel on the Alaskan Boundary Commission.

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3. The rights of the insolvent in lots sub-divisions Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 51, 52, 53, 54, 69, 77, 78, 79, 80 and 86 of cadastral lot No. 184 of the town of Lachine, with the buildings thereon erected. The right is one of redemption under deed of sale dated 27th February, 1903, executed before O'Hara Baynes, N.P.

As the lots will be sold to suit buyers, small purchasers will have the opportunity of securing one or more lots at reasonable prices.

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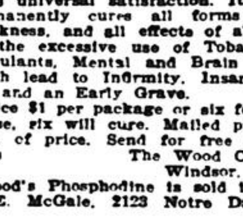

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FRESH AIR FUND

The River Bank Home.

The Home on the Richelieu River, at Chambly, is now open. Applications for admission may be made to the Committee, at the Star Office, 165 St. James street, on the afternoons of Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week during the season, between the hours of two and four o'clock. Every application must be accompanied with a certificate from the clergyman to whose church the applicant belongs. Blank certificate forms may be obtained from the secretary, at the Star Office, St. James street.

The Fresh Air Fund is administered by a volunteer committee of men and women, including the city missionaries, interested in the welfare and suffering of children. It is established to take away from the city for a longer or shorter period, children and mothers whom the visiting doctor advises to send. It is:

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EARLY DISSOLUTION OF BRITISH HOUSE.

The London Daily Mail Says This Will Likely Take Place in September.

London, August 5.—The Daily Mail gives prominence to rumours that the dissolution of Parliament is closely impending. It says that Sir William Vernon Harcourt is credited with stating that the dissolution will take place in September. The paper adds that if Colonial Secretary Chamberlain fails to reconcile the Duke of Devonshire to his policy within a short time, Prime Minister Balfour will submit the resignation of the Ministers to the King. His Majesty will then, according to the Mail, summon the Duke of Devonshire to form a new Cabinet as the alternative to dissolution, but there is great doubt whether the Duke would accept the task. It would be necessary in case of his refusal to either call a Liberal administration or appeal to the country.

On Monday morning fire did damage at St. Hyacinthe to the amount of $12,000. It started in the sheds of Messrs. Boulay & Lussier, hay and grain merchants, destroying them entirely, as well as 1,800 bushels of oats and 18 tons of hay. The private houses of Mr. Boulay and Mr. Lussier, which were near the sheds, were also wiped out, and likewise the dwelling of Mr. Edouard Rousseau.

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ANTICOSTI PROSPECTS.

M. Menier Well Pleased With His Proprietory Island.

Quebec, August 5.—The three-masted steam yacht Bacchante, 1,200 tons register, owned by Mr. Henri Menier, the French chocolate king and proprietor of the Island of Anticosti, has arrived in port. Mr. Menier has just completed an inspection of his property on the Island of Anticosti, and is well pleased with the progress made since his last visit. The Island of Anticosti bids fair to make a handsome return for all the large sums of money expended by its owner, and from reports the deep water harbour is nearly completed. The salmon and lobster fisheries are giving excellent satisfaction, while the pulp mill and other industries on the island are also doing well. The pulp limits alone on the island, that were thought worthless and unhabitable, amount to 2,000,000 square acres in extent, while the farm lands under cultivation are yielding splendid crops, besides the rich pasture grounds for cattle grazing. The resident population of Anticosti now numbers over 700 souls.

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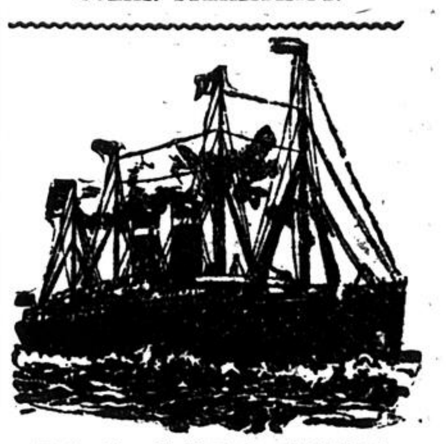

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MONTREAL TO LIVERPOOL

*Canada........	Aug. 22nd	Sept. 26th	Oct. 31st
*Southwark....	Aug. 29th	Oct. 3rd	Nov. 7th
*Kensington....	Sept. 12th	Oct. 17th	
;Dominion......	Sept. 5th	Oct. 10th	Nov. 14th

BOSTON TO LIVERPOOL.

New England...	Aug. 6th	Sept. 3rd	Oct. 1st
Mayflower......	Aug. 13th	Sept. 10th	Oct. 8th
Commonwealth.	Aug. 27th	Sept. 24th	Oct. 22nd

PORTLAND TO LIVERPOOL.

;Irishman.... Aug. 8th	;Norseman.... Aug. 22nd
;Tauric........ Aug. 15th	;Englishman.. Aug. 29th

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;Manxman.... Aug. 15th	;Turcoman.... Sept. 11th
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Halifax, August 5.—A despatch from St. John's, Nfld., states that the Reid-Newfoundland Company have purchased the eight hundred head of cattle from the wrecked steamer Monterey, and are taking them to St. John's for local consumption. The first three hundred and fifty head will arrive at St. John's by the steamer Grand Lake to-day. These are prime cattle and intended for the English market ordinary, so that Prince Edward Island and Cape Breton cattle, which usually supply the market, will probably, in the meantime, bring but poor prices. Until this lot of 800 is consumed Canadian shippers would probably be wise in keeping away from Newfoundland.

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WEEK ENDING AUG. 1ST., 1903.	
MONDAY	54,031
TUESDAY	54,105
WEDNESDAY	54,042
THURSDAY	54,112
FRIDAY	54,078
SATURDAY	60,266
TOTAL	330,634
Daily Average	55,106
Weekly Star Last Week	122,314

CIRCULATION OF THE STAR DAILY AND WEEKLY LAST WEEK. **452,948**

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1903.

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An active campaign has been commenced in England in favour of Preferential Trade within the Empire. It is to the interest of Canada to trade on liberal terms with countries that will trade on liberal terms with her. If the Dominion is to be in a position to grant substantial preferences to the United Kingdom and the sister colonies, her tariff against the rest of the world must be materially increased. The present time affords the opportunity of a nation's lifetime.

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THE TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in introducing the Grand Trunk Bill, said:

"We consider it is the duty of those who meet within these walls to assist the labours of the settlers by providing an outlet for their produce to the ocean at the lowest possible cost, as we have done to those who work in the forests, the fields and the mines of the older provinces."

Sir William Van Horne, in the course of an interview with a Toronto reporter, yesterday said:

"The Canadian Pacific Railway, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, or any other all-Canadian route will never voluntarily carry a car load of wheat by the all-rail way route around the great lakes to an eastern Canadian port for shipment abroad for the simple reason that it will never pay any road to do so. Nor will the transportation problems in the West ever be solved by the construction of an all-Canadian route from coast to coast"

Sir William also stated that:

"The Canadian Pacific Railway shipped every car load of wheat that it was possible to ship by their steamship line on the great lakes from Fort William to Owen Sound, and thence east by rail or else by way of Buffalo and the Erie Canal. The long haul around the great lakes was dreaded, because it was unprofitable, and the bulk of the grain brought by that route was carried during the winter months, and used by the millers of Ontario to keep their mills in operation during the cold season. There was altogether too much talk of an all-Canadian route by people who were entirely ignorant of the situation."

How on earth it ever entered the mind of the Premier that the Grand Trunk Pacific could ever serve as an outlet for the produce of the North-West, "to the ocean, at the lowest possible cost," it is impossible to imagine. We believe it costs about five times as much per mile to haul wheat by rail, as it does by water. The fact that the Canadian Pacific, with its rails laid to Montreal and St. John ships every car load of wheat that it is possible to ship, by the great lakes, is a fact which goes to offset any quantity of spread-eagle generalizations. Sir William has the immense advantage of knowing something about the business aspect of the transportation question, and the practice of the Canadian Pacific confirms his judgment on the question. Whatever else the Grand Trunk Pacific may prove to be, evidently it will never be an outlet for the produce of the North-West to the ocean "for the simple reason," as Sir William puts it, "that it will never pay to haul a car load of wheat around the great lakes to an eastern Canadian port for shipment abroad." In view of this simple common-sense statement, backed up as it is by the obvious facts, what becomes of all the rodomontade about the urgency of the G. T. P. scheme? The Premier says:

"We cannot wait, because the prairies of our North-West, over which for countless ages roamed the bison and the red man, are now occupied by white men. Last year they came in 100,000 strong. They are coming in greater numbers this year, and already, they are at work sowing and reaping. I consider then it is the duty of the Canadian Government and Parliament; it is the duty we owe to those who are going into that grand country to give heed to the conditions of things."

If the Government will give heed to the condition of things it will drop this hair-brained project and do something practical to provide the North-West with transportation facilities.

POPE PIUS X.

The civilized world has awaited with deep interest the election of the Pope. Outsiders have had, of course, little knowledge of the issues at stake; but the general satisfaction with which the selection of Cardinal Sarto is received by the Catholic peoples and powers, will be reflected throughout Protestantism. Leo XIII. succeeded in winning the affectionate esteem of the entire Christian communion; and it is exceedingly gratifying to be assured that those in the best position to judge look for a continuation of the policy and example of the late Pontiff by his successor.

In the world of opinion, the Pope is still as great a sovereign as he has been any time during the latter centuries. Devout Christians of the Catholic faith look up to him for guidance from all parts of the inhabited globe; while, for Protestants, he possesses the undoubted advantages of a commanding position, from which to speak, and an acknowledged sincerity of purpose which is denied to some other world-leaders.

With the delicate political side of his office, even the highest dignitaries of his own church hesitate to interfere; and there is certainly no demand for the expression of Protestant opinion unless and until his political activity should threaten Protestant rights. Much misunderstanding of the situation would be avoided if it were always remembered that the people of Italy and a very large proportion of the people of France, with whom the papacy seems now to be in some measure in conflict, are sincere and even enthusiastic Roman Catholics. With them, the position of the Pope is a domestic question, which we may very properly and very safely leave them to settle.

Meanwhile, we may all wish the new Pontiff—Pius X—a long, tranquil and fruitful reign. He steps into a place which has been filled for a quarter of a century by a great figure; and it will not be easy to satisfy the many who can never be restrained from making comparisons. But he comes with a reputation which could not well be better, from an Italian city of an importance only second to that of Rome herself, and with a full grasp of the importance of his duties and of the infinitude of his opportunities.

STAMPEDING THE COUNTRY.

It is nothing short of an outrage that the country should be stampeded, by a Government in a hurry to bring on the elections, into a scheme of colossal expenditure without an opportunity to study the matter at all.

The building of a transcontinental railway is about the largest undertaking that this Dominion can ever be called upon to face. It deals in dollars by the million, and in millions by the hundred. It will saddle the country with a monster mortgage which coming generations will look back upon as an odious historical landmark.

And we are not to be given time enough, to consider the plunge before taking it, in which to get proper surveys made of the route over which the Government itself will be pledged to build a railway. We are binding ourselves to a task we know nothing about—a gigantic task, being nothing less than the building of a railway through the unknown sections of three Provinces—and we are doing this when a little delay would enable us to know precisely what difficulties lie in our path.

No more unbusinesslike proposition was ever made to a people who pretend to keep in their own hands the sole right to tax themselves. A tyrant could not be more reckless or desperate than the Government has shown itself to be. Our money is to be taken and our credit is to be pledged; and yet no one can tell us how much money is wanted, or how it will be spent.

The reason for this haste is apparent. The Government wants to get ready for the elections; and its capitalistic friends want to get their fingers tight on the country's purse strings before the people can interfere. What care either of them whether the route is practicable, whether the road can be run economically, what it will cost or what good it will be; provided the elections are made easy, and the country is pledged to an enormous expenditure!

The most shameful part of this whole shameful conspiracy is the open attempt to stampede the nation into pouring out millions for a project that it is not permitted to examine.

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"BEAN IN THE POT" EDUCATION.

A New York broker speaks upon the subject of latter day education. He has two boys in his office, he says, who have both passed through a high school, one being 19 and the other 17 years of age. The former is constantly asking how simple words in every day use are spelt. Neither lad can make an interest calculation. Neither can speak the English language clearly or correctly. Both say "yep" for yes when replying to an enquiry or command of a superior in the office, yet both are "bright and well-intentioned." This last statement adds to the mystery. If they were stupid, ill-conditioned boys, one could understand that perhaps they had resisted all educating influences; but seeing they are quite the opposite, it is hard indeed to understand why they could not pick up a decent education. One of them told the broker that, for some years before he left the high school, he had had no arithmetic; he was supposed to have gone through all that. The broker's theory is that the boys spent so much time learning how beans sprout in a flower pot, and how a fly's eye looks under the microscope, and other wonderful things of that kind, that there was no chance for them to learn spelling or arithmetic. There is one thing, however, the broker has under his own control, and we wonder he does not see it: he can put a stop to the "yep" business by a simple order. Of course, if he is too good-natured an American to interfere with any body's habits of speech, there is no help for it. Only, in that case he should not complain.

It is sad to think that, in these progressive times of ours, so serious an evil as insanity should be steadily and rapidly increasing. In England and Wales to-day there is one insane person to every 293 of total population. Since the year 1894, there has been an increase in the number of the insane of nearly 22,000. The same phenomenon is observable, if we mistake not in, all the more advanced nations of the world. It is certainly observable both in the United States and Canada. Alcoholism is, and always has been, a more or less potent cause of insanity. In England nearly one-quarter of the total number of cases are attributed to it. Still that leaves a large percentage to be accounted for in other ways. The subject is one deserving of profound study. The Lunacy Commissioners of Great Britain do not consider that the facts bear out the common impression that the main cause of insanity is the strain of modern life. The causes seem in the main to be physical; one case in three can be traced to some disease or disorder. We cannot but believe that in time science will give us a better account of the cause of insanity than any that has hitherto been put forward, and that the efficacy of preventive and remedial measures will be correspondingly increased.

THE PASSING HOUR.

The law against lotteries should be sufficient to keep the country from going into that G. T. Pacific scheme.

The Swan River election in Manitoba resulted in the defeat of the Liberal candidate. This was the "swan song" of the Greenway Liberals.

Every other day some Ontario town has an Old Boys' celebration. This means "yellow boys" for the hotelkeepers.

Wonder how long it will be before they will lynch a baseball umpire across the line.

The Intercolonial is the salvation of the Government short route to St. John; for, if it were not for the Intercolonial, the Government route would be the longest in existence.

And Cox "wears the smile that won't come off."

Russia is industriously preparing to keep the peace in Manchuria—that is, either the piece or the whole.

Burglars plundered a law office in Toronto. This is shameful. There should be honour among thieves.

Whatever happens to the weather, the last person to know it is the Weather Man.

It is undoubtedly its scarcity which makes Grand Trunk Pacific enthusiasm so valuable.

Slowly, but surely, political developments in Great Britain are taking the shape of the Colonial Secretary's plans. Several members of the Ottawa Cabinet might find food for thought in this.

It is difficult to say which of the weak points in the Grand Trunk Pacific scheme Sir William Van Horne hit hardest. It is also immaterial.

Lord Curzon is to be Viceroy of India five years more. This will give Mrs. Leiter time to complete her subjugation of the country.

It is noticeable that the majority of eastern yachtsmen would like to see Thorella race the other fellow's yacht.

For the next month our yachting experts could keep busy estimating the Manitoba wheat crop.

Sir William Van Horne has knocked most of the romance out of Sir Wilfrid's picturesque railway scheme.

The argument, that if you let vines grow all over the new Lookout so that no one can see it, it won't look so bad, is certainly ingenious.

SUCH IS LIFE.

Hamlett—"What has become of De Ranter?"
Eggbert—"The old fellow was sent to the county infirmary last week."
Hamlett—"That's tough. But he will doubtless feel at home there."
Eggbert—"Because why?"
Hamlett—"He has been accustomed to poor houses ever since he began his stage career."

A BETTER PLAN.

"The way to get a thing done properly," said the man whose talk consists chiefly of stock quotations, "is to do it yourself."

"You're nutty," replied the man with the scanty hair. "The proper way to get a thing done is to let your wife do it, then she can't say 'I told you so.'"

HIS EXCUSE.

"Don't you think," queried the ambitious maid, "that two can live as cheaply as one?"

"Undoubtedly," replied the knowing bachelor. "With me, however, it is not a question of finance, but rather one of peace."

SOMETHING IN A NAME.

Gyer—"Spilkins has named his new automobile 'Runabout.'"
Myer—"Queer name, isn't it?"
Gyer—"Yes, but quite appropriate. It will run about ten minutes between breakdowns."

WISE GIRL.

Mayme—"Jack has been awfuly reckless, but he declared if I married him he would blot out the past."
Edyth—"And are you going to marry him?"
Mayme—"Not me; I'm no blotter."

Marie Ragueues aged forty of Kerhous near Brest has recovered her speech after being dumb for twenty-eight years. She is now visited by crowds of pilgrims who believe that a miracle has been performed. There seems to be no doubt about it. If a woman has been dumb for twenty-eight years and has recovered her speech that is a miracle. If she was not dumb and yet held her tongue for twenty-eight years, that is a miracle.

Subbubs—"Do you really mean to say you keep a cat?"
Backlotz—"Yes."
Subbubs—"I shouldn't think you'd want one around the house."
Backlotz—"I don't, but the cat insists."—Philadelphia Press.

Impaired Digestion

May not be all that is meant by dyspepsia now, but it will be if neglected.

The uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, sourness of the stomach, and disagreeable belching may not be very bad now, but they will be if the stomach is suffered to grow weaker.

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THIS DATE 30 YEARS AGO.

(From the Star fyle of August, 1873.)

Many of our readers will regret to learn of the death of the eldest son of the Rev. John Potts, which took place yesterday morning at the Wesleyan parsonage, Toronto. We know that the bereaved parents will have, in this hour of sorrow, the warm sympathy of a large circle in this community.

THE Rev. Dr. Potts was for many years the pastor of St. James Street Wesleyan Church of this city, leaving this congregation to take charge of the Metropolitan Wesleyan Church of Toronto. He is looked upon as one of the most forcible and eloquent preachers in the whole Methodist Church.

The monthly meeting of St. Patrick's Society was held last evening, when the routine business having been despatched, the question of the election of a president was again presented. Mr. Donovan, vice-president, was then nominated, but after considerable obstruction and manoeuvring an adjournment was proposed and carried.

THE president of the society, Mayor Francis Cassidy, Q.C., died on June 14th, 1873, and no less than three meetings were held to fill the vacant office, but on each occasion the supporters of the late Mr. Bernard Devlin, Q.C., managed to shelve the question of electing a president.

A public meeting of the electors of St. Ann's Ward was held last evening at the Bull's Head Tavern, Centre street, Point St. Charles, Councillor McCambridge presiding. The meeting was addressed at some length by Mr. Dunbar Brown, advocating the claims of Mr. James McShane over those of Mr. James Howley and Ald. McGauvran.

OF the three candidates, McShane is the only one living. Mr. Dunbar Brown, who is now one of the fourth estate, and has been so for nearly a score of years, was at this time practising his profession of advocate, and took a very lively interest in politics. He is a good platform speaker.

The case of Mr. Oscar Dunn, editor, against Mr. Wilfrid Prevost, a member of Parliament, for an assault and battery, was tried in the Police Court this morning before the Police Magistrate, Mr. W. H. Brehant. The court was thronged with lawyers and loafers. Hon. Mr. Chapleau was counsel for Mr. Dunn and Mr. Dorion for Mr. Prevost. The court, after hearing the evidence, condemned Mr. Prevost to pay a fine of $20 and costs.

THE trouble arose out of some political articles which appeared in the columns of a defunct French morning paper, of which the late Mr. Oscar Dunn was one of the chief editorial writers. During the trial considerable political feeling was evinced by the spectators, which the court had to sit down upon. Both complainant and the defendant passed away some years ago. The late Mr. Wilfrid Prevost represented his native county, Terrebonne, in the Local Legislature at Quebec for several terms.

The Dominion agent of the Immigrants' Home complains that Americans frequently attempt to decoy newly arrived immigrants over the line. One such was detected on Saturday, he having followed a young girl, whom the agent had directed to an address where help was required.

THE Federal Government agent at the time was the late Mr. John Daley, who held the office for a great many years, giving the greatest satisfaction to all concerned. He died in harness many years ago.

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MEETINGS AND AMUSEMENTS.

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PROMINENT CANADIANS WHO HAVE PASSED AWAY.

The death was announced in the Star of August 6th, 1888, of Chas. Joseph Coursol, Q.C., ex-Judge of Sessions for Montreal, and at the time of his death, member of the Dominion House of Commons for the Eastern Division of Montreal. Judge Coursol, who passed away on August 4th, 1888, had been in poor health for a year and a half. He was born on October 3rd, 1819, and was the son of the late Michael Coursol, of the Hudson's Bay Company. He was favourably known as jurist, parliamentarian, volunteer and promoter, and in politics was a Conservative. He was survived by his son, Captain Charles Coursol, who has since passed away, and his daughter, Mrs. Kane, of Montreal.

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HON. W. S. FIELDING PROPOSES BOUNTIES ON IRON AND STEEL

Period of Present Bounties Extended—New Bounties for Steel Products — Messrs. Borden and Tarte Make Strong Plea for Protective Tariff.

Special Staff Correspondence.

Ottawa, August 5. — The Government resolutions with regard to the bounty on iron and steel occupied most of the time of the House yesterday. The increased bounty to be granted is not large, but Mr. Fielding said he had been assured it would be sufficient, and under it the Dominion Iron and Steel Company could continue its operations. The bounty on wire rods and structural steel is not expected to amount to more than $150,000 for the first year at any rate. This bounty is not fixed for any term of years, and the Finance Minister stated expressly that it will be subject to any revision of the tariff that may be made at any time hereafter.

Mr. Borden asked what truth there was in the report that the Government of Canada had been asked to consent to the publishing of part of the proceedings of the Imperial conference, which have hitherto been treated as of a private nature.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that he could not answer the question without consulting the Governor-General, which he promised to do.

Mr. Fielding introduced the Government resolutions for increased bounties on manufactures of iron and steel. He pointed out that the resolutions are in two parts, that which increases the bounty already given on steel and pig iron, and that which gives a bounty where none has hitherto been given, on wire rods and structural steel, as follows:

NEW BOUNTIES.

(a) On rolled, round wire rods not over 3-8ths of an inch in diameter, when sold to wire manufacturers for use in making wire in their own factories in Canada, a bounty of six dollars per ton;

(b) On rolled angles, tees, channels, beams, joists, girders, or bridge, building or structural rolled sections, and on other rolled shapes not round, oval, square or flat, weighing not less than thirty-five pounds per lineal yard, and also on flat eye bar blanks, when sold for consumption in Canada, a bounty of three dollars per ton;

(c) On rolled plates not less than thirty inches in width and not less than one-quarter of an inch in thickness, when sold for consumption in Canada for manufacturing purposes for which such plates are usually required and not to include plates sheared into plates of less width, a bounty of three dollars per ton.

The bounties fixed in 1897 were $3 per ton on steel, $3 on pig iron from native ore and $2 on pig iron from imported ore. By subsequent legislation a sliding scale was established under which the bounty last year was 90 per cent. of what it was in 1897. On that scale it would have been 75 per cent. this year, 55 per cent. next year and 35 per cent. the following year. The change now proposed was to defer the operation of the sliding scale for one year, so that the bounty will be 90 per cent. this year, 75 per cent. next year, 55 per cent. the following year, and 35 per cent. in 1906-7. The amount of bounty paid last year was $1,098,359. Presuming the output to be the same, the amount this year under the old law would have been $915,299, so that the change means an increase of $183,059 paid to the steel industry this year, with corresponding increases each year until the bounty period expires.

As to wire rods and structural steel, which are not now manufactured in Canada, there is no duty on wire rods, while on structural steel the duty is only ten per cent. The Government had reason to believe that the bounty to be granted, while it would fall short of what some manufacturers desired, would be regarded as moderately satisfactory encouragement and would serve the purpose of enabling industries whose position had seemed in question, to continue their operations in producing pig iron and steel and also to make some advance in the manufacture of wire rods and structural steel. What charge this new bounty would impose on the treasury was not easy to determine.

Mr. Blain—"Does the bounty cover all kinds of structural iron and steel?"

Mr. Fielding—"No. There are some forms of steel which have considerable duty and in those cases we do not propose to allow any bounty."

The only way of arriving at an estimate of the probable charge to the treasury was by considering the imports. Last year these were, wire rods 55,182 tons, structural iron and plates 47,512 tons. What proportion of this might be manufactured in Canada was a matter of conjecture.

Mr. Haggart—"The figures include only the wire rods imported and not the nails?"

Mr. Fielding—"No, only the wire rods."

Mr. Kemp—"Can you give us the value as well as tons of these articles imported?"

Mr. Fielding—"In 1902, the structural steel imported was valued at $789,644; the plates at $571,291; the wire rods at $1,623,792."

If it were estimated that Canada would manufacture one-third of these, the amount of the bounty would be $150,00 a year. It would take the companies several months to get their mills equipped for the manufacture of these articles and therefore probably for the current year at any rate the quantity manufactured in Canada would not exceed one-third of the imports.

DURATION OF BOUNTIES.

Mr. Borden—"What is the period fixed for these bounties to run?"

Mr. Fielding replied that the Government had thought better for the present not to name any period, because if a period were named it would in some sense be regarded as a contract. It was, therefore, judged well to leave the matter so that the Government would be entirely free to deal with it at a future date in connection with any revision of the tariff which might be made.

Mr. Kemp—"Why is it that only the articles mentioned in the resolutions have been dealt with?"

Mr. Fielding—"Because to deal with others would involve material tariff changes, and it was not thought advisable to do so at present."

Mr. Kemp—"May the bounty be taken off later and the matter dealt with by a duty?"

Mr. Fielding—"Quite possibly. We cannot make any undertaking as to the future."

MR. R. L. BORDEN.

Mr. Borden congratulated the Minister of Finance on having at last awakened to the condition of the steel industry. He was sorry to notice that the Prime Minister and the Minister of Trade and Commerce had left the House during the speech. Doubtless they recognized that "a bounty is the most extreme form of protection"—(laughter)—and as such utterly out of touch with the principles which they had hitherto announced as their political creed. The Government had made a serious reduction in the iron duties in 1897, but had afterwards come to the conclusion that it was a mistake and had brought down a measure with regard to bounties, although this was going back on all their previous declarations of policy. Mr. Borden amused the House by reading some of Sir Richard Cartwright's vigorous attacks on the bounty policy in days gone by. He then proceeded to point out at some length that, as the record showed, the late Conservative Government were exceedingly anxious that this industry should be developed in Canada, and when this Government in 1897 put on bounties, Sir Charles Tupper said he was glad they had done it, even if they should get another five years of power. Mr. Borden expressed the conviction that the course taken by Sir Charles had much to do with the adoption of the policy and the consequent development of the iron and steel industry in the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Borden regarded the Government's present policy as a mere makeshift. The iron industry could not be put upon a permanent basis until the duties were revised, so as to keep the home market to a very large extent, at least, for the home producer. If duties were put on there would be competition at home, which would keep down the price to a reasonable figure, but with a bounty the larger the output; the heavier would be the burden on the people. During last year the manufactures of iron and steel imported into Canada were $33,681,625, a large part of which could be made in Canada. The Finance Minister seemed to be looking to a revision of the tariff in the future. Mr. Borden regretted that it was not to be done now. He was glad this measure of protection was given, but it was not enough. The Government should revise the tariff at the earliest opportunity. They might not have an opportunity if they did not begin soon.

PIECEMEAL POLICY SAYS MR. TARTE.

"Once more we are not doing the right thing," said Mr. Tarte. The Government was coming to the relief of industries that had nearly gone to the wall. This relief was given because the Minister could not help it. Public opinion had constrained him to it. This was a policy of piecemeal, a retail policy. Mr. Tarte read a letter which he had received from a prominent wire dealer, who stated that the American wire trust has complete control of the Canadian market, determining the prices in this market and insisting that Canadian wire shall be sold as Cleveland wire. If instead of a system of bounties on iron and steel there had been a duty of, say 35 per cent., about half of the $33,000,000 of these articles imported would have been made here, to the great advantage of the country. The policy which allowed American manufacturers to dictate in this market was not a Canadian policy, but a Yankee policy. It was a policy which he could not understand. He had been informed by men interested in these industries that they accepted the bounties because they could not get protection, but they would not invest more money because they knew the bounty system could not be permanent. He made his protest against the bounty policy because it was not the best.

Mr. Ross, of Victoria, N.S. was roused by Mr. Tarte's remarks, and declared that as far as the Liberals were concerned the Opposition were welcome to the ex-Minister. The Opposition reminded him of a certain species of snake which, when it found its game too large to swallow, covered it with slime. That was what the Opposition was doing with Mr. Tarte. In the opinion of Mr. Ross it might have been as well to let the steel works go down and have some others build on the ruins, but he was willing to sacrifice his views to some extent on account of the interests involved. The Cape Breton works had been run very extravagantly and that was chiefly what was the matter with them.

"When the wicked man turneth away from his wickedness he shall save his soul alive," was Mr. Gourley's comment on the Government's change of view with regard to assisting industries. Mr. Gourley ridiculed the argument that high protection meant high prices, and declared that this theory had been exploded long ago.

SIGNIFICANT FIGURES.

Mr. Tarte, replying to the argument that high protection meant high prices, mentioned three classes of wire which are sold in the United States at $2.60, $2.75 and $2.85 respectively. These wires enter Canada free of duty, but the price of them here is respectively $2.85, $3.00 and $3.10, as the wire is controlled by the American trust, this shows that there is one price for the United States and another for Canada.

Mr. Fielding maintained that the high duty levied by the United States caused the existence of combines in that country.

"There are more monopolies and combines in free trade countries than in countries that have high tariffs," retorted Mr. Tarte. "When a free trader is put to the wall he will say anything."

Mr. Oliver declared that the bounty thus far had not had the effect of building up an iron industry in this country. The figures for last year showed that $211,860 had been paid in bounties on Canadian ore and $478,047 in bounties on foreign ore. He could not see how this helped to develop the natural resources of this country. The money was going to develop the production of iron in foreign countries, and not to build up an iron industry in Canada.

Mr. Lennox said that Mr. Ross, of Victoria, had practically read Mr. Tarte out of the Liberal party, and no doubt had instructions from Ministers of the Crown to do so. Such an incident showed that the country could not expect any adequate tariff relief so long as it was controlled by the present Government. He did not feel that a bounty was the proper way to encourage the iron industry.

Mr. Bennett suggested that the bounty on steel should be payable only in respect of steel made from Canadian pig iron.

Mr. Fielding said that this would be a departure from the principle which had hitherto governed in the matter.

Mr. Bennett said that on the lakes it amounted to giving the Americans a large benefit for nothing. Canadian vessels were shut out of the iron ore trade to United States ports because of the coasting laws. All the Canadian boats could carry was grain, and the ore from Michipicoten to Midland or Hamilton. He reiterated that all steel which got the benefit of the bounty should be made from Canadian ore.

Mr. Fielding said that once the ore became pig iron it was a Canadian product, and had to be treated as such in the next stage.

Mr. Henderson wanted to know if he was right in figuring that the bounty on pig iron was $3 a ton, on steel $3 more, and on wire rods $3 more, making the bounty on wire rods $12 a ton.

Mr. Fielding replied that this was correct, but it should be remembered that the persons receiving these different bounties would not be in all cases the same.

A DUTY NEEDED.

Mr. Bell said that everybody understood that the reason for the increased bounty was to relieve a great company in Nova Scotia. He feared that the concession granted would not prove to be sufficient. All that was being done was to add 90 cents per ton to pig iron for the current year, and perhaps $150,000 for wire rods and structural steel, when the same should be manufactured. It meant that at the outside $300,000 would be added to the receipts of the company for the current year, and although this was in one sense a reasonably large sum, still he would be surprised if it got the company out of their difficulties. He was sure that a duty would have been preferable to a bounty. Canada was in an ideal position for the production of iron, if proper encouragement were given.

Mr. Wilson wanted to know whether the increased amount to be given in bounties would be sufficient aid to the companies supposed to be in trouble. He recalled the gorgeous prospectus issued by the Dominion Iron and Steel Company. If the statements made at that time were anything like correct, there must have been gross mismanagement for them to get into trouble.

Mr. Fielding said that the Dominion Iron and Steel Company regarded the increase as fairly satisfactory. It would meet their difficulties for the time being, and enable them to go on with their operations. As to the mills at Sault Ste Marie, he had received no recent communication from them.

The resolutions were carried and the bill read a first time.

HANDLING THE CROP.

In committee on the bill to amend the Manitoba Grain Act, Mr. Sifton said that the indications are for a good crop in the Territories and part of Manitoba, with the rest of Manitoba not so good, and the average hardly up to the past two years. There has been an enormous increase in elevator accommodation since last year.

Mr. Boyd asked whether the Deputy Warehouse Commissioners would be located at Winnipeg or elsewhere.

Mr. Sifton replied that they would have to be located at outside points, where they could get readily to their duties.

Mr. Davis suggested that if several farmers had a carload of grain between them, they should be allowed to combine their interests and order a car to the elevator. Otherwise he thought a man with less than a carload would be at the mercy of the elevator company.

Mr. Scott said this point had been discussed by the delegates who were in Ottawa last summer to talk over this bill, and it had been found impossible to adopt such a clause without leaving the door open too wide for an elevator by this pretence to get cars to which it is not entitled.

Mr. Boyd said it would be a rare case for a farmer with less than a carload of wheat to put it into the elevator. He would generally prefer to sell it.

It was pointed out to Mr. Davis that if three farmers between them had a carload of wheat in an elevator, two of these could sell to the third, who would then have the right to order a car. With this explanation, Mr. Davis expressed himself satisfied. The several clauses of the bill were accepted with some minor amendments.

Mr. Boyd gave notice that he will move that the Grain Commissioners shall send to the railway agents, where there are telegraph offices, at 9 a.m. and 12 noon, daily, from September 1st to April 1st, in each year, the price at which No. 1 hard and No. 1 northern are then selling, and the said agents shall immediately on receipt of such quotation publish the same by writing it legibly on a blackboard, accessible to the public.

Mr. Sifton promised to consider the advisability of accepting this clause and to give his answer in a day or two.

The committee then rose and the House adjourned a few minutes after midnight.

ALL-CANADIAN ROUTE IS IMPRACTICABLE, SAYS SIR WILLIAM VAN HORNE

Railways Will Never Solve Transportation Problem by Carrying Grain in Large Quantities, as the Cost Is Prohibitive.

Toronto, August 5. — "The Canadian Pacific Railway, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, or any other all-Canadian route, will never voluntarily carry a carload of wheat by the all-railway route around the Great Lakes to an eastern Canadian port for shipment abroad, for the simple reason that it will never pay any road to do so. Nor will the transportation problems in the West ever be solved by the construction of an all-Canadian route from coast to coast."

The foregoing statement was made by Sir William Van Horne, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway, during the course of an interview with the News yesterday afternoon. Continuing, Sir William Van Horne stated that the Canadian Pacific Railway shipped every carload of wheat that it was possible to ship by their steamship line on the Great Lakes from Fort William to Owen Sound, and thence east by rail or else by way of Buffalo and the Erie Canal. The long haul around the Great Lakes was dreaded, because it was unprofitable, and the bulk of the grain brought by that route was carried during the winter months, and used by the millers of Ontario to keep their mills in operation during the cold season. There was altogether too much talk of an all-Canadian route by people who were entirely ignorant of the situation.

He considered that in discussing the all-Canadian route, a great mass of the people seemed to forget what it cost to construct a road through such a country as that around Lakes Huron and Superior. They also seemed to forget that such an unprofitable piece of road had to be maintained, and kept in the best of order. Such a piece of construction was like a bridge; there was no profit in it, but it had to be constructed and maintained. The Canadian Pacific Railway had been practically forced to expend their $25,000,000 grant from Parliament in construction of their line through that rough country, and part of the money derived from the sales of their lands in addition.

Sir William declined to say anything upon the fast Atlantic service or directly upon the railway situation at Ottawa. "In fact," he said, "I simply don't read what is written about the Grand Trunk Pacific project."

The following is the account of the interview given in the Toronto Telegram:

No more burning question is before the country to-day than the G. T. P. railway scheme for a line from Moncton to Port Simpson. Upon this Sir William Van Horne, the C. P. R. magnate, who is in Toronto on private business, expressed himself, at the King Edward Hotel, freely to The Telegram. He characterized as unfair to the C. P. R. the building of a line by the Government from Moncton to Winnipeg.

"When the C. P. R. started," he said, "there was not a white man's habitation between North Bay and the Red River, and it is due to the C. P. R. that the whole of the intervening country and the territory lying further west have been opened up. And people know that well, although perhaps they may have forgotten it now. The money given by the Government to the C. P. R. went into the building of the line round the north shore of Lake Superior. That part of the railway is like a bridge—it had to be built, but it is unremunerative."

In answer to a question regarding the feasibility of the proposal of Mr. Maclean, M.P., for the nationalization of railroads and the straightening out and levelling of the C. P. R. and C. N. R., Sir William declared that he had no objection to the latter part if Mr. Maclean liked to step in and carry it through.

"But," remarked Sir William, "there is such a thing as public ownership gone mad."

Sir William was, moreover, of opinion that, as far as the development of the West was concerned, there was no need for any other transcontinental line. The idea of a line having to be built for strategic purposes he characterized as the result of the bogey which now and again seized upon some minds through an excess of fear of the States.

"Have we not already," asked Sir William, "an all-Canadian line from Quebec to Vancouver? Doesn't it run entirely within Canadian territory? For a line to be built away up along the north for the purpose of tapping the west would be altogether futile. Very little grain at all comes down from the part of the Dominion through which it was proposed to run that line. The C. P. R. may take a car load of wheat out of it now and again. But I state this emphatically that no all-Canadian line, I care not by whom it is built or run, will voluntarily draw a single car load of wheat east of Port Arthur over its tracks. We occasionally take one when the traffic by boat is congested, in the winter, when any special need arises. The usual practice, however, is to convey wheat by boat through Lake Erie canal."

OPPOSITION MEMBERS WILL MOVE AMENDMENTS.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—Opposition members have given notice of a number of amendments which they purpose moving when the third reading of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway bill is proposed. Mr. Monk will move that the branch line to Montreal from the Quebec section shall be begun as soon as the company have entered upon the operation of the main line and shall be completed to Montreal as soon as the main line is completed in the Quebec section.

Mr. Fowler wants it to be enacted that the Grand Trunk Company, when it purchases any of the common stock of the Grand Trunk Pacific Company shall pay in cash to the full par value of the same. Mr. Fowler also will move that a branch line be built on the Quebec to Moncton section, from Nashwaak down the valley of the St. John River to St. John city.

THE SECOND READING ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—The second reading of the bill for the ratification of the agreement for the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway will be moved on Thursday afternoon. The debate probably will be protracted.

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General Erwin's Recommend.

"Many of my friends have used Peruna as a dyspepsia remedy with the most beneficial results."—John B. Erwin, Washington, D.C.

Brig.-General Schell Benefited

"Peruna is indeed a wonderful tonic, and for coughs and colds I know of nothing better."—F. M. Schell, Washington, D.C.

General Duffield, of the Union Army,

Writes: "I have used Peruna in my family, and have found it a valuable medicine, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach or who require a tonic of efficiency."—The Cairo, Washington, D.C.

General Talley of Pa. Vol. U.S.A.,

Writes: "Your Peruna has been used by me and my friends as a relief for catarrhal troubles with the most beneficial results. I am so convinced of the efficacy of Peruna that I do not hesitate to give it my recommendation."—Wm. Cooper Talley, 713 D. St., N.E., Washington, D.C.

General Butler, of South Carolina,

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period, and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine besides a good tonic."—M. C. Butler.

Brigadier-General Kirby.

Writes: "I can recommend Peruna to all those who are afflicted with catarrh."—General D. T. Kirby, Washington, D.C.

Gen. Powell, Hecker Post No. 443,

Writes: "After using one bottle of Peruna I became convinced of its curative qualities, and continued its use to date. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared, yet I continue its moderate use as a preventive, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. Powell, Belleville, Ill.

Gen. Hawley, of Washington, D.C.,

Writes: "I have used Peruna and find it very beneficial for kidney trouble and especially good for coughs, colds and catarrhal troubles."—A. F. Hawley.

General Lumax, of Washington, D. C.,

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your remedy as a permanent and effective cure for catarrh, colds and to any one who needs an invigorating tonic to build up their system."—L. L. Lumax, 1603 19th St., Washington, D.C.

Gen. Payne, of Washington, D.C.

Writes: "I join with my comrades in recommending Peruna to my friends as an invigorating tonic to build up the system."—Gen. Eugene B. Payne, 407 4th St., N.W., Washington, D.C.

General Bigelow Cured.

General J. G. Bigelow, 151 C St., N.W., Washington, D.C., writes:

"Peruna has made me well and it has given me more than ordinary strength and spirit for work."

Gen. O'Beirne, of Washington, D.C.,

Writes: "As many of my friends and acquaintances have successfully used your Peruna as a catarrh cure, I feel that it is an effective remedy, and I recommend it as such to those suffering from that disease as a most hopeful source of relief."—James R. O'Beirne, 290 Broadway, Washington, D.C.

General Chase, Ass't Adj. Gen'l, G.A.R.

Writes: "The excellence of Peruna as a cure or relief for catarrhal disturbances is well established. Many of my friends have been benefited by its use."—B. F. Chase, 28 Harrison St., Anacostia, D.C.

General S. S. Yoder, of Ohio,

Writes: "I have found Peruna to be a wonderful remedy. I only used it for a short time, and am thoroughly satisfied as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Washington, D.C.

General O'Connor, of U.V. Legions,

Writes: "If you are suffering from catarrh or physical debility, immediately commence the use of Peruna. It has been of the greatest benefit and service to many of my friends."—Dennis O'Connor, 738 32nd St., N. W., Washington, D.C.

General Wright, of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a remarkable medicine, and should be used by persons who are in need of a good tonic and by sufferers from catarrh."—Marcus Wright, 1724 Corcoran St., Washington, D.C.

Gen. Sebring, of the Confederate Army,

Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your valuable remedy Peruna as a very excellent tonic, and also good for coughs, colds, catarrh, and general debility."—W. H. Sebring, 133 W. 4th St., Jacksonville, Fla.

Gen. Urell, of Spanish War Veterans,

Writes: "Many of my friends have used Peruna with beneficial results as an effective remedy for catarrh."—M. Emmet Urell, 813 12th St., N. W., Washington, D.C.

Gen. Middleton, Hancock Reg't, U.V.U.

Writes: 'I have been much benefited by Peruna in every respect in various ways, and I feel it a duty to recommend its usefulness to my fellow citizens."—John Middleton, 111 E. St., N. W., Washington, D.C.

Brig.-Gen'l Cook, of Washington, D.C.,

Writes: "As a number of my friends have used Peruna for catarrh with such good results, I can safely recommend it to all sufferers with like disorders."—George W. Cook.

General Sypher, of Washington, D.C.,

Writes: "After suffering for years with neuralgia I was persuaded by a friend to give Peruna a trial, and can cheerfully recommend it to any one who suffers with neuralgia, as a cure, and also as a tonic."—J. H. Sypher, Washington, D.C.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

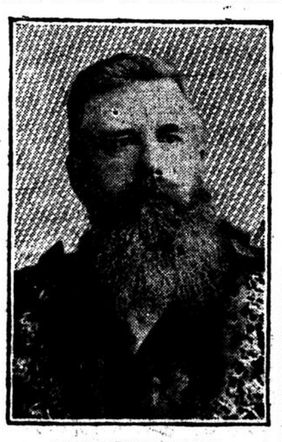
Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

WILL ATTEND BIG MONTREAL CONGRESS

E. W. JOBSON.

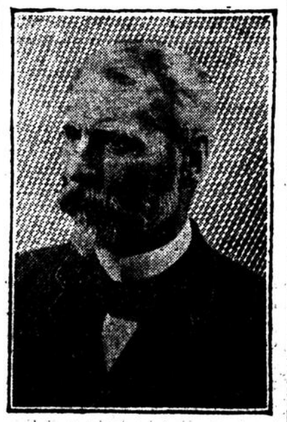
Mr. E. W. Jobson, who will represent the Derby Chamber of Commerce at the Congress, was educated at King's College, London, and then joined his father in the Derwent Foundry, of which he is now managing director. The firm is one of the largest manufacturers of open fire grates and heating stoves in England. He is vice-president of the Derby Chamber of Commerce, and a member of the Executive Council of the Associated Chambers of Commere.

John Samuel Booth, Castle, Bank House, Wakefield, Eng., who will represent the Wakefield Chamber of Commerce at the Congress, was born at Morley, Yorks, in 1845. He commenced business



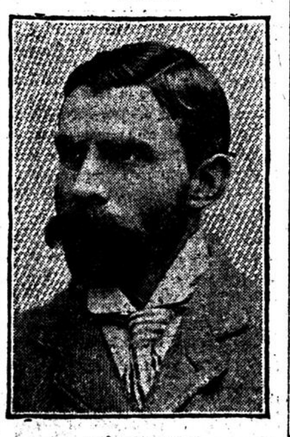
JOHN SAMUEL BOOTH.

as a cloth manufacturer in 1867; bought Castle Bank Mills, Wakefield, in 869, and removed entire business there in 1870. The premises are admirably situated on the banks of the River Calder. He has been a member of the Wakefield Chamber of Commerce 25 years, and served as president 3 years. He entered the Corporation in 1882 and served as chairman of all the important committes. He was elected Mayor in 1892. He has been Justice of the Peace since 1893; a Governor of Wakefield Charities and Grammar School for 15 years; a Governor of Doctor Crowther's Charities, 3 years; ex-president of the Wakefield branch U. K. C. T. A.; and a member of the West Riding of Yorkshire County Council since 1896.



A. JAGGAR.

Mr. Albert Jaggar, who will represent the Walsall Chamber of Commere at the Congress, is 59 years of age. He was educated at King Edward VI. School, Birmingham, and after leaving school served an apprenticeship at Messrs. John and Henry Lowe, coach and saddlers' ironmongers and carriage lamp manufacturers, of Birmingham, and afterwards purchased a partnership in the firm of F. B. Oerton, of Walsall. For the past 20 years he has carried on a business on his own account in Walsall and has had a considerable connection in a business way with Canada and the Australian Colonies, as well as with the home markets.



ALF. M. JAMES.

Mr. Alfred M. James, who will represent the Newport, Wales, Chamber of Commerce at the congress, was born in 1863, and spent his boyhood days at Watchet, a little West Somerset seaport village. His father was commercial manager there for

FEDERAL AND PROVINCIAL FISHERIES RIGHTS.

Memorandum Submitted Showing How the Dispute Stands at Present.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—Hon. R. Prefontaine brought down a memorandum on the status of the question of fishery rights between the Federal and Provincial Governments in Canada. The memorandum opens with a recital of the events leading up to the submission of a case to the Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council, and the result of that submission.

Following this, conferences were held for the purpose of reaching some means for administering the different functions devolving upon each Government under the changed condition of affairs.

To the Province of Ontario the fisheries were relinquished, so far as the disposal thereof as a "proprietary right" was concerned, which involved of course the issue of all fishery licenses in inland waters, and the collection of all revenues therefrom, reserving all rights of regulation.

The Dominion, however, may yet deem it expedient to make some further claim with regard to the waters of the Great Lakes, which form the boundary line between two foreign countries.

With the Province of Quebec an arrangement was made by which the department handed over the proprietary interests in the fisheries, so far as the inland rivers and waters were concerned; but claimed and exercised jurisdiction over the Gulf fisheries below a line drawn from Cape Chatte to Pointe des Monts. The province demurred to this, and it was agreed that a reference should be made to the Supreme Court, having for its object a finding of the ownership or jurisdiction over such maritime fisheries as are comprised in areas removed from the mouths of rivers seawards on the bold coast or along the three mile limit and below the line of demarcation already mentioned. The Province of Quebec claimed as proprietary practically all the water area of the Gulf of St. Lawrence capable of being claimed by Canada, while the Dominion admitted its right to the river fisheries, but denied that it had any ownership in the seacoast fisheries and consequently could not grant any exclusive privileges there. A proposal was made in 1901 by which a test case could be made in order to settle the claim of Quebec to their excessive rights, which, if settled, would, of course, decide the point as to the other Maritime Provinces claims which embraced a property interest in the three mile limit.

Those other Maritime Provinces, including British Columbia, entered into a tentative agreement with the Dominion Government by which this department continues to administer the fishery service practically as formerly, pending the settlement of the question to be referred as to the jurisdiction below low water mark; but in the interim, collections made under such conditions, are claimable by the provinces if their contention is maintained.

Incidentally, all the Atlantic provinces claim a portion of the Halifax award, $4,500,000.

The Dominion Government cannot acquiesce in the claims of the provinces affecting the marine belt of extra territorial jurisdiction.

The memorandum admits regrettable delay in reaching an adjustment; but it is the intention to make the matter up at the earliest possible moment and push it to a conclusion with as much expedition as circumstances will admit.

THE MARTINEAU DEFALCATIONS.

Auditor-General McDougall Defends Work of His Department in Connection With Case.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—The Auditor-General sent down to Parliament last night a supplementary report on the Martineau defalcations. The Commissioners who investigated the matter severely blamed Mr. McDougall for not having discovered and stopped Martineau's speculations long before. The auditor sketches the system of Government banking and declares that the Bank of Montreal was not recouped to the extent of a single dollar for any of the forgeries, and that therefore the bank's own funds are still reduced to the full amount of $75,000. He says the Commissioners are entirely mistaken in this essential point. The audit office never, within his recollection, passed a forged cheque or assisted in paying for one.

The report says: "We feel in this office that we perform a fairly arduous duty when we succeed in saving the Government from loss in the line in which we are employed, without devoting a large part of our time to protecting the Bank of Montreal or any other body or individual."

Proceeding, the Auditor-General says: "I am not arguing whether success in the event of an action being instituted by the Bank would rest on the Bank or the Government, but I do say the Audit Office has performed its full duty as described in the audit act, that the Government funds have not gone out except where value has been given for them, so far as we could not control the matter."

No repayment application for the forged cheques, he declared, will be passed by the Audit Office until an amount to cover them has been passed by Parliament or until a verdict against the Government by the courts have been given."

The Auditor proceeds to refute some of the allegations of the Commissioners, points out several matters in which they are wrong and then suggests certain amendments to the Audit Act, which in his judgment, are urgently required."

LAWYER AMMON MUST GO TO SING SING.

Special to the Montreal Star.

New York, August 5.—Justice Giegerich, supreme court yesterday refused a certificate of reasonable doubt to Robert A. Ammon, the lawyer recently convicted of having received money stolen by "520 percent." Miller, of the Franklin Syndicate memory. The result of the decision is that Ammon will be taken to Sing Sing Friday to begin serving his sentence of between four and four and half years. Had he been successful in obtaining a certificate of reasonable doubt, Ammon could have asked to be admitted to bail pending the determination of his appeal. Miller, who was the chief witness against Ammon, and who, it was said, would be pardoned, is still in prison.

THE SITUATION IN PEKIN.

Chinese Authorities Want to Try the Reformers.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Pekin, August 5.—The throne has made formal representations to the Foreign Minister's in regard to the Chinese Reformers, who were arrested at Shanghai, asking that they be turned over to the Chinese authorities for trial and repudiating the agreement made by the Shanghai Taotai, guaranteeing their trial and punishment in the foreign concession at Shanghai. Acting on the requests of the consuls at Shanghai in regard to the disposition of the case, the Ministers have referred the matter to their home governments.

On account of the inconvenience that would attend diplomatic relations if the throne displayed ill will, the Ministers, with the exception of the British representative, are disposed to favour the granting of the Dowager Empress' request. If the British Minister maintains his opposition it will be sufficient to prevent final action by the diplomatic body. During the past year the throne has made a great pretense to revise the penal and criminal codes. The latter contains no provisions for the disposition of prisoners of war, and these are promptly murdered or subjected to barbarous punishments.

William Harty, M.P., Robbed.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Kingston, August 5.—Thieves entered the home of William Harty, M.P., Princess street and carried off seven overcoats packed in cases and stored in a building in rear of the house. The house has been vacant for some days, all the inmates are summering at Simcoe Island. About a year ago the same dwelling was entered, and about $200 worth of valuables stolen.

Guelph, Ont.—James Ariss, an old resident, is dead aged 73.

Toronto—W. H. Ferguson, 61, for thirty years in the carpenter and jobbing business here, died yesterday.

LORD STRATHCONA WILL OPEN THE DOMINION EXHIBITION

Toronto, August 5.—Lord Strathcona, in consenting to open the Dominion Exhibition on Saturday, August 29th, yesterday sent President W. K. McNaught, of the Dominion Exhibition, details of the Jubilee presents and the articles loaned by the King that are to be shown at the Dominion Exhibition between August 27 and September 12. They are included in 63 different packages, and in the original cases in which they were presented to the late Queen. Lord Dufferin's presents and the Countess of Aberdeen's loan of specimens of Irish manufacture are coming out at the same time.

The Sugar Convention Bill.

London, August 5.—While the House of Commons was in committee on the sugar convention bill yesterday, a long discussion arose as to whether the importation of bounty-fed sugar should be totally prohibited or countervailing duties should be imposed. Many of the Liberal members referred to the American imports, which, although now insignificant, might be increased if the price of sugar rose. It was pointed out that the prohibition of sugars from the United States would be a violation of the most favourable nation clause, and stress was also laid by the Opposition on the question, as it might affect Argentina. Gerald Balfour, president of the Board of Trade, in replying to criticisms, said that if it seemed likely that a large supply would be cut off by the prohibition, the Government would consider the advisability of applying countervailing duties.

Thomas Wilson died near Markdale, aged 65 years.

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ELECTROLYTIC STEEL TO BE MADE IN CANADA.

Niagara Falls, Ont., August 5.—It is currently reported on both sides of the river on good authority that Canadian capitalists had secured the Ruthenberg process of making steel by electricity, and in the near future will construct a mammoth electrolytic steel plant on the Welland River at Chippewa, using a large block of Canadian Niagara power. The projected railway along the Welland River and the recent activity there leads to the belief that the scheme is well mapped out. If steel can be made cheaply from electricity, a wonderful growth will be seen along the Niagara frontier, as an enormous amount of power will be consumed, and the nearer the plants can get to the source of power the better.

THE TRADES COUNCIL.—Mr. John A. Flett, of Hamilton, president of the Trades and Labour Congress of Canada, will be one of the speakers at to-morrow night's meeting of the Montreal Trades and Labour Council. Frank Buchanan, of Chicago, and Ed. O'Dell, of Toronto, will also be present.

Maxwell, Ont.—William Buell is dead, aged 80 years.

DO YOUR FEET GET SOUR?

Sour, sweaty, ill-smelling feet cause many people a great deal of discomfort, annoyance and shame.

Wash your feet as you may, the bad odor still persists.

You can easily get rid of it, though, and have your feet sweet and dry by the use of

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"Get the Habit"

WORTHY SON OF A WORTH SIRE

Geo. Lessard, jr., Will Do His Father's Work at the Island Baths.

HE HAS A FINE RECORD

No Less Than Four Persons Have Been Saved From Drowning Through His Heroism.

For twenty-two years the late George Lessard, a brave and intrepid hero, acted as guardian of the public bath at St. Helen's Island, and in the course of those years saved many lives which would otherwise have been lost beneath the waves of the St. Lawrence.

To-day his son, another George Lessard, a swarthy lad of 22, reigns in his stead, and will carry on the work of his father.

Young Lessard has had a good training, as he has worked about the public baths with his father for the past ten years. He, therefore, understands the work that is required of him. He knows well the risks which must be run and is prepared to face them, in the discharge of his duties.

He was appointed yesterday, in his father's place, as being fitted to go on with the work, although there were two other candidates for the position.

Although only twenty-two, and looking young for his age, George Lessard has a fine record for courage and presence of mind.

He has already saved four lives, but speaks of the matter with as much unconcern as if it were an ordinary occurrence. His first successful attempt to save a life was made in July, 1899, when he was only 18 years of age. Albert Champagne was nearly drowned off the wharf, and this young fellow plunged in after him and brought him safely to land. In the next month, August, 1899, he had another chance to prove his courage, for Roie St. Jean was almost drowned, and George Lessard again was successful in saving a life.

On the 14th of April, 1901, Robert Hevey, fell into the river from the Longueuil wharf. Lessard came to the rescue, and brought him safely to shore. Finally on the 11th of February of the present year, he saved the life of M. Demers, who was also nearly drowned off the Longueuil wharf.

George Lessard is as modest as he is brave. He apparently feels that the question of looking after lockers and bathing suits, and seeing that the people who pay ten cents have their soap, is as important as seeing that they do not get out of their depth and drown.

He answered the question asked him by a Star reporter this morning, but made no attempt to enlarge upon his experiences, and was more proud to tell of the number of years in which his father had guarded the swimmers at the baths, than he was to give any dramatic details of his own courageous deeds. He pointed with some pride to the bathing suits and the tiers of lockers for the use of his patrons, and says he hopes to do the work to the satisfaction of the public, having been accustomed to it ever since he was twelve years of age. He is also training his brother, a little fellow of ten or eleven, to carry on the same work, for the youngster helps about the baths, and incidentally seems to be deriving a good deal of amusement from the work. There is another lad who acts as an assistant to Lessard, and who refers to him respectfully as "my boss."

The drowning of George Lessard was particularly sad, as he was a very good swimmer, but was caught in a death grip by the man whose life he attempted to save.

PASSENGER CONFERENCE AND THE CUNARD AND ALLAN LINES.

From the developments of the past few weeks, it would appear that the North Atlantic Steamship Conference, which has been in existence for a good many years, and which in that time regulated the rates for first, second and third-class passengers over the Atlantic, is practically a thing of the past. While the conference holds together, and is attended by the representatives of the several lines, it has practically lost its usefulness since the Cunard Line served notice and severed its connection with it.

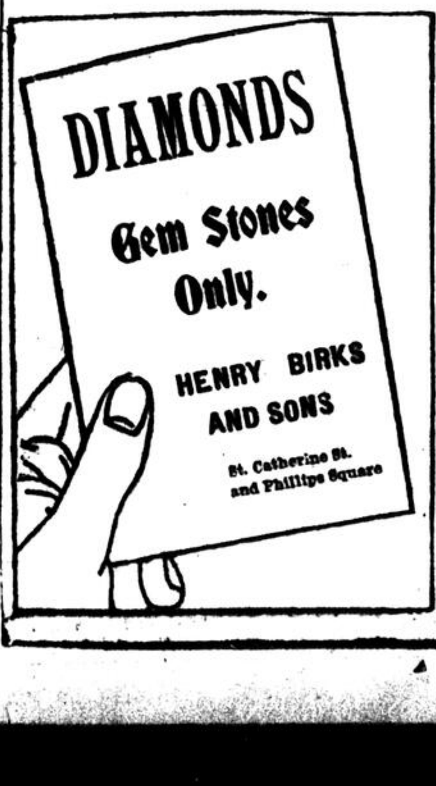
This, however, does not mean that a war of passenger rates is imminent; in fact, there is nothing further from the steamship men's thoughts just at present.

The independent steamship companies, such as the Allans and the Cunards, realized that their position was far from stable, as they were confronted at conference meetings by the representatives of the different lines composing the International Mercantile Marine Company, otherwise known as the Morgan shipping syndicate. Each of the lines composing the International Mercantile Marine had its representative at conference meetings, and the outsiders, such as the Cunards and the Allans, felt that, while they were each presumably a free agent and voted as independent lines, a word from the heads of the Morgan syndicate would mean, perhaps, a decision which would militate against the lines outside of the syndicate.

Under the circumstances it was thought that it would not be well to bind themselves too closely to the Conference, so the Cunards served notice that they would go out, and the Allans also gave notice that, under certain circumstances, they might take their departure. So at the present time the members of the North Atlantic Steamship Conference is practically composed of the Morgan Syndicate, with the Allans and the Cunards ready to take flight at any time. Cunard and Allan representatives attend each of the conference meetings, and live up to the rules and rates as laid down by conference.

Will Visit the West.

Mr. R. F. Macfarlane, passenger agent of the Dominion, American, Leyland, White Star and other lines, leaves this evening for a trip to the West. He will be gone for some weeks, taking in Chicago and points further West.



DELEGATES TO THE COMMERCE CONGRESS

Many Will Sail From England for Montreal Tomorrow.

THE CANADIAN ITINERARY

Most of the Delegates Will Tour Ontario, and Several Will Go Through to the Coast.

A large number of delegates to the Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, which meets in Montreal on the 17th inst., will sail on the Dominion Line steamship Canada and the Allan Line steamship Bavarian this week, and will arrive here on or before Saturday of next week.

It is said that practically all the available cabin space on these two vessels is taken by the delegates. It is expected that many will stop off at Quebec on the way up and view that city.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has decided to give the visitors a special train for their trip to the coast in place of attaching them to the regular trains, as was first arranged. It is said that about one hundred will take advantage of the trip.

Practically the entire party of visiting delegates will take the tour over the Grand Trunk system, which will also be made in a special train, but, owing to the length of time consumed in making the trip across the Continent, some of the Colonial and English visitors will be deterred from doing so.

Mr. Kenric B. Murray, secretary of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire, who sailed from Liverpool for Montreal via Boston, will arrive in the city the latter part of the week.

The delegates' first opportunity of viewing Canada after the Congress will be afforded on Saturday, August 22, when they will proceed to Ottawa, spending the day in viewing the capital city, returning to Montreal the same evening. After spending the day following, Sunday, quietly in the city, the delegates will start out on Monday on their sight-seeing expedition over Canada.

Mr. W. S. Weldon, manager of the Windsor Hotel, said to the Star to-day that rooms were already being reserved for the accommodation of the visiting delegates to the coming congress. Considerably over a hundred will be cared for at the Windsor, and the big banquet to be tendered the visitors will take place in the large dining hall.

FIRST PRAYERS FOR THE NEW POPE.

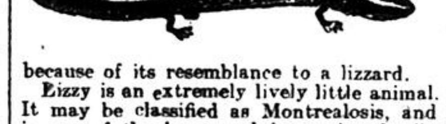
For the first time since the death of His Holiness Leo XIII. the prayers for the new Pontiff was said this morning in all the Roman Catholic Churches of the city.

Masses were said from 5 o'clock until 8, and the prayer, "Oremus pro Pontifice," used at all the services.

At the Palace the flag, bearing the Papal coat of arms was flying all day, and at St. Patrick's Hall, St. Alexander street, the Papal colours were also flying to the breeze.

LIVELY REPTILE JUMPS OUT OF A CITY WATER TAP.

The owner has not been able to classify the reptile represented in the accompanying cut. He calls it "Lizzy," doubtless



because of its resemblance to a lizzard.

Lizzy is an extremely lively little animal. It may be classified as Montrealosis, and is one of the large and increasing family now engaged in the work of populating the reservoir up on our far-famed and beautiful mountain.

Lizzy the other night got tangled up in the pipes leading down to the city. It was very dark in there, so she came to anchor in a quiet nook in Mance street, which proved to be a drinking tap, until the morning.

Her present owner got up early in the morning to quench his thirst. He held his glass under the tap and turned it on. Lizzy accepted the invitation, and in a few moments was swimming gracefully around the glass.

Her owner was a little dazed at first, and very much alarmed at his symptoms. Upon further investigations, however, he was overjoyed to discover that she was the real thing.

The question which is agitating every one who has seen her is what would be the effect of swallowing any of this variety of animal, upon the average constitution.

The cut is about three-quarter size, and the reptile breathes through gills at the back of its head.

Truly Montreal water is both food and drink!

FRENCH BARON SUGGESTS AGREEMENT WITH BRITAIN.

Paris, August 5.—Baron d'Estournelles de Constant, who headed the French Parliamentary arbitration group on its recent visit to London, has written an important letter to Foreign Minister Delcasse.

The letter says that during twenty years the fear of Parliamentary opposition has alone prevented the settlement of the Anglo-French difficulties, and now that the fear is dispelled nothing prevents the adoption of a conciliatory policy. All the British statesmen whom he saw, without distinction of party, says the Baron, were unanimous in desiring this suggested new policy, which must be as clearly defined as the former one was obscure.

The new policy has three essential objects.

First—The conclusion of a reasonable arbitration treaty similar to that negotiated between Great Britain and the United States and in accordance with clause nineteen of The Hague International Arbitration Convention. Second, a reduction of overwhelming naval expenses, an agreement with France and Russia, concerning which the Baron claims to have received categorical verbal and written assurances. Third, a friendly settlement of the outstanding differences which for 20 years have vainly exhausted the resources of diplomacy.

Baron D'Estournelles urges Minister Delcasse not to let this favourable moment slip by and declares that with equal good will on both sides, these three general agreements with Great Britain can be signed in a few months.

He finally, announces his intention of putting a question to the Minister on the subject in the Chamber of Deputies when Parliament re-assembles.

Speaking to a correspondent Baron D'Estournelles said: "We have endeavoured to free the subject of all utopianism. We expect that the beginning now will be extended until there exists a similar basis of agreement throughout the countries of Europe and America.

I next wish a similar exchange between American and French parliamentarians.

THE GROUNDING OF THE MANITOBA

It Took Place During the Progress of a Heavy Storm.

THE PILOT MAKES A REPORT

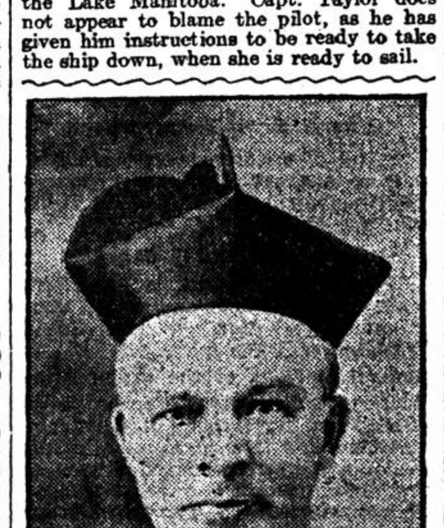
He Says That When the Ship Struck He Could Not See the Water in the River.

Pilot Joseph Chandonnet, who was in charge of the C. P. R. Atlantic Line steamer Lake Manitoba at the time of her grounding in the harbour, has sent in the following report: "The weather was overcast, but I could see Hochelaga perfectly well, and even Longue Pointe; as I entered the current I noticed that a shower was rising behind the mountain, but it was too late to stop. Five minutes later the storm broke, and I could not see ten feet ahead. I passed alongside a dredge anchored at Hochelaga, in the middle of the stream. I gave orders to drop the anchor below the dredge, and it was then that the ship grounded, opposite Dobell's wharf, at a moment when I could see absolutely nothing."

Discussing the affair yesterday, the pilot said he had left the wharf at 7.15 a.m. Thursday. The weather looked like rain, but was clear. There was a clear view to Hochelaga, and even to Longue Pointe. At the time of leaving the wharf, Capt. Taylor and the other officers came on the bridge, and were able to judge the weather conditions for themselves. The ship was in the current when the storm broke. It became "black as ink."

The pilot fearing to strike the dredge anchored in mid-stream off Hochelaga. His efforts were centred on clearing the dredge. As a matter of fact, he simply escaped the dredge by some twenty feet.

Pilot Chandonnet has been for twenty-nine years the pilot of the lines owning the Lake Manitoba. Capt. Taylor does not appear to blame the pilot, as he has given him instructions to be ready to take the ship down, when she is ready to sail.



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THE LONDON TIMES ON THE NEW POPE.

Special to The Montreal Star.

London, August 5.—The Times editorially says: Pius the Tenth may not be able or willing to make general and stable peace with the Quirinal, but with his strong and popular sympathies, his great practical good sense and love of conciliation, he will surely endeavour not to aggravate the situation needlessly, while he may find means to improve it as a working arrangement between powers which are compelled to live side by side.

FRATERNITIES TO-DAY DISCUSSED QUESTION OF INSURANCE.

(See also page nine.)

The Associated Fraternities continued their convention to-day, the whole of the forenoon being occupied with the reception of reports from the various committees. The chief of these was the report on programme and statistics, and was referred for further consideration to a later date.

Mr. Landis read a paper on "Uniform rates without surrender values," which was attentively listened to by the delegates. The paper went exhaustively into the subject for the purpose of finding out if a rate could be established for universal use that would provide for nothing but strictly death benefits, and if such a rate could be maintained without extra assessments.

An animated discussion with regard to the working of the scheme occupied the whole of the forenoon.

This afternoon the session is further considering the reports of the committees, and the election of officers is also being proceeded with.

MR. JAMES A. NORCROSS HAS PASSED AWAY.

A Worcester, Mass. despatch, announces the death of Mr. James A. Norcross, of the contracting firm of Norcross Bros. Co. Brooding over the recent failure of his firm is said to have hastened the end. The firm was well-known in Montreal, and but recently completed the erection of the new Bank of Montreal in this city.

DOWIE BECOMES AMERICAN CITIZEN.

Chicago, August 5.—John Alexander Dowie, general overseer of the Christian Catholic church, was made a citizen of the United States to-day, upon renouncing in the Superior Court his allegiance to the Sovereign of Great Britain and Ireland.

Got Flag From Sir Thomas.

Toronto, Ont., August 5.—Mr. Benjamin W. Folger, manager of the Niagara River steamer line, is the possessor of an unique flag presented to him by Sir Thomas Lipton on the occasion of the latter's visit to Niagara-on-the-Lake on Sunday last. The flag consists of a shamrock in the centre of an orange background with a neat green border. On Sunday Sir Thomas Lipton sailed down the Niagara river in the steamer Chicora from Lewiston to Niagara-on-the-Lake, and on the return presented the flag to Mr. Folger with the request that it be hung from the masthead of the Chicora.

Mr. and Mrs. William Foran, of New York, with their son, Mr. Chas. Foran and the Misses Foran, who are visiting friends in Quebec, will spend next week in town.

MAXIME TERONGEAU'S TERRIBLE DEATH

Fell a Distance of Twenty Feet and Had Head Nearly Cut Off.

HE WAS DELIVERING COKE

He Had Just Ascended Elevated Road at Sugar Refinery When Platform Collapsed.

Maxime Terongeau, 45 years of age, a driver, in the employ of the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company, was killed to-day at the St. Lawrence Sugar Refinery, on Notre Dame street, in a very peculiar way.

Terongeau was hauling coke to the establishment. He had just ascended the elevated road and was backing up to the dump, when the platform collapsed and man, horse and cart were hurled to the ground below, a distance of about twenty feet. The horse was not injured, but the cart was smashed into splinters, and Terongeau was found lying beneath it bathed in his own blood, his head being horribly mangled. There was a faint spark of life in him when he was picked up, however, and one of the employes of the sugar refinery ran for Dr. Aylen and a priest. When he returned the man was dead. The Chief of Police of Maisonneuve was then notified. After examining the platform and the place where the accident occurred, he notiefid Coroner McMahon, who ordered the body to be taken to the morgue, where an inquest will be held.

The dead man lived on Poupart street and leaves a wife and seven small children. He had been with the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company for a considerable length of time and was considered a steady and reliable workman.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN GROWS IN CONFIDENCE OF VICTORY.

(Special Cable from our London Correspondent.)

London, August 5.—All rumours of Mr. Chamberlain's retirement from the fiscal fight are authoritatively contradicted to-day. He is personally more hopeful at the present time than at any time since he declared his programme. Indeed it is stated on excellent authority that he has persuaded himself he may even win at the first general election. He has captured the party machine and report from local agents seem to assure success. The large manufacturing centres are especially strong in support of Mr. Chamberlain, though free trade Unionists count upon Lancashire, where the cotton industry has taken an anti-Chamberlain line.

NO ELECTIONS THIS FALL.

Lord Curzon's acceptance of an extension of his term of office as Viceroy of India is held to confirm the belief that there will be no dissolution this year.

AUSTRALIA'S ATTITUDE.

The Sydney correspondent of the Morning Post declares that unlike Canada, where generous rivalry in support of Mr. Chamberlain seems to exist between the Ministry and the Opposition, Mr. Chamberlain's proposals have been received in Australia in most quarters in a strictly party sense. The correspondent doubts, however, if the majority of the free trade rank file are prepared to follow Sir William McMillan, and Mr. Reid in their uncompromising opposition to an Imperial protective tariff.

WINDERMERE.

ANGLO-GERMAN TREATY STANDS IN ABEYANCE.

Germany Wishes to Await Result of Preference Campaign.

(Special Cable from our London Correspondent.)

London, August 5.—The Berlin correspondent of the Standard, who speaks with authority, declares that all Anglo-German negotiations for a new commercial treaty are in abeyance. After the publication of the last blue-book, Germany sent a very conciliatory note to London, but when Lord Lansdowne invited the German Government to make a proposal regarding the new treaty, Herr Reichtofen replied that Germany was unable, as England's future fiscal policy was so uncertain in consequence of Mr. Chamberlain's proposals, the result which Germany must await.

The Standard correspondent declares that the best German experts admit that Mr. Chamberlain's desire to bind the Colonies closer to England by a new fiscal policy deserves the highest praise, as it has long been Germany's aim to do the same in regard to her Colonies.

WINDERMERE.

PRIVY COUNCIL DISMISSES APPEAL.

(Special Cable from a Montreal Star Correspondent in London.)

London, August 5.—The Privy Council to-day dismissed with costs the appeal of the Consolidated Car Company versus Came, which was an appeal against the King's Bench of Quebec, on May 29, 1901.

They granted leave of apeal in Mcdonald versus Belcher and others, which is an appeal against a decision of the Supreme Court of Canada, on May 5, 1903.

WINDERMERE.

Archbishop Gauthier's Opinion.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Kingston, August 5.—The election of the new Pope will be marked by the singing of the Te Deum in all the churches of the archipiscopal diocese of Kingston on Sunday next, after mass. The elevation of Cardinal Sarto is regarded with satisfaction. Archbishop Gauthier had not the privilege of a personal acquaintance with His Holiness, but he believes that under his beneficent rule the Church will prosper.

GREAT UNREST IN TRANS-CAUCASIA

A Formidable Agrarian Movement Among Peasants of Country.

GRUDGE AGAINST RUSSIA

A Man Who Has Been Prisoner for Five Years Gives His Views.

(Special by Cable from a Montreal Star Correspondent.)

Odessa, July 31, via Vienna, August 5.—"All Trans-Caucasia is in a state of violent and sanguinary unrest," said a member of the Central Workers Committee at Tiflis to a Star correspondent to-day. The speaker, a native of the Province of Gori, has just escaped from the Russian authorities after a five year's sentence of deportation to East Siberia. "For a whole year," he continued, "the authorities of my province have been confronted with a formidable Agrarian movement among the peasants. Many other localities are similarly agitated. The strike movement among the Industrial Workers is spreading along the railways. Georgians, who are chiefly employed on the railways, are prominent among the strikers. The persons killed in collisions with the police at Tiflis the capital of Georgia, and at Batum and Mikaikolav have almost exclusively been Georgians, who have a long standing grudge against Russia and an equally long standing revolutionary propaganda. The slaughter of their fellow countrymen has enraged the Georgian Peasants, all of whom are well armed. Consequently, great uneasiness prevails lest the strike movement continue to spread. It is likely that the trouble will increase. Before I left Tiflis the workers and Caspian and Black sea ports promised the central committee that they would strike in the event of a general tie up. The latest despatches indicate that the initiative of the workers in this city will be followed by those in Kertch and Batum on the Black Sea and in Baku on the Caspian Sea. The Georgian revolutionaries outside of Georgia keep their friends informed of Russia's gathering difficulties in various parts of the world in order to encourage them to keep up the fight throughout Trans-Caucasia.

POLICE RAIDED BANKERS' OFFICES.

Daniels & Co. of New York Accused of Grand Larceny.

New York, August 5.—The police to-day raided the office of Daniels and Co. The raid is said to have been made at the instance of the District-Attorney's office. According to the sign on the door of the offices, the firm did business as bankers.

The raid was made on warrants issued by a magistrate, and at the time five prisoners were taken. They were Thomas Daniels, the alleged head of the firm, Elisha Caldwell, who claimed to be attorney for the firm; Richard Woods, who said he was formerly representative of the firm in Boston; John Avery, an employe, and Samuel R. Bullock, who said he was the contractor for the firm.

Seven women stenographers who were in the offices at the time of the raid were allowed to go. The firm described themselves as bankers and underwriters. All were accused of grand larceny. The police later arrested Chas. Brown, said to be a brother-in-law of Daniels and Alfred Bagg, a clerk in the offices.

The warrants were issued on the specific complaint of Edwin E. Collins, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, that he had lost $150 through the firm. Collins told the police, however, that he had given almost a thousand dollars to the firm, and had never received a penny from them in return.

QUEBEC LIBERALS GROWING RESTIVE ABOUT APPOINTMENT

Say Mr. Sutherland Should Now Be Transferred From Department of Public Works.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—It is stated that there is great discontent among the Quebec supporters of the Government with regard to the question of patronage. They are particularly sore over the portfolio of Public Works going outside the province. At the time Mr. Prefontaine was taken into the Government it was announced that many important works hitherto in charge of the Public Works Department would be transferred to the Department of Marine and Fisheries. Nothing has been done in this direction, and the Quebec Liberals now insist that advantage shall be taken of the retirement of Mr. Blair to transfer Mr. Sutherland to the Department of Railways and Canals, and to appoint Mr. Prefontaine Minister of Public Works. Mr. Fitzpatrick is said to be strongly opposed to the change.

WHITAKER WRIGHT GAVE BAIL TO THE EXTENT OF $250,000.

London, August 5.—Whitaker Wright, the promoter and director of the London and Globe Corporation, Limited, was arraigned at the Guild Hall Police Court this afternoon and remanded after formal evidence of his arrest had been taken. He was released on bail of $250,000, himself providing $125,000, and three sureties guaranteeing the remaining $125,000.

The Ontario Firemen.

Trenton, Ont., August 5.—The fourth annual convention of the Volunteer Firemen's Association opened here yesterday with a large attendance of delegates from all parts of the Province. The visitors were welcomed at the Town Hall, and given the freedom of the town by Mayor Funnell. They were welcomed also by Dr. Jacques, President of the Board of Trade, and other representative citizens. In the afternoon the delegates proceeded to business.

Charged With Stealing $40,000.

New York, August 5.—Samuel Goldstein for six years a trusted employe of a clothing manufacturing firm has been arrested on a specific charge of stealing from his employers. It is alleged that over $40,000 has been taken. Goldstein had charge of the firms contract work, and is accused of overcharging the firm for work sent out on contract. He was held in $10,000 bail for examination to-morrow.

New Umpire Appointed.

New York, August 5.—President Pulliam has announced the appointment of Tim Hurst as a National League umpire.

ANOTHER FAILURE IN WALL STREET

Shrinkage in Market Valves Carries Down Sharp & Bryan.

CAUSED BREAK YESTERDAY

Their Stocks Were Thrown on the Market—Several New Low Levels Were Created.

(From the Special Correspondent of the Montreal Star in Wall St.)

New York, August 5.—The stock market was once more the scene of a wave of liquidation to-day, combined with bear attacks which carried prices in several instances to fresh low levels. Early in the day announcement was made of the failure of a firm which has been expected for some time. The name of the firm is Sharp and Bryan.

Charles S. Bryan, of the suspended firm, was elected a member of the governing committee of the exchange at the last election. The firm was organized July 21, 1891, the individual members being W. W. Sharp and Charles S. Bryan, both board members. The office of the firm is at 25 Broad street, and they are known as specialists in Virginia-Carolina Chemicals, United States Realty and Construction, and Southern Railway. The firm has a mercantile agency rating of from $200,000 to $300,000. G. H. Sullivan, of the law firm, Sullivan and Cromwell was made assignee of the firm. It was announced that the assignee would make a statement as soon as it could be prepared. According to the assignee the liabilities are about $1,000,000.

There was good support to the market, more particularly United States Street. The early declines included Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 1 7-8; United States Realty, preferred, 3-4; New York Central, 7-8; American Locomotive, 3-4; Southern Pacific, 1-2; Baltimore and Ohio, 5-8; Rock Island, 1 3-4; Rock Island, preferred, 3-4; Car Foundry, 5-8; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 4; and preferred, 2 1-2; Union Pacific, 7-8; Southern Railway and Erie, first preferred, 1-2; Missouri Pacific, 5-8; Amalgamated Copper, 1 1-8; Consolidated Gas, 1 3-8; Wabash preferred, 3-4; Atchison, 1 1-4; Canadian Pacific, 1 3-8; General Electric, 3; St. Paul, 1; Leather preferred, 1 1-2; Sugar, 3-4; Schloss Sheffield, 1 1-2; Metropolitan Street Railway, 1 1-2; Metropolitan Securities, 1 1-2; Louisville Nashville, 1 1-2; Wheeling Lake Erie first preferred, 3 1-2.

Steel stocks were strong. London prices came generally lower. After the first ten minutes there was a substantial rally in most stocks. There were rumours of more failures, but they referred to small and unimportant houses.

At 11 o'clock, failure of Sharp and Bryan was announced. In the early trading ten stocks made new low records. The average decline in the Standard Railway shares was over one point. The market was feverish and irregular throughout the morning.

Inspector McClusky and three central office detectives raided the firm of Daniels and Co., at 6 Wall Street shortly after 10 o'clock. The firm is supposed to do a business as bankers and dealers in investment securities. The warrant calls for the arrest of the men on the ground that the concern is operating a swindling game, one of the largest ever worked in Wall Street. The man said to be Daniels was taken to police headquarters.

It was reported on the Stock Exchange that one of the members of Sharp & Bryan had a considerable amount of Virginia Carolina Chemical stock, which has suffered a severe decline in the last few days. Recently the common stock was selling above 50. Yesterday it broke 7 points to 25, and preferred 16 1-2 to 12 1-2. To-day the common declined to 21 and preferred also was weak. During the morning U. S. Steel common declined to 20 7-8.

A sensational advance was made by Rock Island preferred, which opened at 59 and advanced to 61.

American stocks were materially lower in London, and dealings here for foreign account were in large volume and showed excess of sales.

Canadian Pacific was quite active on sales of 5,000 shares to 1 o'clock, but the bears are afraid of the stock on account of its scarcity here, and no decided movement was made against it. It is believed Mr. Schwab's retirement from the Steel trust portends other changes in that corporation.

Mr. Cromwell, counsel for the assignee of Sharp & Bryan, made the following statement:

"The firm made the general assignment for the purpose of insuring equality among its creditors without preference. The cause is directly attributable to the sudden and extreme shrinkage in the market value of the securities of the firm. The liabilities, mostly secured, are about $5,000,000. The value of assets comprising almost exclusively stock exchange securities to the amount of several million dollars, is dependent on market conditions. Most of the creditors recognizing that present conditions are short lived, are very fairly and wisely withholding their securities from sale."

An unofficial statement was made to the effect that the firm had no open contracts in the market and that at to-day's prices there was still a fair margin on their loans. It was added that if prices did not decline further the firm would be able to liquidate its assets on a satisfactory basis.

Sharp & Bryan were prominent in operations on the curb. They were specialists there in American Bridge, Northern Securities and Seaboard shares. The firm offered large blocks of Seaboard shares for sale on the curb yesterday. The greater part of Sharp & Bryan's obligations on the exchange were liquidated yesterday and several banks and trust companies threw out their loans. In fact, the greater part of yesterday's liquidation on the exchange was for Sharp & Bryan's account.

The announcement of the suspension of Sharp & Bryan confirmed the fears which have been current in stock market circles for several days. It was accepted as explaining the sharp break in some of the specialties in which the failed firm has been interested. Their efforts to realize on these represented the struggle to extricate themselves and the lack of a market showed by the violent breaks which resulted left them no resource but to suspend. The rally in the general market was checked, but the reaction did not carry stocks back lower than before except Missouri Pacific and Penna. The market became quiet, but the tone was feverish. There was a break in Colorado and Southern first, pfd., of 3 5-8; Southern Ry., pfd., 3 1-4; Wheeling and Lake Erie first pfd., 4 7-8, and Chicago and Eastern Ill's certificates, 10. Virginia, Carolina, Chemical, after rallying 2 1-4, reacted again and became feverish.

During the noon hour the market went off lower than before, with the special weakness in many of the higher grade stocks. According to reports scores of accounts were thrown out by the stock exchange brokers because the clients were unable to meet the calls for extra margins.

The common stock of the steel corporation sold lower than any previous time in its history. Fully a dozen of the more active and better class issues touched low prices for the year.

A SECOND FAILURE.

Hurlbutt, Hatch and Company, members of the stock exchange have failed. The firm of Hurlbutt, Hatch and Company whose assignment was announced on the stock exchange this afternoon, was composed of John H. Hurlbutt, E. Hatch, a board member, and J. F. Smith. The copartnership was formed September 12, 1899. During the last hour the market broke to the lowest level of the day.

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Ladies' Summer Hose.

Black Cotton Hose, with pure white feet, all sizes, **30** cents a pair.

Ladies' Fine Light Weight Black Cotton Hose, all black, all sizes, **50** cents a pair.

Ladies' Black Drop Stitch Hose at various prices.

Ladies' Ribbed Vests.

Ladies' White Ribbed Silk and Cotton Vests, all sizes, **50** cents each.

Ladies' Gauze Scotch Merino Underwear, complete assortment, all sizes and shapes.

Special Attention Given to Mail Orders.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Specially reported for the Star by C. D. Monk, 16 St. Sacrament street, local manager for J. S. Bache & Co., New York, over direct private wire:

Stocks.	Aug. 5 Opening.	High.	Low. up to 2.30	Close.
Amalgamated Co'pr	38 1/4	38 5/8	37 3/4	38
American Loco.,com	16	16 1/2	15 3/4	16
Do Do pref...	81	81	81	79 3/4
Am. Sugar Refin Co.	112 1/4	112 3/4	110 1/2	110 1/8
Am. Smltg. & Ref.Co	41 1/4	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 5/8
Am. Car Foundry ..	30 3/4	31 5/8	30 1/2	30 1/8
Anaconda Min Co...	70	70	70	70
A. Top & St. Fe.....	58 1/2	59 5/8	58 1/4	58 1/4
Do Do pref...	87 3/4	87 3/4	86 1/2	86
Baltimore & Ohio...	80	80 3/8	78 7/8	78 3/4
Do Do pref..	85 1/2	85 5/8	85 1/2	85 1/2
Brooklyn, R. T......	42	42 5/8	41 1/8	41
Chic & Alton Com ..	20 1/4	20 3/4	19 3/4	19 3/4
Can Pacific.........	120	121 1/4	120	120 1/8
Canada Southern ..	......	......	......	......
Ches & Ohio	30 1/2	30 1/2	30	29
Chic & N W........	161 7/8	162	161 1/2	162
C Mil & St Paul.....	137 1/8	137 3/4	135 1/4	136 1/4
Colorado Southern .	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 1/8	11 5/8
Do Pref I....	......	......	......	......
Con Gas, N Y.......	171	178 1/4	171 1/2	172
Col Fuel & Iron.....	......	......	......	......
Corn Products	......	26 1/2	25 1/8	25 1/8
Do. Pref	......	......	......	......
Detroit United Ry ..	......	......	......	......
Dela Lack & West..	......	......	......	......
Dela & Hudson.....	160	160	159 1/4	157
Denver & Rio G.,com	......	23 7/8	24	......
do do pref..	77	77	77	77
Duluth S Shore & Atl	......	......	......	......
Do Do Pref..	13 3/8	13 3/8	13 3/8	13 3/8
Great North Ry pfd.	......	......	......	170
General Electric....	155	155	152	152 1/2
Hocking Valley.....	......	......	......	......
Jersey Central......	......	......	......	......
Iowa Cen Com......	......	......	......	......
Do Do pref..	......	......	......	......
Kansas & Texas Com	18 3/4	18 3/4	17 1/2	16 1/4
Do Do pref...	......	38 1/8	38	38
Louisville& Nashv..	100	101 1/4	100	100
Manhattan Elev'ed.	132	132	130 1/2	130
Missouri Pacific.....	95 1/8	95 7/8	91 1/4	90 1/4
M St Paul & "Soo"..	48	50	48	56
Do Do pref.	124	124	123	123
Metropolitan Trac..	115 3/4	115 3/4	113 1/2	114 1/2
NY Central &Hud...	117 1/2	118 1/4	116 1/2	117
Erie Railroad	26 3/4	27 1/8	24 7/8	23 7/8
Do do I Prefxd	65 1/8	65 1/4	64	64
Do do II Pref..	46 1/2	46 3/4	46 1/2	45 1/2
N Y Ontario & West	22	22 1/8	21 1/4	21
Northern Securities	......	......	......	......
Nor & Western.....	60 5/8	61 1/2	60 1/8	59 1/2
Pacific Mail	20	20	20	20
Penn R R..........	121 1/4	121 3/4	120 1/8	120 1/4
Pressed Steel, com..	40 1/2	40 5/8	40 1/2	40 1/2
Do do pref...	80 3/8	80 3/8	80 1/4	80 1/4
Peoples' Gas........	93	93	92 1/2	91 3/8
Phila & Read	46 1/2	47	45 7/8	46
Do do I pref..	......	......	......	......
Do do II pref..	......	......	......	......
Pullman...........	......	......	......	......
Rock Isl'd certificts.	20 1/2	21 1/2	20	20 1/4
Southern Ry com....	18 1/2	19	17 1/4	18 1/4
do do pref......	......	81	80 1/2	80 1/4
Southern Pacific....	43 3/4	41 1/2	39 3/4	39 3/4
Ten Coal & Iron....	36 1/2	37	36 1/2	37
Texas Pacific.......	24 1/2	24 1/2	24	22 1/4
Twin City..........	92	92	90	89 3/4
U S Leather Co......	7 1/8	7 1/8	7	7
Do do pref......	78	78 1/4	77 5/8	78
U S Steel com.......	21	22 1/4	20 5/8	20 5/8
U S Steel pfd........	69	70 1/8	65 7/8	68 1/2
U S Rubber com.....	9 1/8	9 1/8	9 1/8	9 1/8
Do do pref.....	......	......	......	......
Union Pacific com..	70 1/2	71 3/8	69 1/4	70
Do pref.......	85	85	85	85
Wabash...........	20	20 1/8	20	18
Do do pref.....	34 1/4	34 1/4	33	29 1/2
Western Union Tel..	83	83	83	83
Wis Cen com.......	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	16
do do pref......	......	......	......	36 1/2

CHICAGO CLOSING PRICES.

J. S. Bache & Co., 16 St. Sacrament st., report the closing prices to-day as follows:

		August 5, 1903. Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat,	Sept.	80 7/8	81	79 3/8	79 3/8-1/2
"	Dec..	81 5/8	81 3/4	80 1/4	80 3/8
Corn,	Sept.	52 1/2	52 5/8	51 7/8	52 1/8
"	Dec..	52 1/8	52 1/8	51 5/8	51 3/4-7/8
Oats,	Sept.	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/8	34 1/8
"	Dec..	35 1/4-3/8	35 3/8	35	35 1/8
Pork,	Sept.	1365	1365	1360	1365
"	Oct..	......	......	......	1357
Lard,	Sept.	795	795	792	792
"	Oct..	......	775	772	772
Short Ribs,					
"	Sept.	812	812	807	807-10
"	Oct..	......	795	792	792

Miss Marion Miles is in town for a short time, the guest of Miss Vera Kerr.

SOME STATISTICS OF ONTARIO SCHOOLS.

Toronto, August 5th.—Some interesting school sttistics have been issued by the Department of Education. The number of pupils in the public schools of the Province in 1902 was 408,124, a decrease of 6,495. The decrease is noticed in the townships, and many of the towns, and all the cities except St. Catharines. The separate school attendance was 65,964, an increase of 1,977. Teachers' salaries show an increase both for male and female teachers. The number of public school teachers increased from 8,403 to 8,497. The amount paid for salaries was $2,987,933, an increase of $113,460. The amount paid for all purposes was $4,359,976.

One of the Party Drowned.

Belleville, Ont., August 5.—A party of men left the Y. M. C. A. camp, which is situated in Prince Edward County, about twenty miles from here, yesterday in a sailboat. At the mouth of Hay Bay the boat was capsized by a squall and the occupants were thrown into the water. All reached the shore safely, except Mr. W. J. Greenaway, of Port Hope, who was drowned within fifty feet of the shore. Greenaway was an excellent swimmer, but was drowned by the weight of his clothes. He was a clerk in the post office at Port Hope.

Canadian Northern Crop Report.

Winnipeg, Man., August 5.—The Canadian Northern crop report for the past week shows a decided improvement over the report of the previous week. The needed rain arrived in time to head out the grain nicely. In some sections barley is being cut and promises to be a good average yield. Wheat cutting is expected to be in full swing within a week or ten days.

Won Emperor's Cup.

Cowes, Isle of Wihgt, August 5.—The Bona won the German Emperor's cup today.

CASE DISPOSED OF. — The case of Alexander Benoit, who was drowned at Chambly several days ago, was disposed of yesterday afternoon by the Coroner without calling a jury.

FIRE IN A CIGAR STORE.—A blaze in the cigar store of G. Archambault, 1604 St. Catherine street, called out the central division of the Fire Department today. The fire originated in the cellar. It was put out before much damage had been done.

J. B. Picken and Co., stock and exchange brokers, received the following New York stock market advices over their private wire:

There has been continued liquidation in the market during the morning in the shape of the closing out of loans and weak margined accounts. There have been good supporting orders in U. S. Steel and also some large short covering. The weakness in Virginia Chemical continued on rumours of a house which was largely interested in the stock being in trouble and which has been confirmed by the announcement of its inability to meet its contracts. The general market is very nervous and feverish. Traders who have covered shorts being inclined to hold off. Railway bonds have made a partial recovery. Ex. 485-700.

The new processes used in tanning are most surprising. Leather used to be tanned by soaking it for seven days in a weak solution of hemlock or oak bark to give it colour, then in pits or stronger solution for six weeks, moving the hides every day or so, then in "lay-away" pits still stronger for another six weeks; by filling them with new bark for another six weeks' soak, and repeating this last operation three or four times. All this made good leather, but it took from six to eight months. To-day even the thickest hide can be tanned by chemicals in three hours.

Street Gossip and Stock Exchange Echoes.

Star Office, Wednesday, August 5.

In a stock market like the present it would be unfair to assume that notable declines resulting from the marketing of any considerable line of shares of any company result from any serious or unusual causes. While there are very few buyers in the market now it happens that in cases like the present that stockholders may require for personal reasons to realise on a number of shares, reasons which may have no direct connection with the standing of the stock in respect of its market value or its position otherwise. In an extremely dull market, where the order is imperative, the broker has no choice but to offer the stock down until a purchaser is found. Under those circumstances, a trader or investor willing to take the stock and feeling that the order will result in a considerable concession in price waits until his figures are reached. The trader knows it might be difficult to dispose of the stock again at a profit for some time and the investor can afford to wait at a time like this until he gets a real bargain. The narrowness of the market would probably work in the reverse direction if a good sized order had to be filled and the stock did not happen to be readily forthcoming.

UNITED STATES STEEL.—A prominent Boston capitalist is quoted as follows: "I have been looking into the merits of the United States Steel Corporation, and have come to the conclusion that the Steel second mortgage 5's, now selling at 79¾, are extremely cheap, and that the interest on them is an absolute surety. If a condition ever exists in this country when a corporation like the United States Steel with its resources, and its command of the raw material and trade of the country cannot earn the interest upon its bonds, the business affairs of the nations wil be at such a low ebb that no investment will be safe."

TRADERS DISHEARTENED. — The professional traders in Wall Street were very much disheartened by the course of the market, but in banking circles it was described as a "normal and logical market"—quiet after a storm. The dealings of the day, aside from a little scattering liquidation, were almost entirely of a professional nature. But the dealings were light, and the attendance of brokers on the floor of the exchange and of the customers in offices was exceedingly limited. The traders said that they could do nothing in the market. If they bought, they held, prices melted away and if they sold short they were unable to cover at a profit. In many quarters the dulness was attributed more largely to brokers taking their vacations, which were broken into or deferred by the recent break, than to any other cause.

DOMINION IRON AND STEEL.—The Toronto Globe learns from a reliable source that one of the terms of the cancelling of the lease between the Dominion Coal Company and the Steel Company is the seting aside of certain notes held by the Coal Company against the Steel Company, to the extent of about $600,000.

With the money that will be at the disposal of Mr. Plummer and his associates, about $3,000,000, it is understood that the intention is to at once erect a mill for turning out nail rods and small billets. It will practically be two mills in one. Provision has been made also for the erection later of another mill, but whether it will be for the manufacture of steel rails or other finished product is one of the questions still under consideration. But it is practically decided that this second new mill will be built with a part of the funds on hand. Just now the mills at Sydney are turning out pig iron and large billets, which are marketed mostly in the United States. From inside information, it is learned that the pool in steel billets in the States operated advantageously for the products of the Dominion Iron and Steel Company, and that prices were fairly well maintained So far there has been a sufficient demand to keep the plant going at Sydney. Recently it looked as if the Canadian mills were about to lose the market, and that is the reason given for the closing down of the open hearth furnaces and blooming mills. The outlook suddenly improved, however, and an order to resume work followed. At the time a rumour was afloat that the seemingly inconsistent action was the result of rival factions amon the board of directors.

MANUEL OF STATISTICS.—The July number of The Manual of Statistics Supplement—the first monthly issue of this new publication—is an attractive pamphlet neatly gotten up and replete with information in the broad field that it covers. In every respect it is a complete fulfillment of the promises made by the publishers in the preliminary announcement concerning the work several months ago. It gives the Investing and Speculating public a new, unique and valuable compendium of those things with which they are vitally concerned. The Manual is published in New York.

DIVIDEND IN DANGER.—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Elevated Railway Co., of Chicago, the regular quarterly dividend on the preferred stock was practically passed. The Board made the following written statement to President McAllister:

"In view of the fact that the net earnings for four months are known to the directors and owing to the increased cost of operation and to the increased cost of materials and supplies and the extraordinary settlements from damages and injury suits fromerly pending, the Board has for the present deferred until the end of the fiscal year any payment of dividends on preferred stock."

SHARP DECLINES IN STOCK PRICES

Dominion Iron Common Touches a New Low Level.

LIQUIDATION IN DOM. COAL

The Stock Had a Further Break of Four Points—Wall Street Was Again Troubled.

Correspondents of the Montreal Star in Wall Street and on the Chicago Board of Trade report that stocks were heavy, while wheat was easier. In the local market stocks were heavy. Sales on the New York Stock Exchange yesterday were 661,512 shares.

A moderate amount of liquidation took place in the stock market to-day, resulting in a lower range of prices. One of the important causes was the continuance of the attacks on the New York market, which opened in a very weak condition, rallied a little and broke again on the resumption of bear operations and liquidation. The Dominion Iron and Coal group were very weak in Boston and the local market saw a new low level created for Iron common.

The recent shuffling in connection with the Dominion Iron proposition has had a bad effect on both the Iron and Coal stocks. This is assumed to be the cause of the liquidation, which has been so conspicuous in connection with Coal for some time. Coal opened to-day two points down from yesterday's final figures at 86 1-4 and later broke to 84, recovered to 85 1-4, but declined again to 84. The preferred sold at 112 1-2.

In Dominion Iron common there was a new low level created at 9 3-4, with 11 1-4 yesterday and 11, the former low level. In Boston the stock sold at 9 3-4 some time before the stock touched that point locally, the bulk of the dealings here being at 10. The bonds were firm at yesterday's low level, 57. Only a broken lot of the preferred was marketed, but the quotations were weak.

The prices of Canadian Pacific, Twin City and Detroit United were depressed by Wall Street. The former opened easier at 120, compared with 121 3-4 yesterday, but quickly recovered to 121. The bulk of the dealings in Twin City were at 92, compared with 93 5-8 at the close yesterday, but towards the close the price was further weakened to 91 1-4. Detroit United was dull at 69, a point down.

Under the circumstances it was not surprising that the prices of purely domestic issues were on the heavy side. Montreal Power sold down a point to 76 on small dealings, and Nova Scotia Steel was down 2 1-2 from recent sales to 87. Montreal Street sold at 230.

Wall Street had a sharp decline in prices of many stocks immediately after the opening of the market, which carried many of them to the lowest prices of the year. The declines ran from half a point to 4 points, the latter decline being scored in Virginia-Carolina Chemical. The pfd. declined 2 1-2. General Electric lost 3 points, and other stocks suffered serious losses. The selling brought out good support, under which there was substantial rallies after the first ten minutes. Shortly after 11 o'clock the suspension of Sharp and Bryan was announced on the Exchange, but the market was not greatly affected by the news.

The tone of the market continued feverish. Virginia-Carolina Chemical rallied 2 1-4, and then fluctuated irregularly. Missouri Pacific ran off 1 1-8, Chicago and Eastern Illinois certificates broke 10, Wheeling and Lake Erie first pfd. 4 7-8, Colorado and Southern first pfd. 3 5-8, Southern Railway pfd. 3 1-4, St. Louis and Southwestern pfd., Metropolitan Street Railway, St. Paul pfd., and Pacific Coast, 2. The United States Steel stocks lost their gains.

Messrs. L. J. Forget and Company's London cable to-day quoted:

Grand Trunk first, 112 1-4; second, 98 5-8; third, 49 1-2; Canadian Pacific, 124 1-2; Hudson Bay, 35 1-2.

The Montreal Clearing House returns of bank clearings to-day were $3,533,416.

In New York at noon — Money on call firmer at 2 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 5 3-4 to 6.

J. S. Bache and Company, New York, send the following prices for copper:

London spot copper £57, a break of £1 from last night; futures £55, a loss of 10s.

Havana Electric Railway Company earnings for week ending August 2, 1903, $29,223 Spanish silver; corresponding week, 1902, $24,100 Spanish silver. Increase, $5,123.

London, close.—Consols for money, 90 13-16; do. for account, 91; Sept. Anaconda, 3 5-8; Atchison, 61 1-8; Atchison pfd., 90; B. & O., 82 3-4; Canadian Pacific, 124 5-8; Chesapeake and Ohio, 31 1-4; Chicago Great Wester, 15 1-4; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 142; De Beers, 19 7-8; Denver & Rio Grande, 22 3-4; do. pfd., 79; Erie, 27 5-8; do. first pfd., 67 1-4; do. second pfd., 48 1-2; Ills. Central, 131 1-2; L. & N., 104; Missouri, Kas. and Texas, 19; do. pfd., —; New York Central, 122; Norfolk and Western, 62 5-8; Norfolk & Western, pfd., 88; Ont. & Western, 22 3-8; Penna., 62 3-4; Rand Mines, 9 3-4; Reading, 24; do. first pfd., 41 1-2; Reading 2nd pfd., 34; Southern Ry., 19 3-8; do. pfd., 87; Southern Pac., 42 1-2; Union Pac., 73 1-4; do. pfd., 88; U. S. Steel, 22 1-2; do. pfd, 71 3-4; Wabash, 20 1-2; do. pfd., 35 1-2; Spanish fours, —; Bar Silver, steady, 25 1-2d per ounce. Money, 1 1-2 to 2 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2 5-16 to 3-8 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months bills is 2 3-8 to 7-16 per cent.

Montreal Exchange Quotations.—New York Funds, par to 1-16 between banks; 1-4 counter; Sterling, 60 days, 8 23-32 to 8 3-4 between banks; Sterling, demand, 9 1-4 to 9 9-32 between banks; Sterling, cables, 9 3-8 between banks; Paris, France long, 5.8 3-4 to 1-16 between banks; Paris, France short, 5.16 7-8 between banks.

Among the forenoon sales in Toronto were: C. P. R., 175 at 120 1-2 to 121; Twin City, 150 at 92 to 92 1-2; Dom. Steel, 120 at 10; Dom. Coal, 570 at 84 3-8 to 88; N. S. Steel, 50 at 86 1-2.

The Wall Street Journal says: "Canadian Pacific held well, considering the bearish attitude of the local traders. It is becoming recognized that the real market for the stock is in London or Montreal, and although some of the professional operators would like to see it sell nearer the price of other 5 per cent. issues, it is conceded that the security of the stock here in a large measure protects it."

Charles Head and Co. received the following advices over their special wire:

The New York market opened demoralized, and the earlier transactions were at decided declines. This was especially true of Virginia Chemical Company and Preferred, where stock was thrown on the market for a firm whose failure was subsequently announced. The United States Realty shares were also heavy, the published statement not favourably received. The market was quite active on the decline, about 300,000 shares being dealt in during the first hour. Sustaining orders placed with A. A. Housman and Company rallied the United States Steel shares, which subsequently reacted. The failure of Messrs. Sharpe and Bryant was expected, as we indicated in our letter last night, and again this morning, and it is possible there may be some further suspensions. The Boston market opened heavy. The only pronounced weakness was in Dominion stocks. Dominion Coal opened at 87 1-2 and lost to 84 1-2. Dominion Iron opened at 10 1-2 and lost to 9 3-4.

Burnett & Co., stock brokers, received the following advices by their private New York wire:

The market is very nervous and it is impossible to express an opinion. The stocks are very cheap, but what the fluctuations will be in the next forty-eight hours no one can say.

Soft coal operators are complaining of car shortage. Texas Pacific gross week for July increased $45,521, and for month July increased $76,617. Hocking Valley, July gross increased $300,782, for week gross increased $19,248. Increased demand in the stock loan department yesterday. Negotiations between General Electric and German Electric companies will be resumed. Soo June net increased $29,413.

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E. J. Penfold & Co. received the following Wall Street advices over their private wire.

The room heard with regret the failure of Sharp & Bryan, and regarded it as the result of the decline in Virginia-Carolina Chemical. The firm was one of the large promoters of the company, and the failure gives point to the liquidation recently shown in that connection. Traders who attempted to hammer Colorado Southern have not been successful in dislodging any long stock.

Messrs. J. S. Bache and Co., New York, send the following advices to their Montreal manager, Mr. C. D. Monk.

Americans in London dull, 1-8 to 3-8 below parity. Con. Gas will apply six million new stock to improving Astoria plant. W. E. Corey succeeds C. M. Schwab as president U. S. Steel. Unofficial estimates of steel earnings for July give $12,000,000 as maximum. 50 roads 3rd week July average gross increase 13.93. There is not the slightest official intimation of any coming change in common stock dividend rate in U. S. Steel. Something more substantial than reassurances are necessary from the captains of industry to enable the market to withstand the never ending assaults from without the breastworks. Tottering walls are as dangerous as the shot and shell that have been poured in incessantly. Combined effort will be necessary to halt the downward course. The question is, will be forthcoming?

Montreal Street Railway earnings last week with changes were:

Sunday	$6,990.10	Inc.	$1,696.03
Monday	6,737.90	Inc.	63.89
Tuesday	6,494.39	Inc.	143.82
Wednesday	5,655.48	Dec.	614.41
Thursday	6,335.05	Dec.	177.30
Friday	6,356.49	Inc.	582.15
Saturday	7,435.23	Inc.	658.81
Sunday	7,231.39	Inc.	3.06

Morning Sales.

Can. Pac., 100 at 120, 25 at 120¾, 25 at 120½, 3 at 119¾, 150 at 120¾, 300 at 121, 425 at 120¾, 100 at 121.

Dom. Coal com., 100 at 86¼, 10 at 86, 50 at 86¼, 50 at 85, 125 at 84, 25 at 85, 5 at 86¼, 50 at 84¾, 50 at 85¼, 50 at 85, 25 at 84¾, 25 at 84.

Dom. Iron com., 425 at 10, 100 at 9¾.

Twin City, 7 at 94, 375 at 92, 25 at 93, 125 at 91¾, 50 at 91¼.

Mo. Power, 25 at 76¾, 50 at 76½, 25 at 76¼, 50 at 76½, 25 at 76, 5 at 77.

Nova Scotia Steel, 50 at 87, 50 at 87.

Mo. St. Ry., 210 at 230, 1 at 231, 1 at 230, 50 at 230, 25 at 230.

Dom. Coal pfd., 10 at 112½, 40 at 112½.

Detroit, 15 at 69¼, 50 at 69.

Tor. St. Ry., 25 at 96¾.

Iron pfd., 10 at 34¾.

Dom. Iron bonds, $7,000 at 57.

Merchants Bank, 10 at 160.

Bank of Commerce, 74 at 158, 59 at 158.

Bank of Montreal, 6 at 255.

New Molsons Bank, 102 at 198.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Reported for the Star by Gordon Strathy & Co., stock brokers, 9 St. Sacrament street.

Stocks 12.30	Aug 5. Ask	Bid	Aug. 4 Ask	Bid
Canadian Pacific	120¾	120¼	123¼	127⅞
Duluth Common	......	......	......	......
Duluth Preferred	......	......	......	......
Montreal St Ry	235	230	235	228
Toronto do	97½	96	101	99
Twin City El. Ry xd	91½	91¼	96½	95¾
Detroit do	69	68½	71½	70
Toledo do	22	20	......	22½
Halifax do	100	90	......	......
St. John do	118	......	118	107½
Winnipeg do	215	......	215	......
Hamilton do	......	......	......	......
West Indiado	......	......	......	......
Rich & Ont Nav Co	89	87	92	90½
Mont L H&Powerxd	76¼	75½	78	77⅜
Nov Sco Steel & Coal	88	86½	......	......
Dom Iron Com	10	9½	......	......
Dom Iron pref	40	34	......	......
Dom Coal Com	84¾	84	94½	94⅛
do Pref	115	110	......	......
Intercol. Coal Com	......	......	......	......
do do Pref	......	......	......	......
Com Cable Co	155	......	......	......
Montreal TelegCoxd	......	......	......	......
Bell Telephone Co	......	158	......	......
Marconi Wireless	......	......	......	......
Ogilvie Milling Pref	125	120	125	120
Lake of the Woods	......	......	......	......
N. S. Steel	......	......	91	8½
Dom Steel	......	......	14	......
Do pref	......	......	......	......
COTTONS.				
Montreal	120	110	130	......
Dominion	......	......	......	......
Canadian	......	......	......	......
Merchants	......	......	......	......
Montmorency	......	......	......	......
MINES				
North Star	......	......	......	......
BANKS.				
Montreal	......	250½	......	250
Ontario	......	......	......	......
British N America	......	......	......	......
Molsons	......	......	......	......
Toronto	......	......	......	......
Merchants	165	158	165	......
Royal	......	......	......	......
Nova Scotia	......	......	......	......
Eastern Townships	......	......	......	......
Quebec	......	......	......	......
Nationale	......	......	......	......
Union	132	129¾	132	129¾
Commerce	......	......	......	......
Hochelaga	......	......	......	......
BONDS.				
Bell Telephone	......	......	......	......
Can Col Cotton	......	......	......	......
New Royal Bank	......	......	......	......
Dominion Coal	......	......	......	......
Laurentide	105	......	100	......
Winnipeg Electric	......	......	......	......
Dom Iron&Steel	......	57	67	......
St. John Railway	......	......	......	......
Montreal Street Ry	105	103½	......	......
Ogilvie Milling	115	......	115	......
N S Steel & Coal	110	108	110	......

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Specially reported for the Star by C. D. Monk, 16 St. Sacrament street, local manager for J. S. Bache & Co., New York, over direct private wire:

Stocks.	Aug. 5 Op'g	2.30	Aug. 4 Op'g.	Close.
Amalgamated Cop'r	38¼	38⅛	40½	38⅜
American Loco Com.	16	16	17⅜	17
Do Do pref.	81	81	82¾	81¼
Am Sugar Refin Co.	112¼	110⅝	115⅛	113
Do Do pref.	......	......	......	......
Am Smltg & Ref Co.	41¼	40½	42¾	41½
Am Car Foundry	30¾	30½	31⅞	31⅛
Anaconda Min Co.	70	70	70¼	70
A Top & St Fe	58½	57⅝	61⅞	59½
do do pref	87¾	86½	88½	88
Baltimor & Ohio	80	79	82½	81¼
Do do pref	85½	85½	......	......
Brooklyn R T.	42	41⅛	44½	42¾
Chic & Alton Com	20¼	19¾	21¼	21
Can Pacific	120	120¾	122¼	121¼
Canada Southern	......	......	......	......
Ches & Ohio	30½	30	32	31⅛
Chic & N W	161⅞	162	163⅝	163
Mil & St Paul	137⅛	135¼	140½	137⅜
Colorado Southern	12¾	12⅛	13½	13
Do. Pref. 1	......	......	......	......
Con Gas N Y	171	171½	183	178½
Col Fuel & Iron	......	......	......	......
Corn Products	......	......	......	......
Do do pref.	......	......	72½	72¼
Detroit United Ry	......	......	......	......
DelaLack & West	......	......	......	......
Dela & Hudson	160	159¼	163	163
Denver & Rio G., com	......	......	23⅞	23⅞
Do do pref	77	77	......	......
Duluth S Shore & At	......	......	......	......
Do do pref.	13⅝	13⅝	......	......
Great Nor. Ry., pfd	......	......	......	......
General Electric	155	152½	159	158½
Iowa Central Com	......	......	......	......
Do Do pref	......	......	......	......
Kansas & Tex Com	18¾	17½	19	19
do do pref	38⅛	38	39	39
Louisville & Nash	100	100¾	104	102
Manhattan Elev'ed	132	130½	132½	132
Missouri Pacific	95⅛	91⅜	97⅛	95¾
M S Paul & "Soo"	48	50	......	......
do do pref	124	123	......	......
Metropolitan Trac	115¾	114½	119¼	116½
NY Central & Hud	117½	116⅛	119¼	117⅞
Erie Railroad	26¾	24⅞	28⅝	27⅛
Do do I prefxd	65⅛	64⅛	66¼	65¼
Do do II pref	46½	[illegible]	48	47½
NY Ontario & West.	22	21	22⅝	22¼
Northern Securities	......	......	......	......
Nor & Western	60⅝	60⅛	62⅛	61⅝
Pacific Mail	20	20	......	......
Penn R R	121¼	120⅛	123⅛	121¾
Pressed Steel, com	40½	40½	......	......
Do do pref	80¾	80¼	......	......
People's Gas	93	92½	94½	93¾
Phila & Read	46½	45⅞	48½	46½
Do do I pref	......	......	......	......
Do do II pref	......	......	......	......
Pullman	......	......	......	......
Rock Isl'd certificts.	20½	20	23¼	21¾
Southern Ry com	18½	17½	20¾	20
Do pref	......	......	84⅝	84¾
Southern Pacific	42¾	39¾	42¾	41
Tenn Coal & Iron	36⅛	37	39	38
Texas Pacific	24½	24	24¼	24¼
Twin City	92	92	93⅜	93½
U S Leather Co	7⅛	7	7⅝	7½
Do do pref	78	78	80½	79½
U S Steel com	21	20¾	23½	21¼
U S Steel pfd	69	69	70¾	69
U S Rubber com	9⅛	9⅛	......	......
Do do pref	......	......	......	......
Union Pacific com	70½	69½	74	71½
Do pref	85	85	85¼	85¼
Wabash	20	20	21½	21¼
Do Do pref	34¼	33	37	34¾
Western Union Tel.	83	83	83½	83½
Wis Cen com	17½	17⅛	17⅛	17
Do do pref	......	......	......	......

Daily Commercial Markets and Quotations.

BUTTER AND CHEESE MARKETS UNCERTAIN.

It is Generally Felt That Both are Too High—Demand is Very Light.

Campbellford, Ont., August 5.—Cheese report; 1,355 offered. Magrath bought 500, Brenton 300, Cook 240, Bird 315, at 9 5-16c. Three hundred and fifty white boarded.

Ingersoll, Ont., August 5.—Offerings on the board to-day: 430 boxes, balance July make. No sales on board; 9¼c offered; salesmen asking 9⅜c.

BUTTER.—The market is very uncertain. Holders are asking high prices at the stock has cost them high, but whether or not they are getting them is a difficult thing to say. One merchant reports that tubs are scarce and that they will bring as much as boxes. He sold a lot of a hundred packages of finest quality for 18¾c. this morning, and try as be might he could not get a fraction more for them. On the other hand, 19c and higher is being asked by many holders but where the buyers are to be found at present is hard to say. The English market is certainly not prepared to pay their cost, if private cables seen this morning are worth anything. Many dealers have private customers who are prepared to pay fancy prices for fancy stock and these of course are secure. Demand is very dull and the man without the stock seems freest from care.

Receipts reported on the Board of Trade this morning amounted to 2,622 packages.

CHEESE.—No one seems to know what to make of the market. One dealer has orders in hand which permit him to pay 9¼c for Quebecs but his opinion of the market is that it is going lower, so that he is not buying yet. He thinks he would have no trouble in buying at 9⅛c. Many say that the outlook is for lower prices, others, however, hold the opposite opinion and so far as can be seen from prices at the present time the market is holding pretty firm.

It is very difficult to give definite quotations. Quebecs, however, appear to range around 9⅛c, some possibly 9¼c; Townships are quoted at 9⅜c to 9½c, a fine line being reported under offer at 9⅝c. Ontarios range from 9½c to 9⅝c; seconds are said to be in demand at 8½c to 8¾c.

Receipts reported on the Board of Trade this morning amounted to 20,505 boxes.

EGGS.—The market was reported steady this morning, at yesterday's prices. Straight gathered, fresh, were reported sold at 14c in large lots, other sales being reported at 13¾c. Sales of eggs, called straight gathered, were also heard of at much lower prices but they were not the most desirable stock. Straight candled eggs are reported selling at 15c. These were doubtless quite fresh and nice large stock. Other sales are being made at as low as 14c, so it is said, but it is likely that there is a difference of a cent in their value or the prices would not have been made. Selected stock is quoted at 17c.

Receipts reported on the Board of Trade this morning amounted to 399 cases.

POTATOES.—Owing to farmers being busy, the offerings on the market continued light to-day. Dealers are paying 10c less than last week, however, at $1.50 a barrel, and 70c an eighty-pound bag. They are still selling from store at $1.75 a barrel and 80c a small bag.

BEANS.—The market continues steady at about $1.70 per bushel for primes, on track, and $1.75 to $1.80 for small lots.

ARE IRON AND STEEL PRICES COMING DOWN?

Demand is Said to Be Falling Off and Smaller Production is Predicted.

A third reduction within two months has been made in the price of pig iron, the basic material of all iron and steel manufacturing, says the New York Journal of Commerce. The price has been brought down from $24.25 per ton to $17.75 since the latter part of April. This has followed an adjustment of steel billets on a somewhat lower level by the revival of the "pool." The explanation of the reduction in pig iron is a falling off in the demand, and though it is said to have been made by the smaller furnaces outside of the combination, it shows the persistent vitality of competition and cannot fail to have effect. It has been helped by recent importations in spite of the tariff, which were made to meet old contracts that are apparently not being fully replaced. Steel mills that for a long time could only supply the demand of works directly dependent upon them are now offering a part of their output in the market, and there is a visible weakening of prices all along the line. There are some signs that the railroad demand for rails is lessening. The "Iron Trade Review" of Cleveland says that while the railroads are "not scrambling for early places on the order books of the rail mills" they keep on contracting for next year, and it is estimated that close to a million tons for 1504 delivery is now booked, including what must go over from this year.

A year ago there was a scramble for early places and the mills could not take all the orders offering with any certainty of delivery on time. Up to a short time ago there was constant activity in extending and multiplying works and increasing productive capacity to meet the demand at the extremely profitable prices prevailing for all classes of iron and steel products. The demand is visibly relaxing and the requirements are lessening. The effect must necessarily be a lowering of prices unless there are to be idle furnaces and mills. There is not likely to be any violent reaction, but there are other things besides stocks that cannot be kept at the height reached by "booming," and the settling down to a normal pace is to be welcomed by all except those who have invested too much in high-flown expectations. We shall be fortunate to escape sudden and violent falls and to reach a legitimate level by the steady grind of readjustment of an oversupply to a diminished demand. We are likely before long not only to cease importing iron and steel, but to be hunting for outlets for surplus products.

JULY FAILURES WERE HEAVY.

Those in the United States Were Largest for July in Ten Years.

Reports to Dun's Review from branch offices of R. G. Dun & Co. in the United States show liabilities of insolvencies during July $16,751,245. In the same month last year the defaulted indebtedness was only $6,932,851, and no other July of the past decade showed as severe losses, July, 1896, coming the nearest, with liabilities of $15,501,095. Failures numbered 915, against 825 in the corresponding month last year, but prior to 1898 the average was considerably higher than last month. The statistics compare with the same month last year in detail as follows: Manufacturing defaults numbered 253, with liabilities of $6,378,761, against 191 failures last year for $2,563,855; trading bankruptcies were 619 for $3,571,503, against 578 a year ago, with liabilities of $2,806,868; other commercial failures, including brokerage, real estate, and transhporters, except railways, were 43 in number and $6,800,981 in amount of defaulted liabilities, against 56 last year for $1,557,128. Each division shows more or less increase in liabilities as compared with the same month last year, and the corresponding month of most other recent years, but it is encouraging to find that the largest difference was caused by a few large suspensions in Wall Street, due to the speculative situation, rather than to any unsoundness in the industrial structure. Eight banks failed with liabilities of $298,300, compared with two for $166,000 a year ago.

Salmon Scarce at Skeena River.

Reports from British Columbia, under date of July 27, state that the salmon run at Skeena River has been a failure. Humpbacks are now coming to the river and the canners will suspend operations in a few days. They will pay off their staff during the coming week.

WHEAT EASED OFF ON CHICAGO MARKET.

But Liverpool Advanced Sharply — Too Much Rain for Hay Harvesting in Ontario.

Kingston, Ont., August 5.—The frequent rains are hampering the farmers in the harvesting of their hay crop. Large quantities of hay have, however, been put into the barns. Yesterday's storm will injure quite a bit of the crop. There are prospects, farmers state, that considerable of the hay will be mouldy owing to the absence of good drying weather.

Cable refusals on oats are not accepted, as "Russia has an unlimited quantity," said a cable, "and they are offered freely."

The Mexican duty on wheat, which was suspended in June and July, has been restored.

Latest Manitoba advices say wheat outlook is not so good as three weeks ago, and conservative estimates are now about 50,000,000 against 65,000,000 bushels harvested last year. Some estimates run as low as 45,000,000.

Stocks of wheat in store on July 18 at Fort William, Port Arthur, Keewatin, Winnipeg and interior country points are approximately 2,664,000 bushels, against 3,617,000 bushels a week ago, 2,145,000 bushels a year ago, 1,829,000 bushels two years ago, 3,000,000 bushels three years ago, and 4,540,000 bushels four years ago.

The report of Manitoba wheat stored at Duluth in bond for the week ending July 27 was as follows:

	Bush.
Previously reported	12,881
Shipped during week	None
Balance in store	12,881

English weather was cloudy; forecast, steady.

Liverpool was firm to-day. September closing ⅝d up at 6s 4⅞d; October, ⅝d up at 6s 4 3-8d; December, ⅝d up at 6s 4⅝d. Spot goods closed at 6s 7½d to 6s 8d for No. 1 standard Cala.; 6s 5d to 6s 5½d for Walla Walla; 6s 2½ to 6s 4d for No. 2 red winter; 6s 7½d to 6s 9d for No. 1 northern spring. Antwerp was unchanged at 16⅝ for No. 2 red winter. Paris closed at 23.40 for Aug., and 22.40 for November and February.

Chicago quoted September options at noon as follows: Wheat, ⅛c down at 80¼c; corn, steady at 52¼c; oats, ⅛c up at 34 3-8c.

LOCAL MARKET.—Trade for local account is reported fair, but the export demand is very dull.

No. 2 oats, afloat, 36½c; No. 2 oats, in store, 38¼ to 38½c for local trade; No. 2 peas, 61c high and 71c afloat; buckwheat, 45½c afloat; No. 2 rye, 52c east, and 58½c afloat; No. 3 extra barley, 44c middle and 52½c to 52c afloat.

FEED.—Manitoba bran in bags, $17.50 to $18; shorts, in bags, $21; Ontario bran, in bulk, $17 to $17.50; shorts, $21.50 to $22.50 in bulk; middlings, $22 to $23; moullie, $23 to $30 according to quality.

FLOUR.—Manitoba millers are again quoting the same prices on flour. Quotations in Montreal on track: $3.50 to $3.60 for straight rollers, in bbls.; in bags, $1.70 to $1.75; extra bags, $1.50 to $1.60; winter wheat patents, $3.80 to $3.90; Manitoba first patents, $4.35 in bags; second patents, $4.05; strong bakers, $3.45.

ROLLED OATS.—The market is steady and prices range from $3.90 a bbl., and $1.85 in bags for broken lots.

HAY.—The market is steady at the recent decline. Quotations on track at $11 to $12.00 a ton for No. 1; $9.50 to $10.50 for No. 2, and $8.00 to $9.00 for clover mixed.

CORNMEAL.—Steady at $1.40 per bag of 90 pounds for white or yellow, and $1.80 for gold dust.

Wheat Market Irregular.

(From the Correspondent of the Montreal Star on the Chicago Board of Trade.)

Chicago, August 5.— Wheat was irregular and lower, September selling at 81 down to 79 7-8, compared with 80 3-8 yesterday. Owing to the conflicting news on wheat the market was nervous, decidedly so. The secretary of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce estimates the crop of the three spring wheat States at 200,000,000 bushels. The Winnipeg Commercial makes the Manitoba crop forty-five to fifty million bushels, and the official report of the North-West Territories places the area at 728,000 and the yield at 15,000,000 bushels, a total of 60,000,000 to 65,000,000 bushels. There were all colours of crop news from the North-West, but they were mainly unfavourable. Secretary Smiley, of the Kansas Grain Dealers' Association, in an interview, places the crop of that State at 72,000,000 bushels. Reports to the Kansas City Star makes the yield 93,000,000 bushels. The Ohio report makes wheat condition 80, although the harvest is finished in that State. The corn condition in Illinois is five points below a month ago, and the Ohio reports say that favourable weather is needed there to make even a fair crop.

MARKET FOR COAL OIL IS STEADY AND BRISK.

Parafine Wax Has Advanced Two Cents and Lubricating Oils are Firmly Held.

Dealers in lubricating oils are expecting an advance every day now. Parafine wax has advanced 2c a pound, at 9c to 11¼c, according to melting point, and it is thought this is a forerunner of advances in other lines of which parafine is a large constituent.

Coal oil is unchanged this week, so far as quotations are concerned, the whole market continues steady, though very firm.

In builders' lines, the market continues steady. Demand is reported as good for this time of year and dealers are kept moderately busy.

Crude oil is being imported into Canada to supply the demand. The United States Geological Survey gives out the following information as a preliminary statement of the production of petroleum in 1902: Total production for the year, 80,894,590 barrels, valued at $69,610,348, or 86 cents per barrel.

The following prices are quoted to retail merchants, f.o.b Montreal.

BENZINE.—Quotations are 23c a gal.

GASOLINE.—Quoted at 25½c a gallon.

COAL OIL.—Prime white, Silver Star, 17¼c gal.; Acme water white, 19c; Standard Oil Acme, 21c; Astral, 22c.

TURPENTINE.—Market is strong at 73 to 74c a gallon.

OILS.—Linseed oil, raw, 54c; boiled, 57c; black oils, 17½c to 22½c; engine and machine oil, 27½c to 51½c; cylinder oil, 43c to 83c; tanners' oil, 31½c to 41½; harness oil, 61½c; extra No. 1 lard oil, 75c; cod oil, 35c; seal oil, 50c; neatsfoot oil, 75c; pure winter-bleached sperm oil, $1.20; English castor oil, 6c a pound; American castor oil, 6c a lb.; parafine oils, 18c to 24c.

PUTTY.—Putty, in bulk, bbls., $1.90; in bladders, per 100 lbs., in bbls., $2.25; bladders, in boxes, $2.40; in tins, $2.25 to $3.

GLASS.—First break, per 50 feet, $2.00; second break, per 50 feet, $2.10; first break, per 100 feet, $3.80; second break, per 100 feet, $4; third break, $4.50; fourth break, $4.75; fifth break, $5.00; sixth break, $5.50; seventh break, $6.

LEADS AND PAINTS. — White lead, Government standard, $5 to $5.25; exterior, $4.75; No. 1 grade, $4.65; No. 2 grade, $4.50; red lead, pure, in casks, $4.50; in kegs, $4.75; No. 1 in casks, $4.25; in kegs, $4.50; pure mixed paints, $1.20 gal.

Apple Crops are Good.

Niagara Falls, August 5.— The National Apple Shippers' Association opened its ninth annual convention with a large attendance. Although the statistics have not been fully prepared it is said that the apple crop in the United States and Canada will be good. In no State will the crop be a failure, though it will be light in some.

The Michaelmas Fair at Leipzig

For the Wholesale and Retail Trade will commence

Sunday, August 30, 1903,

and cease

Sunday, September 20, 1903.

The LEATHER FAIR will be Opened on

Wednesday, Sept. 16, 1903,

and the FAIR EXCHANGE for the LEATHER INDUSTRY will be held on the same day from five to seven o'clock p.m., in the Large Hall of the "New Exchange" on the "Blucherplatz."

Leipzig, June 6, 1903.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEIPZIG.

Dr. TRÖNDLIN.

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FRESH SALMON FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA IS NOW ARRIVING.

It is Taking the Place of Gaspe Stock Which is Exhausted— Fresh Fish are Scarce.

Fresh fish of all kinds are very scarce, especially haddock and western lake fish, and the market is consequently firm. The scarcity of haddock is due to the prevalence of dog fish on the fishing grounds, haddock being in the meantime fractionally dearer. Dore and trout are steady but scarce. Mackerel is also in limited supply, and the only kind now obtainable is chilled stock.

This is the first week for fresh British Columbia salmon. It is arriving in fair quantities, and is taking the place of Gaspe, which is now finished.

The demand for all lines of fresh fish is fairly active, and there is some enquiry also for cod and other lines of salt and pickled fish.

Leonard Bros.' circular quotes prices to retail merchants, f.o.b. Montreal, as follows:

FRESH FISH.—B. C. salmon, fresh, 15c; Gaspe chilled, 16c; mackerel, 12c each; halibut, 11c; whitefish and lake trout, 8c; brook trout, 17c; pickerel or dore, 8c; steak cod, 5c; haddock, 4½c; pike, 6½c.

SALT FISH.—Loch Fyne herrings, $1.25 per keg; No. 1 salt mackerel, in 20-lb. kits, $2.00; No. 2, $1.50; salt herrings, Labrador, $5.25; do. half barrels, $2.75; green cod, No. 1, $5.50; do. No. 2, $3.50; large, $6.

SMOKED FISH.—Haddies, 7c; St. John bloaters, $1 per box; Yarmouth bloaters, $1.10 per box; kipperines, $3.50 a case of three dozen cartons.

PREPARED FISH.—Boneless cod, in bricks, 6c lb.; boneless fish, in bricks, 5c; boneless fish, loose, in 25-lb. boxes, 4c; dry cods, in cwts., $4.75 per cwt.; skinless cod, in cases, $4.75 per case.

BARBADOES MOLASSES DEARER THIS YEAR.

Supply Shows Falling Off—Corn Syrup is Cheaper and Somewhat More Active.

Market is quiet, no new Barbadoes selling under 40c, whereas it sold at 23c a year ago. The total crop of Bardadoes is only 28,000 puncheons, as against 42,000 last year, and 45,000 puncheons the year previous. Porto Rico crop is reporte only about half of last year's. Stocks of old Barbadoes are low. Country trade is buying sparingly on account of the high prices ruling, though demand is fair for this time of the year. Indications point to higher prices.

Corn syrup is in better demand than a year ago owing to the high price of molasses Corn syrup is cheaper, also, prices being about ¼c lower than a year ago, at 2¾-⅞c to 3c a pound in barrels.

A STEADY MARKET FOR GOOD LIVE STOCK.

Trade at the Eastern Abattoir Cattle Market was fair to-day and prices were steady.

Cattle.—Receipts amounted to 400 head, most of which were of good quality. The demand for them was fair and at noon 100 remained unsold. Prices ranged as follows: Choice butchers', 4c to 5c; good, 4c to 4½c; medium, 3c to 3½c; common, 2½c to 3c.

Calves.—Receipts amounted to 200 head, the quality being mostly common. The demand was good and at noon none remained unsold. Poor stock sold at $1 to $3 and good at $3 to $11.

Sheep and lambs.—Receipts of sheep amounted to 500 head, those of lambs amounting to 200 head. The sheep brought from $3 to $3.75, lambs selling at $2.50 to $3.50 each. The demand good for export sheep.

Hogs.—Receipts of hogs amounted to 300 head. The demand was good and prices ranged from 6c to 6¼c.

AMERICAN PORK IN GERMANY.

Must Be Accompanied by Home Inspection Certificate.

The question arose in connection with the new meat law as to whether American pork must be accompanied by the certificate of microscopical inspection, made by the specialists of the terms of the agreement of September 3, 1891. Some German inspection officers have interpreted the new law as abolishing these certificates because in any case the meat must be inspected in Germany.

Chancellor Von Buelow, however, has decided that these inspection certificates must accompany American pork, he ruling that the new law does not affect the agreement of 1891.

Firmer Cotton Market.

Mr. D. M. Sexton, cotton broker, reports the New York Cotton Market opening steady at an advance of 5 to 10 points over yesterday's close.

January, 9.87; August, 12c; September, 10.83; October, 10.07; December, 9.85.

Liverpool market is on a level with New York. Spots 8 points up with sales 8,000 bales.

At 12.30 New York market was steady: January, 9.83; August, 11.95; September, 10.80; October, 10.04; December, 9.82.

Weather conditions are favourable, notwithstanding private messages sent to New York this morning that crop had been damaged by rain. Temperature 72 to 80.

Texas cotton is reported to be making good progress.

BEGAN AT THE FOOT.

Sir William Van Horne, chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was interviewed in New York not long ago by a young reporter, who insisted on treating him like a foreigner. The Montreal capitalist took it as a matter of course until the interviewer asked innocently:

"Did you ever have anything to do with our American railroads, Sir William?"

The good knight's eyes sparkled as he answered: "Oh, yes. I served on both Alton and Illinois Central."

"In what offices?" asked the scribe, with pencil ready.

"I sold books on Alton and oranges on Illinois Central," said the chairman of the Canadian Pacific quietly; "but that was some little time ago."

Special Notice.

Important Notice.

The Marchand Ready-to-Wear Wardrobe will close its 4 stores on Thursday, to re-open Friday with a wonderful bargain list in Ladies' Ready to Wear Garments. See our ad. to-morrow.

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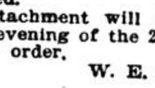

2nd Regiment Canadian Artillery.

Detachments for practice at the Island of Orleans will parade on Wednesday evening, 5th inst., at 8.15 o'clock, for instruction in gun drill and fire discipline.

All ranks to attend. Uniform not required.

Detachment will leave for Quebec on the evening of the 23rd of August.

By order,

W. E. LYMAN, Capt., Act.-Adjt.

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FAIR ALL AROUND.

"I was out in Nebraska on a visit last year," said the Boston lawyer, "and it so happened that a breach of promise case came up for trial and I attended to see how they put things through in the West. The plaintiff was a widow with six small children, and the defendant was a middle aged man and a widower. The woman claimed $5,000 damages, and according to her testimony the man had asked her to be his wife straight enough. He denied the fact, however, saying that he had only called now and then in a neighbourly way, and that the only passage of sentiment between them was once when he said he felt sorry because she had such a bad cold.

According to my way of looking at it, the case wasn't proved, but the jury returned a verdict for $2,000. Next day I met the foreman and asked him what they had based their verdict on.

"'Wall, stranger,' he replied, 'she is a widder straight 'nuff, ain't she?'

"'I think she is.'

"'And eight of us fellers on the jury had popped the question and had been turned down because she was hopin' Jim Taylor would marry her. We cut $3,000 off the $5,000 to get even with her for throwin' us over, and soaked Jim Taylor $2,000 for not marryin' the only woman in Nebraska who'd have him.'"

NORWAY'S NATIONAL POET.

Bjornstjerne Bjornson, the national poet of Norway, is a most combative man. Descended from the old Vikings, he has the appearance of a warrior. A big man of powerful build, his well knit form denotes great physical power, and his splendid head signifies great mental strength. A typical farmer, Bjornson declares that he would rather see his name on a spade than on a book. Always alone when at work, he has in each of his houses his writing room, furnished with a large plain table. Walking backwards and forwards, muttering to himself, he thinks out all his scenes and situations, and even decides upon his conversations before ever he puts pen to paper. Once decided, however, he sits down and dashes it off with great rapidity. His manuscript is most illegible, and it has generally fallen to his wife's lot to transcribe it for the printers, who would otherwise be quite helpless before the scratches and scrawls which constitute Bjornson's rapid writing.

DIDN'T TROUBLE TO INVESTIGATE.

A characteristic story is told of C. M. Hays, General Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway. When he assumed his present position he found himself confronted with a difficult problem in the shape of younger sons, nephews, cousins, etc., of certain English stockholders, who held nice fat positions on the system. Mr. Hays began to weed them out, and as a result there was much perturbation and much curiosity. A good many people expected to see Hays himself weeded out before long. Nothing happened. A friend of Mr. Hays met him one night and began to talk about the matter.

"How do you do it, Hays?" he asked. "Do you fire them first and then investigate their family afterwards, or do you investigate first?"

Hays smiled. "I just fire them," he said.

HE CERTAINLY WAS INQUISITIVE.

He was a commercial traveller of the more flashy type, and had just finished telling a startling story to his newly-made acquaintance in the railway train.

"That reminds me of one of Munchausen's yarns," said the victim, for want of something better to say.

"Munchausen! Who is he?"

"Why, don't you know about him? He is the most colossal example of mendacity that civilization has produced."

A brief, painful silence ensued, which was broken by the traveller, in a tone that was almost timid.

"Excuse me, my friend," he said, "if I seem inquisitive, but would you mind telling me what house he travels for?"

WHAT SHE FORGOT.

A story is told that a lady travelling in the same railway compartment with Lord Rosebery on leaving it dropped her umbrella on the foot-board. He at once rescued it and restored it to the fair owner, who received it without a word of thanks and was going away, when Lord Rosebery exclaimed: "You have forgotten something madam."

"Indeed! What is i[illegible] replied.

"To say thank you," [illegible] his Lordship, much to the delight of the [illegible] occupants of the carriage.

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BAILIFF'S SALE — PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal. No. 7391. Circuit Court. L. C. Pelletier, Plaintiff, vs. Les Heritiers de Feu Alfred Borrie, Defendant. On the 14th of August, 1903, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the place of business of the said Defendants, 124½ St. Antoine st., in the City of Montreal, will be sold by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of carriage, horse, etc. O. DAOUST, B.S.C. Montreal, 5th August, 1903.

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SHIP MOTTOES.

Admiral Sir John Fisher made a speech at a recent dinner in London, in which he gave two mottoes he had met at sea. The London Times reports the speech. When he began by saying he should talk only three minutes, there were cries of "No! No!"

"Yes. I always think on these occasions of the first time I went to sea on board my first ship, a little two-decker, I saw inscribed in big letters the word 'Silence.' Underneath was another good motto, 'Deeds, not words.' I have put that motto into every ship I have commanded since.

"This leads me to another motto which is better still. When I was commander-in-chief in the Mediterranean I went to inspect a small destroyer. She was of only two hundred and sixty tons burden, but had such pride and swagger she might have been sixteen thousand.

"The young lieutenant in command took me round. Aft of the wheel I saw the inscription, Ut Veniant Omnes.

"'Hallo!' I said. 'What is that?'

"Saluting me, he said, not boasting but with the sense of conscious efficiency, 'Let 'em all come, sir.'"

A DESERT LIGHTHOUSE.

There is at least one lighthouse in the world that is not placed on any mariner's chart. It is away out on the Arizona Desert, and marks the spot where a well supplies pure, fresh water to travellers. It is the only place that water may be had for at least thirty miles in any direction. The "house" consists of a tall cottonwood pole, to the top of which a lantern is hoisted every night. The light can be seen for miles across the plain in every direction.

INFLUENCE OF KING ON IRISH AFFAIRS

Rev. Canon White Reviews Situation in Emerald Isle.

EFFECT OF THE LAND BILL

His Majesty by Wise Policy of Conciliation Has Greatly Helped Matters.

"The visit of King Edward to Ireland was a compliment to the whole Irish people, and it produced a kindly feeling in the hearts of all the people," said Canon White, parish priest of Lough Linn, and Canon of Elphin Cathedral, at the St. Lawrence Hall to-day.

Canon White is, according to Mr. T. W. Russell, M.P., the man in Ireland best acquainted with the land question. He has been prominent in the settlement of some of the most difficult questions in connection with agrarian troubles, and is regarded as a friend equally by the Nationalists and by the landlords.

His parish includes the estates of Lord Dillon, the taking over of which by the congested districts board in 1901, brought about the De Freyne estate difficulties.

When the Board took over the estate of the former, and placed the tenants in a position to become peasant proprietors on fair conditions, the people of the De Freyne estate, who had had a poor crop, applied for either a reduction in their rent or an opportunity to purchase their holdings. Both requests were refused. They then decided to resist the payment of rents.

Writs were issued against them. They were summoned to Dublin, and the place was flooded with police. Magistrates appointed by the Government were sent from place to place, wherever any person who was connected with the tenants congregated, and imprisonments by the wholesale was the rule. Among those who spent terms in prison for aiding the tenants was a brother of Mr. Michael Fitzgibbon, of the firm of Fitzgibbon, Schafeitlin & Co., of this city, who was condemned by the travelling magistrates to a term of four months. Costs were piled up on the tenants, to the extent of two or three thousand pounds. Evictions were carried on wholesale. The people who had built the houses and tilled the soil were put out, and emergency men, recruited in the slums of Belfast, were put in the houses, with a couple of policemen, to guard them against the evicted tenants.

Canon White took part in some of the meetings of the tenants. At the beginning, he said, the tenants would have accepted a reduction of two or three shillings in the pound. Canon White advised the tenants to be moderate in their demands, and to take into consideration the reduced circumstances of their landlord, who is by no means a rich man. At the same time, he wrote to Lord DeFreyne, with whom he was on most friendly terms, and advised him to grant a reduction, no matter how slight. The other landlords, however, took a hand in, and furnished Lord DeFreyne with the means to fight the tenants. They put up the money to secure the writs, and the evictions began.

Again Canon White appealed to the tenants, and advised those who could possibly raise the funds to pay the rent, as their protest had been most emphatic. Only a few paid up, however, and most of them gave up their holdings.

ATTITUDE OF THE LANDLORDS.

The attitude of the landlords, according to the opinion of the Irish priest, was inspired by the certainty that if the tenants on Lord DeFreyne's estate succeeded in getting any advantage, the same tactics would be used in other portions in Ireland. Besides this, they felt that the Irish Land Bill was coming. The events in the DeFreyne case merely accelerated the presentation of the bill by a few years, as events were shaping themselves that way in any case.

"The coming into force of the Land Bill will be a great boon to the Irish people," said Canon White. "It will encourage them to greater efforts, and they will take their places again among the nations of the earth. Education will become more widespread, and higher education will improve the condition of the people. There is no question that the influence of King Edward has been paramount in the adoption of the Land Bill. He is an enlightened, prudent and wise man. He feels that it is for the good of England to have the good will of the peoples of the earth.

The Irish people in the United States wield a great influence. They hold the balance of power, and it is to the advantage of England to have them friendly. King Edward has seen that, and although he is not supposed to exert any influence on the Parliament, the Irish people know and feel that it is in deference to his wishes that the bill has been passed in the Commons so easily, and that it has been accepted so readily in the Lords. I believe he will be a wise and good ruler, and the people will recognize that he has more judgment and common sense than perhaps the whole of his Parliament put together.

NATIONALISTS WERE PLEASED.

"When he visited Ireland, none were more pleased at his coming than the Irish Nationalists. I know their sentiments as well as any man living. The better conditions in Ireland have made the name of the King grateful to the people, and the Nationalists in their hearts are glad of the homage and respect shown him. At the same time, the heart of Ireland beats with aspirations for nationhood. We wish to take our place as a nation, just as you here are a nation.

"This is the goal of the Irish Nationalists, and until they have reached it they will probably officially refrain from taking part in any demonstration to the King; in their hearts they have none but the most kindly feelings towards him."

Rev. Canon White has been on this side of the water for some time. He is collecting funds for the church of his parish in Roscommon county, and before his departure from Montreal may be heard in some of the city churches.

MR. M'NICOLL LEFT TO-DAY ON TOUR OF INSPECTION.

General Manager McNicoll, of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, left this morning on the Imperial Limited for Vancouver. This is the second trip to the West that Mr. McNicoll has made within the last two months, but there are a number of works of railway construction in Manitoba and the Territories, which demand his attention, and these he will supervise in conjunction with Mr. E. H. McHenry, the company's chief engineer. Mr. James Oborne, the general superintendent of the Eastern division, accompanied the general manager over that section of the company's lines coming within his jurisdiction.

The Late Mr. Thomas Cantwell.

The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Cantwell, of 655a St. James street, formerly a C.P.R. freight checker, will take place to-morrow.

"Big Ben," the world-famous clock in the tower of the Houses of Parliament, London, is being lit by electricity so that its time may be read during the occasional clear night. It is still unreliable, however, not having been cleaned since 1883, and its weekly winding takes two men twelve hours.

TALKS ON THE EMPIRE'S GRANARY

Mr. J. J. Barclay Describes Present Crop in Manitoba and North-West.

WILL BE AN AVERAGE YIELD

Not Much Demand Exists, However, This Year for Outside Men to Handle the Wheat.

"The immense strides made by Manitoba and the North-West during the last twenty years will go down into the history of the Dominion as one of the most remarkable periods of development that Canada or any other country has witnessed."

These are the words of Mr. J. J. Barclay, of Brandon, who is in the city, and who, with Mrs. Barclay, is on his way home after a visit to his native province, Nova Scotia. At the Windsor to-day Mr. Barclay spoke to a Star reporter of the immense harvest, of the problem of the "hired man," of the recent elections, and of many things of interest that are engaging the attention of the West at the present time. Underlying his words was a strong faith, not only in the present greatness, but in the future development of the land of wheat and prairies.

In regard to this year's crop Mr. Barclay said that it would compare favourably with that of the last two years. The yield might not, perhaps, be quite as heavy as that of last year, but there was considerably more land under cultivation and the yield would be good throughout Manitoba and the Territories. In the early part of the summer there had been an absence of much needed rain, and this had tended to make the yield a little lighter than that of other years. On the whole, however, this year's crop would be a splendid one.

"Is there likely to be a scarcity of help this season?"

"I do not think much difficulty will be experienced on this score," replied Mr. Barclay. "A certain number of men will be wanted of course, but I do not think the demand for help will be as great as that of last season. A large number of immigrants has been pouring into the West since the early spring, but the majority of these have not remained in Manitoba, but have either pushed on further West, or have taken up land in the rich northern districts. It will not be possible for the farmer to rely upon the newly arrived immigrants to solve the problem of the hired man. Of course, a certain number of these people are remaining in the towns until harvest begins so that they may obtain work."

"What about transportation?"

Mr. Barclay smiled as he remarked: "That is an ever present question in the West. It is a gigantic problem to take out a crop like the present one without a certain amount of delay and congestion. The car shortage is the most serious problem the farmer has to face. In regard to the moving of the crop this year I do not think there will be much change from the conditions that prevailed in former years."

With regard to the recent political events in the Province of Manitoba, Mr. Barclay said the clean sweep made by Premier Roblin was quite expected by those who had their fingers on the pulse of public opinion.

Speaking of the probable retirement of Mr. Greenway from the field of active politics Mr. Barclay was unable to say who would lead the Liberal party in that event. Mr. A. Fraser, who was looked upon as the rising hope of the Liberals, went down to defeat in the recent elections, and there was no one to assume the burden of leadership in the event of the retirement of the old standard bearer of the Liberal party in Manitoba. There was no doubt that the Roblin Government had done good things for the Province, and, so the people were not desirous of making a change when everything was doing well.

The Provincial Subsidies

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—It is stated that at the conferences between the Quebec members and the Ministers last evening the former pressed most earnestly that the question of increasing the amount of the provincial subsidy should be settled by the introduction this session of resolutions considerably augmenting the amount of the present grant. Hon. W. S. Fielding is stated to be strongly opposed to any increase to the existing grant.

CARPENTER AND JOINER.

Thomas Lidstone Takes greatest care with general contractors' work and real estate repairs. Estimates given and valuations made office fittings a specialty. 758 Craig Street.

PERSONALS.

PERSONAL— FOR ADOPTION, HEALTHY infant. Mrs. Doctor Searl, 28 Monique street.

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED — FEMALE TEACHER FOR Cranbourne dissentient school. Applicant to hold diploma, member of Church of England; salary $16 per month; term six months; to begin September. Apply Henry Melloy, Sec.-Treas., Cranbourne, Que. 182 3

WANTED — A QUALIFIED TEACHER for the Protestant elementary school, Valcartier Village; salary $15 per month; references required. Apply Charles Jack, Sec.-Treas., Valcartier Village, Quebec. 182 4

WANTED — A TEACHER TO GIVE LESSONS to young gentleman twice a week in evenings, on mandolin. Apply by letter to J. A. Reid, 29 Dubord st., city.

SUMMER BOARD.

BOARD — CAN ACCOMMODATE A FEW boarders; large new rooms; first class table. Apply Mrs. Camplong, Hudson, Que. 175 10

BOARD — LINDHURST, DORVAL, LAKE St. Louis, ten miles from Montreal, open to guests; no children. Address Mrs. M. L. Casey, Dorval, Que. 180 9

WANTED—LAKE VIEW COTTAGE, OPEN for summer boarders; good boating, bathing; healthy locality; terms moderate. W. W. Johnston, Lakefield, Que. 180 10

BOARD — LAC MASSON, FIRST CLASS boarding house, 200 feet from lake; terms moderate; all comforts desirable; take C.P.R. train for St. Marguerite. Further information address Dominique Chartier, Lac Masson, County Terrebonne, Que. 180 6

BOARD — PIERPOINTE COTTAGE, HUDSON, Que., large rooms, shady grounds, boating, bathing, fishing; first class English table; transients accommodated. Apply Mrs. Radford. 181 26

BOARD — BELLEVUE HOUSE, CARILLON, P. Q., an ideal place for health and comfort. Write for terms. 183 15

WANTED — BOARDERS. APPLY TO Mrs. Wm. Shaw, Shawbridge, Que. 183 10

BOARD — SUMMER BOARDERS CAN find good accommodation at a farm house, situated at Brome Lake; splendid location; within two minutes' walk of lake; good boats; sandy beach for bathing and excellent fishing. Address John Greer, Foster, Que. 142 23 2aw

BOARD—BOARDERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED at Poplar Farm; good board; terms moderate. Apply Mrs. Crossfield, Poplar Farm, [illegible]tsford. 176 10 eod

BOARD [illegible] AGATHE DES MONTS—STILL few [illegible]cancies for July and August, at Beverley Cottages. Apply Mrs. Dick, St. Agathe. 180 5 eod

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—ADVERTISER HAS SMALL brick house, two dwellings, on Rivard st., all newly painted, outside and inside, and in perfect order, with large yard and stable, which he will sell to prompt purchaser for $2,000, $1,250 cash, balance easy terms. Advertiser refused $2,500 short time ago, and $2,000 many times. Exceptional opportunity. Must be seen to be appreciated, 307 Rivard st. 166 30

FOR SALE—HOUSE, WESTMOUNT—A bargain; 6 bedrooms; also house to rent. J. A. Tees & Co., 22 St. John st. 181 6

FOR SALE — COTTAGE, 13 ST. LOUIS square, 1 Droiet, 174 St. Catherines Road, Outremont. Terms moderate. Apply D. Joubert, 1902 Notre Dame st. 183 6

FOR SALE — HOUSES, 390 MOUNT Royal avenue and 51 Beaver Hall Hill, desirable for business and residential purposes. Apply to S. Shackell, 1724 Notre Dame st.

PROPERTIES FOR SALE ALL OVER the city, prices to suit the rich and the poor, from $300, $500, $1000 to $30,000. We have money to loan on city mortgages at very low rate. Johnson and Cousineau, 62 St. James st. 184 3 3aw

FOR SALE — AT ST. EUSTACHE, IN the heart of the business centre, a store and dwelling property, really worth $3000.00, will sell on easy terms for $1800. Johnson and Cousineau, 62 St. James st. 184 3 3aw

FOR SALE — 2 BRICK STONE TENEMENT houses on Clarke st., all modern conveniences, built in first class shape, with stable. A good home for a man with a small capital. Also another two tenement house in Mile End, $1800.00, easy terms. For information apply Johnson and Cousineau, 62 St. James st. 184 3 3aw

PROPERTY WANTED.

WANTED TO PURCHASE GOOD dwelling house; price from $10,000 to $16,000.

H. M. SIMPSON,
415 Merchants Bank Bldg.,
205 St. James st.
Tel. Main 3344.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE.

TO EXCHANGE FOR A CITY PROPERTY or vacant lots, a lovely cottage at Riviere des Prairies. The house is 36 x 40, nicely furnished, on the river side (stable); it is rented for this season at 200 dollars. Apply 385 Sherbrooke st., Montreal. 182 6

LOTS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — REAL BARGAINS, NO humbug, in fashionable building lots, 15 minutes from centre of the city on the Bleury and Park avenue cars. Any one can buy one, as only $25 cash is required down, and the balance is payable at from $3.40 to $8.50 monthly. Make 75 per cent. on your savings. Don't accept 3 per cent. on your money in the bank, and allow them to earn big profits out of your savings. Don't be afraid; go and see the lots in Montreal Annex, and you will be convinced. Montreal Investment and Freehold Company, 228 Temple Bldg. 182 3eod

FOR SALE — THE LOT SITUATED ON Van Horne avenue, of 350 feet long, from east side of Clark street to St. Urbain street, facing the C.P.R. main line, with a siding of 350 feet long, facilitating the unloading of cars on the ground. For further information apply to D. Parizeau, 1598 Notre Dame. 183 26

FARMS FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — IMPROVED FARMS 100 acres, fronting Lake St. Francis, 20 acres bush, good buildings, cheese factory convenient, $3,750. Wm. Stewart, Lancaster, Ont. 181 8 2aw

FOR SALE — FARM, ONE MILE FROM village, schools, and churches; will sell cheap to prompt buyer. For further particulars apply to John Fleet, New Glasgow, Prov. Quebec. 184 6

BUSINESS PREMISES TO LET.

STORES TO RENT, 2504 ST. CATHERINE st., corner of Crescent st., good store and workshop or stable, in rear; low rental. D. W. Oglivie and Co., 11 St. Sacrament st. Tel. Main 3113. 168 eod tf

TO LET — FOR STORAGE GROUND floor and basement of good building, with hoist, centrally located; also other desirable flats, suitable for manufacturing. Hayden and Veith, Real Estate and Insurance, room 607, Temple Building, 185 St. James st. 184 6

BUSINESS CHANCES.

I HAVE $1,000.00 TO PAY DOWN, WITH balance on easy terms, to purchase a country hotel, either in the province of Quebec or Ontario. Apply K 3378, Star Office. 180 8

FOR SALE — BARBER SHOP, SIX chairs, running, best shop and location in city; poor health; must sell cheap at once. Address Miller, City Hotel Barber Shop, Springfield, Mass., U.S.A. 182 3

JOHNSON & COUSINEAU, 62 ST. JAMES. Licensed restaurant and country hotels for sale or to let in all parts of the Province of Quebec or Ontario. Prices from $800, $1000, $1500 to $6000, on easy terms; will loan part of the money if required. 184 3 3aw

IN FLOURISHING VILLAGE, STANSTEAD, store, dwelling house, general stock, good business established; rare chance for lively man; small capital required; immediate possession; owner engaged other business. Address Box 185, Stanstead, Que. 182 6

ANSWER: WILL YOU PUT MONEY INTO a certainty that will double while sharing most substantial profits? Wealthy, strong and honest management. Has Government record of nearly two millions paid. No debts. Money required to double production and profits. Simpson and Son, Woodstock, Ont. 182 6

JOHNSON & COUSINEAU, 62 ST. JAMES. Extraordinary bargain, Country hotel for sale, some 15 miles from Montreal, stock of liquors, cigars, fixtures and furnitures, everything is in 1st class shape; will sell all for $1500. Come quick as this will sell as a hot cake. 184 3 3aw

WANTED — BY MANUFACTURER OF high grade clothing a salesman with good connection, one who would take an interest in business preferred; excellent opportunity for right party. R, 34, Star Office. 184 2 2aw

FOR SALE — A SASH, WINDOW, DOOR, blind, and in fact all kinds of woodwork manufacturing in one of the liveliest cities in the Province of Quebec, with fine water power, all modern machinery, buildings in first class order. Books will show a business of $50,000 to $60,000 a year. This is one of the best bargains we have offered the public for a long time. Call and get full particulars at once. Johnson and Cousineau, 62 St. James st. 184 3 3aw

JOHNSON & COUSINEAU, 62 ST. JAMES. For sale a wholesale wine and liquor business, large clientele, doing some $1000.00 a week business, will sell 100 cents on the dollar, with good will free. $3000 to $4000 will buy it. Death the cause of selling. 184 2 2aw

A RARE CHANCE. IMPORTANT TO large and small investors. Principal guaranteed; interest 5 p.c. per annum, beginning at once and will increase to 30 p.c. within 3 years. For full particulars address M. J. Keck, Queen's Hotel, Montreal. 184 3 3aw

Westmount Cottage

Pretty detached brick villa, with about 7500 feet land, on Victoria avenue, just above Sherbrooke street, eight rooms, bath, w. c., hot water furnace, cemented cellar, nice garden, fruit trees; a pretty home; very, very cheap, $4000. Fred. R. Cole, 138A St. James street.

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OPEN EVENINGS.
4220 St. Catherine Street
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Building Lots, Houses and Cottages, on principal streets and avenues. Small cash payment down, balance in monthly instalments.
W. BREWSTER, Selling Agent.
Head Office:
Montreal Invest. & Freehold Co.
Temple Building.
180 4 2aw

HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET — HOUSE, 483 SHERBROOKE st., also summer residences at Back River. Apply A. H. Gendron, 503 St. Louis st. Tel. East 1914. 181 6

HOUSE TO RENT FURNISHED OR unfurnished. Address J. A. Tees and Co., 22 St. John st. 182 6

TO LET LOWER TENEMENT, NO. 416a Richmond street; good locality; rent moderate. Apply N. Theoret, No. 61 St. Gabriel st. 184 2

TO LET—NICE DWELLING, 6 ROOMS, on Cadieux, No. 954, immediate possession. For full particulars apply Johnson and Cousineau, 62 St. James st.

TO LET — WHY PAY RENT WHEN you can pay for a home on the same terms as you are now paying rent? $75 cash, $75 in three months, and $10.63 monthly will pay for a home, ready to move into the 1st of October, 5 rooms. Water. Lot 25 x 110. Free plans and information, room 228, Temple Building, or evening office 4220 St. Catherine st., Westmount. 184 4

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET.

TO RENT IN BEST PART OF ST. Lambert, nicely furnished eight roomed house, with extension kitchen, nice fruit garden in front and only 100 yards from river, newly decorated throughout; rent $180 per year to responsible tenant. Apply W. R. Thompson, 54 Aylmer st. 184 2

HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED — FROM SEPTEMBER UNTIL May, a partly furnished house, with four bedrooms, for a family of four; no children. Apply Q. 1, Star Office. 182 2 2aw

WANTED — A SMALL FLAT OR tenement, furnished or unfurnished. Apply giving particulars to P. O. Box 967. 184 4

WANTED — A HOUSE; MUST BE central; suitable for a boarding house. Apply N, 9370, Star Branch Office.

RESIDENTIAL FLATS TO LET.

TO LET — PARLOUR FLAT, OPEN grate, suitable for doctor, room on bath room floor, every convenience. 60 Drummond street. 182 3

TO LET—FLAT, NO. 7 THORNTON Park, 8 rooms, heating and taxes included, $22.50 per month, from Sept. 1st. Thos. Ligget, 2472 St. Catherine st. 181 2 1aw

TO LET — UPPER CORNER FLAT, superb, airy situation, eight rooms, hardwood floors, "Ideal" plumbing, new style entrance; no exterior stairs. Apply 70 Greene avenue.

TO LET FURNISHED FLAT IN WESTMOUNT, near Greene avenue, 7 rooms, and modern conveniences; electric and gas light; rent $40. Address Box D, 318, Star Office. 284 2

RESIDENTIAL FLATS WANTED.

WANTED — BY YOUNG COUPLE BEFORE end of month, four roomed flat, furnished preferred; rent not to exceed $30 furnished or $17.50 unfurnished. Permanent. Apply at once T. 122, Star Office. 183 2

WANTED — FURNISHED FLAT OR rooms for light housekeeping for man, wife and two boys; will pay $30 a month. Address X, 186, Star Office. 183 3

WANTED — FLAT ABOUT 6 ROOMS, north or west end; rent $10 to $15 per month. Address A, 219, Star Office. 183 2

OFFICES TO LET.

TO LET — 3 FINE OFFICES, CORNER St. Sacrament and St. Nicholas sts. H. Joseph and Co.

TO LET — OFFICE, 43 ST. GABRIEL ST., near Notre Dame st., suitable for a lawyer. Apply 39 St. Gabriel st. 184 3

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — FOR THE MILLION, KINDLING, $2; cut maple, $3.00; tamarac blocks, $2.00; mill blocks, $1.75 per load, delivered anywhere in the city. J. C. MacDiarmid, Richmond square. Bell Tel. Up 2453. 169 tf

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE. WANTED horse, buggy and harness, in part payment for fine building lot, near city. A, 241, Star Office. 184 2

FOR SALE — CHATEAU DE RAMEZAY Hotel license and valuable fixtures. Apply 1550 Notre Dame st.

FOR SALE — PARLOUR SUITE, BEDROOM sets, carpets, tables, pictures, parlour chandelier, 3 lights; hall lamp, dining room lamp, whatnot, new organ, 11 stops, two knee swells, all in first class condition; no dealers. 38A City Councillors.

FOR SALE — LARGE LOT NEW BERLINER Gramophone and Columbia Disc records, 7 inch 25c; 10 inch 50c. Apply D, 325, Star Office.

FOR SALE — PIANOS, 3 HEINTZMANS, 1 Chickering, 1 Evans Bros., prices $75 to $150, at Leach's, 2440 St. Catherine st., between Stanley and Drummond. Now in stock 20 new Morris upright pianos; Empire and Colonial styles.

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WANTED TO PURCHASE.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, YOURS and everybody else's cast-off clothing, fur coats, capes, old gold and silver, travellers' woollen samples. Best cash prices for good goods, promptly called for by M. Frank, 493 Craig st. 170 40

WANTED TO PURCHASE—LADIES' AND gentlemen's cast off clothing, fur coats and capes. See Sam Pearson first, 2336 Notre Dame st., as we pay the best prices of any other dealer. Mail orders attended, or telephone Main 965. 172 25

WANTED — TO PURCHASE GENTLEMAN'S bicycle; must be in A1 order and complete. V, 147, Star Office. 183 3

WANTED—TO PURCHASE NEWSPAPER, periodical and magazine clippings. Ten thousand dollars will be paid for one hundred suitable articles. Address P. O. Drawer 2183, Montreal, Canada. 184 4

WANTED — TO PURCHASE ENGINE, fifty horse power, in good running order. Sutton Lumber Co., Sutton, P. Q. 184 2

WANTED — AT ONCE SECONDHAND suits or pants. Address 2137 St. Catherine street, Montreal. 184 3

LOST.

LOST — IN A STORE OR BETWEEN Ogilvy's and Victoria street, a black and gold brooch, with a pearl in centre; valued as a keepsake. Reward at 76 Victoria street. 182 6

LOST — MONDAY NOON, BUNCH OF keys, with key insurance label attached, on St. James, St. Sacrament or Post Office corridor. Please return to 820 Dorchester. Reward. 183 2

LOST — DARK BROWN HORSE, CLYDE, weight about 1400, right hind leg lower part white, star on forehead. Reward at the Harris Abattoir Co., Bonsecours Market.

LOST — TUESDAY NIGHT ON CRAIG street cars, from Panet street, via Craig, Bleury to St. Catherine, black purse, silver K on corner, containing railway ticket. Reward. C. W. Blackford, General Offices, Bell Telephone Co. 184 2

LOST — ON TUESDAY A PAIR OF RIMLESS glasses on St. Catherine st., east of Delorimier avenue. Return to 213 Fullum st. and receive reward.

LOST — BLACK HORSE, WITH GRAY hairs all over body, part of mane clipped and scar on left front foot. Address Joseph St. Onge, corner Church avenue and Lower Lachine Road, Verdun. 184 2

FOUND.

FOUND — ON SUNDAY MORNING, BETWEEN Point St. Charles and St. Henry Station, a beaded chatelaine bag, containing small sum of money and other articles. Owner can have same by applying at 40 Torrance street.

HORSES, CARRIAGES, ETC.

FOR SALE — A GLADSTONE BUGGY, IN good condition. Price $50, 45 Quesnel st. 183 3

FOR SALE — CHEAP RUNABOUT BUGGY in first class condition. Apply Lilley and Cameron Cartage Co., 97 Colborne st. 183 3

WANTED — A GLADSTONE, SECONDHAND; must be light. Address M, 9315, Star Branch Office.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

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WANTED— EXPERIENCED OPERATORS on Wheeler & Wilson and Singer sewing machines; steady employment. We do not work Saturday afternoons. Apply to John P. Black and Co., 183 Vitre st. 234 tf

WANTED — 100 MACHINERY MOULDERS and coremakers; steady work. Wages for moulders at least $4.00; coremakers $3.25. Canada Foundry Co., Toronto. 157 tf

WANTED — CUTTERS AND TAILORS, send $12.50 to the New York Cutting school, 1133-1135 Broadway, New York city, for the A1 Rude Great Modern System, in book form, with complete information for self instruction. 181 2 2aw

WANTED—YOUNG GIRLS TO LEARN making artificial flowers and feathers; also experienced hands. Apply 936 Dorchester street. 178 4 2aw

WANTED—ORGANIST AND CHOIRMASTER for St. Thomas' Church, Belleville, Ontario; duties to begin Sept. 1st, 1903. Address, with references, stating terms, A. A. Roberts, Box 1061, Belleville, Ont. 172 13 2aw

WANTED — OPERATORS IN ALL DEPARTMENTS, girls can make from 75 cents to $2.00 per day. We make overalls, pants, shirts, boys' waists, ladies' shirt waists, costumes, collars and cuffs; steady work all the year around. Also a few apprentices wanted over fourteen years of age. Apply at the main office of The Standard Shirt Co., Ltd., 189 Delorimier avenue. 65 2aw tf

WANTED — LISTS OF SAVINGS BANK depositors. Apply Q, 32, Star Office, Montreal. 182 4 4aw

Situations Vacant, For Sale, and Personals continued on page 9.

WANTED—MAN TO TRAVEL AND TAKE measures for special clothing; rare chance. Address R, 33, Star Office. 182 2eod

WANTED — WAITRESSES, CHAMBERMAIDS, shirt and collar hand ironer for a popular summer hotel, north of Quebec, patronized by the better class of Americans. Apply to 86A St. Antoine st., city. 183 3 3aw

WANTED—JUNIOR CLERK FOR GENERAL office work; must be neat writer and accurate at figures; $20 per month. Apply, stating references and experience, to C 3192, Star Office. 179 6

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, ABOUT 20 years of age, as assistant in office work; shorthand and typewriting an advantage, one who has had some experience in general office work and methods, filing systems, etc.; a bright prospect for proper person. Address, giving age, references, salary expected, F 3253, Star Office. 180 6

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OPERATORS on silk blouses and ladies' whitewear; also girls willing to learn. Apply at once, Crescent Manufacturing Co., Limited, 2 Inspector st. 181 6

WANTED — SHIRT OPERATORS—HIGHEST wages paid; steady work; we do not work on Saturday afternoon. Apply to Mrs. Thomas, No. 10 St. Peter street, Montreal Suspender and Umbrella Co. 181 6

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL HALFTONE operator and etcher. Apply J. L. Jones Engraving Co., 168 Bay st., Toronto. 182 3

WANTED — GIRLS FOR MANGLE room; steady employment; good wages. Troy Laundry Co., 8 Inspector st. 182 3

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES. Apply W. H. Scroggie. 182 tf

WANTED — EMBROIDERER ON SKIRTS and coats. Apply at Box S. 64, Star Office. 182 3

WANTED — SCIENCE MASTER FOR High School of Quebec; must be a university graduate; salary $800 per annum. Applications, etc., received until August 10th. T. Ainslie Young, Sec.-Treas., High School of Quebec. 182 6

WANTED — SMART OFFICE BOY. APPLY D, 252, Star Office. 183 3

WANTED — A YOUNG GIRL FOR OFFICE work, also a boy to drive an express waggon. Apply Connolly's, 26 Bonsecours market.

WANTED — AT ONCE GENERAL OFFICE hand, quick at figures and accustomed to foreign invoices; good salary to an experienced man. Apply with references to B, 278, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — A GOOD SMART GIRL FOR general office work and attending to telephone. Apply with references to B, 279, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — LADIES' BLOUSE MAKERS, steady employment; Wheeler and Wilson, No. 61, machines. Apply to Mr. Carlind, at The G. H. Harrower Co., 11 Latour st. 184 3

WANTED — COLLAR MAKERS FOR ladies' shirt waists, plenty of work. Apply to Mr. Carlind, at The G. H. Harrower Co., 11 Latour st. 184 3

WANTED — AT ONCE GOOD STRONG girl as general help in small family. Good wages and light work. Mrs. Glendon, 302 Park Lafontaine. 184 3

WANTED — YOUNG LADY AS STENOGRAPHER; must be thoroughly competent. Apply at once to 18 Victoria square.

WANTED — COMPETENT TYPEWRITER and stenographer for temporary employment. Good pay. Apply to New York Life Ins. Co., Place d'Armes.

WANTED — PRESSMAN, ONE WITH 3 or 4 years experience preferred; steady work. Apply 1956 Notre Dame st. 184 2

WANTED — MACHINISTS, THREE OR four lathe hands, steady work. Apply at 9 p.m. Hudson Bay Knitting Co., No. 740 Lagauchetiere st. 184 4

WANTED — JUNIOR ASSISTANT FOR surgical instrument department. Apply to Mr. Laslett, at Lyman, Sons and Co.

WANTED — JUNIOR FEMALE TEACHER for the Cote St. Louis school, capable of teaching singing. Apply by letter before 8th, Trustees, 390 Mount Royal avenue. 184 3

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL TO DO LIGHT housework and sleep at home. Apply 31 Mackay st.

WANTED — A SMART BOY TO WORK in a grocer's store and also drive. Apply to 4846 Sherbrooke st., Westmount.

WANTED — TWO COAT MAKERS FOR out of town; steady position for right men. Apply Friday, at 236 St. Catherine st., Hochelaga.

WANTED — A PLAIN COOK FOR AUGUST 15th; references required. Apply 325 Prince Arthur st.

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN OF A FEW years' experience in the hardware business; must be capable of making up costs and selling. C, 303, Star Office. 184 3

WANTED — A KITCHEN WOMAN FOR general work. Apply 133 St. Peter st., Davies Dining Room.

WANTED — SMART YOUTH FOR AN OFFICE; salary $3 per week to start. Apply stating age and experience, if any. P. O. Box 1065, Montreal.

WANTED — COOK AND HOUSEMAID; good wages; city references. Apply 14 Park avenue.

WANTED — GOOD BOYS AS PLUMBERS' apprentices. Apply Ogilvie Bros., 249 Bleury st. 184 4

WANTED — THOROUGHLY PRACTICAL restaurant waiter and two smart tablemaids. The Merchants' Lunch Rooms, 24 Hospital st.

WANTED — GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, small family. Apply mornings or evenings, 440 Elm avenue, Westmount.

WANTED — TRACK LABOURERS, good wages; free transportation. Apply G. E. Burns, Canadian Pacific Railway, room 15, Windsor street, Montreal.

WANTED — A GOOD SCRUB WOMAN. Apply Star Branch Office, corner Peel and St. Catherine st.

WANTED — A GENERAL SERVANT AT flat 249 Bishop street. References required. Apply Thursday, 10 to 3.

WANTED — FOR OFFICE A YOUNG man who is quick and accurate at figures. Address, stating age, salary expected, etc., C, 287, Star Office.

WANTED — SMART, INTELLIGENT young lady for office work; must write a good fast hand; one with office experience preferred, but not absolutely necessary. C, 302, Star Office. 184 3

SITUATIONS VACANT.

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WANTED — GOOD HOUSEKEEPER OR a servant girl, for a small family; good wages. No washing nor ironing. 8 Albert Place, near York ave., Westmount.

WANTED — LINOTYPE OPERATOR, day work; permanent position to good man. Address Evening Journal, Ottawa, Ont.

WANTED — DRIVERS. THE CASTLE Blend Tea Co., 442 St. Paul st.

WANTED — TWO GOOD LABOURERS; those used to garden work preferred. Apply at once Wm. Cooper, 291 Bourgeois st., Pt. St. Charles.

WANTED — SMART OFFICE BOY. APPLY Business Department, Star Office. 184 3

WANTED — MAN AND WIFE; MAN TO be competent to look after horses and make himself generally useful; woman as cook and generally useful; employment the year round at gentleman's country place, on the Island. Apply between 10 and three (3), 13 St. Sacrament st., Montreal. 184 2

WANTED — A FIRST CLASS TABLEMAID, knowing both languages, with references, at 71 Dubord st. 184 2

WANTED — A GIRL TO WAIT ON table for the country, near Montreal; good salary. Apply at once 3099 Notre Dame street west.

WANTED — A SMART YOUNG MAN TO look after orders and make himself generally useful in a dry goods warehouse. Apply D, 313, Star Office. 184 3 3aw

WANTED — AN OFFICE BOY FOR POSITION in steamship office. Apply, stating age, to D, 312, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — SCORER FOR PAPER BOX factory; good wages. State experience. Kilgour Bros., Toronto. 184 3

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT. APPLY at No. 99 University st. 184 3

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED FEMALE teacher for the Longueuil Protestant Model School, one holding a Model school diploma. Duties to commence 1st September next. Address, stating salary and references to W. Simpson Walker, B. C. L., Sec.-Treas., Longueuil, P. Q. 184 3 3aw

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WAITRESSES; no Sunday work. Eureka Dining Room, 32 Victoria square.

WANTED — CHEF. APPLY HOTEL Carslake, 573 St. James st.

WANTED — A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT stenographer and typewritist, male, for an insurance office. Apply in own handwriting, with references to Box 2414, P. O. 184 2

WE DESIRE THE SERVICES OF HUSTLERS in every section of the country as representatives; persons of standing and ability can earn handsome incomes representing us a part, or all, of their time. Our plan is new; no money, or experience, required. This proposition will pay you handsomely. Do not fail to investigate it. Full particulars free upon request. Address Merchants Brokerage and Commission Co., Gay Building, St. Louis, Mo. 175 2aw tf

WANTED — FIRST CLASS RETAIL SHOE salesman; must speak French. 137 St. Antoine st.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CLERK IN ladies' dress goods; unexperienced need not apply; must speak both languages. Address 1869 and 1871 Notre Dame st.

WANTED — COMPETENT MACHINE hands to operate Troy, No. 8, shirt ironers and Troy body ironers. None but practical hands need apply. Pyke's Steam Laundry, Ottawa.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN FOR ELEVATOR, aged between 19 and 22, speaking both languages. Apply with references to The S. Carsley Co., Limited.

WANTED — A SMART BOY TO MAKE himself generally useful; must write a good hand. Apply The American Silk Waist Co., 30 St. George st.

WANTED — AT ONCE GOOD SKIRT and waist hands. Apply 119 Greene ave. Westmount. 184 2

WANTED — YOUNG LADY FOR FLORIST store. Apply at nurseries, Western and Claremont avenues, Westmount, three minutes' walk west from cars, at Victoria ave., B. T. Graves.

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; good wages to suitable girl or woman; references required. Apply after 4 o'clock 10 Phillips Place. 184 2

WANTED — A GOOD SMART BOY FOR general office work; references required. The National Coal Tar Co., 21 Wellington st.

WANTED — GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSEWORK, family of two. Apply at once to 1836 St. Catherine st.

WANTED — 30 MEN FOR ENGLAND, free passage both ways and wages. Apply to W. Roffey, C.P.R. Stock Yards office. Take Ontario street car.

WANTED — 50 MEN FOR RAILROAD work in the west, free transportation; wages $1.75 and $2; also men for local work. Apply 437 St. James st.

WANTED — COMPETENT BOOKKEEPER; must also do general office work. Apply, stating age, experience and salary wanted. E, 354, Star Office. 184 4

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED WAITRESS, also lunch girls; no Sunday work. Apply D. H. Welsh, 126 St. Peter st.

WANTED — A YOUTH OF ABOUT 18 years, with some experience in office work; knowledge of both languages and of typewriting desirable; must have good references. Apply E, 352, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — RESPECTABLE PERSON for kitchen work in restaurant. Apply at once. Jeffery's Cafe, 11 Chaboillez sq.

WANTED — AT ONCE MAN AND wife, also cooks, tablemaids, generals, kitchen girls, scrub women and chambermaids. Highest wages. Welch and Co., 808 Craig st.

WANTED — YOUNG LADY ASSISTANTS for dry goods business. Apply between 8 and 10 a.m. Jas. A. Ogilvy and Sons. 184 2

WANTED — 50 LABOURERS, GOOD wages; steady employment. Apply to The W. J. Poupore Co., Ltd., 7 Notre Dame st., Hochelaga. 184 3

WANTED — YOUNG MAN AS ASSISTANT porter; best of references. Address E, 351, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — AT ONCE EXPERIENCED examiners on ladies' blouses and underwear; must speak both English and French. Apply Crescent Manufacturing Co., Ltd., 2 Inspector st. 184 4

WANTED — FIRST CLASS LADIES' tailors, jacket finishers and skirt hands. Apply to M. Tannenbaum, 129 Metcalfe st.

WANTED — RESPECTABLE GIRL FOR kitchen work. Apply St. Elmo Restaurant, 201 McGill st.

WANTED — FIRST CLASS BUTCHER; must be used to serving best class trade; also a poultryman, who understands the dressing of poultry thoroughly. Apply after 5.30 p.m. Brown Bros., 2291 St. Catherine st.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WAITRESS. Apply to Steward Turkish Bath Hotel.

WANTED — GOOD STRONG GIRLS FOR kitchen and dish washers; no Sunday; in rear of hat store, 2252 St. Catherine, opposite Victoria. 184 2

WANTED — SMART BOY. BRYSON'S Med. Dispensary, 2391 St. Catherine st.

WANTED — SMART BOY TO DELIVER parcels. Apply in person to Chandler and Massey, 8 Victoria st.

WANTED — 25 MEN TO SHOVEL COAL at Outremont. Apply to C.P.R. Fuel Foreman, Outremont. 184 2

AGENTS WANTED.

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WANTED — EITHER LADIES OR GENTLEMEN, to engage in the sale of our watches; we give our agents a free sample $10 watch to take orders and a liberal commission. If you want a lucrative, genteel and permanent position write us for sample and terms at once. Empire Watch Co., 49 Richmond st. west, Toronto, Ont. 172 8 2aw

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED — HOUSE PAINTING, DECORATING, tinting, plastering and paper hanging; work satisfactory; charges moderate; best references. Drop card to M. Labis, 307 Cadieux st. 176 12

WANTED — BY A YOUNG LADY, FULLY competent to take position as trained nurse or companion to an invalid, or would take care of a young child; would have no objection to travel. Apply at 78 Victoria street. 172 25

WANTED — JOBS PAINTING, PAPER hanging, calsomining, plastering; best references, at the Charity Organization Society, 98 Bleury. Tel. East 80. Address L. Colman, 100 St. Norbert st. 179 6

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, POSITION as bookkeeper for September first. Address Mary E. Ryan, Perth, Ont. 181 7

WANTED — BY YOUNG MAN OF 26 situation as manager or salesman in general store, 12 years experience, speaks French and English. Apply Box 5, Maple Lake Station, Ont. 182 7

WANTED — ENGLISH LADY DESIRES post as governess to young children, or lady companion, domesticated, in any household duties not menial. Address L, 9270, Star Branch Office. 182 3

WANTED — PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, tinting, plastering; charges moderate. Best references. Drop a card. A. Feldmann, 378a St. Dominique st. 183 6

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT BY EXPERIENCED business man, bookkeeping or any responsible position, both languages; city reference. Address V, 135, Star Office. 183 5

WANTED — TO HACK PROPRIETORS, etc., situation by young Englishman, thoroughly understands horses and carriages, able to shoe and paint same or manage business; references if necessary. Address T, 118, Star Office. 183 5

WANTED — BY RESPECTABLE WOMAN situation to assist in the care of children or nurse to family going to England. Apply to The Andrews Home, 46 Belmont Park. 183 2

WANTED— SITUATION BY AN ENGLISH lad of 15, who has just left school, living with parents; good references. Apply to X, 203, Star Office. 183 6

WANTED — POSITION AS WORKING housekeeper in a small family; good cook and thoroughly domesticated. Address B, 270, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — ENGAGEMENT BY GOOD advertising man with experience in writing, soliciting and agency work. Wages reasonable. J. F. R., 37 Victoria st., Montreal. 184 3 3aw

WANTED — TRAINED NURSE WOULD take case of alcoholism or nerves. Apply between 11 and 1. Burnside. B, 260, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — YOUTH, AGED 15, WISHING to learn electrical engineering, desires situation. H. Thomas, 33 Metcalfe avenue, St. Henry.

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND IN the vicinity of Aylmer st., by a reliable person; ¾ or ½ day. Apply 43B Aylmer st., rear.

WANTED — BY GENTLEMANLY YOUNG Englishman of good address and appearance some employment in city, small salary to commence. Bert Smith Neill, 13 Phillips square, Montreal. 184 3

WANTED — BY A YOUNG LADY WITH experience, position as telephone operator on private switchboard. Address E, 353, Star Office. 184 3

WANTED — AN ACTIVE AND ENERGETIC business man, having a large acquaintance among merchants and manufacturers in the city and throughout Ontario, is open for engagement in a position of trust, either in the city or on the road. Highest references. E, 344, Star Office.

WANTED — BY RESPECTABLE WOMAN work by the day. Address Mrs. W. H. Turner, 689a Albert st., St. Cunegonde. 184 6

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ROOMS — AND BOARD, DOUBLE AND single, first class rooms and board, suitable for married couple or young men; every convenience. 2484 St. Catherine st. 182 6

ROOMS — AND BOARD, DOUBLE AND single front rooms, with first class board. Tel. Up 3245. American House, 79 Union ave. 182 6

ROOM — AND BOARD IN PRIVATE FAMILY, all modern conveniences. 187B Versailles st. 183 2

ROOMS — TWO OR THREE RESPECTABLE young men will find excellent board and lodgings by applying at 14 Argyle avenue. Terms moderate. 183 5

ROOMS — DOUBLE AND SINGLE rooms in private family in Westmount. House pleasantly situated. Convenient to cars. Telephone. References exchanged. L, 9300, Star Branch Office. 183 5

ROOMS — AND BOARD, BED AND breakfast $2 per week; railway clerks preferred. Apply in first instance to Clerk, Box T, 119, Star Office. 183 2

BOARD — AND ROOMS, DOUBLE ROOMS, back parlour and on bathroom flat, nicely furnished, electric light; also table board; transients accommodated. No. 95 University street. 183 4

BOARD — AND ROOMS, "ARLINGTON House," 49 Metcalfe st., Dominion sq. Also table board. 183 3

ROOMS — TO LET, A LADY IN WESTMOUNT having a front room to spare, would be willing to rent it to one or two gentlemen, with board; cars run past house. Address A, 246, Star Office.

ROOMS — AND BOARD, AIRY, CHOICE rooms; first class meals; transients accommodated; $1 per day upwards. Special rates to parties. 81 and 83 Union ave. 184 4

BOARD — PALACE ST., NEAR BEAVER Hall, board and rooms, bathroom flat, hot water heat, Auer light; quiet house. Address B, 261, Star Office. 184 4

ROOMS — AND BOARD, CHOICE LOCALITY, nicely furnished rooms, from $1.50 per week; partial board if desired. Visitors to city accommodated. 39 St. Mark st.

ROOMS — AND BOARD, PARTIES WHO appreciate the superior comforts of a high class home on fashionable Mackay st., can be accommodated with double and single rooms on bathroom flat, every modern convenience; imported chef; all luxuries in their season; best of mountain air; transients accommodated. 91 Mackay st.

ROOMS — LARGE AND SMALL ROOMS, with excellent board; good central location. 78 Mance st. 184 3 3aw

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

WANTED — ROOM AND BOARD BY A young man in private English family, where there are no other boarders. State terms. W, 184, Star Office. 183 2

WANTED — BY YOUNG GENTLEMAN nice furnished room and board, with private family (French preferred), in the vicinity of Union avenue, south of Sherbrooke, State price. Address B, 249, Star Office.

WANTED — FIRST SEPTEMBER, MARRIED couple, with one child and nurse, want two rooms (adjoining preferred), in refined private English family, Protestant; rooms must be modern and well furnished; also good board; will pay $75 for first class accommodation. Address Box D, 317, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — TWO YOUNG GENTLEMEN wish two single rooms and board in a refined French family, with young musical society. Address N, 9366, Star Branch Office.

SUMMER RESORTS.

FOR SALE — LARGE SUMMER COTTAGE, 16 rooms, Poole Island, one of 1000 Islands, 17 miles from Brockville, 7 from Alexandria Bay, three boat houses, ice house, summer house, wharves, etc., five acres land; large stables with land 120x135 on main shore, 400 feet distant (purchase optional.) Also if desired household furniture for every room with beds, blankets, linen, crockery, glassware, dishes, cooking utensils, stoves, fishing and sail boats, ice, firewood, with everything ready for immediate occupancy. Price $7000.00 or $8500.00, including contents and stables. An Ericsson hot air pumping engine supplies water. Private telephone to Poole's Resort, Post Office near by, where there is a long distance telephone station. Daily mail via Mallorytown on the Grand Trunk Railroad. Steamer "Victoria," from Gananoque to Brockville, three or four times a week. A most desirable location for fishing, boating and sailing, with breakwater and excellent harbour for private yacht. For further particulars and plan of house and islands, apply G. F. Thompson, 91 Sparks st., Ottawa, Ont. 128 tf

ROOMS TO LET.

ROOMS—MODERN, WELL FURNISHED room, bathroom floor; good locality; close to Sherbrooke st. Apply at 78 Victoria st. 177 tf

ROOMS—TO LET, 905 DORCHESTER ST., five doors west of Windsor Hotel; superior accommodation, with home comforts, in house having all conveniences. 179 8

ROOMS—TO RENT, WELL FURNISHED rooms, with first class board; everything up-to-date. Apply at 58 Beaver Hall hill. 180 6

ROOMS—LARGE AND SMALL ROOMS, well furnished, in private house, for quiet people only; bath, electric light, phone. 47 Victoria. 180 10

ROOM — GENTLEMEN WHO DESIRE A beautiful room, with running water, new furniture, Auer light, in a splendid locality, apply 73 McGill College avenue, first door below Sherbrooke street. Transients accommodated 180 6

ROOMS—TO LET, FOR A DOCTOR OR A dentist, two or three rooms (suite) on the ground floor, residential house, 2080 St. Catherine, near Bleury. 181 4

ROOMS — TO LET, BEAUTIFUL NEW furnished room to first class people, residential house, superior accommodation. 2080 St. Catherine, near Bleury. 181 4

ROOMS — VERY NICE LARGE FRONT rooms, on the first and second floors; modern conveniences; transients; telephone. 47 McGill College ave. 181 7

ROOMS — BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED rooms to first class people; no boarders, Auer light, hot and cold running water; also shower bath; close to Windsor Station, facing Dominion square. 14 Osborne st. 182 6

ROOM — ONE DOUBLE ROOM AND ONE single, well furnished, use of telephone, light housekeeping privileges. 727 Sherbrooke street. 182 3

ROOMS — TO LET NICE HYGIENICAL rooms, all modern accommodations, hot baths, telephone, board next door from Dr. Renaud's Electrical Institute, 400A St. Denis street. 182 6

ROOMS — FURNISHED ROOMS, FRONT and back bedrooms, in private family, Auer light. 93 University st. 182 6

ROOMS — FINE FURNISHED DOUBLE and single rooms, also front parlour, central location. 25 University st. 182 3

ROOM — FURNISHED BEDROOM, ON bathroom flat, house stands in private grounds; gentlemen only. 17 Kinkora ave., foot of Mackay st. 183 5

ROOMS — TO LET DOUBLE AND SINGLE rooms, bathroom flat; gentlemen only. 173 Mansfield st. 183 6

ROOMS— BRIGHT FRONT ROOM, LARGE cupboards, bathroom floor, overlooking Dominion square 1 Cypress st., directly opposite Windsor Concert Hall. 183 2

ROOMS — COMFORTABLY FURNISHED double room. Transients taken. 9 Buckingham avenue. 183 2

ROOMS — TO LET, WELL FURNISHED room, on bathroom flat; gentlemen only. Apply 2286 St. Catherine, near McGill College avenue. 183 3

ROOMS — VISITORS TO THE CITY WILL find large double rooms, nicely furnished, with or without board. Lorne House, 86 Union avenue. 183 2

ROOMS — FEW ROOMS EMPTY AT RUSTIC Lodge; moderate rates for August and September. Apply W. D. Soles, Bondville, Que. 184 4

ROOMS — TO LET FURNISHED BEDROOM in private family. 12 Berthelet st.

ROOMS — IN A QUIET PRIVATE HOUSE, modern conveniences; visitors accommodated; central. 26 McGill College ave. 184 4

ROOMS — 45 McGILL COLLEGE AVE., comfortable, airy rooms, with or without good board; transients taken. 184 3

ROOMS — TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms, with gas and home comforts. Apply 478 St. Lawrence st. 184 2

ROOMS — A LARGE PARLOUR ROOM, unfurnished, to rent on Cadieux street, above Pine avenue. Address Box B, 255, Star Office.

ROOMS — LARGE, WELL FURNISHED front bed and sitting room, bathroom flat; private family. 48 Crescent st.

ROOMS — GIRLS COMING TO THE CITY after employment, can find good lodging at reasonable terms. Mrs. Lavigne, 43B Aylmer st., rear.

ROOMS — TO LET, THREE FURNISHED rooms, en suite or single; suitable for professional gentleman; bathroom flat; every convenience; very desirable locality. 103 Union avenue.

ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED DOUBLE room, suitable for two, $7 monthly; also parlour bedroom; board optional; transients accommodated. 49 Victoria st.

ROOMS—DOUBLE AND SINGLE, CLEAN and well furnished, in quiet private house; modern conveniences; transients accommodated. 31 McGill College avenue. Tel. 2004.

ROOMS — FURNISHED, PRIVATE FAMILY; all conveniences; for married couple or gentlemen; no children; references exchanged; use kitchen. 2846 St. Catherine. 184 3 3aw

ROOMS — LARGE FRONT AND BACK parlours, unfurnished, with marble mantels. Stable on premises, suitable for doctor. Apply 260 St. Antoine st. 184 3

ROOMS — VERY NICE LARGE FRONT room on bathroom flat; modern conveniences. 127 Metcalfe st. 184 3 3aw

ROOMS — LARGE AND SMALL, BATH and upper flat, quiet private house. Apply forenoon or evening until 8.30, 37 McGill College avenue. 184 3

ROOMS — WESTMOUNT, THREE PERSONS can have nice rooms, with or without board, in strictly private family. 4471 St. Catherine st. 184 3

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED, TO LET, on bathroom flat. 30 McGill College ave. 182 6

ROOMS — FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH board, or without; table board. 21 Brunswick. 183 2

ROOM — FURNISHED ROOM AND board. 132 Lusignan st. Miss M. Putman. 183 2

ROOM — COMFORTABLY FURNISHED room, with first class board, suitable for one or two gentlemen, Auer light, hot and cold water. 51 Victoria st. 183 2

ROOMS — TO RENT TWO LARGE FURNISHED rooms, every modern convenience, well situated and in strictly private family. Apply 10a Park avenue. 184 2

ROOMS — FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, central location, bath, electric light, new furniture; opposite Viger square. 30 St. Denis st. 184 4

ROOMS WANTED.

WANTED — BY A RESPECTABLE MIDDLE aged man furnished room, west of Chatham street, St. Antoine or side streets, quiet, sober. State terms. W, 157, Star Office. 183 2

WANTED—A MARRIED COUPLE WOULD like a bedroom and sitting room in a first class private family, with or without board; good locality; only people that can give the very best need to answer. State terms, M, 9357, Star Branch Office. 184 2

WANTED — ROOM AT A FARM HOUSE by gentleman engaged in city during the day; must be within one hour's ride of Montreal and terms moderate. Apply C, 292, Star Office.

BOARD.

BOARD — MRS. DOCTOR SEARL strictly private accommodation for ladies with professional attendance; ladies treated and attended. 28 St. Monique st. 181 5

PUPILS WANTED.

WANTED — PUPILS, FRENCH, GERMAN, Italian, Spanish lessons by H. Malmer. 24 Donegana st. 182 6

WANTED — EARNEST STUDENTS taught shorthand quickly by Prof. Cooke's easy method. Typewriting. Day and evening. 2 Park Lafontaine, corner Sherbrooke. 184 2aw

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WANTED — FOR FALL SEASON FIRST class dressmaker, one with some years experience with city firms of the best standing. Only competent person need apply. Willing to pay good salary. Apply stating experience to Box T, 95, Star Office. 182 6

WANTED — FIRST CLASS DRESSMAKer for fall season, by Western Ontario firm doing business with the best clientele of the city; must have some years of best city experience. Rooms are large, well lighted, and cheerful; assistants and second class dressmakers need not apply. Good salary to proper person. Apply stating experience had and firms previously employed by. P. O. Box 54, Brantford. 182 6

WANTED — AT ONCE EXPERIENCED operators on ladies' silk blouses, steady employment and best prices paid. Apply Crescent Manufacturing Co., Ltd., 2 Inspector st. 182 6

WANTED — 50 EXPERIENCED WAIST operators on silk waists, dress waists and fancy waists, tucker and hemstitcher on high speed machines; also pressers and assorters. Apply at once The American Silk Waist Co., 80 St. George st. 182 3

WANTED — A KITCHEN GIRL WHO understands plain cooking; also a housemaid, able to wait on table. Apply 49 Beaver Hall Hill. 183 2

WANTED — COMPETENT BOOKKEEPer, capable of taking charge. State age, full particulars of experience and salary required. W. 156, Star Office. 183 2

WANTED — BUNCH MAKERS, ROLLERS and hand cigar makers. Apply Ed. Youngheart and Co., 149 St. Maurice st. 183 5

WANTED — IMPROVERS AT BRASS finishing and machinists. The Hill Electric Switch Co., Ltd., 426 St. Paul st. 183 3

WANTED — CONFECTIONER; HARD goods boiler; must be No. 1 man, temperate; none else need apply. Wages $12 week. McLauchlan and Sons Co., Limited, Owen Sound, Ont. 183 5

WANTED — JOHNSTON & FARIE, BRADford, England, are desirous of appointing an agent for the sale of wool, tops, noils, wastes, and yarns. Apply direct, with English references if possible. Also state age and qualifications. 183 6

WANTED — WAITRESSES; ONLY EXperienced hands need apply; wages $3.50 and no Sunday work. 2252 St. Catherine st., opposite Victoria. 183 2

WANTED — A SUPERINTENDENT FOR a factory of 200 hands, essentials required, must be a hustler, even temperament, know value of time, and can manage labour to advantage; to such a person a fair salary will be paid and permanent position assured. State experience, with references. Apply "Superintendent," P. S. Ross and Sons, Montreal. 183 5

WANTED — SCRUBBING WOMEN. APply to the housekeeper, St. Lawrence Hall, St. James st. 183 2

WANTED — A GIRL TO RUN A CUFF ironing machine. A. H. Sims and Co., Shirt and Collar Mfrs., 54 Latour st. 183 2

WANTED — $25 PER 1000 PAID WEEKLY for copying letters at home; no names to supply, nothing to purchase, or envelopes to address. Address Apollo Co., Spingarn Building, Newark, N. J. 183 5

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SALESMEN Apply W. H. Scroggie. 177 tf

WANTED — BUTCHER DRIVER, strong, speaking both languages and understands care of horses; with best references. Also an apprentice butcher. J. Levesque, 120 Bleury st. 183 2

WANTED — FOR AN INSURANCE OFfice, typewriter (young man preferred), to do statement work on Smith Premier machine. Apply, stating references and experience. Must be neat in work and accurate at figures. Apply A, 224, Star Office. 183 3

WANTED — UNION CIGAR ROLLERS and bunchmakers, prices paid $3.50 and $2.50 per thousand. Apply to 561 St. Paul st. 183 2

WANTED — DRUG CLERK, BEGINNER preferred. A good chance to learn French. Lecours' Pharmacy, 370 Craig st., Montreal. 183 2

WANTED — A LITHO. PRESSMAN, also press feeders. Apply to The Benallack Litho. and Printing Co., 8 Latour st. 183 3

WANTED — YOUNG BAKER AS AN ASsistant. 216 Greene avenue. 183 2

WANTED — SMART BOY, ONE ACCUStomed to horses preferred. Apply 216 Greene avenue. 183 2

WANTED — JUNIOR CLERK FOR INsurance office; must have some experience. Salary $20 per month. Apply stating references and experience. Apply A. 225, Star Office. 183 3

WANTED — YOUNG LADY AS STENOgrapher and typewriter; good wages and permanent position to experienced person. Apply 1956 Notre Dame st. 183 2

WANTED — A BRITISH FIRE INSURance Company wants a bright youth. Good opportunity for right party. Address B, 256, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY AN EXperienced stenographer and typewriter (Remington) Apply giving references to B, 254, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — AS JUNIOR WAREHOUSE clerk a bright young man. Address B, 252, Star Office. 184 2

WANTED — YOUNG GIRLS FOR STARCH room, shirt and collar starchers, collar turners. Skelton Bros. and Co., Duke and William sts. 184 3

FOR SALE.

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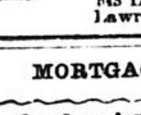

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ALDERMEN DISCUSS THE NEW LOOK-OUT

The Structure Was Vigourously Criticized Yesterday Afternoon.

IT MAY BE DEMOLISHED

Claimed That it is Unsightly and That it Will Prove No Ornament to Mountain.

There was a warm discussion at the meeting of the Parks and Ferries Committee yesterday afternoon over the building of the new "lookout" on the mountain.

Motions were made to pull it down, to stop work upon it, to visit it, etc. It was dubbed by the city fathers a disgrace because of its ugliness, while hard things were said on account of the structure costing so much money.

In bringing up the matter before his committee, Ald. Couture, chairman, read an article in the Star which quoted opinion to the effect that the structure was unsightly in the extreme, and which exposed the fact that instead of the building only costing fifteen hundred dollars, as the Finance Committee was given to understand, the cost would be several thousand.

Ald. Nelson, Clearihue, Ouimet and others, bore out the truth of the statements made by the Star, and the fact that the project was to cost so much more than what was understood, was dwelt upon and condemned.

SAYS IT IS A BEAUTY.

"I say," said Ald. Couture, "that the Star is not right; the structure when completed will be handsome. As the Star says, however, the new "lookout" will cost more than what was contemplated."

Ald. Lebeuf—"Yes. We can easily see now that the structure is going to cost a lot of money. The funny thing about this project is that when it was decided to ask the Finance Committee for $1,500 to improve the lookout, I thought the cash was chiefly to be spent on remodelling the ground and improving the old structure. I did not understand an entirely new lookout was to be put up. It stands to reason that a handsome new lookout cannot be put up for $1,500.

Ald. Nelson—"I certainly cannot say that this new lookout is a thing of beauty; it is just the reverse. I have been to the mountain more than once to inspect it and I must say it is not the right thing in the right place. I find it strange, too, that we are paying carpenters three dollars a day who are doing the work."

Continuing Ald. Nelson said that although he was a member of the Parks Committee he had been systematically ignored in regard to the work going on at the mountain top.

At this juncture, Ald. Couture began to explain how certain Park Commissioners, from Hartford, Conn., had seen the plans of the new lookout and had said it would be a superb affair.

Ald. Ouimet said that from his point of view there was nothing beautiful about the structure. It was claimed its beauty was in its rustic appearance; such rustic beauty as that he did not appreciate nor did he think others would.

Ald. Couture—"What I object to is the project being called a scandal."

WANTS WORK STOPPED.

Ald. Nelson (interrupting)—"Well, it was only to cost fifteen hundred dollars. This amount has almost all been spent, and the work is not a third completed. I tell you before you get through with this lookout, several thousand dollars will have to be spent. I move that all work on the structure be immediately stopped."

Ald Ouimet—"It is all very well to have men from the States praise the work on the plans; they ought to see it now, though."

Ald. Nelson—"I am sure no one here has heard any one say the thing is at all beautiful. I admit the ground work is well done; but as for the lookout, well, it is something to make one have bad dreams."

Ald. Clearihue—"I tell you that the new lookout is a fright. I am sorry to say this, but it is true. It should never have been put up."

Ald. Stearns—"I agree with that opinion."

Ald. Couture—"This is not fair. You are passing judgment on the lookout before it is completed. Wait till all the work is done, and you will see how fine it will be."

Ald. Nelson thought that the work ought to be stopped without further delay. It might be wise to have the structure torn down.

Ald. Lebeuf—"We had better be frank about this matter. From what we can now see the work will cost at least $5,000. As we only asked $1,500 for the job it will not be wise to go ahead with it. I think the wisest thing to do, however, is to visit the lookout and inspect it. We can then decide as to its beauty, and as to whether the work ought to be stopped or not. It is only fair to Ald Couture to say that the new lookout may not look pretty at the present time; but when completed it may be entirely different. We should not stop the work at once; the best way is to inspect the structure. What we shall have to do is to go before the Finance Committee and get more money. I am in favour of having a modern and beautiful lookout. If it is decided that the one under construction is not satisfactory, we ought to put up a really fine one. We do not spend enough upon our parks. If an artistic lookout could be put up I would not mind the city paying fifteen thousand for it; but, of course a lookout must be artistic."

Ald Nelson—"I sincerely hope we shall decide to pull the present new structure down. I would not have it in my back yard."

After some further protests it was decided, on the motion of Ald. Martineau, to visit the work to-day. It will then be decided what final steps must be taken.

FREE BOATS TO ISLAND.

Seeing that the contract with the R. & O. Company, for a ferry service to St. Helen's Island is to expire next year, a proposal was made by Ald. L. A. Lapointe that the city purchase a couple of boats and take passengers free to the Island. The privileges which the city could rent on the Island would meet all expenses. He said it was too bad that there were so few amusements on the Island. This could be remedied if the city operated boats.

"I agree with this," said Ald. Coutoure. In Detroit the corporation make $24,000 every year by renting out privileges for amusements."

Ald. Nelson.—"I do not like the free transportation idea. We should never be able to control the mobs which might use the boats. A small charge should be made."

The discussion that followed brought out the fact that as the Government owned the island and the city was only allowed to utilize it as a park on sufferance, this privilege might be taken away from them on short notice. It would, therefore, be inadvisable to spend a lot of money on property that might be closed to the city at any moment.

In consequence, Ald. Couture and Lebeuf were appointed delegates to go to Ottawa, interview the Minister of Militia, and see if terms favourable to the city cannot be arranged.

Teachers Were Pleased.

In connection with the National Educational Association's meeting in Boston, one special train, carrying 236 people, made the run from Chicago to Boston, getting into the latter point on time, and it was said that this train was one of the best trains that came into Boston during that convention. On board the train to Boston the State Superintendent of Public Instruction of Kansas and over two hundred teachers signed a testimonial that has been sent to the Grand Trunk.

WHITTAKER WRIGHT NOW FULL OF FIGHT.

Queenstown, August 5. — The health and spirits of Whitaker Wright, who arrived on the Oceanic last night, were greatly improved by his trip. During the voyage he kept much to himself, but enjoyed all the obtainable luxuries. He occupied an expensive cabin, wore a smart yachting costume, and always appeared at dinner in evening dress. He had a table reserved for himself and friends, and indulged in champagne and cigars. Nearing the Irish Coast he shut himself up in his cabin, refused to see reporters or discuss his case. He has, however, given the Daily Mail a long statement for publication, outlining his account of the Globe Company's transactions, and declaring his determination to fight the matter to a finish, and prosecute every man who is responsible for the malicious slander uttered against him.

CANADIAN CADET CORPS.

Militia Order Issued in Regard to Their Training.

Ottawa, August 5. — A militia order gives instructions regarding the training of Canadian cadet corps. It recommends the early period of youth as the most fitting time for training, no only in the duties of good citizenship, but to prepare for the country's defence, and advises that, owing to the limited strength of youth, the military lessons should be abridged, and only the essential ground work imparted, leaving more advanced exercises to maturer years.

"Close formations," the instructions say, "being unavoidable, must be taught, and the orderly changes from close to open formations must be practiced as being necessary for successfully moving on the theatre of war and elsewhere. Also in moments of emergency, such as sudden charges of cavalry and bayonet attacks, the practice of exercising in the more compact bodies enables soldiers readily to form orderly and disciplined groups under perhaps improvised heads — whereas, lacking such practice, they would be mere mobs of excited men, each man a law unto himself and a danger to his neighbour."

Long experience has proved that close order drill is a valuable means of inculcating discipline. If cadet corps are to be of value to the nation, those who compose them must be impressed with the fact that discipline is not a mere catchword, but that it means the quality which is everything to an armed body. In war the work of disciplined troops is as much superior to that of the undisciplined as is the power of a mighty locomotive to that of a country cart."

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WILL NOT GRANT HOLIDAYS TO CERTAIN CIVIC EMPLOYES.

A proposition was made before the Parks and Ferries Committee yesterday afternoon to give labourers, working six months for the corporation, three days' holidays every year.

The motion for this innovation was made by Ald. Ouimet. Before the meeting was over, however, it was charged against him that he was simply bringing forward the proposition, as it would sound very nice when the civic elections came round in February next.

"I make this motion," said Ald. Ouimet, as I think the labouring men should have a few holidays just as well as certain civic employes who draw $5,000 salary and receive a month's holiday each year. The workingmen do not get so much, but what they could enjoy a few days' holidays.

Ald. Couture—"I am sure the Finance Committee would not pass such a motion, and I hope this committee will not pass it."

It was the contention of Ald. Nelson that the proposition was not a business-like one. It was not necessary to give employes holidays who only worked six months for the corporation. This system was not carried out in business houses.

Considerable merriment was caused by a humorous attack on Ald. Ouimet by Ald. Lebeuf. The latter aldermen said the sudden sympathy of Ald. Ouimet for the workingmen was very pathetic. The trouble was that the elections would soon be around and it was an old tactic for aldermen to suddenly take up schemes for the betterment of the "poor workingmen." As for the contention that labourers working six months for the corporation were as much entitled to holidays as civic officials who had spent their lives in the civic employ, it was nonsensical in the extreme. In conclusion, he advised Ald. Ouimet to bring up his project some time when the elections were not so near.

In reply to this, Ald. Ouimet denied that he had any particular interest in the coming elections; all he wanted was to give the workingmen a nicer time in life.

The motion of Ald. Ouimet was voted upon and defeated by 3 to 2. Those who voted for its adoption were Aldermen Ouimet and Turner. The nays were Aldermen Couture, Lebeuf and Nelson.

Arranging for Pilgrimage.

The ladies of St. Patrick's parish held a largely attended meeting last evening at St. Patrick's Hall, for the purpose of making arrangements for their annual pilgrimage to Lanoraie, which takes place August 15.

Funeral of Mr. Giroux.

The funeral of the late Mr. Alex. Giroux, of Le Journal editorial staff, took place at 8 o'clock to-day from his late residence, St. Andre street, to St. James' Church. It was largely attended. The chief mourners were the little son of the deceased, his father-in-law, and Dr. Lussier, of Maisonneuve.

The Canadian Veterans, of which the deceased was a member, sent a large delegation. Among others who attended were Mr. Jacques Grenier, Governor Vallee, of the Montreal Gaol; Mr. James Harper, Mr. Austin Mosher, Mr. U. Tremblay, Dr. Fred. Peletier, Mr. Gustave Comte, Mr. Arthur Sauve, Mr. R. Girard, and a large number of newspaper men.

Will Visit Montreal.

The Northern New York Press Association, to the number of sixty-six, will visit Montreal on the 16th and 17th. On the 14th they will attend the convention of the Select County Weeklies at Massena Springs. They will then cross over to Cornwall on the 15th, arriving here by boat the same evening. On the 18th the party leaves for home.

Victims are Buried.

The funerals of George Lessard and Armand Duplessis, the victims of the drowning accident at St. Helen's Island last Saturday afternoon, took place yesterday. Both funerals were largely attended.

Buys Hotel at Val Moran.

Mr. E. H. Dunham, late of the Balmoral and Savoy Hotels, has purchased a large frame hotel at Val Moran, about ten miles this side of Ste. Agathe. It is to be run the year round.

St. Andrew's Society.

The regular quarterly meeting of St. Andrew's Society will be held to-morrow night at St. Andrew's Home, Aqueduct street, at 8.15 o'clock.

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DELEGATES DISCUSS THE UNIFORM BILL

Associated Fraternities Claim It Will Prove Most Injurious.

A QUESTION OF PROXIES

Societies Represented by Such Delegates Will Not Be Excluded From Representation.

The Associated Fraternities of America met in convention yesterday afternoon.

A long discussion arose as to the desirability of allowing delegates to represent more than one society. The opinion was expressed by one delegate that if proxies were allowed, one man could represent the entire convention.

President Robinson pointed out that as there was nothing in the association's constitution prohibiting proxies, to turn them down now would seem like having obtained the membership of the societies they represented by false pretences.

A motion to exclude from representation at this convention the societies represented by proxy was then voted on, and was lost; and it was decided that proxies be allowed to act for the societies they had been apointed to represent.

The report of the Secretary Treasurer was then submitted.

It stated that year had been a busy one. Forty-three legislatures had met since the last convention, and laws favourable to the cause of the Associated Fraternities had been introduced in several. The financial receipts, including a balance on hand of $567 from the previous year, had amounted to $2,309, and the expenditure had been $446 less.

The document was received and was referred to an auditing committee.

The report of the president on the work of the Associated Fraternities showed that it was growing at a rapid rate. The association, though only two years old, might be complimented on the success it has achieved. From present indications, next year would be the most important in the history of the association, and would require the most careful action on the part of those to whom its management might be delegated.

By far the most important matter for discussion at this convention was the uniform bill for the recognition of fraternal orders, which, he thought, should be taken up section by section. He called attention to a few of its radical and leading features, the majority of which he considered would be greatly injurious to the cause of fraternal insurance, under present conditions. The bill, either in its present form or something nearly like it, was sure to be presented for the approval of the insurance commissioners' meeting at Baltimore in September; and if approved there, it would be urged for passage by all the legislatures that were to meet in the next two years.

The president recommended the appointment of a committee to deal with the matter.

The report was received and referred to a committee.

BAKERS MADE MERRY AT PICNIC YESTERDAY.

The Master Bakers' and Bread Drivers' picnic held at Highgate Springs yesterday was a success, notwithstanding the unfavourable weather conditions during the afternoon. The arrangements made by the committee worked admirably, and the chairman, Mr. Fred. Stevens, was indefatigable in seeing that every one was getting what he wanted. Not one regrettable incident marred the pleasures of the day, except the rain. The winners in the games were as follows:

Putting 16-lb. shot, open—1, M. Doolan, 35 ft. 9 in.; 2, P. Elliott, 33 ft.; 3, T. McBride, 31 ft.

Throwing 56-lb. weight—1, T. McBride, 29 ft. 3 in.; 2, M. Doolan, 26 ft. 11 in.; 3, P. Elliott, 18 ft. 3 in.

Boys' race, under 12 years, 100 yards—1, A. Withell; 2, J. Paradis; 3, J. Parker.

Girls' race, under 12 years, 75 yards—1, I. Tetters; 2, C. Haigh; 3, F. Haye; 4, L. Hout.

Young ladies' egg and spoon race, 75 yards—1, Miss Geeves; 2, Miss A. Fletcher, 3, Miss Wilkin; 4, Miss Fletcher.

Boys' race, under 16 years, 100 yards—1, K. Clarke; 2, A. Gervais; 3, C. Daoust; 4, W. Martin.

Bread and cake drivers, over 30 years—1, W. Greigg; 2, T. Thomson; 3, J. Lonergan; 4, R. Fletcher.

Married ladies' race, 100 yards—1, Mrs. Bain; 2, Mrs. Hawkins; 3, Mrs. Gamble; 4, Mrs. Greigg.

100 yards, amateur, open—1, F. Philips; 2, T. McBride; 3, A. G. Tuggey.

Bread and cake drivers, under 30 years—1, E. P. Lalonde; 2, J. McConomy; 3, E. McCoy; 4, M. Laporte.

Bread and cake drivers' wives, 75 yards—1, Mrs. Bain; 2, Mrs. Hawkins; 3, Mrs. Corus; 4, Mrs. Gamble; 5, Mrs. Quinn.

Bakers and confectioners—1, F. Philips; 2, J. Dagenais; 3, A. McConomy.

Master bakers, 100 yards—1, R. G. Auld; 2, L. Brouillet; 3, N. Lalonde; 4, J. Brouillet; 5, M. Lonergan; 6, M. Dagenais; 7, O. Strachan.

Pipe race, 200 yards, open—1, M. Hindson; 2, A. Adams; 3, T. McBride; 4, A. Daniel.

Bread and cake drivers, over 40 years, 100 yards—1, L. Brouillet; 2, M. Hindson; 3, J. Liddell; 4, N. Lalonde.

Hop, step and jump, open—1, F. Philips, 38 feet 11 ins.; 2, J. Damant, 38 feet 3 ins.; 3, M. Doolan, 37 feet 6 ins.; 4, T. McBride, 36 feet 5 ins.

Boot race, open, 120 yards—1, W. McConomy; 2, J. Damant; 3, A. Adams; 4, E. P. Lalonde.

Three-legged race, open, 150 yards—1, T. McBride and F. Phillips; 2, W. McConomy and Renne; 3, H. G. Tuggey and A. Adams; 4, E. Laniel and E. P. Lalonde.

Special ladies' race, prize given by Eagle Baking Powder Co.—1, Mrs. Bain; 2, Mrs. Adams; 3, Miss Quinn.

Ex-bread drivers—1, W. J. Damant; 2, J. Cassidy; 3, C. Reynolds.

Fishing contest, open—1, J. Furlong, 12 lbs. of fish; 2, A. Adams, 9 lbs.; 3, J. Goyer, 8 lbs.

Quoits—1, J. N. A. Rice; 2, W. Halzel.

Prize waltz—Won by Mr. Wright and Miss Ferguson.

Consolidation race—1, C. Damant; 2, V. Damant; 3, W. J. Brown.

Beans in bottle guess—Won by Mrs. Samson after three ties.

Best bouquet—1, Mrs. Quinn; 2, Miss Bromley; 3, Miss Hayes.

MEETINGS AND SOCIETIES.

THE HACKMEN.—There will be a meeting of the Montreal Hackmen's Union to-night in the Monument National. Matters in connection with the running of observation cars will be discussed as well as other questions.

THE IRON MOULDERS.—At to-night's meeting of the Iron Moulders' Union, a resolution will be passed and sent to the Minister of the Interior, protesting against the immigration agents who, it is said, did not inform the Scotch iron moulders of the trouble at Toronto Junction, and allowed them to cross the ocean under a misapprehension.

ANNUAL CONVENTION.—The factory inspectors of Canada and the United States will hold their fifth annual convention in this city. Among the other matters that will come before them are the preventable causes of accidents in public buildings and factories, hygienic conditions and improvements in the structure and ventilating systems of buildings.

LABOUR DAY.—The Labour Day committee of the Montreal Trades and Labour Council will meet to-night in St. Joseph's Hall. According to the reports received, there will be an influx of visitors here on Labour Day, when the council, with the assistance of the various unions in Eastern Canada, will hold a field day at Riverside Park. The committee have with considerable difficulty arranged for excursions to be run from the small towns in the province.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

ARRIVED.—MONTREAL.

Steamship Catalone, 2416, T. Glover, from Sydney, with coal, to Dominion Coal Company.

Steamship Indiana, 2509, G. Grundy, from Antwerp, with a general cargo, to Furness, Withy & Co.

Steamship Troid, 2075, O. Saundby, from Sydney, with coal, to Dominion Coal Co.

Steamship Mora, 1968, G. Boulter, from Sydney, with coal, to Dominion Coal Co.

Steamship Sicilian, 3963, J. Fairfull, from Glasgow, with passengers and a general cargo, to H. & A. Allan.

Steamship Manxman, 3122, J. Christie, from Bristol, with a general cargo, to D. Torrance & Co.

Steamship Monteagle, 3492, H. Parry, from Bristol, with a general cargo, to Canadian Pacific Atlantic Steamship Co.

Steamship Greetlands, 703, E. Couillard, from Pictou, with a general cargo, to Hy. Dobell & Co.

CLEARED.—MONTREAL.

Steamship Troid, 207, O. Saundby, for Sydney, light, by Dominion Coal Co.

Steamship Bergenhus, 2344, A. Svendsen, for Sydney, light, by Dominion Coal Co.

Steamship Sardinian, 2787, T. Moar, for Glasgow, with passengers, general cargo and cattle, by H. & A. Allan.

Steamship Birmingham, 2612, J. Felkins, for Antwerp, with a general cargo, by Furness, Withy & Co.

Steamship Gaspesien, 287, E. Bouchard, for Gaspe, with passengers and a general cargo, by A. Lemieux.

Ocean Steamships.

Statendam, at New York, from Rotterdam and Boulogne, August 4.

Kron Prinz Wilhelm, at New York, from Bremen, Southampton and Cherbourg, August 4.

Lahn, at New York, from Genoa, Naples and Gibraltar, August 4.

Cambroman, at Boston, from Genoa and Napies, August 4.

Friesland, at Queenstown, from Philadelphia, August 4.

Oceanic, at Queenstown, from New York, August 4.

Sailors' Institute Concert.

The Sailors' Institute hall was crowded again last night with an audience who had gathered to enjoy what proved to be one of the very best concerts which has been held for many a day. Among those who contributed to the evening's entertainment were Miss Carrie Jones, Mr. Dumbrille, Hugh Johnston, steamship Athara; William Greenwood, David Allan and John Price, R.M.S. Parisian; James Addison and Frank Smith, steamship Pomeranian. Miss Meyers acted as accompanist. Mr. J. M. M. Duff presided.

Manitoba on Thursday.

It has now been finally decided by the Canadian Pacific Atlantic line officials that the steamer Lake Manitoba will sail from Montreal to-morrow. A complete examination of her hull has been made by Diver Brown, who reports that she is sound and seaworthy. Though several of her plates are slightly bent and dinged she has sustained no serious damage, and her bilge keel is in no way impaired. The men are now busily engaged in getting the cargo on board again.

Sicilian in Port.

The Allan line steamer Sicilian, Captain J. Fairfull, with 29 saloon, 157 second cabin and 72 steerage passengers, from Glasgow, arrived at Montreal yesterday afternoon and docked at the Allan wharf. The steamer reports having sighted a large number of icebergs in and around the Straits. Fair weather was experienced through practically all the passage. The passenger list has already been published.

Sailors' Club Concert.

Mr. Thomas Harling will preside this evening at the Catholic Sailors' Club's weekly concert. Among those taking part are Miss Kilcullen, Miss Cregan, Mr. Cowan, Mr. Joseph Donnelly and many others. The sailors from the ships in port will also contribute; among them will be the popular singer, Mr. David Allen, of the R.M.S. Parisian.

NOTES.

The Head line steamer Torr Head, with a cargo of rails, from Barrow, passed Martin River at 1.40 p.m. yesterday inwards for Montreal.

The Canadian Pacific Atlantic line steamer Montfort, with a general cargo and cattle, from Montreal, arrived at Bristol yesterday morning.

The Manchester line steamer Manchester Commerce, with a general cargo from Manchester, passed Father Point at 1.25 p.m. yesterday inwards for Montreal.

The Dominion line steamer Kensington, with passengers and a general cargo from Montreal, passed Mailn Head inwards for Liverpool at 6 o'clock yesterday evening.

The Allan line steamer Tunisian, Capt. A. H. Vipond, with passengers and a general cargo, from Montreal, passed Point Amour bound for Liverpool at 7.30 o'clock yesterday evening.

The Allan line steamer Montevidean, with a general cargo from London, is due to arrive in Montreal to-day. The steamer is in command of Capt. Cale, as Capt Henry is still at home, recovering from an attack of typhoid fever.

The Gaspe Steamship Co.'s steamer Gaspesien, Captain E. Bouchard, sailed from Montreal yesterday afternoon with passengers and a general cargo for the Gaspe ports.

The Allan line steamer Sardinian, Capt. T. Hoar, sailed from Montreal this morning with passengers, a general cargo and cattle for Glasgow via Liverpool.

The Hansa-St. Lawrence line steamer Birmingham, Capt. J. Felkins, sailed from Montreal to-day with a general cargo for Antwerp.

The Dominion line steamer Manxman, Captain J. W. Christie, with a general cargo from Avonmouth, arrived at Montreal yesterday afternoon. The steamer made a good passage, having left Avonmouth on July 25.

The Canadian Pacific Atlantic line steamer Monteagle, Capt. H. Parry, with a general cargo from Bristol, arrived at Montreal yesterday evening, and tied up at King Edward pier.

The Dobell line steamer Greetlands, Captain E. Bouchard, with passengers and a general cargo from Pictou, arrived at Montreal yesterday evening and docked at Bonsecours wharf.

TRADES AND LABOUR CONGRESS WILL DISCUSS MANY QUESTIONS.

The Trades and Labour Congress of Canada, which meets in Brockville next month, promises to be the most important gathering in the history of that organization. A large attendance of delegates is expected, as many have been admitted to the Congress since its last session at Berlin. The Congress has a large amount of business to transact, and the delegates will have a busy week. The most important measures to come before the convention will be the Lougheed bill, the Bique bill, immigration matters, the establishment of technical training schools, the alien contract labour act, the incorporation of trades unions, the factories act, the question of free schools, and matters in connection with Oriental immigration into Canada.

It is thought by the officers of the Congress that this will be the last session before the general elections are held, and it is anticipated that the discussion on the above measures will prove interesting. The city of Brockville is making elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates, of whom 200 will be in attendance.

Secretary-Treasurer Draper and the president, Mr. John A. Flett, as well as the other members of the executive, are at present hard at work arranging for the meeting. Hundreds of notifications have been sent out to the various unions of the date of the meeting, and it is now thought that fully 200,000 workingmen will be represented.

GOOD ADVICE.

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CUNARD COMPANY MUST BE BRITISH

Terms of Agreement Between British Government and Company.

ADMIRALTY WILL CONTROL

Agreement Also Reached With Morgan Combine Will Be Published Shortly.

London, August 5.—The agreement between the Admiralty, the Board of Trade, the Postmaster-General and the Cunard Steamship Co., dated July 30, is given in a parliamentary paper last evening. Accompanying the agreement is the draft of a trust deed, securing the debenture stock on which the Government advance of $15,000,000 for building the new steamships is made.

The new mail-carrying agreement substituted for payments by weights, a fixed annual payment of $340,000 during the life of the contract, which is for 20 years, dating from the first sailing of the second of the two new steamships. It provides that the mails shall be carried more speedily than at present. The Company will be bound to utilize the best steamships for the mail service, and the agreement stipulates for deductions from the subsidy in the event of the company failing to carry out the terms of the contract.

All the company's steamships plying between Liverpool, New York, Boston, the Mediterranean ports and Havre, including the new steamships, which will have a speed of 24 to 25 knots, will be at the disposal of the Admiralty, for hire or purchase, in the event of war. The vessels must be maintained under the British flag, and managed without any undue increase in the freight charges or undue preference against British subjects. The masters, officers and engineers of all the vessels must always be British subjects and the same condition applies to at least three-fourths of the crew.

On the Campania, Umbria and Lucania, until the new vessels have been completed, thereafter on the new vessels, all the certificated officers, other than the engineers, and not less than half the crews, must belong to the royal naval reserve.

The company is not allowed to sell any vessel whose speed is 17 knots and upwards without the consent of the Government, which will indicate the plans for the new vessels, with a view to their conversion into armed cruisers. The company must maintain the gun mountings, etc., ready for use.

TERMS OF SUBSIDY.

For these concessions the Government agrees to subsidize the new vessels at $375,000 per year each. The loan of $75,000,000, which will bear interest at 2 3-4 per cent., and is to be repaid in twenty annual instalments, will rank as the first charge on the whole Cunard fleet, and will be secured by debentures. The agreement provides for a reduction in the subsidy for the new steamships in the case of their failure to attain a minimum speed of 23 1-2 knots.

The trustees for the debenture holders are Sir Francis Hopwood on behalf of the Government; Lord Inverclyde for the Cunard Company, and Lord Revelstoke, who has been elected by his colleagues. The company must issue to the Government nominees such voting power as will prevent the passage of any special resolution by the shareholders in violation of the contract.

The agreement provides for a weekly mail service between Queenstown and New York, the company to carry the whole week's mail. If necessary a special payment will be made if a mid week service is established. The opinion in the lobby is that the bargain is equally good for the company and the Government.

The revised articles of the Cunard Company, which are included in the parliamentary paper, contain the provisions previously cabled, stringently excluding foreigners from holding shares in the company directly or in trust.

THE COMBINE TOO.

London, August 5.—The British Government has completed an agreement with the International Mercantile Marine Company to preserve the previously existing British interest for Admiralty and Post Office purposes in the British ships acquired by the company. The agreement will be at once laid on the table in the House of Commons and it may be debated concurrently with the Cunard agreement.

CONSERVATIVE DEMONSTRATION WILL BE GREAT SUCCESS.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Toronto, August .—Every day brings in its quota of encouraging communications to the secretary of the great Conservative demonstration on Wednesday, August 12, and from present indications every section of the province will be fully represented. Exceptionally favourable railway rates have been made for the occasion, a single fare for round trip having been secured, good from August 10 to 13, both days inclusive. Distinct assurances of the presence of Messrs. R. L. Borden, K. C., M. P., J. P. Whitney, K. C., M. L. A., and Hon. R. P. Roblin, Premier of Manitoba have been received. The Dominion and provincial members for Toronto and York county also will be present, while other prominent Conservatives are also expected.

Mr. R. R. Gamey, M.L.A., has signified his intention of attending the picnic.

THE DOUKHOBOR PRISONERS RELEASED.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.— The Doukhobors, numbering thirty or more, who were sent to gaol for three months with hard labour for making a trek across the prairie without any clothes, are being released. They refused while in gaol to do any work, and would not eat meat, as it was contrary to their tenets. Other food was provided for them, and finding they were not to be made martyrs of, they gradually became amenable to prison discipline.

The Hansa-St. Lawrence line steamer Indiana, Capt. G. Grundy, with a general cargo from Antwerp, arrived in Montreal yesterday evening and docked at Jacques Cartier pier.

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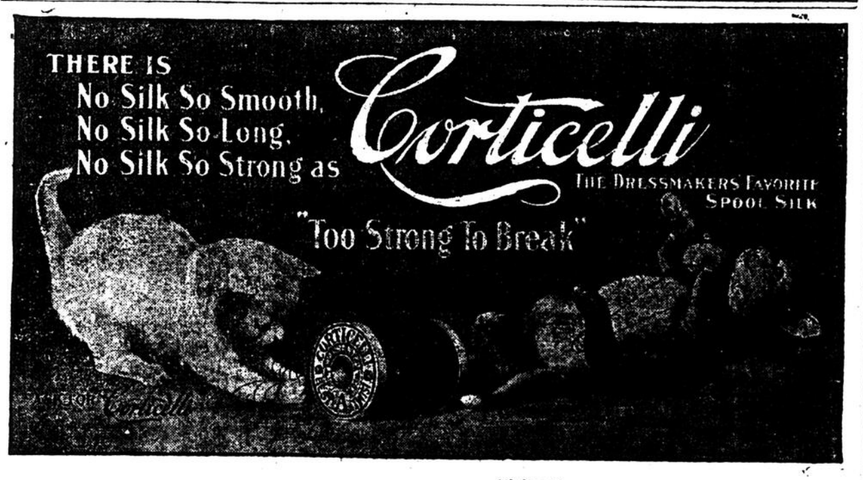

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BEAUTY CONTESTS IN AUSTRIA'S CAPITAL

Austrian Capital Holds Modern "Judgment of Paris" on Kahlenberg.

GREEK TORSO WAS STRANDED

Vienna Leads in Feminine Comeliness But Berlin Has the Handsomest Men.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Vienna, August 5. Within the last twelve months Vienna has had no fewer than three "beauty competitions." The first in order of time came nearest to its classical prototype the "judgment of Paris" inasmuch as the competitors were women; it took place last summer on the Kahlenberg, an insignificant mountain easy of ascent, to be climbed also by means of a cogwheel railway by such as prefer this less arduous manner of reaching the summit where beer, wine, coffee and a fine panoramic landscape await the tripper, and reward his exertions.

This was the modern Mount Gargarus in Ida, where the apple (it was really a medal), was given "to the fairest." The details of the classical story were further repeated in so far that the award was almost immediately followed by a marriage. Not, however, that of the judge (who was probably variously mated already) the modern Paris consisting of an expert committee of about twenty-five gentlemen—mostly getting on in years—but of "Aphrodite" herself.

Although "her face was her fortune" she is said to have received a number of proposals for her hand (and heart) immediately upon the publication of her success and no doubt she chose "the richest and rankest" of her suitors, like a sensible girl "as wise and good as she is beautiful."

The other competitions are still events of yesterday. One was for the palm of manly beauty and strength. The other an attempt to settle the oft-disputed question whether the inhabitants of Vienna are racially superior to those of Berlin, or whether the reverse be rather the truth.

EMINENT MEN AS JUDGES.

It is remarkable that, for the purposes of such competitions, the unpaid services of very distinguished men were available. In each instance the judges were men of reputation, men in the first rank of their respective professions; physicians, sculptors, sportsmen and men of letters to the number in the feminine competition of twenty-five, in the masculine of fifteen and in the Berlin-Vienna of three, placed their special knowledge and training freely at the service of the cause by acting as a committee of judgment to decide upon the claims of the competitors. Their proceedings were conducted on strictly scientific lines and the awards were certainly quite impartially given.

Some of the results of the male competition were interesting. The competitors numbered about 120. The committee was to make five awards for beauty and two for strength. The Greek torso was accepted as the standard of manly beauty; regularity of feature was the form for beauty of face, not much weight being given to the charm of expression and colour. Any species of malformation or misproportion was to exclude its possessor. The application of this last-mentioned rule reduced the number of the competitors by about fifty on the first "undressed" examination. The remaining seventy presented themselves for judgment before an interested audience of 300 or 400 doctors, sportsmen and general public, among whom, however, the fair sex was very weakly represented. There were not more than twenty women in the hall.

LAW STUDENT GOT FIRST PRIZE.

The competitors presented themselves one by one and the committee awarded marks on the various counts decided upon. A law student of 21 got the first beauty prize, a professional swimmer the first prize for strength. Athletic men, professional and amateur, didn't come off as well as might have been supposed. Many forms of athletics develop the body unsymmetrically. Swordsmen, rowers and boxers have the arms and chest unduly developed; runners and jumpers, the legs; swimming, wrestling and trapeze work, on the other hand, develops the body equally in all its parts, and the same may probably be said of cricket and lawn tennis.

TESTS IN BERLIN AND VIENNA.

The last-mentioned competition was conducted as follows: Two positions were chosen in each of the competing cities, in the one of which the well-dressed public, in the other the working classes were chiefly to be seen. The committee, a military officer, a painter and a doctor, were to station themselves at these points successively and note down their judgment on the passers-by. In this way 1,000 men, 1,000 women and 100 children were passed in review and classified in each city. In order to avoid the unconscious bias of patriotism the gentlemen chosen to act as a committee were all foreigners in Germany and Austria, so that there is no reason why their judgment should not have been quite impartial.

It was also provided that the atmospheric conditions should be the same in both cities. Capt. Joannesen, a Roumanian; the Greek painter, Timoyenis, and Dr. von Goldbach, a Russian (his German name notwithstanding), were instructed to begin operations at 12 o'clock on a sun-shiny day and continue their work until the half was accomplished, resuming and finishing it on the first fine evening following, from 5 o'clock—this proceeding to be observed in both cities.

The results arrived at were as follows: In Berlin—Women, supremely beautiful, 1; beautiful in face and form, 23; of attractive exterior, 87; of not unpleasant appearance, 102; ugly, 787. Men—Handsome, 12; good-looking, 412; plain and ugly, 576 per 1,000. Children—Beautiful, 51; agreeable, 10; ugly, 39 per 100.

In Vienna—Women, supremely beautiful, 3; beautiful in face and form, 61; of attractive exterior, 211; of not unpleasant appearance, 195; ugly, 520 per 1,000. Men, handsome, 7; good-looking, 360; plain and ugly, 633 per 1,000. Children, beautiful, 53; agreeable, 8; ugly, 39 per 100.

This result is in accordance with the popular opinion, according to which the women of Vienna and the men of Berlin are inspiring, and, further, that childhood is the most beautiful period of life.

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JUSTICE PROUDFOOT DEAD.

Was Formerly Vice-Chancellor of Ontario Chancery Courts.

Hamilton, Ont., August 5.—Hon. Justice Proudfoot, formerly vice-chancellor of the Eastern Chancery Court, is dead here.

Deceased had a fall on Friday last, and that, with his very old age, was the cause of death. He was born in Peprodie, Berkshire, Scotland, November 9, 1823. He came to this country when a mere boy, and studied in Toronto schools and took up law in Chancellor Boyd's office afterwards. He was appointed to the bench in 1854 under the Mackenzie administration, and retired in 1890.

Stabbed With a Pitchfork.

Barrie, Ont., August 5.—Fred. Hanmore, alias Stratton, was brought to the county gaol from Bradford last night, charged with stabbing, which may yet be one of murder. He was employed by a farmer named Wm. Church, who lives six miles from Bradford. While at work in a hay mow on Friday, a quarrel arose and Hanmore stabbed his employer through the lungs with a pitch fork. At the last report Church was bleeding profusely from the mouth and lungs and was in a critical condition. Hanmore acknowledges the stabbing.

Westmount's Population.

Westmount has now a population of 9470, which is an increase over last year of 424.

There are 1759 heads of families, the nationalities represented being: British Canadians, 695; French Canadians, 99; English, 500; Scottish, 236; Irish, 99; French, 11; Americans, 72; Germans, 26; Chinese, 14; Japanese, 1; others, 6; total, 1759.

In Ward No. 1 there are 4321 persons; Ward No. 2, 1320; Ward No. 3, 1815, and Ward No. 4, 2014.

The number of dwellings occupied are 1931; dwellings vacant, 77; dwellings being built, 30. The number of stores are 78; workshops, 9; club houses, 7; public schools, 3; churches, 10.

Will Hold Bazaar.

The ladies of the Protestant Infants' Home will hold a bazaar in the Windsor Hall on November 6th and 7th for the benefit of the institution. Those in charge of the art table have arranged a sketch competition, for which a prize will be offered in each class. There will be four classes: Water colour, oil, pen and ink, calendar mount. No restrictions as to subject, landscape, figure, or "still life." The competition is open to the public. All sketches sent to be the property of the "Art Table." Sketches must be sent to Mrs. R. C. Smith, Dorchester street, on or before October 29th.

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LADIES' WHITEWEAR.

Ladies' Under Skirts, cambric, made with tucks and deep hem. Price.....39c
LESS TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

Ladies' Under Skirts, cambric, lawn umbrella flounce, made with hemstitched tucks, trimmed with deep embroidery, dust frill. Price.....95c
LESS TEN PER CENT.

Ladies' Night Dresses, cambric, V-style, square yoke, made of hemstitched, trimmed around neck and sleeves with embroidery and insertion. Price.....$1.65
LESS TEN PER CENT.

Ladies' Night Dresses, cambric, high neck, trimmed around neck, front and sleeves with frills and embroidery edging. Price.....55c
LESS TEN PER CENT.

THURSDAY SHOE BARGAINS.

Ladies' $3.50 Oxfords for $2.50.
LESS TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

Beautiful Vici Kid Oxford Low Shoes, patent tip, Kid lined, flexible soles, French heels; sizes 2½ to 7, in A, B and C widths. These are high-class Boston made shoes, and never retail less than $3.50. Thursday, our special price will be.....$2.50
LESS TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

BOOK SPECIAL.
The Wizard's Knot.
BY WILLIAM BARRY.
Beautifully bound in green cloth, stamped in gold, only.....25c
Postage 5c. Less ten per cent.

WASH GOODS.

Worth up to 15c yard—A large assortment of Wash Goods, including the following: Fancy Striped White Muslins, Fancy Coloured Dress Muslins, Fancy Black Grenadines, Coloured Prints, Checked and Striped Swiss Muslins. Marked down to, per yard.....10c
LESS TWENTY PER CENT.

Worth up to 15c yard—About 2,000 yards of Wash Fabrics, including Prints, Muslins, Ginghams, White Corded Muslins, Coloured Grenadine Muslins, Black and White Muslins, etc. Marked down to, per yard.....10c
LESS TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

Worth up to 20c yard—This lot includes some of the most up-to-date goods, as Imitation Challies, Open-worked Grenadines, Imitation French Cambric, Best Crum Prints, Scotch Ginghams, White Swiss Muslin, etc. Marked down to.....14c
LESS TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

Worth up to 30c yard—High class Summer Fabrics at less than half regular value; large selection of the newest styles in Fancy Dress Muslins, Fancy Scotch Ginghams, Fancy Figured Pique, Fancy Mercerized White Madras, etc. Marked down to.....15c
LESS TEN PER CENT. DISCOUNT.

Mail and Phone Orders Promptly Attended to. **Scroggie's** St. Catherine and University Streets.

MEMBERS WILL SIGN THE PETITION.

Mr. A. J. de B. Corriveau has returned from Ottawa, where he interviewed many members of Parliament on the following propositions:

That a subsidy be granted the Southern Counties Railway Company toward building their line of projected railway;

That a subsidy be granted toward the building of a new bridge over the Richelieu river at St. Johns, and

That a subsidy be granted and permission obtained for them to run electric cars across the Victoria bridge.

Many of those interviewed will sign a petition to the Premier.

Annual Excursion.

The annual excursion of St. Patrick's T.A. & B. Society, held Monday to Lake St. Peter, was a complete success, fully 600 people being on board. The euchre contest resulted as follows: Ladies' prize, 1st, Miss O'Malley; 2nd, Miss E. Jordan; gentlemen's prize, 1st, Mr. J. Delaney; 2nd, Mr. C. Reynolds. The bean guess was won by Mr. J. J. Bolster, his guess being 955. The total number of beans in the jar was 954.

MR. D. M'DONALD IS OFFICIALLY APPOINTED.

The following official notice was issued yesterday by Mr. F. L. Wanklyn, vice-president and general manager of the Montreal Street Railway and Montreal Park and Island Railway systems. It has been effective since August 1:

"Mr. Duncan McDonald is hereby appointed assistant general manager of the Montreal Street Railway and Montreal Park and Island Railway systems, and will report direct to the vice-president and general manager.

Special Notice.
Closed Thursday.

The 4 large stores of the Marchand Ready-to-Wear Wardrobe will be closed on Thursday. The largest reduction sale on record. Read to-morrow's ad.

A Series of Half-Price Events.

Some vigorous price-cutting has been resorted to by The S. Carsley Company, Limited, to rid the various stocks of all seasonable merchandise. In many sections half price is the attraction where lots have become limited or size or color assortments incomplete.

All notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths must be endorsed with the names and addresses of the persons sending same.

MARRIED.

EVANS-McCAUGHAN—On August 4th, at St. John Baptist Church, by Rev. Father Piette, Edwin A Evans, formerly of Birmingham, Eng., to Miss Bertha Bernadette McCaughan, of Montreal.

MORSON-DALTON—At the Church of the Redeemer, Toronto, on August the 4th, by the Rev. Septimus Jones, Walter Russel Morson, of Montreal, son of the late Alfred Morson, Esq., M.D., to Gertrude, youngest daughter of the late Robert Gladstone Dalton, Q. C., Master in Chambers, of the High Court of Justice of Ontario.

SWAN-PLEASANTS—At the residence of the bride's mother, 128 Cadieux street, Montreal, George H. Swan to Mary E. Pleasants.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

CANTWELL—In this city, on the 4th of August, 1903, at his residence, 655a St. James street, Thomas Cantwell, aged 41 years, C. P. R. freight checker. Friends and acquaintances will please attend the funeral from the above dwelling on Thursday morning, 6th inst., at 9 a.m., to place of interment, Cote des Neiges cemetery.

FARRELL—In this city, on the 4th inst., John Farrell, in his 60th year. Funeral from his late residence, 110 Island st., on Thursday, August 6th, at 7.30 a.m., to St. Gabriel's Church, thence to the Roman Catholic cemetery. Friends and acquaintances and members of St. Gabriel's Court, C.O.F., are respectfully invited to attend. 183 2

FENOGLIO—In this city on August 3rd, at 453 Dorchester st., Alexander Fenoglio, at the age of 62 years, 3 months. Funeral from his late residence on August 5th, at 8.30 to Nazareth Church, thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please attend.

LYNCH—On August 4th, of typhoid fever, Willie, third son of James Lynch, aged 23 years and 3 months. Funeral from his father's residence, 75 St. Monique street, on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m., to Cote des Neiges cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. (Minnesota and Akron, O. papers please copy.) 183 2

LESAGE—On the 5th inst., at 447 Berri street, Louis, youngest son of T. W. Lesage, at the age of 2 years and 11 months. Funeral Friday, at 2.30 p.m. 184 2

MORROW—In this city, on August 3rd, John Morrow, aged 75 years, a native of County Donegal, Ireland. Funeral from his late residence, No. 40 Sebastopol street, Point St. Charles, on Thursday, August 6th, at 2.30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. 183 2

MUNRO—In this city, on the 2nd inst., at the residence of her brother-in-law, Dr. John McBain, Mary (Minnie) Munro, daughter of the late Hector Munro, and sister of Mrs. J. A. Harte. Funeral private. Please omit flowers. 183 2

MATHIESON—On August 2nd, of apoplexy, George, eldest son of the late Rev. Alexander Mathieson, D.D. Funeral private.

RICHARDS—At Children's Hospital, on August 1st, Marjorie Anna Maud, youngest daughter of the late W. A. B. Richards, aged 8 months.*

DEATHS OUTSIDE THE CITY.

ALLEN—In Hamilton, on August 1, 1903, Henry Allen, aged 58 years.*

BROWN—At Jeffery Hale Hospital, Quebec, on the 1st instant, James Brown, at the early age of 29 years and ten months.*

BUTLER—At Ottawa, William Butler aged 69 years.*

CRAIB—Mary J. Craib, aged 80 years, died at her late home, 32 Chambers st., Lowell, Saturday, July 25th, formerly of Sorel, Canada.

COLLINS—At Cummings' Bridge, on August 2nd, 1903, William Harold, son of G. H. (Alex.) Collins, aged three weeks.*

CUTTEN—In Boissevain, on July 19, Evaline, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Cutten, aged 13 days.*

DOUGHERTY—At West Glassville, Carleton Co., July 23rd, in the 69th year of her age, Lucy Ann, beloved wife of Jos. Dougherty.*

DELANY—At Quebec, on Monday, 3rd August, Margaret Mary Hayes, beloved wife of Thomas James Delany, aged 38 years.*

DALE—At Norwood, July 31, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dale.*

DAY—At St. John, N. B., on August 2nd, John Day, aged 89 years.*

HILL—In Winnipeg, on July 30, Miss Isabella Hill, aged 19 years and 7 months.*

LOREE—At Roland, on July 24, Annie McDonald, beloved wife of Geo. Loree, aged 46 years 4 months and 25 days.*

McDONELL—At Lowell, Mass., on Tuesday morning, 4th inst., Lizzie McDonell, aged 80 years. Funeral Thursday afternoon at Lancaster. 183 2

MOFFATT—At Ottawa, on July 31st, Irene Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Arthur Moffatt, aged 11 months.*

MALONEY—At Ottawa, on August 3rd, William Maloney, aged 73 years.*

O'BRIEN—At L'Orignal, on August 1st, 1903, Helen B. Dean, beloved wife of Colin G. O'Brien, barrister.*

QUAYLE—At Ottawa, on August 3, Chas. Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Quayle, aged 9 months and 12 days.*

RICHARDS—At Winnipeg, July 31, Albert Henry, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Richards.*

ROBINSON—In Ninga, on July 27, Harry Infant son of Geo. T. and Mrs. Robinson, aged 1 year, 7 months and 10 days.*

ROACH—In Hamilton, on August 2, 1903, Mrs. Fary Roach, widow of the late Michael Roach.*

SHANNON—At Goderich, Ont., on August 1st, 1903, John Shannon, in his 64th year.*

SOVA—In Carman, on July 23, Kathleen Pearl, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Sova, aged 6 months and 15 days.*

TILSON—In London, Ont., on July 31st, 1903, Annie, the beloved wife of the late James Tilson, in her 66th year.*

Georgeville Gourmands

gloat over lady charlotte gelatine.

A PROMISING MIDDY.

On board a man-of-war on the Mediterranean Station there is a midshipman, whom we will call Walters (for most of his shipmates know him by that name), who, from all accounts, is a promising youth, as witness the following story:

The midshipmen on board used to take their watch forward, and every hour it was their duty to come aft and write up the weather columns of the ship's log.

The captain was walking the weather side of the deck, when Midshipman Walters came aft to write up the log.

The barometer—a mercurial one—was hung in the captain's cabin, and Walters, after having read it, helped himself liberally to the captain's sherry on the cabin sideboard. In walking the deck the captain happened to glance down the cabin skylight, and saw the midshipman's proceedings. When Walters came up on deck to heave the log, the captain addressed him as follows:

"How is the barometer, sir?"

Walters saluted.

"Steadily rising, sir—steadily rising."

The captain then asked:

"And how is the decanter, sir?"

Walters was taken aback, but, with a steady voice, replied:

"Steadily falling, sir—steadily falling."

This reply was too much for the captain, and, bursting out laughing, he said:

"Young man, your bright reply has saved you from punishment; but hereafter I beg of you not to consult the decanter as often as you do the barometer."

Miss Helen Gould will defray the expenses of Dr. William H. Tolman's trip to Europe to study conditions in the principal cities and collect material illustrative of economic progress in various municipalities.

THE S. CARSLEY Co. Limited. | THE S. CARSLEY Co. Limited.

CLOSE AT 5.30 P. M. FRIDAY EXCEPTED.

CANADIAN SOUVENIRS FOR TOURISTS.

A most interesting collection of such are to be found at The Big Store. Souvenir Spoons, Jewellery, China, Indian Curios, etc., etc. Prices are quite reasonable.

THOUSANDS OF REMNANTS
BEING SOLD!

That indicates the vast proportions of The Big Store's operations. We were too busy selling from full stocks in July to give much thought to the rapidly accumulating remnants. In many cases departments would be ready to contain the Fall goods were these "remnants" out of the way. And out of the way they shall go in short order unless the legitimate discounts of 10, 25, 33 1-3, 50 per cent. and even greater reductions have ceased to exert an influence with the purchasing public.

Particulars of Some Recent Price

REDUCTIONS ON BLOUSES.

The latest cut in prices result in many lines being sold for less than half price.

Ladies' Fancy Pink and Bluet Striped Organdy Muslin Shirt Waists, new collar and sleeves. Regular $1.90. Now reduced to 99c

Ladies' Extra Quality fancy Striped Croydon Crash Blouses, tucked front, new collar and sleeves. Sizes 32 to 42. Regular $2.75. Reduced price..... $1.20

Liberal Wash Fabric Values
FOR AUGUST SHOPPERS.

To add interest to the Remnant Sale, the management selected several attractive lines from this section for reduction. These are the particulars:

72 pieces Fancy Mercerized Sateen Scotch Dress Gingham and Lancashire Cashmere, in very choice shades and designs. Regular values were 19c to 23c yard. Reduced price 10c

150 pieces Organdy, Mercerized Muslins, Oriental Muslins, Silk Chiffon Muslins, select shades and effects. Values 30c to 45c yard. Sale price 15c

40 pieces Fancy Chiffon Dress Muslins, Roman Gauze Muslins, and Mousseline d'Alsace, choice range of colorings and patterns. Regular 42c to 65c yard. Reduced 33c

Ladies' Summer Costumes at Half Price

In fact the reductions in instances are greater than 50 per cent., seeing that it is previously reduced prices, that have been cut in half.

For example: Costumes whose original values were $2.25; now reduced to 90c

Come at your earliest opportunity, as your neighbors are not likely to procrastinate when such values are within reaching distance.

Large Lot of Children's Dresses Half Price

Many styles, and all of a most becoming character. Lines where the size or color range is incomplete, and where profit and part of the cost is sacrificed that a certain clearance may be assured. The extensive sales in this section guarantee the excellence of our every day values, and emphasize the wisdom for prompt selections from this half-price group

Dresses in the group worth from $2.50 to $7.90, now to be sold at from $1.25 to $3.95

Hosiery That the Public Demand

Ladies' Black Cotton Drop Stitch Hose, fast dye, of course. Price, per pair..... 18c

Ladies' Black Lisle Thread All Lace Work Hose, in 3 different designs, price of a single pair 35c
Or 3 pairs can be obtained for $1.00

Ladies' Black Lisle Thread Hose, with open work and colored embroidered ankles, either red, white, heliotrope or blue. Price, per pair..... 48c

Where to Buy Umbrellas

Well to know in view of the uncertainty of the weather.

Children's Umbrellas from 25c to $1.50

Ladies' Umbrellas from 50c to $10.00

Men's Umbrellas from 50c to $14.00

Sample Vases

750 of them direct from the English Potteries, each a work of art, with hand decorations. Worth from $2.00 to $5.00 each. Sale price 85c

THE S. CARSLEY COMPANY, LIMITED, MONTREAL.

Gas Globes

Incandescent Gas Globes, in fancy shapes, various decorations. Worth 15 cents to 20 cents each. Sale price..... 8½c

THE S. CARSLEY COMPANY, LIMITED, MONTREAL.

MEN WHO THINK

Quick eating causes slow thinking. People who want to think quickly should eat slowly. The minutes that are saved at the dining table and lunch counter are often lost in hours of stupid thought. Rapidly chewed food inevitably leads to dull wit.

One thing about Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit is that it must be chewed. It calls for the exercise of the teeth and salivary glands, and when the food reaches the stomach it is in perfect form for digestion and assimilation. Shredded Wheat is light and porous, and every mouthful is laden with nutrition for blood, bone, nerve and brain. Being a natural food it subserves the purpose for which food is taken.

J. S. Cairns, St. Paul, Minn., writes: I am night editor of a daily paper, and rush is the word. I must think clearly and must think rapidly. When lunch time comes, instead of gulping down a lot of black coffee and pastry scrap, as I used to do, I eat a couple of Shredded Wheat Biscuits, and they rest on my stomach and stimulate my thoughts, while prior to their use I was often groggy from unwise eating. I can indorse every claim made for Shredded Wheat Biscuit.

Send to the Natural Food Co., Niagara Falls, for Cook Book. The Vital Question, illustrated in colours. Free.

FITS STOPPED FREE. Permanently Cured by DR. KLINE'S GREAT NERVE RESTORER. Positive cure for all Nervous Diseases. Fits, Epilepsy, Spasms and St. Vitus Dance. No Fits or Nervousness after first day's use. Treatise and $2 trial bottle sent through Canadian Agencies FREE to fit patients, they paying express charges only whenareceived. Send to Dr. Kline, Ltd., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa. 183 13wtf

HAIR HEALTH warranted to Restore youthful color and beauty to GRAY HAIR. Use only Mayr's Hair Health. Most satisfactory Hair grower dressing. Stops dandruff, hair falling and scalp diseases. Covers Bald spots. Don't stain skin or linen.

Large 50 Cent Bottles, at leading druggists. Wholesale Agents, Lyman, Sons and Co., Montreal. 206 312

ORIGINAL OF COLONEL NEWCOME.

A characteristic story of General Carmichael, who, as all lovers of Thackeray know, was the original of Colonel Newcome, is told in Miss Corkran's "Celebrities and I," just published in London. "I recollect distinctly," writes Miss Corkran, "on the day of my arrival at Hyndford House, seeing a poor woman almost in rags standing in the doorway. She had a baby in her arms; both were shivering. The General was putting over her shoulders what seemed to me to be a plush table-cover with roses embroidered on it. When he caught sight of me the old warrior blushed; he gave her a parcel, and put in her hand a shilling. The poor woman then disappeared, and the General whispered, 'Don't betray me to my wife or I shall get such a scolding, and will never hear the end of it; but the fact is, the woman was perishing with cold. I could not find a shawl or cloak anywhere, so I removed the cloth from my study table. I shall buy another one presently; but after all, a woman's life is more important than a tablecloth! But not a word of this, or I shall catch it from the wife.'"

The General was not wealthy, but his generosity to the poor and suffering was unbounded, and in order to be able to help those who really required it, he was subject to fits of domestic economy which sometimes proved rather trying to those around him; for instance, he liked everybody to go to bed early, and even if there were visitors, often turned off the gas if they remained too late. "But notwithstanding these eccentricities," adds Miss Corkran, "he was a true gentleman, in the highest sense of the word. To women he was invariably chivalrous; he never uttered a coarse word, though he sometimes swore. He was a living Thackeray character. Dear old General! with the tenderest heart, though often using the roughest words, swearing and smiling, with kindly blue eyes and a ferocious moustache, most generous, and yet in certain ways almost penurious."

Special Notice.
To Read.

Do not miss to read the Marchand Ready-to-Wear ad. in to-morrow's papers.

OGILVYS'

Ladies' Outing Costumes $1.49.

Only 24 of these Summer Costumes left—they are exactly what you need for the warm days still to come; made of fine French Cambric and English Zephyr, daintily trimmed with insertion. We haven't all the sizes—may have yours. These costumes are well worth $3.00. They will go with a rush at..... $1.49

Two Specials in Wash Goods

250 yards of very fine Printed Irish Lawn, warranted fast colour; real value 25c. Now 15c

300 yards of Irish Dress Dimity, stripes and flower designs; regular value 25c. Now 19c

Ladies' Look at This!

LADIES' CAMBRIC AND NAINSOOK DRAWERS, extra good value, full flounce, trimmed with embroidery insertion or lace and ribbons, open or closed; prices were $2.00 and $2.50. Now..... $1.39

Shirting and Cotton

In the Basement you will find many things to satisfy your wants. Here are two of them—

CHECKED OXFORD SHIRTING, well worth 12½c, now..... 7½c

HEAVY WHITE TWILLED COTTON, 36 in. wide, suitable for night shirts and other purposes; regular price 17c. Now..... 12½c

SPECIAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO MAIL ORDERS.

OGILVYS'

St. Catherine and Mountain Sts.

Novi-Modi Discounts
25 to 50 Per Cent. Off.

Since Montreal is wedded to the discount idea, we swing into line with Novi-Modi discounts of **25 to 50 Per Cent.** on the balance of Summer Dresses, Skirts and Waists. The bargains are a revelation to Montreal people; nothing like the values has ever been known here before. It is easy to see we are very much in earnest, with

$1.00 Waists selling at 50c
$6.00 Dresses selling at $3.50
$9.00 Dresses selling at $5.00

and so all through the entire line of Summer Garments.

The common idea of advertising is to make a noise, attract attention and get a crowd—no matter at what expense of business reputation. But shoppers are sharper than merchants think, and are finding out lots of things for themselves. Any number of them come here from a flurry outside to find by actual comparison where money goes the farthest.

Novi-Modi COSTUME CO.

2364 St. Catherine Street.

Thomas Ligget

is never beaten for large stock, low prices and finest selection of CARPETS, CURTAINS, RUGS, BEDS and BEDDING. Special discount and prices for August.

THOMA LIGGET, EMPIRE BUILDING, 2474 2476, ST. CATHERINE STREET.

Arrested for Theft.

Isaac Newton, Martin Costigan and Hubert Burrows were arrested yesterday on a charge of breaking into the grocery store kept by J. A. Floor at 495 William street. It is alleged that they stole a quantity of liquors. They pleaded not guilty to-day when they were arraigned before Judge Lafontaine. They will be tried on Friday.

Dismissed the Charge.

Judge Lafontaine to-day dismissed the charge of conspiracy made by the ex-leader of the Riverside orchestra against four of the lady members of the orchestra. His Honour said there was no evidence to substantiate the charge.

Manxman in Port

The Dominion line steamer SS, Manxman, Captain J. W. Christie, with general cargo from Avonmouth, arrived in port at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. She only left Avonmouth on the 25th of July, and has made a very fast passage.

Company Will Meet.

The annual meeting of the members of No. 3 Company, 2nd Canadian Artillery, will be held in the Armoury to-night, immediately at the close of the weekly drill. Prizes for the recent company rifle match will be distributed. Those desirous of taking part in the forthcoming practice at the Island of Orleans are particularly requested to be present.

It is a familiar fact that a lawn which was once watered during a dry season will have to be frequently watered or the grass will suffer oftentimes more than if it had not been watered at all. The first water induces a superficial root development, which must be supplied frequently with water.

SUFFERED TEN YEARS.

"I suffered for ten years with bronchitis and was unable to work for months t a time, then I used Angier's Petroleum Emulsion, and it made me feel like a new man."—Robert Weir, Toronto, Canada.

Labatt's (LONDON)

India Pale Ale

equal to Best Imported,—surpassed by none,—at lower price. Does not distress the liver like the heavy imported goods.

$1.00 Souvenir CUPS

With five views of places of interest in Montreal, beautifully embossed, made of metal, 4 inches high, and 2 1-2 inches wide, that is guaranteed not to tarnish or rust. The greatest souvenir sold. Every tourist will want one. Trade supplied by

G. W. CLARKE & CO, 2270 St. Catherine St.

AN ALASKAN MAIL-CARRIER'S HAZARDOUS TRIP.

Through snow and ice for eighteen hundred miles is the trip of one Alaskan mail-carrier, who goes from Cook Inlet to Nome. The last boat leaves Nome about November 5th, and it takes the last mail Uncle Sam brings through the Aleutian Islands for six months. But just about New year's day a returned Alaskan tells the St. Louis Republic—a midwinter mail starts north from Seattle.

It is carried by the owner and operator of the enterprise, who runs a private mail service not recognized or promoted by the United States Government. He collects letters from Seattle to Cook Inlet, making the trip on any vessel that is scheduled to stop at Sitka, Douglas Island, Juneau, and other points of importance along the coast.

Only letters are carried, and there must be written on onion-skin paper, for bulk is the chief consideration, and, besides, the rate is so much a pennyweight.

When Cook Inlet is reached, the letters are packed in tin boxes made to conform to the carrier's body and fit into the lining of his coat. The carrier's costume, from the fur cap to the boots, is exactly like that of the Eskimos, and the principal items in his outfit are matches, gun and ammunition.

From Cook Inlet to Nome the trail runs eighteen hundred miles, and touches no man's hut or dugout. The carrier can make forty miles a day on snow shoes. He has studied the country so thoroughly that he knows when he shoots a bird and cooks it for dinner Tuesday, over a fire of scrubby brush, where, fifty miles ahead, he can find more game and fuel for the cooking of Wednesday's supper. After supper he crawls into a fur sleeping bag, dropping off into a cozy snow bank for a snooze through the darkest hours of the long night.

The greatest obstacles are the torrents that flow too rapidly to freeze. The crossings are made at the narrowest places and the carrier strips, makes a bundle of his clothes, throws it across or carries it on his head, and wading and swimming, he reaches the opposite shore and scrambles into his furs.

In his tin pockets he carries a fortune, for the thinnest letter taken on the route costs the sender ten dollars. Usually but one trip is made each winter, but last season he broke the record by making two rounds, doing this by using dogs and a sled part of the way. His winter's work netted him over two thousand dollars.

THE CHARM OF DAMASCUS.

To Damascus belongs the peculiar charm of being the most unspoiled of any Oriental town that the ordinary traveller to the East has the opportunity of seeing. It has indeed a huge hotel, says a writer in "The Sunday at Home," an ugly barracks, and a railway station, but those lie far from the heart of the city and are soon forgotten in the labyrinth of its bazaars, the novelty of its purely native houses and streets, and the kaleidoscopic changes and groupings of its manifold Eastern costumes. The tiny railway is indeed a great advantage to travellers, and most will consider the hotel the same. The train from Beyrout is the most easy-minded, contented little creature we have had the pleasure of travelling upon. In its leisurely course dwellers by the railside are able to exchange remarks with passengers at the carriages, have a promenade on the platform, and discuss the last news from Beyrout or Damascus. But one does not grudge the time spent in drawing one up to ever lovelier views of the rich seacoast, washed by the deep-blue waters of the Mediterraean, or in threading the hoary fastnesses of the Lebanons.

The chief lion of Damascus is of course the ancient Christian church, supposed to stand on the site of the House of Rimmon, and now a Mahommedan mosque. The mosque has three minarets, the one to the left being called "The Jesus" because the Mahommedans say the Lord will alight upon it when He comes to judge the world.

Through the midst of the town stretches "the street which is called Straight," running under its long arch like a railway tunnel from east to west. Towards its eastern end the Jews have still their quarter, and there the blind, restless Saul, with the fierce fires of his perfervid temperament at white heat, yet finding no vent, was found and healed by the humble Ananias. The eye wanders enchanted over the variegated and novel scene that is spread out below—the roofs, some flat, some rounded in quaint domes, the secluded courtyards, the lovely minarets, the old castle to the right (successor of that kept by the Governor under Aretas, the King in the days of Paul), the wealth of green foliage girdling the grey old town, or away in the distance the low hills of the sandy desert, the mountains of Lebanon, and the dazzling snowy summit of Mount Hermon rising to kiss the deep blue of the Syrian sky.

CIRCULATION OF THE BIBLE.

In New York and London Bible societies, established for the circulation of the scriptures as a religious obligation and not for pecuniary profit, are issuing millions of Bibles. The British and Foreign Bible Society, founded at London one hundred years ago, has sent out during that period about 175,000,000 copies of the Bible in whole or in part, in 363 languages and dialects; last year its issues were more than five millions, and nearly one-third of them were in the English language. The American Bible Society at New York, during its existence of about three-quarters of a century, has issued toward 75,000,000 Bibles and parts of the Bible, of the New Testament, more especially. In Germany are numerous Bible societies and the aggregate number of Bibles annually distributed by them is great.

"Get the Habit" 284 tf

SCHWAB RETIRES FROM STEEL TRUST

His Resignation Was Accepted at Meeting of Directors Yesterday.

MR. W. E. COREY SUCCEEDS

As President of the Corporation — Mr. Schwab Will Remain a Director.

New York, August 5.—The resignation of Chas. M. Schwab, as president of the U. S. Steel Corporation, was presented to the dictors yesterday afternoon and was accepted. W. E. Corey was elected president of the Corporation.

Mr. Schwab said his resignation was due to ill health. He says he will remain a director of the Corporation.

WILLIAM ELLIS COREY,

Who succeeds Chas. M. Schwab as President of the United States Steel Corporation.

The office of chairman of the Board of Directors was created and J. H. Gray was elected to the position and will continue to devote his entire time to the business of the Corporation. An advisory committee to consist of the president of the Corporation and three directors was created and E. C. Converse, Wm. Edenborn and Daniel G. Reid were elected members of this committee.

Mr. Scwab will continue as a member of the financial committee.

MR. COREY'S CAREER.

When, on July last, W. E. Corey was appointed assistant to Mr. Schwab, the appointment was taken as a certain indication that the president would soon retire despite all denials. Mr. Corey has been connected with the steel industry since he was sixteen years old, and is one of a group of young men who assisted Andrew Carnegie in building the great steel plants which bear the name of the Scotch ironmaster.

Mr. Corey's first position was in the laboratory of the Edgar Thomson Steel Works at Pittsburg, of which Mr. Schwab was at one time superintendent. While engaged here Mr. Corey studied bookkeeping and chemistry, devoting most of his leasure hours to the latter.

In a short time he entered the order department of the Carnegie works at Homestead, where his career was marked by a series of steady advances. It was not until he succeeded Mr. Schwab as president of the Carnegie Company, however, that he became known outside of his circle. His next jump into the lime-light of publicity was his appointment, on June 30 last, to assist Mr. Schwab in the management of the United States Steel Corporation.

An imporant achievement of Mr. Corey was his invention of Carnegie reforged armour.

MR. SCHWAB GIVES REASONS FOR RETIREMENT

Special to The Montreal Star.

New York, August 5.—In an interview last evening Mr. Schwab said: "I really think the newspapers have treated me very badly. They have said I was embarrassed, both personally and in my relations with the United States Steel Corporation, by the shipbuilding company. I have not been embarrassed by shipbuilding affairs, nor have they played any part in this matter at all. That subject has never been mentioned between Mr. Morgan and myself, nor by any of us. When I returned from Europe I tried my best to get the company to let me retire. The directors would not permit it. Then I even got Mr. Frick to take the matter up, and asked him to persuade the directors of the corporation to permit me to retire. Mr. Morgan hung on to my coat tails. Finally Mr. Frick succeeded. He is a very good friend of mine."

Mr. Schwab said he was suffering from nervous breakdown; he would now try to recover his health.

It may be explained that Mr. Schwab's connection with the United States Shipbuilding Company, which is in financial difficulties, has been somewhat criticized, though the criticisms have all been answered. In selling the Bethlehem Steel Company to the Shipbuilding Company Mr. Schwab is said to have made about $30,000,000 profits on paper. J. Pierpont Morgan was also said to be dissatisfied with Mr. Schwab's management of the Steel Corporation and with Mr. Schwab's action at Monte Carlo in attempting to break the bank.

THE RAILWAY COMMISSION.

Mr. Whyte, of the C. P. R., May Be the Chairman.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—The Government has appointments on two important Railway Commissions at its disposal. The commission to build the Grand Trunk Pacific and the commission to administer the General Railway Act. More than one member of Parliament will go on these commissions. It is said that Mr. Whyte, of the C.P.R., at Winnipeg, is likely to be chairman of one of the commissions. He stands very high as a railway manager and as a man. It is understood the secretaryship of the Railway Commission will be given to S. J. McLean, Ph.D., M.A., who as a special commissioner investigated and reported to the Government in 1899 upon railway commissions, railway rates, grievances and restrictive legislation. The position is worth $4,000 a year.

Will Soon Make Rifles.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, August 5.—Sir Charles Rose is here on business with the Militia Department. He states that he will commence manufacturing rifles for the Government at Quebec very shortly. He would have commenced ere this, but for the delay on the part of the city in giving the supply of water to the factory.

The missing link from Fashoda to Ujiji, in the telegraph line from Cape Town to Cairo, will be supplied by wireless instruments.

MONTREAL ATHLETES FOR MILWAUKEE

Team of Four to Go to the United States Games.

CANADIAN GAMES HERE

President Butter, of C.A.A.U., Advocates it to Be Held September Nineteenth.

"There is no doubt now about the holding of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Championships in Montreal.

President Rutter, of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, has written to the Montreal members of the Executive, that as the bridge which leads to Rosedale is still broken down, he thinks that it would be to the advantage of the Union to hold the meeting here.

A meeting of the executive will be held shortly, and the date to be agreed upon will be no doubt September nineteenth, because the date of the United States Championships has been set for September 10th and 11th.

For the first time the United States meet will be held away from New York, and Milwaukee is the place selected.

Canada will be represented by a team of four men.

They will be Craig, Molson, Moreau and Peck, all members of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association.

CANADIAN PACIFIC PLACES IN COMMISSION OBSERVATION CAR.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has placed in commission an electric observation car, which will run between the Banff Springs Hotel and the Lake Louise Chalet, at Laggan, a distance of thirty-five miles.

The observation car, which affords seating accommodation for fourteen tourists, was put on as an experiment, but it has already proven such a success that Mr. Robert Kerr, the passenger traffic manager thinks it altogether likely that a second car will be placed on the line next year.

The car is operated by its own dynamo, and is subject, as are other trains, to orders from the district department.

Through using this observation car, the sight-seer is enabled to view the beauties of the mountain scenery much more advantageously than would be the case in an ordinary passenger train.

BRITISH NAVAL MANOEUVRES BEGUN.

London, August 5.—War was declared to-day between the home fleet under the command of Admiral Wilson, and the Mediterranean fleet commanded by Admiral Domville. The annual British naval manoeuvres thus commenced, and are regarded as the most interesting yet devised by the Admiralty. Altogether 26 battleships and 13 cruisers will be engaged in a presumed contest for the command of the sea between two maritime countries. The opposing fleets are representing by the letters B. and X., the former being the home fleet, which is divided into two squadrons, one at Berehaven, Ireland, commanded by Admiral Wilson, and the other at Madeira, under Lord Charles Beresford.

The problem set to the home fleet is to effect a junction of forces at sea, while on Admiral Domville, in command of the X. fleet, concentrated at Lagos, Portugal, is imposed the task of finding either Admiral Wilson's or Lord Charles Beresford's squadron before they are able to effect a junction.

DRIVEN BY REMORSE TO TAKE HIS LIFE.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Halifax, August 5.—Juan B. Poggi, formerly steward on the steamer Halifax, running between Halifax and Boston, committed suicide at the French House here, this morning. He stood before the mirror and shot himself through the head. Letters left by him stated that having committed so many crimes he was driven by remorse to take his life.

Rain Stops Tennis Play.

Brookline, Mass., August 5.—A steady soaking rain which had prevailed almost without intermission since yesterday afternoon, put an end to every prospect of continuing the International Challenge Tennis matches at Longwood to-day, and at 11 o'clock the managers announced that the games would not be played to-day. The matches scheduled were those in doubles between R. F. and H. L. Doherty, and R. D. and G. L. Wrenn, to be begun at 3 p.m. The doubles will go over until to-morrow afternoon in place of the singles set for that time. The singles will be played in the forenoon.

Sudden Death of Naval Man.

Halifax, N. S., August 5.—Lieut. Sorel, of H. M. S. Retribution, left to-day for St. John's, Newfoundland, called there by the sudden death of his brother, Lieut. Sorel, of H. M. S. Charybdis. The deceased underwent an operation for appendicitis and died from the shock.

THE CHINESE BOY AT SCHOOL.

Anyone who made acquaintance with the inside of a Chinese school would come out with the deepest thankfulness that he was born in Christendom, says a recent traveller. To learn reading and writing in China, is about equal to studying four or five different languages at home. We must remember, that the Chinese language has no alphabet. Every character used stands for a word, and there is no way of telling the sound of any word except by hearing it pronounced by a teacher. Little Chang How has to learn to recognise thousands of these characters at sight and to pronounce them according to the local dialect. This means that he has to study aloud, and the noise of the Chinese school with all the scholars yelling their lessons at once would drive an average white schoolmaster frantic. A Chinese school is not as a rule divided into classes. Each scholar has his separate lesson, consisting of a number of lines to be learned "by heart" and repeated to the master. At first the pupil does not understand a word of what he repeats; the meaning is explained to him at a later stage. Writing is accomplished by means of a brush and a cake of Chinese ink, which is ground up with a little water on a sort of palette. The Chinese schoolboy begins by tracing his characters on thin paper placed over the copy. When he has learned to read and write his terrible language he has still much to do. It takes years of hard work to master the Chinese classics, and it is necessary for a youth to have considerable acquaintance with these before he can enter a competitive examination for an official post. Young Chang How has no science classes, he learns only his own tongue, he has no athletic sports (he would not have time for them), he has to attend school seven days a week, and as gets very, very few holidays. But things are changing very much now under European influence, and already schools have sprung up in which the English language, natural science, and other up-to-date subjects are taught.

The damage to the cotton crop from the leafworm, which in some seasons exceeded $20,000,000, is now prevented by insecticides.

SARTO WAS MUCH DISTRESSED WHEN HE REALIZED THAT HE WOULD BE NAMED FOR POPE

On Monday Afternoon When 37 Votes Had Been Cast in His Favour He Declared That He Could Not Accept the Great Honour—The First Vote Taken Was Almost Equally Divided Between Rampolla and Vannutelli, the Former Leading.

Special to The Montreal Star.

London, August 5.—The correspondent of the London Times in Rome cables:

Guiseppi Sarto, who has been elected Pope, is kindly and charitable almost to a fault, intensely religious in sentiment, shrewd in his dealings with the world and not easily deceived, genial in manners and with a certain marked innate dignity. Above all, he possesses a keen sense of humour, which inclines him to meet foolish pretensions or vexations with good tempered jest. Sarto won the hearts of the poorer classes of Venice by showing a more genuine and more earnest democratic spirit than has been shown by many Liberal leaders. He did not fear to come forward in person in disputes between capital and labour, and it was due to his good offices that the serious strike of cigar makers at Venice was brought to a satisfactory conclusion. His relations with the Government authorities have always been excellent, yet he has ever been absolutely uncompromising on the Roman question. "Intransigente Nerissino" is the verdict of a friend who has known him intimately for a long time.

When he left Venice a few days ago he was the subject of a spontaneous demonstration on the part of the people, who thronged the sides of the grand canal and the railway station to wish him godspeed. It was a long time before the patriarch could be induced to understand that the crowd was there to do him honour. "But why," he asked, "I am coming back again. I have taken a return ticket."

RECEIVED MORE THAN THE REQUIRED NUMBER OF VOTES.

After the First Ballot Sarto Drew Votes Steadily From Rampolla and Vannutelli.

Rome, August 5.—All the members of the Sacred College declare that they are very well satisfied with the election of Cardinal Sarto, but the anti Rampolla faction consider it as their special victory. When the first ballot was taken it showed that the Sacred College was divided into two groups, the stronger one for Rampolla, and another not quite so strong for Serafino Vannutelli. The other votes included four for Sarto. On the subsequent ballots Sarto gradually gained, drawing strength from both sides in the ballot Monday afternoon, when his vote had increased to 37. When the result of this ballot was announced in the conclave, Cardinal Sarto was so overcome with emotion and so touched by the unlooked for confidence reposed in him, that he could no longer control his feelings, and, to the surprise of all, broke down, declaring that such responsibility and honour were not for him, and that he must refuse, if offered. Tears rolled down his cheeks and he seemed firm in his determination to refuse the dignity. He was so palpably sincere that consternation reigned in the conclave, and the cardinals spent the whole evening and far into the night in convincing him that his election was the will of Providence and that he must accept. Several times he almost fainted, and had to be revived by the use of salts. He seemed happy, but broken down, even after all the other candidates retired, and on the final ballot he looked a statue of resignation. Cardinal Casetta, as scrutineer, was reading out the vote. When forty-two votes had been recorded for the Patriarch of Venice, the scrutineer arose, lifted his red succheto, saying "Habemus Pontificem."

The Cardinals cried out: "Continue." As the vote approached fifty, however, the Cardinals, as of one accord, surrounded the new Pontiff and, according to tradition, demanded to know if he would accept the pontificate. Cardinal Sarto's lips trembled so that he could hardly articulate, but after a visible effort he said: "If this cup cannot pass from me——" there he paused, but the Cardinals around him insisted that it was necessary for him to answer "yes" or "no." Thereupon he replied firmly, "I accept."

CORONATION LIKELY ON SUNDAY NEXT.

Rome, August 5.— Last night all Rome was illuminated in honour of the new Pope.

His election and the assumption of his holy office were marked by a striking demonstration and impressive ceremonies at the Vatican, which only ended last evening. The new Pope, clad in his full pontifical robes, and with all the ritualistic ceremony, received the members of the diplomatic corps, the Cardinals and the Bishops, who will then offer official homage, this, notwithstanding the fact that twice yesterady the Cardinals and many high officials of the Vatican went through a similar ceremony.

The date upon which the coronation of Pius X. will occur has not yet been officially decided, but the impression prevails that it will take place August 9. Although the election was over at 11 o'clock yesterday morning, and was announced to the world forty-five minutes later by the appearance of the new Pope at the window of St. Peter's, the conclave was not formally dissolved until 5.30 yesterday afternoon. The Cardinals then returned to their various apartments in Rome, with the exception of Cardinal Oreglia and Cardinal Rampolla, who temporarily retain their official suites in the Vatican, and Cardinal Herrero Y Espinosa, who is too ill to be moved for several days. It was to the sick Cardinal that the new Pope paid his first visit after being formally proclaimed Pontiff.

The Cardinals will remain in Rome for to-day's ceremonies and, should the coronation be fixed for next Sunday, they are not likely to return to their respective homes until after the ceremony. With the exception of the Spanish Cardinal, Herrero, all the others are now in fairly good health.

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Career of Pius X. —His Birthplace.

"Sarto," in Italian means "tailor," and Pius X., when a young Seminarian being rather eminent in his priestly robes, his companions used to joke him. He began his education at a seminary at Treviso, and continued it at Padua.

Pius X. was only 23 when he was consecrated a priest at Castelfranco.

He gave freely of his very small means, often at great self-sacrifice.

In 1867 he was appointed parish priest at Salzano, which was considered an important promotion.

In 1875 he was elected chancellor of the Bishopric of Treviso, then spiritual director of that seminary, judge of the ecclesiastical tribunal, and finally vicar-general.

Pope Leo, who had highly appreciated his cleverness, piety and modesty, appointed him in November, 1884, at the age of 49 years, Bishop of Mantua, where he remained nine years, until 1893, when he was made a cardinal, and appointed Patriarch of Venice.

Here he distinguished himself as a reformer, suppressing abuses, restoring the dignity of the clergy, and the earnestness of religion.

ADORED BY VENETIANS.

From his appointment arose heated polemics between the Holy See and the Italian Government, which maintained that it had the right to choose and appoint the patriarch. The Government, however, after having long refused its exequator, eventually granted it to Sarto, who gained the esteem of the Government. The Italian Cabinet had no feeling against Sarto personally. In fact, he might quite well have been their choice, if the Papacy had not wished him, but it was a political question on which, however, they gave way. Sarto soon became the idol of Venetians. When his gondola went through the canals the people rushed on the bridges and along the sides of the canals, kneeling and saluting, the women exclaiming, "God bless the Patriarch."

The new Pope used then to say he did not like to go out of sight of the lions of St. Mark, which now he will never see again, if, as is almost sure, he follows the rule inaugurated by his two predecessors, never to leave the Vatican. In the few cases in which he came to Rome, on returning, when asked if he enjoyed the gorgeousness of the Papal Court and the magnificence of the functions, Sarto answered: "When I am there I feel like a fish out of water." He has very modest tastes. He is severe but just with his clergy. There is nothing he dislikes so much as publicity. Frankness is another of his principal qualities, although he is somewhat timid, as has been illustrated on state occasions when his reserve was noticeable.

HIS BIRTHPLACE.

Advices from Riese, the birthplace of Pius X., and a village of four thousand inhabitants, state that the Pope's mother, now dead, when living therein, occupied a small peasant's house, having in her humility always refused to live with her son Guiseppe, as even his modest establishment was considered by her too luxurious in comparison with what she was accustomed to. The elder brother of the Pope, Angelo, lives in the village of Dellegrazie, province of Mantua, being the postman of the district, and receiving eighty dollars a year for his duties. He adds to his income by keeping a shop, in which he sells tobacco and pork.

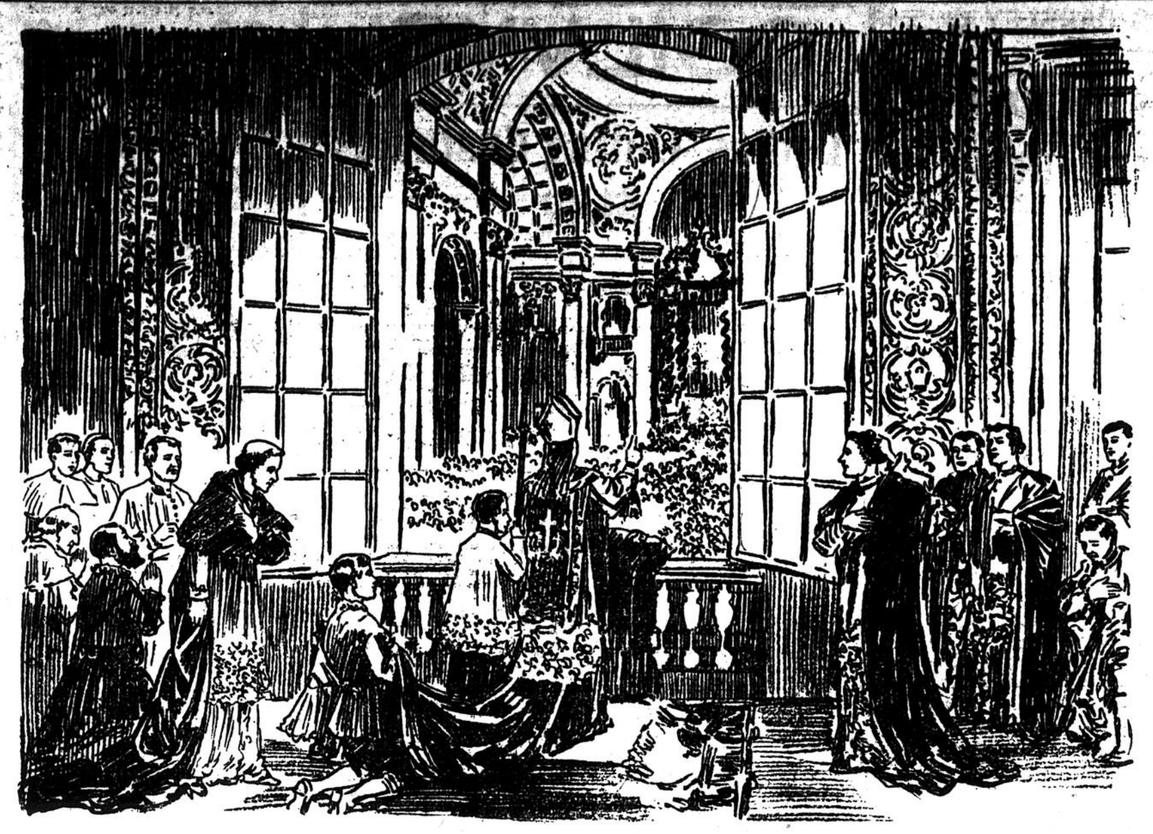
His two daughters are the belles of the village, being known for miles around as the "handsome Sarto sisters." When Pius X. was Bishop of Mantua, his brother, Angelo, used often to go there for reasons connected with his postal service. The other clerks would ask him jokingly why his brother did not find him a better position. Angelo, with sturdy independence, answered that he preferred only to be what he could make himself. Still, following Panal precedents, the tobacconist and postman of Dellegrazie should become a Roman Count.

The new Pope was one of eight children—two sons and six daughters. One of his sisters is a dressmaker, another is married to a sacristan, a third married a wineshop keeper, and the others are unmarried. The new Pope is the seventh who has come from the region of Venice, among whom was Benedict XII., who also came from Treviso, and who, by a strange coincidence, was elected Pope exactly 599 years ago yesterday.

THE NEW POPE TALKS ITALIAN ONLY.

Venice, August 5.—The election of Cardinal Sarto as Pope has produced here an impression more of stupor than anything else, because his candidacy, in which they never put much faith, seemed almost hopeless, and also because it was thought here that although a man of great piety, he was lacking in one of the eminent qualities of a Pope, being ignorant of diplomacy. For instance, he speaks nothing but Italian.

The news was communicated to his sisters, who live with him in the palace of the Patriarch, and a great crowd gathered there to register. Many shops were closed, and some of the most important personages of Venice went to the Patriarch's Palace to congratulate his sisters, among them being Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender. The new Pope was well beloved here. He was known here for assisting his many poor relatives, and he was often in the country about here.



THE NEW POPE BLESSING THE PEOPLE.

One of the First Acts of the Pope is to Give the Pontifical Blessing to the Faithful Assembled in St. Peter's.

FELICITATIONS ALL ROUND ARE THE ORDER AT ROME.

(Special Cable from a Montreal Star Correspondent.)

Rome, August 5. — Felicitations all round are the order of the day in connection with the elevation of Cardinal Sarto to the Papal throne. Ecclesiastics, politicians and the people alike hail Pius X. as a wise, sympathetic, forceful, modern leader, whose pontificate promises an era of steady progress for the Catholic Church. Satisfaction is writ large in the European press because the well laid plans of active candidates neutralized one another and opened the way for the exaltation of a prelate remarkable alike for great qualities of mind and intense humility of character. Pius X. is by no means a young man, but by education and experience he belongs to the present. His peasant origin and democratic traits peculiarly fit him for the Papal office at the beginning of the "People's century." "With the people he must deal," say the modern Cardinals, "and no man living knows them better, for they have been his constant study since his earliest connection with the Church."

The chorus of approval from the political centres of Europe shows that statesmen realize the sane character of the new Pope's popular sympathies, and are convinced that his opinions will not endanger the stability of civic institutions. Politically, as well as religiously, Pius X. will preach the gospel of peace. Theoretically he is likely to adhere to the traditional claim the Church in Italy holds to the former Papal States—practically he is expected to cultivate relations with the Quidinal that will impose no handicap on the Vatican in seeking the spiritual adhesion of the Italian people. From other governments the new Pope is reputed to want nothing but religious liberty. Pius X. is said to believe in no coercive power except the coercive power of truth. He is persuaded that the promotion of religion belongs to the realm of spiritual affairs. The new Pontiff is ambitious to become a great missionary Pope, yet holds that the widening of the circumference of the Church can be so successfully accomplished only by strengthening its centre. In other words, Pius X. is disposed to reinforce the Catholic assault in the heathenism of civilization, while moving out fresh forces against the heathenism of savagery.

THE ATTITUDE OF FRANCE.

It is a Combination of Sympathy and Curiosity.

(Special Cable from a Montreal Star Correspondent.)

Paris, August 5.—France's attitude toward the new Pope is a combination of sympathy and curiosity. The preponderating opinion is that in contrast to Leo XIII, who was a political Pope, Pius X will be a purely religious Pontiff. The French clerical party is sincerely relieved because the danger of the election of a pope unfriendly to France has been averted.

Alone among the Paris newspapers Le Journal takes the view that Pius X is well qualified to carry out the reforms urgently advocated by Cardinal Gibbons and is likely to give due recognition and liberal treatment to the United States and other foreign countries. Figaro and other leading papers assert that the election of Sarto means the maintenance of the status quo.

NOTHING CLOISTRAL OR VISIONARY ABOUT POPE PIUS X.

Special to The Montreal Star.

London, August 5.—The Daily Telegraph publishes the following sketch of the new Pope: There is nothing cloistral, ascetic or visionary in the composition of Giuseppe Sarto, who is full of life and joy. His singularly handsome face seldom lacks a pleasant smile, emanating, one might say, from an agreeable sense of all that is good and noble in the world, and looking upon the man as he moves and works among his friends one would be tempted to regard him as a near approach to the old ideal of healthy in mind healthy in body.

His love of justice has caused justice to be done to himself even by his adversaries, who are those of his church. Born of a simple peasant family, Giuseppe Sarto has ever been proud of his extraction, to which he often traced the source of any good qualities of which he is possessed. He once remarked to a friend in Venice: "Good men are of all countries, races, times and classes, but you find more of them tilling the soil than manufacturing products."

Neither his almost exclusive devotion to the church nor his multifarious duties as bishop have ever weakened supremacy which his humble parents have ever enjoyed in his affections. Periodically he would quit the patriarchal palace of Venice, and, divesting himself for time or all cares and episcopal pre-occupations, would make a pilgrimage devoutly to Riese and warmly embrace his parents, who still continued to gain their livelihood in the same way as when he used to run about the fields as a boy. Then he would enter the parental home and chat in the local dialect about by-gone times.

Thes new Pope's mother died recently, and his father passed away some time ago. He has a brother, who is a post-office official in Mantua, and three sisters, who reside in the Palace. Sarto's eyes are extremely expressive and bespeak now simplicity bordering on humility, now pent-up fire and energy, the reflex of which is sometimes mirrored in them. His lips are generally tightly closed, but all his features are devoid of any trace of hardness or coldness. His bearing is dignified and graceful, and his gait, especially when taking part in religious processions, majestic. No such popular Pope has donned the tiara during the last hundred years."

ST. PETER'S PRESENTS A SCENE NEVER TO BE FORGOTTEN.

Rome, August 5.—When the great central window of St. Peter's facing the piazza swung slowly open on Tuesday, signifying an election of a new Pope, a loud shout arose, and the crowds rushed madly towards the Cathedral. At the open window half a dozen Vatican attendants appeared. Suddenly there broke out into the fierce sunlight a gorgeous banner bearing a cardinal's arms.

Reinforcements of troops crossed the piazza at the double, then closed their ranks, and held back many who strained every nerve to get close to the window.

For a minute or so, none knew to which cardinal belonged the arms so significantly displayed. Then the rumour arose that they were Sarto's, but few persons were absolutely sure of their identity.

The tension was soon relieved. Cardinal Macchi, in his cardinal robes, carrying a large red book, and preceded by a glittering cross, appeared at the window. A wild shout went up. Then came the announcement. Even those out of hearing joined in the shouting that followed.

Vainly the Cardinal waved his hand for silence. The long pent-up feelings of those who had watched the sfumata for four days now found an outlet, and for some minutes they could not be suppressed. Finally it was quiet enough for Cardinal Macchi to proceed, and say the name of Pius the Tenth. Then, with a blessing upon the crowd, the Cardinal disappeared.

Those below instantaneously made a rush to go into St. Peter's, and a mad scramble ensued for the Basilica.

Within a pandemonium reigned. Those already standing in a good position to see the gallery window, where Pius X. was momentarily expected to appear, were hurled back to the further end of the nave by the irresistible impact of those seeking entrance. The attendants motioned the crowd to go back to the steps of St. Peter's. A great cry arose. Those who a few moments ago were fighting their way in to the cathedral, now struggled with redoubled energy to get out. It was the climax of the excitement. The new Pope was going to bless the world from the outside of the Basilica which had not been done since the days when the Vatican ruled Rome. With extraordinary rapidity the Basilica was almost deserted. The attendants hung the banner ouside and as all the thousands waiting in the piazza saw it, and realized what was intended, a great shout of approval arose.

Then came the sudden revulsion. As quickly as the banner had been down it was drawn up. The plans had been again changed. The last rush that immediately followed far the doors of St. Peter's was almost indescribable. How so many people entered the Basilica in so short a time without injury will always remain a mystery. Inside the pandemonium increased.

In a few moments terrific cheers burst from every throat. There, with the sun streaming in from the window behind, was the new Pope. His rich red papal robes shone resplendent amidst the more sombre colours of those who stood beside him. For a few moments the tall form remained perfectly still—the Pontiff was gazing at the crowd beneath. The deafening roars of cheers showed no signs of diminishing. Then Pius X. raised his hand. In the twinkling of an eye the crowd, mad with excitement but a moment before, became dumb and death like silence prevailed throughout the Basilica. It was broken only by the clear, strong voice of the new Pope, "Adjutorium Nostrum in Nomine Domini." He chanted like the keys of a magnificent organ struck by a master hand. The response swelled up from the crowd below. "Qui fecit coelum et terram."

In a thrilling voice the Pope responded: "Sit nomen Domini benedictum."

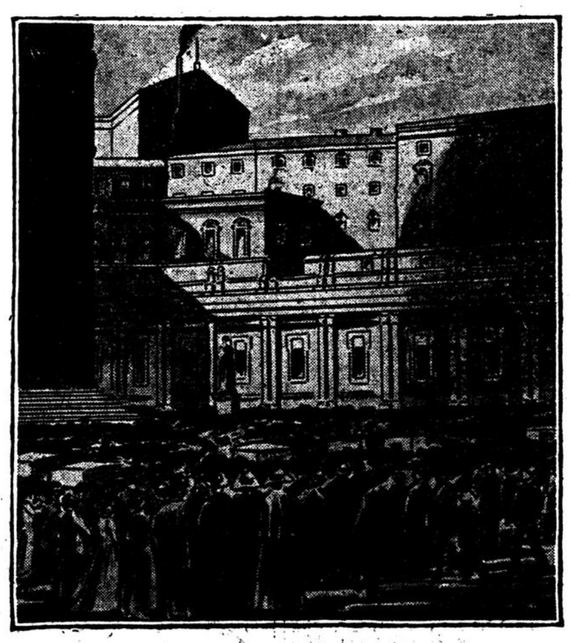
Then came the Benediction. The Pope, raising himself to his full height, and leaning forward, intoned "Benedicat vos Omnipotens Deum."

The scene was such as few will ever forget. All crossed themselves, and with magical rapidity the scene ceased to be one of deep devotion. Loud cheers burst from the people as the Pope started to go back to the Vatican, by way of the terrace. These acclamations continued long after he had disappeared. Then the thousands streamed out, all happy at the conclave's choice of the Pontiff, and heartily glad that the suspense had ended.

Pope Pius X., accompanied by Cardinals Satolli and Vannutelli and Mgr. Rigg, master of the ceremonies, bishop, went to the cell of the sick Cardinal Herrero, saying he wished the first act of his pontificate to be a compliment to a brother laid so low. Cardinal Herrero seemed transfigured by such thoughtfulness and exclaimed, "Let me kiss your hands. Now I shall die happy."

The Pope remained some time in the cell, encouraged the sick man and said he would pray for his recovery. He then gave him the apostolic blessing.

The military bodies of the Vatican have assumed their full uniform and hoisted the white and yellow Papal flag at the bronze door.



THE FAMOUS CHIMNEY OF THE VATICAN.

During the Conclave thousands gathered to watch for the smoke from the burning ballots, showing that no Pope had been chosen.

KING EMMANUEL PLEASED WITH RESULT.

Rome, August 5.—King Victor Emmanuel has telegraphed to Premier Zanardelli expressing satisfaction over the choice of the Cardinals.

There is much speculation regarding the political attitude of the new Pope. The general opinion, however, is that he will make no change in the relations between the Vatican and the Quirinal, except, perhaps, to render them more courteous, inasmuch as he enjoys a personal acquaintance with the King and members of the Royal family.

Queen Margherita considers him almost a friend. One of his first steps certainly will be to ameliorate the relations of the Vatican and France, and try to prevent a similar struggle against the Congregations in Spain. He is not credited with being particularly favourable to Austria, as he still remembers how much his fatherland suffered under the domination of that country. The Cardinals mentioned as likely to be appointed Secretary of State are Ferrata, prefect of the Congregation of Bishops; Gavagnis and Vincenzo Vannutelli, Bishop of Palestrina.

La Patria, commenting on the election of Sarto, says: "The majority declare, and we believe that he will not introduce substantial innovation in the relations of the Church and State, and will not import any change in the Vatican policy. He will continue to remain shut up, a willing prisoner of himself in the royal dungeon of the apostolic palace."

The Tribuna says: "The election can not be considered to be the result of an agreement between the two opposing the election, although Rampolla's followers are more pleased than those of Cardinal Vannutelli.

The paper agrees with La Patria's opinion that the relations of the State and Church will not change.

ANCEDOTES WHICH SHOW MANNER OF MAN PIUS X. IS.

Rome, August 5.—A few anecdotes show what manner of man Pius X. is. His position as Patriarch of Venice brought him from $2,000 to $2,400 a year, which did not go far, when he had paid the bills for all of his numerous charities. So when he was called suddenly to leave Venice, he often found himself without money. Once, when he had come to Rome, he was without a cent, and did not know where to turn. He was finally obliged to borrow $400 from a bank and was uneasy until the debt was paid.

He has a nephew, John Baptist Sarto, who although related to him is only the arch-priest of the small village of Pesagno, the birth place of Canova.

When in the past he used to ask Cardinal Sarto what he would do if made Pope, referring to his modesty and affability, he replied: "I shall have white robes instead of red, that will be the only change. I shall remain the same Sarto as ever."

He seems to have been sincere in thinking that he would not be made Pope. Mgr. Stratimirovich, the Venetian prelate, accompanied him to Rome, and up to the door of the Conclave, and in taking leave, as usual, hoped that Cardinal Sarto would be made Pope. His Eminence replied, laughing: "No, no fear for me. Tell me the number of your telephone and I will let you know who is honoured."

In the hour of his triumph he kept his word and went to the telephone personally and called up the number, only to find that Mgr. Stratimirovich already knew the result of the balloting and was on his way to the Vatican.

Pius X. likes not only to walk, but to climb. A few days before he left Venice for Rome he ascended Mount Grappa, 5,500 feet high. But his greatest enjoyment is music. He is a great friend and admirer of Lorenzo Perosi, the eminent director of the Pontifical choir, who was formerly Maestro of St. Mark's, Venice. Perosi is chiefly indebted to him for his musical career.

The new Pope has confirmed Cardinal Breglia as Camerlengo. Cardinal Agliardi will, probably be Secretary of State.

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Pius a Favourite Name With Roman Pontiffs.

The name by which the new Pope will be known to the world seems to continue a favourite with modern occupants of the See of Rome. During the 19th century every other Pope was known by name of Pius. In fact, since 1775, eight Pontiffs have occupied the Papal chair, and of these no less than five adopted Pius as their Papal name. Pius VI. reigned from 1775 to 1800; Pius VII., (he who paid a special visit to Paris to crown the Emperor Napoleon), from 1800 to 1823; Pius VIII., from 1829 to 1831; and Pius IX., from 1846 to 1878. Now another Pius occupies the Throne of St. Peter.

The first Pius was Bishop of Rome from A.D. 142 to 157. Pius II. reigned from 1458 to 1464. Pius III. occupied the Papal See for less than two months, as he was elevated to Papacy in September, 1503 and died the following October. Pius IV., (he with whom Queen Elizabeth had such a vigorous dispute over the respective rights in England, of Queen and Pope), was Pope from 1566 to 1572.

For over 200 years thereafter no Pope was known by the name of Pius. In 1775, however, the name was revived, and it has been a favourite with the Roman Pontiffs ever since.

Of the other Popes of the last century two were known by the name of Leo, and one by the name of Gregory.

In Latin, the present Pope will be known as Pio Decimo.

PARALLEL OF ELECTION OF THE LAST OF LINE OF PIUS.

Special to The Montreal Star.

New York August 5. — The Tribune's Rome correspondent says: History repeats itself in the election of the Patriarch of Venice to the Papal throne, and the title of Pius X. rounds out the parallel already fairly complete. Seven ballots were required, whereas four sufficed for the election of Pius IX. in '46, but this was because two political candidates, instead of a single one, needed to be beaten in turn. The general result corresponds closely in the two contests. Cardinal Rampolla, like Cardinal Lambruschin, State Secretary of Gregory XVI., has not been able to overcome the prejudice against the virtual continuance of influences and policies of the last reign, and a non-political Pope, remarkable for piety and administrative power, has been chosen. A solution with Sarto as a compromise candidate has been steadily forecast. It is a popular election, as the choice of Pius IX. was over half a century ago, and was acclaimed with a spontaneous outburst of public rejoicing at St. Peter's.

THE BALLOTING.

Of course, the balloting, as indicated by the earliest intimations from the Vatican, followed general anticipations. Rampolla and Vannutelli were the leading candidates, and their forces were evenly balanced in the early ballots. Each body of supporters sought to determine the succession, and there was a secondary contest between one of the veterans of the Sacred College, committed to the policies of Leo XIII., and a non-political candidate of greater administrative capacity, stronger individuality and sturdier independence. Foreign Cardinals were divided on the earlier ballots, but their influence was strongly exerted at the close in favour of Sarto as a vigorous, independent candidate, with marked liberal tendencies who would direct with an enlightened mind the destinies of a worldwide church.

The Patriarch of Venice, being one of the greatest dignitaries of the church, with a title savouring of the antiquity of the fifteenth century, was known as an irreproachable, and progressive ecclesiastic of great force of character. He has seldom come to Rome, and has not been identified with Vatican politics. He was wholly pre-occupied with the administration of his own archdiocese, which has been managed with exceptional ability. He was patron of a new school of music, and the intimate friend of Abbe Perosi, and —without giving offence to religious sensibilities—had been a practical reformer, especially in condemning the veneration of relict of doubtful authenticity. While not a cardinal with diplomatic training, he has known how to maintain the dignity of his office without exciting the implacable resentment of the Quirinal. This was shown when his promotion from the diocese of Treviso to the patriarchate of Venice met with resistance from State officials, and again when he took part in various ceremonies and functions with members of the royal family and civic and naval dignitaries.

VIEW AT QUIRINAL.

It cannot be doubted that while Vannutelli would have been preferred at the Quirinal, Sarto's election will be well received there. He has flexibility as well as dignity and independence, and has shown a talent for avoiding unnecessary enmities and for finding the line of least possible resistance.

Peace in the church and among the religious orders is one of the auguries of the new reign.

LONDON PRESS THINKS CHOICE A WISE ONE.

London, August 5.—The papers this morning comment on the conclave's choice as a wise and excellent one, and say that, although the new Pope is less brilliant as a scholar than his predecessor, there will be ample compensation for this in his moderation and single-mindedness on the question of the relations of the Vatican to England. Opinions, however, differ. The Daily News says:

"We are at least preserved from questionable intrigues of a Rampolla who is not too friendly to England."

The Standard, on the other hand, fears that the new Pope sympathizes and to a large extent will be guided by Rampolla's ideas, but admits that if he is as tactful and conciliatory as his friends represent there is no need to apprehend any violent reversal of policy.

The Telegraph considers the choice of the title of Pius X. as strange, when the character and career of the last bearer of the name of Pius is remembered. All the papers express curiosity to learn the new Pontiff's policy toward France and Germany. But almost all anticipate the opening of an era of peace and conciliation.

IN AND AROUND THE CITY.

LEGS FRACTURED.—The ambulance of the General Hospital was called to the Grand Trunk Railway station last night for Thomas Jackson and Leonard Rendell, who were both suffering from fractured legs. The men were brought from Sault Ste. Marie, where they had been injured while employed on construction work.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.—The 215 anniversary of the Relief of Derry will be celebrated by Derry Loyal Orange Benefit Lodge, No. 224, on Friday evening next, August 7th, by a moonlight excursion down the river on the steamer "Duchess of York." The boat leaves Victoria pier at 8 o'clock sharp.

FRATERNAL EXCURSION.—The annual moonlight excursion organized by the Independent Order of Foresters, the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, and the Knights of the Maccabees will take place to-morrow night. The steamer Berthier will leave Victoria Pier, opposite Bonsecours Market, at 8.15 sharp.

Gulf Report.

Quebec, August 5.—Weather clear; wind general and variable; calm at some points.

Rivier du Loup—Inward at 7 a.m., a steamer.

Father Point—Inward yesterday at 11 p.m., Lord Lansdowne; at 11.25 p.m., Torr Head; Argentine Republic warship, Presidente Sarmiento, anchored off here.

Cape Chatte—Inward at 7.30 a.m., three-masted schooner.

Martin River—Inward at 8 a.m., Coban, Cape Magdalen—Inward at 6.30 a. m., Campana; at 7.30 a.m., a steamer; at 9.15 a.m., a steamer.

Fame Point—Inward at 6 a. m., Norwegian steamer H.M.D.S.

Point Amour—Steamer Holmlea went ashore at Point Rich, Nfld., on Friday last, making no water; two French cruisers tried to tow her off, but failed to do so.

Low Point—Outward at 5 a.m., Bonavista.

WEATHER SHOWERS

Montreal, August 5.

Readings by the Optical and Engineers' Supply Company's standard barometer at noon yesterday, 30.32; at 8 a.m. to-day, 30.14; at 11 a.m. to-day, 30.14; temperature to-day, maximum 70, minimum 56; yesterday, maximum 70, minimum 53. Sun rose this morning at 5.09 o'clock; will set this evening at 7.37 o'clock.

Probabilities for the next twenty-four hours, specially predicted for the Montreal Star at 11 a.m. to-day: Generally fair to-day, showers and thunderstorms during the night and on Thursday.

Maximum and minimum temperatures during the past twenty-four hours: Victoria, 66, 52; Calgary, 64, 44; Qu'Appelle, 66, 44; Winnipeg, 74, 54; Parry Sound, 72, 60; Toronto, 71, 62; Ottawa, 62, 56; Montreal, 68, 56; Quebec, 74, 50; Halifax, 74, 48.

WEATHER AT SUMMER RESORTS.

Cacouna.—Fine and a little warmer.

St. Andrews, N.B.—Bright, balmy; wind south-west, light. Thermometer, 66.

Old Orchard.—East wind; rain. Thermometer, 58.

Queen's Hotel, Toronto.

The Queen's Hotel, Toronto, American plan, from $2.50 per day, with bath from $3.00 per day. 175 tf

Special Notice. Closed Thursday.

The 4 large stores of the Marchand Ready-to-Wear Wardrobe will be closed on Thursday. The largest reduction sale on record. Read to-morrow's ad.

SMOKERS NOTICE.

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Antique Watches, Old Grandfather Clocks, Antique Jewellery, Old Silver Articles, Old Sheffield Plate bought and sold. B. Hemsley, Jeweller, 255 St. James street, Montreal 130 tf

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Fresh Air Fund Concert.

A very pleasant concert took place Saturday evening at Hotel Gauthier, Lac Charlebois. The juvenile guests, conceived the idea of giving a concert in aid of the Fresh Air Fund, and carried out the idea, in a most admirable manner. Master Stanley Jones was president, Master Jamie Villeneuve, musical director, and Master Donald Hall Johnson, master of ceremonies. The president opened the entertainment in a neat little speech, and recitations, songs, choruses and gramaphone selections were given by the following: Masters F. Ross Johnson, Reginald Villeneuve, Jamie Villeneuve, Stanley Jones, Miss Lilian Snider, Miss May and Miss H. Bickler and the Club. The officer of the Club deserve great credit for the efficient manner in which the entertainment was carried out. The proceeds amounted to $5.25, and was donated as above mentioned.

Annual Gun Practice.

The annual gun practice of the 2nd Regt. Canadian Artillery is to occur at the Island of Orleans, commencing on August 24th. Three days will be allowed for practice, and one for the competition held under the auspices of the Dominion Artillary Association. Among the prizes offered is a handsome trophy presented by Hon. Lt.-Col. Wilson-Smith to be competed for among the three companies of the regiment. Excellent drill in preparation for the event is now being put in under the instruction of R. S. W. Fellows.

The detachment will not go into camp this year, but all ranks will be quartered in the Citadel at Quebec. Colonel Wilson, inspector of Artillery, Eastern, will be be umpire in chief and in command.

Hong Kong, August 5.—The C. P. R. SS. Empress of China left here at noon today for Vancouver.

Of Interest to Canadians.

For several months the New York Central Railroad has been working with the Treasury Department at Washington to perfect an arrangement whereby baggage of passengers destined to Canada or other foreign countries arriving at the Port of New York may be forwarded, in bond, without examination by the United States Customs officials.

The arrangement has just become effective and, in addition to the Passenger Agent always on hand to assist its passengers, they have appointed an experienced baggageman, and baggage will now be checked through, in bond, to all points in Canada from the piers of the Cunard, White Star, Anchor, Atlantic Transport, and French lines.

As baggage may also be checked through, in bond, from Canada to the steamer in New York, this arrangement will greatly facilitate foreign travel from this country via that port, and the New York Central is to be congratulated in perfecting this arrangement, which is another indication of its desire to make travelling as easy as possible for its patrons. 153 2