

MONOPOLIES MUST EXIST.

SO SAID POLITICAL ECONOMY LECTURER ASHLEY

WHEN HE LECTURED AT FRATERNITY HALL YESTERDAY.

Though He is a Democrat, He Distrusts the People, and With a Capital P, Too.

Professor W. J. Ashley, lecturer in political economy at Harvard University, and late of University College, Toronto, lectured in Fraternity Hall, Point St. Charles, yesterday afternoon on "Monopolies."

Professor Ashley, having confessed that he had no specific knowledge of affairs in Montreal, laid down three propositions. The first was that in modern city life the supply of certain commodities and services are necessarily monopolized; that is, they have exclusive possession of a certain industrial field.

The speaker expressed himself as not being in love with competition, but stated that such industries as the operation of a street railway, the supply of gas, water or electricity, must be restricted and limited to one company. Sometimes a rival company is started in opposition to the existing one, and for a time the people may profit by the cut in rates which is caused. But it is always proven in the end that the smaller company is usually amalgamated with the original one or bought out by it.

Having laid down these propositions, Prof. Ashley asked: Shall cities take over such franchises and operate them themselves? On the affirmative side there was the financial argument. If it paid companies to perform services and allow the city a certain percentage on the profits, it was surely better than the city should itself perform the services and pocket the whole of the gains.

His own opinion, Prof. Ashley said, was that it was the part of wisdom to take the next step first, and not damage the chance of taking the next step by thinking too much of the step after.

Several of those in the same way? The lecturer, especially from the socialistic standpoint. In replying to a question, Prof. Ashley remarked that, though with a capital P, it was very hard to effect a new heart into them. The bulk of the working classes showed great apathy; they did not articulate themselves with the trades unions, and even those who were in were rent by grave dissensions.

FLOOD IN PORT NEUF.

River St. Anne Overflows and Carries Away Bridges.

Quebec, April 13.—Yesterday evening while at the table with the supper with his family a well known man was rapidly attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a bread knife. Fortunately the knife was stopped in time in spite of his violent resistance, and although suffering now from a serious wound in the neck, the doctors say he will recover.

Last night Margaret Burke, a woman 80 years of age, residing on Champlain St., accidentally fell from the wharf into the river and was drowned. Her body was found in two feet of water shortly after the accident.

News received from Port Neuf is to the effect that owing to the recent heavy rain and caused considerable damage. Several bridges had to be raised above the paper and a large superficies of the village was flooded.

Warmth and vigor accompany good digestion. Adams' Fruit is a wonderful aid to digestion. Refuse imitations.

MANITOBA ELECTIONS.

POLITICIANS BELIEVE THEY WILL TAKE PLACE AT AN EARLY DATE.

Archbishop Langevin Coming to Montreal on Important Business—A Sermon that Created a Sensation.

Winnipeg, April 14.—Politicians here appear to be quite certain that Premier Greenway contemplates bringing on the Provincial elections at an early date. The Opposition are so well convinced of this that they are already discussing candidates and a policy in respect to the school question, for of course that will be the chief issue.

Archbishop Langevin leaves for the East to-morrow. It is said he goes to attend a convention of Catholics to be held in Montreal respecting the school question. His Grace Archbishop Langevin preached in St. Mary's church to-night, and his discourse created a sensation. His Grace after requesting Catholics to stand firm for their schools stated plainly that those of the Church who continued to give their aid to the opponents of Catholic schools would no longer be considered Catholics by the Church.

DEATH OF MR. GEO. CHILDS.

Ten Years President of the Wholesale Grocers' Association.

HE Commercial world will be profoundly moved to hear of the death of Mr. George Childs, head of the firm of George Childs and Sons. This occurred yesterday morning at half-past six o'clock in the General Hospital.

In January he became seriously unwell, and he did not improve his physician advised him to undergo an operation for calculus. He entered the hospital five weeks ago yesterday, and the operation was performed by Dr. Shepherd successfully. For a time he appeared to rally, but about a week ago fears of his recovery were entertained. He sank gradually, dying in the presence of his sons yesterday at daybreak. Mr. Childs was born in Quebec on 16th April, 1825, and came to Montreal when he was about fourteen. He at once entered into the grocery business with Wm. Addy. Entering into the wholesale trade in 1850, he bought out T. M. Bryson & Co., and has continued in the same line ever since.

Mr. Childs always took a deep interest in public affairs. For years he sat in the City Council, being chairman of the Finance and Health Committees. He was nominated for the mayoralty against the late Sir John Abbott, but retired on account of the illness of his wife. He represented the American Presbyterian Church on the board of the Mount Royal Cemetery Company. The Protestant House of Industry aid Refuge and the Western Hospital owed much to his business foresight exercised as governor of those institutions.

In church matters he took a lively interest. At the time of his death he was senior deacon of the American Presbyterian Church, and had been an elder for twenty-seven years. He was one of the founders of the Young Men's Christian Association, and one of its earliest presidents. He was married to Miss Murphy, a daughter of the late Alexander Murphy, and sister of John and Alexander Murphy, Mrs. H. F. Jackson, Brockville, and Mrs. (Dr.) Bowley, Berlin, Ont. Mr. Childs died four years ago. There were seven sons, of whom five survive. These are Messrs. George, Henry and Alfred Childs, of Montreal; Charles Childs, a dry goods merchant of Minneapolis, and Arthur Childs, one of the electrical engineers in the Westinghouse works at Philadelphia.

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GOLDEN CALF WORSHIPPERS.

AN EMPHATIC REFERENCE TO THE SCHOOL QUESTION.

REV. A. J. MOWATT TALKS VERY PLAINLY FROM HIS PULPIT.

Samaria Likened unto the Canadian Conservative Government of Today.

At the evening service held at Erskine Church last night Rev. A. J. Mowatt made an emphatic reference to the Manitoba school question. Taking his text from Hosea 10: 11, 12, he made a comparison between the worship of the Golden Calf by Israel and the condition of religious affairs in Canada.

Samaria he likened to the Government of today, and said that the folly of calf worship in the olden times was as ridiculous as it had been hundreds of years ago in Samaria. It was an utter folly and nothing but evil could come from it. The calf of Israel to-day might be found in the Manitoba school question, through which the Government might yet be very badly thrown. He approached the subject with diffidence; the responsibility properly rested upon other shoulders than in authority were sacred in a way, but sometimes it was necessary to speak. After reviewing the historical aspect of the question, he stated that the original Act granting Separate Schools had been clearly contemplated by a hand working in the dark. The present law, passed in 1890, he was informed, was then acceptable to nineteen-twentieths of the people of the Province; it was steadily growing in favor, and would be perfectly satisfactory if it were not for outside interference. From the statements of Dr. Bryce, an authority on the matter, he learned that the Remedial Order contemplated would result in an upheaval. It was a move toward retrogression. If a gross injustice had been done certainly the Government should interfere, but something less than so complete a reversal of existing conditions should be done. The people of sister Provinces might be doing the people of Manitoba a cruel wrong if they stood up with arms and saw it done. The people of Manitoba deserved the sympathy and encouragement of those of other Provinces. They had grappled with many difficult questions, and it in the main had been successful. Just as they were beginning to see light, they were to be thrust back into darkness. It was not only unwise but an injustice to stand by and look upon it. If the conditions of the case were as had been informed, it would be to the hurt and dishonor of the people of Canada to look on while the Act was enforced.

At the conclusion of the service, the speakers were: Messrs. Proulx, Prefontaine and L. P. Brodeur. The Tories were represented by ex-Ald. Jeannotte, M.P. and several Liberals, who wanted Mr. Bissonnet, their candidate, to come and speak. He was at the hotel, and the Liberals sent message after message asking him to come and discuss the situation. Messrs. Prefontaine, Brodeur and Proulx addressed the gathering, and at 3 o'clock the meeting broke up. The Conservatives being very much disappointed at Mr. Bissonnet's refusal to attend. At 3 o'clock Messrs. Bissonnet and Jeannotte spoke to fifteen electors. Mr. Geoffroy, the Liberal candidate, at Contrecoeur a meeting held at St. Marc, where yesterday morning they addressed a gathering of 500 electors in the theatre hall. It was rumored that Mr. Angus would be present, but he came not. The Liberal speakers were: Messrs. Proulx, Prefontaine and L. P. Brodeur. The Tories were represented by ex-Ald. Jeannotte, M.P. and several Liberals, who wanted Mr. Bissonnet, their candidate, to come and speak. He was at the hotel, and the Liberals sent message after message asking him to come and discuss the situation. Messrs. Prefontaine, Brodeur and Proulx addressed the gathering, and at 3 o'clock the meeting broke up. The Conservatives being very much disappointed at Mr. Bissonnet's refusal to attend.

THE WAR IN INDIA.

SECTION OF GENERAL WATERFIELD'S BRIGADE REPULSED BY THE ENEMY.

COLONEL BATTY KILLED DURING THE RETREAT OF THE BRITISH.

Thrilling Experience of Guides and Infantry Cut off by the Destruction of a Temporary Bridge.

Simla, April 14.—The guides and Infantry belonging to the brigade of Gen. Waterfield, part of the force operating against Umra Khan, of Jandul, were detached from their brigade and sent across the Pankora River to reconnoitre and to chastise some villagers who had been firing on the British camp. The British met a strong force of the enemy and were compelled to retreat covered by an artillery fire from the camp. Col. Batty was killed and several others of the British force were wounded. The natives showed great determination, and are still in force on the Pankora River. The third brigade has joined the first and second brigades at Sado.

The natives kept up a dropping fire on the British while the latter were engaged in constructing a temporary bridge over the river. The bridge was finally finished, and Col. Batty, who was in command of the guides, crossed over safely, with orders to form a camp in the morning and to destroy the native villages. The enemy, finding that their fire had not prevented the completion of the bridge, decided to destroy it. During the night they threw immense logs into the river above the bridge. These were caught in the rapid current and carried down with great force upon the frail bridge, soon pounding it to pieces. With the destruction of the bridge Col. Batty and his party were cut off from the main body of the British force. Col. Batty, however, proceeded into the hills to punish the natives. Soon he signalled across the river to Gen. Waterfield that two hostile bodies were approaching. Gen. Waterfield signalled back orders for Col. Batty to retreat. Gen. Waterfield's force covered the retreat with their mounted battery and maxims which were moved to the bank of the river for this purpose. Col. Batty executed the retreat in a masterly manner. When halted by the enemy a halt was made and a withering fire poured into the pursuers, whose confusion would enable the British force to retire a little further. These tactics succeeded until the British reached a wide plain, when, through fear of hitting their own men, the British force was obliged to cease firing, leaving got within halting distance of resources.

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THREE HOURS IN THE RAIN.

HON. MR. PELLETIER AFRAID TO FACE THE ELECTORS.

A GREAT LIBERAL DEMONSTRATION THROUGHOUT VERCHERES.

AN INTERESTING REFUSAL TO BET ON THE GOVERNMENT PROMISES.

The Liberal Candidate's Movements—His Election Conceded.

There were many Liberal victories in Vercheres on Saturday and yesterday, and spoke until about 11.30, when a cab arrived containing Hon. P. A. Leblanc, Hon. Mr. Beaubien and Hon. L. P. Pelletier. The first two entered the meeting and were at once asked to take part in the discussion. An invitation was taken by a special committee to Mr. Pelletier, but, despite the pouring rain, he declined to join his two associates in their arduous task. The discussion grew warm, and the two Conservatives continued to talk of what the Government intended to do in the matter of remedial legislation. Chairman Beaubien arose and offered to bet Mr. Leblanc \$50 (the money to go to charitable purposes) that the Government would not give such legislation, and he went still further. If Mr. Leblanc could get simply a promise from Hon. Mr. Ouellet or any of his associates that the Government even intended to pass remedial legislation, he would forfeit the money. Mr. Leblanc waited until 2.30, but Mr. Pelletier did not. The non-speaker then declined to take any chances on what the Government would do or intended to do. Two more invitations were sent to Mr. Pelletier to come and speak.

But he declined to have anything to do with the discussion, and the few Conservatives who had hoped to hear him left in disgust. The gathering dispersed at 2.30. Mr. Pelletier was rejoined by his companions, after he had sat in the rain-beaten cab for several hours.

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At St. Theodore Mr. T. Cardinal spoke for Mr. Geoffroy, and Mr. C. A. Cheuvert for Mr. Geoffroy. There does not seem to be the slightest doubt in the minds of the electors of Vercheres as to who will win—Mr. Geoffroy's election is conceded.

Tried to Cremate His Family. Winnipeg, April 13.—William Farr, a Canadian Pacific Railway engineer, was engaged under arrest to be charged with a desperate attempt to burn his residence with his wife and four children, last night. Farr betrayed himself in a conversation with his fireman. The house had been saturated with coal oil, but Mrs. Farr happened to be awake and extinguished the blaze.

Zimmerman Married. Troy, N.Y., April 14.—Arthur A. Zimmerman, the well-known bicyclist, was married in this city to Miss Grace Riley, sister of ex-Assemblyman James M. Riley, at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony was performed by Rev. John Walsh, of St. Peter's. Mr. and Mrs. Zimmerman left for a southern tour, preliminary to a trip to Europe.

OBITUARY. W. H. JEFFREY. April 14, — Mr. W. H. Jeffrey, the well-known mine owner, died at his residence, Newhurst Grange, this morning, at the ripe age of eighty-five. He had been confined to bed for only a few weeks. The deceased gentleman was born in England and came to this country sixty years ago, entering the service of a bank at Quebec. His life was a most active one and was marked with some bright successes and some reverses. He was one of the first to recognize the importance of the mineral asbestos and for some years worked the mine near Danville. Mr. Jeffrey leaves a large family. Two daughters live in England, one being the widow of the late Colonel Webster of the British army in India, and the other of Dr. Hunt, an army surgeon. A third daughter is the wife of Captain Thorpe, of Danville; a fourth is the wife of Mr. W. Cheney Holt, of New Orleans, and a fifth is the wife of Mr. Frank C. Thompson, of Sherbrooke.

NEW YORK, April 14.—James W. Scott, proprietor of the Chicago Times-Herald, and the Chicago Evening Post, died this afternoon at three o'clock at the Holland House, this city. His death was very sudden. He was taken with pains in the left side this morning and a doctor was called in. He said the pain arose from the passage of a stone from the bladder, and administered morphine. At one o'clock Mr. Scott became unconscious, and the doctor was hastily summoned again. He found that apoplexy had supervened, probably brought on from the pain, and Mr. Scott died without recovering consciousness. Mrs. Scott and a little niece were the only relatives with him.

TO-DAY'S WEATHER. More Rain and Unchanged Temperature. Toronto, April 14.—Pressure is low over the North Atlantic and in the Northwest Territories and States and comparatively high over the upper lakes region and the Southern States. Rain has fallen to-day in the St. Lawrence Valley and portions of the Maritime provinces; elsewhere the weather has been for the most part fair.

THE TEMPERATURES. Minimum and maximum temperatures—Calgary, 35-50; Q. Appelle, 44-52; Winnipeg, 38-52; Fort Snodgrass, 30-42; Toronto, 34-48; Montreal, 30-44; Quebec, 32-38; Halifax, 34-48.

PROBABILITIES. Lakes—Generally fair, but much change in temperature. Upper St. Lawrence—Mostly cloudy, showers in some places at first, not much change in temperature.

MONTREAL TEMPERATURE. The Montreal Temperature observed by Hearn and Harrison's standard thermometer, 1894 and 1895: Notre Dame Street: 8 a.m., 47; 10 a.m., 47; 6 p.m., 46; max., 50; min., 42; max., 46; Standard barometer, 8 a.m., 30.33; 1 p.m., 30.31; 6 p.m., 30.32.

HORRIBLE CRIMES.

LITTLE GIRL KILLED AND MUTILATED NEAR BOSTON.

Two Young Ladies Brutally Murdered and Secreted in a San Francisco Church—Arrests in Both Cases.

Boston, April 14.—Angus D. Gilbert, night station agent at the South Station of the old colony division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, is under arrest on the charge of outraging and murdering Alice Sterling, the eight-year-old daughter of George W. Sterling, whose body was found buried in the manure pile of the Dorchester District. The little girl's body had been crushed in by a heavy blow from an axe, and there was unquestionable indications that she had been outraged. Gilbert belongs to Musquodoboit, N.S.

A CALIFORNIA TRAGEDY. San Francisco, April 13.—A Sunday school teacher, with her pupils, entering the Emmanuel Baptist Church to-day to array the Easter decorations, found the body of Minnie Williams, of Alameda, frightfully mutilated in the pastor's study adjoining the main auditorium. She had been outraged. A dental student is suspected of the crime.

San Francisco, April 14.—The nude body of Miss Blanche Lamont, who has been missing since April 3rd, was found to-day in the tower of the Baptist Church where Miss Minnie Williams' corpse was found yesterday. Both were murdered, as the police believe. The suspected murderer, Theodore Durant, is a fugitive.

Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams were members of the Emmanuel church and members of the Sunday School class. The former was a student at the Normal School on Powell Street, in this city; the latter was a companion in a family in Alameda, across the bay. They were both 21 years old, brunettes, and pretty, modest girls. Both had been the recipients of attentions from a young medical student named W. H. T. Durant, who is also librarian of the church. The secretary of the Young People's Society of the church, on April 3 Miss Lamont disappeared. Diligent search failed to reveal any trace of her whereabouts, and her aunt, Mrs. Noble, with whom she had been living, was totally unable to throw any light on the affair. Miss Lamont came from Dillon, Montana, several months ago, having been in San Francisco for her health and at the same time attending the manual school. To perfect herself for a teacher.

W. H. T. Durant, suspected of the murder of Minnie Williams and Blanche Lamont, is now in custody. As soon as the news became known immense crowds surrounded the church, and the police were kept back by the police. Extra papers were gotten out, and thousands of people looked to the scene from all over the city. At five o'clock came the news that Durant had been arrested at Walnut Creek, on the road to Mount Diablo. The detective and his prisoner left on the next train for San Francisco, where they arrived this afternoon. Another immense crowd had gathered at the ferry to see the suspected murderer come on, but a detachment of police was in waiting and kept the crowd back. Durant was hustled away to the city prison, where he was locked up. The police are certain they have the right man. They, however, think Durant is another "Jack-the-Ripper," with a mania for murder. They state that it is highly probable that Durant is responsible for the killing of Eugene Ward, a young drug clerk, who was found stabbed to death several months ago in the store where he worked. No trace was ever found of the assassin, and the theory is that Durant killed him. No motive for the murder was discovered, and the fiendish cruelty of it—Ward being stabbed in eighteen places—leads to the belief that it was the work of an insane person.

Durant is about 25 years of age, and was born and raised in the neighborhood in which the murder occurred. His parents are highly esteemed people of the district in which they live. His father is chief engineer in Buckingham's, and he owns a large shoe factory, and while not rich, has been able to give his children a good education and stand them up life.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY. A villainous piece of highway robbery was perpetrated on St. Paul Street, near "Drake's Yard," early yesterday morning. The victim, Joseph Patenaude, was attacked by two roughs and stripped of everything of value about his person. Promptly he made his way to No. 6 Police Station, and Lieut. Watson went to work on the case. At a quarter to eleven two men were arrested charged with the robbery. Their names are Robert Connors and Pat Craven. Constables Maguire and Donlan made the arrests.

The mail steamer "Grand Lake" will not sail from Halifax to St. John's, Newfoundland, before Wednesday afternoon, the 17th April.

HARBOR INTELLIGENCE. Movements of Steamships. Arrived at From: Despatch, Halifax; London; Bordonia, Halifax; Matanzas; Paris, New York; Southampton.

April 14. Liverpool, Halifax; Newfoundland, Halifax; Liverpool, Cephalonia, Boston; New York, New York; Havre, New York; La Bourgeois, New York; Greaves, New York; La Gasconne, New York; Havre, Russia, New York; Hamburg, Brunswick, New York; Bremen, Voendam, New York; Amsterdam, Edam, New York; Antwerp, Bristol, Pictou, New York; Marsilles.

PERSONAL. Ex-Ald. Cunningham is out after a three week's illness. Ald. Hurtubise returned from Ottawa Saturday. Mr. Romeo Prevost, accountant has been appointed curator to the estate of Joseph Dumphousse, trader, Montreal. News received from Port Neuf is to the effect that owing to the recent heavy rain and caused considerable damage. Several bridges had to be raised above the paper and a large superficies of the village was flooded.

A Burglary and an Arrest. Early on the morning of Good Friday a burglary took place in a second-hand store on Craig Street, and a large quantity of valuable goods were taken. The robbery was reported to the detectives, and Messrs. Campeau and O'Keefe took the case. On examination of the premises it was found that the show window had been smashed and wares and many other articles abstracted. A search was commenced, and during the day most of the goods were found in the shop of one Moses Yasunovskii, living on Ferrault Lane. On Saturday afternoon he was arrested and will be brought up in the Police Court this morning.

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JUMPED TO HIS DEATH.

Fatal Leap of James Duffy From Brooklyn Bridge.

New York, April 13.—A young man who Steve Brodie says is James Duffy, of County Cavan, Ireland, jumped from Brooklyn Bridge at two o'clock this afternoon. His body completed several revolutions in the air, struck the water broadside and sank and was seen no more by the few spectators. Steve Brodie says he used every effort to dissuade the young man from the rash act without avail.

Incendiary Fire in Toronto. Toronto, April 14.—Lennox's planing mill, on Dufferin Street, was destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock this morning, and damage of \$7,000 caused. The fire was incendiary. A short time ago an attempt was made to fire the stables, but little damage was done. The loss was principally on the building, which was a total loss, and was valued at \$6,000. There is no insurance.

"La Favorite," grand opera, in four acts, Thursday night at French Opera House.

TO GOVERN THE PRO.'S.

DISCUSSIONS OVER THE WHEELMEN'S CLASSES.

WILL THE ASSOCIATION RECOGNIZE PROFESSIONALISM?

A Dull Day in Local Sporting Circles—Kid Lavigne to be Released—Saturday's Horse Races.

New York, April 13.—The World says: "The action of the Canadian Wheelmen's Association in adopting the class system of racing at its annual meeting on Friday, and its decision to take steps to discuss the idea of taking up the government of professional racing, indicate that the various bicycle associations governing the sport will assume jurisdiction over professional races in the near future."

The National Cyclists' Union of England took up professional racing last year and proposed a number of events. Throughout the country the racing men and cycle legislators are urging the League of American Wheelmen to recognize professional racing. Suggestions have been made for the L. A. W. to form three classes, A, B and professional, and also to abolish class B and confine itself to amateurs and professionals.

A prominent racing man informed a World reporter yesterday that to fully test the demand for professional races the L. A. W. should form a third class and see what class B riders would join the new class. The L. A. W. cannot afford, he states, to furnish cash prizes, unless the manufacturers will come to support professional teams he does not see how professionalism can flourish in this country.

Johnson's Amateur Status.

Syracuse, April 13.—Chairman Gideon of the National Racing Board of the L. A. W. has written to this city for the evidence in the case of Manufacturers E. C. Stearns & Co. against John S. Johnson, with the intention, it is thought, of examining into Johnson's amateur status.

Johnson and Sanger Will Race.

New York, April 14.—An agreement was signed to-day for a series of races between the two crack wheelmen, Johnson and Sanger, that will settle between them the question of the championship. Another agreement was signed for a one-mile team race between the Stearns and Spalding teams. David G. Sinafer, the trainer of Sanger and Titus met Thomas Eok, Johnson's trainer, yesterday, at the Everett House and completed the arrangements for the races. The final arrangements, such as fixing the date and place of meeting, will be made later.

TURF AND TRACK.

Racing at Alexander Island.

Washington, D.C., April 13.—It rained almost incessantly at Alexander Island this morning, and as a consequence the track was fairly inundated. At noon, however, it cleared off somewhat, but the track still remained very sloppy. The attendance was up to the standard.

Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs—Tom Flynn, 104 (Taylor), 1 to 1; Duke of Erie, 104 (Dorsey), 8 to 1; Pickaway, 102 (Congdon), 5 to 1. Time—1:04 1/2. Second race, 6 1/4 furlongs—Little Jim, 105 (Ham), 7 to 5; Johnny, 103 (Neary), 6 to 1; Benvenuto, 105 (Carter), 9 to 5. Time—1:21 1/2. Third race, 5 furlongs—Blue Bird, 106 1/2 (Washburn), 4 to 1; Reynard, 96 (Duffy), 8 to 1; Fuellein, 100 (C. Murphy), 5 to 1. Time—1:08. Fourth race, 1 mile—Paris, 100 (Congdon), 7 to 2; Tenacious, 103 (Van Dusen), 7 to 1; Pirate Chief, 100 (Dorsey), 8 to 1. Time—1:47 1/2. Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Woodchopper, 103 (Neil), 5 to 1; Keyhole, 103 (Washburn), even; Fredericks, 97 (Duffy), 3 to 1. Time—1:04. Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Trincolo, 107 (Washburn), 3 to 1; Kazan, 93 (Neary), 30 to 1; Leigh, 98 (Duffy), 9 to 2. Time—1:33 1/4.

Riley Gannon Loses at Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., April 13.—There were 4,000 persons present at Montgomery Park to-day. The talent made a "killing" with favorites ahead in every race. The special feature of the day was the capture of first and second money in the race for the Tennessee Oak Stakes by the Kendall Stables, Handsun and Urania. Riley Gannon, the plunger, backed Jane in the race for seven thousand dollars, and dropped his money.

Ed Corrigan during the day purchased Ironmaster for \$7,500 and Bedford for \$5,500. He will train them for steeplechasing. Summaries:

First race, 5 furlongs—George F. Smith, 115 (Chosen), 1 to 5; Philomena, 98 (McLain), 5 to 1; Lord Henry, 113 (In Johnson), 50 to 1. Time—1:02 3/4. Second race, two-year-olds, 4 furlongs—Captivity, 113 (G. Regan), 3 to 5; Fasias, 110 (C. Graham), 15 to 1; Sir Paul, 115 (Bergen), 3 to 1. Time—50 3/4 sec. Third race, Tennessee Oaks Stake, 1 mile—Handsun, 117 (A. Clayton), 1 to 2; Urania, 112 (J. Gardner), 1 to 2; Jane, 109 (Walker), 5 to 3. Time—1:44 1/4. Fourth race, selling, 8 1/2 furlongs—Plutus, 115 (A. Clayton), 1 to 2; Wokota, 109 (Chorn), 7 to 1; Joe Murphy, 113 (Bergen), 4 to 1. Time—1:51 1/4. Fifth race, steeplechase, short course—Templemore, 145 (McCullough), 7 to 10; Wyandotte, 138 (Hoffman), 15 to 1; Eldorado, 125 (Blakely), 5 to 2. Time—3:01 3/4. Good Bye finished third, but was disqualified.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Boone, 101 (Chorn), even; Bedford, 108 (Bergen), 4 to 1; High Test, 105 (E. Taylor), 100 to 1. Time—1:17 1/2.

A Poor Day at Nashville.

Nashville, Tenn., April 13.—The rain of the previous night left the track at Cumberland Park in a heavy condition to-day, though the weather was quite pleasant. Three favorites won, and other races going to the third choices at short prices.

First race, 6 furlongs—Buck Massee, 105 (Perkins), 4 to 5; Linda, 109 (Thorpe), 4 to 1; One Dime, 109 (Jackson), 30 to 1. Time—1:19 1/2. Second race, selling, 5 1/2 furlongs—Domingo, 116 (Thorpe), 2 to 3; Pelleas, 101 (Perkins), 2 to 1; Toano, 116 (Penny), 10 to 1. Time—1:19 3/4. Third race, Thora Stakes of \$1,500, for two-year-old fillies, 4 furlongs—Vespera, 115 (Thorpe), 5 to 1; Amanada, 117 (Leigh), 8 to 1; Mary Thought, 115 (Perkins), 4 to 1. Time—1:12 sec. Fourth race, selling, 1 mile—Imp Walsey, 108 (McCue), 4 to 1; Billy White, 109 (Thorpe), 8 to 1; Adah L., 98 (W. Jones), 15 to 1. Time—1:50. Fifth race, 4 1/2 furlongs—Bon Sfor, 105 (Thorpe), 4 to 5; Landson, 105 (Cassin), 8 to 1; Harry Jones, 105 (Jackson), 20 to 1. Time—54 sec.

Toronto's Horse Show.

Toronto, April 13.—The Army is now a hive of industry, and the contractors who are constructing the grand stand and ring for the big horse show have scores of men at work erecting a large grand stand, 300 feet long. The decorators are also at work with flags and bunting, and the hall will undoubtedly present a brilliant appearance when the horse show begins next Thursday morning. The buildings will be well heated, and among the box-holders it is likely that full dress will be the rule at the evening performances.

THE RING.

Lavigne to be Released.

Chicago, April 13.—A writ of habeas corpus for the release of George Lavigne, the prize fighter arrested at the Triangle Club, on the West Side, was issued by Judge Gibbons. Lavigne was brought into court, and the hearing of the case was set for next Monday at 2 o'clock. The fighter was released on \$500 bail. Lavigne said that at the time of the fight at Pana, April, 1893, with Myers, he paid a fine of \$250 to V. N. Duncan, the State's Attorney at La Salle County, and Duncan's receipt for the money will be produced by the fighter said, at the hearing next Monday.

Zeliger and Quigley Matched.

Philadelphia, Pa., April 14.—Owen Zeliger and Jerome Quigley, the lightweight pugilists, have been matched to appear at the Opera House, Chester, on April 27, under the auspices of the Girard Athletic Club.

Sullivan of Montreal Matched.

Pensacola, Florida, April 13.—Articles were signed and forfeits posted to-day for a ten-round glove contest for points, to take place at the opera house on next Wednesday evening, between Prof. Mike Carney, instructor of the Pensacola Athletic Club, and Dan Sullivan, of Montreal, Canada.

Benefit to Mike Walsh.

Mike Walsh, familiarly known in the sporting world as ex-midweight champion boxer of Canada, is to produce a benefit to-night at Glover & La Blanche's Boxing Academy, 223 McGill Street.

QUOITS.

Montreal Quoit Club.

The regular monthly meeting of the Montreal Quoit Club, the first meeting of the season, will be held next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Excelsior Hotel, St. Antoine Street. Every member and persons wishing to join this club, are requested to attend. Arrangements will probably be made for a club match on the Queen's Birthday.

AMUSEMENTS.

Mrs. Langtry's Two Performances at the Academy—Wilson To-Night.

Mrs. Langtry in her two performances at the Academy on Saturday of her new play "Gossip" drew audiences which, considering the prices charged and the state of the weather, were large. The greatest interest still centres in the personality of Mrs. Langtry, who has retained much of the charms which a decade ago made amends for her bad acting, while experience has made her a pleasing, though by no means a great actress. She has also learned to welcome, and no longer essays roles in which pretty dresses and personal beauty go but a little way towards success, and contents herself with what are known as "society" plays, which are well within her capacity. "Gossip," which is Clyde Fitch's latest production, is not likely to make much stir. Its dialogue is prosy; its situations not original; and its last act is almost sleep-compelling. But it gives Mrs. Langtry an opportunity of posing as a woman of fashion in a succession of costumes of the day; and in the role of a woman who having herself suffered, strives to save her friend from doing the same, she is likely to make much of the interest of the play for doing work which is well worthy of praise. She appeared to particular advantage in the emotional scenes in the second act. Mrs. Langtry shows little signs of the flight of time, though it is a long cry back to the time when she exchanged the social primers of a certain world of fashion for the stage. She is still a very beautiful woman, and maintains with marvellous success on the stage the illusion of youth.

Edie Shannon, another stage beauty of some celebrity, and Eben Plynton, are some of the principal members of the company, which is throughout capable and well-balanced. The play was well mounted, and in the stage setting some fine scenic and atmospheric effects were produced.

THE ROYAL.

A farce comedy called "The Hustler" is this week's attraction at the Royal. The cast includes Sherrill Matthews, Harry Bulger, Gus Mills, James J. Smith, James F. Cook, Joseph Coyne, James B. Bradley, Ernest Wilson, Thos. H. Humphries, M. C. Reynolds, Irene Hernandez, Mamie Mayo, Julia Taylor, Clara Randall.

FRANCIS WILSON TO-NIGHT.

To-night at the Academy of Music Mr. Francis Wilson, doubtless the best known of American comedians, will reappear before a Montreal audience after an absence of over a decade, when he will present his latest comic opera, "The Devil's Deputy," the libretto of which is an adaptation from the French original, made by Mr. J. Cheever Goodwin, the music having been supplied by Mr. Edward Jakobowski, the composer of that marvellously popular opera "Ermine." Mr. Wilson calls particular attention to the fact that the opera as given here will be the same, absolutely, in every respect as the original production at Abbey's Theatre, New York, it being the comedian's invariable rule to take his productions into the road complete in every detail. It is to this practice, for which he has become well known, that he owes not a little of the success which has been his, his patrons everywhere having come to feel that Francis Wilson will at no time leave any stone unturned in his effort to give them an entertainment of the most perfect description and the highest class. Mr. Wilson's engagement at the Academy is for one week, and the only matinee will be given on Saturday.

THE BATONNIERSHIP.

Four Candidates Will Likely be in the Field.

There will likely be a keen contest this year for the position of batonnier of the Montreal Bar. The elections will take place in the beginning of May. Mr. John Danlop, Q.C., has announced his intention to retire, and already the friends of four prominent counsel have proposed them for the office. Mr. J. O. Joseph, Q.C., is the senior candidate. He has been a member of the Council of the Bar for a number of years, and he has also acted as Barrister-General. Mr. Joseph was a district magistrate for five years, and he was a partner of the Hon. Mr. LaSalle. Another candidate is the Hon. Mr. Robitoux, who was Attorney-General in the Mercier Ministry. Mr. H. C. St. Pierre, Q.C., and Mr. J. L. Archambault, Q.C., Crown Prosecutor, will also likely be candidates.

There will be no opposition to Mr. Arthur Globensky, the present syndic of the Bar.

Numidian's Passengers.

Halifax, April 14.—The Royal Mail steamer Numidian arrived, with the following cabin passengers: Mr. G. H. Ainslie, Mrs. W. H. Ainslie, Miss A. Ainslie, Mrs. Boardman, Capt. A. V. Briscoe, Mrs. Briscoe, Miss Briscoe, infant and nurse, Mr. J. Campbell, Mr. W. S. Cook, Miss Copland, Mr. Chales, Mr. F. W. Darvall, Staff-Surgeon French, Mr. P. Mackay.

French Opera House—Matinee to-day, 2 p.m.—"Mignon."

Tuesday, April 16.—First performance of grand opera, with "La Favorite," a grand opera, in four acts. Music by Donizetti.

Dominion Line steamship Labrador, from Halifax on the evening of April 6, arrived at Liverpool yesterday morning.

POLITICS IN ENGLAND.

Trouble in the Conservative Unionist Alliance.

London, April 14.—The growing rift in the Conservative-Unionist alliance, the Spectator calls the worst political omen of the moment, is further evidenced by the movement of the leaders of the Conservative and Liberal-Unionist parties, the former pledged themselves to the support of the candidates of the Unionists in all the constituencies which the latter held when they deserted Mr. Gladstone on the Home Rule issue.

At each general election since that time the influence of the Unionists has been visibly waning, and the Unionist candidates elected latterly have owed their success to the Conservative vote. The repeated collisions which have taken place in the settlement of the claims of the rival candidates at the bye-elections have at last convinced the Conservatives that they were losing strength under the compact, and that they can do no better than to ally themselves with the Liberal-Unionist party.

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Considerable pressure has been brought upon Lord Salisbury and Mr. Balfour, with a view of hastening a split between the Tories and the Chamberlain faction, but it has had the effect only of eliciting from each an opinion unfavorable to any action tending to weaken the alliance. The present, however, there is a strong belief in the inner circles of the Conservative party that if the coming general election yields votes enough to the party to dispense with the Chamberlain clique, the Tory leaders will gladly seize the opportunity to throw them overboard. The Spectator makes the contention that the alliance is still the keystone of the situation and expresses the opinion that the success of the Unionist party without it is impossible.

The Radicals have decided to support the motion of John Comins Brunner, Liberal member for the Northern division of Cheshire, proposing to abolish the custom of summoning the House of Commons to the House of Lords to hear the Royal assent to bills, the observance of which custom is one of the remaining practices recalling the old-time subservency of the House of Commons to the Peers. Mr. Brunner, in his motion, contends that the custom compelling the Speaker and the members of the representative legislative body to trudge into the House of Lords to take part in a ludicrous ceremonial is too degrading to the Lower House to be any longer tolerated. He insists that if it is necessary to carry out imitations of the Royal assent in the presence of both Houses, the Peers should be required to come to the House of Commons.

Lord Rosebery is suffering from intermittent attacks of insomnia, and his physicians continue to advise him to go abroad for a long period of rest. Doubtless he would be glad to do so, but the uncertainty of the political situation.

The Speaker, who is reputed to be an inspired Government organ, has added gravity to the French evacuation of Tunis must precede or accompany English evacuation of Egypt. During the present negotiations between Great Britain and France, the evacuation of Egypt has not once arisen except in association with the British claims in the Upper Nile valley. If the disputes shall be finally referred to a European conference, they will include the Egyptian question; and the obvious desire in England is to include the United States also.

UNIVERSITY TROUBLES.

Prof. Dale Gives Interesting Evidence Before the Commission.

Toronto, Ont., April 13.—Under cross-examination at the session of the University Commission this morning, Student T. H. Greenwood stated that he did not consider President Landon worthy of the post, and that he had offered to fight with Prof. Mavor when that gentleman had accused him of dishonorable conduct. He had instigated the December boycott of Prof. Mavor's lecture on the ground of alleged incompetency. He had several disputes with him. He gave a list of the names of 32 students who had made speeches in the recent troubles. He said the dismissal of Prof. Dale brought on the boycott, which was aimed at the Government.

Prof. Dale, whose testimony has been looked forward to as the most important in the enquiry, was on the witness stand all the afternoon, where without a doubt the liveliest matches ever shot in the Dominion. The receipts slightly exceeded the expenditure. The open competition was held on the 21st of July, and for the first time in years, paid expenses.

The prizes were then awarded.

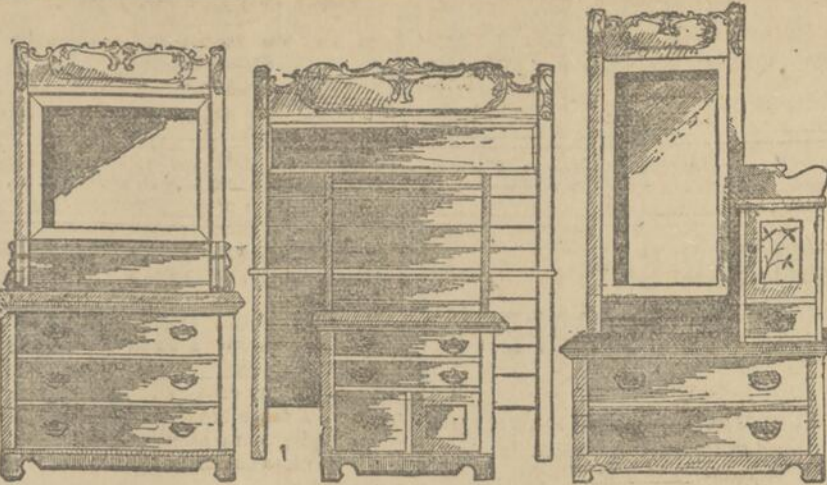
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The report was received and adopted, with the exception that it was decided that in future at the monthly matches the prizes given should be a table, dessert and teaspoon for first-class shots and a dessert spoon for competition alone among members of the association who are not members of the active militia force, and also that a spoon should be given for each five entries of green men in the monthly matches; those to be classed as green shots who have never won a prize in the Montreal Rifle Association matches, not counting open matches, and all those not now members of the Association.

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MONTREAL MARKSMEN.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

A Change in the Programme—Arrangement for the Monthly Matches.

The annual meeting of the Montreal Rifle Association was held Saturday night at the Vics' armory. The president, Lieut.-Col. Massey, was in the chair. The chief change in the programme was that the members' annual match will take place Sept. 14, after the Dominion Rifle Association. The secretary-treasurer, Mr. Arthur Ware, presented a satisfactory annual report. Great progress in rifle shooting was announced.

This he referred specially to as the inauguration of the Matthews' cup matches at the first-class range (300 and 900 yards) which had been the property of Captain G. H. Matthews, late of the Second West India Regiment, and the president, Lieut.-Col. Massey, were brought not only to a successful conclusion, but during their continuance were without a doubt the liveliest matches ever shot in the Dominion. The receipts slightly exceeded the expenditure. The open competition was held on the 21st of July, and for the first time in years, paid expenses.

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PLATTSBURG BURNING.

A Southern Town in a Fair Way to be Wiped Out.

Plattsburg, Mo., April 14.—Fire started this afternoon in the Stomum livery barns, and spread rapidly. At 8 p.m. the entire south side of the town has been destroyed, and the fire is still burning fiercely. Among the buildings burned is the Court House. The damage already done is estimated at \$300,000. After the receipt of the above despatch telegraphic communication with the afflicted town was cut off.

Glenora, Ill., April 14.—The St. Louis Pressed Brick Works here were partly destroyed by fire to-day. The loss is thought to be \$300,000. Los Angeles, Cal., April 14.—The Hotel Raymond, Pasadena, was destroyed by fire at 4.30 this afternoon. Not a stick of the famous resort is left. There were about 150 guests in the hotel, some of whom saved a few personal effects, though most of them lost everything. The Hotel Raymond was built in 1884. The cost of the building was at most \$500,000, and the furniture cost \$250,000. The building and furniture was insured for \$300,000.

CONVICTS CAPTURED.

Only Perry and Davis of the Five Who Escaped Still at Liberty.

Matthewan, N. Y., April 14.—Patrick Maguire and Michael O'Donnell, two of the five convicts who escaped from the Mattawan Asylum last Wednesday night, were captured at Pine Plains to-day by Attendant James Coyle of the asylum. This leaves only Perry, for whose arrest a reward of \$2,500 is offered, and Davis, who is said to be even more desperate and daring than the former, still at liberty.

BREVITIES.

The second annual meeting of the Montreal Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Firemen's Hall, Craig Street. The annual meeting of the United Protestant Workmen's Benefit Society takes place this evening at 8 o'clock in the Engineers' Hall, 226 1-2 Craig Street. There will be an Easter concert in the C.Y.M.S. Hall, 92 St. Alexander Street, this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. The programme consists of vocal and instrumental music, fancy dancing, calisthenics and recitations, and judging from the names of those who will take part, a pleasant time may be expected.

A woman named Catherine Ryan, living at 7 Imperial Avenue, slipped and fell on the street Saturday afternoon while in an intoxicated condition, and sustained serious injuries.

THE WORLD OF WOMEN

The Chicago Audubon Society. The up to date woman may have political bias in her Sunday bonnet if she likes, but the Chicago Audubon society insists she shall not indulge in dead birds. This fashionable adornment is emphatically deprecated by the thoughtless. In a word, the object of this society is to have a unique organization of men and women in the protection of birds. To this end a monthly meeting is held at the Athenaeum.

So extensive has become the killing of birds for feminine fashion that the subject is attracting widespread attention among ornithologists. The Chicago Audubon society, however, claims to be the only organization formed for the condemnation of the use of birds for millinery purposes.

At the regular meeting held yesterday afternoon the Rev. George Pratt read a paper on "Amateur Ornithology," followed by musical numbers. The audience was made up mostly of women who practice what they preach by not wearing birds in their bonnets, though they indulge in ostrich plumes on the plea that this does not necessitate the killing of the bird.

There are 8,000,000 birds slaughtered annually in the name of fashion," said Mrs. E. Irene Rood, president of the society. "As an organization we propose to be instrumental in the protection of birds and in time introduce such bills in the legislature. At present we are much interested in the bill now pending which relates to the game laws of Illinois."

"The Chicago Audubon society is, I believe, the only organization of the kind in the United States," she continued. "There was one in New York, but it has disbanded."

The society numbers 44 members and was organized several months ago.—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Girls of Today. That the American girl is making rapid strides in the direction of a higher degree of physical perfection is shown by the work going on in the gymnasia of schools and colleges devoted to her education and in the outside clubs organized for athletic purposes. Every form of athletic culture is now enthusiastically practiced by young women. They are riding with the hounds, they are on the tennis courts, they are fencing and bowling, they are riding horseback and bicycles, they are rowing boats and sailing yachts, and they are the admiring patrons of dog kennels and horse shows. They have not invaded the prize ring because they are not brutes. Very few of them have organized with ball clubs or football teams, for there is a plain where womanly dignity must stop, though one of the leading agitators for female physical culture in England is a zealous advocate of football as a ladylike accomplishment.

In all this there is great hope for the new woman. The girls of today are likely to become the new women of the new century. If they expect to hold their own on terms of anything like equality with men a high degree of physical health and strength will be one of their chief requisites. But whether they do or not physical culture will not be a drawback. Clear heads, sound lungs, strong limbs and forms after the Venus de Milo order will add to their attractiveness as well as to their happiness. As it is probable that the new woman will go out of fashion, it will be gain all round if the coming generations are not handicapped in the race by the physical misfortune of heredity.—Chicago Tribune.

She Makes It Pay. A young woman in San Francisco, or rather California, for the state is her field of operations, is making a good living and is having a great deal of fun as a traveling photographer. She embarked in the life because she was tired of the city, and she had so little knowledge pertaining to her occupation that when she attempted her first picture—that of two young men who wished to preserve themselves to posterity on a load of hay—she didn't know enough about her camera to get the plate exposed, but she soon conquered all these trifles and has made a reputation for good pictures, which insures her a cordial welcome whenever she returns to a field previously visited. She travels in a buggy, starting out in the early spring, and returning when she feels like it.

She is fearless and needs her cool courage occasionally. The first strike a toneless stretch of country. An all day's travel sometimes brings her to a place where she can get neither bed nor board. Then, as night approaches, she puts on a man's hat, kept for such occasions; buttons up a long black alpaca ulster to increase the masculine appearance, sees that her revolver is in good working order and rides on. The sum of \$2,500 in the bank, with the memory of many pleasant adventures, is the result of three years of this nomadic picture taking.—San Francisco Letter.

Dr. Parkhurst's Views on Woman. The greatest thing a woman can do is to do the thing that she was specifically endowed and ordained to do, and that is to bear children and train them for the uses and service of the world they are born into, and only such women as are morally or intellectually incompetent to appreciate the full denotation of this, or who have greater ambition than they have for fulfilling their mission, will be inclined to resent this statement of the case as an indignity, writes the Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst, D. D., in Ladies' Home Journal.

I have yet to be convinced that any disposed to resist nature's intentions for them, but the actuating impulse of those who do is doubtless a passion for some sort of celebrity and an impatience at the seclusion and the restraints which femininity, so construed, imposes upon them. They are not content to be known only in their children, and that is one great reason why their children are so little known. If Joseph

had had her head full of theories about an enlarged sphere for women and had gone about Egypt stumping for female enfranchisement, the little hero of the brush would probably have shared the fate of the other male children of the period and the lawgiver of Israel never have been heard of.

Women's Wages. From an article on the prevailing poetry in New York, which appeared in The Century Magazine, read carefully this paragraph:

"Can you appreciate the unspeakable danger, moral as well as physical, involved in the fact that among the 150,000 women in our city who earn their living and often the living of children and men, too, the average wage, not the lowest, but the average, where some are paid pretty well, is only 60 cents a day? Have you tried to understand the tenor of lives like those of seamstresses, who get from 20 to 35 cents a dozen for making flannel shirts and \$1.50 a dozen for making calico wrappers? Or to fancy how it must feel to labor for such pittance in cold and semidarkness from 4 in the morning until 11 at night? Or to estimate their purchasing power, when coal must be bought by the bucket at the rate of \$30 a ton, and rent in the vilest tenements paid at a higher ratio than the invested capital than is asked on Fifth avenue? If you and every other man and woman could be brought to realize these things and to ponder them a little, would they not cease to be? Surely it must be our ignorance, not our hard heartedness, which permits them now."

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Life Desertion. The Illinois legislature created a new crime—wife desertion. Formerly in this state, as elsewhere, a man could desert his family without any danger of imprisonment. He might be compelled to give up some money to provide for wife and children, but he was guilty of no crime and was safe from arrest. He is no longer. Desertion of his family has been made a felony, punishable with imprisonment at hard labor in the penitentiary, and not only has the law been passed, but several prosecutions under it have begun in the Chicago justice courts.

No one will complain of this. The abandonment of their families by men who forget honor and obligation has become an abuse so widespread as to call for the severest punishment. Men marry young women and desert them after the charm of the first intimacy has worn off, and this they have been able to do hitherto with perfect impunity. It is no longer possible in Illinois. The law may not result in restoring husbands to forsaken wives or in reviving lost love, but it will at least deter adventurers marrying young women without first considering the legal aspect of the matter.—Humana Journal.

A Reminiscence. For over 40 years—yes, 45 years—the shout has been going up in this country for perfect equality of rights for women; but, as you remember, 40 years was the allotted time for the children of Israel to wander in the wilderness in olden times, so history says. I wonder if any young person in this house can imagine what it has been for a few women in this country to spend 45 years, some of them almost 50, demanding what?—simply that the opinions of women should be recognized, respected and counted. That is all we ask, and yet, as you have heard here tonight, only in a few places has this demand been recognized. I remember just 20 years ago coming down to Philadelphia, going to your constitutional convention and praying that body to so construct the constitution of the state as to guarantee to woman her voice in the government. I don't believe it was ever put to a vote; it was not thought worth while. If that constitution had been left as it was, if it had not been altered to prevent such a thing, woman today would have been permitted to cast her ballot in Pennsylvania.—Susan B. Anthony.

Council Meeting Postponed. The meeting of the first Provincial Council of the Roman Catholic Bishops of the Archdiocese of Montreal, which was called for April 28, has been postponed until the end of September.

Shamrock Directors to Meet. The last meeting of the directors of the S. A. A. A. will be held this evening preparatory to the annual meeting of the Association which will take place at the Young Irishmen's Hall on Tuesday evening.

Resolution of Condolence. At a meeting of the Bar held Saturday in the Court House, resolutions of condolence were passed with the family of the late John J. Bates, who practiced law in this city for a number of years.

ELLEN BEACH YAW. A Young Woman With the Most Marvellous Range of Voice Ever Heard. California is very proud of Ellen Beach Yaw, the young woman who, on her recent tour of the United States, has electrified audiences and startled critics by the marvelous range and sustained purity of her voice. Miss Yaw was born in a little village near Buffalo, but went to California when a child, and the Pacific coast numbers her among its adopted daughters who have earned fame behind the footlights.



Despite statements to the contrary frequently published, Miss Yaw has never sung in public in New York city. She was billed to appear at a Damosch concert in that city and was on the stage dressed and ready to go on when the memorable strike of the young conductor's orchestra occurred.

Miss Yaw a couple of years ago was only known to possess a voice with a phenomenal range, but it was a question whether it was such a one as would please the general public. The experiment has been made and has resulted in a manner which should be highly satisfactory to Miss Yaw, for peculiarly and artistically she has perhaps met with greater success than any concert singer that this country has produced during the last 20 years.

As an illustration of the range of Miss Yaw's voice an old story may profitably be retold. Mozart once wrote of Mlle. Ajurgari, "She has a lovely voice, a flexible throat and an incredibly high range." Ajurgari's highest note was C in altissimo, but Miss Yaw reaches B above that with ease and purity, while her lower range—G below the treble clef—is many notes below that of the artist of whom Mozart wrote. Miss Yaw's wonderful voice was first heard in Los Angeles by some one who knew its prospective value.

But it is not by her voice alone that Miss Yaw attracts. She is free from affectations, so sincere, yet at the same time confident in herself, that her mien adds much to a personality that is naturally winning. She has been told by friends that she is a wonder. Great teachers have not discouraged this estimate, great singers have listened to her and praised, yet with it all her head has not been turned. Old friends, whose pleasure it has been to hear her since a degree of renown has been won, say that she is the same girl who left Los Angeles in the hope that under the tuition of masters her voice might one day make her known. It has done this, and the promise now is greater than then the hope had been.

Patti's Triumphs Continue. The divine and perennial Adolina Patti is still scoring the greatest triumphs in Europe, despite the absurd statements of several alleged judges on this side the water that her voice had failed. The following, written by the famous critic of London Truth, will give some idea of the beautiful and gifted diva's plans:

Mme. Patti will return to London from Nice shortly, and she will make her only (and her first) appearance at the Philharmonic concert. The programme will contain one song—"Patti, Patti, for choice"—but beyond doubt the prima donna will be asked for an encore. Mme. Patti will appear at no Albert hall concert this summer, but in the course of her six operatic representations at Covent Garden, most of them in June, we may certainly expect to hear "Il Barbiere" and "La Traviata," and possibly "Romeo et Juliette," in which the great artist sang recently at Nice. If M. Jean de Reszko could be induced to appear as Romeo, the cast would recall that of Covent Garden in 1867, when Mario and Patti were Romeo and Juliette, and Patti, Baglioglio, Tagliabue and Cottogno were either Capulets or Montagues. The rest of Mme. Patti's season's repertory cannot be settled until her return. Many of us would like to renew our recollections of her Zerlina, her Adina and her Norma, to say nothing of her Dinorah, her Marguerite and her Alda. But in so brief a season we cannot expect anything.

An Imperturbable Star. At a certain west end music hall in London recently, when a certain "lady" whose name has not always been confined to the advertisement columns of the London journals, was warbling a ditty with regard to the abduction of her husband by another lady, an irreverent "god," whose mind was not above scandal, shouted out, "Which one?" The "star" was not abashed. In fact she rarely is. She stopped, looked archly up and ejaculated, "Oh, you beauty!" and then resumed her song, amid shouts of laughter.

Lipschutz to Play Showalter. S. Lipschutz, who earned the title of chess champion of the United States by defeating Jackson W. Showalter in a set match for the championship in April, 1892, by the score of 7 to 1, five draws, and who says he has never relinquished the championship, is arranging for an annual match with the same opponent for a stake of \$1,000 a side. The match will be seven games up, draws not counting, time limit 15 moves an hour. Play will begin as soon as the stakes are up.

CONDENSED SPORTING CHAT. Mike Leonard, the Beau Brunnel of pugilism, will retire from the ring and go into the cigar business. The faculty at Wellesley have purchased an eight oared barge, and the girls will put a crew on the water. Young Griffin will fight McLaughlin at 185 pounds, weigh in at the ring side. He can do that weight very easily. In the Yale trophy room, there are 46 baseballs won in games with Harvard, 47 in games with Princeton and 14 in games with the University of Pennsylvania. The New York Herald will give \$50 to the baseball crank who first names the leading six clubs of the National league in the order in which they will be found after the games of May 31.

THE 5 O'CLOCK TEA TABLE. Suggestions For Its Tasteful and Fashionable Fitment. A correspondent asks for information concerning the proper fitting of a 5 o'clock tea table.

Beginning with the table itself, it may be a small oval, circular or hexagon shape. Any one of these is preferable to a square one. Tables are shown in shops that are provided with small leaves, or arms, a few inches wide, to open out in all directions. Such are not especially commended. Their effect is not as good as pieces of furniture, and they perform their office in rather an uncertain manner. Even four or five persons surrounding such a table endanger its freight, a slight jostle being sufficient to overturn a cup or plate on one of its frailty supported arms.

If the surface of the table is highly polished, and it is preferred not to cover it entirely, a handsome square or round centerpiece dolly, which is only a dinner center piece, is used, or a tea cloth a yard square may prettily and wholly veil it. The Dresden designs are not so many in vogue as they were. Our unhappy fashion of doing everything to the paragon, whether it be Dresden, Trilly or empire effects, has worked its inevitable reaction, and the powdering of linen with gay little blossoms is not much countenanced. Anything that is well done, however, remains beautiful, and those who have fine pieces of such needlework should let them see the light frequently. In planning a new cloth some later design may be employed.

For the actual impedimenta of the table there one required a tea caddy, a hot water kettle, a cozy, a wafer or cracker dish, two or three pretty cups and saucers, cream jug and sugar bowl. A flagon for alcohol is sometimes enumerated, but this and a spoon basket are like the tables with leaves—blatantly a function whose simplicity is its weakness. The alcohol should be put in the lamp out of the room. It is often attended with a little spilling, and it is much better to have the lamp ready for lighting beforehand. The tea caddy ought to be of silver; on a handsome cover, this little distinction being one that those "in the know" insist upon. To measure the tea with a spoon is not considered quite so correct and so redolent of the old time flavor as to use the cup cover of the caddy, "one fill to a brew." A glass mat may be provided to set the hot teapot upon, and the spoons are laid loose upon the table. These, by the way, as well as the cups, should be usable ones. In the days of souvenir spoons the rage for variety brought some curious travesties of these useful table implements. One felt grateful if one was not offered a perforated bowl, so twisted and grotesque and abnormal were the changes rung upon tea and coffee spoons. Cups should hold more than an actual tumbler, though they need not hold a pint, and should bear some relation to the laws of gravitation in their poise upon the saucer. They should have a smooth rim. A fluted edge is a most uncomfortable finish for a drinking vessel. The wafer basket may be silver, china or old glass, with again a preference for silver. A tiny ornamental vase or dish may hold matches.

It seems almost needless to add the caution that a parlor tea table should be kept in a state of irreproachable cleanliness, but the experience, once or twice encountered, of having a scum of dust rise on tea offered during a call on another than the hostess' regular day at home aroused the suspicion that some parlor tea tables are kept—like some parlor bric-a-brac—just only on company days.—New York Times.

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CHATEAUGAY RAILWAY. Towards the close of the late session at Quebec, a bill was hurried through entitled "An act to incorporate the Chateaugay and Northern Railway Company." A copy was not to be had of it, and we see it for the first time in the statutes. It provides for building a railway "from any point on the boundary line between the Province of Quebec and the State of New York, thence northerly to a point in the county of Soulanges," there to connect with the Montreal Island Belt Line Railway, and by it with the Great Northern Railway at or near the town of Joliette. The capital is one million dollars, and the provisional directors, A. F. Savaria, M.L.A., Waterloo; Dr. Cartier, M.L.A., of Ste. Madeleine; Eugene Malo, John Chaffers, and Pierre Poulin, of Montreal. The time given for completing the road is five years. The road is evidently an adjunct of the Bell Line Company, which, so far, has done little to realize its plans. If this Chateaugay branch is ever built it will accommodate the eastern sections of Huntingdon and Chateaugay counties, which need such an outlet very much.—Huntingdon Gleaner.

President Cleveland. (From the Philadelphia Ledger.) The truth with regard to President Cleveland is it is known to few who know him most intimately—in his public and private life, abroad and at home—is that he is an exceptionally temperate, or even abstemious man, both with regard to what he eats and what he eats. Mr. Cleveland is not only a rigorously self-respecting man, maintaining in all places and at all times the dignity of his great office, a fine sense of what is due to his own manhood, and a most chivalrous respect and honor for womanhood, but he is also a religious, a devout man, who zealously conforms his conduct to his principles and beliefs. Any statement made by any one which in any manner or degree conflicts with this is absolutely, maliciously false and slanderous, the statement of the Rev. Dr. Lansing being especially so.

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MARRIAGES. WEST-PATHE—In Prince Albert, N.W.T., on 20th March, at St. Albans Vicarage by the Rev. George Moore, Christopher Harfield, eldest son of Major-General W. H. H. West-Pathe, and Miss Mary Anne, daughter of Mr. C. E. A. Patterson, of this city.

DEATHS. CAIRNS—Suddenly, on the morning of April 9, at Theford Mines, Que., Mr. Alexander Cairns, late of Quebec. (Quebec papers please be consulted.) CHILDS—On Sunday Morning, April 14th, George Childs, aged 70 years. Funeral from the American Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, April 16th, at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend without further notice. DELANEY—In this city, on the 14th inst., Mary C. wife of J. D. Delaney, of Cheyenne, Wyo. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend the funeral from the residence of her father, John Brown, 113 Manufacturers Street, at 8 a. m., Tuesday, the 16th instant, to St. Gabriel's Church, thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery.

DARRACOTT—On Good Friday, at the residence of her son-in-law, J. Herbert Mason, Sherbourne St., Toronto, Mary Anne, wife of the late J. S. Darracott, an officer in Her Majesty's Regiment of Foot, Plymouth, England, aged 81 years. LEFEBVRE—In this city, on the 13th inst., at the age of 22 months, Jean Alexander, infant son of J. LeFebvre, 25 Wellington Street. Funeral Sunday afternoon, at three o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

PERSONAL. M'CONNKEY—At "Asheote," Guilford, on the morning of Friday, April 12th, 1895, Benjamin Ross M'Connkey, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, in his 48th year. TAYLOR—At Lawton Avenue, Dear Park, Toronto, on April 12, James Reid Taylor, aged 82 years. TAYLOR—At Port Huron, Mich., on the 11th April, Nellie, beloved wife of Capt. James Taylor (formerly of Ottawa). VALACE—In this city, by the 12th April, at her residence, 38 Ottawa Street, Emily Wellesley, beloved wife of John Wallace, aged 28 years. Interred in Mount Royal cemetery. (Collingwood, Ont., papers please copy.)

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Hon. Governor Schultz, of Manitoba, has just returned from a visit to Ottawa...

THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

Conservatives Alarmed About the Situation in Antigonish.

Halifax, April 14.—Leading Conservatives in this city have received disquieting advices from Antigonish...

A RUMOR REVIVED.

In Reference to Earl Aberdeen and the Lord Lieutenantcy of Ireland.

London, April 14.—A report is current in semi-official circles here that Lord Houghton is about to resign as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

A STRANGE CASE.

Mr. H. McCarron, of Detroit, Completed Cure of Blood Poisoning.

Detroit, Mich., April 15.—A very curious incident has occurred here...

THE BERTHE SHOOTING.

Detective Carpenter Arrests Martin at His Boarding House.

Ernest Martin, charged with shooting at his brother-in-law, L. Berthe, at Notre Dame de Grace, was arrested by Detective Magog last evening.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

Paris, April 13.—The eldest daughter of M. Ribot, the Premier, is to be married at Antibes, near Avignon, on April 23...

Worcester, Mass., April 13.—One fireman, William McLaughlin, was killed and two seriously injured by a fire which destroyed the five-story block owned by the Knickerbocker, on Main Street.

Little Rock, Ark., April 13.—Reports of a serious riot at Slight Springs were received here last night. Four men were killed and several seriously hurt.

Detroit, Mich., April 13.—A special licence of Mrs. Gilmore, one mile north of Westland, was burned, and another mother was severely burned.

The condition Mrs. Gilmore is in a destitute state and returned to bed, the family had a warning of their danger until the house was in flames.

Le Barbis de Seville, opera in four acts, by Rossini, at French Opera House Thursday.

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STATE OF THE RIVER.

The drenching rain of yesterday must necessarily have softened the ice in the river, but up to a late hour no movement was reported.

The water lowered yesterday morning 15 inches, and towards evening the gauge reported a rising of 6 inches, and recorded the depth as 32 feet.

Fog settled all down the harbor, and the most dangerous ice can be seen floating around inside the Guard Pier.

PERSONAL.

J. C. Cox, Ottawa, is at the Hall.

Henri Lajoie, Three Rivers, is at the Hall.

Dr. J. B. Hall, Truro, N.S., is at the Hall.

D. Durval, Magog, was at the Hall Saturday.

Lieut.-Col. Toller, Ottawa, was at the Windsor Saturday.

John H. Balderson, Ottawa, was at the Windsor Saturday.

George C. Holland, Ottawa, was at the Queen's yesterday.

G. W. Delaney, proprietor of the Burlington Hotel, is at the Balmoral.

Hon. Wilfrid Laurier is in the city and staying at the St. Lawrence Hall.

George B. Tremblay and P. N. Morse, of Burlington, Vt., are at the Balmoral.

H. G. Johnson, of the Johnson Steamship Company, arrived at the Windsor yesterday.

C. C. Chipman, Commissioner of the Hudson Bay Company at Winnipeg, is at the Windsor.

W. E. Hayes, Jr., Ottawa, arrived in the Windsor yesterday morning and registered at the Queen's.

E. E. Sheppard, editor of Toronto Saturday Night, is at the Hall. He is accompanied by Mrs. Sheppard.

Thomas McGill, representing the James Hay Manufacturing Company, of Woodstock, Ont., is at the Balmoral.

A. M. F. Giannelli, Italian Consul-General at Toronto, is holidaying with friends in Montreal for a few days.

The visiting governors for the present week to the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge and to the Home at Longue Pointe are Hon. A. W. Hornby and W. W. Ogilvie.

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WANTED—A FIRST CLASS HORSE-shoer (fireman), willing to take the floor if employed. Apply Box 73 A, Herald Office.

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A \$2,000,000 LOAN

TO PAY FOR THE EAST END DEPOT AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS.

Ald. Hurteau's Proposal Frustrated for Want of a Quorum.

A meeting of the Finance Committee was to have been held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. Up till 10.45, however, the only members who had put in an appearance were Ald. Hurteau and Rainville.

Ald. Hurteau was asked whether it was true that he was in favor of negotiating a two million dollar loan. "Yes," he said, "not as the Gazette states this morning, for, among other purposes, paying for the widening and extension of St. Lambert Street and the widening of St. Antoine Street. We can still borrow, according to the law, \$2,000,000. This sum I propose to apply as follows: to pay the balance required for the C. P. R. East End depot, for the necessary improvements in the Water Department, for general improvements begun or made last year, for the balance of the city's share of the Notre Dame Street West, Commons, and Commissioners Streets improvements, for the Brock Street widening and to retire temporary bonds which will soon reach maturity."

Ald. Hurteau expressed surprise that the other members of the Finance Committee did not attend the meeting. He said that the business of such importance was to be transacted. The important business comprised the consideration of the City Attorney's letter formally regarding the mandamus in regard to the St. Lambert Street widening and extension scheme; and a discussion of the annual appropriations for the committee. The law states imperatively that these appropriations must be made and sanctioned by the Council before May 1, so that there is little time left to go into the mass of details connected with the proposal.

Ald. Wilson Smith was afterwards interviewed at his office. "No," he said, "I did not attend the meeting of the Finance Committee this morning. In the first place, I only got the notice of it this morning when I came to the office; and then it was too late. It may have come yesterday, but I was not in the city. Besides, it was long before I practically understood that there would be no Finance Committee meetings on Saturdays, as that is a very short day for business men."

"I suppose you heard that Ald. Hurteau wants to borrow two million dollars?" "I have heard nothing about it. That news to me," he said, "it will no doubt be to all the other members of the Finance Committee except Ald. Hurteau."

Ald. Smith was shown the objects to which Ald. Hurteau proposes to apply the proceeds of the loan, if made. "I know," he said, "that we have power to borrow \$1,600,000 under the legislation of a few years ago, and that last year we retired \$400,000 odd of bonds, for which we can also re-borrow. But the Finance Committee as a committee has for some time past had very little to do in the financial arrangements entered into on behalf of the city. As to the advisableness of issuing another loan this year, I do not know, but I can speak at present, although I have grave doubts in connection therewith."

"What about those temporary bonds to be retired next May?" "I am inclined to think that it will be desirable to renew them. There is no necessity to retire them. The improvements to which much of the proposed loan would be applied, inasmuch as a large proportion of that \$2,000,000 is proposed to borrow is reserved for 1896 and 1897, and as we have the harbor loan invested in these improvements, which will not mature before the year, I think we should be able to do without this two million dollars. But, of course, other members of the Finance Committee, who are not so conversant with these matters than I, may hold a different opinion."

"If the city can legally borrow two million dollars a year, then it is not in the very immediate condition in which Ald. Hurteau told the Legislature it was when he wanted to get the borrowing power increased?" "Ald. Wilson Smith, with a broad smile, said: "Of course not. The fact speaks for itself."

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Sad Ending of the Lives of Two St. Louis Lovers.

St. Louis, April 13.—Louis Frank and Kate Kolb, who lived in this city, died in a horrible manner yesterday morning, the man being the murderer and the suicide by agreement. Their bodies were found lying side by side on a foot path, a few miles west of the city. In the right hand of the man was a revolver and each was shot through the heart. The tragedy was discovered by Chas. Taylor, a gardener, near Kolb, a beautiful young woman, lay stretched upon the ground with her throat cut from ear to ear. Blood was still flowing from the wound. By her side was the corpse of Frank, whose face was horribly distorted. He was lying almost face downward with his right arm thrown across the body of the woman. His throat was also cut. The knife, covered with blood, lay on the ground. At the feet of the bodies was an empty box labeled "patented" and the woman's hat lay crushed on the ground. Pinned to a ribbon was this note:—

April 9.—We have both decided to die together, and if one of the other should happen to recover the other shall not be held responsible for the deed. We are both going to take poison and I will do the shooting. We are not doing this because of any love affair, but simply because we do not want to live any longer. This is all we have to say and hope there will be no trouble. It was learned that Kate Kolb, who was only 17 years old, was in a delicate condition. Her parents live in Hamilton, Ohio, and she has been living here with an uncle.

OTTAWA NOTES.

Hon. J. C. Patterson's Future—A Treaty with the Cape. Ottawa, April 13.—W. B. Scarth, of Winnipeg, who has been after the Lieutenant-Governorship of Manitoba, and who has been in the city for the past two or three weeks, left for home to-day. It has been as good as settled that the Governorship will go to Hon. J. C. Patterson, between now and the end of the session. The Indian Department has awarded the annual contracts for beef supplies to the Indians. All the successful tenderers are Northwest firms. Sir Mackenzie Bowell has called Hon. Cecil Rhodes, Premier of the Cape, that that either Ottawa or London would be the best place to hold the proposed conference to discuss a trade treaty between both countries.

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DIED IN THE SEWER.

Overcome by Gas, Miller Dies Before Help Arrived.

London, April 13.—About two o'clock this morning Hugh O'Meara, brother of Ald. Stephen O'Meara, Harry Wallace and M. Miller, of William Street, entered the sewer at the corner of King and Ridout Streets and were working their way eastward, when O'Meara found himself becoming dazed by the effects of the gas and started to leave the scene of danger. Wallace also realized his peril. Miller, however, was by this time completely prostrated and was flung by his companions lying in the filthy sewer. In endeavoring to convey Miller to the manhole, Wallace, too, was overcome. O'Meara by a desperate effort, succeeded in climbing the ladder and reaching the manhole. Scarcely had O'Meara reached the surface when he, too, became unconscious, but soon revived. The rescuing party entered the sewer and brought out Wallace in an unconscious condition. Engineer Graydon arrived on the scene shortly and at once took steps towards searching for the unfortunate man, Miller. The sewer was opened at several places and the body recovered at four o'clock this morning. Miller leaves a wife and a large family.

NEWFOUNDLAND FERRY.

North Sydney Will Likely be the Mainland Terminus.

Ottawa, April 13.—If Newfoundland enters the Canadian Confederation direct means of communication between the mainland and the Island Province will be at once established. Aspy Bay on the Canadian side has been proposed as a terminus of the ferry, but there is no good harbor there and the Canadian terminus will likely be North Sydney. From Port Basque, the proposed terminus of the Newfoundland Railway the distance would be about 80 miles to the harbor at Aspy Bay. From Port Basque to North Sydney the distance is 120 miles, so that with fast steamers on the route the difference in time would be but a couple of hours or so against port of Sydney to offset which there are all the advantages of a splendid natural harbor.

JAPAN'S ULTIMATUM.

China Must Answer Within Twenty-Four Hours.

Shanghai, April 13.—The Mercury, to-day, reports that the Japanese have presented an ultimatum to Viceroy Li Hung Chang, the Chinese Peace Commissioner, demanding that China accept or refuse the terms offered by Japan not later than tomorrow. The Mercury adds that Japan has reduced her claim for a money indemnity by the sum of 100,000,000 yen, and she is also satisfied with the terms of the Shing King peninsula, on which Port Arthur is situated, and not demand any additional territory. It is reported that the peace party is willing to accept these terms.

8300 DAMAGES.

A Libel Suit Arising Out of the Gregory Farm Affair.

Judge Davidson rendered an interesting judgment in the case of Clement and Pagnuelo, who instituted suit against the publisher of La Presse. This case recalls the famous Gregory Farm deal. It will be remembered that Clement and Pagnuelo acted as real estate agents on behalf of William Mann, and regularly purchased the Gregory Farm situated in St. Gabriel village. This property was purchased from Richard Boulton, the president of the Montreal Loan and Mortgage Company, and subsequently sold on behalf of Mr. Mann by Clement and Pagnuelo to the city of Montreal at a profit. Several newspapers of the city, amongst which was La Presse, commented on this deal, saying that Clement and Pagnuelo were morally responsible for some of the losses occasioned to the city by this "Goleschichte," which was as nauseating as the soil which the "Goleschichte" was destined to receive. The article continued: "Clement and Pagnuelo were ordered to sell on behalf of the Montreal Loan and Mortgage Company for 12 1/2 cents a foot and they offered it on behalf of Mr. Mann for 18 cents per foot. If they were not the accomplices of certain offenders, they are certainly guilty of having helped Mann to make \$10,000 at the expense of the city."

CHARGED WITH FORGERY.

Eucledé Christian, an ex-employee of the City Clerk's office, was brought before Judge Dugas Saturday, charged with forging the signature of a Madame Souris. People by false pretences by forging the signature of a Madame Souris. Madame Souris deposed that she resided with the accused and his family. Last week she missed her bank book from a drawer in her room. She went to the branch bank on St. Catherine Street to inform them of it, when to her surprise the manager told her that the money had been drawn out in two instalments on April 6th and 8th last. Witness could not sign her name and a mark had been affixed on the two cheques in question. The accused pleaded not guilty and the enquete was postponed until Tuesday next. Bail was refused.

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Cruel in the Extreme.

Judge Jette rendered judgment Saturday in the case of Peterkin against the School Commissioners of St. Henri. A teacher opened a window in a school; this caused a draft and the child caught cold, which developed into pneumonia. Judge Jette held the Commissioners responsible for the act of the teacher, which he held inexcusable. The teacher had refused to allow the window to be closed, though the difference of 27 degrees was dangerous. The treatment of the child was cruel in the extreme, for he was not even allowed to leave the classroom. Many other children caught cold on the same occasion. The Judge granted \$100 damages.

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HYAMS CASE.

The Crown Claims to be in Possession of New Evidence.

(Special to The Herald.) Toronto, April 13.—During the past few days the skull of William C. Wells, who was killed in the Colborne Street warehouse of Harry and Dallas Hyams on January 16, 1893, has been examined by a large number of local surgeons. As a result, the Crown, which rested at the preliminary examination, after proving that the victim could not have been killed by the weight, will bring evidence at the trial at the Assizes to prove that at least two of the wounds on Wells' head were inflicted with an axe.

The injuries led to the conclusion that Wells was first struck on the head with the side of the axe, and that subsequently, probably while he was prostrated he received a blow from the back of the axe. The latter blow explains the wound above the eye. The Crown claims to have stronger evidence to connect Dallas Hyam with the murder of Wells than it has against his brother Harry.

COUNTRY NEWS.

A petition was sent from Kingston to the Department of Marine and Fisheries, asking that the close season for bass end June 15 instead of July 1, as at present. Answer was received that no change would be made this year.

A petition is being circulated in Magog, Que., asking the Council to pass a by-law closing all bars from 6 p.m. on Sunday to 7 a.m. on Monday and also asking them that the existing law relating to Sunday liquor selling and selling to minors be more rigidly enforced.

The Brothers of the Sacred Heart were engaged to conduct the Catholic School in Magog, commencing on September 1 next. During the holidays an addition will be made to the buildings to afford more school accommodation and also for the Brothers.

The Cornwall Standard does not yet feel at liberty to express an open opinion in regard to the respective claims of the two aspirants for the Conservative candidature in Cornwall and Stormont. It is quite clear, however, that R. R. McLennan is in Bertha's favor, and the reason is quite obvious. These two gentlemen want to have a see-saw on the religious question if both should happen to be candidates at the next general election. It is very likely that they will be, and that we will find these two worthies exchanging their respective religious influences across the dividing line between the two constituencies. This is a nice case to make of religion—Cornwall Freocholder.

The death of Mr. Stewart removed one of the oldest inhabitants of the County of Argyllshire. The deceased was born in Leeds, England, and in early life emigrated to this country. His trade was that of a shoemaker, at which he worked in various parts of this county. He was married twice, his first wife he had six children. Two sons, Andrew and Charles, live in Montreal, another son, Alfred, is in the Northwest Mounted Police. Of the daughters, Mrs. Scott lives in Massachusetts, Mrs. Williamson in Sherbrooke and Mrs. Millar in the States. The second family consist of three girls: one young Mr. Stewart for several years past was a consistent and faithful member of the Baptist church and his feebleness did not prevent him from attending the services of the church regularly.—La chute Watchman.

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