

TELEGRAPHIC.

THE C. P. R.

The Lake Superior Section to be Opened on the 15th Inst.—Track-laying in the Rockies Nearly Complete.

TORONTO, Oct. 8.—It is officially announced that the opening of the Lake Superior section of the Canadian Pacific Railway for freight business will take place on Sunday, the 15th, but regular trains will not commence to run before Monday, the 2nd of November.

QUEBEC.

Utilizing Montmorency Falls—Government Aid to Labrador Fisheries—A Terrible Tale of Suffering—Cabinet Ministers in Quebec.

QUEBEC, October 8.—The experiment of working the electric light by motive power from Montmorency Falls has been so successful that the company are now working all their lights from that source.

The inquiry into the Megantic election has been adjourned to the 13th inst. Sir A. P. Caron and the Hon. Jno. Costigan arrived here this morning and were present at the Quebec County exhibition, which was a great success.

OTTAWA.

Thanksgiving Day—Warrants Issued—Halifax Recorder Appointed—An Indian Difficulty Settled—Important Timber Limit Sale.

OTTAWA, Oct. 8.—R. S. Woods, Q.C., of Chatham, Ont., has been appointed county court judge for the County of Kent, Ont.

HAMILTON.

Reduction in Canal Tolls—Canadian Baseball League.

HAMILTON, Ont., Oct. 8.—The Collector of the Port of Hamilton has notified that for the rest of the present season the tolls to be collected on vessels passing through the Burlington Canal will be at the rate of one-third of a cent per ton.

LONDON NOTINGS.

Arraigned For Child Murder—Fruit Exhibit at the Colonial Exhibition—Smallpox Quarantine.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—At the Police Court this morning, Bridget Gallagher came up on the charge of child murder, and after the evidence had been heard, she was remanded till the 12th inst.

THE WELAND MYSTERY.

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50 square miles each, with shanties and stables, were sold to J.R. Booth for \$84,500. The ten lots on the list were Nos. 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, and 45, in all 4664 square miles.

TORONTO.

A Probable Murder—A Bookkeeper in Trouble—Flinging a Bomb—Meeting of E. E. Loyall's—A Presentation of an Insurance Company Defeated.

TORONTO, October 8.—About three weeks ago Frank Emmett and James Coffey were arrested early this morning charged with murder.

C. H. Symons, bookkeeper for P. Burns, coal merchant, was this morning committed for trial on a charge of stealing the account books of his employer.

John Lennan, a Yonge street masher, was arrested last night for accosting ladies on the street and using insulting language to them.

The inquest on the body of James Coffey who died of the effects of injuries inflicted by Edward Emmett, was opened to-night but adjourned till tomorrow night after one witness had been examined.

A meeting of the United Empire Loyalists was held here this afternoon, when a committee was appointed for the purpose of organizing a Canadian Historical Society.

T. E. P. Thew, assistant manager of this branch of the Merchants' Bank, was to-day presented with a well-filled purse of gold by the customers of the Bank.

A Life Insurance case was tried at the Civil Assizes to-day. In December, 1883, George Miller, a farmer, insured in the Confederation Life Insurance Company for \$10,000 on the endowment plan for twenty years.

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was found in a freight car on the M. C. Railway at the junction here. On proceeding to the place the body was found lying in the centre of the car. It was found to be that of a man, respectfully dressed, about 30 or 35 years of age, dark complexion, dark hair and moustache, eyes greyish in color, had on dark coat, vessel and pants, a Christy stiff hat, height about five feet ten inches.

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UNITED STATES TELEGRAMS.

Cardinal McCloskey Not Expected to Live Many Hours.

Two Wall Street Brokers Join the Canadian Colony.

A Half Million Dollar Fire in San Francisco.

THE CARDINAL VENERABLE.

NEW YORK, October 8.—Cardinal McCloskey still lies at the point of death, and his life may end at any moment. His vital powers are slowly ebbing away, for there is no dread disease or fatal malady to be checked or to hasten his end.

There was no serious change in the Cardinal's condition during Tuesday night. His sleep was fitful and after each nap he awoke with a feverish start and the tell-tale languor preceding death was noticeable.

When Dr. Keyes made his first visit to his patient, at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, he found him little changed. He was somewhat weaker and his face a trifle more pale, but bearing no marks of pain or of suffering.

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THE FRENCH ELECTIONS.

Success of the Reactionaries not a Menace to the Republic.

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KING ALFONSO'S CONSORT.

An Unpopular Austrian Woman Who Has High Notions of Castle, etc.

Paris Letter to London Truth: King Alfonso is the most popular member of his family, and he would be very popular if his wife's head was not stuffed with silly Court-of-Austrian notions and if her attachment to her mother tongue was not so great that she is never happy when conversing in any other.

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QUESTIONS ANSWERED!!!!

Ask the most eminent physician. Of any school, what is the best thing in the world for allaying all irritation of the nerves, and curing all forms of nervous complaints, giving a natural, childlike refreshing sleep always?

And they will tell you unhesitatingly "Some 'm of Hops!!!!"

CHAPTER I. Ask any or all the most eminent physicians.

"What is the only remedy that can be relied on to cure all diseases of the kidneys and urinary organs; Bright's disease, diabetes, retention, or inability to retain urine, and all the diseases and ailments peculiar to women?"

"And they will tell you explicitly and emphatically 'Buchu!!!!'

Ask the same physicians. "What is the most reliable and surest cure for all liver diseases or dyspepsia, constipation, indigestion, biliousness, malaria, fever, ague, etc., and they will tell you.

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CHAPTER II. "Almost dead or nearly dying" For years, and given up by physicians, of Bright's and other kidney diseases, liver complaints, severe coughs, called consumption, have been cured.

"Women gone nearly crazy!!!!" From agony of neuralgia, nervousness, wakefulness, and various diseases peculiar to women.

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"Suffering, blood poisoning, dyspepsia, indigestion, and, in fact, almost all diseases from."

Nature is her to. Have been cured by Hop Bitters, proof of which can be found in every neighborhood in the known world.

—A young Harvard man who was traveling in England this summer was asked by a gentleman in Birmingham if Boston were not the seat of the American Parliament. He replied promptly: "Yes, it was up to the beginning of the Christian era, when it was transferred to St. Paul, Minn., in honor of the apostle who converted the Minnesotans."

—Lon is a wee lassie of four summers, with a quaint use of English. The intermittent tooting of a locomotive caused her to clap her chubby hands to her ears with a funny little frown expressive of disgust. "What's the matter, Lon?" her mother asked.

"No, I'm fastening out that crooked noise."

"The other day she was asked whether she would rather go boat-riding to the island or spend the afternoon with grandmamma.

"I want to go both where," was the prompt reply.

"That's exactly what I'm going to do myself," she said as she looked up from the novel she was reading on the ferry-boat the other afternoon.

"What?" languidly queried Gawge.

"Elope. I'm going to let myself down by a rope ladder."

"Aw?"

"And you'll be on hand to receive me?"

"Aw?"

"And we'll flee together and be married?"

"Aw?"

"And return and fall upon our knees and be forgiven?"

"Aw?"

"O, Gawge; promise me that we will do so!"

"Gawn't do it."

"But why?"

"It will cost \$2 for a rope ladder. To flee in a hack would cost \$4 more. The preacher's fee would be \$3, and it would cost something to ride back home. Gawn't do it, my dear. Everything must be in the regular way, even to your father tipping the clergyman."

"But, Gawge, my dear, if I should furnish the bowdler."





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The Montreal Herald.

FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 9.

CONCERNING RIEL.

From present appearances it would seem almost safe to predict that Riel's fate depends on the decision that may be arrived at by the Privy Council.

while he was here. Nothing was gained by a French mob attacking THE HERALD building, still less by the language of the French press and its co-workers, the pamphleteers.

As regards Riel's fate, the people of Quebec Province seem to show less feeling on the subject than formerly, while in Ontario we hear less of a bloodthirsty character in the press and at public gatherings than was the case some weeks ago.

LE GRAND VICAIRE.

L'Etendard of the 7th instant devotes nearly the whole of its editorial matter to THE HERALD and "the English."

"Deny the following if you dare: Is it true, yes or no, that the French is as well as the English, the official language of Canada?"

It is true, yes or no, that all we French-Canadian citizens of the Province of Quebec, especially in the city of Montreal, have a right to replies in the French language from all public employees of English tongue who here crowd the offices of the Federal and Local Governments?

And when the majority of our English public servants, in a Province almost exclusively of the French language, does not know how to speak the French language, or is unwilling to do so, is there one out of one hundred French Canadians in the Civil Service who cannot or will not speak English?

The upshot of the Grand Vicair's grievance, then, is plainly this: Not that the French language is not spoken, but that the English language is spoken!

Now we understand L'Etendard. We comprehend his wishes—they lie in a nutshell. All the Grand Vicair wishes is that in this Province the speaking of English be suppressed.

One cannot be too serious with a man, even with a Grande Vicair, who seriously proposes the suppression of the English language in a British Province.

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Languevin, the Chapleau, the Carons, and other who have been made Ministers and given titles? Why not make out that the cause of religion was sadly betrayed when the Grand Vicair was passed over and left to bite his thumbs at the fortunate ones.

But, however much L'Etendard and the Grande Vicair may amuse us and "the English" generally, we really cannot think of recognizing him as the mouth-piece of the French-Canadian people.

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THE RURAL DISTRICTS.

The smallpox has been carried from Montreal to probably scores of places. Some of these are well organized cities and municipalities, where the disease is skilfully and successfully handled.

The "Post" has interviewed a young man who has been discharged from St. Roch's Hospital, and who says:—"The attendance by the nuns he described as most assiduous and motherly. During the night, he said, he had only seen one male attendant, and to this point we would direct the attention of the Health Committee."

The point is, who does the nursing? Who visits the patients at their bedside? The nuns clearly cannot do this, with their limited numbers; it is absurd to expect it.

THE FAIR AT SHERBROOKE.

The account which we publish in another column of the satisfactory result of the first annual exhibition of the Eastern Townships Agricultural Association, at Sherbrooke, is calculated to place the agricultural and stock resources of the Eastern Townships in a very favorable light.

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Well, have it your own way. But, pray, tell us why the thirteen members of the Board should not include three or four medical men and sanitary engineers? Why are the persons best qualified to give good advice in the emergency not there?

enterprising and thorough-going breeders and farmers as the Hon. Messrs. Cochrane and Pope, set to work to get up an Exhibition that would be a credit to the Eastern Townships, they were bound to succeed.

IRISH LANDLORDS.

We find the following in an Irish journal of recent date:—

MEETING OF SOUTHERN LANDLORDS.—At Cork, on Saturday, a preliminary meeting of the landlords of the county was held to take into consideration the difficulty of obtaining rents and the situation of the county generally.

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To the entire country—was confined principally to the manufacturers of Sherbrooke and district, to whom great praise is due for ingenuity, superiority of finish and material.

Messrs. Tucke and Mitchell and others, the largest hardware merchants of Sherbrooke exhibited an extensive assortment of general hardware carriage and wagon material.

MONTREAL HUNT STEEPCHASES. The first meeting a great success—'Sir Archie,' 'Allandale' and 'Wishmay' the winners.

The events in connection with the first day of the Fall meeting of the Montreal Hunt came off yesterday at Lepine Park, and will be remembered as a red letter day in the club's history.

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THE MEETING ON SATURDAY. The meeting on Saturday promises to be a very attractive and successful one.

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Tenders for Cattle Markets. SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Cattle Markets," will be received in the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, until Noon on TUESDAY, the 12th of October instant, for the erection of the several buildings required for the accommodation of cattle at the Eastern Abattoir Market.

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A CARDINAL DYING.

No Hope of a Prolongation of Cardinal McCloskey's Life—Administering the Last Rites—A Message from the Pope.

It was a very anxious day at Cardinal McCloskey's residence in the rear of the Cathedral yesterday. The Cardinal had passed a fair night, but to the anxious watchers there was no sign of an improvement. Indeed, it seemed that he was weaker, and the attendant priests there deemed it advisable to administer extreme unction—which is the last rite of the Catholic Church. The Chancellor and Vicar General of the diocese, Mgr. T. G. Preston, was the ministering priest. Among those present were Archbishop Corrigan, Bishop Loughlin, of Brooklyn; Vicar General Quinn, Mgr. Farley, Dr. McDonnell, the Cardinal's private secretary, Father Daubresse, S. J., and the priests of the Cathedral.

The venerable prelate received the last sacrament with a piety, a composure, a calm resignation of himself into the hands of his Maker that profoundly impressed those who stood around his bedside. Before the solemn ceremony was concluded a despatch from the Pope was received, expressing his deep sorrow, and giving the apostolic blessing.

A MESSAGE FROM ROME.

The despatch was signed by Cardinal Jacobini, and read thus:—"Gravis moeror Summi Pontificis benedictione concessa."

When the message was read to the dying priest a happy smile overcame his wasted features, and he murmured his grateful acknowledgments of the thoughtfulness and kindness of the Holy Father. Then he folded his hands upon his breast and seemed absorbed in silent prayer.

The Cardinal had taken little or no nourishment, and as the day wore on it became evident that his condition was much worse. Toward four o'clock his breath came short and fast, and the watchers thought his last hour had arrived. It was but a sudden turn, however, and within twenty minutes he regained the strength—such as it was—that he previously had. From that hour there was no special change in His Eminence. He lay very quiet, making scarcely any motion and feebly answering the questions his attendants put to him when they thought he needed something.

THE CALLERS.

At first mass in all the churches of the diocese the announcement was made of the Cardinal's illness and prayers were recited for him. The publication of the news in the Herald led to a large number of visitors to the episcopal palace to inquire about his condition. By far the greater number were priests, not a few of whom came from New Jersey, Brooklyn and the adjacent suburbs. Among the cards received were those of Mr. Eugene Kelly, Mayor Grace and many other prominent Catholics of the city.

A few days ago the Cardinal spoke to one of the priests about the Cathedral and its completion. It seemed to afford His Eminence the greatest satisfaction that he had lived to see this fine church opened and dedicated to the worship of God. No one had been more deeply interested in its erection or more zealous in forwarding the work. It was, so to speak, his darling project, and the priest remarked that it was a fitting crown to a long life of usefulness, holiness and unbounded charity to all men. Last Sunday as he lay upon his sick bed the sweet strains of the choir at high mass floated into his chamber, reminding him that one of the greatest works and highest hopes of his life was completed. The thought made him happy, and his proximity to the stately pile had helped to rear give him such peace and comfort that he could not refrain from giving expression to his feelings to those around him.

THE LAST MEDICAL REPORT.

Dr. Keys called twice yesterday. Of course, he could do nothing more for the sick Cardinal, whose days were numbered. The prelate had lived the allotted three score and ten and more, and in his younger days he had not spared his health and strength in doing good to others. Dr. Keys made his last visit at half-past nine o'clock p. m. The physician said he found no change in the six hours that had passed since his previous visit, and did not expect that there would be any for six or eight hours to come.

THE CARDINAL'S SUCCESSOR.

Mgr. Preston said he had no hope of the Cardinal's recovery. He looked upon him as an ecclesiastic whose reputation was world-wide. Mgr. Preston was questioned about the Cardinal's successor. He replied that Archbishop Corrigan was Cardinal McCloskey's coadjutor Bishop, who would of right succeed him in the archiepiscopate. There would be no necessity to apply to the Pope for confirmation. The news in the house keep watch all night and leave each other in the small chapel in praying for His Eminence.

TWO NOTED MINSTRELS.

Who Have Won Fortunes and What They Say About Stage Life. From Stage Whispers. "Billy" Emerson has recently made a phenomenal success in Australia, and is rich. Emerson was born at Belfast in 1846. He began his career with Joe Swaine's minstrels in Washington in 1867. Later on he jumped into prominence in connection with Newcomb's minstrels with whom he visited Germany. He visited Australia in 1874 and on his return to America joined Haverly's minstrels in San Francisco at \$100 a week and expenses. With this troupe he played before her majesty, the Queen, the Prince of Wales, and royally generally. After this trip he leased the Standard theatre, San Francisco, where for three years he did the largest business ever known to minstrelsy. In April last he went to Australia, where he has been the recipient of a fortune. "Billy" is a very handsome fellow, an excellent singer, dances gracefully, and is a true humorist. "Yes, sir, I have traveled all over the world, have met all sorts of people, come in contact with all sorts of customs, and had all sorts of experiences. One must have a constitution like a locomotive to stand it." "Yes, I know I seem to bear it like a major and I do, but I tell you candidly that with the perpetual change of diet, water and climate, if I had not maintained my vigor with regular use of Warner's safe cure I should have gone under long ago."

and so has Primrose, because they have not squandered the public's "favors."

YAP.

So much attention has, during the past few days, been directed to the Caroline Islands in general, and the Yap group in particular, that a few notes on their discovery, extent, geographical position, inhabitants and commerce will, we think, be acceptable to those of our readers who may be unacquainted with the geography of this portion of the globe. The first notice of the discovery of the Caroline Islands was given to the Portuguese navigator, Diego de Roche, in 1528, and they were named by him the Sequeira Isles. There seems, however, to be some doubt if the islands then discovered were not a group farther to the westward. In 1543 Villalobos discovered the Palau islands; and in 1565 Legaspi saw other islands in the neighborhood, and which probably belonged to the same group; but none of these discoveries can be recognized with any degree of certainty. These islands were afterwards visited by Sir Francis Drake in 1579, and by Quiros in 1595. It was not until 1693 that they were taken possession of by the Spanish Admiral, Don Francisco de Lascano, who called them the Islas Carolinas, in honor of his sovereign, Charles II. Since then his name has been adopted for all the islands, which lie between lat. 3 deg. 45 min. N. and 10 deg. 25 min. N., and between long. 137 deg. 10 min. E. and 163 deg. 25 min. E. The name of the Nuevas Filipinas has also been applied to them, but has long been in disuse. Among the more complete early accounts of the Caroline Islands is that by the Jesuit Juan Antonio Cantova, who visited several of the islands in 1721, and during his second voyage thither, 1723, he killed at the Island of Moegoo. It is chiefly the voyage of Capt. DuRoi in the French ship La Coquille, in 1825, and the surveys of Rear-Admiral Lutke in the Russian corvette La Senavine, and the works of Captain Cheyne, and Gulick of the Hawaiian mission, that we owe our present geographical knowledge of the Caroline Islands, for, though there are at the present time several white settlers in the Yap group acting as agents for English and German houses, they have done little to furnish us with further information. Such is a brief account of the discovery of the Caroline group. The island, however, to which attention is at present chiefly directed is Yap, or Yap. It differs considerably from any other island in the group, inasmuch as it is larger and has a different soil, probably being of volcanic origin. It is, strictly speaking, not an island, but three, as the northern portion is intersected in two places by narrow channels. The northern half of the island is traversed by a ridge, which at one point attains an altitude of about 1,100 feet; the southern portion is flat, covered with underwood, above which rise numerous cocoanut palms; and we doubt not that many of our readers will be somewhat surprised when they are informed that this island, for the possession of which Germany and Spain were so nearly coming to loggerheads, is only seventeen miles long, with an average breadth of four miles—about half as large as the Isle of Wight—and that the value of the whole of its produce would not be sufficient to pay the expenses of a small cruiser to protect the engaged trade. The navigation is extremely dangerous, and its position is by no means exceptionally advantageous for the purposes of a coaling station. The native population is estimated at 10,000. They are a fine-featured race, of light copper complexion, with long, wavy hair, and tucked up in the form of a knot by the side of the head. The dress worn by the men is very scanty; but the females are decently clad, their dress consisting of a petticoat formed of long grass, or banana fibre. Both men and women wear hats made of palm leaves, which they have woven by the Chinese. The implements of warfare in use among these people, are knives, clubs, slings, and stones. The natives of Yap are now peacefully inclined to the white traders; but not long ago they were notorious for their cunning and treachery, having murdered several crews of vessels, whom they had succeeded in surprising. Viewed from the sea the island has a pleasant aspect, being interspersed with many houses, and villages with regularly laid-out streets. Most of these are situated near the shore, amongst groves of cocoanut, bread fruit, and betel nut trees. Each village has a large paved square, where the chiefs assemble for consultation; and the houses, which are well constructed, having their sides covered in with wicker work, and their roofs thatched with palm leaves, form an oblong, of which the square is the centre. Owing to the scarcity of large timber, the natives get their houses built in the open air. They are sometimes as much as seventy feet long, and are constructed with very small planks, sewed together. The bottom is formed like a wedge, and the keel being crescent-shaped, they draw a good deal of water. They are very weatherly, and sail exceedingly fast in smooth water. Though Spain claims the sovereignty over these islands she has no trade with them, either direct or indirect, neither have surveys of late years been made by any Spanish officers; her sole claim seems to rest on their discovery, but even here it is doubtful if the Caroline Islands were ever formally taken possession of by her officers; as a fact, all trade is in the hands of Englishmen and Germans, the staple articles being copra and beche-de-mer. The climate is described as being remarkably pleasant; and though hurricanes are unknown, strong south-west gales prevail towards the close of the monsoon season, late in August and September. This is also the season of very light winds, when sailing vessels experience great difficulty and some danger in getting about amongst the islands. 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**CITY NEWS.**

**CIVIC COMMITTEES.**—Meetings of the City Hall and Fire Committees will be held at 3 p.m. to-day.

**DOING WELL.**—Constable Proulx, of the Ste. Cenevogue Police, who was so seriously injured by roughs some time ago, is doing well and is able to go about.

**RETURNED.**—Mr. Alphonse Oumet, one of the members of the Medis Glains Investigating Commission, has returned to the city after an absence of three months.

**ACCIDENT.**—A man named Pierre Cite was admitted into the Notre Dame Hospital yesterday afternoon on account of injuries sustained in a fall from a barn at St. Philippe.

**RECORDED'S COURT.**—Miles Davis was mulcted in \$10 and costs yesterday morning for beating his wife. Twelve other persons were fined or sentenced for drunkenness or vagrancy.

**WHY?**—A drunken man was taken into the Central Police Station yesterday afternoon with his face covered with blood and his pockets filled with stones. Is this stone carrying a mania?

**INCIDENT FIRES.**—The brigade were called yesterday morning for an incident fire at 483 St. Denis street occupied by Mr. Ludger Clement, and in another house at the corner of Roy and Drolet streets.

**SERVICES RECOGNIZED.**—The Montreal Rolling Mills Co. through its President, Mr. Charles Watson, has forwarded \$25 to Chief Patton for services rendered by the Montreal Fire Brigade at the fire in the rolling mills.

**CORONER'S INQUEST.**—The Coroner held an inquest yesterday morning on the late Mrs. V. Picard, who died suddenly on the previous evening. Dr. Roy declared she had died of heart disease and a verdict in consequence was given.

**ACCIDENT.**—Mr. Geo. H. Hunt, of the G.T.R., met with a painful accident on Wednesday evening as he was leaving the train at St. Lambert. It being very dark he fell over a pile of loose planks and broke his shoulder blade.

**MISSING.**—Superintendent Doyle, of the Chicago Police, has sent a note to the Chief of Police, asking him to be on the lookout for two boys named Jesse and Charles Irwin, who have run away from home and are supposed to be in Montreal.

**FIRE ALARM KEYS.**—Constables on duty at an early hour yesterday morning report that they attempted to sound alarms for an incident fire at 132 Murray street, but boxes 45 and 46 could not be opened owing to defective keys. The matter needs looking after.

**BOARD OF NOTARIES.**—The semi-annual session of the Board of Notaries was convened yesterday, the meeting being a private one. A number of candidates were examined for practice and study. It is probable that the session will close to-morrow afternoon.

**IN COURT.**—The case of the Pioneer Beet Root Sugar Co. vs. L. A. Senecal, for \$10,000 for unpaid calls, was heard yesterday in the Superior Court before Mr. Justice Jette, Mr. Robertson, Q.C., for the company, and Mr. F. X. Archambault, Q.C., for the defendant.

**ALDERMAN DOINGS.**—Alderman Beausoleil yesterday inspected Bonsecours market with a view of reporting on the repairs needed to be done. Alderman Jeannotte intends on Monday to ask that the evidence taken at the late City Hall investigation be printed for the use of members.

**LAMP EXPLOSION.**—The alarm at 615 p.m. yesterday from box 64 was for a fire which was supposed to have broken out in the house 64 Bonsecours street. It was, however, discovered that the scare was caused by the explosion of a coal oil lamp, the flames being extinguished before any further damage was done.

**THEATRICAL ENTERPRISE.**—The continued dull season has, it appears, contributed to awaken renewed enterprise in the managers of the Theatre Royal. During the present week this theatre has circulated no less than 3,300 lithographs and handbills, aggregating a half-ton in weight. The duty alone was over \$200.

**HE WAS THIRSTY.**—Early yesterday morning an old man, an immigrant, was taken in to the extent of \$100 by a confidence operator at the Bonaventure depot. Accord to the old man's story he had given a stranger a \$100 bill to go and get something to drink, believing at the time that it was a \$1 bill. Sergt. Charbonneau has the matter in hand.

**MYSTERIOUS DISAPPEARANCE.**—Chicago papers mention the mysterious disappearance of Mr. W. E. Esdaille, of that city, and manager of the firm of Robt. Warren & Co. He was last seen wandering around

the shores of Lake Michigan. Mr. Esdaille is a brother of Mr. W. E. Esdaille, of this city, and much anxiety exists among his friends as to his whereabouts.

**THE ARTILLERY COMPETITION.**—The results in the annual artillery competition this year plainly points to the Montreal Field Battery team as the probable winners of the Governor-General's Cup, the score being as follows:—Montreal Field Battery, 562 points; Richmond Field Battery, 534; Hamilton Field Battery, 469; "B" Battery, 476; and Toronto Field Battery, 474. The announcement of the award will likely be made known within a very few days.

**THE RIEL DEFENCE.**—The secretary of the Riel Defence Committee in this city has addressed a communication to the Minister of Justice informing him of the departure of Mr. Fitzpatrick to argue the case before the Privy Council, and requesting that the time of the reprieve be extended. It is stated that Mr. Chas. Russell, Q.C., the well known English barrister, has studied the points raised and considers them very well taken. It is also said his services have been retained in the matter.

**BANQUETTED BY HIS FRIENDS.**—The friends of Mr. R. Forget, of the firm of L. J. Forget & Co., stock brokers, who is to be married on the 12th inst., entertained him at a banquet at St. Lawrence Hall last evening. Covers were laid for 60. Mr. C. D. Giroux, of the Hochelaga Bank, occupied the chair, and Messrs. J. R. Barclay and A. C. Parent the vice-chairs. Speeches were delivered by Messrs. Giroux, Barclay, Parent, C. H. St. Louis, L. T. Forget, A. Terroux and Capt. Ostell, and a reply was made by the guest. "God Save the Queen" was sung at midnight.

**WEDDING BELLS.**—Mr. Chas. Handy-side, of the Allan Line, was united in matrimony to Miss M. A. Robertson, daughter of Dr. Robertson, at St. Andrew's Que., on Wednesday. The bride was attended by Miss Frances Barnston, of Montreal, and the best man was Mr. D. B. Macpherson, of this city. Ven. Archdeacon Lonsdale officiated. Mr. F. Colson, of Ottawa, presided at the organ. The wedding presents were numerous and costly and included a handsome clock with chimes, presented by the Montreal staff of the Allan Line.

**ACTION DISMISSED.**—In the Superior Court, yesterday morning, the suit of Christmas vs. Robertson was dismissed with costs. It appeared that an insurance was effected on the life of Mr. J. H. Isaacson through Mr. Flanagan, the agent of the Lancashire Insurance Company. Mr. Christmas, however, claimed that he had secured the risk and demanded his commission. The Court, however, decided that he had failed to substantiate his claim, and consequently dismissed the case.

**CAVALRYMEN ACCUSED.**—Mr. Barre, wine merchant, of this city has laid a complaint at the Brigade Office against three cavalrymen, whom he accuses of having purposely broken his carriage and injured his coachman. It is stated by him that on Wednesday evening his carriage was standing on the corner of Mount Royal Avenue and St. Denis street, when three cavalrymen came up and one of them backed up his horse against the carriage and upset it, throwing the coachman to the ground. It is further claimed that no explanation was given but rather that the volunteers used abusive language. He asks for an investigation into the matter.

**COUPEL OF THE BAR.**—A private meeting of the members of the Council of the Bar of this Province was held yesterday in the Grand Jury room in the Court House. It is understood that a number of proposed amendments regarding law examinations were considered. In the evening the visiting members were entertained at the City Club by the Hon. Mr. Mercier, the Batonnier, and the Montreal bar and among those present were Hon. F. Langelier, Mayor of Quebec, Mr. Brown, of Sherbrooke, representing the St. Francis district, Hon. R. Laflamme, Q.C., Mr. M. M. Tait, Q.C., Mr. S. Pagnuelo, Q.C., Mr. F. L. Beique and a few others. A very pleasant evening was spent in social intercourse, no speechmaking being indulged in.

**AN OFFICER ATTACKED.**—Capt. Stevenson, of No. 5 Battery, M.G.A., was attacked as he left the Armory of his brigade late last night by three roughs, one of whom struck him a blow in the side under which he staggered for a moment. Recovering he placed himself in an attitude of defence, and when the man approached him again, the captain got in a blow full on his face, when he made a motion as if to draw a revolver; the captain, making a similar motion, told him that if he did not drop his hand he would blow his brains out. Capt. Stevenson, however, was not armed, and while the trio entered into a moment's consultation he walked on rapidly and overtook some friends. The men had followed him, but when he turned towards them again two made off, including the man who had struck him. He seized the third by the throat and after giving him a dose, consisting of three parts shaking and one part good advice, he let him go.

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**WINDSOR HOTEL.**—Justice Taschereau, Mrs. Taschereau, Miss Taschereau, Miss A. Taschereau, Ottawa; A. J. Lawson, Hamilton; L. Baugnies, E. Baugnies, G. Baugnies, Perwez, Belgium; A. Busby, Moncton, N.B.; A. MacLennan, Ottawa; W. H. Nichols, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Duncan Kinross, Vancouver; C. Welch, Montreal; Price G. Bottrill, Beausoleil; Alex. Bogg, London; Eng.; Robert M. Salmon, New York.

**AMUSEMENTS.**

**Theatre Royal.**—Another good house greeted "A Celebrated Case" at the Royal last evening. The performance was in every respect a satisfactory one. This afternoon and evening "Hamlet" will be given, and there is every reason to believe that playgoers will not be disappointed. For to-morrow afternoon and evening "Damon and Pythias" are announced.

**Lyall Opera House.**—Bartley Campbell's great drama "A Galley Slave" will hold the boards on the occasion of the re-opening of this popular family resort on Monday evening. The company is a strong one, and the enterprise shown by the management deserves encouragement at the hands of the theatre-going public.

**"THE DANITES."**—The popular American drama "The Danites" will be produced every afternoon and evening at the Royal next week by the Wellesley and Sterling company, commencing on Monday afternoon. The company is highly spoken of by exchanges and the play is well known to the public, who are the best judges of its merits. The Troy Tunes says of the performance:—"The cast is a long one, and no part of it is neglected. The people in the company are all good; we have seldom seen better. Harry M. Brown, the 'Lumber Jim' of the story, 'caught on' with the audience in great shape, and won the favor of all. W. E. Sterling as 'the Judge' made up in good taste and proved himself a first-class comedian. Miss Pauline Duffield took the best of care of a part which depicted her as a rough girl in the mines, and she made friends in the audience at once. George Fisher, as the Chinaman, handled his cue, his lines and his feet, all with equal effect and skill. Not the least important attraction in the 'Danites' are the three magnificent St. Bernard dogs which appear in every scene, and give several exhibitions of their intelligence and sagacity. In the last act the great beautiful fellow, Sultan, figures as the destroyer of the last remaining Danite, and when the powerful brute fairly picks the man up in his teeth it seems as if the house would rend itself with cheers."

**Judie in "La Femme a Papa."**—Says the New York Herald of Tuesday:—"In 'La Femme a Papa,' which was seen for the first time at Wallace's Theatre last evening, Mme. Judie is possibly seen at her very best. The part fits her down to the very ground. Again she impersonates 'a young girl fresh from the convent,' and again she sings a number of *riqué* songs in a manner so deliciously naive and so delicately suggestive, withal, that the effect even on people not conversant with the French language is simply entrancing. In this special act of enacting a song—"dire une chanson," as the French say—she stands unrivalled at the present day. Her audiences are beginning to recognize this fact slowly, possibly, but surely, just as they are commencing to see that Mme. Judie must be measured by a standard essentially different from the one which has hitherto been applied to French actresses engaged in the same field."

If Mme. Judie does not indulge in winks and kicks it is not because she is unable to, but rather because such proceedings are wholly foreign to her artistic temperament and convictions. It has already become evident that if an audience will not rise to her own level she positively refuses to descend to a lower plane of art. Fortunately Mme. Judie is already beginning to give it all her own way. Nearly all the points of her acting, bearing, possibly, the most delicately suggestive ones, were quickly caught and applauded by the house last night. How exceedingly fine and intelligent an artist Mme. Judie really is was proven by the way in which she enacted the drunken scene occurring in the second act of the play, in which many comely actresses would unfortunately become unpleasantly vulgar.

Not so Mme. Judie. She demonstrated that she is not a kind of creature that is thrown through in a manner that is not alone discreet, but at once realistic and refined. In this particular scene, as well as in the famous "chanson militaire," she was applauded to the echo.

**Mary Anderson's Arrival in New York.**—Mary Anderson and Henry E. Abbey arrived at New York on Tuesday. At the hotel Miss Anderson said: "You can't think how pleased I am to be back again in America. I have been away for two years and a half, and have been longing to get back again. The voyage over was long and tiresome. It was so cold and rough during the whole of the passage that I am really tired out, and you must excuse me if I do not talk much."

"What of your experiences on the other side?"

"Oh, I love England and the English people. They were very kind to me. I was well received everywhere I went, and have made some very dear friends over there. My mother and two sisters are over there now. I expect to go back again next summer."

"Do you present any new play during your stay in America?"

"That I cannot say yet. 'As You Like It' I have never played here, so that will be new."

Mr. Abbey said: "I'm pleased to be back again, and I am glad to stay here now. I have nothing to do with Langtry any more. Miss Anderson and the Gerster concert company are all the ventures I shall tackle this winter. Mme. Gerster sails from Liverpool on October 24."

Miss Anderson will give a two weeks' season in Boston about the holidays.

**THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.**—St. Gabriel Declines—Lots for Sale—The Abattoir Question Again—Another Offer—The City's Insurance.

At the meeting of the Finance Committee yesterday afternoon, there were present Alderman Grenier (chairman), Laurent, Rolland, Fairbairn, Mooney, Farrell and McShane, also Ald. Beausoleil and Ghenere.

The Chairman reported that he had learnt through Ald. Tansey that the St. Gabriel Council refused to accept the condition imposed by the Finance Committee upon the grant of \$750 towards the erection of a smallpox hospital for St. Gabriel and Point St. Charles. The amount would therefore not be issued.

The Chairman read a list of the city properties which it is proposed to sell in order to defray the cost of building the new police and fire station on Chaboillez Square. The various lots are situated as follows:—Windsor street, St. Mary's Ward (2); Shaw street, Suzanne street, Papezette Square, Lagache street, Dalhousie Square and Panet street.

It was decided to request the City Surveyor to report on these properties with a view to their being advertised for sale at auction.

Mr. J. Beamish Saul, accompanied by Mr. Beique, then appeared before the committee on behalf of the Montreal Union

Abattoir Company, and submitted the following offer:—

MONTREAL, Oct. 8, 1885.

To His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Montreal.

Gentlemen,

The Montreal Union Abattoir Company beg to make the following offer for the privilege of collecting for the term of ten years the market fees on all live stock brought to the city markets, together with the use of the city's grounds and buildings erected or to be erected thereon, for the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) per annum, payments to be made quarterly in advance, the said city of Montreal to construct and supply the market buildings and cattle yards now projected in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted and to supply the water required therein at the rate of 15c. per 1,000 gallons.

In consideration of the above the company will moreover undertake [1] to keep the said market buildings and cattle yards in perfect repair, and to deliver them to the said city, at the expiration of the said term of ten years, in good order and condition; [2] to keep the said market buildings and cattle yards insured at their own cost and to transfer the policies and receipts to the said city, as requested.

(Signed) J. BEAMISH SAUL, Secy. Union Abattoir Coy.

The Montreal Union Abattoir Company desire to accompany their offer of this date to the city for the privilege of collecting for the following observations:—

From returns obtained at the City Hall, it would appear that the average receipts for the last two years, for the fees in question amount to \$9,068. From this sum are to be deducted the salaries and other expenses.

The offer made by the Company is so made in the expectation that its members and shareholders, who are nearly all engaged in the cattle trade, will find it an inducement to promote by all possible means the live stock export trade, and increase thereby the profits of the Company.

The city, it seems, would be indirectly benefited by any strong impetus given to such export trade, and moreover any benefit to be derived by the Company from the collection of said fees will tend to better secure the payment of its indebtedness to the city.

It is therefore respectfully submitted that in view of the circumstances an agreement based on said offer would be in the interest of the city and of the Company.

(Signed) J. BEAMISH SAUL, Secretary.

Ald. McShane asked if it was intended to charge fees on all live stock taken to the markets.

Mr. Beique replied that fees would be charged on all cattle slaughtered at the markets. It was proposed to kill cattle for export as was done elsewhere, and the Company thought a big business in dead meat might be built up.

It was stated that there was nothing in the offer of the Union Abattoir Company in regard to the erection of the markets required at the Abattoirs, and for the erection of these Mr. N. Kennedy had tendered, at the same time making an offer for the collection of the fees. If the Union Abattoir Company's offer were accepted the Finance Committee should at once grant the sum of \$20,000 required for the erection of the markets. The eastern market, at least, should be built immediately.

The Chairman said the first question to be considered was, "Shall the old system of collection be drawn very carefully, with due regard to the probable requirements of the trade. There was plenty of ground available, and if necessary the buildings could be added to from time to time. The estimate had been placed as low as possible, and the Finance Committee might reply upon it that the Markets Committee would not spend a single dollar unnecessarily."

The Chairman said there was no fund in the City Treasury against which the amount required could be charged.

Ald. Beausoleil said the markets were absolutely necessary, and he hoped the Chairman would not grudge the cost.

The Chairman said he did not grudge the money. He was no "grudgeur." THE HERALD might say such things of him, but he hoped no member of that Committee nor any Alderman would make such remarks.

Ald. Mooney said it seemed to be the feeling of the Committee that the markets should be built before the matter of collecting the fees was decided, and he thought such a course would result in pecuniary advantage to the city, for if the buildings were erected a better tender could be obtained for the collector of the fees.

The Chairman remarked that \$150,000 or \$200,000 would be required to exterminate the smallpox epidemic, and as the City Clerk had informed him that the law would allow a special tax to be imposed for that purpose, he thought the amount required for the markets might be raised in the same way.

Alderman Ghenereux and Laurent strenuously opposed the imposition of a special tax.

It was then decided to report to Council recommending the grant of \$20,000 for the erection of a market at the East End Abattoir, said amount to be raised by means of a special loan.

The City Treasury submitted a letter which had been received from the secretary of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, in which the intimation was conveyed that the insurance companies declined to re-insure any of the market properties of the corporation at any other than the regular rate of 2 1/2 per cent.

Alderman Mooney suggested that at all events an investigation might be made into the status of the companies holding the risks. He wanted companies selected which were not likely to raise quibbles when disaster to the city property came and their liabilities fell due. He therefore moved that a sub-committee consisting of the Chairman and Aldermen Laurent and Fairbairn be appointed to revise the list of companies holding risks on corporation property.

Ald. Rolland moved in amendment, that the insurances be continued as heretofore.

The amendment being put it was supported only by Ald. Rolland.

Ald. Fairbairn moved in amendment, that Ald. Mooney's name be substituted for his.

Ald. Mooney declined to serve on the sub-committee, as he wished to show the insurance companies that he was not actuated in his conduct as a public man by any feelings of a personal nature.

Ald. Mooney's original motion was then adopted, and the Committee adjourned.

**A FUND FOR "ALBERTA."**

The description in Wednesday's HERALD of the services rendered by the girl Alberta in St. Roch's Hospital to the suffering inmates of the institution, has taken a strong hold on some of our citizens, who speak in very complimentary terms of "the little heroine." It is proposed to make up a purse for her to mark the public appreciation of her excellent conduct. Mr. Thomas J. Potter, auctioneer, has consented to act as treasurer, to whom contributions may be forwarded. The following persons have signed, to start the list:—

- Mr. William Smith, tobacco manufacturer, \$4 00
- Thomas J. Potter, auctioneer, 2 50
- A Friend, 1 00

**PROTESTANT ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.**

The second annual meeting of the Protestant Associated Charities of Montreal was held at four o'clock yesterday afternoon in the Protestant House of Industry, Dorchester street, the President, Mr. G. W. Stephens, in the chair, and the following members of the association:—Rev. Rural Dean Lindsay, Rev. W. S. Barnes, Rev. J. S. Kines, Rev. James Patterson, Rev. A. B. Chambers, Rev. J. Nichols, Rev. George Rogers, Messrs. S. J. Symons, T. H. Turton, Walter Drake (Treasurer), and Edward Hollis (Secretary). The minutes of the first annual meeting having been read and confirmed, the Secretary read letters from Rev. J. Edgar Hill and Messrs. A. A. Ayer and Walter Paul, regretting their inability to attend the meeting.

**ANNUAL REPORT.**

The Secretary then submitted the second annual report of the association, which after referring to the object for which it was formed, stated that, in view of the fact that the public generally were not thoroughly acquainted with the aims of the association, the following statement had been embodied in the report:—1. To secure the prompt and harmonious action of members residing in Montreal, in order to raise the needy about the need of relief, prevent begging and imposition and diminish pauperism. 2. To encourage thrift, self-dependence and industry through friendly intercourse, advice and sympathy, and to aid the poor to help themselves. 3. To prevent idleness and growing up as paupers. 4. To aid in the diffusion of knowledge on subjects connected with relief of the poor. To accomplish these objects it is designed (a) to provide that the case of every applicant for relief shall be thoroughly investigated. (b) To place the results of such investigations at the disposal of charitable societies and agencies for the relief of the unemployed. (c) To obtain employment, if possible, if not, to obtain, as far as possible, suitable assistance for every deserving applicant from public authorities, charitable agencies or benevolent individuals. (d) To send to each poor family, and after the advice of a district conference, a friendly visit. (e) To consider our regular and reformatory institutions as regards Protestant prisoners, and that provision is made for the Protestant insane. (f) To see that the Protestant children who are brought before the Recorder and Magistrate, either the children of prisoners or waifs, be placed in Protestant institutions. (g) To represent the interests of Protestant charities in respect of Government and Parliamentary appropriations. The report then went on to refer to the great work which the Association was called upon to perform. It did not aim at destroying the individuality of existing character or abridging in any way their present operations. During the year 175 families had been visited and reported on. No very startling cases of destitution or want had appeared on the list of applicants, but in a quiet unostentatious way by the aid of the district committee, very favorable results had been accomplished. Families in need of employment. Forty cases had been struck off the books of the Outdoor Relief Board as unworthy of consideration. The question of providing labor for the unemployed poor, the state of the Female Jail, the establishment of training schools for nurses and the providing of coffee houses in the city had occupied the attention of the Directors. It was regretted that the financial aid given to the Society was so small in extent compared with the encouragement given to similar institutions in other places. The report concluded by reminding the charitable public that their cordial support was necessary if the association was to flourish, and as the sum of \$200 per annum was all that was required to carry on the work, it was to be hoped that sufficient funds would be forthcoming.

The Treasurer's statement showed that the amount received had been \$394.40, and paid out \$417, with a balance of \$217.60 due to the Treasurer.

On motion of the Rev. Mr. Kines, seconded by Rural Dean Lindsay, adopted.

It was then moved by Rev. A. B. Chambers, seconded by Rev. George Rogers, and carried, that the Protestant clergymen of the city be requested to bring the nature and objects of this association before their respective congregations for liberal support on its behalf; and also that a committee of gentlemen be appointed to secure subscriptions in aid of this association.

**ELECTION OF OFFICERS.**

It was also moved, seconded and carried, that the following gentlemen be appointed Directors and Officers for the ensuing year:—Directors—Messrs. Charles Alexander, G. A. Childs, Warden King, James Tasker, W. D. McLennan, John Ritchie, William Brock, Alexander Goodey, Walter Paul, R. C. Smith, J. H. Mooney, James Cayford, R. J. Symons, Robert Benny, K. Buchanan, Dr. Alexander and Hon. Thomas White, President, Mr. G. W. Stephens; Vice President Messrs. W. D. Stroud and O. S. Wood; Treasurer, Mr. Walter Drake; Honorary Council, Mr. L. H. Davidson and Secretary, Mr. Edward Hollis.

It was then moved that the Rev. Rural Dean Lindsay, Rev. A. B. Chambers and Rev. W. S. Barnes, be appointed jointly with three Members of the Board, for the nomination of Directors and Officers for the next annual meeting.

The motion was carried, and after the usual vote of thanks to the Directors and Officers of the Association for their labors during the past year, the meeting adjourned.

**FEBRUARY.**

Hon. F. Langelier, Mayor of Quebec, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Jos. Doure, Q.C., is now reported as being out of danger.

**CONSTABLE BEATTY'S ASSAILANTS.**—Gus Roach and Michael Cameron, the alleged assailants of the late Constable Beatty, were yesterday fully committed by the Coroner to stand their trial at the coming term of the Queen's Bench. They pleaded not guilty and will be defended by Messrs. St. Pierre and Barry.

**THE PUBLIC HEALTH.**

**The Epidemic Holding on Fast.**

**Fifty-six Deaths Reported Yesterday.**

**Meetings of the Provincial and Local Boards.**

The epidemic is still retaining this city in its deadly grasp. The reports made to the Health Department yesterday of deaths on Wednesday is as follows:—City, 43; Ste. Cenevogue, 5; Cote St. Louis, 5; St. Jean Baptiste, 1; St. Henri, 1; St. Gabriel, 1; total, 56. The deaths for the day previous were 51. The following is Dr. LaBerge's report for Wednesday prepared yesterday: New cases, 38; visits made by health officials, 72; cases verified, 49; houses disinfected, 23; houses placarded, 50; houses re-placarded, 63; persons vaccinated at Central Bureau, 96; vaccinated at West End Bureau, 34; vaccinated for admission to Hospital, 3; intubations made by the Office, 9; died at Hospital, 3; number of patients in Hospital 167.

The Relief Committee report they have relieved 776 cases in 438 houses, scattered over 77 streets.

**Provincial Board.**

The adjourned meeting of the Provincial Board of Health took place yesterday. Present, Dr. Hingston, chairman, and Drs. Lachapelle, Campbell, Macdonnell, the Mayor and Alderman Gray.

Several letters were read from Local Boards of Health, expressing their great desire to do all in their power to arrest the disease of smallpox.

Dr. Marsolais, Secretary of the Board, having seen in his resignation in order to take another position, Mr. F. N. Boxer, Sanitary Engineer, was unanimously elected Secretary in his place.

The remainder of the business of the Board was confined to routine matters.

**The Board of Health.**

At yesterday's meeting of the Civic Health Board, Ald. Gray presided over the following members: Ald. Roy, Mooney and Tansey, and Messrs. Graham, Masterman, Perrault, Desbarres and Leveque.

Ald. Roy was instructed to stop the erection of the two new wings ordered for St. Roch's Hospital.

The chairman announced that Dr. Marsolais, of Notre Dame street, east, had been appointed a public vaccinator in Montreal.

Ald. Roy reported that the combination of the manufacturers in favor of vaccination was causing a rush to the public vaccinators in the East End.

The City Treasurer reported by letter that W. J. Fraser, of No. 98 Commercial Road, London, E., promised to ship the portable distorting apparatus ordered by the city within a week.

Mr. Graham moved, and it was resolved, "That the Bishops, with representative clergymen and citizens, be invited to inspect the Mount Royal Hospitals on Saturday, at 10 a.m., to report upon their condition, the arrangements for the visit to be decided and arrangements were made for the inspection of the Hospital Committee."

It was decided that if the clergy wished to perform any ceremonies of consecration, or other religious services, the necessary arrangements might be made with Mr. Perrault.

The Board also decided to hold no meeting to-morrow, so that the members might be at liberty to make an inspection of the new hospitals.

The report of the Medical Health Officer was presented and showed that 38 new cases were reported on Wednesday, 72 visits were made and 49 new cases ascertained; 50 houses were placarded for the first time and 63 re-placarded; 9 persons (6 children and 3 adults) were buried at the expense of the city; there were 43 deaths (3 in the Civic Hospital); 10 new cases were admitted during Wednesday and 4 yesterday morning, leaving 167 in hospital, of which 19 are bad cases.