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EFFECTS OF THE FRENCH FLOODS

Deplorable Condition of the Streets of Paris—Precautions Against Outbreak of an Epidemic

Paris, Feb. 2.—As the flood recedes, the streets of Paris, present a deplorable condition. Miles of them in the districts along the Seine are covered with broken wreckage and slime, and present in many places dangerous pits. In the past 24 hours the river has fallen from two to three feet, but below Paris, there are several feet of water, and boats are to be seen everywhere, carrying relief to the sufferers. Contributions are coming in from every point. Every measure has been taken to prevent a scourge following the flood, and the health authorities are warning that the danger of an epidemic of any disease, except typhoid is negligible. Typhoid is always epidemic in France, due undoubtedly to the polluted water supply. Nevertheless, with the warnings issued against the drinking of unboiled water, it is hoped to avoid this danger.

The government has instructed the Prefects of the departments and the provincial authorities everywhere to enforce the most rigid disinfection as the waters recede. Already large quantities of chlorine of lime, quick lime, and various other disinfectants have been employed, and immense supplies have been concentrated in depots in each of the arrondissements of Paris for free distribution. Health officers and physicians who have volunteered to do the work have been detailed to inspect the disinfection done privately. General Brun, Minister of War, has decided that so soon as their services can be dispensed with, the soldiers who have been taking part in the flood work will be given a week's leave of absence.

Not taking into account foreign contributions to the relief fund, or the \$400,000 appropriated by the French parliament, the total French subscription up to the present exceeds \$800,000. The collections in the Catholic Churches have amounted to \$60,000.

At night fall the Lyons and Auvergne stations were surrounded by water, and the tracks of the Orleans and Invalides stations were submerged. The flood at these points being nine feet deep. The water is receding from the wine and spirit warehouses at Harvey Quay, the largest in Europe. The losses here alone are estimated at \$800,000.

GERMANY AND UNITED STATES

Washington, Feb. 2.—It was announced at the State Department to-day that either a complete agreement or a rupture between Germany and the United States on the present tariff negotiations might be expected to-morrow. The cattle and meat inspection issues are the stumbling blocks.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 2.—Frederick E. Pearn, division agent of the Chicago & Alton Railroad at Chicago, was found in his room at a hotel here to-day with a bullet wound over his heart. Dependancy is believed to have caused him to attempt to commit suicide.

AMERICAN MINERS' CONVENTION

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 2.—The convention of the United Mine Workers of America late to-day notified the operators of the bituminous coal mines of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana, now assembled at Toledo, for the joint wage conference, that the miners' representatives will arrive there to-morrow. To complete the business of the convention a special session was held to-night.

UNINTENTIONAL BIGAMY

Wabash, Feb. 2.—In a wood-chopper at work near her home, Mrs. A. Holly to-day recognized her husband, who she had not seen since he marched away as a soldier in the civil war, 48 years ago. She believed he was killed in battle and sold her home and moved away. He could not find her when he returned from the South, and became a wandering carpenter. Mrs. Holly married James Stull a few years after the war. For forty years they lived happily together. Stull was a motorman here. Ten months ago he was thrown from his car and killed. Holly and his wife will now be married.

MEXICAN PACKERS FAIL

New York, Feb. 2.—The Mexican National Packing Co., a New Jersey corporation, controlled by English investors, and operating a string of slaughterhouses and packing houses in the republic of Mexico, under special concessions from the Mexican Government, failed to-day with liabilities, including stock, of approximately \$37,000,000. The assets, it is estimated, exceed the liabilities. The company will continue to operate its plants as usual. Henry DeKay was appointed receiver. The appointment of a receiver was not brought about by any change in the live stock market, but by the tying up of part of the company's funds in the United States Banking Company in Mexico City, which suspended recently.

PRIMERO, COLO., MINE DISASTER

The Dead Number Seventy-Five—Fifty Bodies Recovered—Others Not Reached

Primero, Colo., Feb. 2.—Monday's explosion in the main mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company claimed 75 victims and left 35 widows and 65 fatherless children. These facts were determined late this afternoon when the official canvass of the company was completed, and the names of the missing men were checked with the payroll. Exploration of the workings continued all day but not until 3 o'clock to-night were efforts of relief parties successful, when the bodies of two drivers, unidentified, were found in a cross cut between entries A-11 and A-12, and brought to the surface. This made a total of 50 bodies recovered. Late this afternoon a semi-official statement was given out which showed that exploring parties have penetrated 5,000 feet from the entrance along the main slope. The statement says all expectation has been given up of recovering any more bodies, until the entries have been cleared of debris. This will require weeks and probably months, as all the workings, except the main slope, are badly blocked.

THE DEATH RECORD

Lacrosse, Wis., Feb. 2.—Levi Withee, millionaire lumberman, and Republican party leader, died to-day, aged 57. Minneapolis, Feb. 2.—S. A. Owens, editor of an agricultural paper and twice Populist candidate for Governor, died at his home here to-day.

SYMPATHY FROM THE KAISER

Berlin, Feb. 2.—Emperor William to-day donated \$5,000 for the relief of the flood victims in Paris, and he also sent a warm telegram of sympathy to the French Government through Prince Von Radolin, the German Ambassador to France.

TO INCREASE ITS CAPITAL

St. Louis, Feb. 2.—Stockholders of the St. Louis Iron Mountain & Southern Railway to-day at a meeting here voted to increase the capital stock of \$60,000,000 to a total of \$190,000,000. The absorption of \$23,000,000 of the bonded indebtedness out of which the lines will be improved will be voted on favorably.

SHAKE UP OF N. Y. POLICE

New York, Feb. 2.—Police Inspector George McClusky, whom Chief Devery once nicknamed "Cherty George," because of his associations with several millionaires, is said to be slated to succeed Inspector McCafferty as head of the Detective Bureau. Inspector McClusky called on Mayor Gaynor to-day. "The crime wave," murders, robberies and assaults, is said to have brought about the impending shakeup.

PASSED THE CENTURY MARK

Lawrenceburg, Ind., Feb. 1.—Jas. Courter, who would have been 105 years old next April, died to-day from pneumonia in his log cabin on his farm in Switzerland county. His married life extended over seventy-four years and ended with the death of his wife in 1895. Courter asserted that in his life he had spent only five dollars for medicine. He was an habitual user of tobacco. Courter was always a Democrat. His first presidential vote was cast for Andrew Jackson in 1829 and he had not missed a ballot since.

FENIAN RAID VETERANS

Montreal, Feb. 2.—Writing from Ottawa to the Fenian Raid Veterans' Association regarding the results of the conference with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Captain Jos. H. Patterson predicts that the land grants for veterans will be authorized by Parliament without difficulty. Next week, the Veterans' Parliamentary committee will again meet members of Parliament, to discuss the framing of a bill. Captain Patterson, however, urges the veterans not to relax pressure upon the members of Parliament.

VIOLENT DEATHS IN NEW YORK

New York, Feb. 2.—There were more than 2,000 violent deaths in New York city last year, and an even hundred homicides. The exact number of violent deaths, as shown in the coroner's annual report, submitted to-day, was 2,067. Sixty of the homicides were by shooting, and 26 were due to stab wounds, while blunt instruments and fists were responsible for the other fourteen. Suicides totalled 442. Subway and elevated trains and surface cars killed 89 persons, automobiles and motor cycles 46 and horse vehicles 79. Of the automobile victims 23 were children, while 41 children were killed by wagons, etc., and 22 by surface cars.

WIRELESS REPORT

New York, Feb. 1.—Steamer Maure was 1410 miles east of Sandy Hook at 4 p.m. Dock, 9 a.m. Friday.

FIFTY-SIX MINERS INSTANTLY KILLED

By An Explosion in a Mexican Mine—Forty Were Injured—Narrow Escapes

Laredo, Tex., Feb. 2.—One of the greatest disasters in the history of Mexican coal mining took place early to-day in the Palau mine at Las Esperanzas, Mexico. The toll of human life, is officially placed at 56, while the list of injured number nearly as many. The explosion occurred in the number 3 shaft of the coal mine of the Esperanzas Mining Company and is attributed to the ignition of gas from the cigarette of a miner, who was smoking contrary to the rules. The miners, principally Mexicans and Japanese, had assumed their places in the workings shortly after seven o'clock. About 8:30 o'clock those at work above ground heard a loud explosion and almost instantly a cloud of dust and smoke shot from the mouth of the shaft. As soon as the air in the shaft could be purified sufficiently to permit rescuers to descend, many volunteers were ready to risk their lives in an endeavor to succor their stricken brothers below. Three cages were sent down. The first and second levels were intact and beyond being frightened, the men working in these levels were safe. They were brought to the top as rapidly as the cages could be loaded. The rescue party went down to the third level and as soon as this air could be sufficiently cleared, entered the various shafts and began a search for the dead. Scattered about in various positions in the workings, they found the bodies of the men, suffocated. After six hours' work 53 bodies were brought to the surface, while nearly 40 injured men were removed to hospitals for treatment. The injured owe their escape to the fact that they were working at points in the third stage to the fact that they were practically protected from the rush of foul air. As the bodies were brought to the surface, screaming women and children were congregated about the mouth of the shaft. Many heart-rending scenes were enacted as the bodies were brought up from the shaft and stretched out in rows upon the ground to await identification. Most of the killed were Mexicans, the Japanese miners being employed in other parts of the mine. The mining company's officials lost no time in providing money and food for the suffering families. The Palau is one of the best equipped coal mines in the republic of Mexico.

THE HEALTH OF TORONTO

Toronto, Feb. 1.—There were 104 cases of diphtheria in Toronto in January, or 61 less than in January, 1909. The scarlet fever cases numbered 140, or 79 less than in January, 1909. Typhoid fever, however, was considerably more in evidence in January, 1910, than in January, 1909, there being 61 cases last month, as against only four cases in January, 1909. "The increase in typhoid fever is not alarming," said Dr. Sheard, medical health officer, this morning, "but it is more than we should have." Dr. Sheard attributes the typhoid fever to drinking water, which he still says should be boiled.

COAL MINERS' WAGES

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 1.—Over the protest of President Thos. L. Lewis, the convention of the United Mine Workers of America late to-day determined to defer again the wage conference with the bituminous coal mine operators of the central competitive field at Toledo, and a committee was sent to that city to ask the operators to await the arrival of the miners' representatives on Thursday morning. Toledo, O., Feb. 1.—No definite position on any of the proposals advanced by the miners will be assumed by the operators of Ohio, Indiana and Western Pennsylvania until the beginning of the joint conference here.

STEEL TRUST INVESTIGATION

Washington, Feb. 1.—Wade H. Ellis, who at President Taft's direction went to Chicago to consult with the official there regarding the presentation of the evidence against the so-called beef trust before the federal grand jury, returned to Washington to-day. The case, Dr. Ellis says, will be pushed, although necessarily it will take some time to finish the presentation to the grand jury of the testimony gathered by the Government agents, which is still in progress. He will probably return to Chicago in a few days. The Governor expects fully that an indictment will be returned which will form the basis of prosecution. Necessarily the Government's case because of the statute of limitations, is restricted to the operations chargeable against the beef concern during the past three years.

ATTEMPTED MURDER AND SUICIDE

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 2.—William Bell, a laborer, cut his wife's throat with a razor and then tried to cut his own throat, in a room over the Traders' Bank on Gerrard street east, late this afternoon. The bank clerks downstairs heard some one scream but thought it was children playing and paid no attention till Mrs. Bell came staggering downstairs and collapsed in front of the main entrance. Mrs. Bell was hurried to the General Hospital and Bell was taken to the police station. He was not detained there, however, as his own injuries were so severe that he also was rushed to the hospital. It is said that Bell and his wife had been separated but had effected a reconciliation and were looking over the bank apartments with a view to renting them. Just what happened is not known, but it is thought that the couple must have had a quarrel and Bell tried to end both their lives. Both may recover.

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Ladies' White or Black Woolen Gloves, splendid quality, warm and comfortable for winter wear, extra special value offered at almost half price, while they last, pair...23c

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A magnificent lot of Dainty Torchon Laces with insertions to match, width from 1 to 2 1/2 inches. Half price and less for fifteen days only. Thousands of yards already sold at...3c

Fancy Collars

A large quantity of Ladies' Fancy Collars, beautifully made and trimmed with appliques and chiffon, values up to almost three times the price we are offering for them for...59c

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Children's White Woolen Gloves, a rare chance, close knit, good weight, fine quality wool, very warm and comfortable for winter wear. On sale at HALF PRICE Thursday...13c

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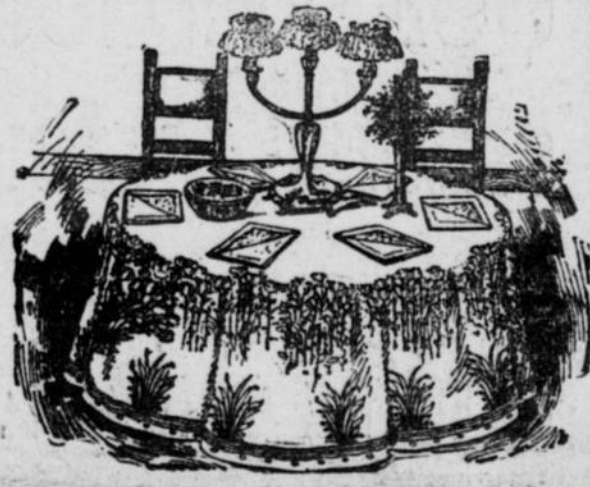
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Fine White Honeycomb Bed Spreads, fringed, size 72x90 inches, a limited quantity will be placed on sale Thursday, for quick selling, come early for these, EXTRA SPECIAL...98c



NOTES FROM THE CAPITAL

Evidence Given Regarding Betting on Race Courses—Montreal's Defeated Mayoralty Candidate

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—Colin Campbell, of the Montreal Jockey Club, told the committee on race track gambling this afternoon that the receipts for bookmakers' privileges were \$76,750 as against \$67,700 at the Woodbine. He said the bookmaker on the track was bound to pay his debts whereas the individual was not. He thought the passing of the proposed bill would make betting worse. Joseph Whitesides Boyle, of Woodstock, appeared on his own account and expense to state that betting was necessary for the success of race meetings. To do away with betting was to do away with the thoroughbred horse. Mr. McMahon, inspector of detectives at Hamilton, believed private betting was more dangerous than controlled public betting. He was against the bill. D. H. Charles, manager of the Bank of Commerce, Peterboro, and O. B. Sheppard, of Toronto, believed racing essential to the thoroughbred and betting was essential to racing. Hon. J. B. T. Casgrain, unsuccessful candidate for the Montreal mayoralty, has lost no time in getting back to Ottawa and his Senatorial duties. He came up from Montreal at noon accompanied by Arthur Eremont, M.P. The Senator takes his defeat with good grace, but he is not inclined to talk about it.

ALTERATIONS IN A LEGISLATURE

The Ontario Chamber to Undergo Changes on Account of Defective Acoustic Properties

Toronto, Feb. 2.—The moving of the Legislative Chamber of the Parliament buildings into the new wing being built, or materially altering its present form, came in for lengthy discussion in the House this afternoon, during the course of which Sir James Whitney outlined a plan the Government had under consideration. The unsatisfactory acoustic properties of the Legislative Chamber have been a matter for discussion for years, but apart from a plethora of suggestions brought up for discussion by Mr. J. W. Johnson (West, Hastings), who complained that a large number of back seat occupants have to depend on newspapers to know what was going on. In reply the Premier outlined the plan that the Government had under consideration. It was suggested that the Speaker's gallery and the press gallery be moved forward about eight feet, a change which would considerably shorten the length of the chamber. The members who were displaced on this account would be accommodated by the rearrangement of benches, these being placed four rows deep instead of three rows as at present. In reply to a question by Hon. A. G. MacKay as to whether the change suggested had their basis in expert reports, the Premier stated that the Government had received no written report. The suggestions were the result of talking the matter over with several architects.

INVESTIGATING HIGH PRICES

New York, Feb. 1.—An investigation of the relation between cold storage and the high prices of food was begun by the Hudson County, N.J., grand jury. Several subpoenas were served upon employees of meat packing companies. Among the men expected to appear are Jas. Brady, New Jersey manager for Swift & Co., of Chicago, and other employees of the same firm. The Jersey City storage warehouses are among the largest in or near New York city. Thousands of tons of food supplies of all kinds are held in them at all times. In the New York Board of Aldermen, Alderman Dowling introduced a resolution requiring that all meats in cold storage shall be labelled with the date when placed there. Alderman Bent introduced a resolution to the effect that a committee should be appointed to investigate all cold storage plants in Greater New York.



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THE MAYORALTY.

We intimated some days ago that a number of lists were being circulated with a view of requesting the acceptance of Mr. Napoleon Drouin, as a candidate for the mayoralty. The great enthusiasm that has been manifested by various prominent and representative gentlemen throughout the city, has warranted the acceptance of Mr. Drouin, which we may to-day officially announce. Needless to state the contest between Mr. Drouin and Senator Choquette will be a very spirited one. The latter gentleman having considerable experience in the political chess board, and Mr. Drouin's high commercial standing and personal integrity, making him a very strong candidate for the office of our Chief Magistrate.

THE SCANDAL OF SCANDALS.

The amount involved is too large to allow of its being set aside with the usual partizan pool-pool. The critical period of high prices in domestic expenses is forcing the rank and file of the people to settle down, in their discontent, to calculate what an enormous sum \$8,580,000 is, for which there has not been even a return of sawdust as a set-off. The time-serving majority behind Sir Wilfrid Laurier's back in Parliament, is beginning to be nervous over the latest scandal of scandals, while the Liberal organs all over the country, are "standing at ease" to await the orders from headquarters as to how the trouble is to be argued down. Meantime the honest-minded engineers of the Transcontinental have the benefit of the doubt entirely in their favor, seeing they voluntarily threw up their lucrative positions rather than burden their sense of honor, by being associated, even indirectly, with the scandalous game that was being played to rob the people of so many millions of dollars. The prime facie evidence is all against those in high places who are responsible for the over-expenditures, how the technicality-mongers may try to locate the booting to sundry under-engineers. The chief engineers—not excluding Mr. Gordon Grant, the latest chief engineer, appointed by the Laurier Government—have told their story about the affair, and that story cannot be gainsaid, even in face of the statement of the Hon. Mr. Graham, that on returning from England he had written to the Railway Commissioners to dismiss instantly every employee found to have been derelict in his duty while working on the Transcontinental. Why was it that the Hon. Mr. Graham came to write such a letter to the Railway Commission? Had he heard of the over-classification of work that was being indulged in? Did he know that Major Hodgins and Chief Engineer Lumsden were prepared to prove their allegations before a "properly constituted Commission of Inquiry"? Had he in his hand, at the time he wrote that letter, any such statement, as was printed the other day to the Chronicle, showing that the amounts in every one of ten contracts exceeded the estimates, and that the total excess would amount to \$8,580,000?

The investigation cannot now be curtailed by the motion presented to the House of Commons by Sir Wilfrid Laurier in person, which seeks to confine all enquiry to the conduct of certain under-engineers. These sub-engineers are not the persons arraigned by Parliament. The arraignment is against the Government, and the arraignment is being endorsed by the people. Three Commissioners were once appointed—all of them loyal Liberals—to investigate the conditions that prevailed in the Department of Marine, and we all know what their verdict was, and how they were derided from one end of the country to the other, by the Liberal organs, for daring to bring in a verdict that impugned the integrity of the Laurier Administration. But now the offend-

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ing involves such an enormous sum that no amount of deriding can possibly down the demand for a full investigation, in terms of the amendment proposed by Mr. Lennox to Sir Wilfrid's own motion. If Sir Wilfrid and his stereotyped majority threaten the people, as they have so often with "a reply by vote," the people will repeat the course adopted on the occasion of a former Pacific scandal, and make direct appeal to the Governor-General to have the people's demands respected. This agitation in behalf of purity of Government is not going to be overwhelmed by any number of torchlight processions and glowing after-dinner speeches. The personal popularity of a premier is not a matter to be mixed up in this affair. A charge of straight malversation lies at the door of the Laurier Administration. The man who holds the supreme lash against all such misconduct in conduct in government circles claims, through his organs, to be the most popular public man Canada has ever known. He has said himself that he is responsible—if not in person, from constitutional oversight—for what takes place in the various public departments; and, when the people come to learn, as they are doing fast enough, that he would shun enquiry into administrative misdeeds, and encourage the undoing of his verdicts of the Commissions of Inquiry appointed by himself—the personal popularity will hardly outweigh the condemnation in the long-run.

The Hon. Mr. Graham would have us believe that the whole of \$8,580,000 will not be a dead loss to the country. He claims that there are securities against the railway contractors to the amount of five millions. Securities against what? Against moneys secured under false pretences? But the Government has been apprised by Messrs. Hodgins and Lumsden that there have been cross over-charges. Has any effort been made to recover these over-charges? Is it, in overcharge of this same over-charging, the Railway Commission tells us that it possesses one of the best field forces to be found anywhere?

A SUGGESTION.

There have come to hand some details of the preliminary meeting held in Ottawa on Monday, a week ago, to arrange for the holding of a Convention next June. These details indicate that the means at hand are sufficient to guarantee one of the most successful gatherings ever held under the auspices of the Conservative party in Canada. The convention is on the way of being an historic event, with representatives from all parts of the Dominion attending it. At it the most important issues will be fully and freely discussed, and a platform drawn up to meet with the demands of Canadian public life. We do not suppose that any one in his senses will think of raising any objection to the holding of such a convention, on the score that it may imperil some one's personal prestige. There is one thing sure, that no delegate to the convention will have to ask Mr. Borden's permission to express his views—views of conviction—on any public question brought up for discussion. There will be given to every delegate the freedom of speech which is every Canadian's birthright. And it is in consideration of these ends and purposes, that the Chronicle would make a suggestion to the Conservatives of Quebec. The time between a discussion and rolling day is altogether too short a time for the education of the electors as to what their public duty is—as reasonable citizens with their birthright of casting a ballot in their hand—while giving support or withholding it from any candidate. The political education of a constituency should be ever on the move. And to the Chronicle it would seem as if the time has arrived for the organization or re-organization of a Conservative Club in the city of Quebec. There are several such clubs in active operation in Montreal. There is a Conservative Association in the Eastern Townships, and through these arrangements may readily be made to invite the Conservative leaders to express their views on public questions, either at a banquet or in open public meeting. There are hundreds of our citizens who vote Conservative, but who hide away their Conservatism behind a non-committal personality between election times. Is it possible for us to have in Quebec a means of keeping the policy of a right Conservatism before the public all the time. We have several prominent Conservatives in the community, who have held high place and are capable of holding high place again, in the councils of the party. Why should these men not be brought together in an effort to keep the community "au fait" with the aims of the Conservative party. Why should we not be in a position to know Conservative leadership in person as well as by reputation? These are important questions—most important questions—in the public eye at the present moment. Why should Mr. Borden or Mr. Monk, or Colonel Worthington or

the Hon. Mr. F. Hackett not be invited to visit Quebec to let us hear what they think about the Transcontinental Railway construction, the building of a Canadian fleet, the providing for a present to Great Britain of Dreadnoughts, not to speak of many other kindred political topics. The people, as a whole, would like to become acquainted with our public men; and, while a Quebec Conservative Club might not be able to afford torchlight processions or very sumptuous banquets, it could make competent arrangements to hear such men, and prominent Quebecers also. As to what is a right administration of public affairs and what is not, the Chronicle is pleased to leave the suggestion "just there," as the New Englander would say—with our columns freely opened to all who have anything to say about the matter. Meantime all further information as to the coming Conservative Convention to be held in Ottawa, can be had from Mr. D. O. Leeperance of our own city.

MONTREAL AND THE COUNTRY

Montreal has just given the whole country a lesson in practical public morality which the latter should instantly commit to memory. There is nothing but favorable mention to be made of the Citizens' Committee which has succeeded in driving out of office the most bare-faced set of malversators any community has ever heard of. Tuesday last was a day of trepidation for those who would have public affairs placed in the hands of honest men. And now that the scare is over, the people of the whole country, taking no stock in the torchlight procession business or after-dinner popularities, must rise up to fight the Federal band of malversators who have it in mind to hush up the biggest of all the scandals of the day, in the attempt to pay the contractors of the Transcontinental Railway millions of dollars more than they are entitled to for actual work done. All attempts to celebrate the victory of Tuesday last in Montreal, save by placing the men designated as boddies in Judge Cannon's report, in the criminal dock, are somewhat unbusiness-like. The best kind of celebration is the discussion of the facts connected with Federal maladministration, which is akin to the maladministration that has brought Montreal to the verge of municipal bankruptcy, which is at present staring the whole Dominion in the face, with all the hardihood of a Mayor Payette, or an Alderman Proulx. At one time it seemed next to impossible to over-reach the "twenty-three" in their rascalties, and, in the same way, it seems next to impossible to obviate the "technicalities" that make light of Commissions of Investigation after the Commission have in their findings against Federal malversators. But the over-taking of the one difficulty gives everybody courage that the other will also be overtaken in the near future before Parliament rises from its winet's deliberations.

GOVERNMENT FAVORS.

There seems to be no time like an election season for a community to advance its claims for consideration at the hands of the present Federal Government. Quebec has several legitimate claims pressing to be heard; but it has only its election of mayor and aldermen to help it out in having these claims made good. How different it was in the Ottawa bye-election held on Saturday last, when the word went round that the Laurier Government was prepared to recommend to Parliament, this present session, to increase the annual grant for civic improvements from \$70,000, to \$115,000. And this is how the Ottawa Free Press utilized the promise as a canvass in favor of Mr. Allard, the Government's candidate—

"Looking at it as a straight business proposition, is it wise for the people of Ottawa to jeopardize the passing of this bill by returning a member who will oppose the Government which is making the recommendation? Fifty-five thousand dollars per annum more from the Government means an immense impetus to the beautification of the Capital city of which we are all so proud, and it means steady work for hundreds of men. Shall we take the first step toward turning it down by electing Chabot and administering a direct slap in the face of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the best friend Ottawa ever had?"

Now how would it do to turn this kind of pleading round the other way—inquiries as it is, as an attempt to build a whole community. The best political friend Sir Wilfrid Laurier has ever had is Quebec East. There has arisen the question of establishing certain naval shipyards for the building of warships for the proposed Canadian navy. There would be space enough for such a shipyard at the mouth of the St. Charles, or somewhere else along our harbor line. And all his constituents know that the location of such a hub of industry lies virtually in Sir Wilfrid's own hand, and all his constituents know just as well that no better port than Quebec could be found on the St. Lawrence route for the location of a naval shipyard. They have been told also that Montreal may possibly be selected for such a purpose—Montreal that hasn't treated Sir Wilfrid half as enthusiastically as they have, or stood by him

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so closely during election times. It is a poor rule that doesn't work both ways, they say, whether the rule is good or bad. Ottawa was counselled to vote, as an act of gratitude, for Sir Wilfrid's candidate, because Sir Wilfrid had promised to increase a subsidy to it from \$60,000 to \$115,000; and shouldn't Sir Wilfrid also be grateful to his best friend—the constituency that has stood so loyally by him during the greater part of his political career. The principle is pernicious, but shouldn't Sir Wilfrid, at least, be consistent in applying a rule that works both ways. Meantime we will wait until we hear from either or both of the candidates for the Quebec mayoralty, before pressing the argument on to them.

CHARGED WITH STEALING

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Mrs. A. E. Arthur, of East Toronto, came up in the Police Court this morning charged with theft of electricity from the city. The charge against her arises out of a lengthy investigation. The inspectors of electricity thought that something was wrong with Mrs. Arthur's meter as her bills took a sudden drop. In order to see how much electricity she was using a meter was placed on the post outside her house to check the one in her cellar. It was discovered that her account was only about one-tenth of what it should be. The inspector seized the meter and discovered that an attachment had been put on between the switch and the wires so that the electricity did not pass through the meter at all. Mrs. Arthur pleaded not guilty and was remanded for a week.

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THE DEATH ROLL

Toronto, Feb. 1.—A veteran Canadian passed away to-day in the person of Mr. Isaac Hewitt after a long illness. Mr. Hewitt is 83 years old. He came to Toronto 20 years ago from Luther. Mrs. Hewitt, four sons and four daughters survive.

London, Ont., Feb. 1.—Charles Taylor, one of the oldest and best known citizens of London passed away at Victoria Hospital this morning at 12 o'clock, after a week's illness with pneumonia. Mr. Taylor served the city both on the Council and on the Board of Health for many years.

From 1879 to 1892 he was a member of the Council. Two years ago he dropped out of the membership of the Board of Health which he had served for a long time before his death.

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one third off \$1.25 now 83c, \$1.85 now
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of February 7th next, for the con-
struction of a Landing Shed, 450 feet
long by 80 feet wide, to be situated
on the Point-a-Carey Pier.
Drawings and specifications of the
required shed may be seen at the
Harbour Engineer's office, between the
hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and noon
each day.
Tenders are to be endorsed "TEN-
DER FOR LANDING SHED," ad-
dressed to the Secretary-Treasurer of
the Commission, and must be accom-
panied by an accepted bank cheque
for \$2000.00, made payable to the
order of the Chairman of the Har-
bour Commission, this cheque will be
forfeited should the Tenderer refuse or
neglect to enter into a contract, as
per his tender with the Commission,
if called upon to do so.
The Commissioners do not bind
themselves to accept the lowest or
any Tender.
JAS. WOODS,
Sec. Treas.

WATER RECEDING AROUND PARIS

Parliament to Come to Relief of Suf-
ferers—Government to Furnish Em-
ployment—Apaches Killed

Paris, Feb. 1.—The height of the
water at midnight at Pont Royal was
27 1/2 feet, a fall of nearly four feet from
the highest point, and the flood con-
tinues to drop at the rate of about
three-quarters of an inch an hour.

Premier Briand has instructed the
Prefects to make a complete inventory of
the flooded areas and to appraise the
individual losses, after which the
parliament will be asked for new credits
in connection with the measures of re-
lief.

Soldiers are still guarding many of
the public buildings and strong de-
tachments have been sent to the various
outlying districts to prevent the
wholesale pillage which is still going
on. A boat patrol surprised a band
of Apaches robbing a villa to-night at
Boulogne-Sur-Sein. After an exciting
chase, in which a fusillade was ex-
changed, an infantry sergeant sank the
robbers boat with a blow of an oar.
Two of the Apaches were killed and
the others were captured.

One of the most hopeful features of
the situation is the action of the govern-
ment in carrying into effect mea-
sures to enable the small proprietors,
both in Paris and throughout the
flooded districts of France, to re-
establish themselves by means of loans
and to furnish work for the victims.
The City Council, following the lead
of the National Government, is ar-
ranging with the co-operation of the
savings institutions, to furnish money
for the re-building of stores and houses
and the re-furnishing of supplies.

The Government has decided upon a
general scheme of employment, where-
by those who desire work may find it
in repairing the roads and the public
buildings throughout the devastated
territory. The municipal council has
adopted the suggestion of presenting
medals to those who have been con-
spicuous in the rescue work. These
medals will bear the appropriate in-
scription "Fluctuat Nec Mergitur,"
which is the motto of Paris.

Some difficulty is being experienced
in restraining the residents of the
flooded districts from returning to
their homes immediately on the res-
toration of the water, without waiting for
the disinfection of the premises. The
foreign office is now free of water, but
is without gas, electricity, telegraph
or telephone service. The students re-
siding in the Latin quarter have
formed a relief society, and have
agreed to care for their comrades who
suffered in any way in connection with
the flood. In addition to \$5,000 re-
ceived from Massachusetts, a mass of
new subscriptions from the United
States are—French Colony of New
York, \$1,000; French Colony of San
Francisco, \$10,000; American Red
Cross, \$5,000; W. K. Vanderbilt, \$20-
000; Amos D. Huntington, \$5,000.

EARL GREY'S DRAMATIC TROPHY
Toronto, Feb. 1.—The fourth
competition for the Earl Grey dramatic
trophy is to be held in the Royal
Alexandra Theatre, Toronto, during
the week of April 4th and unusual dis-
tinction is to be conferred on the
event by the presence of Sir John
Hare, who is coming out to judge
the dramatic entries as a personal
favour to Earl Grey. The occasion
promises to be a very brilliant and
entertaining one socially, while the
number of inquiries coming in from
all quarters to the Honorary Secre-
tary, Major J. Fraser Macdonald,
Government House, testifies to a
widespread interest which is rapidly
increasing.

COMMITTED SUICIDE
London, Feb. 1.—Marinus Jensen, a
young Dane, aged 22, committed sui-
cide by drinking carbolic acid in Vic-
toria Hospital. He was employed as a
baker and had worked in Toronto.
Some weeks ago he determined to be
a book-keeper and securing a cor-
respondence school course he worked so
hard at nights that his mind was af-
fected.

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It is a pleasure to see the great
January sale at Faguy, Lepinay &
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goods are so fine that no one should
neglect to take advantage of this
sale. See our big advertisement.

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POOL CHAMPIONSHIP

New York, Feb. 1.—Jerome Keogh,
of Rochester, won again to-night
from Thos. Hueston, of St. Louis,
in the second block of their match
for the world's championship at con-
tinuous pool but by a margin of only
one point. They played twenty-seven
frames and the score stood 201 to
200. Keogh's high run was 46; Hues-
ton's 28. The score after the play on
the first block last night stood Keogh
209 and Hueston 168, making the
total score 410 to 368 in favor of the
Rochester man. Twice during the
play to-night Hueston caught and
passed his rival, but Keogh played a
steady game which gave him the ad-
vantage at the end.

EARL GREY IN TORONTO

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Earl Grey, the
Governor-General, is at Government
house as the guest of His Honor the
Lieutenant-Governor, J. M. Gibson.
He arrived in his private car from
Ottawa this morning and was met at
the station by His Honor. His Ex-
cellency, attended the Mendelssohn con-
cert to-night.

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physiology in school creates hundreds
of health cranks.

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best class. Teaching seven years, how-
ever, imposed great strain upon my
nerves, and I found it easy to apply
to various organs many of the symp-
toms caused by thin blood and weak
nerves. If my heart palpitated quick-
ly, I imagined I had heart disease.
If a cold got hold of me, I saw the
horrors of consumption. Finally my
mind dwelt so much on the horrible
prospect of some dreadful disease, I
worried myself into a state of com-
plete collapse. I am now, thanks to
the great rebuilding power of 'Ferro-
zone,' perfectly well. There wasn't
very much the matter with me but
nervous and blood debility, so when
Ferrozone had soothed and strength-
ened my nerves, and had renewed my
blood, I was on the high road to
recovery. The mistake was in not
using Ferrozone when I first felt poorly.
To-day I am one of the most vigor-
ous and robust looking young
women in the school. My health I
attribute solely to the regular use of
Ferrozone."

If you're weak, pale, nervous—if
you're thin—tire out easily—lack spirit—
feel depressed and out of sorts—
—these are the surest signs you need
Ferrozone. Try it—it will win you
back to health quickly. 50c. a box,
six boxes for \$2.50, all dealers, or
The Catarhazone Co., Kingston, Can-
ada.

The Slides at Kent House,
Montmorency Falls, are again in
perfect order, and all who wish
to enjoy this invigorating sport
should not fail to miss the op-
portunity to pay a visit to this
favorite resort.

LEGAL NOTICES

No. 538.
Superior Court, Beauce.
Dame Laura Gagnon, wife of Donat
Pomerleau, duly authorized to appear
in Court, of Ste. Marie, Beauce,
Plaintiff.

vs
The said Donat Pomerleau,
Defendant;
An action for separation of property
has been instituted in this case, 18th
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Topics of the Day

THE AMERICAN INVASION.

That over-recurrent topic, the American Invasion, has taken a new lease of life in the press, whether British, American, or Canadian. The West draws its settlers from two main sources, the States and the United Kingdom, though the media of inducement are slightly dissimilar. For the influx of settlers from the latter source we are largely indebted to the Governments, and the transportation companies. On the other hand, the Americans are attracted rather by the private initiative of land, lumber and other such enterprises. The American comes in with his money to look after it and develop his resources himself, while the majority of British capital is invested in government, municipal and other such undertakings the investor staying at home. The British settler as a rule brings little money, has not the same knowledge of local conditions or adaptability as the American cousin, and where the one starts as employer the other is often the employed. As a settler the Britisher frequently meets with cool, a distrustful welcome, while the man from over the border is hailed as a countryman. It is a matter of geography. It is estimated that between 75,000 and 100,000 Americans enter the Canadian West each year, so that we may look to the source as the main fountain of our immigration in the future. These immigrants are supposed to bring in some ninety million dollars yearly in the way of cash, stock and implements. According to one authority it is said that the Canadian Government and railroads have three thousand agents in the United States who tell the farmers wonderful stories of wheat production in North Western Canada. Moreover, certain influential American journals are making a strong plea for reciprocal trade relations with the Dominion; and have already established offices in the land. In this exchange of population, some of these papers consider that Canada is getting the good end of the bargain. America is still the gainer in the exchange of commodities but Canada's supremacy is only a question of time. The Philadelphia Record says: "We are driving our manufacturers as well as our farmers across the border because of our stupid interference with reciprocal and mutually advantageous trading." The Canadian inspector of immigration agencies says that these American farmers bring with them the farming methods learned by years of experience on the prairies of the Western States—an experience invaluable to themselves, but which is passed to settlers from other lands. And but a while ago the Bostonians were not too well pleased to learn from Mr. Sydney Fisher that during the last five years Canada had taken 300,000 of these same Western farmers with two million dollars in capital and stock. The question is, whether does all this immigration have been resuscitated from the shadows of unrecalled reality. The St. Paul Pioneer comes out with: "Some of the Canadian officials are inclined to take a pessimistic view of what they term 'the Americanization of Canada,' and to predict that an ultimate result will either be the annexation of Canada to the United States or, at least, a disruption of the Canadian federation and the annexation of the northwest part of the Dominion to this country. We are inclined to think this view is too pessimistic. While eventually annexation may come, the result of the American immigration to Canada at present promises nothing more serious than a larger development of our foreign commerce in the widest and best sense of the word and better trade relations with the richer and bigger and more important Canada."

It would seem then that the American emigrant has much to recommend him to the West above the Briton. However, it may perhaps be said that in many cases he does things on a big scale, and passing from one scene to another often leaves a solitude behind him. We must look rather to the Englishman for the small settler of the permanent type which may be said to represent the backbone of agricultural districts. The Victoria Colonist warmly espouses the cause of the Britisher from Imperial motives:—"We would like to see our 'lands of plenty' made available to the hundreds of thousands of people in the United Kingdom, to whom the problems of life are beset with grave difficulty because of the lack of employment or the opportunities of advancement. We see daily in Canada that places are being taken by aliens which ought to be occupied by people of the blood. The statesman who can devise some way whereby the sons of Britain may find homes and opportunities in the great self-governing Dominions will do more for the Empire than can be done in any other way."

What will be the effect produced by the drawing together thus of the two shots of the same stock so long separated? We hardly think it will be annexation. Rather we think it will be a new link to unite Britons and Americans. And however differently either settler may begin, whether British or American, it matters little. His children will be Canadians. "Corden as Empire-breaker" is the title of an interesting communication which has appeared from the pen of an Australian undergraduate at one of the great British Universities who, for various reasons, wishes to remain anonymous. "I am moved to write," he says, "after reading the article in the 'Standard of Empire' of December 31, entitled 'Unity Demands Preference,' with the whole of which I am in entire agreement. I naturally have a working knowledge of Australian affairs and politics, and have lived long enough in Great Britain to realize that nothing will ever draw us into a true Imperial partnership but Preferential Trade. "Free Trade and Empire are entirely antagonistic conceptions. One has only to read Morley's 'Life of Corden' to realize that the greatest of Free Traders was also the bitterest opponent of the Empire, and would have brought about its dissolution if he could. That he tried to do this, and that he regarded Free Trade as the most effective lethal weapon, is proved by the following passages

which I quote from Lord Morley's biography:—

"Writing in 1842 to Mr. Ashworth, Corden said: 'The Colonial system, with all its dazzling appeals to the passions of the people, can never be got rid of except by the indirect process of Free Trade, which will gradually and imperceptibly loose the bands which unite our Colonies to us by a mistaken notion of self-interest.' "Fortunately—not only for us in Australia and Canada, New Zealand, and South Africa, but for you in Great Britain—this wicked prophecy has not come true up to the present, but I think that Corden was right, and there still lie in Free Trade the ultimate germs of Empire destruction. Its action was stayed by the wise counsels which began to prevail in the middle of last century in the conduct of Imperial affairs. I refer to the grant of self-government powers to the various Colonies as they came to strength."

"It may be claimed that Corden was a young man when he wrote the above-quoted passage, but there is ample evidence that the recognition of the antagonism between Free Trade and Empire unity remained one of the chief items of his political faith throughout his life. Complaining in 1849 of the upsurge of a British force in the British North American Colonies, Corden said: 'Yet under the regime of Free Trade Canada is not a whit more ours than is the great Republic (the United States).'

"He 'took an interest' in the scheme for the confederation of the Canadian Provinces simply, as he admits, because he thought it a step towards Empire disruption. Thus, in a letter on the subject to Colonel Cole in 1865, Corden wrote:—

"It seems to be generally accepted here as a desirable change, though I fail to discover any immediate interest which the British public have in the matter. There is no proposal to relieve us from the expense and risk of pretending to defend those Colonies from the United States—a task which, by the way, everybody admits to be beyond our power. Then I cannot see what substantial interest the British people have in the connection to compensate them for guaranteeing three or four millions of North Americans living in Canada, etc., against another community of Americans living in their neighborhood. We are told, indeed, of the 'loyalty' of the Canadians; but this is an ironical term to apply to people who neither pay our taxes nor obey our laws, nor hold themselves liable to fight our battles; who would repudiate our right to the sovereignty over a single acre of their territory, and who claim the right of imposing their own Customs duties, even to the exclusion of our manufactures."

"We are two peoples to all intents and purposes, and it is a perilous delusion to both parties to attempt to keep up a sham connection and dependence which will snap asunder if it should ever be put to the strain of stern reality. In my opinion it is for the interest of both that we should as speedily as possible sever the political thread by which we are as communities connected, and leave the individuals on both sides to cultivate the relations of commerce and friendly intercourse, as with other nations. I have felt an interest in this confederation scheme, because I thought it was a step in the direction of an amicable separation. We have recognized their right to control their own fate, even to the point of asserting their independence wherever they think fit, and which we know to be only a question of time. "How hopelessly Corden was out of it in his belief that the 'sham connection would snap asunder if it should be put to the stern strain of reality' was shown throughout the Empire during the Boer War. But I need not go further. The Cordenite view speaks for itself."

THE GROWTH OF TORONTO

Toronto, Feb. 1.—In a report prepared by Assessment Commissioner Forman the growth of the city assessment during the past five years, including the newly annexed districts has been given. For 1906 the total revised assessment was \$167,861,755 as compared with \$267,030,763 for 1910, to which is to be added a further \$3,000,000 for the newly annexed territory. The area of the city for 1906 was about twenty square miles and for 1910 it is about twenty-eight square miles.

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Raphael Morin, heretofore of the parish of Ste. Helene and now of Lewiston, Maine, United States of America Defendant;
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Yesterday the Recorder had six persons before him. One of them, a stranger, who brandished a knife and threatened to carve up some men in a bar-room, was condemned to a fine of \$20 and costs or six weeks' jail. The other five prisoners were charged with drunkenness and were disposed of as follows:—One was fined \$5 and costs or fifteen days' jail, one \$2 and costs or eight days, and three were discharged.

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WANT OFFICE OPEN ON SUNDAY
Winnipeg, Feb. 1.—The Winnipeg Board of Trade is preparing a protest which will be sent to Ottawa asking the new order which has been issued that the Winnipeg post office will be closed on Sunday. There is a great deal of indignation amongst business men over the order.

NOTICE
On and after May 1st, the Hall over the Auditorium Cafe, occupied by Canadian Club, will be to lease to Fraternal Societies. Rent \$35.00 and \$50.00 per year. Electric light, etc., included. Apply
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INDOOR BASEBALL
New York, Feb. 1.—The New York indoor baseball team with Christy Mathewson in the box won from the Newark indoor team at Harrison, N. J., to-night by a score of 8 to 5. Hal Chase, of the New York Americans, helmed out Mathewson in the box. Johnny Miller, of the Pittsburgh Nationals, pitched for the Newark team. Joe McGinnity refereed the game. A crowd of over 2,000 fans sat on the "bleachers."

IN AND ABOUT TOWN

PRESENTATION TO BISHOP DUNN

Clergy of the Diocese Present His Lordship With Address and Reredos

A touching and interesting event occurred at Bishopsthorpe on Tuesday, when a delegation, representing the Anglican clergymen of the whole Diocese of Quebec, waited upon Bishop Dunn and presented him with an illuminated address, setting forth his gratefulness at the recovery of his Lordship from his recent severe illness, and expressing the high esteem in which he is held by all his clergy and their appreciation of the truly fatherly interest which he has ever taken in them and their work. The address was accompanied by the gift of a handsome reredos for the Bishop's private chapel at Bishopsthorpe. Bishop Dunn was much affected by the striking testimony of the loving regards with which the clergy under his direction hold him, and expressed his thanks to the delegation in warm and affectionate words, during the course of which he stated that his recovery had revealed to him one fact, and that was the number of sincere friends which he possessed throughout the diocese.

AMBULANCE CALLS.
The city ambulance responded to twenty-seven calls during the month of January.

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CONTRACTORS' DINNER.
The first annual dinner of the Quebec Contractors' Association will take place at Kent House on Saturday evening next.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.
A delegation waited upon Mr. Raymond last night and induced him to contest seat No. 2 in St. Sauveur Ward against Ald. Brunet.

CELEBRATING THEIR SILVER WEDDING.
The Montagnais Snowshoe Club celebrated their silver wedding last evening by a banquet and dance at the Auditorium Cafe, when several hundred guests were present and a most enjoyable time was spent.

BROKEN BALANCE.
One line, heavy cashmere half hose, worth 35c., 4 pair for \$1; one line, English natural wool underwear, \$1.50 for \$1; one line heavy brown English underwear \$2 for \$1.25 suit, pure English Oxford colored shirts \$1 for 65c. Above to be cleared immediately by J. H. Mullin for cash.

ROYAL ARCANUM.
The attention of member of Citadel City Council is directed to the stated meeting called for this evening. After routine business, the third game of progressive euchre for the grand aggregate trophy will be played. All members of the order can enter for this contest. The trophy will be on view at the meeting.

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THE NICKEL.
With the change of the picture programme at the Nickel yesterday afternoon there was also a change in Pat Harrington's song. This clever little comedian is certainly more than eclipsing himself. There is no denying the fact that he is one of the cleverest youngsters that has ever appeared in Quebec and he is fully entitled to all the encomiums that are being heaped upon him. He is now singing "Sadie Salome," which he renders in an inimitable manner and wins the warm applause of his hearers. Pat has to be heard to be appreciated. The picture programme is also of the best and some exceptionally fine pictures are being exhibited, notably one picture, entitled "The Smuggler's Game." This is an especially interesting picture and one that elicits the closest attention of the audience. The plot is one that is full of color and action inspiring in its theme and thrilling in its situations, while the characters are clean cut and vivid. Two splendidly acted dramatic subjects are also shown, which are both magnificently acted, staged and costumed in "The Red Signal" and "The Smuggler's Game," while comedy is more than supplied in "The Betrothal of Fools-Head" and "My Aunt's Birthday." There is besides these pictures another picture entitled "An Unending Discussion," which is of equal merit.

Last car will leave Montmancy Falls at 12.30 on Wednesday and Thursday nights. The city cars will be waiting to accommodate passengers with special tickets. Return railway fare, with use of slides and privileges of Kent House. Adults, 50 cents; children, 25 cents.

ORGAN RECITAL AT CATHEDRAL

Splendid Programme Rendered by Mr. E. A. Bishop Last Evening.

The organ recital at the English Cathedral last evening was a most enjoyable one, and the capabilities and beauties of the magnificent new organ, which has been installed in the sacred edifice, were brought out with striking effect by Mr. E. A. Bishop, the talented organist. The programme was a well-selected one, and one which afforded full scope to Mr. Bishop for an exhibition of his artistic powers. The different numbers were rendered in a manner that afforded the greatest pleasure to the critical assembly of music-lovers who were present. Chief among those were the masterly rendition of the pastoral and finale by Guilmet and the overture in E flat by Faulkes. Another number which greatly charmed was Sullivan's "Lost Chord." The performance of Mr. Bishop was in every way a striking one, and afforded the greatest satisfaction. The programme rendered was as follows:—Prelude and Fugue in G..... Bach Pastoral and Finale (Sonata, No. 1) Mendelssohn Songs Without Words (Nos. 9 and 30)..... Catkin Offertoire in B flat..... King Hall "The Last Chord"—(by request)..... Sullivan Overture in E flat..... Faulkes

THRILLING DRAMA WELL RENDERED

Klark-Urban Company Won Another Success at Auditorium Last Evening

"At Piney Ridge," a drama of striking interest, was presented at the Auditorium last evening by the Klark-Urban stock company in a manner to win the complete approbation of the good-sized audience in attendance. The piece was splendidly mounted, the scenery being a special feature of the production. The company gave an excellent fine performance, the different characters being well fitted to their respective parts. Mazie Cecil was again seen in a part which fitted her as neatly as a glove, and she made quite a hit. Harden Klark as "Jack Rose" gave a capable performance throughout, and the balance of the cast all contributed their full share to the success of the drama. The specialties introduced between the acts were very pleasing, and the whole performance was one which should in every way appeal to the regular theatre-goer. The Klark-Urban Company is a well worthy of the support of local amusement seekers, and there should be full houses throughout the engagement. "At Piney Ridge" will be repeated to-night, and those who have not witnessed its production by the Klark-Urban Company would do well not to leave the opportunity pass.

MOURNFUL ANNIVERSARY.
To-day is the 35th anniversary of the great snowslide in Champlain street, when nine people lost their lives through the catastrophe.

COURT OF SESSIONS.
Judge C. Langelier sat for the first time yesterday, since his recent appointment, in the Court of Sessions. An aged man named Alfred Wilson, arrested by Detective Walsh, on a charge of robbery was the first prisoner to appear before the Police Magistrate and he was remanded to jail pending investigation. A laborer arrested by Detective Patry, on a charge of assaulting a Pole, pleaded guilty and was condemned to pay a fine of 50 cents.

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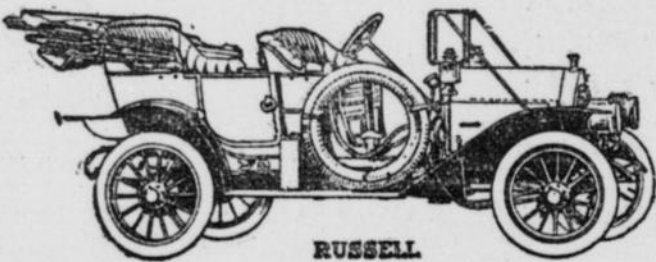
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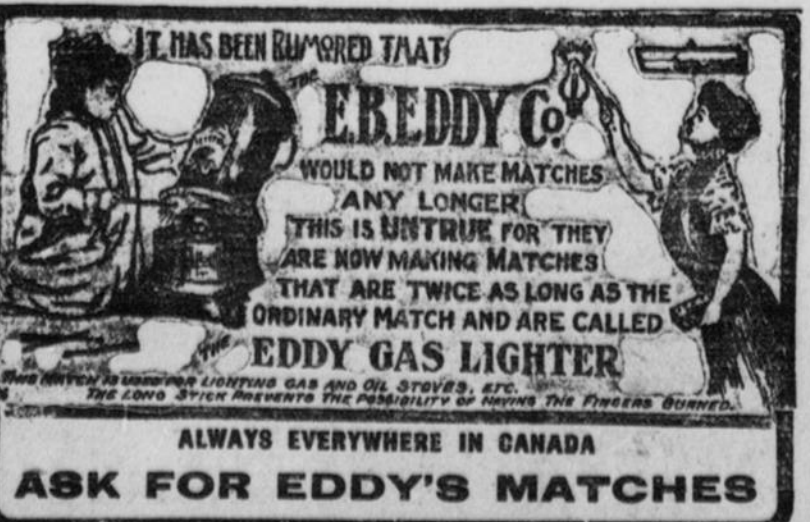
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Latest Sporting News

TEXTILE WORKERS PLAYED HOCKEY

Players Seemed to Cotton to the Game at Quebec Rink Last Evening

The Quebec senior team, even in its palmy days, never gave such an exhibition of hockey as that which was furnished last evening by the two teams representing respectively the office staff and the Mill Hands of the Dominion Textile Co., which took place at the Quebec Rink. The match was an extremely fast one, the time flying more rapidly than the players could skate. The office hands won by a score of five to one, and it must be set down as a moral sin against the former that they even questioned the goal that saved the operators from a no, not a white war, but a white wash. There was immense excitement, and the great crowd present which could easily be located by means of a microscope—cheered itself hoarse as its respective favorites distinguished themselves. At times members of the different septettes seemed to be up in the air, but they quickly found their bearings when they landed on their necks or in other tender parts of their anatomy on the hard and solid ice which rink-keeper Grant had specially prepared for them. There was some excellent stick-handling by the members of both teams, in fact no man could handle a stick better than some of them did, and Donnybrook Fair, so famed in song and story, was discounted before the game had proceeded to any length. The game was refereed by Messrs. H. Doddridge and Hughill, the only objection to their rulings being that they should have ruled off more of the office staff in order to make the game more even. It must have been the neat and natty sweaters of the winning team that did the trick, for they certainly were a dream of beauty and a joy forever when they started down the ice, their dazzling, carmine brightness being so intense that the goal-keeper of the opposing team frequently kicked the puck into his own goals, perhaps to show that there was no ill-feeling or may be affected by color blindness.

So far as could be gathered on the side there were seven players on each team. Their positions were not easily distinguished. Everyone evidently was a team in himself, and gave every evidence of being imbued with this idea, and was willing to play every position in sight. The office staff included such stars as C. P. Bishop, R. D. Smith, G. Lampton, H. Mills, C. J. Woodley, W. D. Fleming, G. J. Leppie, while the mill hands had on its line-up an array consisting of Fred May, J. Fatigue, Latulippe, G. Lebel, A. Brousseau, Poliquin, and E. Latulippe. It is not as yet known if Renfrew will offer terms to any of the players who so distinguished themselves last evening, but if they are not snapped up in the West, it is understood that Chicoutimi wished to secure several of them when they challenge for the Stanley Cup.

OTTAWA ICE RACES.

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—At the Central Canada ice races to-day there was good sport and the interest keeps pace with the attendance. The summarized results of the races were:
2.35 trot, Grand Union Hotel stake, \$1,000.—Mattie Bryson, J. Prunty, South River, 1 1 1; Doc. Thorne, W. Ralph, Montreal, 7 2 2; Doc. Wilkes, R. W. McIrvine, Brantford, 2 3 4; Steel Bill, C. Sears, Ogdensburg, 3 5 3. Time, 2:26; 2:28, 2:25.
Free for all, stallion trot and pace.—Stake \$1,000.—Doc. R. W. Stewart, Ottawa, 4 1 1 1; Joe. Swing, J. E. Houde, Three Rivers, 1 2 3 2; Alvario, McCus Bros., Kingston, 2 3 2 3; Scrap S. Desjardins, Mattawa, 3 4 4 4. Time, 2:20, 2:18, 2:19, 2:20.

QUEBEC CURLERS LOST.

In the contest for the Jubilee Trophy at Montreal on Tuesday evening, Quebec was defeated by Rideau by three shots. In the Governor-General's Victoria lost to Rideau by 8 shots. In the Carnival trophy match Quebec No. 1 and 3 lost by 2 shots and No. 2 by 8 shots.

IMPORTANT MATCH TO-NIGHT.

Considerable interest is taken in to-night's Junior League match between Crescents and St. George, as the result will give a pretty fair indication of which team is going to win the championship. Neither team has lost a game yet, and the game is looked to prove interesting, as Crescents-St. George matches always have in the past. Owing to the importance of the match, a large crowd of fans will undoubtedly be on hand to cheer the respective teams.

BIG OFFER TO JEFFRIES.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Guaranteed the lump sum of \$100,000 for his share or a salary of \$1,000 per week, with 50 per cent of the profits above that amount, Jas. J. Jeffries will start on a ten months' tour of the world at the head of an athletic show on July 8, provided he regains the title of world's heavyweight champion in his meeting with Jack Johnson on July 4th.

This announcement was made last night by H. H. Frazee, who is promoting the present tour of Jeffries. Accompanying Jeffries on the trip according to Frazee, will be James J. Corbett, Stanley Ketchel, probably Battling Nelson, Sam Berger, Frank Gotch, Dr. D. F. Roller, and "Farm" Burns, or some man of similar ability.

According to present plans Jeffries will not visit Hot Springs at the end of his tour on Feb. 12, but will leave for the Pacific Coast direct from Duluth.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S PRIZE.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—In the semi-final rounds for the Governor-General's curling trophy, which was played to-day, Ormstown defeated Caledonia by 34 to 29, and St. Lawrence defeated Rideau by 32 to 29.

ANNUAL SPORTS OF R. C. R.

Fine Programme Has Been Arranged for Drill Hall for Friday Evening.

A very fine athletic programme has been prepared for the annual sports of No. 5 Regimental Depot, R.C.R., which will take place at the Drill Hall on Friday evening under the auspices of Major A. O. Fages and officers. The programme will be as follows:—

1. Fencing—Drill Sergt. Vaughan vs. Lance Corp. Besette.
2. Boxing—Light weight, 4 two minute rounds—Bugler Tingman vs. Private Brandon.
3. Boxing—Welter weights, four rounds of two minutes' duration—Private Jones vs. Private Pemberton.
4. Wrestling—140 pounds, catch-as-catch-can—Private S. Aspenden vs. W. Aspenden. The best two out of three falls.
5. Quarter Staff—Drill Sergeant Vaughan vs. Lance Corporal Mullinger.
6. Boxing—Middleweight, five rounds of two minutes' duration—Corporal Brown vs. Lance Corporal Mullinger.
7. Wrestling—Exhibition—Catch-as-catch-can—Mr. Lachance vs. Private Ouellette.
8. Boxing—Catch weights, four rounds of two minutes' duration—Private Sayers vs. Private Higgins.

The recreation committee is composed as follows: C. K. Eaton, President; Lieut. Garon, Lieut. R. O. Alexander.
Sub-Committee—Sergt. Major Young, W.O., President; Drill Sergt. Vaughan, Sergt. Good, referee, Sergt. Moule, time-keeper, Lance Corporal Besette, Lance Corporal Mullinger.

OTTAWA PROS' TEN VICTORIES TO DATE

Have Scored One Hundred and Five to Thirty-Nine Goals in Games Already Played.
Percy Lesueur is having the greatest season of his career in the Ottawa nets, many of the stops which he has made in recent matches bordering on the marvelous.
The record of the Ottawa team to date:

Jan. 5 Ottawa.....12 Galt..... 3
Jan. 7 Ottawa..... 3 Galt..... 1
Jan. 8 Ottawa.....14 Nationals..... 4
Jan. 13 Ottawa.....15 All-Montreal..... 5
Jan. 16 Ottawa.....15 Shamrocks..... 3
Jan. 18 Ottawa..... 8 Edmonton..... 4
Jan. 20 Ottawa.....13 Edmonton..... 7
Jan. 22 Ottawa..... 6 Les Canadiens..... 4
Jan. 26 Ottawa..... 8 Les Canadiens..... 4
Jan. 29 Ottawa.....11 Halcyon..... 4
Total—Ottawa 105 goals, opponents, 39.

The National League race is just reaching the interesting stage, the Ottawa being on top with a clean sheet of victories. Wanderers are second and Renfrew third. Cobalt, Haileybury, Les Canadiens, and Shamrocks being in the second division.
The fight now looks to be between Ottawa, Wanderers, and Renfrew, for judging by the splendid improvement which they showed in their match against the Shamrocks Friday night, even without Lester Patrick, the Creamery Town boys promise to go very dangerous. When they get Patrick, whose eye is still in bad shape, back at rover, and Whitford at right wing, Renfrew will be sure wonders. Cobalt and Haileybury have not proven up to expectations so far, while Shamrocks and Les Canadiens are almost sure to fight it out for the cellar positions.

It looks like Ottawa against the field, and if the champions win at Cobalt, next Saturday, and then down Haileybury the following Wednesday, the cup will be as good as theirs for another year.

The silver country predicts two defeats for Ottawa on the road, while Renfrew and Wanderers also promise to take a fall out of the Cyclones.

EASY FOR SHAMROCKS.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—Shamrocks defeated the Canadian hockey team to-night by a score of 8 to 3. The Shamrocks had it pretty much all their own way, the score at half time being 3 to 0 in their favor. The teams were:

Shamrock	Goal	Canadian
Winchester	Point	Cattarinich
Forrester	Cover Point	Lavolette
Holden	Rover	Pitre
Dunderdale	Center	Poulin
Smith	Left Wing	Lalonde
Boulton	Right Wing	Decarie
Hall		Bernier

Summary—1st game Shamrocks, 8 mins.; 2nd, 9 mins.; 3rd, 9 mins.; 4th, 5 mins.; 5th, Shamrocks, 2 mins.; 6th, Canadian, 9 mins.; 7th, 1 min.; 8th, Shamrocks, 1 min.; 9th, Canadian 2 mins.; 10th Shamrocks, 3 mins.; 11th Shamrocks, 2 mins.

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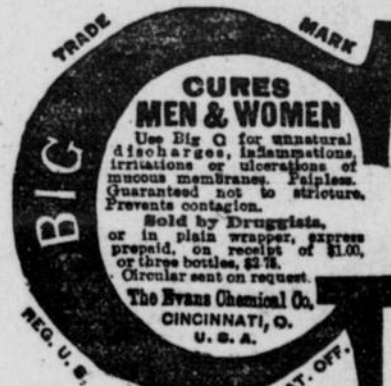
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FAST RACQUETS AT DETROIT

Harry Boakes and Son Figure in a Speedy Exhibition of the Game.

The following extract from the Detroit Free Press should prove of interest to Quebecers:—

"Members of the Detroit Racquet Club were treated to the fastest exhibition of racquets ever played in this city yesterday afternoon. Three Chicago professional players, Boakes, Sr., Boakes, Jr., and Charles Pike, and George Healey, marker of the local club, were those who participated in the match, and from first to last the matches were lightning fast. In the first round, Boakes, Sr., defeated Boakes, Jr., in a match requiring four games, the scores being 15-15, 15-10, 15-9, and 15-9.

George Healey, of the Detroit club, drew a bye in this round, and will meet Boakes, Sr., on Monday afternoon.

One double match was played, Geo. Healey and Boakes, Jr., defeating Boakes, Sr., and Charles Pike. This match was desperately contested, and either pair stood a good chance to win right up to the finish. Healey and the younger Boakes took the first game 15-12, but the other side immediately evened matters by winning the second to the same tune, 15-12. The third proved easy for Healey and partner, the score standing 15-10. Again in the final game, the elder Boakes and Pike rallied, forcing the victors to play 32 points, the score standing 15-14.

On Monday, Boakes, Jr., played and defeated Healey, the Detroit professional, four games to one—10-15, 15-6, 15-5, 15-0, 15-3.

HALL FINED \$100.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—At a special meeting of the National Hockey League to-day, Hall, of the Shamrocks, who was mixed up in the row at the recent Renfrew-Shamrock match, was fined \$100. It was decided that the match, which resulted in a tie, should be played over as soon as possible. Hall is now eligible to play in other matches.

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CITY OF QUEBEC.

CITY HALL,
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.
Quebec, February 1st, 1910.
JURORS' LIST

PUBLIC NOTICE

is hereby given that, pursuant to law, a special meeting of the Council of the City of Quebec will be held on Friday, the 25th of February instant, at eight o'clock in the evening, at the usual place of meetings of the said Council, at which meeting the undersigned, City Clerk, will submit to the consideration of the Council, for examination, correction and approval, an abstract from the valuation roll of the City of Quebec, containing the names of all the persons inscribed on the said roll, residing in the City of Quebec, who are qualified to be grand or petty jurors, said list to be examined, corrected and approved of by the said Council before being delivered to the Sheriff of the District of Quebec.

PUBLIC NOTICE is also given that all persons having right to claim exemption from serving as jurors, in virtue of the law, must ascertain from the undersigned City Clerk in his office that their names have been or must be struck from the said list.

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

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Ferry will leave Quebec at 11.30 p.m. on February 4th, 1910, to connect with excursion leaving Levis on arrival of ferry at midnight.

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P.M.
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NOTES—Baggage checked and United States Customs examination on Quebec side. Agency for Cook & Son, and all steamship lines from Canada or the United States. City office, 32 St. Louis street. E. O. GRUNDY, F. S. STOCKING, G. F. Agent, C. F. Agent.

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Dividend No. 92.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of one and three quarters per cent on the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution has been declared for the Current Quarter, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches, on and after Tuesday the first day of March next, to shareholders of record, February 15th-

By order of the Board,
G. H. BALFOUR,
General Manager.

Quebec, January, 22nd, 1910.

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CITY OF QUEBEC.
City of Quebec,
To wit:
District of Quebec.
BY-LAW NO. 435.
Concerning the Observance of Sun-
days.
(Drawn up in the French Language.)
At a meeting of the City Council of
the City of Quebec, held at the City
Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on
the third day of December, nineteen

hundred and nine (1909) in conformity to law, and in virtue of a By-law passed by the Council purporting to amend after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting are present two-thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:—

His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Barbeau, Brunet, Cannon, Cummings, Dinan, Roux, Gosselin, Gosselin, Gauthier, Huard, Jobin, Lantier, Lemaire, Levesque, Letourneau, Madde, Matte, Messervy, Mulroney, Korman, Paquet, Picard, Plamondon, Pouliot, Samson, St. Pierre, Verret.

It is ordained and enacted by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council ordains and enacts as follows:—

1st. All theatre, playhouse, or halls used for theatrical performances, and all pictures shown, and amuse-

2nd. In the City of Quebec, during the whole day Sunday, it is forbidden to give or open theatrical performances or moving picture shows, scenic exhibitions, shows or amusements where in the public is admitted on payment of an entrance fee, and it is also forbidden to take part in or to attend to such plays, shows, theatrical per-

formances, or moving picture shows.
3rd. Whoever, having possession, charge or direction, or keeping of any such playhouse or halls used for theatrical shows or plays, shall neglect to close them, or to keep them closed, as above specified, or shall give such theatrical plays or shows, or shall take part therein, or attend the same, or shall infringe any of the dispositions of the present By-law, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding forty dollars and costs for each offence, and in default of payment of the said fine and costs thereof, shall suffer imprisonment for a space of time not exceeding two months.

J. GEO. GARNEAU,

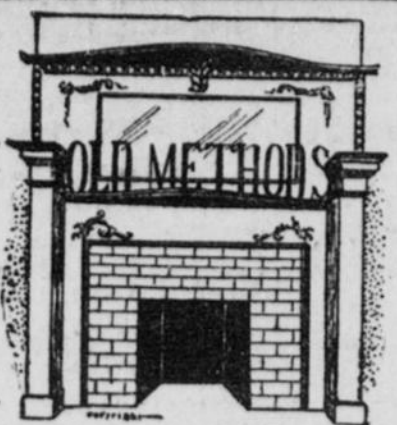
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H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD,
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CORSET COVERS—10c., 12½c., 15c. and 25c.
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Still on hand, 30 complete Lingerie Sets—\$6.00 for **\$3.99.**

Ladies' and Children's White Aprons—10c., 17c. and 29c.

All those white goods are perfectly trimmed. Coming from the best manufacturers, they are of the best finish.

Our big sale is still going on and will continue the whole week. Take advantage of those opportunities before it is too late.

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CHURCH SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

Reports Presented Were All of
a Most Favorable
Character

The annual meeting of the Church Society, which was held at the Cathedral Church Hall yesterday afternoon, was well attended, and the reports presented were of a most satisfactory character, showing that the valuable work of this most important organization of the Church of England in the Diocese of Quebec was being continued with unabated vigor.

His Lordship Bishop Dunn presided, and several matters of interest were discussed.

The reports of the Central Board and the Diocesan Board were read, adopted and ordered to be printed in the annual report of the society. The accounts of the various funds under the society's management and of the Diocesan Board of Missions were presented, adopted and ordered to be printed. The report of the St. Francis District Association was read, received and ordered to be printed. The reports of the Association of Church Helpers, and of the Diocesan Women's Auxiliary were also ordered to be printed in the Society's Annual Journal.

The usual votes of thanks were passed to the officers of the society, and the election of the President, Central Board and Diocesan Board were proceeded with.

A number of new members were elected, and other business was disposed of.

PERSONAL

Dr. Morisset, M.P.P., Dorchester, is in town.

R. A. Diplock, of Montreal, is at the Clarendon.

W. Blondin, of Montreal, is registered at the Clarendon.

C. H. Shaw, of Toronto, is registered at the Clarendon.

L. C. Girard, of Chicoutimi, is staying at the Clarendon.

W. H. Robinson, of Montreal, is stopping at the Clarendon.

Mr. Arthur Fitzpatrick, advocate, has returned to town from Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Begin have left by the C.P.R. to-day for their trip to Cuba.

Mr. Alexandre Gilbert, violinist, of this city, left for the United States on a trip yesterday.

Arrivals at the Victoria:—R. A. Gaudette, St. Ours; J. Grenier, Pointe aux Trembles; H. L. Chury, Campbellton; D. Green, New York.

Mr. J. T. Begin, the popular proprietor of the Clarendon Hotel, and Mrs. Begin, left yesterday for an extended trip to Cuba and Florida.

J. H. Taylor, Esq., M.D., of Montreal, is spending a few days at No. 10 Maple Avenue en route to visit his parents at Cumberland Mills, Beauce.

Montrealers at the Chateau:—R. A. McNally, H. Irwin, R. Tessier, J. D. Brouard, St. L. Haldemar, J. L. Desrochers, E. W. Haldemar, T. H. Flett, R. E. Trille, A. Normandin, G. Bryce Ross, W. Ewing, Jr., C. A. Ducloux, J. P. Schmidt.

A very pleasant snowshoe party was given last evening by Miss Gibson, of St. Cyrille street, which was chaperoned by Mrs. K. S. Fenwick. A very enjoyable evening was participated in by all present, the delightful and exhilarating weather adding greatly to the pleasure of the event.

The following Canadians have registered at La Banque Nationale, Paris, France:—His Grace Archbishop Begin, Archbishop of Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. Panneton, G. Barclay, C. A. Lavigne, H. Duverger, M. Cahill, of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morrier, of Ottawa; H. R. L. Henry, Winnipeg; R. Leitch, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; J. Daly, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; A. Yates, Vancouver, B.C.; Rev. T. Benoit, of Qu'Appelle, Sask.; H. Malwin, of Atlin, B.C.

Arrivals at the Chateau:—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hall, Boston; J. A. Comeau, Three Rivers; E. B. Walker, Toronto; M. Brown, La Tuque; W. R. Brown, Berlin; W. P. Johnson, Boston; L. Bertrand, Shawinigan Falls; P. F. O'Reilly, Philadelphia; R. A. Dickson, Toronto; M. L. Leipziger, New York; G. Rumpel, Berlin; Mrs. E. M. Morse, Bangor; A. Rodman, Boston; J. E. Perreault, T. Methot, L. Creneau, Arthabaska; J. Champoux, P'te-au-Loup; D. Champoux, C. Champoux, Campbellton.

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MINIATURE RIFLE CLUB WINNERS

Names of Successful Competitors in
Matches of the Past
Month

Following are the results in the three competitions held by the Quebec Miniature Rifle Club during the past month.

The Wm. Macpherson Challenge Cup was competed for by sixteen first class shots and won by Sergt.-Major Young, W.O., with a total of 370 points. In addition to holding the challenge cup Sergt.-Major Young receives a valuable medal, suitably engraved in commemoration of his popular victory.

Those totalling over 300 points in the competition were:—

S. M. Young, W.O. ... 95 93 97 55—370
L. A. Hay ... 89 93 88 56—356
P. D. Gowen ... 85 82 88 95—350
T. Prendergast ... 81 88 82 88—339
T. Aubin ... 87 87 75 66—315

Sergt.-Major Young also made the highest single score in the contest, 97 points.

The valuable medal, which Mr. Geo. Mortimer generously donated for a competition open to any model of miniature rifle with any sights, brought out no fewer than thirty-two competitors, while the exceptionally high score of 49 out of 50 points was attained six times. Mr. R. F. Lindsay with a Winchester rifle and Lyman sights recording that score four times and winning the medal.

A few of the highest scores are given below. Possible 350:—

R. F. Lindsay ... 336
P. D. Gowen ... 317
S. M. Young, W.O. ... 316
J. Goudie ... 316
Sgt. C. A. Wood ... 307
Cpl. Massey ... 306

The competition, which is most closely followed by officers of the club, is for the handsome trophy presented by Captain Wm. Price, M.P. This cup was offered with the object of developing an interest in rifle shooting amongst young or "green" shots, and the large number of beginners who each month enter the lists for this coveted prize is most encouraging to the executive. These latter are sparing no pains for developing greater interest in rifle shooting, a fascinating sport as well as a vitally necessary part of the training for citizenship; in which every man in the country worthy of the name should be proficient.

There were twenty-six competitors for this cup, several of whom have improved so steadily that they will no longer be allowed to compete in the second class.

The cup was won by Mr. D. Tremblay, who will also receive a medal as a souvenir of his victory.

Following are some of the high scores. Possible 200:—

D. Tremblay ... 186
Cpl. Massey ... 181
Br. Lovett ... 174
J. Melville ... 173
J. Dolan ... 168
Cadet S. Goodnow ... 160
Gr. Chaplin ... 160
J. Aubin ... 156
Gr. Elgar ... 153
Cadet S. Buchanan ... 143
Cadet C. Young ... 143
Cadet C. Paulette ... 129

SHIPPING NEWS

ALLAN LINE.
Steamer Numidian, from Glasgow for Boston via Halifax, arrived at Halifax at 8 o'clock yesterday morning.

C.P.R. LINE.
Steamer Empress of China left Hong Kong for Vancouver at 7 a.m. on the 29th ult.

QUEBEC STEAMSHIP CO.
Steamer Bermudian sailed from New York for Bermuda at 10 a.m. yesterday.

FREIGHTS.
New York, Jan. 31—Chartering was limited in the steam and sail tonnage markets, and no changes of importance were quoted in rates. The demands for tonnage were limited for all sources. Quotations to Liverpool, 14d; Glasgow, 14d; London, 14d; Hull and Bristol, 14d; Rotterdam, 3c; Hamburg and Bremen, 20 pennings; Canton to Liverpool, per 100 lbs., 12c. to 14c.

STEAMER DRIVEN BACK.
Malta, Feb. 2—The German steamer Axenfels which sailed from Calcutta Jan. 4th and Colombo Jan. 15th for Boston and New York via Malta, has returned here driven back by severe weather. During the struggle with the storm one sailor was killed and three others injured.

TO RECOVER BODIES
Cherry, Ills., Feb. 1—Work was resumed in the St. Paul mine to-night by scores of men, following the removal late to-day of the hermetic seal that had kept the mine closed for two months. Efforts will be made to clear the mine of noxious vapors, wall in any smoldering fire and recover the 160 odd bodies of miners who have lain entombed since the fire on November 13th. Mine experts in oxygen helmets descended 250 feet to the bottom of the shaft and reported that an unprotected man could not live a minute there. Accordingly efforts are now being directed to clearing the mine of poisonous gases. No one will venture to estimate when the bodies can be removed.

TO RAISE FREIGHT CHARGES
New Haven, Conn., February 2—As a result of the reduction of the westward bound freight rate by the Erie and Lackawanna roads and to avert a rate war among the trunk lines, the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad will raise its first class rate from 69c. per 100 pounds to 75c. per 100 pounds on its Canadian Pacific and Ontario and Western routes. It is now inferred that the Erie and Lackawanna will return to the standard western rate.

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THIRTY YEARS AGO
IN OLD QUEBEC

A despatch from St. Joseph, Beauce, thirty years ago to-day stated that the meeting of the shareholders of the Levis and Kennebec Railway Company had just been held. An attempt on the part of the old directors to vote on bogus stocks, created and based on a contract of the day before, was overruled by the meeting and the following gentlemen were appointed directors:—Hon. J. G. Robertson, J. R. Woodward, W. G. Wyatt, Hon. G. Irvine, Hon. C. H. Poyer, J. Poirier, M.P.P., M. Cahill, Owen Murphy, and Hon. I. Thibault.

The Chronicle of Feb. 2nd, 1880, gives the account of the annual curling match between the Smokers and Non-Smokers of the Curling Club. The match took place at the Rink, two rinks a side, and ended in a victory but two shots for the Non-Smoking score:—

Smokers.		Non-Smokers.	
No. 1 Rink.	No. 1 Rink.	No. 1 Rink.	No. 1 Rink.
E. L. Sewell	A. Pope	E. L. Sewell	A. Pope
R. S. B. Young	E. Pope	R. S. B. Young	E. Pope
G. R. White	E. Johnston	G. R. White	E. Johnston
B. H. Sewell	A. Brodie	B. H. Sewell	A. Brodie
Skip—13	Skip—16	Skip—13	Skip—16
No. 2 Rink.	No. 2 Rink.	No. 2 Rink.	No. 2 Rink.
A. Holloway	F. C. Wurdelle	A. Holloway	F. C. Wurdelle
H. Smith	W. R. Dean	H. Smith	W. R. Dean
J. L. Laird	W. Tofteld	J. L. Laird	W. Tofteld
W. Barbour	W. Brodie	W. Barbour	W. Brodie
Skip—17	Skip—16	Skip—17	Skip—16
30	32	30	32

Non-Smokers winning by two shots.

A despatch from Washington tells of Mr. Parnell's speech in the House of Representatives. Mr. Parnell, who was greeted with applause, referred to John Bright's proposition for the country to advance money for the purchase of Irish farms, and criticized Mr. Bright for asking from asking the English Parliament to sanction that principle. In concluding he said, "It would be a proud boast for America if she were, by the force of her public opinion alone, and by the respect with which all people looked upon any sentiment prevailing in America, to obtain for Ireland, without shedding one drop of blood, without drawing the sword, without one threatening message, the solution of that great question."

**FEW DOSES END
KIDNEY TROUBLE**

Lame Back, Bladder Misery and other Distress Caused by out-of-order Kidneys Vanish.

Usually sufferers from backache, bladder trouble or out-of-order kidneys, feel relieved after several doses of Pape's Diuretic.

Misery in the back, sides, or loins, sick headache, inflamed or swollen eyelids, nervousness, rheumatism, and dizziness, heart palpitations, dizziness, sleeplessness, listless, worn-out feeling, and other symptoms of inactive, sluggish kidneys simply vanish.

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PRI-INVENTORY SALE

Following our usual custom, we shall continue our Special Clearance Sale for a few days in February until Stock Taking. All balances must be checked now.

Savings in Blankets.

Don't miss the last opportunities to save considerable money on articles you are using every day.

High Grade Blankets of the finest qualities manufactured, warm with a soft finish.

7 lbs. size 64x84. Reg. \$6.00 for \$4.80
6 lbs. size 60x80. Reg. \$5.00 for \$4.00

Whitewear Specials

Distinctive in style and finish, is as exclusiveness in our whitewear that makes it very desirable by women who dress well.

Cambrie Drawers trimmed with Swiss embroidery, reg. 40c. for 29c.

Chemises, richly trimmed with lace or embroidery. Regular \$1.50 for \$1.09

Corset Covers trimmed with Val. Lace that were made to sell at 35c for 25c.

Underskirts nicely trimmed with Swiss Embroidery and Insertion. Reg. \$2.25 for \$1.48

Night Gowns, Lace or Embroidery, trimmed regularly sold at \$1.40 for 98c

Pillow Shams and Runners

100 doz. of fine Embroidered Pillow Shams, size 36x36 and runs 36 and 48 inches long, very neat and desirable patterns, an article that can't be sold anywhere for less than 40c. Special at 23c each

Lace Curtains, 1% for 79c a Pair.

Nottingham Lace Curtains in good strong Net and beautiful designs, 34 yards long, regularly sold at \$1.25. Special at 79c

The Extraordinary Specials in Comfortables.

Double Bed Cotton Filled Comfortables, good and desirable saten covering. Reg. \$3.00 quality for \$2.25

Large size Comfortables, superior quality Sateen Covering, down filled. Reg. \$5.00 for \$3.75

Comfortables, down filled, Sateen covered with wide satin border, a bargain at \$9.00 for \$6.75

Women's Walking Skirts

Women's Walking Skirts, made of good quality Tweeds, Panama, Venetian or Eolienne. Regular prices from \$4.00 to \$5.00. Special sale at \$3.98

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36 inches, good quality Lonsdale, Reg. price 15c for 10c

36 inches Special quality Longcloth, really worth 18c for 12c

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Table Cloths 2x24 yds. desirable patterns. Reg. \$1.50 for only 98c

Full Bleached Damask Table Cloths, superior quality to sell at \$2.00 for \$1.50

200 doz. of all Linen Napkins, 17x17. Regular 10c quality for only 6c

Napkins all linen, size 24x24. Regular 35c. For this sale 25c

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Children's and Misses' Dresses at half price.

Dolls at half price.

Mrs. D. R. Murphy,
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OUR GRAND ANNUAL SALE

15% Discount

During the Month of February

Bargains Hitherto Unknown

As we deal direct with the manufacturers, we have been able to procure bargains which eclipse everything that has been seen up to date. Read this well:—

125 Wilton Carpets, 9 ft. x 12 ft., worth \$45.00 **\$30.00**

125 Axminster and Wilton Carpets, same size, worth \$40.00 for **\$25.00**

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1,500 yards English Linoleum, worth 55c for **35c**

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