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DEBATE ON THE LAND BILL

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HON. MR. PELLETIER'S SPEECH

REPLY FROM THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS—MR. CHICOYNE ALSO SPEAKS—THE HOUSE WILL HOLD NO SESSION TO-DAY.

The only business transacted in the Legislative Assembly this afternoon was the resumption of the debate on the motion of Hon. Mr. Pelletier on the second reading of the bill to amend the law respecting the sale and management of public lands, woods and forests. The debate was a most interesting one, the speakers being Hon. L. P. Pelletier, who concluded his arguments, and Hon. Mr. Gouin, who spoke until recess, moving the adjournment of the debate. Hon. Mr. Pelletier began by accusing the Colonization Commission of having given a different meaning to the evidence given by Settler Lajoie than that which the latter really intended, and Mr. Pelletier read a letter from Lajoie, who explains the evidence given before the Commission.

Continuing, the member for Dorchester remarked that the Commissioners seemed to throw all the blame of the bad administration of the department on the shoulders of the agents who are blamed for not having collected the million dollars due by the purchasers of lots. What about the responsibility of the department? remarked Mr. Pelletier. This was sufficient proof that the Department of Crown Lands was badly administered. The Commissioners say that forest rangers reside too far away from the settlers, and therefore are no use to the latter. No surprise should be manifested if complaints were continually made against the department. The Government has to admit that and the Commissioners have done so in their report. There was no remedy offered for the existing evils and if the contents of the report are true, and they appear to be, the Province was on the verge of a national peril. The Premier and his colleagues were responsible for this state of things, but none more than the Commissioner of Colonization. The report condemned the latter's department as well as that of the Prime Minister. The Commissioners do not find fault with the land agents, forest rangers and the Government, but in their report also complain of the manner in which certain surveys were made.

The report of the Crown Lands Department did not give any statistics as to the quantity of lumber exported for pulp to the United States, although everybody did know that it was increasing yearly. Why were the American companies, who were not interested in this Province, allowed to rob our forests of the best timber without paying the duty of 65 cents. Canadians are not treated so leniently as that, but have to pay up. One of the officials of the department had to acknowledge under oath that the returns received regarding the exportation of pulp wood were not correct. The clerks of the department should not be blamed for that, but the head of the department should, as he was supposed to know that these returns were erroneous.

Regarding the dimensions of timber, the member for Dorchester, invited the Commissioner of Colonization to pay a visit to the St. Maurice region, where he would see the Americans cutting timber of all dimensions. The latter cut everything before them and act just like the speculators who cut timber from him, his belonging to others.

He quoted from a report made by Mr. J. C. Langelier on the 1st June, 1902, which stated that from 1900 to June, 1902, the Crown Lands Department had lost duties on timber exported to the United States amounting to \$295,000. During that period 149,000 cords of pulp wood had gone to the States without any dues being paid. Speaking about the lumber merchants and settlers, Hon. Mr. Pelletier remarked that both were entitled to equal protection from the Government. What confidence could the lumber merchants place in a Government which protects and defends those who are robbing it?

Hon. Mr. Gouin replied that the lumber merchant in this country filled a very important position and when he was working for himself he was at the same time helping to develop the country. The Commissioner of Agriculture was also favorable to the settlers who deserved to be treated with the greatest generosity and the present law should be well received by them as by the lumber merchants.

Hon. Mr. Flynn, remarked Mr. Gouin, had made a number of errors in his speech, and Hon. Mr. Pelletier had referred to a crisis existing in this Province over colonization. The laws of colonization had been almost the same for over two hundred years and the system now in vogue was about the same as that in Ontario. The Opposition were continually crying out that the settlers had grievances, but these grievances are not new and existed under preceding Governments. Hon. Mr. Gouin quoted from L'Evenement and La Defense as well as from old authors in support of his arguments and gave the history of colonization since the early days of the French domination. He

ROOSEVELT'S NOMINATION

Washington, D.C., May 20. — Under the call of the Republican National Committee this is the last week in which conventions for the selection of delegates to the Chicago convention may be held. Returns received thus far at the White House indicate that of the 989 delegates to the Chicago convention 926 were elected up to Thursday evening. Seven hundred and eight have been instructed absolutely for President Roosevelt. A majority of the remainder have indicated their intention to support the President.

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also read letters sent to Hon. E. J. Flynn when the latter was Premier to prove that grievances existed even under the latter's administration. He quoted the opinion of the chief of the Opposition, who in 1882-1883 was favorable to the law of forestry reserves and who in later years condemned what he had previously supported.

At the evening session Hon. Mr. Gouin continued his speech, remarking that the Government did not consider itself obliged to accept all the suggestions made by the Commission, but took the best suggestions and favored a bill thereon which would be satisfactory even if not perfect. Two members of the House had complained of the attacks made upon them by the Commissioners in their report, and it was rumored that another member would have similar complaints to make. The Commissioners should have notified these deputies that certain charges had been made against them so as to give them an occasion to defend themselves. He regretted the attacks made by Mr. Major, M.P.P., on Mr. J. C. Langelier, Secretary of the Commission, and defended Messrs. Legris, Thivierge and Brodie against the attacks made upon them by Hon. Mr. Pelletier.

The speaker then referred to the colonization societies and said that the only one doing any practicable work was the Quebec society. The Montreal society, notwithstanding the energy of Mr. Caruel, is almost paralyzed and that was caused by the fact that some of its directors introduced politics into the society. The Ligue Nationaliste, said Mr. Gouin, embraces fine ideas and no doubt the men at the head of it are good citizens, but he regretted the excesses of language which are used by some of its members who wish to crush those who do not think like themselves. He was fortunate in finding a copy of their programme to-day and was agreeably surprised to see that it contained the same ideas as those contained in the present bill although the latter went even further.

The Minister of Colonization and Public Works made a very eloquent

peroration and was highly applauded at the conclusion of his speech.

Mr. Chicoyne followed and spoke for over one and a half hours, and remarked that the principle work of a country was to encourage colonization, which was most essential for developing that country. He was not one of those who thought that colonization was prosperous in this Province and during the last thirty years the rural population instead of increasing had decreased about 50,000 souls. This was an argument in favor of helping colonization. Mr. de Laval was the father of colonization and in his time the same difficulties existed as to-day. At that time those that traded in lumber were protected, but so was the settler. To-day the fight is between the lumber merchant and the settler. Should the former be ill-treated? Certainly not, but do not let us confound the speculator with the bona fide settler who should be regarded as the proper person to clear the land. Reference had been made to the seigniorial commission, but the settler was represented, and the present Government did not think fit to have any settler on this commission. In reading this report one would think that these settlers are all robbers, while the only guilty parties are the speculators. If an able lawyer had been named to represent the settlers perhaps another result would have been arrived at. He (Mr. Chicoyne) would have given evidence before that Commission although he considered it beneath him, as he had to judge its work. The Colonization Committee of the House, aided by some of the head officials of the Department would have arrived at practically the same result as the Commissioners. During his remarks Mr. Chicoyne was frequently applauded.

He was followed by Mr. Prevost, who moved the adjournment of the debate.

The House then decided to sit a little longer and not hold a morning sitting on Saturday.

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A NEW CIVILIZATION.

The Toronto News in a somewhat lengthy but remarkably thoughtful and interesting editorial recently, under the heading "The Meaning of the War" called attention to the singular phenomenon of a new civilization, neither wholly of the European or white type, nor of the Asiatic or yellow type, which has sprung up, within the memory of man, but was unnoticed and unsuspected in its first beginnings, was only dimly perceived in the events of the Sino-Japanese war, and has now received a startlingly sudden development in the war between Japan and Russia. Whatever may be the event of that struggle, on whatever side victory may declare itself, whether the issue be conclusive, or the battle a drawn one to be renewed at some future time, one thing is certain, that the military superiority of the West over the East, which has been asserted for over three centuries is a thing no longer to be taken for granted, and that a new civilization has sprung up which has succeeded in combining all the intellectual qualities which have given their predominance hitherto to the Western nations, with the physical fortitude and contempt of death which more than anything else have been the characteristics of the Eastern races.

The causes to which European military superiority during the past centuries are traceable, according to our confere, are first, an overmastering energy, or rather vitality which has begotten an extraordinary self-confidence which refuses to acknowledge defeat, and which was noted in his opponents by the first Napoleon in a remark attributed to him, "These English do not know when they are beaten;" secondly, the faculty of initiative, an ingenuity in devising unexpected methods of attack, of which Havelock's advance on Cawnpore, Colin Campbell's capture of Lucknow, and the forcing of the Peiwar Kotail by Lord Roberts are conspicuous examples in the history of Indian warfare; thirdly, a capacity for detail, which is not confined to the few, but is very generally distributed among minor officials, so that in the words of the News "European races have evolved the proverb that no man is indispensable. There exists a high level of energy and capacity, and a European nation can command a body of servants which can be relied upon to render service which on the whole will be faithful and efficient;" and finally, a close, coherent and disciplined national organization. In all these characteristics the Asiatic races have been notoriously deficient; while their bravery is unquestionable they have ever been ready to admit the possibility or likelihood of defeat; like the continental nations of Europe when the first Napoleon began his career, they have been wedded to certain military formulae and could not con-

ceive of any departure from the established tactics of offence and defence, so far from developing a class of men uniting steadiness in systematic work with organizing and initiating ability, those that have given signs of this have been regarded with distrust, and removed by forcible methods, and "Asiatic history centres round brilliant individual figures;" and finally, and as a consequence of this, there has been no coherent and disciplined national organization, but the Asiatic nations have been split up into a number of quasi-tribes, each fighting for its own hand.

What has been said above of the Asiatic nations is true of all the colored races, black, yellow, copper-colored, without exception, and their want of perception of this has led to the extermination of some, and the more or less complete subjugation of others by the European invaders. The Japanese alone have seen the coming of the White Plague in time, and taken measures to avert it. The thin edge of the wedge had already been introduced in the compulsory abandonment by Japan of her exclusion of foreigners, and in the protection exercised over them by the representatives of the European Powers, but Japan utilized the first for the acquirement of the ideas of Western civilization, and having acquired them used them as the grounds for ridding herself of foreign interference in her domestic concerns. The result has been that in the present war Japan has shown every one of the four characteristics which made for European strength, while Russia has shown the opposite Asiatic weaknesses. This means, says The News that "an Asiatic race has shown the qualities which have hitherto been monopolized by a white race. We must accept the fact, and revise our world politics. Back of the fact lies a huge problem. How far will this formidable efficiency spread? Will China be invigorated and reorganized by Japan? The answer may be fraught with enormous consequences alike to the old world and the new."

The question is an interesting one, and we shall endeavor in another issue to show why, in our opinion, it may be studied philosophically and without any feelings of nervous alarm. The true Yellow Plague does not lie in the hegemony of Japan in the Far East, but in that of Russia.

EXPORTS DECLINING.

Says the Montreal Times:—"Canada's trade is increasing the wrong way. For the last ten months our imports of foreign goods have increased by nearly 19 millions, while our exports have dropped by over five millions. In this period we bought from foreigners to the amount of 32 million dollars in excess of what they took from us. As the people of Canada have no large investments abroad to compensate for the large adverse trade balance, the situation is not reassuring. It shows, besides, that foreign manufacturers having overtaken their home demand, are pressing into the Canadian market and the result will soon be loss of employment in our factories unless the tariff is adjusted to meet the changed conditions."

But the grist profess to regard this state of affairs as highly satisfactory. In their opinion the more a man buys and the less he sells the richer he becomes. So every Canadian industry that is killed, is, according to their philosophy, a great advantage to the country, because it increases "Trade with a capital T."—Halifax Herald.

CONFLICTING OPINIONS.

His Grace of Sutherland everywhere met with expressions in favor of the Chamberlain policy, and an earnest desire that the great statesman should visit Canada. On the other hand, Mr. Graham states he had met with no such strong sentiment in favor of Mr. Chamberlain's policy, as the duke declared he had found to exist. On the contrary, said Mr. Graham, the majority of the many he had met were utterly opposed to Mr. Chamberlain's schemes. This conflict of opinion is indeed very distressing and must produce a very bewildering effect upon the British student of affairs as these disclose themselves to him in the columns of his favorite oracle. "It cannot but raise the suspicion deepening into certainty that the peer and his critic have simply heard what they wished to hear and found that which they wished to find. Coleridge said that men receive but what they give, and it looks as if the duke were true of politics as of nature. But it will seem to Canadians themselves that while one must be nearer the truth than the other, neither is qualified to speak with much confidence or authority on the subject. It is only the imperial and personal aspects of the situation that appeal to us. Canadians are imperialists in the meantime, and are likely to remain so while they freely control themselves and their future. And as business men they are not going to look askance on any proposal which secures or extends their most important market. Beyond that they do not as a rule go, and certainly would not speak dogmatically on that side of the issue which looks to the British situation exclusively. There can be no doubt that, apart from the proclivities, the people of the Dominion sympathize with Mr. Chamberlain's imperial policy and would regard his critics with more favor if they showed themselves equally alive to the needs of the time."

A MINISTER OF ALIEN LABOR.

That the Dominion Government is the obedient servant rather than the master of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company is an impression which each day's proceedings in the House stamp more deeply on the public mind. Of all the exhibitions of Ministerial subservency to the company that given on Friday was the most humiliating. In this performance the Minister of Labor took the chief part, which was to excuse the Government's inaction in the matter of safeguarding the rights of Canadian labor.

In the work of surveying the route engineers from the United States have been employed, while scores of good Canadian engineers whose services were to be had in enforced idleness. Complaints of this partiality for foreigners have been freely made ever since the first exploration parties were sent out early last year. Of these alleged violations of the spirit, if not the letter, of the alien labor law it is impossible that the Government could have been ignorant any time during the last twelvemonth, for the grievance has more than once been formally brought to its attention, at the beginning of the present session of Parliament. Mr. E. F. Clarke asked if the Government had anything to communicate to the House in reference to the surveys, and was told that it had not. Six weeks ago Mr. George L. Griffiths, Secretary of the Dominion Institute of Amalgamated Engineers at Winnipeg, made strong representations on the subject, and these were laid before Sir William Mulock. They showed that Americans were being employed in considerable numbers, and that 52 good Canadian engineers known to Mr. Griffiths were looking for work. Mr. Griffiths further gave a long list of American engineers who had received appointments in the Grand Trunk Pacific Company's service, and stated that in addition to these there were fifty or sixty others chosen. Most of these were, he said, young graduates of American colleges. And it appears, these foreigners were engaged not only on the Western division of the route, but also on the portion East of Winnipeg, for the building of which the Government itself is solely responsible. Of the Government's failure to prevent this favoring of aliens Mr. R. L. Borden again sought an explanation on Friday. All Sir Wilfrid Laurier could say was that he had written about it to Mr. Hays, the general manager of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, who, in reply, denied that more than 34 per cent. of the engineers were aliens. Into the polite correspondence between the Premier and the railway manager Sir William Mulock was constrained to thrust himself in consequence of the businesslike letter he got from Mr. Griffiths on April 2. At first Sir William was modest enough to write, not to the chief of the Grand Trunk system, but to an officer under him, Mr. Wainwright. Mr. Wainwright, according to the Minister of Labor's story, did not deign to reply. Then Sir William plucked up courage to address an enquiry to General Manager Hays himself, who was obliging enough to send a brief note on the 29th of April stating that an answer to the enquiries had some time before been sent to the Premier. This brought into the correspondence the "private" letter to Sir Wilfrid, which, being turned over to the Minister of Labor, enabled the latter to get into touch with the somewhat reserved railway man. By way of rejoinder to the letter received by Sir Wilfrid, Sir William wrote to Mr. Hays again, and had the satisfaction to get a civil billet from Mr. R. L. Logan, informing him that Mr. Hays was out of town. On the 13th inst. a letter finally came from Mr. Hays himself pointing out that it would take much time to comply with the request in Sir William's last communication. Sir William wrote once more, but so far Mr. Hays has not had time to forward a reply, and it remains to be seen whether he will vouchsafe one or not.

Throughout this business the Government appears to have comforted itself towards Mr. Hays as a subordinate does towards a superior. His company was charged with breaking a law, and with some embarrassment the Government brings the accusations to his notice. At the end of six weeks all that has been learned from him concerning allegations covering twice as many months is that not more than 34 per cent. of the engineers employed are Americans. — Mail and Empire.

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vs. Plaintiff;
 The said Louis Blouin,
 Defendant;

An action for separation as to bed and board was issued in this case, on the 19th April, 1904.

HAMEL, TESSIER & TESSIER,
 Attorneys for Plaintiff.
 Quebec, 20th April, 1904.

Superior Court,
 District of Chicoutimi.
 No. 1200.
 Lumina Deshens, of St. Gedeon, wife common as to property with Thomas Elzeur Levesque, also of St. Gedeon, and the said Dame Deshens, duly authorized for this purpose,

vs. Plaintiff;
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There was considerable excitement in the Lower Town yesterday, when it became known that the steamer Turret Bay had been lost at St. Paul's Island, and that five of her crew had perished. The following dispatch received at the Signal Service office tells the sad story.

St. Paul's Island, May 20.—Steamer Turret Bay from Sydney for Montreal, coal laden, struck the south west point of St. Paul's Island this morning, backed off and sunk in deep water. Fourteen of her crew were rescued by the life-saving crew on the island, but five died before reaching shore. It was blowing a gale at the time of the accident.

The Turret Bay was an iron screw steamer of 1378 tons net register, built at Newcastle, England, and has been engaged in the coal trade between Sydney and Montreal for some years. She carried a crew of 22 men, who were shipped in Newcastle.

LATER.
 Meat Cove, May 20.—The following were saved from the Turret Bay: John, 2nd engineer; J. Hacker, John Soberholm, Jacob Krestensen, Arner, John G. Johnston, John Nig-guest, John Tressmeden, Gustave Gustavsen, sailors; C. Anderson carpenter. The dead are: Grey, 2nd mate; the steward, name unknown; Harry Buck, mess room boy; Lyndest, fireman; the donkey man, name unknown. The missing as far as known are: Captain Hayden, first mate McCara, chief engineer W. H. Adams, 2nd engineer Matthews, boatswain Conston, fireman J. Brown, sailor Hall, cook name unknown.

SCHOONER REGINA WRECKED.
 A dispatch received here states that the schooner Regina, of Quebec, went ashore at Matane yesterday morning, and became a total wreck. Crew all saved.

STEAMER HIBERNIAN.
 News received from the stranded steamer Hibernian is to the effect that the vessel is in a bad position her propeller being out of water at low tide. She lies almost her length on the rocks.

Steamer Lord Strathcona, with the schr. G.T.D., and the necessary wrecking appliances, left port yesterday morning, to render all possible aid to the stranded vessel.

ALLAN LINE.
 The Allan R.M.S. Parisian was reported off Rimouski at 11 o'clock last night.

Steamer Hungarian, Captain Wallace, from London, with a general cargo, arrived in port on Thursday night and moored at the Company's wharf.

Having landed Quebec goods and taken on board part of outward cargo, she left for Montreal at 9 a.m. yesterday.

Steamer Buenos Ayrean, Captain Eastman, arrived from Montreal, at 1 a.m. yesterday, and proceeded for Glasgow.

London, May 20.—The Canadian Associated Press understands that important changes are imminent in connection with the trans-Atlantic passenger trade from Scottish ports, in anticipation of the prominent increase in Scotch emigration to Canada.

The Allan Company will transfer a selection of its best steamers from Liverpool pool to Glasgow. One, if not two, other important companies are seriously considering entering passenger business next season.

The Canadian Associated Press also learns that ever since the Hamburg-American line succeeded in inducing the German Government to establish control stations, the company has raised the price of passage thirty marks.

C. P. R. LINE.
 Steamer Lake Champlain, Captain Stewart, from Montreal and Quebec, arrived at Liverpool on Thursday evening.

Steamer Lake Erie, Captain Carey, arrived from Montreal on Thursday night and proceeded for Liverpool.

Steamer Lake Manitoba, Captain Taylor, from Liverpool, with passengers and general cargo, passed Martin River at 1:10 p.m. yesterday, and is due in port about noon today.

Steamer Manuka, left Brisbane on the 18th instant for Vancouver.

DOMINION LINE.
 Steamer Dominion, Captain Mendus, from Quebec, arrived at Liverpool on Thursday.

Steamer Kensington sailed from Liverpool on Thursday afternoon, for Quebec and Montreal, with 285 second 549 third class passengers and a general cargo.

Steamer Turcoman, Captain Jones, from Bristol, with a general cargo, arrived in port at 7 a.m. yesterday, and moored at the Pointe-a-Carey wharf. Having landed Quebec goods and taken on board part of outward cargo, she left for Montreal at 3 p.m.

LEVYLAND LINE.
 Steamer Mexican, Captain Slater, arrived from Montreal at 2 p.m. yesterday, and proceeded for London.

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REPORT DENIED.

to the Editor Quebec Chronicle.
 Sir,—In reading yesterday's Montreal Star "Topics of the Street," we noticed it mentioned that David's wrecking plant was not ready to leave, or the ss. Hibernian till Friday. This is too big to contradict, as two hours ago we received notice that the vessel was stranded on the wrecking steamer Lord Strathcona, schr. G.T.D., and went ready to leave and only awaited orders to do so.
 We only think it fair to insert this, as all rumors to the contrary are also.

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 WANT SUBSIDY.
 Advice from Toronto announce the formation of a new steamship company that will run a regular line of steamers between different ports of France and Montreal. The new company will be known as the Canadian Lines, Ltd., and will have at its head one of the largest steamship building companies, that of Armstrong, Whitworth & Co. Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann will also have a large financial interest in the company, and have been acting on behalf of the English interests. The plan that the Canadian Lines, Ltd., is carrying out, is to secure the contract made by the Dominion Government and Messrs. Carbonneau and Colomier last year, and which the latter have been unable to carry out. The steamers that the French syndicate intended to use were to have been chartered by the Armstrong, Whitworth Company.

NOTES.
 Steamer Philae, Captain Muir, sailed from Liverpool on the 18th instant for Quebec.

Steamer Malin Head, Captain Pritchard, sailed from Las Palmas, yesterday for Montreal.

Steamer Teutonic, Captain Delling, arrived from Montreal last evening, and proceeded for Hamburg.

Steamer Aetna arrived from the Upper Lakes on Thursday night, and after coaling, left for New York, last evening.

Steamer Bellona, Captain Rollo, having discharged Quebec cargo, left for Montreal at 3 p.m. yesterday.

Steamer Heroes, Captain Nystrom, from Sweden with a cargo of rails, arrived in port yesterday morning, and went into the Louise Dock to discharge.

Steamer Sirius, from Lyth, in ballast, arrived in port yesterday morning, and left during the afternoon for the Upper Lakes, where she will in future be engaged.

Steamers Britannic and Unique, arrived from Montreal yesterday, and proceeded for Sydney.

Steamer Norman, Captain Andersen, arrived from Montreal on Thursday night and proceeded for Pictou.

Steamer Wobun, Captain Meikle, from Sydney, with a cargo of coal, arrived in port last night, and moored in the Louise Dock.

Steamer Escalona, Captain Ritchie, arrived from Montreal last evening, and proceeded for sea.

Steamer Chickadee, Captain Sanderson, from the Tyne, with a general cargo, arrived in port yesterday afternoon and proceeded for Montreal.

Steamer Drot, Captain Hansen, arrived from Montreal last evening, and proceeded for sea.

PORT OF QUEBEC.
 Arrived May 20.
 SS Hungarian, Wallace, London, Al-lans, Rae & Co., general cargo.
 SS Turcoman, Jones, Bristol, W. M. Macpherson, general cargo.
 SS Heroes, Nystrom, Maryport, Hy. Fry & Co., steel rails.
 SS Wobun, Meikle, Sydney, Caribay, Son & Co., coal.
 SS Chickadee, Sanderson, Tyne, Ross & Co., for Montreal, general cargo.
 SS Sirius, Byth, for the Upper Lakes, ballast.
 Schr. Snow Queen, Levesque, Chicoutimi, barrels.
 Schr. Saguenay, Boulianne, Escou-mains, lumber.
 Schr. Lizzie Lindsay, Lantaigue, Carapuet, N.B., general cargo.

CLEARED.
 SS Heroes, Nystrom, Montreal, Hy. Fry & Co.
 SS Bellona, Rollo, Montreal, Hy. Fry & Co.
 SS Turcoman, Jones, Montreal, W. M. Macpherson.
 SS Hungarian, Wallace, Montreal, Al-lans, Rae & Co.
 Schr. Saguenay, Boulianne, Escou-mains, general cargo.
 Schr. Snow Queen, Levesque, Chicoutimi, general cargo.

SIGNAL SERVICE.
 Quebec, May 20, 1904.
 Father Point (157)—Raining, strong east; outward 7:20 a.m. Hermod; 11 a.m. Lake Erie.
 Martin River (258)—Dense fog; north east; inward 10 a.m. Otta, 1:10 p.m. Lake Manitoba.
 North Shore—Dense fog; raining; north-east.
 Point des Monts—Raining, strong north-east.
 Long Point—Raining; east; inward 8 a.m. King Edward.
 Clarke City—Outward noon St. Lawrence.
 Point Malgourette—Raining, strong east; inward 8 a.m. bark H.K.V.D.
 Anticosti—Dense fog; strong east.
 South West Point—Inward yesterday 8 p.m. one bar.
 Low Point (584)—Foggy, south-west inward 7:30 a.m. Peter Jensen and Smel; 1:30 p.m. Sif; outward yesterday 8 p.m. Turret Bay.

HIGH WATER AT QUEBEC.
 May A.M. P.M.
 Friday, 10.30 9.10 9.51
 Saturday, 11.21 10.09 10.56
 Sunday, 12.21 11.19 12.00

MOON PHASES.
 First quarter, Sunday, 22nd, 10.18 p.m.
 Full moon, Sunday, 29th, 8.54 p.m.

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THE STUDY OF LATIN

WAS THE PRINCIPAL SUBJECT OF DEBATE AT YESTERDAY'S SESSION OF THE PROTESTANT COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

The relative value of Latin and French in a commercial education were discussed by the members of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction at the quarterly meeting yesterday, the subject coming up on Mr. Shurtleff's motion concerning the June examinations, and which asked that the number of marks allowed for Latin and Greek be not greater than the maximum allowed for other subjects, including French and that they accordingly be reduced from 200 to 100.

Those present at the meeting were: Rev. Dr. Shaw, chairman; Hon. J. C. McCorrill, and J. K. Ward; Rev. Dr. Rexford, Rev. A. T. Love, Principal Peterson, Prof. Robinson, Prof. Kneeland, Dr. Dunbar, K. C. Ald. Ames, Messrs. H. J. Silver, J. White, G. J. Walker, and W. L. Shurtleff.

In presenting his motion, Mr. Shurtleff said that Latin was an optional subject and not necessary for a commercial education and he could not see why it should receive a higher number of marks than French, which was essential in the Province of Quebec. The student received 200 marks for Latin, and only 100 for French. He therefore was strongly opposed to the student who failed to take the optional course of Latin losing 200 marks, while one who failed to take the essential subject of French only lost 100.

The motion was opposed by Prof. Robinson, Rev. Dr. Rexford, Rev. A. T. Love and Ald. Ames, the argument being that Latin was necessary for the perfect training of students in the elements of the English language. Hon. Mr. Ward and Mr. White supported the motion, which was finally defeated on a vote.

A proposal to raise the marking of French was then referred to the Committee on Course of Study.

A motion by Mr. Shurtleff, seconded by Mr. G. J. Walker, to the effect "that in the opinion of this Committee the amount of Latin required to be taught in academies should be reduced by at least one quarter, and that to this end a committee be appointed to confer with the authorities of McGill University, to secure such reduction in the amount required by them at the A. A. examinations," was also submitted, discussed, and defeated, the opposition being led by Dr. Peterson, who read several extracts to prove the great value of Latin. He also cited certain phrases from the public press containing grammatical faults that could only be detected by the Latin scholar, who knew the English language is constructed directly from the Latin language.

A considerable amount of routine business was also disposed of by the committee.

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OBITUARY.

We have much regret in having to register the death of Mr. Fritz Nordin, head of the Aubert, Nordin Co., of Barcelona, Spain, which took place at Lake Bouchette, Canada, on the 17th instant. He had been brought over there from Barcelona by his brother, Mr. O. W. Nordin, and was rapidly recovering from overwork which had been undermining his constitution. The climate of the country so much and so rapidly benefited him, that everybody was sure of his prompt and full recovery, when on Sunday last, the 15th, he felt rather unwell, and during the night from Tuesday to Wednesday, he succumbed to a congestion of the brain. All his preparations had been made with his firm at Barcelona for a two years stay in Canada at Lake Bouchette. On Tuesday, 19th May, his mortal form was brought to Quebec, accompanied by the members of his family, and placed in charge of Mr. Germain Lepine, funeral undertaker. Yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the funeral took place from Mr. G. Lepine's place, and the burial ceremonies were performed by the Rev. Canon Von Island, at the St. Michael Chapel and at Mount Hermon Cemetery, amidst quite a gathering of friends, among whom the following were noticed:—Messrs. O. William Nordin and Knut Nordin, Directors of the Saguenay Colonization Co., Mr. Victor Nordin, captain commanding the steamer Obidia, at Halifax, his brothers: Misses Agnes and Frida Nordin; his sisters: the Hon. the Consul-General for Sweden and Norway, Mr. Kronholm, Secretary of the Consulate-General for Sweden and Norway; Major LeVasseur, President of the Associated Press of the Province of Quebec; Mr. Vaern, a member of the large and important lumber firm, of Gottenburg, Sweden, and a personal friend of the deceased; Mr. Eugene Rouillard, Superintendent of the Crown Lands sales, east section, etc.; Dr. Davies and Mrs. Davies; Mr. Barrois, of Paris; Mr. Thos. Lavallee, of Quebec, etc.

Dr. Davies and Mr. Barrois were the devoted medical attendants of the deceased, from his departure from France until his last moments at Lake Bouchette.

The lamented deceased, who was only 40 years old, was an enterprising and energetic trader in lumber. He could easily speak seven languages: Swedish, German, Russian, French, English, Spanish and Italian. All the other members of the family are equally proficient in linguistics, and can easily speak at least five languages: Swedish, German, French, Spanish and English, which, in these times, may be considered as most desirable accomplishments.

In their bereavement the family had the great satisfaction of receiving many telegrams of condolence from many points of Europe, and more especially from Spain, where the lamented deceased was widely known for his business abilities and for his broadness and generosity of character. We beg leave to tender his family and relatives our feelings of sympathy.

Before the last act of the burial, a Swedish flag was placed over the coffin by Capt. Victor Nordin, and the tomb of the deceased is now marked by three wreaths of natural flowers, tied together with ribbons of the Swedish national colors. Peace be with the deceased in a foreign land!

LUXURIOUS THIEVES.

Our constables made a very successful capture on Sunday evening last. Two fearless thieves had broken in the door of a freight car filled with merchandise which was on a siding on one of our railway tracks. Having gained access to the car they took possession of all kinds of provisions that they could carry off. But as regards the liquors, they made quite a discrimination, and only took possession of bottles containing the celebrated Gabriel Dubois' Cognac, in preference to all other marks. They were well aware which was the best.

BEFORE THE COURTS.

Before Judge Chauveau yesterday in the Police Court two young men appeared charged with robbery. Both pleaded guilty and were remanded to await sentence. One was from the Lower Town and had been arrested on complaint of his father for breaking open a box at his home and abstracting the sum of \$100. When arrested he had spent \$14 of the money. The other was an employee of a tobacconist, who has been delivering goods to country merchants, collecting the money and charging it up to their accounts.

ROBBERY IN A CHURCH.

A woman who attended the First Communion service at the Basilica is reported to have had her pocketbook stolen during the ceremony. Two other women occupied the same seat, and while the victim of the robbery was attending to the veil of her daughter, who was about to receive her first communion, she laid the pocketbook on the bench beside her. When she turned back to the bench she noticed that the two women had left the church, and her pocketbook presumably had gone with them, for it had disappeared. Fortunately it did not contain a large sum.

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Cor. St. Joseph and La Chapelle Sts.

QUEBEC LEGISLATURE

(Continued from First Page.)

Lessons was read a second time and sent to the Legislation Committee.

Hon. Mr. P. Gouin, in answer to Hon. Mr. Pelletier stated that the Government had not given a grant in money to the sufferers from a fire in the village of LaPile in August, 1902.

Hon. Mr. Gouin also in reply to Hon. Mr. Pelletier stated that the Government had not finished studying the question whether it will prepare a bill to limit the number of working hours for laborers working in factories run by power. A number of bills were advanced at stage and the House adjourned at 12.30 until Monday afternoon.

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8TH REGIMENT RIFLEMEN

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATION HELD LAST EVENING — ELECTION OF OFFICERS — PLANS TO IMPROVE RIFLE SHOOTING.

The annual meeting of the Eighth Regiment Rifle Association took place last evening at the Drill Hall, Major Wood presiding. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:—

Hon. Presidents—Wm. Price, Esq., and Lt.-Col. W. J. Ray.

1st Vice-President—Major W. H. Davidson.

2nd Vice-President—Capt. R. Sidley.

Hon. Secretary—Capt. W. P. Lindsay.

Assistant Secretary—Sergeant C. G. Blair.

Hon. Treasurer—Capt. W. H. Petry.

Committee—A Company, Col. Sergeant F. S. Coolican, Pte. J. Goudie; B. Company, Col. Sergeant Grant; C. Company, D. Neilan and Corp. J. Brown; D. Company, Taylor and Pte. P. McKean; E. Company, Saddler, Sergeant Stator; F. Company, James Norton and Sergeant Copeman; G. Company, Pte. Moran, Pte. O'Rourke; H. Company, Pte. MacNaughton and Sergeant E. Fleming.

Staff Representatives—Major Wood, Sergeant-Major N. Fletcher, Q.M.-Sergeant H. Hull.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring officers.

A committee meeting will be held at the Drill Hall on Wednesday, the 25th instant, at 5 p.m., to arrange a programme for the coming season.

At a meeting of officers of the 8th Royal Rifles the question of improving the rifle shooting of the regiment was discussed and it was decided to hold competitions in skirmishing and volley firing at the St. Joseph de Levis ranges on August 12. Valuable prizes will be given and the competition will be between teams from the different companies of the regiment, it being made compulsory that at least one team from each company take part. In addition competitions will be held during the summer in judging distances, etc.

BIT OF A SENSATION.

Somehow of a commotion was caused along the river front in the Lower Town yesterday morning by a rumor that the barge Prefontaine, lying at one of the docks, had on board a body in an advanced stage of decomposition. A foul odor which had permeated the locality for a considerable period was attributed to a box which was on board. This box was of the shape usually employed to enclose coffins and the conclusion was immediately reached that it was from this box the noxious smell was arising. Some one notified the corner of the fact and a couple of Provincial policemen were sent to investigate. The captain of the barge was seen and he said he did not know for whom the box was intended as it bore no address, neither was there any reference to it in the papers on board. The box was opened and was found to contain a coffin, but it was a new one and empty. The origin of the nasty odor was finally located in a shed adjoining the wharf, where a load of cheese had been stored.

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CHURCH SERVICES.

St. Andrew's Church, Levis. — Rev. W. W. McQuig, Pastor—Services to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

St. Patrick's Church, McMahon street. — Rev. Jos. Henning, C.S.S.R., Rector. High Mass at 10.30 a.m. Vespers at 7.30 p.m.

Chalmers' Church—Public worship in Chalmers' Church to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The Rev. S. J. Laidlaw, B.A., of Woodstock, Ont., will preach. Strangers welcome.

St. Andrew's Church, St. Ann street — Public worship to-morrow at 11 o'clock a.m. and 7 o'clock p.m. The Rev. A. T. Love, Pastor. Strangers cordially welcome.

French Presbyterian Church, John street.—Rev. P. Boudreau, Pastor. Services on Sunday at 10.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at 11.30 a.m. Week, Wednesday, 8 p.m. All cordially invited to attend.

St. Matthew's Church—Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.; Matins and Holy Communion, 10.30 a.m.; Catechising, 3.30 p.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m. Rev. F. G. Scott, Rector.

St. Peter's Church, St. Valier street, St. Rochs—Services at 10.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Holy Communion at 8 a.m. on 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays and after Morning Prayer on the 1st and 3rd. Seats free. Rev. A. J. Balfour, Rector.

Trinity Church, St. Stanislas street, below St. John street.—Services in Trinity Church to-morrow will be as follows:—Morning Prayer at 11 o'clock Sunday School and Bible Class at 3 p.m.; Evening Prayer at 7 o'clock. Seats all free. Strangers made welcome. Rev. B. A. Watkins, M.A., Rector.

Cathedral of the Holy Trinity—May 22nd, Whitsunday—Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Matins and Holy Communion, 11 a.m. Children's Service and Catechising, 3.30 p.m. Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. Holy Communion on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in Whitsun-week, at 7.30 a.m. and on Monday at 11 a.m.

Methodist Church, corner St. Stanislas and Dauphine streets—Sunday School Anniversary Services to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The Rev. J. W. Graham, B.A., B.D., of St. James' Methodist Church, Montreal, will preach morning and evening. Strangers welcome.

SOCIETY.

Contributions to this Column Should be addressed to Dolly Varden, Chronicle.

Mrs. Arthur E. Scott gave a charming tea in honor of Mrs. Hills (Toronto) and Mrs. Fred Ashe (Montreal). The guests included Mrs. J. F. Wilson, Mrs. de Lotbiniere, Mrs. T. H. Gardiner, Mrs. Louis G. Scott, Mrs. Meredith, Mrs. Stein, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Geo. Parke, Mrs. Cripps, Mrs. Ahern, and Mrs. Hope Sewell.

Miss Pentland gave a delightful card party on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Turgeon gave a reception on Thursday last. Among those present were Mesdames Parent, Archambault, Cannon, Bosse, De L. Panet, Verge, Duchesnay, M. Hall, H. Joseph, and A. Joseph.

Mrs. Rattray gave a charming box party on Monday evening last at the Auditorium. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. S. Stucking, Miss Revil, Mr. F. J. Home, Miss G. Home, Mr. E. O. Judge, Mr. J. Ross Strang, Miss Jessie Scott, Mr. H. E. Scott, and Miss Jessie Ritchie.

Mrs. E. L. Sewell entertained at tea in honor of Mrs. Bonner, of New York, on Tuesday last.

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Local News.

As is customary the offerings at the services in the Cathedral on Sunday next (Whitsunday) will be given to the assistant minister.

CHALMERS' CHURCH.

The Rev. S. J. Laidlaw, B.A., of Woodstock, Ont., will preach in Chalmers' Church to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

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QUEBEC CENTRAL EARNINGS.

A general meeting of the Quebec Railway, held at London, re-elected the old board of directors. The auditors give the earnings of the year as an increase of \$13,416, the largest in the company's history. The working expenses had increased \$25,000 and the increase of passengers was 7,524.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Joseph Octave Lamond, aged 51 years, of Place Saint-Benoit, St. Malo, died suddenly yesterday morning about 11 o'clock. It appears deceased had been out for a walk and upon returning to his home complained of pains in the chest, dying a few minutes afterwards. The District Coroner, Dr. G. W. Jolicoeur, was notified and an inquest will be held upon the body at 10 o'clock this morning.

CALL TO REV. DONALD GRANT.

A despatch received from Stratford, Ont., yesterday says that the pulp supply committee of the Baptist Church in that city has extended a call to Rev. Donald Grant, B.A., of Quebec, in succession to Rev. W. J. McKay, B.A., B.D., now editor of the Canadian Baptist, Toronto. Rev. Donald Grant was for some years pastor of the Baptist Church, Montreal, before accepting the call to Quebec.

REMOVAL.

The old-established boot and shoe firm of Wm. Jacques & Son, who have been compelled to seek new premises owing to the demolition of the block opposite the Post Office, have now completed their removal to their new store, No. 42 Fabrique street, where they are now prepared to give the same satisfaction to their large number of customers as in the past, and where the latest and best in the boot and shoe line will always be found.

MRS. QUEBEC'S HOSPITALITY.

The Apple Grove correspondence of the St. Johns, Que., News contains the following interesting paragraph: "A pleasing feature of the past week was the enjoyable day spent at Mrs. Quebec's, the occasion being Mrs. Quebec's 53rd birthday. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Brill and a few friends were present, who thoroughly enjoyed one of Mrs. Quebec's good suppers. Several gifts were presented to the surprised hostess in memory of the day."

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BRUTAL ASSAULT.

A young mechanic named Lapointe, is reported to have been assaulted on the Ramparts on Thursday night by a man, who asked for money, upon being refused which he knocked the young man down and kicked him. Upon the approach of some people the assailant ran away, escaping by way of the street railway viaduct. Unfortunately the young man is unable to give any description of his assailant which might lead to his being arrested by the police.

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OBITUARY.

The death of Mr. William Brownrigg, a well-known and respected citizen, took place yesterday morning at his residence, St. John street, in the sixty-ninth year of his age. He was a native of Killarney, County Kerry, Ireland, and was highly esteemed by all who knew him for his many good qualities. He was the father of the Misses Brownrigg, the well-known milliners of St. John street, to whom and the other members of the family deep sympathy will be extended by all.

A FAMILY QUARREL.

Residents of St. Francois street were interested spectators a night or two ago of a family quarrel which took place in that thoroughfare between a man and his wife. It appears that the man had punished one of the children in a manner which the wife considered too severe and she vigorously assailed her "better" half, and as a final argument gave him such an energetic push that he landed in the middle of the not overly clean street. Hostilities for the moment then ceased, and they continued on their way into Dorchester street, one following the other.

BAND ON THE TERRACE.

The R.C.G.A. band will play on Dufferin Terrace this afternoon from 3.30 to 5.30, weather permitting.

1. March—Pacific. Hershaw
2. Overture—L'Amazone. Auber
3. Valz—Eugene Schuetz. Rossa
4. Serenade—Comet Solo. Schubert
5. Selection—The School Girl. Stuart
6. Mexican Dance—Rosas Y. Abregos. Viderique
7. The Sleigh Polka. Julien
8. Galop—The Cyclist. Kupler

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DIPLOMAS AWARDED.

A special examination in stenography was held recently at Byrnes' Commercial Academy, Levis. During a test of five minutes Miss Nellie O'Doherty, of this city, took 560 words, and Mr. Oswald Burnside, of St. Joseph de Levis, took the same number of words in English and 527 in French. Both were awarded diplomas with great distinction.

THE ACCIDENT RECORD.

A little girl named Renauld, was run over by a horse and vehicle in Chapelle street, but escaped without serious injury. The little one was taken care of by some ladies who were passing and sent to her home in Fleurie street.

In descending from a wagon at the corner of Grand'Allee and Scott streets yesterday morning, a young girl was thrown to the ground and bruised about the head through her jacket catching in the door of the vehicle. She was driven to her home in d'Aiguillon street.

A carter, while trying to catch his hat, which had fallen off in St. Andrew street, fell from his vehicle and was recovered in almost unrecognizable condition from the deep and sticky mud of that very muddy thoroughfare. He was taken to a neighboring hotel, where he was cleaned up and made again presentable.

An aged blind woman fell in St. Valier street yesterday morning and fractured her ankle. She was sent to her home.

A TRUE FISH STORY.

This is a fish story—provided the classification of an eel as a fish is accepted. Moreover it is a true fish story, and the occurrence took place in the Louise Basin—at least part of it did. A young man, who was engaged, like many another young man and old man too just at present, in the absorbing pastime of angling for the succulent smelt, was doing quite well, and dreams of a well-filled basket and a toothsome meal were floating in pleasant dreams across his mental vision. He was on the embankment wall and plying his line industriously when suddenly he hooked something—it could not be a smelt it pulled too hard for that. It certainly was not the sea serpent—it was too small for the fabled and fabulous denizen of the deep. Investigation proved it to be an eel, and it struggled hard, but the fisherman did his best to land it. A fellow fisherman, feelingly warned him not to allow himself to be hauled over, when hardly had the warning been given than the thing occurred, and the fisherman found himself enjoying the luxury of a free bath in the chilly waters of the Basin. In his fall he dropped his rod, which caught in the wharf. Onlookers rushed to his assistance, one of whom grasped the rod, and the side being extremely high, reached it out to the man in the water, who gladly grasped it and was thus towed to the side of the wall, where willing hands cradled him and pulled him in out of the wet. But the eel got away.

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Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Young Men's prayer meeting Sunday morning at 9.30 o'clock. Leader Mr. F. W. Wetmore. Young men's bible class to-morrow afternoon from 2.15 to 3 o'clock. Studies from the life of the Apostle Paul. All men are most heartily invited.

MANTELL'S FAREWELL WEEK.

Robert B. Mantell is one of the representative romantic actors of the American stage. He favors French authors and gives us a class of plays that we cannot afford to lose. Dumas, Sardou and D'Ennery are his favorite writers, and he uses every effort to faithfully interpret their works, moulding the dreams with taste and realism, costuming with strict observance of historical correctness and placing the characters in the hands of able players. The week of May 23 will be Mr. Mantell's farewell week, opening with the Secret Warrant, with The Face in the Moonlight, Monbars, The Dagger and the Cross, and the Lady of Lyons to follow. Special matinee Victoria Day.

DELIGHTFUL FAREWELL SOCIAL.

A most enjoyable time was spent last evening in the Lecture Hall of Chalmers' Church when the members and friends of the Chalmers' Mission Band tendered a farewell social to Miss Mary and Masters Marcus and Colin Tait. Tea was served at 5.30. The table looked very pretty with its pink and green decorations. A large cake, prettily decorated with flags and flowers, bearing the names of the guests of honor, graced the centre of the table. After justice had been done to the good things provided, games were engaged in and thoroughly enjoyed. A short programme was rendered by members of the Mission Band, also a few kind words were spoken by their much esteemed pastor, and a short address by the Rev. Mr. Laidlaw. The pleasant evening was brought to a close by the singing of a hymn.

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Mainly About Persons.

Hon. T. C. Casgrain, M.P., is a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. Joaquin Galindez, London, Eng., is stopping at the Chateau Frontenac.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Clarke, London, Eng., registered at the Chateau yesterday.

Messrs. H. Daskin, H. Joel, New York, and Ernest LaRue, Beauce, are registered at the Chateau.

Mr. and Mrs. Ant. Guilbault returned to town from Fraserville yesterday and are at the St. Louis.

Messrs. J. M. Dampy, F. R. Williamson, J. B. Wilson, Toronto, are guests at the St. Louis Hotel.

Messrs. A. A. Cox, J. P. Morin, A. P. McNaughton, Montreal, are registered at the St. Louis Hotel.

Mrs. J. L. Parks, Mr. Waring Parks, and Mrs. J. B. Waring, New York, are at the Chateau.

Messrs. W. H. Winter, J. N. Hamilton, Rev. E. I. Rexford, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Beaudry, Mrs. N. P. Duquette, H. J. Silver, S. A. Agnew, Ald H. B. Ames, are among the Montrealers who registered at the Chateau yesterday.

Arrivals at Quebec Hotel—A. E. Rioux, Toronto; C. Caporand, Three Rivers; G. T. Lussier, G. O'Brien, Cap Chat; L. A. Talbot, Beauce; A. A. Reavey, Montreal; M. Leclerc, Levis; R. Henry, Ottawa; D. MacVicar, Montreal; D. O'Brien, Rivier du Loup; St. Pierre, J. C. Donaldson, Montreal.

Hotel Victoria Arrivals—F. P. Desjardis, Lac Beauport; C. L. Whitely, Lac Beauport; L. G. Crozier, W. J. Pugh, C. B. Chapleau, W. Kennedy, H. E. Spencer, Montreal; A. W. Coleman, Toronto; J. H. Sherbrooke, C. A. Wilson, Toronto; L. F. Walker, Buffalo; L. Adams, Buffalo; H. Wilkins, St. Paul.

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NARROW ESCAPE.

A little girl, narrowly escaped falling a victim to her own imprudence on Cote d'Abraham a day or two ago and her life was saved only through the promptness and cool-headed action of a motorman on the street cars named Bussieres. About 6.30 as a car was coming up the street, the motorman noticed a group of children playing on the track near D'Youville street. He rang his bell and slowed up his car and the children got off the track. Just as the car was about to pass them a little girl, presumably to show her daring, sprang out in front of the car, in an endeavor to run across the street ahead of the car. The car struck the child, which tumbled on the fender. The motorman immediately reversed his brakes and stopped the car almost dead, when the child was found to have escaped with scarcely a scratch.

RAID ON POOL ROOMS.

New York, May 20—Simultaneous raids on twenty-two alleged pool rooms and pool room exchanges were made here to-day by the police, acting under orders from Police Commissioner McAdoo. Axes, hammers and crowbars were used at many of the places to batter down specially constructed iron and steel doors and to gain entrance through barred windows. Less than an hour was spent at the work and the police officials are highly pleased with the results. Seventy prisoners were taken, and telephones and telegraph instruments were confiscated besides a number of books and racing charts that were found in the rooms.

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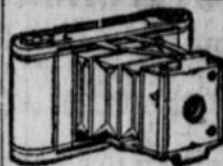
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DEROME—On May 19, the wife of Arthur Derome, of a son.

DEAD.
BROWNIGG—On the 20th inst., after a short illness, William Brownrigg, a native of Killarney, County Kerry, Ireland, at the age of 69 years. The funeral will leave his late residence, No. 230 St. John street, on Monday morning, at 8.45 o'clock, for St. Patrick's Church, and thence to St. Patrick's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.
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