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RAILWAYS AND CANALS.

Annual Report of the Department Issued.

Ottawa, Feb. 14.—The annual report of the Department of Railways and Canals, issued today, shows that in the fiscal year up to July last, 574 miles of railway were built, making the present mileage in the Dominion 18,808. The paid up capital invested in three lines is \$1,988,822,200, an increase of \$53,000,000 in the twelve months. The gross earnings in the year amounted to \$83,000,502, or an increase of \$10,707,574. The working expenses were \$57,343,502, an increase of \$6,974,860. The net earnings amounted therefore to \$25,656,999, an increase of \$3,722,888. In all, 20,679,974 passengers were carried in the year, an increase of 2,804,253. The freight carried was 42,376,526 tons, an increase of 5,377,156 tons. The rolling stock of Canadian roads is 2,929 passenger cars, 75,210 freight cars. Of these, 58,111 are equipped with air brakes, and 66,802 with automatic couplers. There are also 2,444 locomotives in the service of the Canadian railway companies. Thirteen hundred and twenty eight persons were injured in the year, as follows: 177 passengers, 162 employees, and 229 others. Three hundred and thirty in all were killed as follows: 19 passengers, 146 employees and 165 others. Twenty-one in all lost their lives through getting off trains whilst in motion, and 138 others were injured through like carelessness. One hundred and six persons were killed through walking on the tracks.

The electric railways of Canada have a mileage of 553 miles and earnings of \$6,431,000. During the year the Intercolonial Railway showed surplus earnings of \$96,882. This betterment was drawn both from increased carriage of passengers and freight.

Municipalities and Corporations.

Mr. W. D. Lighthall, Hon. Secretary of the Union of Canadian Municipalities, says that the chief result of the conference which the executive of the Union of Canadian Municipalities had with Sir Wilfrid Laurier was that the Government announced that municipalities must be recognized as entitled to the sole control of their streets and local franchises. That the Government should make such a point clear must be considered very satisfactory. Referring to the general telephone bill that will be introduced at the coming session, the union found that a great mistake which was held the companies and the public apart is the pretension that the municipalities generally are hostile to capital and desire impossible things.

Q. C. R. Extension.

Nothing has been decided in reference to the date of the commencement of construction on the projected extension of 21 miles from Scott station to the Quebec bridge—Railway and Shipping World.

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Saturate some batting with Polson's Nerviline and place in the cavity of the tooth. Rub the painful part of the face with Nerviline, bind in a hot flannel, and the toothache will disappear immediately. Nerviline is a splendid household remedy for Cramps, Indigestion, Summer Complaint, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, and Toothache. Powerful, penetrating safe and pleasant for internal and external use. Price 25c. Try Nerviline.

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THE ELECTRIC LIGHT DEAL.

Committee of Council Meet Directors.

An Expert Will Be Appointed to Report on Plant.

On Saturday afternoon the first step towards opening up negotiations with the city and the Gas & Water Co. with regard to the purchase of the latter's plant by the city was begun.

The meeting was held in the Art Hall, and those present were:—Mr. Justice, White, president, Messrs. F. P. Buck, A. G. Lomas, and M. Read, directors, and Councillors McManany, Fraser, Lanctot, Fuller and Demaut.

Councillor Fraser was appointed chairman of the meeting.

The Conference lasted for some time.

The meeting was a very friendly one, and both sides expressed their views at some length.

The representatives of the company gave the Special Committee to understand that they would not consider the sale of the electric light plant alone; that if a sale was to be considered the whole plant including the gas, electric light and property would have to be treated for; and that the company would not go to arbitration.

After a good deal of discussion the company agreed to allow an expert to go over their plant and prepare an estimate of what it is worth. In doing so, however, they do not bind themselves to accept his estimate.

The company estimate their whole plant to be worth \$270,000. The members of the special committee will report to the Council at an early date, and it is expected that steps will be taken to have an expert appointed.

Took It Lightly.

Strange Conduct of Prisoner Under Sentence of Death.

London, February 14.—Edwards, a man who was convicted of murder at Leyton, five miles from London, was arraigned in court here today for sentence of death. He received the sentence in the most calm manner. On being asked the question whether he had anything to say in mitigation of his sentence, he replied: "No, get on with it as soon as you can."

While the judge was placing on the black cap before sentencing him the murderer remarked: "Why, it is like being on my stage. When the judge came to the conclusion of the sentence and said, 'and may the Lord have mercy on your soul,' Edwards burst out laughing, saying, 'Ha, ha.'"

Murder at St. Eustache.

Farmer Found Dead In His Barn.

Antoine Seguin, a rich farmer of St. Eustache, was found dead in one of his barns, in a remote part of the parish, Friday morning. He had gone for some hay, and it is supposed that he was shot with a gun by some one hidden in the barn. A terrible wound, right in the face, indicated a direct attack as he entered the barn, and there seems to be no doubt as to a foul murder.

The authorities have been notified, and as there are reasons to suppose an act of revenge, an arrest will probably soon take place.

The victim was about sixty years old and unmarried. He was Mayor of St. Eustache for many years.

C. P. R. Service.

Elder-Dempster Said to Have Been Acquired.

London, February 14.—The Globe says it understands that an announcement will be made within a few days that the Canadian steamships owned by the Elder Dempster Company have been acquired by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The price paid for the ships, the Globe says, cannot be less than £2,000,000, but the details of the transaction have not transpired.

Tearing Down Signals does not delay storms. Opium laden "medicines" may check coughing, but the cold stays. Do not trifle; when you begin to cough take Allen's Lung Balsam, free from opium, full of healing power.

Centre Bruce Liberals nominated Dr. J. M. Stewart for the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. McCoy Jones was crushed to death under a sleighload of lumber near Modoc, Ont., on Friday.

Mr. E. A. Dunlop was nominated for the Legislative Assembly by the Conservatives of North Renfrew.

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor of the EXAMINER.

Sir—My attention has been called to the statement in your issue of the 11th inst., that Courtney had recovered. You also characterize as a gross libel the statement that he had been discharged from the hospital before he had fully recovered from his illness.

On the evening in question without any intimation from the Hospital authorities or any one else, Courtney, who is quite unable to walk, was dumped into a sleigh and told to drive to a certain hotel. He was there refused admittance being quite helpless, and offered him a permit to go to the Sacred Heart Hospital, the team driver would undoubtedly have had to drive him back to the hospital to stay there until he could be sent forth fully recovered.

As a matter of fact, with the charity which knows or any one else, Courtney, who is quite unable to walk, was dumped into a sleigh and told to drive to a certain hotel. He was there refused admittance being quite helpless, and offered him a permit to go to the Sacred Heart Hospital, the team driver would undoubtedly have had to drive him back to the hospital to stay there until he could be sent forth fully recovered.

A hospital not being a convalescent home, the removal of patients has necessarily to take place before they are completely recovered, and had there been friends willing to receive Courtney, and notice had been given them of the time of removal, no charge of undue haste could have been made.

The hotel proprietor having himself driven Courtney (who had absolutely no claim upon him) to the hospital, shown him every kindness while there, and expressed his willingness to receive him upon his discharge, the whole mistake appears to be a wrong assumption that this gentleman would continue to act the good Samaritan. No blame (other than the omission to telephone to the hotel to ascertain if the proprietor's intention to receive the patient was unchanged) attaches to the Hospital authorities.

As the impression conveyed by your leading article is very erroneous, I shall feel obliged if you will let the public know the true facts of the case.

Yours Faithfully,
W. ARNOLD FOSTER.

That horrid stuff, no wonder people say that about Cod Liver Oil, for it is; but it is real food when properly prepared as it is in The D & L' Emulsion, and nothing will add solid flesh as fast as it will.

Telephone Injunction.

Fort William, Ont., Feb.—The town of Fort William served an injunction on the Bell Telephone Company yesterday, and all work on construction has ceased. Members of the railway board held a meeting and decided to use none but municipal telephones in their homes.

Ringling In the Ears.

This is an unailing ring of catarrh, and if not checked will ultimately result in deafness. The simplest remedy is Catarrhazone, which if inhaled a few times daily, prevents the catarrhal condition from spreading. Catarrhazone quickly stops the ringing in the ears, head noises, gives permanent relief to catarrhal deafness. For Catarrh in any part of the system, Bronchitis, Asthma, Lung or Throat Troubles, Catarrhazone is a specific, and is guaranteed to permanently cure or your money back. Large size \$1.00; small size 25c. Druggists or N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

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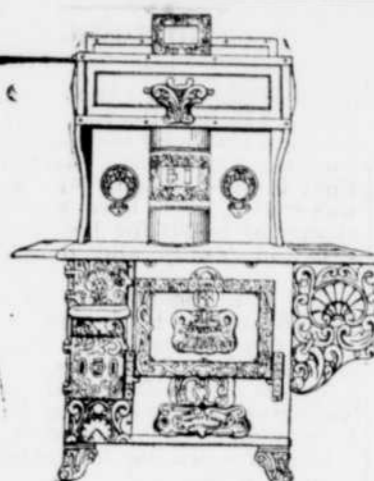
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- Linen, 10 to 25 per cent.
- Flannels, 10 to 25 per cent.
- Dress Trimmings, 10 to 15 per cent.
- Hosiery and Underwear, 10 per cent.
- Gent's Furnishings, 10 to 25 per cent.
- Ladies' and Children's Flannelette Underwear, 10 per cent.
- Ladies' Jackets and Capes, 25 to 75 p. cent.
- Ladies' Skirts, 25 per cent.

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- 100 doz. White Handkerchiefs for 30c dozen, to sell at 4c.
- 1,500 cakes Toilet Soap, worth 5c, now 3 for 5c
- 100 Mats, worth 35c, now for 17c.
- 100 Rugs, regular price \$1.50, now for 70c.
- 500 Wrappers from 75c up.
- 200 Mattresses, to clear, from 35c up.
- 50 doz. Napkins, worth 10c, now for 5c
- 50 doz. Doilies, worth 5c, now for 4c.
- Men's Suits, complete, from \$3 up.
- Men's Pants, from 75c up.
- 300 pairs Boys' Pants, all wool, to clear, at half price.
- Ladies' Costumes, to sell at half price
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School Reports. The following is the report of the examinations held in Canterbury at the close of the term: Grade V—Maximum 1600—Lillian Bennett, 1473; Florence Bennett, 1471.

The following is a report of the examinations held in District No. 2, Bury, at the close of the term. Names are arranged in order of standing.

On Wednesday, the 11th, the body of Robert Beaton, who was killed in Maine by his engine over turning, was taken through to Bury for interment.

There is just one cure and that is plenty of food for the blood and nerves, which is best supplied in Ferrozone, than which no blood builder, nerve tonic or strength producer is better.

The Railway and Shipping World says:—Early in December a number of men were set to work at Kingsbury, Que., the present end of the line, grading and erecting a bridge.

The hitherto neglected county of Megantic is soon to become a network of railways. Capitalists have just awakened to the fact that the mineral deposits of old Megantic are the richest, second to none, in the Province of Canada.

Poison—the Blood brings Humors and Boils, Salt Rheum, Eczema and Scrofula.

WEAVER'S SYRUP Will cure them permanently by purifying the Blood. Davis & Lawrence Co., Ltd., MONTREAL, PROPRIETORS, NEW YORK.

BRAIN POWER. How It May Be Strengthened and Increased.

The brain is a great nerve battery that presides over all the powers and impulses of the human body.

A medical student of Toronto University, who has proved the good quality of Ferrozones, says: "On my study table there is always a plate of Ferrozone. I find by keeping my digestion in perfect order, and maintaining a splendid appetite, it enables me to accomplish a great deal of hard work."

Never Heard of Rock Island. The other day a man appeared at the Grand Trunk Railway station at Picton, Ont., and tried to buy a ticket to Rock Island.

Canada's Trade Growing. The trade figures for the seven months ending January 31st were issued Friday.

RED MOUNTAIN. We are sorry to say that D. MacKitchie, who has been west for nearly 30 years, came home on the sick list, is not gaining very much.

King Edward received Signor Marconi on Friday at Buckingham Palace. One of the Pope's physicians says His Holiness will live to be a hundred or more.

THE VENEZUELAN SITUATION. Protocols Have Been Signed. Blockade Has Been Raised.

Washington, February 14—Venezuela's representative in the Venezuela peace negotiations at Washington tonight signed with each of the allies' representatives here, a protocol providing for the immediate raising of the Venezuelan blockade, and for the reference of the question of preferential treatment of the claims of the allies against Venezuela to the Hague arbitration tribunal.

BIRCHTON. The Ladies' Aid and the W.C.T.U. unitedly intend holding a sugar social in the hall next Thursday, February 19th.

At the February Official Board of the Eaton Circuit of the Methodist Church the following resolution was passed, a copy of which was directed to be sent to the local newspapers:—"Resolved that we place on record our deep sense of loss in the removal by death of Mr. Robert Nutbrown, of Birchton, a member of this Board since its formation."

LUMP JAW. Doncet's saw mill, a few miles south of Theford, was burned last Saturday. Fully insured.

It is said that the lines in connection with the double road system into the county of Megantic aggregate \$3,000.

GREAT EXCITEMENT IN SHERBROOKE. Over a Guarantee given by the Sherbrooke Druggists.

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Early Showing of MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS. NOW, lend us your ear for a minute, we have something to say to you. MEN, we've talked to you before on the same subject (of course the subject is "MEN'S GOODS") and during the coming season we shall talk to you a lot more.

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ACCOMMODATION—Leaves Manchester 5.1 a.m., Concord 5.00 a.m., White River Jet, 8.00 a.m., St. Johnsbury, 10.45 a.m., arrive Sherbrooke 3.15 p.m. DAY EXPRESS—Leaves Boston 10.00 a.m., New York 3.15 a.m., Springfield, 12.50 p.m., St. Johnsbury 4.30 p.m., arriving Sherbrooke 8.30 p.m. Pullman Sleeping Cars leave Boston at 8.30 p.m., Springfield 8.15 p.m., for Sherbrooke.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent. QUEBEC CENTRAL RAILWAY Winter Time Table IN EFFECT MONDAY, JAN. 5th, 1903 LEAVING SHERBROOKE. NEW YORK AND BOSTON EXPRESS—Leave Sherbrooke at 7.30 a.m., arrive Levis 1.10 p.m., arrive Quebec at 1.15 p.m. Pullman cars New York and Boston to Quebec daily except Sunday. ACCOMMODATION—Leave Sherbrooke at 9.30 p.m., arrive Levis 7.00 a.m., arrive at Quebec 7.15 a.m. Also connecting with trains on the Megantic Division. ARRIVING SHERBROOKE. NEW YORK AND BOSTON EXPRESS—Leave Quebec 2.30 p.m., leave Levis 3 p.m., arrive Sherbrooke 8.45 p.m., Pullman cars Quebec to New York and Boston daily except Sunday. ACCOMMODATION—Leave Quebec 6.30 p.m., arrive Levis 7.00 p.m., arrive Sherbrooke at 9.30 a.m. For time table, tickets and all information, apply to any of the Company's Agents. FRANK GRUNDY, J. H. WALSH, Gen. Manager. Gen. Pass. Agt.

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Townships Notes. The financial statement of the town of Magog shows a surplus. Mr. James Buzzell, of Cherry River, has bought the Toulmie farm of Mr. Boright for \$3,300. Work on the Condensed Milk Factory at Huntingdon is being pushed vigorously ahead. J. B. McDonald's house, The Gore, Marston, was burned together with all the contents while the owner was away. Messrs. Moise Besette, jr., and Herbert Doe, Granby, were fined \$40 each and costs for killing deer out of season. Mr. James McDougall, an old resident of Magog, died at St. Albans, Vt., on the 31st ult., after an illness extending over several months. Mr. C. A. Nutting, K.C., Waterloo, has been elected batman of the Bar of Bedford, made vacant by the death of Lieut.-Col. Amyrauld, K.C.

Rt. Hon. Nathaniel Lord Aylmer, Adjutant General of the Canadian Militia, has been appointed Honorary Colonel of the 5th Richmond Regiment. The rank was held by his father, the late Lord Aylmer. Mr. David Bowker, the oldest engineer on the South Eastern division of the C.P.R., has retired from the service of the Company and gone to farming near Cowansville. He was the first engineer on the South Eastern when it was opened over thirty years ago. It is reported that a sanitarium will be located in Knowlton in the near future. Two gentlemen from Michigan have been travelling through the Townships with a view to a location for it and have wisely decided that Knowlton is the most attractive and desirable place.

Mr. Frederick England, of Knowlton, met with a serious accident on Thursday of last week by which he lost the two middle fingers of the right hand, while working at a machine used at the tannery. His fingers were caught and lacerated to such an extent as to require amputation. There is a school district in the Township of Stanstead which has the honor of containing the Mayor, the chairman of the school commissioners, a councillor, a Major and a Captain of the Militia, a ballist and the President of the County Agricultural Association. Can any other school district in the County go ahead of this?—Stanstead Journal.

The lamented death of Mr. Joel C. Baker, of Montreal, has caused widespread regret in city and country—and especially in Missisquoi, where the deceased was born and most intimately known. Mr. Baker was an active man of capacious intellect and broad ideas and occupied a warm place in the hearts of many friends. He was a brother of the Hon. Senator Baker, of Sweetburg. The town council of Valleyfield called in a body on Bishop Emdar on Thursday to wish him a bon voyage and safe return from his trip to Rome. The President of the County Agricultural Association, Dr. Harper had his, and it must be admitted that enemies are more pronounced than are friends. Dr. Harper had been the subject of a severe investigation of late, and had come out of it with credit, and it was not surprising for a change in system was another means of injuring him. Mr. Walker spoke in the same strain.

INCREASE OF SALARIES. Hon. Mr. Duffy pointed out that the Government could not entertain any recommendation for any increase of the salaries of inspectors. It would start a precedent and the Catholic Board of Education would have the right to come to the Government and demand eight times as much for the same work. Mr. Whyte's motion was put to the vote and lost. The paragraph was sustained. The question of the appointment of an assistant secretary to Mr. Parmelee was next discussed. Hon. Mr. Duffy inquired if the matter would be sent back to the committee for a closer study without any announcement from the Government should be considered when it came to a question of providing money for the salary of a new officer. On motion of Dr. Robbins the whole report was re-committed to the sub-committee.

A Purely Vegetable Corn Cure. Putnam's Painless Corn Extract is entirely vegetable in compound, never stings or makes it sore spots. Insist on "Putnam's," it cures in one night. OLIVER. Traffic of all kinds has been greatly impeded by the prevailing storms, unless the weather in the future is more settled, our lumbermen will be unable to get their logs hauled from the woods. Mr. Robert Harris, of Bebee Plain, called on relatives here last week. Mr. George Bachelder visited his brother at Mack's Mills last Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Melvin Cass has been stopping with friends at Griffin for a few days. Mrs. Martha Bizzell is the guest of her brother's wife, Mrs. L. Bachelder at Griffin. This community was shocked at the sudden and lamentable death of Grover Bailey. Much sympathy is expressed here for his parents and his sister, Lottie. Grover was a fine boy.

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THE REMOVAL OF DR. HARP Much Discussion Among Members of Protestant Committee of Public Instruction. Quebec, February 13—A special meeting of the Protestant Committee of Provincial Public Instruction was commenced in this city this morning, Rev. Dr. Shaw presiding. After the adoption of the minutes, etc., of the previous meeting, the report of the sub-committee re the inspection of superior schools and the dismissal of the present inspector, Dr. Harper, was read, and on motion of Mr. Ames, was reserved for discussion. Hon. Mr. Duffy thought that paragraph five on the report, re the dismissal of the present superior school inspector, should be taken up and discussed. Mr. John Whyte, of Lake Megantic, moved, seconded by Mr. Walker of Lacerte, that paragraph five in the report from the sub-committee be not entertained. Hon. Mr. Duffy pointed out that the report presented provided for the dismissal of an officer and the appointment of another. The Government will not undertake the responsibility of the dismissal, and in fact the Government does not know if the inspector is deserving of dismissal. However, whatever business was done in connection with the matter must come from the committee. Mr. Duffy further said: REAL QUESTION AT ISSUE. "We may disguise language, but the real question at issue was the dismissal of the inspector, and the committee wanted to place the responsibility on the Government for his dismissal. You must be frank and face the matter squarely and fairly, and do what you consider your duty over and above board. You may change your system to get rid of this man, but the meaning that underlies the facts is the same. I will not say one thing on behalf of the Government. The matter lies with your committee; but when it comes to providing for the dismissal of one man and the appointment of another, the Government, though it may not interfere, as it has no right in your recommendation, can, however, refuse to accept your nominee, which would cause the business of your committee to be done over again."

Dr. A. A. Ames, a former mayor of Minneapolis, Minn., who is wanted in the latter city on a charge of bribery, was arrested in Hancock, N.H., on Saturday. The thoughtful Shah The kindly consideration of the Shah toward a dentist whom he summoned during his recent visit in Paris is described by the London "Telegraph," but it is evident that if the Shah was troubled by any ailment he was not troubled by any ailment for the feeling of his attendance at the Shah's Majesty suffered from toothache soon after his arrival in Paris, and sent for a dentist. The dentist looked at the Shah's teeth, and advised the extraction, not of one, but of several. The operation was postponed for a day, but when the dentist returned he found the Shah all right, and apparently in a playful mood. The toothache had gone, and there was no longer any need for the dentist's services. As the dentist was preparing to leave, the Shah called him back, saying, "I do not like to have troubled you for nothing, so, as you have come, you had better draw a molar from each of my jaws."

The probability is, however, that neither story has any real foundation in fact. SHERBROOKE MARKET. There was a fairly good attendance at the market on Saturday and prices remained about the same as last week. We quote:— Creamery, prints 25 to 28 Butter, per tub, good 14 to 15 Lard per lb., pure 14 to 15 Cheese (good old) 10 to 12 Maple Syrup, per gal. 80 to 1 20 Beans Honey, per lb., boxed 15 Strained Honey, per jar 25 to 35 Beef eggs, doz. 5 to 7 Beef, per quarter 3 to 12 1/2 Beef, cut 3 to 12 Bacon Ham Beef, corned 8 to 10 Mutton Pork in carcass 7 to 7 1/2 Pork per lb., fresh 12 1/2 to 13 Sausages Lamb Chickens, per lb. 10 to 12 Turkeys 16 to 18 Fowls 8 to 10 Beef Hides 6 to 7 Calf Skins 8 to 10 Fresh Haddock 10 to 12 Fresh Cod, per lb. 10 to 12 1/2 Salmon, per lb. 5 to 20 Halibut Steak 12 to 15 Salt Salmon 8 to 10 Lake Trout 8 to 10 White Fish Brook Trout, per lb. 15 Kipper Herring, per lb. 15 Bloater, per doz. 8 to 10 Smelts, per lb. 8 to 10 Tommy Cods, per peck 8 to 10 Pike, per lb. 8 to 10 Dorset, per lb. 8 to 12 Oysters, per quart 40 to 50 Oysters (shell) per doz. 20 Oysters, per peck 1 00 Lobsters, per lb. 25 Oshage, per doz. 50 to 80 Potatoes, per bush. 60 to 80 Apples, per peck 30 to 50 Celery, doz. bunch 40 to 90 Carrots, per bush 80 to 1 00 Beets, per bush 80 to 1 00 Turnips, per bush 30 to 40 Radishes, per bunch 10 to 15 Cucumbers, per doz. Rhubarb, doz. bunch Lettuce, doz. bunch 30 to 40 Spanish Onions, crate 90 to 1 00 Parsley, " 5 Tomatoes, pound Cauliflowers, Green corn, per doz Cranberries, per gal. 50 to 60

TURKEY PREPARED. Troops Ready to Take Field in Macedonia. Constantinople, February 15—The official circles it is asserted that the Porte has received from the powers assurances regarding Bulgaria's pacific intentions and that it has been greatly relieved thereby. At the same time the military council has completed the plans for the mobilization of the second and third army corps, and has decided that in the event of it becoming necessary to take the field in Macedonia, Marshal Edhem Pasha, the generalissimo in the Balkans, will have the command of a quarter of a million of men which would be available there. ARMED INTERVENTION. London, February 16—The correspondent of the Daily Mail, at Vienna, says he learns that Austria has mobilized two army corps, and has concentrated an extra 40,000 men on the Balkan border. Military men, adds the correspondent, believe that an armed intervention is inevitable. Field Marshal Reinlander will command the forces.

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EAST ANGUS. The District Meeting of the R. T. of T. was held Wednesday afternoon, February 11th. A delegation of about thirty five met in the Odd Fellows Hall. Election of officers and other important business was disposed of. The officers elected for the year are as follows: District Councilor—Bro. E. Orr, South Duds; District Vice Councilor—Sister E. E. Hodges, East Angus; Chaplain—Rev. Mr. Davis, Cook-ship; District Herald—Bro. Taylor, Scotstown; District Sentinel—Bro. Hall, Duds; District Guard—Bro. Orr, South Duds. In the evening a mass meeting was held in the Town Hall and despite the pouring rain the Hall was filled. A most excellent programme was given. The speakers were Rev. Mr. Brown, from Marlinton; Rev. Mr. Davis, Rev. Mr. Halpeny, J. Roy. The recitations by Miss Bailey and Miss Hall were given in good style and worthy of great praise. The debate held by fifteen members, entitled "The Pledge," was received with much applause as both sides were fully dealt with. The decision was in favour of the Pledge. Several choruses given by the R. T. Choir were appropriate and well rendered although the programme was nearly three hours long. The large audience showed no sign of weariness, and everyone was loud in their praises that it was the best thing of the season. A silver collection amounting to six dollars was taken up for the good of the Order. The sudden death of Mrs. Charles Warner cast a gloom over the entire community. The deceased lady was loved by all who knew her. The body was taken by the Q. C. R. to Brookbury, where the funeral service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Mick. Mr. O. Swanson and Mr. Brunel, were in town on Wednesday, the guests of Mr. Cook.

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Monkey Brand Soap is a cleaner and polisher combined, but won't wash clothes.

The Child's Cot Fund now amounts to \$1,197.80.

Mr. Geo. Jenkins, of the E.T. Bank staff, has been transferred to the Montreal branch.

The Rev. J. H. Nelms was the preacher at the evening service in St. Peter's Church yesterday.

Mr. M. Hamilton will be in Sawyerville, Linda and surrounding district this week in the interest of the EXAMINER.

Messrs. A. Duke and John McCulloch will represent the Y. M. C. A. Lyceum in the debate at the Stanstead College on March 6th.

Mr. W. Smith, Capt. 1000, captured a black fox a few days ago. Furriers say that the skin of a black fox is worth \$100.

Mrs. T. E. Reade was removed to the Protestant Hospital on Friday and operated on for appendicitis. Dr. Smith has the case in charge and the patient is progressing favorably.

It is reported that the E. T. Bank will open another branch of the bank in Montreal in the east end, and that Mr. E. P. Olivier, manager of the branch at Windsor Mills, will be appointed manager of the new branch.

The Valentine S. seal, held under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church on Friday evening, was a very successful event. There was a large attendance, and a very pleasant evening spent.

The invitations are out for a dance given by the officers and members of the Sherbrooke Snow Shoe Club; the patronesses are Mrs. Walsh, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Penhale, Mrs. W. E. Loomis, Mrs. Neil and Mrs. C. H. Foss.

The local branch of the Sunshine Society have made arrangements whereby Dr. W. Grenfell, medical missionary of the Deep Sea Missions, Labrador, will give an illustrated lecture in the Art Hall on Friday evening.

Mr. S. L. Clough, Lennoxville, has sold his handsome cross match pair of geldings, seal brown and golden chestnut, to Mrs. Geo. E. Diesser, of Thompson, Conn. Mrs. Diesser is noted for her fine stables, and price does not stand in the way when she sees a horse that pleases her.

Miss Blake, of Boston, Mass., is at the Maxog House, and intends to give a recital of dramatic and humorous reading in this city, on a date to be afterwards announced. Miss Blake gave her first recital in Canada in Montreal on February 3rd, and the press reports, since her first appearance, place her in the front rank of artists in this line.

The next term of the Circuit Court will open on Thursday, February 19.

The annual meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening at eight o'clock.

The East Sherbrooke Union Cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Robins, tomorrow (Tuesday) evening at eight o'clock.

We are informed that in the old English burying ground a large dog, for some time past, has been observed to sit day and night on the top of a recently made grave, pining in a most piteous manner. The body buried is said to have come from Brompton, and although efforts have been made to drive the animal away he again returns to keep up his piteous wailing.

There was a large attendance at the concert given by Madame Albani and company in the Clement Theatre on Saturday afternoon, about 300 being present from outside points. At an interval in the programme she was presented with bouquets from the various French Canadian societies in the city. In the evening she was tendered a reception at the Convent de Notre Dame.

Methodist Church.
The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Howard on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.
The W. M. Society will hold an afternoon tea this (Monday) afternoon from 3.30 to 6 p.m.

Clement Theatre Sold.
Mr. F. Clement has sold his theatres in Sherbrooke and Berlin, N. H., to Mr. Tollman, of Gloucester, Mass. The price is said to be in the neighborhood of \$95,000 for both buildings. Mr. Tollman takes possession of the theatres immediately. By the acquisition of these two houses, Mr. Tollman will now have control of five theatres.

St. Andrew's Church.
The Young Ladies' Aid will meet with Miss Sampson, London street, on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.
The East Sherbrooke Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. John Farquhar on Friday afternoon at three o'clock.
The annual meeting of the congregation will be held on Wednesday, February 25.

Property Changes.
The following deeds of sale were registered in the Sherbrooke Division Registry Office during the week ending 14th February, 1903:
Paul Ruel to Edgar Roy of part of lot 8 in the 4th range of Orford. Price \$1300.
D. McManamy et al to R. E. B. adley of lots 136 and 169 (1444) 5th Ward, Sherbrooke. Price \$474.
Mrs. G. Thornloe et al to Allison Blodgett of part of lot 7 in the 3rd range of A-cot. Price \$700.
Allison Blodgett to J. S. Martin of part of lot 7 in the 3rd range of A-cot. Price \$700.
James Addie Excentor to David Sumter of parts of lot 2 in the 5th range of Compton. Price \$550.
The trade of the Dominion increased \$22,000,000 in the last seven months.

Plymouth Congregational Church.
Mid week Service on Wednesday evening as usual. Subject—"The new religious experience." Read last week's "Outlook," page 376.
The Ladies' Aid Society will be entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. S. W. Jenckes and Mrs. C. Skinner, at the home of the former, Prospect St. Tea served from four to six.
On Friday evening Dr. William Grenfell of the "Royal Mission to deep sea fishermen," will lecture in the Art Hall under the auspices of the Sherbrooke branch of the Sunshine Society. Dr. Grenfell will speak of his work in Labrador, and the lecture will be illustrated by lantern slides. No one should miss hearing the man whose noble work has been so widely recognized both in Great Britain and on this side of the water. Tickets may be obtained from members of the Sunshine Society.

Reception to Madame Albani.
The Musical Clubs of Sherbrooke and Lennoxville gave a reception last Friday afternoon at which Madame Albani was the guest of honor, together with Mr. Gye, Madame Langley, Miss Jones, Miss Verne and Mr. Archdeacon.
Madame Panneton kindly gave the Club the use of her house, and the rooms looked very pretty with their decorations of cut flowers and potted plants.
The guests were received by Madame Panneton, Madame Codere and Mrs. Aylmer, assisted by the committees of both clubs, and all were presented to Madame Albani.
The tea room was in charge of Mrs. Mitchell, Madame de Lottinville and Madame Dastous and a bevy of young ladies in pretty light dresses attended to the wants of the guests.
The table decorations were pale green, yellow and white, the centre-piece being a basket of yellow daffodils, and the electric lights shaded with a large yellow shade from which ropes of smilax stretched to the four corners of the table and were caught with bunches of daffodils.
During the afternoon Miss Mackenzie, of Lennoxville, presented Madame Albani with a bouquet of carnations and lilies of the valley, and little Marguerite Codere presented the basket of daffodils from the tea table.

PERSONALS.
Madame Albani left this morning for Quebec.
Mr. T. D. Walsh was in Quebec on Saturday.
Mrs. E. A. Bishop, of Bradford, Vt., is visiting friends in town.
Rev. P. L. Richardson preached in the Stanstead Methodist Church yesterday.
Mr. W. S. Ross, late of this city, but now of St. Hyacinthe, was in town on Saturday.
Miss Suzie LeBaron, who has been visiting Miss Hovey, has returned to North Hatley.
Mr. L. Saucier and son, Alfred, of Brompton, spent Sunday in town with friends and relatives.
Mr. Gordon Dinning, who is attending Stanstead College, spent Sunday in town with his parents.
Messrs. L. A. Bayley and Jas. R. Dunca left Saturday night on a business trip to Boston, New York and Philadelphia.
Mr. Wallace Heaslip returned from Ganouque, Ont., last night, where he had been called by the serious illness of his brother.
Miss Louise Webster left last week for Boston, where she will continue her musical studies at the New England Conservatory.
Miss Dunn, daughter of the Lord Bishop of Quebec, is spending a fortnight with her brother, Rev. E. A. Dunn, at the Divinity House, Lennoxville.
Miss Florence Dresser arrived home on Saturday night from Hartford, Conn., where she has been visiting for the past two months.

SEED FAIR FOR SHERBROOKE.
Will Be Held on 15th April.
A meeting of the directors of the Sherbrooke County Agricultural Society was held at the Landsdowne Market on Saturday last to look over the available places for holding the proposed spring seed show. It was decided to hold the same at the market on Wednesday, April 15, when prizes will be offered for the different varieties of seed grain and potatoes. It was also decided to open a special section for a display of agricultural seeds to be open to dealers.
A committee was appointed to draft a prize list and submit the same at a meeting to be held of the society next Saturday.
Prof. G. H. Clarke, head of the seed division of the Agricultural Department at Ottawa, will judge the exhibits, and at some hour during the day will deliver a lecture on seeds, &c.
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At a meeting of the special Committee of the Coaticook Town Council and Mr. H. Lovell, representing the Electric Light Company of that place, on Monday last with a view to coming to terms for a new contract on the purchase of the plant of the company, Mr. Lovell offered to sell the plant for \$46,000 to the city.

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MARRIAGES.
BEGNOUCHE-DESJARLAIS.—Miss Michael's Cathedral, in this city, on Monday Feb. 16th, 1903, by the Rev. J. A. H. Gignac, parish priest, J. A. Begnoche to Marie Desjarlais, daughter of H. J. Desjarlais, both of this city.

DEATHS.
SAVAGE.—On February 14th, 1903, at Granby, Que., Ella A. Savage, of the firm of A. C. Savage & Sons, aged 27 years.

Accident on G. T. R.
Yesterday forenoon an accident occurred to a freight train on the G. T. R. near Windsor Mills, with the result that some fifteen cars were thrown off the track, and some of them badly smashed. The accident was caused by the breaking of a wheel on one of the freight cars. The wrecking trains from Richmond and Island Pond were called to the scene of the wreck and soon had the track clear again for traffic. No one was injured, but the loss to the company will be considerable.

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Flannelette Night Gowns, in plain pink, pale blue and white, worth 90c—to clear 55c
Ladies' Beautiful Flannelette Skirts, in pink, pale blue and plain white, worth 60c—to clear 30c

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