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THE MERRY, MERRY MAIDEN AND THE TAR

"Youth and Pleasure Meet to Chase the Glowing Hours With Flying Feet."

THE PLEASANT PLACE OF MONTREAL'S FESTIVITY

The Meeting Ground for Fair Women and the Gallant Yachtsmen of Lake St. Louis—Where Beauty and Chivalry Joined Company.

The affinity between "the merry, merry maiden and the tar" has been a theme for poets of all nations and of all ages, and this beyond all question accounts for the success of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club's ball at Windsor Hall last night. Nearly three hundred were present, but the attendance must have been seriously diminished by the starting number of recent bereavements in prominent Montreal families. The popularity of the club, both in a social way and in the field of sports has been recognized for many years, and the thoroughly happy manner in which last night's event was carried to a successful conclusion is another feather in its cap. The usual half or three quarters of an hour having been occupied by the program, filling with its attendant delights of small talk, the company proceeded by that well-known staircase to the beautiful hall, which had taken on its most nautical air for the occasion under the cunning hand of Bouillon. The dancing ones who had been tapping "extra-extra" provided by the indulgent orchestra, took their places as the quadrille of honor was formed and the ball was formally started.

Those in the head set were: Commodore Ross and Mrs. Fitz-Gibbon. Rear-Commodore Fitz-Gibbon and Mrs. Duggan. Mr. G. H. Duggan and Mrs. Edie. Mr. J. C. L. Allen and Mrs. Davidson. Mr. S. Jackson and Mrs. Edie. Mr. L. Davidson and Mrs. Campbell. Baron Von Hugel and Mrs. Almon. Mr. William Davidson and Mrs. Almon.

A better arranged programme it would be hard to imagine, and the committee who had it in charge deserved the thanks of every dancer. It was as follows:

1. Lancers . . . Little Christopher
2. Value . . . Roy St. Lawrence
3. Two Step . . . El Capitán
4. Value . . . Brovales
5. Militaire . . . Buffalo
6. Value . . . La Serenita
7. Polka . . . Conde de Cueva
8. Value . . . Les Fatigue
9. Two Step . . . King Cotton
10. Value . . . North Bridge
11. Militaire . . . What Cheer
12. Value . . . Santiago
13. Polka . . . Subscription
14. Value . . . Espana
15. Militaire . . . Directoire
16. Value . . . Gaiety Girl
17. Lancers . . . Whistling Coon
18. Value . . . The Handicap
19. Two Step . . . Artist's Tourist
20. Gaiety . . . Tourist

The music by the Victoria Rifles band was of excellent quality, though many found the time somewhat hurried during the earlier dances. The floor, too, was in good shape, generally speaking, and the energetic use of a rubber at the extreme end of the hall would have made it perfect. The supper was in every sense up to the Windsor's high standard, and there could be no mistaking the fact that it was heartily enjoyed by all the guests. The big appetite is no longer good form. Dancing was continued after three o'clock.

THE LADIES' COSTUMES.

Eau de Nile and Blue were the prevailing colors. "The ball-room looked very brilliant and beautiful, the naval uniforms worn by many of the gentlemen contrasting admirably with the lovely gowns worn by the ladies. Eau de Nile and blue were the predominating colors in the ball-room, and showed up very prettily against the dainty white dresses of the debutantes. From a spectacular standpoint, it was decidedly the most brilliant and successful ball of the season. In the mazes of the different dances the varied colors looked quite dazzling and bewildering. Altogether the ladies who were present at the Yacht Club Ball of 1897 will long retain pleasant recollections thereof.

SOME OF THE DEBUTANTES.

Among the young ladies who made their debut into society last night, and their gowns were:—
Miss Eva Bailey—White brocaded silk and tulle; bodice and sleeves trimmed with white carnations; pearl ornaments; bouquet of white carnations.
Miss Edythe Garth-Balmer—White satin gown covered with white lace chiffon, and adorned with lilies of the valley; bouquet of lilies of the valley.
Miss Lillian Love—Gown of white satin, trimmed with white chiffon; corslet of pearls and pearl ornaments; bouquet of lilies of the valley.
Miss Eva Weir—White satin, with tulle and white satin ribbon; white roses; pearls and diamonds.
Miss Mabel Gascoigne—White silk, with white satin ribbon and pearl ornaments; bouquet of white roses.
Miss Edith Simpson—White brocade, adorned plaited chiffon; gold and pearl ornaments; pink roses.
Miss Lily Pike—White silk trimmed with chiffon and white lace.
Miss Vennor—Turquoise blue satin covered with white Brussels net; trimmings of Valenciennes lace and baby ribbon; pearl ornaments; bouquet of cream roses.
THE OTHER GOWNS.
Miss Bertie Schultze—Pink satin, with lace, diamond ornaments, violets and pink roses.
Miss Katherine Irwin—Gown of flambayon silk, trimmed with white tulle and brilliant diamonds.
Miss Mulrany—White moire bengaline, point lace.
Miss Esther Durnford—Pink silk, black chiffon fichu and sash.
Miss H. Abbott—Green moire, trimmed with rose pink silk; diamond ornaments.
Miss Myra Schultze—White satin, trimmed with white chiffon and black velvet; gold ornaments.

ANOTHER SAD SUICIDE.

Cashier of a Baltimore Bank Drowns Himself.

He is Accused of a Shortage in His Accounts, and Does Not Defend Himself.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 5.—Richard D. Cornelius, one of the oldest and best-known bank cashiers of this city, committed suicide yesterday. His body was found in the duck pond in Druid Hill Park in the afternoon, a few hours after a shortage of \$80,000 had been discovered in his accounts at the National Farmers' and Planters' Bank. Last Saturday Bank Examiner Marshall Winchester drew the attention of the officials of the bank to some irregularities in the accounts of an out-of-town institution. Yesterday morning Mr. Cornelius was asked to explain the irregularities. He did not attempt to do so, but abruptly walked off. A closer examination of his accounts disclosed an apparent shortage of \$80,000. When the officers of the bank learned that the cashier had left the building, they telephoned to Smith West and Lyon, the detectives, to hunt him up. Mr. West traced the defaulter to Druid Hill Park, and thence to the duck pond. There they found his body floating in three feet of water. The man had evidently held himself to the top of the pond by the weeds growing there.

Mr. Cornelius was about 68 years of age, and was connected with the National Farmers' and Planters' Bank for over 42 years. He was a close friend of the late Knoch Pratt, who was president of the bank for almost half a century.

Mr. Cornelius was almost as prominent in religious as in banking circles. For many years he had been very prominent in Methodistism, and at the time of his death he was a local preacher of the Baltimore Conference and president of the Missionary and Church Extension Society, president of the United Brethren, one of the trustees of the Baltimore annual conference, and a member of the official board of Madison Avenue Church. He attended divine worship twice yesterday.

HOW THE TRIALS STAND.

Results of the Various Election Cases Tried in the Province of Ontario.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—(Special).—Protests were filed in Ontario against 12 Conservatives returned at the general election in June, and against one Liberal, Hon. Mr. Patterson, returned for North Grey in a by-election. Of the 12 seats thus contested, all have been settled, with the exception of London, (Major Beattie, Con.), and West Toronto, (E. F. Clarke, Con.). The London case is still before the courts, under an adjournment, till January 18th. It is not likely that the case against Mr. Clarke will be gone on with. Of the remaining ten seats, the petitions were dismissed after a formal opening of the Court in six of them, viz., in North Perth (McLaren, Con.), East Durham (Lumberman, Con.), East Durham (Craig, Con.), East York (Oster, Con.), and North Grey (Patterson, Lib.). In North Bruce (McNeill, Con.), the petition was tried and failed. The petitions were sustained, and the members unseated in South Brant (Henry, Con.), North Ontario (McGillivray, Con.), and East Simcoe (Bonnett, Con.). There are, therefore, three Conservative seats vacant in Ontario and three by-elections to be held.

Both parties in North Ontario will hold conventions this week. Among the names mentioned for the vacant seats are those of W. H. Hoyle, Cannington; Thomas Glendinning, Yromont; Dr. Gillespie, Cannington; Benjamin Madill, Beaverton; ex-Mayor Hunt; Bracebridge; and Angus Macdonald, Lumberman. It is stated that in all probability, the last mentioned, Mr. Angus Macdonald, will be the man. Duncan Graham, of Cannington, will in all probability be the Liberal standard-bearer.

A MARVELLOUS VESSEL.

Being Constructed in the United States—A Great Speed Will be Attained.

Providence, R.I., Jan. 5.—A model of an electric vessel, for which a really marvelous speed is promised by the inventor has been constructed here. It is a distinct novelty in many respects. Its propellers are planned to be built of steel, 200 feet long, which is to have 14 propellers, six placed forward to draw it through the water, and eight astern as pushers; the arrangement, of course, being seven on each side.

A speed of 40 knots an hour is confidently expected. The boat is designed for passenger traffic in Narragansett bay, especially, but its real purpose is a practical demonstration of a system which the projectors hope to see applied to naval vessels in the near future.

The president of the company that will build this boat is Richard B. Panton, a naturalized Englishman.

THE DEAL REPUDIATED.

President Lyall of the Exhibition Company Wants None of Mr. Beaubien's Policy.

Mr. Peter Lyall, president of the Montreal Exhibition Company, stated to a Herald reporter yesterday that his company repudiates the resolutions submitted to the Legislature by Mr. Beaubien.

"We have forty thousand dollars invested in the exhibition, and on which we do not draw any interest," he said. "Our only security is the buildings, and we do not intend to dispossess ourselves of them, especially when the Government intends to limit the liberty of the proposed arbitration."

BURN'S ANNIVERSARY.

The anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns is to be celebrated by Montreal Caledonians on the 22nd instant. The Caledonian Society committee on the matter met last night and decided to have a conversation and dance in Drummond Hall. Mr. Donald Macmaster, Q.C., president of St. Andrew's Society, will deliver the oration, and among the artists who will take part is Mr. Harold Jarvis, of Detroit, well-known here.

THEY DID NOT GO

Except as Private Citizens, to Mgr. Fabre's Funeral.

THE CABINET WAS SLIGHTED

Dominion Ministers Refused Their Rightful Places of Honor.

An Astonishing Exhibition of What Appears to be Pronounced Partisanship.

Neither the Premier of Canada nor any of the Federal Ministers of the Crown were present at the funeral of Archbishop Fabre today in their official capacity, and the story of how this astonishing state of things came to be looks like another instance of the unrelenting partisanship which some high in authority are showing against the Liberal party.

It might have been assumed that in the presence of the death of a venerable and revered dignitary of the Church that party strife, of no matter how bitter a nature, would be laid aside, and that members of whatever shade of political belief would be permitted to pay the last tributes of esteem and respect under conditions which would impose no personal humiliation.

Unfortunately, according to the information received by The Herald, such is not the case. Despite the recognized rights of Federal Ministers to take precedence of members of the Provincial Executive of no matter how high a rank, the arrangements at St. James' Cathedral were so made that the advisers of His Excellency the Governor-General could not, as such, take part in the ceremonies without a loss of constitutional dignity.

They, therefore, attended the funeral as private citizens. The absence from the seats of honor of the Honorable Mr. Laurier and his colleagues, who had come to Montreal especially to do honor to the memory of a good man, was immediately noticed by many in the vast crowd gathered in the church, and the fact that he, with other of his Ministers, occupied such seats as were at the command of private citizens but accentuated the curiosity of those interested.

A prompt enquiry elicited the information that in the arrangements for the funeral the Church authorities had set aside one seat for Hon. Mr. Laurier and one for Hon. Mr. Egan, Premier of Quebec, but it was distinctly shown that the remaining members of the Federal Cabinet were expected to come, in point of place, not only the Provincial Premier, but also his colleagues. The difficulty was pointed out to the authorities, but no relief was offered. Mr. Laurier, of course, could not pocket the deliberate slight to him, and he immediately announced his intention of attending the funeral merely in his private capacity.

ORDER OF PRECEDENCE.

The question of precedence is not determined by mere whims or fancies, and in this connection it may be well to quote the recognized authority, that of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies. In the table of precedence officially promulgated members of the Dominion Cabinet stand eighth, whereas members of the Provincial Executive Council, including the Premier, have but the twelfth place.

MR. TARDIVEL ARRESTED.

He is Accused of Libel by Mr. L. H. Frechette.

And is Apprehended in Quebec by High Constable Bissonette—He is Out on Parole.

Quebec, Jan. 5.—(Special).—Quite a sensation was created here yesterday, when High Constable Bissonette, from Montreal, got off the train, and rushed to the Parliament buildings, where he arrested Mr. J. P. Tardivel, editor of La Verite, at the instigation of Mr. L. H. Frechette, clerk of the Legislative Council, who accuses the journalist of having published in his paper the following defamatory statement:—"The newspapers are announcing a lecture to be delivered at the Institut Canadien which would like to see its reputation as a respectable institution."

Mr. Tardivel was in the press gallery, busy taking notes of the session, when Mr. Bissonette met him. The High Constable liberated him on parole, enjoining him to appear this morning before Justice Chaveau, to furnish bail to appear again on the 15th inst. before Judge Desnoyers at Montreal. Mr. Gustave Lamotte will defend the accused.

The country roads are in an awful state. The lumbermen are feeling very uneasy, on account of the soft weather, because it paralyzes their business.

The man G. Parent and his two female accomplices were again before the Police Magistrate yesterday on a fifth charge of the vessel's departure from Honolulu, U.S. Minister Willis, whose condition for some time had been very serious, had been given up by his physicians, and his death was momentarily expected.

Much sympathy was expressed by the residents, as the Minister was very popular, both in his private life and in his official capacity.

A RUMOR REVIVED.

London, Jan. 5.—The Westminster Gazette, this afternoon, gives prominence to a report that Queen Victoria has decided to commemorate the fact that she has enjoyed the longest reign in English history by dedicating in favor of the Prince of Wales.

A BUDGET FROM OTTAWA.

Date of Calling Parliament Not Yet Considered.

The Brussels Postmaster Safe in His Office—Appointment of an Auditor.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—(Special).—Lt.-Col. Lazier, Belleville, who was appointed commissioner to enquire into the charges against Mr. Farrow, at one time Conservative member, now Postmaster at Brussels, has made his report to the Postmaster-General. The evidence showed that Farrow spoke at public meetings, and otherwise worked for the Conservative candidate. Commissioner Lazier, however, finds in favor of Farrow, and consequently the charges will be dismissed, and Farrow retained in his position.

A story has been going the rounds of the press to the effect that the cure at Crane Island, Charlevoix, had ordered the destruction of copies of "l'Electeur" in the post-office there, and that the postmaster finally yielded, and had them burned. Hon. Mr. Mulock, Postmaster-General, has not received any information on the subject and consequently nothing has been done in the matter.

The Cabinet has not yet considered when Parliament will meet. It has been formally prorogued until the 26th inst., and when the time comes for further prorogation, something definite will likely be known of the calling of the House.

Sir Richard Cartwright has returned from Kingston and Sir Oliver Mowat from Toronto. The inaugural meeting of the new city council will be held next Monday. One of the first questions which the new mayor will have to decide will be with regard to the appointment of an auditor. For a long time past the Irish Catholics have been urging that they should have a representative for this important office, but it is not known whether the mayor-elect will accede to this contention, or appoint Mr. J. N. Rattey. Many think that Mr. Rattey will be re-appointed, and it is agreed that ex-Ald. Starr will be the Mayor's nominee for the Court of Revision.

STANLEY STREET FIRE.

Some Interesting Evidence at the Resumed Inquest—Telephone Alarms Condemned.

The Stanley street fire investigation was continued yesterday. Building Inspector Lacroix said, speaking of the construction of the houses, that if the galleries had been disconnected the flames would not have spread. The party wall was up to the roof and the rear wall was carried to the underside of the roof boarding. There was no communication between the buildings except at the roofs, and the gallery was a continuation of the roof. There was no law to prevent the use of sawdust in the construction of buildings, and when they examined the house after the fire he saw no sawdust between the floors and partitions, as had been stated, but only in the roof. He saw no false chimney.

Mr. Bulman, the architect, said that the fire ran up through the box containing the pipes, which were placed there in order to be easily got at.

Mr. Lacroix said that if a stream had been placed on the rear wall of the building, the fire would have spread from No. 1 to No. 3, which is fifteen inches higher, if the galleries had been broken. Mr. Pope, representing some of the proprietors of the burnt dwellings, gave some testimony as to the construction of the buildings, and said that the roof between Nos. 2 and 3 was not continuous.

Chief Beattie testified to the delay caused by Mr. Brown, telephoning to the Central Office to send up a reel, instead of giving the alarm in the usual way from the nearest box. He blamed Mr. Brown more than any one else, and both he and the chairman were asked to be found the practice of citizens sending telephone messages in case of fire breaking out.

BRAM SLEEPS WELL.

His Recent Conviction Does Not Weigh Upon His Spirits to Any Extent.

Boston, Jan. 5.—Thomas Bram has slept well since his conviction. He is still the same calm, imperturbable man that caused wonder at his appearance at the trial, and no one would guess from his manner and actions that he had passed the worst corner on the road to the scaffold. His counsel are preparing for one of the greatest contests ever waged to save a man's life, and no stone will be left unturned to keep Bram from the gallows. One thing is apparent—the public sympathy is with him. Hundreds of men are to be found who are firmly convinced that there was no evidence enough to convict. The point in all discussions seems to be that there should have been another trial. The usual number of cranks have sent Bram advice and suggestions, but he has thrown all of them aside as soon as reading them.

United States Marshal Swift sent a communication to the jail yesterday morning requesting that no person except his counsel be allowed to see Bram. The sailors are feeling quite well. It is not likely that they will be allowed their liberty until the case is disposed of. The cost of the trial to the Government will be not far from \$10,000.

HIS DEATH EXPECTED.

United States Minister at Honolulu in a Critical Condition—Much Sympathy Expressed.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 5.—The steamship Mowena, just arrived from Honolulu, brought advice that at the time of the vessel's departure from Honolulu, U.S. Minister Willis, whose condition for some time had been very serious, had been given up by his physicians, and his death was momentarily expected.

Much sympathy was expressed by the residents, as the Minister was very popular, both in his private life and in his official capacity.

THE BEST ON RECORD

Retailers all Satisfied With the Holiday Trade.

FAR AHEAD OF LAST YEAR.

Every Line of Business Reports Much Better Times.

And the Aggregate of the Christmas and New Year's Trade Must Have Been Immense.

Considerable interest always attaches to the quantity and quality of the Christmas and New Year's trade in the city shops. Many people regard it as a barometer of the condition of trade, and accord favorable reports as proof of a satisfactory, or at least, improving state of business. The Herald has taken pains to interview some of the leading retailers upon this point, and it is satisfactory to be able to state that their expressions are altogether those of satisfaction. The consensus of opinion seems to be that the holiday trade this winter has been better than ever before.

Mr. M. Cochenor, the well-known jeweller of St. James Street, said:—Business has been very much better than it was last Christmas and there was a great rush right up to the end of the year. Owing to the great cheapness of small silver goods, customers have been far more plentiful than formerly, and there was an exceptionally large demand for diamonds—chiefly on the part of the French speaking population of Montreal. This has been the best holiday season Mr. Cochenor has ever had.

James A. Ogilvy & Son, of 2330 St. Catherine Street, have had a very busy time. Trade has been much better than last year, and has surpassed all expectations. They ascribe a great part of their success to their enterprise in advertising and also to their having moved into fine new premises. They are at present very busy with their January sales.

C. A. Hollar & Son, of 2411 St. Catherine Street, have had a first-rate holiday trade. This has been a record year for them, as Christmas shopping commenced early in November and was sustained right up to the end of the year.

H. & N. E. Hamilton, have had a splendid holiday season. They partly ascribe their phenomenal business to the mechanical effect they displayed as an advertisement in their windows. Owing to the enormous business done, they were enabled to grant all their employees a holiday on Saturday, January 2. They were the only retail house in Montreal who did so.

John Murphy & Co. have had a splendid Christmas season. In all departments they are away ahead of last year, and the extra pressure on their fancy department was felt at the beginning of November.

C. W. Lindsay & Co., of 2396 St. Catherine Street, have enjoyed an exceptionally good season—in every respect better than last year. They partly account for this by the fact of their having removed to a handsome new store, which enables them to carry a much larger and better stock than heretofore. They now also have the agency for the Chickering (Boston), piano, which they had not last year.

Henry Morgan & Co. are quite satisfied with this year's results. They have enjoyed a better holiday trade than they had last year.

Munroe Bros., of 2216 St. Catherine Street, have had a larger number of customers than they ever had before, and the Christmas season of 1896 has in every respect been better than that of 1895.

Henry Birks & Sons, of 2196 St. Catherine Street, have had a record season, surpassing even the season of 1895. The extra Christmas business was felt earlier than usual and a roaring trade in all departments was sustained right up to the close of the year.

Fraser, Viger & Co., have, in spite of the weather, had a quite exceptionally good holiday season, trade being in every respect better than last year.

Dufresne, Mongenais & St. Charles have had a very good holiday season, trade being in every respect better than last year. This has been one of the best seasons they have ever had, and has undoubtedly been far brisker than last year was.

John J. Hannan, of 215 St. James Street, has had a splendid Christmas season. Trade has been brisker than it ever was in the past, and this has in every respect proved a record season. Clear sales of the season of 1895. The extra Christmas business was felt earlier than usual and a roaring trade in all departments was sustained right up to the close of the year.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 5.—A blizzard has been raging throughout the north-west and as a result train service has been considerably crippled. In a number of towns business is about suspended. In South Dakota the storm was more severe than in the north of the state. Throughout Western and Northern Minnesota the storm has been severe.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 5.—Up to midnight there was little abatement in the fury of the storm that had raged in this section for sixty hours. The snow had ceased falling but the wind still blew a gale. The temperature is very low this morning. The Omaha Line is completely tied up, the drifts in the northern part of the State being so deep that the road cannot be opened while the storm rages. So far there has been no loss of life reported.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—The storm that has been raging for the past 48 hours in the north-west has not increased in severity, except perhaps in Iowa, and the signal service office in this city reports that within a short time the storm will probably abate. The wind has for 36 hours kept up a 52 1/2 mile gale at Huron, S.D. The falling temperature is general in the lake region and upper Mississippi Valley, but there has been no heavy fall of snow east of Iowa.

MAYORS AND ALDERMEN.

Municipal Rulers Chosen in Ontario.

Mayor Fleming Carries Toronto by a Substantial Majority—Other Returns.

Yesterday was municipal election day throughout Ontario. Following are some of the principal results.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—The mayoralty and aldermanic elections yesterday were held in very unpleasant weather. Notwithstanding that there was a heavy vote polled, a good deal heavier than in the contest of last year. Mayor Fleming was elected by a fair majority, the figures being:—Fleming, 11,900; McMurich, 10,575; a majority for Fleming of 1,325 in a total vote of 22,475. This was a good deal smaller than Mr. Fleming's friends had expected and something less than he secured last year over ex-Ald. Shaw, who was 1,718 behind him.

The aldermen elected in the different wards are as follows: First—Russell Allen, Leslie and Fraire. Second—Hallam, Spence, Lamb, and Beale. Third—Rutter, Shaw, Sheppard and Saunders. Fourth—Hubbard, Burns, Crane, and Carlyle. Fifth—Graham, Preston, Woods and Dunn. Sixth—Gowanlock, Scott, Graham and Lynd.

The three by-laws voted on were all carried by large majorities. One was for the expenditure of \$250,000 for the new court house, the second for \$25,000 for a new water main, and the third a query as to the advisability of holding municipal elections on New Year's Day, the answers being strongly in the affirmative.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—The municipal election and closely contested of any which took place here yesterday were the most exciting taken place in Ottawa in years, and the vote polled was the largest on record. For the mayoralty there were three candidates, ex-Alderman Bingham, who heads the list with 2,600 votes; ex-Ald. Campbell, who runs close up with 2,575 votes; and ex-Ald. Cluff, who who polled 1,844 votes and did not carry a single one of the eight wards. The elections for aldermen resulted as follows:

Victoria Ward—Mason, Enright, Butler, Dalhousie Ward—Foster, Davidson, Hewlett, Wellington Ward—Stewart, Campbell, Black. Central Ward—Powell, Cook, Wallace. St. George's Ward—Hastey, Rogers, Grant. By Ward—Paymont, St. Jean, Grand, Dr. Baileys, Durocher, Gauthier, White. Rideau Ward—Roger, Fraser, Donadson.

Corwall, Jan. 5.—The municipal election here yesterday was one of the hottest in the history of the town. This was particularly the case with the mayoralty contest, for which A. E. Mulholland defeated William Hodge by a majority of 40. There were Angus Lalonde, Deputy Reeves P. E. Campbell and Dr. E. A. Gravelly, and Councilors L. A. Ross, G. R. Phillips and H. F. Cummings, of the Centre Ward, were all elected by acclamation. In the West Ward (Dr. Baileys), Dr. Baileys, John A. Chisholm and J. L. Welby were elected over E. King. In the East Ward, W. J. Derechie, Joseph Derodich and A. Cunningham were elected over William Dingwall. The by-law to ratify the granting of a bonus of \$35,000 to the Ontario Pacific (Dr. Baileys), was carried by a majority of 432 of the free-holders. Only 70 voted against the by-law.

Brookville, Ont., Jan. 5.—(Special).—The municipal election here yesterday was fought on party lines, and resulted in almost a clean sweep for the Liberals. Dr. W. D. Dore, Mayor, Councilors North—Ward, Geash and Hayes; East—Ward, O'Brien and Wright; Centre Ward, Buckman and Fullard; West Ward, McGorry and McGready; South Ward, Buell and Thompson. Last year the council were all Conservatives.

Hamilton, Jan. 5.—The mayoralty contest here yesterday was between Ald. Colquhoun and Mayor Tuckett, and resulted in a victory for Mr. Colquhoun by 808. The figures stood, Colquhoun, 3,540; Tuckett, 2,732.

EIGHT STILL MISSING.

Four More Survivors of the Wrecked Commodore Have Been Brought Safely to Land.

Jacksonville, Florida, Jan. 5.—Four more men landed from the wreck of the Commodore yesterday at Port Orange. This accounts for twenty out of the twenty-eight men on board. Those landed were Major Julio, Rodriguez Baz, Julius Alvarez, Manuel Gonzalez, and Louis Sierra Madrid. The men were observed in the surf, and boats put out to aid them to land. They were nearly famished; what little food was in the boat had been eaten, and the last drop of water had given out.

During the night one of the men grew light-headed, and attempted to jump overboard, but was prevented by the others. They say they have not seen the other eight men reported missing.

AND STILL THEY FAIL.

It's a Good Thing to Have Your Money in Your Pocket, or in a Canadian Bank.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 5.—The Germania, the Allemania, and the West side banks, all doing business as State banks, closed their doors yesterday. The failure of the Bank of Minnesota, December 22nd, caused unrest in the community, and depositors withdrew their money from the three banks above named to such an extent that they were forced to go to the wall because they had not funds enough immediately in hand to meet the demands made upon them. Each of the three, however, is solvent, and all of them will re-open as soon as possible.

Dubuque, Iowa, Jan. 5.—The City Bank of Nora Springs, Iowa, suspended yesterday.

THE WEATHER TO-DAY.

Messrs. Hearn & Harrison report to-day as follows: Standard thermometer—8 a.m., 78; 1 p.m., 37; maximum, 30; minimum, 37. Standard barometer—8 a.m., 29.69; 1 p.m., 29.62.

Minimum temperatures elsewhere: Calgary, 24; Battleford, 10 below; Qu'Appelle, 6 below; Winnipeg, 18 below; Port Arthur, 0; Toronto, 20; Ottawa, 32; Quebec, 34; Halifax, 40.

Probabilities, 11 a.m.: Turning gradually colder, with light snow-falls in many places.

SIR JOSEPH HICKSON DEAD OF PARALYSIS.

The Former Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway
Passes to His Rest This Morning.

THOUGH LOOKED FOR, DEATH WAS UNEXPECTED.

He Has Been Ailing for About Seven Weeks—Sketch of His Life and the
Good He Has Done for Canada—Montreal
Will Mourn His Loss.

Sir Joseph Hickson died at his residence on Mountain Street at five minutes to eleven o'clock this morning, surrounded by his wife and family and a few intimate personal friends.

The end was a peaceful and painless one, and was expected ever since last evening. His illness lasted for seven weeks, and was borne with great patience, but everyone hoped that he would be spared up to yesterday.

The cause of death was paralysis, a slight stroke of which was felt seven days ago. About a month ago Sir Joseph had a severe stroke while in his office, and was immediately conveyed to his home. Dr. Craik was called in, and under his care the patient gradually got better, every day showing a little improvement. Last evening at half-past seven another and more serious stroke of paralysis came, from which there was no hope of recovery. Through the night Sir Joseph gradually slipped away, while Lady Hickson and her children watched anxiously by his side. The end came, as stated, just before eleven.

The news very soon travelled down town, and sincere sympathy was expressed on all sides for the bereaved family. On the general offices at Point St. Charles and on the Montserrat depot the flags were hoisted at half-mast out of respect. Mr. William Hickson, the eldest son, is on his way home from Germany on the Spree, which is expected in New York in a day or two. The funeral arrangements will be delayed until his arrival.

A SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

Sir Joseph Hickson was born in Otterburn, Northumberland, in 1830, and was educated at home and in the schools of his native county.

At an early age his business career began with one of the large firms of Canada which did a big business between England and Scotland in the days before the railways had been extended to any extent. From this he passed into the service of the North-Eastern Railway of England, where he laid the foundation of the knowledge of railway matters which afterwards placed him at the head of the great corporation. After a few years there Mr. Hickson accepted a position at the Maryport & Carlisle Ry., and in 1851 he took a position of responsibility on the Manchester, Sheffield & Lincolnshire Ry., where his progress was rapid. Ten years later he was assistant

Commercial.

WHEAT IN CHICAGO.

J. R. Willard, Chicago, wired F. Bond and Co. as follows:—"Early cables showed an advance in Liverpool since Saturday of nearly 20 a bushel, and the market closed at a further advance of more than 10 per bushel. The Board made the world's shipments 5,300,000. The anticipated cold wave was in evidence. For a time it looked as if the bullish sentiment would carry prices considerably higher, but there was a good deal of wheat for sale on all the rallies, and the knowing brokers thought it came from Canada.

The failure of a large bank at St. Paul and the increase in visible stock of wheat here that snow covers most of the United States, had a moderate bearish effect.

Exports reported today 200,000 bushels, and the increase in visible stock of wheat here that snow covers most of the United States, had a moderate bearish effect.

It is expected that the world's supply will decrease four and a half millions. The news has been strong enough to put the price up to 80 for May and hold it there, but it is evident the short interest has been practically wiped out and the advance has induced considerable realizing effect.

GARRATT GETS THREE YEARS.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Henry D. Garratt, the New York forger, who passed a bogus cheque on the Rossin house a couple of weeks ago, and was arrested at Montreal on Saturday, appeared in the Police Court this morning, and was sent to the Kingston penitentiary for three years. Garratt has served a six-year term in Sing Sing. He pleaded guilty to the largest of the Rossin house, Messrs. Nelson Bros., by passing a cheque on a Buffalo bank, which turned out to be bogus. Garratt, under the name of S. R. Wedd, and in the character of a New York lawyer, looking after the affairs of the Rossin house, spent the first two weeks in December at the Rossin house, living in a very expensive manner. He is a well-dressed and well-educated man.

THE HERALD COMPANY.

Letters patent have been issued under the Great Seal of the Province of Quebec, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of December instant, incorporating Robert Mackay, merchant; Jonathan Hodgson, merchant; Roswell C. Fisher, gentleman; James S. Brierley, printer and publisher; Robert Bickerton, merchant; Thomas A. Tremblay, farmer, and George Sumner, merchant, all of the City of Montreal, for the carrying on a general printing, book-binding, engraving and publishing business, by the name of "The Herald Publishing Company," with a total capital stock of one hundred thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of one hundred dollars each.

THE CONGESTED COURTS.

In order to clear off the congested rolls in the Superior Court, there will be five divisions in Enquete and Merits every judicial day (except Saturday) from the 11th to the 27th inst., inclusive. The roll will be called in Room No. 6, at 10.15 every morning, and the cases which are ready will be assigned to the different divisions for trial. There will also be two divisions of the Summary Court during the same period, the roll for which will be called in Room No. 4 at 10.30 every morning.

HON. THOS. MCGEEVY'S FUNERAL.

Quebec, Jan. 4.—Mr. Joseph Victor Gosselin, also manufacturer of St. Roch, has been assigned, on the demand of Mr. Paul Gosselin, of Victoriaville, the assets of \$7,000.40 and the liabilities are \$5,551.15.

OH! OH! YVETTE.

Famous Refrain May Be
Used in All Earnestness.

GUILBERT AND HER SONGS.

Monument National Board Won't Allow Her to Sing in Their Hall.

The Lines Which Caused Much of the
Trouble—Another Hall Must
be Secured.

Yvette Guilbert, the most-talented of women in the theatrical world to-day, cannot sing at the Monument National in this city on the 18th inst., as announced by Mr. and Mrs. Murphy.

The directors of the Monument National have met, and so decided. They give out no statement as to just why they are compelled to so decide, but it is admitted that the clergy have taken up the matter, and that this has brought an enquiry as to the songs.

This enquiry only brings out the fact that some people say the songs are not just the proper caper, but no one in Montreal has yet taken it upon himself to say that they are immoral.

In New York there was a tremendous hubbub over one song, a translation of which is here given:—

There was once a lad—a black for his lot—
And he loved one who loved him not.
She said to him, "Go bring to my feet
Thy mother's heart for my dog's meat."

"Get thee hence, slay her, now wait!"
He took the heart and he ran with it straight.

As he ran he fell to the ground.
And in the clay the heart rolled round.
As the heart rolled round in the clay,
The heart said, and he heard it say:—

He heard the heart say in his ear,
"Hast thou thyself, my dear, oh, my dear?"

Dwight L. Moody, the great evangelist, who is now in New York, condemned the song with these words:—

"I don't think Sodom ever produced anything like that. Horrible, dreadful!"

To this Guilbert replies: "There are three ideas in this song. If Mr. Moody had thought it worth while to search them out, if he had, perhaps he would have been less severe. Mr. Richer has sought to depict, first the selfishness of a heartless coquette, next the complete slavery of hopeless love, and finally the all-comprehensiveness, so to speak, of a mother's love, which gives freely everything to please its object, however unworthy the latter may be. Of course the last is the crowning idea of the song, up to which, indeed, the others only pave the way."



YVETTE GUILBERT.

Yvette Guilbert is about 30 years of age. She is tall, graceful, willowy, strictly speaking not good looking, but she has a well-poised head surrounded by a wealth of auburn hair. She has a perfect figure and needs no Parisian gown to reveal her art.

Three years ago, she was unknown in this country, but her first song was not finished before the wires flashed out her praise to every part of the continent. She sings nearly all her songs in French, but for the benefit of those who do not understand that language, will give her four in English.

The Windsor Hall will probably be secured for her concert.

UNCLEAN JOURNALISM.

A Protest Against the Introduction of
New York Methods Into the
Canadian Press.

Editor of The Herald:

Sir,—If we may judge by yesterday's issue of the Star, it is high time that we should have another evening paper, if we can only have one that will bring into our families the sum of the sensational New York press. The disgusting details of a New York orgy among wealthy, but low-minded, men cannot be called "fit family reading." A good many families of this city are being ruined by last Saturday's Star before letting it into the hands of the young people.

Another article in the same paper, which claimed to be copied from the New York World, seems to have no reason d'être whatever, except it be to annoy a young couple of the highest standing in Canadian society. The lady in question is not by any means the only one in Montreal, who, having been freed from a bad husband on the other side of the line, has found a good one on this; yet she is the only one who has been selected as the subject of "a romance." Indeed, there is so much more romance than truth in the article that we are forced to believe that it was inspired by the fact that the lady was inspired by the fact that she was living against the wishes of her friends. However, there are many other women in Montreal society who have found it necessary to work for a living until fortunate enough to marry a rich husband, and if the details of their long struggles with poverty and striving after wealth and position were given, we might be supplied with much more romantic reading than that afforded by a brief but brilliant success career, an unhappy marriage, an absolute divorce, and a happy re-marriage, which cannot be marred by such malicious meddlings.

So long as The Herald continues to be a good clean paper, which respects the private lives of respectable citizens, so long it may depend on the active support of every decent Montrealer, whether Liberal or Conservative.

Yours, etc.,
DECENCY.

Under the Winding-Up Act.

CANADA
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. Superior Court.
District of Montreal. No. 278.

Stephen Hamilton Thompson et al, petitioners, and the Canadian Bridge and Iron Company, a body politic and corporate, duly incorporated and having its head office and principal place of business in the city and district of Montreal, respondent.

A winding-up order has been granted in this matter, and a meeting of the creditors, shareholders and contributors of the said Company, is hereby called for the twelfth day of January next, at ten of the clock, in the forenoon, in the Court Room for Insolvent Matters, in the Court House, at Montreal, in the said city of Montreal, to appoint a liquidator to the said Company in accordance with the judgment of the court, in, on the thirty-first day of December, instant.

H. COLLARD,
Deputy Prothonotary, S.C.
Montreal, 31st December, 1896.

CALLING IN CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.
District of Montreal.
No. 2.—In re B. Blandy et al, petitioners, and Romeo Prevost, accountant, heretofore of the city and district of Montreal, and now an absentee.

The said absentee and his creditors are hereby ordered to appear before one of the Judges of this Court, in the Court Room for Insolvent Matters, in the Court House, at Montreal, on the fourteenth day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, in order to give their advice touching the winding-up of the said Company, and to the property of the said absentee.

H. COLLARD,
Deputy Prothonotary, S.C.
Montreal, 2nd January, 1897.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

Tenders for Timber, Lumber, Etc.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the outside, "Tenders for Timber, etc.," will be received until Wednesday, 9th January, 1897, for supplying all or part of the Timber, Lumber, etc., referred to in a specification to be seen at all Booking Stations.

All the conditions of the specification must be complied with.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

D. POTTINGER,
General Manager.
Railway Office, Montreal, N.B.
10th December, 1896.

MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

Arrived—January 2. From.

Steamer. At. From.

La Gasconne... Havre... New York
Friesland... Antwerp... New York
Werra... Rotterdam... New York

Arrived—January 3. From.

Patric... Hamburg... New York
Aurora... Liverpool... Liverpool
The C.P.R. steamer Empress of Japan
left Yokohama for Vancouver on the morning of January 1st.

THE WEATHER TO-DAY.

Messrs. Hearn & Harrison report to-day as follows: Standard thermometer—8 a.m., 55.1 p.m., 45; maximum, 48; minimum, 33. Standard barometer—8 a.m., 29.99; 1 p.m., 29.95.

Minimum temperatures elsewhere:
Calgary, 4 below; Qu'Appelle, 4 below; Winnipeg, 4 below; Port Arthur, 3; Toronto, 3; Ottawa, 3; Quebec, 3; Halifax, 4.

Probabilities, 11 a.m.:
Unsettled, mild and showery, turning cold to-morrow.



ANGELO MARIANI.

A Scientist Who Was a Public Benefactor.

The therapeutic qualities of cinchona bark and the coca leaf were known soon after the conquest of Peru by Pizarro and his valiant Spaniards. The Jesuit Fathers, who in those days marched side by side with the men of the sword, found out the virtues in cases of fever of the bark of the cinchona tree, and the marvellous sustaining powers pertaining to the coca or coca leaf. The natives knew these things, and the Jesuits, an observing, investigating set of men, began very early to utilize the new medicine, and yet it was not until 1820 that chemistry got to work on what had been known for more than two centuries as Jesuits' bark, and produced therefrom the alkaloid known as quinine.

Coca has had even a slower development. The Conquistadors saw the Indians chew the leaf of a shrub, and, sustained by its power, go long days without food, covering miles of mountain passes, with grievous burdens on their backs, or climbing up the ladders in mine-shafts with half their own weight in one of their packs. Later, scientists like Humboldt, Von Tschudi, Markham and Smith marvelled at the effects of coca on the natives of North-western South America in enabling them to withstand the strains of hard labor, exposure and want of food with impunity. Dr. Smith also comments on the longevity of these coca users, whose number is about 5,000,000. And yet with all these centuries of observation and knowledge, it was not until the early sixties that a man of science began to investigate the coca. The man in question was a Corsican named Angelo Mariani, a chemist by profession, and living in Paris.

After the fashion of modern chemists he proceeded to work out the coca problem in extenso, and he has produced a large number of coca products. One of these, an infusion of coca leaves in grape juice, the medical faculty of Paris, after a two-years' exhaustive test, called, after its maker, Vin Mariani, and stamped it with their approval, and presented the chemist with a medal by Roly, that king of modern medals.

The new drink was found to be to the brain-fagged man of talent just what the leaf is to the leg-weary Indian, a "pick-me-up" without a reaction, and in consequence the best Parisian work in letters has been based on Vin Mariani. Zola, Serlou, Daudet, Dumas, Gounod, Ambroise Thomas, Campanini, De Reszke and many another name known to fame are Marianiists, while Henri Rochefort, the irreconcilable, writes that the wine had so benefited his constitution that he suggested the propriety of sending some of it to the French Government in the hope that the constitutional effect on the body politic would be similar to that on the body physical. On this side of the water Vin Mariani, under the auspices of Drs. Elsborg, Fordyce Barker, Loomis, St. John Roosa, and other leaders of the faculty, came into use as a tonic early in its history, but as it was not a patented article, soon as the public began to use it the able army of counterfeiters arose in their ranks and proceeded to mix cocaine and spirits, and call the stuff by various names, and so it was that the makers of the Mariani wine have been driven into the open market after so many years, when their only customers were doctors and druggists.

By the way, and in this connection, why do not the controllers and organizers of armies look into the virtues of the coca products? It is estimated that the coca plant like 20 per cent. of the travelling endurance of an Indian, and it is most probable that the effect on a white would be the same. Now, an increased marching power of one mile in five would go far, other things being equal, to winning the campaign. Possibly some such system may be adopted by and by, and the soldier sent forth to war with a paper chewing coca in his pocket, and a provision of Vin Mariani in his canteen. Men of chemical and chemical science have done their best for the improvement of the soldier's equipment, and it is time that something should be done to supplement his bodily forces.

The Herald Wants Your "Want" Ads. in Its "Want" Columns.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

Advertisements under this head one cent per word.

WANTED—FOR CITY CANVASSING an experienced salesman; good mechanic or engineer preferred. Address Box A 10, Herald.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MAN cook, in hotel, club or restaurant; first-class references. Apply 25, St. James Street.

AGENTS WANTED AT ONCE FOR AN article everyone wants; liberal commission. For particulars address E. C. Atory, Concord, Mich.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—FOR A married couple one bed room and parlor, furnished, in a private family; no children; all furniture, carpets, etc.; for sale or to rent. Apply to J. C. McDonald, Richmond square, Tel. 833.

FOR SALE—ONE LOT OF PRINTING material, complete, for very low prices; \$300 cash, balance at liberal credit. Apply to J. C. McDonald, Richmond square, Tel. 833.

COPPERS FOR SALE. APPLY AT Herald Office.

FOR SALE, FOR THE MILLION. Kindling \$2.00; Cut Maple, \$2.50; Mill Blocks, \$1.50; Tamarac Blocks, \$1.75. Call any length, delivered. J. C. McDonald, Richmond square, Tel. 833.

FOR SALE—1 ENGINE, 200 H.P.—boilers, 220 h.p.; 1 circular saw and mill; 1 double edger; 1 resawing machine; 1 small planer; also a quantity of shuffling and bedding. Apply to J. C. McDonald, Richmond square, Montreal.

WANTED TO PURCHASE. FOR CASH—old clothing, furs and fire-arms. People's Bank certificates. Call or address Mr. White; address 527 Craig.

MONEY TO LOAN

On Real Estate
AT CURRENT RATES

STEPHENS & WARNECKE,
18 St. Alexis Street.

CALLING IN CREDITORS.

In the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.
District of Montreal.
No. 233.—In the matter of Adolphe Delphis Turbot, of the city and district of Montreal, contractor and stone-cutter, insolvent.

The creditors of said insolvent are hereby ordered to appear before one of the Judges of this Court, in the Court Room for Insolvent Matters, in the Court House, at Montreal, on the twelfth day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, in order to give their advice touching the appointment of a new curator, in the place and stead of Romeo Prevost.

H. COLLARD,
Deputy Prothonotary, S.C.
Montreal, 31st December, 1896.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

Advertisements under this head one cent per word. Those in want of employment are cordially invited to make use of these columns.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE woman, work by the day or week; washing, scrubbing. Please address Work, 32 Imperial Avenue. 50c per day.

WANTED—BY GOOD PLAIN COOK—position either in a hotel or restaurant. Apply 177 Dalhousie Street.

WANTED—A conscientious, willing woman, to do washing for a small family, or will work by the day, at very reasonable charges. Apply No. 3, Avenue St. George.

WANTED—BY A FIRST-CLASS DRESS-maker, who is expert at misses' and children's dresses, work in private families immediately; best of references given. 316

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED LAUN- dress, family's washing by week or day; also rough dry washing. Apply or send post card, 76 Plymouth Road, of Canning St.

WANTED—SEWING AND MENING ladies', gentlemen's and children's clothes, ready made. References. Apply 311 St. Urbain Street.

WANTED—WASHING OR IRONING by the day, willing to assist with housework; good references. Apply 311 St. Urbain Street.

WANTED—SITUATION AS GENERAL servant, or work by the day, by a respectable person of good references. Please address A 10, Herald Office.

WANTED—SITUATION AS NURSE—references if required. 52 Avenue St. George.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A GOOD seamstress. References. Address 33 Dorchester Street.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE married woman, work by the day, plain washing to do at her own home, or 200 Ave. St. George, down stairs.

WANTED—BY WOMAN COOK—situation in a restaurant or small house. Apply at 177 Dalhousie Street.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A RE- spectable woman, willing to assist with children. Apply C.R., Herald Office.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE woman, washing or scrubbing by the day. Apply to 32 Young Street.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE girl, a place to mind a baby or to assist with light housework. Apply to 52 Young Street.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE woman, place as general servant, also her daughter to wait on table, or to do light housework, or to assist with a baby. Apply to 150 Dalhousie Street.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE young woman, offices to clean or work of any kind, by day or week. Mrs. B., 600 La Combe Street.

WANTED—SITUATION—BY A RE- spectable widow with one child, as housekeeper or general servant. Apply 292 Laval Avenue.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE woman, work by the day, or cleaning. Apply 54 St. Bernard Street, in rear.

WANTED—BY A GOOD PLAIN COOK—best of references, situation. Apply 703A Craig Street, second door from Montreal Steam Laundry.

WANTED—SITUATION AS PLAIN cook or general servant; best of city references. Apply Mrs. Driscoll, 317 Herald.

WANTED—BY LADY, SITUATION as nursery governess, mother's help, seamstress, or any other place; excellent needlewoman. Address Box A C, Herald.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE woman, place where she could sleep at home. Apply at 35 Cheneville St., door downstairs.

WANTED—WORK BY A GOOD DRESS-maker, all kinds of dresses, done over and made over; boys' clothing made at 436 City Hall Ave.

WANTED—BY LADY, SITUATION as nursery governess, mother's help, seamstress, or any other place; excellent needlewoman. Address Box A C, Herald.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE widow woman, place as general servant; willing to go to country. Address 175 Dalhousie Street.

DENTISTS.

PERSONAL—BOSTON DENTAL PAR- lor, 385 St. James Street. Beautiful sets of teeth for ten dollars. Fit and quality guaranteed. Painless extracting a specialty; all charges moderate.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Superior Court—District of Montreal.

In the matter of ALPHONSE DANSE- REAU, Merchant, of Vercheres, insolvent.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 19th day of January inst., at ten o'clock, before the court of the parish church of Vercheres, as per authorization of Hon. Justice Chabrand, under date of the 24th day of December inst., will be sold by public auction the real estate hereinafter mentioned, the property of the said Alphonse Danseureau, to-wit:

No. 1. A property situated in the first concession of the Parish of Vercheres, containing six and eight feet front, by one hundred and twenty-five feet deep, on the north-east line and one hundred and twenty-seven feet on the south-west line, adjoining on the north-west to the public road, on the south to the north-east to the properties of Charles Danseureau and on the south to the property of Widow Clement Dupuis; with a dwelling and other outbuildings erected thereon, the said property being part of lot number fifty (50), on the plan of the official assessment roll of the municipality of the said Parish of Vercheres.

No. 2. A property situated in the Village of the said Parish of Vercheres, containing six and eight feet front, by one hundred and twenty-five feet deep, on the north-east line and one hundred and twenty-seven feet on the south-west line, adjoining on the north to the public road, on the south to the properties of Charles Danseureau and on the south to the property of Widow Clement Dupuis; with a dwelling and other outbuildings erected thereon, the said property being part of lot number fifty (50), on the plan of the official assessment roll of the municipality of the said Parish of Vercheres.

No. 3. A lot of land situated in the Parish of St. Sulpice, on Isle Bouchard, containing about two acres, frontage by the north-east line, adjoining on the south to the said Parish of St. Lawrence, and on the south to the property of Philippe Guyon, and on the south to the said property of Gilbert Lecan; the said property being part of lot number two hundred and four (204), on the plan of the official assessment roll of the municipality of the said Parish of St. Sulpice.

The said real estate will be sold, subject to all mortgages and servitudes by which it may be encumbered.

Given at Vercheres, this second day of January, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

AIME GEOFFRON,
Curator.

Advertisements under this head one cent per word.

ROOMS—A FURNISHED DOUBLE room; suitable for married couple or two gentlemen. Auer light and all conveniences; in private family; 10 minutes' walk from Post-office. Apply 1781 Ontario St.

FIRST-CLASS PRIVATE BOARDING—furnished rooms; meals; sun-bath; served with choice meats; first-class liquors and ice cream parlors on the premises. J. Lusk, 4101 St. Catherine Street, Westmont.

ROOMS—WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD—In English family; first-class; near Dalhousie Square Depot. Apply 1371 N. Anne Street.

TO LET.

Advertisements under this head one cent per word.

TO LET—POINTE CLAIRE—STORE AND Dwelling, immediate possession; 20 acres; open land for 30 years. Apply M. Paquette 555 St. James.

TO LET—FACTORY, CORNER LA- bor and St. Genevieve Sts.; about thirty-two thousand square feet; 2 1/2 stories; 62 Wellington Street, and new building Queen Street, as the two buildings join in rear, can be used as one premises; about 20,000 feet floor room each, and all well lighted. W. Smith, 56 Simpson Street.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—WANTED MEN'S AND boys' cast-off clothing for 80 boys' road and the Ladies Benevolent Institution St. Berthele.

PERSONAL—MRS. HENRY MILLER will resume her Painting Classes 600 St. James Street, China fired Thursdays.

LOST.

LOST—THREE KEYS BETWEEN Post-office and Herald Office. Finder would oblige by returning same to Herald Office.

LOST—COLLIE DOG—WHITE head and feet with black muzzle and neck. Finder will be rewarded by delivering it at the Rev. Mr. Crookslands, 414 Gougeons Street, Point St. Charles.

RUPTURED.

If so, did you see police the case with which it can be cured and returned by you say of a Truss with an action similar to that of a ruptured one. Here it is, the Williams' Truss, Man, Toronto, Branch Office, Canada Life, Room 59, Tel. 008, Montreal.

Academy of Music. THEATRE ROYAL.

A MUSICAL TREAT.

ONE WEEK, STARTING To-Night. MATINEES WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY
THE VERY LATEST OPERATIC SUCCESS BY MESSRS. DE KOVEN AND SMITH,

THE * MANDARIN! COTTON KING.

SAME AS PRODUCED AT HERALD SQUARE THEATRE, NEW YORK.
ORIGINAL CAST, SAME CHORUS, COSTUMES AND SCENIC EFFECTS.

SEVENTY (70) PEOPLE—ENLARGED ORCHESTRA.

A Comic Opera, replete with Catchy, Beautiful Music, and Ludicrous Situations.

PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Secure Seats at Box Office. Phone 5048.
NEXT WEEK—The Great New Comedy—"MY FRIEND FROM INDIA."

THIS WEEK—Every Afternoon and Every Evening—THIS WEEK.
Everybody is Going to see W. A. Brady's Prodigious Production,

THE

THE COTTON KING.

BY SUTTON VANE.

THE LONDON ADELPHI THEATRE SUCCESS.
Revelation in Modern Stage Craft. 100 NIGHTS IN NEW YORK.
Story of Heart Interest Forcibly Told. 100 NIGHTS IN CHICAGO.
Profuse Leaven of Comedy. 100 NIGHTS IN BOSTON.
Cotton Mill in Full Operation.
Company of Unusual Excellence.

Prices always the same = = = = 10c, 20c & 30c
NEXT WEEK—ROBIE'S BOHEMIANS.

THE DEAD PRELATE.

Thousands of the Faithful Do
Honor to His Memory.

REMOVING THE REMAINS.

Impressive Ceremony Takes Place
This Afternoon.

Detailed Arrangements for To-morrow's
Funeral—Many "Spiritual
Donations" Received.

There was a continuous flood of visitors into the Archbishop's palace on Saturday and yesterday to view the remains of the late Monsignor Fabre. It is estimated that more than 15,000 men, women and children, rich and poor, humble and great, passed through the front entrance of the palace, east of last glances upon what was once the beloved pastor of this archdiocese, and went out by the side entrance on Dominion Square. Yesterday the crowd was even more numerous, and from early morning until sunset more than 25,000 people paid their last homage to the memory of the distinguished prelate.

Pickpockets were bold enough to exercise their unlawful industry even in the presence of death, and were not awed by the solemnity of the circumstances. It is reported that several ladies were relieved of their purses, and the immense crowds were continuously warned to beware of pickpockets. There were a number of constables present to maintain order, and they did their duty most creditably. The crowd was most orderly, and there was not a hitch.

SOME NOTABLE VISITORS.
Amongst those who have paid a last visit to the deceased prelate are: Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, M. P., Sir Adolphe Chapleau, Hon. L. O. Taillon, Ald. Beausoleil, M. P., Judge Baby, and many others prominent in the life of the city.

No floral tributes are accepted, but there are numerous "spiritual donations," amongst which are the following: From the Brothers of St. Vincent and their scholars, 15 solemn masses, 100 low masses, 5,800 masses heard, 3,300 communications, 5,365 Ways of the Cross, 51,250 beads recited, 55,150 de profundis.

From the Brothers of the Christian schools and their scholars: 200 low masses celebrated, 12,475 masses heard, 2,750 communications, 22,225 beads recited, 512 fast days and 64,075 De Profundis.

From the scholars of the Palace Academy: 80 masses; 240 communications; 4,400 beads recited and 4,400 De Profundis. Mrs. Fabre, the bereaved mother of the deceased prelate, offered 80 masses.

REMOVING THE REMAINS.
The remains are being rapidly and this morning the venerable Archbishop presented a sorrowful aspect. His face was very black and his lips were much decomposed, although every possible precaution was taken.

The transferring of the body from the Palace to the Cathedral this afternoon at 3.30 was an imposing affair. The only outside Canadian bishops who have arrived in time to assist at the ceremony are Archbishop Langevin, of St. Boniface; Bishop Paschal, of the N.W.T.; Archbishop O'Brien, of Halifax; and Bishop Sweeney, of St. John, N.B. Some may arrive on the afternoon trains, but at the time of going to press none had as yet visited the Palace.

Elaborate arrangements have been made for the reception of the 33 prelates and 600 priests who have promised to be present. Two priests await the arrival of each train, in the three railway stations and the reverend gentlemen, on their arrival, are driven directly to some presbytery or religious community, where they are to take up their abode during their stay in this city.

THE ORDER OF PROCESSION.

The following was the order of the procession this afternoon:—
1. Different lay associations, with banners and emblems.
2. Religious communities of women and men.
3. Cross of the Cathedral and acolytes.
4. Regular clergy.
5. Seminarians.
6. Secular clergy.
7. Cathedral chaplains.
8. Honorary and Titular Canons.
9. Capitular Vicar.
10. Archbishops and Bishops.
11. Bishop officiating at the "Lave du Corps."

12. The body borne by priests.
13. Lighted tapers surrounding the body.
14. Pallbearers.
15. University corps.
16. The Bench.
17. Public bodies.
18. The faithful.

The office for the dead was presided over and conducted this afternoon by the Franciscan Fathers for the first part and by the Illustrations Abbe Antoine, of the Oka Monastery, for the last part.

No special invitations were sent out for this afternoon. To-morrow the general public will be admitted without cards.

This evening, at 7.30, there will be the exercise of the Way of the Cross at the Cathedral.

TO-MORROW'S CEREMONY.

The ceremony which will take place to-morrow morning will be the most impressive, and the most magnificent ever wit-

nessed in Canada. It has been decided that Mr. Duhamel of Ottawa, will officiate, but his assistants will only be appointed to-morrow. They will be chosen from the oldest members of the clergy present. The musical part of the programme will be rendered by the choir of the Cathedral assisted by the choir of Notre Dame, St. James, the Jesuit and St. Patrick's Churches. The monster choir will be under the able direction of Prof. Couture. They will render the harmonized mass of Casali. The Cathedral is being decorated, but very simply, by an army of workmen under the orders of Canon Rascoo and the Rev. Mr. Perron. The church is being draped in black and yellow (the paper colors), and the altar will be draped in purple. The Archbishops and Bishops present will be seated within the chancel and the clergy will be seated in the front pews and on each side and in the heart of the main altar. The remains will be laid at the foot of the steps leading to the chancel.

After the ceremony the clergy will dine at the St. Joseph Hospice, at the corner of St. James and Cathedral Streets, where covers will be laid for 500 people. The students of Mount St. Louis College will wait upon.

All the parishes of this archdiocese will be represented at the service by two laymen for each parish. At the conclusion of the service the body will be placed in the crypt beneath the church. Only the clergy will be allowed to descend thereto.

THE GRAVE OF THE PRELATES.

The spot where the late Archbishop will rest until the last trumpet shall sound is already sanctified by the ashes of Bishops Lartigue and Bourget. It is in the base of one of the four pillars supporting the dome, that to which the pulpit is attached.

A VISIT TO THE CRYPT.

The entire crypt is highly interesting, and a Herald representative was privileged to visit it this morning. The darkness was profound, and was rather intensified by the few gas jets which were burning. The most interesting part was, of course, that wherein the two former bishops of Montreal lie, and where they are so soon to be joined by the first Archbishop.

The intention is that the bodies of eight prelates shall lie beneath each of the four pillars. The first two caskets are placed on the ground and bricked over and later ones will be placed over them. Dr. Chase, Fabre, and, therefore, will rest over that of Mgr. Lartigue.

The inscription on the door of this vault reads as follows:

R. I. P.
Tomb of the Very Illustrious and Very Reverend Monsignor J. J. Lartigue, 1st Bishop of Montreal, Died 19th of April, 1840.
Ignace Bourget, 2nd Bishop, died 8th of June, 1885.
On the walls hang the remains of the wreaths placed there at the time of Bishop Bourget's interment, nearly 12 years ago.
Rev. Canon J. O. Pare, was the first to be interred in the crypt, this being placed on the 20th of January, 1878, at which time there was no roof on the church.

There are many other clergymen whose remains lie on the floor of the crypt. The following is a complete list:—Mgr. Henry O'Brien, Private Secretary to the Pope, died October 24, 1885; Rev. Eugene Jeannotte, cure of Odegensburg, 10th April, 1885; Rev. Joseph Perrault, cure St. Rose, 5th April, 1885; Rev. L. Leduc, cure of North Adams, Mass., 8th May, 1884; Rev. C. Martin, cure of Vanterville, 30 March, 1884; Rev. C. Brisset, Chaplain of the Longue Pointe Asylum, 24th May, 1885; Rev. M. Bisson, 10th November, 1882; Rev. C. J. O'Hargarty, cure of St. Mary's, Ont., 5th February, 1880; Rev. W. E. Mathieu, 11th February, 1888; Rev. C. Bourdais, vicar at St. Jean, 14th April, 1882; Canon Hippolyte Moreau, vicar-general, 30th July, 1880; E. H. Hicks, canon, 12th of January, 1889; Rev. Telephone Herald, Chancery, 18th July, 1889, and L. D. A. Marchal, vicar-general, 26th of July, 1882.

THE POLICE ARRANGEMENTS.

The police arrangements for the funeral are:—
This afternoon, when the body is removed from the Palace to the Cathedral, fifty men, under Captain Loye and Lieutenants Proulx and Watson, will accompany the body. To-morrow, at the Cathedral, fifty men, under Captains Dubois and Millette and Lieutenants Holland and Prefontaine, will be on guard.

By order of His Worship Mayor Smith, the City Hall will be closed to-morrow morning, in order to allow the employees to be present at the funeral of Archbishop Fabre. His Worship has also sent a letter of regret and sympathy to the Right Rev. Canon Bourget.

RESOLUTIONS OF REGRET.
At a special meeting of the St. Jean Baptiste Association, held at the Monument National, yesterday, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—
"Resolved, that the St. Jean Baptiste Association is speaking in the name and for the French-Canadian population, in expressing the regrets which it feels at the death of its great chaplain, His Grace Mgr. Fabre. His Worship has also sent a letter of regret and sympathy to the Right Rev. Canon Bourget."

Resolved, that in order to give a tribute of sympathy and respect, the members of this Association will attend the funeral of the distinguished prelate.

Resolved, that copy of the present resolutions be transmitted to Messrs. Bourget, high administrator of this diocese, and to the family of the beloved prelate.

At a special meeting of the executive board of the Alliance Nationale, the following resolution was adopted unanimously:—
"Resolved, that the Alliance Nationale, in expressing its regrets at the death of the late Monsignor Fabre, and in honoring his virtues and his devotedness to the Church and to his country."

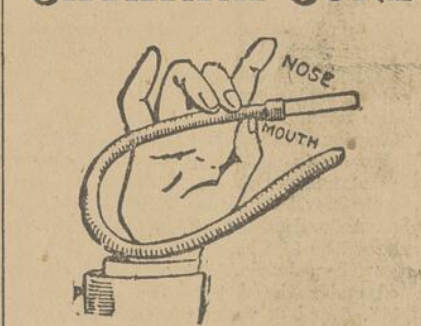
The Alliance Nationale, in the person of His Grace Mgr. Edmond Charles Fabre, loses not only a beloved first pastor, but also an honorary president, whose high protection and sympathies have been so valuable to the Society, in the good work which it follows. And it is with the greatest sorrow that this Society deplores the misfortune which in the bereavement of the Catholic Church of Canada reminds this Society that it has every motive to retain deep gratitude towards the illustrious and pious deceased. In associating of the eminent priest who was mourning of the eminent priest who was now directly the co-operators of the holy prelate as well as to that of his venerable mother, the Alliance Nationale fulfils a duty, which re-echoes sorrowfully in the hearts of its thousands of members.

INSURE YOUR LIVES.

That is the Advice of a Leading Clergyman to His Congregation.

In the course of an eloquent sermon in St. James Methodist Church last night Rev. Dr. Rose, basing his figures on the actuarial tables of the life insurance companies, estimated that at least forty of his hearers would die during this year. In the younger Canadian companies, Dr. Rose said, the calculation was that about ten in each thousand would die, but in the older English companies the death rate was expected to be as high as fifteen. In moralizing on this, certain expectation of death, Dr. Rose urges on all business men the duty of so settling their affairs in order that financial liabilities would not add to the sorrow of their families were they suddenly called away.

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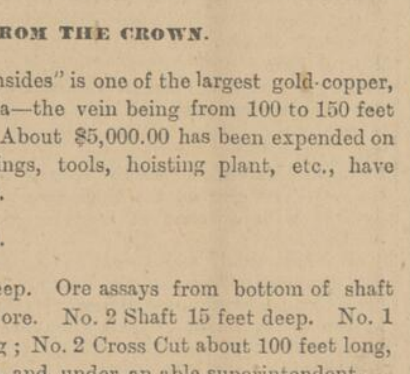
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WOMAN'S DREAM

THREADS AND THRUMS

Pain a Blessing in a Prickly Husk.

IT IS A DANGER-SIGNAL.

Women Should Know Something of Disease.

Human Nature at the Windsor Station on New Year's Eve—The Upward Pointing Mountain.

When we do not consider pain as a direct invention of the evil one, we are apt to look upon it as a something which we must bear to win our way to pleasure, and then believe the doctrine of compensation helps over hard places wonderfully. But, after all pain is our friend. It is the flag of distress, the warning of our physical being. "Here's a pain," says your chest to your brain some day, and the brain being busy or very bothered, says: "Oh, never mind."

"Here's a bigger pain," says the chest next morning. "Here's a headache," cries the head, and the brain is sometimes even then not willing to yield. Of course, there are people who do not wait for word from chest or head or heart, but when a brain is searching for pains—prodding for aches, pretending to weakness. But that is always indicative of a brain not otherwise busy, a will not actively on duty, or, perhaps, a spirit warped away from the true by long suffering.

It is still the happy man we are enquiring for. To know when a fastidious means laziness and when it is Nature's warning of physical machinery out of order, that is the question. To know when to send for the doctor, and when not to send; to know what forms of hysterics are a firm hand and not too much sympathy, and when you should read gently lest you crush a bruised reed; to know when a pain is really throbbing its way from a vital organ to intelligence

and when it is manufactured in the brain and sympathetically conducted to a chosen seat, these are the fine arts to be studied by the woman, who, as head of the household, is the heart-beat for her family. Many a mother would be glad to be quite sure whether the small son's headache is that variety which children so often take and which is peculiar in the fact that it is better directly school hours are past. It is another form of a similar kind—the one a man takes at church time. The son's is probably an inherited evil.

But the pain—a blessing in such a prickly husk—it is a something to be watched, something to understand, something to attend to. It means something. Most women and men treat pain with a haughty disregard till it begins to hurt a good deal, and then they go to a doctor. In either case the happy man has not been achieved. Poise of mind helps, but knowledge is needed most of all. Women ought to know more of the good and bad effects of medicine, the ill and good qualities of food, the symptoms of diseases and the position of the organs of the body. There was a time when any knowledge that was useful, if it wasn't cooking, was thought undignified, and new-woman-ry. But it means lives—the lives of little children whom prompt intelligent assistance might save, the lives of their elders too, upon whom disease fastens for the final wrestle, while ignorance is preparing to see what it means.

Down at the Windsor Station on New Year's Eve there was a grand exhibition of human nature. Some of it was very human. Some faces had been touched from the divine within and they were very beautiful. A poor man lumbered about with uncertain steps. He was not old as yet, but he was broken in body and crushed in spirit. There was a leer on his face, and a black dot above his head from his inside pocket as he faded old top-coat swayed open with his steps. There were girls there, happy-faced innocent girls in a flutter of excitement over expected friends or the prospect of a journey. A tired, worn woman leaned her head against a pillar, and a great shawl swathed her head and neck, and the brown-wrinkled face looked unbecomingly in the shadow. A mother and son came. He was only a school-boy in size, but a courtly gentleman in the way he looked after his sweet-faced shabbily dressed mother. She came to him with a great deal of cheer and cheerfulness, and he swung to and fro, and then, presently, the laden train came in, and in a little while we were rattling off towards the mountain, the great mound pointing heavenward, and taking the thoughts of men away from the earth, perhaps, as the forest of spruce driven in the haze that rested upon the house-tops.

MADGE MERTON.

TORONTO NEWS.

Settlements Only Fairly Met by Re-tailers—Dispute Between Railways.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—Yesterday was "settling up" day with the banks and wholesale houses, and a large amount of paper came due. While the wholesale men spoken of, the payments were pretty well met, it is evident that many retailers have not been in a position to pay up, for ten retail houses through Ontario have failed since Saturday, and more failures are expected. There are rumors all concerning some Toronto houses which are liable to be verified before long.

The Railway Committee of the Board of Trade waited upon Premier Hardy yesterday afternoon to ask the interference of the Ontario Government in a dispute between the Grand Trunk and Canada Atlantic Railways. The latter road has withdrawn its agent from Scotia Junction on the line of the Ottawa, Arnprior and Parry Sound Railway, so that the Grand Trunk cannot handle goods at that point, and until the dispute is settled, merchants all over the country are unable to ship goods by Scotia Junction.

OTTAWA NOTES.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—Rev. George Clouthier, chaplain of the Stony Mountain penitentiary, has been dismissed by the Minister of Justice. On transportation of the prison records is said to be the cause.

H. Destaler, the messenger of the Agricultural Department, who stole \$5 cents out of a drawer in the accountant's office, got a week in jail at the Police Court yesterday morning.

THE RIDOUT MYSTERY.

Chief Massie, of St. Henri, reports to the city police that a fresh discovery has been made in connection with the Fannie Ridout tragedy near Tarcoot village. Some men working near the place where the body of the young woman was found came upon the slippers and rain boots of the missing woman, she wore when she left her friend's house. One of the mysterious incidents in connection with the case was where the rubbers and slippers had disappeared to. When found the articles were at once taken to the police station at St. Henri and the chief has reported the discovery to the Coroner.

A LADY'S SUDDEN DEATH.

Miss McHugh, 21 years of age, daughter of Mr. P. McHugh, of Murray Street, died very suddenly Sunday morning. She went out for a walk on Saturday evening with her sisters and friends apparently in good health, but on passing Beaver Hill she suddenly complained of feeling ill. She was taken home and medical aid summoned and when the family retired to rest on Saturday night Miss McHugh seemed to be a little better. But early yesterday morning the family found the young lady dead in her bed. The Coroner disposed of the case without jurors.

ODDFELLOWS ELECT OFFICERS.

The election of officers of Hochelaga Degree Lodge, No. 1, I.O.O.F., resulted as follows:—

Degree Master, Mr. Thomas McGrath; Deputy Degree Master, Mr. Henry L. Cohen; Secretary, Mr. Adolph Schmidt; Treasurer, Mr. Arthur Stanley; Trustees, Messrs. D. J. Dixon, John T. Courtney, and Thomas Brown.

ELECTION PROTEST DISMISSED.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—(Special.)—The protest of Ald. Preston against the election of E. B. Oler as member for West Toronto was dismissed without costs by Justices Ferguson and Robertson. The cross petition against Preston was also dismissed. The protest against E. B. Oler was up next week. The petition against the return of W. F. Shaw in East York was dismissed by Justices Rose and Street.

ITS ANNUAL RENOVATION.

The interior of the Windsor Station is undergoing a kalsomining process which will add materially to the appearance of the hallways.

News of the City's Suburbs

NOTES OF THE POINT.

Grand Trunk Workmen Resume Their Duties.

WEATHER RUINS BUSINESS.

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Social Gatherings at the Point—A Catholic Priest's Greeting to The Herald.

POINT ST. CHARLES OFFICE OF THE HERALD—No. 122 Congregation Street, where subscriptions and advertisements may be left. N. M. MacLeod, representative.

New Year is past and gone, and the Grand Trunk employees are again at their respective posts. Every one seems fairly pleased with himself and his surroundings, the clerk of the weather alone commanding any unkind thought. Everything seems to shrink under the unseasonable weather of the past few days. Even the twelve-year-old boy has become despondent because of the want of skating. The cry for "more snow and frost" is on every lip. The Herald Branch was besieged by callers anxious to learn of the "indications," and the hope was fervently expressed that a change would soon happen. business all round is at a standstill. Shopkeepers, instead of using their energies in selling out, lounge round, casting a weary look at the clock to measure the day. The schools all open today, and this will be to the young ones a pleasing change, for the holidays have to the more thoughtful become stale. Speaking to one of the school-boys, as to his desire for an extension of his holidays, he readily replied, "That he did not want holidays, he wanted education." There are others, however, who have not yet learned to look upon school days so seriously; they are always among the scholars, not only in the Point, but throughout the length and breadth of the land.

UNITED WORKMEN.

For lodges, reunions, and general conviviality, the Point "takes the cake." Last night no less than two lodges of the Ancient Order of United Workmen met and celebrated the installation of their respective officers for the ensuing year. The Bushbrook Lodge, No. 3, met in the Unity Hall, 390 Wellington street, when the following acted as installing officers: Grand Master Workman, Bro. Thomas Liggett; Grand Recorder, Bro. A. T. Patterson; Grand Overseer, Bro. J. C. Glenshaw; Deputy Grand Master, Bro. Wilkins; Deputy Grand Recorder, Bro. J. L. Lefebvre; District Deputy Grand Master, District No. 2, Bro. Martin, P.M.W.; and others. The following are the officers: Bro. N. McMahon, P.M.W.; Bro. Thomas Telling, M.W.; Bro. H. E. Hannah, Foreman; Bro. J. Gotshall, Overseer; Bro. W. Bushan, Recorder; Bro. A. Tattersall, Financial; Bro. T. Hunt, Receiver; Bro. J. Markell, Guide; Bro. Isaac Collins, J.W.; Bro. W. Cayford, P.M., O.W.

After the installation appropriate speeches were made relative to the Order, by the Grand Lodge officers, and others. The Grand Lodge representatives of this lodge are Bro. N. McMahon, P.M.W., and Bro. G. C. Black, (alternate), P.M.W.

UNITED WORKMEN.

The Montreal Lodges Are Now Busy Installing Their Officers for 1897.

In addition to the lodges of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, the installation of whose officers are mentioned in the Point St. Charles column, Longueuil Lodge, No. 21, also completed the installation of its officers, and the following were appointed:—Bro. A. H. Thompson, P.M.W.; Bro. A. W. Wilks, foreman; Bro. J. H. Kimball, overseer; Bro. E. Millington, recorder; Bro. J. R. Baker, receiver; Bro. J. Hill, guide; Bro. J. Tansey, O.W.; representatives to the Grand Lodge, Bro. Richard Wynne, Bro. W. D. MacLeod, Bro. J. Lefebvre. This lodge is a very prosperous condition, numerically and financially. The following installations will take place to-night—Columbus Lodge, Walford Hall, corner of Victoria and St. Catherine streets; to-morrow night, Crescent Lodge, corner of LaGuerche and St. Denis streets; on Monday, 11th inst., Metropolitan and Chalmers Lodge, Unity Hall, Schermerhorn street; on Tuesday, 12th inst., Jacques Lodge, corner of Prince Arthur and Hochelaga streets; on Thursday, 13th inst., Federation Lodge, 2454 St. Catherine street, and Papineau Lodge, Monument National, the same evening.

The Stanley Lodge No. 5, A.O.U.W., met in their quarters, Halifax Bank, corner of the corner of Notre Dame and Seigneurs streets, and the following installing officers, proceeded with their work: Grand Master Workman, Bro. Thomas Leggett; District Deputy Grand Master, Bro. Brady; Grand Recorder, Bro. Patterson; Grand Overseer, Bro. Glenshaw; District Deputy, Bro. Lefebvre; Bros. Martin and Brown, P.M. The following were elected officers: Bro. L. Lussier, P.M.W.; Bro. George Maybury, M.W.; Bro. W. G. McClurg, foreman; Bro. F. Cooper, overseer; Bro. B. H. Gibson, financial; Bro. T. W. Foster, receiver; Bro. A. S. Ross, recorder; Bro. Joseph Whitton, guide; Bro. J. B. Sabourin, J.W.; Bro. R. L. Egan, O.W.; Bro. T. Pearson, P.M., representative to Grand Lodge, and Bro. R. Bennett, alternate representative; trustees—Bros. C. Manhire, A. P. Drummond, and W. Papp; Dr. Kenneth Cameron, Dr. F. J. Hackett, and Dr. Guerin, M.L.A., medical examiners.

The Grand Master, Bro. Thomas Leggett, on behalf of the Stanley Lodge, presented a P. M. Lussier, with pastmaster's jewels, an pin the course of a short speech had many flattering things to say of Bro. Lussier's zeal on behalf of the Order.

After the installations, the members present assembled in a social gathering, when Bro. Maybury, the newly elected Master Workman responded to the toast of his health. He spoke of the intense fraternal feeling prevailing throughout the Order. He was not aware that that feeling was not equal, if not greater, than the most pleasant to take. Large bottle only 25c.

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LUNCHEON. Cold meat and tomato pie. Potato split biscuit. Baked apples, with hot sauce. Cocoa.

DINNER. Mushroom soup. Panned rabbit, with currant jelly. Creamed potatoes. Browned parsnips. Turnip salad.

Lemon pudding. Coffee. Hominny Griddle Cakes.—One cup of cold hominy porridge, two cups of flour, two cups of milk, one cup of water, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, half a teaspoonful of salt. Fry on a greased griddle.

Potato Split Biscuit.—Boil two large Irish potatoes; while hot mash well. Stir into the hot potatoes a tablespoonful each of butter and lard, one level tablespoonful of salt, and when cool enough not to cook them, two well-beaten eggs; to this add a teaspoonful of milk, in which has been dissolved one-half cake of compressed yeast and a tablespoonful of sugar. Stir in a quart of sifted flour and leave in a warm place to rise. This should be mixed in the morning. One hour before luncheon turn out on a biscuit board, and just enough flour to handle roll out and cut with an abcut cutter; place them one on top of another (like sandwiches) in a baking-pan; let them rise and bake in a quick oven.

Mushroom Soup.—Pick and peel three-quarters of a pint of mushrooms; wash them thoroughly, and cut them up into dice. Stew them in half a pint of veal or chicken broth, for one hour. Add one quart of good soup stock; thicken with one tablespoonful of flour, rubbed into one tablespoonful of butter; season with one salt-spoonful of salt and one-half as much pepper.

Panned Rabbit.—Cut a large, fat rabbit in halves; place in a baking-pan; spread with bits of butter; dust with salt, and pepper, and set in a quick oven to bake for one hour. When done, take up; add a tablespoonful of flour to the fat in the pan; mix well; pour in half a pint of hot water; let come to a boil; season with salt and pepper and pour around the rabbit. Socer (like curried) in a baking-pan.

Turnip Salad.—Peel and slice very thin four tender young turnips; cut up two small, white onions. Line a salad-bowl with lettuce leaves; put in the turnips and onions; pour on them a pint of plain salad dressing. Mix lightly and serve very cold.

Lemon Pudding.—Put a quarter of a pound of macaroons in a pint of milk, to soak until soft. Beat four eggs with half a cupful of powdered sugar until light, and stir into the milk. Beat the whole until thick and smooth; add the juice and rind of two lemons. Pour into a well-buttered pudding mould; cover, and stand in a pot of boiling water to boil for one hour. Serve with lemon sauce.

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ATTENDED WITH POMP.

Impressive Ceremonies in the Great
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Thousands of the Faithful Attend
to Witness an Event Which
Will Live in History.

The removal of the remains of the late prelate from the Palace to the Cathedral took place at half-past three yesterday afternoon, and was impressive in every way. It is but a short way from the one place to the other by the street, but in that distance thousands of people had gathered to pay their last respects to a beloved pastor. Within the Palace were gathered high dignitaries of the church, members of religious communities, the majority of the secular priests in the archdiocese, judges, senators, and many others. Those who had not already done so took a last look at the Archbishop, and all awaited the moment when they should take their places in the procession.

IN THE DEATH CHAMBER.

The scene in the mortuary chamber at a quarter past three was a solemn one. The archbishops, bishops, and as many of the clergy as could enter had gathered around the bier preliminary to its removal. The chamber was heavily draped in black, relieved by the purple and red of the walls looking down the portico of former bishops and other distinguished churchmen. In accordance with the wish of the Archbishop, simplicity ruled everywhere, but this could not mar the splendid ritual which the church provides for such occasions. The bier was placed in the centre of the room, a small cross flanked on each side by three tapers, standing at the head, and a small onyx-topped table for cards and letters of sympathy at the foot. The body was dressed in the episcopal robes which have been seen at so many services when the Archbishop was alive, and was raised in the coffin so that the face looked toward the door. On the head was the mitre, and around the neck was the pallium, the consecrated vestment of white wool, embroidered with crosses in purple, which is the most important portion of the episcopal vestments.

When all had gathered Archbishop O'Brien, of Halifax, entered, attended by his deacons, and being the levee du corps. His tall and dignified figure, arrayed in sombre vestments and crowned by the mitre, towered above everyone in the room. It was a striking thing to see the two archbishops face to face; the one cold in death and the other come to bury him. In a quivering but clear voice, Mr. O'Brien commenced the office, and soon the full tones of the priests around chimed in the chanted responses. The brief service over the signal to start was given, and as soon as those who were to precede it had got under way the body was lifted up and taken for the last time from a room which had seen his Grace in many circumstances.

AN IMPRESSIVE SCENE.

The last scene in the death chamber was most impressive. The lighted tapers, the black draperies, the sadly decomposed form of the venerable Archbishop, and the tearful faces of all those present, all tended towards rendering the scene one never to be forgotten. The priests, the brothers and the sisters filed in to the death chamber, and knelt for a few minutes to offer up one last prayer for him who had been the kind friend of all, both humble and great.

At 3.30 Mr. Gravel, Bishop of Nicolet, entered the room, and took a place in the background. He was soon joined by His Grace, Archbishop Langevin, of St. Boniface, and by Archbishop Duhamel, of Ottawa. As the assistants began taking down the fixings preparatory to the removal of the remains, all fell on their knees with one accord and they remained in that position for several moments, until the procession was started as already stated. The reverend gentlemen who had the honor of being chosen to bear the dead prelate from the scenes of his labor and his sacrifices to his own Cathedral Church, were Reverend Messrs. Adam, Vaillant, Larocque, Hetu, Gandet and Earl, all of whom had been warm personal friends of the late Prelate. His Lordship, Bishop Sweeney of St. John, N.B., was slightly indisposed and did not follow the procession, but he took his place in the chancel with the other bishops later on.

REMOVING THE REMAINS.

As the body of the deceased prelate was born from the home of his episcopal life, and along the adjacent streets, all heads were bared in reverence, and many knelt on the cold, wet pavement. Every breath was a prayer for the repose of the soul whose mortal shell was passing before the eye, but none thought that such a saint stood in much need of them. It was a unique sight, certainly. Solitude is seen, and to few is given the privilege of seeing the illustrious dead passing through the busy streets of a city in the habit of life. The body, lying as it did in a half-reclining position, brought the face into full view. The closed and sightless eyes looked upward to heaven, and the face wore a peaceful and benignant look, the little distance separating the onlookers softening the ravages which death had already made in the poor flesh. Many an eye was moist as the sad procession moved slowly on, and there was not one who did not feel softened as the visible presence of death passed them.

A DISTINGUISHED PROCESSION.

Promptly at half past three the head of the procession descended the steps lead-

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ing from the main door of the Palace to Lagache Street, and turned up Cathedral Street. A dense crowd had gathered in front of the Palace and at the intersection of the streets, but a clear passage way was maintained by a platoon of fifty policemen, under Inspector Kehoe, Captain Charbonneau and Loy, Lieutenants Proulx and Watson. First came the large cross of the Cathedral and acolytes bearing tapers, and following walked the regular and secular clergy, seminarists, cathedral chaplains, and the honorary and titular canons, chanting a portion of the office of the dead. What might be termed the second portion of the cortege was led by the Rev. Canon Bourgeault, capitular vicar and administrator of the archdiocese during the vacancy. Behind him came Archbishop Langevin and Duhamel and Bishop Gravel, and Dom Astons, mitred Abbot of the Trappist monastery at Oka, and the venerable and stately Archbishop O'Brien followed, immediately in front of the body which was born by six priests at a time. At each side walked four boys bearing lighted tapers. The bier was represented by Chief Justice Sir Alexander Leacock, Hon. Justice Sir Wurtelle and J. A. Ouimet, of the Court of Queen's Bench; Acting Chief Justice Tait, Hon. Justices Gill, Loranger, Jette, Ouimet, Curran, Doherty, and De Lorimer, of the Superior Court. There were some deputations from the Grey Nuns, the Sisters of Jesus and Mary, there being probably over a hundred of these ladies present. Next came members of L'Alliance Nationale, of which the late Archbishop was Honorary President, Messrs. H. Laporte, President; C. A. DeCarrie, Vice-President; S. Beaudin; Cyphrien and others being present. There were also fifty students from Mount St. Louis, ten each from St. James, St. Joseph, St. Patrick, St. Laurent, St. Brigid, St. Gabriel, St. Henri and other schools, while the Brother Provincial headed the Christian Brothers, also strong. The Franciscan Brothers were also in attendance, as well as a delegation from the Papal Zouaves.

IN ST. JAMES CATHEDRAL.
Twenty minutes had elapsed before the body was placed on the catafalque beneath the dome of the Cathedral church of St. James. The chancel and transept were filled with members of the clergy, and the representatives of the religious orders and communities. The body of the church was thronged by the faithful, many of whom were unable to gain admittance.

The service, which lasted nearly two hours, was a deeply impressive one. The office of the dead was sung by the choir and clergy respectively, and the Absoute was performed by the Franciscan brothers and Trappist fathers. The whole solemn service was followed closely by the congregation, many joining audibly in the responses.

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The Cathedral was filled to overflowing with Catholics and Protestants. The remains were placed on the humble catafalque, at the foot of the steps leading to the chancel and, contrary to the ceremony paid to the remains of ordinary mortals, Monsignor was placed with his head towards the altar, so that the face of the dead Archbishop could be seen by almost all in the church. Two constables were placed on guard over the mortal remains of the venerable prelate and then commenced the office of the dead, the ceremony lasting until six o'clock. The three Nocturnes and the Laudes were chanted alternately, by the Seminarists, who were all in the choir gallery, and by the clergy downstairs. The Absoute of the Nocturnes was presided over by the Rev. Father Columban, Guardian of the Franciscan Order, who was assisted by Rev. Father Xavier and Bernard, and the Absoute of the Laudes was given by Dom Antoine, Mitred Abbot of the Oka monastery.

At 7.30 in the evening a large crowd took part in the exercise of the Way of the Cross.

RESOLUTIONS OF REGRET.
At a meeting of the Board of Catholic School Commissioners yesterday, the following resolutions were adopted:

"Resolved, that the members of this Board have learned with deep regret of the death of Mr. E. C. Fabre, the revered prelate, who during twenty-three years past has presided over the religious diocese of Montreal in a manner so glorious for the Church and so fruitful for the well-being of souls."

"Resolved, that in order to testify their sympathy and respect for the deceased, we, members of this Board, shall take part at the funeral."

"Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the Rev. Mr. Bourgeault, V.G., and administrator, and also to the family of the illustrious deceased."

The regular monthly meeting of St. Patrick's Society was called for last evening. After the reading of the minutes it was decided on motion of Mr. T. J. O'Neill, seconded by Mr. J. Meek, to adjourn, to meet again next Monday night, out of respect for the late Archbishop.

QUICK PROFITS.

A Boy's Improvement on the Usual Programme in Fairy Stories.

"Business" is the watchword of the day, and the small boy is developing on that line with a rapidity which astonishes the previous generation. But the practical side of his nature has not obscured the poetry of childhood. The fairy tale is as potent as ever, and there was a smile of pleasure on the face of the lad who remarked at breakfast:

"I had a beautiful dream last night."

"What was it?" his father asked.

"I thought I was out in the woods, and I saw a most gorgeously dressed lady coming toward me."

"That is a good deal like some of the stories that you have been reading."

"Yes; it doesn't get very different until the end. I know by her looks that she was the fairy queen, and I made up my mind that I wasn't going to lose chances like some of the boys in story books who didn't know a good chance when they saw it."

"Did she offer you three wishes?"

"Yes, and I called to mind how she sometimes took advantage of a mortal's being excited and nervous when he wished in order to make him waste his opportunities and have a good laugh at him. So when she said, 'Little boy, I'll give you three wishes, I didn't jump at the chance. I said, 'Will you give me whatever I ask for?' She answered: 'Yes, you may have three wishes.'"

"What did you do?"

"I wished for four."—Washington Star.

Oddest Monument in the World.

Perhaps one of the very oddest monuments is the tablet in a Berkshire church in memory of a soldier who had his left leg taken off "by the above ball," the actual cannon ball being inserted at the top.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

His Business.

Bobbles—I hear you are in business for yourself now?

Wiggins—I thought I was, but from the little I get out of it it appears that I am in business for other people.—Boston Transcript.

HOMING PIGEONS.

POINTS FROM FANCIERS ON THESE
INTELLIGENT BIRDS.

Careful Observers Declare That the Birds Fly by Sight—The Four Points in Homing Pigeons Which Fanatics Consider of Prime Importance.

What the peculiar gift is which enables the pigeon to return to its home from great distances is a matter upon which authorities disagree. The most general opinion among those who know anything of the subject is that the birds fly by sight alone. This theory would seem to be borne out by the fact that the best and most highly bred of racing birds have frequently been lost in the London fogs. The fact that instinct is unerring and that the homing pigeon not only frequently errs, but exhibits at times great indecision as to the correct course for him to pursue, seems to preclude the idea that he is governed solely by instinct. The theory which is most generally accepted is that the bird is gifted with remarkable eyesight and also with a memory for landmarks which is superior to a similar faculty in any other animal. The bird possesses a high order of intelligence is shown from the fact that homers which have become lost in a race will frequently return to the room in which they have been kept at the starting point of their speed test.

In selecting homing pigeons for racing purposes even the best fanciers often pick out birds as most like racers that cannot fly 20 miles without becoming lost. The meanest, most scraggy looking bird, without a single good point, sometimes leaves its handsome competitor, who is, to all appearances, perfect in physical proportions, far in the rear. Still, fanciers look with interest at four points in a homing pigeon which are considered of prime importance. The first of these is, strange as the fact may appear to a novice in the art, the eye. Mr. Starr, one of the foremost and most successful of American fanciers, has this to say of the eye:

"The white eye may mean the cumulet, and, if so, indicates that the bird will fly high, have great endurance and wing power. If the eye is dark, the head round and the beak short and close fitting, there will be a predisposition to the owl type, and the result will be that the bird will fly later at night than any other type. But, whatever the character of the color, the ball must extend beyond the line of the head and be so placed that the bird should have a view of what is behind as well as before it. When a bird returns from a journey over much new territory, this protrusion of the eyeball is greatly increased, showing to what a great strain the powers of vision have been subjected."

While Mr. Starr, in common with other successful American fanciers, pays little or no attention either to the size or shape of the head, this point is the second at which European fanciers look with interest. It is generally conceded that the shape makes but little difference. The skull may be flat, long and narrow, or high, short and wide, but it must have room for the brain, and for a large brain at that, or else the bird is not considered a likely candidate for racing honors. Great stress is laid on this organ by all Belgium and Holland fanciers, but in this country the feature is almost entirely overlooked.

The chest should be broad and is of as great importance as the wing. A narrow chested bird can fly no great distance without exerting the muscles which give fullness to the breast beyond their endurance. The wings and tail should both be exceptionally long, as the tail acts as a rudder, and the shorter wings require much added exertion for the same amount of flying.

The color of a pigeon has no significance, but the rule in breeding is to cross the colors when practicable.

Even the best bred of the homers require much careful and intelligent training before they are entered in races. While the physique of the bird is well developed at the age of 10 weeks, it is thought best to give a considerably longer time for the brain to develop before the bird is trained for the work which lies ahead of him. At the age of 4 months the first trial trips may be made, and he is then flown from distances of between 2 and 30 miles at intervals of two or three days apart. Many birds are lost in these trial trips, and those which return safely from the longer trial trips may be considered fit to enter in the young bird races. The shortest of these is 100 miles in length, and birds are not supposed to be flown more than 90 miles before taking part in the speed trials.

For the young birds the system of training is supposed to accomplish two widely different results. In the first place they teach the young bird to return to his loft, and in the second they develop the muscles and prepare them for the hard work which the races will require of them. Training trips for older birds are made with the sole view of getting their muscles limbered up again and toughened for the longer races.—Chicago Chronicle.

Mark Twain on Interviewing.

Mark Twain does not like to be interviewed. His opinion of the literary ability of the average interviewer is not at all flattering to the latter either. In a talk with Rudyard Kipling, Mark Twain once said: "I think the poorest article I ever wrote and destroyed was better worth reading than any interview with me that ever was published. I would like just once to show the possibilities of the interview."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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While Great Britain exchanges 98,000,000 letters with Europe, she exchanges 61,000,000 with America. This shows the bond between Europe and America, for the next continent on the list is Asia, with whom she makes only 22,000,000 exchanges.

In the comparison of nations the United States stands far ahead of any other, for 41,000,000 letters are exchanged annually between us and Great Britain. The next on the list is France, with an exchange of 35,750,000 letters, and Germany is third, with an exchange of 25,300,000. No other nation approaches nearer than Italy's 5,500,000.

The increase in letter writing in the last 50 years, due to increased education and the enlargement of friendship, business and common interests in general, is very interestingly shown in the compiler's tables. In 1846, for instance, the British postoffice delivered 10 letters for every head of population, while in 1894 46 letters for each head of population were delivered.

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