

DOMINION NOMINATIONS

List of Candidates Nominated all Over the Dominion.

Following is the list of the candidates nominated by the parties for the Dominion House of Commons, corrected up to the time of going to press to-day.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Liberals.		Conservatives.		Present Members.	
Argenteuil.....	T. Christie	W. J. Simpson	Christie (L.)		
Bagot.....	J. E. Marcell	L. O. Taitton	Marcell (L.)		
Beauce.....	J. Godbout	Chas. Bolduc	Godbout (L.)		
Beauharnois.....	G. Loye	J. H. Bergeron	Bergeron (C.)		
Bellechasse.....	G. T. Talbot	Emile Geiley	Talbot (L.)		
Berthier.....	E. E. Archambault	Lamarche	J. E. Archambault (L.)		
Bonaventure.....	Chas. Marcell	M. Belanger	Guite (L.)		
Brome.....	Hon. S. A. Fisher	F. R. England	Finlay (L.)		
Chambly and Vercheres.....	Victor Geoffroy	D. Desautels	Desautels (L.)		
Champlain.....	C. Angers	Dr. Marcotte	Marcott (L.)		
Charlevoix.....	R. Roseau	S. Climen	Angers (L.)		
Chateaugay.....	J. P. Brown	A. M. McCormick	Brown (L.)		
Chateaugay-Saguenay.....	J. V. Savard	G. B.			
Compton.....	S. Demers	F. Fortin	Fortin (C.)		
Deseronto.....	Jos. Lavergne	L. F. Tousseignant	Lavergne (L.)		
Deseronto and Arthursburg.....	R. Lemieux	A. Beaudry	Lemieux (L.)		
Gaspé.....	J. A. C. Madore	Dr. S. MacIsaac	MacIsaac (L.)		
Hochelaga.....	W. W. MacLaren	R. N. Walr	Scriver (L.)		
Huntingdon.....	Decarie, Jr.	F. D. Monk	Monk (C.)		
Jacques Cartier.....	Chas. Bazinet	J. A. Renaud	Bazinet (L.)		
Joliette.....	H. G. Carroll	L. Taschereau	Carroll (L.)		
Kamouraska.....	H. Bourassa and A. D. Cameron	R. S. Poulin	Bourassa (L.)		
Labelle.....	O. Laurier	O. Coupal	Monet (L.)		
Laprairie and Napierville.....	T. Fortin	H. Ethier	Gauthier (L.)		
L'Assomption.....	L. J. Demers	E. Leonard	Fortin (L.)		
Laval.....	A. M. Dechene	A. Dumontier	Demers (L.)		
Levis.....	Ed. Fortier	J. E. Caron (Ind.)	Fortier (L.)		
L'Islet.....	Préfontaine	L. Hatford	Préfontaine (L.)		
Lotbinière.....	L. Quimet	L. Quimet	Préfontaine (L.)		
Malouville.....	L. J. Frechette	L. J. Frechette	L'egris (L.)		
Manitoulin.....	G. Turcot	C. D. Comeau	Turcot (L.)		
Massey-Fergusson.....	Meigs	Dr. Comeau	Meigs (L.)		
Mégantic.....	E. Dugas	E. Dugas	Dugas (C.)		
Missisquoi.....	P. G. Martineau	A. Bernier	Martineau (L.)		
Montcalm.....	P. Corriveau	T. C. Casgrain	Casgrain (C.)		
Montmorency.....					
Montreal.....					
St. Ann's.....	D. Gallery	M. F. Quinn	Quinn (C.)		
St. Antoine.....	M. Mackay	Dr. Roddick	Roddick (C.)		
St. James.....	O. Desmarais	T. Pagnuelo	Desmarais (C.)		
St. Lawrence.....	R. Bickerdike	H. A. Ekers	Penny (L.)		
St. Mary's.....	Hon. J. I. Tarte	T. Charpentier	Dupre (L.)		
Nicolet.....	J. H. Leduc	Geo. Bal	Leduc (L.)		
Pontiac.....	T. Murray	G. Brabason	Poupons (L.)		
Quebec.....	S. Delisle	Dr. Larue	Joli de Lotbinière (L.)		
Quebec Centre.....	A. Malouin	V. Châteauevert	Malouin (L.)		
Quebec East.....	Sir W. Laurier	J. B. Chapleau	Laurier (L.)		
Quebec West.....	Hon. R. R. Dobbell	Kevin Herwin	Dobbell (L.)		
Quebec County.....	Hon. C. Fitzpatrick	O. Desautels	Fitzpatrick (L.)		
Richmond.....	A. A. Bruneau	J. B. Vanasse	Bruneau (L.)		
Richmond and Wolfe.....	E. W. Tobin	J. H. Crepeau	Stenson (L.)		
Rimouski.....	A. A. Ross	Louis Tache	Ross (L.)		
Rouville.....	L. P. Brodeur	J. A. David	Brodeur (L.)		
St. Hyacinthe.....	M. E. Bernier	F. Cartier	Bernier (L.)		
St. John's and Berthville.....	P. Demers	J. A. Nadeau	Tarte (L.)		
Shedford.....	C. H. Parmelee	A. C. Savage	Parmelee (L.)		
Sherbrooke.....	G. A. LeBaron	John Mackintosh	Mackintosh (C.)		
Soulanges.....	Dr. Bourbonnais	A. M. Bissonette	Bourbonnais (L.)		
Stanstead.....	Dr. Leys	Moore	Moore (C.)		
Tremblay.....	C. A. Gouveau	P. E. Grandbois	Gauveau (L.)		
Terrebonne.....	R. Préfontaine	L. A. Chauvin	Chauvin (C.)		
Three Rivers and St. Maurice.....	J. Bureau	P. E. Fannetton	Caron (C.)		
Two Mountains.....	Ethier	Harwood	Harwood (L.)		
Valdieu.....	L. W. Champagne	Lapointe	Champagne (L.)		
Valleyfield.....	R. M. S. Mignault	J. R. McDougall	Mignault (L.)		
Yamaska.....		A. A. Mondon			

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

Admission	W. Family	W. Family	Ball (C.)
Boswell	D. A. Gordon	Jas. Clancy	Clancy (C.)
Brant	C. E. Heyd	R. Henry	Heyd (L.)
Brockville	D. Derbyshire	John Curt	Curt (L.)
Bruce E.	J. E. Campbell	A. McNeill	McNeill (C.)
Bruce W.	John Tolmie	John Gentles	Tolmie (L.)
Cardwell	William Stubbs	R. Johnson	Stubbs (L.)
Carleton	J. D. McKellar	G. E. Kidd	Hutchins (C.)
Carleton Stormont	R. A. Fringle	F. Albee	Albee (L.)
Durham E.	R. Johnson	A. Broder	Broder (L.)
Durham W.	L. B. Powers	H. A. Ward	Craig (C.)
Elgin E.	Robt. Beith	C. J. Thornton	Beith (L.)
Elgin W.	J. H. Wilson	A. B. Ingram	Ingram (C.)
Essex N.	McGugan	J. Robinson (Ind.)	Robinson (L.)
Essex S.	R. P. Sutherland	D. J. Dolan	McGregor (L.)
Frontenac	M. K. Cowan	Louis Wigle	Cowan (L.)
Glengarry	D. D. Rogers, Ind.	H. Calvin	Rogers (I.)
Grenville S.	J. T. Schell	McLennan	McLennan (C.)
Grey E.	John Carruthers	J. D. Reid	Reid (C.)
Grey S.	Harstman	S. S. Harstman	Spence (C.)
Grey S.	E. H. Horsey	Chas. Gordon	Paterson (L.)
Haldimand and Monk	G. Landerkin	Richardson	Landerkin (L.)
Halton	A. T. Thompson	W. H. Montague	Montague (C.)
Hamilton	S. F. McKinnon	Henderson	Henderson (C.)
	Wood	Bruce	Macpherson (L.)
Hastings E.	J. M. Hurley	Northrup	Hurley (L.)
Hastings N.	S. Harryot	A. W. Carscallen	Carscallen (C.)
Hastings W.	S. J. Young	H. Corby	Corby (C.)
Huron E.	P. Macdonald	Dickenson	Macdonald (L.)
Huron S.	R. McLean	R. McLean	McLean (L.)
Huron S.	McMillan	McMillan	McMillan (L.)
Kent	G. Stephens	T. A. Smith	Campbell (L.)
Kingston	Britton	D. M. McIntyre	Britton (L.)
Lambton E.	J. Fraser	Oliver Simmons	Fraser (L.)
Lambton W.	T. J. Johnston	W. J. Hanna	Johnston (L.)
Leach N.	E. Caldwell	D. R. McDonald	McDonald (C.)
Lanark S.	J. G. Haggart	J. G. Haggart	Haggart (C.)
Leeds and Grenville N.	F. T. Frost	J. R. Lovell	Frost (L.)
Leeds S.	W. A. Lewis	Taylor	Taylor (C.)
Lennox and Niagara	R. A. Leonard	Wilson	Wilson (C.)
Lincoln and Niagara	John Gibson	Thos. Beattie	Beattie (C.)
London	Hyma	John Gilmour	Gilmour (C.)
Middlesex E.	John Gibson	Jas. Gilmour	Gilmour (C.)
Middlesex N.	V. Ratz	Sheritt	Ratz (L.)
Middlesex S.	M. McGugan	J. C. Judd	McGugan (L.)
Middlesex W.	W. S. Calvert	E. Dunlop	Calvert (L.)
Muskoka and Parry Sound	W. Watson	J. B. Klock	Klock (C.)
Nipissing	C. A. McCool	J. B. Klock	Klock (C.)
Norfolk N.	J. Charlton	Charlton	Charlton (L.)
Norfolk S.	T. R. Atkinson	D. Tisdale	Tisdale (C.)
Northumberland W.	J. B. McColl	G. Guillet	Guillet (C.)
Northumberland E.	D. Graham	A. McLean	Graham (L.)
Ontario N.	W. Ross	W. Smith	Burnett (L.)
Ontario S.	I. J. Gould	F. Roche	Gould (L.)
Ottawa	Belcourt	T. Birkett	Belcourt (L.)
Oxford N.	James Sutherland	Adm. Stewagne	Hutchison (L.)
Oxford S.	Sir R. Cartwright	J. G. Halliday	Halliday (L.)
Peel	J. Featherstone	S. B. King	Cartwright (L.)
Perth N.	G. Goetz	R. Blain	Featherstone (L.)
Perth S.	D. K. Erb	A. F. McLaren	McLaren (C.)
Peterborough E.	Lang	William Pridham	Erb (L.)
Peterborough W.	J. H. McClellan	John A. Smith	Lang (L.)
Prescott	J. Proulx	James Kendry	Kendry (L.)
Prince Edward	W. V. Pettit	D. Sabourin	Proulx (L.)
Renfrew N.	T. Mackie	G. A. Alcorn	Pettit (L.)
Renfrew S.	A. A. Wright	White	Mackie (L.)
Russell	G. Edwards	Ferguson	Ferguson (C.)
Simcoe E.	G. Chew	George Perry	Bennett (C.)
Simcoe N.	L. G. McCarthy (Ind.)	W. H. Bennett	Bennett (C.)
Simcoe S.	Joseph Whiteclde	C. Cameron	McCarthy (I.)
Toronto, C.	John Fleet	H. Lennox	Tyrwhitt (C.)
Toronto E.	Geo. Anderson	W. R. Brock	Bertram (L.)
Toronto W.	J. D. Allan	A. R. Kemp	Robertson (C.)
	Ald. Burns	E. B. Osler	Osler (C.)
Victoria N.	J. McKay	E. F. Clark	Osler (C.)
Victoria S.	G. McHugh	Sam. Hughes	Hughes (C.)
Waterloo N.	Conrad Bitzer	A. Vrooman	McHugh (L.)
Waterloo S.	Conrad Bitzer	J. Seagram	Seagram (C.)
Welland	W. M. German	G. Livingston	Livingston (L.)
Wellington C.	A. Sample	W. McCleary	McCleary (C.)
Wellington N.	James McMullen	J. McGowan	Sample (L.)
Wellington S.	H. Guthrie	G. Tolton	McMullen (L.)
Wentworth and North Brant	W. Paterson	Kloepfer	Kloepfer (C.)
Wentworth S.	O. Wesley	S. A. Jones	Sumerville (L.)
York E.	N. W. Rowell	W. F. McLean	McLean (C.)
York N.	W. Mulock	J. Curry	Mulock (L.)
York W.	A. Campbell	N. C. Wallace	Wallace (C.)

SCOTIA

NOVA SCOTIA.			
Annapolis	F. B. Wade	J. B. Mills	Mills (C.)
Antigonish	C. R. McIsaac	E. L. Gerrior	McIsaac (C.)
Cape Breton	Dr. A. Kendall	Sir C. Tupper	Tupper (C.)
	Alexander Johnson	H. McDougall	McDougall (C.)
Colchester	F. McClure	S. E. Gourley	McClure (L.)
Cumberland	H. J. Logan	C. H. Gahan	Logan (L.)
Digby	A. J. Copp	Dr. J. F. Jones	Copp (L.)

	Liberals.	Conservatives.	Present Members.
Guysborough	D. C. Fraser	C. E. Gregory	Fraser (L.).
Halifax	W. Roche	R. L. Borden	Borden (L.).
	W. B. Wallace	T. E. Kenny	Russell (L.).
Hants	E. Russell	A. Putnam	Haley (L.).
Inverness	Dr. McLean	Hugh Cameron	McLennan (L.).
Kings	W. Borden	B. Webster	Borden (L.).
Lunenburg	A. K. McLean	C. E. Kaubach	Kaubach (C.).
Pictou	J. D. McGregor	Sir A. B. Tupper	Beall (C.).
	E. M. Macdonald	G. Bell	Bell (C.).
Richmond		G. A. Gillies	Gillies (C.).
Shubenacadie	W. S. Fielding	J. Ritchie	Fielding (L.).
Yarmouth and Queen's	T. B. Flint	T. E. Corning	Flint (L.).
Victoria	W. Ross	McOskill	Bethune (C.).

NEW BRUNSWICK

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Albert	W. J. Lewis	Weldon	Lewis (T.).
Carleton	Charles Harvill	F. Hale	Hale (C.).
Charlotte	R. E. Armstrong	G. W. Ganong	Ganong (C.).
Gloucester		Blanchard	Blanchard (C.).
Kent	O. J. Leblanc	G. V. McInerney	McInerney (C.).
King's	Domville	Robinson	Robinson (C.).
Norumberland		J. McAlister	McAlister (C.).
Restigouche	James Ross	George E. Foster	Ellis (L.).
St. John City	A. G. Blair	Dr. A. A. Stockton	Tucker (L.).
St. John City and County	J. J. Tucker	E. D. Allen	Allen (L.).
Sunbury and Queen's	Han. A. S. White	E. L. Powell	Powell (C.).
Westmoreland	H. Emmerson	Richards	Coutisan (L.).
Victoria	John Coutisan	McLeod	Foster (C.).
York			
BRITISH COLUMBIA.			
Burrard	G. R. Maxwell	Garden	Maxwell (L.).
New Westminster	A. Morrison	E. Dewdney	Morrison (L.).
Vancouver	W. Sloan	J. J. Woolley	McInnes (L.).
	R. L. Drury	F. Earle	Earle (C.).
	George Riley	B. G. Prior	Prior (C.).
Victoria		A. H. McNiell	Eastock (L.).

MANITOBA.

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Brandon	C. Sifton	H. J. Macdonald	Sifton (L.)
Ilgar	A. E. Winkler		Richardson (I.D.)
Macdonald	J. G. Rutherford	N. Boyd	Rutherford (L.)
Marquette	W. T. Thompson	Dr. Roche	Roche (C.)
Provencher	S. A. D. Bertrand	A. A. C. Lariviere	Lariviere (C.)
Saskatoon	W. F. McCreary	J. H. Hsiam	Macdonell (L.)
Winnipeg	E. D. Martin (Ind.-Lib.)	A. W. Puttee (Lab.)	Puttee (L.)

NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES

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Alberta	F. Olivier	R. B. Bennett ..	Olivier (L.).
Assinibola E.	J. M. Douglas ..	Lake	Douglas (L.).
Assinibola W.	W. Scott	N. Davin	Davin (C.).
Saskatchewan	Davis	Dr. Spence	Davis (L.).

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

King's	J. J. Hughes	A. C. Macdonald	Macdonald (C.)
Prince E.	J. H. Bell	A. A. Lefurgy	Bell (L.)
Prince W.	B. D. McLellan	E. Hackett	McLellan (L.)
Queen's E.	D. McKinnon	Martin	Martin (C.)
Queen's W.	Str. I. H. Davies	W. E. Stewart	Davies (L.)

INDEPENDENTS

The following are the Independent candidates:
Quebec Province—Chicoutimi—Saguenay, Jos. Girard; St. Mary's, Montreal, Laberge; Three Rivers, F. L. Desautels.
Ontario—Essex, D. D. Rogers; Kent, H. A. Patterson; Simcoe North, L. G. McCarthy; Toronto Centre, Dr. Hargreaves.
ronto West, Hugh Stevenson; East Toronto, A. McLaren.

The following are the Independent candidates

The following are the respondents: Jos. Girard; St. Mary's, Montreal, Laberge; Thre Rivers, F. L. Desautniers, Quebec Province; Chicoutimi, Saguenay; Ontario—Essex, D. D. Rogers; Kent, H. A. Patterson; Simcoe North, L. G. McCarthy; Toronto Centre, Dr. Hargreave; Toronto West, Hugh Stevenson; East Toronto, A. McLaren. Manitoba—Liskar, R. L. Richardson; Winnipeg, Puttee.

LOCAL NOMINATIONS.

Three Candidates in St. Mary's Division.

**BICKERDIKE AND ETERS IN
ST. LAWRENCE.**

PROCEEDINGS WERE QUIET AND UNINTERESTING.

The nomination for St. Lawrence Division took place in the club rooms at the Monument National, the returning officer, Mr. J. P. Dixon, opening the nomination as by law prescribed at twelve o'clock. The proceedings were very quiet and uninteresting, each of the candidates with their organizers and a few friends dropping in for a few moments, the agents receiving the receipts for the nomination papers and deposits and then quietly withdrawing. The nomination papers were in the usual form.

Mr. Robert Bickerdike, underwriter and exporter, was placed in nomination by the following among others: Raymond Prefontaine, Mayor of Montreal; ex-Ald. William Farrell, Hon. Horace Archambault, Attorney-General; Robert Reid, Hon. Alfred Thibaudeau, Senator; Lieut.-Col. Jos. P. Cooke, the Hon. Lomer Gouin, Commissioner of Public Works; Mr. Malcolm Thomson, Mr. Thomas Kneen, Mr. Alphonse Marcotte, Hon. J. P. B. Casgrain, senior, Mr. Stephen Wilson, Hon. J. Perceux, Legislator, Council, Mr. F. Casey, the Hon. Arthur Boyer, Messrs. T. K. Timmis, H. W. Raphael, L. E. Geoffrion, president Chambre de Commerce; Hugh Brodie, H. Beaumond, ex-Mayor of Montreal; Lieut.-Col. Fred. Whitley, Mr. Mark Workman, Ald. Jos. Brunet, ex-Ald. W. H. Cunningham, Ald. Jos. La Marche, Messrs. Edward Cunningham, Alfred Brunet, F. B. McNamee, J. B. A. Lancot, F. B. McNamee, E. Paquette, ex-Ald. J. Griffin, ex-Ald. George Macdonald, Messrs. Wallace Dawson, C. E. Leclerc, N.P. Lazarus, Rubenstein, Charles Berger, H. Vinger, T. P. Crowe, Arcade Depatie, J. D. Couture, L. P. Fréchette, James Harper, N. Toussignant, Charles Archambault, Theodore A. Grothe, James Morris, C. N. F. Trestler, D.S., W. H. Lanning, Latrelle, M.D., Stewart, M.D., Gustave Desrues, E. W. Bithell, L. J. Lejeune, Thomas Goodbody, Daniel Furlong, John O'Leary, Louis Desjardins, Watson, Charles Lanning, James H. Hunter, J. H. Bourgeois, John Robertson, R. Gohier, D. L. Reay, P. Wilson, Thomas Robinson, Jos. Fortier, W. H. Doran, Alphonse Chapeau, John McPatterson, E. J. Smardon, Robert McRae, Thomas Sonne, Macbeth Taylor, and many others.

Alderman H. A. Ekers was placed in nomination by the following: Henry F. Gray, L. J. A. Surveyer, J. R. Davis, Michael Delahanty, R. S. C. Bagg, Wm. H. Harrison, John Hanson, Berthiaume, John Ald., Hon. J. O. Vigneux, James Elliott, Cyrille Laurin, A. Skafie, Lewis Skeefe, J. O. Levesque, A. H. Lesage, A. Blumenthal, E. Major, A. Berard, Louis D. Mignault, Keesee, G. J. P. Gaudet, George Anglin, Daus, W. J. Rafferty, A. E. Adam, A. S. Ewing, Alex. D. Fraser, A. De Mont, L. Fortier, Wm. Cairns, Frank J. Curran, J. B. Burland, A. W. Greiner, J. R. Parkin, Andrew Purcell, Walter McLean, J. J. Gaudet, J. G. Idler, Austin Member, Louis Villeneuve, J. Langhoff, A. E. Adams, John Adair, W. G. Owens, S. J. Sullivan, Alfred Nathan, Charles Catell, D. O. McD., Alf. S. Craig, John J. Graham, Edward A. Frasier, T. C. O'Brien.

Atchison, James A. Sadler, John Callaghan, George Hobson, E. Gelinas, A. F. Dunlop, T. Bellehumeur, J. Richard, M. Drouin, N. Dubreuil, A. S. Daoust, Thos. Simpson, M. Vogel, Edouard Côté, T. B. Lyons, W. J. Kearns, John Lawrence, Wallace Bell, L. O. Hetu, Henry Johnson, Wentworth Young, Shadrach J. Carthy, B. B. Migneannt, G. K. Duquette, Francis McLeannan, G. E. Heiberdeault, J. U. Ennard, Ernest Pelissier, J. Alex. Bonin, G. Pichette, W. Baker, E. J. Hayland, A. B. Fraser, ex-Ald. James Harper, George P. Hessey, F. G. Cornell, J. J. White, Charles J. Paulsen, S. C. McNamara, J. O. Mooney, and others.

ST. ANTOINE DIVISION.

The nominations for St. Antoine division took place at the fire station on St. Catherine street west. The first paper to be handed in was that of Dr. T. G. Roddick, to which the following names were appended: Dr. Roddick, L. J. Fort, George James Crathern, H. S. McDougall, Andrew Allan, A. P. McDonald, Hon. Jas. O'Brien, Ald. Frank J. Hart, J. Power, Ald. V. Raby, W. D. Woodes, W. F. McDougall, Hon.-A. W. Atwater, Q. C. H. Lapointe, F. X. Craig, J. B. Dagenais, C. N. Armstrong, A. Haig, Sims, Fred. C. H. Harnett, J. Laroc, M. D. Chartrand, W. Young, R. Stanley Bagg, R. White, G. B. Burland, Ald. H. Laporte, A. E. Ogilvie, Chas. Chappell, James McCarry, E. Lemire, Sir Wm. Hingston, George A. Drummond, W. W. Watson, Wm. Henry Shaw, A. S. Delisle, Hubert Morin, S. Beaudin, Q. C. J. W. Burland, George Bowles, Q. C. Shorey, T. P. Butler, Q. C. and others.

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Mr. Robert Mackay was nominated by Joseph H. Hodgson, Senator A. Dandurand, and Hon. G. W. Stephens, Senator A. A. Thibaudeau, John Torrance, Mayor R. Prefontaine, Hon. J. J. Guerin, Senator J. P. B. Casgrain, D. L. Lockerby, D. W. Campbell, Peter Lyall, E. H. Lemay, Selkirk Cross, Stewart Munn, R. W. Oliver, Charles McLean, J. H. Semple, Alex. Mitchell, H. W. Raphael, Onesime Souliere, Robert Reid, C. P. Chagnon, J. S. Norris, George Vipond, J. H. Hughes, P. A. McIndoe, F. E. Markham, J. H. Hickox, Thomas Ferguson, T. A. Spence, G. W. Stephens, Jr., Geo. Maybury, D. Torrance Fraser, Hon. J. K. Ward, William Smith, Hon. Arthur Boyer, Edmond Halton, George Sumner, Henry Hamilton, Robert Bickerdike, R. Chartrand, Thomas Fyvie, David Robertson, F. L. Beigne, Q.C., Samuel Cousson, Ald. Olivier Faucher, B. J. Coghlin, Alex. W. Grant, Ald. C. Leboeuf, James Williams, John Murphy, A. A. Bowyer, J. McE. Heintz, James Cook, John Dunlop, Q.C., W. E. Doran, J. M. Diarmid, J. B. A. Martin, James Scott, James S. Evans, J. N. Arcand, E. O'Connor, David Rea, J. McK. Rea, P. W. Wurtelle, Edmond Leframboise,

ST. ANN'S DIVISION.
The nomination papers of Ald. Gallery, Liberal candidate for St. Ann's division, were handed in to the returning officer, Mr. M. J. Walsh, No. 1928 Notre Dame street, last night. The following were amongst the large number of names signed on the petition: James McCrory, L. P. Brodeur, A. D. Nelson, F. E. Nelson, Ed. Guerin, R. McKay, P. Gallibert, E. Deslauriers, P. Dufour, M. Hart, F. Dandurand, H. Gervais, H. W. Nelson, D. L. Lockery, R. Prefontaine, S. Coulson, G. W. Stephens, jr., J. U. Archambault, T. Tanley, J. Killoran, A. A. Valquette, Dan. Stroud, John Leahy, L. Charland, William Ford, R. Kearns, James McMahon, P. Himphy, J. Guioy, N. P. Mallette, F. X. Turgeon, A. Langevin, W. Hall, A. Shottin, R. O'Connell and many others.

Edward Hulton, Hon. A. Boyer, Hon.
A. Thibaudeau, Hon. H. Archambault,
O. Desmarais, H. Lenctot, L. G. Glas,
E. G. B. Claxton, C. Leboeuf, F. L.
Beique, W. H. Burroughs, A. G. Cross,
J. A. C. Madore, G. W. Query, P. A.

Query, Andrew Shearer, A. F. Macdonald, J. Hodgson, the Hon. J. P. B. Casgrain, N. W. Trenholme, the Hon. G. W. Stephens, Chas. Alexander, Peter Lyall, the Hon. Dr. J. J. Guerin, J. S. Buchan, Selkirk Cross, Geo. P. England, S. P. Leet, E. Scollfield, W. A. Weir, G. W. Parent, J. B. Caverhill, J. E. Decarie, M. De Repentigny, J. McDonald, M. Galarneau, F. Bonhomme, B. Oldroyd, Charles Workman.

Mr. M. J. F. Quinn's nomination papers were handed in at noon to-day and contained, amongst others, the following signatures: L. J. Forget, James O'Brien, Joseph Ward, J. E. Charlebois, J. St. Onge, Thos. O'Connell, A. W. Hooper, Peter Donovan, H. Laporte, H. G. Cavanagh, E. L. Bond, A. D. Fraser, E. B. Buesteed, Chas. F. Smith, F. J. Hart, A. F. Gault, Campbell Leve, W. H. Hingston, G. W. Burland, E. N. Heney, Robt. Love, John Dyane John Slattery, F. Topp, Dennis Dunay Jas. Mason, Arthur Jones, Thos. McEhan, Thos. Pike, T. J. Hall, B. Conraught, W. Modder, W. Coonsen, A. H. Dawson, N. Coady, R. Turner, Jas. Crankshaw, Thos. Copeland, T. B. Butler, M. F. Sherridan, M. J. Morrison, advocate, agent.

ST. MARY'S DIVISION.
The nominations for St. Mary's ward took place at 1342 St. Catherine street. The returning officer was Mr. Joseph Marais. The nominations were as follows: Mr. Joseph Israel Iarte, Liberal; Mr. Trefle Charpentier, contractor, 18 Papineau avenue, Conservative; and Mr. Fridolin Roberge, machinist, 525 Beauvoir, Labor.

Mr. Labor.
The agent is Mr. Anthim Jolicoeur, of 1105 Ontario street. The signatures on his nomination papers include: H. Dupre, merchant, former P.; Dr. G. A. Lacombe, M.P.P., R. C. Barry, merchant; Jonathan Hodgson, F. X. Lebeau, Dr. J. N. Picotte, H. Bourgie, John A. Johnson, J. C. Wilson, P. Perron, Thomas Gauthier, A. A. Chénier, J. G. Gauthier, J. G. San, Joseph St. Martin, Joseph Sarazi, H. St. Pierre, Dr. Douglas De Cow, I. Gariépy, George Summer, J. T. Thibault, James Gardner, Thomas Crook, Thomas E. Hodgson, Jas. O'Neil, Al. Dulude, Louis Roch, Hermidas Raymond, Arthur Hinton, George Desjardins, Moise Trudeau, Albéric Sanguin, Jules Gauthier, J. G. Gauthier, Dubreuil, sr., Joseph Beauchamp, Louis Martineau, Azarie Trudeau, Pacific Nadon. Chs. Lemoyne dit Marsolais.

Mr. Charpentier's agent is Mr. Joseph Cote, and the list of signers to the nomination paper includes: Dr. J. Lavette, J. M. Molson, brewer; Jas. Lazon, grocer; J. L. Belair, merchant; Colm. McShure, manufacturer, and Thomas Hefernan, contractor.

Mr. Adolph Gariepy, of 281 Cadieux street, is agent for Mr. Roberge, as among those who have signed his paper are: Wm. B. Aird, accountant; James Higgins, rubber cutter; George Meafrenan, Joseph Letourneau, and J. T. Briette, machinist; Alphon Richard, machinist; and Roch Desjardins, bailiff.

TRANSPORT 'IDAHO.'

NO SIGNS OF THE STEAMER YET

Halifax, N.S., Oct. 31.—The troop ship 'Idaho' has not yet been sighted.

CUSTOMS RETURNS

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—The customs receipts of the Dominion received during

the four months of the fiscal year up to-day show an increase of \$372,907 over the same period of last year. For the month of October alone the receipts have amounted to \$2,483,951, an increase of \$23,941.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.
Notices of Births, marriages and deaths must be forwarded to the printer of the paper, and must be accompanied by the necessary evidence, and must be accompanied by the necessary evidence, and must be accompanied by the necessary evidence.

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The most careful attention is given to the material, fit and finish of our Boys' Reefers.
Boys' Navy Nap Cloth Reefers, lined fancy tweed, brass anchor buttons, well made. Thursday special, \$1.40.
Boys' Extra Heavy Blue Nap Reefers Coats, high storm collar, fancy checked lining. Thursday special from \$2.30.
Boys' Fancy Reefers Coats, in brown and navy cloth, velvet collar, large and small pearl buttons, fancy lining. \$3.10.

LADIES' VESTS.
You'll find these Vests rather better than the statement we make about them. Above all, they are good goods, well made and modestly priced.
Ladies' Shetland Ribbed Wool Vests, shaped high neck, long sleeves, open front. Thursday special, 50c.
Ladies' Shetland Lamb's Wool Vests, high neck, long sleeves, well finished, soft and warm. Thursday special, 85c.
Ladies' Black Wool Equestrian Tights, ankle length, very elastic. Special, 70c.

HONEYCOMB QUILTS.
REGULAR, \$1.00. SPECIAL, 99 CENTS.
240 White Honey-Comb Bed Quilts will go on sale Thursday morning, they are of bed size, hemmed and finished. Usual \$1.00 kind. Thursday special, 99 cents.

NEW BLANKETS.
A Blanket need not be all wool in order to be good. Here's a line in Cotton Warp Blankets, that have all the element of wool, heavy, warm, soft and good looking, prices are very low, unlike wool in this respect.
Union Blankets in grey and white, 10x4 size, with neat colored borders. Special, 85 cents pair.
Full-sized Blankets, in grey and white, soft and woolly surface, good quality, size, 11x4. Special, \$1.20 pair.
Extra Super Quality Grey Blankets, Special \$1.35 pair.

LADIES' BOOTS.
Here's a very decided bargain in Ladies' Fine Boots. The boots are good boots, well made, finished and put together in a thorough, masterful manner.
105 Pairs Ladies' Fine Black Dongola Kid Button Boots, machine sewed, patent tip, new style last, they come in all sizes. Thursday, special, \$1.25.
125 Pairs Ladies' Fine Black Dongola Kid Shoes, lacing style, hand turned soles and patent leather tips, a perfect fitting shoe. All sizes. Special, \$1.25.

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At \$1.39 each, is a very low price for these MINK RUFFS, made of good natural fur, with perfect head, eyes, claws and tail. Made to retail at \$1.65, and cheap at that. Special price here to-morrow, \$1.39.

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120 doz. Men's Winter Socks 17c	123 Good Kitchen Chairs 35c
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190 Flannellette Night Gowns 50c	1,500 Aluminum Thimbles 2c
123 Good Bed Comforters 75c	600 Rolls Wall Paper 5c
375 doz. Ladies' Handkerchiefs 4c	900 pieces Hand Loom Linen 30c
1,200 Plated Table Spoons 4c	10 Bales Good Grey Cotton 5c
1,500 Plated Tea Spoons 4c	1,200 yards Cretonne 8c

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CORPORAL BLYTH PREACHING.
Corporal R. B. Blyth, of the Royal Canadian Artillery, recently returned from South Africa, conducted the services in the Congregational church yesterday, and large congregations were delighted with his forceful and eloquent delivery. In the evening he took for his text, "The Wrath of Man Shall Not Prevail," showing that the South African war, while it had cost much both in human life and money, would nevertheless have a beneficial effect.—Brantford Expositor, Oct. 29.

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ing business. The head office of the company is to be at St. Catherine Falls, and the capital is \$1,000,000 in \$1 shares.

BANK OF COMMERCE AMALGAMATION.
A special meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Bank of Commerce has been called for Tuesday, Dec. 11, to comply with the requirements of the Bank Act in ratifying the agreement of amalgamation with the Bank of British Columbia.

COMMERCIAL
Montreal Wholesale Markets.

GRAIN.
The local market remains quiet, but there is a firmer feeling in oats and a better foreign demand for wheat.
Quotations of Montreal are as follows:
Manitoba wheat No. 1 hard, 80c; spring wheat, 75c; red wheat, 75c; oats, No. 2, 35c to 36c; peas, No. 2, 60c; barley, No. 2, 45c; rye, 55c; buckwheat, 45c to 50c.
Liverpool quotations are as follows:
Spring wheat, 80c; red winter, 80c; No. 1, 80c; No. 2, 75c; corn, 42c; peas, 45c; 5c.
Receipts in Montreal to-day were:
Wheat 2,300, Oats 1,200, Peas 1,000, Barley 1,000, Buckwheat 1,000, Rye 1,000.
Flour and Feed.
The local market is very dull and very little business is being done. Prices remain unchanged.
We quote: Manitoba patents, at \$4.70; strong bakers at \$4.40 to \$4.50; straight rollers, 1.65 to 1.75 in bags, and \$4.40 to \$4.50 in barrels. Winter wheat patents, \$4.70 to \$4.85; Manitoba hard, \$4.75 to \$4.85 in bulk; shorts at \$4.75 to \$4.85 per ton.
Receipts to-day were 2,000 bbls flour by rail and 500 sacks by canal.

PROVISIONS.
The hog market continues easier and there is an active demand for stocks of lard and cured meats. Prices remain firm.
Dressed hogs are quoted to-day at \$2.25, some country dressed hogs have been marketed at \$2.50. Lard, 95c to 1.00; bacon, 12 1/2c to 14c; hams, 11c to 12c; Canadian short cut meat, \$18 to \$19 per bbl.
Liverpool quotations are as follows: Mess pork, 72s; lard, 57s 6d; bacon, 41s 9d to 42s 6d; tallow, 24s 9d to 25s.
Receipts to-day were 83 pigs hams and bacon, 500 pigs lard, 101 pigs pork.

GAMS.
The market is not so active, chiefly on account of the weather. Partridges are quoted at 60c for No. 1, and from 40c to 45c for No. 2.

EGGS.
There is a rather better demand for eggs and the market is in consequence firmer. Quotations are as follows:—Selected 175c to 185c; straight receipts, 15c to 15 1/2c; No. 2, 14c to 15c; culls, 10c to 12c.
Receipts to-day were 1,205 cases.

HONEY.
The market is fairly active, and prices are firm. We quote white clover at 15c; buckwheat honey, 30c to 10c; white extracted, 10c; dark extracted, 8c to 8 1/2c.

BUTTER.
The market is much firmer for the best grades, but there is still a large quantity of undergrades on hand, which are selling at 10c to 20c. Best creamery is quoted at 20 1/2c to 21c.

CHEESE.
There is not much change in the cheese market, and prices remain nominal. Westerns are quoted from 10 1/2c to 11c; Basters at 10 1/2c to 10 3/4c, and Quebecs at 10c to 10 1/2c.
Liverpool quotations remain firm at 55s 6d for white and 55s 6d for colored cheese.
Receipts to-day were 6,445 boxes by rail and 558 boxes by canal.

PRODUCE RETURNS.
Toronto, Oct. 31.—According to the annual report of the Bureau of Industries just issued, \$112,954 pounds of butter were made during the year which sold at an average of over 15c a lb; 2,000,000 year ago. Buildings increased by three millions, implements by two millions, and live stock over ten millions to \$118,000,000.

CHICAGO CATTLE.
Chicago, Oct. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000, including 1,500 westerns, and 900 Texans; generally steady, good to prime steers, at \$5.50 to \$6; pork to medium, \$4.40 to \$4.50; hogs and feeders, \$3.75 to \$4.50; cows, \$3.65 to \$4.10; calves, \$2.00 to \$4.45; can-

SHIPPING NEWS.
The Elder-Dempster Co. Beaver line R. M. St. Montreal, Captain Jones, sailed from Liverpool for Montreal yesterday at 3 p.m. with passengers and general cargo.
HEAVY SEA ON LAKE ONTARIO.
A despatch from Toronto says: A strong east wind has raised a very heavy sea on the lake. The steamer Cuba attempted to leave port on Tuesday afternoon for Montreal but encountered such a heavy sea just outside the harbor that she was turned about and ran back to her dock. Later in the afternoon she started out again for Hamilton.
SS. MONT BLANC AGAIN DISABLED.
The SS. Mont Blanc of the Franco-Canadian line, Captain Cronzer, sailed on Saturday last for Canada from Havre, but a few hours afterwards she returned to the latter port with several plates bent and broken.
A LARGE TURRET STEAMER.
Captain Nelson, of the Johnston line, is in command of the Noramonde, the largest turret steamer afloat, which is now in Baltimore, loading for Liverpool. The vessel is 420 feet long, 50 feet beam, and carries 9,000 tons cargo. She weighs 2,500 tons net and 5,640 tons gross. She is constructed of steel and has triple expansion engines with cylinders measuring 27 1/2, 45 1/2 and 75 inches. She has two decks, and was built by J. D. Moffat & Sons, Sunderland, last year.

THE COAL TRADE.
That the coal trade done by the Nova Scotia Steel Company, Limited, with the port of Montreal during the past season has been of a most discouraging nature, is shown by the fact that the company has already withdrawn its boats from the port, and is doing service on the line between the St. Lawrence, Saguenay, and the Gulf. These vessels will be engaged during the winter season on the coast routes, and times making trips to the British Isles and Mediterranean ports. The company anticipates little improvement for the next season or two until the machinery, now ordered by the company, has been placed in position in their ships. The output this year of the Nova Scotia mines will be one-third less than last year.

ARRIVAL OF VESSELS.
The steamer Tiber, of the Dubel line, arrived in port last evening from the Lower Gulf ports. Captain Boulanger reports heavy weather off the coast.
The SS. Bonavista, of the Black Diamond line, arrived in port late yesterday afternoon, from Sydney, with a full cargo. Captain Fraser states that the weather in the Gulf is exceptionally rough and stormy.
The SS. Jacana, of the Thomson line, arrived last evening, and is moored at the Thomson wharf. Captain Lindsay reports that the vessel sailed from Leith on Oct. 10, and that during the entire passage across the Atlantic adverse weather was encountered.

The SS. Mexican, of the Leyland line, arrived early this morning on her first visit to this port. The Mexican is one of the Leyland West India line steamers, but she has been transferred to do service on the Atlantic, and will be found on the Antwerp route out of Portland during the winter season. Next year she will ply on the St. Lawrence route. The Mexican is a fine-looking vessel of about 5,000 tons. She is equipped with all modern conveniences for the rapid handling of freight cargoes, and she contains accommodation for a limited number of cabin passengers.
The Allan line SS. Numidian, from Montreal, arrived in Liverpool at 3 a.m., on Wednesday, and landed her cargo of 19 cattle and 23 horses without loss.

OPPOSITION WITHDRAWN.
The ferry Naperville, on the Longueuil run, which commenced operations on Monday in opposition to the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company ferry Longueuil, has been withdrawn.
SS. OTTOMAN ARRIVES FROM DRY.
The SS. Ottoman, of the Dominion line, after undergoing temporary repairs at the Levis dry dock, as the result of her recent accident at Ile Rouge arrived up from Quebec early this morning and took up her customary berth at the Dominion line wharf. While in the dry dock the loosened plates were successfully riveted. On arrival in England she will again go into dry dock for a careful survey, and then receive a thorough and final repainting. It is said that her repairs at Levis will cost about \$3,000. The Ottoman shows no visible signs of her recent mishap. A large force of men were immediately upon arrival of the vessel in port, put to work to load her cargo. She sails if all arrangements are completed, for Liverpool on Saturday morning next.

BUSY HARBOR FRONT.
For the past few days, owing to the unusually large numbers of vessels in port, the harbor front has presented an unusually animated appearance. There are also a number of vessels making their way up the Gulf and river to Montreal, while on the other side of the harbor a number of ocean fourteen steamers are on their way to this port. That all this tonnage will be needed is evidenced by the fact that the different steamship lines are at a loss to know how to move the large consignments of merchandise and passengers on their way to this port. That all this tonnage will be needed is evidenced by the fact that the different steamship lines are at a loss to know how to move the large consignments of merchandise and passengers on their way to this port. That all this tonnage will be needed is evidenced by the fact that the different steamship lines are at a loss to know how to move the large consignments of merchandise and passengers on their way to this port.

BENGOUGH COMING.
Bengough, Canada's great caricaturist, will give one of his celebrated lectures in Knox Church lecture hall on Friday night, Nov. 2. Mr. Bengough is a finished artist, and his rapid sketches relating the burning questions of the day, combined with his ready wit, makes him a most entertaining lecturer.

MILDER WITH RAIN.
Toronto, Oct. 31, 11 a.m.—Victoria, 50, 45; Kamloops, 44, 38; Calgary, 45, 28; Edmonton, 46, 23; Qu'Appelle, 40, 22; Winnipeg, 50, 38; Port Arthur, 48, 32; Parry Sound, 54, 44; Toronto, 54, 46; Ottawa, 50, 38; Montreal, 48, 38; Quebec, 42, 28; Halifax, 42, 36. Masterly and south-easterly winds; fair; Thursday, milder, with rain.
1640 and 1642 Notre Dame st., Montreal.
Oct. 31, 1900.—Readings by Hearn & Harrison's Standard Barometer at noon
To-day, 30.08; yesterday, 30.25.
Temperature. Max. Min.
To-day 44 33
Yesterday 54 48

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BLACK CREPON, Silk and Wool, \$1.50, for 30c.
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CAMEL'S HAIR PLAID, 45 inches wide, were \$1.50 and \$1.60 per yard, 75 cents, suitable for skirts, etc., only a limited quantity, not more than 15 yards of any one piece left.
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ST. ANTOINE DIVISION.

Committee Rooms of Mr. ROBERT MACKAY
The Liberal Candidate.

Committee rooms have been opened as follows where information regarding the elections in this Division will be cheerfully furnished to voters. Anyone desiring of rendering assistance to Mr. Mackay will kindly report either at these committee rooms or at headquarters, the Reform Club, 36 University Street.

No. 1—306 St. James St., Onealme Boulanger, chairman. Tel. Main 3913.
No. 2—109 St. Antoine St., F. Sauvageau, chairman. Tel. Main 3207.
No. 3—2103 Notre Dame St., C. P. Chagnon, chairman. Tel. Main 3715.
No. 4—2007 Notre Dame St., Tel. Main 3638.
No. 5—2411 Notre Dame St., Geo. Maybury, chairman. Tel. Main 3215.
No. 6—1088 St. James St., Philias Vanter, chairman. Tel. Up 2637.
No. 7—1303 St. James St., Alderman Lebeuf, chairman. Tel. Up 2645.
No. 8—234 St. Antoine St., J. C. McDermid, chairman. Tel. Up 2638.
No. 9—2450 St. Catherine St., E. W. Hibbard, chairman. Tel. Up 2640.
No. 10—2503 St. Catherine St., Peter Lysal, chairman. Tel. Up 2446.
No. 11—30 University St., P. C. A. McIndoe, chairman. Tel. Up 1185.
No. 12—50 City Councilor St., H. W. Raphael, chairman. Tel. Up 2639.

COUNCILLOR BAYARD UNSEATED.

The Court of Review yesterday unanimously confirmed the judgment of the Superior Court, unseating Councillor Bayard and Bayard, of the municipality of Delorimier, for having had a personal interest in a number of transactions with the local corporation.

In concluding the judgment Judge Curran remarked that some people seemed to be the punishment of those who seek to bribe forget that the Criminal Code provides for as well as of those who allow themselves to be bribed.

DAMAGES FOR FALSE ARREST.

The Court of Review has confirmed the judgment of the Superior Court granting Charles Boyle \$52 damages in an action taken by him against a carter named Jean Lamarche for false arrest. The defendant had taken out a warrant against Charles Boyle while it was intended for Peter Boyle.



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AT VALLEYFIELD.

THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE TROOPS WAS MADE AT THE SUGGESTION OF THE COTTON MILL AUTHORITY.

Valleyfield, Oct. 30.—Everything remains quiet in Valleyfield. The following correspondence on the question of the withdrawal of the troops is interesting:

Early yesterday morning Mayor Langevin received a letter from the management of the cotton mill reading as follows:

Dear Sir.—We are pleased to inform you that the mill employees have gone to work peacefully this morning. We therefore suggest to you that the greater part of the military be now withdrawn, leaving a few men for police duty for a day or so. The company extends to you its thanks for the prompt and efficient way in which you have performed your duty as the chief magistrate of the town, and we are of the opinion that your prompt action has been the means of saving life and property.

Acting on this communication, the Mayor wrote to Colonel Roy:—I am in receipt of a letter this morning from the Montreal Cotton Company informing me that the mill employees have now returned peacefully to work, and, therefore, in my opinion, you may now withdraw the military with the exception of a few men for police duty, which, I think, it would be advisable to keep for a day or so.

Lieut.-Col. Roy, on receiving the mayor's letter, at once proceeded with his arrangements for the withdrawal of the troops.

The requisition on which the troops were called out has at last been made public, and reads as follows:

Whereas, the outside work of the Montreal Cotton Company has been stopped by strikers intimidating help, and whereas the said outside work cannot be carried on, by reason of the intimidation of the strikers, and, whereas, the said strikers now threaten to prevent any coal being brought in to the boilers, and take other action to close down the mills of the company, and thereby throw out of employment about three thousand hands, and whereas the police of the town of Valleyfield have not been able to prevent the intimidation which has occurred, and will not be able to prevent the intimidation which is threatened, and will not be able to prevent the mills of the company being closed by the strikers, or to preserve order in the said town of Valleyfield;

Therefore, we, the undersigned, hereby, under authority of the Militia Act of Canada, make request that two companies of the Victoria Rifles of Montreal, be brought to Valleyfield and commanded to maintain peace and order, and arrest any and all persons who have committed any breach of the peace.

(Signed)
M. LANGEVIN,
URGEL ST. ONGE,
ALEX. BARRETT.

The warrants for the arrest of eight of the ringleaders in the agitation on the charge of intimidation are still in the hands of the bailiff, Captain LeFebvre. Last evening, before eight o'clock, there were three of the men under promise to report and give bail for themselves, but they did not put in an appearance.

IN ST. ANTOINE.

INTERESTING LETTERS PASS BETWEEN THE CANDIDATES.

The following letters have passed between the two candidates in St. Antoine division:

Oct. 27, 1900.
Robert Mackay, Esq., 1059 Sherbrooke St.
Dear Mr. Mackay.—As my opponent in the contest for political honors in St. Antoine division, I desire to lay before you a proposition which, from what I know of you as an honorable and upright man, I feel confident cannot but meet with your hearty approval. As I have previously indicated, it is my intention to conduct my election on clean lines. You are aware, however, that it is always difficult to restrain over-zealous partisans and to prevent them from, in the excitement of the moment, resorting to illegal practices to accomplish their end. You will agree with me that to prevent such practices should be the honest endeavor of every candidate. I have already done all in my power to impress this obligation upon my friends and supporters, but to render such practices impossible I hereby offer to place in the hands of any impartial and responsible third party—for example, Mr. J. R. Duggan, of the "Wit-

ness"—a sum of \$500, provided that you also make a similar deposit; the entire amount to be used, if necessary, in the prosecution and conviction, without fear or favor, of any party or parties guilty of buying votes, of persuasion, of subornation of perjury, or of any fraudulent manipulation of ballots, upon the production of sufficient proof to form a prima facie case.

Let the voters of St. Antoine division decide between our personalities and the principles which we respectively represent. I am willing to abide by the impartial and untrammelled verdict of the duly-qualified electors of the division.

Are you willing to do the same? An answer within the shortest delay possible, sent to my residence, 30 Union ave., will reach me.

I have the honor to remain, yours truly,
(Signed) T. G. RODDICK.

Montreal, Oct. 28, 1900.
Dear Mr. Roddick.—I have received a letter, dated 27th October, signed by your name. I do not purpose to follow the details of this peculiar letter, but as the general import of it is to draw from me an assurance that no illegal or unworthy practices will be resorted to by me or my supporters to secure my election for St. Antoine division, I cheerfully give that assurance. As I have never myself taken any but legal means, or allowed anyone for me to resort to any improper methods in any election contest for any position that I have ever been engaged in, I am disposed to regard the manner and matter of this letter, especially as it was assured that it was by such methods mentioned in the letter, taken by my opponents, that I lost my election for St. Antoine division in 1898—but you can rest assured that I consider all such means to gain votes as are stated in the letter signed with your name as dishonorable and unworthy of respectable men, and I will gladly join in any steps that may be taken to bring those guilty of such crimes to justice. Yours truly,
(Signed) ROBERT MACKAY.
T. G. Roddick, Esq., M.D., City.

Dr. T. G. Roddick returned from New York yesterday, and a bulletin has been issued by Drs. Orlais and Stewart to the effect that the Conservative candidate is still far from well, and not in a condition to undertake any campaign work or serious task of any kind.

NOT DEAD YET.

An annoying report having got around that Sergt. S. J. Tuok, of B Company, 5th Royal Scots, who was one of the victims of the stone-throwing at Valleyfield last Thursday, had succumbed to his injuries, Sergt. Tuok wishes it stated that he is very much alive, although carrying his arm in splints.

NOTES ON THE FASHIONS.

The general color effect in materials this autumn is light for smooth goods and medium for the rough fabrics. Everything points to a season of cloth again for dressy suits and entire gowns intended for elaborate occasions where a silk one would formerly have been seen.

Plain Empire skirt-hems in various widths appear upon some of the latest tailor costumes of ladies' cloth, covert, Venetian, drap de Chine and French broadcloth. These are quite opposite in effect to the styles which have prevailed all summer. One of the skirts, for example, is of sable brown cloth, with soft doe-colored cloth, and covered with an arabesque design in brown soutache. Another gown, of silver-blue vicuña, has a skirt-hem or border of pale mushroom-colored cloth, covered with alternate horizontal rows of blue and silver braid. The natty open-fronted jacket is elaborately trimmed with the braid, and small gold and silver buttons, in military style, and the plaited vest is of silver-blue taffeta.

Penne velvets, embroidered or stamped in gold dots or other designs, are the latest developments of the gold craze, and a blue pique with gold dots has admirable possibilities in millinery and dress trimmings.

Many of the plain tailor costumes of cloth consist of a faultlessly cut and hung skirt that just touches the ground at the back, the jacket made with fronts that diminish to a point below the waist. They are belted from the back to the dart seams, thus holding the rather long ends in place. The back is adjusted by gracefully curved seams and the vest is of tucked taffeta silk. Rows of silk stitching finish the edges of the entire costume, revers and collar included. Other more dressy and expensive models are elaborately braided, and the contrast between the different shades of the soutache and

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the fabric to which it is applied, is extremely effective. Rather rough chevrons and camel's hair fabrics made in the same style are braided in coarser soutache in more fanciful and showy patterns. This braidwork is again fashionable and makes pleasant occupation for odd hours.

SLEEVES GROW LARGER.

Sleeves are growing a trifle larger, but at present the increase in size is between the wrist and the elbow. The outer sleeve is short to fall over an inner sleeve of soft silk or lace. This sleeve should never be worn by women who incline to silk, and are well suited for evening wear. The broad effect at the shoulders is given by a wide, underlapping plait which stands well out over the top of the sleeve. Inside of this broad plait are clusters of narrow tucks running lengthwise from the throat to the wrist. The back is made of the narrow tucks down the middle and without yoke effect.

The sleeves of the new blouses show a most decided novelty. They are made small, in bishop shape at the wrist, to fall well over the cuff, which is a narrow, straight band tucked, with one end pointed and overlapping the other.

All of these new waists have a slight blouse in front, which gives the long-waisted, pointed effect so desirable. A high black velvet collar, with long knotted ends in front, is the most dressy arrangement for the neck with these waists.

WORN SEALSKINS.

Women who have sealskin coats too worn for renovation by the fashionable furrier, can utilize the upper part of the sleeves and the skirt portion to make a collarette, or to form revers, cuffs, standing collar, or narrow borderings to little walking jackets or boleros. There are many furriers who work very deftly, and they make far bands that look smart and fresh out of remnants of a worn wrap. It requires the skill and patience of a practiced hand to cut out and evenly join the darkest pieces from a garment which would seem to contain no quantity worthy of redemption, but they succeed ad-

mirably in reclaiming enough at least from a shabby edge-worn coat to decorate a new cloth one; and often they make an entire neck piece, with matching muff or hat-trimming.

stoutness about the hips, as they increase the width. Some of the models are plaited their entire length with possibly a puff at the elbow, then falling in soft folds from the wrist. The unlined lace sleeves are made in several puffs, and held by straps of velvet, and are very dainty for evening gowns. Many women have adopted the idea of having several sets of sleeves for each gown arranged so as to be hooked in at the armholes. One may now purchase these detached sleeves made up in all sorts of dainty combinations.

NEW WAISTS.

There are some very marked features in the new blouse waists this season. Among others, the breast pocket, which is seen on many of the golf waists, as well as on those for morning and shopping. These waists are mostly made of fine French flannel in the solid shades, the stripes, dots and Persian effects being a second choice and not as desirable. Many of these flannel waists are as dainty as

DOMINION SQUARE FENCE.

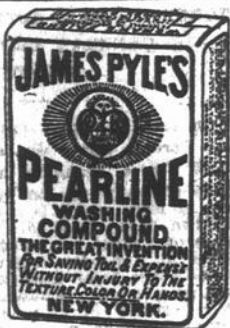
The Parks and Fairies Committee sat for a few minutes yesterday afternoon and discussed the protests made against the hideous fence being constructed across the north end of Dominion square to bring the adjacent proprietors to time and make them increase their offer to the city for the frontage privilege. The proprietors yesterday offered \$2,000 for the privilege, and though the offer was not accepted, it was decided to suspend work on the fence.

ASSESSMENT APPEALS.

Appeals from the decision of the Board of Assessors have been filed in the Recorder's Court by the following:—The St. Denis Land Company, Dame Mary Workman, Dame Julia Dunn, widow of the late Justice Cross, and Frederick Pratt.

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MAY BE AN AMERICAN.

SUCCESSOR TO MR. HAYS DIS-
COUSED.

In regard to the successor of Mr. Hays all is mere speculation, but it is said in railway circles that the visit of Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson to this country will be for the purpose of obtaining a man who has already reached distinction as president of one of the American lines. This does not mean that the Grand Trunk would be in a position to tempt a man who had reached to the supreme control of the most prominent of the American systems, but it is considered probable that a man might be found, as Mr. Hays was found, a man who, while able and sagacious, still desires advancement, there being many comparatively small systems in the United States which, while they give admirable training, do not gratify the full ambition of pushing men. The Washburn was a comparatively small system, with nothing like the ramifications or the influence of the Grand Trunk, yet Mr. Hays proved to be the man who was able to give a new life and energy to the oldest Canadian line. It is said that this will be the object of Sir Rivers-Wilson—to find a man with presidential or managerial experience—energetic, ambitious, and with the American methods well in hand.

It is argued that while Mr. Hays surrounded himself with an able staff, it would scarcely comport with the dignity of the Grand Trunk, which has advanced in importance during the past few years, to have at the head of so vast a system one who had held a subordinate position in the company, particularly in view of the recent development of the system and the large financial operations in connection therewith. On the other hand, Mr. McGuigan was known to be Mr. Hays's right-hand man. As general superintendent he was in close touch with the policy which Mr. Hays inaugurated. He is thoroughly modern in his ideas, has much practical knowledge, and has shown great ability in getting all the details of so large a system thoroughly in hand. His name is mentioned with some persistency. The directors of the company in London will, of course, consider the question almost immediately, although if a suitable successor cannot be immediately found—and such men are not quite so thick as blackberries—as a Grand Trunk official remarked to-day—a pro tem appointment may be made. The choice will, in all likelihood, be left to Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, who discovered Mr. Hays, and induced him to leave the Washburn. Sir Charles is in pretty close touch with men and conditions in the American railway world. The president also thoroughly believes that upon this continent American methods should be applied to the operation of all large railways—a method which looks for directness, personal responsibility, and constant progress.

It is considered rather curious that none of the officials nearest Mr. Hays knew of his intention to leave the Grand Trunk until last Saturday, although the manager must have previously communicated his decision to the directors in London.

With regard to the statement that

most of the higher officials who came with Mr. Hays from the Washburn will go with him to the Southern Pacific, much depends upon the conditions under which Mr. Hays accepts the new position. If he has a free hand he will likely desire to have men about him who will readily understand the policy which is to be pursued. On the other hand, there are certain officials who have been successful in their several departments on the Grand Trunk, and the directors will, in all probability, make an effort to retain their services. Such men could be ill spared, because if the Grand Trunk were left without the men who have been reconstructing it for the last five years the position would be serious. It is almost certain that the higher officials will be pressed to remain, but in the more subordinate positions there might be many changes consequent upon the change of management. The new manager would need the aid and co-operation and knowledge of the present officials under Mr. Hays, to enable him to give continuity to the policy with which the directors have expressed themselves as well pleased.

DEATH OF MR. MARIEN.

THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE
WATERWORKS SUCCOMBS TO
AN ATTACK OF TYPHOID
FEVER.

The death occurred early this morning of Mr. Louis Joseph Marien, C.E., superintendent of the Water Department. Mr. Marien was a victim of typhoid fever, from which disease he had been suffering for ten days. Deceased was educated at the Polytechnic School, and passed the examination for his certificate with full



THE LATE MR. MARIEN.

honors. He received an appointment as surveyor on the staff of the city road department in 1891 in succession to Mr. Barlow, appointed deputy city surveyor. On May 10 last, after the dismissal of Mr. Laforest, Mr. Marien was appointed superintendent of the Montreal waterworks.

Deceased was 42 years of age, and leaves a wife and six children.

NORTHERN W. C. T. U.

Those who attend the parlor concert of the Northern W. C. T. U. will be addressed to-morrow afternoon, at Mrs. Dick's, 553 Cadieux street, by Mrs. (Dr.) Leslie, whose thrilling experiences in the escape from Honan with her husband and the other missionaries, has given her address such great interest, especially to Montreal ladies.

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A SOLDIERS' BANQUET.

Returning Heroes will be Roy-
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MAKE ARRANGEMENTS.

A large number of Montreal ladies gathered in the Kora Hall yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the luncheon to be given our returning heroes. Mrs. Clark Murray took the chair, Miss Ethel Armstrong was appointed secretary, and Miss Symington treasurer. The whole body of ladies present, as Mrs. Murray remarked later, represented the soldiers' banquet committee. Mrs. Murray briefly referred to the origin of this scheme for the ladies entertaining the soldiers. Halifax ladies had given the example, and now that civic affairs were so pressing, the mayor and aldermen were pleased that Montreal ladies should offer similar aid.

The business of the meeting was then quickly transacted. The donations already received were read out, and requests were made for the ladies to fill up the deficiencies. The utmost generosity of spirit prevailed, and before the meeting closed almost all was provided for. It is expected that the Montreal and western contingent will be in the city about two o'clock on Saturday, when, after the reception on the Champ de Mars, they will proceed to the Drill Hall for the luncheon. This will be served cold, and will consist, principally of turkey, chicken, ham, tongue, beef, rolls, cake, charlotte-russe, ice-cream, apples, bananas and grapes. Lemonade, tea and coffee will be provided, and if the day is cold bovril will also be served.

Accommodation will be provided for from 250 to 400 men. These will sit at a table running half way down the hall. At the end of this table a band stand will be erected. The waiting will be done by a number of young ladies dressed in white, with knots of red, white and blue ribbon on the left shoulder, and wearing a small Union Jack in the hair.

They will be assisted by the ladies who are undertaking to lay the table on the morning of the luncheon. These are: Mrs. Hensley, Mrs. Colonel Steele, Mrs. W. J. Tabb, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Radford, Mde. F. Choquet, Mrs. Thurston, Mrs. W. Peck, Mrs. Gibson, Miss Fautaux, Miss Henderson, Miss Jones, Mrs. Beaman. Twenty-five students from McGill and twenty-five from Laval will assist in the heavier work of serving. Three professional carvers and a couple of charwomen are to be engaged, and will be the only paid help.

A committee under Miss Beaman and the Misses Tough will be at the Drill Hall to receive and check off the promised donations. All meats must, of course, be sent ready cooked. These should not be sent in to-day, as at first intended, but held over until Friday, especially perishables.

The ladies who will enlist the young lady waitresses are: Mrs. Ogilvie, Mrs. Hensley, Mrs. W. J. Tabb, Mde. Choquet, Mrs. Woodley, Mrs. Beaman, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Dyson, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Sadler, Mrs. Lockery, Mrs. Peck, and others.

Most of the goods have been promised by different ladies, but the following firms have also undertaken to contribute: Messrs. Alexander, Aird, Hall, S. Davis & Son, Detlefs, McKeown, J. R. Clogg, Fraser, Viger & Co., Vipond, McBride & Co., and John Murphy & Co. The committee of the W. C. T. U. will present a bouquet to each of the men.

SOLDIERS' WIVES' LEAGUE.

The Soldiers' Wives' League, with the co-operation of Col. Roy and the commanding officers of the city regiments, purpose giving the returning Montreal soldiers a dinner in the Vics' Armory at a date to be fixed, the dinner to be followed by a reception to the wives and families of the men and all the officers of the city corps. Arrangements are being made for several prominent citizens to address the troops. A military band will be in attendance. The armory has been kindly lent to the league for the purpose.

THE RETURNING SOLDIERS.

THEY CANNOT REACH MONTREAL
BEFORE NOON ON SATUR-
DAY.

Ald. Sadler, on whom, with Mayor Prefontaine and Ald. Faucher, has fallen the whole burden of the arrangement for the reception of the Canadian troops returning from South Africa on the 'Idaho,' this morning received the following telegraphic message from Mr. Rene Bauset, assistant city clerk, who was sent to Halifax to meet the troop ship:

Halifax, Oct. 31.

'Ship not yet sighted. In event of her reaching port to-day the men could not disembark until to-morrow, and only late during the night. Therefore there is no prospect of the men arriving in Montreal before Saturday noon.

RENE BAUSET.

TYPHOID FEVER.

There are now 18 cases of typhoid fever at the Notre Dame Hospital, which is the largest number this year. The number will most likely decrease as soon as winter sets in. There are 23 cases at the General Hospital, but the death rate is no higher than usual.

THE FADETTES AT THE WINDSOR.

The Fadettes Woman's Orchestra was greeted by a large and appreciative audience in the Windsor Hall last night, in their appearance in the first of a series of six entertainments which Mr. Shaw has announced to take place in the Windsor Hall this winter. Every number on the programme was so delightfully rendered that it would be impossible to individualize. The encores were many and were graciously responded to by the orchestra. If the remainder of the entertainments are to be judged by last evening's, a most successful and enjoyable season may be anticipated.

THE CHEQUE CASE.

CONTINUATION OF THE ENQUETE
TO-DAY.

The enquete in the case of the \$1,500 alleged to have been stolen from Joseph Laporte, of St. Beatrice, was resumed yesterday afternoon before Judge Desnoyers. A young lad named Robillard was examined, and deposed to having seen Whalen give money to Labelle, McDonough being present at the time. This took place in Mr. Joseph Pont's restaurant. The remainder of the enquete was taken up with the cross-examination of the witness, nothing of importance being elicited.

This morning the enquete was resumed about half-past ten o'clock.

Godfroi Clavel, examined by Mr. Laval, deposed to having been in company with McDonough and two other men. McDonough had some \$70 to \$80 in his possession. The remainder of this witness's evidence was not important.

The depositions of the bank officials given during the private enquete were then read.

Mr. G. D. Bouton, bank clerk of the Imperial Bank, deposed to the defendant, O'Hara Baynes, having been with Mr. Glass when the cheque was cashed at the bank. In cross-examination by Mr. Campbell Lane, counsel for Baynes, witness said that the cheque was an accepted cheque. The name of Mr. O'Hara Baynes was on the back of the cheque as well as that of Mr. Laporte when he saw the cheque the first time. Mr. Glass endorsed the cheque at the request of witness.

RECEIVED A PARCHMENT.

MAJOR MACAULAY HONORED AT
THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Lord Strathcona looked in at the High School this morning to perform the pleasing function of presenting a parchment of the Royal Humane Society to Major W. B. T. Macaulay, of the High School staff, for the rescue from drowning in Lake Ontario of a ten-year-old boy on Aug. 31 last. His Lordship was accompanied to the platform in the assembly hall by the Rev. Dr. MacVicar, chairman of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners for Montreal; the Rev. E. I. Raxford, rector of the High School; the Rev. Dr. Shaw, Lieut.-Col. Whitehead, Lieut.-Col. Henshaw, and Messrs. George Gillespie, E. W. Archy, Jas. Paton and E. H. Brown. His Lordship was enthusiastically greeted by 1,225 members of the school, who after singing 'God Save the Queen' and 'God Bless our Brood Dominion,' remained respectfully standing while Lord Strathcona made them an address, in reply to a few words by Dr. MacVicar.

Lord Strathcona said that he knew of no duties more important than those in connection with the training of young people, such as those before him, who would be the future men and women of Canada. The keen competition in the race of life in these days made the matter of education one of ever-increasing importance. Everybody recognized the ability of Scotch boys and girls to take their place in the world around them. This was undoubtedly owing to the fact that for long the Scotch had a system of education better than any in the Mother Country or in any country. His Lordship said they were fortunate in having the good example of Major Macaulay constantly with them, and he was sure that whenever opportunity offered they would emulate him in doing their duty. It was not only in the presence of the enemy that courage was of value, but at all times. He had sincere pleasure in presenting Major Macaulay with the parchment of the Royal Humane Society.

Lord Strathcona requested that the pupils be given a half holiday to celebrate the occasion, which was readily granted.

Dr. MacVicar announced that it was hoped to have the members of the school take part in the forthcoming celebration to the returning volunteers. They would try to have the public procession pass the school, in which event the scholars would greet them as they passed with patriotic songs.

Three cheers and a tiger were given by the scholars for their noble guest, and departing he left the children singing 'Soldiers of the Queen.'

APPEAL ALLOWED.

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—In the Supreme Court to-day judgment was pronounced in Granby vs. Menard, one of the Quebec appeals argued this term. The appeal was allowed with costs, and the action dismissed with costs against the respondents in all the courts. Argument then proceeded in Lye vs. Armstrong.

FRANCE AND BELGIUM.

ANNOUNCED THEY HAVE JOINED
HANDS TO PROTECT THEIR
INTERESTS IN CHINA.

London, Oct. 31.—'I learn,' says the Brussels correspondent of the 'Times,' that King Leopold's visit to Paris has resulted in a Franco-Belgian convention for the protection of the common interests of France and Belgium in China.

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

CHINESE OFFICIALS WARNED BY
LI HUNG CHANG TO PRE-
PARE FOR EVENTUALI-
TIES.

London, Oct. 31.—The Shanghai correspondent of the 'Times,' writing yesterday, says: 'Li Hung Chang has wired to Chang Chih Tung, the Wu Chang viceroys, that the peace negotiations are satisfactory, but to other leading officials he has telegraphed exactly the reverse, bidding them prepare for eventualities.'

RUSSIANS TO EVACUATE NIU-
CHWANG.

Shanghai, Oct. 31.—It is reported here that the Russians will evacuate Niu-chwang next Thursday.

STEYN IS DEFIANT.

REFUSES ABSOLUTELY TO TREAT
FOR PEACE.

London, Oct. 31.—A belated despatch from Pretoria tells of the failure of the British negotiations with General Botha for the surrender of the Boers. Botha received General Paget's flag of truce courteously, and admitted his defeat, but said it was impossible to treat for surrender as long as any burghers wished to continue the war. Ex-President Steyn was more irremovable. He refused to even see the bearer of a flag of truce.

MINERS OUT AGAIN.

MEN AT THE DERRINGER COL-
LIERY QUIT WORK.

Hazleton, Oct. 31.—After working one day the men employed at the Derringer colliery of Cox & Bros. & Co., went on strike again this morning. Yesterday was pay day at the mine, and some difficulty arose over the wage question. All the other collieries in the region are in operation, a majority of them full-handed.

NEW SHIP-BUILDING PLANT.

INVESTMENT OF AMERICAN CAP-
ITAL IN NOVA SCOTIA.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 30.—American capitalists have purchased the plant of N. Evans & Sons, iron and steel ship repairers and boiler makers, and are about to construct a large dry dock and steel ship-building plant. Over \$1,000,000 will be spent on the works, which include large piers. Work of construction will begin at once. The purchase follows the erection of the Dominion Steel Works at Sydney, and the new concern hopes to work up a large marine construction trade.

DOIG-MKENZIE.

The wedding took place on Monday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, 282 St. Antoine street, of Mr. John Doig, assistant paymaster of the G. P. R., and gymnastic instructor at the M. A. A. A. to Miss Jessie Frances, eldest daughter of Mr. David McKenzie, the well-known retired grocer. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Fleck, pastor of Knox Church, in the presence of a large number of guests. Miss Mary McKenzie, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. W. B. McKenzie was groomsmen. The bride was the recipient of a large number of presents from friends, by whom she is highly esteemed. After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Doig left for a wedding tour to Ottawa, Toronto, Buffalo and other points.

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LOCAL NOMINATIONS.

Three Candidates in St. James's Division.

(Continued from Page 1.)

ST. JAMES DIVISION.

At the nomination for St. James division to-day, held at St. James Market, Mr. H. Lancot, returning officer, the nomination paper for Mr. O. Desmarais was signed as follows: Hon. J. Archambault, Ald. J. Brunet, Ald. J. Chevalier, Ald. J. Lamarche, Ald. J. O. Rothland, Ald. J. A. C. Madore, J. A. Drouin, Simeon Delorme, Alp. Racine, J. A. Contant, Th. Carle, A. S. Hamelin, Jas. Lambert, H. Gervais, Dr. C. Lamoureux, F. Houle, Amedee Lamarche, P. P. Mailloche, Robert White, G. Marsois, A. Fleury, L. J. Tarte, J. A. Archambault, W. Brunet, Anselme Labrecque, Chas. A. Prevost, Paul Galibert, E. A. Genereux, A. Gravel, D. Chamberland, L. C. Detonnancourt, J. B. Giguere, Dr. C. Dugas, Th. Gauthier, Michel Montigny, Jcs. Lamoureux, C. Labonte, A. Lecomte, A. Brault, J. B. Pelletier, John McCall, A. Poitras, N. G. Valiquette, J. B. Gratton, H. St. Pierre, Felix Mercier, J. B. Drapeau, A. Champagne, G. A. Lamontagne, F. G. Pelletier, Cesar Lemay, Alp. Brodeur, Ar. Brodeur, Dr. P. E. Maurice and others.

I. H. Migneron, Independent Liberal, was nominated by Chas. Bilbeau, N. Demers, N. Sabourin, N. Lalonde, G. Giroux, Joseph Villeneuve, A. Vigneault, A. Mignault, Fred. Hopkins and others.

Therese Piquet, Conservative candidate, was nominated by W. W. Ogilvie, J. O. Dupuis, L. G. A. Cress, Louis Beaudin, J. R. O'Malley, J. P. Bortot, J. Lachance, Charles Desjardins, Joseph Normandin, B. Charbonneau, P. P. Martin, R. Forget, J. O. Senecal, J. H. Kennedy, N. Tetrault, Jr., A. Chaput, P. E. Leblanc, Real Angers, J. E. Dupuis, H. Lamore, S. Courville, B. Lafontaine, M. Renaud and others.

HOCHELAGA DIVISION.

The nomination proceedings for Hochelaga division were held in the St. Henri Town Hall, where Mr. L. A. Rivet was returning officer.

Mr. J. A. C. Madore, Liberal, was nominated by Eug. Guay, Mayor of St. Henri, Hon. J. Lancot, O. B. Fabien, Wm. Rutherford, M. J. A. Dorval, O. David, Wm. Rutherford, Jr., Jos. Luthrell, Hon. J. H. Ward, J. Reintant, J. H. Redfern, A. Jacques, T. Quinlan, A. Belanger, E. Miron, J. L. L. Charbonneau, J. A. St. Julien, J. A. R. Leonard, D. Mercure, Clement Laffeur, Alp. Reid, And. Leger, E. Hurtubise, Jos. Jacob, Jos. Giroux, E. McDuff, P. Chiquette, D. Geron, J. Ponceau, Henri Chiquette, M. D. N. Hemond, T. Cyphot, M. D. S. Lanson, J. Gravel, A. Naronne, A. Demers, E. Marchand, E. Duberger, P. J. Flynn, Jos. O. Brien, Fr. Pradhomme, Th. Merzian, J. A. Dorval, F. G. Degenais, E. E. Lanson, M. D. S. Surprenant, C. Parent, A. H. Delorme, A. A. Lamoureux, and others.

Dr. S. Lachapelle was nominated by Dr. A. A. Bernard, Dr. J. W. Lalonde, J. Pepin, J. A. Trudel, A. Archambault, W. Blanchard, A. T. Constanant, Z. La Berger, J. Donaldson, A. O. Page, G. Dusharme, W. Bedard, J. A. Boucher, R. N. Sevigny, R. Turner, William Adrain, T. W. Kane, M. J. Healy, P. Polan, J. Kelly, H. G. McCullum and others.

Both candidates made brief speeches. The town hall was filled.

MAISONNEUVE DIVISION.

The nomination of the candidates for the Maisonneuve Division took place in the large lower room of the St. Jean Baptiste Academy, which began to fill with the supporters of the two candidates.

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George Sherman, of Kingsville, Ont., says he has used Hood's Sarsaparilla in his family for a number of years, and it has become the household remedy. He says he has great reason to speak of its merit since it has saved the life of his little boy now 12 years old. The child was under the doctor's care, owing to bad blood. Finally, the doctor said he could do no more, and advised the parents to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. In two weeks after the child began taking it there was a marked improvement in his health, which continued until he was fully cured. Mr. Sherman takes Hood's every spring to rid his system against disease.

W. F. Keeton, Woodstock, Ala., took Hood's Sarsaparilla to make his blood pure. He writes that he had not felt well but tried for some time. Before he had finished the first bottle of this medicine he felt better, and when he had taken the second was like another man—free from that tired feeling, and able to do his work.

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dates shortly after twelve o'clock. Mr. L. P. Dupre, the returning officer of the division, superintended the proceedings, which were of a formal and unexciting character.

Mayor Prefontaine, the Liberal candidate, was unavoidably absent, being at Terrebonne, in which constituency he is also running.

Ald. Ouimet, the Conservative candidate, was present and was surrounded by a number of his supporters, all eagerly, though quietly, discussing election chances.

The names on Mayor Prefontaine's nomination paper included those of Mr. J. P. B. Caegrain, at the head of the list, Messrs. F. L. Beique, Damien Lalonde, Chas. G. Lepointe, E. D. Fautoux, D. Chevalier, W. L. Hogg, James Darling, W. J. Proulx, P. Wilson, T. A. Grothe, Robt. Leclerc, L. P. H. Lorain, Oscar Senecal and several others.

On Ald. Ouimet's paper were the names of the Hon. J. O. Villeneuve, which was the first, Messrs. Wm. H. Gravel, Dr. Alex. Gernain, Patrick Murphy, Jos. Beaudry, A. Lemieux, Jos. Trudel, Dr. G. E. Basil, L. Villeneuve, Mayor of St. Louis du Mile, and: W. J. Brown, E. J. Stuart, Robert Gilbert, the Hon. Alph. Desjardins, Herbert Desjardins, Mayor of Maisonneuve, ex-Ald. Dufrane and many others.

Nominations for Jacques Cartier Division took place at the Lachine Town Hall.

The signatures to the nomination papers of Mr. J. Desjardins are as follows: The Hon. R. Dandurand, Alph. Racine, Alex. McDougall, Jas. S. MacDougall, Jas. S. MacDougall, Arthur Boyer, Victor Morin, Alf. A. Thibaut, Nap. Charbonneau, Pointe Claire; H. U. H. Dandurand, Chas. H. Routh, J. P. B. Caegrain, R. Prefontaine, L. A. Boyer, Jos. A. Lamarche, Calixte Lebeuf, Alp. Marotte, John L. Brodie, A. G. Cross, R. Bickerdick, E. J. Chambers, J. I. Laffeur, Notre Dame de Grace; J. M. Fortier, O. L. Henault, J. N. Green-shields, Henri Dubois, J. Gauthier and others.

Mr. Monk's candidature was seconded by Mr. Joseph A. Descarrie, mayor of Lachine, J. W. Nelles, Joseph Dunn, Arsene Charlebois and many others.

Mr. Monk was accompanied by his agent, Mr. Chateaugay de Salaberry. The weather was disagreeably cold on account of the wind from Lake St. Louis, and the meeting had to be held in the fire station, adjoining the town hall. There were about three hundred persons present.

After the nomination a joint meeting was held, at which speeches were made by the candidates, the mayor, Messrs. J. A. Chaurac, M.F.P., and others.

BY ACCLAMATION. In North Waterloo Mr. J. Seagram, Conservative, has been elected by acclamation.

In Drummond and Arthabasca, Mr. Jos. Lavergne, Liberal, has been elected by acclamation.

ALDERMAN AMES AND PROHIBITION.

(To the Editor of the 'Witness.')

Sir,—Alderman Ames is reported as declaring that he is a prohibitionist notwithstanding he is supporting a brewer for member of parliament. Of course he might vote for prohibition, but who would give him credit for doing so from principle. A man may be a good and loyal subject of our Queen and still be friendly with the Boer and have much sympathy with them in their mistaken and criminal policy, but who would take stock in his loyalty if he would support for parliament a man who manufactures ammunition and infernal machines specially for the Boers to send desolation and death into the lives and homes of British subjects?

It is declared by all Christian churches and benevolent institutions that intoxicating liquors and the traffic in it is one of the greatest, if not the greatest, enemy of God and man, and yet Alderman Ames, a member and elder in a Christian church, an ex-president and actual director of the Y. M. C. A., recommends to the favorable consideration of Christian men, as a man worthy to be a lawmaker for a Christian country, a man who devotes his main talent and energy to the manufacture and increase in the production of this great enemy of God and man, and friend and chief lieutenant of the devil.

Christ pronounced war on him. As a public stumbling block in the path of the weak and young. Alderman Ames says such an one may be worthy of a seat in the councils of the nation. God by his Holy Spirit says no drunkard can inherit heaven. Alderman Ames says it may be the duty of Christian men to honor with the highest public office in their gift, a man who devotes most of his time and talent in producing that which makes drunkards. There is something wrong with a prohibitionist who can help a brewer to public office.

CONSERVATIVE RALLY AT RICHMOND.

Richmond, Que., Oct. 31.—A meeting was held here last evening by the Conservatives in the Town Hall, Mr. W. H. Lynch, of Danville, ex-commissioner to Yukon, was the speaker. On the platform were Messrs. W. L. Ball, chairman; W. E. Jones, 'Guardian'; Col. E. S. Bernard and F. T. Mappin.

POLITICAL NOTES.

In Chambly-Vercheres the Liberal candidate, Mr. Victor Geoffries, is busy holding meetings two and three times a day, in various parts of the riding. These meetings are mostly very well attended

and a considerable amount of enthusiasm is shown.

The first time that Mr. Odilon Desmarais, Liberal candidate in St. James, has spoken in the present campaign, was last night at the Point Hall, 1468 St. Catherine street. The first speaker was Mr. J. A. Drouin. The candidate, Mr. Desmarais, then gave a lengthy address, urging his hearers to vote for him and for the Liberal Government.

A numerous attended meeting in support of Mr. Prefontaine's candidature in Maisonneuve was held on Monday night at the committee room on St. Denis street.

SCARLET FEVER CASES.

DR. LABERGE SAYS THEY ARE NOT DUE TO CONDITION OF SCHOOLS.

(To the Editor of the 'Witness.')

Sir,—The following letter relative to the sanitary condition of Riverside School was published in the 'Herald' last Saturday:

Dear Sir,—I wish to call the attention of the public, through the medium of your columns, to the insanitary conditions which exist in many of the public schools of the city. Riverside School, in particular, is in a disgraceful condition as regards sanitation, and in consequence a large number of the pupils who have been attending the school are now suffering from diphtheria, scarlet fever, sore throat, etc., caused, without doubt, by the conditions mentioned above. Why do not the health authorities take some action and close the school until such time as the proper improvements may be made in the sanitary arrangements? (Signed) PARENT.

The writer of this letter has since withdrawn his statements, as the following declaration will show:

Montreal, Oct. 30, 1900. I hereby declare that to my personal knowledge, no school (or schools) under control of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners is in an insanitary condition. My letter reflecting on the condition of Riverside School, which appeared in the 'Herald' on 27th instant, over the signature of 'Parent' was written without due consideration. I now retract, and regret the statements made therein. (Signed) H. FRIEDLANDER, 344 Bourgeois street.

Riverside School was inspected on Monday last by the medical health officer of the city, who, after examination, certifies as follows:

Montreal, Oct. 30, 1900.

I hereby certify that at the request of the Protestant Board of School Commissioners, I have had the Riverside School examined, and that the said institution has been found in a thoroughly satisfactory sanitary condition. Moreover, I am satisfied that unusual care is taken in this school to safeguard the health of the pupils.

In my opinion the cases of scarletina, and diphtheria prevalent in the neighborhood of Riverside School are in no way traceable to conditions existing in that establishment. (Signed) L. LABERGE, Medical Health Officer.

I trust that this certificate and the retraction given above may set at rest any uneasiness that the first letter may have produced in the minds of residents in Point St. Charles. Riverside School is in perfect sanitary condition, and every effort is being made by both principal and teachers to prevent the spread through the school of the infectious diseases that are unfortunately prevalent in the district.

Is it too much, Mr. Editor, to expect from city newspapers of good repute that they shall not open their columns to sensational and disturbing letters about the public schools, without referring them to the properly constituted authorities?

W. W. ARTHY, Superintendent. High School, Montreal, Oct. 31, 1900.

FOUND IN THE RIVER.

Alderik Lavalee, 21 years old, has been missing for two weeks from his home, 500 Wolfe street. He had left home one morning to deliver milk, which was in cans in a small hand-wagon. The wagon, with some cans in it, was found later in St. Hyppolite lane, and it was believed by his relatives that he had gone to the United States. Last evening, however, a body was picked up out of the river at Longue Pointe, which was found to correspond exactly to the description of Lavalee given to the police, and in his pocket was found a life insurance policy made out in the name of Mrs. Lavalee. The death may have been accidental, but the evidence seems to point to suicide. The coroner opened an inquest this afternoon.

MAILS FOR THE YUKON.

With reference to the notice to the public lately issued stating that, upon the close of the summer arrangements for mail transportation to and from Dawson and other points in the Yukon Territory, the mails would necessarily be limited to letters only, postmasters are now informed, and requested to make it known in their several localities, that a limited quantity of newspapers can be accepted by the department for transmission to the territory in question and to the Atlin district. Should the amount of such matter received at Vancouver for the destinations mentioned be in excess of what the department can forward, the preference will be given to single newspapers addressed to private individuals.

BLEW OUT THE GAS.

Omer Gendreau, fresh from a logging camp in Ontario, came to the city yesterday and put up at the Hotel Jacques Cartier, on Jacques Cartier square. Before going to bed, he blew out the gas. This morning he was found unconscious. He was removed to the Notre Dame Hospital, where it is hoped he will recover.

BODY FOUND.

The body of a man was found in the river at Isle Perrot last evening, and was taken to the morgue, where it awaits identification. The coroner will hold an inquest.

RAILWAY ROBBERS.

RASCALLY SCHEME DISCOVERED AMONGST EMPLOYEES.

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 31.—The Kootenay and Boundary mining districts of British Columbia are stirred over a railway investigation now being held at Nelson. It is alleged by the secret service agents of the Canadian Pacific Railway that a regularly organized gang has existed in the mining regions for some time past whereby the Canadian Pacific has been defrauded of many thousands of dollars by means of fraudulent tickets originally purchased undated at the offices of the company, to be taken up by the conductors in the scheme of fraud and returned to the special agents of this trainmen's syndicate by the special agents, to be sold over and over again. It is understood that in the majority of cases hotel runners acted as go-betweens. Two conductors who have been in the employment of the C. P. R. for years are said to have organized this scheme and the local station agents are also charged with a share in managing the big swindle. Every employee of the company on the Pacific division is anxiously awaiting the outcome of the investigation. The mining towns of Roseland and Greenwood were the centres of operations, the large passenger traffic to and from these points making comparatively easy the operations of these railway swindlers. Most of the nefarious business would be transacted in bar-rooms where after a passenger had bought his crooked ticket he would be given a check with the words, 'Show this man the scenery.' The railway secret service failing to make any revelations the system was changed, a spotter being sent to Greenwood as a bar-tender, another as driver of a hotel bus, and a third as clerk in a store. After a time these spotters became intimate with one or two of the conspirators and the whole plot was gradually unravelled.

NEW YORK CATASTROPHE.

FRAGMENTS OF THREE BODIES DISCOVERED.

New York, Oct. 31.—In the ruins of the Tarrant building, which was demolished by fire and explosion on Monday, the searchers found early to-day fragments of at least three human bodies. Inspectors Trench and Kenny, of the building department, found a woman's head at the north-west corner of Greenwich and Warren streets; also a package of tools, a man's apron and a hat. Inspector Graham, of the building department, found two pieces of human flesh and later the same inspector found another piece of human flesh and a knee joint.

Two tons of chloride of potash and one ton of sulphur, it appears, were in the Tarrant building when the disaster occurred.

It has now been decided by the fire chief, Mr. Croker, and the fire commission, Mr. Scannel, to investigate all of the wholesale drug establishments in the city. Chief Croker said in the course of an interview: 'I know that nearly all of these wholesale drug houses carry explosives in such quantities as to render them powder magazines as all purposes. They are a constant menace to public safety, and I propose to see that storage houses are maintained at a safe distance outside the city. In the past little attention has been paid to the requirements of the law. Experience in this case has proved an expensive teacher, but we will profit by this lesson.'

An interesting question has arisen in the matter of insurance, and long litigation between insurance companies may ensue. Plate glass insurance companies deny their liability for the many insured windows which were shattered throughout the wrecked area in the downtown business section, and their officials have refused large claims. They have referred patrons who suffered losses to the fire insurance companies. The latter have either determined not to pay or still have the matter under consideration.

Many prominent fire underwriters hold that damage to buildings caused by explosions, or to buildings detached or remote from a building where a fire and explosion occurs, is not covered by a fire insurance policy. The New York Standard policy reads: 'This company shall not be liable for a loss caused by explosions of any kind unless fire ensues, and in that event for the damage by fire only.'

PRINCESS OF WALES.

London, Oct. 30.—A despatch received here says that the Princess of Wales and her two nieces, daughters of the Duke of Cumberland, had to throw themselves into a ditch to escape injury from a runaway at Fredensborg, near Copenhagen.

HEATHER ON 'CHANGE.

Extract from letter received by Mr. E. P. Craig, president Corn Exchange Association, from Mr. R. M. Edsall: 'I have sent by the S.S. 'Dominion' a parcel of heather, which I hope will reach you in time for Halloween, and trust that you will see that it is distributed amongst my old friends on 'Change. It will show them that, though absent, they are not forgotten, and in some may bring back memories of many happy days in good old Montreal. It has been very sad to me this year in sending out the heather to have so many blanks on my list. The good friends who have been taken from you all during the past year were good friends to all on 'Change, and men whose places it will be hard to fill. The heather was distributed among the members this morning.'

LOCAL STOCKS.

TORONTO STREET ACTIVE AND HIGH—GENERAL LIST DULL AND STRAID.

On the local stock exchange this morning Toronto Street was again the feature, 1,175 shares changing hands, showing a gain of 2 1/2 points on opening sale, closing at 10 1/2, which is a gain of 3 1/2 points in two days. Montreal Street showed a gain of 1 point compared with the closing price at yesterday afternoon's session, the closing sale being made at 25 1/4, 210 shares changing hands. Republic and Virtue were about steady at opening prices, and the best mines ought now to share in any general appreciation. Republic seems to be in better shape than ever, and this applies also to War Eagle. The bears have been allowed to hammer these values out of all knowledge, but the reaction is likely to be an extravagantly bullish. The general list was dull and steady.

MORNING BOARD.

C.P.R.—30 at 25 1/4, 37 at 26 1/4, 40 at 26 1/4, 41 at 26 1/4, 42 at 26 1/4, 43 at 26 1/4, 44 at 26 1/4, 45 at 26 1/4, 46 at 26 1/4, 47 at 26 1/4, 48 at 26 1/4, 49 at 26 1/4, 50 at 26 1/4, 51 at 26 1/4, 52 at 26 1/4, 53 at 26 1/4, 54 at 26 1/4, 55 at 26 1/4, 56 at 26 1/4, 57 at 26 1/4, 58 at 26 1/4, 59 at 26 1/4, 60 at 26 1/4, 61 at 26 1/4, 62 at 26 1/4, 63 at 26 1/4, 64 at 26 1/4, 65 at 26 1/4, 66 at 26 1/4, 67 at 26 1/4, 68 at 26 1/4, 69 at 26 1/4, 70 at 26 1/4, 71 at 26 1/4, 72 at 26 1/4, 73 at 26 1/4, 74 at 26 1/4, 75 at 26 1/4, 76 at 26 1/4, 77 at 26 1/4, 78 at 26 1/4, 79 at 26 1/4, 80 at 26 1/4, 81 at 26 1/4, 82 at 26 1/4, 83 at 26 1/4, 84 at 26 1/4, 85 at 26 1/4, 86 at 26 1/4, 87 at 26 1/4, 88 at 26 1/4, 89 at 26 1/4, 90 at 26 1/4, 91 at 26 1/4, 92 at 26 1/4, 93 at 26 1/4, 94 at 26 1/4, 95 at 26 1/4, 96 at 26 1/4, 97 at 26 1/4, 98 at 26 1/4, 99 at 26 1/4, 100 at 26 1/4, 101 at 26 1/4, 102 at 26 1/4, 103 at 26 1/4, 104 at 26 1/4, 105 at 26 1/4, 106 at 26 1/4, 107 at 26 1/4, 108 at 26 1/4, 109 at 26 1/4, 110 at 26 1/4, 111 at 26 1/4, 112 at 26 1/4, 113 at 26 1/4, 114 at 26 1/4, 115 at 26 1/4, 116 at 26 1/4, 117 at 26 1/4, 118 at 26 1/4, 119 at 26 1/4, 120 at 26 1/4, 121 at 26 1/4, 122 at 26 1/4, 123 at 26 1/4, 124 at 26 1/4, 125 at 26 1/4, 126 at 26 1/4, 127 at 26 1/4, 128 at 26 1/4, 129 at 26 1/4, 130 at 26 1/4, 131 at 26 1/4, 132 at 26 1/4, 133 at 26 1/4, 134 at 26 1/4, 135 at 26 1/4, 136 at 26 1/4, 137 at 26 1/4, 138 at 26 1/4, 139 at 26 1/4, 140 at 26 1/4, 141 at 26 1/4, 142 at 26 1/4, 143 at 26 1/4, 144 at 26 1/4, 145 at 26 1/4, 146 at 26 1/4, 147 at 26 1/4, 148 at 26 1/4, 149 at 26 1/4, 150 at 26 1/4, 151 at 26 1/4, 152 at 26 1/4, 153 at 26 1/4, 154 at 26 1/4, 155 at 26 1/4, 156 at 26 1/4, 157 at 26 1/4, 158 at 26 1/4, 159 at 26 1/4, 160 at 26 1/4, 161 at 26 1/4, 162 at 26 1/4, 163 at 26 1/4, 164 at 26 1/4, 165 at 26 1/4, 166 at 26 1/4, 167 at 26 1/4, 168 at 26 1/4, 169 at 26 1/4, 170 at 26 1/4, 171 at 26 1/4, 172 at 26 1/4, 173 at 26 1/4, 174 at 26 1/4, 175 at 26 1/4, 176 at 26 1/4, 177 at 26 1/4, 178 at 26 1/4, 179 at 26 1/4, 180 at 26 1/4, 181 at 26 1/4, 182 at 26 1/4, 183 at 26 1/4, 184 at 26 1/4, 185 at 26 1/4, 186 at 26 1/4, 187 at 26 1/4, 188 at 26 1/4, 189 at 26 1/4, 190 at 26 1/4, 191 at 26 1/4, 192 at 26 1/4, 193 at 26 1/4, 194 at 26 1/4, 195 at 26 1/4, 196 at 26 1/4, 197 at 26 1/4, 198 at 26 1/4, 199 at 26 1/4, 200 at 26 1/4, 201 at 26 1/4, 202 at 26 1/4, 203 at 26 1/4, 204 at 26 1/4, 205 at 26 1/4, 206 at 26 1/4, 207 at 26 1/4, 208 at 26 1/4, 209 at 26 1/4, 210 at 26 1/4, 211 at 26 1/4, 212 at 26 1/4, 213 at 26 1/4, 214 at 26 1/4, 215 at 26 1/4, 216 at 26 1/4, 217 at 26 1/4, 218 at 26 1/4, 219 at 26 1/4, 220 at 26 1/4, 221 at 26 1/4, 222 at 26 1/4, 223 at 26 1/4, 224 at 26 1/4, 225 at 26 1/4, 226 at 26 1/4, 227 at 26 1/4, 228 at 26 1/4, 229 at 26 1/4, 230 at 26 1/4, 231 at 26 1/4, 232 at 26 1/4, 233 at 26 1/4, 234 at 26 1/4, 235 at 26 1/4, 236 at 26 1/4, 237 at 26 1/4, 238 at 26 1/4, 239 at 26 1/4, 240 at 26 1/4, 241 at 26 1/4, 242 at 26 1/4, 243 at 26 1/4, 244 at 26 1/4, 245 at 26 1/4, 246 at 26 1/4, 247 at 26 1/4, 248 at 26 1/4, 249 at 26 1/4, 250 at 26 1/4, 251 at 26 1/4, 252 at 26 1/4, 253 at 26 1/4, 254 at 26 1/4, 255 at 26 1/4, 256 at 26 1/4, 257 at 26 1/4, 258 at 26 1/4, 259 at 26 1/4, 260 at 26 1/4, 261 at 26 1/4, 262 at 26 1/4, 263 at 26 1/4, 264 at 26 1/4, 265 at 26 1/4, 266 at 26 1/4, 267 at 26 1/4, 268 at 26 1/4, 269 at 26 1/4, 270 at 26 1/4, 271 at 26 1/4, 272 at 26 1/4, 273 at 26 1/4, 274 at 26 1/4, 275 at 26 1/4, 276 at 26 1/4, 277 at 26 1/4, 278 at 26 1/4, 279 at 26 1/4, 280 at 26 1/4, 281 at 26 1/4, 282 at 26 1/4, 283 at 26 1/4, 284 at 26 1/4, 285 at 26 1/4, 286 at 26 1/4, 287 at 26 1/4, 288 at 26 1/4, 289 at 26 1/4, 290 at 26 1/4, 291 at 26 1/4, 292 at 26 1/4, 293 at 26 1/4, 294 at 26 1/4, 295 at 26 1/4, 296 at 26 1/4, 297 at 26 1/4, 298 at 26 1/4, 299 at 26 1/4, 300 at 26 1/4, 301 at 26 1/4, 302 at 26 1/4, 303 at 26 1/4, 304 at 26 1/4, 305 at 26 1/4, 306 at 26 1/4, 307 at 26 1/4, 308 at 26 1/4, 309 at 26 1/4, 310 at 26 1/4, 311 at 26 1/4, 312 at 26 1/4, 313 at 26 1/4, 314 at 26 1/4, 315 at 26 1/4, 316 at 26 1/4, 317 at 26 1/4, 318 at 26 1/4, 319 at 26 1/4, 320 at 26 1/4, 321 at 26 1/4, 322 at 26 1/4, 323 at 26 1/4, 324 at 26 1/4, 325 at 26 1/4, 326 at 26 1/4, 327 at 26 1/4, 328 at 26 1/4, 329 at 26 1/4, 330 at 26 1/4, 331 at 26 1/4, 332 at 26 1/4, 333 at 26 1/4, 334 at 26 1/4, 335 at 26 1/4, 336 at 26 1/4, 337 at 26 1/4, 338 at 26 1/4, 339 at 26 1/4, 340 at 26 1/4, 341 at 26 1/4, 342 at 26 1/4, 343 at 26 1/4, 344 at 26 1/4, 345 at 26 1/4, 346 at 26 1/4, 347 at 2

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A MINING EXCHANGE DISPUTE.

Mr. Daniel M. Sexton, mining broker, presented a petition in the Practices Court on Monday asking a writ of injunction to prevent the Montreal Mining Exchange, of which he is a member, from taking action under a decision of the committee declaring him at fault with the by-laws, and also asking \$5,000 damages. The court received the petition and granted a delay to reply.

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The Boys' Page.

A Hallowe'en in Ireland.

(Concluded.)

Then we looked into a cottage where some one was playing the fiddle and couples were forming for a dance. We joined in, although I felt embarrassed when I heard two or three declaring they'd sit it out and watch the young American boy. My partner, a charming rosy-cheeked country girl told me that if I would just keep my eye on Master Denny I would not be at a loss to know what to do. So as best I could I shuffled through the steps and went up and down the middle, and tried to do the gallant.

When finally, from want of breath, I had to give in, I went and sat by old Pat Conner and told him as much as I could about America, and felt very sorry when I had to say I had never been in Boston and so had not met his daughter Mary who went there 'this while back.'

At another house we had more cake and dancing, and then, as it was getting near ten o'clock, we made our way to the village green where all the men and boys were fast congregating. Here the bonfire of turf and wood was piled up many feet high and was only waiting for the match to be put to it at ten o'clock. Punctually on the hour we saw a procession coming from the village and bearing lanterns. At the head of it was carried in a clumsy chair the pretty daughter of the village grocer. The chair was deposited close by the pile of turf and sticks and a match was handed to the girl by a young fellow standing near. She rose from the chair, struck the match on its seat, and then thrust the light into some shavings directly facing her in the side of the erection. A moment later and the flames were lighting up the whole green and revealing the villagers to one another. Then a ring was made of young men and girls who went dancing round and round the fire. A cart now came on the scene bearing a huge barrel, and Denny told me that this was a present of porter from the village grocer.

'Anyone can get a glass of porter who wishes,' said Denny; 'the harm done isn't so much now as afterwards. For a lot of those fellows will just get the taste of the porter with that one glass and will then go straight to the public house and finish up the day by being dead drunk.'

'Well,' I said, 'I think it's a shame of the grocer to treat them, then.'

'You see,' Denny answered, 'he's grateful that they chose his daughter to light the bonfire—it's a great honor, you know—and he doesn't know any other way of showing his gratitude except by treating them to porter. It's a regular custom. There doesn't seem to be anything else here you could give them all at the same price, and that would be universally acceptable. Lots of them wouldn't touch apples or sweets, and they had all the tea and bread and butter and cake that they wanted earlier.'

'Wouldn't the young American gentleman be after having a dance round with us?' said a young fellow, coming up to us at this point. (The next moment the Blakes and I were rollicking round with the best of them.)

In little groups away off from the fire we could see young girls peeling apples and throwing the skin over their shoulders. Eager young fellows would then dart forward and declare that the peel formed certain letters, always naming their own initials. As the fire burned low, people drew near with nuts and roasted them on stones for matrimonial signs. Screams of laughter and hoarse guffaws sounded on all sides. Presently the older men began to draw off towards the village, many going to their homes, but many, alas! straight to the public house. A little after eleven, when the fire was almost out, the girls pulled shawls over their heads and turned their faces homeward escorted by the young men.

'Now,' said Charley, coming up to a big stone near the fire, where Denny and I were seated, 'we'll go down to the pool and see if any one is there tonight.'

As we ran across the Green and through some fields to a wood, Denny explained that this pool was a place sometimes visited on All Hallowe' Eve by villagers who gazed into its depths in the hope of seeing their future consorts.

The moon had been up about an hour, and as we reached the grassy mound near the pool it silvered the whole surface of the water. We climbed into a tree a short distance from the mound and waited. We were beginning to fear we should be the only ones at the pool that night, when all at once the place resounded with cries, and a bevy of girls flattered out of the wood into the open space. The cause of their commotion was soon discoverable in a number of young men who emerged from behind the trees. They had apparently been hiding, wishing to witness the girls looking in the pool, but the quick eyes of the girls had spied them out. 'Anyways, you see your futures,' one fellow called out.

Two or three of the girls evidently took counsel together, and one of them advanced towards the young men who were standing near our tree.

'Now, Patsy Finegan,' she said, 'it's a shame for ye to be followin' us round like this, and it's one thing I want to ask

ye. Let ye rest here till we go straight home. Don't ye know well that our mothers wouldn't leave the life in us if they seen us out at this hour, and ye gallivanting round? Sure, we thought ye'd all be in the village or it's not a step one of us would have come here at all.'

The young fellows were quite sober, and seemingly very decent, for one of them replied:

'Arrah, sure we wouldn't vex one of ye, don't ye know that well, Ellie? And if ye go on home now we'll walk a mile behind ye. But don't forget us if ye do be looking for a boy one day.'

The young men fell back towards the pool and pretended to be gazing in its depths like so many love-lorn lasses; and the girls meanwhile quickly and silently went off. We three boys only waited in our tree until the young men had taken their departure. Then, cold and stiff, we scrambled down and made our way home as fast as we could. The side door had been left unlocked, and a few minutes later we were in bed and asleep.

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I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

D. GALLERY.

Montreal, Oct. 20, 1900.



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GRIFFITH JOHN RICHARDS, heretofore

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now of Caughnawaga, in said District,

Agent, Plaintiff,

vs.

DAVID CRAWFORD, of the City and

District of Montreal, Provision Merchant,

and Dame Elizabeth Reid Hawes, hereto-

fore of the said City of Montreal, but at

present of parts unknown, the widow of

the late Thomas J. Coristine, in his life-

time of the said City of Montreal, Mer-

chant, Defendants,

And

JOHN M. M. DUFF, of the City and

District of Montreal, Accountant, in his

quality of Curator of the Insolvent Estate

of John Napier Fulton, heretofore of the

same place, Accountant, Mis en Cause.

The Defendant, Dame Elizabeth Reid

Hawes, is ordered to appear within one

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SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

INSTRUCTIVE LECTURE BY A RETURNED CORRESPONDENT.

In the hall of Victoria Rifles Army Mr. J. S. White last night told the story of the South African war as he saw it when he moved amid its tragic scenes as war correspondent. These address was illustrated by limelight views of the principal places and persons, including general and other officers, and members of the Canadian contingents. A number of moving pictures, including the embarkation of the troops at Quebec just a year ago, the Gordon Highlanders on the march, and the charge of the Mount-Rifles, were also shown. It was nine o'clock when the lecture commenced. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal presided. He was received at the entrance of the hall by a guard of honor commanded by Lieut. Haggar, and he was accompanied by Principal Peterson and a few other prominent citizens. His Lordship in opening the proceedings, referred to the gallant deeds of the troops, both home and colonial, which were in action in South Africa. They fought not only for sentiment but for the honor and dignity and solidarity of the Empire.

A reference to Lord Strathcona, whose action in equipping a force of men out of his own resources was unparalleled in the history of the Empire, was greeted with great applause. The lecturer said that the complaints of the system of the war against the hospital arrangements were not worthy of notice or credence. Tommy Atkins was an inveterate kicker. A drawing was exhibited which was made by Private Doocey, of Montreal, showing one of the battlefields, with positions of the troops. Reforms were needed in the system of promotion in the British army, and in future Tommy must be better led. The benefits of the war would be army reform, the production of 100,000 experienced veterans, and the federation of the colonies with the Mother Country into an Empire probably for all time to come.

The Victoria Rifles orchestra furnished the music of the evening. At the close Lord Strathcona moved a vote of thanks, which was heartily given the lecturer, and the assembly dispersed while the orchestra played 'God Save the Queen.'

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR BOOKS.

An entertainment having for its object the raising of funds for the Sunday school library will be held in the East End Methodist hall, corner of La Gauchetière and Plessis streets, tomorrow (Thursday) evening. A sum of fifty dollars is required, and no contribution will be refused.

BEAUTIFUL PICTURES HUNG.

The Royal Victoria College has been presented by Lord Strathcona with over one hundred autotype reproductions of the best pictures of the old masters and modern painters, to beautify its reception rooms and corridors. Their originals are in the National Gallery, the Louvre and other public and private collections. They have already been hung, in dark oak frames, and add very greatly to the appearance of the place. On each side of the entrance to the hall are the famous frescoes of Lord Leighton, P.R.A., from South Kensington, the 'Arts of Peace' and the 'Arts of War,' in Miss Oakley's office is Andrea's portrait of himself, and Rembrandt's own likeness and his 'Old Lady,' are in the library. In this room, too, are Belshazzar's Feast, da Vinci's 'Last Supper,' and Burne Jones's 'Briar Rose' series. The 'Madonna di San Sisto,' in the beauty room, is the latest autotype yet produced, and the 'Annunciation' and the 'Temperance' represent the works of Rossetti and Turner, respectively. Reynolds, Greuze, Millet, Watteau, Botticelli and Ruyssdael, among a few of the other artists whose paintings are reproduced, and the collection is as beautiful as it is representative.

BENEFIT TO CANADA.

ITS MINERAL WEALTH BECOMING KNOWN TO CAPITALISTS THROUGH ITS WEALTH OF GAME.

In February next there is to be an international sporting show held in Chicago. The object is to give the public an inkling of what this continent contains in the way of sporting material. Mr. R. W. Follett, who is at the head of the project, was conferred yesterday with Mr. Armstrong, the P.R. colonizing agent, for the purpose of securing the co-operation of the company. The show is to be the biggest thing of the kind on record. It was recognized by the P.R. that without the co-operation of a party success, seeing that Canada possesses more sporting territory than any other country in the world. As Mr. Armstrong stated yesterday, there

are three thousand five hundred miles of sporting country in the Dominion. The enormous advantage which we possess over the United States is our waterways. A man can take his canoe and go across the continent. In the United States the sportsman has to put his pack on his back and tramp through the woods mostly. Canada has the greatest system of waterways in the world. Mr. Armstrong had a map prepared for the sportsman's show in New York some time ago which showed the route from ocean to ocean, and also classified the game to be found all along the route, showing the habitat of each class. This proved to be of great practical utility.

What is chiefly important in this connection is the fact that with the advent of wealthy American sportsmen our great mineral wealth is becoming known. Every Indian guide in the country knows now where to place his hand upon the minerals of the country. Americans are exceedingly fond of our sports, and some of the wealthiest business men come every season. These find an absorbing interest in examining our mineral deposits, and as a result capital has already been introduced which would never have come our way had it not been for the initial provocation of the moose or the salmon.

While game is found all along the route indicated it is of course more plentiful in certain parts than others. The C.P.R. will take part in the forthcoming international show, alike for the advantage which will accrue from the extension of the knowledge of our fauna, and the larger possibility of development resulting from the introduction of capital in connection with our mineral wealth.

OPENING SERVICES AT LAVAL.

The formal opening of the exercises of Laval University for the season of 1900-01 took place last evening. Bishop Emard presided, and there was a large attendance of friends of the institution. Mr. Racicot, vice-rector, and the professors of the different faculties occupied seats on the platform. At the opening of the proceedings Mr. Racicot presented an address of welcome to Bishop Emard, after which the secretary, Rev. Abbé Bourassa, read the annual report. He was followed by Professor H. Gervais, of the law faculty, who read a paper on 'International Law,' and the proceedings were brought to a close by Dr. E. P. Lachapelle, of the medical faculty, who read a paper on 'Hygiene.'

BIBLE THOUGHTS.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 31.

THE LORD IS IN THIS PLACE.

Jacob (Gen. xxviii, 16) awaked from sleep uttered these words, adding, 'I knew it not.' Too many forget that the Lord is ever near, and interested in all that concerns His people. They are never out of His sight of mind. The steps up to heaven are everywhere, not for our ascending, but for God's coming down to us. A type of His watchful loving care toward His people. Their whole life is planned by Him. Heaven's messengers come to watch over, and minister to them. (Heb. i, 14.) Our Lord uses this incident in Jacob's life to teach us that all God's purposes and love and grace come to us through Himself. He is the real medium through which man is brought into communication with God and God with man. The Father, who through the ages has been caring for, and watching over man, has revealed Himself and His purposes in His Son. (Heb. i, 2.) Whenever heaven is seen open, Jesus, the true ladder or only way between heaven and earth, is always seen. God speaks to us through His Son and no one has access to the Father but through the Son. As Jacob had rich promises given to him, so every believer has secured to him in Jesus every God-given promise. (II. Cor. i, 20.) The line of communication between heaven and earth is always open.

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DAVID SEATH, Secretary.

Harbor Commissioners' Office, Montreal, 23rd October, 1900.

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Notice is hereby given that a dividend of Three percent upon the paid-up Capital Stock of this institution has been declared for the current half-year, and that it will be payable at its Banking House in this city, and at its Branches, on and after SATURDAY, the 1st day of December next.

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By order of the Board of Directors,
THOMAS McDUGALL,
General Manager.

Quebec, October, 1900.

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BOER ACTIVITY.

BELIEF PREVAILS THAT THEY HAVE BEEN REINFORCED.

London, Oct. 30.—The Capetown correspondent of the 'Daily Mail' comments upon the 'astonishing outburst of Boer activity,' and points to the possibility of the Boers having been considerably reinforced. Complaints are being heard in Capetown, he asserts, regarding the 'premature disbanding and dispensing with the services of the various volunteer forces.'

The same correspondent says he learns on the highest authority that the late Prince Christian Victor was playing cricket early last week and that he was then congratulated upon his rapid recovery from enteric fever.

DEWETT DRIVEN OFF.

LOSSES WERE HEAVY, OVER THIRTY BOERS BEING LEFT ON THE FIELD.

Pretoria, via Norval's Pont, Cape Colony, Oct. 30.—Gen. Barton has had considerable success in fighting the Boers at Frederikstad. He had been harassed by Gen. Dewett's men for some time, when he made a sudden attack with the Scots Guards and the Welsh Fusiliers, and scattered the Boers, with severe loss. The British buried over thirty Boers on the field. Several of these had been killed by bayonets, the fighting having been at close quarters.

ABUSE OF THE WHITE FLAG.
Three Boers who raised a white flag and afterwards fired on the British, were captured and tried by court-martial. They were found guilty and sentenced to death, and Lord Roberts approved the sentence. They were shot on the following morning in the presence of the army. It is hoped that this will prove a salutary lesson to the Boers, who have been treacherously using the white flag.

During the march from Barberton Gen. French's command killed, wounded and captured about a hundred Boers. They also captured a great number of cattle and large quantities of stores. Gen. French has now arrived at Heidelberg, which was his objective point. The concession commission has finished its work at Pretoria.

BRITISH OFFICERS.

THEY ARE THE FINEST FIGHTERS IN THE WORLD, SAYS LORD WOLSELEY.

London, Oct. 31.—Field Marshal Lord Wolseley, commander-in-chief of Her Majesty's forces, presided last night at St. James's hall on the occasion of the first lecture by Winston Spencer Churchill, lately a war correspondent in South Africa. The hall was crowded, among those present being Mr. Churchill's mother, Mrs. Cornwallis-West, the Duchess of Devonshire and many other prominent members of society. A number of military men were also present. The egotism of the lecturer provoked laughter, but otherwise he was interesting. He used lantern slides and described the pictures.

Lord Wolseley, in moving a vote of thanks to Mr. Churchill, maintained that the British officer was the finest fighting man in the world and the born leader of men.

PRINCE VICTOR'S LAST WISH.

London, Oct. 31.—A despatch from Pretoria says Prince Christian Victor, a grandson of the Queen, who died on Monday of enteric fever, expressed a wish that he should be buried with his comrades in South Africa. His body will therefore, probably be interred at Pretoria. The Prince was a major in the King's Royal Rifles.

BOTHAVILLE IN RUINS.

Cradock, Cape Colony, Oct. 30.—The Dutch church is the only building left standing in Bothaville, owing to, it is reported, the strong British measures. More Boer women have been deported from Jagersfontein. They were sent to Bloemfontein, where they are imprisoned with others a few miles outside of the city.

All Boers over 14 years old living outside a radius of ten miles from Bloemfontein are being surrounded by British troops, and brought here to prevent their rejoining the commandos.

CANADIAN RED CROSS FUND.

OVER THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND DOLLARS WAS SUBSCRIBED.

Toronto, Oct. 31.—At the last meeting of the council of the Canadian Red Cross Society, held in the office of the president, Lieut.-Col. Ryerson, M.D., a commissioner to South Africa, presented his financial statement and a tabulated list of comforts and supplies furnished to over thirty hospitals, both field and general. Dr. Ryerson also explained the difficulties that must necessarily attend the collection and distribution of such enormous quantities of stores as were furnished by the Red Cross Society alone being close on \$5,000 per week. He explained thoroughly the distribution of the supplies shipped from all parts of Canada, and which the commissioner had bestowed almost exclusively on Canadian sick and wounded.

The honorary treasurer, Dr. J. George Hodgins, presented the audited balance sheet, which shows that the total receipts of the society had been over \$37,000. It was decided to ask the local branches to remit a final statement of receipts and

disbursements, also a list of comforts and supplies forwarded to South Africa. Reports were received from Lieut.-Col. Biggar, the society's representative in South Africa, showing that with the chain of representatives supported by Dr. Ryerson the work of the society is still actively going on, and it is the intention of the council to continue until the return of the Canadian contingents.

A letter has been received from Lord Wantage containing a vote of thanks passed at a meeting of the Central British Red Cross Committee to the Canadian branch, and to Lieut.-Col. Ryerson for his valuable services.

WITHDRAWAL OF CANADIANS.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—Militia orders published to-day contain the following among other notices:—

The following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for the Colonies to His Excellency the Governor-General is published for information:—

'Her Majesty's Government desires to express its thanks to your ministers for intimation conveyed in your telegram of Oct. 19, that Canadian contingents are free to take their discharge in South Africa.'

SMITH DISCHARGED.

Capetown, Oct. 31.—The special tribunal, organized for the trial of persons accused of treason and political offences, rendered a decision not guilty yesterday in the case of Cape Policeman Smith, who was accused of murder, he having shot an inmate of a Dutch farm house at Colesberg, who refused to bring a bribe to him. The defence was that Smith simply obeyed the orders of his superior officer, who admitted his responsibility.

POLICING SOUTH AFRICA.

DIFFICULTY OF OBTAINING RECRUITS MAKES IT IMPOSSIBLE TO DISBAND COLONIAL FORCES.

London, Oct. 31.—A despatch to the 'Standard' from Pretoria says that owing to unexpected difficulty in obtaining recruits for General Baden-Powell's new Transvaal police it has been found impossible to disband several of the colonial volunteers corps though the volunteers were told a few days ago that they would shortly be allowed to return to their homes. The despatch adds that the Household Cavalry and headquarters staff of the Royal Canadian Regiment will start for home Nov. 3.

KRUGER TO TRAVEL INCOG.

STAY IN PARIS WILL NOT EXCEED FORTY-EIGHT HOURS.

Paris, Oct. 30.—The Foreign Office officials believe former President Kruger will travel incognito during his visit to the European capitals, relinquishing it in each city only long enough to permit an exchange of visits between Mr. Kruger and the head of the nation.

His stay in Paris will not exceed 48 hours. The French Government will not offer Mr. Kruger any formal function, though it is expected the city will tender him a demonstration which will be a scene of enthusiasm. The government will not take part in the reception, but will not, however, put any obstacle in the way of private plans of welcome.

MAY VISIT AUSTRALIA.

COLONIAL PREMIERS INVITED TO WITNESS THE INAUGURATION OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Sydney, N.S.W., Oct. 30.—The government has invited the premiers of Canada, Cape Colony and Natal, together with other representatives, to attend the inauguration of the Commonwealth of Australia.

THE ANCIENT CAPITAL.

Quebec, Oct. 31.—The Chicoutimi pulp mills are now employing five hundred hands and turning out over fifty tons of pulp per day. Of the five hundred hands two hundred are employed in the mills and three hundred in the woods.

Some excitement has been created at Grande Mere by the elopement of a married woman named Mrs. Max Winter, with a young man from Three Rivers. She is said to have gone off also with \$500 of her husband's spare cash. A battery of five-inch Howitzers of the most modern type were mounted to-day on the Citadel.

Over fifty thousand dollars' worth of steel, to be utilized in the substructure of the Quebec bridge, has arrived here.

MEDICAL INSPECTIONS.

Ottawa, Oct. 31.—Militia orders yesterday announce that the director-general of the medical services will proceed on a tour of departmental duties and medical inspections of garrisons as follows: Toronto, Oct. 31; London and Woodstock, Nov. 1; Hamilton, Nov. 2; Toronto, Nov. 3; Tete de Pont Barrack and Royal Military College, Kingston, Nov. 5.

NOTED HOSTELRY BURNED.

Springfield, Mass., Oct. 31.—A special to the 'Union,' from Blandford, says the Mountain House, the famous Blandford hostel, was burned to the ground this morning. Loss, \$70,000.

BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE.

Lord Salisbury to Hand Over the Portfolio to the Marquis of Lansdowne.

RUMOR IS ANNOUNCED BY THE 'DAILY TELEGRAPH' AND PARTIALLY CONFIRMED BY THE 'TIMES.'

London, Oct. 30.—The following important announcement appears this morning in the 'Daily Telegraph':—

'We understand that, after mature consideration, Lord Salisbury has decided to resign the foreign secretaryship, which will be transferred to the Marquis of Lansdowne. Although the health of the Prime Minister gives no cause for anxiety we believe that he is largely influenced by the counsel of his medical advisers.'

The 'Times' confirms the statement of the 'Daily Telegraph' that Lord Salisbury will give up the Foreign Office portfolio, but it does not name his successor.

There is little doubt that the 'Daily

papirs are plastic under the training influence of skilful teachers.

In a comparatively new country like this it is of the utmost importance that institutions of learning and courses of study should provide for the thorough education of those who are to follow any profession; and it is no less in the highest interests of the state that the elementary schools should give the best possible education to those children whose school life ends when they leave the public school. A British report on this subject has lately very truly said: 'The progress of the people in wealth and material prosperity must largely depend on the education given in the primary schools.'

In accordance with this view, during recent years the educational authorities in the leading countries of Europe, and also in the United States, have been supplementing the course of study from text books with various forms of manual exercises and object lessons; as after careful consideration they have found that this class of training tends immensely to develop the most useful faculties of the pupils, which are neglected when the education is chiefly of a receptive character from books.

In this age of notable progress in the various fields of human activity, it is not a matter for surprise, that educators should express the opinion, from time to time, that educational methods

whose school days are long past will have an interest in their labors as deep, if not so evident, as that of the boys in their classes.

But, ladies and gentlemen, I would ask you to understand that manual training is not intended to teach any trade or even the elements of any trade as such. Only as the alphabet and the art of reading are necessary to the literature of all the professions, so manual training fits a boy to begin his apprenticeship to any trade with greater aptitude and correspondingly better chances to be a skilful, excellent workman.

I hope it will be understood that manual training does not aim at preparing the pupils to earn their living through manual work, although it does help them in that most honorable and laudable purpose after they take up their life work, whatever it may be. Because the boys like it, it helps to keep them longer at school and thus gains for them a more thorough education in other respects also.

Sir William Macdonald has certainly added another magnificent gift to those he has already conferred upon Canada; and I am sure you will all agree with me that in selecting Professor Robertson to assist him in his great work, he has chosen a man whose ability and perseverance would go far to secure the success of any undertaking and to whom we are deeply indebted for his organization and energy.

We have all heard of the generous gifts of Sir William C. Macdonald to the cause of higher education in Canada; and now he has put the people of Canada under a new debt to him by having placed in the hands of Professor Robertson a sum sufficient to provide manual training for the boys attending the public schools of at least one city or town in every province of Canada for a period of three years. These are expected to serve as object lessons to be observed by all interested. By the end of the present year provision will be made in equipment and instructors for training about five thousand boys and several hundred teachers. One may truly say that the scheme is one of high statesmanship in its plan, methods and endowment.

The fund provides for the training of boys only. We all know that woman-kind is the better half of mankind.

Manual training and practical instruction for girls in schools are not less important than for boys, though the subjects and exercises for girls would naturally be different from those for boys. Such exercises are admirably furnished by courses of study and practice under the heading of domestic science; and it augurs well to know that in other countries domestic science for the girls in the schools has followed close on manual training in woodwork for the boys.

In my opinion it would be impossible to overestimate the value to girls of the training afforded by classes in cooking, laundry work, general household economy and some slight primary acquaintance with first aid to the injured and nursing—knowledge capable of contributing so much to the happiness of the individual, the comfort of the home, and the weal of the country.

Her Excellency the Countess of Minto and myself are greatly delighted with the keen and thoughtful interest with which the movement to introduce domestic science into the schools is already being supported in many quarters. We learn with great satisfaction that it is being favorably considered in and for Ottawa and several other places at the present time, and I can assure you that no one is more deeply interested in the scheme than Lady Minto herself.

Ladies and gentlemen, it is a great pleasure to me to declare the Macdonald manual training schools for Ottawa ready to receive boys for instruction and training; and Lady Minto and I wish them every success in the good work which is expected of them in this community and in Canada.

KING'S DAUGHTERS.

EIGHTH ONTARIO CONVENTION IN SESSION AT KINGSTON.

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 30.—The eighth Ontario convention of the King's Daughters and Sons opened this morning in St. George's Hall with a good attendance of delegates. The morning was spent in routine business. After the convention had been opened by the Dean of Ontario, Miss Grace Nichol, of Kingston, read the welcoming address, to which Miss Gibson, of Ottawa, and Miss Davis, of New York, replied.

At the afternoon session of the King's Daughters, Mayor Minnes delivered an address of welcome on behalf of the city. Mr. Henry Owens extended the welcome of the Christian Endeavor Society; Mrs. MacNish conducted the opening devotions and various county reports, detailing progress, were read. 'Home-making and philanthropy' were discussed by Principal Ellis, of the Collegiate Institute and a heart-to-heart Bible talk was given by Mrs. Dickson, of New York. Mrs. Austen reported that the provincial branch of the order had been incorporated under the Religious Societies' act.

LANDED IN PERFECT CONDITION.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—The Department of Agriculture has received a cablegram from its agent in Liverpool and Manchester, stating the shipment of tender fruits, made in cold storage per steamship 'Manchester City,' from Montreal, Oct. 15, has been landed in perfect condition.

ANGLO-GERMAN AGREEMENT

ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED STATES AND RUSSIA.

Berlin, Oct. 30.—The answer of the United States Government to the Anglo-German agreement has not yet arrived here, but an official of the German Foreign Office informed the correspondent of the Associated Press to-day that Germany was aware of what the answer would be, namely, a full acceptance of clauses one and two.

Bishop Anzer, the German missionary bishop in the province of Shantung, has arrived in Peking, where he will meet the German minister, Dr. Mun von Schwartzstein, with his valuable advice. Six fathers connected with the Steyl missions have joined the German troops in China as official interpreters.

From official despatches it is ascertained that the disturbances in Shantung are now quelled and the construction of the Shantung Railway has been resumed. The section from Kiaoohan to Tientsin will be completed by next spring.

The 'National Zeitung' says: 'The report that Mr. Conger has received orders to act under certain conditions, independently of the other ministers in Peking, is false. The ministers, among themselves, without consulting the Chinese plenipotentiaries, intend to establish complete unanimity regarding the conditions to be imposed on the Chinese.'

RUSSIA RATHER INDEFINITE.

London, Oct. 30.—Russia's reply to the Anglo-German agreement was received at the Foreign Office this evening. It is generally as heretofore outlined. The officials of the British Foreign Office do not regard the Russian note as adequate treatment of the points raised in the Anglo-German agreement note. They say the Russian reply lacks the definiteness so desired by Lord Salisbury.

The forecast referred to showed that Russia unreservedly accepted the first two clauses, as establishing principles she herself had already advocated. Concerning clause three, she simply referred the two contracting parties to the Russian circular of Aug. 25, saying that she would modify her attitude according to circumstances. The fourth clause was very curtly dismissed, with the remark that it did not call for comment.

POWDER MAGAZINE EXPLODES.

Shanghai, Oct. 30.—The 'Daily News' reports that a powder magazine at Nanking has been exploded by lightning and that many persons were killed or injured and much property was destroyed.

STIRRING UP TROUBLE.

EMPRESS DOWAGER IS STILL PLOTTING.

London, Oct. 31.—Most serious trouble, says the Shanghai correspondent of the 'Daily Express,' is brewing in the Yangtze region, whither the Empress Dowager has sent emissaries to raise powerful armed bodies to exterminate converts and expel foreigners. She has appointed Yu Chuan, a notoriously anti-foreign general, to be military governor of the Yangtze district.

PAOTING MASSACRE.

GUILTY CHINESE OFFICIALS TO BE ARRESTED.

Paotingfu, China, Oct. 24.—The international commission which is inquiring into the massacre of the foreigners here, has ordered the arrest of three Chinese officials.

An Italian lieutenant, while reconnoitering in the hills with 16 men, was surrounded by Boxers. A rescue force composed of 150 British and 60 Italian cavalrymen will leave to-night to drive off the Chinese.

ANOTHER CASE OF PLAGUE.

London, Oct. 30.—The local government board announces the discovery of a sailor who is recovering from a malady of the 'nature of plague,' on board the British steamer Ben Lobo, which arrived at London from Cebu, Philippine Islands, on Oct. 26. The steamer and all on board have been disinfected. The patient is detained at a hospital near the mouth of the Thames.

RUMOR WAS GROUNDLESS.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Oct. 30.—There is no truth in the report which reached New York from Kingston, Jan. 1st, President T. Simon Sam, of Hayti, died suddenly recently.

FAILED TO REACH DAWSON.

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 31.—E. J. Dela- mare, the Frenchman who undertook to make the Franchinay to Dawson in an air-ride from Skegway to Dawson, returned on an automobile and failed, returned on Monday on the steamer 'Amur.' He brings day one of his claims in the Klondike nuggets valued at \$800.

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