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NOTICE.

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DAVID RATTRAY, D. JOHN RATTRAY. April 30, 1891.

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QUEBEC, FRIDAY, MAY 1, 1891.

THE SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

With considerable éclat, the first session of the Seventh Parliament, was opened in Ottawa yesterday afternoon.

The Governor-General. There was a brilliant military suite in attendance, and nearly every member of the Senate and the Commons was in his place.

The speech from the Throne was not very lengthy, but it outlines a programme which is likely to keep Parliament in session, much longer than was at first supposed.

The Governor-General alludes to the general desire of the people of Canada, for a renewal of reciprocal relations with the United States, and he is pleased to find that the authorities at Washington, are willing to meet the Canadian representatives in conference on that subject, next October.

His Excellency believes that good in the direction indicated will come. Parliament is asked to renew the *modus vivendi* in order to maintain the present agreeable feeling which exists between the two countries.

Reference is made to the necessity of providing new safeguards for the protection of the cattle trade with the mother country. This is the outcome of Mr. PLIMSOLL's representations, about which our shippers heard so much last autumn.

The Governor of Canada is disposed to meet the philanthropist a good part of the way, to secure the reform he asks for. Indeed, we can have little objection in the matter. If we are to have this trade we must do pretty much as the Britishers say. Enquiry into our methods of shipping live stock to Britain was made by a Commission a few months ago, headed by Mr. WILLIAM SMITH, Deputy Minister of Marine, and much evidence was taken from parties interested in the trade.

At some of the meetings, the testimony was given in Mr. PLIMSOLL's presence. The evidence thus elicited will be laid before Parliament very shortly. His Excellency expresses his satisfaction at learning that our shipping is free from reproach, so far as the carriage of cattle is concerned. Still, he calls the attention of Parliament to a measure which will remove all reasonable apprehensions of abuses, arising in future, in connection with so important a branch of commerce as the one under consideration.

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT. Notes and News.

FIRST SESSION—SEVENTH PARLIAMENT. SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

OTAWA, April 30.—Never was the weather finer and not since the memorable session of 1885 has any session of Parliament been opened in the presence of so large and brilliant an assemblage.

Early in the afternoon the corridors of the Senate were crowded with ticket holders endeavouring to get admission to the galleries. As the application for the large squares and even the grassy sward in front of the centre block was crowded with an immense concourse of people. The scene was one full of life and color.

Precisely at three o'clock the booming of cannon on Nepean Point announced the arrival of the "Victoria" carriage. His Excellency drove rapidly up the avenue leading to the entrance to the centre block, escorted by the Princes Louise Dragon Guards under command of Colonel Cameron.

The scene in the Chamber was a brilliant one; the galleries were crowded to excess with a curious multitude. About the throne, in the uniform of their offices, were Sir John Macdonald, Hon. Mr. Carling, Hon. Frank Smith, Sir Hector Langevin, Col. Gzowski, General Herbert, Captain Streetfield, Col. James, Col. Powell, Col. Macdonald, and others, while the back seats on the floor of the House were filled with ladies in full dress.

In the centre of the Chamber were seated the Clerks of the House and the Judges of the Supreme Court in scarlet and ermine, while Archbishop Duhamel and Visar-General Routhier, dressed in robes of purple occupied prominent seats.

The Usher of the Black Rod was summoned to request the attendance of the Commons, which he did with all the dignity and ceremony usually attendant upon that duty. The Commons, headed by the Sergeant-at-Arms with the mace and Speaker White, filed in behind the bar, while His Excellency read the Speech from the Throne, which was as follows:—

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate: Gentlemen of the House of Commons: I am glad to welcome you to the duties of the first session of a new Parliament, which I hope will be memorable for wise deliberations and for measures adopted to the progress and development of the Dominion.

The season in which you are assembled has opened auspiciously for the industries of our people. Let us hope that their labors may be crowned with fruitful returns from land and sea and that the great resources of Canada may continue to reward the toil and enterprise of its inhabitants.

My advisers, availing themselves of opportunities which were presented in the closing months of last year, caused the Administration of the United States to be reviewed, the willingness of the Government of Canada to join in making efforts for the extension and development of the trade between the Republic and the Dominion, as well as the friendly adjustment of those matters of an international character which remain unsettled. I am pleased to say that these representations have resulted in an arrangement that in October next the Government of the United States will be prepared to enter on a conference to consider the best means of arriving at a permanent solution of the important questions. The papers relating to this subject will be laid before you. Under these circumstances and in the hope that the proposed conference will result in measures beneficial to both countries, you will be called upon to consider the expediency of extending for the present session the principal provisions of the protocol signed at Washington treaty of 1888, known as the *modus vivendi*.

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WATER WORKS OFFICE.

CITY HALL, QUEBEC, 22nd April, 1891.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That the revenue of the St. Ours Street Water Fountain, for the fiscal year 1891-92, will be sold by public auction on TUESDAY, the 28th instant, at 2.30 P.M. of this office.

Each bidder must deposit the sum of \$50.00 as a guarantee of good faith.

Terms of payment are one-fourth in advance on signing contract, and acceptable notes at 3, 6 and 9 months for the balance.

The party adjudged the Fountain shall pay the cost of the contract and furnish a notarial copy thereof for official use.

JER. GALLAGHER, W. W. Engineer.

April 23, 1891.

The sale of the revenue of above Fountain is postponed to SATURDAY, the 2nd May next, at 2.30 P.M.

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CITY OF QUEBEC.

City Hall, City Clerk's Office, QUEBEC, April 22nd, 1891.

PUBLIC AND SPECIAL NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

to the undersigned, that in conformity with the provisions of the Act of the 22nd of April, 1891, the City Council of Quebec will, on FRIDAY next, the first day of May, at half past seven o'clock in the evening, in a special meeting, in the City Council Room, proceed to revise the lists of electors entered on the said lists for the election of members for the Quebec Legislature in the four electoral divisions of the City of Quebec, namely, in the divisions of Quebec Centre, Quebec West, Quebec East and St. Sauveur, and that the persons whose names are hereafter enumerated have, according to law, filed or caused to be filed in the City Clerk's Office, certain petitions and other documents in support of their claims for inscription of their names on the said lists. Names to be added:

1. Walsh, James M., 108 Eustache Street, Quebec West.

2. Painchaud Antoine, merchant, 5 Grande Allee, son of proprietor, Antoine Painchaud.

3. Hogan Patrick, fruit dealer, 9, 10, 11 Desjardins Street, tenant, Quebec Centre.

4. Besaire Wilfred, oculist, 58 St. Louis Street, tenant, Quebec Centre.

5. Jones Edwin, burgess, Descarriess Street, proprietor, Quebec West.

6. Meade E. W., burgess, l'Anteil Street, proprietor, Quebec West.

7. Shaw William, burgess, Rampart Street, proprietor, Quebec West.

8. Davis George T., builder, Levis, proprietor, Quebec West.

9. Dupre Edouard, merchant, Levis, proprietor, Quebec West.

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

April 24, 1891.

WATER WORKS OFFICE, CITY HALL, QUEBEC, 20th April, 1891.

Waste of Water.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT is forbidden, under a penalty of \$40.00 or imprisonment, at the discretion of the Mayor, to waste the water of the Aqueduct or to supply water to buildings or others without a permit.

Proprietors and occupants are requested to repair immediately all defective water pipes, taps, &c., in their premises, to prevent leakage or waste in compliance with the above notice.

JER. GALLAGHER, W. W. Engineer.

April 21, 1891.

CITY OF QUEBEC.

List of Voters of the City of Quebec, for Parliamentary Elections for the Province of Quebec for 1891, under the Quebec Election Act.

CITY HALL, QUEBEC, April 1st, 1891.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the lists of the Electors in the several Wards of the City of Quebec qualified to vote at the next election of Member or Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec, have been prepared according to law, and that a duplicate thereof has been this day lodged in the office of the undersigned, and that a duplicate thereof has been placed at the disposal of the electors, and that the said lists shall be examined and corrected, if need be, by the Council of the City of Quebec, on TUESDAY, the TWENTY-FIRST day of APRIL next, at a special meeting of the said Council, which shall be convened for that day at 7 o'clock P.M. Any person desirous of having his name struck off or inserted on the said lists shall apply in writing within fifteen days after the publication of the said notice, viz: from this day to the SEVEN (7) o'clock of APRIL instant, inclusively.

The said lists shall come into force at the expiration of the thirty days following the present notice, as they then exist, and shall remain in force until new lists are made and put in force under the authority of the Quebec Election Act.

By order, H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

April 1st, 1891.

Pursuant to the above notice the City Council met on Tuesday, the 21st of April, 1891, and it was Resolved: That the Council do not take into consideration the applications filed but that they be taken up Friday, the 1st of May next, at a special meeting to be called for that purpose, and that the Council is adjourned to said Friday, 1st of May next, at 7.30 P.M.

PUBLIC NOTICE

is hereby given that said special meeting of the Council will take place on FRIDAY, the 1st of May next, at 7.30 P.M., for the purpose hereinabove mentioned.

Quebec, 22nd of April, 1891.

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

April 24, 1891.

MUSIC!

The Gondoliers (Opera) Vocal and Piano Score.....A. Sullivan \$1.25

The Gondoliers (Opera) Piano Score..... 75c

Erminia (Opera) Vocal and Piano Score, Zatkabowski..... \$1.25

Love's Dream After the Ball.....Gibulka 60c

Dancing in the Barn.....Pra 40c

Wenonah, Waltz.....Smith 0c

Ojstoh, Polka.....Smith 40c

Old Quebec, Polka.....Drayne 50c

Scheln Amor.....Eilenberg 0c

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Will be found an excellent remedy for sick headache. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Thousands of letters from people who have used them prove this fact. Try them.

An Old Letter.

Only a sheet of paper, old and yellow. And worn with reading all these thirty years. But still the woman guards it as her treasure.

The old love letter, dimmed with many tears. She, only, understands the lover's message; No stranger eyes can read the writing dim. She holds it nearer to her heart, and dearest Than e'en the miniature she has of him.

She is a woman, grave and sweet and tender. Her hair snow-white, her eyes no longer clear. And he, for many years he has been sleeping Beneath the grasses in the churchyard near.

—Harriet Frances Crocker, in Boston Transcript.

CITY AND DISTRICT ITEMS.

—The Court of Appeals opens here to-day.

—There was an alarm for a chimney fire yesterday morning from box 33.

—The 9th Battalion will have a church parade to the Seminary Chapel on Sunday next.

—The men of the Cavalry School rode out to the Plains of Abraham yesterday for practice.

—Mr. G. Germain, tanner, has made an assignment of his estate for the benefit of his creditors.

—The cadet corps of the Seminary and Laval Normal School had a march out yesterday, headed by a single band.

—Plothing has been commenced in the vicinity of Beauport, and sowing will probably be in full blast next week.

—The marriage is announced for Tuesday next of Dr. Verner, of this city, and Madame O'Connor, daughter of the late Lieut.-Governor Letellier.

RECORDED COURT, YESTERDAY.—There were no prisoners before the Recorder's Court yesterday morning. Several defendants were before the Court for arrears of taxes, and their cases disposed of.

THE INKISH DELIBERATES.—Messrs. Redmond and O'Kelly, M.P.s., are expected here on Monday week to address a public meeting in Tara Hall. In Montreal they have been pronounced an immense success.

RIFLE MATCH.—At the rifle match of "C" Company, Eighth Royal Rifles, first yesterday, Sergeant Douglas won the first prize with a score of 60 points. Corporal Hawkins was second with 58 points.

SALE OF INSOLVENT STOCK.—The insolvent estate of the Quebec Boot and Shoe Company was sold by auction by Mr. Rochette yesterday morning at 60 cents for the stock and 50 cents for the machinery and material.

JACQUES CARTIER WARD.—The name of Mr. Henry A. Beaudry, President of the Association, is favorably mentioned in connection with the filling of the aldermanic vacancy caused by the death of the late Alderman Rheame.

LEVIS BOARD OF TRADE.—The Levis Board of Trade held its annual meeting on Wednesday evening. Mr. T. Paré was elected President and Mr. Alf. Lemieux, Secretary. Three new members were admitted. The Board now numbers 54.

AT LAST!—The Order-in-Council re Remi Lamontagne is at last passed, approved, and will be signed this morning by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province. The bill will be held at 1 o'clock by the C. P. R., well pleased with success.

HYMENAEAL.—Mr. Samuel Green, Deputy Post Office Inspector, and Miss A. Burroughs were joined together in wedlock in the private chapel of the Jesuits yesterday morning. The happy couple subsequently left on a honeymoon trip to the States.

MILITARY.—The Queen's Own Canadian Hussars will shortly begin mounted drill. The dismounted drills so far have been most satisfactory, though there is a large number of recruits. On Saturday night the squadron assembled in the Drill Hall for carbine drill, when a large muster is expected.

THE NEW SKATING RINK.—The Minister of Public Works of the Province of Quebec, Hon. P. Gagnon, will lay the foundation stone of the new Rink on Grande Allée, at eleven o'clock this morning. We trust a large number of the friends of the Skating Club will be present at the ceremony.

CHAMPLAIN MONUMENT COMMITTEE.—A meeting of the Champlain Monument Committee has been called for this afternoon, specially for the English-speaking members of the committee, everyone of whom, it is hoped, will be in attendance. The meeting will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the City Hall.

COURT OF REVIEW.—The judgment given in February last in the case of Bernard vs. Allaire giving one thousand dollars damages to the plaintiff, has been reversed by the Court of Review. The Honorable Judge Cassal, Bouthier and Andrews, presiding at the Court, were unanimous in rendering their judgment.

A VETERAN.—One of the patriots of 1837-38, F. X. Morrisseau, of Cap Sante, was in town on Wednesday. The old man is still hale and hearty. Arrested in 1838, he was sentenced to death, but had his sentence commuted to banishment to Van Diemen's Land, where he spent some years before returning to Canada.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Mr. Alfred Mace, English Evangelist, will (D.V.) lecture on the Second Coming of the Lord Jesus Christ from Heaven, in the Academy of Music, next Lord's Day afternoon at 7 o'clock, and preach the Gospel in the evening at 7 o'clock. The public are cordially invited to attend. Admittance free. No collections.

CHILD DROWNED.—A child aged 4 years, daughter of Mr. Pierre Gagnon, in the employ of the firm of Price Brothers, was accidentally drowned in the River St. Thomas, at Montmagny, on Monday. The child was playing at the river side in the absence of her father, who only returned to see the body of his daughter floating in the river.

PLEASING GAS FITTING, &c.—As will be seen by advertisement in another column, the partnership heretofore existing between John Anderson & A. Forrest as plumbers and gas fitters has been dissolved, and hereafter the business will be carried on by Mr. Forrest alone, who will pay special attention to modern plumbing on sanitary principles and to hot water heating, &c.

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS.—The Special Union Committee which has had in hand the management of the meetings which have been conducted by Evangelist Mace, at their final meeting on Wednesday evening and among other business passed two resolutions of thanks, one to the CHRONICLE for the publication of reports of the meetings, the other to Mr. Lavigne for the use of a splendid Mason & Hamlin organ.

GRAND ILLUSTRATED LITERARY AND MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.—The spectacular illustrations previously announced are to be given in the Academy of Music on Thursday next, May 7th, by A. M. Espartero, Esq., of Montreal, and a cadet corps of the Royal Templars of Amour, coming down from Montreal to take part in the performance, which is expected to be a most successful and entertaining one.—See advt.

FIRE.—Late last night the house on the St. Foye road just beyond the Belvidere, owned by Mr. D. D. Young and occupied by Mr. John Hunt was destroyed by fire together with 1,500 bushels of potatoes and most of the furniture. Mr. Hunt's loss is over \$1,000, insured for \$800. The insurance on the house is unknown. The fire was caused by a spark from the chimney falling upon the roof. Sparks from the burning building set fire to the roof of another house, owned by the same proprietor and occupied by Mr. Jos. Clano, but in this case the fire was extinguished.

ATTENTION is directed to the very important and extensive auction sale this morning at the residence of J. D. Gilmore, Esq., 16 St. Denis street, of an excellent collection of furniture, effects, the very best Drawing room, dining, bedrooms and kitchen furniture, handsome Welton rug, parlor set, curtains, carpeting,