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NONE OF [illegible]OWERS WILL AGREE [illegible]O PROPOSALS

Not Even France, it is Said, Will Return a Favorable Answer to the Czar's Suggestion of Withdrawal From Pekin.

New York, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—I. N. Ford cables the Tribune from London this morning:—The opinion gains ground that none of the powers, not even France, will return an affirmative reply to the Russian propositions. On the other hand, it is also thought that none of them will care to send a decided negative, and efforts are now being made either to find a middle course or to induce Russia to withdraw her suggestion. The prevalent opinion here certainly is that Great Britain ought to retain her troops in Pekin if any two powers will support her in so doing.

DISTRUST LI HUNG CHANG.

The distrust of Li Hung Chang deepens, and it is now accepted that the Russian scheme was arranged after a consultation with him. On this point an interesting statement was made yesterday by the Chinese Minister, Sir Chih Chen Lo Feng Luh, who is a strong adherent of Li Hung Chang, and was once his personal secretary. When asked whether he had received a telegram from Li urging him to persuade England to accede to the Russian proposal, Lo Feng Luh replied in the affirmative. "Russia," he continued, "has offered at the instigation of Li Hung Chang to remove her forces from the capital, and has thereby taken the first step towards general peace. I do not believe that Russia's move has a double meaning, as persistently suggested, and I certainly am unable to confirm in any degree the report that the Czar has been propitiated by the promise of Manchuria. You may discredit it entirely."

CHINA SICK OF WAR.

Asked if he had succeeded in persuading England, the Minister replied: "I am doing all I possibly can. I have sent a powerful memorial to Lord Salisbury, and am anxiously awaiting his reply; so much depends upon that. America and Germany are hanging on the decision. Speaking officially for the moment, I cannot but think that Great Britain's withdrawal or promise of withdrawal would pave the way to a speedy settlement. The Chinese people generally are most anxious for peace. They are sick of war, and would welcome any negotiations which would have as a conclusion a mutual commercial basis on more permanent lines than heretofore.

"Between the two countries, Li Hung Chang, whatever you may assert to the contrary, is pro-European and not pro-Russian. Moreover, he is not philanthropically inclined, and does not seek for peace and reorganization of western commercial dealings because that would benefit the powers, but because it would benefit China and the Chinese. He is progressive, and in this is diametrically opposed to Prince Tuan."

GOVERNMENT STILL EXISTS.

To the further question whether the Chinese Government still existed as an agent of authority, Sir Chih answered: "Yes, in its entirety. It has only changed its seat, as it did in 1860, and taken up a temporary residence at Shanghai. Li Hung Chang is working in full sympathy with the Emperor and the Privy Council, who, with the Empress and viceroys, constitute the Government. All are bent on peace."

ADMIRAL SEYMOUR'S DIARY.

Admiral Seymour's detailed report of his attempt to relieve the Pekin legations was issued from the Admiralty last night. It covers twenty-eight pages of foolscap, and is a diary of the events from May 29th to June 26th. The British admiral in admitting the failure of the expedition says that success was only possible on the assumption that the Imperial forces would at least be neutral. By turning their arms against the relief force they made the failure inevitable. When the somewhat unusual character of the force, viz., a combination of eight different nationalities, is considered, it may, he thinks, be conceded that their harmonious action reflects credit on all concerned.

Admiral Seymour acknowledges his gratitude to the various commanding officers for their hearty co-operation, and especially refers to Captain Von Usedom of the German navy, who was the senior officer present after himself, and Captain McCalla of the United States navy. The latter officer was slightly wounded in three places.

General Gaselee sends a short account of the military parade through the Forbidden City on August 28. Each country was represented in proportion to its strength, and the order of the contingents in the procession was based on the same consideration.

"The nomination of Yung Lu to the peace commission," says the Standard correspondent in Shanghai, "is absolutely farcical, as he was the real originator of the scheme for employing the Boxers to exterminate the foreigners and Christian converts."

RUSSIA TO ESTABLISH HER MONROE DOCTRINE

London, Sept. 6.—What is now designated in some quarters as an attempt to establish a "Russian Monroe doctrine" in Asia seems doomed to modification. Hence the prospects of the continued concord of the powers are believed to be improving. It is thought the announcement of the names of the four personages appointed by imperial edict as Chinese peace commissioners will furnish Russia with a plausible reason to join in the American demand for the appointment of a more satisfactory commission and give Russia ground for delaying the withdrawal of her troops from Pekin until the Chinese imperial party shows a more conciliatory disposition.

According to a despatch from Shanghai, it is reported there that Prince Tuan (the father of the heir-apparent and reported leader of the extreme anti-foreign movement at the palace), is hiding within easy reach of Pekin, awaiting the result of the present conference of the powers.

FOUR BOXERS EXECUTED.

Tien Tsin, August 30.—Four prominent Boxers were executed in Tien Tsin to-day. The French shot two and the Japanese beheaded the others. The executions have had a good moral effect.

NATIVE SOLDIERS TAKE A HAND.

Taku, Sept. 4.—An expedition will shortly start for Pao Ting Fu, clearing the villages en route which were the seat of the first Boxer outrages in the Province of Chi Li.

The Russians intend to repair the railway through to Pekin.

It is reliably asserted that native soldiery, acting under the orders of Li Hung Chang, are exterminating the Boxers in the Provinces of Hu Nan and Chi Li.

THE BANK OBJECTS

Does Not Wish to Give Evidence in Cold Storage Co. Failure.

Pleads That Examination Would Reveal its Own Business Rather Than Company's.

In the matter of the Montreal Cold Storage Company, in liquidation, John C. Stetzinger, petitioner, and Merchants' Bank of Halifax, contesting and thers opposants, a petition was presented this morning on behalf of the bank, to Sir Melbourne Tait, to quash the judgment of the fourth of September which granted Mr. Stetzinger's petition for an order to examine Mr. Edson L. Pease, manager of the bank, as being able to give information concerning the trade dealings, estate and effects of the company, and particularly in respect of the property and the goods represented by the company's warehouse receipts.

The bank's opposition to this judgment sets up that no notice of Mr. Stetzinger's application had been given to the parties interested; that Mr. Pease is not manager of the bank; that the proposed examination is not authorized by the Winding-Up Act; that the officers of the company are here and should be examined, and outsiders should not be asked to testify until other means of getting at the facts are exhausted; that the effect of the examination would be rather to inquire into matters relating to the business of the Merchants' Bank of Halifax than to that of the company.

Arguments are in progress. Mr. Stetzinger is represented by Mr. R. C. Smith, with the Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick as counsel, and the bank by Messrs. Percy Ryan and Ed. Surveyer, with Mr. Macmaster as counsel.

KNOCKED DOWN BY EXPRESS.

When the C.P.R. train from Sherbrooke and Newport, arrived at Windsor Station this morning it brought on a stretcher Mr. James Cairns, a well known and much respected resident of Brigham, who was knocked down near Brigham Junction, and seriously injured by the Boston express for Montreal, about half past seven o'clock last evening. Mr. Cairns, a gentleman of means, was walking on the line from Brigham Junction when the express approached. Being an old man, upwards of seventy years of age, he was unable to get off the line in time to save himself although the engineer blew the whistle repeatedly. Fortunately the cow-catcher threw him off the track and thus prevented the wheels passing over him, but his arm was fractured and his shoulder dislocated. He was removed from Windsor Station by the ambulance to the Royal Victoria Hospital.

DETENTION ALLOWANCE.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—A special army order has been issued by the War Office dealing with the colonial officers' detention allowance. It provides that officers belonging to the colonial forces who have been invalided to the United Kingdom in consequence of wounds or sickness contracted in the South African campaign will be granted a daily allowance, in accordance with the following scale, during the period of their detention in the Mother Country, namely:—Field officers—For the first seven days, 15s; for the next seven days, 10s; afterwards, 5s. Captains or subalterns—For the first seven days, 12s 6d; for the next seven days, 7s 6d; afterwards the allowance will be issued by the chief paymaster of the Home District at the same time as the officers' pay.

McCRACKEN-McKEE WEDDING.

Huntingdon, Sept. 5—(Special.)—The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B McCracken was the scene of a very pretty wedding at 1130 a.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 5th, when their only daughter, Miss Carrie B., was united in marriage to Mr. John A. McKee, of Elgin. The ceremony was performed in the open air by Rev. P. H. Hutchinson. The bride was tastefully gowned in white figured muslin and was led to the marriage altar by her father. She was the recipient of many pretty and useful presents.

DISCRIMINATES AGAINST CANADA.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—On June 30 last the German Reichstag passed a decree authorizing the executive council to extend most favored nation treatment up to July 30, 1901, to Great Britain and Ireland, also to British colonies and foreign possessions. In accordance with this the Federal Council at Berlin has issued a notice extending favored nation treatment to Great Britain and all of the colonies excepting Canada and Barbados. It is difficult to see how under the decree the executive council has power to make exceptions in the case of any particular colony.

SIR CHARLES WARREN IS TO TAKE COMMAND

Halifax, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—The report that General Sir Charles Warren was to succeed Lord William Seymour in command of the regular forces in Canada was received with much enthusiasm in military circles here. General Warren, after the relief of Ladysmith, was made administrator of Bechuanaland, which position he resigned a month ago and returned to England.

EXHIBITION OFFICIALLY OPENED.

Quebec, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Yesterday afternoon the agricultural and horticultural exhibition now being held at Savard Park was officially opened by Hon. S. N. Parent, who was accompanied by Mr. S. Lesage and the directors of the society. A very large number of spectators visited the grounds during the day, and all expressed themselves highly pleased with the fair.

FOUND THE NOTE IN ARCTIC OCEAN

New York, Sept. 6.—The harbor master of Vardoe, the most northeasterly Norwegian port on the Arctic Ocean, has sent to the Herald the following:

"Vardoe, Sept. 5.—A bottle from Andree containing a note numbered 142 has been found four miles east of Vardoe."

Andree took with him on his balloon voyage in 1897 twelve despatch buoys, each consisting of a sphere of cork coated with paint and protected by a network of copper wire. At the upper portion was a copper stopper inscribed with the words, "Andree's Polar Expedition, 1896," and a number. This stopper closed a cavity cut in the cork to receive a tube in which documents or messages were to be enclosed.

RAILWAY THROUGH NEW BRUNSWICK

Quebec and New Brunswick Road to be Built Immediately—When it Will Run.

Quebec, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—The Quebec and New Brunswick Railway projected some years ago is to be built immediately. A meeting of the directors of the company was held yesterday afternoon at the Chateau Frontenac, the following gentlemen being present:—Hon. John Costigan, Hon. Mr. Dechene, Hon. Mr. Turgeon, Messrs. Dechene, M.P., H. G. Carroll, M.P., T. Clairs, M.P., lumberman, St. John, N.B.; J. Aug. Bernier, Edmunston; T. J. Corcoran, manager People's Bank of Halifax, Edmunston, and J. U. Gregory.

After the election of Hon. John Costigan as president of the provisional board and Hon. T. G. M. Dechene as secretary-treasurer, the subscription books were opened and a very large sum of money was subscribed by the directors. It was then decided that the company's books will be opened shortly for public subscription to stock.

The meeting adjourned after fixing Wednesday, the 19th inst., as the date for the first general meeting of the shareholders.

The new line has been chartered already by the Federal Government and the ordinary subsidy of $3,200 a mile granted. According to the charter the road is to run from Conner Station on the St. Francis branch of the Temiscouata Railway in New Brunswick, to a point on the Intercolonial at or near St. Charles Junction, or to a point on the Quebec Central at or near St. Anselme, or to a point on the Grand Trunk at or near Chaudiere Junction, a distance of 130 miles.

At Connor Station the line will join another new line, which line is now running to Fredericton, St. John and Halifax, and the distance from Quebec to the Atlantic Coast will be shortened by many miles.

The Quebec and New Brunswick will run through the counties of Levis, Bellechasse, Montmagny and Kamouraska, but it will be a considerable distance inland. In fact for a good portion of the way it will be very near the boundary lines. It will open up a magnificent tract of country which up to the present time has been completely isolated to the rest of the world. The inhabitants, who have formerly been obliged to drive, some of them fifty miles, to a railroad, will now have a first class system at their very doors, and there is not a doubt that this will do wonders not only in giving the people adequate means of communication, but in providing them with a convenient market for their produce.

Then, also, the line will pass through some magnificent timber and pulp wood regions, which will no doubt stimulate greatly this branch of trade. The engineers who surveyed the road have found no difficulty whatever in the way of construction, as the line will be almost entirely upon the height of land which bounds the southern limit. In consequence there are no rivers of any size on the whole route, and the item for bridge building will be very small. At the meeting yesterday the directors were very enthusiastic over the prospects of the new line.

CHEWED JIMSON WEED.

New York, Sept. 6.—Attracted by the white blossoms of the poisonous jimson weed, two little Brooklyn boys chewed the blossoms while playing in an open lot yesterday, with the result that one is dead and the other is barely recovering. The dead boy is George Lenz, four years old, and his playfellow is Joseph Johnson, five years old.

$20,000,000 FOR GOLD MINES.

Denver, Colo., September 6.—Martin Robbins, agent for the Armour-Haviland Company, of Chicago, in an interview last night said that he and his associates had just closed the first part of a deal involving $20,000,000 that is to be invested in Colorado gold mines by the packers and London partners. He declines to divulge the names of the properties until all the mines on which he had an option should have been transferred. His principals in the negotiations were the Armour-Haviland Company of Chicago and Mayes and Company of London.

THROUGH THE HERALD'S SIEVE

HERALD'S QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

SHERBROOKE STREET—To take a stain off clothes, wash them thoroughly in the bath, being careful that the water is dry. Then rinse them carefully, afterwards cutting the soiled part out with scissors or a sharp knife.

MME. SQUEE GEE.

Straw hats again to-day.

FOOTBALL practice has started in Montreal and the demand for sprain liniments will be looking up.

THESE are the days when little Tommy insists that he has to have 40 cents more for a new school book, after you have already been separated from about $5.

IT may possibly be cooler sometime before Christmas, but we are not sure.

OUR MAN WITH TUPPER.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., September 5.—(Special.)—By actual count 1,861,741 people heard Sir Charles speak in the skating rink. The rink holds about 750 people so they were packed rather tight. The great chief spoke 7 hours and finished strong. He denounced the Government for being solely responsible for the recent decline of 1-4c a bushel in the price of oats.

NAUTICAL PHRASE ILLUSTRATED: "He finally found his sea legs."

THE T FINAL.

A trace of imbecili T.
A popinjay's vanie T.
An absence of humili T.
A posture in socie T.
A want of generosi T.
A lump of rash temeri T.
Some grammarless verbosi T.
A vein of insinceri T.
No visible abili T.
An overplus of vani T.
A studied incivili T.
An evident inani T.
Starched linen in immensi T.
A dress without congrui T.
A wit of utter densi T.
And there's your masher to a T.

THE Boers are losing many horses from cold and lack of food.

NOW for "melancholy days" poetry.

THE allies made chow-chow of Tung-Chow.

THE FLOPPER.

THE man who flops to t'other side
Provokes my ire intense;
But he who flops, my way displays
His natural common sense.
SIR CHARLES TUPPER.

IF the truth were known, that Washington boy, who was being starved to death on ice cream was probably the envy of all the lads in his neighborhood.

MARIE CORELLI says Rudyard Kipling has written verses that are unladylike. Mr. Kipling might retort that Marie herself is not much of a gentleman.

"SAY Tommy did yer ma lick yer?"
"Naw; she wanted to, but she was 'fraid I'd holler so loud I'd wake the baby."

NEW CANADIAN SONGS.

"HUGH Macdonald's Nose Is Very Much Like Cyrano's"—Price 8 cents.
"Sir Charles Tupper's Speech is Full of I's."—Price, 2 cents.
"OUR Streets Are Full of Watercarts."—Price, 3 cents.

THE latest quotations of the mercury in Montreal would seem to indicate that the shirt waist discussion had not yet got ready to be withdrawn to make way for disquisitions on the availability of the top coat.

THE Czar is a great lover of peace when the other fellow will give up all points in dispute.

THE weather man is presenting a few powerful arguments in favor of retaining the straw hat a few days longer.

TUPPER.

TO-DAY his head is big and round;
But as the season onward rolls,
Still like the earth—perchance 'twill be
All flattened at the polls.

BURIED TREASURE.

WHEN the gossips hear a man slam his door violently upon going to work, they make up their minds to run over during the day and call on his wife.—Atchison Globe.

THE Dowager Empress of China has 500 full costumes. When she deserted Pekin she must have had almost as many trunks as are taken along by an American woman who is going away for three weeks.

PLEASED THE EDITOR.

W. T. Stackpole was in town yesterday making cider and he left a pailful at our office for all hands to try. It was fine and "Billy" is a gentleman all right enough.—Warren Sentinel-Leader.

AT present the European concert sounds like a German band playing on one of Montreal's side streets.

WRITES a Missouri editor:—"We expected to have a death and marriage to publish this week, but a violent storm prevented the wedding, and the doctor being sick himself, the patient recovered, and we are accordingly cheated out of both."

"GEORGE" said the Westmount wife "for land's sake, straighten up! You're worse hump-shouldered than ever."
"Laura," retorted the husband, "be satisfied with having married me to reform me. When you try to reshape me you are undertaking too much."

ELEGY OF FLETCHER'S FIELD LINKS.

The whistles blow the waning of the day,
The cows are straggling homeward o'er the lea,
But still I drive and loft and putt away
Till darkness comes to Bogey and to me.

SOMETHING must be the matter with New York. It has not had its race riot this week.

AT MURRAY BAY.

Madge—Why does she wear such a high neck bathing suit?
Marjorie—Had to. She wore one of those open-work shirtwaists and got the lace pattern sunburned on her.

FITZSIMMONS claims that he lost money at Carson City and with an evident desire to dispel any notion that he is fighting for his health he refuses to go there again.

THE GULF REPORT.

L'Islet—Raining, strong southwest wind; in 7.30 a.m., steamer.
River du Loup—Raining, strong southwest wind.
Father Point—Raining, strong southwest wind; in 12.45 a.m., Amarynthia, 1.30 a.m., Campana; out, 7 a.m., Andoni; 7 a.m., Fos and Avona.
Martin River—Cloudy, calm.
Cape Magdalen—Raining, south wind; in 6 a.m., Iona.
Fame Point—Cloudy, south wind; in 7 a.m., Greta Holme; 8 a.m., one Turret.
North Shore—Foggy, raining, east wind.
Pentecost—Marie Josephine, anchored.
Natashquan—In, 5.30 a.m., St. Olaf.
Low Point—Smoky, west wind; in yesterday, 5.30 p.m., Truma, 11 p.m., Symra.
Cape Race—Cloudy, west wind; out, 8 a.m. Nether Holme; in, 10 a.m., Pendosia, reports all well.

RESIDENCE BURNED DOWN.—The house of Mr. Joseph Marin, corner of Alma and Compte Streets, St. Louis du Mile End, was burned to the ground last evening. An exploding lamp started the blaze. The damage is in the neighborhood of $1,500.

CANADIAN FIRMS WILL HAVE CHANCE TO BID

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Enquiry at the Department of Railways and Canals shows that there is no foundation for the story circulated from Toronto to the effect that the Government, after having been asked for specifications in respect of twenty locomotives for the Intercolonial, deliberately refused to permit the Kingston Locomotive Works to tender, and handed over the contract to a United States firm. As a matter of fact, since the application was made for specifications by the Kingston people, no locomotives have been purchased, nor have tenders been invited. The story is thus absolutely without foundation. Doubtless when the Government does purchase locomotives, the Canadian manufacturer will be given every opportunity to tender with the rest.

TRAFFIC THROUGH SOULANGES CANAL

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—The wisdom of the Government's action in hastening the completion of the Soulanges Canal has been amply shown by the traffic through the canal since it has been completed. Already this year about 5,000,000 bushels of grain have passed through.

The Department of Railways and Canals has called for tenders for the construction of a lock at the town entrance of the Lachine Canal at Montreal and for improvements at the upper entrance of the Rapids Plats Canal.

During the month of July 3,098 passengers passed through the two canals at Sault Ste Marie and 4,101,765 tons of freight, of which 3,244,358 tons were eastbound, and 857,407 tons westbound. The total registered tonnage net was 3,513,387.

WOMEN MAY NOT SING IN CHURCHES

Sacred Congregation of Rites Calls Attention to Frequent Infraction of This Rule.

New York, Sept. 6.—The Sacred Congregation of Rites, which has recently been placed under the direction of Cardinal Steinhueber, has just issued a decree calling the attention of the clergy, both at home and abroad, to the strict law instituted by the Congregation prohibiting women from taking part in the music of divine service, either in solos or in choirs, says a despatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Rome. It is believed at Rome that the decree in question is more especially aimed at the Catholic Church in France, where actresses are frequently employed to sing solos in the churches, especially of the metropolis. But the order cannot fail to apply equally to the Roman Catholic Church in the United States, where the soprano and alto parts of the musical portions of the service are frequently taken by women instead of by boys.

AMERICAN COAL GOING TO EUROPE

New York, Sept. 6.—According to a despatch to the Herald from London, the New York and Philadelphia syndicate that has made large purchases of coal lands along the lines of the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore Railroads, with a view to entering the European market, has given orders to Atlantic ship yards for a fleet of American sailing vessels to carry American coal to the ports of Europe. The members of the syndicate have subscribed a first payment of $4,000,000.

CASUALTIES OF THE CANADIANS

Ottawa, Sept. 6. (Special.)—The following cablegrams arrived this morning from Sir Alfred Milner to the Governor General:—

Cape Town, Sept. 5, 1900.

76 Hope, "C" Battery, Royal Canadian Artillery, slightly wounded, Warm Baths, 3rd Sept.

Cape Town, Sept. 6, 1900.

98 Garner, severely wounded; 568 Cruikshanks, 465 Sergt. Brothers, 297 Jones, 284 West, 312 Wiggins, 335 Sergt. Logan, Lord Strathcona's Horse, 4th Sept.

General Natal Army to Governor-General: Bedfontein, Sept. 6, 1900.—Following casualties reported near Bedfontein, 4th September:—Lord Strathcona's Horse—Severely wounded, 98 Private A. C. Garner, left shoulder, right thigh; missing, 335 Sergeant L. A. Logan, 297 Private A. Jones, 284 Cruickshanks, 465 Sergeant J. Brothers.

(Signed) General Natal Army.

A. C. Garner is from Moosomin, N.W.T.; J. Brothers is from Arthur, Ont.; C. Cruickshanks is from Red Deer, N.W.T.; A. Jones is from Pontrelis, Eng.; W. West is from Nottingham, Eng.; H. J. Wiggins is from Rocksbury, Mass.; A. E. H Logan is from Folkstone, Eng.

COOLER.

Highest and lowest temperatures yesterday:—Kamloops, 70.50; Calgary, 68.38; Qu'Appelle, 66.46; Winnipeg, 62.40; Port Arthur, 68.52; Parry Sound, 78.60; Toronto, 80.70, Ottawa, 80.66; Montreal, 78.64; Quebec, 76.58; Halifax, 80.58.

Probs.—Fresh to strong southwesterly to Northwesterly winds, showers and thunderstorms to-day, turning cooler to-night and clearing; Friday, fair and cooler.

Montreal, Sept. 6, 1900.

Readings by Hearn & Harrison's standard barometer at noon yesterday, 30.14; at 8 a.m. to-day, 29.71; 11 a.m. to-day, 29.74; temperature to-day, maximum, 82; minimum, 64; yesterday, maximum, 80; minimum, 60.

FRESH ACTIVITY IN BOERS' RESISTANCE

After the Issuance of the Annexation Proclamation Commandoes Appeared in Various Unsuspected Places—Botha's Strong Position.

New York, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—I. N. Ford cables the Tribune from London this morning: As if in defiance of the annexation proclamation, the Boer resistance is assuming fresh activity in various distinct quarters. General Buller's column has been fighting continuously since August 21 and now finds its progress blocked by General Botha among the Lydenburg mountains in a position which is described as stronger than Vaal Krantz or Laing's Nek. The fighting of Sunday and Monday made no apparent impression on General Botha's force, which will probably be able to hold out against a frontal attack, but Lord Roberts hopes to turn them out by a flank movement. According to some newspaper correspondents, this will be the last stand of the Transvaal Boers, who will not retreat further northward owing to the hostility of the natives, but such reports should be received with caution.

The fighting in Orange River Colony has been serious. Ladybrand with its garrison of 150 men has been besieged by a strong force of Boers, and has made a desperate and successful resistance.

According to Reuter's telegram of yesterday's date the siege has been raised by the Boers.

COMMANDO AT THABA N'CHU.

A commando has also appeared at Thaba N'Chu, the scene of one of the most successful exploits of the burghers in the spring campaign. A British force under General Bruce Hamilton hastily left Bloemfontein on Saturday and there was an engagement near the water works on Sunday in which the Boers were defeated. In the central district of the Orange River Colony the Boers supposed to be under De Wet have raided the railway in two places and captured a train of trucks carrying supplies and stores.

SAME OLD SCHEME

Coal Contract Divided Among Members of the Market Committee.

LOWEST TENDER WAS IGNORED

On the Allegation That the Tenderer Had Given Poor Coal Once Before.

Steps are soon to be taken to put a stop to the pernicious practice of hucksters masquerading as farmers on Bonsecours market. It seems that many parties sell meat and produce there who have never seen the country. At a meeting of the Market Committee yesterday afternoon Superintendent Biron drew attention to this fact, and urged that the by-law should be amended so as to preclude the possibility of such commerce. The matter will doubtless be taken up at the next meeting. In any event, those desirous of selling butter and eggs may still do so, provided they procure the necessary space in the market.

The application of the Eastern Abattoir to erect a rendering house was referred to a sub-committee. It is the intention to supply the proposed building with all modern appliances, so that it will be impossible to detect any offensive odor. The sub-committee will thoroughly canvass the subject before reaching a decision, but the condition mentioned will be insisted upon.

For the 106 tons of coal required thirty tenders were received, all, with one exception, at the one figure—$6.25 per ton. The names of the tenderers were:—Alphonse Poupard, Chouinard & Hens, J. A. Letourneau, F. Sauvageau, Charles Charland, P. Pepin, Boyer Bros., T. F. Moore & Co., Andrew Baile, J. O. Labrecque & Co., P. Papin, John Marston, A. Lacoste & Co., Ed. Neve, Leclerc & Bruneau, Bradie & Bros., Henderson & Lovelace, Evans Bros., Jos. Cousineau, Alex. Duclos, P. Reed & Son, Wilson & Co., Jos. Lefebvre, J. C. McDiarmid, Chas. Lacourse, Wilson & Co, Whelan Bros., P. McCrory, Amiot, Lecour & Larivier, E Lemire.

The exception in the matter of price was that of C. Charland, who tendered at $5.95. Owing to his having supplied a poor quality of coal on a previous occasion, he was not given the contract. The amount of coal required was finally divided among the seven members of the committee. This was the plan followed last year; each member thus secures 1-7th of the contract to be used as patronage. J. Lefebvre & Co. get the contract for supplying seven cords of maple at $6.25.

Behind closed doors the committee discussed the question of making transfers among the market clerks. Incidentally they were given some instructions in their duties. The changes were: Jules Trudeau to be clerk of St. Lawrence Market; G. Tessier, jr., transferred to the haymarket; N. Fortier, transferred to Bonsecours market, and G. Charlebois to be assistant clerk of the same market.

LETTER OF SYMPATHY.

Quebec, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—A very touching letter of sympathy signed by Privates R. P. Dalberg, J. McCann, M. J. Delaney, R. Pleanty, P. Crotty, E. Wright and P. Wolfe, all Quebecers now with the Royal Canadians in South Africa, has been received by Mrs. Cooper, of Artillery Street. Mrs. Cooper's son, John T. Cooper, went with the Canadian forces as an artificer, and succumbed to enteric fever in Bloemfontein hospital.

BLAME THE FISHING CLUB.

Quebec, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Hon. S. N. Parent left this morning for Lac des Commissaires, on the Quebec and Lake St. John line, to preside at an investigation to be held there. Certain colonists are claiming damages to their property by the overflow of water caused by the construction of a dam by an American Club owning certain fishing reserves there. Mr. Plerliveau, advocate, represents the colonists, while Mr. L. R. Roy is looking after the interests of the fishing club.

FROM ROOF TO CELLAR.

Quebec, Sept. 6. — (Special.)—Napoleon Marcoux, 79 Caron Street, a mason, was working on a new house on Durocher Street, when he missed his footing and fell from the second storey straight through to the cellar, a distance of thirty-three feet. He was rendered unconscious by severe wounds on the head, but he will recover.

IN TWO INCHES OF WATER.

New York, Sept. 6.—Leonardo Episcopio, two years old, fell face downward into a drainage hole on one of the walks of Mulberry Bend Park last night and was drowned in two inches of water. The child had been crawling about on the walk while its mother was seated on a near-by bench chatting with an acquaintance.

TO RESIST SEARCH

Hotelmen to Make Test Case of Inspection on Sunday.

WHISKEY COMBINE IS BROKEN

And Liquor Dealers Will Now Discourage the Consumption of Combine Liquors.

The regular monthly meeting of the Montreal Licensed Victuallers' Association was held yesterday afternoon.

President Wilson made the announcement that the combine on whiskies had been broken, and that wholesale dealers had ceded to the wishes of the association. He further expressed the hope that other liquor combines might be broken, as they were greatly detrimental to the trade in general. A resolution was adopted pledging the association to encourage the drinking of liquors on which there are no combines.

Mr. Wilson called the attention of the members to the widespread interest in the association's work. It had members not only in the city and surrounding districts, but in all the other districts of the province. He had consulted with the directors on the matter, and they were of the opinion that outside dealers should amalgamate with the Montreal association and make a federation of liquor dealers in the province.

It was then proposed by Mr. A. N. Monatt, seconded by Mr. A. Jones: "That whereas the progress of the association is daily becoming more and more extensive, such a federation should be formed, and to this end the secretary-treasurer be instructed to give notice to all it might concern. Further, that as many of the smaller places would affiliate themselves with the Montreal association, it would be in the interest of the same to open up a permanent office in the city, and that the board of directors be authorized to make arrangements to this effect." The motion was carried.

The secretary, in reply to a question made by Mr. A. Jones, regarding the visits of the police on Sunday to every licensed house, said that in the opinion of the legal advisers of the association the police were exceeding their rights in presenting themselves and having the doors of the bars opened for inspection. The board of directors have given instructions to have a test case of this question.

After the meeting the directors met in session, and decided to rent No. 66 St. James Street as the permanent offices of the association.

ENGLISH COTTON MILLS MAY ALL BE SHUT DOWN

New York, Sept. 6.—A London cablegram to the Herald says that the prospective delay and shortage of the new American crop has brought the cotton manufacturers of the United Kingdom face to face with what are pronounced the most serious conditions which they have had to weather since the exports of cotton from the United States were stopped during the civil war. A meeting of the master spinners will be held in Manchester on Friday to consider an indefinite shut down of the mills. The total supply does not exceed 150,000 bales, only half of which is said to be usable. The scantiness of this stock may be judged from the fact that the average weekly consumption of the Lancashire mills is 58,000 bales.

PROMISE MINERS PROTECTION.

Seattle, Wn., September 6.—The miners of the Porcupine district in Alaska, have received from Secretary of State Hay, definite assurances that "this Government foregoes no part of its right and power to protect its citizens in the Porcupine Creek region, whether they be temporarily within American or British jurisdicton, in the full enjoyment of all rights and privileges which they had before the modus vivendi was concluded and to see that their freedom of access and exit with their goods is not unreasonably impeded."

This announcement from Mr. Hay is the result of a petition to President McKinley from 140 American miners in the Porcupine country, who complained of being brought within the territory and under the laws of the Dominion of Canada and especially protested against the location of the boundary line along the Klehini River, by which American miners were forced to enter British territory in carrying supplies to their camps. Secretary Hay discussed the whole proposition at considerable length and assures the miners that the modus vivendi is merely a temporary proposition.

KING MUST HANG.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Alexander King will be hanged at Dawson on October 2nd for killing Herbert Davenport, the Minister of Justice having declined to interfere.

BULLER AND BOTHA

Ancient Antagonists Again Face One Another.

IN LYDENBURG MOUNTAINS.

Boer Position Too Strong to be Turned Without Assistance and Roberts Sends Another Column.

London, Sept. 6.—General Buller engaged the Boers in the mountains overlooking Lydenberg on September 2. General Botha commanded the enemy, which held the pass throughout the day.

The Boer artillery fire was severe. Upward of two thousand men comprised the Boer force. The British cavalry with a horse battery, approached to within two miles of the enemy's position. The Boers then fired three Long Toms, which were located one on either side of the pass and one at a distance to the right. They also had another gun of high velocity mounted.

The British forces occupied a position in a basin on the right of the pass and were unable to retreat at nightfall. The Boer guns were accurately trained and were fired continuously all day, while the British being unable to use their position for gun fire effectively, advanced their infantry.

Between the lines, and hidden in creeks and overgrown scrub, were numerous Boer sharpshooters. General Buller occupied an exposed position on a ridge at the front. The behavior of his troops under heavy shell fire was excellent. His casualties are not stated.

In another despatch from Belfast, dated yesterday, Lord Roberts says:

"Buller reports the enemy to be holding a strong position in his immediate front which he could not turn. I sent a column to-day along the direct Belfast-Dulstroom road to assist him.

POINTS TO HIS DEPARTURE.

Cape Town, Sept. 6.—The arrival here of four of Lord Roberts' chargers is taken to be an indication that the commander-in-chief of the British forces in South Africa will soon return to England.

BOERS LOOTED AT LADYBRAND.

Maseru, Basutoland, Sept. 5.—The Boers left Ladybrand last evening. They looted the stores, and took all the horses, including the cavalry mounts. The British casualties were five wounded.

ACCEPTS HONORARY COLONELCY.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—Lieut.-Colonel Delamere, of the Queen's Own Rifles, to-day received through the Governor-General, a cablegram from Lord Roberts, in answer to the request that he should accept the honorary colonelcy of the Q.O.R. The message stated that with Her Majesty's approval he gladly accepts the proffered honor.

TO SECURE THEM EMPLOYMENT.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—The commander of one of the city regiments proposes the formation of an organization to secure employment for the members of the Canadian contingent when they return. Many of the men left good positions, which, on account of their long absence, have necessarily been filled.

PRAISES THE HOSPITALS.

Cape Town, Sept. 6.—At the monthly meeting of the Good Hope Society, Sir John Furley, chief commissioner of the Red Cross Society, said that he had recently visited the hospitals at Pretoria, Johannesburg and other centres of operations. He had found the arrangements for the care of patients excellent, and the hospital supplies abundant.

He spoke in glowing terms of the work of the London Central Committee, which he hoped would become a permanent organization and result in co-operation between the civil and military hospital systems.

The strain of the war was now practically over and there was no further need for public aid, although private assistance was still welcome.

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COAL STRIKE AT SYDNEY.

Halifax, N.S., September 6.—Yesterday morning the coal cutters of North Sydney Mining Association went on strike and mines, are now at a standstill. They demand an increase of six cents per ton. Mr. Hamilton, one of the directors here, has wired head office at Montreal for instructions. Mr. Hamilton in speaking of the situation said he had had many years experience with mines, and he never seen indications for trouble so strong as they are to-day.

HON. ARTHUR SEWALL DEAD.

Bath, Maine, September 5.—Hon. Arthur Sewall, Democratic nominee for vice-president in 1896, died at 8.30 a.m., to-day, as the result of a stroke of apoplexy suffered several days ago.

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DURING THE WARSHIPS' VISIT

British and American Vessels Were in the Harbor—Flag Cut Down by the Police.

Bar Harbor, Me., September 6.—A thousand flags, Stars and Stripes and Union Jacks, swirled in the morning wind here to-day. They flew in honor of the English and American warships that came to fraternize at Bar Harbor. That was an international event. One lone flag, the standard of the South African Republican, waved from a flagstaff in front of the cottage of Mr. Edward Van Ness, a wealthy retired lawyer of New York. That was an international episode, and it came very near causing a riot. When the news spread with great suddenness through the town that a Boer flag was flying on the lawn near the shore, a hundred people, including natives and society folks, started on a run for the spot. Because the owner would not tear it down the crowd stormed and threatened, and but for the action of the police, who themselves cut down the disturbing element, there is no doubt but that damage and violence would have been done.

Bar Harbor is mightily stirred over the incident. The originator of the trouble, Mr. Van Ness, is of Dutch extraction and a Boer sympathizer. He gave $50,000 to the cause last year, and was a member of the committee to receive the envoys to this country from South Africa. He hates the British and he disliked the idea of their visit to Bar Harbor.

A FIND OF INDIAN POTTERY.

Cornwall, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—A son of Julius Larne, living about two miles south of Helena, N.Y., across the river from here, recently found on the top of a knoll in a pasture, where the wind had blown the sand off, an Indian pot, oval shape, 12 inches by 13 1-2 inches across and of sufficient depth to hold about 16 quarts. The bottom was rounded so it would not stay right side up unless propped up with stones. It had evidently been made and shaped in a willow basket, as were most of the larger clay vessels. The knoll was examined carefully for other relics, but none were found.

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COST MULLINS $5 TO SOUND ALARM

Fred Mullins, 106 Fulford Street, who pounded the fire alarm at box 52, corner of Guy and St. Antoine Streets, to get assistance from highwaymen, was fined $5 by Recorder Weir this morning. Mullins gave evidence to the effect that he was passing along St. Antoine Street when, on reaching Guy Street, two men met him and demanded money. Then they struck him. He had taken some liquor, but was not intoxicated. Nobody was around, and as he feared for his life, he thought of getting assistance by sounding the alarm. He had run to the box, broken the glass with his key and pulled the hook. His assailants had watched him doing so. When they heard the reels coming they had run away. The Recorder in considering the evidence, questioned the desirability of sounding a fire alarm every time one were in apparent danger. The police force was called upon to protect people's lives, and the fire brigade to protect property. It would disorganize both departments to have the fire brigade do police work. Parties, the Recorder held, should not therefore ring the fire alarm if attacked. He would not go so far as to say they must not, but in doing so they would have to accept the responsibility of establishing before the courts that their lives had been really in danger. In the case of Mullins there was no corroboration of his statement that he had been attacked. Besides, it was admitted that he had taken liquor that evening. If Mullins had been able to run from his assailants to the alarm box and had remained there long enough to be able to sound the alarm, surely he would have been able to escape without getting assistance. Mullins was accordingly declared guilty and fined $5.

City News in Brief.

TAKES A HOLIDAY.—Dr. Abdon, public vaccinator, will start next week on a trip up the Saguenay.

STARTED IN STABLE.—The investigation held into the origin of the recent fire at Broulette and Aumond's factory, St. Catherine Street and Papineau Avenue, showed that the fire had started in a stable in the rear, near the mill.

BISHOP BALDWIN MAY PREACH.—Bishop Baldwin of the diocese of Huron, will probably preach on Sunday morning next at All Saints' Church, corner of St. Denis and Marie Anne Street.

ENQUIRY PROCEEDS.—The Fire and Light Committee this afternoon proceeded to a hearing of the charge which Foreman Naud preferred against Sub-Chief Dubois, viz., that the latter would secure for the former a raise in salary provided a money consideration of $50 were forthcoming. Interesting developments are assured.

CABBIES TO DRIVE ORPHANS.—A meeting of the Cabmen's Union was held last night. The idea was suggested that the orphans of the various religious institutions of the city be given a free drive around the mountain. The proposal met with general favor and it is possible that within a few weeks the little orphans will enjoy a good day's outing.

MORTALITY STATISTICS.—During the week ending September 1st the total number of deaths in the city of Montreal was 141. Of these 127 were Catholics, 12 Protestants and 2 Jews. The main causes of death were: Infantile debility, 55; consumption and other chest diseases, 23; diphtheria, 1; scarlet fever, 1; typhoid fever, 5; whooping cough, 3.

FIRE AT MILE END.—A lamp exploded in a house just across the C.P.R. tracks at Mile End last evening and on account of there being no hydants in the vicinity the building was burned down. A plentiful supply of water for the fire engine which turned up could have been secured from an adjoining quarry, but the firemen did not avail themselves of it.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY.—The detectives are making efforts to round up a gang of young thieves who have been operating in the north end. Last night they arrested James Farmer, 16, of Sanguinet Street and Alphonse Tessier, 16, of St. Martin Street, on suspicion of having broken into the stores of James Murphy, Cuthbert Street and J. Lachance of Guilbault Street. The boys pleaded not guilty and were remanded.

MRS. SANDERS' WILL.—The last will of the late Mrs. Henry Sanders has been filed. The deceased lady has bequeathed $500 to the Canada Congregational Women's Board of Missions, $500 to the Protestant Infants' Home, $500 to the Y.M.C.A. of Montreal, and $500 to the Y.W.C.A. of Montreal, and a small residue to found a fellowship in the Congregational College, the revenue to assist students doing mission work to qualify for the Christian ministry. The executors of the will are Messrs. C. S. J. Phillips and D. A. Budge, of this city. The bulk of the estate goes to relatives.

Misses Julie and Emilie Bourbonnier, of Maisonneuve, and Miss Emma Bourbonnier, of Montreal, are home from their holidays, at Ampersand, New York.

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City Surveyor St. George Makes Reply to Ald. Martineau.

BIG SAVING BY DAY LABOR.

A Further Consideration of Montreal Terminal Company's Project is Deferred Until Monday.

City Surveyor St. George,, at the meeting of the Road Committee this morning, at length replied to the questions propounded by Chairman Martineau during the enquete on Tuesday evening, in regard to the former's business connection with the Montreal Water and Power Company.

Ald Martineau again asked whether Mr. St. George had been associated with the Power Company in a business way, and if so, for how long and at what salary.

"I was employed," responded Mr. St. George, "not by the Montreal Water and Power Company, but by the bondholders in England, who were represented by the London Law Guarantee and Trust Company, to look after their interests and see that the Power Company spent the money properly. Before accepting the position I secured permission to do so from the then chairman of the Road Committee, Ald. (now Mayor) Prefontaine."

"How long ago was that?" queried Ald. Martineau.

"It must have been six or seven years ago. I was employed for possibly two years; and have not been working for them since."

"Would you mind making a written report giving the dates as well as the facts?"

"I don't know that that is necessary," asserted Mr. St. George. "If you want any additional information I have no doubt the company in England will be only too pleased to accord it."

"Did you come in contact with the officials of the Montreal Power Company?"

"Yes, at varying intervals. Sometimes once a day, at other times only once a week and frequently a month would elapse."

"Where did you meet them?"

"Both at their own office and in my own—during the day and at night."

"Had you occasion to attend meetings of the directors?"

"Yes, I met the directors very much in the same fashion as I met the officials."

"What was the amount of your salary?"

"I object to stating that, because it is entirely a matter of my own business."

CHEAPER PAVEMENTS.

For laying granite blocks between the street-car tracks the lowest contract price was last year 75 cents per square yard. This year the city has laid a large quantity of the same material by day labor at a greatly reduced figure. The price for Notre Dame Street was 71 cents, a reduction of four cents on the contract price, and in St. Denis Street, 64 cents per square yard, a saving of eleven cents.

"That is not a very great saving," said Ald. Martineau, "but still it shows what can be done when correct business principles are applied."

"Is the work done as well as formerly?" asked Ald. Gallery.

"Oh, yes," was the City Surveyor's assurance; "it is excellent work."

CITY NOT INTERESTED.

The resolution of the Council of Westmount, adopted on a report of the Mayor and laymen of that municipality, who both attended the conference between the Roads Committee and the representatives of St. Henri, Ste. Cunegonde, and Westmount, was submitted. It said: "That the Council disclaim any intention of defraying half the cost of re-diverting the Glen brook as suggested, but that the town is willing to pay the cost of conducting the said Glen brook in a separate drain to the boundary of the town of Westmount." The city of Montreal is only directly interested in this matter with the city of Ste. Cunegonde, because that municipality is the only one immediately contiguous to the city at the point where the sewer connection takes place.

NEW STREET RAILWAY CO.

If Mayor Prefontaine is agreeable, the Committee will hold a special meeting on Monday morning at ten o'clock to consider the conditions upon which the Montreal Terminal Company shall be permitted to use certain of the city streets and to designate those streets if possible. Managing Director Mullarkey, of that company, was on hand to proceed with the discussion, but owing to the length of the order paper, mostly devoted to routine matter, it was thought best to defer the subject in the manner indicated.

METHOD OF CHURCH ELECTIONS.

Kingston, Sept. 6.—"Some people," remarks the Whig editorially to-day, "do not understand church elections. The visible tokens of party struggle and the close criticism of men singled out for selection, give an impression of such canvassing as prevails in secular elections. But therein a great mistake is made. To canvas for personal choice is to destroy or maim his running chances. Clergymen and laymen alike drop his name and this silent rebuke has almost cured the evil. A recent case is an emphatic illustration of the error. A Montreal parish priest of great learning and popularity was diligently canvassed for as candidate for Bishop of the See of Ontario by Canadian Pacific Railway officials—Godly men, of course—and others, including Presbyterians, Methodists and Roman Catholics. Yet no one advanced his name in synod, because unwilling to be coupled with the means employed to bring him into notice."

FRENCH-CANADIANS TRAVEL.

Between 400 and 500 members of the Jacques Cartier Society from the district of Luiston, Maine, arrived here this morning by the Grand Trunk on their way to Quebec, where they will visit their old homes and friends. "I have had a good many opportunities in recent years" observed District Passenger Agent D. O. Pease this morning "of noticing the volume of French-Canadian travel. I have no hesitation in saying that the number of French-Canadians from the New England districts who have come to Canada this year is 50 per cent. ahead of that of any previous year. I don't know how far the good times in Canada are responsible for this increased travel; but I certainly think that the French-Canadians who emigrated to New England think a great deal more of their old homes than they formerly did."

A FIELD DAY AT OTTAWA.

Lieut.-Colonel J. P. Cooke told The Herald this morning that the different city regiments had been invited by Lieut.-Colonel Cotton to spend Thanksgiving Day at the Capital. Pending arrangements with the Government, the invitation as yet has not been accepted. It is Lieut.-Colonel Cotton's intention to have a big field day in order that the new Major-General O'Grady-Haly may have a good opportunity of seeing the volunteers.

SEAWANHAKA CUP CHALLENGES.

Only two challenges have been received by the Montreal Yacht Club for the Seawanhaka Cup contest next year. A dance is being held at the club house to-night, and during its progress the executive will determine upon a date when they will meet to discuss which challenge shall be accepted.

LABORERS FOR MIDLAND.

A party of 50 laborers left Bonaventure Station this morning for Midland, the progressive little Ontario town and port on Georgian Bay. They have been engaged to work for the Canada Iron and Furnace Company, Ltd. The majority were French-Canadians but some came from the Baron de Hirsch Institute.

OUTREMONT DRAIN CONTRACT AWARDED.

In the absence of the Mayor, Councillor Alfred Joyce presided at the regular meeting of the Outremont Town Council last evening, when the contract for a sewer from St. Catherine Road along Outremont Avenue to Quebec Street, along Quebec to Querbs, along Querbs to St. Viatin and along St. Viatin to Durocher Street, was awarded to the lowest tenderers, Messrs. H. Bourgoin & Co., for $11,995. There were four other tenderers.

THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Kingston, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—At this morning's session of the Grand Priory Knights Templar, these officers were elected:—Supreme grand master, Hon. Senator J. V. Ellis, St. John, N.B.; supreme deputy grand master, D. L. Carley, Windsor; supreme grand chancellor, W. H. Whyte, Montreal; grand treasurer, O. S. Stillman, Hamilton; grand chaplain, Rev. A. W. Richardson, Kingston; grand constable, Jno. Hewton, Kingston; grand marshal, Spencer Love, Toronto; grand registrar, W. T. McLauren, Montreal; grand council, elected: C. F. Marsell, Toronto; W. Gibson, M.P., Beamsville; J. Tressadder, Montreal; W. G. Reid, Hamilton; W. Roaf, Toronto; grand council, appointed: H. A. Collins, Toronto; R. Wacker, Hamilton; S. B. Archibald, Truro, N.S.; W. Campbell, London; G. T. Bennet, Toronto; provincial priors, London district, A. M. Stewart; Hamilton district, Charles S. Burtch; Toronto district, W. P. Ryrie; Kingston district, W. A. Bawden; Quebec district, H. E. Channell; New Brunswick, F. L. Tufts; Nova Scotia, T. V. Bungay; Prince Edward Island, Dr. Darrach; Manitoba, Dr. G. MacDonald; British Columbia, Dr. W. J. Quinland.

ON MODERN FRANCE

The Views of the Recorder of Valleyfield,

Who Has Returned From Paris, on the Language, Laws and Religion.

Mr. L. J. Papineau, the Recorder of Valleyfield, returned yesterday from a trip to Paris, and several of the French Provinces, where he spent a pleasant vacation.

Speaking of the Exposition, he said that from a spectacular point of view, it was a success, but he fears that it will be a financial failure. He says Frenchmen in general take more interest in Canada than they do in any other British colony; still French-Canadians are regarded in Paris more in the light of British colonists than as Frenchmen. They are treated with proverbial French courtesy; "but," added Mr. Papineau, "you will get no Frenchman to accept the French that we speak here as the language of modern Paris. Frenchmen, you know, are unlike the people of any other nationality in that they know no country except France.

"There is an impression amongst good churchmen here that France, and especially Paris, is becoming more pronounced in agnosticism, or what some people would call more sceptical, regarding matters religious," observed the interviewer. "Having spent some time both in the metropolis and in the country, do you think this is true?"

"I would not like to say that it is true. There is no doubt a great deal of infidelity there; but I attended many churches which were crowded with worshippers at early mass, and nowhere are priests spoken of with greater reverence or held in higher esteem than in Paris. No, I saw nothing that would bear out the sweeping statement which I have sometimes seen in print, that France is becoming an infidel nation."

"As Recorder of Valleyfield, I presume you would pay some little attention to the administration of justice over there. How did it impress you?"

"Oh, yes, I attended the courts a good deal. The judicial processes there are more complicated than ours; and I have no hesitation in saying that I prefer our own. In France, you know, an accused person is held to be guilty until he proves himself innocent. Here, of course, we assume a man to be innocent until he is proved guilty. Ours is the better course."

THE TESTIMONY IN THE FULTON CASE

In the case of Mr. J. N. Fulton, charged at the suit of Mrs. Coristine with misappropriation of funds entrusted to him Mr. John A. Grose was the first witness called yesterday. He related the steps which he had taken to arrest Mr. Fulton in Biston.

Mr. Edmond Giroux testified regarding a note for $5,000 which bore his signature. He admitted that the signature was his; but when he had given the note it had been blank. However, he did owe Mr. Fulton five thousand dollars.

Mr. Walter Coristine, whose examination was continued this morning, testified substantially that Mr. Fulton had returned some $80,000, and the amount of the estate still outstanding was some $18,000.

Mr. David Crawford stated that he had lent Mr. Fulton three thousand dollars on mortgage on the property at Dixie. Mr. Fulton had paid all of this back except two hundred dollars, but there still remained a claim for five thousand, of which the legality was contested.

The remaining of this morning's sitting was taken up with the reading in French of Mrs. Coristine's testimony.

TWO MONTREAL SOLDIERS BACK.

Private W. V. Elliott, of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, who has just returned to the city, had some active service on the way to and around Bloemfontein. He had a severe attack of dysentery on April 28, and was twenty-two days in hospital in care of the men of the Southampton Ambulance Corps, of whom he speaks highly. Later on he was sent to the Convalescent Hospital at Norval's Pont, in charge of the Royal Army Medical Corps, and thence to Wynburg Hospital, Cape Town. He states that the Canadians had the best horses in South Africa.

Private "Jerry" O'Brien, E Company, after spending a few days in Quebec, arrived home yesterday. He was present at the Paardeberg engagement. While at Bloemfontein subsequently he was accidentally wounded by a bullet shot and afterwards stricken with enteric. He warmly praises the work of the Red Cross nurses at Bloemfontein.

A STREET RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

There was great commotion at the corner of Windsor and St. James Streets this morning when a trolley wire on the Street Railway Company's Windsor Street line snapped and fell down on the pavement. The street car traffic was blocked for a considerable time, as many as 20 cars being brought to a standstill. A crowd of some 200 persons speedily assembled and seemed to be much interested in watching the live wire hissing and spurting and sending up boiling pitch from the sidewalks. One or two persons narrowly escaped coming in contact with the wire when it snapped.

RETURNING TO SOUTH AFRICA.

A party composed of eight gentlemen, Messrs. G. W. and W. T. Easterbrook, and W. J. Lazenby, of Tweed, Ont., Chester McClennan, of Alton; W. T. Patterson, of Orillia; W. G. Williams, of Lindsay; Benj. Roberts and R. J. Kitchen, of St. Thomas, arrived in the city this morning on their return to Lorenzo Marquez, Delagoa Bay, South Africa, where Mr. Easterbrook has charge of a large roller flour mill controlled by the Lingham syndicate. They sail on the Tunisian to-morrow morning.

GENERAL RUSSEL ALGER.

General Russel A. Alger, ex-Secretary for War in the United States Government, is in town to-day, staying at the Place Viger Hotel. He is here on business connected with the Laurentide Pulp Company. In the forenoon he had an interview with Sir William Van Horne, who returned this morning from his summer residence, where he has been for the last few days. Later in the day General Alger attended a meeting at the offices of the Laurentide Pulp Company in the city.

PRESENTS FROM AFRICA.

This week's mail from South Africa brought to Mr. Tom White, of Magdalen Street, one of Her Majesty's chocolate boxes sent as a New Year's gift to her soldiers, and a Transvaal sovereign, which has Oom Paul Kruger emblazoned on it. They are gifts from Mr. White's son, who left here in charge of the consignment of horses for the British soldiers.

WAR OFFICE DENIES IT.

London, Sept. 6.—Lieut.-General Sir Chas. Warren and the British War Office officials say there is no truth in the statement emenating from Canada that General Warren is to succeed Lieut.-General Lord William Frederick Seymour in command of the British troops in Canada.

IT WAS ACCIDENTAL.

An inquest was held this morning at 4 Voltigeurs Street on the body of Joseph Lalumiere, who was killed yesterday by falling down the hold of the steamer Montford. The verdict was accidental death.

PAY $38.50 FOR $14

High Interest Case in Police Court This Morning

OVER CHARGE OF FORGERY

The Borrower of the Money is Declared Guiltless of the Accusation Brought.

Jean Baptiste Gougeon was declared not guilty this morning by Judge Desnoyers on the charge of forgery preferred against him by Young & Company and H. Tapley & Company, of St. James Street. Gougeon, some time ago, applied to H. Tapley & Company for a loan of $25. He was required to have an endorser on his note. Gougeon returned the day following with the note endorsed "Jeremie Menard," of 555 Centre Street, and got the money. When the note came due Gougeon refused to pay it, and it was discovered, it is alleged, that the name of Jeremie Menard had been forged. At the trial Gougeon said that he had been out one evening with Jeremie Menard, jr., and he had authorized him to put his name on the note. Mr. Menard admitted having been out with Gougeon, and said it was not impossible that he had authorized him to use his name, but he did not recollect doing so.

The note was for $25, payable in thirty days. Gougeon had received only $14 of the $25, the face value of the note. First he had been obliged to pay $1 to file an application for a loan; then $10 was kept off the note as interest. At the bottom of the note in print was the statement: "After maturity interest at the rate of 120 per cent. will be charged." As has already been pointed out, this was lending money at the rate of about 300 per cent. per annum. When questioned by the Judge, Gougeon said he had not signed the note himself. He exclaimed dramatically, "I swear, your honor, that I had no intention of stealing or forging, and I would have paid the note if the interest had not been so high." Judge Desnoyers said there was no corroboration of the charge of forgery, and declared Gougeon not guilty.

CARS MUST STICK TO SCHEDULE TIME

Judgment was rendered in the Recorder's Court this morning in the case of A. Bonin vs. the Montreal Street Railway, for having refused to transport him to his destination. Mr. Bonin boarded a street car on Guy Street and wanted to go to the corner of Sherbrooke Street. Before reaching there, however, the car, which was behind time, owing to an unavoidable delay, at the Grand Trunk crossing, was turned and the passengers told to wait for the next car. Recorder Weir held that the company was obliged to run its cars on schedule time and therefore declared the company guilty and imposed a fine of $10 and costs.

FIELD OF POLITICS.

RESIGNS THE CANDIDACY.

Alliston, September 6.—G. T. Somers, banker of Beeton, who was nominated as the Liberal candidate in South Simcoe for the Commons some time since, announced that he finds the demands of his business so pressing that he cannot in justice to himself or the association remain in the field. Accordingly another convention to select a candidate has been called for Friday, September 14th, at Alliston. The Conservative candidate in [illegible] Simcoe is Houghton Lennox, of Barrie.

ALBERTA CONSERVATIVES.

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—At a convention of Alberta Conservatives held at MacLeod, the nomination was first given to Premier Haultain, who declined. Mr. Bennett was then nominated and accepted the honor.

KING'S COUNTY, P.E.I.

Charlottetown, Sept. 6.—King's County Liberals have nominated J. J. Hughes to oppose A. C. McDonald.

Hon. Messrs. Blair and Davies speak at Summerside Monday evening.

CAN NOT ACCEPT IT.

Vancouver, Sept. 6.—The Liberal convention yesterday at Revelstoke, nominated Hewett Bostock for Yale-Cariboo in the coming Federal elections. Mr. Bostock was not present, but in reply to a message notifying him of his selection, wired that owing to private interests requiring all his attention he would be unable to accept the honor.

TO BRING BARONESS HOME.

Mr. Harry Ledyard, of Detroit, son of President Ledyard, of the Michigan Central Railroad, accompanied by his newly-wedded wife, Maud, the daughter of Mr. William Hendrie, of Hamilton, will sail by the C.P.R. steamer Empress of China for Hong Kong on September 10. The young couple left Hamilton for San Francisco yesterday, according to C.P.R. advices, and they will go from the Golden Gate up the Pacific Coast to Vancouver. They have, however, a sad task before them at the end of their honeymoon. They go to bring back from Pekin the Baroness Von Ketteler, the wife of the murdered German Minister at Pekin, Baron Von Ketteler. This lady is President Ledyard's daughter, the sister of Mr. Harry Ledyard.

NEW YORK TOURIST PARTIES.

An extraordinary number of New Yorkers have been in the city during the past few days. The Delaware and Hudson Railway Company brought here this morning an excursion party numbering 60, which was organized by Mr. C. W. Nash. They are staying at the Queen's Hotel and are being driven round and up the mountain to-day. They ahve been to Niagara Falls and Toronto, and when they leave here they will return home. A number of small parties of New Yorkers are staying at the Windsor Hotel. Some of them belong to very exclusive society cirles. Amongst them may be mentioned General and Mrs. Grant Wilson and Miss Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley M. Moran, and Mrs. Jennie Moran, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ekart.

TEA AND TOAST.

When you're feeling a little out-o'-sorts, what pleases the palate better than this cheerful combination. Put the kettle on the gas stove and in five minutes you will have the most delicious tea you ever tasted. And as to toast you never appreciate toast unless you make it with gas. Why worry your brains about the quantitl of coal to lay in for the coming winter. You can have all your fuel delivered without dust or dirt through an inch pipe, as over 13,000 Montreal householders have had this summer.

OFFICIAL INSPECTION TOUR.

Mr. D. McNicholl, General Manager of the C.P.R., Mr. T. Tait, manager of eastern lines, and Mr. Robert Kerr, passenger traffic manager, left this morning on an inspection tour over the Atlantic division of the system.

HUNTINGDON'S FAIR.

Huntingdon, Sept. 7.—(Special.)—The fair, which takes place on the 13th and 14th September, promises to be a great success this year. All that is wanted now is good weather.

As far as Huntingdon is concerned, the Federal elections must be a long way off yet, because apparently nobody seems to care who is nominated, but, just the same, there are several prominent men who are anxiously awaiting forthcoming events.

SIR ERNEST SATOW.

Sir Ernest Satow, Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at the Court of the Mikado, will sail from Vancouver by the C.P.R. Company's steamship Empress of China on the 10th inst. Sir Ernest has arrived in New York, and is on his way through to Banff, where he will spend a few days among the Rockies before going on to the coast.

TOLD IT IN PULPIT

The Preacher Said He and His Wife Would Separate Forever.

DIDN'T LOVE EACH OTHER

One of the Most Remarkable Sermons on Record Preached by Rev. B. F. Querry.

Pana, Ill., Sept. 1.—Loveless, the husband stood in his pulpit. Loveless, the wife shrank in her pew. The simple-minded congregation gasped at his words:

"My marriage has been a living lie for eighteen years," he said. "One year after our wedding my wife and I ceased to love."

A wave of astonishment passed through the church. The farmers and their wives and children who had since 1881 taken their gospel from the lips of the Rev. Benjamin F. Querry, and looked up to him as a holy man, and regarded his wife as a fit mate for a saint—these primitive people who had grown to regard the minister's home as an abode of every Christian joy now heard his words with incredulity.

Solemn and pitiful indeed were the tones of the pastor of the Primitive Seventh-Day Baptist Church of Honey Bend as he proceeded with his confession.

"The strain is too much for me," he said. "I can no longer live with a wife who does not love me and whom I no longer love. We have resolved to separate."

The worshippers were bewildered. They had never heard of a separation between man and wife not provoked by dislike, or unfaithfulness, or quarrelling, or some overt manifestations of mutual hatefulness. The mere absence of love occurred to them as a slender and fantastic pretext. Love? If they had been asked to name an example of it they would have pointed at the pastor and his wife. And if they had been asked to name one who cherished romantic ideals of love—the love of poets—they would never have dreamed of pointing at the Rev. Benjamin F. Querry. But he was to undeceive them.

"There are many homes where love does not exist," he went on when the sobbing was hushed a little. "Is love a faculty that is dying out? Is the race growing independent of it? Is the time coming when there will be no more love between men and women?"

And then the startled congregation listened to a rhapsody on love which might have issued becomingly from the lips of a Romeo. But first came the account of something supernatural—a vision wherewith the preacher had been visited in the night.

"I saw a man," he said, "a prayerful man, a man of God. With him was a woman, a true Christian woman. They went through life hand in hand—for they were married—but not heart in heart—for they did not love.

"In the eyes of the world they were happy. They esteemed each other and were esteemed by their neighbors. They worked faithfully together for God's Kingdom. They lacked only one thing, but that one thing was the keynote of all things—love!

"And in my vision it was made clear to me that all the riches of earth, and all the good deeds, and all the peace and tranquility and good repute did not weigh a feather's weight in the balance if love were wanting. And I awoke from my sleep greatly troubled, and a voice cried in my ear, 'Thou art the man!'

"I awakened my wife, and there was no more sleep for us that night. Together we wrestled with the Almighty in prayer, beseeching His forgiveness and His guidance. There was no escape from His answer. No longer could we continue to live this monstrous lie and deem ourselves worthy of the life to come.

"So it is that I make my confession to you, fellow-Christians, and announce my departure from your church and your community. I must go forth into the world and seek for that precious thing which hitherto I have sought in vain. For we cannot exist without love and be worthy of ourselves and our Maker.

"Love, my sisters and brothers, is the product of dependence one upon the other. Civilization is making us entirely too independent. It enables us to live wholly selfish lives. Without love there can be no religion, for without the love of man for woman and of woman for child there never would have been any religion in the world.

"Every mockery is hateful to God, and most of all the mockery of love. My wife and I are separating to put an end to that mockery. I resign from the church to go I know not whither; but wherever it be it cannot be to a worse place than a home where love exists not."

Such a confession, such an announcement from the pulpit had never been heard before. At the close of the service the worshippers lay in wait for their pastor to ply him with questions, with entreaties to remain with them. He had no more to say than he had said from the pulpit. His wife and he had not quarrelled. They understood each other and were resolved to part. As for him, his mind was made up. He must go away. Nothing could induce him to stay in Honey Bend.

Querry was an admirable pastor. He was eloquent, energetic and tremenduously zealous. He was no dreamer. Whence the vision about his loveless marriage then? Thereby, say the farmers, hangs a tale. Six months ago there arrived at Honey Bend an itinerant healer, a dreamer of dreams and seer of visions, who with his passes and incantations professed to cure the sick. The Primitive Seventh Day Baptists turned up their noses at him, but Pastor Querry was impressed, and from that time he had a leaning for the supernatural.

This may be the explanation of his dream concerning his own loveless marriage. He would not acknowledge it himself, and as for his wife, she is as silent as the grave.

It remains to be told how this Darby and Joan separated. Mr. Querry hitched up the old horse to the phaeton and drove to the front gate, where Mrs. Querry clambered up beside him into the seat she had occupied nearly every day for eighteen years. They drove to Hillsboro, the county seat, and visited a lawyer.

Could he procure them a divorce? The lawyer looked at his gray-haired clients in amazement. What was the complaint? Oh, nothing. They did not love each other—that was all. The husband had dreamed a dream, and——

The lawyer begged to inform them that dreams were not evidence, and a divorce was out of the question.

Greatly disappointed, they went home and divided up their goods. The pastor made over to his wife the little homestead, the furniture, the horse and phaeton and $150 in cash—more than half his savings of eighteen years. For himself he kept a shotgun, a hymn book, a bedstead and the remainder of the cash—just enough to buy him a ticket to the furthest point in Oklahoma Territory.

And so he went away in search of a new life, this unloved husband of fifty, leaving his unloved wife to face the old life alone.

AN ORIENTAL EPISODE.

"Yes," said Li Hung Chang, condescendingly, "Confucius was a very great man."

"And a very good one," said the satellite, bowing three times.

"And a very wise one," continued Li. "But there are some smart things that he might have said, but never thought of."

The satellite murmured: "Is it possible!" He was so embarrassed and excited that he forgot to bow three times until Li hit him with a jewelled bungstarter, which he keeps for that purpose.

"He died long before I was made an Earl."

"He did, illustrious one."

"Therefore it was quite impossible for him to remark that I am the Earl Li bird who catches the worm; quite impossible!"

The satellite laughed long and loud, which shows that a jewelled bungstarter is always a good thing to have around a palace.

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WILL HISTORY REPEAT ITSELF?

No President has been re-elected since Grant—that is, in 28 years, says the New York World.

No President has been renominated since Grant except Harrison and Cleveland, and both were defeated for a second continuous term—that is, no President since Grant has had a second continuous term.

In 1888 Cleveland seemed to be absolutely sure of re-election, but he was defeated.

In 1892 Harrison seemed to be sure of re-election, but he was defeated.

Will Mr. McKinley furnish a third example, and will history repeat itself?

Beware of the silent, stay-at-home vote!

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK STOCKS.

The following quotations were received by C. D. Monk over J. S. Bache & Co.'s private wire:—

DESCRIPTION	Sept. 5 Op.	Sept. 5 Cl.	Sept. 6. Op.	Sept. 6. Cl.
Am. Cotton Oil	....	....	....	....
do. do. pref	....	....	....	....
Am. Tobacco	94¼	9	93¼	93¾
do do pref	....	....	....	....
Am. Sugar Rfg. Co	122¼	121¼	118⅝	121⅞
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Am Spirits Mfg. Co	....	....	....	....
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Anaconda Mining Co	45	45¼	45	45¾
Atch., Top. & St. F	28¼	28⅜	28⅜	28¼
do. do. pref	71¼	71¼	70¾	71¼
American Steel & W	36¾	36¼	35¾	36¼
Baltimore and Ohio	73	72¾	....	72¾
do do pref	79½	79¾	79½	79¾
Brooklyn Rapid T	55	53⅝	55	53⅝
Canadian Pacific	....	....	....	90¼
Canada Southern	....	28⅞	....	....
Ches. & Ohio	28¼	26½	27⅞	28⅞
Chicago, Burl. & Quincy	125¼	126	125¼	125¼
Chicago Gas	92	92⅜	93¼	92¼
Chicago & North Western	....	....	....	....
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific	106⅞	107¼	....	107
Chicago, Mi. & St. Paul.	114¼	114¼	113⅞	114⅞
Continental Tobco., com.	26¼	26½	26	26¼
do do pref.	79	....	....	....
Consolidated Gas, N.Y.	....	19	174½	177¼
Colorado Fuel and Iron	35¼	35	....	35½
Cleveland C.C. & St. L.	59¼	59	....	59⅜
Delaware, Lack & West.	....	....	....	....
Delaware & Hudson	....	19¾	....	111⅞
Denver & Rio G. pref xd.	68	68	....	19¾
Duluth, Sth., Sh. & Atl.	....	....	....	....
do. do pref.	....	....	....	....
Federal Steel	35⅜	31⅞	35	....
do do pref	....	67	....	....
General Electric	....	....	....	140½
Jersey Central	134¼	133⅜	....	132½
Lake Erie & Western	....	....	....	....
do. do. pref	....	....	....	....
Louisville & Nashville	71⅞	....	71	72⅜
Manhattan Elevated xd.	91¾	....	91½	92
Missouri Pacific	51⅜	....	50¼	51¼
Metropolitan Traction	154½	....	153¼	154
National Lead Co	18	....	....	....
do. pref	88½	....	....	....
Northern Pac., com. new	51½	....	50⅞	51¼
do do pref	71¾	....	....	71¾
N.Y. Central & Hudson	130¾	....	130¼	131¼
N.Y. Lake Erie and W.	....	....	....	....
do do. II pref	....	....	....	....
do do. I pref	34¼	34¾	....	....
N.Y. Ontario & Western	21⅝	21½	21⅜	21⅝
N.Y. Air Brake Co	....	....	....	....
Omaha com	....	....	....	....
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	....
Pressed Stel, Com	....	39⅜	39⅜	39⅜
do do pref	73	73¼	....	72½
Phil. & Reading, all paid	16⅞	16⅜	....	16⅞
Pullman	187½	187¼	....	....
Southern Railway, com.	11⅜	11½	....	11¼
do. do. pref xd.	53	52⅞	52⅜	55
Southern Pacific	34½	34¼	34	34⅞
Tenn. Coal & Iron	71½	70¼	....	69⅛
Third Avenue	....	....	....	111
Texas Pacific	....	14⅜	....	14½
U.S. Leather, com	10	11¼	10⅞	11¼
do. do pref	69¼	70	69	69⅞
U.S. Rubber, com	30¼	31½	....	30
do. do. pref	....	....	....	95
Union Pacific, com	57¾	57¼	57¼	57¾
do do pref	74⅜	74⅜	79¼	74¼
Wabash	....	7¾	....	7⅞
do pref	18⅜	18	....	18¾
Western Union Tel	79¾	79¾	....	79⅞
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	....
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CHICAGO MARKET.

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

Sept. 6.	Opg.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Sept.	73¼	73½	72½	73
Oct.	73⅞	74	72¾	73⅜b
Corn—				
Sept.	39⅛	39⅝	39⅛	39⅝
Oct.	38⅛	38⅜-½	38	38⅛
Oats—				
Sept.	20⅞	21	20⅞	21
Oct.	21⅜	21⅜	21¼	21¼
Pork—				
Sept.	....	10 82	10 75	10 82
Oct.	10 97	10 97	10 80	10 90
Lard—				
Sept.	6 70	6 70	6 62	6 62
Oct.	6 70	6 70	6 65	6 65-7
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	7 25	7 30	7 25	7 25
Oct.	7 07	7 10	7 05	7 10

THE GLASGOW WAY.

A Glasgow servant girl went home a few evenings ago with her head wrapped up in a shawl. Her young mistress asked her what ailed her, and was told that she was suffering from a bad attack of toothache, brought on by sitting in the park.

"But you ought not to sit on such a cold chilly night as this," said the mistress. "You should walk at a smart pace."

The girl looked at her a minute, as though pitying her ignorance, and then answered:

"You canna court richt walking; you must sit doon!"—London Telegraph.

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Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

The Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society, of Norwich, England, beg to announce that the powers of Mr. Walter Kavanagh, 117 St. Francois Xavier Street, Montreal, to act as General Agent of the Society for the Province of Quebec, have this day ceased,

And that,

MR. JOHN B. LAIDLAW, of Toronto, has been appointed Manager of the Society for the Dominion of Canada.

And that,

MR. J. H. LABELLE, who has for several years been Chief Inspector at the Head Office of the Royal Insurance Company, Montreal, has been appointed Superintendent, resident at Montreal.

All communications regarding the business of the Society, or application for Agency, should be addressed to Mr. Laidlaw, at Toronto, or to Mr. Labelle, at Montreal.

MONTREAL OFFICE.
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Montreal, September 4th, 1900.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the City Clerk, and deposited at the office of the said City Clerk, City Hall, for the supply of hay and oats during a period of three months, from the 1st October next, will be received up to noon, on the 15th September, 1900.

Any information required will be given at the Sanitary Engineer's Office, City Hall.

The Incineration Committee reserves the right to refuse the lowest or any tender.

Said tenders will be opened by the City Clerk, in the presence of the interested parties, at the first meeting of the Incineration Committee following the reception thereof.

L. O. DAVID,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
City Hall,
Montreal, 5th September, 1900.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

The Allan Line S.S. Tunisian, A. H. Vipond, master, from Liverpool, is entered at Customs. Consignees will please pass their entries without delay.

H. & A. ALLAN,
Agents.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,
District of Montreal.
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT—NO. 2068.

Joseph Dubreuil, farmer, of the parish of Ste. Anne du Bout de l'Isle, Plaintiff, vs. P. Brisebois, of the town of Ogdensburg, in the State of New York, one of the United States of America, Defendant.

The Defendant is ordered to appear within one month.

Montreal, 5th September, 1900.

L. D. JAREAU,
Deputy Prothonotary.

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THE HERALD

THURSDAY, SEPT 6, 1900.

THE CHOICE OF CANDIDATES.

The candidature of Mr. William Smith in South Ontario, is being spoken of by Conservative newspapers in a tone that would have been impossible a few years ago. Before the party was driven from office it was a popular belief that any candidate, however personally undesirable, was good enough so long as he could obtain in any way the support of the local Conservative clique. A common expression at that time was that a yellow dog was good enough, so long as it was a Conservative yellow dog. "Yellow dog" candidates were at one time rather profuse. Their appearance, however, marked the early fall of the Conservative party. Taking warning from this, the Conservatives of the present time have apparently made up their minds that "yellow dog" candidates would not do, and Mr. Smith, who has broken the eleventh commandment, and allowed himself to be found out, has been made to feel that such as he are not wanted.

There may be something to be said for the claims of Mr. Smith, for example, and of men like him who have allowed themselves to be made the victims of a vicious system. But on the whole it must be said that those newspapers which are busy reading him out of the party, come near to voicing what is and ought to be the dominating public sentiment in Canada. It ought not to be necessary to have to spend money in purchasing votes in this country, nor should it, on the other hand, be forgotten that it is the voters rather than the candidates who are responsible for this expenditure. It will probably be agreed by all who make any pretence of impartiality that the moral tone is better now in Canada than it was between 1888 and 1896. There is not now the prevading influence of the first personality in the Dominion in favor of the theory that the people like to be bribed with their own money. Now that men are to be nominated who will compose the next Parliament of Canada, it is as well to remember that the tone of public life is set by the men who are in public life, that Parliament can be no better than its members, and that to secure a high standard in parliamentary life it is essential to set high standards in choosing candidates for Parliament. There is nothing to be gained by either party, even though it should win a seat or two, if in the hope of doing so it is found necessary to advance men of questionable antecedents. The Liberal party especially, in doing its work of reform, has need of the support of a clear majority of the electorate, counting purchaseable element always amongst the minority. A purchaseable vote has no place in the reform party. It is to be hoped that Liberals in all constituencies will take example from the reception of the South Ontario nomination, and hold themselves above any temptation there may be to endorse questionable candidates, even when by so doing there may seem to be some chance of winning a constituency.

EXPLAINING THE GOOD TIMES.

Our friends of the Opposition cheerfully claim that the four years of prosperity we have had are due in the second instance to the bounty of Providence, and in the first to the wisdom of the Conservative party. The poor Liberals are to get no credit whatever. They are to be thankful that they have been in office without any reason for being there, and are not to feel at all put about if the true and only administrators are returned to their own at the approaching election. It is worthy of remark that the Conservatives have, according to their own story, done much better for the country while in opposition than they were able to do while in office, and it might not be unwise to even allow them credit for all they claim and then leave them for another four or five years in the position they now occupy with so much advantage to the country.

But supposing times had not been so good; supposing trade had not increased as it has from 240 to 370 millions annually; supposing manufacturers, instead of being busy night and day, had been working short time; suppose the crops had failed; suppose the cold storage facilities had been brought no further forward than they were in 1896; what would have been the position of these amiable critics of the Government? Would they have explored the depths of the wisdom of Providence to find an explanation for the depression, or would they have laid the blame upon the Liberal party in office? Would they have said the hard times were the result of the policy long continued in force by the Conservative party; or would they have harked back to their pre-election prophecies and reminded us that they always said disaster to Canadian industry must follow the accession of the Liberal party to power. We know what they did from 1873 to 1878. They did not counsel the people in that time to look on the hard times as a dispensation of Providence; they did not explain the decreasing trade as a result of conditions over which the Canadian Government had no control; they did not point to the diminishing revenue as a result of the world-wide business depression; they did not shoulder upon themselves any share of the blame for any or all of these conditions. What they did was to hold Sir Richard Cartwright and Mr. Mackenzie personally responsible for all the evils with which the country was afflicted. This is what they would do today, only the fates have not been propitious. Instead, people are able to point to four years of good times; to four years of prosperity the like of which has never been known in Canada; to four years during which new areas of mineral and agricultural wealth have come under development; to four years in which our railway system has been added to and our canal system improved; to four years in which desirable additions have been made to the Canadian population by immigration from other countries; to four years during which the old deplorable exodus no longer continued; to four years, in short, of the best political and economic conditions Canada has ever known. If the Conservatives were in power, they would say that the credit belonged to them; as they are not in power they say that the credit belongs to them and to Providence. But those electors who listened to their arguments in 1878, and who mistakenly put upon the Liberal party the responsibility for conditions over which it had no control, may fairly be expected this time to give the Liberal party in office the benefit of the doubt. There will be no harm in so doing, for as in the case of the cold storage enactments and in others that might be mentioned, the men in office have done much to enable the people of Canada to make the best of the favorable conditions and to get that shilling over and above what they otherwise might, which, as Mr. Micawber might say, means independence and affluence.

CAPORAL BERGERON.

It has been suggested that the designation of "lieutenant" is a little out of place as applied to Mr. Bergeron, and that he would take his proper rank towards Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Foster, if he were first promoted to be corporal. However that may be, Mr. Bergeron was certainly well received and much glorified at the picnic held in his honor in Beauharnois yesterday. Perhaps it was because he is not quite up to the calibre of Cartier, Chapleau or Langevin, or perhaps it was that his unfailing good humor has made his friends desirous of giving him a lift, but the one thing certain is that he was yesterday installed as leader in the Montreal district with plenty of enthusiasm. This is as it should be, for although he is a man of inferior talent, Mr. Bergeron has a record much better than that of Sir Adolphe Caron, who tried hard to be made leader for this district, was palmed off upon Three Rivers, and seems likely to be elbowed out even there. If the Conservative party in Quebec or elsewhere cannot have able men for its leaders, it is highly preferable that even inferior men should be substituted for the old clique with its Carons, Haggarts, Montagues and Tuppers. Of course, when it comes to the other and more important comparison between Mr. Bergeron and Sir Wilfrid Laurier as candidates for the admiration of French-Canadians, the aspirations of the Beauharnois Boy are made to look only a little better than ridiculous. He has been in Parliament long enough to have made a national reputation if the stuff were in him. Unfortunately for him and for his party, it is not. No one thinks seriously of putting him in the same class with the Premier. Mr. Bergeron has nothing very wonderful about him, but he is the best the party in this district has available, and political friends and foes will be disposed to felicitate him upon the success of yesterday.

MR. CHAUVIN'S BREAK.

We are pained to observe that the double game was played at Mr. Bergeron's picnic yesterday. They had Mr. Chapais there to tell the electors that nobody grumbled against Sir Wilfrid Laurier for sending the contingents,—or rather Mr. Chapais did not quite say this, but that having accepted Sir Charles Tupper for leader, they did not propose to reproach Laurier. Mr. Chauvin was there also, and he had some things to say. He wanted it understood that Mr. Bergeron and Sir Charles Tupper were running the party and that if any fanatics dared to show their noses, they would get into trouble. "I am not afraid to say," said he, "that I think Mr. Bergeron has better taste than to ally himself with Mr. Clarke Wallace. The lot of the fanatics of our party is that which was the lot of Mr. Clarke Wallace in 1896. When they do not wish to walk with us, we show them the door, as Mr. Wallace in 1896 was shown the door by the Conservative party on the school question." This is true enough as far as it goes, for Mr. Clarke Wallace was certainly put out of the Cabinet. But it was not by Sir Charles Tupper; it was by Sir Mackenzie Bowell, who did not like the way Wallace behaved in condemning the policy of the Cabinet, while ostensibly a member of it. Making up his mind, as he said, that a man must be master in his own house, Sir Mackenzie invited Mr. Wallace to retire. But then Sir Mackenzie was himself also invited to retire, his ejection being even more summary than that of Mr. Wallace. What he did for Mr. Wallace, Mr. Foster, Mr. Haggart, and Mr. Montague did for him. Sir Mackenzie Bowell, although still a leader, and during the last four years the most influential leader of the party, will not even speak to these other estimable gentlemen, but the point is that it was Sir Mackenzie and not Sir Charles who was so severe on Mr. Chauvin's pet fanatic, and that Sir Charles, since he became leader, has been acting pretty well in accord with these fanatics, as Mr. Chauvin calls them.

Still the member for Terrebonne is unterrified. Said he, "these men who say that we yield to the pressure of the fanatics of Ontario are themselves the men who yield. Did Mr. Laurier and his colleagues not yield to the fanatic element? Take the school question, which they dared not settle, whom did they fear? They feared the fanatical element of their party. Take the question of sending the contingents,"—and here we come to the choicest morsel—"take the question of sending the contingents, and whom did Laurier fear?" This ejaculation sounds like an echo of the question the Star used to ask in those days when the Premier was depicted as a skulking coward, going about in terror of alleged French fanatics. Now we are assured by Mr. Chauvin that Mr. Laurier sent the contingents because "he feared the fanatical element which demanded the sending of the troops, because he feared the jingoes, because, according to Mr. Tarte, he feared a race war." So it appears that Pamphlet No. 6, though dead, yet liveth.

ONE STEP TAKEN—ANOTHER TO TAKE.

It is announced in the Gazette this morning that Mr. Hugh John Macdonald intends resigning his position as Premier of the Province of Manitoba to the end that he may get rid of his present anomalous position in the approaching Dominion contest. When the announcement was first made of his intention to accompany Sir Charles Tupper, there was no intimation that he would take this step. Since attention has been called to his status, however, and since it has been made clear by the utterances of Conservative papers that he is to be regarded as a figure in Dominion politics, and no longer a merely Provincial politician, it is evident that the plans have been revised. We are disposed to give Hugh John some credit for this change, for he must have seen with how little grace he, as leader of the party in the relatively small Province of Manitoba, could star it with Sir Charles Tupper in the great Province of Ontario, where there are a dozen men whose labors in the interest of the party have been greater than his. It would have been a slight to Mr. Whitney which Conservatives and Liberals alike would have been right in resenting.

If the Gazette is well informed, as the logic of events would indicate, a step has been taken in the right direction. But it is only the first step, and a longer one has still to be taken. If Hugh John has left Manitoba politics, it is for no other reason than that he is hereafter to be looked upon as leader of the party in the Dominion. The next step to be taken, therefore, before the party is in shape to ask for the support of the electorate, is to put him in the position of actual leader which so many are anxious that he should hold. If Hugh John is to be leader of the party within a year, if he is to guide its destinies during the greater part of the next Parliament, the people have the right to demand that he shall lead the Conservative forces in this contest, and that he himself shall outline and be held responsible for the policy which he will be expected to advocate during the next four years. There can be no partnership in the leadership of a great party under the English system. Either Sir Charles Tupper is leader, or he is not. What has been done in putting forward Hugh John shows Sir Charles is not loyally supported, and that the other is regarded as an immediate successor. Let the game be carried through, therefore; let the old man be dispossessed, and let us see what kind of a fight Hugh John can put up.

SENATOR ELLIS.

The announcement is made that Mr. John V. Ellis, Liberal member of Parliament for St. John, N.B., has been appointed to the Senate. As this is an honor which Mr. Ellis has been known to covet, Liberals in all parts of the Dominion will be pleased that his wishes have been met. Mr. Ellis has been a stalwart Liberal all his life. In a Province where much bitterness is imported to the politics, he has been made to suffer for his convictions, even to the extent of being kept in jail. In New Brunswick, where he is best known, Mr. Ellis is honored by all as a man of character and ability. In the House of Commons, where he has long been a prominent figure, he has always held the respect of political opponents as well as the admiration of political friends. The only drawback to the satisfaction which must be felt over his appointment is, that it will remove from active politics a powerful and attractive personality.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

Caporal Bergeron, salut!

Canada is well satisfied with Laurier.

Is Tupper the Independent or the Conservative leader?

The interregnum is over. Regent Tupper is preparing to make way for Macdonald II.

Much obliged to Nuke Dalby, but the country is not looking for "a market abroad for Canadians."

Hugh John had better be good to Bergeron and Quinn. If they should drop on him he would feel very flat.

The Star says the Macdonald meetings are for Conservatives and Independents. What's the matter with Mr. Foster's "Old Liberals"?

The only way to tell, when you see it in the Star, is by the size of the type. In that case Hugh John is leader and Tupper his esquire.

The Star is so sick of Pamphlet No. 6 that it is trying to work up enthusiasm for Tupper's "can't-deliver-the-goods-preferential trade" policy.

Will Mr. Bergeron please see that Mr. Chauvin is on the list of speakers next Tuesday. It is important for Sir Charles to know what he thinks of the Ontario fanatics.

Mr. Quinn seems to be delighted with the Bergeron leadership. It's a case of birds of a feather. The two together must weigh over a quarter of a ton, and it is weight that tells in a scrimmage.

We have not seen anything to warrant the belief that Pamphlet No. 6 sentiments will be preached at the Macdonald meetings next week. The Pamphlet is still doing business in the country, however.

How would this do for the next advertisement of the Macdonald meeting: "These meetings will be addressed by Hugh John Macdonald, leader of the Conservative party, Hon. George E. Foster, leader of his 'Old Liberals,' and Sir Charles Tupper, leader of the Star-Independents"?

The Star says the Macdonald-Tupper platform is "to secure a market abroad for Canadians." That is probably correct. We used to ship tens of thousands of them to the States when Tupper and Macdonald I. were in power. Just now we need them all at home.

"Tupper and Macdonald stand for the only policy that can be used to secure a market abroad for Canadians." Right you are, Mr. Dalby. But we need the Canadians at home, where they can raise cattle and make butter for the British market.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

BOUT DE L'ILE PARK.

Is still the most attractive resort in the vicinity of Montreal. The waning summer with its yellow harvests and ingathering fields of grain adds new charms to the ride thither. Montreal Terminal and Belt Line cars leaving every few minutes from Lasalle Avenue, and Notre Dame Streets, Maisonneuve.

PRESENTED WITH OIL PAINTING.—The St. Ann's Young Men's Society met last night and presented Rev. Father Strubbe, founder of the society, with an oil painting of himself. The presentation was made by Mr. D. J. O'Neill.

SAILOR GOES TO JAIL.—John O'Reilly, fireman, of the steamship Ottoman, yesterday got jail for one week for being absent from his ship without leave.

USEFUL AT ALL TIMES.—In winter or in summer Parmelee's Vegetable Pills will cope with and overcome any irregularities of the digestive organs which change of diet, change of residence, or variation of temperature may bring about. They should be always kept at hand, and once their beneficial action becomes known, no one will be without them. There is nothing nauseating in their structure, and the most delicate can use them confidently.

THE LIBERAL MINISTER WHO WORKS WITH HIS COAT OFF

What Hon. William Mulock Has Done in Reorganizing the Postal Service and in the Interest of Organized Labor.

(Staff Correspondence of The Herald.)

Ottawa, Sept. 5.—(Special.)—At Ottawa the Hon. William Mulock is known as the Minister who works with his coat off. Despite the attention which he has devoted so successfully to the problem of promoting Imperial unity in the matter of the Pacific cable project, Imperial penny postage, and the other important questions with which his name has become associated, his is the hand on the lever in one of the most important departments of the public service. In the management of his own extensive personal and professional business he has learned the importance to success of clearness of vision, rational economy and courageous progressiveness. These business principles he has applied to the management of his department, with the result that the Post Office Department is to-day doing a great deal more work than in 1896 upon a diminished outlay. The extent of the change will appear from the following table:—

	1896.	1899.
Number of post offices....	9,103	9,420
Number of savings' bank offices..	755	838
Number of postal note offices..	...	2,640
New savings' bank accounts open..	126,442	142,141
Number postal notes sold..	...	471,407
Number money order offices	1,310	1,779
Value of money orders issued..	$13,081,860.62	$14,467,997.41
Number of miles the mails carried	30,551,683	31,989,778
Number of articles of all kinds carried in mails	177,178,130	228,024,900
Net revenue	$2,964,014.23	$3,182,930.92
Cost	$3,665,011.30	$3,581,848.71

Thus it will be seen that in each of the services there has been a decided increase. The revenue has gone up by $218,916.69, and the cost has decreased by $83,162.50.

But these matters of progressive economy in administration are perhaps the least of the services rendered by Hon. Mr. Mulock. Sir Adolphe Caron, Hon. Mr. Mulock's predecessor in office, was one of those who declaimed against the reduction from three cents to two cents in the domestic rate of postage, declaring that Canada would be losing $800,000 revenue a year. It was further contended that there would be a loss of $100,000 a year as the result of the reduction in the Imperial rate from five cents to two cents.

What has happened? This matter of $900,000 has been left in the pockets of the people of Canada, yet the revenue has rallied as the result of the increased use of the postal service under the reduced rate. The shortage has steadily declined until in the month of May last the decrease as compared with May 1898, when the higher rates were in use, was only $4,386, and there is every indication that a decided increase in revenue is in prospect. In a statement submitted in the House of Commons on June 29th last Mr. W. A. LeSueur, Secretary of the Department, said: "I have to say from a careful count made of the correspondence despatched from Canada to Great Britain and British possessions, I am able to state that the amount of postage which is now being collected on the correspondence in question quite equals, and probably exceeds, what was being collected at a corresponding period prior to the reduction of the postage. This implies, I need hardly observe, an increase of 150 per cent. in the volume of correspondence forwarded."

The policy which has brought about these great economic reforms in postal administration is based upon the principle summarized by the Hon. Mr. Mulock himself in the words: "The post-office is an institution for the masses and we are bringing it nearer and nearer to them every day by cheapening the rates, increasing post-offices, extending facilities. The post-office is intended for the poor as well as the rich, and the masses of the people have recognized our policy of giving cheaper postage and have profited by it to their own advantage, and at no loss to the service itself."

Despite the claims made upon him by his parliamentary and departmental duties, the Hon. Mr. Mulock has found time to study and champion the cause of labor. Appreciating the influence of the Government's example in industrial matters he has succeeded in securing public condemnation of the sweating evil and in placing government work upon a "fair wage" basis. Finally he has secured the passing of the Conciliation Act, providing for the publication of the Labor Gazette, for machinery for the settlement of labor disputes, and for the creation of a Department of Labor. The workingmen of Canada need no better guarantee of the usefulness of the Department of Labor than the fact that Hon. Mr. Mulock is himself at its head. The people generally have every reason to feel grateful to this energetic and able citizen who has given so much of his energy and ability to the service of the country.

The Field of Politics.

EASTERN ASSINIBOIA.

Moosomin, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—It is quite evident that J. M. Douglas, the popular representative of the East Riding of Assiniboia, does not intend to allow the grass to grow under his feet, as he is already on the warpath. In a huge constituency such as this, it would be utterly impossible for a candidate, in the short time at his disposal during a campaign, to cover the ground and do full justice to all parts of the district. Mr. Douglas is billed for a series of meetings at country points in the vicinity of the noted Qu'Appelle Valley, which traverses the constituency from East to West. In conjunction with the Hon. Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior, he will also address meetings at Fort Qu'Appelle, Sintaluta and Wapella, at which points rousing meetings are assured even at this busy season of the year. There is no doubt Mr. Douglas can hold the riding against all comers, although it has always been a Conservative stronghold. He has had the satisfaction of disposing of one opponent already. J. W. Connell, the representative for the Souris District in the Legislative Assembly, was the choice of the Conservative convention, which was held in Moosomin last winter. And at a public meeting after the convention, which was addressed by Sir Charles Tupper, Hugh John Macdonald and Mr. Davin, Mr. Connell was introduced by Sir Charles Tupper with great eclat as the future representative of Eastern Assiniboia. Mr. Connell had every opportunity of feeling the pulse of the electorate, for he held a number of meetings with Clarke Wallace, Mr. Davin and Senator Perley; but he discovered that Mr. Douglas had too firm a hold of the riding, and considering discretion the better part of valor, he placed his resignation in the hands of friends, which was accepted.

This necessitated another convention, which was held at Grenfell last July, at which R. S. Lake, another local representative in the Legislative Assembly, was selected by the party as the Conservative standard bearer. Mr. Lake not being an admirer of Sir Charles Tupper, was desirous of taking the field as an Independent Conservative. This was the source of much discord in the party, as another candidate claimed the convention after Mr. Lake had been selected, on the ground that the choice of the convention was not representative of the Conservative party: in other words, that Mr. Lake was not prepared to fall into line behind Sir Charles Tupper. It is asserted that in the coming contest the Conservative party is a unit, but it does not require an acute observer to discern that it is not the solid element which it is proclaimed to be. And as the party in East Assiniboia has a weakness "for swapping horses midstream," it is quite within the range of possibility that a third meeting of the party may be convened for the purpose of selecting a candidate who will not be the nominee of a rump convention.

ENTERS DOMINION POLITICS.

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—It is reported here that Hon. Hugh John Macdonald will retire from the premiership to enter Dominion politics, being succeeded in the Manitoba Cabinet by Mr. R. P. Roblin, member for Woodlands.

WHIP TAYLOR OPPOSES HIM.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—Mr. George Taylor, Conservative whip, writes to a friend regarding Wm. Stubbs, M.P., as follows:—

"Mr. Stubbs has voted Grit right along during the last four years, although he still poses as an Independent, and was elected as such by Cardwell. Conservative members really regard him as a supporter of the Laurier Government, and he showed this when he shirked a vote on the motion condemning the Minister of Militia for the emergency rations furnished the Canadian contingent. I hope the Conservatives of Cardwell will not again make the mistake of sending such a man to Parliament."

THE MARITIME PROVINCES.

Halifax, Sept. 6.—Messrs. Fielding and Patterson arrived last evening, and will speak here to-day.

Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. Foster spoke at Summerside, P.E.I., yesterday, when A. A. Lefurgy was nominated to oppose Mr. Bill in East Prince.

DORCHESTER CONVENTION.

Quebec, Sept. 6.—The Conservatives of Dorchester county will hold a meeting on Sunday next at Ste. Claire to make the choice of the candidate of the party. The speakers will be Hon. Messrs. Taillon, T. Chase Casgrain, Thos. Chapais, M. F. Hackett, L. P. Landry and Senator P. Landry.

51 SEATS IN QUEBEC.

The Globe prints the following report of Mr. Tarte's talk at Sault Ste. Marie:—

When the Hon. J. Israel Tarte, whom the chairman introduced as the most abused man in Canada, arose to speak, the vast audience rose to its feet and cheered wildly, and then Miss Laura Taillefer stepped on the platform and presented the Minister with a bouquet of flowers, for which the gallant Minister thanked her by kissing her on both cheeks, to the great delight of everyone. Mr. Tarte began by saying that while he had been a much abused man during his public career, he felt that he deserved a little more abuse for not having visited the "Soo" before. Without further delay, the Minister started in to deliver some of his old time blasts at his maligners. Some few months ago, when he was very sick, the Tories had wished for his death. Now they were wishing that he would resign, but he refused to resign his place in the Government because they wished it. When his leader and party desired it, he would do so. The Tories had accused him of being disloyal. They had misrepresented him, but they could not accuse him of being a coward. What he said in France he would say in Canada. He was proud of his origin, as he was also proud of being a Briton. Mr. Tarte said that he had followed Sir John Macdonald through thick and thin, but the men composing the Conservative party at the present time were not the same stamp as those who followed the old chieftain. The bitterness of so many of the Conservatives to him was due to the fact that he had exposed their wickedness and had sent some of them to gaol. He predicted a great victory for the Liberals in Quebec. They would carry at least fifty one of the sixty-five seats. In closing, Mr. Tarte publicly thanked Mr. Mulock for the service he had rendered him by looking after the work in his department while he was in Paris.

POLICY IS APPRECIATED.

Quebec, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—A Louiseville despatch to Le Soleil says:—

"It can be stated without the least exaggeration in the world that the policy of the Laurier Government is well appreciated in this county (Three Rivers and St. Maurice), and we have no fears of the enemy's movements. Moreover, the popularity enjoyed by Mr. J. H. Legris, the present member, insures his election, no matter what Conservative comes out against him."

HON. MR. SIFTON NOMINATED.

Winnipeg, Sept. 6.—At the convention of Brandon Liberals held here yesterday, Hon. Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior, was unanimously nominated for the Commons.

TO CLOSE THE DOOR

Against Undesirable Immigrants Through Canada to the States.

The United States Treasury Department has appointed an inspector of immigration for Montreal, whose special functions will be to prevent undesirable immigrants who arrive here by steamships from Europe and by rail from the Eastern Provinces, from entering the United States.

The officer appointed is Mr. Joseph Francis, who has just arrived to take charge of the office, which has been created through the efforts of the commission composed of Messrs. T. V. Powderley, H. A. Taylor and C. H. Hamlin, who came here about a month ago to enquire into the general question of immigration of Europeans to the United States through Canada, and of devising steps to ensure the more rigid examination of the new arrivals whose destination is the United States.

When Mr. Powderley and his associates were here they held a conference at the Windsor Hotel with representatives of the Grand Trunk, the Canadian Pacific, as well as several steamship lines, who promised their hearty co-operation in the way of rendering the new regulations with regard to emigration to the United States effective.

Mr. Francis' office is in a measure independent of that of Mr. Peter Laird, the United States Immigration Commissioner at Quebec, and the representatives of that country at the other Canadian ocean ports. Mr. Francis says the sole object in view is the enforcement of the law which was framed for the purpose of preventing an undesirable class of foreigners from entering the country under the pretence that they are residents of Canada.

ST. ANDREWS BY-THE-SEA SLEEPING CAR SERVICE.

Last Sleeping Car of the season leaves Montreal Friday, Sept. 7th. Last Sleeper leaves St. Andrews for Montreal Monday, 10th.

PORTLAND AND OLD ORCHARD.

Through Service to Old Orchard will be discontinued after Friday, September 7th.

Commencing September 8th, trains leave Montreal for Portland at 9 a.m. week days and 8 p.m. daily except Saturdays. Parlor and Sleeping Cars through to Portland.

City Ticket and Telegraph Office—129 St. James Street, next Post Office.

BICYCLE LICENSES LESS.—There were 8,000 bicycle licenses issued in 1898; 7,552 in 1899, while the number issued this year to date is only 6,311.

VISITORS TO MONTREAL.

Assure us that the trip to Bout de l'Ile Park on the Montreal Terminal (Belt Line) cars, and the Park itself, constitute one of the most charming attractions of their visit. Ontario, St. Catherine and Notre Dame Street cars all connect with the Belt Line at Lasalle Avenue, Maisonneuve.

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Men's Golf or Bicycle Stockings, in ribbed or plain, with fancy turned over tops, and in different shades of Heather mixture for a pair.................. 50c

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Small sizes only, in White Merino and Balbriggan, with or without sleeves, worth from 40c to 50c each, for 29c

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FRACTURED THIGH.—Joseph Vigneau, six-years-old, of Caughnawaga, fractured his thigh yesterday by falling. He was brought to the General Hospital on the train.

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WHEN ANSWERING ADVERTISEMENTS PLEASE MENTION THE HERALD.

CLARKE WALLACE NOW REPUDIATED

Mr. Chauvin, Conservative Member For Terrebonne, Does Not Like Him.

MR. CHAPAIS ON THE RACE CRY.

Says the Conservatives Are Above Using it—Proud to be a British Subject.

Beauharnois, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—Ideal weather, an extremely low excursion rate, and a charming rendezvous, were inducements which combined to attract a very respectable party of Montrealers to the Bocage du Brisson yesterday, to enjoy a day's outing and incidentally to listen to expositions of views on the political situation from the lips of Conservative orators, a perfect "galaxy" of whom had been secured for the occasion, presumably regardless of obstacles. The local "bleus" of the county alsoturned out in good numbers, and the gathering, which surrounded the hustings occupied by the "Beauharnois Boy," and his friends, was larger than one has been accustomed to see at Conservative rallies recently. It was also apparently a sympathetic gathering, and the wildest statements uttered to the discredit of the Liberal party were accepted with applause and approval. The speaker of the day was the Hon. Thomas Chapais, the talented editor of the Courier du Canada, who is very effective on the platform. Of course, he lashed the Liberal Party mercilessly, and he was especially severe upon Mr. Tarte, whose name he apologized for uttering. Mr. Chapais finds nothing good in what the present Government has done, but he is willing to extend the hand of welcome to all repentant Liberals and receive them into the Conservative fold, holding them guiltless of the sins of their leaders. During his address a slight diversion was caused by the release of a balloon which had been very appropriately inflated for the occasion. Upon one of its bulging sides the delighted crowd read the words, "Tupper," and "Bergeron," linked by a loving hyphen, while "Chapais-Plante" was the device on the other side, foreshadowing the future greatness of the gentlemen named, the former being slated for the Provincial Premiership, as soon as such trifling preliminaries as the withdrawal of Mr. Flynn and the defeat of the Liberals have been arranged, and the latter being apparently destined to prove "Beauharnois Boy II."

INDISCREET UTTERANCES.

The speeches were of the usual campaign type, the absence of opponents permitting a discussion of the situation untrammelled by facts, or fear of contradiction. One speaker, however, in a brief speech, managed to say a good many things that the Ontario members of his party will probably wish he had left unsaid; or at least had refrained from uttering on an occasion when they would reach more than those to whom they were directly addressed. It is apparent that the prudent directors of the Conservative campaign have issued instructions to the rank and file to abstain from public utterances which may be interpreted as disapproving the sending of contingents to South Africa; but indiscretions will be committed, and the partial lifting of the curtain gives occasional glimpses of the secret operations of many Conservative campaigners in the Province of Quebec, who persist in employing in private, arguments which their leader has repudiated in public.

MR. BERGERON OVERCOME.

The proceedings opened yesterday with an address to Mr. Bergeron, "Leader of the Conservative party for the district of Montreal." The address was couched in such extraordinary terms as almost to bring the blush to the cheek of the modest member for Beauharnois. It covered three typewritten folios, and its eloquent phrases and ringing periods were done full justice to by the reader, Dr. Severin Lachapelle, who aspires once more to adorn by his presence the Great Council of the Nation.

Mr. Bergeron, at the conclusion of the address, said with a business-like air that he was too overcome with emotion to reply at once. He would defer his remarks until the close of the proceedings. Meantime they would hear the speakers who had come from Quebec, Montreal and elsewhere in order to meet them.

CLARK WALLACE REPUDIATED.

Mr. Chauvin, Conservative member of the House of Commons for Terrebonne, was the first speaker. He made a few preliminary observations of a general character, and then lost no time in plunging in medias res. "We have been reproached," he said, "with our Conservative alliances. Mr. Bergeron, your member, has been charged with being the ally of Mr. Clarke Wallace. I am not afraid to say, in the presence of his wife, that I think Mr. Bergeron has better taste than that. The lot of the fanatics of our party is that which was the lot of Mr. Clarke Wallace in 1896. When they do not wish to walk with us we show them the door, and in 1896 Mr. Clarke Wallace was shown the door by the Conservative party on the school question.

"But those men who say that we yield to the pressure of the fanatics of Ontario are themselves the men who yield. Did Mr. Laurier and his colleagues resist that fanatical element, and did they triumph? Take the school question, which they feared to settle, and whom did they fear? They feared the fanatical element of their party. When our leader offered Mr. Laurier his support in any measure he introduced for the relief of the Catholics no action was taken.

SENDING THE TROOPS.

"Take the question of sending the contingents. Whom did Mr. Laurier fear? First he said that the constitution would not permit the sending of troops to Africa, and three days after the troops set out. Why? Because Mr. Laurier feared the fanatical element which demanded the sending of the troops, because he feared the jingoes, because, according to Mr. Tarte, he feared a race war.

"On the question of prohibition, did he hear the voice of the Province of Quebec? He yielded to the fanatics, and spent two hundred thousand dollars for no practical result.

"On the question of immigration, of whom has Mr. Laurier been afraid? Whom has he encouraged and flattered? The fanatics of Ontario and the other provinces. At the request of Mr. Sifton and others he has brought immigrants from the old countries of Europe whom we do not want here.

"On all important questions, national and religious, how could he have acted? He had a majority which had come from the Province of Quebec. That majority should have governed, and that majority allowed itself to be carried away. It is unjust to reproach us with having a fanatical element in our ranks. We are obliged to live at peace in this free country of Canada, and we take our allies where we find them, and we succeed by the influence of strong and able leaders. Our programme is the same for all the provinces. We have a leader who understands politics according to our national interests. Canada for Canadians! In effect, there is a man! Gentlemen, I conclude. We have one flag here in this province and in the whole Dominion, the flag of Tupper, the flag of Confederation, the flag of mutual toleration, the flag of the repatriation of French-Canadian emigrants, the colonization of the country by our own people. For us and our children the soil of the Province of Quebec; for our children, our mines and our forests; for our children, our wealth and our markets. We have the true national policy, and it is for that we wish to contend, and I am happy to come before you to testify to Mr. Bergeron that his colleagues are united with him."

MR. CHAPAIS SPEAKS.

Mr. Bergeron next introduced the Hon. Mr. Chapais, who made a good impression at the outset. "C'est un bel homme," remarked one merry habitant, and everyone laughed except Mr. Chapais, who blushed. He commenced by modestly referring to himself as a mere stop gap, he having been asked at the last moment to take the place of Mr. Casgrain, who was detained by professional business. He went on to congratulate the electors of Beauharnois upon the manner in which they had procured the triumph of Mr. Bergeron in 1896, and "crushed the head" of his opponent, Mr. Tarte, whose name he apologized for uttering. He dwelt upon the usual Conservative topics, such as the increased expenditure, etc., and amused his hearers immensely by his quotations, and adaptations of some Bible texts and mission sermons, and his application of them to the present Government. Continuing, he referred to one of the burning questions of the day in the following terms:

PROUD OF BRITISH CITIZENSHIP.

"For my part, I am proud to be a British citizen and a British subject. Formerly, when the war was against our ancestors, when the Lilly Flag left our shores for ever, it was for all French-Canadian hearts a day of mourning. The flag of France returned across the sea; another flag replaced it, and we bowed before it. The transition was painful at first, but time passed, and to-day there are not among those who think and write any French-Canadians who do not recognize that the day we came under English rule was a happy day for our race and our country, when we were torn from the old mother and cast upon the bosom of the new. I speak among French-Canadians, and I say that we must be proud and grateful to the God who rules the things of this world, to have seen fly over our heads the flag of Great Britain. Events must teach us that we are fortunate to be under British rule, under which we have obtained all the liberties we enjoy. I am of opinion, and I am sure it is the opinion of the people of this country, that we should fulfil all our duty towards England. But, gentlemen, men have been found in the Province of Quebec who have not held this sentiment. Electors of Beauharnois, I wish my voice could be heard from one end of the country to the other, and that I could say to all the people of Canada that to-day we, who are called upon to be the spokesmen of the Conservative party in the present contest, do not intend to take advantage of prejudice concerning this Transvaal question. We despise such petty tactics. If we did stoop to them, what a campaign we could carry on! If our opponents were in our place, what a revolution they would have stirred up in the Province of Quebec when the contingents were sent! We have kept silent and understood that it was not our duty to make capital out of this question for the purpose of injuring the Liberal party. We shall not make capital of the purchase of guns and cannons, nor of Canadians sent to die on the burning sands of Africa; but you will allow us the legitimate satisfaction of quoting what those miserables—it is the best word to use—said in 1896."

He here produced a four years old copy of L'Electeur, yellow with age, and read the article condemning the expenditure of three million dollars on guns and cannons by the Militia Department of the day. That article reproached the Conservatives with seeking Imperial Federation, when, Mr. Chapais said, Sir Wilfrid Laurier himself had gone to England shortly afterwards to advocate Imperial Federation for purpose of getting a title. Imperial Federation—that was to say, parliamentary federation—was not what Sir Charles Tupper wanted, but commercial federation.

Continuing, Mr. Chapais said that soldiers had been sent to Africa and he did not intend to blame the Government. Sir Charles Tupper had taken a clear position on the question and it was not for his lieutenants to repudiate him before the people. "We do not desire to raise this question," he went on," and we will not. But we have the right, and we shall exercise it, of denouncing our opponents and recalling their utterances of 1896."

TWO AMUSED HEARERS.

The rest of the speech was devoted to general topics. It was very amusing to observe the keen delight of two good "bleus" in the audience, as the speaker made thrust after thrust at the Government. Each would nudge the other every moment. "Oh Bon Di, hear that," one would say. "Ah, maudit!" the other would return, as Mr. Chapais would tell of money spent by the administration. "Oh! arretes, stop, stop," they both called in mock deprecation, as he told of the expense of the Joint High Commission. "Really, you must not tell us all these good things at once," and they would pretend to be dreadfully alarmed, and then laugh gleefully at their own exquisite humor.

MR. QUINN'S OBJECTION.

Mr. Chapais was followed by Mr. M. J. F. Quinn, who spoke in English. He spoke of the victories achieved by himself and the Hon. Hugh John Macdonald and Mr. Bergeron in 1896, when he had beaten "Jimmy" McShane, Mr. Macdonald had defeated the great foe of the French Canadians, Mr. Martin, and Mr. Bergeron had defeated Mr. Tarte. Mr. Quinn also complained of the Liberal Government having made concessions to England without exacting anything in return. He would not so much object to concessions to the mother country, but the Government had also made all kinds of concessions to the United States; and when it had asked for something in return, it had received the reply that the States had nothing to give.

"When I was in Ontario recently," said Mr. Quinn, "I made a statement which I said I would repeat in Quebec at the first meeting I attended. The Liberal party, since 1896, was not only false to its pledges to the French-Canadian Catholic people of Quebec, but it betrayed the Protestant people of the Province of Ontario. Who can forgetthe language of Sir Richard Cartwright from 1878 to 1896, condemnatory of every measure that was attempted and introduced and carried by the Liveral-Conservative party, language condemning the exorbitant expenditure, as he called it. And yet to-day we see Sir Richard Cartwright bound hand and foot, while the Fielding's and the Tarte's and the Blair's and the Borden's shove down his throat and make him swallow those eloquent words he used in the House of Commons for so many years."

Speeches were also delivered by the Hon. Mr. Leblanc, Mr. Poitras, of Valleyfield, Mr. Plante, M.P.P. and Mr Bergeron.

CATHOLIC SAILORS' CLUB.—Hon.Chas. R[illegible] and Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick attended the concert in the Catholic Sailors' Club last night. It was most successful.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Anglin, Montreal, is visiting in Ottawa.

Mr. A.J.S.Copp, M.P. of Digby, N.S.,is in the city.

Mr. R. J. McCarthy, of Belfast, is at the Windsor.

Miss Alice Shea is in Sherbrooke visiting Miss Tracy.

Mr. and Mrs. Redpath have returned from Cap a l'Aigle.

Mrs. J. T. Simpson, Halifax, Eng., is at the Windsor.

Mr. T. W Palmer, of Washington, is at the Windsor

Mr. R. S. Bell, editor of the Sun, Belleville, is in the city.

Mrs. Demmick left this morning for a visit to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Owen, Montreal, are in St. John, N.B.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Davis have returned from St. Andrew's, N.B.

Miss Elma Jarvis, of Ottawa, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Symmers and Miss Smith have returned from the seaside.

Rev. W. H. and Mrs. Stevens, of St. Henri, are visiting in Sherbrooke.

Dr. and Mrs. Buller and the Misses Buller have returned from Murray Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bagg and family have returned from Orchard Beach.

The Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix and the Misses Dix, of New York, are travelling in Canada.

Mrs. Campbell Macdougall and Miss Beatrice Macdougall have returned from Tadousac.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Brooke Claxton have returned from spending some time at St. Faustin, Que.

Mrs Stewart, of Ottawa, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs Berford, St. Famille Street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Street have returned to Ottawa, after visiting in Montreal, Kingston and Toronto.

Mrs. John Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hope and their little boy have returned from St. Andrews, N.B.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmsted and Miss Mary Holmsted have returned to Toronto from the Lower St Lawrence.

Mrs. W. W. Ogilvie and Miss Alice Ogilvie have returned to Rosemont from Kennebunk Beach.

Sir Edward Satow, British Ambassador to Japan, sails for that country on September 10 by the Empress of China.

Dr. and Mrs. Farrer are in St. John, N.B. General Russel A. Alger, former U. S. Secretary of War, arrived here last night.

Mrs. Frederic Hague and her family are returning to Montreal by the Vancouver, after spending the summer abroad.

Mr. Walter H. Dumoulin, son of the Bishop of Niagara, has been ordained deacon by the Bishop of Northern Dakota, in the Cathedral at Fargo.

The Misses Burnett, who will spend the winter in England, have let their house on Ontario Street to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reford.

Mrs. Wm. Seale and family, Mrs. S. J. Carter and family, and Mrs E. Robson, have returned from Cacouna, where they have spent the summer.

Mr James A. Twohey, attorney and counsellor-at-law, Washington, D.C., is visiting his parents, Mr and Mrs. E. H. Twohey, 920 Dorchester Street.

Mr. Pitblado has returned to Winnipeg from the Maritime Provinces. Mrs. Pitblado will remain some time visiting friends in Montreal and Toronto.

Mrs. Bury Austin and children have returned to town, after spending the summer months in Pembroke, Ont., visiting her mother, Mrs. Archibald Foster.

Mrs. O. C. Edwards, of Montreal, with her two daughters, is spending a few days in Ottawa at the Y.W.C.A., of which she was formerly president.

The Rev. Jonathan Goforth, who was seriously injured in the flight of the Canadian Presbyterian missionaries from Honan, is in Toronto with Mrs. Goforth and four children.

Mr. J. M. Blanchet, accountant of the St. John Street branch of the Banque Nationale, Quebec, will be married on Monday next, the 10th inst., to Miss Marie Alma Carrier, daughter of Mr. L. N. Carrier, registrar of Levis County.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Baumgarten and the Misses Baumgarten arrived on Sunday from Germany, via New York. They were accompanied by Mrs. Baumgarten's sister, Miss Donner, who will spend the winter in Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Scott, who were recently married in Charlottetown, P.E.I. have arrived in Ottawa and are the guests of the Hon. R. W. and Mrs. Scott. Later they will take up their residence on Stewart Street.

Miss Agnes Mary Proctor, the daughter of the late Richard A. Proctor, the English astronomer, and Dr. Duff Green Lewis, of Washington, were married at high noon yesterday at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, New York. There were only a few relatives and intimate friends present. Dr. Newton Lewis, of Washington, was his brother's best man, and Miss Ethel Morse the maid of honor.

The marriage took place on Saturday afternoon at St. Paul's Church, Lachine, of Mr. Allan Grant Urquhart, of the Bank of Montreal, son of the late Mr. J. K. Urquhart, to Miss Ethel Mary Taylor, third daughter of Mr. John Taylor, of St. Catherine Street, Montreal. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Canon Ellegood, assisted by the Rev. R. Hewton, M.A., rector of St. Paul's Church, Lachine, and the Rev. C. Colborne Heine, pastor of Chalmers Church.

The wedding took place at Bowmanville yesterday of Miss Maude Beith, youngest daughter of Mr. J. B. Fairbairn, and Mr. Shirley Denison, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. N. Turnbull. The bride, who wore white satin with veil and orange blossoms, and carried white roses, was attended by Miss Gertrude Brock, Miss Muriel Brock and Miss Helen Denison. Mr. T. M. Fairbairn was best man, and the ushers were Lieut. Southey, Mr. Clarence Aird, of Detroit; Mr. Arthur McLaughlin, of Toronto, and Mr. Byrne, of Bowmanville. Mr. and Mrs. Denison, who are in the Maritime Provinces, will reside in Toronto.

Mrs. Reuben Taylor, of Lorne Avenue, spent a few days in Hamilton last week.

Captain A. Joly de Lotbiniere reached Montreal on Monday from India, and has left for British Columbia, where he will visit his father, Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere, Lieutenant-Governor of that Province. Captain Joly de Lotbiniere is a distinguished graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston, and has been in India now for some years, where he was connected with the Bengal Artillery, of which corps Lord Roberts was at one time commandant. He is at present on a six months' furlough, and during that time will visit old friends in Toronto, Kingston, Montreal and Quebec.

The wedding of Miss Maude Hendrie, of Hamilton, and Mr. Harry Ledyard, of Detroit, of which an account appeared in yesterday's Herald, is interesting to many Montrealers, for Miss Hendrie and her sisters are well known here. The bride is noted for her horsemanship, and is one of the best lady riders in the Dominion. She is a member of the Hamilton, Toronto and Montreal Hunt Clubs. Upon their return from their extended wedding tour to Japan to meet the Baroness Von Ketteler, they will live in Detroit, where the groom, who is a Yale graduate, and took a postgraduate course at Harvard, will practice law.

The marriage took place yesterday at Centre Island, Toronto, of Miss Amy Seton Thompson, daughter of Mr. J. Enoch Thompson, Spanish Consul at Toronto, to Mr. Frederick Issenbard Fox, of London, Ont. The ceremony was performed in St. Andrew's Church by the Bishop of Toronto. The bride wore her travelling gown of brown cloth. The jacket bore miroir velvet in a lighter shade with stitchings. The revers of cream silk were covered with an applique of ecru lace. With the suit was worn a handsome shirtwaist of white satin. The bride's hat was a French mode of pink miroir velvet, with plumes of white shaded to fawn. The bridal bouquet was of white roses. Miss Allie Thompson, sister of the bride, performed the duties of bridesmaid, and wore a tailor-made gown of green, the jacket opening over a blouse of green silk. Her hat was of black velvet with large plumes, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. Reginald Wharton was best man. A reception was held after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Fox are spending their honeymoon in the Maritime Provinces, Montreal and Quebec, and will live in Toronto. The bride is a niece of Mr. Ernest Seton Thompson, the well-known writer and artist.

Cornwall, Sept. 5.—Shortly before nine o'clock this morning a quiet but very pretty wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mrs. Warwick, East Fourth Street. The contracting parties were Thomas J. McVicar, of the Bell Telephone Company's staff, and Miss Anna Warwick, daughter of the late John Warwick. Rev. Jas. Hastie performed the ceremony, which was witnessed only by the immediate relatives of the bride, who, with the groom, was unattended. After the ceremony the bridal party drove to the G.T.R. depot, and left on the express for Kingston, where they connected with the R. & O. liner for Toronto. On their return trip they will go as far east as Quebec. The happy couple will reside in Cornwall.

Cornwall, Sept. 5.—Mr. Alexander Fisher and Miss Emma Carpenter, youngest daughter of Mr. David Carpenter, were married here on Tuesday morning. The happy event took place in Trinity (Memorial) Church at eight o'clock. The charming young bride was attended by Miss Annie Palmer, while Roscoe Hollenbeck was best man. Rev. Rural Dean Houston conducted the marriage service, after which the chimes were rung, and the bridal party drove to the residence of the bride's parents, where, with a few near relatives, they sat down to the wedding dinner. The happy couple left on the R. & O. Nav. Co.'s liner for Montreal and other eastern points on their wedding trip.

At an early hour on Monday morning two of Lancaster's most highly esteemed young people were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Father Twomey at St. Mary's Church, Williamstown. The contracting parties were D. P. J. Tobin, of the Allangrove office, and Miss C. A. McDonald, daughter of A. B. McDonald, proprietor of the McRae House. Wm. McDonell assisted the groom, while the bride was attended by her cousin, Miss E. McDonald, of Montreal. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present at the ceremony, after which the happy couple drove to Summerstown, where they boarded the morning express for a honeymoon trip to Toronto and through Muskoka.

SHERBROOKE FAIR

Sherbrooke, Sept. 6.—(Special to The Herald.)—This is American visitors' day, and already this little city's population has doubled. Over 15,000 people passed the turnstiles yesterday. This is supposedly the biggest day, and certainly never has there been such a crowd at this great fair. Yesterday morning Chief of Police Davidson made a raid on five fake shows on the grounds. The proprietors and cashiers were taken to the station on the grounds, and their earnings were taken care of by the authorities. These men were fakirs of the worst kind. One of them had $29 in his till as the result of his morning's work, and this was at ten o'clock in the morning. On being searched over $700 was found on his person, which he claimed to have earned at other shows. The other four proprietors were also held in custody, and their cash showed that they had been doing a splendid business in fooling the public. In one case a wild woman was supposed to be the curiosity, and she turned out to be quite tame when the officers called upon the establishment.

The exhibit of dairy produce was very large and of a superior quality. Never before in the history of the association has there been such a fine display of cheese and butter.

The garden produce was about the same as last year, it being thought that the backward weather had something to do with the entries not being large.

Flowers are an interesting exhibit, and are ahead of last year, but plants are about the same. The leading florists of the district are well represented.

The show of stock is a splendid one. Cattle are more numerous, and several additional temporary sheds had to be built. All of the Eastern Provinces are well represented, as well as many of the New England States. Among the principal exhibitors from the Maritime Provinces is Mr. E. Rigg Brow, who comes from Charlottetown, P.E.I., with a large herd of Guernseys.

In the horse department perhaps the most noteworthy exhibits are a string of fifteen pure-bred imported French coach horses owned by Mr. J. S. Sanborn, of tea and coffee fame, and brought to Sherbrooke from his celebrated stallion farm at Lewiston Junction, Me. Mr. G. R. Ness, Mr. Sanborn's manager, is in charge of this string of horses. In the afternoon he gave an exhibition before the grand stand by driving twelve of these animals hitched to one team.

The poultry, as usual, is a large section, many birds coming from Western Canada and the Lower Provinces.

THE CANADIAN RAND DRILL CO.

Sherbroke, Sept. 6.—(Special to The Herald.)—The most interesting exhibit in the machinery hall was that of the Canadian Rand Drill Co. The company surpassed all previous efforts in fitting up a fine steam engine operating at high pressure in full size and full staff their air and gas compressors. Crowds watched this exhibit every day, for not only was it alive with interest, by the pulsating of the compressor rod and the puffing of the engine, but the stand was a mass of flags of all descriptions.

This company, under the management of Mr. J. F. Lewis, has grown to be one of the largest concerns of its kind in the Dominion. They were the first to adopt the duplex engine as the power end of an air compressor, because they were the first to be convinced that its very construction met the peculiar requirements of air compressing work better than any other design. This compressor was in full working order, and amazed hundreds of visitors. A competent staff was engaged, who spared no efforts to make clear the effectiveness of the exhibit. The rock drills were also exhibited, and the company was warmly congratulated for the enterprise and ability shown. Large salesrooms are occupied in Montreal, where every attention is paid to all patrons. Fine catalogues explaining fully the technical workings of these compressors will be cheerfully sent on application. Mr. Lewis, the manager, is one of Sherbrooke's most esteemed citizens, and has always been identified with the city's best interests.

Mr. John P. Cotter, erecting engineer for the company, is in charge of the exhibit.

THE LEADING TOBACCO COMPANY.

Sherbrooke, September 6.—(Special to The Herald).—The Empire Tobacco Co., have a beautiful exhibit in the main building. Their capabalo representative Mr. L. J. Warnecke, has shown great talent in arranging the exhibit. The whole town has commented upon the remarkable generosity of the firm, giving away smoking and chewing plugs, that must cost in the aggregate large sums of money. The exhibit is well located and shows at once the huge proportions of the owners. On shelves rising one above the other, to pyramidical height, are specimens of the smoking and chewing tobacco interlaced with specimen gifts that are given away through a tag system originated by the Empire Company. The company include tags like coupons with every plug of tobacco sold. These entitle the holder to presents, such as sterling silver dinner sets, bicycles, gold watches and chains, clocks in bronze and marble, sewing machines, cutlery and in short everything needful or useful in a home. Now all this is climaxed by the famous "Bobs" chewing tobacco, named after the popular British idol, Lord Roberts' and made famous "by the catch line "Every body knows 'Bob' never has been defeated." Free samples of this tobacco have made a hit on the grounds. You can buy a quarter of a pound for ten cents, and is easily the biggest and best piece of tobacco ever offered for the money. To Mr. Warneck, every credit is due for the success of this exhibit, he has been travelling in the Eastern Townships for 16 years, and hosts of old friends from all parts are at the fair and congratulated him on his creditable effort. Personally he is a favorite with all who know him and the Empire Tobacco Co. has made a great hit at Sherbrooke, owing entirely to his popularity.

Among the other employes who ably assist Mr. Warneck is Mr. H. Hudon, who is also representative in the Townships and the North Shore.

MESSRS. KERR AND FOSS'S EXHIBIT.

Sherbrooke, September 6.—(Special to The Herald.)—The finest display of stoves and ranges in the main buildings is that of Messrs. Kerr and Foss, who conduct a leading business at 87 Wellington Street. The exhibit is nicely arrayed on a fine location and special prominence is given to the products of the Moffatt Stove Co., Ltd., of Weston, Ont. The ranges known as the Silver Steel Pearl, is a beautiful creation. It possesses all the newest advantages in modern stove-making and is used by the representative people of this province. Messrs. Kerr and Foss have drawn about themselves a large and continuously increasing circle of patrons. In Sherbrooke and the Townships, they have made the stoves of the Moffatt Co. widely known. The Pearl range is easy to operate, does not get out of order and does effective cooking and heating at little cost. Messrs. Kerr and Foss also do an extensive general stove and hardware business and as both are practical up-to-date business men they guarantee satisfaction. There exhibit is in every way a credit to the fair.

Mr. C. A. Connor, the Moffatt Stove Company's representative, deserves special mention for his untiring attention to visitors.

Everything is in readiness for the opening of the Three Rivers exhibition, which takes place from September 8th to 15th.

A new grand stand has been erected capable of seating 5,000 people, which will give every one a chance to see the numerous attractions provided. Six thousand dollars will be given in premiums, while $2,400 in purses will be hung up for trotting and running races. The list of entries received to date is exceedingly large.

Reduced rates on all railroads, and steamship companies, will prevail.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

BIRTHS.

BAKER—At Church Avenue, Queen's Park, Verdun, on the 3rd September, the wife of Evelyn Baker, of a daughter. 311x

WOODS.—At 323 Chapel Street, Ottawa, September 4th, 1900, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. James W. Woods.

LINDSEY.—On Saturday, September 1, at 125 Tyndall Avenue, Toronto, the wife of G. G. S. Lindsey, Q.C., of a son.

BURNETT.—In this city, on September 1st, the wife of Dr. William Burnett, of a son.

GIBSON.—At Rockburn, on September 1, 1900, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gibson.

HOLDEN.—At St. Armand Centre, Que., a son to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holden.

McCORRY.—On September 1st, at 84a Bleury Street, the wife of Francis McCorry, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

AYLMER-SWEENY—At St. George's Church Montreal, on the 5th September, 1900, by the Rev. Canon Empson, M.A., assisted by the Rev. O. W. Howard, assistant rector of St. George's, Arthur Lovell Aylmer, M.D., eldest son of the late Henry Lovell Aylmer, Esq., of Cornwall, Eng., to Ghetta, daughter of Colonel Sweeny, of Westmount.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

ROBERTS.—In this city, on the 5th inst., at the age of 17, Frederick Roberts, son of James Roberts. Funeral Friday, at 2 p.m., from his father's residence, 106 Paris Street, Point St. Charles Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. Newfoundland papers please copy. 212

SANDERS.—At the Royal Victoria Hospital, on Saturday, Sept. 1, 1900, after a lingering illness of over six months, Frances A. Staveley, widow of Henry Sanders, at one time optician in this city.

Interred at Mount Royal Cemetery.

TURNBULL.—At 386 Magdalen Street, on September 4th, 1900, Jane Neilson, widow of the late David Turnbull, Esq., aged 67 years and 8 months.

Funeral will leave her late residence, on Thursday, September 6th, at half past two. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

EUROTTE.—In this city, on Friday, August 31, at the Civic Hospital, of scarlet fever, Maria Louise, youngest and beloved daughter of Philoromme Eurotte, aged 8 years and 8 days.

ELVERT.—In this city, on September 5th, 1900, Thomas Francis Gerald, only and dearly beloved son of Thomas Elvert, aged 9 months and 18 days. Funeral private.

DEATHS ELSEWHERE.

MORRISON.—At Aylmer, Que., on Sunday, September 2, 1900, after a lingering illness, Angus Morrison, youngest son of the late Hon. Justice Morrison, of Woodlawn, Toronto.

BENNETT.—In Bowmanville, Sept. 4, Reuben Bennett, aged 66 years.

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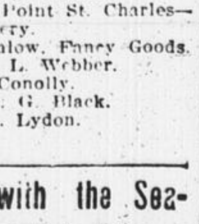

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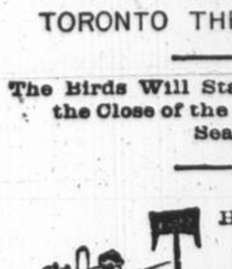

HERE was no game on the schedule yesterday, so the Toronto and Montreal tossers rested and accumulated muscle for the contest this afternoon.

These games will wind up the series with Toronto, and will have a bearing on the standing of the two clubs.

Lezotte will play first base, and Odwell right field. Souders or Felix will pitch for Montreal, and Raub as the receiving end. Williams and Bemis will be the Toronto battery.

Tommy Bannon will positively make his first appearance in a Boxer uniform, and will try to show the crowd that we lost a good thing when we let him go.

Worcester has lost its star twirler, Pittenger, who was called back to Boston.

He held Pittsburg down to four hits, but the Pirates won the game on a couple of these hits coming together and a few errors.

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At Rochester —				
Syracuse	001100010—	3	8	1
Rochester	01200110*—	5	9	4

Batteries—Altrock and Smiag; Murphy and Dixon. Umpire, Hunt.

At Worcester—				
Worcester	1010104001—	8	12	4
Providence	0050110000—	7	10	3

Batteries—Klobendanz and Kittredge; Friend and Leahy. Umpire, Egan.

At Hartford—				
Hartford	100010010—	3	7	5
Springfield	020101200—	6	8	2

Batteries—Flaherty and Steelman; Wood and Toft. Umpire, Rinn.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Providence	76	48	.613
Rochester	67	50	.573
Hartford	61	50	.550
Worcester	59	56	.513
Springfield	53	58	.477
Toronto	55	62	.470
Montreal	50	56	.430
Syracuse	41	74	.357

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Philadelphia—				
St. Louis	000130201—	7	10	0
Philadelphia	[illegible]—	1	10	4

Batteries—Young and Robinson; Orth and McFarland.

At New York—				
Cincinnati	[illegible]—	3	10	2
New York	522020*—	11	13	1

Batteries—Hahn, Peitz and Newton; Garrick and Grady.

At Boston—				
Boston	010000001—	2	7	3
Pittsburg	[illegible]—	5	[illegible]	1

Batteries—Pettinger and W. Clarke; Phillippi and O'Connor.

At Brooklyn—First game—				
Chicago	[illegible]—	4	13	4
Brooklyn	[illegible]—	9	11	3

Batteries—Taylor and Chance; McGinnity and Farrell.

Second game —				
Chicago	00081120—	12	15	0
Brooklyn	000001000—	1	11	6

Batteries—Menafee and Donahue; Howell and McGuire.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Brooklyn	64	40	.615
Pittsburg	61	48	.560
Philadelphia	55	52	.514
Chicago	53	55	.491
Boston	52	55	.486
Cincinnati	50	58	.463
St. Louis	49	58	.458
New York	44	62	.415

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Buffalo—Buffalo, 2; Milwaukee, 1.

At Cleveland (first game)—Cleveland, 2; Minneapolis, 6. Second game—Cleveland, 7; Minneapolis, 8.

At Indianapolis (first game)—Indianapolis, 1; Chicago, 4. Second game—Indianapolis, 0; Chicago, 10.

At Detroit (first game)—Detroit, 2; Kansas City, 0. Second game—Detroit, 7; Kansas City, 3.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

"So strongly has the united labor idea taken possession of the Brooklyns that the majority of the players now live in Union Street," says Charley Dryden.

"Lefty" Platt is not with the Phillies on their present tour of the Eastern cities. He is laid up with a severe cold, which he caught on the last trip West.

A game between Chicago and St. Louis was stopped by the wind the other day. "Appearance of rain, slim attendance and wind" are the new ones for this year.

Umpire H. O'Day says he can stand sneering remarks about his shape, but he wants his immediate ancestry omitted from all controversies with ball players.

"Rusty" Hall, who was a Tim Hirstite in St. Louis in 1898, is considered the king of shortstops in the Western League. He is a member of the St. Joe team.

The Philadelphia team needs pitchers and brains more than any team in the league. There is not one real brainy man on the team's infield, and the pitchers are of an inferior calibre.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

An effort was made last week to transfer the Springfield games, scheduled for this city, to the former place, on account of the Charter Oak races. The attempt was unsuccessful.—Hartford Times.

Louis Bruce, Toronto's full-blooded Indian, has played in nearly every position on the team except behind the bat. Bruce has taken up pitching again, and won four straight games up to yesterday.—Worcester Spy.

It is rather early in the season to resurrect that musty yarn about Toronto making efforts to join the American League next year. How about that five-year contract with the Eastern League?—Syracuse Journal.

One thing is now pretty sure about the Eastern League. That is, the teams now occupying first, second and third positions will be the ones to hold them when the season is over, although the positions may be changed.—Providence News.

There is a possibility of some new material joining the Hartford team to finish the season. If the thing had been done a week ago, and Hartford had not lost seven out of the last nine games played, the plan might have worked nicely. — Hartford Times.

Ned Hanlon is quoted as intending to advocate the following changes in the rules at the next gathering of the magnates: (1) Charging a batsman with a strike for every two fouls; (2), limiting a pitcher to ten seconds in holding the ball.

TAYLOR AT THE TAPE.

Newark, N.J., Sept. 6.—The Vailsburg board track furnished an afternoon of rare sport for 7,000 persons yesterday. The event of the day was the quarter-mile dash for the championship of America. Kimble, who disposed of Collett in the first heat in twenty-seven seconds, was looked upon as dangerous until Kramer beat him a couple of inches in the second heat of the finals. The summaries:

Quarter-mile championship—Major Taylor, first; Frank Kramer, East Orange, second; J. T. Fisher, Chicago, third. Time, .33.

One mile, amateur, handicap—H. W. Corte (120 yards), first; L. R. Lake (120 yards), second; F. C. Seward (120 yards), third; C. E. Ayres (120 yards), fourth. Time, 2.06.

Five mile, professional, handicap—G. H. Collett, New Haven (150 yards) first; Chas. Hadfield, Newark (250 yards), second; Lou Coburn, Newark (300 yards), third; Otto Maya, Erie, Pa. (200 yards), fourth; Will Coburn, Newark (300 yards), fifth. Time, 11.15 3-5.

THE WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP.

Ottawa, Sept. 6.—The Capital lacrosse executive are anxiously trying to arrange a match with the New Westminster team to decide the championship of the world. The Westerners, it is stated, are willing to play, provided that the Caps defeat Orangeville Saturday next in Toronto. The idea is to have the match on the M.A.A.A. grounds, Montreal, September 15. To be able to do this the Capitals will have to arrange with Montreal to postpone the championship match scheduled for that date.

NEW WESTMINSTER WILL NOT COME.

An attempt was made by the executive of the Shamrock Lacrosse Club to induce the New Westminster team to again meet its representatives in this city, but without avail

A BASEBALL CARNIVAL.

Kingston, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—That enthusiastic fan, "Jimmie" Sutherland, is trying to arrange a baseball carnival for fair week, to include matches by the Ponies and Garnocks, Granites and Garnocks and Granites and Ponies. The directors of the fair promise suitable purses. The street railway company offers $175 in purses for three matches at Lake Ontario park next week, but if the carnival is arranged for the fair the other matches will be cancelled.

CARTIERVILLE VS. DORVAL.

The return cricket match was played at Mr. Bell's farm, Beaubors, September 4, Cartierville being victorious. The fine batting of Mr. Colin Campbell, Chas. McEachran and W. R. Miller for Cartierville, and R. Fitzgibbon and W. Sinclair for Dorval, were the features of the game. The presence of many ladies incited the players to extra efforts. Score: Dorval 72, Cartierville 105.

WOOL VS. PAINT.

The Excelsior Woollen Mills added another decisive victory to their long list of wins by beating the Canada Paint Company on the Mascotte ball grounds, in a game of cricket. The Excelsiors obtained 62 runs to the Paint Company's 23.

BRITS MEET THIS EVENING.

The semi-annual meeting of the Britannia Football Club will be held in the Windsor Hotel this evening. A large attendance of members is looked for, as there is much important business to transact.

CHAMPION LACROSSISTS.

Says the Ottawa Free Press, apropos of the Capital-New Westminster match last Saturday:—Champions of the world is a title well deserved by the Westerners when their record is looked over.

CHANGES HIS ALLEGIANCE.

Kingston, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—"Bunt" Dalton will likely be found chasing the pigskin for Queen's instead of with his first love, the Granites.

A LOCAL MATCH.

Jack Nethery is down on the bills to meet Lyman Gorton in a ten-round boxing match on Saturday evening next at the Atlantic Garden. Fred Richard will referee.

AMERICAN JOCKEYS

New York, Sept. 5.—American jockeys are the fad in England. Time was, not so long ago, either, when Yankee riders were scoffed at by our English cousins. When "Willie" Sims rode in England for M. F. Dwyer, he was made the butt of all the satirical remarks that the critics could hurl at him. But the success of "Tod" Sloan and the Reiff brothers for two seasons has changed all that, and the English and French vie with each other to secure the services of the once despised American riders.

James Todhunter Sloan holds a unique position in the turf world. He is the most talked of young man of the day. No other jockey ever held a similar position on or off a race track. He has revolutionized the style and methods of riding thoroughbreds. He adopted the short stirrups and crouching position on his horse and demonstrated the fact that a horse would run much faster with the weight divided between the shoulders and the back than he would if it was placed altogether on the spine. In America he soon eclipsed all other jockeys, and in England they soon began to call him Fred. Archer's rival.

SLOAN'S GREAT WINNINGS.

Sloan won so many races in England on poor horses that he was sought after by all owners. He secured any amount he asked as a retaining fee and got rich presents whenever he won. Last season he earned and was presented with enough money to aggregate $40,000. He was equally successful this season. But for a serious mishap he would have won one of England's classic races, just before he came over here to ride Ballyhoo Bey to victory in the Futurity.

For achieving success in America's great two-year-old stake, Tod received $5,000. His fee for winning the Flatbush stakes Saturday will be $2,000. He leaves for England on the Deutschland to-morrow morning.

YOUNG REIFF'S SUCCESS.

Next to Sloan Johnny Rieff is the most sensational rider before the public. The youth is only 14 years of age, but he has already earned a fortune by his cleverness. In the summer of '98 he rode his first winner at Chicago. He won a number of races after that and soon became a favorite. He could ride at that time below sixty pounds. California's winter meeting proved a golden harvest for young Rieff. It was not till he made his first trip to England that his true worth was recognized among horsemen. He won so many stake events on bad horses that his services were soon in demand all over England. This year he has kept up his winning streak. A few days ago he got home first four times out of five attempts. At present he is engaged to ride for Richard Croker and Lord William Beresford.

"Willie" Sims will go to England with Tod Sloan. Sims was considered one of our best jockeys at one time, but of late he has fallen out of fashion and he is no longer in demand. Tod has promised to give him an introduction to men who have good horses. So Sims goes over to ride horses in order to get on his feet as it were. He can ride at 105 pounds without any trouble.

SLOAN'S REMARKABLE RIDE.

New York, Sept. 6.—Ed. Cole, writing in the Telegraph has this to say of Tod Sloane's ride on Lady Massey:—Tod Sloane may have all kinds of faults, eccentricities and opinions of self-importance, but he is surely a race rider. His exhibition on Lady Massey in the last race at Sheepshead Bay yesterday was simply astonishing. He looked positively beaten, but ere a few more moments had elapsed he sent his mare into the midst of the others just as though she had dropped from the clouds, and while the folks wondered how in the dickens he had gotten into the game, after being half a dozen lengths out of it, he had slipped Lady Massey to the front and was winning in a comparative gallop. Men wondered what Sloane meant by lying so far out of the race; why he still sat as still as a church, while the others were going away from him. The actual truth of the matter was that the other boys were making their runs half a mile from home. Tod closed up gradually and was still in the rear when the home turn was made. He took the outside position, and when he had reached the eighth pole he sat down for a drive home. One after another he gathered up his field, until all he had to get was the leader, Potente. O'Connor saw him coming and went at Potente with a will, but Sloane had the most left and he had Potente on the hip half a dozen lengths from the judges. All he had to do after that was to keep Lady Massey going. This was easy, and he led by a length and a half when the time came for pulling up.

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HUNT CLUB'S MEET

There Will Be Nine Events of Marked Interest.

ANOTHER TRACK WAR.

Cessation of Hostilities Between the Highland Park and Windsor Race Courses Until Next Year.

The Montreal Hunt Club will hold its annual steeplechase on Thursday and Saturday, October 4 and 6. There will be four events on the opening day, and five on the second. The following officials have been selected:—Mr. J. P. Dawes will act as judge; Lieut.-Col. Arthur Hamilton will be clerk of the course; Mr. George R. Hooper, M.F.H., clerk of scales; Mr. L. McL. Spackman will be starter. The initial day's races will be as follows:—The green steeplechase; open handicap steeplechase; the hunters' handicap steeplechase; members' plate. On the second day, these: Open handicap steeplechase; the Hunt Cup; Jorrock's scurry; the farmers' race; hunters' handicap flat race for Walker Cup.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY.

New York, Sept. 6.—The Keenes showed another good filly yesterday at Sheepshead Bay in Noonday. She just galloped all the way, and won easily, which was the feature of the day's card. Summary:—

First race, 6 furlongs, selling—The Regent, 99, M. Daly, 7 to 1 and 3 to 1, won by a head; The Golden Prince, 99, Shaw, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, second by a head; Bowen, 108, Burns, 6 to 1 and 5 to 2, third. Time, 1.15 1-2. Lone Fisherman, Princess Evelyn, Marothen, Tuskarosa, About, Strategist, Commuter, Elgefield, Frank Hall, Gink, and Presgrave also ran.

Second race, 1 mile—McGeekin, 119, Mitchell, 9 to 2 and 8 to 5, won; Whistling Coon, 102, Connor, 40 to 1 and 15 to 1, second; Gomara, Bullman, 98, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1.40 1-2. Hardly, Potente, Wait Not, Kinnikinic, Prejudice and Peaceful also ran.

Third race, The Belles, Futurity course, about 6 furlongs—Noonday, 105, Maher, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, won; Sweet Lavender, 115, Littlefield, 11 to 5 and 4 to 5, second; Lady Schorr, 120, Burns, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, third. Time, 1.10 2-5. Glennellie, Morning Side, Lucranna, Elizabeth M., Add, Tower of Candles and Onduris also ran.

Fourth race, the September, mile and three furlongs—Killashandra, 108, Odom, 3 to 5 and out, won; Advance Guard, 121, T. Burns, 6 to 1 and 6 to 5, second; Motley, 108, Fransch, 10 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 2.22. James also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Knight of Rhodes, 121, Turner, 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, won; Latosca II., 113, Spencer, 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, second; Sanders, 133, Taral, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1.13 4-5. Lady of the Vale, Sadducee, St. Simonian, Richard J. and Epigram also ran.

Sixth race, mile and a furlong on turf, selling—Candle Black, 106, Shaw, 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, won; Millstream, 106, Odom, 5 to 2 and 4 to 5, second; Golden Sceptre, 94, Rausch, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.54 4-5. Yoloco, Tyreshena, Precursor and Sir Fitzhugh also ran.

AT WINDSOR.

Windsor, Ont., Sept. 6.—Weather yesterday fine; track fast; attendance large. Results:—

First race, for 3-year-olds and up, selling, seven furlongs—Cotton Plant, 113, J. Martin, 3 to 5, won easily by two lengths; Jack Adie, 104, McQuade, 15 to 1, second; Dousterswivel, 114, E. Robertson, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1.28 1-4. Charley Saane, Henry Launt and Ed. Roth also ran.

Second race, for 2-year-olds, selling, 5 1-2 furlongs—Robert Morrison, 106, Hicks, 6 to 5, won easily by a length; Free Play, 106, Nelson, 7 to 1, second; Hano, 106, Ross, 7 to 2, third. Time, 56 1-4. Ess Gee Pee, Probably and Soft Light also ran.

Third race, for 3-year-olds and up, selling, six furlongs—Brulare, 111, Ross, 5 to 1, won easily by a length; Trijune, 115, J. Oakley, 5 to 2, second; Bertha, 89, J. Martin, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1.14 1-2. Brother Fred, Marion Sanson, Divertisement, Don Clarencio and Little Reggie also ran.

Fourth race, for 3-year-olds and up, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Cross Molina, 105, Ross, 9 to 5, won driving by a neck; High Noon, 103, Aker, 9 to 5, second; Desmoulines, 102, McQuade, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1.49 1-2. Helen H. H., Royal Poinciana and Elsmere also ran.

Fifth race, handicap, for 3-year-olds and up, short course, steeplechase—Zufallig, 142, Ray, 2 to 1, won easily by five lengths; Lovice, 135, Jones, 2 to 1, second; Hy Admired, 143, W. Johnson, 13 to 5, third. Time, 2.54. Covington (Ky.) also ran. Bob Chance refused to start. Tony Honing lost rider.

Sixth race, for 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—The Tory, 110, Williams, 20 to 1, won driving by a length; Rideau, 111, Flint, 7 to 10, second; Nina B. L., 92, Hicks, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1.14 1-4. Prince of India, Glad Hand and Rey Salazar also ran.

TREVELYAN WILL START.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Francis Trevelyan has consented to act as presiding judge and steward in the place of Mr. Burke, at the Toronto Hunt Club's meeting, which begins on Saturday. The timers will be Robert Davies, E. W. Cox, and T. D. Taylor. The meet promises to have even more than the customary success. There will be a larger number of horses than ever before. Among the owners across the line represented will be Scott Harlan, J. C. Ferris, jr., S. W. Strett, W. C. Hayes, John Carr, C. W. Wadsworth, F. Bruhns, H. L. Johnston, George Hendrie, J. C. Forsyth, Eaton & Co., Col. R. W. Simmons, Manalon & Connell, Vance & Weir, E. H. Hanna, W. Weir, E. Peters, H. Stover, H. McCarren. In addition all the leading Canadian stables will be represented in force, including Carruthers & Shields, Wm. Hendrie and J. E. Seagram.

HIGHLAND PARK.

Detroit, Sept. 5.—This was get away day at Highland Park, but favorites won a majority of the races. Ed. Moore captured three purses. Track fast. Results:—

First race, 6 furlongs—Cad Hazel, 100, Coburn, 6 to 5, won; In the Push, 100, C. Wilson, 4 to 1, second; Lecayne, 101, Castro, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1.10.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Scotch Bramble, 95, A. Weber, 2 to 1, won; Gray Daisy, 104, C. Wilson, even, second; Amoroso, 104, Howell, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1.02.

Third race, mile—Oele Brook, 108, Coburn, 8 to 1, won; Left Bower, 106, Howell, 2 to 1, second; Hermencia, 93, J. Daly, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1.42.

Fourth race 5 furlongs—The Jade, 114, J. Daly, won; Leila Dear, 102, Castro, 3 to 2, second; Alea, 105, Howell, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1.01.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs, selling—Hleaway, 101, C. Wilson, 1 to 2, won; Earl Fonso, 104, L. Daly, 2 to 1, second; Eleven Bells, 95, A. Weber, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1.28 1-2.

Sixth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Loram, 102, Howell, 8 to 5, won; Invasion, 107, Henson, 3 to 2, second; Our Lizzie, 107, C. Wilson, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1.14 1-4.

FIERCE TRACK WAR.

Detroit, Sept. 6.—The closing of the racing season at the Highland Park yesterday brings to an end for this season at least the fierce race track war that has existed for several weeks between that track and the Windsor track. The Windsor track is still in the ring, and the horsemen there give out that they have been assured that it will run until October. Secretary Hanrahan says, however, that it will run but three weeks longer, and before October 1 the last race of the season will be run. Referring to the statement that the management of the Windsor track had lost twenty thousand dollars this season, Secretary Hanrahan says: "The Windsor Jockey Club has not lost a great deal of money this season, but it has not made any either. We will run two or three weeks longer, and then close for the season. We will open next season as usual, and we will make no effort to adjust matters with the Highland Park people. I am already preparing for the next season's opening." The Highland Park track will also open next season, and then the war of the tracks will be continued, and it is expected that they will keep at it until one kills the other as was the case at Cincinnati.

GRAND CIRCUIT.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 6.—The big event of the racing in the Grand Circuit yesterday was the trial of Cresceus, owned by Ketcham Farm, Toledo, Ohio, to beat the world's stallion record by Directum of 2.05 1-4. Cresceus was driven by George Ketcham and was urged by Joe Patchen, runner for Deckerson, by Jupes runner, driven by Walker. Deckerson coached the horse to the half alone when Walker came in with his runner, both pushing him at the flank to the wire. Cresceus did not make a skip in the mile and the time by quarters was: 31 1-4, 1.02 3-4, 1.33 1-2, 2.04 3-4, beating the record with apparent ease, finishing very strong and not the least blowed. Cresceus was brought back to the stand amid the greatest enthusiasm. The track management gave $1,000 for the performance. Summary:—

2.12 pace, purse $2,000—Johnny Agah won, Clinton B. second, Winolak third. Best time, 2.08 1-4. Early Bird, Prince A., Hipless, Dombey, jr., Nell Alcyoner and Solita also paced.

2.09 pace, purse $2,000—Conner won, Island Wiles, jr., second, Will Leyburn third. Best time, 2.04 3-4. Courier Journal, Agitato and Flint also paced.

2.10 trot, purse $1,200—Charley Herr won, Pilatus second, Farris third. Best time, 2.09 1-4. Tudor Chimes, Green Brino and Little Dick also ran.

2.15 pace, purse $1,200—Stacker Taylor won, Matin Bells second, Special Boy third. Best time, 2.09 1-4. Connif and Daphe Dallas also trotted.

CHAMPIONS OF THE WORLD.

Following is a list of the winners of the world's championships since these contests were established by the I.C.A. in 1893. The races of 1900 were run under the jurisdiction of the I.C.U.:—

AMATEUR.
One Mile.
1893—A. A. Zimmerman, U.S.A. 2.27 2-5
1894—Aug. Lehr, Germany 2.53 3-5
1895—Jaap Eden, Holland 2.28 4-5
1896—H. Reynolds, Ireland 3.51
1897—E. Schraeder, Denmark 3.25 2-5
1898—Paul Albert, Germany 3.32 1-5
1899—T. Summersgill, England 5.43 2-5
1900—Didier Nauts, France 5.06 3-5

100 Kilometres.
1893—L. S. Meintjes, S. Africa 2.46.13 3-5
1894—W. Henie, Denmark 2.35.53
1895—M. Cordang, Holland 2.33.48 3-5
1896—M. Ponscarme, France 2.31.13 2-5
1897—E. Gould, England 2.19.06 2-5
1898—A. J. Cherry, England 2.12.23 2-5
1899—J. A. Nelson, U.S.A. 2.04.13 1-5
1900—Bastien, France 2.05.36

PROFESSIONAL.
One Mile.
1895—R. T. C. Protin, Belgium 2.30 3-5
1896—P. Bourillon, France 3.21 4-5
1897—Willie Arend, Germany 3.11 3-5
1898—Geo. A. Banker, U.S.A. 3.01
1899—Major Taylor, U.S.A. 3.03
1900—Jacquelin, France

100 Kilometres.
1895—Jas. Michael, England 2.24.58 4-5
1896—A. A. Chase, England 2.14.01 2-5
1897—J. W. Stocks, England 2.10.52 4-5
1898—R. Palmer, England 2.10.21 1-5
1899—H. A. Gibson, U.S.A. 2.15.11 2-5
1900—Huret, France

AMATEUR VS. PROFESSIONAL.
One Mile.
1896—P. Bourillon, pro 2.42
1897—Willie Arend, pro 2.51
1898—*Paul Albert, am
1899**T. Summersgill, am 2.18 3-5
1900—Jacquelin, pro

*Banker refused to start.
**Taylor refused to start.

Note—1900 short distance races were at two kilometres instead of one mile.

SOMETHING OF BILLY QUINN.

"So poor old Billy Quinn is dead, is he?" said Harry Bethune, one time a champion sprinter of the world, to a Herald representative yesterday. "He was one of the few square and straight wrestlers I have ever met, and I have known pretty nearly all the bunch.

"I knew him pretty intimately, and many a time I have seen him turn a trick that showed his inborn kindness and generosity. No one ever had a word to say against him, and the news of his death caused more sincere sorrow in sporting circles than most people imagine.

"Just about eleven years ago Quinn and I were in a little party that were taking dinner at Jack Dempsey's training quarters. There were eight of us altogether, and every man was a champion in something. Now I am the only one left alive and every one of the others died under forty. Billy O'Connor, the Toronto oarsman; Jack Dempsey himself; Donaldson, the boxing teacher; Mike Kelly and Ed. Crane, and now Billy Quinn—every one of them died suddenly or through an accident.

"Quinn was born somewhere down in the Eastern Townships. His first prominence came through winning the amateur wrestling championship of America before the Olympic Club of San Francisco in '85. He had done a little boxing—I remember he and Corbett met as amateurs—but he decided to confine his attention exclusively to wrestling, and shortly went up to Victoria and began to take on matches with professionals. He defeated the famous Japanese wrestler, Matsada Sorakichi, then in the height of his fame, and got a draw with Clarence Whistler, the Kansas giant.

"In Chicago about that time he won from Evan Lewis, 'the Strangler,' on a foul at Battery D, and defeated several other well known men.

"Quinn was universally admitted to have been the best collar and elbow wrestler in the world. He never met his match at this particular game. A few years ago he retired and went back to live with his family at Conception, where he was killed a week or so ago."

CANADIAN CHALLENGER SAILS.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Minota, the challenger for the Fisher Cup, sailed for Charlotte last evening. Few changes have been made in her, but she is now considered to be in first class condition. Manila hemp running gear has been substituted for some of her pliable steel wire. Minota has not after all been provided with a new jib. The bolt rope of the old one was not stretched properly. This has been remedied. Minota's crew will consist of James McMurray, William Hughes, Fred A. Turner, H. Lownes, James Young, the paid hand, and Skipper Aemilius Jarvis. There will be a big Toronto contingent at the races at Charlotte. The steam yachts, Cruiser and Cleopatra are going and the sailing fleet will include all the big yachts.

Rochester, N.Y., Sept. 6.—The following named gentlemen will officiate as judges for the Fisher Cup yacht races: Thomas Brichard, of the Rochester Yacht Club; Frang M. Gray, of the Royal Canadian Yacht Club, Toronto, and B. F. Monck, of Hamilton. Mr. Monck was chosen by the other two.

PETERBORO' RUGBYITES MEET.

Peterboro', Ont., Sept. 6.—The annual organization meeting of Peterboro' Rugby Football Club, was held last night. The club will enter a team in the Intermediate series of the O.R.F.U. and will endeavor to land the championship again this season. The boys won the intermediate championship of Canada last year. The following officers were elected: Hon. president, C. F. McGill; chaplain, Rev. J. H. Bushell; president, H. R. H. Kenner; first vice-president, H. B. Burnham; second vice-president, A. A. Hollingshead; captain, R. F. McWilliams; manager, J. M. McLeod; secretary-treasurer, E. S. Clarry; assistant secretary-treasurer, H. Bush.

NEW CLUB AT LONGUEUIL.

A meeting of the lovers of cricket was held in the committee room of the Longueuil Boating Club, which was kindly loaned for the occasion, when it was decided to organize a club to be known as the Longueuil Cricket Club. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. H. F. Bourne; vice-president, Mr. J. Hamilton; captain, Mr. Chas. Herrod; secretary-treasurer, Mr. E. A. Brunn; committeee, Messrs. James Bourne, Lightborne and Hand. The club will be entered in the Cricket League.

RUGBY IN TORONTO.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Alex. McKenzie, the great centre half back of last year's Varsity Rugby team, has resigned the captaincy of the team. A meeting of the executive committee of the O.R.F.U. has been called to be held at the Rossin House on Wednesday evening, September 13, for the purpose of drawing up the schedule for the coming season.

EXIT KID M'COY

Defeat by Corbett Kills Him as a Heavyweight.

PETTED, HE HAS FALLEN.

The Methods of Living and Training Were His Own, and Induced Disaster.

Boston, Sept. 6.—A writer in the Globe says: Of all the heavyweight battles of the past year or so, the easiest won, and in the most decisive manner, was the Corbett-McCoy contest. To good judges it is clear that Kid McCoy is forever removed from the front rank of the heavyweight class, and is the damaged goods now, along with Tom Sharkey, the man with the permanently impaired ribs; Peter Maher, the man with the soft heart, and Gus Ruhlin, he with impaired speed, though not wanting in gameness.

My old friend McCoy is the victim of stomach trouble, and there are those who believe the affliction is chronic.

All that I have said of the above quartette of pugilists is meant as a criticism of them as professional men, not their personality. Anything pertaining to them in their profession belongs to the public.

Jim Corbett has been on the rack of public censure and criticism, and got it so hard that he woke up in time. Changing his ways, he became a new man, and his faithful and trying devotion to a proper course of living and training—an athlete's long suit—has again put him where he belongs and always aspired to be.

THE REJUVENATED CORBETT.

To-day Corbett looks fully ten years or more younger than he did fifteen or eighteen months ago. Then he looked like an emaciated and faded old woman, while today he has every appearance of health. His face has filled out, there is a glow to his cheeks, and he looks stronger and healthier than at any time since he became known to the world as a boxer and pugilist.

McCoy is now paying the usual penalty for a deviation from the strict rules of living necessary for a man of his calling. Aspiring to be the world's champion pugilist, and handicapped by a lack of avoirdupois, essential with the present run of heavyweights, McCoy has religiously defied the demands of nature for proper living and freedom from excesses.

McCOY PETTED AND SPOILED.

Good fortune has smiled liberally on McCoy in many ways lately, and he has been patronized and patted on the back to such an extent that he became thoughtless and indifferent about living properly. His great confidence in his own boxing and pugilistic ability made him forget many things.

Corbett underwent a thorough course of training under the guidance of competent assistants and aids, his camp being filled with good big brawny athletes, for rough work, while he had little fellows to make a pace for him in speed.

McCoy went about his training in his own way, as he has always done. He gathered about him a handful of little inexperienced boxers who had not the least experience in training, and the extent of their help was to rub him down.

McCOY'S IRREGULAR LIFE.

There are people in Boston who were aware of how McCoy was training and his irregular methods of living at Saratoga Lake. There was no move he made there but what was known, and there are friends of his in Boston who benefited by this knowledge. McCoy himself thought he was fit and well, and he has thought the same many times in the past when he was not.

The facts that were known to few became known to many, and certain escapades in Saratoga, no later than this week, were tipped off to knowing ones. This will account for the betting at the last moment.

It was from what Corbett knew of McCoy's training and his pleasures at Saratoga that he formed his plan of fighting. In fact Corbett and others knew more about McCoy's condition than did the Kid himself. Corbett figured to get to McCoy's stomach, and after he got there the fight was in reality settled.

NO EXCUSE FOR DEFEAT.

No excuse whatever can be offered for McCoy's defeat. If there is any blame due it falls solely on himself. The better man won, and McCoy must go back to the middleweights if he looks for any further pugilistic fame.

The defeat will bear heavily on McCoy, as he is very sensitive to public opinion. I expect to hear at any moment of some peculiar and unexpected move of his. If it were not that he is tied in a way to New York, by reason of his owning a saloon, I should expect to hear of him taking a trip to Europe at once or to some other point away off.

No man can lead a Bohemian life while training, nor should he think that life should be the same, and lived the same at Saratoga Lake as they do about Shanley's or, Rector's in New York.

DAVIDSON DEFEATED McMANUS.

The glove fight between Kid McManus, of Boston and Chas. Davidson, of Montreal, resulted in a win for Davison in the three-round. The Kid is a tricky customer but was beaten at his own game after knocking Davidson down twice in the second round.

DEER WEIGHED 125 POUNDS.

Megantic, Sept. 6.—The open season for deer hunting was inaugurated in this vicinity immediately after the stroke of midnight on Friday, 31st August.

Dr. Percy Vosburgh, of Montreal, accompanied by Mr. Powers, of this town, took a boat to Rush Lake, a well-known sheet of water in the neighborhood of Spider Lake. Shortly after midnight the well-known and welcome snort of the dear was heard, and after continued and patient watching the profile of a buck loomed up on the horizon, in shape somewhat indistinct, but definite enough to the patient watchers. A single shot from a trusty Winchester, a few moments of search in the brushwood bordering the lake, and the first deer of the season—a fine buck—was bagged to a Montrealer.

The quarry was brought to Megantic on Sunday morning, where it was found to weigh, dressed, 125 pounds.

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ELGIN ELECTIONS

Case in East Elgin Yesterday Dismissed With Costs.

THE CHARGES IN WEST ELGIN

Hearing Was Not Finished Yesterday and Will be Resumed This Morning.

St. Thomas, Ont., Sept. 6.—The East Elgin election trial occupied the attention of Justices Falconbridge and Street about two hours yesterday afternoon. It was dismissed with costs. A. B. Aylesworth appeared for the petitioner, Dan McIntyre, the defeated Liberal candidate; while Miller and Backus, of Aylmer, appeared for the respondent. There were 87 charges, about 10 of which were heard. All of the witnesses denied having been paid money to vote for Mr. Brower, or of having been offered money to do so. Two alleged important witnesses were missing, and Mr. Aylesworth asked for an adjournment, which was refused. A considerable part of the two hours in which their lordships sat was taken up in hunting up witnesses.

WEST ELGIN TRIAL.

The hearing of the charges in the West Elgin election trial, opened in the court house at 10 a.m. to-day, before Chief Justice Falconbridge and Justice Street. A. B. Aylesworth, J. K. Kerr, and A. Grant appeared for the petitioner, D. MacNish, the defeated Liberal candidate, while Mr. Bristol, of Toronto, and Crothers & Price, of this city, appeared for the respondent, F. G. MacDiarmid. The forenoon was taken up with the charges Nos. 1 to 20, in which W. Trick is claimed to have acted as betting commissioner for B. F. Honsinger. The evidence failed to show that Honsinger had any personal knowledge of this betting, which was done by one of his employes.

The trial was resumed at 2 p.m., the Trick charges being continued. It was claimed by W. Trick, jr., an employe of B. F. Honsinger, made bets of amounts of $5 and $10 with a number of persons, said Trick acting on behalf of his employer. The evidence showed the betting was done; that Trick was a Liberal in former contests, and that he was addicted to drink, and was drinking when these bets were made. He left the city a month ago, and his whereabouts is now unknown. There was nothing to show that Honsinger had any connection whatever with this betting.

After the Trick evidence was all in Mr. Aylesworth made application to have W. Trick, jr., found, and his personal evidence taken. The court failed to see how this would establish Honsinger's agency, but would permit the application at a later date if it was found advisable to resume these charges. The Follock charges were both dismissed. The Laing charges were dismissed. Court resumes at nine o'clock in the morning.

HORSE THIEF GETS FOURTEEN YEARS

The maximum penalty for stealing a horse is fourteen years. Had this proportion held in the case of William Larocque, who was charged with that offence before Judge Lafontaine yesterday, he would have been sent to penitentiary for 42 years. He is now about 30 years old. Larocque evidently is an incorrigible thief, his particular weakness being for horses. He has already served about ten years in St. Vincent de Paul, and, in fact, had just come out, when he was collared by Detective Charpentier stealing a horse from Mr. Lesperance, of St. Lawrence Street. He was tried and found guilty. Then it developed that a mare and her colt, owned by Mr. Lefebvre, of Laprairie, had also been stolen by Larocque. He was found guilty on all charges. He promised, as of old, that he would reform, and begged for mercy. Larocque had an accomplice in George Dunham, of Notre Dame Street. It was Dunham's first offence, and this brought him partial leniency at the hands of the court. Larocque was sentenced to twice seven years, that is, two terms of seven years each, or fourteen years in all. Dunham got five years.

DECARIE AND HIS INVENTIONS.

Mr. F. E. Decarie, chief engineer of the Fire Department, whose many patents have made his name not unwidely known, leaves next week on a two months' visit to Paris. While abroad, Mr. Decarie will attend to some of his patents. He has already taken them out in ten countries. Mr. Decarie has just sold the plans and specifications of a steam generating plant to the city of Minneapolis. It is intended to consume mixed materials. A deputation from that city visited plants in all parts of the United States and England, but finally determined to adopt that of the local inventor. Milwaukee has also made advances with a view to a similar purchase. To Waterbury, Conn., Mr. Decarie has sold a small incinerator to be used for the consumption of vegetable matter only. He has succeeded in placing his gully cleaner in Syracuse, and one is now in operation at Toronto on approval. After the recent fire at the Dominion Cotton Mills in this city, the company adopted the Decarie controlling nozzle for use on all its lines of hose.

FELL TO HIS DEATH.

Joseph Latuniere, 4 Voltigeurs Street, was killed at 10 o'clock yesterday by falling down the hold of the steamship Montford, of the Elder, Dempster Line. He was working, loading a cargo, when he slipped and fell. His skull was fractured. He was removed to the Notre Dame Hospital, but died almost immediately after arriving there. An inquest will be held tomorrow at the morgue.

HON. A. G. BLAIR HERE.

The Hon. A. G. Blair, Minister for Railways, accompanied by Mr. J. L. Payne, his private secretary, arrived here Tuesday by the Government car Ottawa from the capital, on his way to the Maritime provinces.

The Minister saw some friends at the Windsor Hotel, where he was staying, and left to-day by the Maritime express for St. John, N.B. He goes east to attend a big Liberal demonstration which will be held at Amherst on Friday evening, at which addresses are to be delivered by Hon. Mr. Fielding and Hon. Mr. Paterson. He will spend Sunday at St. John and intends going on early next week to Prince Edward Island, where he has been asked by Sir Louis Davies, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, to address a meeting. He expects to return to Ottawa about the end of the present week.

Mr. D. Pottinger, General Manager of the Intercolonial, and Mr. J. E. Price, General Superintendent, went east by the same train as Mr. Blair.

$100.00 PRIZE IN GOLD FOR A NAME.

The Oxford Mfg. Co. will give a prize of one hundred dollars for a name for a high-class laundry soap they are about to place on the market. The conditions for competing for the prize are as follows: Each competitor must enclose ten cents together with the name they select and mail them to the Oxford Mfg. Co. Toronto. By return mail they will receive a box of delicately perfumed pure bland toilet soap for the complexion; or those preferring will be forwarded a box of the best shaving soap in the world, the Barber's favorite.

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RAILWAY NEWS

FINE BAGGAGE RECORD.

Baggagemaster Gieselman, of the Grand Trunk, states that the baggagemen at Bonaventure Station handled 600 more pieces of baggage during the past month than was handled at the Union Station, Chicago, which is used as the central depot of half a dozen of the biggest railway systems of this continent. On Monday the Bonaventure baggage staff checked 1,400 pieces outwards and 1,500 pieces inwards, making a total of 2,900 pieces—a record far in excess of anything ever accomplished before. At Windsor station, too, the authorities say the tourist traffic is unprecedented. July and August are usually the best months of the year for travel, but it is now running into September and there seems to be no diminution of traffic. Mr. Miller, the station agent at Windsor depot, says that the aggregate number of pieces of baggage handled during the months of July and August was 90,000.

NEW BRIDGE SUPERINTENDENT.

Mr. J. E. Toohey, superintendent of bridges on the Central Vermont Railway, has resigned. His successor is Mr. William Sheedy, whose headquarters are St. Albans, Vermont.

C.P.R. RETAINING WALL.

The heavy retaining wall which the Canadian Pacific Railway Company are constructing for the protection of their line in the city, is a work of considerable magnitude, and rapid progress has been made with it during the summer months. The Plymouth Grove section is now finished and workmen are now building at the rear of St. Anthony's Church.

THE TRACKMEN'S UNION.

The delegates to the Canadian Trackmen's Union resumed their session at the Albion Hotel yesterday under the presidency of Mr. J. Logan, of Ottawa. The purpose of the conference is an exchange of views upon matters affecting the interests of the men who toil in all kinds of weather on the various lines of Canada and who receive lower remuneration than probably any other class of railway workers. The sessions will be continued daily until the end of the week.

STOPPING THE NEWSBOYS.

The Lehigh Valley Railway Company have stopped all newsboys from selling papers on the trains. The new rule which came into operation in the beginning of the month, removing from the road one of its most picturesque features, is the result, it is said, of a recent attempt of one of the newsboys to sell the president of the road a little book of a "Frenchy" character, sealed, for 50c.

The president was going up the road and was attired in a golf outfit, with knickerbockers and plaid stockings, and the newsboys didn't know him. He shoved the little book into the lap of the president and whispered that the book could be bought for 50 cents. The president casually examined the whole stock of the newsboy and a few days afterward a special agent from the coal regions was given an order from headquarters to make a study of the news business and report to him. As a result of the report it is claimed that an order prohibiting the sale of papers on the road has been issued.

TO CULTIVATE POPULARITY.

Mr. Thomas E. Clark, the newly appointed general superintendent of the Lackawanna gave the engineers and conductors a pleasant surprise when he entered upon his duties. The men, when they reported for duty, found a written notice posted which read:

"I would be pleased to make your personal acquaintance. Hope you may find it convenient to call soon and often."

This was decidedly an innovation and naturally created a great deal of discussion; yet, it is just one of the things that makes a superior officer popular without the least sacrifice of discipline. It convinces subordinates that they may depend upon a fair and just hearing whenever necessary to present a grievance and insures harmonious relations.

C.P.R. BIOGRAPH.

Two capital biograph films, each containing 1,800 exposures, have been secured of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's transcontinental express, the Imperial Limited. The views were taken by Mr. Bitzer, of the American Biograph Company, under the direction of Mr. Creighton, of the advertising department of the system. They will be exhibited in connection with a number of other high class moving pictures in the chief cities of this country as well as of England, Scotland and France.

OTTAWA AND GATINEAU.

At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Ottawa and Gatineau Railway Company, which was held in the Canada Life Building yesterday afternoon, the following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. H. G. Beemer, M. S. Lonergan, Hon. J. S. C. Wurtele, Samuel Finley, E. A. Hoare, William Hanson and Dr. Duhamel. Mr. William Hanson presided. The report for the six months ending June 30, 1900, submitted by Mr. H. J. Maltby, secretary-treasurer of the company, shows an increase of 40 per cent. in the gross earnings, and 300 per cent. in the net earnings, against the same period a year ago. Much satisfaction was expressed at the progress made during the year.

THE ENGINEERS AT SYDNEY.

The Montreal members of the Canadian Mining Institute who accompanied the joint excursion of the American Institute of Mining Engineers speak in high terms of the arrangements made by the Intercolonial to ensure the success of the trip. Quite a number of the American section accompanied their Canadian friends to Montreal, and all the members of the party were loud in their praise of the courteous treatment received at the hands of the Intercolonial officials. The charming scenery, the splendid state of the road bed and the almost entire absence of dust contributed to make the excursion one of the most enjoyable on record. Mr. H. A. Price, the assistant general passenger agent at Montreal, accompanied the excursion on its outward journey as far as Riviere du Loup, and assisted greatly in making final arrangements, and seeing the party safely on its way. The special train consisted of six Pullman sleepers, dining car and baggage car, and made a record run from Halifax, having accomplished the distance from the Nova Scotia capital to Levis in 19 1-2 hours.

I.C.R. SEASIDE EXCURSIONS.

After Friday, September 7, the 7.45 p.m. special on the Intercolonial Railway, running from Montreal to Levis, St. Paschal, Riviere du Loup, Cacouna and Little Metis will be discontinued for the present season.

McGILL MAN APPOINTED.

Dr. Charles R. O'Shaughnessy, a graduate of McGill, '00, has accepted the appointment of superintendent of the General Hospital in Ottawa. Dr. O'Shaughnessy is a native of St. Stephen, N.B.

THIS CHINAMAN WAS MARRIED IN MONTREAL

About 200 Chinamen left the Windsor Street station for Vancouver yesterday morning to return home by the steamer Empress of China to Hong Kong. Amongst them was Hum Lum Hoy, who was married to a little Chinese woman by Dean Carmichael in St. George's Church about five years ago. The marriage, which was witnessed by Mr. Harry Ibbotson and Mr. A. V. Fabian, of the C.P.R. passenger department, attracted some attention in the city by reason of the fact that Chinese marriages outside their own country are rare. When Mr. Hoy and his wife left Windsor station yesterday morning they took with them three little Hoys.

PUNISHES THE ASHANTIS.

Kumassi, Ashanti, September 6.—Col. Willcox's forces are operating in small columns in all directions, breaking up war camps and destroying stockades and towns.

Col. Brake and thirty men were wounded at the storming of the Fetish town of Ojesu.

MAY BE THE LORD LIEUTENANT.

London, September 6.—Vanity Fair says it is not unlikely that the Duke of Marlborough will succeed Earl Cadogan as Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

"The best value for the least money" is the motto of Blue Ribbon Ceylon Tea.

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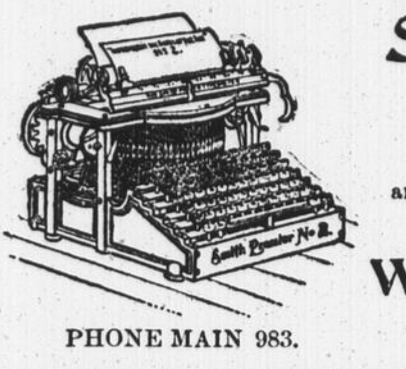
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THE MONTREAL COMPANY

Captain C. K. Fraser, of E Company, First Contingent, Writes of Life at Springs.

Sherbrooke, Sept. 6.—The following are extracts from letters received by Major Fraser, from his brother, Captain C. K. Fraser, who is in command of E Company, of the first contingent:

Spring, S.A., July 3, 1900.

We are still at the same old place, and from the present outlook are likely to remain for some weeks longer. It is rather a monotonous existence we are leading, but at the same time we are very comfortable, with good grub, and the duties are not very heavy, so taking everything into consideration, we have nothing to complain of. I don't believe they will keep us here longer than the middle of August, and if we leave then it will mean somewhere about the 1st of October before we reach home. Preparations are being made by the British Government for the colonial contingent, comprising representatives from all the different colonials now in South Africa, to be sent to England, something on the same lines as the Jubilee celebration. Colonel Otter got a message a day or two ago from Lord Bobs, asking how many from our regiment would like to go, and he promptly replied, "The whole regiment," between 650 and 700, and it is just possible they will allow us to go. I have to go out in charge of a fatigue party this afternoon to dig some trenches on one of our outposts. Ogilvie is doing duty now as intelligence officer here, and Winter, the lieutenant who came out with the draft, is acting adjutant.

OUR FRIEND DE WET.

Have just heard that our friend, De Wet, has cut the line again near Kronstadt, but I believe it is not a very serious break, and can be repaired within a day or two. This will delay our mails, which were due tonight, for a few days. I wish to goodness we could capture De Wet, as our lines of communication will never be safe until we do. He seems to be almost too smart for us, and one never knows where he is going to turn up next. French, Hutton and an infantry brigade, I think Pole-Carew's, are a short distance from here, and are holding a large force of Boers. They have had several engagements within the last two weeks, and we can hear their guns quite plainly from here. Several convoys of their sick and wounded have been sent in here, and all their supplies are sent from this place.

LIFE AT THE SPRINGS.

August 1, 1900.—Still at Springs, and I have not much news for you, as one day is pretty much the same as another, and we have not even had an alarm lately to break the monotony. They have a very good tennis court here, and Burstall and I have been down there two or three times. We had a cricket match last Sunday, R.C.R. vs. Springs, and our boys beat them by 60 runs. Last night my company gave a concert in their quarters, and the parson, who got back from Cape Town a couple of days ago, and I went over to it. They got up a first-rate programme of songs, choruses, recitations, etc., and I was surprised to find so much talent in the company.

Quite a number of the men have very good voices, and sang some good songs. After the musical part, I was called upon for a speech, which, needless to say, was a masterpiece. We have only six companies here at present. H Company is still on detached duty at Rocksburg, and Jones, with G Company, is on the armored train again, with headquarters at Elandsfontein. We received the good news yesterday of the surrender of 5,000 Free Staters to General Hunter. It looks as though the game was pretty well up now, and we are anxiously awaiting news from Bobs, who is after Botha. The weather is getting very much warmer here, but not uncomfortably so. Have had one or two wet days, but nothing to amount to much. We are getting our spring now, and the summer season begins about the 1st of October. Have been rather busy this week. Was out with a fatigue party digging trenches one morning, and was one of the members of a field general court martial to try some chaps who were found asleep on sentry post, and also a color sergeant of the Mounted Infantry who got drunk. The latter got six months, I.H.L., and reduced to the ranks. Colonel Buchan has been put in charge of the rest camp at Elandsfontein, and will likely remain there until we are sent down. None of the Sherbrooke men are with me now. I think they are all at Cape Town. The parson tells me that all the men in the hospital are doing well, and just as soon as they are strong enough to be moved they are sent to the Cape. About 300 of our men have been invalided to England, and expect the majority of those now at the Cape will be sent on, too. Still feeling O.K. and getting fatter every day.

CARTERS FINED.

John Humphreys, carriage agent at Lawrence Hall, was fined $10 and costs in the Recorder's Court yesterday for interfering with the police. A few days ago Jas. McBurney and Hugh Elliott, two carters employed by Humphreys, got into trouble with the police, while waiting for passengers to arrive at the R. & O. boat. Elliott had no carriage number and McBurney was absent from his vehicle. When the constable went to arrest them they escaped. Warrants were subsequently issued. Recorder Weir this morning fined Elliott $2 or 15 days' imprisonment; McBurney, $5 and costs or 15 days; and Humphreys, $10 and costs or 15 days.

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STEADY MAN WILL WORK FOR BOARD around house, in or out kitchen, furnace, garden, painting, whitewashing, or any kind of work. Address Fred. Davies, 933 St. James st. 212x

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WANTED—BY INTELLIGENT YOUNG MAN position in office as assistant bookkeeper. Apply M.O., 21 Herald. 213

WANTED — SITUATION AS ASSISTANT bookkeeper, by young man of good education; temperate and thoroughly reliable. Address 29 Victoria st. 214x

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Advertisements under this heading, 1 cent per word.

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WANTED — FIRST-CLASS LADIES' TAILor; also a first-class waist hand, one who understands fitting. Apply to M. Tennenbaum, care John Murphy Co. 314x

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, for family of two. Apply 481 Guy st. 211x

WANTED — A GOOD PLAIN COOK. References required. Apply 11 Mackay st. 210x

WANTED — AT ONCE, THOROUGHLY EXperienced dressmakers; steady employment; first-class hands only need apply. Henry Morgan & Co., St. Catherine st. 215x

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WANTED—OFFICE BOY, ABLE TO SPEAK French and use typewriter. Apply to Canadian Widows' and Orphans' Life Co., 207 St. James st. 210x

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2407 St. Catherine St Near Peel

WANTED — A YOUNG GIRL TO ATTEND in shop and assist with light housework; one from the country preferred. Apply Mrs. Parry, 492 St. James st. 210x

LOST.

LOST — LEFT ON SIDEWALK OPPOSITE G.T.R. Station this morning, hand satchel. Reward if returned to W. E. Mowat, Molsons Bank, St. James st. 210x

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WANTED — A RESPECTABLE YOUNG MAN to share room and board with advertiser's son (24); no children or other boarders; terms $3.50 per week, inclusive. Address Mrs. Elliott, 40 Dominion ave., St. Cunegonde. 213x

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TENDER FOR FILLING PONDS AND BEACHES AT LEVIS, QUE.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside, "Tender for Filling Ponds at Levis," will be received until seventeen o'clock, Eastern Standard Time,

FRIDAY, the 7th day of SEPTEMBER, 1900, for the Filling of the Ponds and Beaches between the Ferry Wharf and Couture's Wharf, at Levis, Que.

Plans and specifications may be seen on and after the 31st day of August, 1900, at the Assistant Engineer's Office, Levis Station, and at the Chief Engineer's Office at Moncton, N.B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specifications must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER,
General Manager.

Railway Office,
Moncton, N.B., August 28th, 1900.

Intercolonial Railway.

TENDER FOR STATION AT LEVIS.

Sealed Tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside, "Tender for Levis Station," will be received until seventeen o'clock

TUESDAY, the 25th day of SEPTEMBER, 1900 for the construction of a new Station Building at Levis, Quebec.

Plans and specifications may be seen on and after the 8th day of September, 1900, at the Assistant Engineer's Office, Levis Station, and at the Chief Engineer's Office, Moncton, N.B., where forms of tender may be obtained.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

D. POTTINGER,
General Manager.

Railway Offices,
Moncton, N.B., August 28th, 1900.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

MONTREAL TIME BILL

ST. JOHN, HALIFAX—Lv. ‡8.20 p.m. Ar. x8.35 a.m.

TORONTO, HAMILTON, CHICAGO — Lv. †8.55 a.m., *9.30 p.m. Ar. *7.50 a.m., †7.00 p.m.

WINNIPEG AND PACIFIC COAST—Lv. *9.30 a.m. Ar. *6.10 p.m.

S. S. MARIE, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS, DULUTH—Lv. *10.00 p.m. Ar. *8.00 a.m.

OTTAWA—Lv. Place Viger †8.30 a.m., †5.40 p.m. Ar. †12.55 p.m., †9.55 p.m. Lv. Windsor St. *9.30 a.m., †10.00 a.m., †4.05 p.m., †6.15 p.m., *10.00 p.m. Ar. *8.00 a.m., †9.35 a.m., †11.10 a.m., *6.10 p.m., †6.45 p.m.

QUEBEC—Lv. †8.20 a.m., †2.30 p.m., §3.30 p.m., *11.00 p.m. Ar. *6.30 a.m., †2.00 p.m., *6.30 p.m.

BOSTON — Lv. †9.00 a.m., *8.00 p.m. Ar. *8.10 a.m., †9.10 p.m.

VAUDREUIL—Lv. †8.55 a.m., a12.30 p.m., †4.05 p.m., †4.15 p.m., a5.15 p.m., †6.15 p.m., 11.30 p.m., *9.30 p.m. Ar. *7.50 a.m., †8.40 a.m., †11.10 a.m., †12.10 p.m., a3.00 p.m., †6.45 p.m., †7.00 p.m., §9.45 p.m.

SHERBROOKE—Lv. †9.00 a.m., 12.00 p.m., †4.30 p.m., ‡8.20 p.m. Ar. x8.35 a.m., g9.40 a.m., †11.55 a.m., †9.10 p.m.

JOLIETTE—Lv. †8.20 a.m., §9.00 a.m., 12.00 p.m., †5.10 p.m. Ar. §8.50 a.m., †6.30 p.m., v9.15 p.m.

BERTHIER—Lv. †8.20 a.m., ‡2.30 p.m. Ar. 2.00 p.m., †6.30 p.m.

ST. JEROME—Lv. †9.00 a.m., §9.15 a.m., 11.45 p.m., †5.30 p.m., a6.15 p.m. Ar. †8.30 a.m., †9.50 a.m., †6.45 p.m., §9.45 p.m.

STE. AGATHE—Lv. a9.00 a.m., §9.15 a.m., 11.30 p.m., †5.30 p.m. Ar. g8.40 a.m., †9.50 a.m., 6.45 p.m., §9.45 p.m.

LABELLE—Lv. 9.00 a.m., Tues. and Thurs., 11.30 p.m., †5.30 p.m. Ar. g8.40 a.m., †9.50 a.m., 6.45 p.m., Tues and Thurs.

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MONTREAL to TORONTO and RETURN.

September 5th and 6th	$10.00

Return Limit, September 10th, 1900.

MONTREAL to SHERBROOKE and Return.

September 7th	$3.35
September 5th and 6th	2.50

Return Limit, September 10th, 1900.

MONTREAL TO THREE RIVERS AND RETURN.

September 8 to 15, inclusive	$1.75

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ST. ANDREWS BY-THE-SEA SLEEPING CAR SERVICE.

Last Sleeping Car of the season will leave Montreal Friday Sept. 7th. Last Sleeper will leave St. Andrews for Montreal Sept. 10th.

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Through Service to Old Orchard will be discontinued after Friday, September 7th.

Commencing Sept. 8th trains will leave Montreal for Portland at 9 a.m. week days and 8 p.m. daily except Saturdays. Parlor and Sleeping Cars through to Portland.

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Leave Portland	8.15 a.m. and *8.30 p.m.
Arrive Montreal	6.50 p.m. and *7.20 a.m.

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September 6th	$10.00

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September 7th	$3.35
September 6th	2.50

Return Limit, September 10th, 1900.

MONTREAL to OTTAWA And Return.

September 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 21	$3.50
September 18 and 20	2.60

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P.M. trains September 10, all trains.

September 11, 12, 13	$1.00

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"	†11.00 a.m.	"	†1.25 p.m.
"	†4.10 p.m.	"	†7.35 p.m.
"	†7.50 p.m	"	†10.15 p.m.
"	§5.50 p.m.	"	§9.10 p.m.
Ottawa	†6.10 a.m.	Montreal	†9.50 a.m.
"	†9.00 a.m.	"	†11.20 a.m.
"	†4.20 p.m.	"	†6.40 p.m.
"	†7.00 p.m	"	†10.10 p.m.
"	§8.00 a.m.	"	§11.00 a.m.

Note—†Daily except Sunday. §Sunday only.

CITY TICKET OFFICES:
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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

On and after MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1900, trains will leave and arrive at Bonaventure Depot, Montreal, as follows:

THE MARITIME EXPRESS will leave daily, except on Saturday, at 12.00 noon, for Halifax, N.S., The Sydneys, St. John, N.B., and other points in the Maritime Provinces.

THE MARITIME EXPRESS from points as above, will arrive daily, except on Monday, at 7.30 p.m., and daily from Riviere du Loup.

THE LOCAL EXPRESS will leave daily, except on Sunday, at 7.40 a.m., due to arrive at Levis at 1 p.m., at Riviere du Loup at 5 p.m., and at Little Metis at 8.25 p.m.

THE LOCAL EXPRESS will leave Little Metis daily, except Saturday, at 4.25 p.m., Riviere du Loup at 7.40 p.m., and Levis at 11.45 p.m., due to arrive at Montreal at 6.30 a.m.

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Moncton, N.B., June 15, 1900.

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15 dozen Ladies' Fine White Cambric Skirts, 2½ yards wide, richly trimmed with Torchon Lace and Insertion, beautifully made and finished. Regular $1.00 kind. Friday's Price 79c

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Special lot of Children's School Reefers, made of Blue Serge, loose back, large sailor collar and with brass buttons. These are not the very latest style of Reefer, but are suitable for knock about and school wear Regular $2.50. Friday 49c

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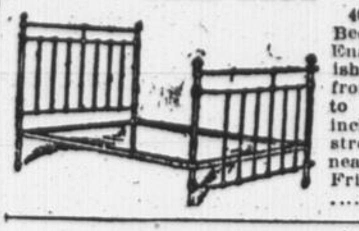

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Jellies, all flavors	12½c	10c
C. & B. Malt Vinegar	20c	16c
25 lbs. Best Hungarian Flour	70c	62c

	Regular.	Friday.
Split Peas	5c	2½c
Pot Barley	5c	2½c
Corn Starch	10c	6½c
Condensed Milk	15c	10c
Mixed Pickles	12½c	9½c
Rio Coffee	25c	15c
Imported French Peas	15c	10c
English Sherbet	15c	10c

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	Regular.	Friday.
Carter's Little Liver Pills	25c	15½c
Dr. Chase's Catarrh Cure	25c	17c
Baume Rhumal	25c	16½c
Stearns' Headache Wafers	25c	15½c
Pain Killer	25c	16½c
Williams' Pink Pills	50c	36c
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Dodd's Kidney Pills	50c	39c
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Something Like Mutiny Breaks Out on the British Transport.

CHICAGO MULETEERS REBEL

A Squad of New Orleans Police Quells the Riot and Arrests the Ringleaders.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 5.—Because English stokers will not work alongside of Danish stokers and because Chicago muleteers are fastidious in the matter of food there has been rank mutiny on board the British transport Montcalm, which cleared Saturday from this port with 1,400 mules for South Africa, and which should have been far out upon the high seas. Instead, however, of having obtained a good start on her long journey the Montcalm has been anchored in midstream a few miles below New Orleans for forty-eight hours.

All day the acting British consul at this port, Mr. Donnelly, the agents of the vessel, Elder, Dempster & Co., and a commission of British ship captains have been wrestling with the problem which confronts the big steamship. And to-night scores of the ringleaders of the mutiny are in prison.

CHICAGOANS OBJECT TO FOOD.

The Montcalm had dropped down the river a few miles when the British stokers refused to go to work. They had learned that four Danish stokers had been given places on the ship's crew and they swore flatfootedly that they would not handle a shovel of coal until they had been displaced. Then a complication developed in another quarter.

Seventy-odd muleteers had been shipped and of the seventy thirty hailed from Chicago. The Chicagoans had had one meal from the ship's fare and went on a strike. They said that the bready was moldy and that the meat was full of worms. Efforts at compromise fell flat. As a last resort the troubles were reported to the acting British consul. The latter called in a commission of British ship captains who happened to be in port and ordered them to sit as a commission upon the ship's stores. They did so and reported them clean and wholesome.

RIOT ON BOARD SHIP.

The agents said that the Danish stokers should stay and the captain was ordered to start at once for sea. He attempted to carry out his orders, but the men rebelled. The Chicago muleteers began to make all kinds of threats and a riot was in progress aboard when the law was appealed to and a wholesale roundup of the ringleaders was inaugurated.

At first the report came from the point off which the Montcalm was anchored that seventy-five men had been made prisoners, but only forty were marched to jail. They were the British stokers. It seems that the American muleteers got wind of what was going to happen and made their escape. The stokers are being held on the charge of contemplating a breach of the peace until the acting British consul and the captain of the Montcalm decide upon what course to pursue.

MANITOBA'S LIQUOR ACT.

Winnipeg, Man., September 6.—Premier Macdonald says that the Liquor Act will be brought before the full court in November and if decided against the Government will be carried to the Privy Council without the formality of carrying it before the Supreme Court of Canada. If decided the other way by the local court, the same proceedings may be carried out.

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8-12 size, $2.75 for $1.83, $3.50 for $2.34, $4.00 for $2.67, $5.00 for $3.33, $6.00 for $4.00 &c., &c.
10-4 size, $6.00 for $4.00, $9.00 for $6.00, &c., &c.
10-12 size, $7.50 for $5.00, $8.50 for $5.67, $10.00 for $6.67, $12.00 for $8.00.
10-14 size, $9.00 for $6.00, $12.00 for $8.00, 15.00 for $10.00.
10-16 size, $10.50 for $7.00, 14.00 for $9.33, &c.

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STOCKS CONTINUE ON STRONG SIDE

Pacific Sells Ex-Dividend—General List Strong—Centre Star Shows Another Advance.

The local stock market still bears a cheering aspect and the concensus of opinion seems to be that it would not take much at present to force prices upward.

It was plain enough to a casual observer again this morning that the market is in a position to absorb a good amount of stock without turning a hair, while any concentrated buying movement would result in little selling and higher prices.

Most of the leaders showed strength and brokers again found it difficult to place orders. Orders for Cable, for instance have put it up to 168 and at the close to-day 169 was bid with no sellers.

Pacific sold ex-dividend of 2 1-2 per cent. for the first time and the trading ranged from 88 to 88 1-2, the feeling being inclined to easiness around the close. There was quite a lot of Street Ry. placed at 255, but continued buying chased the sellers away and 256 was paid in the final transaction. Richelieu was fairly firm, but Toronto Rails after selling at 101 failed to hold the advance and went back to 101.

The mining atmosphere appears to be clearing a good deal and this will assist the general market. Just at present, however, attention is concentrated upon Centre Star, which is booked to make a fine showing now that shipments to the smelter are well under way. It sold as high as 166 this morning after selling yesterday at 160. Payne was steady at 94.

$ $ $

Montreal Street Ry. earnings yesterday were $5,565.93, an increase compared with the same day last year of $967.44.

$ $ $

L. J. Forget & Co.'s London Cable quoted Grand Trunk first at 85⅞, second at 56¼ third at 21⅝, Canadian Pacific at 92½, Hudson Bay at 21⅝, and Anaconda at £9¼.

$ $ $

Mr. C. D. Monk's Wall Street message said: Good demand for securities in the London market. Consols a shade higher. The bear party on B.R.T. are keeping quiet for the moment.

Market for Americans in London strong, advances from ⅛ to ⅜; Atchison, B. & O., and Pacific stocks consols ⅛ per cent. higher. Peace outlook in China more bright. Ultimatum given by mine owners, refusing demand of the mine workers. Strike possible next Monday, Carnegie denies differences in his company, wire officials deny reported labor difficulties.

Talk of Mr. George Gould to be chairman of Missouri Pacific R.R. and Mr. Fordyce to be president. Norfolk & Western 4th week Aug., increase $77,803 month; increase, $236,287. Market likely to be strong except for coalers.

Russell Sage says:—"I don't believe Mr. Bryan's election would be such a disastrous event. But then he won't be elected. Vermont has just spoken and her vote of 30,000 majority for Republican ticket means a great deal. There's a lot of good, sound, common sense in Vermont. Why, if Mr. Bryan should be elected he would have to come to the financiers for advice as to the financial policy of the Government.

$ $ $

The Metropolitan Stock Exchange says regarding to-day's market: The raid on B.R.T. was the feature of the opening. Savin and De Cordova each sold 2,000 shares. There is considerable talk of a Tammany raid on the stock. It is thought that serious labor troubles are imminent among the anthracite miners. Opinion is that it will take effect on Monday next, but strenuous endeavors are being made to avert it. Pennsylvania and Reading were rather heavy. Traders bought Sugar, believed to be short covering. One and seven-eighths per cent. is now bid for the next Sugar dividend on the common. Wormser predicts that on the next move Sugar will cross 130. The London market was very steady and Americans for the most part were rather above parity. Nothing of moment is recorded in money or exchange. The Bank of England statement is an exceptionally strong one. London's orders in New York were mostly on the buying side.

$ $ $

MORNING BOARD SALES

50 Pacific, ex-div., at 88 3-8.
100 Pacific, ex-div., at 88 1-4.
25 Pacific, ex-div., at 88 18.
20 Pacific, ex-div., at 88 1-2.
175 Pacific, ex-div., at 88.
10 New Street at 254.
20 New Street at 255 1-4.
25 Electric at 200 1-2.
75 St. John Railway at 117.
25 Molsons at 188 3-4.
10 Pacific, cash, at 91.
100 Pacific, cash, at 90 1-2.
808 Street Railway at 255.
50 Street Railway at 255 1-8.
100 Street Railway at 256.
25 Dominion Cotton at 90 1-2.
1 Telephone at 173.
55 Cable at 168.
25 Toronto at 101.
150 Toronto at 100 3-4.
82 Toronto at 100 1-4.
25 Toronto at 100 1-2.
25 Richelieu at 108.
20 Richelieu at 107 3-4.
4,000 Montreal-London at 14 1-2.
1,000 Montreal-London at 14 3-4.
75 Twin City at 61 1-2.
500 Centre Star at 165.
1,000 Centre Star at 166
1,000 North Star at 95.
1,500 Republic at 80.
1,000 Republic at 79.
1,500 Payne at 94.

WHOLE WORLD'S CROP OF WHEAT

Something About a Recent Estimate Made—It Shows a Fair Sized Crop.

Crop estimates from Budaspeth are not accepted as of the highest authority, but they are not without their interest. We give the world's crops of wheat for the last three years, according to our own Department of Agriculture, and the estimate of the Hungarian Minister of Agriculture for this year:—

	Bushels.
1897	2,233,637,000
1898	2,921,045,000
1899	2,725,407,000
1900	2,470,000,000 to 2,526,000,000

The old wheat brought over is estimated by the Minister at somewhere between 200,000,000 and 230,000,000 bushels, making a total supply of, say, 2,700,000,000 bushels or something over. This is a little over the average consumption, as he estimates it, of from 2,628,000,000 to 2,704,000,000 bushels. But he estimates the rye crop at more than 20 per cent. behind that of last year, or somewhere from 115,000,000 to 140,000,000 bushels below the average consumption. He also estimates the barley, oats and maize crops at less than the average consumption, but the discrepancy in these grains he puts at low figures.

$ $ $

Weather in England cool; in France fine.

$ $ $

Minneapolis wires that elevator firms are the best buyers of wheat at full prices.

$ $ $

October wheat opened unchanged in Chicago at 73 7-8 and at 12.30 was quoted at 72 7-8. Spot opened at 73 7-8 and the 12.30 price was 73 1-3 to 73 3-8.

TEA PRICES FIRM

A well known Shanghai tea firm, Messrs. Wisner & Co., write under date of August 11, as follows:—"Black teas—Since we last wrote a large business has passed in 'good common' to 'medium' teas, and prices have been well maintained for these grades, with the exception of one or two transactions better teas have been neglected. Settlements reported since the 21st of July amount to 23,272 half chests; stock, 20,000 half chests (chiefly represented by musters only). Green Teas.—All country kinds have advanced about one tael per picul during the interval. This has been caused, we think, more by the fact that teas have been put on the market very slowly than because of the expected shortage in the crop. Quality does not improve; really choice teas are very scarce. Wenchows and local packs have been taken at full previous rates; quality of these is now getting common. Supplies will probably be about 7 per cent. under last year. Pingsueys—A large business has passed since our last at a slight decline; at the close the market is quiet, but tea men seem firm holders. Settlements reported have been 48,380 half chests. Country tea and local packed—Total arrivals, 52,286 half chests, against 52,158 do. in 1899; do. settlements, 40,502 half chests, against 36,869 half chests in 1899; do. stock, 11,784 half chests, against 15,289 half chests in 1899. Pingsuey—Total arrivals, 78,730 half chests, against 56,981 half chests in 1899; do. settlements, 61,930 half chests, against 45,301 half chests in 1899; do. stock, 16,800 half chests, against 11,680 half chests in 1899. Export of tea from Shanghai and Yang Tsze ports for season 1900 1901:—To Great Britain—Total to date, 6,615,866 lbs. black and 584,203 lbs. green; total to corresponding date last season, 8,736,153 lbs. black and 157,323 lbs. green. To United States:—Total to date, 7,011,636 lbs. black and 3,852,397 lbs. green. total to corresponding date last season, 2,979,705 lbs. black and 2,431,541 lbs. green.

To Canada:—Total to date, 681,006 lbs. black and 137,751 lbs. green; total to corresponding date last season, 272,626 lbs. black and 134,913 lbs. green. Exports of black tea to Russia direct to Russian Manchuria, 28,000,000 lbs., against 24,000,000 lbs. corresponding date last season; exports of green tea to Bombay, 500,000 lbs., against 80,000 lbs. corresponding date last season; exports of green tea to Batoum, 500,000 lbs. against 600,000 lbs. corresponding date last season.

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MONTREAL MARKETS

Oats continue in fair demand in a local way with the export demand chiefly for corn. No. 1 spring wheat was quoted at 75c afloat; old peas at 71c to 71 1-2c; new crop do. at 68 1-2c to 69c; new crop rye at 57 1-2c; new crop No. 2 barley at 47 1-2c; oats at 30c.

There was no change in the situation of the flour market. A fair trade continues to be done, in a jobbing way, but few large sales are being made. We quote: Manitoba spring patents, $4.50; winter wheat patents, $3.75 to $4; straight rollers, $3.50 to $3.60; in bags, $1.60 to $1.65; and Manitoba strong bakers, $4 to $4.20.

Business in rolled oats continues very quiet, but prices rule about steady at $3.30 to $3.40 per barrel, and at $1.60 to $1.65 per bag.

The tone of the feed market is firm, and all offerings meet with ready buyers. We quote: Manitoba bran, in bags, $16; shorts, $18; and mouillie, $20 to $24; Ontario bran, in bulk, $15 to $15.50; and shorts, $16.50 to $17 per ton.

A good trade was done in baled hay at full prices. We quote: No. 1, $9.50 to $10; No. 2, $8.50 to $9; and clover, $7.50 to $8.25 per ton, in car lots, on track.

PRODUCE.

Cheese is very strong in the country and prices are relatively higher than here. Advices from the other side offer a little more encouragement. Finest western makes, 10 7-8c to 11 1-8c; finest eastern makes, 10 3-4c to 10 7-8c; finest Quebec makes, 10 5-8c to 10 3-4c.

There was no change in the position of the butter market. The enquiry from local buyers was better and 20 3-4c was bid for finest creamery, which holders would not accept, their inside figure being 21 1-4c. Finest creamery, 21 1-4c to 21 1-2c; seconds, 20c to 20 1-2c; dairy butter, 17 1-2c to 17 3-4c.

The demand for eggs is fair, with sales of straight candled stock at 15c to 16c; No. 2 at 13c to 14c, and culls at 10c to 11c per dozen.

Business in maple product continues very quiet. Syrup sells at 70c to 75c per large tin, and 50c to 60c per small tin, and 6 1-2c to 7c per lb. in wood, and sugar 8c.

The demand for honey is slow and the market rules dull. White clover comb is quoted at 13c to 14c; white extracted in large tins, 9c to 9 1-2c, and in small tins at 10c to 10 1-2c, and buckwheat extracted at 7 1-2c to 8 1-2c.

The tone of the market for ashes is stronger, and prices have advanced 15c to 20c per 100 lbs. First sorts are wanted at $5 to $5.15, and seconds at $4.70. Pearls are scarce and in short supply, consequently prices have had a sharp advance of 75c per 100 lbs., and now $6 is offered for firsts, owing to the rise in the English market.

GRAIN UP WEST.

Toronto, Sept. 6.—Wheat is quiet at 65c bid for new red and white, and 66c asked west, and 66c is quoted for old red and white west; spring wheat is quoted at 66c east; goose wheat is steady at 65c east; Manitoba wheat is steady at 87 1-2c for No. 1 hard Toronto and west, 80c afloat Fort William, 90c grinding in transit and it sold to-day at 83c Midland.

Flour—The market is steady at $2.65 bid for cars of 90 per cent. patents in buyers bags west; Manitoba flour is steady at $4.25 for cars of strong bakers' and $4.50 for patents, bags included, Toronto.

Millfeed is steady; cars of shorts are quoted at $14 and bran at $11.50 to $12 west.

Barley—The market is steady at 35c for No. 3 extra and 38c ofr No. 2 west; No. 2 is quoted at 39c east.

Rye is steady at 49c east and 49c west.

Corn—The market is steady at 40 1-2c for Canada yellow west; No. 3 American is quoted at 48c Toronto.

Oats are steady; there are more offering; white are quoted east at 26c to 26 1-2c; mixed are steady at 24c; white at 25c west.

Oatmeal is quiet at $3.10 for cars of bags and $3.20 for barrels here, and 20c more for small quantities.

Peas—The market is steady at 58c west.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

DESCRIPTION.	Sept 6 Ask.	Sept 6 Bid.	Sept. 5 Ask.	Sept. 5 Bid.
Canadian Pacific Railway	88½	87¾	91	90½
D.S.S.A.	5	3¾	5	3¾
D.S.S.A. pfd	16	12	17	11½
M.S.R.	257	256½	260	256
Toronto Street Ry	101	100¼	101	100¾
Halifax Elec Tram Co	105	93	105	96
Do do Bonds	..	....	....	....
St. John Electric Ry	119¾	116	120	117
Twin City Transit	61½	61¼	61½	60¾
Do do pfd	....	....	....	....
Rich. and Ont. Nav. Co	108	107¾	108½	107¼
Commercial Cable Co	170	169	169	166¾
Do. Coupon Bonds	....	100	....	99
Do. Reg. Bonds	....	....	....	....
Montreal Telegraph Co	170	164	..	164
Bell Telephone Co.	174½	172	174½	172
Montreal Gas Co	189	188¾	190	188¾
Royal Electric Co.	201½	200	202	200
Halifax Heat and Light	....	....	....	....
Do do Bonds	50	30	....	....
Montreal Cotton Co.	140	134	140	135
Dominion Cotton Co. xd	91	90	95	91
Do do Bonds	....	....	95	....
Canada Colored Cotton Co	82	79	86	78
Do do Bonds	100	99	100	99
Merchants Cotton	....	....	133	....
War Eagle	156	150	160	153
Dom. Coal Common	....	42	....	....
Do pfd	....	110		....
Do Bonds	110½	....	110½	....
Bank of Montreal	....	255	..	255½
Ontario Bank	....	....	....	....
Molsons Bank	190	185	162	185
Bank of British N.A	....	....	....	....
Bank of Toronto	....	....	....	....
Merchants	....	155½	....	155
Merchants' Bk. of Halifax	180	....	180	....
Bank of Nova Scotia	....	220	....	220
Eastern Townships	....	153	....	....
Union	....	....	....	....
Quebec	....	....	....	....
Commerce	150	149	150	148
Imperial	....	....	....	....
Hochelaga	140	....	140	....
La Banque Nationale	110	95	110	95
North West Land pfd	....	....	....	....
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THE MINING BOARD.

STOCKS	BUYERS-	SELLERS
Payne	99	90
War Eagle	162	160
Republic	80½	79
Virtue	60	58
Montreal-London	14½	14¼
Big Three	2½	1½
Brandon & Golden Crown	15½	10
California	9	7
Can Gold Fields	8½	7½
Cariboo Hydraulic	....	....
Evening Star	8½	7
Fern	5	1
Gold Hill Dev	4	1½
Iron Colt	....	
Knob Hill	60	47
Monte Christo	3½	3
Montreal Gold Fields	4	2½
Noble Five	....	....
Novelty	2	1
Old Ironsides	80	70
Virginia	10	2
Rambler Cariboo	....	....
Bullion	35	18
Decca	....	....
Morrison	....	....
Golden Star	7½	7
Slocan Sovereign	15	10
Fontenoy	....	....
Rathmullen	4	....
Winnipeg	10	5½
Dardanelles	....	....
Deer Trail Con	4	2½
North Star	97	95
Kenneth	....	....
Dupont Mining Co	25	....

RHEUMATIC JOINTS.

Mrs. George Smith, 62 Charron Street, Point St. Charles, Que., says: "Rheumatism in my joints caused me sufferings that words cannot describe how terrible. I took four bottles of South American Rheumatic Cure and am a well woman. I have recommended it to others with as good results. Think the treatment nothing short of a wonder."—10

The "Soo" Railroad statement net earnings is as follows:—

M'th July	1900.	1889.	Changes.	
Gross ..	$358,867	$398,615	Dec.	$39,748
Op. ex..	236,209	195,493	Inc.	40,716
Net ...	$122,657	$203,121	Dec.	$80,464
For seven months:				
Gross. ..	$2,752,688	$2,310,550	Inc	$442,138
Op. ex ..	1,520,708	1,333,180	Inc.	187,528
Net. ..	$1,231,980	977,369	Inc.	$254,611

PARASOLS at half price, at Jas. Ogilvy & Son.

HAMILTON'S

FRIDAY BARGAIN DAY.

THE Price reductions enumerated below are calculated to draw a tremendous crowd here to-morrow. Every item a Bargain in the fullest and broadest sense of the word. As a special inducement to ladies to do their shopping early in the morning, from 8 to 9 a.m.

A STRIKING
Millinery Bargain

We have about 200 Ladies' Trimmed Straw Sailors left over, in white and blue and white, all this season's shapes and styles. We sold hundreds of dozens early in the season at 75c, others sold them at 95c. Rather than pack them away you can have your choice to-morrow at.... ....25c

Thousands of Bunches of Real French Artificial Flowers, some slightly crushed, up to 25c, for.. .. .. .. 5c

Handsome All-Wool Fancy Black Braids, for skirt trimmings, none worth less than 10c for.. .. ..2 1-2c

Thousands of yards Double Face Satin Ribbons, in all new and bright shades, 10c, yard, for.. .. .. 5c

The balance of our Ladies' Fine Mace Undervests, trimmed in lace, 18c 20c and 25c values, for.. .. .. ..12 1-2c

Ladies' Fine Black Hose, seamless feet, full fashioned, all sizes, 15c and 18c values, for.. .. ..10c

Boys' All-Wool Sweaters that we sold at 75c, only a few colors left. Friday at.... .. ..49c

Rare Chances to Buy Staple and Seasonable Goods Cheap.

8c Cream Canton Flannel for.. .. .. ..5c
8c Cream, Pink and Blue Flannelettes for..5c
15c Fancy Cashmere Flannelettes for....7½c
8c Roller Towelling for.. ....5c
10c White Muslins for.. .. ..5c
8c Fancy Striped Flannelettes for........5c
10c Grey Union Flannelettes for..........5c
17c Fast Black Linenettes for...........9c
5c Honeycomb Towels for..............2½c
10c Fancy Colored Muslins for.. ......3½c

The balance of our Big Purchase French Blouse Silks, Friday, at.. .. ..25c

44-inch Wide-All-wool Black Cashmere very suitable for Girls' Convent Costumes, regular 50c. Friday.. .. .. ..29c

Odd lines Heavy Weight Colored Dress Goods in plain Serges and Cashmeres, value up to 50c. Friday.. ..25c

Extra special 5 pieces Wide White Summer Sheeting, Friday 3 1-2c

"Make it a Point to Visit our Remnant Department To-morrow."

To-morrow for the "One Hour" Only we Offer the Following Lines:

Men's four-in-hand Ties, 10c, for.. .. ..1c
Fringed Linen Napkins, 5c, for.. .. .. ..1c
Cream Canton Flannel 8c, for 4½c
White Lonsdale Cambric, 12½c, for.. ....7½c
3 quart Tin Dippers 10c, for.. .. ..5c
Linen Shirt fronts 15c, for.. .. ..1c
Good Grey Cotton 6c, for.. .. ..3½c
Fancy Check Dress Goods, 10c for.. ....5c
Boys' and Girls' Tams and Caps 50c for..10c
Wire Tea Strainers 15c, for 2c

Visit our Grocery Department, commencing at 8 a.m. sharp. We will distribute 500 PACKAGES BAKING POWDER FREE OF CHARGE as long as they last.

Friday's Great Clearance Sale of
Ladies' Jackets and Suits and Children's Coats.

The prices we quote for these garments are much less than the cost of the cloth alone, in some cases less than the buttons on them are worth, that this is no exaggeration, a visit to our Mantle Department will prove. Come early. About 50 Ladies' Jackets, 32 Children's Coats and 11 Ladies Suits—all odd lines, representing values up to $8.50. To-morrow while they last your choice at.. ..75c

19 only Ladies' Fall Suits, short walking skirts, in pretty tweed effects, some worth up to $12.00. Friday..$1.39

24 only Ladies' Cloth Capes, suitable for early Fall wear, nicely embroidered, $3.75 to $6.00 values for.. ..$1.39

Odd lines Baby's Hats and Bonnets.... 5c
75c Ladies' Colored Blouses.. .. ..25c
$3.50 Infants' Christening Cloaks.. .. ..95c
$1.00 Child's Hats and Bonnets, for....25c
$1.50 Ladies' White Lawn Waists for.. ..69c
$1.50 Children's Dresses for.. .. ..59c

Any Article in this List Friday 10c.

19c Clothes Brushes for.. .. ..10c
19c Back Combs for.. .. ..10c
20c Hair Fasteners for.... ... ...10c
18c Waist Set for.. .. ..10c
25c Leather Belts for 10c
15c Tooth Brushes for.. ... .10c
40c Hair Ornaments for.. .. ..10c

Friday's Sale of School Supplies.

3c Rubber Erasers for.... .. ..1c
3c H. B. Lead Pencils for.. .. ..1c
3c Scribbling Books for.. .. ..1c
5c box Colored Crayons for.. .. ..1c
5c Pencil Boxes, with Key, for.. .. ..2½c
7c packages of Envelopes for.. .. .. ..3½c
7c Foolscap Writing Pads for.. .. .. ..4c

Ladies' Real Feather Neck Ruffs, regular $2.00 to $2.75, Friday.. .. .. ..39c

Ladies' Black Gloria Silk Umbrellas, wire rods, $1.35 for.. .. ..75c

15c to 25c Real French Renaissance Laces, to clear Friday at.. .. ....7 1-2c

Ladies' Tan Kid Gloves, 4 buttons, Silk Embroidered backs, 65c, Friday.... .. ..39c

Handkerchief Scarfs with Flowing Ends, all shades, 25c, for.. .. ..7 1-2c

Medium width White Lawn Embroideries, regular 4c, for 2 1-2c

Sample size bottles real French Perfumes, worth 10c, for.. .. ..4c

Basement Bargains
That will bring Throngs of Buyers.

200 GRAY STEEL ENAMEL SAUCEPANS, in assorted sizes, but all one price. Early comers will get the large ones. Regular 25c to 50c values. Friday.. .. ..14c

8c Kitchen Soap Dishes for.. .. ..3c
40c Self Wringing Mops for.. .. ..25c
25c Good 3 cord Brooms for.. .. ..19c
10c Can Openers for.. .. ..3c
50c Decorated Bread Boxes.. .. ..29c
Quart size Fruit Jars for.. .. ..4½c

SPECIAL NOTICE
To Housekeepers

SPECIAL NOTICE TO HOUSEKEEPERS—We have just purchased a manufacturer's stock of Floor Rugs, in small, medium and large sizes, at fully 25 per cent. less than their regular values. Come and see them Friday.

Blue and White Alhambra Bed Quilts, large sizes, $1.50. Friday.. .. .. ..75c

150 pairs Brass Curtain Chains, full length, worth 12c. Friday.. .. ..6 1-2c

2 yards wide imported English Oilcloths, new fall designs and colorings, cheap at 40c. Friday's price per square yard.. .. ..25c

Friday's Very Special Shoe Bargains in Peel Street Arcade.

Odd lines Ladies' Low Shoes, mostly strap fronts, all hand turned, India Kid stock, new fashionable wide lasts, worth up to $1.45. Friday.. ..79c

Boys' School Boots, sizes 1 to 5, Calf Grain and Dongola, heavy nailed soles different qualities, values in the lot up to $2.00. Your choice.. .. .. ..79c

A line of youths' School Boots in Calf, Grain and Dongola, sizes 11 to 13, marked $1.75 to $2.15 pair. Your choice Friday at.. .. ..$1.25

Choice Groceries
At the Lowest Price Quoted in Town.

Everything of the best, polite attention, prompt delivery.

Vermicelli in 1 lb. boxes.. .. .. 6½c
Best Mild Cheese, per lb.. .. ..11½c
Benson's Corn Starch, 4 pkgs for.. ..25c
Pure Jams in 2 lb. pails.. .. ..12½c
Best Creamery Butter.. .. ..22½c
Best Pastry Flour, 25 lbs. for.. .. .. ..59c

"Don't forget to ask for a package of Baking Powder free of charge."

HAMILTON'S, Cor. St. Catherine and Peel Sts. and Dominion Sq.

The Chinese Question.

Where can we buy RICE suitable to Chinese requirements? Have you tried the "Mount Royal Mills" new

"MANDARIN" RICE

D. W. ROSS CO., Agents.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS IN LEVIS.

Quebec, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—The town of Levis expects to install the electric light early next month, the power being supplied by the lately completed and extensive works at Chaudiere Falls. The new telephone line connecting Levis with Bellechasse county, began operations yesterday.

The INTERCOLONIAL
COAL MINING COMPANY, LTD.

Works—DRUMMOND COLLIERY.
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Miners and Producers of "Drummond" Coal and Coke, from the celebrated Pictou Seams of Nova Scotia. Offered in all sizes, and quantities to suit purchasers. Shipments by water or rail.

Head Office, Room 132, Board of Trade Building, Montreal.

NOTICE—APPLICATION HAS BEEN MADE to the corporation of the city of Montreal for leave to open a wood yard on this property, 495 Beaudry Street.

Montreal, 6th September.

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CALLING IN CREDITORS.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,
District of Montreal.

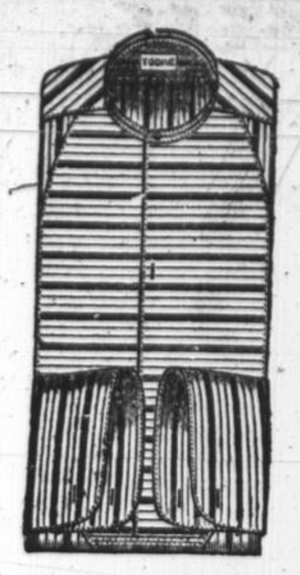
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.—No. 108.

In the matter of Cyprien Lacroix, of the City and District of Montreal, contractor, Insolvent.

The creditors of said Insolvent are hereby ordered to appear before one of the Judges of this Court, in the Court room No. 31, in the Court House, at Montreal, on the 18th day of Setpember next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, in order to give their advice touching the appointment of a curator and inspectors to the property of the said Insolvent.

H. COLLARD,
Deputy Prothonotary, S.C.

Montreal, 5th September, 1900.



20 Per Cent. Off

The regular marked prices is the discount we are allowing off all COLORED SHIRTS in our three great stores. Zephyr, Cambric, Percale, Flannel, Flannelette, etc.

R. J. TOOKE, *

177 St. James Street,
2387 St. Catherine St., West.
1553 St. Catherine St., East.

CLASH NOT FEARED

Powers Seem Less Hostile to the Russian Proposals.

SATISFACTORY REPLIES.

U.S. State Department Seems Perfectly Satisfied With the Trend Affairs Have Taken.

Washington, Sept. 6.—Within the last 24 hours the United States Government has received from its representatives at foreign capitals much material information in regard to the attitude of the powers on the Russian proposal to evacuate Pekin. These give the nature of the responses made by Russia to certain of the powers. It is stated authoritatively that if there was at any time a prospect of a serious international clash this has been very largely, if not entirely, removed by the harmonious character of the communications the several Governments are making. The exact nature of the responses is not made public by the State Department for there are yet some replies to be transmitted, and until all of them are in, the negotiations are considered in such an incomplete form that they will not be made public. It is said, however, that the answers go much beyond the tentative character of those heretofore referred to, and are of a conclusive nature, so far as showing the purposes of the Governments, although they may not be regarded as conclusive as to the particular proposition advanced by Russia. The responses are understood to be rather long and somewhat argumentative, similar in this respect to the American responses. On the whole the general tendency of the responses is such as to give entire satisfaction here as to the course of the negotiations.

GERMANY IS ACTIVE.

The German Foreign Office appears to be active in furthering the negotiations, and quite a number of messages have passed betweeen Washington and Berlin. Those persons, mostly to have a correct understanding of Germany's attitude, look for the suggestion of a compromise, or middle course, which will be neither an acceptance nor a rejection of the Russian proposal, but will be such a satisfactory middle ground that all the powers, including Russia, can agree to it. In another diplomatic quarter the strong belief is expressed that the requisite compromise will be found by China's re-establishing a government and naming peace commissioners. Official intimations have reached Washington that steps are now being taken towards the appointment of such a peace commission, including Li Hung Chang, the Viceroys of Nankin and Wu Chang, and Prince Ching, though reports also have named Yung Lu and Hsi Tung in place of the two pacific viceroys. But while there is doubt as to the personnel of the commission, it is quite generally accepted among officials that some such move on the part of China has matured, and will take form in Washington very soon.

In that event it is believed by diplomatic officials that the entire status of the negotiations between the powers might be changed and that Russia no longer would feel impelled to insist upon the withdrawal of her minister and troops from Pekin, as all these matters would be subject for the commission itself to deal with. It is pointed out also that in the six days since the Russian-American notes were given to the world, the sentiment has been growing steadily in favor of continuing the presence of troops at Pekin.

REGARDING WITHDRAWAL.

In view of the declarations made in the American reply to Russia, some question has arisen as to the course open to this country in case of a compromise or change in the present diplomatic status. It is said that the attitude of the United States is particularly favorable for adapting itself to any change in conditions. Only in one contingency of Russia's withdrawing her minister and troops has the United States Government given the positive declaration that the American troops will be withdrawn.

THROUGH FORBIDDEN CITY.

London, Sept. 6.—General Alfred Gaselee, commander of the British Indian troops, at the Chinese capital, wires as follows from Pekin, August 9, to Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India :—

"The allies marched through the Forbidden City yesterday (August 28). The British had third place in the procession, the Russians and Japanese being in greater strength."

RUSSIA MODIFIES HER PROPOSALS.

London, Sept. 6.—According to a Hong Kong despatch, dated yesterday, Canton is more disturbed. Native shops dealing in foreign goods have been looted, and sinister rumors prevail.

Sir Alfred Gaselee's despatch, which shows that the situation in Pekin was unchanged on August 29, is the only Chinese news this morning. The cancellation of the order holding back the fourth Indian brigade is regarded as important. It shows that whatever the outcome of the Russian policy, the British Government is determined to have sufficient troops on the spot adequately to protect British interests.

Considerable significance is attached to the statement by the Journal de St. Petersburg as possibly indicating a modification of Russian policy. This paper is the organ of the Russian Foreign Office, its editor being a councillor of state. It is noted while the Journal de St. Petersburg announces Russia's determination to maintain the solidarity of the powers, it only mentions the withdrawal of the ministers and not of the troops to Tien Tsin. It is believed that the powers might agree to such a modification of the original Russian proposal.

SEYMOUR'S REPORT.

London, Sept. 6.—The British Admiralty has issued Vice-Admiral Seymour's detailed report of the experiences of the first Pekin relief expedition. It is good reading, but embraces nothing not previously known.

Referring to the harmonious action of the forces of the eight nationalities engaged, he especially mentions Capt. Von Usedom of the German navy and Capt. McCalla of the United States navy. Regarding the latter he says :—

"Capt. McCalla was of the greatest value to me and to all concerned. He was slightly wounded in three places, and well merits recognition."

The report concludes as follows :—

"When the fact that the Chinese beheaded anyone they got is considered, the conduct of such officers or men as exposed themselves to capture is to be praised far more than if the risk were taken against a civilized foe."

Annexed to the report are copies of letters sent to the senior officer of each nationality engaged. Most of these are complimentary notes, identical for the greater part, but each ending with a paragraph referring particularly to the officers with the expedition.

SEES MUCH DANGER IN IT

Prince Hespere Oukhtonisky Explains Russia's View of the Chinese Situation.

Winnipeg, Sept. 5.—Prince Hespere Oukhtomsky, gentleman-in-waiting to His Imperial Majesty the Czar Nicholas, editor-in-chief of the Vledomoski, the chief Government organ in Russia, and president of the Russo-Chinese Bank, one of Russia's greatest commercial institutions, is in this city. Prince Oukhtomsky is on his way to China as a spceial commissioner from his Governent. He takes a particular interest in the Doukhobors who emigrated here some time ago, and has already taken occasion to gather information regarding their exact whereabouts, the means of livelihood and the measure of success they are meeting with under British rule. Commissioner McCreary furnished His Highness all the information he desired, and took the opportunity of augmenting his already considerable knowledge of Canada, its resources and capabilities.

The present trouble in China and its associated complications form a subject upon which Prince Oukhtomsky holds very decided views, which, in virtue of the great influence he wields in the Czar's domains, are of much interest.

"I do not believe that Russia is at war with China. We are only fighting the Chinese who are destroying our railway, and our generals are moving against these rebels in Manchuria.

"Germany went to the East to do harm to Russia, and so she created all those difficulties in Turkey, and afterwards, in the Far East. It was the beginning of a new political era for Germany. It may be that she did not think so much about doing harm to Russia when she seized Kiao-Chou as she did of conquering for herself.

"At any rate I am afraid she is doing much harm to Russia, for we had the predominant influence in China. Germany could not harm us in Europe, for there her geographical position, between Russia and France, was bad, so she went elsewhere, where we were more vulnerable.

"Russia has only to defend her interests in Manchuria. She does not seek to annex even a small bit of territory, because it would be a great burden to her. I know from the very best sources that the dismemberment of China is not the wish of our Government.

"We could have annexed Manchuria long ago, because the Mongolians hate the Chinese and would be glad to be Russian subjects. Manchuria, however, would be a heavy burden.

"I mean to say that the awakening of China is a dangerous thing, both economically and politically. There is not, however, a 'yellow peril' in the way the German Emperor meant it. The Chinese are very good people, and I think the danger is more economic than military.

"The powers will, however, try to drill native troops, and that will be a great danger, for I am sure that in time these foreign drilled troops will form the real body of a hostile native army.

"This Chinese question cannot be settled. There are too many powers in it. Why, even Austria and Italy are sending a few dozens of men over there. The struggle will be of endless duration."

QUEBEC POMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

Danville, Que., Sept. 6. — The summer meeting of the Pomological and Fruit Growing Society of the Province of Quebec was held yesterday in the Danville Town Hall. As this is the first time the society has held its meeting here, the president and executive were driven round the neighborhood on their arrival by the Mayor, Mr. Foster, Mr. Cleveland, ex-M.P. for Richmond and Wolfe, and Mr. Stockwell, one of the leading business men, visiting some of the principal orchards and farms. There was a capital show of fruit and vegetables at the afternoon meeting, and a very encouraging attendance considering the counter-attractions of the Sherbrooke exhibition.

Among those present were :—Dr. Wood, of St. John's, president; W. W. Dunlop, Outremont, secretary; R. M. Shepherd, Montreal; R. Brodie, St. Henri; W. Mead Pattison, Clarenceville; Norman E. Jack, Chateauguay Basin; J. H. Carter, Massawippi; J. C. Chapais, St. Denis; Dr. Fletcher, of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, and Professor F. A. Waugh, of the Vermont Experimental Station at Burlington.

THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR.

Kingston, Sept. 6.—(Special.)—The Grand Preceptory, Knights Templars, opened in convention in the Masonic Temple yesterday. Mayor Minnes welcomed the delegates in behalf of the corporation, tendering them the freedom of the city. W. J. Renton, Master of high D. E. Payent preceptory, also tendered the visitors a hearty welcome. These addresses were followed by that of Mr. E. John Valentine Ellis, M.P., St. John, N.B., the head of the order. Richard Coeur de Lion preceptory, Montreal, with a pipe band, and the Hamilton preceptory, both uniformed, are in attendance. To-morrow the visitors will be tendered a complimentary excursion among the Thousand Islands. This morning the Richard Coeur de Lion preceptory exemplified the floor work, initiating two candidates.

LONGUEUIL COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Longueuil Council was held last night, with Mayor Perrault in the chair. A lively discussion was made on the question of sidewalk improvements. The Council was notified that the action of the Grand Trunk against the municipality was fixed for hearing on the 14th. A letter was read from Mr. L. E. Morin, complaining that the delay allowed to protest the reports of the assessors had not been announced in the newspapers. The fire department was pronounced satisfactory by the insurance inspector. An offer was received from the Diamond Light and Heating Company, offering to install a system of lighting in the place. Councillor Denicourt made a verbal statement resigning his chairmanship of the Police Committee. The matter was left over for eight days.

AN EFFORT TO GET BAXTER RELEASED.

An effort is being made by Mrs. James Baxter to have her husband released from penitentiary on the grounds of ill-health. Mrs. James Stewart and J. P. Rottot, who were asked to visit Baxter in St. Vincent de Paul, have made a report, stating that he is very weak and has lost 40 pounds since his incarceration. The medical gentlemen failed to determine the cause of the profound inanition pointed out by the symptoms in the case, and do not know whether it be due to organic affection or waether brought about by the circumstances in which Batxer is placed. Dr. Prevost, the physician of the Department of Justice at Ottawa, also visited Baxter and made a similar report. On the strength of these statements and the petition signed by prominent gentlemen, Mrs. Baxter hopes to be able to have her husband released.

NEW YORK'S STATE TICKET.

Saratoga, N.Y., September 6.—The last day's session of the Republican State Convention, presumed to be devoted to the nominations of state officers, was really a huge mass meeting, an opening of the State campaign and a ratification of the national and State platforms. This State ticket was named by acclamation:

For Governor, B. B. O'Dell, jr., of Orange.

For Lieut.-Governor, Timothy L. Woodruff, of Kings.

For Secretary of State, John T. McDonough, of Albany.

For Comptroller, William J. Morgan, of Erie.

For State Treasurer, John P. Jaeckel, of Cayuga.

For Attorney-General, John C. Davies, of Oneida.

For State Engineer, Edward A. Bond, of Jefferson.

BILIOUSNESS BURDENS LIFE. — The bilious man is never a companionable man because his ailment renders him morose and gloomy. The complaint is not so dangerous as it is disagreeable. Yet no one need suffer from it who can procure Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. By regulating the liver and obviating the effects of bile in the stomach they restore men to cherefulness and full vigor of action.

HOLDEN MAKES A LOCK.

Kingston, Sept. 6.—(Special.) — Convict Holden, made famous by his connection with the Napanee bank robbery, arrived at the penitentiary last September. On Friday last, the first time since his incarceration, he passed between the outer gates, and made a switch lock for the new line of street railway which will connect with the prison. Holden was able to quickly do what was required, and smilingly said he could do more. His skill in lock work was not questioned by those who used him.

SHIPPING NEWS.

IN AND OUT OF MONTREAL.

Arrived September 5.

Steamship Cacouna, McPhail, Sydney, Kingman & Co., coal.

Steamship Louisburg, Gould, Sydney, Kingman & Co., coal.

Steamship Vera, Nilson, London, August 22, Dobell, Beckett & Co.

Yacht Viola, Smith, Quebec, September 4, master, light.

Steamship Cervona, Stooke, London, S.A., via Sydney, C.B., July 30, R. Reford & Co., general.

Steamship Tiber, Boulanger, Lower Ports, H. Dobell & Co., coal.

Cleared September 5.

Steamship Lakonia, McNeil, Glasgow, R. Reford & Co., general.

Steamship Louisburg, Gould, Sydney, Kingman & Co., light.

Schooner W. J. B., Mabe, Gaspe, J. G. Brock, general.

Steamship Lake Huron, Thomas, Liverpool, Elder, Dempster & Co., general.

Steamship Ottoman, Jones, Liverpool, D. Torrance & Co., general.

Yacht Viola, 124, Smith, Toronto, master, light.

STEAMSHIP NOTES.

Allan Line steamer Montevidean passed Father Point inwards at 1 p.m. on Wednesday.

Allan Line steamer Pomeranian from Glasgow passed Father Point at 12.15 p.m. on Wednesday.

The steam yacht Viola, Captain Smith, passed through the canal yesterday morning from Quebec, en route to Toronto.

The Beaver Line steamship Lake Huron, which has been placed this trip as an extra boat, sailed this morning with a full general cargo.

The steamship Vera, Captain Nilson, is moored at Hochelaga, where she will load a cargo of lumber consigned by Dobell, Beckett & Co.

WATER IS LOWERING.

The water in the harbor is lowering perceptibly, and shipping men are taking extra precaution in the loading of their cargoes. It is possible, should the drought continue, that deep-draught vessels outward bound will complete loading at Quebec. Yesterday the depth of water in the Montreal harbor channel was 28 feet; at Sorel, 27 feet; at Cap a la Roche, 26 feet 2 inches at low water, 29 feet 8 inches at high water; at Ste. Croix bar, 24 feet 3 inches at low water and 33 feet 5 inches at high water.

LAKONIA SAILS.

This morning the steamship Lakonia, of the Donaldson Line, Captain McNeill, sailed for Glasgow with general cargo. Captain McNeill returned yesterday from his honeymoon.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Steamships.

Etolia, Eyans, Elder, Dempster & Co. Moored at the Island wharf.

Almerian, Parker, F. Leyland & Co. Moored opposite Sohmer Park.

Tunisian, Vipond, H. & A. Allan. Moored at foot of Jacques Cartier Square.

Montfort, Jones, Elder, Dempster & Co. Moored at foot of Berri Street.

Rowan, Jones, D. Torrance & Co. Moored at foot of St. Sulpice Street.

Montauk, Jones, Elder, Dempster & Co. Moored at foot of Berri Street.

Montreal, Harper, Elder, Dempster & Co. Moored at foot of Berri Street.

Cervona, Stooke, R. Reford & Co. Moored at foot of Berri Street.

Tiber, Boulanger, H. Dobell & Co. Moored at Windmill Point.

STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

Queenstown, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Majestic, New York, for Liverpool.

New York, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Teutonic, from Liverpool.

Father Point, Sept. 5.—Steamship Montevidean, Allan Line, from London, inward at 1 p.m.; steamship Pomeranian, Allan Line, from Glasgow, inward at 12.15.

Aberdeen, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Endeavour, Montreal.

Liverpool, Sept. 4.—Arrived, Lake Superior, Montreal.

Dublin, Sept. 4.—Arrived, Leustra, St. John, N.B., via Louisburg, C.B.

Newcastle, Sept. 4.—Arrived, Normonton, St John, N.B.

Cardiff, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Lord Charlemont, Montreal.

Manchester, Sept. 4.—Sailed, Manchester Corporation, Montreal.

Queenstown, Sept. 5.—Sailed, Lake Megantic, from Liverpool, Montreal.

Bristol, Sept. 5.—Sailed, Memnon, Montreal.

Southport, Sept. 4.—Arrived, John Christie, Montreal, via Sydney, C.B., for Preston.

Havre, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Montblanc, Montreal, via Halifax, for Bordeaux.

Swansea, Sept. 5.—Sailed, Ramore Head, from Dublin, Quebec and Montreal.

New York, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Teutonic, Liverpool.

Queenstown, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Majestic, New York.

Glasgow, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Ethiopia, New York; Sardinian, New York.

Southampton, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Pennland, Philadelphia.

Boulogne, Sept. 5.—Arrived, Spaarndam, New York.

Music and Drama.

By special request, starting with the matinee to-morrow afternoon, "Tommy Atkins" will replace "Moths" at Her Majesty's for the balance of the week. It is understood that the popularity which the military play won last week largely influenced the management in deciding to give four more performances of it before the manuscript is sent to other cities.

Had forty days of rain not sadly interfered with the calculations of the architect, it is quite probable that within a week the new cafe which adjoins Her Majesty's Theatre would have been open to the public. In spite of the interruption, work on it is now so well advanced that it is possible to see some of the charms which have heretofore existed only in the eyes of the architect.

It is doubtful if any city on the continent will have a more attractive cafe in connection with one of its theatres than this addition to the equipment of the Grose house. The building, exclusive of the ground on which it stands, will cost in the neighborhood of $40,000 when completed. The chairs in the cafe will be worth $1,100 and the electric light fixtures something over $1,000. These figures give some idea of the lavish scale in which the cafe will be furnished. The frescos for the ceilings have already been selected, and the carpets and tapestries are expected any day from the English factory where they are being made.

From the progress that has been made it is now believed that the cafe can be thrown open to the public by the middle of next month.

The Sunday sacred concerts which have been announced to be held at Her Majesty's Theatre will be inaugurated on Sunday next with concerts in the afternoon and evening at three o'clock and half-past eight o'clock. Mrs. Jean D. Ives, into whose hands the management of these concerts has been placed, and who has just returned from Chatauqua, where she underwent a special course of study with Mr. W. H. Sherwood, of Chicago, has arranged a very fine programme for the opening. It includes Mr. N. E. Daignault, a tenor soloist of repute from the New England States; Mr. E. Duquete, the local basso; Miss Hollinshead, soprano; the Misses Rasina, of Paris, harpists, and Professor Goulet, violin, who, with Mrs. Ives, will play two movements from Rubenstein's Sonata in G for violin and piano.

The work of the stock company at Her Majesty's is showing marked improvement over that of the opening performances. The patronage continues to be large, and is doubtless most encouraging. Next week "She Stoops to Conquer," one of the classics of the stage, will be produced, and it is promised that the production will be on that scale of excellence patrons of the theatre have come to expect.

Cowslip Farm, the pastoral comedy drama which was so successful last season, will be seen for the first time next week at the Royal. It is for its pictures of rural life and its natural country characters that "Cowslip Farm" is most worthy of praise.

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