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TO-MORROW—SHOWERY.
Sun rose to-day at 4.22; sets at 7.32.

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CONGREGATION TO ASK EXPLANATION FROM ARCHDEACON

As to Why Its Wishes Have Been Ignored in the Steen Case.

THERE WERE ONLY EIGHT PEOPLE PRESENT

Statement of the Archbishop's Course in the Matter Made.

The vestry meeting of the congregation of Christ Church Cathedral which was held last evening under the presidency of the Ven. Archdeacon Norton, for the purpose of presenting the reasons assigned by the Archbishop of Montreal for objecting to the appointment of Professor Steen as assistant minister of the cathedral, was attended by very few persons, not more than eight or ten, and of these some were ladies.

All the members of the church who have hitherto taken a prominent part in these proceedings were absent. They felt that it was useless to attend the meeting since the business was to be confined to the reading of His Grace's letter which has already been made public.

This, as a matter of fact, constituted the entire business. The letter was read by the Archdeacon, and some conversation followed with regard to the affairs of the church, but no resolution was passed.

On behalf of the majority of the congregation whose views in the matter of Mr. Steen's appointment have, it is contended, been ignored by the Archdeacon, a very important document is being prepared. It is to be addressed to the Archdeacon, and it will ask him to explain why he has taken no steps to give effect to the wishes of the congregation. This document will doubtless be published in due course, and it will state very clearly the views of the congregation [illegible]

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THE ARCHBISHOP'S COURSE.

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and on failing to receive it, to issue an inhibition. It is held that it is not the duty of a Diocesan, on suspending a license, to first hold a regular trial over the licensee. Sufficient is it to be convinced, from any evidence, that no injustice is done to the license holder in considering that his preaching is contrary to the Church's. If the clergyman thinks differently, the privilege of demanding a tr[ial is] his.

[STRI]KERS STONE POLICE

[illegible] May 22.—A despatch from St. Petersburg, dated May 21, says:—The strikers at the Obuchoff Iron Works, at Alexandrovsk, in the vicinity, had a collision with the authorities yesterday. Some [of the strik]ers stoned the police, injuring [many of] them. The police were reinforced [by] soldiers, who fired three volleys, [kill]ing two men and wounding seven. One [h]undred and twenty persons were arrested.

THE BLAINE-BOND TREATY

Hon. Robert Bond, Premier of Newfoundland, who has just returned from Ottawa, stated last evening at the Windsor Hotel that the announcement that the Canadian Government had withdrawn its objection to a revival of the Bond-Blaine treaty was premature. Mr. Bond admitted that he was in negotiation with the Dominion authorities on the subject, but a decision has not been reached.

PREPARING FOR CONFERENCE

Lay and Church Delegates at Mountain St. Meth. Church.

THE PROVINCIAL GATHERING SPURS MONTREAL DISTRICT METHODISTS TO ACTIVITY.

The Methodist district meeting in Mountain Street Church was participated in by laymen, who united with the clerical delegates in preparing the business of the [illegible] Quebec Conference, which meets on Wednesday next in Pembroke. Reports of a detailed nature were received [illegible] Conference. [illegible]

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NEW MOLSON'S BANK BRANCH.

General Manager [illegible] of the Molsons Bank [illegible]

A CHILD'S FEARFUL DEATH

Almost Cut in Two on Ontario Street To-day.

[illegible]

NEW SHAMROCK WRECKED BY A SQUALL TO-DAY

Her Topmast, Mainmast and Bowsprit all Carried Away.

KING ESCAPED DEATH BY ALMOST A MIRACLE

His Majesty Was on the Deck of the Lipton Yacht When the Accident Occurred.

London, May 22, 3.55 p.m.—During the race between the two Shamrocks and the Sybarita in the Solent to-day, a sudden squall struck the yachts. The topmast of the Shamrock II. was carried away, and then her mainmast went by the board, carrying all her sails with it and leaving her practically a wreck. The topsail of the Shamrock I. was also carried away in the squall. No one was injured aboard the yachts.

The disaster was witnessed by King Edward, who was the guest of Sir Thomas Lipton at the time.

The disaster occurred while preparations were being made for the start off the Brambles buoy. The squall struck the yachts broadside on.

The cup challenger with King Edward and a party on board was totally dismasted. The King who was on deck, had a miraculous escape. Topmast, mainmast and bowsprit were broken short off.

King Edward went on board the challenger after all [illegible] the start, although [illegible] witness the race from the [illegible]

[illegible]

STORY OF THE ACCIDENT.

Ryde, Isle of Wight, May 22.—The yachts were [illegible]

[illegible]

CARTER FATALLY CRUSHED

[illegible]

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY

[illegible]

PREMIER PARENT IN TOWN

Premier Parent was in the city yesterday on his way to New York. He registered at the Place Viger. During the day he met a deputation from Iberville in connection with the sale of timber limits.

He left for the big city last night, where he will be engaged on business in connection with the province for the next week. Mr. Parent denied the statement that his trip to New York was for the purpose of an operation on his throat. It was true that he had had a slight throat affliction, but had now almost recovered. He hoped his trip to New York would give him the required rest.

The Premier denied as having no foundation whatever recent newspaper statements that he was to be made Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, or that Hon. Mr. Guerin would succeed to the Premiership. "At least I know that I have no designs on the Lieutenant-Governorship," smilingly said the Premier, "and I hadn't heard that Mr. Guerin was looking after my position. I have no wish to retire from active political life for some years to come. I have too much life in me yet for that."

THE YUKON RAILWAY CLAIM

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—The claim of Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann in connection with the proposed Yukon Railway which was thrown out by the Senate will be referred to the Exchequer Court. It is understood that the amount is about $300,000, but the contractors will have to prove the account and justice of their claim in court. The claim has been before the Government in one form or another for the past three years, and now it has been decided to give the contractors a fiat so that they can take their case to the courts and establish it, but for the action of the Senate there would be an all-rail route to-day to the Yukon, and Canada would be enjoying the entire trade of that country instead of a large amount of it finding its way to the United States, and in addition to this loss the contractors will have to be recouped for the action of the Senate in throwing out the contract.

POWERS WILL PROBABLY SPLIT

One Section Follows and One Opposes Great Britain on the Indemnity Question.

Berlin, May 22.—It is authoritatively announced that the powers will agree to [illegible]

[illegible]

ART EXHIBITION.—There is now in progress at the Art Gallery, an exhibition of work performed by the pupils attending the junior antique and life classes. Marked improvement is noticeable.

Through The Herald's Sieve.

[illegible]

Rural Life

[illegible]

A Montreal [illegible]

[illegible]

NOT TRUE TO THE TRIBE.

From the Omaha Bee.

[illegible]

THE AMERICAN [illegible]

AN ARKALON KAN. rancher claims that a late cyclone [illegible] blew his front teeth loose and shaved him clean. It also seems to have warped his veracity [illegible]

REPORT SHOWS INCREASE IN CITY REVENUE

City Treasurer Robb Has Made His Annual Statement Public.

RECORDER'S COURT FEES ADVANCE

City Comptroller Says School Revenue Last Year Was $3,00,4728.72.

The reports of the Civic Finance Department, for the fiscal year ending December 31st, 1900, were this afternoon submitted to Council.

City Treasurer Robb points out that, during the year, the total receipts, from all sources, were $4,621,637.79, while the disbursements amounted to $4,574,987.49, leaving a balance of general cash account carried forward to 1901 of $46,650.30.

"The collections of assessments (and arrears) were $10,000 in excess of those of 1899," says Mr. Robb, "whilst there was a falling off of $12,000 in those of the water, arising from an abnormal realization of arrears through settlements of disputed valuations, which had been in abeyance, and the latter partly from the introduction of the instalment plan of payments and partly from the continually increasing difficulty in collecting these rates; a difficulty which has arisen, to some extent, from the persistent cry that our water rates are high as compared with other cities, thus creating an impression in the minds of the smaller householders that they are being compelled to pay an excessive price for water.

"Those who raise this cry appeal to comparisons with other cities, where the rates [illegible] forgetting, or wilfully ignoring, the fact that the interest [illegible] Montreal. But even under our system [illegible] the average workingman's [illegible] cannot be regarded as oppressive [illegible]

[illegible] than in 1901. The real estate is also increasing in the same proportion, and had it not been for the fluctuations in the valuation of real estate in 1899, owing to the too high value attributed to machinery, on which numerous reductions had to be made in 1900 (and which had never before been included in the valuation of real estate), the assessment roll for 1900 would show a marked and regular increase. This would have, moreover, enabled the Council to float a loan under sec. 344 of the charter for the most urgent works. In view of the remarks made in the past few years in reference to the Recorder's Court, I am pleased to report that the fines and costs of the court were collected, this year, in an effective manner and with diligence. The revenue derived from this source amounted, in 1900, to $31,578.77, as against $20,569.05 in 1899, and $13,961.57 in 1898."

Mr. Dufresne shows that the revenue for 1900 was $3,157,614.33, while the expenditure was $3,095,821.25, leaving an unexpended balance of $174,671.84. The amount available for administration in 1901 is:—Actual revenue of 1899, $3,004,728.72; unexpended balance of same, $137,647.93; total, $3,142,373.65. The amount available for administration in 1902 is:—Actual revenue of 1900, $3,157,614.33; unexpended balance of same, $174,671.84; total, $3,332,286.17.

The revenue for 1900 was obtained after this fashion:

Assessments, current year, and arrears	$1,776,694 39
Water rates, current year, and arrears	708,820 69
Business tax, current year, and arrears	294,409 71
Police licenses, butchers' licenses, auctioneers and public weighers' licenses	121,348 00
Recorders' Court, fines, etc.	31,578 77
Market revenues	75,367 36
Innkeepers' certificates	3,242 00
Grocers' certificates	3,564 00
Road Department permits	2,972 00
Boiler inspector's licenses and certificates	2,181 25
Building inspector's permits	1,164 00
Special licenses (City Clerk's Department)	8 35
Legal expenses, reimbursed to city	3,124 21
Mount Royal Park, privileges, rents, etc.	1,306 98
McGill Street property, rents, etc.	775 00
Chateau de Ramezay property, rents, etc.	1,535 70
Other city property, rents	2,326 20
Miscellaneous and old materials sold	5,905 63
Cattle fees from railways, stock yards	11,250 00
Insurance company's contribution to Fire Commissioners	115 00
Interest	55,621 03
L'Union des Abattoirs, interest account	8,015 50
Percentage on Montreal Street Railway earnings	77,559 52
	$3,157,614 33

UPPER YUKON NOW OPEN

Seattle, May 22.—Advices from Lynn Canal ports are to the effect that the upper Yukon is now open to navigation. On May 16 the upper Lebarge Lake was still covered with ice, but it is expected to become open in a few days.

Smallpox among the southeastern native Alaskans is reported as dying out. The disease is alleged by many physicians not to be smallpox at all, but to be caused by excessive use of fish and general filthiness.

NARROWING DOWN TO CONSCRIPTION

Lord Raglan Says Only Other Way of Raising an Army is Impracticable.

New York, May 22.—An important statement [illegible]

[illegible]

FRESH AIR FUND.

[illegible]

BULL KILLS A FARMER.

[illegible]

THE GULF REPORT.

[illegible]

GET YOUR PORTRAITS TO-MORROW.

Coupon No. 8 in King's Portrait Series, appears in The Herald TO-NIGHT. The King's Portrait may be secured To-morrow for the Eight Coupons and Ten Cents.

J. P. MORGAN PAYS A CALL ON M. LOUBET

President of France and American Financier in Close Conference.

NOTHING SAID ABOUT THE PANAMA CANAL

It is Officially Announced That Mr. Morgan's Object Was to Express Gratitude.

New York, May 22.—President Loubet has just received J. Pierpont Morgan, the American financier, says a World despatch from Paris. General Horace Porter, the United States Ambassador, presented Mr. Morgan at the Elysee Palace, and the banker thanked the President of the French Republic for the decoration of the Legion of Honor which was presented as one of the honors conferred upon foreigners in connection with the international exposition of 1900.

All rumors to the contrary, nothing was said about the Panama Canal. Any reference to this subject in conversation with the French chief of state would have been construed as a gross breach of etiquette.

The audience which Mr. J. Pierpont Morgan had with President Loubet last evening was quiet and unceremonious. It was prompted by the desire of Mr. Morgan to thank M. Loubet for the decoration of the cross of the Legion of Honor bestowed on him at the beginning of the year. The visit, however, was wrapped in the deepest mystery, the French authorities fearing it might be connected in some way with Mr. Morgan's financial schemes. The interview lasted a few minutes, Mr. Morgan's expression of thanks being followed by the exchange of a few commonplace remarks.

INTOXICATION IN ARMY

Largely Increased in U. S. Since Canteen Was Abolished.

OFFICERS SURE THAT PUBLIC SENTIMENT WILL DEMAND ITS RE-ESTABLISHMENT.

New York, May 22.—The Times says:—General Brooke has sent out an order to all commandants of posts in the department of the east to send him on September 1st a complete report of the results which have ensued upon the abolition of the army canteen. Officers say that these reports will show beyond cavil that intemperance has largely increased under the new regime, and it is predicted that the next Congress will give serious consideration to the real situation as it has developed.

[illegible] absent without leave from Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, have [illegible] in the military prison [illegible] They disappeared [illegible] and their troubles are attributed by officers to the abolition of the canteen.

A reporter interviewed a number of the officers at Governor's Island, and every one of them was saying "I told you so," when the cases of Fort Sheridan, Fort [illegible] and Fort Ethan Allen were called to mind. The officers there regard it [as] only a matter of a short time when the [illegible] sentiment of the nation will demand the re-establishment of the canteen.

GOLD CHAIN A MILE LONG

New York, May 22.—When the passengers from the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm [illegible] the customs officials became suspicious that a cabin passenger named [illegible] had not declared all the goods he brought with him. After questioning [illegible] took him on board and searched him. They report that they found [illegible] a waist a long thin gold chain and in a pocket a small chain [illegible]

[illegible] were confiscated and sent [illegible] The officials declare [illegible] and almost [illegible]

TWO BURGLARIES

A [illegible] entrance into the house of Mr. George A. Edgarton, 25 Guilbault Street, at 2.30 o'clock yesterday morning. He was sleeping in the proprietor's room when Mr. Edgarton awakened. A hot chase ensued, but the would-be thief managed to escape through the front window, which he had left open.

The grocery store of Mr. Paul Lalonde, corner of [illegible] Streets, was [illegible] early hour this morning and a large quantity of liquor stolen.

MRS. McKINLEY MUCH BETTER.

San Francisco, May 22.—Mrs. McKinley's condition has improved so rapidly that official announcement has been made that the President and party are to start for Washington on Saturday.

What is Going On.

THIS EVENING.

Academy—Blanche Walsh in "More Than Queen."

Theatre Française—Vaudeville.

[illegible]—Baldwin Melville Co. in "Blue Jeans."

Royal—"Tennessee Partner."

Windsor Hall—Pianino, French hypnotist.

St. Henri Council.

St. Cunegonde Council.

Victoria Rifles—Battalion parade, 8.15 p.m., for company competition, "Guns' Cup."

"Shoe to Church," Maisonneuve, 7 p.m.

THIS AFTERNOON.

Baseball—Montreal vs. Syracuse, 4 p.m.

DIED.

RYAN.—Died, at 486 St. Catherine Street, Westmount, on Tuesday evening, May 21st, 1901, Louise Asquinall, family beloved wife of Thomas Ryan, engineer of Government buildings, Montreal, Dept. of Public Works. Funeral will take place on Thursday, 23rd inst., at 1.30 p.m., from above address. Friends may accept of this intimation. [illegible]

MONTREAL'S ART PRINTERS—HERALD JOB DEPARTMENT.

THE HERALD'S

Portrait of the King

"A PARTICULARLY GOOD ONE."

From HON. F. W. BORDEN, Minister of Militia.

Ottawa, [illegible] May.

I was much pleased to receive your new portrait of His Majesty. It seems a particularly good one and your enterprise does you credit.

Yours very truly,

F. W. BORDEN.

The Herald's Portrait of the King is now out and everybody who has seen it is loud in praise of it. It can be secured by Herald readers for eight coupons and ten cents.

AROUND THE CITY

WESTMOUNT.

The Westmount Chess Club meets this evening in Victoria Hall.

The official board of Bethlehem Church meet this evening to decide the question of a new pastor for the church.

The Westmount Whist Club had quite a large number of members present at the reunion in Elm Hall last evening.

Mr. J. C. R. Laurandeau has started the construction of a large self-contained house on Western Avenue, near the corner of Clarke Avenue.

The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Thomas Ryan wife of Mr. Thomas Ryan, engineer of the Government buildings in Montreal, Department of Public Works, at the family residence, 4362 St. Catherine Street. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

There was not as good a turnout yesterday for the Westmount Ladies' Golf match as was expected, though those who were there enjoyed the afternoon. It was not a regular competition, more preliminary than anything else. The scores were entered in a book and will be judged later on for handicapping.

The census enumerators that have during the last couple of weeks been taking the census of Westmount, as ordered by the Town Council, have just completed their work. The figures have not been compiled as yet. Last year the population was a little over 7,800, but Secretary-Treasurer Minto stated that this year it will be close to 9,000. As soon as a population reaches 10,000, a city charter will be obtained. The property valuators who have already started their work will not complete it before the beginning of July.

Mount Royal Council, the new council of the Royal Arcanum, instituted in Westmount on May 6, held its second meeting in Victoria Hall last evening, and there was a large attendance of the members of the city councils. The degree team was present and put through the balance of the candidates, and by the beginning of June there will be a membership of fifty. This has been one of the best years of the Royal Arcanum in Montreal, the increase being 23 per cent. Dr. W. Grieve Nichol, deputy supreme regent, was present at last night's meeting.

A social was tendered last evening to Rev. and Mrs. R. Hopkin by the congregation of Bethlehem Church. Nearly every member of the congregation was present. Mayor Lighthall presided, and among the prominent clergymen present were Principal George, Rev. Dr. J. Edgar Hill, Rev. T. S. Williams, Rev. Mr. Pedley and Rev. D. S. Hamilton. During the course of the evening, which was spent in a friendly social way, Mr. H. J. Ross, on behalf of the congregation, presented Mr. Hopkin with an illuminated address. Mrs. Hopkin was made the recipient of a handsome silver service by the ladies of the church, the presentation being made by the Misses Wright and Moodie. Mr. Marquis, president of the Single Tax Association, was also present, and in recognition of the valuable services rendered the association by Mr. Hopkin, presented him with a leather travelling case.

POINT ST. CHARLES.

At the Grand Trunk Boting Club this evening will take place the weekly trial competitions. Four races will be pulled off.

Mr. W. P. Kennedy has been appointed captain of the Senior Point Lacrosse team, and Mr. L. Haggarty assistant captain. Mr. J. Saunders will captain the juniors.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Tattersall, 185 Ash Avenue, was on Saturday evening last the scene of a very pleasant surprise party, the occasion being the twentieth anniversary of their wedding day. Among those present were a number of the leading members of Centenary Church and the pupils of Mrs. Tattersall's Bible class. Among the presents donated were two handsome jardinieres and two pieces of hand painted chinaware. Addresses accompanied both gifts.

Secretary W. C. Montignani, of the Point Railway Association, presented his annual report at the Y.M.C.A. meeting, held last evening in the Dominion Square building. It showed that at present the Point Association had 163 members. During the year 59,581 visited the rooms, 4,311 slept in the rooms there was an average attendance of 23 at the Sunday tea meetings; 873 sick and injured men were visited. All the debts of the association have been paid, and there is at the present time a good balance on the right side of the ledger.

OPENING OF GALLERY BATH.

The formal opening of the Gallery Bath at Wellington Bridge, took place at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. A large number of invitations had been accepted and among those present were many of the members of the City Council and the leading citizens of Point St. Charles, and St. Ann's Ward. Among these were to be noticed Ald. Ames, chairman of the Health Committee; Ald. Roy, Sadler, Clearihue, Raby, Chausse, Robillard, Chevalier, Rev. Dr. Ker. Rev. Arthur French, Ald. Turner, Mr. G. Janier, superintendent Water Department; Ald. Wilson, A. Chausse, Building Inspector; W. B. Lockerby, Jas. Kenehan, B. Feeney, J. Slattery, T. O'Connell, and M. Mularkey. Ald. Ames, in announcing the opening of the bath, referred to the difficulty they had had in obtaining the necessary money, but he hoped that the time would soon come when they would be able to build a similar institution in every one of the wards in the city. Ald. Gallery followed, thanking the members of the Council, especially the members of the Health Committee and the Finance Committee, for the assistance they had given him in getting the bath. He also congratulated Mr. Archibald, the architect, and Mr. Gravel, the contractor, on the success of their efforts. The bath was then declared open to the public and in a few minutes a large number took a rather cold dip. Mr. John Tucker is caretaker of the new building.

BILE POISON IN THE SYSTEM

The Result of Deranged Liver--How the Other Organs Are Affected--Dr. Chass's Treatment for the Liver.

No organ in the human body has a greater influence on the general health than the liver.

A torpid, sluggish liver leaves poisonous, morbid bile in the blood, which upsets the action of the whole system.

There is indigestion, fulness, fermentation, flatulency and oppression in the stomach.

The tongue is coated, the head aches and there is loss of sleep, depression of spirits, and spells of dizziness and weakness.

The bowels are constipated and loose by turns, and griping pains are frequent.

The skin tells of the poisonous state of the blood, by pimples, blotches and liver spots.

In sympathy with the liver, the kidneys become clogged and inactive, the urine highly colored, and there are pains in the back and under the left shoulder blade.

Shortness of breath and palpitation of the heart and derangements of the menstrual functions are among the symptoms of liver complaint.

You should not expect to find all these symptoms in any one case, but if any of them are present, it is time to take prompt action to relieve the system of these morbid poisons.

The liver must have assistance.

The process of restoration will be hastened if the kidneys are also invigorated and strengthened.

Both these filtering systems are acted on directly and promptly by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

It is through the liver and kidneys alone that the blood can be freed of all impurities and the morbid matter which collects there when the liver is deranged.

Many a suffering man, many a despondent woman, has been cured of the above distressing ailments by the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, the only remedy that has a combined action on both liver and kidneys.

The wisdom of Dr. Chase in preparing this wonderful remedy has been proven in scores of thousands of cases of complicated diseases of the liver and kidneys, which could be reached by no other remedy.

You do not require faith to be cured by Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. The first dose will help you, and a few boxes at most will positively cure the most severe case of liver complaint or kidney disease. One pill a dose, 25 cents a box, at all dealers, or postpaid by Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

LABOR NEWS

(Contributed.)

A meeting of the Photo Engravers will be held at the Riendeau Hotel, 60 Jacques Cartier, Parlor 4, at 8 p.m., sharp to-morrow.

Since Mr. Mack has appointed himself a labor preacher, Bill Joyce, the well known labor preacher of Toronto, has elected himself a judge.

The executive committee of the Bookbinders' Union held a meeting last evening and decided to call an open meeting for organizing purposes next Monday evening in St. Joseph's Hall.

At the last meeting of the Bakers' Union, Mr. Joseph Berthiaume reported that an agreement had been arrived at with Mr. J. Lemieux, master baker, in regard to certain grievances. The union granted this baker the use of the union label.

During the past twenty-one years the International Cigar-makers' Union has paid benefits amounting to $4,737,550.59, divided as follows: Strike benefits, $838,074.32; sick, $1,453,050.33; death, $794,074.52; travelling, $735,267.15, and out-of-work, $917,112.35.

The legislative committee of the Toronto Trades and Labor Council has made a reply to the Hon. N. C. Wallace, who recently attacked Mr. D. J. O'Donoghue, fair wage officer for Canada. The committee states that Mr. O'Donoghue has the confidence of the organized workers, having been nineteen years secretary of one of the most important labor bodies in Ontario. It says "that the Labor Bureau, carried on as a purely popular and non-partizan department of the Government, will repay the outlay more than we can imagine."

The Painters' and Decorators' Union elected the following officers last evening: President, W. J. Lacroix; vice-president, T. H. Robertson; corresponding secretary, A. Narbonne; financial secretary, Fred. Gravel; treasurer, E. Trudel; conductor, O. Gaudry; sentinel, H. Ouimet; inspector, Fred. Ponton. Messrs. A. Narbonne and Fred. Gravel were elected delegates to the Federated Trades and Labor Council. Mr. Gravel will represent the union on the building trades section. The painters will meet on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 505 Craig street.

The carpenters and joiners held a large meeting last evening, President E. Berthiaume presiding. Mr. Jos. Ainey and Ed. Lefebvre addressed the gathering on unionism. Mr. Ainey stated the American contractors found means of obtaining contracts in Montreal and pay their employes from 50 cents to 75 cents a day more than Canadian contractors did their men. He thought that if the Canadian workers were organized they could compel Canadian contractors to pay them reasonable wages. As a result of the meeting, nine new candidates enrolled their names.

The regular meeting of the Amalgamated Sheet Metal Workers was held last evening in St. Joseph's Hall. A sum of money was voted to aid the members of the craft who were burned out by the fire in Jacksonville, Fla., recently. A proposition to establish a sick and death benefit fund was discussed at length. As the International Union only provides for strike funds, the benefit feature will be entirely under the jurisdiction of the local. It was stated that the journeymen sheet metal workers of Toronto had made a demand on their employers for a 50-hour week and a minimum wage rate of 27½ cents per hour for metal roofers and 22½ cents per hour for tinsmiths and general jobbers, but that the Montreal union had not yet decided to make any demands on the bosses for better conditions. The local union has at present 135 members.

MEETINGS THIS EVENING.

Boot and Shoe Lasters' Protective Union, in St. Joseph's Hall.

Iron Moulders' Union, in Labor Hall, corner St. Lambert Hill and Notre Dame street.

Heavy Carters' Union, in Chatham Hall, 134 Chatham street.

Mount Royal Lodge, International Association of Machinists, in Unity Hall, 590 Wellington street, Point St. Charles.

Brotherhood of United Shoemakers, at 1796 St. Catherine street.

Merchant Clerks' Union, in hall, 122 St. Denis street.

Amalgamated Plasterers' Union, in Blue Label Hall, 560 Dorchester street.

Amalgamated Society of Engineers and Machinists of Montreal, at 1140 Notre Dame street.

Independent Tailors' Union, at corner St. Elizabeth and St. Catherine streets.

BUYS MABOU COAL MINES

Halifax, N.S., May 22.—The Mabou coal mines, situated between Port Hood and Broad Cove, C.B., were sold on Saturday for $200,000. The purchaser was Charles Lionais, representing Canadian and American capitalists. The mines will be operated on a large scale.

FURNITURE CO. GOES UNDER.

Berlin, Ont., May 22.—The Berlin Furniture Company made an assignment yesterday to Philip Gies for the benefit of their creditors. A meeting of the latter was held last Saturday, when the firm's offer to compromise at 33 1-2 cents on the dollar was declined. The company's liabilities are about $48,000, and assets about $51,000. The largest unsecured creditor is Mr. Gies, whose claim is between $1,800 and $1,900. This firm erected one of the finest furniture factories in the province, and had only been in operation about seven months. The failure is attributed to insufficient capital, considering the heavy outlay incurred.

MAYOR MORRIS AT BUFFALO.

Buffalo, N.Y., May 21.—Hon. W. D. Morris, mayor of Ottawa, Ont., and his brother, Ald. F. F. Morris, of the same city, spent this forenoon as the guests of Fire Commissioner W. S. Grattan, inspecting Buffalo's fire fighting equipment. The mayor and his brother came to Buffalo as guests at the dedication of the Pan-American. "The Exposition surpassed my every expectation," said he. "It is but fitting, however, for your beautiful city. I cannot doubt its success."

KILLED BY A WAVE.

Halifax, May 21.—A cablegram from Montevideo, says the ship Savonia has put in there with the captain and three of her crew dead. They were killed by a gigantic wave, which broke over the ship. Captain Hedley McDougall, who commanded, was a native of Maitland, N.S.

DISTRICT NEWS

BUCKINGHAM.

Buckingham, May 21.—(Special.)—The Lawn Tennis Club of this town held its third annual general meeting on Friday evening at the residence of Mr. Albert Maclaren. In the absence of the president, the vice-president, J. M. Lough, occupied the chair. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, J. M. Lough; vice-president, A. A. Anderson; secretary-treasurer, F. Hurst; committee, W. E. Middleton, W. T. Gibbs; ladies' committee, Misses Higginson, Maclaren and Stuart. It is probable that a number of games will be played with outside clubs during the season. An invitation from the Carleton Place Club has been received, and the Hawkesbury Club will probably play here on Dominion Day. The secretary is in communication with other clubs also.

The Buckingham Creamery is now in operation, and is supplying the stores with creamery butter.

Mr. J. E. Valillee, manager of the James Maclaren Lumber Company, has been confined to the house for the past few weeks with bronchitis.

RICHMOND.

Richmond, May 21.—(Special.)—Miss Marie Louise Bedard, eldest daughter of the late Chas. Bedard, and a niece of Joseph Bedard, ex-M.P.P., was married in the Roman Catholic Church at Richmond this morning to J. S. Vallancourt, G.T.R. telegraph despatcher. Miss Bedard made a charming bride, dressed in black silk trimmed with silver passementerie.

BROCKVILLE.

Brockville, May 21. — (Special.)—Last night the new canoes recently purchased by the Brockville Athletic Club were launched in the presence of a large crowd. Geo. W. Graham, M.P.P., treasurer of the club, performed the baptismal service, christening the war canoe Wauk-a-Pata, which in English signifies "Lightning," while the four-paddle canoe was named Nina-Sapa, or Chief Black. The war canoe was given a trial whirl, and the crew were delighted with her movements. The four is also a beauty, and was given a trial spin, giving every satisfaction. After the canoes had been returned to their quarters an entertainment and assembly was given at the club's quarters, which proved a most enjoyable affair. The war canoe was the gift of the honorary members of the club.

W. R. Beatty, M.P.P., of Parry Sound, was in town to-day en route to Ingraham, N.S., where he goes as general manager of a large lumber company. He will retain his seat in the Ontario Legislature until the general election.

At the Police Court this morning the Hayes family, mother and three daughters, were sentenced to the Mercer reformatory, the mother 23 months, and the daughters, 18, 15 and 12 months respectively. Their children were taken in charge by the Children's Aid Society. The family came from the vicinity of Delta.

CASCADES POINT.

Cascades Point, May 22.—(Special.)—The Bell Telephone Company has just acquired Mr. L. A. Sauve's telephone line between Coteau du Lac and Cascades Point, thus connecting these two villages with the main line of the Bell. By this Cedars and Cascades Point will have direct connections with the Bell circle. Parties telephoning to these places will be glad to learn that they can talk direct and at a single fare.

COTEAU LANDING.

Coteau Landing, May 22.—An accident which might have proved fatal occurred here to-day at the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation wharf. Mr. Hector Langlois, merchant, of this locality, drove his two sisters to the pier to take the steamer which was going down the rapids, thence to Montreal, when the horse suddenly became unmanageable. The two young ladies jumped off the carriage unhurt, but Mr. Hector Langlois fell, with the horse and carriage, into the deep water, and was rescued, but not without difficulty, from his perilous position by the people who were in waiting for the steamer. The two young ladies' satchels, which were in the carriage, and said to contain valuables, were lost. Search is being made, but nothing was found up to a late hour last night.

ST. LAMBERT.

St. Lambert, May 22.—The pattiwalk surrounding the St. Barnabas Church is sadly in need of repair, and should be looked after at once.

On Saturday evening last, on the occasion of his approaching marriage(which happy event took place last Tuesday), Mr. Edward Desaulnier, notary, was waited upon at his brother's residence, Victoria Avenue, by a large circle of friends, and presented with a congratulatory address, accompanied by a purse of gold, as a token of the esteem in which he is held by them.

A baseball match was to have taken place on Saturday afternoon between the Stars of your city, and our local club, on the grounds of the latter, but was not played owing to the inclement weather.

Mr. Roslyn Hart, of Hutchinson Street, your city, was a visitor to our town last Sunday.

On Thursday evening there was quite a large audience in the St Barnabas school house to listen to a missionary address, accompanied with acetylene gas views, on Moosonee, by Rev. Mr. Swindlehurst. The rector, Rev. Wm. J. Dart, M.A., occupied the chair, and introduced the lecturer.

The weekly visits of our scavengers commenced last Monday evening, but a great many of the residences were not visited. It is to be trusted, now the warm weather is approaching, that for the future there may be no house omitted in their rounds.

Mr. George N. Mowat, of Colin McArthur & Co., paid a visit to his friends here last Sunday afternoon.

There was a public meeting called for Saturday evening, by Mayor Wickham, in the Town Hall, to consider the proposition of electric lighting the town, and also the improvement of our roads, which was well attended.

SHERBROOKE.

Sherbrooke, May 21.—(Special.) — The eleven-year-old daughter of Joseph Desrocher, of Propoles, Que., died in the Megantic train between Lennoxville and Sherbrooke, yesterday forenoon, as she was being brought to the Catholic Hospital in Sherbrooke. It appears that she was caught in a revolving belt in her father's saw-mill on Saturday, and before the machinery could be stopped she was hurled three times round the shaft. Both of her legs were broken, one in three places, also one of her arms. She was also injured internally. It was decided to send her to Sherbrooke, but she was unable to stand the journey, having breathed her last just as the train stopped for a moment at the diamond crossing near Lennoxville. The Coroner was notified, but did not deem it necessary to hold an inquest. The remains were taken to her late home last evening.

At the annual meeting of the St. Jean Society, held on Sunday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, N. S Bourque; first vice-president, Mr. T. Belanger; second vice-president, Mr. D. O. E. Denault; treasurer, Mr. P. Bosquet; secretary, Mr. L. H. Brodeur de Lavigne; assistant secretary, Mr. Gus Richard; marshal, Leon Carroll, assistant marshals, Messrs. T. Tremblay and Geo. Boulanger; members of committee, Messrs. J. A. Chicoyne, M. L.A., Moise Audette, L. C. Belanger, K.C., I. Despailais, F. Godbout, A. C. Miquelon, F. H. Hebert, J. L. Mathieu, J. P. Royer, T. A. Bourque, T. Pelletier; physician, Dr. Godbout; chaplain, Rev. J. A. Lefebvre. The society will celebrate St. Jean Baptiste Day on the 24th of June, but the arrangements have not yet been formulated just as to what form the celebration will take.

The city is now practically free from scarlet fever. There has been but one case known to the health authorities.

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R. Arcanum—Wellington, 713 Wellington.
A.O.U.W.—Federation, Masonic Temple.
S.O.E.B.S.—Lincoln, at St. Lambert.
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Montreal, 2472 St. Catherine.
St. Charles, St. Charles Hall.
Belle Rive, 1342 St. Catherine.
Alexandre, 280 Richmond.
Carillon, 149 Berri.
Bonsecours, Lady Companions, 140 Berri. 3 p.m.
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A.O.H.—Division 6, 816 St. Lawrence.
All. Nationale—Ville Marie, 1342 St. Catherine.
St. Joseph, 306 Richmond.
St. Henri, 3665 Notre Dame.
Delorimier, 29a Brebeuf.
Artizans' Society—Notre Dame, 1717 Notre Dame.

NEW TENT OF THE MACABEES.

Mr. E. H. Hollingsworth, organizer for the Province of Quebec, has just instituted a tent of the Maccabees at Danville, Que., with the following as its first officers:—Sir Knight M. Nutting, past commander; A. E. Leet, commander; R. J. Johnston, lieutenant commander; George H. Johnston, record keeper and finance keeper; O. M. J. Ingalls, chaplain; Dr. G. L. McKee, physician; F. E. Leet, sergeant; M. Andrews, master-at-arms; F. E. McKenney, first master of guard; G. R. Skilling, second master of guard; C. A. Burbank, sentinel; C. W. Lexson, picket.

ROYAL TEMPLARS.

Union Council, No. 85, has amalgamated with Metropolis Council, No. 5, Royal Templars of Temperance. The united councils will meet every Friday evening in York Chambers, 2444a St. Catherine Street.

CANADIAN FORESTERS.

M. E. R. Bouchard, organizer, assisted by Mr. T. J. Patenaude, D.D.H.C.R., of Montreal West, has just instituted a new court of the Canadian Order of Foresters at St. Elizabeth, a suburb just west of St. Henri. The new court, which will be known as Court Le Bruyere, will meet on the second and last Fridays of the month. Dr. Leduc was installed as chief ranger and M. Decarie as financial secretary.

Messrs. James Cooper and E. R. Bouchard spent last week in Valleyfield, Que., with the result that Courts Anchor and Valleyfield admitted 80 new members.

MONTREAL LODGE, A.O.U.W.

Montreal Lodge, No. 1, A.O.U.W., will hold a special meeting at the Monument National this evening, when about 100 new members will be admitted.

COLUMBUS LODGE, A.O.U.W.

Columbus Lodge, No. 26, held its first meeting in its new hall at 2472 St. Catherine Street on Monday evening. Master Workman J. Leroux presided, and Grand Inside Watchman T. Brady was present and delivered an address in the interest of the order.

ST. GEORGE'S LODGE, No. 10, A.F. & A.M.

At the regular communication of St. George's Lodge, No. 10, A.F. & A.M., Q.R., in the Masonic Temple, on Tuesday evening, W. Bro. Dr. Max Lauterman, W.M., presided at the social board, and among those who responded to the various toasts were M.W. Bro. A. A. Stevenson, P.G.M., and R.W. Bro. the Rev. E. Friedlander, Past Grand Chaplain.

IONIC LODGE, A.F. & A.M.

At the regular communication of Ionic Lodge, No. 54, A.F. & A.M., Q.R., held in the Masonic Temple on Monday evening, the regular business was concluded early, and W. Bro. Dr. E. D. Aylen, W. M. W. Bro. J. E. Rawstrom, I.P.M., R. W. Bro. J. L. Flanagan, Disarict Grand Chaplain, and some thirty officers and members of the lodge and sister lodges paid a fraternal visit to Eastern Star Lodge, No. 74, in Unity Hall, 1149 Notre Dame Street, where they received a cordial welcome. The visitors were afterwards entertained socially with W. Bro. James Kamberry, W.M., in the chair, when the usual toasts were honored, and a fine musical programme carried out, the toast to Ionic Lodge being given a special place.

ST. GEORGE'S LODGE, No. 440, A.F. & A.M.

St. George's Lodge, No. 440, A.F. & A.M., E.R., held an enthusiastic communication in the rooms, 2204 St. Catherine Street, on Tuesday evening, and at the conclusion of the regular work the large number of visitors were most hospitably entertained, with W. Bro. Wm. McGilton, W. M., presiding. Some fine old English songs were given in the manner characteristic of St. George's, and among those who acknowledged the several toasts were R. W. Bros. H. Dunne and C. J. Williams, and W. Bros. W. T. H. Sprague, James Kamberry, J. S. Thompson, Dr. Lauterman, J. E. Rawstrom, Wm. Maynard and D. R. Kennedy.

NEWS NOTES

FOREIGN.

It is officially announced that Queen Draga to-day resumed her place at the royal table.

Chopgongski, president of the Corean Privy Council, has been transferred to the Ministry of Justice. He has been the chief promoter of the French loan, and this is taken to indicate that the loan will not be concluded.

According to a despatch from St. Petersburg to the Berliner Neueste Nachrichten engineers have laid before M. Dewitte, the Russian Minister of Finance, plans for connecting the Black Sea with the Caspian Sea by a canal 550 versts long, and costing 300,000,000 roubles.

ONTARIO.

Parade of the Toronto garrison was the largest ever held, 2,000 men being present.

Mr. George H. Elliott, of Chesley, was killed by a runaway team running into his buggy.

James Acker, of Port Dover, who shot himself at the Campbell House, Caledonia, died of the wound.

Mr. G. W. Dawson, formerly Liberal organizer for Eastern Ontario, is mentioned for the appointment of second inspector of penitentiaries, to be created by the Government.

Horse thieves are still operating in West Zorra. Some time last night the premises of two farmers in that township were visited and a horse, harness and buggy taken.

A country storekeeper, Mr. Robert Azar, who comes from Manitowaning on Island in the Manitoulin group, fell into the hands of sharpers on Friday evening in London, and was relieved of $300 in cash.

Rev. Dr. Workman on Saturday evening concluded a series of eighteen Saturday night lectures on the Book of Isaiah, in Central Methodist Church, Toronto, and the occasion was marked by the presentation to the lecturer of an address, accompanied by a purse of $250 in gold.

Mr. George E. Fisher, Provincial San Jose scale inspector, says the apple and peach trees in the Niagara peninsula have a light bloom; no doubt owing to the heavy crop of last year. In the case of plums, pears, cherries and strawberries, the crop promises to be exceptionally heavy, at least so far as can be judged from the blossoms.

MARITIME PROVINCES.

Dr. Goodwin, whose subject was materia medica at the Halifax Medical College, has also resigned.

During blasting operations at the Sissiboo Pulp and Paper Company's mills in Weymouth, a man named Melanson had his head blown off.

C. F. Andrews has sold a gold mining property at Isaac's Harbor for $30,000 to G. H. Partington, who is acting for himself and American capitalists.

The epidemic of measles at Springhill, N.S., is still rampant. Men, women and children have been smitten. Seventeen deaths, nearly all children, were reported last week.

As a reward for extending the hospitality of his home to Mr. and Mrs. George Cole, of New York, Mr. Michael Murphy, of Woodstock, N.B., is minus $225 in cash and a diamond ring.

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WILL NOW CHARGE FOR MEDICINES

Montreal General Hospital Makes Innovations With a View to Increasing Revenue.

How to increase the revenue of the Montreal General Hospital was the principal question considered at the meeting of the governors of that institution yesterday afternoon. From June 1, patients at the hospital will be charged, for their medicine, 10 cents for the first prescription, including the bottle, and 5 cents for each refilling. It was also suggested to increase the number of canvassers and give each one smaller districts to cover than at present. Charges could also be made for dressings. In the event of any patient claiming inability to pay, no charge will be made, but a record will be kept of such cases, and referred to the general secretary of the Charity Organization Society to report thereon.

Dr. John McCrae was appointed resident assistant pathologist; Dr. Von Eberts was continued in the office of medical superintendent, and Miss Livingston as lady superintendent. During the year 49 life governors had been elected. The indoor patients during the year had numbered 3,178, and the outdoor patients 41,606. It was suggested that the hospital year, instead of running as it does from April 30 to April 30, it should run from January 1 to December 31. The annual meeting of the corporation will take place on the third Tuesday in February instead of on the third Tuesday in May. The following were unanimously elected life governors:—Miss Sarah K. Benny, Mrs. Jessie M. Moyse, a friend, Robert W. Houston, Henry Wener, J. P. Mullarkey, T. G. Shaughnessy, Geo. Olds, Sir Christopher Furness, M.P., Percival W. St. George, C. E., Henry Miles, Charles C. Gurd, B.A., M.D., and Mrs. James Williamson.

Last year's expenditure had been $84,280, while the income had been but $75,994, making a deficit of $8,286. Last year's deficiency was $14,149, now making a total debit balance of $25,000.

At the meeting of the corporation of the hospital, the following were elected governors:—One year, Donald Robertson; two years, C. P. Hebert, W. E. Cheese, Martin Eagan, George R. Lighthall, Captain Archibald Reid, Thomas McHattie.

MACHINISTS NOW ON STRIKE

Washington, May 22.—President O'Connell, of the International Association of Machinists, estimates that the number of machinists engaged in the strike to-day is 40,000.

"By next Monday morning," he said, "probably ninety per cent. of the men who went out will be back at work with their demands granted. The other ten per cent. are mostly on the Pacific Coast, and in several Ohio cities. San Francisco is the only place where we look for a protracted strike. The situation is unchanged and the strike may cover several weeks. No important developments are reported at Cincinnati, though about fifteen small firms have signed the agreements. The situation also is unchanged at Hamilton, Dayton, and Alliance, Ohio, and Tacoma and Seattle, Wash. Reports from all other sections indicate that negotiations are progressing and that agreements are in sight."

President Mulholland, of the Allied Metal Trades Association, comprising the semi-skilled men in machine shops, has notified the machinists' headquarters here that he is ready to order out his men whenever the latter body shall deem it necessary. The strike leaders, however, do not care to involve any more men in the movement than is necessary and the indications are that there will be no general augmentation of the force of strikers by the Allied men.

Kansas City advices indicate that nine firms there signed to-day, leaving approximately 300 men still out. All of the fourteen firms in Hoboken, N.J., have signed. In Buffalo 22 firms are reported as having made agreements with the strikers. At Sharon, Pa., the Continental Iron Company has signed and the Hazleton Iron Works and the Janesville Iron Works at Hazleton, Pa., have made the concessions.

IN POLICE CIRCLES.

Before Magistrate Lafontaine, Albert Landon, a school boy, aged 15 years, pleaded guilty to the theft of a prayer book in the S. Carsley departmental store. He will be sentenced on Wednesday next.

Before Mr. Recorder Weir Joseph Goldberg was fined $1 or 8 days for peddling without a license.

Joseph Arcand, a licensed carter, was fined $6 or 1 month for cruelty to a horse, by using it while suffering from a sore on its back.

Amade Brunet, a hackman at the Place Viger Station, was let off with a fine of $1 or 8 days, for refusing to obey the orders of Special Constable Demers in getting away from in front of the station when told to do so.

ST. JEAN BAPTISTE SOCIETY.

A meeting of the presidents of the various sections of the St. Jean Baptiste Society was held last night, when the route for the procession on June 24 was decided upon. The various sections will muster at points most convenient to them and proceed then to Papineau Square. From there the procession will go by way of Craig, Notre Dame, Dufresne, Ct. Catherine, St. Hubert, Ontario, DeLorimier and Rachel to Logan Park. The following were named as a committee to organize a programme for the day's amusements: Messrs. P. L. Perron, G. Hebert, L. Turgeon, F. Laberge, M. Campeau, A. Comte and C. Guimond.

OTTAWA'S NEW THEATRE.

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—The plans for the new theatre to replace the Russell Theatre destroyed by fire a few months ago were filed at the office of the City Building Inspector this morning. The new building will cost $45,000 and will have a seating capacity of 1,850 or four hundred in excess of the old building. The value of the new building $45,000, is about half of what the original theatre cost.

HIS DEATH A CONFESSION.

Cambridge, Mass., May 22.—Fred C. Foster, of Cambridgeport, who was under suspicion of the police in connection with the explosion which wrecked the Cambridgeport National Bank here yesterday, committed suicide by shooting to-day in the presence of a police officer who had called on Mr. Foster to make inquiries. Mr. Foster was 43 years old.

SIX MEN DEPORTED.

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—Inspector Williams, of the Department of Labor has deported six men from Little Current, Ontario, for violation of the Alien Labor Law.

The Capital team will be picked to-night.

THE BERNIER EXPEDITION

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—The Prime Minister made the following statement in the House, in reply to Mr. Clarke, in regard to the Government's attitude towards Captain Bernier's expedition:

"The Government has come to no conclusion with regard to the expedition of Captain Bernier to the north pole, and has not thought it advisable to ask Parliament to vote any appropriation this session. I understand from information supplied to me personally, and I believe supplied to members of the House generally, by Captain Bernier himself, that he expects his contemplated expedition would cost in the neighborhood of $120,000. Captain Bernier has asked the Government to give $60,000, or half the cost. I repeat that the Government has not thought fit to ask Parliament for this appropriation; not that the Government would not be disposed to contribute generously to such an object as that, but the Government did not think it would serve any good purpose to vote any sum to Captain Bernier unless there was some reasonable expectation that the balance of the money required would be contributed. I have no authority at this moment to speak for the Government, but speaking for myself personally, my dispotition would be to aid Captain Bernier if there were resources coming from outside which would enable the expedition to take place.

BERNIER MAY LECTURE.

Ottawa, May 22.—Captain J. E. Bernier has received an offer of $40,000 from F. C. Stein, of New York, to tour Canada with his new scenic and sensational production written specially around the incidents connected with the captain's life and trip to the pole, entitled "To the North Pole," now booking throughout Canada, conditional on his appearing at least 150 times. He is considering the offer, which, with funds already subscribed and collected, would enable him to meet the Government's requirements and entitle him to the grant asked for. A fresh effort is now being made to get the amount voted before the adjournment.

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Steamship Sarmatian, 2430, Fairfull, Glasgow, H. & A. Allan, general.

Steamship Daventry, 1578, Wilson, Three Rivers, McLean, Kennedy & Co., light.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Manchester Corporation, Williams, Furness, Withy & Co. Moored opposite Custom House.

Kipunguam, Johnston, McLean, Kennedy & Co. Moored at Hochelaga.

Montcalm, Webster, Elder, Dempster & Co. Moored at foot of Berri street.

Albanian, Ridley, F. Leyland & Co. Moored at Windmill Point.

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STEAMSHIP MOVEMENTS.

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M. Commerce	Montreal	Manchester	11
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Orcadian	Glasgow	St. Lawrence	11
Boliviana	Antwerp	Montreal	11
New England	Queenstown	Boston	11
Wassau	Liverpool	Montreal	14
Tartar	Yokohama	Vancouver	14
Kastalia	Montreal	Glasgow	15
Buenos Ayrean	Montreal	Glasgow	16
Europa	Barbadoes	Montreal	18
Lusitania	Liverpool	St. Lawrence	16
Tunisian	Montreal	Liverpool	18
Laurentian	Glasgow	New York	18
Livonian	Glasgow	St. Lawrence	18
Saxonia	Liverpool	Boston	20
Montezuma	London	Montreal	20
Ratulin Head	Montreal	Belfast	21
L. Champlain	Liverpool	Montreal	21

SMALLPOX AMONGST PASSENGERS.

New York, May 21.—The Anchor Line steamer California arrived to-day from Naples with 1,166 Italian steerage passengers, and was detained at quarantine because smallpox had broken out among the passengers. One patient has developed the disease, and three others have been picked out as suspected cases. Health Officer Doty says the patients will be removed and the steamer disinfected.

A NEW ALLAN LINER.

The Messrs. Allan have arranged to put into their Liverpool mail line for service during the current season the new twin-screw steamship Australasian. She is a large modern vessel, 457 feet long between the perpendiculars, 58 feet beam, 31 feet depth of hold, and her gross register tonnage is 7,765 tons, builders' measurement.

The builders, Messrs. Denny & Co., of Glasgow, have followed the plan adopted for the Bavarian, which vessel was built by them. The first and second cabin saloons are on the spar deck amidships, and all the first cabin rooms are also on this deck. The steamer's open spaces for purpose of ventilation are more abundant than in steamers intended for trans-Atlantic service, and while the passenger accommodation is not extensive, the accommodation is of a very superior class. The promenade deck is exceptionally fine and affords full space for deck chairs for all passengers without interfering with the freedom of movement of those who desire to promenade. The music room and smoking room are on this deck.

The second cabin staterooms, dining saloon, and smoking room are about equal to the first. The rooms accommodate 106 passengers; 14 two-berth cabins and 92 in four-berth cabins. These rooms are located amidships on the upper deck, immediately under the first-class rooms. The second cabin smoking room is on the after end of the promenade deck. The lavatory and bathroom accommodation is most ample, and of the latest and most luxurious description.

There is a full installation of electric light throughout the ship. She also has bilge keels to insure steadiness.

Her refrigerator facilities are unique in North Atlantic trade. They occupy about 260,000 cubic feet of space, being about one-half of the ship's cargo capacity. They are fitted with very powerful machinery, arranged for maintaining a temperature in the holds as low as 10 or 11 degrees Fah. on a tropical voyage, and are thus suitable for chilled meats, provisions, butter, and any kind of cargo for which refrigerated stowage is desirable. The refrigeration is all done by means of cold air led through air trunks to different parts of the holds and between decks. The ventilation is provided by means of a large steam-drawn fan, which both sends the air, after it has passed over the cooling pipes, to all parts of the cold space, and also exhausts the warm air from suitable points in the various holds. The refrigerated space is divided up into nine distinct compartments, with the means of regulating the amount of cooling air supplied to each, so as to maintain in each compartment any desired temperature through the voyage.

GENERAL NOTES.

The Leyland Line steamer Belgian arrived at London on the 21st inst. from Quebec.

The Allan Line steamer Corinthian, from Montreal, arrived at Moville at 11.30 a.m. on Tuesday.

The depth of water in the Montreal channel on May 21 was 32 feet 8 inches; at Sorel it was 33 feet 4 inches.

The Dominion Line steamship Ottoman, from Liverpool May 11, arrived at Portland at 5 a.m. Tuesday, May 21.

The Elder, Dempster & Co. steamship Lake Megantic, from Montreal, arrived at Liverpool at 8 p.m. Monday, May 20.

The Ottawa River Navigation Company has just issued an interesting book of snap shots on the Ottawa River and Rideau lakes.

The Elder, Dempster & Co. steamship Lake Champlain sailed from Liverpool for Montreal yesterday at 5 p.m., with passengers and a general cargo.

It was learned yesterday that the steamship Crewe, before reported ashore at St. Mary's Bay, will be a total loss. The ship's bottom is severely damaged fore and aft, and that efforts made to refloat her have been useless.

The old steamer Napierville, which foundered near Vercheres last fall, passed the winter under the ice at Sorel. The Sincennes-McNaughton Line purchased the hull.

The steamship Norsman has sailed from Boston for Liverpool with 166,717 bushels of wheat and 105,246 bushels of corn.

The Chicago steamship Northwestern, which ran aground in Galops Rapids, near Cardinal, Ont., has replaced her damaged plates and will sail at daybreak to-morrow for Liverpool.

CAPTAIN KNOCKED OVERBOARD.

Parrsboro, May 22.—Capt. Skaling, of the schooner Maud, was knocked overboard by a jibing boom and drowned, while on voyage from St. Martin's for Cambridge, N.S.

COMMISSIONER FROM THE STATES

Is Here Investigating the Italian Immigration From Canada. Irregularities Alleged.

Mr. Robert Watchorn, special commissioner of the United States Government, is here from Washington for the purpose of making a full investigation into the entire system of immigration of Italians and persons of Eastern European origin into the United States.

Mr. Watchorn arrived here two days ago, and he has been in communication with the principal railway officials on the subject. To-day he is in Quebec conferring with the railway and steamship officials there, but to-morrow he is expected to return to Montreal to resume his enquiry here.

From railway sources it is learned that Mr. Watchorn has made representations to the effect that grave complaints are continually being made to the United States Government with regard to the number of Italians who enter the country through Canada, and to the irregular manner in which the traffic is conducted.

It is believed by the United States authorities that numbers of Italians who have been rejected at New York as undesirable immigrants have come on to Canada and have, notwithstanding their previous rejection, succeeded in entering the States by way of Montreal. They are, a class of immigrants whom the United States Government are not at all anxious to see enter the country.

When Mr. Watchorn explained the objects of his mission to the principal officials in the passenger department of the railways here he was assured of their full sympathy with the movement to keep out undesirable immigrants; everything possible was done to prevent immigrants from entering the United States who had not passed the inspecting officers.

HOUSE WEARING A PROROGATION AIR

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—The House wore a prorogation air this forenoon.

Mr. Fitzpatrick introduced a bill authorizing the Quebec Harbor Commissioners to loan the elevatory company at Quebec $300,000 at 2 per cent. interest. This was an amendment of an existing act. It was read the first time.

In reply to E. W. Clarke, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the Government had not considered what it would do if an application were made to erect a monument or tablet to General Montgomery at Quebec. It would be time enough to consider the matter when the application was made.

When the sessional indemnity bill was under consideration, Dr. Sproule called attention to the fact that provision should be made to make members attend more regularly by cutting down the time for which members are paid their indemnity when absent.

The Premier said this was a matter worthy attention.

Colonel Hughes thought members should get a premium for being compelled to listen to long speeches.

Sir Richard Cartwright—I am afraid the only remedy for short speeches will be to abolish Hansard.

The bill was put through committee and read a third time.

The Northwest Territories Representation Act was dropped and a number of other Government bills were advanced a stage.

On motion to go into supply, Mr. Kaulbach brought up the subject of the Bond-Blaine treaty. He said that it would be disastrous to the fisheries of the Maritime Provinces for the Government to concur in the view that Newfoundland should be permitted to enter into a treaty of the character mentioned. Canada now enjoyed the rights of a co-equal interest in the fisheries of Newfoundland, just as Newfoundland had in the fisheries of Canada. If the treaty were sanctioned, the Maritime Provinces would be deprived of the fishing industry entirely. The treaty would also affect the farmers as well as the fishermen. He wanted to see the fisheries enjoyed by the people of Newfoundland and Canada as common property. He denied the statement made by Mr. Bond, that Newfoundland was not giving any fishery concessions to the United States. On the contrary, the United States was to have the privilege of catching their own fish in Newfoundland waters, and in addition they were supplied with bait and crews to man their vessels. The treaty if ratified would destroy the shipping of the Maritime Provinces as well, because they would be deprived not only of catching the fish, but of carrying them as well. He spoke of the advantage of a happy union between Canada and Newfoundland.

R. L. Borden, leader of the Opposition, moved the following resolution: "That this House is of opinion that the expenditure for the year ending July 30, 1901, and the proposed expenditure for the year ending June, 1902, are excessive and extravagant and it regrets that the Government, with an exceptionally large revenue at its command, has not only failed to reduce but largely increased the public debt, and has not shown appreciation of the extreme difficulty, if not impossibility, of reducing in future years the very high expenditure fixed in the years of prosperity."

City News in Brief.

NEW BANK BRANCH.—A branch of the Bank of Montreal will be opened at Glace Bay, N.S., immediately.

EUCHRE PARTY.—A euchre party will be given by the ladies of charity of St. Patrick's parish, on Thursday evening, May 23, in their hall, on St. Alexander Street.

[illegible] FACTORY.—A blaze started yesterday among a quantity of lambskins in the cellar of the Hudson Bay Knitting Company's factory, but little damage was done.

SAILORS' CONCERT.—The concert at the Sailors' Institute was presided over by Capt. Bales, the following taking part in an excellent programme:—Miss Pauline McNamara, Miss Barker, Miss Nellie McIntosh, Messrs. Montague Davis, Charles Kelly, Stead, Smith, Taylor, Jenkins, Jones, James McLean, and Wm. Greenwood. Miss Mildred Meyers and Miss Maud Park made efficient accompanists.

AT BARON DE HIRSCH SCHOOL.—Empire Day will be observed at the Baron de Hirsch Institute. The Hirsch Cadets will parade in uniform at the Drill Hall at 9 a.m. At 10 a.m. Principal Baker will give a patriotic address on the subject of "England's Edwards." The girls will give a display of their flag and musical drill and patriotic songs will be sung.

STANDARD SHIRT COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Standard Shirt Company, Limited, was held at the offices of the company, De Lorimier avenue, on Monday, May 20th. The report of the directors of the year's business was considered satisfactory, and the usual dividend of 8 per cent. was paid. In view of the increased business of the company, it was decided to make application for "supplementary letters patent" for power to increase the capital stock from $200,000 to $1,000,000. The company now employ 1,000 hands, and make frequent shipments of their goods to South Africa and Australia, as well as supplying the home market.

ST. LOUIS COUNCIL.

At the meeting of the Town Council of St Louis du Mile End last night Mr. E. Taillefer, counsel for Mr. Z. Roy, applied to have the vote limiting the number of hotel licenses to 15, re-considered. The Council refused, but it stated afterwards that the matter would be re-opened at the meeting next Tuesday. When Mr. Roy made his application for a hotel license, a petition was presented to the counsel opposing the license. It was later on discovered that two names on the petition had been forged and George Walters was arrested in connection with the case. The matter is now pending in the courts. Mr. Taillefer argued that there was no oppositon to his client being granted a license and the Council should do him justice and reconsider its vote, so that he could be given an hotel license. He was supported by Councillors Gohier and Chinic. The other councillors, however, refused to reconsider and the matter was left over. A letter was read from Mr. M. Ducharme, piano manufacturer, asking an exemption from taxes.

KILLED BY BICYCLISTS.

Stratford, May 22.—George Russell McLean, aged 9 years, son of Thomas McLean, car inspector, G.T.R., was crossing the street last night about 9 o'clock, the electric light not being lit at the time, when he was run into by three young men who were riding their bicycles at a rapid pace. The boy was struck on the head, receiving injuries which brought on convulsions, and he died early this morning. An inquest will be held. One of the men, Ben Silivant, threw himself from his wheel and in doing so sustained a dislocated shoulder and a broken finger.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

AFTERNOON BOARD SALES.

250 Pacific at 104.
100 Pacific at 103½.
100 Pacific at 103¾.
75 Pacific at 103½.
25 Pacific at 103½.
75 Street Railway at 285¼.
75 Light and Power at 95½.
4 Light and Power at 95.
25 Light and Power at 95¼.
25 Dominion Cotton at 73¼.
25 Twin City at 76½.
100 Twin City at 76½.
25 Dominion Coal at 35½.
100 Iron and Steel at 33½.
100 New Street at 284.
25 New Street at 284.
25 Dominion Cotton at 72½.
500 Republic at 15.
$5,000 L. Pulp Co. Bonds at 105.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

The following quotations were received by C. D. Monk over J. S. Bache & Co.'s private wire at 3 o'clock:

DESCRIPTION.	May 21. Op.	May 21. Cl.	May 22 Op.	May 22 Cl.
Am. Tobacco	125	126¼	126¼	126
do do pref	....	....	....	....
Am. Sugar Rfg. Co	146	147¼	147¼	148¼
do. do. pref	....	....	....	....
Anaconda Mining Co	47	47	47¼	48
Atch., Top. & St. F	77	77¾	77½	78¼
do. do. pref	97	98	98¼	98
American Steel & W	....	....	....	....
Baltimore and Ohio	103¼	105¼	104¾	105
do do pref	93	93¼	93¾	93¾
Brooklyn Rapid T	75	76	75¾	76½
Canadian Pacific	103¼	102¼	103¼	103
Canada Southern	....	....	....	....
Ches. & Ohio	48¼	48¾	48¾	49¾
Chicago, Burl. & Quincy	....	....	115	....
Chicago Gas	113½	115¾	....	114¾
Chicago & North Western	....	....	153¼	....
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific	152	....	161½	154
Chicago, Mi. & St. Paul	160¼	161¾	56	162
Continental Tobco., com	55¼	56	108	55¼
do do pref	107	108	220¾	10
Consolidated Gas, N.Y.	219	221¼	....	220
Colorado Fuel and Iron	....	....	....	....
Cleveland C. C. & St. L.	80¾	81¼	....	81½
Delaware, Lack & West	....	....	....	218
Delaware & Hudson	162¼	162¼	....	163¼
Denver & Rio G, com	....	9¾	....	....
Denver & Rio G, pref xd.	....	....	....	....
Duluth, Sth., Sh. & Atl.	....	10¼	....	9½
do. do pref.	....	19	....	19¾
Federal Steel	....	....	....	....
do do pref	....	....	....	....
General Electric	220¼	222¾	223	223
Ill. Central	....	....	....	....
Jersey Central	....	....	....	160½
Kansas & Texas pfd.	....	....	....	....
Lake Erie & Western	....	....	....	....
do do. pref	....	....	....	....
U.S. Steel com	43	44¼	44½	44¼
do do pref	92¾	93¼	93	93¼
Louisville & Nashville	10 ¾	102¾	103	103¼
Manhattan Elevated xd.	112	114¼	114	114
Missouri Pacific	102½	104¾	104	104½
Metropolitan Traction	165¼	167¼	167½	166¼
National Lead Co	21¼	22¼	23	22¾
do. pref	....	....	....	....
Northern Pac., com. new	....	....	....	160
do do pref.	....	98¼	....	....
N.Y. Central & Hudson	150¼	15 ¾	151¾	151¾
N.Y. Lake Erie and W.	36¾	38¼	38	41
do do. II. pref	51¼	53¾	....	....
do do. I. pref	66¼	67¼	67¼	68¾
N.Y. Ontario & Western	31¾	37¾	32¼	33¼
N.Y. Air Brake Co	....	....	....	....
Omaha com	....	....	....	....
Pacific Mail	34¼	35¼	....	....
Pressed Stel, Com	....	....	44	45
do do pref	....	....	....	....
Phil. & Reading, all paid	40¼	41¾	41	42¾
Pullman	....	....	....	....
Southern Railway, com.	29¼	30	30	30¼
do. do. pref xd.	82¼	83	82¼	82
Southern Pacific	46¼	48	47⅝	47¼
Tenn. Coal & Iron	55¼	56¼	58¼	56
Third Avenue	....	....	....	....
Texas Pacific	46¼	46¾	46¾	47¼
Twin City	....	....	....	....
U.S. Leather, com	....	....	13	13¾
do. do. pref xd	....	77¾	77¾	78¼
U.S. Rubber, com	22¾	21¾	25	23¼
do. do. pref	68¼	67¾	....	68¾
Union Pacific, com	100	103	102¼	103
do do pref	89¼	89½	88¼	88¾
Wabash	20¼	21¼	21¼	21¾
do pref	38¼	40	40	4 ¼
Western Union Tel	....	92¾	92¼	92¾
Great Northern	....	....	....	....
BOSTON				
Dom. Iron and Steel	34¼	....	34	....

CHICAGO MARKET.

The following are to-day's Chicago prices, furnished The Herald by Bartlett, Frazier & Co., Board of Trade Building.

May 22. / May 21.	Opg. / Opg.	High. / High.	Low. / Low.	Close. / Close.
Wheat—				
May	74⅛	74⅛	73¾	74⅛-¼
July	73⅝-¾	73¾	72⅞	73½
Corn—				
May	50	50	47	48
July	45-⅛	45⅛-	44½	44⅞
Oats—				
May	30	30½	30	30½
July	28⅞-29	29	28⅝	28⅞
Pork—				
May	....	....	....	14 65
July	14 95	14 95	14 12-75	14 77
Lard—				
May	8 20	8 20	8 15	8 17
July	8 17	8 17	8 12	8 15-17
Ribs—				
May	8 15	8 22	8 15	8 22
July	7 97	7 97	7 92-95	7 95

A SONG OF WIND AND SEA

The wind comes down to the gray-walled town—
A wanderer to and fro—
Seeking for room in the glare and gloom,
Choking and panting and ruefully ranting,
Where never a gale can grow;
And I fain would be on the great North Sea,
Where the wind is free to blow.
For a full breath, a cool breath,
A breath that is sweet and strong,
Keen with the lust of life, clean of the dust of life—
Oh, how I labor and long!
—J. J. Bell, in Chambers' Journal.

THE TOMB OF SHAKESPEARE

Such was his greatness, we may stand to-day
As at his grave, though half the world away.
It matters little where his dust may lie;
Earth is his coffin, and his vault the sky.
—Edmund Vance Cooke, in Lippincott's Magazine.

THE SWALLOW

(By John Burroughs.)

At play in April skies that spread
Their azure depths above my head
As onward to the woods I sped,
I heard the swallows twitter;
O skater in the fields of air
On steely wings that sweep and dare,
To gain these scenes thy only care,
Nor fear the winds are bitter.

Ah, well I know thy deep-dyed vest,
Thy burnished wing, thy feathered nest,
Thy lyric flight at love's behest,
And all thy ways so airy;
Thou art a nursling of the air,
No earthly food makes up thy fare
But soaring things both frail and rare—
Fit diet of a fairy.
—In May Harper's Magazine.

PARTY IN NEED OF A NEW LEADER

British Liberals Have Opportunities and Material, But No Great Man.

Chicago, May 22.—The London Correspondent of the Record-Herald, cables as follows: British liberalism remains in its miserably impotent condition. There is still no sign that the Liberal chiefs are likely to resume at an early date the legitimate influence in Parliament and the country which they ought to be able to bring to bear on public matters.

Last week the council of the National Liberal Federation met at Bradford, and its annual report has just been published. Instead of offering incisive and striking criticism of the Government's policy, foreign, colonial or domestic, the council has confined itself to as hollow a collection of platitudes as ever was laid before the British electors.

So far as its own positive programme is concerned the federation is confined within the narrowest limits. "Liberal unity," says the report, "is a patriotic necessity," but no attempt is made to explain how this is to be secured.

EMPLOYS HOLLOW TERMS.

Instead of definite suggestions the elector is put off again with the famous watchwords of Liberalism in distress—peace, retrenchment and reform. Yet never was there a British Government or an opposition, of whatever political complexion, which did not profess with perfect sincerity that it was in favor of all three.

There is no disguising the almost complete collapse of the oposition; and the nation at large begins to realize the misfortune. Under the British party system it is essential that there should be, at all times, an alternative cabinet prepared to accept the reins of administration when called upon.

No ministry is safe from accident or from the sudden revulsion of public opinion, which is fatal to the strongest cabinet. Lord Randolph Churchill used to say that the constitutional function of an opposition is to oppose, but that is not enough.

NEED OF A RESERVE.

Its function is also to act as a reserve body ready to come to the front when required. When such a demand is made it should be strong enough to form an efficient check upon its rivals in office.

Even the ministerialists themselves admit that management of public business in Parliament would be far more effective to-day if a vigilant and powerful front bench opposition were in existence to exert some control over ministerial actions. As matters stand the Salisbury cabinet has nothing to fear from attacks in the House of Commons.

As to the other functions of an Opposition—to supply an alternative cabinet—it is notorious that the Liberals could not perform the task. Were Lord Salisbury and his colleagues to go out of office they would simply have to walk back again, since the Liberals would not venture to replace them.

PLENTY OF ABLE MEN.

Individuality, there are very able men on the Opposition side—men like Harcourt, Campbell-Bannerman, Asquith, Fowler and Edward Grey—having all the personal qualifications for high office. But every sitting of the house shows that they cannot act together on the contentious questions of the moment. Nor are their differences over imperial policy healed. Their followers are equally divided.

The Opposition to-day is more disorganized and disunited than the Conservatives were after the defeat of 1880, or the Liberals themselves after 1886. Nor is there any commanding personality to bring them together, for half of them will not accept Lord Rosebery's imperialism. It is enough to make Gladstone turn in his grave.

DEATH ENDS FIANCEE'S TOAST

Paris, May 22.—Mr. Seailles, cousin of an eminent professor at the Sorbonne, whose engagement to a charming young woman was but recently announced, gave a farewell dinner to his bachelor friends the other evening. As he arose from the repast, which was a jolly affair, to propose a toast to his fiancee, he slipped and fell backward, striking his head on a marble topped table. He laughingly refused a doctor's attentions. His friends took him home, where he died a few hours later from concusion of the brain.

WIFE MAY SHOOT A RIVAL

Paris, May 21.—A Paris jury has once more reaffirmed the jurisprudence which establishes that a jealous wife may shoot down her rival with impunity. Mme. Marie Spitz, a woman of 43, fired two revolver shots at Mme. le Pallec, a widow of 31, who had estranged her husband's affections. Then, thinking the shots fatal, she gave herself up to the police. According to the story told in court by Mme. le Pallec, the wife displayed no jealousy so long as her rival gave her money.

The victim said to the judge: "I ask you to set this woman free. If she wishes to kill me let her do so."

She would doubtless have been acquitted without this request.

PARISIANS SEE GERMAN PLOT

Paris, May 22.—The journalistic world of Paris has been startled by revelations published in the Matin respecting the Figaro. Rumors were long ago circulated that M. de Rodays had been compelled to resign. This rumor is confirmed by an announcement summoning a general meeting of shareholders to consider M. de Rodays' resignation and M. Perevier's dismissal.

The Matin now declares that all this is the result of a Teutonic conspiracy to acquire control of the Figaro and accuses Baron Steiger, director of the Dresdener Bank, of being the ringleader. M. Perevier, being interviewed, confirms the conspiracy version.

The other side of the question is that MM. de Rodays and Perevier are being ousted in order to change the policy of the paper to nationalism. The Figaro editorially denies the truth of the Matin's story, but the Matin now publishes documents, which, if genuine, would prove that some Figaro shares were brought for the Dresdener Bank.

USES MUSIC IN DENTISTRY

Paris, May 21.—Dr. Laborde has communicated to the Academy of Medicine a method of drawing teeth which is not only painless but positively pleasant. One of the objections to the use of anaesthetics is that in many cases the patient suffers from a terrible species of nightmare. This is due to the effect of various noises on the brain.

If, however, for ordinary noises, such as the sound of traffic in the streets, the voices of people in the room, etc., strains of music are substituted, the patient, instead of the usual terrifying nightmare, has delightful dreams.

Dr. Laborde's invention consists of two small phonographs which, fastened to the ears, are set in motion just as the anaesthetic is administered.

THE DESTRUCTION OF OUR FORESTS

(By Guy M. Todd.)

It is only within a comparatively recent date that Canadians have begun to realize what a great resource their vast timber lands are, and of the necessity of preserving and caring for the same. Twenty years ago a Canadian invariably believed that the forest was an enemy to the settler —hence to civilization—and that in the course of time it had to be destroyed to make way for the planting of crops and building of houses. In his eagerness to clear the land the settler recklessly used the torch and then the axe, and as a result there was much wanton destruction. Many of our forest fires may be traced to the settler, who "fires" his land on too large a scale and loses control of the blaze; others start from the neglected camp fires of hunters and the careless use of matches; while for others nature is responsible, through friction, lightning, etc.

When fire devastates a great area it is a more serious matter than is often thought. It will be, generally speaking, from twenty-five to thirty years before the new growth becomes fit for the market, so that the annual return for this period is completely stopped. Very often it is not only the trees that suffer in fires but the soil as well. The great Mirimachi fire, which devastated New Brunswick many years ago, is an example of this. In several of the fire districts the soil was almost wholly composed of vegetable mould which had accumulated on the bed rock beneath. As the soil had been formed by the fallen leaves, brushwood, moss, etc., of several centuries, it will be a long time before these areas are reforested with valuable timber. Then the axe also is responsible for much of the needless deforestation which has been and is still going on in Canada. Lumbermen, as a rule, exercise little or no wise forethought when logging. If a good tree is wanted, it matters little to them if ten or twenty unmarketable ones are destroyed in order to get at it. Many thousands of dollars of timber are indirectly wasted in this way every year. In some places the axe has been used with so little discretion that it will be years before there will be any lumber fit to cut, as for instance in many of the great lumbering districts in Northern Quebec and Ontario.

Thus we see that deforestation is going on at a rapid rate in our own country, and in order to see what the effect of this will be we must look to the older lands, Sicily, Spain, Greece and Northern Africa, once well wooded, fertile and progressive, now treeless, sterile and lethargic, and as this change has been largely caused by deforestation it must impress upon all the importance of this subject. I may here be permitted to quote from a recent editorial in one of our dailies:

"A clerical apologist for the Church in Spain says that the decadence of the nation is not owing to religious intolerance, nor to any of the causes usually quoted by foreign writers, but simply to the destruction of the forests. Great stretches of country have been made sterile, he contends, by the reckless waste of growing timbers. The soil has been washed down from the hill sides into the valleys, and what were once evenly flowing streams are now alternately raging torrents and dry beds. He points to Palestine as a country similarly laid waste, and adds that considerable parts of North America are in the way of becoming equally sterile. . . . The reckless manner in which the land has been deforested in America has begun in some places to produce the conditions described. Deforesting is necessarily the first stage of civilized possession. A Hebrew poet describing the lumberman stage in Palestine says, 'a man was famous in those days according as he lifted up his axe upon the thick trees.' We who are alive remember that stage of things in Canada where it is now a blooming garden. But in America there has been a general awakening to the importance of forest preservation and the ruin which follows in the wake of denudation, and this is leading to a wiser treatement of the public domains in future."

While we may look to older countries for such examples, we may also examine with profit the provision adopted by modern European nations for the protection and development of their forests. Sylviculture is there an art only to be mastered by long study and observation. Land is limited and valuable, the problem of producing a supply of timber to equal the demand, though a difficult one, is being solved by these nations.

In France, as in Germany, there is a State Forest Department, under the Minister of Agriculture. These departments employ a large number of men, and to each of the more numerous class—guards—is assigned a certain district. He has to see, and does see, as those who have travelled through these countries know, that the laws are rigidly enforced. He observes that the axe is used judicially, that instructions regarding fire are complied with, and that where patches have been cut re-seeding is begun. For the performance of these duties he is held responsible to an inspector, or overforster, as the case may be, and he in turn to the Minister. At the present time there is very little loss through forest fires owing to the great vigilance exercised. Deforested lands are being carefully re-seeded and well stocked lands judicially "thinned out." During the last thirty years over $35,000,000 have been spent to re-forest hills devastated in the south of France to pay for Napoleon's wars, and the work as yet is only half completed. In many parts of the United States also the effects of deforestation are being felt. A great deal of interest has been taken in forestry in the past few years, and its study has been introduced into the curriculum of several colleges. A division of forestry was formed in the Department of Agriculture, which publishes literature dealing with this subject and distributes it broadcast through the country. It also undertakes the management of private forests and woodlands.

From the preceding remarks it will be seen that this is a subject of importance to every country, and the question that most naturally arises is: "What is being done for the protection of the forests in Canada?" Three years ago the Minister of the Interior created a sub-Department of Timber and Forestry, with Mr. E. Stewart as chief inspector. Our fire laws are being as strictly enforced as possible. One or two districts are now patrolled by fire rangers during the summer season—a fact which will, undoubtedly, have a salutary effect. Forest reserves are being created, and re-foresting is progressing on the prairies and in other places. But still there is room for great improvement, which cannot take place without the co-operation and sympathy of the bulk of the Canadian people. To Mr. Stewart great credit is due for his persevering efforts to enlighten the minds of Canadians on this subject. Two years ago, acting on his suggestion, a Canadian Forestry Association was formed:

(1) To advocate and encourage judicious methods in dealing with our forests and woodlands.

(2) To awaken public interests to the sad results attending the wholesale destruction of forests (as shown by the experience of older countries) in the deterioration of the climate, diminution of fertility, drying up of rivers and streams, &c., &c.

(3) To consider and recommend the exploration, as far as practicable, of our public domain and its division into agricultural, timber and mineral lands, with a view of directing immigration and the pursuits of our pioneers into channels best suited to advance their interests and the public welfare. With this accomplished a portion of the unappropriated lands of the country could be permanently reserved for the growth of timber.

(4) To encourage afforestation wherever advisable and to promote forest tree planting, especially in the areas of our North-Western prairies, upon farm lands where the proportion of woodland is too low, upon highways, and in the parks of our villages, towns and cities.

(5) To collect and disseminate, for the benefit of the public, reports and information bearing on the forestry problem in general and especially with respect to the wooded and prairie districts of Canada, and to teach the rising generation the value of the forest with the view of enlisting their efforts in its preservation.

The membership fee is a very nominal one. As this association is one whose influence will in time benefit our Dominion very materially, it should have the support of every Canadian who has the welfare of his country to heart.

SCARED BY HUGE WATER PIPES

Valparaiso, May 21.—It is announced that the big guns seen by Argentine citizens near Punta Arenas, and causing such alarm regarding the neutrality of the Strait of Magellan, were merely pipes for the water supply of Punta Arenas. This is another case of the Argentine press intending to discredit Chile abroad. Chile is not fortifying the Strait of Magellan with water pipes or with any other kind of pipes.

NEW YORK.—Col. Alexander E. Sweet, editor and founder of Texas Siftings, died at his home on Monday of heart failure. Colonel Sweet was widely known as a writer of humor. He was born in St. John, N.B., March 28, 1841.

Patrick Jerome Gleason, Mayor of Long Island City before it became a part of the Greater New York, and for years a unique figure in politics, died Monday at his home, Long Island City. He was noted for his emblem, a battle-axe.

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Notice to Readers

Numerous cases are reported to the Herald in which newsdealers have sold out early in the day all the copies of the Saturday Herald which they had on hand. The Herald would be glad to receive from its readers information of all such cases, so that immediate steps may be taken to make the supply equal the demand.

THE DEFEATED BY-LAW.

The vote on the fire loan by-law yesterday was almost a farce, and Ald. Hart is quite right in blaming the business men of the commercial section for their indifference. There were just three votes cast in the West ward and five in the Centre ward, and of the eight votes five were in favor of the by-law and three against. If that is all the interest the proprietors of the conflagration area choose to show in a measure designed to provide better fire protection for their property surely there is no blame to be apportioned to those property owners in St. Ann's, St. James, St. Louis, St. Mary and St. Jean Baptiste wards who heaped up majorities against the by-law. The merchants of the central division must see that by their neglect to avail themselves of the opportunity presented yesterday they strengthen the hands of the fire underwriters immensely. Hereafter when any protest is made against the high insurance rates charged the underwriters will be able to point to the record of the voting in the East, West and Centre wards as the best possible evidence that there is no genuine disposition outside the Council to improve the fire service.

There are somewhere about 16,000 proprietors of real estate in Montreal. Only 1,284 voted yesterday, and of these 969 voted against the by-law, and only 315 for it. The small total vote indicates that the great majority were indifferent to the issue presented. The relatively large vote against the by-law would seem to indicate that the Solid Ten, who have been blamed for obstructing all taxation proposals, had the active support of numerous influential constituents. There need by little doubt that if the financial proposals had been submitted as originally intended, the proprietors would have voted no to the whole million and a half just as they voted no to the hundred thousand. If that supposition be correct, the Solid Ten were to some extent justified, if they consider themselves only the representatives of property owners, in obstructing the by-laws at every stage. On the other hand, there is no good reason why they should have taken upon themselves to kill the by-laws, when the property owners, as they demonstrated yesterday, are quite capable of discharging that function at the polls.

If, as now seems right, the property owners can be held to share with the Solid Ten the blame for the defeat of the loan proposals, it has to be said that they incur a very grave responsibility. After yesterday's vote there is no likelihood of an early appeal to the property owners for money for a civic hospital, and yet the provision of a proper hospital is a civic duty, and the neglect to make such provision will press not alone upon the families of property owners but as much, and probably more, upon those other citizens whose helath and safety is of equal public and private concern, and who outnumber the favored class by five to one. The Council will be obliged now to consider seriously whether they will not ask the Legislature for power to increase the general rate of taxation, either by so much as shall be actually required to meet the estimated demand from year to year, or by a flat advance of one-quarter of one per cent. The civic services cannot be forever allowed to suffer from the existence of an enormous interest charge.

A TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION.

Mr. Tarte yesterday expressed himself as in favor of the appointment of a commission such as that several times advocated by the Herald, one which would be the means of eliciting the best information concerning the business of transportation, and the outcome of whose labors would probably be the definition of Canadian policy on the transportation question in terms so clear that successive administrators would not always be in the position of having to study the question at first hand, a task which must, in the nature of things, consume a lot of time and perhaps lead to the making of mistakes. If Mr. Tarte, who has studied harder at this problem of transportation than probably any other Minister in any Cabinet, and who has succeeded much beyond the ordinary in mastering its details, feels the need of such an institution, it is easy to believe that any one coming after Mr. Tarte would need it a great deal more. There are so many interests involved, farmers, manufacturers, merchants, railways, shipowners, the populations at ports of shipment, the treasury of the Dominion, to say nothing of even broader political issues, that there ought to be some place to which one could go, be he Minister of the Crown or the humblest taxpayer, for information on all sides of so vexed a question. At present there is none, even so elementary a matter as the volume of business done through the harbor of Montreal not being ascertainable with any approach to accuracy. A commission formed as have been innumerable commissions created by the British and Canadian Parliaments, and armed with the necessary powers to obtain the most comprehensive information pertaining to the subject, would be able to render the country a service of the highest value.

FOR THE PROMOTION OF ART.

Mme. Dandurand, the talented wife of Senator Dandurand, yesterday brought before the members of the National Council, now holding its annual meeting in London, Ont., an important resolution with reference to the promotion of the industrial and fine arts in Canada. The resolution suggested the desirability of obtaining the aid and protection of the State for Canadian students in arts. In her able address Mme. Dandurand called attention to the fact that such excellent tuition should be given in Canada as would call back hundreds of students who have flocked to American schools, and also enable Canadian artists to compete successfully with foreigners for orders for portraits and statues of Canadians. Statistics were given to show what is being accomplished in other countries for the encouragement of art. In England the 360th part of the national income is expended for art, and in France the 274th part of the revenue. The proportion for the same in Germany is on a par with these figures. In Canada a sum of about $17,000 is spent in grants to the Royal Society of Canada, Royal Academy, National Gallery in Ottawa, for the acquisition of works of art, and for the decoration of public buildings, by the Federal Government. This subsidy is equal to a 3,000th part of our income. If the State raised the grant to $50,000, or only a 1,000th part of the national revenue, Canada might hope to hold its own in the universal artistic evolution. Mme. Dandurand suggested that a standing committee of the National Council of Women be appointed for the furtherance of practical schemes in the direction mentioned. Each local council ought to have a committee of art, working in conjunction with the central one, and with the Provincial Government. Her Excellency Lady Minto has consented to accept the honorary presidency of a central committee which it is proposed to form.

THE PUBLIC PURSE

It is quite possible that if we are to have a period of business depression anything like that of 1874 to 1878, or that about the year 1886, or that of 1893 to 1896, we shall hear a great deal about the increase of national expenditure which has taken place in the last few years, even if practically every dollar of that increase has been approved in detail by the party of opposition, who may be expected to attack the increase in the mass. We were told the other day that a condition of inverted panic existed on the stock exchanges. Conditions resembling panic and inverted panic are also observable in the political world. When times are good Parliament is beset by men with schemes for the development of the country's resources. If they get a subsidy they can get other funds; if they get other funds they build a railway, or set up a steel foundry, or a lead refinery or a ship-yard. In hard times, when capital is wary, the subsidy hunter is not so much in evidence. He has not the same abounding confidence in the future of the country. And yet if a few millions of Government money, with the additional millions that private capitalists are supposed to add, were spent on railway construction in hard times it would give the country just what it most requires, a new market for the wares of many hard-pressed industries, a chance for employment of the unemployed. The margin between good times and bad times, as formed by the number of men out of employment, is very narrow at the worst of times, and every dollar well spent at such times has the tendency to extinguish the margin. The trouble is that the demands are so numerous during good times and Governments yield to such demands the more readily the more the project appears hopeful, that by the time private capitalists are in the mood for buttoning the breeches pocket, members of Parliament are usually reduced to the same frame of mind. It is therefore in prosperous periods that there is the greatest tendency to running up the expenditure, and the trouble is that it is much easier to run it up than to bring it down again. Think of Great Britain laboring for forty years to reduce the national debt and succeeding only by as much as has been put on again by the charges of the South African war incurred during eighteen months. The people approve of the details of increased expenditure, of that there is no doubt. Their comment is that the money is coming in and that we can afford the increase. But unfortunately we are not consistent in this respect. Our revenue system is arranged in part to meet the needs of the public exchequer, in part to serve the needs of private persons. If we get much we expend freely. If we get little we do not economise; we borrow. The idea of keeping expenditures steadfastly within the revenue had to be abandoned when we took up with protection, and will probably not return until we have done with it.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The West and Centre Ward merchants seem to like paying high insurance rates.

Apropos of yesterday's vote, the civic hospital is still a necessity and the lack of a decent one a crime against humanity.

Those who stayed at home yesterday should reflect that they have given the Solid Ten a higher standing in the community.

Teddy Roosevelt has not dropped his little ways, even if he is vice-president. His Pan-American Exhibition speech was ar intimation to the European powers to keep off the grass.

The Scotch are not falling over themselves in trying to get hands on Mr. Carnegie's money. But as Andrew is Scotch himself he no doubt realizes that he will sign the cheque one of these days all the same.

Lord Raglan would make a splendid editor for a conundrum album. His latest effort is the statement that the British army can only be recruited through higher pay or conscription, and that the country cannot afford more pay.

In the Whirl of the World.

TO A FOREST FLOWER.

(For The Herald.)

Cloistered in the forest gloom
Thou dost hide thy lovely bloom
In a veil of greenery,
To perplex the pilgrim bee,
Who must trace on tireless wings
Many weary wanderings,
Now alert, and fait'ring now,
In his honey'd quest, ere thou,
By a sweet and subtle power,
Dost allure him to thy bower.

Flowers that revel on the lawn,
Drink the gentle dews of dawn,
But thy food is sweeter dew
Than these gaudy blooms e'er drew—
Dews, that fall on thee imbued
With the wild scents of the wood—
Dews, that never thirsty ray
From thy cup can steal away—
Feed thee with perpetual bliss
Cloaked from the sun's burning kiss.

And the softest wind that roves,
Through the windings of the groves,
And the treasured hosts that spread,
In the garden's cultured bed,
Vexes their repose, and still
Bends them to its wayward will,
But with low and drowsy croon,
At the dreamy hour of noon,
Passing through the forest deep,
Scarcely stirs thee in thy sleep.

In the earth, and sky, and air—
God's thoughts are sown ev'rywhere,
And thou art a thought of God,
Speaking from the silent sod
To the mind whose eye is clear,
To the child, and to the seer,
Showing virtue still may be
Nurtured in obscurity,
And how beauty may illume
One small nook in a vast gloom.

—J. C. M. Duncan.

A Model Montreal Cook

A Montreal gentleman has been for some months expatiating to his friends on the superlative merits of his Chinese cook. There was nothing that the fellow couldn't do, and do it well, and the master of the household was eternally glorying in the thraldom of his home from the thraldom of the ordinary ruler of the kitchen. The other night this worthy citizen had a large number of his men friends into dinner, and as usual he turned the conversation in the direction of his immaculate Chinese servant. After the cigars were lighted, he said, "Now come out to the kitchen with me, and see what a jewel of a servant we have." The guests filed out in procession, and marched to the kitchen, where every pan that hung upon the walls reflected their faces like a mirror, and there was the Chinaman, the cause of all the brightness, washing his feet in the soup pot.

Makes a Hit

The Dublin Freeman's Journal thus describes Mr. Blake's last speech in the British House of Commons:

An incident in Friday night's jury-packing debate must not be lett unrecorded. The Hon. Edward Blake, who made a speech in which close argument was combined with impassioned eloquence, allowed for once his heart to guide his intellect. He spoke without a note, and his audience, as the speech proceeded, caught the enthusiasm of the speaker. The rhythm of the sentences, Mr. Blake's commanding pose and expressive gestures—above all, the certainty that he was giving utterance to his most intense convictions, and that he had sacrificed much for the Irish cause—produced a storm of plaudits both on the Irish and the Radical benches. Mr. Blake spoke till the dinner time, when he resumed his seat, the chairman left the cha r for the usual interval of 20 minutes, and then a tribute of admiration was paid to Mr. Blake, which in 1889 was paid, under similar circumstances, to Mr. Gladstone. The cheers were renewed again and again within the chamber of the House, and the Irish members as they followed Mr. Blake out of the House, indulged in loud and prolonged cheering.

Goldwin Smith's Reminiscences

Dr. Goldwin Smith, in his speech before the Canadian Club, Toronto, said that anyone who had to do with journalism, as he had, ought to be prepared to talk about anything on the spur of the moment, whether he knew anything about it or not. The only subject, after a careful look around the room, which he seemed to have entirely or almost entirely to himself was that of old age. He had been reminded that he was fully possessed of that subject through an incident that occurred recently. On receiving a portrait of an old political and social friend, Sir Thomas Bazley, he had written to thank him. "I wrote to say," said Mr. Smith, "how pleased I was on receiving his portrait, and how interesting it was to find that two at least of the old circle were still living. I received an answer from the son to say that it was not the father, my old friend, who had sent it, but the son; that he, the sender, was seventy years of age, and the father, if he were living, would be one hundred and two. So that you see I am strong upon the subject of age, and really I do go back a long way. I have talked with a man who talked to the man who was Premier in 1801—to Addington about Pitt—and in the course of my life I have seen great changes. I remember the rejoicing in England over the great Reform bill, which was to open an era of universal peace and happiness, and on a moderate scale did it. I was reminded the other day by those collisions between the union men and the law, at Albany, of the collisions between the representatives of the law and the opponents of the men who ran threshing machines in the days of my youth. I remember very well during that period seeing the farm buildings in the neighborhood of my father's house burned by those raiders. So that the world has not grown worse in that respect. I well remember, as a lad, seeing the servant light the fire with a tinder box. I have seen a man in the stocks, and have heard the curfew. But of course I have seen more important things and changes than these. It would be difficult to recount, in the few mintes at my disposal, the changes I have seen."

A Week at Home

The Development and Tourist Committee of the Toronto Board of Trade is seeking to bring to a successful issue the suggestion of the Canadian Club of Boston to set apart a time every year for Canadians abroad to visit the Dominion. The idea of the Boston Club was to establish a "Canadian Old Home Month," which would no doubt suit the convenience of its members and lead to many pleasant family reunions. But it is thought by the members of the Toronto committee that if the scheme is to assume a public nature it would be necessary to shorten the time to a week, and to arrange for reception ceremonies in honor of the home-coming in the leading cities and towns of the Dominion. No doubt many Canadians across the line who do not now feel inclined to visit their former homes would catch the contagion of a concerted movement and enjoy a few days among old-time friends and familiar associations.

THE THUMB AS AN INDEX.

The thumb is a guide to a knowledge of the mental condition of the owner. He who is in full possession of all his faculties makes good use of the thumb, but wherever there is a tendency to insanity, this generally useful and active member falls out of work.

A physician in charge of a lunatic asylum states positively that if you see a person whose thumb remains inactive—standing at right angles and taking no part in the act of writing, salutation, or any other manual exercise—you may be sure that he has a diseased mind.

He may talk intelligently and appear sane in every respect, but undoubtedly a tinge of madness is lurking within his brain.

Humor of the School Room

By a Montreal Teacher.

"Memoirs of the Schoolroom," and The Herald's interesting account of Mr. W. H. Smith's "Patchwork" at the meeting of school teachers on Thursday evening, remind us of some amusing passages in the life of an English teacher. As often as not the answer of the child, coming straight from the brain, is as near the mark as we of maturer years could make it, and if sometimes the efforts of the youngsters are hopelessly at fault, is it not possible that they are often paralleled by the mistakes made in after life? The child who described a feather as a "hen-leaf" was only an undeveloped laureate, and when another explained the word "better" as meaning "gooder than good," it would have been a difficult matter for the teacher to improve the occasion. In a certain school of South London a class was being questioned on elementary Scripture. The teaching had been oral throughout, and the inspection was likewise. Asked to name individually several "things that God made," such answers as "trees," "sea," "rocks," "rivers," were speedily forthcoming. But when one bright-eyed cherub answered "tindummies," a pause was necessary for the inspector to form a concept of this new species of created beings. "Speak up, my boy." "Tindummies, sir." After repeating this several times, the inspector asked: "What are these tindummies?" "I thinks they're fishes, sir; teacher told us that 'God made the earth, the sea, and all the tindummies."

Many as are the discourses founded upon the laudable zeal of the little man who climbed a sycamore tree to see the sacred procession, we venture to think that the boy who adduced as the reason of Zacheus' prompt action that "he was little, and the crowd was very tall," was at least original.

And who shall say that it was not an wholesome fear of known terrors rather than the ingrafting of a mythical idea of an eternal inferno that led the young hopeful of East London to pray, "Lead us not into Thames Station." Everyone who knows the world's greatest city will understand that the word "police" was thought unnecessary for insertion between the two last words. That "a circle is a sound straight line with a whole inside it" was demonstrated long ago, but when we are informed that "a train goes along the line and the engine follows in front," we are apt to wonder if the youthful informant is the son of some city man whose suburban trains arrive punctually at least two days out of seven. A picture of King Canute rebuking his courtiers for their flattery was shown to a class of young children. They were asked what the King was doing in the picture. One child settled the question for all time by answering, "Washin' 'is feet." We are told in another quarter that "the lion is the king of beasts, but the eagle can fight it." Salt is discovered to be "that stuff which makes potatoes taste bad when you don't put it on." We rather suspect a relationship exists between the author of this last piece of philosophy and the girl who said that "pins had saved a good many lives by not being swallowed."

As Tom Hood is said to have observed, "The occasional insertion of a good joke does improve the appearance of a comic journal," and we venture to think that for genuine amusement a collection of such reminiscences as could be compiled from teachers' note-books would be hard to beat.

AUSTRALIAN HONORS

There was not much more of a distribution of honors on the occasion of the founding of the commonwealth of Australia than followed the creation of the Dminion of Canada. The following were conferred:

Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George—Sir Frederick Darley, chief justice of New South Wales.

Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George—Sir John Dodds, administrator of Tasmania.

Knights Bachelors—Mr. Gillott and Mr. Graham, mayors of Melbourne and Sydney, respectively.

Companions of St. Michael and St. George—The Hon. N. E. Lewis, Premier of Tasmania; Mr. Ware, mayor of Adelaide; Mr. Proc, mayor of Brisbane; Mr. Davies, mayor of Hobart; Mr. Forrest, ex-mayor of Perth, and Mr. Wallington, secretary to Lord Hopetoun.

JOHN BLACKIE'S LITANY.

London reports that Stodart Walker, a nephew, has selected and transcribed the manuscript, "The Day Book of John Stuart Blackie." The book starts off with a characteristic litany, from which are taken the following typical clauses:

"From the presumption of orthodox theology to define God in scholastic terms, from the degrading superstition that worships God with blind ends and the negative sense,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From beggars for my clients, from fools for my worshippers, and from sluts for my servants,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From the impertinence of youthful critics, from the vanity of small poets, and from the unreasoned giggle of silly young ladies,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From the barren subtlety of lawyers, from the slippery shiftiness of politicians, and from the blind restlessness or calculated selfishness of commercial speculators,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From a man that simpers sweetly, from a woman that laughs loudly, and from a young woman ambitious to play the young man,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From a scholar who smells of books, from a sportsman who smells of horses, and a mother who smells of babies,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From genius without sense, from talent without love, and from creeds without humanity,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From a spinner of fine phrases, a spinner of senseless rhymes, and a woman who paints,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

"From the infallibles, the editor of a party newspaper, and a woman when she is in the wrong,

"Good Lord, deliver me!

WASHINGTON'S FIRST NAME.

One of the many quaint stories told about the early days of Washington City, the Capital of the United States, is that one in which it is said the place was first named Rome, that it was on Tiber Creek and that it was owned by a man named Pope. It is said in some histories of Washington that an Englishman named Pope, about the year 1660, acquired an estate including what is now Capitol Hill, Washington. His name being Pope, he gratified a whim by calling his estate Rome and signing himself "Pope of Rome." A little stream near by he named the Tiber, and the exact spot where the capitol stands to-day he designated Capitoline Hill."

500-MILE COACHING RACE.

A notable incident connected with the Pan-American Exposition programme is to be a coaching tour, starting from New York and ending at the Stadium at the Pan-American grounds. The attempt will be made to break the four-in-hand long distance coaching record. The distance by road to Buffalo is about 501 miles. The tour will be made in relays and the finish will be at the Stadium, where the automobile race will also finish. The event is exciting much interest abroad, and many in London and Paris are likely to pay a visit to the United States and the Pan-American especially on account of their interest in this event.

Is the Kaiser's Mind Affected?

Berlin correspondence of N. Y. Evening Post:—As for the Kaiser himself, some facts have of late become public which go to confirm the opinion, held by many keen observers—both medical and otherwise—all along, viz., that the Kaiser is not of normal mind. In previous letters I have pointed out how very difficult, often impossible, it is to obtain what may be called actually trustworthy information about the Kaiser's state of health, about those sayings and doings of his which would really be an index to his inner life. What I now state may, however, be depended upon. The Kaiser, always prone to rush from one extreme to the other, not only in his actions and speeches, but also in his opinions about the most vital points of politics, foreign and domestic, has, since the Bremen attempt upon his life, which seems to have left an indellible impression upon his mind (and that of his wife as well), shown various fresh symptoms of an abnormal mental condition. He has been morose for whole days, and even these moods have generally, without any visible cause, suddenly given way to more or less short periods of gayety, often boisterousness.

Moreover, he, who has all along drunk plentifully, both of beer and wine, has lately increased his daily average considerably. During his three days' stay in Bonn he was rarely quite sober, and here in Berlin there have recently been circulated well-authenticated reports of his indiscretion in this respect. One such story was told by the President of the Reichstag. Count Ballestrem, who on congratulating the Kaiser upon his escape in Bremen, was amazed by the monarch flaring up immediately, and launching off into a tirade of unmeasured abuse against what he called "a horde of conspirators." His face flushed a deep scarlet, and his gestures became violent, and he struck the table with his clenched fist in the excess of his feeling. I will not repeat here every trifle more or less confirmatory of the Kaiser's abnormal condition, but to the best of my judgment it is certain that during the last two months a serious change has taken place in him. The belief in Germany that this is so is penetrating wider and wider circles. Many draw a parallel between William II. and his grandmuncle, Frederick William IV. of Prussia, whose mental condition, before it was professionally and constitutionally admitted to be softening of the brain, closely resembled that of William II.

Music and the Drama

Miss Blanche Walsh has done so many wonderful things in her brief career on the stage that one more seems scarcely worth recounting. When it consists, however, in nothing less than beating back the flood of theatrical misfortune and wresting new triumph from a season seemingly doomed to artistic loss and financial disaster, one is forced to yield no grudging tribute to the pluck of the actress and the astuteness of her managers.

One of the first attractions of the present season at the Academy was the first production of a more than usually ill-starred drama of Eugene Presbery's, entitled "Marcelle." Miss Walsh and Messrs. Stern and Brooks had seen the scenario early in the summer and had lent ear to the arguments of its author. That these arguments were plausible and effective was later shown by the actress' embarking her dramatic reputation with the manager's thousands of dollars on the frail bark of Mr. Presbery's creating. "Marcelle" grounded in Montreal that first week, in spite of the favoring breezes of personal good wishes that would have wafted any less unseaworthy craft to the harbor of success. Three weeks later it was a battered derelict in New York, deserted by its crew, abandoned by its owners and only useful in pointing out the extreme uncertainty of ventures theatrical.

As rare good fortune would have it, however, another play, which was less a dramatic effort than a triumph of lavish expenditure, was on the market. It had been evolved and amassed by a Boston millionaire, one of whose hobbies was a wife with dramatic aspirations. The production was intact—costumes, stage settings, scenery; it represented a cash outlay of $60,000 and had been produced for the delectation of metropolitan audiences not yet forty times before Miss Julia Arthur was compelled by ill-health to forego the pleasure of wearing six dresses costing $1,000 each and appearing as Josephine, Empress of France, six nights and one afternoon every week.

How the transfer was effected concerns no one but Miss Walsh and her managers. Suffice it to say that since the production passed into their hands not only has the memory of "Marcelle" been effaced with its losses, but a very respectable new fund of reputation and financial profit has been put aside to be increased or dissipated as the fates shall dictate.

If it seems to anyone that so far as inordinate prominence has been given the production to the disparagement of the play and the company, let him see for himself and be convinced of the relationship. Tapestries which have cost $1,000 each, furniture made for drawing rooms and not for the stage, gowns and costumes not only historically correct but worthy of having been worn in the court of the great Napoleon—these are things Montreal seldom sees. Better plays and better companies have visited the Academy, but the accessories need the prosaic, matter-of-fact cataloguing of the society reporter to be understood.

Miss Walsh, as Josephine, is, of necessity, excellent. Her training and her temperament find full scope only in the portrayal of those tremendous human emotions which made the Empress Josephine one of the most enviable of women. William Humphrey lacks resemblance to the historic Napoleon, but carrries out a conception of the character which is consistent and powerful if not accurate. In the company are many whose names have long been associated with that of Miss Walsh and whose abilities are above the average.

A tesetimonial concert was tendered Miss Louisa Morrison in Karn Hall last night by several well-known musicians of Montreal. Among those who took part were Messrs. De Seve, Saucier, Plamondon, Elchhorn, Blair and Misses Dowling, Jarvis and Gill. Several songs of Miss Morrison's were on the programme.

MACHINISTS ASSOCIATION.

Editor Herald:

Sir,—Statements have frequently appeared in the newspapers lately, concerning the proceedings of the International Association of Machinists in this city. In almost every instance these statements have been inaccurate and altogether unauthorized by the association. These remarks will apply to the report of the local situation in the matter of the machinists' strike which appears in this evening's edition of The Herald, and perhaps you will allow some slight correction to be made. It is true that no move has been made by the Machinists' Association here, nor is likely to be made at present. But circulars have not been sent to the local lodges to induce them to join in the strike. Local lodges have been left to judge the situation for themselves, and the Montreal lodges have good reasons for not taking any steps in the direction of a strike on this occasion. Mr. F. Roberge is not "in a position to speak with authority" inasmuch as he is simply a temporary organizer for the district, and has no control over the local lodges nor authority to speak for them. The local lodges have given nobody authority to publish their reasons or any of their reasons for any of their proceedings, and no statement with regard to the present strike may be regarded as genuine unless it appears over the signature of the president or secretary of one of the lodges, and by lodge instructions. Yours truly.

The Secretary of Mount Royal Lodge, I. A of M.

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PROROGATION SET FOR TO-MORROW

Purchase of Plains of Abraham Has Been Decided On—Steel Shipbuilding in Canada.

Ottawa, May 21.—(Special.)—A heavy day's work was done in the Commons yesterday. In fact so much work was disposed of that it is reasonably certain now that prorogation will take place on Thursday. In fact it is understood that the Governor-General has been notified Parliament will be ready for prorogation Thursday afternoon. All but two or three supply votes were disposed of in committee and a large number of items were put through concurrence—that is the House concurred in the report of the committee of the whole. Government bills were also advanced and affairs generally got into such shape that little is left in the way of an early wind-up. An interesting matter discussed yesterday was the question of the establishment of the steel shipbuilding industry in Canada. Both sides of the House agreed as to its desirability, and it was announced that steps in that direction were being taken.

A plea was made for aid for Captain Bernier's polar expedition, but it was intimated the Government did not feel like doing anything until there was an assurance that the half of the cost the captain expected would be defrayed by public subscription would be made up.

There was an interesting discussion upon the purchase of the plains of Abraham by the Government.

ONTARIO VOTES.

The greater part of the afternoon was spent in discussing votes for harbors and rivers in Ontario. Mr. Bennett raised objection to the expenditure on small harbors, contending that the principle of the Government building wharves in Ontario instead of leaving the matter to private enterprise was wrong. It might be all right in Toronto but not elsewhere.

Mr. Tarte emphasized his determination to meet the requirements of the smaller places and furnish wharves where the farmers needed them in order to ship their produce by water.

To provide and improve booms at Shawinigan Falls $55,000 was voted.

A sum of $15,000 was voted for the construction of an astronomical observatory in Ottawa. Mr. Tarte stated that it would probably be placed on Nepean Point, though the Minister of the Interior was having inquiries made to discover whether there would be any vibration from passing trains. Subsequently another $15,000 was voted for telescope and apparatus.

FAST ATLANTIC LINE.

Mr. W. F. Maclean, on a vote for the Atlantic mail service, urged that Canada should build its own steamers for the fast Atlantic service.

Sir Richard Cartwright said the Government would be glad to see steamships built here, but it would take some time before it would be on a scale similar to what it had attained elsewhere.

Mr. Maclean thought that the Government should make the announcement now that it was prepared to offer inducements to some of the great firms in the Old Country to transfer their works to this side, where the steel plates could be had on the spot.

Mr. Fielding sympathized warmly with the member for East York as to utilizing this contract for the purpose of having shipyards established here. Feeling this, the Government had taken pains to see that an intimation had been given to the great shipbuilding companies that if any of them would approach Parliament with a proposal they would find the Government and Parliament willing to listen to them. While over in England he had spoken to several shipbuilding people, but they estimated the difficulties in the way as being more serious than Mr. Maclean thought. On this side people spoke as if the great difficulty in shipbuilding was the obtaining of the steel plates, but he was assured that this was not the case. The real difficulty was in the assembling of the machinery, which would have to be brought out here, at first at any rate, together with experienced marine engineers and marine engine fitters. If any company was willing, however, to build the fast line steamers here for a small advance, the Government would be willing to consider it. As to the general idea expressed by Mr. Maclean, there was nothing which could be laid before Parliament, but the Government had not been neglecting the matter.

Mr. Blair spoke of the steps proposed to be taken by a firm in St. John—Thomson's, of the Battle Line—in the direction of building future ships there. The staff, however, would be a small one. The Opposition might be sure the subject was not going to escape the attention of the Government, and no steps would be spared to have the industry established. It would be too ambitious to try to build the fast line steamers, as a company, to start successfully, must do so on a modest scale.

A sum of $12,000 was voted for a winter steam navigation service between Quebec and St. Lawrence ports, as far down as Murray Bay and Riviere Ouelle. The Minister of Trade and Commerce explained that if winter navigation was a success that far, it would be possible all the way down.

THE PAPER COMBINE.

On a vote of $3,000 for the expenses of the inquiry into the existence of the alleged paper combine, the Minister of Finance stated that the gentlemen who made the complaint were willing to make out their case. They would be allowed to do so, and they would pay for their witnesses and expenses. Presumably the other side would do the same. Then if the judge thought it necessary to summon other witnesses, he could do so, and their expenses would be met out of this vote.

Dr. Sproule—Will the inquiry be held in one place?

Mr. Fielding—It will be held at Montreal, and if the judge considers it well to take evidence elsewhere he will do so; we have not given him any instructions about that.

Mr. Borden—Is the Government to be represented?

Mr. Fielding—At the present time we have not thought it necessary; that may come later. We think there will be a keen contest between both sides, which will bring out all the facts.

Mr. Borden—Public interest will be sufficiently represented by the judge?

Mr. Fielding—Yes.

A further sum of $100,000 was voted for the census. Mr. Fielding explained that as the returns were coming in faster than was expected, it was found possible to employ more clerks, and get the work done more rapidly.

In reply to Mr. Maclean, he said the population figures would not be ready until July or August.

BOND-BLAINE TREATY.

For the winter service between St. John and Liverpool, Mr. Haggart asked the Prime Minister what truth there was in the newspaper report cabled from London that the Premier of Newfoundland, on the occasion of a recent visit to Ottawa, had made an arrangement with the Canadian authorities to withdraw their objections to the Bond-Blaine treaty.

The Prime Minister replied that there was not a word of truth in the statement that the Government here had withdrawn the Canadian objections to the treaty negotiated in 1890 between Newfoundland and the United States, commonly known as the Bond-Blaine treaty. Since then the Joint High Commission between Britain and the States had been sitting, and among the questions before it was that of the fisheries. On that commission Newfoundland had been given representation. The commission had accomplished nothing up to the time of its adjournment over a year ago, but the labors of the body were not yet concluded. "I have some hope," said the Premier, "indeed, a very strong hope, that our negotiations may be resumed at an early date, probably during the present year." It seemed fair to the Government that before any special action was taken by Newfoundland touching this commission should be brought to an end. Should the negotiations fail, or should they not be resumed within a reasonable time, Newfoundland would then be in a position to reopen the matter for further consideration. But as matters now stand the Canadian Government considered that the Newfoundland treaty should be held in abeyance.

Mr. Maclean—Is not this a proper time to resume the negotiations with Newfoundland with a view to the island coming into Confederation?

Sir Wilfrid Laurier—I have not heard of any disposition in Newfoundland to that effect.

PLAINS OF ABRAHAM.

Eighty thousand dollars was asked for the purchase by the Government of the Plains of Abraham at Quebec from the Ursulines. The Prime Minister stated that the lease under which the Government held the land would expire on 1st May next. It had been represented to the Government that it would be a shame to see this historic ground carved up into building lots. After careful consideration the Government had decided to purchase the property and had an understanding that the land could be had for $80,000 up to June next.

Proceeding, Sir Wilfrid said: It has been represented to the Government by numerous bodies, numerous parties, numerous individuals that it would be very proper indeed that this land, which is held by Canadians of all origins as sacred, should not be allowed to pass into the hands of private parties, but that it should be acquired by the Canadian Government and remain as a national property. The Government share that view. The Government is of the opinion that it would be most unfortunate if a property of that nature, about which so many historical associations are centred, were to be treated as ordinary property, bought, sold, divided into lots and treated as any other piece of land would be. Acting upon this consideration, we think that we meet the views of the House, that we meet the views of the Canadian people, when we ask Parliament to authorize the purchase of this property. That is the reason, I may say, in answer to the last question of the hon. gentleman, that has prompted us to ask for the appropriation that we are asking Parliament to vote. There have been certain remarks and rumors to which my hon. friend has made allusion as to which I wish to say a word. There have been certain allusions to the fact that the adjoining property of Marchmont has been acquired by a certain gentleman with the view of exchanging it with the nuns who are the owners of the Plains. I am not concerned with these transactions. Whatever may have taken place does not affect us, and whatever may have taken place in respect to this cannot affect the Government, because we ignore altogether any such transactions. We have no intention of buying any other property than the Plains of Abraham, and no intention of dealing with any other parties than the owners of the property, that is, the nuns. After we have bought the property and paid the money, whatever they do with their money, whether they buy real estate, or whether they put it in the bank or use it in any way, it is no concern of ours. The only thing with which the House is concerned is whether or not we are paying a fair price. It is understood we can buy the property for $80,000, and I must say, that at first blush when I heard that this property could be had for the price of $80,000, I thought the price was perhaps a little of an overcharge.

Mr. Maclean—How many acres are there?

Sir Wilfrid—There are 71 acres and a fraction.

Mr. Wallace—Are those French acres or English acres?

Mr. Morin—I think they are French acres.

Sir Wilfrid—No, English acres. I have a report from Mr. Surveyor, of the City of Quebec, who states that the property is 71 acres English measure, equal to 84 arpents and a fraction, French measure. It was understood that the nuns estimated the value of the property at 10 cents a foot. When I received this report I caused an enquiry to be made by two competent engineers and architects from the City of Quebec, Mr. Berlinguet and Mr. Peachy. They valued the property at 5 cents a foot, which would make it worth $130,000. Some time ago a deputation awaited upon the Government as to this question, and amongst the gentlemen who waited upon the Government were some of the leading business men of Quebec. One was Mr. H. M. Price, who is well known as one of the leading merchants of Quebec. Another was Mr. Gilbert.

Mr. Chateauvert, also a leading merchant and very well known in political circles, who was at one time the member for the central division of Quebec in the Local Legislature, and who was the Conservative candidate for the Local Legislature in the last general election. These are gentlemen whose testimony is unimpeachable, and whose respectability is above cavil. They both stated that in their opinion the property at $80,000 was cheap. They gave an opinion in writing, but another gentleman, the secretary of the delegation on that occasion, Mr. Chambers, told us in the presence of the delegation that he was authorized to say on behalf of Mr. Andrew Thomson, president of the Union Bank, and of Mr. Garneau, a member of the Legislative Council, and other well-known business men, that the property was cheap at $80,000. I am glad to say that the opinion which I at one time held, that I thought the price at $80,000 was perhaps too high, has not been verified. Hon. gentlemen who are familiar with the City of Quebec, are aware that for a great many years that city was, if I may say so, under a commercial cloud, when property which at one time had been of great value, was very much reduced, and I am glad to say that at the present time there is a different condition of things prevailing in Quebec, that business is extending, that property is reviving, and that property which could have been bought a few years ago for a nonfinal sum could not be bought now except at a very substantial price.

Mr. Wallace—Is that property in the neighborhood of the Plains of Abraham?

Sir Wilfrid—All over the city.

Mr. Wallace—There are some parts of the city, for instance, about the cove at which we were looking, which do not appear as if they were sharing in the prosperity that has undoubtedly manifested itself in some other parts of the city.

Sir Wilfrid—That will come. That cove which the hon. gentleman saw the other day when he paid a visit to it, for which I am thankful and very glad, was at one time the most valuable property in the City of Quebec. It has gone down, but there is no doubt whatever that when the bridge is built and when the railway has been brought towards the cove, this property will revive again, but in the meantime property in the upper parts of the city has increased very considerably. One of the leading merchants of Quebec is Mr. Gaspard Lemoine, and I must say he is not one of my political friends. He belongs to the Conservative party. I hold in my hand a letter in which he says that property on the other side of the street from where the Plains of Abraham are situated is worth from 20 to 35 cents a foot. He says: "If you were to divide the property into two: if you were to put a street across the Plains of Abraham, the property adjacent to what is known as Les Grande Allee would be worth $70,000, and the rest of the property between that street and the river would be worth at least $200,000. His estimate of the property is that it would be worth in the neighborhood of $300,000—between $250,000 and $300,000.

Mr. Hughes (Victoria)—Does the property go down to Champlain Street?

Sir Wilfrid—No; it goes down to the cliff. I do not pretend that the property can be sold to-day for the price that Mr. Lemoine names, nor do I believe it is his intention to convey that impression, but he says that if we were to divide the property into city lots to be sold as city lots, it would be worth between $250,000 and $300,000. Under such circumstances, I think that if we can secure the property for $80,000 we would have it at a cheap price.

The Premier said the only question this Government had to consider was as to whether the price was a fair one. At first blush he had thought the price a little steep.

Mr. Wallace—How much is there in it?

The Prime Minister—Seventy-one English acres.

Sir Wilfrid went on to cite evidence of prominent Quebeckers that the price was not a large one, that it was indeed cheap. Prominent business men and practical surveyors had agreed in this view, and he trusted that the conclusion at which the Government had arrived would meet with popular approval.

Mr. Monk, who was leading the Opposition at this moment, said the Ministry had acted wisely in making this purchase. Canada had been perhaps a little too neglectful of her historic spots. He did not think the price excessive, either, but he would like to know what truth there was in the rumor that the Government would not acquire the plains unless the nuns entered into a compact to buy the Marchmont property alongside from its present owners. There had been hints thrown out that a deal was to be perpetrated on the Sisters. He would like to know what part the Government had played in this.

The Prime Minister denied that either directly or indirectly the Government had any part in such a transaction. The Government had never had anything to do with anybody but the nuns. But even if any such attempt had been been tried on the nuns by private parties, it was no concern of the Government's. All that Parliament had to decide was whether the price was just and reasonable.

Dr. Sproule and Mr. Brock (Toronto), objected to the purchase of the property.

Mr. Lemieux raised the point as to whether the plains was really the scene of the historic struggle at all.

The Premier said that this point was not of any consequence. The main battle between the forces of Wolfe and Montcalm might have taken place a little east of the plains, but the property was, in any event, the scene of another struggle of note.

Mr. Bourassa objected to the purchase of this property as a means of commemorating the last victory over French arms in Canada.

The Prime Minister denied that any such idea prompted the purchase. No Canadian could look upon the monument in Quebec to Wolfe and Montcalm without pride in the spirit which it breathed. Why should not Mr. Bourassa look with equal pride upon this consecrated ground which the nation was to acquire. A noble idea prompted its setting apart.

Mr. Monk asked whether Quebec would maintain the park property.

Sir Wilfrid replied that he thought it would. The nuns stipulated that it must be kept only as a park.

The item passed at a quarter to 1, and the House immediately rose.

SESSION OF THE SENATE

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—In the Senate yesterday Hon. Mr. Landry again drew attention to the Quebec Act respecting elections.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked how far the act would affect these cases should the Government decide on disallowance.

Hon. Mr. Mills had not the bill before him and only knew of it from the discussions in the House. They disallowed measures which interfered with settled policy and measures which were ultra vires. In this case neither alternative fitted. There was no doubt this bill was ultra vires. It might be bad, it might affect rights, but the Government was not called on to interfere even if a measure were vicious in principle. Such bills were generally left to public opinion.

Hon. Mr. Mills moved the second reading of the bill to amend the act relating to ocean steamship subsidies. This is the bill to subsidize the French Atlantic Service. There had been some correspondence with the French Government and they proposed to put on an equal number of vessels of French register and to subsidize the line.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell pointed out that there had always been a difficulty against joining subsidies. That the French Government would subsidize no vessel which did not carry the French flag, and also that a vessel must make the trip direct.

Hon. Mr. Mills pointed out that there were to be equal numbers of British and French vessels and each nationality would subsidize its own. As regarded trade there were evidences of improvement. There was a growing demand in France for pulp. Mr. Clergue expected to ship pulp enough to supply the continental demand.

The bill was read a second time, passed through committee, read a third time and passed.

Hon. Mr. Mills moved the second reading of the bill for further advances to the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal. This bill provides for loaning the commissioners a million for elevator purposes

The bill was read a second time and taken in committee.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell did not intend to oppose. Montreal was one of the few harbors which had met their engagements. There were others.

Hon. Mr. Dandurand—Don't hurt anybody's feelings.

The bill was reported, read a third time and passed.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell moved concurrence in the Common's amendments to the St. Lawrence & Adirondack Railway. The amendment was only to protect the creditors of the road. The motion was carried.

The Alien Labor Bill was taken in committee, reported, read a third time and passed.

The bill to amend the Pacific Cable Act was taken in committee. Sir Mackenzie Bowell did not know that any good could come of discussing the policy of the two governments on this cable. Owing to the delay in the construction it had cost the country much more than it otherwise would have done. He was not disposed to find fault knowing the obstruction of the Eastern Extension Co.

Hon. the Speaker asked if the Eastern Extension Co. were laying a cable from South Africa to Australia.

Hon. Mr. Dandurand—They are building it.

Hon. the Speaker—Then I am very glad to see the last clause and hope the day will never come when the proclamation will be made. He had opposed the measure from the first. Since the last consideration one of the colonies had backed out and no one knew who was to pay her two-eighteenths. The Eastern Extension had a cable and the contract was in the hands of the strongest opponents of the cable. He was very glad that there was a suspensary clauses.

The bill was reported, read a third time and passed.

After recess the bill entitled the Ottawa Branch of the Royal Mint was received from the Commons, read a first and second time and stands for the committee stage.

Hon. Mr. Dandurand moved the second reading of the South Shore Railway bill.

Hon. Mr. Baker did not wish to retard the bill, but called the attention of Mr. Mills to the provisions of this bill. As Minister of Justice he was charged with a revising power over private legislation and that he would be in committee. The bill sought to legitimize a sheriff's sale. That sale must stand on its own bottom. It was either legal or illegal. Litigation was pending and suit was heard in the High Court of Justice, King's Bench divisions, at Montreal yesterday. If they could pass acts of Parliament to over-rule litigation it was wrong. The bill was read a second time. The Senate then adjourned.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—Mr. Duff, Montreal, one of the census commissioners, of Quebec, is in the city to see the census headquarters staff with the object of expediting the work in connection with his census district.

In regard to the pay of enumerators, Mr. Duff is anxious to see the enumerators get an adequate return for their services, but he is also anxious to protect the Government against any unfair claims.

It is learned that the report that a new circular has been issued, announcing that provision has been made to allow the enumerators three extra days work, is not correct and that the report is a garbling of a previous circular.

Percy Cook has been appointed tide waiter at Halifax, vice. H. T Hamilton, deceased.

Robert Aitken has been appointed to a customs vacancy at Vancouver.

THE ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

Toronto, May 22.—(Special.)—Charges have been made that the term of the Ontario Legislature has been extended for 55 days. As a matter of fact the extension is only for 10 days.

The statute is as follows: "Unless sooner dissolved by the Lieut.-Governor, the present Legislature Assembly if, in session at the expiration of the term, (March 29, 1902), shall continue till prorogued by the Lieut.-Governor and for 10 days thereafter and no longer.

CENSUS OF KEEWATIN.

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—Archdeacon Vincent, of Stonewall, Man., is here, seeing Chief Census Commissioner Blue with respect to the census of Keewatin district, which the Archdeacon is to take.

GENERAL SYMPATHY.

General sympathy will be felt for pleasure seekers who on Victoria Day fail to take in the beauties of Bout de L'Ile Park.

Return fares—Adults, 25 cents; children, 10 cents.—Adv.

THE CHATEAU COLLECTIONS

The collections of the Chateau de Ramezay have been considerably enriched during the past month. The Numismatic and Antiquarian Society met there last night. Mr. Justice Baby presided over the meeting, and there were also present:—Messrs. H. J. Tiffin, R. W. McLachlan, J. A. U. Beaudry, Dr. L. Laberge, P. O. Tremblay, James Reid, Ludger Larose, L. N. Paie, W. Rupert Elliott, Eugene Lafontaine, J. N. Perrault, G. M. Moncel, Justice L. W. Sicotte, L. Belanger, and C. T. Hart.

HALF A CENTURY OF Y.M.C.A.

Fifty years of continuous existence was celebrated by the Young Men's Christian Association in their building last night. There were four charter members present, Henry Morton, F. E. Grafton, John Murphy and Peter Wood These men were in the little band which fifty years ago met in the Baptist Church on St. Helen Street and laid the foundation of the Y.M.C.A. in America. Their presence last night greatly increased the interest in the ceremonies. Tea was served in the gymnasium at 6.30 p.m. to the directors, committees and officials. Later, at the annual meeting in Assembly Hall, reports were received, and the old officers re-elected. Mr. W. B. Millan, secretary of the Army and Navy Department of the International Committee, made an address upon the work of the association.

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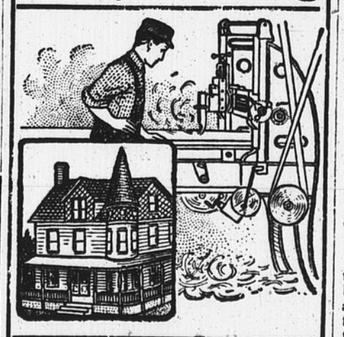

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MONTREALERS PROMINENT IN WOMEN'S COUNCIL

Madame Dandurand Brings Forward a Scheme for Promotion of Art in Canada.

London, Ont., May 22.—The officers of the Women's National Council of Canada for the ensuing year are: President—Lady Taylor; vice-presidents, Lady Laurier and Lady Thompson; secretary, Mrs. Willoughby Cummings; corresponding secretary, Miss Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Learmont, of Montreal; vice-president for Ontario, Mrs. Boomer, London; Quebec, Madame Dandurand, Montreal; New Brunswick, Lady Tilley, St. John; Prince Edward Island, Lady Davies; Manitoba, Mrs. McKeon; Northwest Territories, Mrs. Nicholas Flood Davin; British Columbia, Miss Perrin; Nova Scotia, Mrs. Laura Borden.

In Lady Taylor's absence during a six-months' furlough, Mrs. Boomer will act for her. It was strongly the wish of the council that Lady Taylor should remain as its president, though she would have preferred the privilege to retire, because of ill-health; but the desire that she remain in office was all commanding. Her decision was warmly applauded.

Mrs. Hoodless, of Hamilton, retired from the position she has occupied as treasurer for seven or eight years, so as to devote herself more exclusively to other departments.

One of the most important papers read was that prepared by Mrs. O. C. Edwards, Montreal, on Prison Reform. Mrs. Edwards has been appointed to represent Canada on the International Standing Committee of Domestic Relations.

Miss Carrie Derrick wrote an interesting account of the Girl's Club in Montreal, which is under the auspices of the McGill Alumnae.

Yesterday a good deal of time was given up to the resolution proposed by the Montreal Local Council with regard to the promotion of the Industrial and Fine Arts in Canada. This was brought forward by Mme. Dandurand, provincial vice-president. The resolution was "That a standing committee of the National Council of Women of Canada be appointed for the presentment and furtherance of practical schemes for the promotion of the industrial and fine arts in Canada, and that this committee do take into present consideration the desirability of obtaining the aid and protection of the state for Canadian students in arts whether by scholarships, by the foundation of a National Conservatory of Art in connection with existing schools or in any other way."

Mme. Dandurand's admirable paper written in perfect English urged the encouragement of art in Canada. The principle has been admitted by the head of the Government that art is an essential element of our national life. The Prime Minister is anxious that due attention should be given the matter. His repeated statements warrant the conviction that execution will soon follow the presentation of practical schemes for the promotion of art. Mme. Dandurand's suggestion was that the Federal Government be asked to inaugurate systematic encouragement in art. A standing committee of the National Council might be formed to take the place of the Council of Art or of advisory board to the chief of the Department of Fine Arts that are part of all administrations abroad. The idea would be for the provincial governments to take care of the educational part, and the Canadian Government to encourage their efforts and favor the development of national art. In reply to the objection often raised that Canada is very young, the speaker said that even babies, after a reasonable time, are expected to attempt to walk. Luxury already prevails in Canada, and luxury without art is a poor certificate for nations and individuals. The isolated exertions of provincial governments and private individuals if combined with the action of the Canadian Government, would accomplish much for art in Canada.

The co-operation has been secured for the proposed committee of Her Excellency Lady Minto, the various provincial ministers of education, Senator Drummond, M. Beique, Dean Bovey, M. Dandurand, Mme. Thibaudeau, Mrs. Bovey, Mrs. Gerin-Lajoie, Miss Phillips and others.

Miss Phillips, president Montreal W. A. Association, read a good paper on Home Arts and Handicrafts.

Men, Women and Happenings

COMING AND GOING.

Major Bliss, Ottawa, is at the Carslake.

Mr. W. F. Wilson, Ottawa, is at the Windsor.

Hon. H. Thos. Duffy, Sweetsburg, is at the Place Viger.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Aldridge, Trail, B.C., are at the Place Viger.

Mr. Gaspard de Sevres has left for Monsigny, Wis., to visit his brother, who is very ill.

IN SOCIAL LIFE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. C. Muir leave soon for Dixie.

Mrs. C. H. Binks goes to Knowlton for the summer.

Mrs. F. Taylor is the guest of Mrs. McIntyre, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wood, of Valleyfield, are at the Place Viger.

Mrs. Swift and Miss Loretto Swift have returned to Kingston from Montreal.

Mrs. F. Kay, Sherbrooke Street, has gone to her country house at Philipsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Law, 303 Stanley Street, have returned from their sojourn abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kirk Greene have returned from Hot Springs, Va., and leave shortly for Dorval.

Mr. G. B. Cramp, K.C., and Miss Cramp, MacTavish Street, have left to spend a few days at Saratoga.

Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Yates go to Toronto to-morrow to attend the Woodbine races. They will stay at the Queen's.

Miss Gertrude Gilbert, of St. Thomas, who has been spending the winter with Mrs. G. A. Savage, Greene Avenue, left this morning for Toronto, where she will spend a couple of weeks before returning home.

OUT OF TOWN NOTES.

Lady Tupper and Miss Tupper have left for Winnipeg. Sir Charles leaves at the end of the week.

Miss Leila Macdonell, Toronto, gave a tea this week for Miss Haycock, Toronto. Mrs. Gordon Osler was among the guests.

On Saturday an "At home" was given at The Kennels, London, Ont., to the delegates to the National Council and their entertainers. Carriages provided by the City Council, as well as by private individuals, took the ladies for a drive, and then to the kennels, where they were received by Mrs. Adam Beck, Mrs. Talbot MacBeth, Mrs. Niven, Mrs. T. H. Carling, Mrs. Gibbons and Mrs. T. H. Smallman. Among the ladies asked were Lady Taylor, Lady Thompson, Lady Tilley, Mrs. E. Hanson, Miss Laidlaw, Mme. Dandurand, of Montreal, and many others.

Miss Elsie Jones, Brockville, who has a horse entered for the Queen's Plate at the Woodbine races, is in Toronto for the races. Miss Jones, who is a great horsewoman, is a sister of Mrs. Arthur Heward, of Montreal.

A reception was given yesterday in Toronto for the Bishop of Moosonee and Mrs. Newnham, who leave shortly to spend the summer in England. Mrs. Newnham was presented with a gold badge of life membership in the Woman's Auxiliary.

Mr. Frederick H. Torrington, musical director of the Toronto College of Music, was rather surprised when he read in the morning papers of his son's marriage on December 29th, 1900, to Miss Madge Pritchard, youngest daughter of Mr. S. Pritchard, 20 Woodlawn Avenue. The groom, Henry Mansfield by name, is a popular medical student at Trinity College, and the bride a social favorite in North Toronto. They were married by Rev. James O'Hara, of Lisgar Street, a superannuated Methodist minister. The happy event was not announced to anyone until this week, when a few friends of the groom were acquainted with the particulars of the marriage.

CANADIAN NURSES AHEAD.

The programme of the graduating exercises in connection with Mount Sinai Hospital Training School for Nurses, New York, reveals the fact that several Ontario girls are (this May) among the number of graduates. These are:—Miss Minnie D. Oldright, daughter of Dr. Oldright, of Toronto; Miss Margaret E. Wright, of Toronto; Miss Winnifred Benson Monkhouse, Toronto; Miss Sarah Frances Rainey, Ottawa; Miss Mary Wiley, Toronto; Miss Lena May Jones, and Miss Margaret B. Thorpe. One notes with pleasure that Miss Margaret B. Thorpe has the distinction of heading this graduating class of twenty-nine. On all sides one hears nothing but good things of our Canadian girls across the line, says the Toronto World, where their sweet dignity of bearing, their soft, pretty voices, their good sense and good manners make them great favorites in the medical world.

LITTLE ESTHER CLEVELAND ILL.

Esther Cleveland, daughter of the ex-President, lies ill of diphtheria in a secluded chamber in the Cleveland residence, Westland, near Princeton. The other Cleveland children are being kept in the opposite end of the house.

The first intimation local physicians had of the presence of diphtheria in Princeton was when one of them was summoned to attend the little daughter of Prof. John H. Finley, of the chair of politics in the university. The child died early Sunday morning. On Friday Esther Cleveland became ill, and Dr. Wikoff, of Princeton, found that she had been playing with the Finley children. The young daughter of Dr. John Davies, professor of Hebrew, was taken ill at about the same time.

BLANCHE WALSH IN PRIVATE LIFE

Hypatia in the Winnipeg Telegram, writes of Miss Walsh, who recently played in that city. After describing the wonderful gowns worn in "More Than Queen," she says: Miss Walsh has a distinct personality which she puts into her work and that probably is the secret of her success. My little chats with her between the acts took none of the romance away. She is the same light-hearted, loveable woman as she makes Josephine. Always thinking of the pleasure of those around her and many were the stories of her kindness—told me by members of the company. They all adore her and delight in talking of her. "She never rests on arriving in a town," said one "until she makes sure that we are all comfortably settled, as she is, and if anyone is ill she cannot do enough for them." Just at present one of the members of the company, a young fellow who takes a minor part, is laid up with rheumatism, and every day Miss Walsh spends an hour or more massaging his pain-wracked body, as she possesses a magnetic touch that is very soothing.

In private life Miss Walsh cares nothing for elaborate clothing and dresses very plainly. When I saw her at the hotel, she wore a white lawn shirt-waist, a black skirt and black necktie. Although she has magnificent jewelry, she but seldom wears any. One ring, that is always worn, I must describe. It is a very odd one, and is worn on the thumb; a heavy gold band with a diamond set deeply, on either side of the setting is an Indian's head carved in the gold, one with a smiling face and the other frowning. It is a very old ring and supposed to be the only one of that pattern. Needless to say it is greatly valued by the owner. The gifted actress has no family, in fact is quite alone in the world. Her mother, whom she seems to have almost idolized, died about two years ago. Her picture was on a table in Miss Walsh's room and so much alike are mother and daughter, that I took it for a picture of Miss Walsh. The same dark blue eyes and wavy hair, dark, but with an auburn tinge through it and the same features. Her mother was of peculiar descent—a mixture of Austrian and Greek. The company have only two weeks more to play and then Miss Walsh will take her much-needed rest. Her home is in Brooklyn, and she will go directly there. Her hobby is the collection of beautiful pictures and stationery, and her pretty house is filled with gems that she has collected during her travels.

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DIOCESAN COLLEGE BOARD

Year's Work Was Reviewed at the Annual Meeting.

MESSRS. SMITH, S. CARSLEY AND REXFORD, RETIRING GOVERNORS, RE-ELECTED.

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Diocesan College which was held yesterday under the presidency of the Archbishop of Montreal, the financial statement for the year was presented, showing the revenue for the year to be $9,720 and the expenditure $11,313, leaving a deficit of $1,593.85; it was, moreover, stated that this loss would have been as much as $2,000 if it had not been for a profit in the sale of Montreal Gas stock.

The Rev. Principal Hackett then presented the annual report of the governors. The Rev. Professor Steen resigned in January, and his place had not yet been filled. Twenty-nine students were in attendance last session, a decrease of one in the number of last year, of whom thirteen were attending the lectures in theology. The examinations of McGill and the college were very satisfactory, and the courses of lectures had been increased by the addition of one upon church music, kindly given by Mr. P. J. Illsley, Mus. Bac., of St. George's Church. All students had to pass in this subject during some part of their college course. The pastoral work had been well maintained, and Verdun, in the parish of Cote St. Paul, had been added to the parishes served by the students. The other departments of the college were in good working order, but there was urgent need of outside help, if the annual deficit was to be wiped out. Contributions might be made either by annual subscriptions, or by the endowment fund of $50,000, which was now being raised. Of this $10,000 had already been promised or paid. On the motion of Mr. A. F. Gault, seconded by Mr. G. F. C. Smith, the report was unanimously adopted.

The period for which Messrs. G. F. C. Smith and S. Carsley and the Rev. E. I. Rexford had been elected as governors having expired, they were unanimously re-elected.

A motion of congratulation with Archbishop Bond upon his attaining to the primacy, and a vote of thanks to the dean for his interest in the college, and of sympathy in his illness, was then passed, and the Rev. Principal Hackett, the S.P.C.K., and the St. George's Y.M.C.A., were also thanked for their efforts on behalf of the college.

There were present at the meeting:—The Rev. Dr. Kerr, Rev. F. Graham, Rev. Principal Hackett, Rev. T. Pratt, Rev. Professor Abbott Smith, Mr. Machison, Ascath, Rural Dean Jenkyn, Mr. McMorris, Rural Dean Sanders, Principal Lariviere, E. I. Rexford, Archdeacon Evans, Dr. Alexander Johnson, Messrs. A. F. Gault, James Crathern, G. F. C. Smith, George Hague, S. Carsley, Alex. Robertson, C. Garth, E. L. Bond, Geo. T. Drummond and H. J. Mudge, secretary.

THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

A meeting of the board of governors was held in the afternoon. His Grace the Archbishop presided, and there were also present:—Ven. Archdeacon Norton, Rev. Principal Rexford, Ven. Archdeacon Evans, Rev. Canon Ker, Rev. Principal Hackett, Messrs. Gault, Garth, Hague, White, E. L. Bond, N. M. Mudge, secretary. The minutes were read and confirmed, and Rural Dean Sanders was appointed a member of the educational council in the place of the Right Rev. Bishop Mills. The report of the educational council was adopted and incorporated in the report to the corporation.

TO-DAY'S CIVIL COURTS

In the case of P. Milot vs. J. McD. Hains and W. A. Hendrie, mise-en-cause, the point at issue was whether the act of bankruptcy annulled a lease. The learned judge decided that it did not, and that the lease remains in force in spite of the abandonment.

The twin actions brought by the Societe Promotive des Arts and the Societe des Ecoles Gratuites to cancel the by-law directed against lottery enterprises of their character were dismissed to-day by Mr. Justice Loranger. The learned judge held that the decisions of the Court of Review upon the subject were final.

The Gold Medal Furniture Manufacturing Co. have take out a seizure before judgment for $225 against B. Rosenberg, alias B. Sabloff, who is stated to be an absentee. The seizure is upon goods in the possession of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Mr. Justice Langelier has dismissed the action brought by Mrs. Thos. Cole, a widow, against the Montreal Street Railway. Mrs. Cole, who is lame and walks with crutches, claimed that on the 6th July last she was alighting from a street car at the corner of Bleury and Craig streets, when the car started before she reached the roadway, whereby she fell heavily and broke her wrist. As she earns her livelihood by sewing, and was unable to work by reason of the broken wrist, she claimed $1,000 damages. But the evidence did not bear out Mrs. Cole's statements. The witnesses testified that she was well off the car before it started, and that her fall was due purely to accident. Under these circumstances the learned judge ruled that the company could not be held responsible.

Ham Hang, a Chinese laundryman, has taken out a writ against the city for $452 for costs incurred by him over heis alleged false arrest when he was rounded up with a bunch of other Celestials for non-payment of the laundry tax.

VICTORIA DAY TRAFFIC TO STE. AGATHE.

PARLOR CAR SERVICE will be as under:

Lv. Place Viger	5.30 p.m. Thurs.,	May 23
Lv. St. Agathe	4.05 p.m. Frid.,	May 24
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Lv. St. Agathe	7.00 p.m. Sun.,	May 26

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Cooking Figs	6c	4½c	Shredded Wheat Biscuits	15c	12½c
Baked Beans	5c	4½c	Maple Syrup, ½ gal.	60c	50c
Evap. Apples, 3 lbs.	30c	25c	Baker's Cocoa, ½ lb.	30c	25c
Maple Syrup, qts.	30c	25c	Finest Cheese	15c	12c
Boneless Chicken	30c	25c	Finest Salmon	15c	12½c
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Enamel Saucepan	45c	22c

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Pain Killer, Perry Davis	25c	15c
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills	50c	35c
Thomas' Eclectric Oil	25c	16½c
Abbey's Effervescent Salt	60c	43c
Beef, Iron and Wine, Wyeth's	$1.00	65c
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My Lady of Orange

By H. C. Bailey

SUMMARY OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

The story is told by John Newstead, an Englishman, who as captain of a free company, assisted the Spaniards under Alva in the sack of Harlem. Because pay was not forthcoming, the captain and company transferred their allegiance to the Dutch and were instructed by the Prince of Orange to worry Alva, who with 14,000 men was besieging Breuthe.

On the way from Delft a Spaniard was captured and killed and a girl rescued from him. By means of a message he was carrying, Don Guzman d'Astorgas and his company was ambushed and destroyed at Veermut bridge, and a convoy captured. The first move was against Alva. The girl rescued demands to be taken to the Prince of Orange.

With the captured convoy, Newstead and his company cut their way through Alva's lines into Breuthe, and joined in its defence.

CHAPTER IV.—(Continued.)

"Ach! why talk of the impossible?" grunted the German.

"He will scarce be willing to treat with deserters," Vermeil went on, "and deserters who have nothing to give and all to ask. If only we did not come empty-handed" he added with a sigh.

"Words, words!" said Gaspar scornfully.

I looked at Vermeil, and his eyes met mine for a moment and dropped; for an instant, and only an instant, he seemed to smile.

"There is just one thing we could bid him to," said Vermeil. Gaspar shifted his chair. "The fruit is all but ripe enough to fall, and yet he might thank the man who plucked it. Ah! if we were not deserters we might sell Breuthe!"

"Ten thousand devils! Sell Breuthe!" cried Gaspar, dashing his chair back.

"Ay, we might sell Breuthe," I repeated slowly. Gaspar sprang up and stood leaning over us with one hand on the table.

"Sell Breuthe?" he shouted. "I thought we were soldiers, not a money-grubbing pack of traitors double-dyed! Who made Breuthe yours to sell? You come to the aid of St. Trond here, you lose his daughter, and you sell his town! Mighty deeds! God in heaven! I tell you I will hold Breuthe against you myself. I, Gaspar Wiederman, against any rattling huckster in the town," and he stormed out of the room.

"He seems moved, captain," said Vermeil coolly.

"The men will follow the money, eh?" I asked.

"Ma foi, yes; men are men, as the good Gaspard said."

"If I go to Alva will you keep peace in the town?" said I.

"You—to Alva?" stammered Vermeil. "He must know you brought us to Orange. Think of the risk. Send a message."

"There will be more risk in my meeting Alva before all is done," said I slowly. He stared at me in amazement, thinking he had scarce heard aright.

"I—I do not understand," he muttered.

"You will," I answered. "I will be my own messenger. At all costs keep the peace till you see me again."

So, just as the sun was setting, a wiry man, in a cloak that hid his armor, slipped out of the postern gate of Breuthe all alone, and turned toward Alva's camp. And behind me rose the gray walls of the town that had baffled the Spaniard so long, silt and crimsoned by the rays from the west. Here and there, breaking the blue mist of the horizon, a dull red glare shone out, marking the forays of Alva's men. Somewhere beyond the horizon, beyond the furthest stretch of Alva's arm, William of Orange, William the Taciturn, sat brooding over the travailing land.

So I went forth to sell Breuthe.

CHAPTER V.

THE LION'S DEN.

"Little man, little man, halt!" It was a stalwart, swarthy Walloon sentry stepped suddenly forward, shouting. I judged he meant me by his words, and I paused.

"I bring an offer to the Duke of Alva," I cried.

"What, from the vermin eaters in Breuthe? Nay, then, come on. We have wasted long enough over this mouse hole. So you have eaten the last worm, eh, little man?"

"Yes; we cooked it by the fire in your camp," said I.

"Nay, if you come to Alva, speak not of firing the camp, or you are like to try a fire's heat yourself."

"You liked it not, then?" I asked.

"By Beelzebub! you had best bridle your tongue in time, little man, else— But here is the guard. Lieutenant, the little man has an offer for the duke from Breuthe."

The lieutenant, a fox-faced Italian, looked at me sharply:

"Why do you not come with a flag of truce, knave?"

"Because I was not anxious to tell of my coming to the good people of Breuthe," I answered quietly.

"Ah, so!" he said, and fixing his eyes on my face, "Well, what is your offer?" he asked lightly.

"It is to the duke of Alva," quoth I. "You rate yourself high—and your offer, too, my friend."

"I know what both are," I answered.

"Are you so sure? Perhaps the duke will teach you better," he said, showing his teeth like a dog. "We shall see. Lead on, there."

"Ay, we shall see," said I.

Outside a tent rather larger than most we halted, and the lieutenant entered alone. Then I heard a rattling Spanish oath from within, suddenly broken off, and a gruff voice speaking quickly and anxiously. There followed a moment's silence, then a sharp command, and the lieutenant appeared to bid me enter.

Before me sat Ferdinando of Alva, the greatest soldier in Europe, who wielded the forces of the greatest power in the world, the master of all the Netherlands save Breuthe town. And Breuthe town I had come to sell. Far away in Delft was William of Orange, who had trusted me to do him what good I could. Ay, there sat Alva, with his long, lean, sallow face frowning at me from two yards' distance, caressing his irongray beard with a thin, sluewy hand.

"Take away his sword," he said, in a grating voice.

I laughed. This was not the way of Orange. The huge fat man who sat by him stared at me for a minute.

"Why, 'tis the Englishman, Newstead!" he cried. Alva's forehead gathered into a frown, and the hand that lay on the table clenched hard. Then his thin lips parted and he grinned like a wolf.

"Praise be to the Virgin!" he said. "Let him be burned by a slow fire under their walls."

The lieutenant laid his hand on my shoulder.

"Bethink you!" I cried. "Dead I shall do you little good; alive I can do much."

Alva waved his hand.

"A slow fire!" he repeated.

The fat man—Chiapin Vitelli—bent over and whispered in his ear. I stood there waiting, the lieutenant's claw hand still on my shoulder. Cordieu! I am no coward, but I do not wish to pass such minutes as those again. For a long time the two dark faces hung near each other, and Vitelli whispered on, while I could feel my heart beat, and Alva's steady cold eye never left my face. I do not think my color changed.

At last Vitelli ended. Alva stroked his beard once, twice, thrice. Then suddenly the grating voice broke out again:

"Why do you dare come here?" he said.

I started. I hardly knew what he said.

"Why do you dare come here?" he repeated, angrily.

"I—I bring you an offer," I stammered. Vitelli looked with an air of triumph at Alva.

"Ha! Breuthe will surrender? You will get no terms from me."

"Breuthe will never surrender!" said I.

The wolf's look—it was never long absent—came back to Alva's face.

"Well, your offer, your offer," said Vitelli.

"I will open the gates to a party of your men."

"Ah!" Vitelli said, and he smiled.

"You may go," cried Alva to the lieutenant. "Is that all?" he asked sharply, turning to me.

"The rest comes from you, sir," I answered coolly.

"With a pardon you will be well paid," he snarled.

"I should, of course, request that," I said.

"For yourself and your men," said Vitelli.

"They are good soldiers," I answered.

"They would be more use alive."

"You want more?" Alva asked sharply.

I bowed.

"What do you ask?"

"There was a girl we lost——" I began. Alva waved his hand carelessly.

(To be continued.)

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CLUB CANADIEN.

The members of Le Club Canadien are requested to attend the funeral of their late president, J. W. R. Brunet, which will take place on Thursday, 23rd inst., at the Church of l'Immaculee Conception, Rachel Street. The funeral will leave his late residence, 598 Delorimier Avenue, at 8.15 a.m. By order, H. Lesperance, Secretary.

Herald Want Advertisements—Cheap and Good

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

BIRTHS.

BASTIEN—In this city, at 168 Cherrier Street, on May 17, the wife of L. P. Bastien, of a daughter.

CREPEAU—In this city, at 253 Centre St., on the 19th inst., the wife of O. Crepeau, notary, of a daughter.

HUBAND—On May 18, at Ottawa, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Huband, a son.

LACHAPELLE—In this city, at 1297 Notre Dame Street, on May 17, the wife of Arthur Lachapelle, of a son.

LARIVIERE—In St. Cunegonde, at 343 Delisle Street, on May 16, the wife of Ernest Lariviere, of a daughter.

McLEAN—At Ottawa, on May 13, the wife of S. J. McLean, University of Arkansas, Fayateville, Ark., of a daughter.

MACKERROW—On May 11, at Ottawa, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mackerrow.

NETTLETON—In this city, at 160 Grand Trunk Street, on May 13, the wife of H. Nettleton, of a son.

TRUDEAU—In this city, at 453 Centre St., the wife of Napoleon Trudeau, grocer, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BROWNLEE-BENBOW — In St. John's Church, Ottawa, on Thursday, May 16, by the Rev. Canon Pollard, Mr. Ermine Brownlee to Frances Ethel, daughter of the late T. J. Benbow. London, Eng., papers please copy.

CANTIN-ST. MAURICE—On May 20, at the Chapel of the Sacred Heart, rear of Notre Dame Church, by the Rev. Abbe Brage, Joseph Cantin to Ernestine St. Maurice.

COMEAU-BLANCHARD—At St. Charles, Kent Co., N.B., on May 12, by the Rev. Fr. Venor, Mr. Alex. Comeau to Miss Tilly Blanchard.

COMTOIS-MARCHAND—On May 20, at the Chapel of the Sacred Heart, in St. James Church, Aristide D. Comtois to Marie Leonie Marchand.

LEROY-HORNER—On March 5, in St. George's Church, Ottawa, by the Rev. J. Snowdon, Louis John LeRoy, son of Louis LeRoy, Bryson, to Miss Ida May Horner, of Eardley.

CASE-WARK—On May 20, at her father's residence, Hemmingford, by the Rev. J. R. Hodgson, Miss Minnie M. Wark, eldest daughter of Mr. Wellington W. Wark, to Mr. Julius F. Case, of Mooers, N.Y.

LOUGH-MacFARLANE—On May 15, at the Methodist Church, Prestonvale, by the Rev. D. A. Lough, brother of the groom, assisted by the Rev. Isaac Wilkinson, J. Oberlin Lough, of Ottawa, to Margaret G., daughter of Mr. George MacFarlane, of Prestonvale.

HERBERT-STUART—At the residence of the bride's father, 89 Aylmer street, on May 16, 1901, by the Rev. F. M. Dewey, M.A., assisted by the Rev. Jas. A. Stuart, B.A., of Calvin Church, Bathurst, Ont., brother of the bride, John Henry Herbert to Eleanor, eldest daughter of John A. Stuart, all of this city.

HUTCHISON-LUTTRELL — At Erskine Church, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. A. J. Mowatt, Margaret May, daughter of Mr. Joseph Luttrell, to Ernest Evans Hutchison, of this city. No cards.

McLEAN-BRUSON—In Brooklyn, N.Y., on May 16th, at Christ Church, by Rev. A. B. Kinsolving, Flora, daughter of Dr. Mary Bruson, of Jacksonville, Florida, to Francis Herbert McLean, of Montreal.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

BRUNET—In this city, on May 21st, Joseph Wilfrid Rodolphe Brunet, at the age of 37 years. Funeral Thursday morning, at 8.15, from his late residence, 598 de Lorimier Avenue, to Immaculate Conception Church, corner Rachel and Papineau, thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. 120x

FRIEDLANDER—On the 18th May, 1901, William Balfour, son of H. Friedlander, aged 7 years and 10 months.

DEGUIRE — In this city, Monday, May 20th, 1901, at the age of 35 years, Margaret Jane Lynch, beloved wife of Philias Deguire, and sister of Denis Lynch. Funeral will take place from her husband's residence, 2456 Notre Dame Street, on the 22nd instant, at 8.15 a.m., to St. Joseph's Church, and from thence to R. C. Cemetery.

FINLAY—At his residence, 105 Tupper st., on the 20th inst., A. W. Aytoun-Finlay, B.A., barrister. Funeral private. London, Eng., Times and Standard please copy.

HOOD—On May 18, Elizabeth Ann Patton, beloved wife of Thomas D. Hood, in her 79th year. Funeral on Tuesday, 21st, at 2.30 o'clock, from 159 University Street.

MARTIN—On Sunday, May 19, Hilda Rebecca, aged 11 months, only daughter of Mr. James Martin, McGill Street. Funeral private.

HOOD—On May 18, Elizabeth Ann Patton, beloved wife of Thos. D. Hood, in her 79th year.

HOWARD—Mildred, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Howard, of 373 Mance Street, on May 18, aged 11 weeks and 2 days.

WILLIAMS—In this city, on the 18th instant, at the age of 10 years, 11 months and 16 days, Hattie Lorena, daughter of A. E. Williams. Funeral private. Watertown, N.Y., and Smith's Falls, Ont., papers please copy.

KENNA—At 1858 Ontario Street, on the 21st instant, Julia Moylan, aged 73 years, widow of James Kenna. A native of Menagh, Tipperary, Ireland. Funeral private, on Thursday morning.

DEATHS ELSEWHERE.

LEFEBVRE — At Howick, Que., on the 20th inst., at the age of 31 years, Corinne Adele Martin, beloved wife of J. H. Lefebvre. The funeral will leave her husband's residence, on Wednesday, the 22nd, at 9.00 a.m., to the Roman Catholic Church, thence to the cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. 119x

BAINE—At St. Luke's Hospital, Ottawa, on May 17, Agnes Baine, beloved wife of the late James Baine, in her 69th year.

CAMPBELL—At Toronto, on May 17, Chas. J. Campbell, late assistant receiver-general, in his 82nd year.

CAMPBELL—At Ormstown, on the 16th inst., Margaret Barns, relict of the late Jas. Campbell, in the 74th year of her age, mother of A. S. Campbell, Ormstown, and Jas. B. Campbell, of Acme Can Works, Montreal.

CARROLL—On May 16th, at Toronto, Ellen Carroll, widow of the late Henry Carroll, of Fremont, Neb., and second daughter of the late Rev. R. D. Mackay, aged 39 years.

GUILBAULT—At Joliette, on May 19, Rosalie Parent, aged 73 years, widow of the late Charles Guilbault.

GUIMOND—At Rockfield, near Lachine, on May 19, Elie Guimond, aged 21 years and 2 months.

McLEAN—At Toronto, on May 16, Thomas McLean, aged 64 years.

McOUAT—At Lachute, on May 18, Emma Jane (Janie), second daughter of Thomas McOuat.

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RAILWAY NEWS

Mr. T. G. Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, sailed from Liverpool by the Cunard steamer Lucania for New York on Saturday. He will probably reach Montreal about Sunday next.

Mr. D. D. Macdonald, of the passenger audit department of the Grand Trunk, left on Tuesday evening to take up a position in the office of the superintendent of the Algoma Central Railroad at Saulte Ste. Marie.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company has announced that it will run an extra passenger train between Montreal and Sherbrooke on and after Saturday, May 25, until Monday, September 29. The train will leave Windsor Street station, Saturday afternoon at 1.40, arriving in Sherbrooke at 5.15, and returning Monday, leave Sherbrooke at 6 a.m. and arrive in Montreal at 9.40 a.m.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company have built in their workshops at Point St. Charles a special car which will be used for the transportation of live fish, to be used for re-stocking the waters in the highlands of Ontario. In this matter the Government of Ontario are co-operating with the Grand Trunk in this re-stocking project, the purpose in view being of course the prevention of the depletion of the streams or lakes by tourists and anglers, who are attracted in large numbers.

The Canadian Northern, according to a despatch from Portage la Prairie, intend to connect their system in Manitoba forthwith, now that the railway bills authorizing the deal with the Northern Pacific and the leasing of the lines have been passed by the Canadian Parliament. The Northern Pacific extension from Beaver will be commenced at once, and the acquired line with the Dauphin branch at Gladstone will enable the company to run trains from beyond Swan River direct to Winnipeg within a few weeks, as there is only a short link to construct.

That excellent railway authority, the Railroad Gazette, seems to have doubts about the ability of the Montreal Bridge Company to proceed with the work for some time yet at any rate. In its last issue it says:—"The story has been revived that the St. Lawrence bridge at Montreal will shortly be put under contract. Mr. C. N. Armstrong, 16 St. Sacrament Street, Montreal, can give information about it. It has also been said that Mr. Edward S. Shaw, consulting engineer, 12 Pearl Street, Boston, Mass., has prepared plans. It is true that Mr. Shaw made a competitive design for this bridge some six years ago, but we do not learn that this has been forwarded to such shape as to be ready to submit for bids, nor do we learn that the necessary financial arrangements have been made for letting contracts."

TO CONNECT WITH A FAST ATLANTIC LINE.

Mr. Robert J. Campbell, president of the Cape Breton Railway Extension Company, Limited, who has associated with him in this enterprise Dr. Seward Welch, Messrs. A. L. Meyer, H. L. Sprague and other capitalists, is in the city, and in an interview at the Windsor Hotel, he stated that the new line, which will be about ninety miles in length, will be commenced forthwith. It will run from Port Hawkesbury, on the Strait of Canso, to historic Louisburg, through the southern half of the island of Cape Breton, passing such places as River Inhabitant, West Bay, Grand River, Loch Lomond, Framboise, Mira, St. Peters, Lardoise, Fourchie and Gaborus, with a branch to the town of Sydney. Mr. Campbell says he firmly believes the Cape Breton extension will connect with a fast Atlantic service at Louisburg, and be the first link in that great system over which rapid trains will pass with passengers and mails for New York, Montreal, Chicago and all the important centres on this continent.

BLENHEIM GIRL DISAPPEARS.

Chatham, May 22.—William Fletcher, who claimed to have come from Toronto, and his wife, arrived in Blenheim about three weeks ago, and departed on Saturday night last. Fletcher and his wife boarded with Mrs. Buzzard and everything appeared to be going along smoothly until Saturday night, when the two boarders disappeared, leaving the Buzzard house in Blenheim, about 10 o'clock at night. About thhe same hour the 14-year-old daughter of the landlady also disappeared and has not been seen since. Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Buzzard became alarmed at her daughter's prolonged absence and came to Chatham to consult with Chief of Police Young. When Fletcher and his wife arrived in Blenheim, they boasted that they had walked from Toronto. It is supposed that they are professional tramps and have induced the Buzzard girl to decamp with them. The girl is described as being 14 years of age; fair complexion; heavy set, and weighs 106 pounds. When she left the house the girl wore a print dress with a woollen overskirt and a cloth jacket.

JUBILEE OF A PRIEST.

Belleville, Ont., May 22.—Celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the ordination of Right Rev. James Farrelly, pastor of St. Michael's Church, was begun last evening, when the children of the separate schools presented him with an address at the Opera House. Monsignor Farrelly, who was born in Ireland 74 years ago, has held his pastoral charge in Belleville for more than thirty years, and is highly esteemed by people of all denominations owing to his genial personality and his tolerance in matters of faith and doctrine. Bishops O'Connor, of Peterboro, and McEvoy, of London, will attend Monsignor Farrelly's golden jubilee.

TEMPERANCE IN ENGLAND.

Mr. George Hayler, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, general secretary of the North of England Temperance League, who was in the city on Monday, stated to a Herald representative that 1,000 societies, with a membership of over 100,000, were connected with the league, and that in the district embraced—the Counties of Cumberland, Westmoreland, Northumberland, Durham and part of Yorkshire and Lancashire—one-half of the 42 members of Parliament were pledged to temperance legislation. He also stated that all the denominations were helping in the temperance work, but the difficulty was that a number of the members of Parliament who supported the veto also supported disestablishment, which made it difficult to get temperance men returned to Parliament. The great aim of the temperance societies was to get a liquor option bill passed prohibiting the sale of liquor for any purpose to children under 16 years of age. This bill had passed its second reading in the House of Commons and was now in committee. Mr. Hayler is also a past grand counsellor of the Independent Order of Good Templars, which had some 600 of its members occupying influential position. At present over 80 mayors were total abstainers and about the same number of members of Parliament. Mr. Hayler addressed a meeting under the auspices of Unity Lodge, I.O.G.T., on Monday evening, after which he left for Toronto.

Advice to Mothers.

If your little boy or girl comes home with a sore throat, the first thing to do is to rub the throat and chest with Polson's Nerviline. Don't be afraid to use Nerviline freely—a whole bottle full wouldn't burn or blister the tenderest skin. Rub in until all taken up by the pores, and just before the child goes to sleep give him a glass of hot water into which 30 drops of Nerviline has previously been stirred. This is a sure, pleasant and speedy cure. Large bottles, 25 cents.

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LOST — ON GUY OR NOTRE DAME STS., west of Guy, about twenty dollars in bills. Address 86 Union ave. 120

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LOST — STRAYED FROM 60A ST. ANTOINE st., May 15th, skye terrier dog, answers to name of Frank. Reward at above address. 120

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WANTED — SITUATION BY CANVASSER, in tea and coffee firm, or any other line of goods. Would prefer firm giving prizes with goods. Eight years' experience. First class references. Address Tea Salesman, Herald Office. 123x

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FOR SALE — HOTELS, LICENSED RESTaurants, grocery, cigar, confectionery stores, also dining rooms, butcher stalls and other business. Always Dagenais & Co. for bargains. 505 Craig st. Telephone East 1810. 139x

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FOR SALE — TREES, SHRUBS, HARDY roses, perennials, flowering vines, fruit trees of every description, everything reduced; asparagus, palmetto, two year, strong, thousand, $8; hundred, $1. Drop card. Cooper, 291 Bourgeois. 123x

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FOR SALE — LAUNDRY SECRET. HOW to polish shirts and collars when ironing. By mail, 15c. Address A. Linde, Laundryman, 42A Victoria st. 124x

FOR SALE — FIRST CLASS UPRIGHT piano, American make, powerful tone, seven octaves, three pedals; rare chance; guaranteed; latest style; $75 cash. 625 St. James st., near Windsor. 124x

FOR SALE—GAS STOVES TO RENT, $6 per year; after three yearly payments stove becomes your property, 14,000 in use in Montreal. Connected (ready for use) free. Montreal Gas Co. x

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FOR SALE — HANDSOME DOUBLE BRASS bedstead, with hair mattress and wire spring. Apply 53 Cathcart st. 123x

FOR SALE—TO INVALIDS. VAPOR BATHS, invalid rolling, reclining chairs, back rests, bedside adjustable table, bed tray, for breakfast in bed, bidets, bed clothes supporter, etc. R. E. Painchaud, 208 St. Lawrence st., opposite the market. 142x

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FOR SALE — A NEW EDISON PHONOgraph, complete, 25 records, cost $45.00, will be sold at $30.00. And also a fine plush parlor set, $20.00. 25A Gain st. 122x

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FOR SALE—GENDRON BICYCLE, CHEAP, 22 inch frame, 1899 Model, aluminum finish, Dunlop tires, in very good condition. 21 Bleury st. 120x

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FOR SALE — NEW UPRIGHT PIANOS, cheap for cash, or payable $10 down and $7 monthly. Leach's, 2440 St. Catherine (between Stanley and Drummond). Open evenings. Exchange made. 120x

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FOR SALE—SPECIAL SALE KODAKS FOR one week only, 25 per cent. to 40 per cent. discount on Premo, Poco, Ray and Vive Cameras. R. F. Smith, 1756 Notre Dame Street. tf

FOR SALE—BREAD, CAKES, FIRST CLASS bread and cakes, 14 cents. Telephone Main 307, or apply Montreal Cash Bakery, 89 Shannon st. tf

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FOR SALE—WATERPROOF COVERS. ALL sizes, for horses, waggons, etc. Tarpaulins on hire. Men's oilskin clothing, oiled hats, etc. Canvas, all widths and weights. The Sonne Awning, Tent and Tarpaulin Co., 775 Craig st., Montreal. Write for catalogue. Bell Tel. Main 727. tf

FOR SALE — CASH OR CREDIT, FURNIture and carpets for parlors, bedroom, dining room and kitchen, pictures, mirrors, clocks, etc. Call and see. F. Gubbord, 189 and 189A Montcalm st., 2nd door above St. Catherine st. tf

FOR SALE — CASH OR CREDIT, PARLOR Sets, Bedroom Suites, Dining Sets, Carpets, Oilcloth, Curtains, Stoves, etc. PRINCE CO., 33 St. Lawrence st. tf

FOR SALE—SAFES AND VAULT DOORS, new and secondhand, large stock, moderate prices; repairs and removing. A. Ahern, Montreal Safe Works, 363 St. James st. Telephone Main 813. tf

FOR SALE — SAFES AND VAULT DOORS of all descriptions, both new and second hand. G. Chapleau & Sons, Bell Tel. East 1139, Merchants 190. tf

FOR SALE — FOR THE MILLION, KINDling, $2; cut maple, $2.50; tamarac blocks, $1.75; mill blocks, $1.50 per load, delivered anywhere in the city. J. C. MacDiarmid, Richmond sq. Bell Tel. Up 2553. tf

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SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING — MISS Graham, Temple Building. Phone Main 1714. Typewriting promptly done. Shorthand classes open all summer. Pupils begin any time. tf

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FOR SALE — CHEAP PRICE, NEW BUGgies, Gladstone, Quebec and Concord; guaranteed work. Jos. Bonhomme, corner Richmond and St. James. 139x

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HORSES FOR SALE BY AUCTION EVERY day at 2.30 p.m. Private sales at all times. Trial given. Satisfaction guaranteed. T. W. Foster & Co., 597-601 St. Paul st. Tel. Main 3265. tf

RUBBER GOODS.

GARDEN HOSE

Rubber Belting extra low prices this month. The Thos. Forrester Co., 325 St. James St. Phone Main 3060.

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ROOMS — A NICE, BRIGHT, SINGLE room, suitable for lady or gentleman. Apply 109 Alexander st. x

ROOMS — 146A PEEL STREET, FURNISHed room (bathroom floor), pleasant view, opposite Dominion Park; private family; transients taken. 124x

ROOMS — DOUBLE OR SINGLE ROOMS TO let, with or without board, in private family. 213B Bleury st., above St. Catherine street. 123x

BOARD — MRS. SEARL, LADIES' DOCtress, strictly private and superior accommodation, with professional attendance. Ladies treated and attended. 28 St Monique street. 122x

ROOMS AND TABLE BOARD. EVERY CONvenience. 23 Torrance. 123x

ROOMS — TO LET, COMFORTABLY FURnished rooms, suitable for couple or two young gentlemen, with or without board; hot and cold water and all conveniences. 183 Versailles st. 124x

ROOMS — TO LET, LARGE, WELL FURnished single room, to a gentleman of quiet habits; Auer light, every convenience. 95 University st. 125x

ROOMS—TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO let. 221 Knox st. 119x

ROOMS — TO LET, NICELY FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms, on bath flat; Auer light and hot water. 35 Victoria st. 124x

ROOMS — TO RENT, FURNISHED ROOM, comfortably furnished, gas, $5.00 per month; home comforts; desirable locality. 287½ St. Urbain st. 124x

ROOMS — TO RENT, WELL FURNISHED room on bathroom flat, in private family, on Bishop st.; gentlemen only. Address 102X Herald Office. 124x

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ROOMS — DOUBLE FURNISHED ROOMS, bathroom flat, gentlemen, ladies, married couples; terms moderate. 53 Victoria st. 123

ROOMS — IN GOOD UPTOWN LOCALITY, with or without board, nicely furnished, bathroom flat; breakfast and six o'clock meal, $3.50 per week. 39 St. Mark st. 121

ROOMS — TWO UNFURNISHED PARLORS, also one single room; very reasonable. 119 St. Urbain, corner Dorchester. 122

ROOMS—TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS. 27 Leclerc ave., off Richmond st. 122

ROOMS — TO LET, SINGLE AND DOUBLE rooms, bath flat, all conveniences; terms reasonable. 104 Union ave. 122x

ROOMS—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, ON bath flat, all conveniences in house; no boarders. 90 Mansfield st. 123

ROOMS — LARGE, BRIGHT, WELL FURnished front bedroom, suitable for one or two gentlemen, Auer light; also single front room. 49 Beaver Hall Hill. 122

ROOMS — DOUBLE AND SINGLE, WITH or without meals; also parlor bedroom; transients. 21 Victoria. 122

ROOMS — FURNISHED, SUIT YOUNG MEN or young women employed during day. 10 Buckingham ave., close to Proctor's Theatre, corner St. Catherine. 122

ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED DOUBLE front room, $7 monthly; also single front, $5; board if desired. 49 Victoria st. 122

ROOMS — WELL FURNISHED FRONT, either double or single; housekeeping privileges, possession to suit; Auer light. 17 Cathcart st. 122

ROOMS — TO LET, FURNISHED ROOMS, single and double. Apply 2099 St. Catherine st., near Bleury. 123x

ROOMS—IN QUIET HOME, THREE BRIGHT rooms, well furnished, with every convenience; partial board if desired. 103 Stanley street. 123x

ROOM AND BOARD — WELL FURNISHED room, with excellent accommodation, in self-contained house; terms moderate. Apply 209 St. Antoine st. 122x

ROOMS — FURNISHED DOUBLE PARLOR, also other rooms, with or without board; private family. 14 Richmond square. 122x

ROOMS — TO LET, NICE, FURNISHED double bedroom, bathroom flat, one single furnished room; with or without board. Address Box 96 W., Herald. 122x

ROOMS—LARGE, WELL FURNISHED BEDrooms, suitable for two gentlemen, on bathroom flat, every convenience. Apply 4186 St. Catherine st., corner Greene ave. 121x

ROOMS — AND BOARD, IN CENTRAL LOcality, may be seen any time, at No. 53 Union ave. 120

ROOM — AND BOARD, WELL FURNISHed, large, airy room, leading on to gallery, with board. 725 Sherbrooke st. 120

ROOMS — TO LET, CHOICE UPTOWN LOcality, large, well furnished rooms, bathroom flat; everything first class; gentlemen only. 2443 St. Catherine st. 121x

ROOMS — TO LET, ONE OR TWO ROOMS, with or without use of kitchen. 543 Wellington st. 121x

ROOMS — TO LET, NICELY FURNISHED, double and single bedrooms, on bath flat; Auer light; with or without board. 37 Victoria st. 120x

ROOM — NEWLY AND NEATLY FURNISHed, on bath flat; private; very central. 74 Cathcart st., Bath Hotel Block. 120x

ROOM — TO LET, LARGE AND COMFORTably furnished, suitable for one or two gentlemen; small family; no children; immediate possession. 272A St. Antoine. 119x

ROOMS — TWO FRONT ROOMS, ON BATH flat, gas, private family; gentlemen only. 16A University st. 119x

CROCKFORD'S 15C MEALS ALWAYS ready. We serve the best 15c dinners in the city. Open day and night. 537B Craig st. 136x

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TWO LET—TWO COMFORTABLY FURnished rooms, with board; terms moderate. 100 Grand Trunk Street.

BOARD AND ROOMS — A COUPLE OF gentlemen can be accommodated with room and board in private English family. St. Antoine st. west. Address V. V., Herald Office. x

TO LET—COMFORTABLY FURNISHED room to let in private family. Central locality. Moderate price. Box R. 1, Herald. tf

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE — A LARGE, WELL BUILT, private residence, with thirty-eight acres of the best land; good orchard; water in house and barn; in the centre of the village of Abbottsford Mountain; known as the Lincoln farm. Price low. Address Gaspard A. Dupuis, Box 1228, Abbottsford, P.Q. 122x

FOR SALE —AT BELOEIL, MAGNIFICENT villa and property of T. A. Huot, situated on the Richelieu River at the foot of Beloeil mountain, three minutes from Grand Trunk station. Comprises 200 acres of arable land, gardens, with quantity of fruit trees, 200 feet of grape vines, etc. Address T. A. Huot, Beloeil, or J. L. Chalifour, New York Life Building, Montreal. 120x

COTTAGES FOR SALE OR RENT, AT ST. Lambert. Apply to James Wright, 204 St. James st. 121x

ROBT. R. GOOLD, REAL ESTATE AND Mortgage Broker. Suburban property a specialty. 157 St. James st. tf

WANTED TO PURCHASE.

WANTED — CANADIAN STAMPS. FIVE cents numeral a specialty. Address 588 St. Denis st. 120x

WANTED — SAILING SKIFF AND PLEAsure boat combined, about 16 ft., single sail, oars and cushions. Answer, stating price, etc., 295 Peel st., city. 123x

WANTED — TO PURCHASE. HIGHEST cash price paid for cast off clothing, old gold and silver jewellery, etc. Call or send postal card to H. Gilbert, 575 Craig st. 121x

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED — TWO WELL FURNISHED rooms, in private house, between Bleury and Guy, with breakfast, and with or without other meals. Married couple. Box 99X, Herald. 121x

COUPLE WANT AT ONCE, FOR TWO OR three months, small furnished house in the West End, Westmount preferred. Box 100X, Herald. x

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SULTAN LIVES IN DREAD OF DEATH

The Ruler of Turkey Constantly Imagines Himself the Object of Plots.

London, May 21.—Abdul Hamid's extraordinary conflict with the ambassadors with regard to the foreign post-offices is explained in responsible circles in London as due to the exceptional personal uneasiness and anxiety recently displayed by the Ottoman ruler.

For several weeks the Sultan has been in a state of terror. In spite of all reassurances to the contrary, he is firmly persuaded of the existence of a plot for his assassination.

He has always gone more or less in fear of an untimely taking off, but his chronic apprehension has increased of late, and the report of the recent arrival of foreign anarchists at Constantinople caused the wildest trepidation at the Yildiz kiosk.

DREAMS OF CONSPIRACIES.

With the cunning that has always characterized him, Abdul Hamid pretended to believe that the plot included the destruction of the foreign diplomatists, and that therefore he was justified in declaring that all communications addressed to the foreign post office would in future be opened and only delivered by the Turkish authorities.

For the same reason some days ago the admittance of strangers to the Selamlik was prohibited, and the palace guards were considerably strengthened.

To the same alarm is attributable the bubonic plague scare in Turkey, used as a cover for establishing a quarantine which would more effectively retard the movements of suspected anarchists.

THINKS HE IS CRAZY.

In Constantinople opinions differ as to whether Abdul Hamid is sane or mad. But the members of the diplomatic corps are, for the greater part, satisfied that the tyranny and continual fear in which he lives have led him to devote all his energies to his personal preservation and to develop only the faculties which contribute to that end—distrust, cunning and the instinct of self-defence.

"These faculties," says a well-known member of the British diplomatic service who recently returned from the Turkish capital, "are monstrously developed, to the veritable suffocation of the others, and in the Sultan's brain, wearied by neurasthenia, they have become tyrannical passions, and thus in the progress of time it has come to pass that Abdul Hamid is a true monomaniac."

IS A WILY COURTIER.

In his personal relations with Europeans and Americans he usually displays a charming affability and an admirable tact.

Even with his subjects he can affect benevolence and kindliness when his interest impels him to such a course, and, tyrant though he is, there are times when he stoops to remarkable self-humiliation.

But all this, say they who know, is a part of his policy of self-defence, and with advancing years, his nerves increasingly debilitated, he is more frequently subject to fits of violence, of which his personal entourage and his ministers get the benefit.

Recent dispatches from Constantinople say that he is forever on the watch for an attack on him; that he rarely goes without a revolver, and that the deaths of many innocent persons within the last twelve months must be laid to his charge.

A few weeks ago a gardener who was behind a bush in the park of Yildiz, on seeing the Sultan approach, rose quickly from a stooping posture to assume a respectful attitude. Abdul Hamid, startled at the sudden appearance, fired and killed the man. He repeatedly draws his revolver upon his secretaries.

POWERS LOSING PATIENCE.

It is all a part of his ferocious egoism. Nothing short of his absolute orders would have induced the Porte to threaten, in the event of a non-fulfilment of the demand for the abolition of the foreign post-offices in Constantinople, that trains for Europe carrying the letters should be stopped. The threat was a notable instance of the Sultan's personal intervention. To their knowledge of this fact was due the sharp action of the ambassadors in ordering their dragomen and kavasses to take possession of the European mail by force.

The complaisance with which the Powers have treated Turkey since the Graeco-Turkish war has made the Sultan bolder, and it is high time to read him a lesson. There is no doubt that, in his fear and terror, the Red Sultan has made his most serious blunder diplomatically since the day when, by tolerating the Bulgarian atrocities, he focussed upon himself the world's indignation and horror.

COULDN'T ESTIMATE ITS VALUE! —Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart never fails. It relieves in 30 minutes, it cures. It is a beacon-light to lead you back to health. W. H. Musselman, of G.A.R., Weissport, Pa., says: "Two bottles of Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart entirely cured me of palpitation and smothering spells. Its value cannot be estimated."—139

WHY BILL WAS WITHDRAWN

Toronto, May 22.—Regarding the Crow's Nest Railway bill, the World's Ottawa correspondent says: The Premier's announcement in the House this morning would indicate that the company declined to be bound by the proposed arrangement, and accordingly forfeited their bill.

A prominent member of the company, however, said yesterday: "The bill has been withdrawn, as the promoters have decided, with the assent of the Dominion Government, to build the contemplated railway under the provisions of an act obtained from the Provincial Legislature of British Columbia. That act also secures full protection to the smelting industry of the province."

A BOOK FOR MOTHERS.

Containing Much Information as to the Care of Children, and the Treatment of Ills that Commonly Afflict Little Ones—Given Free.

"Baby's Battles: A Message for Mothers," is the title of a very handsome little pamphlet just issued by the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company. It is devoted entirely to the care of infants and small children, and tells the mother how to aid her little ones in the emergencies of every-day life. It describes the ills that commonly afflict children and tells how to treat them. This little book is one that should be in every home where there are infants or small children. All mothers who send their name and address on a postcard to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., will receive a copy of this book free of charge. Mention The Herald when writing. Adv.

LEAVES FOR LONDON.

Ottawa, May 22.—(Special.)—Hon. David Mills leaves on June 5th for London, England. He goes to represent Canada at the conference in regard to giving representation to the colonies on the Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council. The Minister of Justice will be accompanied by Solicitor-General Fitzpatrick and his private secretary, J. D. Clarke.

MANY VIEWS OF CARNEGIE'S GIFT

Some Fear That Its Acceptance Would Disorganize the Whole System of Education.

Edinburgh, May 22.—Mr. Carnegie's gift has been almost the sole topic of conversation in Edinburgh. Sir William Muir, principal of the University of Edinburgh, said:

"I regard the gift as one of extraordinaray munificence, and there is no doubt that it will largely increase the number of students. I believe that another result will be the freeing of secondary education. Possibly the Government would make a grant for this purpose."

The Edinburgh Scotsman says editorially that Mr. Carnegie's offer is "disconcerting from its magnificence," and proceeds to show how the gift might disorganize the whole educational system. It points out that the fees which students pay are only a small part of the cost of educating them, the remainder being supplied by endowments, and that, if Mr. Carnegie's project were to bring an increase of students, the universities would be compelled to appeal to the public for further funds Then, if university education is free, the country will soon be asked, the Scotsman contends, to make secondary education free also. In conclusion, it asserts that "acceptance of the offer demands the most careful consideration, although it is an offer which Scotland cannot afford to decline without the best of good reasons."

LONDON OPINION.

London, May 21.—The Scottish papers, for the present, are rather looking the gift horse in the mouth, while the English press is inclined to cavil at the method of Mr. Carnegie's munificence.

The London papers reflect these difficulties, while expressing admiration and gratitude. "It is obvious," says the Times, "that this splendid gift cannot leave Scotch education as it was before. Cambridge has not been lucky enough to be associated by birth or otherwise with a trans-Atlantic millionaire, but nobody south of the Tweed will envy the Scotch universities, if we can only be sure that Mr. Carnegie's generous donation will be well applied and administered in the best interests of education. Splendid as the promised gift may appear, it ought not to be allowed to pauperize the whole system of university education in Scotland, where the sturdy spirit of independence has been among the moral and intellectual characteristics of the nation."

The Daily Telegraph says: "Croesus was commonplace compared with Mr. Carnegie. It requires little insight into one of the deepest characteristics of Scotch life to realize that this is precisely an act calculated above all others to make the name of Carnegie as permanent as that of John Knox himself."

BID IN FOR ONE DOLLAR

Auction Sale of Hamilton Jockey Club and Fair Grounds.

TWO MORTGAGES AGGREGATING $118,000 ARE ALREADY ON THE PROPERTY.

Hamilton, May 21.—In the office of the local Master-in-Chancery at the Court House yesterday, the property of the Central Fair Agricultural and Industrial Company, Ltd., consisting of a total of 123 acres of land, and on which is the Jockey Club track, hotel, grand stand, stables, etc., was sold at auction, subject to two mortgages, one for $100,000 and the other for $18,000. The sale was conducted by Major O'Reilly, and there were in attendance Messrs. Wm. Hendrie, George Roach and C. S. Murray, of the old Central Fair directorate, John H. Tilden, E. D. Cahill, R. S. Morris and D'Arcy Tate.

After reading over the conditions of the sale, which required the payment of 10 per cent. of the purchase money at the time of the sale and the balance within thirty days, Major O'Reilly called for bids.

"One dollar," said Mr. Tilden.

The Major asked if there were any more bids, and after waiting some minutes remarked that he would repeat the bid three times. He did so, and, there being no other bids, amid the smiles of those present formally knocked the property down to Mr. Tilden, remarking that the sale would not realize the auctioneer's fees.

The sale was the outcome of the proceedings commenced some time ago by Carscallen & Cahill to enforce payment of J. J. Stuart and J. M. Lottridge's share of a joint note of the seven original directors of the company for $65,000. The $100,000 mortgage was put on the property to protect the outlay made by the original directors. The $18,000 mortgage is held by Mr. John Dickenson M.P.P., for moneys lent. It is understood that the effect of to-day's sale is merely to give the directors who paid up a clear title to the property.

MR. TARTE'S PLANS

Ottawa, May 22.—The Minister of Public Works is not going to make a tour of the world when Parliament prorogues, as was suggested in some quarters he would. On the contrary, he intends to remain at home and give his attention to various schemes for the improvement of Canadian harbors and waterways, which are of great importance in connection with the transportation question. Mr. Tarte intends to study by personal observation the merits of the French River route, and also to make a tour of the upper lakes. While engaged in the latter journey he will avail himself of the opportunity of seeing how the improvements undertaken at the various lake ports are progressing.

CARRENO TO STEINWAY.

Hotel Netherland, New York,
May 14, 1901.

Messrs. Steinway & Sons,
New York, N.Y.

Gentlemen :—

A most pleasant duty devolves upon me in coming, before my departure for Europe, to thank you most sincerely for the magnificent instruments which you so kindly have placed at my disposal during my tour in the United States, Canada, Mexico and Cuba, which I have concluded.

To praise your wonderful instruments at this late day seems a most superfluous thing to do, after all the great artists, and, in fact, all the world, have acknowledged their superiority; but it gives me the greatest pleasure to tell you, myself, that my admiration for their beauty of tone (which is unequalled), their perfection of mechanism and really wonderful durability is unbounded.

It is indeed the greatest joy to an artist to have the privilege of using an instrument which responds to any and all demands, and which helps the artist, as yours does, towards the accomplishment of the effects for which we are all striving in the expression of the highest art.

Again, gentlemen, pray accept my heartfelt thanks for the joy that your pianos have been to me, and also for all the kind attention that I have received from you and from all the members of your house.

With kind regards, I remain,
Yours sincerely,
(Signed) TERESA CARRENO.
Adv.

WYNDHAM FLAYED BY MASSINGHAM

His Action in the "Irish People" Case Was a Sad Blunder Indeed.

Henry W. Massingham uses no doubtful terms in flaying the stupidity of Mr. Wyndham in suppressing an issue of the Irish People. He writes as follows in the London News of the affair:

The King and the House have both had to pay rather dearly for a sad blunder on the part of Mr. Wyndham and the Government. Mr. Burns, who contributed the most sensible speech of the debate on the seizure of the "Irish People" for libelling the King, a speech with which, I believe, in private, nine members out of ten agreed, hinted that there never was a clearer illustration of the old proverb, "Save me from my friends." I suppose the Government thought they were making a proper demonstration of their loyalty. But what of their common sense?

Look at the facts. Here is an Irish paper, of which very few Englishmen have heard, that publishes some vulgar and coarse remarks about the King. No one who has read them would, I imagine, treat them otherwise than with contempt. The object of the writer, as far as one can see, was not even specially to assail the monarch, his bent being rather to "take it out" of Cardinal Vaughan and the English Catholics.

In the ordinary course of things, no one in this country, except, perhaps, a few journalists and a few Irishmen, would have heard of the paragraphs. The few who did hear would have shrugged their shoulders and thought and said nothing more about it. And now this paltry vulgarity will be telegraphed to America, to Australia—in the midst, by the way, of the celebrations—and to the Continent, to be reproduced in papers that are less scrupulous in the matter of the amenities of private life than our own and thus given world-wide notoriety.

Mr. Wyndham receives a telegraphed account of the article, and telegraphs back hysterical instructions to suppress the paper, which, of course, he cannot do. And Mr. Balfour gets up in the House of Commons and denounces this penny-a-liner almost purple with excitement, and unable to express himself from the flow of indignant rhetoric that chokes his lips.

MINISTERS TO BLAME.

What can the King think of such advisers? Being, as Mr. Burns said, a sensible man, he would, if he read such low trash, throw it in the waste-paper basket. But if he were an autocratic tyrant, I am not sure that his vengeance would not much more deservedly fall on his ministers than on the writer or publisher of stuff that is not worth a moment's consideration.

But this is not all. Mr. Wyndham having come to a foolish decision, seems to have taken particular pains to enforce it in an equally foolish way. As more than one lawyer in the House pointed out to me, it would have been perfectly easy for him to go to a judge's house, obtain a warrant or injunction, and then proceed to deal with the paper under it. As it happened, the Government acted under no form or shadow of law whatever. They simply behaved as does a man who knocks another down, or, let us say, as a Government might behave who ordered the Metropolitan police to burn down the house of a gentleman who had grossly offended them. Practically they admitted the lawless character of their proceedings, for Mr. Balfour and Mr. Wyndham were loud in cheering Mr. Asquith's remark that the Government had no more privilege in the matter than the man in the street. After all, the meanest have their rights and Mr. Wyndham and his friends have done as much violence to the legalities as to the Court of Common sense.

PACK OF ABSURDITIES.

But I have not exhausted the pack of absurdities of which the Government has been guilty. When the House met, and Mr. Dillon moved the adjournment, in order to call attention to the seizure of "The Irish People," I do not believe that ten members of the House of Commons, outside the Treasury Bench and the Irish party had the smallest idea what the libel was about. Mr. Dillon challenged Mr. Wyndham to read the passage. Mr. Wyndham replied with indignant grace that he would not soil his lips with it. He was quite right. But members asked themselves why, if he could not read it, had he given it the enormous advertisement of an arbitrary suppression, and why did the Government call upon the House to pronounce an opinion on a matter of which he knew nothing? All the ministers could give us what Mr. Asquith called the "solemn assurances of the Government that this was a 'foul' and 'seditious' libel." On these assurances, and without an atom of fact before it, the House was asked to pass a whitewashing brush over the whole category of blunders—the seizure without warrant, the wholesale advertisement, the absurd notion that you can stamp out the whole issue of a newspaper by confiscating a dozen or so of copies at the head office The House, of course, hated to prolong a discussion of this kind. So it backed up the harangues of Mr. Balfour and Mr. Wyndham, and blessed its stars when the whole thing was over.

Poor Mr. Wyndham was not able to cover up his blunder by a timely exercise of these qualities. His account of the agitated way in which he had acted—the precipitate telegram, the neglect to obtain any legal covering—showed only too clearly why he had failed. Mr. Redmond pinned him grimly to his error by remarking that the Irish Secretary had fastened the attention of the whole world on an article which he wanted to hide from a few hundred Irishmen. So badly had the Chief Secretary's thin and embarrassed rhetoric served the Government that Mr. Balfour had to rise to the rescue. I have never seen him so heated. With flushed face and upraised arms he poured out the vials of his wrath on the paragraph writer till the rush of words failed him. It might have been an indictment of a State conspiracy.

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ASHMEAD-BARTLETT BANKRUPT

London, May 22.—In the Bankruptcy Court to-day, a receiving order was made against Sir Ellis Ashmead-Bartlett, M.P., formerly a civil Lord of the Admiralty. His liabilities amount to £50,000.

IMMIGRANTS HAVE SMALLPOX.

New York, May 22.—The Anchor Line steamer California arrived yesterday from Naples with 1166 Italian steerage passengers and was detained at quarantine because smallpox had broken out among the passengers. One patient has developed the disease and three others have been picked out as suspected cases. Health Office Doty says the patients will be removed and the steamer disinfected.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Department of Lands, Forests and Fisheries.

WOODS AND FORESTS.

Quebec, 23rd February, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that, conformably to Sections 1,334, 1,335 and 1,336 of the consolidated statutes of the Province of Quebec, the timber limits hereinafter mentioned, at their estimated area, more or less, and in their present state, will be offered for sale at Public Auction, in the Department of Lands, Forests and Fisheries, in this city, on TUESDAY, the 4th day of JUNE next, at ELEVEN o'clock a.m.

UPPER OTTAWA.

BLOCK A.

		Area square miles.
	Range 3.	
1	½ N. No. 10	25
1a	½ S. No. 10	25
2b	No. 9	50
	Range 4.	
2	½ N. No. 1	25
3	½ S. No. 1	25
4	½ N. No. 2	25
5	½ S. No. 2	25
6	½ N. No. 3	25
7	½ S. No. 3	25
8	½ N. No. 4	25
9	½ S. No. 4	25
10	½ N. No. 5	25
11	½ S. No. 5	25
12	½ N. No. 6	25
13	½ S. No. 6	25
14	½ N. No. 7	25
15	½ S. No. 7	25
16	½ N. No. 9	25
17	½ S. No. 9	25
	Range 5.	
18	½ N. No. 2	25
19	½ N. No. 3	25
20	½ S. No. 3	25
21	½ N. No. 4	25
22	½ S. No. 4	25
23	½ S. No. 5	25
24	½ S. No. 5	25
25	½ S. No. 6	25
26	½ S. No. 6	25
27	½ N. No. 7	25
28	½ S. No. 7	25
29	½ N. No. 8	25
30	½ S. No. 8	25
	Range 6.	
31	½ N. No. 1	25
32	½ S. No. 1	25
33	½ N. No. 2	25
34	½ S. No. 2	25
35	½ N. No. 3	25
36	½ S. No. 3	25
37	½ N. No. 4	25
38	½ S. No. 4	25
39	½ N. No. 5	25
40	½ S. No. 5	25
41	½ N. No. 6	25
42	½ S. No. 6	25
43	½ N. No. 8	25
44	½ S. No. 8	25
45	No. 400, Lake Temiscaming	12¾
46	No. 428, Lake Temiscaming	25

SAINT MAURICE.

47	Manouan A South	50
48	Rear Manouan A South	40
49	Rear Vermillion 7 North	40
50	Rear Vermillion B North	45
51	Rear Saint Maurice C	25
52	Rear Saint Maurice D	42
53	Rear Saint Maurice E	50
54	Rear Flamand 1 North	26
55	Rear Flamand 2 North	50
56	Rear Manouan 2 South	44
57	Manouan 3 North	35
58	Rear Manouan 3 North	30
59	Rear Manouan 4 North	30
60	Manouan 4 North	50
61	Manouan 8 South	50
62	Manouan 9 South	35
63	Rear Manouan C North	50
64	Rear Manouan D North	50
65	Bostonnais Island	10
66	Bostonnais 3 North	41
67	River Windigo No. 2 East	50
69	River Windigo No. 4 East	50
70	River Windigo No. 5 East	62½
71	River Windigo No. 1 West	42
72	River Windigo No. 2 West	54
73	River Windigo No. 3 West	55
74	River Windigo No. 4 West	57
75	River Windigo N. E. Br. No. 1	47½
76	River Windigo N. E. Br. No. 2	40
77	River Trenche No. 4 West	50
78	River Trenche No. 5 West	62
79	River Trenche No. 6 West	50
80	River Trenche No. 4 East	50
81	River Trenche No. 5 East	59
82	River Trenche No. 6 East	50
83	River Croche No. 5 West	46
84	Grande Pierriche No. 2	50
85	Grande Pierriche A	37½
86	Grande Pierriche B	41
87	Petite Pierriche No. 3	50
88	Rear Windigo No. 3 East	50

GASPE CENTRE.

89	Rear Dartmouth North	35
90	Block 12 and residue of 10,11,14,15	22
91	Residue of blocks 15 and 17	10
92	Blocks 13, 23 and 24	10½
93	Block 21	8
94	Block 22	8
95	Blocks 25 and 26	10¾
96	Block 27	8
97	Block 28	8
98	Block 29	8
99	Block 30	8⅞
100	Blocks 35 and 36	10½
101	Block 33	8
102	Blocks 37, 47 and 48	11 1-5
103	Residue of block 41	5
104	Residue of blocks 59,60,61,62	16
105	Residue of blocks 56,57,58	16
106	Township York No. 1	10
107	Township York No. 2	36
107a	Sydenham North No. 1	7

BONAVENTURE WEST.

108	River Escumenac North No. 3	12
109	Lake Patapedia	33
110	River Nouvelle No. 1	50
111	River Nouvelle No. 2	50
112	River Nouvelle No. 4	16
113	River Nouvelle No. 6	15
114	Grande Cascapedia No. 1	14½
115	Grande Cascapedia No. 2	21
116	Grande Cascapedia No. 3	21
117	Grande Cascapedia No. 4	18
118	Grande Cascapedia No. 7	18
119	Turner's brook	32
120	Joshua brook	27
121	Little Cascapedia No. 1	15
122	Little Cascapedia No. 2	28
123	Clarge's brook, No. 2	4
124	Flatlands brook No. 2	3¾
125	Township Ristigouche	2 7-10
126	River Andre, West branch, No. 2	3¾
128	River Assemetquagan	4
129	Stuart brook No. 1	2⅞
130	Stuart brook No. 2	10½
131	River Skimenac, West branch	5½
132	River Skimenac, South branch	9¼
133	Township Angers, No. 2	8
134	Mann brook East	7
135	Township Carleton, No. 5	3¾
136	Township Matapedia, No. 1	17½
137	Jonathan brook	13

LAKE ST. JOHN EAST.

138	Township Boileau	10½
139	Township Harvey No. 1	4½

GASPE WEST.

140	Township Christie East	23¼

MONTMAGNY.

141	Township Bellechasse	8

RIMOUSKI WEST.

142	Township Neigette No. 2	7 1-3
143	Rear Mistigougeche	35
144	Township Macpes No. 5	4¼
145	Township Macpes No. 6	8 2-3
146	Township Bedard No. 1	36
147	Township Chenier No. 1	41
148	Township Chenier No. 2	43
149	River Jean Levesque B	17½
150	Township Fleuriault	1⅜

GRANDVILLE.

151	Township Viger	2-3
152	Township Bungay	39 1-3

SAINT CHARLES.

153	River a Mars, No. 3	20
154	River du Moulin, No. 4	12
155	River aux Castors Noirs	30
156	River Batiscan, East branch	50
157	River a Moise	58
158	River a Moise and Croche No. 1	49
159	River a Moise and Croche No. 2	25
160	River Sainte Anne No. 1	8
161	River Sainte Anne No. 2	32
162	River Sainte Anne No. 3	35
163	River Sainte Anne No. 4	40½
164	River Sainte Anne No. 5	30

SAINT CHARLES.

		Area square miles.
165	River Sainte Anne No. 6	30
166	River Jacques Cartier, N. W. Branch No. 1	38
167	River Jacques Cartier, N. W. Branch No. 2	37
168	River Jacques Cartier, No. 2 West	42
169	River Jacques Cartier, No. 2 East	38
170	River Jacques Cartier, No. 3	30
171	River Jacques Cartier, N. E. branch, No. 1, West	42
172	River Jacques Cartier, N. E. branch, No. 1, East	31
173	River Jacques Cartier, N. E. branch, No. 2, East	50
174	River Sautariski	49
175	River Sautariski and a l'epaule, No. 1	52½
176	River Sautariski and a l'epaule, No. 2	31
177	Township Arnault	30
178	Rivers a la Chasse et aux Anglais	34
179	St. Laurent West	30
180	Rivers Mistassini and Sheldrake, No. 1	32¾
181	River St. Nicolas West	25½
182	River St. John No. 7	12
183	River St. John No. 8	12
184	River St. John, East Branch, No. 1	22
185	River St. John, East Branch, No. 2	18
186	River St. John, East Branch, No. 3	20
187	Part of Saguenay No. 3 West	27
188	River au Saumon No. 1	34
189	River Manicouagan No. 3	24
190	River Manicouagan No. 4	27
191	River Manicouagan No. 6	58
192	Sagueany, West No. 1 A	10
193	River Mingan, No. 1 West	25
194	River Mingan, No. 2 West	25
195	River Mingan, No. 3 West	25
196	River Mingan, No. 4 West	25
197	River Mingan, No. 1 East	25
198	River Mingan, No. 2 East	40
199	River Mingan, No. 3 East	25
200	River Mingan, No. 4 East	25
201	River Mingan, A	48
202	River Romaine, No. 1 West	25
203	River Romaine, No. 2 West	25
204	River Romaine, No. 3 West	25
205	River Romaine, No. 4 West	25
206	River Romaine, No. 1 East	25
207	River Romaine, No. 2 East	25
208	River Romaine, No. 3 East	25
209	River Romaine, No. 4 East	25
210	River Romaine, 1st Branch A	31
211	River Romaine, 1st Branch B	31½
212	River Romaine, 1st Branch C	45
213	River Romaine, 1st Branch D	25
214	River Romaine, 2nd Branch A	39
215	River Romaine, 2nd Branch B	37
216	River Romaine, 2nd Branch C	56
217	River Magpie, No. 3	32
218	River Magpie, No. 4	32
219	River Magpie, No. 5	32
220	River Magpie, No. 6	32
221	River Magpie, No. 7	32
222	River Magpie, No. 8	32
223	River au Tonnerre	24
224	Pointe a la Chasse, Baie des Sept Iles	4½
225	Escoumains No. 5 East	34
226	Sault au Mouton, No. 3	26
227	Sault au Mouton, No. 2 East	20
228	Sault au Mouton, No. 1 West	24
229	Township Iberville, No. 3	37
230	River Malbaie, No. 8	40
231	River Malbaie, No. 9	58
232	River Malbaie, No. 10	60
233	River Malbaie, No. 11	57
234	River Malbaie, No. 12	54
235	River Malbaie, No. 13	49
236	River Malbaie, No. 14	28
237	River Malbaie, No. 15	45
238	River Malbaie, No. 16	32
239	River Rapide, No. 1	18
240	River Rapide, No. 2	40
241	River Rapide, No. 3	30
242	River Moisie, No. 1	34
243	River Moisie, No. 2	26
244	River Moisie, No. 3	30
245	River Moisie, No. 4	24
246	River Moisie, No. 5	20
247	River Moisie, No. 6	29
248	River Moisie, No. 7	26
249	River Moisie, No. 8	23
250	River Moisie, No. 9	33
251	River Moisie, No. 10	16
252	River a la Truite, No 1	27
253	River a la Truite, No. 2	17
254	River a la Truite, No. 3	25
255	River a la Truite, No. 4	20
256	River a la Truite, No. 5	20
257	River a la Truite, No. 6	20
258	River a la Truite, No. 7	21
259	River a la Truite, No. 8	27
260	River a la Truite, No. 9	20
261	River St. Charles, No. 1	25
262	River au Loup Marin, No. 1	16
263	River au Loup Marin, No. 2	30
264	River au Loup Marin, No. 3	17
265	River Pigon, No. 3	34
266	River Pigon, No. 4	47

LAKE SAINT JOHN NORTHWEST.

267	Range 1, north of Lake St. John No. 2	31
268	Range 1, north of Lake St. John No. 3	29
269	Range 2, north of Lake St. John No. 3	18
270	Range 2, north of Lake St. John No. 4	25
271	Range 3, north of Lake St. John No. 4	28
272	River Mistassibi, No. 4	13½
273	Little River Peribonca	29

LAKE SAINT JOHN WEST.

274	Township Dalmas	60
275	River au Saumon No. 1	46
276	River au Saumon, No. 2	49
277	River au Saumon, No. 3	41½
278	River Alex A	7
279	River Alex B	5¼
280	River Little Peribonka	5½

LAKE SAINT JOHN CENTRE.

281	River Ouiatchouan, No. 141	19½
282	River Ouiatchouan, No. 142	25
283	River Metabetchouan, No. 162	24
284	River Metabetchouan, No. 163	30
285	River Metabetchouan, No. 164	31
286	River Metabetchouan, No. 165	24
287	River Metabetchouan, No. 166	34¾
288	River Metabetchouan, No. 167	15

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STEEN CASE AT THE COLLEGE BOARD

Principal Hackett's Comparison of Student's Note Book With Prof. Steen's Notes.

The Rev. Principal Hackett presented a special report on the case of Prof. Steen at the annual meeting of the corporation of the college held last evening under the presidency of Archbishop Bond. This report explains briefly the principal's own action in the case and that of the committee appointed to consider the question of Mr. Steen's teaching, after some doubts had arisen concerning the impressions the students were carrying away from his lectures.

Very explicitly and without circumlocution the principal tells the story of the student's notebook, and he makes known one fact which had not previously been published, namely, that he had himself compared many pages of the book with Mr. Steen's notes and had found them identical.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

In answer to a question the following report, which had been prepared by the Board of Governors, was read by the Rev. Principal Hackett:—

"That at a meeting of the board of governors held January 17, a question arose concerning the impressions which the students were carrying away from Prof. Steen's lectures, and a committee of the board of governors was appointed to enquire into the matter.

"That a note book of the lectures of Prof. Steen upon apologetics, belonging to a student, was submitted to the committee for examination.

"That the committee was informed by Principal Hackett that Prof. Steen accepted the notebook as a dictated copy of his own notes, and that he (the principal) had compared many pages of the book with Prof. Steen's notes of lectures, and found them identical.

"That the committee read these notes together, and carefully considered them.

"That the committee had an interview of two hours with Prof. Steen, at the beginning of which Prof. Steen formally accepted the students' note book as faithfully representing his own notes of lectures which he had dictated to his students.

"That the committee pointed out to Prof. Steen that in their opinion the contents of the notebook formed a most undesirable set of statements for students to carry away as the substance of a course of lectures on apologetics, as being themselves misleading and calculated to leave erroneous impressions on the minds of the students.

"That, after full discussion and enquiry, Prof. Steen declared that he was not only surprised by amazed that the committee should take exception to anything in the notes read.

"That while Prof. Steen's views as verbally and fully stated were deemed satisfactory, the committee found it difficult to reconcile this position on his part with his actual utterances to the students as recorded in the note book accepted by Prof. Steen as a faithful record of his dictated notes of lectures. Under the circumstances the committee feel compelled to report to the Board of Governors that while Prof. Steen's verbal statements of his views appeared satisfactory, they were dissatisfied with his methods of instruction, judging from his teaching as reflected in the notes of one of his students, which notes had been accepted by Prof. Steen as accurate. During the progress of their proceedings Prof. Steen submitted his resignation to the Board of Governors, and upon the presentation of the above report the Board of Governors thought it well to accept Prof. Steen's resignation."

MR. REXFORD THOUGHT REPORT MILD.

The Rev. E. I. Rexford, principal of the High Schools, stated that as such importance had been given in the present discussion to the question of the acceptance by Professor Steen of the authenticity of the students' lecture notes, he submitted that when the sub-committee was formed a students' note-book of Professor Steen's lectures in apologetics was submitted to them by Principal Hackett. The principal also stated that he had in his possession Professor Steen's notes of his lectures and the note book of one of the best of his students, and that he had himself compared the note book with the professor's lectures and found them identical. When Professor Steen appeared before the committee he was asked by them at the outset if he accepted the note book in question as accurately representing what he had given to the students. He stated to the committee that his custom was to dictate for a time his notes of lectures to the students and then turning from his notes to hold a conversational conference with the students upon points connected with the notes, returning to the desk and dictating again to the students. Professor Steen stated to the committee that the student's note book submitted accurately represented what he had dictated in class to his students. This matter which the committee felt to be one of the pivotal points of the discussion, was treated with so much care and detail by the commitee at the opening of the conference as to remove all possible ambiguity in reference to it.

A second point which should be clearly before the minds of the members of the corporation was the spirit which actuated both the sub-committee and the board of governors in reference to the effect of their action upon Mr. Steen's professional position. While the committee felt the result of Mr. Steen's work with the students was very unsatisfactory they were very anxious not to inflict unnecessary injury upon him by the character of their report. Therefore, the terms of their report were stated in the mildest possible form consistent with bringing out the fact that they did not consider the result of his work with the students satisfactory. When the report of the committee and the resignation of Professor Steen came for consideration before the board of governors, the same desire to take the necessary steps in the interests of the college with the least possible injury to Professor Steen was manifest on every hand, and accordingly the resolution accepting his resignation was couched so as to reflect as little as possible upon his status and in the same spirit he was invited to continue his services until the close of the session. In Mr. Rexford's judgment these two points deserved especial consideration in the present discussion.

CONFIDENCE IN SUB-COMMITTEE.

On the motion of the Rev. F. N. Graham, seconded by the Rev. F. A. Pratt, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:—

"Resolved, that the corporation heartily thanks the Board of Governors for their report in the matter of the Rev. Professor Steen, and desire to express and place on record their entire confidence in the Board of Governors, and in that sub-committee of the Board of Governors, who have dealt specially with this matter; and further, that the corporation request that this very clear and moderate report be sent to the press for publication."

PROPERTY OWNERS REFUSE TO BE TAXED FURTHER

In a Small Vote, Majority Against the Proposed Fire By-law Was 645.

The by-law to authorize the raising of $100,000 for additional fire protection was yesterday defeated by a majority of 645. The vote cast was exceedingly light, only 1,293 out of a total of over 11,000 property-owners casting ballots. Majorities for the by-law were secured in only four wards, and these were small, while the vote against the measure in the east end of the city was comparatively heavy. A synopsis of the vote is as follows:

Ward—	—Vote— For.	Against.	—Majority— For.	Against
East	3	5	—	2
Centre	3	2	1	—
West	2	1	1	—
St. Ann's	35	47	—	12
St. Antoine, S.	26	58	—	32
St. Antoine, E.	48	19	29	—
St. Antoine, W.	42	17	25	—
St. Lawrence	31	38	—	7
St. Louis	12	96	—	84
St. James, S.	23	67	—	44
St. James, N.	17	120	—	103
St. Mary, East.	4	51	—	47
St. Mary, West	17	126	—	109
Hochelaga	13	19	—	6
St. Jean Bapt.	21	152	—	131
St. Gabriel	20	65	—	45
St. Denis	7	58	—	51
	324	971	56	703

Maj. against by-law. 647

ALD. HART DISAPPOINTED.

Ald. Hart, chairman of the Fire Committee, was surprised and disappointed, as he has taken a great interest in the by-law, it having been drafted according to his suggestions. "It can hardly be true that such a small vote represents the public opinion of the city or the requirements of the fire brigade," he remarked, "but the majority rules, and that is the end of it. Many were perhaps afraid of legal technicalities that might have arisen to nullify the effect of the by-law, but the strongest reason is perhaps afforded in a desire to avoid further taxation, however light. After doing all we could in the hope of improving the brigade, we reached the conclusion months ago there was not enough revenue to buy new apparatus. At the instance of the Fire Committee, I then drafted the by-law, the necessity of which has never been doubted. The big fire proved it emphatically. High insurance rates have since been imposed by the underwriters, one of whose inspectors prepared a most damaging report upon the inefficiency of the brigade to fight fires. He showed new engines were needed, new fire stations, and many other things. But the people seem to have been disposed to ignore all warnings. In my opinion the business men of the western section of the town are to blame for what had happened. They apparently paid no attention to their own interests and the protection of the city. I believe this is the end of all such by-laws."

RESIST MORE TAXES.

"I thought," said Ald. Ames, also a member of the Fire Committee, in discussing the outcome, "judging by the popular outcry that was made at the time the by-law went through Council, that there was a well-nigh universal demand for additional fire protection, and that the property-owners would be prepared to vote for the slight additional tax. The vote, however, has demonstrated that the real estate owners are of the opinion that they have reached the maximum of taxation, and that they are prepared to resist the imposition of any further tax, no matter how desirable the object may seem."

"What do you think will be the attitude of the Council now?" asked the reporter.

"Of course we should try to represent the popular will, and it is likely that the Council will be guided by the opinion expressed in the vote. We will give the people what they want as nearly as possible."

"Do you agree that the present adverse vote shows that the people would be averse to all similar by-laws?"

"The vote," responded Ald. Ames, "indicates that the proprietors would not authorize an additional loan of the kind projected except on a very great emergency. I know that as far as we are concerned in the Council, we would not feel justified in submitting another loan to the people unless on petition signed by a very large number of the proprietors themselves. I am quite confident that the people at large were in sympathy with the by-law, but the expression of opinion from the voting portion of the community on this point was very limited, and it is evident that the proprietors themselves feel that even an additional straw would break the camel's back. The only thing that remains is for the City Council to do the best with the limited means at our disposal. The people should not, then, criticize if the progress made is very slow."

"What is your idea regarding the detail of the vote?" pursued the reporter.

"It is perfectly incomprehensible," replied Ald. Ames, "that only three votes were cast in the West Ward, when one considers that most of the money was to have been spent in giving greater security to property in the business centre of the city. We would, under the circumstances, certainly have expected that every proprietor within the limits of West Ward would have taken sufficient interest in the measure to cast his vote. There is, however, no doubt that the clause in the by-law, regarding the legality of which our city attorneys were not agreed, and which caused a section of the French press to contend that even if the by-law were passed, it could never be put in force, tended to bring out an adverse vote in the east end of the city.

DETAIL OF VOTE.

Following is the vote according to polling sub-divisions and wards:

EAST WARD.

Poll—	For.	Against.
No. 1—The City Hall	3	5
Majority	—	2

CENTRE WARD.

No. 1—40 St. Gabriel street	3	2
Majority	1	—

WEST WARD.

No. 1—60 Foundling street	2	1
Majority	1	—

ST. ANN'S WARD.

No. 1—The Hay Market (clerk's office)	11	12
No. 2—156 Wellington street.	7	6
No 3—Road Dept. office, cor. McCord and Ottawa	2	8
No. 4—71 Centre street	11	15
No. 5—592 Wellington street.	4	6
	35	47
Majority	—	12

ST. ANTOINE, SOUTH.

No. 1—32 Chaboillez street	8	4
No. 2—St. Antoine Market	7	33
No. 3—302 Seigneurs street	11	21
	26	58
Majority	—	32

ST. ANTOINE, EAST.

No. 1—67½ St. Antoine St.	9	9
No. 2—5 Phillips Square	3	3
No. 3—32 Burnside place	10	2
No. 4—2173 St. Catherine St.	14	1
No. 5—103 Mclavish street	12	4
	48	19
Majority	29	—

ST. ANTOINE, WEST.

No. 1—275 St. Antoine St.	13	6
No. 2—345 St. Antoine St.	10	5
No. 3—2629 St. Catherine St.	19	6
	42	17
Majority	25	—

ST. LAWRENCE WARD.

No 1—No. 1 fire station	7	11
No. 2—60 St. Charles Borrommee street	8	11
No. 3—2120 St. Catherine St.	9	8
No. 4—124 Park avenue	7	8
	31	38
Majority	—	7

ST. LOUIS WARD.

No. 1—101 St. Lawrence St.	4	19
No. 2—St. Lawrence Market	2	17
No. 3—1585 Ontario St.	3	29
No. 4—619 St. Lawrence St.	2	14
No. 5—684 St. Denis St.	1	17
	12	96
Majority	—	84

ST. JAMES, SOUTH.

No. 1—No. 7 fire station, Beaudry and Notre Dame Sts.	6	15
No. 2—1 Labelle St.	8	17
No. 3—1442 St. Catherine St.	0	35
	14	67
Majority	—	53

ST. JAMES, NORTH.

No. 1—1222 Ontario St.	3	46
No. 2—1356 Ontario St.	3	13
No. 3—St. James Market	5	33
No. 4—32 Mentana St.	6	28
	17	120
Majority	—	103

ST. MARYS, EAST.

No. 1—851 St. Catherine St.	2	22
No. 2—751 Ontario St.	2	29
	4	51
Majority	—	47

ST. MARY'S, WEST.

No. 1—47 Craig St.	9	17
No. 2—73 Plessis St.	3	21
No. 3—298 Delorimier Av.	3	35
No. 4—Police kiosk, Panet St	2	50
	17	126
Majority	—	109

HOCHELAGA WARD.

No. 1—605 St. Catherine St.	4	18
No. 2—270 St. Catherine St.	9	29
	13	47
Majority	—	34

ST. JEAN BAPTISTE WARD.

No. 1—No. 12 police station, corner St. Lawrence and Marie Anne Sts.	5	35
No. 2—867 St. Dominique St.	6	37
No. 3—364 Rachel St.	2	20
No. 4—354 Mentana St.	4	22
No. 5—213 Rachel St.	4	38
	21	152
Majority	—	131

ST. GABRIEL WARD.

No. 1—474 Centre St.	4	29
No. 2—398 Hibernia road	4	14
No. 3—226 Coleraine St.	5	13
No. 4—421 Bourgeois St.	7	9
	20	65
Majority	—	45

ST. DENIS WARD.

No. 1—853 Laurier Av.	4	16
No. 2—195 Mount Royal ave.	0	30
No. 3—1786 St. Hubert St.	3	12
	7	58
Majority	—	51

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SPORTING COMMENT

The trial race yesterday between the two Shamrocks looks very much like the tryouts given the horses before a big race, for the benefit of the touts. The fact seems to be that the Shamrock II. was put through her fastest paces till her skipper was satisfied, and then Shamrock I. was allowed to run in ahead. The Associated Press despatch, "The old boat got into first place by a remarkable turn of speed," gives considerable food for thought.

The latest despatch confirms this opinion. It says:

"The trial of the Shamrock II. and the Shamrock I. was in many respects the most puzzling that has yet taken place. Instead of throwing additional light upon the abilities of the challenger, it makes it more difficult than ever to estimate her speed.

"The opinion of most of the experts who witnessed the race was that, had it been desired that the Shamrock II. should win, she could easily have done so."

It looks as if the proposed trip to the Old Country by a team representing the Ottawa Rough Rider Football Club will take definite shape very soon. Those interested are now in communication with sporting authorities in London, Eng., as to the number of matches which could be taken on during the trip and other details, information concerning which is necessary. It is understood that Mr. Joe Boyle, of Dawson, will engineer the scheme.

The kick that the United States collegians are making over the English athletes coming to Canada first does not add anything to their reputation as sportsmen. It is a case of whole hog, and also an attempt (unintentional it may be, though it does not look like it) to catch the Englishmen at a disadvantage. If the English athletes went straight from the landing pier to the field, or if they spent a couple of weeks in New York, they would be in both cases at a disadvantage, and the United States men know it. Their coming to Montreal to train and to compete against the Canadian collegians cannot affect the interest in their match with the Yale-Harvard combination, and will put the visitors in better shape.

So why should there be any kick?

The lacrosse season opens here on Friday, May 24, when there will be two exhibition matches in which all the local senior teams will be seen. The league season does not open till a week later, so that the matches on Empire Day will give the local followers of the game a chance to get a line on three of the league teams.

Montreal and Points will open the season at Queen's Park and Shamrocks and Nationals will meet on the latter's grounds.

The teams are not chosen yet, but on all there is likelihood of a number of colts being tried.

The league season opens in Toronto with a match with last year's champions. Caps say they have had their men out to practice. But the Caps in such matters have never been awarded the Grand Prix for truthfulness, so this may be a part of the game, and intended to lull the fears of the guileless westerners. However, Caps have been going. Toronto makes no secret of the fact that their men have turned out well and have worked like Trojans. The odds are certainly in favor of the men wearing the light and dark blue.

The School Lacrosse League is going steadily on its way. The boys are practising steadily under coaches from the senior teams in the city, and are making good progress. This practice will continue regularly right up to the first matches at the end of this month.

FOOTBALL

OTTAWAS ON THEIR DIGNITY.

Ottawa, May 22.—Mr. Thomas Clancey, of this city, president of the Quebec Rugby Football Union, has decided to call a meeting of that body to be held in Montreal on Saturday, June 8. It is likely that a schedule for the fall will be arranged.

The fact of the nearness of the meeting has again revived the rumor in some circles in Montreal that the Ottawa football team, which is now in the Ontario Union, will seek readmission to the Quebec Union. Members of the Ottawa Club executive, however, state that they do not know what has given rise to the rumor, as the suggestion that the Ottawas should go back to the Quebec Union has not been discussed by the club in any way. The Ottawa men a few seasons ago were suspended from the union for what was claimed undue roughness in a match and afterwards left altogether.

Mr. R. T. Shillington, a prominent member of the Ottawa football executive, speaking yesterday about the Ottawa's position said they had no intention of returning to the Quebec Union. "We have hardly been treated fairly by the Quebec Union," said Mr. Shillington, "and we have no desire to go back to it. There is no doubt about it, the Quebec Union is the proper place for the Ottawas, but even although it is rather inconvenient for us to be in the Ontario Union, and we are not doing anyway well financially in it, we will stay where we are. I for my part shall not ask that the Ottawas be readmitted to the Quebec Union. Some of the clubs in the union, however, might feel that we should be back in it again. We were suspended from the Quebec Union simply because we were too good a team for it. The referee and the umpire who officiated in the game over which our suspension took place stated we were not to blame, but in spite of that we were dropped."

The Toronto University lacrosse team leaves this week on its annual tour. The games arranged are:—May 24, Athletics of St. Catharines; May 27, Hobart, N.Y., College; May 28, Cornell; May 29, Stevens' Institute, Hoboken, N.J.; May 30, Crescents of Brooklyn; June 1, Crescents; June 3, Lehigh University.

BASEBALL

SEVENTH INNINGS WAS A DREAM

Safe Hits Mingled With Lovely Work by Tommy Bannon and H. Jerky Horton.

CIRCULAR SAW HORTON, alias Herkey Jerkey, pitched for Syracuse yesterday, and handed Montreal the game on a silver platter.

And Tommy Bannon aided and abetted the proceedings.

We admit we used to admire Tommy at one time, but since he is now drawing salary from the enemy we have no compunction in tossing the harpoon into him.

Tommy certainly performed in a shockingly weird manner yesterday, sufficient to give Captain Cooley an elaborate variety of chills.

His chief trouble seemed to be in not being able to pick up the ball, and when he did pick it up, in not being able to separate himself from it.

To be more concise, Tommy fell all over himself on ground balls and couldn't throw for sour apples.

Henry Lynch, out in centre, kindly told him how it ought to have been done, but then Henry can tell anyone how to do things—particularly umpires.

There were some fireworks in the game, and they didn't put in an appearance until the seventh innings.

Previous to that Horton had Montreal tied up in knots; and the crowd sat around the stand and knocked, and advised Dooley to set out and purchase a new team.

OH, THAT SEVENTH!

Before the seventh was half over, however, the "knockers" were on their ears with emotion, while the grandstand people were trying to crawl through the wire netting.

Things happened that you read about in books like Mike Kelly's "Play Ball," and Old Grandpa Anson's classic "The National Game."

Matters did not perhaps reach the exciting pitch that characterized the historic performance of Hon. Horatius Cocles the day he sung his meat axe on the Tuscan braves, and held the bridge; but there was nevertheless something doing.

The Birds were in the hole to the extent of three runs, four were needed to win, and, as we said before, things had that

HORTON SAID "GOD-BYE," AND DID HIS BALLOON ACT IN THE SEVENTH.

tired look that stirred the knockers up towards executing a few stray knocks, and at the same time hurling out discouraging remarks.

The seventh opened painfully, as Dooley expired.

Johnston made a hit, however, and so did Quinlan, and things began to look better, as Johnston took advantage of Tommy Bannon's throwing arm to move around to third.

Then Kidlet Felix hit one at Horton, and all Herkey had to do was to throw the ball to the plate and kill Johnston.

But Herkey's ideas began to run on the bias.

He threw to first to nip Felix.

After Cooley had called Herkey all the select names he could think of, Herkey explained that he thought there were two out.

Then somebody touched a match to the powder magazine.

BECAME INTERESTING.

Mr. Herkey began to go up in the air.

The fans got on their hind legs and yelled at him, the coachers yelled at him, Cooley told him that he ought to be out playing marbles in a back alley, and Herkey threw out a few bags of ballast in the balloon and rose 1,700 feet.

He threw four balls at Sheehan that were aimed at the top of the grandstand, and a minute later, when Cooley dropped Woods' bad throw, and Odwell was safe, filling the bases, everybody felt their heart action increasing.

The situation stood:—

One run.
Bases full.
Two out.

Wouldn't that make you feel as if you were getting your money's worth?

Shearon was up, and the crowd yelled so hard you couldn't hear yourself think.

Herkey felt he was up against it, and he was.

Shearon hit the ball a crack over Cooley's head out into Tommy Bannon's garden, and Tommy picked the ball up about as gracefully as a society woman would lift a hot furnace.

Two runs came in, and the score was tied.

Delahanty was next, and "bing" it went again out in the same place, and Tommy again fell all over himself.

Odwell and Shearon were too busy moving around the bases to get next to Tommy's performance, and they missed a good thing.

Both scored, and when the excitement died away the Birds had everything their own way to the tune of 6 to 4.

There was a consultation over on the Syracuse bench after the inning that put

TOMMY BANNON SIMPLY COULDN'T PICK 'EM UP.

the battle of Paardeburg in the "also ran" class.

Lynch told them all about it, and for a time the air was streaked with fireworks.

It was certainly worth the money.

MONTREAL.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Sheehan, 3b.	2	1	0	3	4	0
Odwell, c.f.	3	1	0	1	0	0
Shearon, r.f.	4	1	2	3	0	0
Delahanty, l.f.	4	0	1	3	0	0
**Wilson, c.	4	1	0	3	1	0
Dooley, 1b.	4	0	0	12	0	0
Johnson, 2b.	4	1	1	2	4	0
Quinlan, s.s.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Felix, p.	2	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	31	6	6	27	10	0

SYRACUSE.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bannon, r.f.	4	1	1	2	0	0
White, l.f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
DeMontreville, s.s.	3	0	0	0	7	0
Cooley, 1b.	4	1	1	13	0	1
Smith, 3b.	4	1	2	1	1	0
Lynch, c.f.	3	0	0	4	0	0
Woods, 2b.	4	0	0	3	2	0
Roach, c.	2	1	1	0	0	0
*Flaherty	1	0	0	0	0	0
Horton, p.	3	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	32	4	6	24	12	1

*Batted for Roach in ninth.
**Wilson ran for Quinlan in seventh.

Score by innings:—
Syracuse .... 2 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—4
Montreal .... 0 0 1 0 0 0 5 0 *—6

SUMMARY.

Stolen base—Shearon. Sacrifice hit—Lynch. Two-base hits—Felix, Delahanty, Smith, Roach. First base on balls—By Horton 4, by Felix 2. Struck out—By Felix 1. Left on bases—Montreal 5, Syracuse 4. Time—1.30. Umpire—O'Neil. Attendance—700.

TORONTO WON.

		R.	H.	E.
Providence	103000000—	4	8	3
Toronto	00022100s—	5	10	7

Batteries—Friend and MacAuley; Williams and Bemis. Umpire—O'Laughlin.

WORCESTER WON.

		R.	H.	E.
Buffalo	210000000—	3	8	1
Worcester	010042000—	7	13	3

Batteries—Kerwin and Speer; Griffin and Doran. Umpire—Warner.

ROCHESTER'S CLOSE CALL.

		R.	H.	E.
Rochester	00304201*—	10	15	2
Hartford	000102006—	9	14	3

Batteries—Bowen and Phelps; Gray and Steelman. Umpire—Rinn.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Rochester	16	7	.696
Providence	12	7	.637
Toronto	12	9	.571
Syracuse	9	9	.500
Worcester	8	10	.444
Hartford	7	11	.389
Montreal	7	12	.368
Buffalo	8	14	.364

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	108020000—	11	14	2
Brooklyn	103100000—	5	12	5

Batteries—Harper, Nichols and Powell; Kennedy, McCann and McGuire.

At New York—

		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	000000001—	1	5	2
New York	00100001*—	2	7	2

Batteries—Phillipi and O'Connor; Mathewson, Bowman and Smith.

At Boston—

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	002000110—	4	9	2
Boston	000000010—	1	4	3

Batteries—Phillips and Bergen; Dineen and Kittredge.

At Philadelphia—

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	200000001—	3	11	3
Philadelphia	00102110*—	5	8	1

Batteries—Hughes and Kling; Orth and Douglas.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Cincinnati	14	8	.636
New York	11	7	.611
Pittsburg	12	10	.545
Philadelphia	13	11	.542
Boston	9	10	.474
St. Louis	10	13	.435
Brooklyn	9	12	.429
Chicago	10	17	.370

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Washington — Washington-Cleveland game postponed; rain.

At Detroit—Boston-Detroit game—postponed; rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Detroit	16	7	.696
Chicago	16	7	.696
Baltimore	11	6	.647
Washington	11	7	.611
Boston	8	10	.444
Milwaukee	8	15	.348
Philadelphia	6	13	.316
Cleveland	6	17	.261

ATHLETICS

THE P.A.A.A. ELECTIONS.

At the annual meeting of the Point Amateur Athletic Association, the following officers were elected:

President—Mr. George Tate.
Vice-President—Mr. J. O. Richardson.
Secretary—Mr. F. E. Starke.
Treasurer—Mr. J. E. Townsend.
Auditor—Mr. W. C. Jenkin.

The following will act as chairmen of the different departments of the association for the ensuing year: Gymnastics, Mr. G. D. McMillan; reading and club rooms, Mr. J. G. Ellis; bowling, Mr. W. C. Jenkin; billiards and pool room, Mr. Harry Call; field sports, Mr. George Tate; entertainments, Mr. George Green; grounds, property and buildings, Mr. J. O. Richardson.

LACROSSE

REGISTRATION IS NOW COMPLETE

Caps and Nationals Send in Their Lists—Caps Waited Till the Eleventh Hour.

The registered list of players for the present is complete, as Nationals and Capitals have placed the list of their players in President Pittaway's hands. Funny thing, though, that the Capitals didn't hand in their list till the very last minute, while all they had to do was to hand it to one of their own members. The time was up on May 20, and late that evening the Caps complied with the rule.

The National players are: Charles Marcelin, J. Valois, Ernest Lachapelle, E. L'Heureux, Thomas Patchel, Francis St. Aubin, P. O'Reilly, Alphonse Valois, Eloi Dubide, J. T. Michaud, J. E. Dery, Jos. Lamoureux, E. Blanchard, T. Godbout, Joseph Cattanick—15.

The list sent in by Caps is: H. O'Hara, John R. Binks, A. S. Robertson, Ed. Murphy, W. Starrs, F. H. Wood, J. H. Ralph, P. J. Murphy, P. McStravick, J. H. Ashfield, W. C. Ralph, W. H. J. Bowden, N. J. Ogilvie, Arthur Beaulieu, H. Stewart, Paul Broderick, R. H. Stone, G. J. McIntosh, A. R. McEwen, Jas. Burgess, Wm. Murphy, J. Carter, A. M. McGilton, F. J. Grace, W. Fagan, C. Watts, R. Dunn, W. Ralph, A. Cope, J. Shea, E. Codd, J. Wilford and J. Durkin—33.

This represents the aggregation from which the teams for the first matches must be selected. During the season, however, additions can be made to it, as the men turn out, but they must be in the hands of the president six days before the date of the match in which they are to play.

CAUGHT IN THE GOAL NETS.

The Shamrocks will have their final practice to-night before meeting the Nationals on the 24th.

Brennan and McKeown will line up with Shamrocks against their old National comrades.

The names proposed by Nationals for referees are Jim Kavanagh, Joseph Valois, Joseph Cousineau, E. St. Pierre, Raoul Dumouchel, Jos. Mercier.

It will be a nervous moment for some one at Toronto about 3 p.m. Friday, when the Capital unknowns and the Toronto we-have-the-championship aggregation face each other at Rosedale.—Ottawa Citizen.

A fine practice of the lacrosse men, in which 25 players took part, interested the cranks at the Quebec A.C. grounds. This is a preparation for the game on the 24th with the Young Shamrocks.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union the Manchester Lacrosse Club, of Galt, of 1900, and its officers, were suspended for professionalism.

As regards a referee for the Capital-Toronto match, in Toronto on Friday, the Capitals have suggested F. W. Thompson and P. Knowles, both of Toronto's list of referees, as being favorable to the team from Ottawa, and either one of these men will likely be the official.

At the eleventh hour a rearrangement of the Toronto team has been made for its battle with the Capitals on Friday. Fred. Mara has been dropped and Charlie Pringle will take his place at second home. Jimmy Murray goes back outside home and Billy Taylor will play the first home position.

It will be noticed that several well-known names are missing from the Capital list. These are Frank O'Dougherty, Harry Westwick, Jack Powers, Bouse Hutton and Frank Grimes. These men are not now eligible to play on May 24, even should they turn out to the practices remaining before the Toronto match.

At a special meeting of the Point St. Charles Lacrosse Club, held at the club-rooms, Queen's Park, the captains for the different teams were appointed. Mr. W. P. Kennedy was appointed captain, with Mr. L. Haggarty as assistant captain of the first twelve, while Mr. J. Saunders will captain the juniors.

BALL NOTES

A circus.

Thanks, Horton.

Thanks, Bannon.

Very much obliged.

Oh, don't mention it.

Another for Kid Feilx.

Again the lucky seventh.

Every bingle counted for runs.

Another good crowd turned out.

Providence starts series here to-morrow.

And they bring Eddie Henry along with them.

Schiebeck quit the team without notice. However, we'll survive.

Syracuse hasn't got Dolan after all. He will stay in Philadelphia.

Matthewson won another game yesterday, making the sixth straight.

Kid Felix and Matthewson seem to be the chief cakes in the pantry.

Dan McFarlan will probably do the twirling for Montreal this afternoon.

Looked at first as if Felix was going to be hammered all over the garden.

Roach, who caught for Syracuse yesterday, played with Toronto last year.

There is still a puddle out in centre field, and the work out there is no cinch.

Jud Smith succeeded in spiking Quinlan off second base. It's an old game of his.

Wally Woods, the pitcher, played second in place of Curley, who was on the bench.

Rain has cost the New York club $40,000 this year, and the Montreal club about $4,000.

"Dutch" Carter, the famous Yale pitcher, says that Matthewson, the New York twirler who has astounded the baseball world, is one of the greatest he ever saw on the pitcher's plate.

"When Henry, of Providence, struck out with the bases full, the crowd gave him the merry and gladsome ha, ha."—Toronto Globe. Pleased to see that Henry hasn't forgotten how to do it.

A story has been floating around to the effect that Buckenberger intends to release Billy Lush. If that cotton-topped boy is allowed to go Manager Shindle had better reach him by wireless telegraphy. Bill is certainly all right in the estimation of Hartford fans.—Hartford Post.

It should be borne in mind that Manager Leonard has a couple of twirlers who can do something besides pitch. Woods and Flaherty have been used to fill up with, and if the regulars can improve upon their execution that Eastern League pennant ought to be a cinch.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Eddie Phelps, a catcher dropped last season by Springfield and Montreal because of weak hitting, is slamming the ball fenceward for Rochester. Strange that Al. Buckenberger should be successful with castoffs. Greminger, the big third baseman who is almost idolized by the fans, was once turned adrift by Buffalo. Then again there's Joe Bean. Everyone knows his record as a Worcesterite.—Worcester Spy.

Some idea of how little value are averages at this part of the season may be obtained from the figures up to this week, which show Pitchers Klobedanz, Friend, McFall, and Pfanmiller leading the league as batters, with hitting averages of .444 to .500; and such well-known hitters as Greminger, O'Hagan, Bannon, Clements, Lynch, Dixon and others down around the .200 mark, and even lower.—Providence Journal.

I have often been asked why southpaws are more erratic, and more likely to have bad innings and bad days than right-handers. I don't know, but it is a fact, as well, that left-handers do not last as long in the business as right-handed pitchers. I hold to the theory, often advanced, that it is because the left arm is nearest the heart, and the muscles near the heart are thus subject to strain. Often after a game all the muscles in the breast, and near my heart have been sore, although I have never felt any trouble with my heart itself. While left-handers are likely to be more wild than right-handers, when they are effective they usually hold the opposing team down to a few hits, says Rube Waddell, in the Chicago Record-Herald.

Chicago, May 21.—A despatch was received from Paris stating that Chicago had been selected as the place for the Olympian games in 1904.

YACHTING

CADILLAC A COPY OF THE GENESEE

Has Narrower Beam and Carries More Sail—Centreboard Much Longer.

Quincy, Mass., May 22.—One of the yachts that will compete in the trial races to select a defender for the Canada's Cup and the championship of the great lakes, is the Cadillac, which is being built after designs by C. C. Hanley, at the Hanley Construction Company plant, in this city, for a party of Detroit gentlemen. Mr. Hanley has been engaged in the designing and building of yachts for 20 years, and boats of his design hold championships throughout the country. In 1897, in 17 starts in championship races all over New England, boats of Hanley design won 17 first prizes, and it would seem that the Detroit gentlemen made no mistake in selecting him to design and build the Cadillac; and that she will give a good account of herself there is no doubt around here.

The lines of the Cadillac vary but little from the Genesee. It was Hanley who designed and built the Genesee, which took the cup from the Canadians.

A large gang of men are now at work upon the Cadillac, and she is nearly all planked in, and unless some radical changes are made she will be launched in about ten days, or at the latest by June 1. There will be no demonstration at the launching, and she will be allowed to slide slowly into the water, and then hauled into the basin and rigged. It is expected, however, that some of her owners will be present to see her take her first dip.

She has the general Hanley appearance, is very smooth, and is finished throughout in a first-class manner. Although she resembles the Genesee, she has a trifle narrower beam. She is 40 feet over all, 28 feet on the water line, and 11 feet beam. Like the Genesee, she is double planked, and has a mahogany upper streak. Her deck is laid in narrow strips, and the top of her cabin is more rounding than usual.

A new idea is evolved in her centreboard, that is, it is of unusual length, being between 13 and 14 feet. She will also have a smooth base plate on her keel from the centreboard forward. Her mast is to be hollow, and of spruce. The gaff will also be hollow, and the boom solid. Wire halliards and metal blocks will also be used.

Her sail plan is very similar to that carried by the Genesee last year, that is, her working sails (a mainsail and small jib), a stern jib, balloon jib, and spinnaker. Her sail area is about 1,400 feet. This is a larger amount of sail than that carried by the Genesee in 1899, but about the same as carried by her in the races last year. The other finishings are exactly the same as the Genesee.

INDEPENDENCE WILL GET CHANCE.

The New York Telegraph says:

The Independence will take part in the trial races, notwithstanding reports to the contrary. Speaking of this matter, a member of the New York Yacht Club who is thoroughly informed said: "The friction that developed in the matter of the Independence has been most unfortunate, but, although the committee having this matter in hand has not made an official announcement, the matter has been greatly simplified by the action of the Newport Yacht Racing Association, and the plan of campaign in this matter is practically settled, although subject to revision according to circumstances."

The Newport Yacht Racing Association on July 2, 4 and 6 will invite the cup defenders to race, and this practically will be the first trial race in which the Independence will participate.

Should she prove a victor, opportunity will be given her by the New York Yacht Club. Mr. Butler Duncan, jr., has expressed himself as not willing to have other races, but the first on Long Island Sound, maintaining that these waters offer but narrow reaches and not sufficient open water for a fair trial.

"The Independence will undoubtedly be given every chance to show her superiority, if it exists. In the event of her proving a victor at these trials, all that Mr. Lawson will be asked to do is to place her in the hands of the cup committee, it not being necessary to sell her to the club. According to the articles of agreement she would undoubtedly have to fly the New York Yacht Club flag.

"Mr. W. Butler Duncan, jr., has expressed his intention of not playing any favorites, and freely voices his willingness to meet the Independence anywhere in suitable waters.

"In case of a victory for the Independence, it will not be the first time that the New York Yacht Club has built a challenger and then seen the laurels represented by the America's Cup defended by a better boat built in Boston."

CONSTITUTION SATISFACTORY.

Bristol, R.I., May 21.—Up and down Narraganset Bay to-day the Constitution was put through her first paces, and acquitted herself most satisfactorily.

Starting out this afternoon in a dying-out westerly breeze, she showed herself an excellent drifter, while in the afternoon a fine southwesterly wind sent her scudding about the bay in a lively fashion with little fuss and scarcely any feathery foam under her smooth bow or in her clean wake. Every point of sailing was tried, she was hauled flat on the wind, thrown about half a dozen times, given a good broad reach, and finally sent home before the wind with her boom off to port, and at no time did she act listless or show any lack of speed.

It was a builders' trial and confined entirely to six or seven miles of deep water below Bristol Harbor, no attempt being made to show her off.

WHEEL

MORAN BEAT ELKES.

Washington, May 21.—Harry Elkes and J. L. Moran rode a 20-mile motor-paced race to-night, the latter winning in 33.13 4-5. Elkes lowered the mile competition record for a six-lap track, making the distance in 1.30 1-5.

TWO CANADIANS BEATEN.

Cambridge, Mass., May 21.—Will Stinson, the Cambridge rider, won easily in the 25-mile motor-paced race against Archie McEachran and Burns Pierce, at Charles River Park to-night. Pierce was clearly outclassed, and was more than four laps behind at the finish. Stinson's time for the 25 miles was 41.22 3-5. McEachran finished in 43.01 1-5, and Pierce in 43.47 1-5.

LADIES' SIX-DAY RACE.

Troy, May 21.—The attendance at the ladies' six-day's bicycle race to-night was 4,536, and half as many were turned away unable to gain admittance. Lizette still leads with a half wheel length. Vine, although plucky, lost two laps to-night. The score:—

Miles and laps to-night.—Lizette, 32 miles 12 laps; Glaw, 32 miles 12 laps; Allen, 32 miles 12 laps; Peterson, 32 miles 12 laps; Vine, 32 miles 10 laps. Total score:—Lizette, 97 miles 2 laps; Glaw, 97 miles, 2 laps; Allen, 97 miles 2 laps; Peterson, 97 miles 2 laps; Vine, 95 miles 14 laps.

M.B.C. RIDE.

The Montreal Bicycle Club have arranged a trip to Cowansville for May 24, leaving Windsor Station at 7.45 p.m. on the 23rd, riding around Brome Lake on the 24th. The regular club rides are held every Tuesday evening and Saturday afternoon. No scorching.

M.B.C. RACERS.

Members of the Montreal Bicycle Club who wish to take part in bicycle racing this season will do well to report to the trainer (Mr. Bennett) at the grounds, as it is the intention of the club to commence the weekly handicaps as soon as possible. As heretofore, a silver spoon will be given for each event, and it is hoped that the racing men will turn out at once, so that the officers of the club may be in a position at an early date to enter their men for open races.

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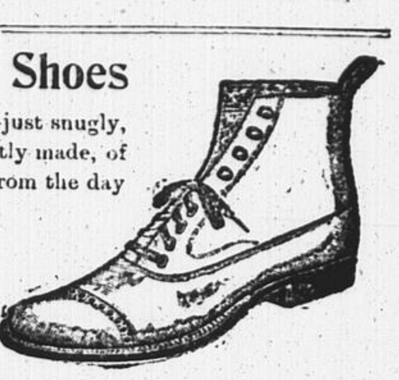

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WESTMOUNT GOLF CLUB.

The members of the Westmount Golf Club will be busily engaged for some time, judging from the arrangements that have been made by the committee for matches and competitions. On Victoria Day a match will take place on the Dixie links between twelve members of each club, and a game has been arranged for the members remaining in town, Bachelors and Benedicts. During the past week Mr. Smith, the professional from Dixie, upon the invitation of the committee of the Westmount Golf Club, visited the links and laid out a new nine-hole course, which promises when completed to be a decided improvement on the present course. It will supply a long-felt want in respect to long holes which will permit of brassey shots, which were impossible on the course as presently laid out. Work was immediately commenced, and it is hoped to have a competition over the new links on June 1, when several prizes will be played for. On this occasion all players will start scratch, and from the results of this match a handicap schedule will be prepared which will govern all future monthly competitions, which it has been resolved to hold on the first Saturday in each month. Prizes will be given for all these games. Work has commenced on the new club house, for which the site was recently chosen. It will be erected on the Murray property north of the boulevard, and when completed will occupy one of the most commanding sites on the whole Island of Montreal. This will supply a long-felt want.

MISCELLANEOUS

PROTECTING OUR TROUT.

The following order-in-council speaks for itself, and will be welcome to all lovers of good fishing:

Whereas, it is deemed desirable to prevent the excessive and illegal fishing of speckled trout which is being carried on in some parts of the Dominion to supply foreign fish markets.

Therefore the Governor-General-in-Council, in virtue of the provisions of section 16 of the Fisheries Act, chapter 95, Revised Statutes of Canada, is pleased to make and doth hereby make the following fishery regulations:

No one shall receive, ship, transport or have in possession for the purpose of shipping or transporting out of the Dominion of Canada, any speckled trout, river trout or sea trout, taken or caught in the Province of Ontario, Quebec, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, provided:

(a) Any person may so ship such trout caught by him for sport, to the extent of 25 lbs. in weight, if the shipment is accompanied by a certificate to that effect from either the local fishery officer in whose district the fish were caugh, or from the local station agent adjacent to the locality in which they were caught, or is accompanied by copy of the official license or permit issued to the person making the shipment.

(b) No single package of such trout shall exceed 25 lbs. in weight, nor shall any person be permitted to ship more than one package during the season.

JOHN McGEE,
Clerk of the Privy Council.

NEW LIVE-BIRD RECORD.

Springfield, Ill., May 21.—The world's record in live-bird contests was broken to-day at the Illinois Gun Club grounds here in the smokeless powder championship trophy shoot, for a cup and $1,000. The shoot was at 25 live pigeons. In the first match miss and out shoot off, Fred. Gilbert, of Spirit Lake, Iowa, and W. R. Crosby, of O'Fallon, Ill., and H. J. Sconce, of Danville, killed their 100th bird at 7 o'clock this evening, when the match was postponed until to-morrow.

SWIMMING CLUB OPENING.

The Montreal Swimming Club will open for its twenty-sixth season on Victoria Day. Considerable repairs have been made to the buildings and grounds and everything is now in readiness for members and visitors. The weekly handicap races held on Saturday afternoons will commence on June 15. A programme is now being arranged, and as soon as finished will be printed and distributed to members.

QUEEN'S TO PLAY TENNIS.

Kingston, May 22.—(Special.)—A Queen's College tennis club will be organized on June 1, and will immediately start practice. It is anticipated that a splendid club will be on the green this summer.

AQUATICS

LONGUEUIL OPENING HOP.

The opening hop of the Longueuil Boating Club will take place on the evening of Victoria Day, 24th inst., in the club house, Longueuil. The Richelieu & Ontario Company will run a late boat from Longueuil to Hochelaga wharf.

WAR CANOE ENTHUSIASM.

Brockville, Ont., May 21.—War canoe racing has taken a great impetus in Brockville. Following the launching of the B.A. A.A. new canoe last night, the Y.M.C.A. Athletic Club put a beautiful craft in the water to-night. There will be a hot competition for the trophies at the next C.C.A. regatta.

MAT AND RING

THE TURK DOWNED ALL THREE.

Buffalo, May 21.—Engaged to throw Ed. Atherton, Denny Gallagher and Otto Felton, each twice within an hour of wrestling time, Nouroulah, the big Turk, succeeded in disposing of his opponents in a little over 30 minutes, and many thought that he might have done the trick a trifle sooner had he been disposed to urge himself. However, some of his opponents developed unexpected energy, and there was plenty of reason to believe, towards the close of the night's sport, that the Turk had undertaken about all the wrestling that he needed for one evening.

Gallagher lasted three minutes and 40 seconds for the first fall and six minutes and 50 seconds for the second; Felton, 5.42 and 3.06, and Atherton made the Turk hustle himself for 7.55 and 4.47 in his two falls respectively, the trio together lasting just 32 minutes. Two thousand persons were present.

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GOOD BILL IN TORONTO.

Toronto, May 22.—The Crescent Athletic Club has everything in readiness for pulling off the bout between Matty Matthews, of Brooklyn, and Jim Ferns, of Kansas, for the welterweight championship of the world, 20 rounds, at 142 pounds, on Friday night, May 24. Outdoor sporting events like the Ontario Jockey Club races, lacrosse match between the champion Capitals and Torontos, and two baseball games, Syracuse vs. Toronto, will take place that day, and an enormous crowd is expected in the big Mutual Street Rink, which has a seating capacity of 7,000. Mr. John R. Bennett, the club's referee, will likely officiate. The preliminaries include an eight-round bout between Willie Popp, brother of Jim and Jimmy Thombs, 110 pounds, and Charlie Godwin and Jack Rowe, seven rounds at 105 pounds, all local boxers.

TURF AND TRACK

TEN CANDLES WON.

New York, May 21.—The weather cleared, the track dried out, and a fine day's sport was enjoyed at Morris Park to-day. A big crowd was on hand, and head and head finishes enlivened the racing to a marked degree. Only two favorites were successful, but all the winners were well supported. The Amateur Cup race for gentlemen riders was the feature of the day. William C. Whitney's Ten Candles, with Mr. Paget up, won driving by a neck from Seminole. Ten Candles was the favorite in the betting, with Dolando a strong second choice. The latter, with Balloon, made the running for a quarter, and then Ten Candles went to the front and showed the way around the turn. He swung wide coming into the stretch, losing his advantage, and Mr. Buckley, on Seminole, saying ground, went up to him and they came to the wire neck and neck. Mr. Paget drew his whip a few jumps from the wire, and Ten Candles responding, won by a neck. Old Dolando was third, 20 lengths behind Seminole.

WOODBINE'S LAST TRIALS.

Toronto, May 21.—Contrary to expectations, only one of the Queen's Plate candidates was let down at the Woodbine today. The Hendrie entries were on the track bright and early, but they only breezed a short distance, as Trainer Whyte is apparently satisfied that the trial on Sunday last will fit them for the struggle for the guineas on Thursday. Pando and Maple Sugar worked with Martimas, running a half mile in .53½, with exertion. Barley Sugar and Ferneticklr went along together for a six furlong dash, in 1.25. Red Breast galloped five furlongs in 1.07. A number of Hamilton gentlemen, including Mr. Wm. Hendrie, were on hand to see the horses perform. Martimas will have his final "prep" to-morrow for the Toronto Cup.

THE DERBY ODDS.

Latest mail advices give these odds for the Derby, which will be run on June 5:

W. C. Whitney's Volodyovski .... 4—1
Sir E. Cassell's Handicapper .... 6—1
J. Simpson's Floroform .... 9—1
J. Gubbin's Revenue .... 9—1
M. Bremond's Jour de Fete .... 10—1
J. Cannon's Royal Rouge .... 10—1
Duke of Portland's William III .... 10—1
Leopold DRothschild's Dovicles .... 10—1
Sir Blundell Maple's Lord Bobs .... 12—1
James R. Keen's Olympian .... 12—1
P. Lorillard's Exedo .... 20—1
Prince of Wales' Lord Quez .... 20—1
Douglas Burk's Veronese .... 33—1
W. Raphael's Ruskin .... 33—1
C. D. Rose's Arcadia Colt .... 50—1
M. Bremond's Jacobite .... 66—1

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A costly error will be made by every one who fails to take advantage of the cheap rates on Victoria Day to visit Bout de L'Ile Park.

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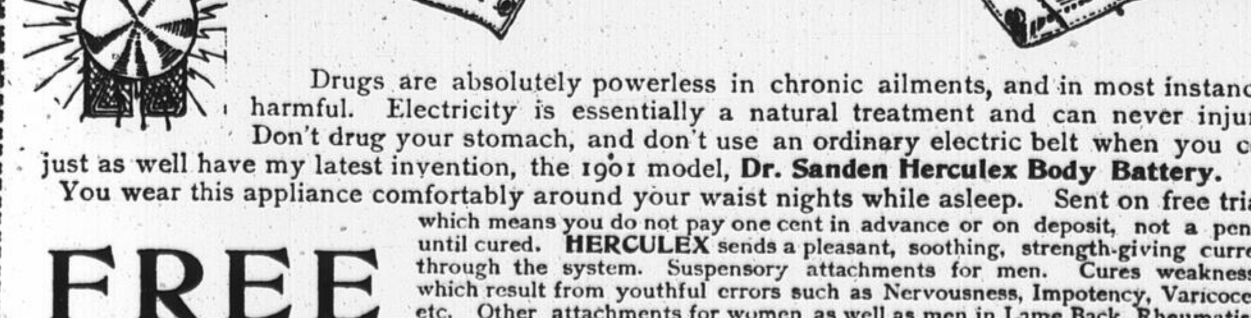

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PACIFIC AND "LIGHT" WERE THE FEATURES

But the Market on the Whole Was Rather Quiet. The Latest Canadian Bank Statement.

The stock market has a string of holidays staring it in the face, and this tended to make matters r... er dull.

There was only a moderate volume of trading in the local market to-day, with prices not materially altered.

Pacific was a shade firmer than yesterday, selling up to 104⅛ and closing for the morning at 104. Richelieu was inclined to be a little easier, while the real feature of the market was Light, Heat and Power.

It sold up to 96 yesterday afternoon, and the trading this morning was within the range of 95⅛ to 95¾. There was a strong demand for it, and a price slightly under the market was bid for a block of 2,000 shares for investment.

Little or no stock is taken in the stories of a lighting war, as the heads of both companies brand the story as a newspaper dream and give it emphatic denial.

The Wall Street market was quiet again and was devoid of any sensational features.

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A gentleman who has inside information told The Herald to-day that Montreal Heat and Power stock would be one of the strong factors on the local stock exchange in the near future. "We could put the stock to $1.50 if we wanted to," said The Herald's informant, "but there is no hurry. The strongest financial interests in Montreal are behind the new company, and it will be extensively dealt in when the public gets certain information now known by the management. While a four per cent. dividend will likely be declared, I am pretty sure the company will be in a position to pay an even larger figure."

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Montreal Street Railway earnings yesterday were $5,377.07, an increase compared with the same day last year of $378.59.

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L. J. Forget & Co.'s London cable quoted Grand Trunk first at 94¼, second at 79⅜, third at 35½, Canadian Pacific at 104½ and Anaconda at £9 9-16.

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The Dominion Bank has just had an exceedingly prosperous year. The annual statement has been issued and will be submitted at the annual meeting, May 29. The statement follows in part:

Balance of profit and loss account, April 30, 1900	$ 62,056 38	
Premium received on new capital stock	940,291 88	
Profit for the year ending 30th April, 1901, after deducting charges of management, etc., and making provision for bad and doubtful debts	275,192 50	
	$1,277,540 76	
Dividend 3 per cent., paid Aug. 1, 1900	$46,351 17	
Dividend 2½ per cent., paid Nov. 1, 1900	47,308 55	
Dividend 2½ per cent., paid Feb. 1, 1901	54,108 08	
Dividend 2½ per cent., payable May 1, 1901	58,998 98	
		$ 206,766 78
Written off bank premises		30,000 00
Transferred to reserve fund		940,291 88
		$1,177,058 66
Balance of profit and loss carried forward		$ 100,482 10

The balance at the credit of account, April 30, was $1,500,000, and $940,291.88 was transferred from profit and loss account, making the reserve fund $2,440,-291.88.

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The Twin City Rapid Transit Company reports for April:

	1901.	1900.	Inc.
Gross earnings	$232,243	$215,791	$16,452
Oper. expenses	111,741	107,911	3,830
Net earnings	$120,502	$107,880	$12,622
Charges and pfd. dividend	74,167	71,834	2,333
Surplus	$ 46,335	$ 36,046	$10,289
From January 1 to April 30:			
Gross earnings	$926,312	$861,468	$64,844
Oper. expense	449,323	432,729	16,594
Net earnings	$476,989	$428,739	$48,250
Charges and pfd. dividend	286,461	285,790	671
Surplus	$190,528	$142,949	$47,579

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Earnings for the second week of May are as follows:

	Earnings.	Increase.
Montreal Street	$34,282 24	$ 616 52
Toronto Street	28,942 18	2,706 00
Twin City	52,580 00	3,287 00
Duluth S.S. & A.	46,660 00	*8,592 00

*Decrease.

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MORNING BOARD SALES.

25 Canadian Pacific at 103.
50 Canadian Pacific at 104.
50 Canadian Pacific at 104⅛.
20 Canadian Pacific at 104.
10,000 Virtue Company at 10.
90 Dominion Cotton xd at 71.
35 Dominion Cotton xd at 72.
25 Dominion Cotton xd at 72½.
6 Montreal Cotton at 130.
100 Montreal Power at 95⅛.
959 Montreal Power at 95.
100 Montreal Power at 95¼.
100 Montreal Power at 95½.
350 Montreal Power at 95½.
50 Montreal Power at 95¼.
50 Montreal Power at 95¾.
10 Twin City at 77.
25 Twin City at 76⅛.
25 Molsons Bank at 199.
5 Molsons Bank at 199½.
25 Molsons Bank at 199.
500 Montreal Street Railway at 285.
35 Montreal Gas at 237.
25 New Montreal Street at 283.
5 New Montreal Street at 282½.
50 New Montreal Street at 283⅛.
13 Montreal Telegraph at 169.
36 Montreal Telegraph at 168½.
25 Toronto Railway at 109¼.
5 Toronto Railway at 109.
25 Richelieu & Ontario at 115¼.
100 Richelieu & Ontario at 115½.
75 Richelieu & Ontario at 115¼.
1,000 Dominion Steel Bonds at 88.

CANADIAN BANK STATEMENT

The note circulation of Canadian banks for the month of April decreased $605,000 and the total on the last day of the month was $47,006,701, as compared with $43,-908,432 a year ago. Deposits in Canada increased over $7,000,000 and the total figures as compared with a year ago are $330,966,256 and $269,021,153, respectively. Specie and Dominion note holdings of our banks were practically the same as last month. Following are the chief items in the statement, with comparisons:

	1901. April 30.	1901. March 31.	1900. April 30.
Circulation	$ 47,006,701	$ 47,611,967	$ 43,908,432
Deposits, demand	92,907,158	90,645,676	94,979,467
Deposits, time	215,352,273	210,033,367	174,041,686
Deposits in United States	22,706,825	22,173,375	......
Deposits, total	$330,966,256	$322,852,418	$269,021,153
Specie	$ 11,819,200	$ 11,649,543	$ 10,040,239
Dominion notes	19,944,669	20,176,628	16,973,871
Balances due from United States	10,493,659	9,361,102	19,148,974
Balances due from United Kingdom	4,149,055	3,144,003	5,216,023
Call loans in Canada	32,617,029	33,004,857	28,905,583
Call loans elsewhere	47,502,305	35,568,757	......
Call loans, total	$ 80,119,334	$ 68,573,614	$ 28,905,583
Current loans, Canada	$271,818,755	$280,041,076	$281,615,493
Current loans, elsewhere	20,374,386	19,580,081	......
Overdue debts	1,940,336	2,208,728	1,897,427
Loans to directors	12,062,084	12,377,812	10,477,190

MONTREAL MARKETS

GRAIN.—There is a moderate business in grain, with prices fairly steady. One sale of a round lot of oats is reported at 35¾c, while peas are a shade firmer. Wheat seems to be in moderate export demand. Ontario No. 1 spring wheat, 76½c to 77c; Ontario white wheat, 76c to 76½c; No. 2 red wheat, 75c to 75½c; peas, 75½c to 76c; No. 1 oats, 36½c; No. 2 do., 35¾c; buckwheat, 62c to 62½c; rye, 58½c to 59c; No. 2 barley, 53c to 53½c.

FLOUR.—There is a moderately good export enquiry, with some further sales to Australia and South Africa. Prices are firm and particularly for the Manitoba grades. Spring patents, $4.10 to $4.30; winter patents, $3.65 to $3.85; straight rollers, $3.20 to $3.40; strong bakers', $3.75 to $4; straight rollers, bags, $1.55 to $1.65.

MEAL.—There was no change in rolled oats, business being quiet at $3.50 to $3.55 per barrel, and at $1.70 to $1.72½ per bag.

FEED.—Tone is easier; prices have declined 50c to $1 per ton. There is very fair demand for both bran and shorts at the lower figures. Ontario bran, in bulk, $15.50; shorts, $16.50; moullie, $20 to $24 per ton; Manitoba bran, including bags, $15; and shorts, $16 per ton.

CHEESE.—There does not appear to be any radical change in the cheese market, and as has frequently happened in former years, the country markets have exhibited relatively more firmness than the market here. There is only a moderate business doing, white cheese still being in favor. It is quoted at 8⅝c to 8¾c, with Easterns fractionally less.

BUTTER.—There seems to be a fairly firm tone to the market, with the demand pretty well up to the receipts. Finest creamery holds its recent advance at 18½c to 19c.

EGGS.—There seems to be no change of importance. The demand is fair and sales of No. 1 were made at 11c to 11½c, and No. 2 at 9½c to 10c per dozen.

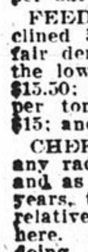
MAPLE PRODUCT.The market for maple product was quiet and prices unchanged. New syrup, 65c to 75c per tin of wine gallon, and at 90c to 95c per tin of imperial gallon; in wood, 6½c to 7c per lb.; new sugar, 9c to 10c per lb.

HONEY.—There was no change in honey. The demand is slow and offerings are small. White clover comb, 12½c to 13½c; white extracted, 8½c to 10c; buckwheat, in comb, 9c to 10c; and extracted, 8c to 8½c.

POTATOES.—A fair trade is passing in potatoes, but prices are easier at 38c to 40c per bag, in car lots.

BEANS.—The market for beans is dull, and prices are unchanged at $1.45 to $1.50 in a jobbing way, and at $1.35 to $1.40 in car lots.

ASHES.—Business in ashes is slow, owing to the small receipts. Firsts, $4.15 to $4.20; seconds, $3.60 to $3.70; and pearls, $5.50 per 100 lbs.



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CATTLE MARKETS

Toronto, May 21.—Receipts were 100 loads, including 1,960 cattle, 153 sheep and lambs, 70 calves, and 800 hogs.

Export cattle—Receipts were rather large, and several dealers made heavy purchases. The quality of the stock was good and the market was firm. Prices of choice lots ranged from $4.90 to $5.25, and in one or two instances holders asked a trifle more. The offerings were quickly bought up, as the demand was keen, in spite of unfavorable cables; medium, including lightweights, were steady at $4.50 to $4.90.

Butchers' cattle—The supply was comparatively small, and under the pressure of a brisk demand very little time was required to sell all the available stock. Prices are firmer. Picked lots are quoted at $4.50 to $4.85, and really fine cattle would have sold readily at the top figure.

Feeders and stockers—Supply very small, and demand steady, with prices firm. We quote:—Feeders, short keep, $4.25 to $4.75; feeders, medium, $3.75 to $4.25; feeders, light, $3.50 to $3.75; stockers, 400 to 800 lbs., $3 to $3.50; stockers, off color, and heifers, $2 to $2.50.

Sheep and lambs—Trade in sheep is dull and export ewes are in poor demand. They are quoted 25c lower at $3.50 to $3.75 per cwt. Grain-fed lambs are also weaker, being quoted 50c lower, at $4.50 to $5 per cwt. Other sheep and lambs are unchanged.

Calves—Market in fair shape, with a keen demand for fine calves. Prices are unchanged at $1 to $8 each.

Hogs—Steady and unchanged at $7.25 for selects and $6.75 for lights and fats.

GRAIN UP WEST

Toronto, May 22.—Wheat—The demand for wheat for export is rather better, the offerings are light and the market is firm. A lot of red and white sold east to-day at 68¾c, and it was quoted at 68c to 68½c on a 13½c freight to New York, and at 67c middle freights. Goose wheat is steady; No. 1 sold east to-day at 67c, No. 2 is quoted at 66c middle freights. Spring wheat is steady at 70c bid east. Manitoba wheat is firm at 92c for No. 1 hard, 89c for No. 2 hard and 80c for No. 3 hard, grinding in transit, and at 90c for No. 1 hard, Toronto and west, 88c for No. 2 hard and 78c for No. 3 hard.

Flour—Is in fair demand for export, and the market is firm at $2.65 bid for cars of 90 per cent patents, middle freights, in buyers' bags, and some holders are asking $2.70. Choice brands are held 15c to 20c higher. Manitoba flour is steady at $4.25 for Hungarian patents and $3.90 for strong bakers', in car lots, bags included, Toronto.

Millfeed is quiet, bran being especially dull. Cars of shorts are quoted at $13 to $14, and bran at $12 west.

Barley—The market is steady at 43c for No. 2 east, 50c f.o.b. vessels lake ports, and 44c middle freights. No. 3 extra is quoted at 43c middle freight.

Buckwheat—The market is dull with prices nominal at 54c east and 53c middle freights.

Rye—Is nominal at 50c east and 49c middle freights.

Corn—Is quiet. Canada yellow is quoted at 41c and mixed at 40½c west. American No. 3 yellow is quoted at 49c, Toronto.

Oats—Are in good demand and firm at 33c for No. 1 white east, and No. 2 white sold to-day at 31½c and 32c middle freights.

Oatmeal—Is steady at $3.65 for cars of bags and $3.75 for barrels, on track, Toronto, and 20c more for smaller lots.

Peas—Are steady at 65c north and west, 67c east and 66c middle freights.

(For Latest Financial and Commercial see Page 3.)

WHEAT AND CORN LITTLE EASIER

There Were Fractional Declines in the Chicago Market This Morning.

There was a fairly steady tone to the Chicago wheat market to-day. July opened at 73⅜ and at 12.30 was quoted at 73⅛.

July corn opened at 45 and at 12.30 was quoted at 44¾.

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The St. Paul Railroad's crop report says that in some sections chinch bugs have hurt growing grains on its lines, especially barley, and some fields are completely ploughed under. Corn planting nearly finished. Sown grain doing well; ground in good condition.

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Patten has turned buyer of corn now that Phillips has turned seller, and either he is covering shorts or changes his position because Phillips wants the market to go off, as he seems bound to be on the other side of the market all the time. He bought 3,-000,000 bushels to-day.

$ $ $

The Corn Trade News says:—"The German demand, it is now quite evident, was not merely speculative, for we see that cargoes of Argentine, Oregon and Australian have been taken by Hamburg at ports of call, and others, it is certain, will follow promptly; moreover, the opinion is becoming more and more general that this German demand is not due solely to the impaired crop prospects, but is largely owing to the fact that the last crop is turning out to be fully as deficient as originally estimated in commercial circles, and not at all equal to the subsequent official returns, which made it out as equal to the big crop of 1899."

THE CHEESE BOARDS

Campbellford, Ont., May 21.—At the meeting of the Campbellford cheese board today the following sales were made:—Alexander, 400 at 8⅝c: Magrath, 225 at 8 5-16c; Brenton, 235 at 8 5-16c.

Ingersoll, Ont., May 21. — At to-day's cheese market only 233 boxes from Burnside and Mount Elgin factories were boarded. No sales; 8¼c was bid and refused. Salesmen are holding for higher prices, which may be paid on street after the market.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Reported by W. H. Weir & Son, Stock Brokers. 113 St. Francois Xavier street.

Description.	May 22 Ask.	May 22 Bid.	May 21 Ask.	May 21 Bid.
Canadian Pacific Railway	104¼	104	103	102½
D.S.S.A.	11	9	11	9
D.S.S.A. pfd	20	18	20	15
M.S.R.	286	285	285½	285
Do New	284	283	283	272½
Toronto Street Ry	109½	109	109½	109½
Halifax Elec. Tram Co	92	89	92	89
Do do Bonds	104	100	104	100
St. John Electric Ry	....	117	....	117
Twin City Transit	76½	76½	76½	76
Do do pfd	....	....	....	....
Rich. and Ont. Nav. Co	115½	115½	116	115
Commercial Cable Co	187	180	184	183
Do. Coupon Bonds	....	100	105	202
Do. Reg. Bonds	....	100	102	101
Montreal Telegraph Co	172	167	171	167
Bell Telephone Co	175½	170	175½	170
Montreal Gas Co	250	....	240	....
People's Heat and Light	....	....	....	....
Do do Bonds	65	....	....	....
Royal Electric Co	....	....	....	....
Montreal Cotton Co	135	131½	135	130
Dominion Cotton Co. xd	73	72	72	70
Canada Colored Cotton Co	70	64	70	64
Do do Bonds	99½	98	....	....
Merchants Cotton	120	112	125	115
War Eagle	25	20	25	20
Dom. Coal Common	36	35	36	35
Do pfd	116½	115½	117½	115
Do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Bank of Montreal	....	254½	....	254
Ontario Bank	....	122	....	122
Molsons Bank	199	198	200	198½
Bank of Toronto	....	....	....	....
Bank of British N.A	....	....	....	....
Merchants	....	....	....	....
Royal	180	175	180	175
Bank of Nova Scotia	235	232	235	232
Eastern Townships	....	....	....	154
Laurentide Pulp Co	115	....	....	....
Commerce	....	....	115	....
Hochelaga	....	....	....	....
Ottawa	205	....	....	....
Union	103½	....	104	....
Quebec	118½	....	118½	....
La Banque Nationale	....	....	....	....
North West Land pfd.	....	....	....	....

WALL STREET PHRASES

Wall street has a vocabulary of its own—a vocabulary of phrases, many of them so purely technical that one requires an interpreter to make their meaning clear if he is not a regular reader of the market reports. There is a large majority of the readers of newspapers who do not read market reports in ordinary seasons; who only learn what the markets are doing when the markets are doing something extraordinary, as for instance when Phillips corners corn or the money magnates bid Northern Pacific up to $1,000 a share. It is for the enlightenment of this class of readers that the following "dictionary" of Wall street terms is given here:

Watering—To increase the quantity of a stock without improving its quality.
Carrying—To hold a stock with the expectation of an advance.
Irish Dividend—An assessment upon stockholders.
Tip—Private information in advance of the movement of a stock.
Hunch—A tip based on one's instinct or impression.
Big Board—The New York Stock Exchange.
On 'Change—The floor of the stock exchange.
Bucketing—To execute orders in stocks without dealing on any regular exchange.
Lamb—A new speculator without knowledge of the market or its methods.
Bull—One who has bought stocks expecting an advance.
Bear—One who has sold stocks and who gains by a decline.
Short—One who has sold stocks for a decline.
Long—To have bought for a rise.
Loading—To buy stocks heavily.
Pool—The stock and money contributed by a clique to carry through a corner.
Covering—Buying stock to satisfy a short sale on the day of delivery.
Block—A number of shares bought or sold in a lump.
Averaging—Buying or selling stocks on a scale.
Slump—A sudden decline in the price of stocks.
Boom—The opposite of a slump.
Bottom—The lowest point or price reached by a stock.
Top—The highest quotation of a stock.
Insider—One who causes a movement in the stock market.
Scalping—Buying or selling stocks on slight fluctuations.
Piker—A small speculator.
Plunger—One who deals heavily in stocks, taking great risks.
Blind Pool — A close corporation; one which does not issue any statement of expenses or earnings.
Crazy Market—One which fluctuates violently without apparent reason.
Collateral—Any security given in pawn when money is borrowed.
Squeeze—A sudden movement of the market which forces the bulls or bears to close out their stocks at a loss.
Bulge—The upward movement of a stock.
Break — A sudden decline caused by a stringency in the money market.
Unloading—To sell out stocks which have been carried for some time.

You can throw your money up in the air 'most anywhere around town, and it will land on a pretty fair $3.00 shoe. But, there's one spot where it will land on the best $3.00 shoe.

That spot's my store.

That shoe's—

"The Mansfield" $3.00 Shoe.

"The Mansfield" is away in advance of the $3 shoe crowd.

'Tis better made, of better leather, with more style than any other shoe your $3.00 can connect with in Montreal.

"The Mansfield" comes in both men's and ladies' styles, in Patent or Enamel Calf, Box Calf, Velour Calf and Vici Kid, with Goodyear Welts—goes for $3.00 per pair.

Mansfield, The Shoeist,

124 ST. LAWRENCE STREET, MONTREAL.

REV. J. L. GILMOUR'S RECEPTION.

The reception given last evening in the Olivet Baptist Church, Mountain street, was one of the most successful and enjoyable social functions ever held in the history of the church. It was the occasion of giving a welcome to the Rev. J. L. Gilmour, B.A., the recently appointed pastor, and late of the James Street Baptist Church, Hamilton. On the platform were all the pastors of the denomination in the city, who, after the formal words of welcome by the senior deacon, Mr. A. A. Ayer, gave eloquent addresses. Alternating with the speeches were several musical numbers rendered by Miss Chambers, Mr. May and Mr. Clibbon, leaders of the choir. The attendance of members and their friends was large, some four hundred being present. On the conclusion of Mr. Gilmour's address, which was marked by enthusiasm, hopefulness for the future of the Church and consecration to the cause and people, tea was served, and an opportunity given for general conversation and greetings.

IN THE CIVIL COURTS.

In the case of Marchand vs. Brethair, Mr. Justice Langelier decided that a wife, separate as to property and doing business with a third party under a partnership name, can employ her husband either gratuitously or at a salary.

In the case of Langlois vs. Pepin and wife, Mr. Justice Taschereau found that the female defendant's transfer of stock in the St. Therese Furniture and Bedding Manufacturing Co. was fraudulent, since it withdrew from seizure the only asset she possessed upon which her creditors could realize.

ST. JOHN MAN IN JAIL.

Toronto, May 22.—Application has been made at Osgoode Hall by Barrister D. O. Cameron for the release of J. D. Lewin, son of the late Senator Lewin, of St. John, N.B., who is in Toronto jail on a capais on a judgment for $2,250 held by E. D. Andrews, dentist, of this city, who has a claim on an award against Lewin for the above amount in connection with various dealings. Lewin was arrested May 7 on the return from a trip to Mexico, made in connection with certain Mexican Government mining concessions. Cameron claimed Lewin was in jail wrongfully, and moved for his discharge. Chief Justice Meredith adjourned the motion for a week at the request of Andrews' counsel, and Lewin remains in limbo.

ROYAL MONTREAL VS. QUEBEC.

The two oldest golf clubs on the continent, Montreal and Quebec, will meet in their fifty-fifth match on Victoria Day in the Ancient Capital. For 27 years have these two clubs returned annual matches, and as the series stands at present Montreal leads by one hole up and one match. As Montreal is usually beaten in Quebec, the likelihood is that after Friday's match there will be another equalization. About 20 members of the Royal Montreal Golf Club will go to Quebec.

MONTREAL CLUB.

The above club intends holding an all-day handicap tournament next Friday, Victoria Day, on the courts of the M.A.A.A. grounds, Westmount. Entrance fee of 25 cents in all cases to accompany entry, which may be made to Mr. A. S. Blakemore, hon secretary, care of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, or Mr. Herbert Brown, treasurer M.A.A.A., 140 Mansfield Street. A suitable prize will be provided. The club is looking forward to a successful day, always providing that the weather bureau deems it fit to send Queen's weather. Entries close to-morrow.

Several prominent Montreal men are interesting themselves in the movement to control the sale of tropical fruits in the Dominion. A company is being formed which will have its headquarters in this city with the object of supplying the wholesale trade with fruit.

Plans are now being made in Messrs. Maclaren, Cameron & Company's offices in the Temple Building, and it is stated that that firm will probably act as the bankers for the new concern, but definite confirmation of this cannot be obtained at the present time.

One of the members of the firm, on being seen, declined to make any statement, but did not deny that negotiations were in progress. Several wholesale fruit-dealers were seen, but none seemed disposed to give any definite information. It is, however, expected that the matter will come to a head during the coming week.

NOTICE OF SALE

E. LEPAGE & CO.'S STOCK.

On Monday & Tuesday, 27th and 28th May,

We will sell at store, corner St. Lawrence and St. Catherine Streets, in small lots on the table, for merchants, the balance of E. LEPAGE & CO.'S STOCK,

About $50,000 Worth

—OF—

Silks, Satins, Dress Goods, Cloaks, Capes, Cashmeres, Corsets, Kid and Silk Gloves, Underwear, Linen & Silk Handkerchiefs, Laces, Embroidery, Linen, Buttons, Trimmed Hats, Ribbons, Millinery and Fancy Goods, etc., etc.

Sale at 10 O'clock Each Day.

Also—On Wednesday, 29th May, at Ten O'Clock—All the Fixtures of the Store, Show Cases, Counters, Shelvings, Carpets, Cloak and Hat Stands, Chairs, Tables, large Wall Show Cases, etc., etc.

Positively no reserve.

MAROOTTE BROS., Auctioneers.

Our Reputation FOR GOOD WINES

Is well known and we have just received our spring Importation from the firm of E. DUPONT & COMPANY.

MONTFERRAND, $3 50 a Case
ST. JULIEN, . $5.50 a Case
PONTET CANET, $10.50 a Case

Bourgogne!

BEAUME. . , $6.00 a Case
POMMARD, . $7.00 a Case
CHAMBERTIN, . $13.00 a Case

$1.00 More per Case in Half Bottles.

Gravel Freres & Cie.

Grocers and Wine Merchants

Queen's Block.

2241 St. Catherine St.

LACHINE RAPIDS

Electric Light or Power...

We will give special inducements to customers who require steam for heat in winter but could use electric power in summer.

Also special rates for power not required during the peak of our load, which in winter is from 4 till 8 p. m.

If this interests you, let us have our agent call on you and explain details. It will pay you to look into this,

Lachine Rapids Hydraulic & Land Co., (LIMITED.

38 VICTORIA SQUARE.

Telephone "Main 1745."

NOTICE.

The Court, seeing the Petition of Samuel T. Willett, manufacturer, of the Parish of Chambly Canton, in his quality of creditor of the late Etienne Leblond, in his lifetime, shoemaker, of the City of Montreal, praying the appointment of a tutor and subrogate tutor to the minor children, issue of the marriage of the late Etienne Leblond and Melina Chevrier, his lawful wife, still living.

Doth by these presents order the relations and the mother of the said minor children to be and appear before the Prothonotary of the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec, sitting in the District of Montreal, at the Tutelles Office, in the Court House, in the said City of Montreal, on Friday, the 31st day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of giving their advice respecting the appointment of a tutor and a subrogate tutor to the said minor children, and it is ordered, moreover, that the present judgment be published twice in French, in La Patrie, and twice in English, in The Montreal Herald, two newspapers published in the City of Montreal.

(Signed) J. E. CHAMPOUX, Dep. P.S.C.

Montreal, May 15th, 1901.

(True Copy.)

GEOFFRION, GEOFFRION & CUSSON, Attorneys for Petitioner.

Chateauguay & Northern Railway Company.

BRIDGE TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, will be received until June 1st, 1901.

1st.—For the construction of the Stone Piers and Abutments for a Bridge over the River des Prairies (Ottawa River), on the line of the Chateauguay and Northern Railway—and also for the grading of the approaches thereto, and endorsed "Bridge Tenders."

2nd.—For the Steel Superstructure of said Bridge, and endorsed "Tender for Superstructure."

Plans and specifications and forms of tender may be seen, and all necessary information obtained, at the offices of the Company, Room 110 Temple Building, Montreal.

Tenders will not be entertained unless made on the forms supplied by the Company.

The Company does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

J. H. MULLARKEY, Managing Director.

The usual method used to remove the borax from bicycle frames is to immerse them in an acid pickling, which not only destroys the borax but the frames as well. Cleveland bicycles are cleaned by a sand blast, which is the only one in Canada, thus preserving the original strength of the frame. For sale at 34 Victoria Square, 2400 St. Catherine Street.—Adv.

Imperial Bank of Canada

DIVIDEND NO. 52.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of five per cent. for the current half year upon the paid-up capital stock of this institution has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office of the Bank and its Branches on and after Saturday, the first day of June next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May inclusive.

The annual general meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Head Office of the Bank in Toronto, on Wednesday, the 19th June next.

The chair to be taken at noon.

By order of the Board.

D. R. WILKIE, General Manager.

Toronto, April 23rd, 1901.

Eastern Townships Bank

ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of this Bank will be held in their Banking House in the City of Sherbrooke, on

Wednesday, 5th day of June, next.

The chair will be taken at 2 o'clock p.m.

By order of the Board.

WM. FARWELL, General Manager.

Sherbrooke, 4th May, 1901.

THE MERCHANTS BANK OF CANADA.

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND of THREE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. for the current half year, being at the rate of Seven Per Cent. per annum, upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Institution, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House, in this city, on and after Saturday, the 1st day of June next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 31st day of May next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Banking House, in the City of Montreal, on Wednesday, the nineteenth day of June next. The chair will be taken at 12 o'clock, noon.

By order of the Board.

THOS. FYSHE, Joint General Manager.

Montreal, 23rd April, 1901.

Dominion Coal Company, Ltd.

Six Per Cent. First Mortgage Bonds, Due March 1, 1913.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, in pursuance of the trust mortgage, dated April 25, 1893, by the Dominion Coal Company Limited, to the New England Trust Company as Trustee, THE FOLLOWING SIX PER CENT. FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS, DUE MARCH 1, 1913, of said Coal Company, secured by said deed of trust, HAVE BEEN DRAWN FOR PAYMENT, viz.:

Seventy-nine Bonds (79) Bonds $1,000 each, numbers

32	344	678	958	1465	1911	2151	2364
34	399	683	962	1481	1957	2204	2428
110	423	696	1064	1594	2004	2226	2453
116	437	701	1106	1603	2010	2234	2466
133	477	751	1108	1671	2011	2237	2489
161	497	783	1143	1775	2020	2261	2499
204	537	877	1145	1796	2043	2266	2544
228	556	913	1350	1870	2051	2306	2567
263	567	930	1425	1887	2052	2332	2569
342	637	933	1454	1904	2091	2349	....

And Twenty-three (23) Bonds $500 each, numbers

A 9	A183	A298	A411	A434	A570	A681	A710
A50	A194	A389	A415	A557	A580	A688	A729
A66	A295	A392	A416	A568	A611	A707	

The Bonds bearing the above numbers will be paid at the office of the undersigned, 85 Devonshire Street, Boston, Mass., U.S.A., ON PRESENTATION, at par and ten per cent. premium and accrued interest. THE INTEREST ON ANY OF THE SAID BONDS NOT PRESENTED ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1, 1901, TO CEASE FROM AND AFTER THAT DATE, in accordance with the terms of said trust mortgage.

The NEW ENGLAND TRUST CO., Trustee

By D. R. WHITNEY, Actuary.

Boston, Mass, U.S.A., May 10, 1901.

R. Wilson-Smith

INVESTMENT BROKER,

151 ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL.

Government Bonds, Municipal Securities, Industrial Securities

A large line of gilt edge investments always on hand.

A SESSION OF THE COURT OF KING'S BENCH (Crown Side), holding criminal jurisdiction in and for the DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, will be held in the COURT HOUSE, in the CITY OF MONTREAL, on SATURDAY, the FIRST DAY OF JUNE NEXT, at TEN o'clock in the forenoon.

In consequence, I give PUBLIC NOTICE to all who intend to proceed against any prisoners now in the Common Jail of the said District, and all others, that they must be present then and there; and I also give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and Peace Officers, in and for the said District, that they must be present, then and there, with their Records, Rolls, Indictments and other Documents, in order to do those things which belong to them in their respective capacities.

J. R. THIBAUDEAU, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office,

Montreal, 14th May, 1901.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday, the 30th day of May instant, at Two O'Clock P.M., the undermentioned Islands, viz.:

L'Ile Brule (20 acres),
L'Ile Verte (26 acres),
Island situate north of L'Ile Verte (1 acre),
Steamboat Island (1½ acres),

All in "Sixteen Island Lake," Township of Wentworth, will be offered for Sale at Public Auction, by the local Crown Lands Agent, A. B. Filion, Esquire, in the Crown Timber Office, 76 St. Gabriel Street, Montreal.

Upset price, $100 for L'Ile Brule, $130 for L'Ile Verte and the small Island north of same, $25 for "Steamboat Island."

The whole of the purchase money to be paid within one half-hour after adjudication, otherwise the sale may be considered null, and the island again put at auction.

Sale subject to fishing reserve, but said reserve is reduced to eight feet.

E. E. TACHE, Assistant Commissioner.

Department of Land, Forests and Fisheries, Quebec, 11th May, 1901.

N.B.—No account for publication of this notice will be recognized, if such publication has not been expressly authorized by the Department.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have accepted, under benefit of inventory, the residue of the Estate of the late John B. Young, in his lifetime of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, viz.: Edna May Young, Gertrude Florence Young, Annie Dinmore Young, Edith Mildred Young, Margaret Lavina Surgeon.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

MONTREAL TIME BILL.

In Effect May 21st.

ST. JOHN, HALIFAX — Lv. ‡8.05 p.m. Ar. x8.35 a.m.
TORONTO, HAMILTON, CHICAGO—Lv. †8.55 a.m., *9.30 p.m. Ar. *7.50 a.m., †7.00 p.m.
WINNIPEG AND PACIFIC COAST—Lv. †9.30 a.m. Ar. †6.10 p.m.
S.S. MARIE, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS, DULUTH—Lv. *10.00 p.m. Ar. *8.00 a.m.
OTTAWA—Lv. Place Viger, †8.30 a.m., †5.40 p.m. Ar. 12.55 p.m., †10.00 p.m. Lv. Windsor St., †9.30 a.m., †9.55 a.m., 4.10 p.m., †6.15 p.m., *10.00 p.m. Ar. *8.00 a.m., †9.35 a.m., †11.20 a.m. †6.10 p.m, †6.40 p.m.
QUEBEC—Lv. 8.20 a.m., †2.00 p.m., §3.30 p.m., *11.00 p.m. Ar. *6.30 a.m., †2.10 p.m., †6.20 p.m., §6.30 p.m. (Sun. only.)
BOSTON—Lv. †9.00 a.m., *7.45 p.m. Ar. *8.20 a.m., †9.15 p.m.
VAUDREUIL — Lv. †8.55 a.m., §10.00 a.m., (I)1.30 p.m., †4.15 p.m., a5.15 p.m., †6.15 p.m. *9.30 p.m. Ar. *7.50 a.m., †8.40 a.m., †9.35 a.m., †12.10 p.m., †7.00 p.m., §9.45 p.m.
SHERBROOKE — Lv. †9.00 a.m., (I)1.40 p.m., †4.30 p.m., ‡8.05 p.m. Ar. 8.35 a.m., (G)9.40 p.m., †11.55 a.m., †9.15 p.m.
JOLIETTE — Lv. †8.20 a.m., †5.10 p.m. Ar. †8.50 a.m., †6.20 p.m.
BERTHIER—Lv. †8.20 a.m., (I)2.00 p.m. Ar. †2.10 p.m., †6.20 p.m.
ST. JEROME — Lv. †9.00 a.m., §9.15 a.m., (I)1.45 p.m., †5.30 p.m., a6.15 p.m. Ar. †8.35 a.m., †9.50 a.m., †7.05 p.m., §9.45 p.m.
STE. AGATHE—Lv. †9.00 a.m., §9.15 a.m., (I)1.25 p.m., †5.30 p.m. Ar. †9.50 a.m., 7.05 p.m., §9.45 p.m.
LABELLE—Lv. (W)9.00 a.m., †5.30 p.m. Ar. †9.50 a.m., (W)7.05 p.m.

*Daily. †Week days. §Sunday only. ‡Daily except Saturday. xDaily, except Monday. aDaily, except Saturday and Sunday. (I)Saturday only. (W)Wednesdays only. (G)Mondays only.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

VICTORIA DAY

Round Trip Tickets will be issued at

SINGLE FIRST-CLASS FARE.

Going May 23rd and 24th, returning until May 27th, 1901,

Between all stations in Canada, Port Arthur, Sault Ste. Marie, Windsor and East; TO and FROM Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and Detroit, Mich., and TO but not FROM Suspension Bridge, N.Y., Niagara Falls, N.Y., Black Rock, N.Y., and Buffalo, N.Y.

VICTORIA DAY TRAFFIC TO STE. AGATHE.

PARLOR CAR SERVICE will be as under:

Lv. Place Viger ....5.30 p.m. Thurs., May 23
Lv. St. Agathe ....4.05 p.m. Frid., May 24
Lv. Place Viger ....1.25 p.m. Sat., May 25
Lv. St. Agathe ....7.00 p.m. Sun., May 26

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THINKS STRIKE WILL END SOON

President O'Connell Looks For Early Settlement ot Trouble With Machinists.

Washington, May 22.—President O'Connell said yesterday the reports received up to six o'clock at headquarters here indicated that an early settlement of the trouble between the machinists and employes will be effected. Information at hand showed that during the day over 120 firms had settled by granting the nine-hour day.

Mr. O'Connell said that so far as he knew about 6,000 men are out in San Francisco and about 3,000 in Cincinnati. In Chicago nearly all the important shops have settled with the men. The reports from the south, he said, show that all through that section settlements are being effected.

Half the firms in Philadelphia, he said, have come to terms, and the others are expected to follow suit. There has been no news of a clash anywhere.

Both the Navy and the War Department are apprehensive as to the effects of the machinists' strike on Government work now in progress. The Navy Department received word that the strike had spread to large private yards on the Pacific Coast, where a number of war vessels are under construction, and it is expected that eastern yards having naval ships to build also will be affected. The War Department was informed that the strike was likely to stop work on the two naval transports, Egbert and Rosecrans, now repairing on the Pacific Coast. Secretary Root asked the Navy Department to assist in forwarding the work pending the tie up, and Acting Secretary Hackett, of the Navy, ordered that the two army transports be taken to the navy yard at Breamerton, on Puget Sound, for the completion of their repairs.

MASON BUILDERS STRIKE.

New York, May 21.—According to the Mason Builders' Association, there was no change in the status of mason builders' lockout against the bricklayers today. Otto M. Eidlitz, the president of the association, says that the builders are firm, and that the bricklayers are locked out in large numbers.

The bricklayers themselves assert still that there are fewer than 600 men locked out, and that these have found employment with "lumpers," as small sub-contractors are called.

TORONTO LAW GRADUATES

Toronto, May 22.—The results of the final year's law school examinations were made known yesterday afternoon.

The following candidates have passed with honors:—G. A. Stiles, silver medal; O. M. Biggar, bronze medal; J. A. Peel, bronze medal; E. G. Long, E. W. Clement, A. W. Anderson, S. E. Bolton, C. W. Moore, A. MacGregor, R. H. Greer, equal.

The following candidates have passed the examinations:—E. W. Beatty, W. M. Ewart, F. W. Grant, W. D. D. Turville, E. R. Gleason, F. J. Wegg, T. H. Barton, C. McCrea and J. H. Parker, equal; W. A. MacKinnon, N. Sinclair, J. Ainslie Jackson, J. P. Weeks, J. R. Howitt, T. F. Battle, R. R. Bradley, J. Arthur Jackson, H. A. Tibbitts, D. B. White, G. Mortimer Clark, C. G. Jones, Ogie Carss, G. J. McArthur, W. A. Grange, E. G. Morris.

The following candidates have also passed the examinations:—T. A. Burgess, W. B. Kingsmill, L. G. D. Legault, A. H. Monteith, G. W. Spence, J. A. Supple.

CZAR'S PLAN OF REFORM.

St. Petersburg, May 22.—Celebrating the centenary of the Imperial council yesterday, the Czar in an autograph letter promised to reorganize the council on modern lines, so as to facilitate the transaction of business.

BRITAIN'S PLAN OF REFORM IN CHINA

Government Strongly Opposed to Any Loan Being Guaranteed By Powers.

London, May 22.—In the House of Commons yeseterday Lord Cranborne made a general statement on the China question, saying the Government's chief concern at present was to moderate the demands for indemnity, and see they did not intringe on commercial interests. The Government, therefore, was unalterably opposed to raising the import duties to ten per cent. as security for the payment of the indemnity, and in reply to all such suggestions had signified that Great Britain would only consent to such a rise of duties in connection with commercial improvements in the Chinese financial system, such as the abolition of the likin taxes. As to moderating the total indemnity, there were more ways than one of achieving that object, and China's burden might be perceptibly lightened by the method of exacting payment. In regard to the proposal that the indemnity be defrayed by a loan guaranteed by a concert of the powers, undoubtedly China's obligation to pay the indemnity was a joint obligation, and, though he hoped it would not be necessary, if such a loan should be guaranteed, it would have to be by the joint force of all the powers. The objection to a joint guarantee, however, was so obvious that the Government would have nothing to do with it. Considering that British credit stood higher than that of any other power, while Great Britain only claimed a small portion of the indemnity, it would be nothing short of insane to agree to guarantee the loan jointly.

After mentioning that three high placed delinquents had been executed, that three had been permitted to commit suicide, that four had been banished, and that the powers had demanded the punishment of 170 provincial culprits, Lord Cranborne concluded with saying that, on the whole, the affairs of China were entering on a more pacific phase, and that the Government hoped to soon withdraw a large portion of the British troops from that country.

IN THE HOUSE OF LORDS.

London, May 21.—Lord Lansdowne, the Foreign Secretary, made a statement in the House of Lords similar to the statement made by Lord Cranborne in the House of Commons. He declared the Government desired to avoid an arrangement for the payment of the indemnity by which China would be compelled to contract separate obligations, and could not agree to the joint guarantee of the loan. The Government, therefore, had suggested to the powers that China should give the powers bonds representing the amount due to each of them. These bonds might be extinguished in a term of years by the payment of the principal and interest.

In regard to the withdrawal of troops, the Foreign Secretary said three thousand and three hundred British troops would leave immediately. From the first, Great Britain had indicated an objection to being drawn into expeditions remote from Pekin. He believed the feeling was shared by the other powers, who desired the arrival of the moment when it would be possible to withdraw from China.

ITALY NOW AFTER TURKEY

London, May 22.—"Italy has demanded satisfaction from Turkey," says the Rome correspondent of the Daily Chronicle, "for the death of Decrosis, the Italian, who was summarily shot by the Sultan's order on suspicion of being an emissary of the Young Turkey party."

C. P. R.

On Victoria Day, May 24th, the Canadian Pacific train for Point Fortune and intermediate stations, will leave Windsor Station at 1.30 p.m., instead of 5.15 p.m.—Adv.

ADVISES CLERGY TO GET MARRIED

Archbishop of Canterbury Not in Favor of Celibacy in the Anglican Church.

London, May 22.—The Archbishop of Canterbury would like to see all the clergy of the Church of England married. Preaching in the Hampstead parish church, in aid of the Queen Victoria fund, he remarked that the experience with an unmarried ministry had lasted in this country long enough to make people generally dislike it. They preferred a married clergy, for the clergyman's family often did as much good as he did. The public must, however, be prepared to pay more for a married than for an unmarried minister.

In enforcing the insufficiency of many clerical incomes, the Primate declared the poverty of the clergy not only rendered the proper performance of their duty impossible at times, but also prevented many men from entering the ministry, because of the poor prospect afforded by the profession.

SMALLPOX DEATH RATE

Toronto, May 22.—Dr. Bryce, provincial health officer, was advised yesterday of the death of a smallpox patient at the Soo. This is the sixth death only since the outbreak in January, although almost 600 cases have been reported. A mortality of 1 per cent. is almost unprecedentedly low.

Auburn, N.Y., May 21.—Miss Mary M. Morrow, who escaped from smallpox quarantine at Havelock, Ont., last Friday night, has been at liberty in this city since last Saturday. Yesterday afternoon she was married in one of the prominent churches here to Andrew W. Fegancher. Last night the house where they are residing was placed under quarantine. A smallpox expert visited the house this morning, and found that there were as yet no evidences of smallpox.

BELGIUM TURNS ON BOERS

Brussels, May 22.—The Senate yesterday by 37 to 22 votes, rejected a resolution introduced by M. La Fontaine, Socialist, declaring in favor of the Transvaal and regretting that Belgium was powerless to do anything in the matter.

The Foreign Minister, M. de Favereau, replying to the accusations made during the debate that British soldiers had massacred Boer women and children, and had otherwise ill-treated the Boers, said Great Britain had carried civilization to all the countries of the world, and had everywhere defended liberty of the person and of conscience.

MAY GET IMPERIAL STAR

Toronto, May 22.—The Canadian Military Gazette says:

It will be learned with pleasure by all those who served for the Empire's cause in South Africa, that in all probability they will receive an Imperial star in addition to the regular British war medal. The idea originated in Cape Colony, and has been taken up with zeal in all of the fourteen separate countries which were represented in the fighting line. All the colonies will contribute towards the cost.

KIPLING LOSES HIS SUIT

New York, May 22.—In the suit of Rudyard Kipling against George Putnam's Sons, for infringement of copyright on the "Outward Bound" edition of Kipling's works, Judge Lacombe, in the United States Circuit Court, took the case from the jury, declaring a non-suit. This decides the suit in favor of Putnams.

MR. CALLAWAY'S SALARY

New York, May 22.—The Commercial Advertiser says there is good authority for the statement that S. R. Callaway will receive a salary of $100,000 a year as president of the American Locomotive Company, and that $500,000 of the company's stock was given to him as a bonus.

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SWITCHMEN GO OUT.

Buffalo, N.Y., May 21.—All the switchmen employed in the yard of the Lehigh Valley Railroad in this city struck tonight. Although not exactly a sympathetic strike, the going out of the switchmen is a direct result of the machinists' strike. Since last Monday, according to the machinists, the railroad yards have been patrolled by policemen. They objected to working under police protection and struck.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS.

"Sunday excursions, Montreal to Valleyfield, St. Timothee, Beauharnois, Woodlands and Chauteauguay, via New York Central. Particulars 129 St. James St. or Windsor Station Ticket Office."—Adv.

KINGSTON STRIKE ENDED.

Kingston, May 22.—(Special.) — The terms agreed upon in settlement of the laborers' strike at the locomotive works have been accepted by both sides with one amendment. The company offered $1.20 per day to 26 men, but have since advanced this to $1.25, with right to discharge those considered incompetent. Work will be early resumed.

Vapo-Cresolene quickly cures colds, coughs, sore throat, whooping cough and croup.

CENSUS RETURNS IN GREAT BRITAIN

Increased Rate of Growth Shown Over the Previous Decade—The Boroughs.

London, May 22.—The Registrar-General has given out the following statement from the census office:—

The unrevised summary returns, as received from the local census officers, now permit the publication of the figures for the administrative counties of England and Wales. The returns of London and the county boroughs, having already been given, the data for a statement as to the gross total population are at hand. This amounts to 32,525,716.

A detailed examination of these returns as affecting urban and rural areas must be reserved for the preliminary report, but the following comparative figures may be deemed of immediate interest:—

Population.

May 31st, 1901	32,525,716
April 6th, 1891	29,002,525
April 4th, 1881	25,974,439

Increase.

From 1891 to 1901	3,523,191
From 1881 to 1891	3,028,086
Increase per cent. during intercensal period, 1891 to 1901	12.15
Increase per cent. during intercensal period, 1881 to 1891	11.65

The increase per cent., therefore, over the whole of England and Wales since 1891 has been greater by 1-2 per cent. than during the previous decennium.

This may also be illustrated by the following comparison:—

Ascertained population on May 31st	32,525,716
Population as estimated by the Registrar-General on the same day on the basis of increase in the previous decade	32,356,731
Excess	168,985

The total population is made up as follows, the figures for certain county boroughs as given on the 4th inst. having been revised:—

County of London	4,536,034
Other administrative counties	18,850,492
County boroughs	9,139,190
Total	32,525,716

Administrative Counties — Population in 1891 and 1901.

(The figures for 1901 are unrevised.)

	1891.	1901.
England and Wales	29,002,525	32,525,716
62 Admin. Counties	20,935,597	23,386,526
67 County Boroughs	8,066,928	9,139,190

England.

Bedfordshire	161,378	171,699
Berkshire	176,119	180,396
Buckinghamshire	186,680	196,843
Cambridgeshire	120,645	64,494
Isle of Ely	63,340	64,494
Chester	585,944	601,042
Cornwall	322,571	322,857
Cumberland	266,549	266,904
Derbyshire	425,472	504,577
Devonshire	442,287	436,913
Dorsetshire	193,542	202,093
Durham	720,793	833,310
Essex	578,471	816,524
Gloucestershire	323,980	331,515
Herefordshire	115,762	114,150
Hertfordshire	226,587	258,044
Huntingdonshire	55,015	54,127
Kent	807,328	936,093
Lancashire	1,564,696	1,827,330
Leicestershire	201,639	225,895
Lincolnshire—Holland	76,204	77,583
" Kesteven	105,362	103,957
" Lindsey	199,051	206,497
London	4,228,317	4,536,034
Middlesex	542,804	792,225
Monmouthshire	203,426	230,702
Norfolk	318,301	313,438
Northamptonshire	189,218	207,466
Soc of Peterboro'	35,249	41,119
Northumberland	319,730	387,728
Nottinghamshire	231,745	274,683
Oxfordshire	143,753	137,118
Rutlandshire	20,659	19,708
Shropshire	236,827	239,297
Somersetshire	378,166	385,059
Southampton	334,194	377,121
Isle of Wight	78,672	82,387
Staffordshire	771,258	879,625
Suffolk—Eastern	184,405	189,153
" Western	121,350	117,535
Warwickshire	301,412	347,693
Westmoreland	66,215	64,411
Wiltshire	262,551	271,372
Worcestershire	297,389	358,357
Yorkshire—E. Riding	141,180	145,877
" N. Riding	284,915	285,681
" W. Riding	1,294,423	1,460,857

Wales.

Anglesey	50,098	50,475
Brecknock	51,393	54,211
Cardigan	63,467	61,068
Carmarthen	130,566	135,320
Carnarvon	117,586	125,454
Denbigh	118,979	131,588
Flint	77,041	81,487
Glamorgan	467,954	601,080
Merioneth	48,859	48,786
Montgomery	58,003	54,892
Pembroke	88,296	87,856
Radnor	21,791	23,263

Pan-American Excursion Friday, May 31st, Montreal to Buffalo and return, six dollars ($6.00), via the New York Central's Adirondack Mountain route. Good to return leaving Buffalo until June 3rd inclusive. Trains leave Windsor Station 8.25 a.m. and 7.00 p.m. Through Pullman sleeping cars on 7.00 p.m. train, due Buffalo 8.45 next morning. Berths, $2.50 each way. Call 129 St. James Street or Windsor Station ticket office for particulars. Adv.

APPOINTED TO BROCKVILLE.

Brockville, May 22.—(Special.)—R. W. Travers, manager of the Bank of Montreal, at Almonte, has been appointed manager of the Brockville agency of the same bank to succeed Mr. Neil McLean, who has resigned and will take up his residence in Belleville. Mr. Travers was accountant here for many years. The appointment is a very popular one.

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