

SHERBROOKE'S THREE NEW INDUSTRIAL PROPOSITIONS.

These With Increases of Year Represent Some 600 New Hands—Corresponding With 37 Other Prospective Industries—Sherbrooke's Great Power Offer.

The important deals put through by the Finance Committee at the special meeting held yesterday afternoon, a brief reference to which has already been made in these columns, will have an important bearing on the future industrial development of this city.

The purchase of the land located at the corner of Belvidere and Drummond streets from the Catholic School Commissioners removed the only obstacle in the way of the long talked of iron industry locating in Sherbrooke. Now that the property has been brought the name and a brief description of the industry may be in order. It will be known as the Canada Brakeshoe Co., Ltd., the manager being Mr. Phelan McCullough, formerly of Sherbrooke. It is understood that the company is strong financially and will proceed at once with the erection of an up-to-date plant. The company expects to employ about one hundred and twenty-five hands during the first year.

When the chairman of the Finance Committee waited on Bishop Larocque yesterday in connection with the sale of the above property His Lordship, who is ill, expressed his desire to do everything in his power to further the interests of the city in every way possible. He was most willing to give the consent to the sale of the property in order to induce an industry to locate in the city.

EXTENSION TO JENCKES MACHINE COMPANY'S PLANT.

The surprise of the meeting was the announcement that the Jenckes Machine Company intended nearly doubling their present plant. The business of this company has grown to such an extent during the past few years that the present plant is inadequate to meet the demands of their trade. The estimated cost of the extension is \$100,000. The company expects to employ about three hundred more hands.

COSMOPOLITAN CLOTHING COMPANY.

The third deal put through was that whereby the City buys one of the Carpet Company buildings from Mr. T. M. Craig for the Cosmopolitan Clothing Co. This company will start work on January 1st, and will soon be running full swing. They will employ between seventy-five and a hundred hands immediately and expect to employ 250 to 300 hands within three years.

WILL BE SUBMITTED TO RATEPAYERS.

By-Laws will soon be prepared and

submitted to the ratepayers asking their approval of the actions taken by the Council in the cases above mentioned. It is safe to say that few, if any, will vote against the propositions which will mean a great deal to Sherbrooke.

OTHER INDUSTRIES FLOURISHING.

During the past summer the Canadian Rand Co. greatly increased their plant and at present are running full swing with an increased number of hands.

The Fairbanks plant has also been extended during the past summer, and at the present time have all the orders they can fill. The capacity of this splendid industry has been practically doubled within the year.

It is also understood that during the past few days the Paton Mill has taken on quite a number of new hands. Many of them came from Chambly, having been thrown out of work by the recent fire there.

Many other industries in flourishing conditions could be mentioned, showing the general industrial prosperity in this city.

PROSPECTIVE INDUSTRIES.

The Board of Trade is at the present time in correspondence with no less than thirty-seven concerns which will establish in Canada, and are giving consideration to the advantages Sherbrooke has to offer.

A percentage of these at least will be safe to say, decide upon Sherbrooke as their Canadian location.

A letter was received this week from a large English concern which is coming to Canada. A representative has already looked over Sherbrooke, and writes that he will bring a director of the company here in the spring.

GREAT POWER PROPOSITION.

With the city's new power plant at Rock Forest, just about completed, and the Sherbrooke Railway & Power Co. with a large surplus power, the towns of the Niagara peninsula are not in it with Sherbrooke in the electric power inducements they have to offer.

Upwards of 5000 h. p. is available for new industries.

CITY'S GROWTH.

The increase in Sherbrooke industries this year and the carrying into effect of the three industrial projects outlined above will have an important bearing upon the city's population. They represent between five and six hundred new hands, mostly skilled help, which means many heads of families. It looks as if within a year, or two at most, Sherbrooke would pass the 20,000 mark.

who was well known and highly esteemed. He was a member of Victoria Lodge, No. 16, A. F. & A. M., Sherbrooke, and held the office of Chaplain for a great many years. He was one of the most regular attendants, and took an active part in the affairs of the craft.

He leaves a widow and three of a family, Dr. F. H. Bradley, Mr. E. Bradley, and Mrs. R. L. Dean.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon, and will leave the house sharp at 2.30 p. m.

BETHEL.

Recent arrivals and departures: Mr. A. Phillips and Miss Jessie, of South Durham, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Proulx on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Mooney, of Boscobel, recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Davidson; Messrs. J. M. and G. G. Davidson, to Waterloo.

Quite a number of the people from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Lariviere in Bethany, on Tuesday.

Service will be held in All Saints' Church, Christmas Day, at 10.30 a. m.

The Ladies' Aid, which was entertained by Mrs. G. T. Davidson, was well attended.

INTERESTING CASE UNDER LICENSE LAW.

Charge of Illicit Possession Against Megantic Doctor Dismissed

DEFENDANT AUTHORIZED TO KEEP LIQUOR UNDER THE QUEBEC PHARMACY ACT.

Judge Mulvena rendered judgment this forenoon in the case of J. F. Morkill, collector of Provincial Revenue, against Dr. Codere, of Lake Megantic, for a contravention of the License Act. The Court said:

"Considering that proceedings have been taken in this cause against the defendant, a licensed druggist at the town of Megantic in the District of St. Francis, for the recovery of a penalty for the illegal possession of intoxicating liquors, in his place of business, for the purposes of sale;

"Considering that it hath been proved by the return of the High Constable that the defendant was in possession of a large quantity of intoxicating liquors in his place of business on the twenty-second day of November last;

"Considering that there is a prohibitory by-law forbidding the sale and possession of intoxicating liquors now in force in the said town of Megantic, where the said defendant resides;

"Considering that the defendant has proved that he is a druggist and chemist duly qualified to do business during the current year at the town of Megantic;

"Considering that as such, both under the provisions of the Pharmacy Act and under article 1035 of the License Act he is entitled to sell (and consequently have in his possession for sale) certain intoxicating liquors for medicinal, sacramental and mechanical purposes;

"Considering also that under the provisions of the Revised Statutes of Canada a druggist can keep and sell intoxicating liquors in localities where a prohibitory by-law is in force;

"Considering that the pretensions of the complainant that under articles 978 to 987 of the Revised Statutes of Quebec, which provide that no person shall sell or keep for sale intoxicating liquors in a locality where a prohibitory by-law is in force, except a person appointed by a resolution of the municipal council for that purpose, is in conflict with the provisions of the Canada Temperance Act above referred to, which specially says that in such cases druggists may keep for sale and sell intoxicating liquors, and is moreover in conflict with article 5029 of the Revised Statutes of Quebec (Druggist Act) and with article 1035 of the same statutes (License Act);

"Considering that this court cannot impose a penalty upon the defendant for illicit possession of intoxicating liquors, when it is apparent that the defendant was authorized to have the same in his possession for purposes of sale, both by the Quebec Pharmacy Act and the Quebec License Act, and the Dominion Canada Temperance Act notwithstanding the apparently conflicting provisions of the Quebec License Act with regard to the sale of liquors in localities where a prohibitory by-law is in existence; "Doth dismiss said complaint, and annul the seizure of the liquors seized in this cause."

"THE FLYING POST" WILL STOP.

Ottawa, December 20.—(Special).—"The Flying Post" will have its aerial motion stopped. Such is the intention of the Post Office Department, acting under the orders of the Hon. L. P. Pelletier, postmaster-general. The "Flying Post" is the first newspaper train which leaves Toronto on the Grand Trunk Railway every morning at 2.55 and reaches London, Ont., and other Western points at 6.30 a. m. The contract was entered into last May between the Liberal Government and the Grand Trunk Railway for a special train leaving Toronto and reaching London in less than four hours afterwards. It was a new departure in the railway mail service and cost the country some \$40,000 a year.

THIS CORPORATION HAS A HEART.

New York, Dec. 20.—A special appropriation of \$40,000 has been set aside by the directors of the Interborough Rapid Transit Company as a Christmas present to the motormen, guards, conductors and other employees of the company receiving less than \$100 a month. Each man, there are approximately 8,000 who will participate, will receive a \$5 gold piece in addition to his regular wages.

TERRITORY CEEDED TO EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT.

Cairo, Egypt, Dec. 20.—The Egyptian Government is taking possession of the Sollum district of Barca, which forms the eastern subdivision of Tripoli. The Sollum district borders on Egypt and was ceded by Turkey to the Egyptian Government, which will retain possession pending the end of the war, when the definite status of the territory will be determined.

"LIGHTHOUSE" FOR THE BLIND.

New York, Dec. 20.—(Special).—Present Taft and a blind woman, Miss (Continued on Page 5.)

TROOPS QUELL DISTURBANCES.

Striking Carters in Dundee, Scotland, Paralyze Trade.

MILLS HAVE HAD TO CLOSE DOWN FOR WANT OF COAL FOR FURNACES.

Dundee, Scotland, Dec. 20.—(Special).—The troops requisitioned by Lord Provost of this city to repulse the disturbances caused by the dockers and carters at this port, who are on strike, have arrived, and their presence has had salutary effect. The strike of carters has necessitated the closing of number of mills, which are unable to obtain coal for their furnaces.

Twenty thousand workers are idle and business of the city is almost paralyzed.

PERSIAN CABINET HAS RESIGNED.

Will be Succeeded by One That Will Resist Russia's Demands

THAT W. MORGAN SHUSTER, TREASURER GENERAL, SHOULD RESIGN.

Berlin, Dec. 20.—(Special).—A special despatch from Tehran in the Local Anziger, reports that the Persian Ministry has resigned.

It states further that it will be succeeded by an ultra-democratic cabinet, which will reject the Russian ultimatum demanding the dismissal of W. Morgan Shuster as Treasurer General of Persia, and will await result of its action.

IS THIS FAIR TO PUPILS OR TEACHERS?

35 p. c. of Academy Grade Students Absent From High School Today.

PRINCIPAL LOCKHART ASKS PARENTS TO SEND CHILDREN REGULARLY.

Principal A. R. B. Lockhart and the other teachers at the High School are being seriously handicapped in their work through the irregular attendance of students. An investigation this morning revealed the fact that 35 per cent. of the students in the Academy grades were absent.

Mr. Lockhart has written the following letter in this connection: Editor Record.

Sir—I would like, through you, to put before the people of Sherbrooke a condition of affairs far more serious and menacing than medical inspection. I refer, sir, to the extreme thoughtlessness with which parents allow their children to remain away from school on the slightest pretext whatsoever. Since coming here I have noticed that there seemed to be far more indifference than necessary, and the staff of the High School have tried to remedy it to the best of their ability.

However, this week the fault is much more glaring. On going through the Academy grades this morning, I find that over 35 per cent. of the scholars are absent. Now, I cannot imagine any fair-minded person thinking that under these circumstances you are giving the staff a fair show. It means that, in so far as these grades are concerned, the school might as well be closed. All the work we are doing will have to be done over again, just to suit the convenience of those whose Christmas duties are of more importance than their educational ones.

Now, surely it is axiomatic that in order to do the most satisfactory work and thus get the best results we must have your individual scholars here every day. The scholar who gets the most from the year's work is the one who attends most regularly.

Many complaints have been heard about the length of lessons which our curriculum compels us to give, and I can assure you that, to a large extent, the fault lies with those of you who allow irregular attendance.

I am aware that it is the Xmas season and that there is a spirit abroad which is not consistent with hard work; yet the staff here had decided to lighten the work as much as possible, and the School Board have given two weeks holidays, which seems sufficient.

Therefore, I would ask you to show your staff a little consideration and remember, as each question has two sides, so to run a successful school, we must have the active co-operation of the parents, which will mean that you will see that the individual scholar is present every day when it is not absolutely impossible.

Very truly yours, A. R. B. LOCKHART.

Sherbrooke, Que., Dec. 20th.

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL FORECAST.

Fine and cold.

TELEGRAPH OPERATOR NEGLECTED HIS DUTY.

Was Under Influence of Liquor While in Charge of Movement of Trains.

COURT HANDED DOWN LENIENT SENTENCE OWING TO SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES OF CASE.

Charles T. Bourque, a night telegraph operator at Scotstown, was brought before Judge Mulvena yesterday on a charge of having been under the influence of liquor while on duty, in an employment having to do with the movement of trains upon the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Another charge was also laid against him upon behalf of the Railway company for wilful damage to property in breaking open a case of gin in the freight building of the Company.

The accused pleaded guilty to the both charges. In view of the special circumstances of the case, the court imposed a very low penalty. A fine of five dollars and costs for having been under the influence of liquor while on duty, or thirty days in jail, and for the damage caused, on the second charge, or fifteen days in jail.

It appears that the Railway Act imposes a heavy penalty upon conductors, engine drivers, telegraph operators or station agents or anybody, having to do with the movement of trains for being under the influence of liquor while on duty. The penalty runs up as high as four hundred dollars, or it may even be punished by imprisonment up to five years, or both, according to the gravity of injury caused to person or property by such offence.

LOCKOUT OF COTTON OPERATIVES.

100,000 Threaten To Go Out on Christmas Day

TROUBLE HAS ARISEN OVER EMPLOYMENT OF NON-UNION WORKERS.

Liverpool, Dec. 20.—(Special).—A lockout affecting 100,000 cotton operatives is threatened on Christmas day.

The trouble between employers and workers has arisen over the question of employment of non-unionists. The weavers employed in one of the mills in Accrington intend to strike to night unless two non-union workmen employed there consent to join the Union.

ACCUSED MINISTER INJURES HIMSELF.

Jail Physicians Say He Will Recover Barring Complications.

TRIAL OF REV. MR. RICHESON WILL BEGIN ON JANUARY 15TH.

Boston, Dec. 20.—(Special).—Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, accused of the murder of Avis Linnell, cut himself seriously with a piece of tin early to-day, and seriously injured himself.

The jail physician stated at 11.30 o'clock to-day that Richeson would recover, barring complications.

District Attorney Pelletier, in an official statement, said that the trial of Richeson for murder would begin on January 15, the date originally set. News of Richeson's act became public in an unusual way. A short term prisoner at the jail, who was discharged this morning, hastened to the office of a newspaper and told of the occurrence. The jail officials at first professed to know nothing about the story. Later they admitted that the minister had injured himself.

AYER'S CLIFF.

Next Sunday morning there will be a Christmas service at the Congregational Church, including several extra musical numbers. Owing to various reasons the Christmas Tree play has been given up, but most families will have "trees" at home.

Under the auspices of the Guild last Thursday evening were very successful, with proceeds satisfactory.

Fish and Game Warden Hand was in Sherbrooke on Friday in connection with the case in Court against C. P. Bailey of Beebe, Vt., for fishing without a license in Lake Massawippi on May 24th, 1911. Mr. Bailey and his representatives deemed it advisable to settle before it came to trial, by paying the price of fishing privilege and all costs made. Mr. Hand, as also costs of Court, amounting to \$19.35.

Mr. A. E. Hurd is building a refrigerator, 6x16 feet at the back of his store.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Dustin attended the funeral of her uncle at North Hatley last week.

Messrs. Taylor and Blossom of North Hatley shipped several carloads of hay this week.

A very good time was reported at the dance in the Hall Friday night.

DAILY NEWS SPECIALS FROM ALL PARTS OF THE EASTERN TOWNSHIPS.

FARMS CHANGE HANDS. Dairy Valley, Dec. 20.—(Special).—Farms have changing hands in this section. Mr. E. Beerworth has purchased Mr. A. Martin's farm on the lakeshore, and Mr. Albert Vosburgh, his mother's farm on Victoria, St.

that should business keep on increasing the bank will keep open daily later on.

OFFICERS COURT SUTTON 304 C. O. F.

Sutton, Dec. 20.—(Special).—The following officers were elected at a regular meeting of the above Court: C. R. Bro. W. Kemp; V. C. R. Bro. A. Hawley; Rec. Sec. Bro. A. G. Brown; Fin. Sec. Bro. G. Cutler; Treasurer, Bro. C. D. Griggs; Chaplain, Bro. G. Searle; S. W., Bro. A. Holmes; J. W., Bro. G. Fife; S. B., Bro. F. Baird; J. B., Bro. H. Beaudry; Court Deputy, Bro. J. Hall; Auditor, A. R. Libby.

ADVENT QUARTERLY CONFERENCE.

Sutton, Dec. 20.—(Special).—The Advent Quarterly Conference which opened on Thursday evening came to a successful closing on Monday afternoon. There was a large attendance. Besides the ministers from Vermont were: Rev. John Champion, of Dunedin, and Rev. Aaron Wallace, of Sutton. Rev. W. G. Mansfield, of Montpelier, Vt., took a leading part. Among the active workers present were: Mr. Wm. Sears, of Sutton and Mr. Wm. Impey, of Richford, Vt.

INCREASE OF BUSINESS AT BROMPTONVILLE.

Bromptonville, Dec. 20.—(Special).—By special request from the citizens and also owing to the increase of business the F. T. Bank is now given a tri-weekly service, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. It is stated

TURKEY TO MAKE PEACE PROPOSALS.

That is Gathered From Despatches Sent Out From Rome.

TRAIN CONVEYING WAR MATERIALS BEING RUSHED THROUGH GERMANY.

London, Dec. 20.—(Special).—According to despatches from Rome it is believed there that Turkey is about to make peace proposals. The British Foreign Office has issued a statement that Turkey was informed in 1904 that Sollum in Barca, Eastern division of Tripoli, was included in Egyptian territory, and that its occupation by Egyptian troops now is mere formality. It is believed, however, that Turkey never formally admitted this view.

WAR TRAIN THROUGH GERMANY.

London, Dec. 20.—(Special).—A Sofia despatch to The Times says that a special train conveying war

material from Germany has passed Zibetich, on the Serbian frontier, on its way to Saloniki. Another similar train is reported to be following. The greatest secrecy is being observed.

The correspondent adds that the Turkish Government has conveyed its thanks to the German Emperor, through Ambassador, for this convincing proof of German friendship.

BROMPTONVILLE.

Mr. Moran, who severed his connections with the Tobin Mfg. Co., has commenced business in the same, in Montreal.

Mayor O. Lambert left this week for Montreal on business. A special meeting was held here to choose candidates to replace the Councillors who are retiring. Mr. Adelard Pinard has leased the dwelling house of Dr. J. A. Allard on Main Street.

SOUTH DURHAM.

Misses J. Mills and Edna McGill and Mr. John Mills were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Stevens on Sunday; Mrs. E. Duffy and Miss A. Duff, to Richmond and Melbourn, with friends; Mr. Robert Adams, of Wickham, in town to spend the holidays with his mother and sister.

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TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES SUMMARIZING CANADIAN AND WORLD NEWS

EMPEROR IS FEEBLE.

Berlin, Dec. 20.—It is reported here that the condition of Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria-Hungary, is causing the most extreme anxiety. He has been unable to go out for a week.

COTTON MILLS CLOSE.

Biddeford, Me., Dec. 20.—The 2,000 operatives in the cotton mills of the York Corporation of Saco have been notified that the plant will be closed from Dec. 23 until Jan. 2. "Uncertainty of the present business outlook" is given as the reason for the renewed curtailment.

OTTAWA WANTS FAIR GRANT.

Ottawa, Dec. 20.—Ottawa is after the grant of the Dominion Government provided annually for the Dominion Exhibition, and a deputation of citizens will wait upon Hon. Martin Burrell, the minister of agriculture, to-day, to ask that the next grant shall be appropriated for the Ottawa Exhibition. Ottawa has never had the grant, and has substantial claims to it. The amount is \$50,000, and it has been given in turn to the various provinces. This year the Dominion Exhibition was held at Regina.

TO VOTE ON COMMISSION PLAN.

Green Bay, Wis., Dec. 20.—(Special).—Green Bay has completed arrangements to hold a special election tomorrow to decide whether the present form of municipal government shall be supplanted by the commission plan. Advocates of the change have waged a vigorous campaign and it is generally believed that the proposal will be adopted.

PRINCEGEORGE'S BIRTHDAY.

London, Dec. 20.—(Special).—Prince George, the fourth son of King and Queen, entered upon his tenth year today and was the recipient of many presents from his royal relatives. During the absence of their parents in India Prince George and his brothers and sister are staying with their grandmother, Queen Alexandra, at Sandringham, where all are looking forward to a joyous Christmas.

DIED AFTER OPERATION.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—A cable from London announces the sudden death there of Mr. K. N. McFee, one of the best known of Canadian financiers in England, who married the daughter of Hon. W. S. Fielding, ex-minister of finance, two years ago.

ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Daily Reports From Correspondents Of What is Going On.

SAWYERVILLE.

The recital of Ralph Connor's "Black Rock" in seven parts, given in the Methodist Church, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. was a capital success. The ladies taking part were: Mrs. R. W. Montgomery, Mrs. F. French, Miss Orr, Miss C. Percival, Miss B. Cairns, Miss Innes, Miss E. Bailey, instead of Miss E. Bailey, who was prevented by sickness. The selections were all splendidly rendered, some of the parts being intensely pathetic, which made the story very like life. Much credit is due the ladies for the labor and skill which they displayed, and for the splendid entertainment which they gave to the public. It has been rumored that such an excellent entertainment should be repeated for those who missed it, and it is hoped that the Union will consider the matter.

Mrs. R. R. Hunt, Mrs. W. B. Hodges, Mrs. Geo. Hurd and Mrs. Stewart Wilford entertained the "Whist Club" in the Odd Fellow's Hall, on Thursday evening, December 14th. Whist was played at nine tables and

delicious refreshments was served during the evening. The prizes of the Club were announced, Miss Bedford, winning the ladies prize, and Mr. Chas. Stone the gentlemen's.

Arrivals and departures:—Mr. W. Law in town recently; Miss St. Denis in Cookshire over Sunday. Mrs. Allen Parker and Mrs. Albert Parker of Parker Hill, in town on Saturday; Miss P. Taylor from Cookshire last week.

The friends of Miss Mabel Cromwell gave her a surprise party on Saturday evening on the occasion of her birthday. Miss Cromwell was presented with a cut glass dish. The evening was spent in games, etc., every one enjoying a pleasant time.

WINDSOR MILLS.

A very successful "Tombola" was held in McCabe's Hall. The proceeds being devoted to the Windsor Band Association. The best of thanks are to be extended to the President, Mrs. A. Trudeau, Jr., and her committee of ladies for their willing efforts; also to Mr. A. Trudeau, Jr., for the irreplaceable manner in which he worked during the several days, managing the evening concerts and running the Tombola. Each evening the band gave a short concert selected

music, which was greatly appreciated by the large number of visitors. The various prizes, donated by the citizens of the town, were both useful and costly and gave great satisfaction to the lucky recipients. The members of the Windsor band are unanimous in their appreciation of the efforts of the ladies and of the splendid sum of money added to their funds as the result.

Mr. William Patterson, who has been ailing for some time, does not show much improvement.

Arrivals and departures:—Miss A. Farquhar, Miss Mary Witty, Miss A. Dustin, Mr. John Macquar, to Sherbrooke, Saturday; Mr. W. Henderson Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Chas. Henderson; Miss M. Gilchrist of Kingsley who has been the guest of her cousin, Miss G. Paterson, for the past month, on Saturday to visit her brother, Mr. William Gilchrist of Kirkdale.

Mrs. George Bowles was taken to the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, to undergo an operation. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Luby, and Mrs. Desaulniers.

Master Willie Walkingshaw is able to be out again after his recent illness.

The Canadian Explosive Co. are loading their second powder pass, which came from Scotland.

The Rebekahs will hold their meeting on Thursday of this week instead of Friday.

There will be a Christmas tree and entertainment for the children of the Episcopal church, held in the basement on December 21st, from four until seven.

church, propose serving a supper and tree to the S.S. children in the basement of their church Dec. 22nd.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church will be a supper served at the Manse, for the children of the Presbyterian Sunday School, on December, 23rd.

Arrivals and Departures: Mrs. Wm. Caswell, Mrs. W. H. Miller, Miss Myrtle and Bessie Fowler, Mr. George and Royal Witty to Sherbrooke; Miss Caroline Samson, Miss Fannie Chapman to Richmond; Mr. Walter Turdeau, from Trois Pistoles; Mr. John Parker, School Inspector, visited the school on Friday; Mr. Frank Bedford, of Bishop's College, home for his Christmas holidays.

RICHMOND.

Miss M. Hudson, of Portland, Me., is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. McElie. Rev. Mr. Rothney conducted the morning service in the Presbyterian Church, Kingsbury, on Sunday.

Misses Bertha and Kathleen Armstrong in town Monday calling on friends.

Miss Lillian McClure, of Montreal, called here by the serious illness of her sister, Miss Hattie McClure.

The annual Christmas tree and entertainment of the Methodist Church will take place Friday, Dec. 22nd, in the basement of the church. A good programme has been prepared.

Mrs. Philip Kerr, of Wellesley, Mass., who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Davitt for the past week, returned to Sherbrooke and is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Lawrence Davitt.

Miss F. Chapman, Miss B. Chapman and Miss Sampson, of Windsor Mills, in town recently.

The Christmas tree and entertainment in connection with the Presbyterian Church will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 21st, in the basement of the church. A good programme has been arranged, consisting of choruses, drills, recitations, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Davitt, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Davitt and Miss Beatrice E. Davitt leave for Montreal Friday next to be present at the ordination to the priesthood of their nephew, William Francis Davitt, of Williamansett, Mass.

A Winnipeg, Man., paper of Dec. 8 contains a notice of the burning of a mill and elevator at Glenboro belonging to Messrs. Adamson & Scott. The mill, which had a capacity of 300 barrels per day, was burned to the ground. The loss was \$45,000, with \$10,000 insurance. The Scotts referred to is Mr. Lorne D. Scott, of Weyburn, Sask., and formerly of Richmond.

BURY.

The baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Barter, has been quite ill.

The much needed snow is appreciated, especially by the lumbermen.

The several stores have been donned their holiday attire and are looking at their best.

Mr. E. L. Barter, to Montreal the first of the week.

Mrs. Dillon, of New York, is visiting her sister, Miss T. Dillon at the Grand View for a few days.

Services in St. Paul's church on Sunday next as usual, at 11 o'clock in morning and 7 o'clock in evening.

The services on Christmas Day will be at 9 o'clock in the morning, at St. Thomas, Bown, and at St. Paul's at 11 o'clock.

The annual Christmas tree for St. Paul's School, takes place in town hall on Saturday evening, 23rd. One and all are looking for ward with delight to this event, as about 50 children, are taking an active part. Drills, tableaux, dialogues and music will go towards making a splendid programme.

Mr. Andrew Morrow, and friend, were at home over Sunday.

Mrs. Manseau, and children, of Danville, are visiting with Mrs. Charles Goodenough for the holidays.

FITCH BAY.

Mr. F. J. Wilkinson of Way's Mills was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. T. B. Kidd last week.

Mr. J. David of Montreal was in town last week.

The Union Christmas Tree will be held in the Congregational Church Friday evening, and will consist of a cantata. Opening chorus at 7.30.

Mr. W. Adams and Mr. H. Merrill Smith's Mills spent Sunday in town.

On Friday evening the annual meeting of the "Y" Society was held at the home of the President Mrs. F. H. Rider. Sixteen members were present, and three visitors. After the business part of the meeting, Rev. W. H. Casap, rector of St. Matthias' Church, addressed the meeting, his subject be-

ing temperance. He treated the subject in a most interesting and scholarly manner. It was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone, and the Society is looking forward to having Mr. Casap address them again. A short programme was given after which refreshments were served. All having spent a most enjoyable evening.

Christmas service will be held in St. Matthias' Church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Casap, the rector, will be the preacher.

BEEBE.

There will be a dinner and entertainment in the supper room of the Methodist Church for the children and parents on Friday evening.

Miss Archilles, Georgeville spent Sunday with Miss. Ives.

Messrs. Adams, and Sisco from the College conducted the service in the Methodist Church, Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Smith, was able to resume his work in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Frost, for California to spend winter, on Saturday.

A special song service will be given in the Methodist Church on Sunday evening, December 24th. The choir will be assisted by the Sunday School.

The address in the morning by the Pastor, and music by the choir will be appropriate to the Christmas season.

STANSTEAD.

The marriage is announced of Mr. George Pierce Butters of Montreal, to Miss Marcia Albaine Cassils, daughter of Mrs. Archibald Murray Cassils, which took place at the home of the bride's grandfather, Mr. Brackley Shaw, in Brookline, Mass., on Thursday, December 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Butters are sailing to join Mrs. Cassils in the South of France.

Mr. Will Butters and Miss Mabel Butters were in Brookline to attend the wedding of their brother.

The choir of Centenary Methodist Church are preparing for a Christmas cantata to be given Sunday evening, December 24th. The theme is "The Star of Promise," and it is worthy of your presence.

LADD'S MILLS.

Arrivals include: Mrs. C. Birch visiting friends; Rev. Mr. Norman Snow visiting here; Mrs. Clinton J. Bush with her brother, Mr. F. H. Molony; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Melrose in Lennoxville last week.

Miss Melrose gave a very nice party in honor of her birthday to about 37 of her young friends, who one and all enjoyed themselves with music and games. Miss Melrose received some very pretty and useful presents as souvenirs.

Mr. John Bradley gave an oyster supper to a number of his friends. After supper the evening was spent in cards and games, and broke up in the wee, sma' hours.

Mr. Wright Davis, who has been sick for quite a time, is convalescent.

Mr. George Cottle lost a horse a few days ago.

Mrs. J. W. Ladd, who has been

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confined to the house with a severe attack of la grippe, is now better.

MELBOURNE.

On Friday, Dec. 22nd, a Christmas tree and entertainment is to be held in the basement of the Congregational Church. A large programme is being prepared.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Granger, who have been in the Montreal General Hospital for the past few weeks, returned home on Saturday. Mr. Granger, who was suffering from blood poisoning, is so much improved to be able to be out and around, but Mrs. Granger is still confined to her room.

Recent arrivals and departures include: Mr. John Nixon, of Windsor Mills, the week-end in town with friends; Mr. M. Woodard, of Montreal, Sunday in town with his parents; Mr. J. May called to Sherbrooke by the illness of his son.

The friends of Mr. Chas. Wilcox will be pleased to see him out again after his recent illness.

DENISON'S MILLS.

A Christmas Tree and Entertainment given by the pupils of Miss I. Rose will be held in the school-house (near John Andrew's) on Friday evening, December 22nd. Doors are open at 7. The Concert will commence at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Fullerton and daughter, Dorothy, of Danville, Sunday at "Glenhurst."

Mr. and Mrs. H. Brock, Cleveland, at Mr. W. Sutherland's, recently.

Mr. J. Mastine is improving and able to be up; also Mrs. S. Mastine, Mr. John McCormick and Master S. Mastine, who have all been on the sick list.

CURRIER.

Rev. L. M. England held service at the school house Sunday afternoon.

Arrivals and departures include: Mrs. J. F. Bryant and daughter, Essie, from Millington, at her son's, Mr. H. C. Bryant on Tuesday; Mrs. A. Stone with her daughter at East Bolton for a few days; Mr. and Mrs. C. Hopps and child at his mother's at Miletta, on Sunday; Mr. C. Juby from Knowlton at his daughter's, Mrs. A. Stone.

Farmers are busy cutting wood but there is not enough snow to work with a team in the woods.

EATON CORNER.

Arrivals and departures include: Mrs. C. Ward, of Bishop's Crossing, calling on old friends in town; Mr. and Mrs. W. Lowry at Mrs. P. Powders on Sunday; Miss G. Glen, of Johnville, at Mr. S. Dean's over Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Coates and Miss Eva Robinson to Cookshire on Saturday.

There is to be a union Christmas tree in the Congregational Church, here on Saturday evening, Dec. 23rd.

Mrs. H. H. Rogers has charge of the entertainment which as usual will be of first-class order.

WAY'S MILLS.

Arrivals and departures:—Mr. and Mrs. Dustin and Mrs. F. Daniels in Stanstead, Monday; Mrs. Bert Smith, with her friend, Mrs. Woodward, in Bucklands; Mr. Fred Gilbert and Mrs. W. N. Horn attending the funeral of their grand-mother, Mrs. Gilbert, at Bromontville, last week.

Misses E. Dyson and Agnes Oliver Saturday in Stanstead; Mr. E. Pierce of Melbourne is the guest of his cousin, Mr. L. Bean, and is purchasing White Ash for which he is paying the highest market prices that have yet been offered here.

L'AVENIR.

A party was given by Mrs. R. McCaig on the 16th inst. in honor of the 21st birthday of her son, Harold McCaig.

Mr. G. H. Bogie sold four fine milk cows recently to Messrs. Doyle Bros., of Melbourne.

Mr. Jas. Hardy, of Richmond, in town calling on friends.

The Christmas tree will be held in the Town Hall, L'Avenir, on the 21st. An excellent programme will be given.

CLEVELAND.

Miss F. Lockwood is caring for Mrs. Arthur Taylor, who is still confined to her bed.

Mr. D. Bilton is confined to the house through illness.

Mr. H. Rogers and family of Lake Spooner have moved onto their farm which they recently purchased from Mr. Jas. Haslett.

Mr. Henry Bailey of Cote St. Paul has purchased Mr. Henry Rogers farm at Lake Spooner.

NICOLET FALLS.

Arrivals and departures:—Mr. and Mrs. W. Paton and Miss McKay of Sherbrooke, with Miss A. Moore en route for Cape Magdalen, where Mr. Paton has secured a position. Mr. Albert Golden, proprietor of the Windsor Hotel, St. Johns, visiting at his home; Miss Laura Barlow home from Asbestos, where she has been the guest of relatives.

MOE'S RIVER.

There will be a Christmas tree and entertainment in the Baptist church on Monday evening, December 25th.

The Ladies Aid at Mrs. Richardson's was largely attended. Thirty five being present.

Arrivals and Departures: Mr. Wal-

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ter Parsons, of Vermillion, Alta., visiting his brothers here, for some time; Miss Nellie Squire, of Sherbrooke, with Miss Ethel Harran for a few days; Mr. Roy Clarke, of Lennoxville, Sunday with friends; Mr. D. W. Ayer, to Montreal, for a few days; Mr. G. P. Duffy, to Sherbrooke, on Monday.

NORTON, VT., AND STANHOPE. Mrs. J. B. Parker, guest of Mrs. Ed. J. Nelson the week end.

Mrs. O. L. Young, was called to Island Pond, Vt., on Thursday by the illness and death of her grand child. The remains were taken here for interment on Friday, in the Marsh cemetery.

Mr. J. J. Conolly, of Island Pond, Vt., here on Sunday; Mr. Ed. Duquet, of Barnston, Sunday at his home.

NORTH HATLEY.

A special Christmas service will be held at the Baptist Church at North Hatley on Dec. 24th.

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U. S. SENATE RATIFIED TREATY OF 1832

WITH RUSSIA.

Washington, December 20.—The
Senate, by a unanimous vote last
night, formally ratified President
Taft's notification to Russia of the
termination of the treaty of 1832. The
Lodge joint resolution reported by
the Foreign Relations Committee, as
a substitute for the Sulzer resolution
that passed the House three hundred
to 1, was adopted after an all day de-
bate over Russian discrimination
against the Jews of America. The
House tomorrow is expected to agree
to the Senate measure.

Commercial relations between the
United States and Russia will not be
affected as a result of the abrogation
of the treaty of 1832, in the
opinion of Senator William Alden
Smith, of Michigan, because the fa-
vored nation clause of that treaty has
been swept aside by the operation of
the maximum and minimum clause
of the Payne tariff law carried into
effect by the President's proclamation
of July 15, 1910.

The Senator's view was discussed
widely at the Capitol yesterday as a
feature hitherto lost sight of in con-
sideration of the annulment of the
past.

SURPRISED AT JEW'S STRENGTH
St. Petersburg, December 20.—Hav-
ing accepted in an equable spirit the
notification of the American ambas-
sador that the treaty of Commerce
and Navigation entered into by the
United States and Russia in 1832
would be abrogated on January 1,
1913, officials of the Russian Govern-
ment are now directing their at-
tention to the question of a new treaty.
It is recognized that diplomacy of
the most experienced kind will be re-
quired, especially on the American
side, if negotiations for a new treaty
are to proceed satisfactorily. The
agitation in the United States over
the passport question and the brief
term available for diplomatic action
present difficulties to the full and free
discussion of the subject.

In parliamentary circles here the
prevailing comment is characterized
by astonishment that the American
government has responded so readily
to the Jewish outcry. The opinion
is expressed by members of the Duma
that in all probability the Jews will
now attempt to force matters fur-
ther.

AMUSEMENTS.

DANTE'S INFERNO.

In connection with the superb pro-
duction of Dante's Inferno at His
Majesty's Theatre, Thursday, the
management has secured the two-
reel production to be given in con-
nection with the larger show. This
two-reel production was originally
not intended for theatrical exhibi-
tions, but was produced in response
to a demand from schools, colleges
and scholars everywhere, for a com-
plete educational exposition of the
immortal work of the famous poet.
For the first time the two produc-
tions will be given in conjunction,
making seven reels in all, and giving
the audience thorough and compre-
hensive knowledge of the "Divine
Comedy" that could be obtained in
no other way.

BEDFORD DISTRICT LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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pondents in Various Communities

SUTTON.

The Children's festival of Grace
Church Sunday School will be held
in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, De-
cember 26th, this to take the place of
the usual Christmas Tree. The teach-
ers wish each child to bring one
penny as by so doing it is hoped to
impress the Bible precept upon the
little folks, that it is more blessed
to give than to receive. Tea will be
served at 3 o'clock, after which
games and a short programme will
be in order. It is hoped that a large
attendance of children and their par-
ents will be present.

The School in the Fadden District,
taught by Miss E. Holmes is closed
temporarily on account of mumps.
Mrs. A. Hawley, who has been at
Newport, Vt., for about one month
returned home on Friday.

A watch looke makes a nice present.
Let me show you one at \$1.50. Look-
ers attached. M. E. Bates.

Mr. J. Hancock, of East Pinnacle,
was a guest of his daughter, Mrs. C.
Morrison, from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. W. H. Baird, who has been in
the Royal Victoria Hospital, Mon-
treal, for upward of three weeks for
treatment of the eyes, was able to
return home on Saturday evening in
a much improved condition.

Mr. G. M. Boright of Cowansville,
was a guest of his parents here over
Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Holmes is here after an
absence of some 15 months on a
visit to relatives and friends. Mr.
Holmes is employed in Montgomery
Centre, Vt.

Mr. Ellis of Montreal conducted the
morning service in Grace Church on
Sunday.

Mr. Arthur A. Robinson, gave a
most enjoyable dinner party Friday
night, to a large number of his
friends.

The various Sutton merchants de-
cked their stores up with evergreens in
various designs, and have a big stock
on hand. The slight fall of snow, has
helped to brighten things up some-
what, and on Tuesday, business was
more promising.

There will be Christmas trees at
the Methodist and Advent churches
on Saturday evening. Grace church,
will have no tree this year, but will
have a children's festival on Tuesday
evening.

Mr. Ezeas Roy, returned on Mon-
day, from Marquette, with a fifteen
months Percheron mare, full-blooded,
that weighs 1000 lbs, and for which
he paid a fancy price.

Mrs. G. W. Johnston, has been ill
for upwards of one week.

Some of the small boys are in
trouble over taking small articles
from the Christmas stock, several
different stores having lost a few
articles.

Mrs. Tirza Waterhouse, of Abercorn,
was a guest at Mrs. H. R. Stetson's
on Tuesday.

IRON HILL.

There passed away on Dec. 10, 1911,
as previously reported in the Record,
at the home of his daughter, Mrs.
Katharine, East Farnham, Mr. David
Shufelt, formerly of Iron Hill, who
had attained the age of 93 years. By
his death the last of the older set-
tlers of Iron Hill has passed over to
the great majority.

Deceased was born in the Township
of Dunham, Feb. 11, 1818, and as
the name implies, was of hardy Dutch
descent, and the eldest son in a
family of thirteen, five of whom sur-
vive him. In early boyhood he moved
with his father's family to Iron
Hill. In 1842 he married Polly
Cook, a lineal descendant of one of
the Pilgrim Fathers, Francis Cook,
whose name is engraved on Plymouth
Rock. The young couple began house
keeping on the farm now owned by
Mr. McNeil, Milford, near Bromo
Ford, and lived there over twenty
years. Six of the seven children with
whom they were blessed being born
there. From there he moved to an-
other farm about a mile nearer Iron
Hill, where they lived over twenty-
five years. Finally selling the home-

stead to one of his sons, he bought a
house in Sweetsburg, where he lived
a number of years, going from there
to East Farnham, where Mrs. Shufelt
died Nov. 15, 1899. A couple of
years ago deceased, who was in feeble
health, went to East Farnham vil-
lage to live with Mrs. Katharine, by
whom he has been tenderly cared for.
He was confined to his bed only two
days. Life's candle had burned out
and like a shock of corn fully ripe he
passed away.

Of his family of seven children five
were present at the funeral, viz.:
Messrs. Winslow Shufelt, of Cote St.
Paul, and Frank D. Shufelt, of Iron
Hill; Mesdames Katharine, Fuller,
of East Farnham, and McGroun, of Cow-
ansville. The eldest and youngest
sons, Messrs. A. Shufelt, of West
Plains, Mo., and J. Harman Shufelt,
of Laketon, Mich., were unable to
attend.

The funeral service was conducted
by Rev. G. A. Mason, of West Shef-
ford, in St. Augustine's Church, East
Farnham. The pall bearers were
Messrs. L. Hastings, N. Keet, W.
Chandler and M. E. Bullard, Iron
Hill. The interment in the Union
Cemetery, Iron Hill.

The deceased was a successful far-
mer, an honorable business man, and
an esteemed citizen. Though most of
his contemporaries had passed away,
he had many warm friends in the
younger generation, and until a few
years ago, when he suffered a shock,
had as keen an intellect as many a
man a score of years younger. He
will be missed in his home and among
his children and relatives. The sor-
rowing ones have the sympathy of
the entire community.

NORTH PINNACLE.

The Home Department Sunday
School held a social at Mr. L. R.
Smith's on Dec. 15th, at which there
was a good attendance, and a very
pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Re-
freshments were served after the pro-
gramme. Mr. L. R. Smith acted as
chairman and the programme was as
follows: Song, "O Canada," by the
Misses Minnie Blandford, Ada Wil-
kins, Helen Jenne, Grace Smith and
Zulu Dymond; reading by Miss M.
C. Smith; instrumental solo, by Miss
Bertha Dinning; vocal solo, "This is
the train for Heaven," by Miss Mary
Wilkins; "Love's Old Sweet Song,"
Miss Minnie Blandford; recitation,
"Miss Diamond," Miss Zulu Dymond;
instrumental duet by the Misses
Ada Wilkins and Helen Jenne;
dialogue, "The Quaker's Courtship,"
the Misses Ada Smith and Mary Wil-
kins; vocal solo, "There let me rest,"
Miss Hazel Smith; instrumental solo,
"The American Girl," Miss Grace
Smith; recitation, "The Swing,"
Miss Bertha Dymond; vocal solo,
"Come, Birdie, Come," by Miss Ada
Smith; recitation, "The Stovepipe
Hole," Miss Hazel Smith; vocal solo,
"On the Old Missouri Shore," Miss
Minnie Blandford; instrumental solo,
Mrs. Bertha Dinning; "Home Song,"
the Misses Helen Jenne and Ada C.
Wilkins. The report of S. S. work
was given by Miss Mary Smith.

Arrivals and departures include:
Mr. Fred Sager of Pictou Hill, Que.,
at Mr. C. S. Spencer's for a few
days; Mr. Fred Sager and Mrs. Ber-
tha Dinning visiting at North Enos-
burg recently; Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Bailey, of Mansouville, and Miss Ber-
tha Griggs, of Sutton, at Mr. J. T.
Wilkins' recently.

VALE PERKINS.

Arrivals and Departures: Mr. and
Mrs. Fred Jewett, from Boston, Mass.;
Mrs. M. Godhue, of Newport, Vt., at
her mother's, Mrs. Julius; Mr. and
Mrs. L. P. George, at Bolton Centre
last week; Mr. W. B. Magoon, of
Magog, on Saturday; Mr. V. Martel,
of Bolton on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs.
L. Wing, of East Bolton, at Mr. U.
Darling's, recently; Mr. and Mrs.
M. George, to Bolton Centre, to visit
Mrs. A. Hand; Miss Celia Duquette,
of Beebe at Mr. V. Martel's recently.

A birthday party was given Mr.
H. W. Darling, December 14th. About
35 were present and a very enjoyable
evening was spent in dancing.

A reception was given Mr. and
Mrs. F. Jewett, at their home on De-
cember 10. In spite of the rain, about

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said it was kidney trouble and gave me
no hope of getting well. A kind
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went down, the pain was easier, and
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Coach, spent Friday in St. Hyacinthe
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your Ties, Neck Scarfs, Sweaters,
Gloves, Mitts, Slippers, Buckskin
Moccasins, etc. He will save you
money.

It will pay you to go to Pibus,
Knowlton, for your Xmas goods.

ALVA.

School closed in this district on the
14th, with Miss Annie Allen, as teach-
er, after a successful term of four
months with recitations by the pupils.
The parents were invited in for the
afternoon.

The Misses Young, teachers, from
Abercorn, and Sutton, Junction, the
week end with Mrs. C. B. Cowan.

Mr. Bates is home again, after un-
dergoing an operation in Montreal.

Mr. Percy Hazard, North Pinnacle,
at Mr. C. B. Cowan's on Sunday.

Mrs. L. Hawley, who has been suf-
fering from Rheumatism, for some
time is slightly better.

BROME.

Go to Pibus, Knowlton, for your
Xmas Candles, Nuts, Fruits, Ties,
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AT DANVILLE CONSIDER-
ED BY QUEBEC PRES-
BYTERY.

Richmond, Dec. 20.—(Special)—An
adjourned meeting of the Presbytery
of Quebec was held in Chambers
Church here yesterday afternoon.

The Moderator, Rev. Dr. Love, Que-
bec, presided, and there were present
Rev. Messrs. Brunton, Danville; J.
R. MacLeod, Three Rivers; Carmi-
chael, Richmond; Martin, Quebec; W.
Rothney, Richmond; J. C. Nicholson,
Sherbrooke; Gourley, Leeds; Macfar-
lane, St. Anne's; Henderson, Kin-
near's Mills.

Rev. Mr. Nicholson, interim mod-
erator, presented the call to the Rev.
J. R. MacLeod, of Three Rivers, from
the Scotstown Presbyterian congrega-
tion.

The Presbytery endorsed the action
and sustained the call as a regular
gospel call.

Mr. Morrison, representing the
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Donald Nicholson, Sawyerville, will
preach. Rev. Mr. Henderson, Kin-
near's Mills, will address the people,
and Rev. Mr. MacLeod, Marshboro,
will address the minister.

Rev. Dr. Love was appointed inter-
im moderator of Three Rivers.

Another call from Lunenburg and
Wales congregation, in Glengarry
county, to the Rev. J. L. Gourley,
Leeds Village, was submitted, and
the Presbytery agreed to make the
translation, and Rev. Mr. Henderson
was appointed interim moderator of
Leeds congregation.

A report on the proposed federation
of the two churches at Danville was
submitted by Rev. J. C. Nicholson,
convenor of the committee that has
the question under consideration. Af-
ter several amendments, the Presby-
tery decided to refer the matter back
to the congregation for further con-
sideration.

In connection with the matter af-
fecting the Leeds Village congrega-
tion, a committee consisting of Rev.
Messrs. Nicholson and Macfarlane, to
confer with the congregations of
Leeds and Kinnear's Mills, with a
view to uniting the two congrega-
tions under one pastorate.

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LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine, the world
wide Gold and Grip remedy, removes
cause. Call for full name. Look for sig-
nature E. W. GROVE, 25c.

STANBRIDGE RIDGE.

Arrivals and departures include:
Miss Mabel Baxter, with re-
latives in Waterloo; Miss Mary Sorn-
berger visiting friends in Montreal;
Miss G. Cory for the week-end from
Phillipsburg; Mrs. R. Lucas of Stony
Point, Montreal, visiting her aunt,
Mrs. M. E. Stanton; Mrs. S. Martin,
at Mr. A. E. Richard's; Mrs. J. Mc-
Govern a few days in Cory neighbor-
hood; Mrs. M. A. Aychard from Guthrie;
Mrs. E. Sornberger, Sunday at
W. N. Martindale's.

The "Buche Club" was entertained
by Mrs. M. A. Martindale and Mrs.
L. J. Martindale last week. The prizes
were won by Miss Mary Sornberger
and Mr. Media Rache.

ABBOTSFORD.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm.
Craig, was held in St. Paul's church,
on Friday afternoon, service being
conducted by Rev. L. T. Miller. The
mourning were Mrs. Faries, daughter
of deceased, Rev. Mr. Faries, Mr.
Geoffrey Craig, grand son, Miss Ham-
ilton, niece.

Mrs. Slack, and Miss Herrick, were
in Montreal recently; Mrs. Geo.

Here, at Last, You who have only half-liked

is really comfortable underwear for you!

the union suits of the past—slip into a suit of the new, better kind—the kind a man can wear with genuine comfort and contentment. Just ask for

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The part that was always so troublesome in the old kind now sets as snug as a can—doesn't gap—doesn't strain. Truly it's an improvement you will appreciate. Some trustworthy store you pass every day has an array of these combinations in stock that includes your favorite weight and style. Ask for Pen-Angle Closed-Crotch—the new underwear idea, and look for the trademark.

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PARIS . . CANADA UNDERWEAR

FIVE DOCTORS

GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Said she Would Die of Kidney Trouble

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" CURED HER

MOUNTAIN, ONT., Dec. 14th, 1910.

"For six years, I suffered from
dreadful Kidney Disease. My legs and
lower part of my body were fearfully
swollen, and the pain was awful. My
people thought sometimes I was dead,
as I would faint from the agony. Five
different doctors attended me, and all
said it was kidney trouble and gave me
no hope of getting well. A kind
neighbor told me to try 'Fruit-a-tives' and
mentioned the case of Mrs.
Fenwick, who was cured by them.

I took 'Fruit-a-tives'—and in a short
time, I began to feel better, the swelling
went down, the pain was easier, and
then 'Fruit-a-tives' entirely cured me.
All my friends look upon my recovery
as a miracle, and I am unable to praise
'Fruit-a-tives' enough."

(Miss) MAGGIE JANNACK.

"Fruit-a-tives" is the most scientific
remedy ever discovered for Irritation or
Congestion of the Kidneys, frequent
Pain in the Back, and Swollen Limbs.
50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size, 25c.
At all dealers or from Fruit-a-tives
Limited, Ottawa.

Coach, spent Friday in St. Hyacinthe
with Mr. Geoffrey Craig, returned to Ot-
tawa.

Go to Knowlton, Que., Que., for
your Ties, Neck Scarfs, Sweaters,
Gloves, Mitts, Slippers, Buckskin
Moccasins, etc. He will save you
money.

It will pay you to go to Pibus,
Knowlton, for your Xmas goods.

ALVA.

School closed in this district on the
14th, with Miss Annie Allen, as teach-
er, after a successful term of four
months with recitations by the pupils.
The parents were invited in for the
afternoon.

The Misses Young, teachers, from
Abercorn, and Sutton, Junction, the
week end with Mrs. C. B. Cowan.

Mr. Bates is home again, after un-
dergoing an operation in Montreal.

Mr. Percy Hazard, North Pinnacle,
at Mr. C. B. Cowan's on Sunday.

Mrs. L. Hawley, who has been suf-
fering from Rheumatism, for some
time is slightly better.

BROME.

Go to Pibus, Knowlton, for your
Xmas Candles, Nuts, Fruits, Ties,
Neck Scarfs, Sweaters, Gloves, Mitts,
Slippers and Footwear of any de-
scription. He will save you money.

SCOTSTOWN CALL

WAS SUSTAINED.

Rev. J. R. MacLeod, Three Rivers

Minister Elected to Above Con-
gregation.

QUESTION OF CHURCH UNION

AT DANVILLE CONSIDER-
ED BY QUEBEC PRES-
BYTERY.

Richmond, Dec. 20.—(Special)—An
adjourned meeting of the Presbytery
of Quebec was held in Chambers
Church here yesterday afternoon.

The Moderator, Rev. Dr. Love, Que-
bec, presided, and there were present
Rev. Messrs. Brunton, Danville; J.
R. MacLeod, Three Rivers; Carmi-
chael, Richmond; Martin, Quebec; W.
Rothney, Richmond; J. C. Nicholson,
Sherbrooke; Gourley, Leeds; Macfar-
lane, St. Anne's; Henderson, Kin-
near's Mills.

Rev. Mr. Nicholson, interim mod-
erator, presented the call to the Rev.
J. R. MacLeod, of Three Rivers, from
the Scotstown Presbyterian congrega-
tion.

The Presbytery endorsed the action
and sustained the call as a regular
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3 DAYS LEFT That is all you have to do your CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

We have the largest variety of

China, Cut Glass, Silverware

In town. We will be ready to serve you as you will find everything in order so will not have any trouble to make your choice.

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Gloves Are Always Acceptable

Select a pair of Gloves from our complete assortment, as we carry the best makes, including Deuts, Fowne's and Perrin's. All styles including fur lined, fur tops, dog skin, mocha, etc.

Special long evening gloves in silk or kid in black, white, cream or tan.

Remember that all our gloves are guaranteed or money refunded.

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69 WELLINGTON ST., SHERBROOKE.

— SPECIAL NOTICE —

This Store will be open every evening until New Year's

THE ONE who needs new FURS

will not miss this. Take your choice to-day.

Persian Lamb Jacket 50ins. long, value \$300. for \$250.	
Persian Lamb " 36 " " " \$225. " \$190.	
Hudson Seal " 50 " " " \$165. " \$150.	
Russian Pony " 50 " " " \$110. " \$90.	
Electric Seal " 50 " " " \$110. " \$90.	
Caracul " 50 " " " \$95. " \$80.	
Astrachan " 50 " " " \$75. " \$65.	
Coon Coats from " " " " \$65. to \$125.	

Black Fox muff and stole, ... value \$65. for \$55	
Brown Fox " " " " \$50. " \$40	
Sable Muffs from " " " " \$18. to \$35	
Sable Stoles from " " " " \$25. " \$40	
Mink Sets, " " " " special discount	
Persian Lamb muffs from " " " " \$18. to \$32	
Persian Lamb scarfs " " " " \$13. " \$25	
Persian Lamb large scarf with fringe " " " " \$50. for \$50	
Persian Lamb stole with heads and fringe \$50. " \$45	
Ermine stole and muff " " " " \$150. " \$125	
Mink and Ermine set " " " " value \$200. " \$150	
Mink and Silk set " " " " " \$160. " \$125	

Every article in the stock is suitable for a Christmas Gift. All prices are consistent with the quality of material & workmanship.

—AN— EASY WAY TO BUY Christmas Presents

Is to make out a list of the people you want to give to, then go to the store with the largest stock of articles for Christmas gifts and see if you cannot find something suitable for each person.

MEN!

We have without exception the largest stock in town of articles suitable for gifts to ladies, and can give you many helpful hints. See our four big windows for suggestions.

A. C. SKINNER

Jeweller and Optician.

7 Strathcona Square, Sherbrooke.

CITY NEWS.

Mr. A. A. Jacques, of Garthby, was a visitor to the city this week.

Holly, Holly Wreaths, Wreathing and Mistletoe at Milford's.

Miss Evelyn Fox, who has been ill for some time, is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stout, of Iveshoe, Ont., are recent arrivals in town.

Public Notice—Cut Glass sale Friday morning at Kerr's.

Mr. John Champoux, of D'Arceville, was in the city yesterday on business.

25 p.c. discount on Cut Glass Friday morning at Kerr's.

N. P. Tanguay, M.P.P., of Weedon, was registered at the New Sherbrooke yesterday.

Miss Norma Fales is confined to the house by tonsillitis, which is quite prevalent at present.

Mr. E. Fred Dugan, of Montreal, arrived in town last evening and is a guest at the Magog House.

Miss Lea Labadie is recovering from the operation she underwent, and is considered out of danger.

The Ideal Ladies' Parlor will be open every evening this week.

Mrs. Willard Ansell and Miss Sadie Ansell were the guests yesterday of Mrs. Harkness at "Ansell Cottage," Bowen avenue.

Our Plants are being brought from the greenhouses to our store. Call in and see them. Milford.

Mr. J. B. Keating, British Vice-Consul at Portland, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ames, Fern Side, Lennoxville Road.

Mr. C. C. Wilson, of Lewiston, Me., a member of the Brompton Pulp and Paper Co., is in the city, staying at the New Sherbrooke.

Baron L. Fréhon, of Paris, France; Mr. C. Eude, of Montreal; and Miss Eude, are guests at the Magog House. The party went to Danville yesterday for a visit.

Big sale of English and Japanese Fancy Goods suitable for Christmas and New Year's gifts. Prices the lowest, at 205 Wellington street.

The Salvation Army Band will serenade Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, weather permitting. The finance raised in this way will be wholly devoted to local work.

Recent additions to our glass enables us to grow all our plants and many of our cut flowers, so you can depend on having them direct from first hands. John Milford & Son, Florists.

Mr. Geo. W. Cree, Asst. Supt. of the Boston & Maine R.R., Lyndonville; Messrs. S. A. D. Forestall, Supt. Tel., Boston; P. W. Paige and W. S. Jeffers, of Lyndonville, were in town yesterday on official business.

Christmas Organ Recital by Mr. J. W. Beader, F.R.C.O., St. Peter's Church, Thursday, Dec. 21, 8 p.m. Mr. J. T. Matthews, soloist. Offerings for Choir Fund.

Invitations have been issued by the officers and members of Friendship Lodge, A. F. & A. M., Friendship Chapter, R.A.M., and Eastern Star Chapter for a dance to be held in Victoria Hall, Cookshire, on Dec. 27th.

Remember this—When purchasing Haberdashery as gifts, all men appreciate the name of Baldwin on whatever you buy, for they know it means the best quality and the "correct thing."

The following new post offices were established in the Province of Quebec on the 1st of December: Lac Kenauit, Pontiac Co.; Lanriville, Richelieu Co.; Monseigneur, Boulangers Co. The post office at Shawinigan Junction, Three Rivers and St. Maurice Co., has been closed.

Mr. R. J. Mundell, of Vancouver, who has been in town for a brief visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Mundell, Queen street, left yesterday for Montreal on his way to the West. He was accompanied by Miss Winifred Mundell, who will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Fred Loomis.

If in doubt about what to give him, read Baldwin's, Ltd., ad.

Mrs. Arthur Robinson returned last evening to "Rockmount" after a few days' visit to her sister, Mrs. H. S. Holt, Stanley street.

Follow the crowd for Christmas bargains at Kerr's.

The Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration has been awarded to Lieut.-Col. G. K. Addie, Corps of Guides, of Quebec, formerly of Sherbrooke.

Hot dinners free at Edwards' this week to all out of town customers purchasing at least \$5.00.

Mr. A. R. Wilson's advertisements in the Record are attracting attention among the trade papers. The Plumber and Steamfitter, reproduces one and comments upon its attractiveness.

Special piano offer—a little down and \$5.00 per month will buy a fine mahogany piano at Edwards' this week.

To-night will be observed as Christmas night at the Sherbrooke Snow-shoe Club. The members are asked to meet at the Magog House at eight o'clock sharp. They will then enjoy a "Moccasin" tramp to the Club House.

Among the names published in yesterday's issue of the Lennoxville Musical Club Committee, those of the Secretary, Miss Davis, and of the Treasurer, Miss Perry, were omitted.

Notice. Before buying your Xmas turkey see what we have to offer you. Two car loads of choice from one Western and one local. All choice stock, selected by our expert, call and pick out your requirements, or phone, either way you will get a choice bird. Hovey Packing Co.

The members of Victoria Lodge, No. 15, A.F. & A.M., are requested to attend the funeral of the late W. Bro. W. R. Bradley to-morrow afternoon at 2.30. No regalia will be worn.

It is most unusual to find any merchant making a big reduction in any articles that are in demand at the present time. The Duncan Stores are taking the whole of their large southern window and have it filled with a line of handsome House Jackets, which are marked at \$3.00.

At a meeting of the members of Jacques Cartier, Court, No. 117, C.O.F., held last night, the following officers were elected: C.R., T. Chabot; V.C.R., J. B. A. Brule; F.S., J. P. Jutras; R.S., N. Gingras; Treasurer, Frs. Morin; Orator, O. Cote; S.W., J. Miller; J.W. E. Morin; S. B., M. Blais; J.B. Geo. Laliberté; Auditor, Arthur Brule; Physician, Dr. F. Bertrand.



THINK OF IT

Here it is Wednesday and only four days from Xmas. In spite of the heavy business we have done in the past week our stock is standing the strain as only a high class stock could, and we beg to inform you that our shop is still brimful of the finest gifts of Haberdashery obtainable in the Townships.

Rich Cravats
in the newest and smartest designs.

Silk Knitted Mufflers

Silk Hosiery

Holeproof Hosiery

House Coats

Dressing Gowns

Canes

Umbrellas

GLOVES

and hosts of other things

dear to the heart of

every man.

Baldwin's

Exclusive Men's Furnishings & Clothing
Cash, and One Price Only.

Choir practice for the "Messiah" at St. Peter's after evening service.

It is interesting to observe the fine goods displayed in the windows of the Sherbrooke stores at this season of the year, but the beautiful line of Men's Haberdashery artistically arranged in the three windows of the Duncan Stores is worthy of more than a passing glance. It is doubtful if any of the metropolitan shops show a finer range. Especially is this true of the House Jackets and Dressing Gowns—garments that appeal strongly to the men folk.

Amateur Night at His Majesty's to-night. Big bill.

NOTICE.

T. Vineberg's store will be closed Thursday, Dec. 21st, to re-mark the goods, as his stock is now in the hands of The Toronto Factories and Mills Syndicate, with orders from him to sell and sell quick, as he is going out of the Men's Clothing business entirely. They are the greatest bargain givers in the world, and will reopen the store Friday morning, Dec. 22nd, at 8.30, with the greatest whirlwind sale ever held in Sherbrooke.

PRINCE OF WALES LODGE.

At a regular communication of Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 63, A.F. & A.M., held last night, the following officers were elected: W. M.—J. W. Beader. S. W.—W. J. Wiggett. J. W.—Geo. D. Mackinnon. Chaplain—Rev. G. E. Read. Treasurer—J. C. Fraser. Secretary—J. A. Cote. Tyler—Wm. Bell.

Nothing more acceptable than a nice Bag or Suit Case for Xmas. You'll find the largest assortment in the city at McKee's, 11 King St.

WATCHES WATCHES

At H. J. LABEREE & COY

LENNOXVILLE.

We have never given such bargains on Watches before. Prices from \$1.00 to \$40.00.

Come and see. You will not be disappointed.

NUTS FOR XMAS

WALNUTS ALMONDS FILBERTS BRAZIL NUTS CHESTNUTS HICKORY NUTS and PEANUTS

You can have these mixed.

DEAN & LACEY

Importers & Fancy Grocers.

St. James and Notre Dame Sts. St. J. GALLAGHER, Prop. and Mgr. Dir.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS

—WORTH GIVING—

EVERY YEAR the same people come to us for certain of their Christmas Gifts—Some of them acquired the habit years ago, and their purchases have increased from year to year. They of course, know many of the Practical and Sensible Gifts our line affords, and they know that both Price and Quality are Satisfactory; but even They don't know all the new things we are showing this year in our New Store, and so for their benefit and for those who don't know about our line, we are publishing here

OUR LIST OF ONE HUNDRED XMAS GIFTS

Pocket Knives.	Nut Cracks.	Brass Toddy Kettles.
Jack Knives.	Oak Serving Trays.	Sporting Rifles.
Combination Sets.	Ten Canisters.	Air Rifles.
Picnic Sets.	Match Safes.	Fine Sleigh Bells.
Carving Sets.	Dog Collars.	Fountain Pens.
Table Knives.	Cobbler Sets.	Drawing Tools in Sets.
Fruit Knives.	Fish Rods.	Tennis Rackets.
Nut Picks.	Alarm Clocks.	Golf Clubs.
Rogers' Plated Ware.	Postal Scales.	Canoe Paddles.
Tea Spoons.	Thermos Bottles.	Boxing Gloves.
Dessert and Table Spoons.	Manicure Sets.	Hunters' Compasses.
Oyster Forks.	Scissors Sets.	Dollar Watches.
Cutlery Cases.	Fancy Cork Screws.	Punching Bags.
Thermometers.	Library Scissors Sets.	Leather Hunting Coats.
Child's Sets.	Pocket Flasks.	Ivory Rules.
Poultry Shears.	Family Scales.	Cash and Deed Boxes.
Revolvers.	Boys' Skates.	Hunters' Axes.
Hunting Knives.	Hockey Sticks.	Salad Servers.
Flash Lights.	Girls' Skates.	Brass Fern Pots.
Brass Candlesticks.	Sleds.	Brass Jardinieres.
Shaving Mirrors.	Toboggans.	Flower Baskets.
Shaving Sets.	Skis.	Meat Forks.
Gillette Razors.	Bracket Saws.	Butter Spreaders.
Ever-Ready Razors.	Tool Cabinets.	Fern Dishes.
Subber Set Shaving Brushes.	Andirons.	Electric Flash Lights.
Sandwich Trays.	Spark Guards.	Fine Machinists' Tools.
Vegetable Dishes.	Fireplace Sets.	Campers' Sets.
Bread Trays.	Carpet Sweepers.	Brass Cuspidors.
Chafing Dishes.	Bread Makers.	Smokers' Stands.
Percolators.	Cake Makers.	Home Deposit Vaults.
Coffee Mills.	Casseroles.	Foot Warmers.
French Coffee Pots.	Steak Planks.	Fine Driving Whips.
Asbestos Bad Irons.	Brass Crumb Trays.	Riding Crops.
Food Choppers.	Dog Whips and Leads.	Razor Hones.
	Alcohol Stoves.	Opera and Field Glasses.

This List may give you an idea of the VARIETY but you must see the goods to appreciate the QUALITY and ATTRACTIVENESS.

Early Comers Have First Choice.

Open Evenings.

J. S. MITCHELL & CO.

FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

DAIRY PRODUCE

CHEESE MARKET QUIET.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—Receipts of cheese were 787 boxes, as compared with 540 for the corresponding date a year ago. The market continues quiet and little activity is anticipated until after the turn of the year, but as stocks are small a firm feeling prevails and prices show no change.

We quote prices as follows:—
Western, September 14½c to 14½c
Western, October 14½c to 14½c
Eastern September 14½c to 14½c
October 14c to 14½c
Culls 13½c to 13½c

GOOD DEMAND FOR BUTTER.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—Receipts of butter were 673 packages as against 377 for the same date last year. There is a fairly good demand for butter, and some orders are also coming forward from outside sources, consequently the market is fairly active and prices are firmly maintained.

We quote prices as follows:—
Choice Creamery 30½c to 31½c
Seconds 29c to 30c
Manitoba Dairy 22c to 23c
Western dairy 25c to 26c
Rolls 25c to 26c

PROVISION M-R-K'T.

DRESSED HOGS PRICES STEADY.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—A feature of the trade was the strong feeling in the market for live hogs, and prices advanced 20c to 25c per 100 lbs., consequently there was also a corresponding advance made in prices for dressed. The demand for abattoir fresh-killed dressed was good and sales in a jobbing way were made at \$9.50 to \$9.75 and country dressed at \$8.50 to \$9 per 100 lbs. The trade in hams and bacon is good, there being a steady demand from all

COUNTRY PRODUCE

GOOD BUSINESS IN EGGS.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—A good business continues to be done, as the consumption this week will be larger than ever, consequently the market is active with a strong undertone.

Selected stocks, round
lots 30 to 31½
cases 31½ to 32
No. 1 stock, round
lots 26 to 27½
No. 1 stock, single
cases 27½ to 28

GOOD DEMAND FOR POULTRY.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—On account of the continued favorable weather there was a good demand for all lines of dressed poultry, and as supplies were ample to fill all requirements, an active trade was done and prices for fresh-killed stock were fully maintained.

We quote prices as follows:

Turkeys, per lb. 19 to 20
Chickens, per lb. 12 to 14
Fowls, per lb. 10 to 12
Ducks, per lb. 16 to 18
Geese, per lb. 10 to 12

QUIET HONEY MARKET.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—There was no change in honey, for which the demand continues to be somewhat limited. We quote:—
Clover, white honey 11 to 11½
Dark Grades 10 to 10½
White extracted 7 to 7½
Buckwheat 17½ to 19

MAPLE PRODUCTS QUIET.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—Business in maple products was quiet and the market is without any new feature. We quote:—Maple syrup, in wood, at 7c to 7½c; per lb., and in tins, 70c to 75c as to size, and maple sugar at 8½c to 9½c per lb., as to quality.

POTATO MARKET FIRM.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—A firm feeling prevails in the market for potatoes on account of the small supplies coming forward and the continued good demand from all sources. Sales of Green Mountains in a jobbing way were made at \$1.45 to \$1.40, and other varieties at \$1.35 to \$1.40 per bag, ex-store. In car lots Green Mountains are quoted at \$1.25 to \$1.27½, and other stocks at \$1.10 to \$1.15 per bag, ex-store.

TO-DAY'S MARKET PRICES.

Morning quotations New York Market and transactions Montreal Stock Exchange, reported by McCuaig Bros. & Co., Sun Life Bldg.

	Open.	p.m.
Amal. Copper	65½	66½
Amer. Sugar	115½	115½
Amer. Beet Sugar	57½	57½
Atchison	106½	106½
Amer. Smelt. Refg. Co.	74	74
Anaconda	38½	37½

Can. Pac.	241½	240½
Chi. Mil. & St. Paul	110½	111
Erie Com.	32½	32½
Great Nor. Pfd.	128½	128½
Louisville & Nashville	158	157½
Minn., St. Paul & Soo.	135	135
Missouri Pac.	39½	39½
New York Central ex-Div.	105½	105½
Northern Pac.	118½	118½
Reading Com.	153	152½
Rock Island Com.	242	242
Southern Pac.	112½	113
Union Pac.	173½	174½
U. S. Steel Com.	68½	68½
U. S. Steel Pfd.	111½	111½
Southern Ry.	30	30

MORNING SALES MONTREAL MARKET.

Cement Com.—125 at 27½.	
Cement Pfd.—100 at 89½, 155 at 89½.	
Iron Com.—60 at 56½, 35 at 57, 125 at 57½, 25 at 57½.	
Iron Pfd.—100 at 102½.	
Power—100 at 191½, 40 at 192, 150 at 123.	
Rio—10 at 111½.	
Shawinigan—15 at 123.	
Toronto Ry.—144 at 136½.	
Can. Loco. Pfd.—5 at 93½.	
Can. Car Foundry—5 at 63½.	
Twin City—30 at 105.	
Laurentide—15 at 158.	
Sawyer-Massey Com.—25 at 37.	
Textile Pfd.—5 at 101, 2 at 102.	
Bank of New Brunswick—100 at 260½.	
B. T. Bank—70 at 193.	
Merchants Bank—15 at 198.	
Hochelaga Bank—11 at 168.	
Dom. Coal Bonds—4000 at 98.	
Ogilvie Bonds—1000 at 113.	
Can. Col. Cotton Bonds—7000 at 100.	
Winnipeg Bonds—1000 at 105.	
Canada Cotton Bonds—500 at 84, 3000 at 85.	

DAILY STOCK LETTER.

(Furnished by F. B. McCurdy & Co.)

New York Market.

Americans in London quiet and irregular.

Presidents of the Steel Company subsidiaries to United States Steel Corporation met in New York, Tuesday to discuss trade conditions.

Contracts for 250,000 tons steel are pending. New York Central will not order rails until after Jan. 1st.

General sentiment is divided as to immediate market movements. The enormous dividend disbursements should stimulate prices to an appreciable degree.

Montreal Market.

Trading light and prices steady. C. P. R. Rights selling at 8½ slightly better than yesterday.

A bottle of prevention is better than a deranged stomach.

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

25c and 60c bottle. Sold everywhere.

POPULATION OF THE DOMINION.

Latest Census Bulletin Tells How It is Made Up.

SURPLUS OF MALES OVER FEMALES IS OVER HALF A MILLION.

Ottawa, Ont., December 20.—The second of the census bulletins, giving the population of the Dominion by sex and by electoral constituencies, was issued yesterday. The revised figures of total population show a slight increase on the first bulletin, the total now being placed at 7,192,338. The increase is 1,821,023 during the decade. The figures giving the population by males and females are not quite complete, the returns for the Yukon, for ten subdivisions in British Columbia, and two subdivisions in Saskatchewan not yet being available.

With these returns omitted, the figures by sexes are 3,805,350 males and 3,376,987 females. Compared with the figures of 1901, this shows an increase of 1,054,642 in the male population. The surplus of males has, therefore, increased by 297,312, a situation which is due to the large influx of males for railway construction and for homesteading in Western Canada. In Manitoba there are 44,523 more males than females. In Saskatchewan the surplus is 90,336, in Alberta 73,400, and in British Columbia 106,883.

The figures by constituencies show the necessity of a redistribution bill. The unit of representation according to the population of Quebec will be 20,852. It will be seen that as a general rule the western constituencies are considerably above this figure, while considerably over half of the constituencies in Eastern Canada are below it.

Now is the Time

to place your Christmas orders for Cake, Fruit, etc. fruited.

Fig Cake, per lb. 25c
Fruit Cake, per lb. 25c
Cream Rolls, doz. 40c
Cream Cakes, doz. 30c
Cream Puffs, doz. 10c
Mixed Nuts, per lb. 25c
Table Raisins, per lb. 20c
Malaga Grapes, per lb. 20c
Dates, 1 lb. boxes 10c
Famous Apples, per doz. 50c
Oranges, per doz. 20c to 30c
(Both Florida and Navela.)
CANDIES OF ALL KINDS.
Place your order early in order to get quick service.
Phone 294.

A. P. Thornton & Co.

MEGANTIC CO. HAPPENINGS.

Budget of News From Various Sections of Country.

DIED AS RESULT OF INJURIES

GEORGE AUCLAIRE, LEEDS VILLAGE, WAS CRUSHED BY FALLING TREE.

Leeds Village, Dec. 20.—(Special)—The funeral of the late Mr. George Auclair took place on Sunday last. He died as a result of injuries received while at work in the woods. A tree fell on him and his head was terribly crushed. He lingered for four days, suffering great pain before the end came.

INVERNESS.

Rev. J. M. Miller, Pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Inverness, celebrated his first anniversary as Pastor of this congregation, on Sabbath the 17th. The Rev. Mr. Henderson, of Kinross's Mills, took both services, morning and evening. Special music was rendered by the choir. Miss McCammon, sang a solo at the morning service and a trio in the evening was given by Mrs. Somerville, Mrs. McKelvie and Mr. Stewart. The Methodists kindly withdrew their services in the evening and joined in the service. Rev. Mr. Hughes, taking a part in the service. Mr. and Mrs. Miller have both worked hard, every department of the church is going good work under their supervision. The congregation is very grateful to Rev. Mr. Henderson for the assistance rendered by him.

Pamphlets dealing with the basis of church union have been distributed in the Presbyterian church. The vote will be taken early in the year. Judgment in the Longmore vs. Maxwell case has been given. They both win on certain points and the result is they are just where they were and each have to pay about \$800.00 in costs.

A Magistrates Court was held in the Court House, Magistrates McMillan and Lambly presiding. Mr. Dames Nadeau, was brought before them to answer to the charge of taking some pulp wood from Mr. Roy. Mr. Mailhoit, of Arthabasca, was the attorney for Mr. Roy, and was on hand to defend his client, but Mr. Roy failed to appear, and the case was thrown out of court.

The Presbyterian Sunday School teachers, are busy drilling the children for the Christmas tree to be held on Friday evening. Miss Mary McMillan, is home from

the West on a visit and is guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McMillan.

A sigh of relief went up when the big thaw was over, and the chickens and turkeys are safe once more in the grip of Jack Frost. Although the ground was completely bare, a good fall of snow quickly followed, and we have splendid sleighing again.

CRANBERRY.

Mr. Farford, the Government Engineer, was in this vicinity on Friday to inspect the work done on the road at the Ragged River. He approved of the work done on the south side, but he thought the cedar break-water would not be any benefit for, if it would hold the ice and water, it would be sure to take the bridge. He says that if work is continued on the north side as far as the water rises on the road that it will be a great benefit to the public, but it will have to be built from the bridge past Mr. McCraynold's garden and built up high enough that the water will not cover it.

The recent thaw brought a sufficiency of water for the wells, and the snow of the first of the week has made good sleighing.

EAST LEEDS.

Arrivals and departures include: Miss Sadie Wilkin home after a week with her aunt, Mrs. Bracken, of Kinross's Mills; Mrs. Duncan Kinross, from a few days with her mother, Mrs. Lowry; Mrs. J. Beattie to Robertsonville for Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Oliver; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McKenzie to their home at Robertsonville; Mrs. Francis Beattie a few days with her nephew, Mr. Wilson Beattie.

Mr. Henry Wilkin passed through here recently buying cattle.

SHERBROOKE MINISTERIAL ASS'N.

Regular Monthly Meeting Held Here Yesterday.

REV. J. C. NICHOLSON, PRESIDENT, PRESIDED—THE PROGRAMME.

The regular monthly meeting of the Sherbrooke District Ministerial Association was held yesterday morning in the lecture hall of the Methodist Church, the following being present:

Rev. J. C. Nicholson, president; Rev. I. Norman, secretary; Revs. Churchill Moore, W. T. G. Brown, Geo. H. Williams, G. Ellery Read, Evangelist Hawkins, I. W. Pierce, A. H. Visser, Andrew Galley, C. W. Charlesworth, Thos. Hancock, F. E. Adams.

After the transaction of usual routine business the secretary read a letter from Miss Goudie, sister of the late Rev. Mr. Goudie, of East Hatley, in reply to a letter of condolence addressed to her by the secretary of the Association. A resolution of congratulation to the Congregational Church in Waterville was passed,

on the occasion of the reopening of their church.

Rev. Andrew Galley read a very interesting and scholarly paper on the religious world into which Christ came, dealing with the characteristics of the religious life of Judaism, and pointed out the influence yielded by the Pharisees, Sadducees and the Essenes. He dealt particularly with the Pharisees, the Puritans of the time of Christ, and showed how their puritanism had developed largely into formalism. The influence of prophetic literature was also touched upon, in the education of Christ, and its subsequent appearance in His teaching. He also spoke of the much discussed question of demonology, as touched upon in the New Testament. The paper was listened to throughout with a great deal of attention and much appreciation of its scholarly qualities. It was followed by a discussion in which several members took part.

At the afternoon session the Rev. F. E. Adams, of Huntingville, gave a very lively and able review of the opening chapter of Uhlhorn's Conflict of Heathenism and Christianity. The review was given entirely in an extemporaneous form and was a masterpiece of elucidation.

The meeting adjourned to meet in North Hatley on Jan. 16th.

Pimples So Bad He Was Ashamed

Tried Everything but Did It No Good. One Box of Cuticura Ointment Took Pimples Away.

"About seven years ago pimples broke out all over my face and neck. When they would first come out they would be big and red, and after a while they would turn white, and matter would come out. Sometimes they would itch so I could hardly sleep. I was ashamed to go down street, my face looked so bad. I went to several doctors and got medicine, which did me no good, and bought ointment, salves and patent medicines, but none of them would cure my face and neck. A friend advised me to try Cuticura Ointment. I got one box and it took the pimples away before I had it all used up. I can say it is a wonderful remedy. Any sufferer who has pimples should use Cuticura Ointment if they want a sure cure. I never had any soap equal to Cuticura Soap." (Signed) Aymer Mathers, Parkhill, Ont., Dec. 24, 1910.

Sores All Over Baby's Body

"When my baby boy was six months old, his body was completely covered with large sores that seemed to itch and burn, and cause terrible suffering. The eruption began in pimples which would open and run, making large sores. His hair came out and finger nails fell off, and the sores were over the entire body, causing little or no sleep for baby or myself. Great scales would come off when I removed his shirt. We tried a great many remedies but nothing would help him, till a friend induced me to try Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment but a short time before I could see that he was improving, and in six weeks' time he was entirely cured. He had suffered about six weeks before we tried the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, although we had tried several other things and doctors too. I think the Cuticura Remedies will do all that is claimed for them, and a great deal more." (Signed) Mrs. Noble Tulman, Hudson, Mont., Jan. 28, 1911.

Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment sold by druggists and dealers everywhere. Send to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., 66 Columbia Ave., Boston, U. S. A., for a liberal free sample of each, with 32-p. booklet.

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A few suggestions for the public and customers for Xmas Presents:— For the Baby the following would be very appropriate:— A rattle, cloud, booties, mitts, wool caps, dress, coat, doll, knitted polka, stockings, box of bon bons, gaiters.

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A Horse, Horse and Cart, Soldier's Suit, Sword, Gun, Box of Blocks, Games, Sleighs, Tool Set, or Tool Box, Gloves, Mitts, Mufflers, Suit, Sashes, Underwear, Togue, Sweater, Overcoat, Boots, Rubbers, Quits, etc.

FOR THE LITTLE GIRL

Doll, Kitchen Set, Stove and Dishes, Dinner Set, Glass Table Set, Washing Tub and Wringer, Cradle, Bed, Side Board, Washing Stand, Games, Bank, Mitts, Gloves, Dress, Hat, Wool Caps, Togue, Stockings, Boots and Shoes, Muffler, Jackets, Box of Chocolates, etc.

YOUNG MAN

Toilet Box, Shaving Set, Mirror, Photo Frame, Razor, Shaving Mug, Collar Box, Shaving Brush, Razor Strop, Muffler, Overcoat, Suit, Umbrella, Suit Case, Gloves, Mitts, Moccasins, Gaiters, Tie, Shirt, Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins, Statuette, Inkstand, Tie Holder, Tobacco Mug, Pipe Rack, Calendar, Paper Holder, Braces.

YOUNG LADY

Fancy Combs and Barrettes, Manicure Sets, Hair Puffs, Toilet Sets, Gloves and Hand Boxes, Handkerchiefs, Mufflers, Fancy Collar Pins, Parasol, Umbrella, Gloves, Fancy Bags, Perfume, Belt, Box of Bonbons, Box of Chocolates, Scissors, Blouses, Skirt Collar and Cuffs, Jackets, Mirrors, Fancy Collars, Photo Frame, Hair Receivers, Hair Curler Holders, Cushion Tops, Pin Cushions, Jewel Box, Watch Box, Blouse Length, Sweaters, Togue and Sashes, Needle Case, Work Basket, Fur Stole and Muff, Gaiters, Boots and Shoes, Dress Length, etc.

To the HUSBAND or FATHER

A nice Umbrella, Bath Robe, Tie and Shirt, Gloves, Mitts, Underwear, Muffler, Thermos Bottle for his lunch, Tie Racks, Pipe Racks, Pipes, Shaving Mug, Razor, Shaving Set, Fancy Vest, a Box of Cigars, Overcoats, Suit, Pants, Fur Cap, Coon Overcoat, Boots and Rubbers, Cuffs and Collar Buttons, Tie Pins, Braces, Gaiters, Collar Boxes, Sheep Skin Lined Coat, Shaving Brush, Sparklet Bottle, Armlets.

To the WIFE or MOTHER

FOR THE HOUSE—Dinner Set, 5 o'clock Tea Set, Tea Pot, Washing Set, Wringer, Washing Machine, Jardiniere, Sugar and Milk Glass Set, Cut Glass Dishes, Granite Dishes, Statuettes, Mirror, Frames, Photo Frame, Table Centers, Table Cloth, Bureau Cover, Pillow Shams, Napkins, Towel Racks, Towels, Pin Cushions, Fancy Waste Paper Basket.

FOR HERSELF—Fancy Bag, Dress Length, Blouse, Skirt, Jacket, Kimona, Dressing Jacket, Gloves, Boots and Shoes, Shawl, Muffler, Gaiters, Umbrella, Comb, Barrettes, Hair Switch, Fancy Collar, Belt, Fur Stole and Muffler.

All those articles mentioned are in stock, and many more which we are not thinking of now. By buying at our place, you will save from 10 to 25 per cent. We always give you a good article at the price of a cheap one.

Fancy Mixed Candy 6½c a lb.

Oranges 10c to 55c a doz.

For your Xmas Pastry Flour, Five Roses \$2.89, Harvest Queen \$2.69

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On account of going out of the Men's Clothing and Furnishing business entirely we have authorized

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Big lot of Men's Suits
worth \$10.00, go at... **\$1.79**
Big lot of working Men's
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Friday Morning, December 22, Sharp at 8.30

Entire \$55,000. Stock to be slaughtered in 10 days only. Original cost or value not considered in this great effort to dispose of our heavy surplus stock. Wait for the Great Bargain Event. Opens Friday, Dec. 22 and will last 10 days only

A Sale With a Reason Circumstances have combined to make this Sale advisable at this season of the year. We bought very heavily this Fall anticipating a big trade, but peculiar trade conditions and a backward season has left us heavily overstocked, and we are compelled to sacrifice our big stock in order to sell while merchandise is in demand. We must sustain an immediate loss or risk a greater loss, so prefer to face the situation squarely and start this Forced to Raise Money Sale now at this time when our friends and patrons can benefit to the fullest by this great bargain treat, right in the heart of the season, just when other merchants are charging you big profits. The loss we sustain in this Sale will be fully compensated by the accomplishment of our purpose—Turning our Surplus Stock into Cash as Quickly as Possible. A word to the wise is sufficient.

Remember You Save HALF and More on Every Purchase

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Men's Overcoats	
\$8.00 MEN'S OVERCOATS	\$3.98
from	
\$12.00 MEN'S OVERCOATS, new and up-to-date,	\$6.68
from	
\$15.00 MEN'S OVERCOATS, College and velvet collars, strictly	\$9.23
high-class coats, will go at	
\$18 and \$20 MEN'S OVERCOATS, Campbell Brand, man	\$15.68
tailored, from	
Boys' Overcoats	
\$3 to \$5 BOYS' REEFER COATS	\$1.98
from	
\$4 to \$7 BOYS' DRESS OVERCOATS in all styles	\$2.89
from	
BOYS' \$10.00 MILITARY COLLAR OVERCOATS, new and up-	\$5.45
to-date, Sale price	
Men's Suits at Give Away Prices	
Big lot of MEN'S SUITS	\$1.79
go at	
MEN'S \$8.00 SUITS	\$3.77
go at	
Big lot of MEN'S \$10.00 SUITS	\$4.88
go at	
Big lot of MEN'S \$12.00 SUITS	\$6.49
go at	
Big lot of MEN'S \$15.00 SUITS	\$7.79
go at	
Big lot of MEN'S \$20.00 SUITS	\$9.39
from	
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Former price \$3.25 to \$6.00.	
Sale price, from	\$1.79

Men's Furs	
The Largest Stock in Sherbrooke and Vicinity	
MEN'S \$18.50 BLACK CALF COATS, with Astrachan collars.	\$9.45
Sale price	
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THE FINEST LOT OF COON COATS EVER SEEN IN THIS VICINITY.	\$45.75
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MEN'S \$90 HAT LINED COATS, trimmed with Otter collar.	\$57.50
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EXTRA SPECIAL—\$150 Fine Labrador, Otter collar, Russian	\$99.00
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Our stock of Men's Smaller Furs is complete, consisting of Caps, Mitts, Col-	
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As They Must Go	
\$25.00 TAILOR MADE SUITS	\$14.47
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At less than actual value Every pair a winner	
The prices have been arranged in lots, and are as follows:	
LOT NO. 1—	
MEN'S TROUSERS, worth \$4.00 and \$4.50.	\$2.60
at	
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at	
LOT NO. 3—	
MEN'S TROUSERS	\$1.69
at	
LOT NO. 4—	
MEN'S TROUSERS, worth \$2.00.	\$1.15
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LOT NO. 5—	
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High Class LADIES' READY TO WEAR SUITS. You will now have a	
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Sale price	
LADIES' \$15.00 SUITS, up-to-date, made of the very latest	\$10.50
materials, must go at	
\$18.00 to \$20.00 SUITS, neatly trimmed and latest style.	\$13.45
\$25.00 to \$35.00 Extra Fine, the latest novelty. In all colors	
and styles, lined with satin, guaranteed for two seasons.	\$18.75
They will all go at one price	

Special	
1 only PERSIAN LAMB COAT, worth \$300.00.	\$225.00
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Our stock of the following	
Furs is complete:	
Black Fox Muffs and Stoles.	Mink Marmot Stoles and Muffs.
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Mink Sets of all prices and de-	Sets.
scriptions.	
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Muskrat Stoles and Muffs.	
We also got a fine assortment	
of CHILDREN'S FURS of all	
descriptions. All goods at Sacr-	
ifice Prices. Space will not per-	
mit to put prices in detail.	

Men's Furnishings	
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from	
MEN'S 10c to 50c SOX	5c
from	
MEN'S SUSPENDERS	9c
from	
MEN'S OVERALLS AND SMOCKS	59c
from	
MEN'S \$1.00 BLACK OVERALLS	69c
from	
MEN'S CAPS	9c
from	
MEN'S \$2.00 to \$2.50 SOFT AND STIFF HATS	\$1.19
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Ladies' Mantles	
LOT NO. 1—Consisting of 75 COATS in tweeds and fancy wor-	
steds. Ranging in price from \$10 to \$23. These are last sea-	\$3.78
son's goods, must go at	
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LADIES' ASTRACHAN COATS, in length from 30 to 50 in.	
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patterns, worth up to \$2.00. Sale price	
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LOT NO. 3—Assorted colors, brown, navy, garnet, green and tan.	\$3.98
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LOT NO. 4—New goods, Panama, Venetian and Serge, black only.	\$4.98
worth up to \$8.00. Sale price	
LOT NO. 5—Consist of the finest lot of VOILE SKIRTS in	\$4.50
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A large assortment of LADIES' DRESSES in silk, wool, lawn and cloth	
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FOR SALE—AT FRELIGHSBURG, farm of about 60 acres, good house, barn etc. Several springs. Sugar bush of 300 trees. Close to R.R., creamery, mills, churches, schools; two mails daily. Address Box 22 Record.

FOR SALE—SPEED SLEIGH NEARLY new. Cheap to immediate purchaser. Apply W. H. Fuller, Sherbrooke.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—A FEW RELIABLE MEN to represent us as local and general salesmen in the Eastern Townships. Permanent situation and liberal pay to the right men. Stone & Wellington, Toronto, Ont.

AGENTS—SALARY AND COMMISSION, to sell Red Tag Stock. Complete exclusive lines. Specially hardy. Grown only by us—sold only by our agents. Elegant free samples. Write now to Dominion Nurseries, Montreal.

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LOST—COCKER SPANIEL PUP, female. Finder please communicate with 208 Wellington Street.

LOST—A RED COCKER SPANIEL, Reward on returning to Dr. Gordon Hume, 21 Montreal St.

WILL THE MAN SEEN PICKING up the Persian Lamb Muff in the 15c. Store, kindly return same to Record Office, or action will be taken.

MISCELLANEOUS.

VIOLIN AND MANDOLIN LESSONS given by professor Frank Dudley, 9 Portland Ave., Ring 811 Bell.

25 VALENTINE AND EASTER POST cards, 25c. Also 100 assorted free. All sent postpaid. Satisfaction guaranteed. Record Emporium, Beebe, Que.

THE PERSON WHO TOOK TWO \$5 bills from my pocket dropped near the Lennoxville Drug Store on Tuesday afternoon will return them to the Lennoxville Post Office within 24 hours, as he was not.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR RENT—"LAKE Hall," one of the largest boarding houses or hotels on the lake. Good reason given for wishing to sell. Dr. Koyen, Georgeville, Que.

CITY NEWS

Mr. O. E. Dorais, Inspector of the National Bank, is in town on official business.

Mrs. H. A. McCrea and Mrs. H. L. Call, of North Hatley, were in town yesterday.

The matinee at His Majesty's Theatre to-morrow will start at 2.15 and the evening performance at 8.15.

Bags and Suit Cases with fittings at McKee's. Initials put on without extra charge.

Mr. J. F. Morkill has returned from the Protestant Hospital and is able to be at his office again.

Basket ball Newport vs. Y.M.C.A., to-night, 8 sharp.

The Jenckes Junior Hockey Club of this City will practice from 8 to 9 at the Minto Rink, Lennoxville, to-morrow night.

Sherbrooke, Lennoxville, Megantic, Windsor Mills, Richmond, Magog, Bishop's, Coaticook, Cookshire, Cusson-Tops at Edwards.

Miss Agnes M. Elliott, graduate nurse of the Plymouth, N.H., City Hospital, has arrived in town to take up work, and is living at 7 Aberdeen Avenue.

Another big load Christmas goods shipped to Lennoxville this morning.

The Evangelistic services at the Baptist Church have been very successful. A large number are expected to-night, the last service. To-morrow Mr. Hawkins will give the history of his life. To-night's service will be at 7.45.

The regular meeting of Court Friendship, No. 5, C.O.F., takes place Thursday, Dec. 21st, at eight o'clock. Nomination and election of officers for ensuing year will take place. All members are requested to attend.

Entertain the whole family on Christmas day with a Victor Gramophone or Victrola. Hear them at McKee's, 11 King St.

Mrs. John Elliott and her son, Mr. John Elliott, Jr., from South Dakota, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lyster, on Fulton Ave., have gone to St. Johnsbury to spend the holiday season with their other relatives, and were joined by Miss Victoria Lyster, of Gore.

See Newport basket ball team at Y.M.C.A. to-night.

All the Protestant schools in Sherbrooke have been visited by officers of the Imperial League of the Daughters of the Empire, brief patriotic addresses have been made and flag-cards distributed. On Friday last Mrs. H. R. Fraser, Regent of the Duke of Wellington Chapter, and Mrs. Cecil Bowen went to the East Sherbrooke School and the scholars were much interested in the remarks of the visitors. At the close, "O Canada," and "God Save the King" were sung very heartily. On Monday Mrs. Bowen, Standard Bearer of the King George V. Chapter, and Miss White, Secretary of the Sir John Sherbrooke Chapter, were cordially received by the principal, assistant and children of the Lawrence School, on Drummond street. The children were delighted with the cards given, and listened to the explanation of the composition of the flag, as well as to the talk on patriotism, with intelligent attention. The ladies who have visited the schools express themselves as much pleased with the scholars, and impressed with their fine discipline, good manners and ardent loyalty, and have many words of praise for the bright, clean, sunny rooms, with the windows full of flowering plants, where, if any where, learning must be made easy and pleasant.

Programme of organ recital at St. Peter's Church, Thursday night, Dec. 21st, 8 p.m.:

Organ Sonata No. 4 (Mendelssohn) (1) Allegro, con brio; (2) Andante religioso. (3) Allegretto. (4) Allegro Maestoso.

(a) Arcadian Idyll (E. H. Lemare). (b) Nocturne (Schubert).

Song—"Nareeth" (Gounod)—Mr. J. T. Matthews.

Chimes of Dunkirk (T. Carter). Fantasia on the Hymn, "O Sanctissima" (F. Lux).

Andante Espressivo, op. 23 (Ignace Pleyel).

Offertoire sur Deux Noels (Guilmant).

Song, "Light Eternal" (C. Francis Lloyd)—Mr. J. T. Matthews.

(a) Song (MacDowell). (b) Elfen-tanz (Bernard Johnson).

Marcia del Roi d'España (Wiegand).

Offertory for Choir Fund.

TRAGIC DEATH OF YOUNG WOMAN.

Was Struck by Bullet From Rifle Brother Was Cleaning.

ACCIDENT TOOK PLACE IN CAMP AND NO DOCTOR WAS AVAILABLE.

Perth, N.B., Dec. 20.—Word reached here yesterday of the tragic death on Sunday of Miss Martha McLaughlin, aged 20 years, of Ortonville, at a lumber camp on Green River, about 30 miles from Edmundston.

The young woman was watching her brother-in-law, Frank Crane, clean his rifle. He threw out several shells, when one struck and was accidentally discharged, the bullet going through the young woman's body.

She lived only three hours, no physician being available.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED TEN-room cottage. House new with all modern improvements, within 5 minutes walk of post office, churches and railway stations. Apply Box 254 Lennoxville, Que.

\$1500.00 TO LOAN ON CITY MORTGAGE. Apply H. D. Lawrence, Sherbrooke.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY EXPERIENCED woman cook, neat and tidy, hotel, city or country. Best references. Apply J.O.L., 1095 Notre Dame St. W., Montreal.

DANGEROUS LUNATICS ESCAPE.

One is Afterwards Captured, But Other is at Large

MAN AT LIBERTY IS AN EX-POLICE CONSTABLE OF MONTREAL FORCE.

Montreal, Dec. 20.—Two patients, who are described as dangerous, escaped from the St. Jean de Dieu Asylum at Longue Pointe yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, and got away from the vicinity of the building before the attendants became aware of the escape.

The patients were George Vezina, 30 years of age, and Jos. Lanouette, 50 years of age. Vezina was found last night in East St. Catherine street by Constable Lacombe, of the East St. Catherine street station, and will be returned to the asylum, but Lanouette is yet at large.

Lanouette, whose home is in Valleyfield, is an ex-member of the city police force, with which he served his connection twelve years ago. He was committed to the asylum six

years ago after he had made an attack on Mr. Recorder Dupuis in the street.

Shiloh's Cure

QUICKLY STOPS COUGHS, CURES COLDS, ALSO THE THROAT AND LUNGS. 25 CENTS

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

All parties having claims against Estate late W. E. Smith are requested to send them in at once, and those indebted to the estate are requested to make payment without delay.

J. R. SMITH, W. H. ABBOTT, Executors
Lennoxville, Dec. 20th, 1911.

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DAILY STORE NEWS

136-138 Wellington Street. Wednesday, Dec. 20th, 1911.

SOME elbowing—can't help that but it isn't vicious elbowing, and the cheery "beg pardon" shows how thoroughly good-natured is the throng.

Each to-morrow will find the store busier, though in the early morning there's lots of room. Rise an hour earlier and you can still do your Christmas shopping comfortably.

Early Morning Specials, 8 to 10 a. m., To-Morrow

Don't telephone, come or send.

JAP. SILKS—All colors. Value 25c, 8 to 10 a.m. 17c	ENVELOPES—Pretty illustrated boxes, 25c. value, 8 to 10 a.m. 19c
WHITE SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—Hemstitched and Initialed. 25c. value, 8 to 10 a.m. 19c	NEW SIDE JABOTS—35c. value, 8 to 10 a.m. 25c
FANCY HAT PINS—10c. value, 8 to 10 a.m. 5c	NECK FRILLINGS—Three frills in a pretty holly box, 15c. value, 8 to 10 a.m. 10c
TAFETTA HAIR RIBBON—all colors, 8 to 10 a.m. 8c	SHIRTS SOCKS—8 to 10 a.m. 25c
LADIES' CASHMERE HOSE—35c. line, 8 to 10 a.m. 27c	SIX for 25c. 25c
TAYLOR'S EAU DE COLOGNE—Big 25c. fancy bottle, 8 to 10 a.m. 19c	CLARK'S BAKED BEANS—Plain or Tomato Sauce, 12c. tin, 8 to 10 a.m. 9c
STRIPE FLANNELETTE—34 in. wide, 10c. value, 8 to 10 a.m. 8c	COGNAC—20c. packets, 8 to 10 a.m. 14c
WOMEN'S FELT YARD, CLOTH TOP SLIPPERS—35c. value, 8 to 10 a.m. 25c	SHREDDED PINEAPPLE—5c. tin, 8 to 10 a.m. 20c
LADIES' APRONS—Fancy white styles, \$1.50 and \$1.25 values, 8 to 10 a.m. 98c	ORANGE MARMALADE—8 to 10 a.m. 10c
WRITING PAPER AND	CORN SYRUP—20c. tin, 8 to 10 a.m. 25c
	RED CROSS EXTRACTS—VANILLA OR LEMON—Big 10c. bottle, 8 to 10 a.m., 3 for ... 20c

If you want toys Don't Fail to Visit Our

New Toy Department, One Floor up

Suggestions for Xmas Giving

LADIES' WAISTS—In Lawn, Lustre, Flannelette, Satene, Net, Flannel and Silk—prices from \$1.00 and by easy jumps up to \$6.50. DRESS LENGTH OF QP SILK—makes an acceptable gift—50c., 75c., 80c. per yard up. Usually 12 to 14 yds. required for a dress. DRESS LENGTH OF WOOL GOODS—Makes an acceptable gift—40c., 50c., 75c. and \$1.40 a yard. Usually six yards required for a dress. GIRLS' DRESSES—Ready to put on—80c., \$1.35, \$1.60, \$2.00 and \$3.00. BLANKETS—Soft, warm, fleecy qualities in flannelette or all wool. Prices from \$1.50 to \$6.50 per pair. LINEN TABLE CLOTHS—Very pretty new designs, all linen quality—\$2.40, \$2.50, \$2.90, \$3.00, \$3.65, \$4.50. LADIES' KIMONOS—In flannelette, long style, \$1.25, \$1.90 and \$2.50. Short style, \$1.85c., 45c. TEGUES, SASHES AND MITTS—A great selection here in all colors and qualities. LADIES' UNDERSKIRTS—In Satene, Moreen and Silk qualities. Prices from 90c. and by easy jumps up to \$3.50. UMBRELLAS—For Ladies and Gentlemen—a nice line at popular prices—\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and up to \$3.50. DRESSING JACKETS—In warm Elderdown Flannel, long length at \$1.05, \$2.90. Short length at \$1.05, \$2.90. DOWN COMFORTERS—Light, warm and rich, \$5.50, \$6.50 and \$7.50. FEATHER BOAS—These make an acceptable gift—black, fawn, grey and mixed—\$4.50, \$6.50, \$9.50.	SNOWSHOES—All sizes. Big stock. Lowest prices. MOCCASINS—For Girls, Boys, Ladies and Men—\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. TOBOGGANS—Flat style, assorted lengths—\$1.90 up to \$5.00. SHAWLS—Make an acceptable gift—white, black, grey and colors. Prices from 90c., \$1.25, \$1.50 and up, according to quality. A NICE COSTUME COAT—Or Skirt makes a nice gift. We are now making special prices on these. GROCERY Section At this season we always sell a number of CHRISTMAS HAMPERs—which makes a sensible gift to the less fortunate. Here's the make-up for this season at \$1.50 1 pound Good Tea, 4 lbs. Granulated Sugar, 1 pound Raisins, 1 pound Currants, 1 packet Mince Meat, 1 packet (large) Rolled Oats, 1 bottle Playmate, 1 pound Prunes, 1 tin Mixed Spice, 1 Biscuit, All nicely packed in a basket and delivered anywhere in the city for \$1.50
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Choice Mixed, 10c per lb.
Lovers' Kisses, per lb., 20c.
Bon Bon Mixed, 15c per lb., 3 lbs. for 40c.

Chocolate Dates, 25c per lb.
Mixed Chocolates, per lb. 25c.
Fry Chocolates, per lb., 25c.
Christmas Cakes, 1c to 35c.
Fancy Boxes of Chocolates, 25c to \$4.00.

FRUIT

Our Oranges are nice and juicy. All our Fruit is fresh.

Choice Oranges 20c per dozen, 2 dozen for 35c.
Navel Oranges, 25c, 30c and 40c.

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NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that the Quebec Central Railway Company will at the next session of the Legislature of Quebec, apply for the passing of an Act for the following purposes:

1.—To sanction and confirm a certain conditional deed of agreement entered into between it and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, dated the 10th day of August, 1911, providing for the lease of the assets, property and undertaking of the Quebec Central Railway Company to the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, according to the terms and conditions therein set forth, and subject to ratification by the Shareholders and other Security holders of the Quebec Central Railway Company.

2.—To authorize the issuance of second Debenture Stock payable in 20 years, bearing interest at 3 1/2 per cent. per annum, to replace the present existing 3 per cent. second debenture stock.

3.—To authorize the Company to issue bonds or debenture stock bearing interest at 5 per cent. per annum, and payable in fifty years to take the place of present 7 per cent. Income Bonds.

4.—To change the number of Directors of the said Company and the manner of appointing and electing such Directors.

5.—To authorize the said Company to change the head office of the said Company.

6.—To authorize the said Company to change the par value of its present shares to amounts of one pound sterling, or multiples thereof.

7.—And for such other purposes as the Legislature may consider expedient to grant.

Quebec, Nov. 22nd, 1911.

W. & A. H. COOK,
Attorneys for Quebec Central Railway Company.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the twenty-sixth day of September, 1911, I was duly appointed Curator to the vacant estate and succession of the late Theodore Davis Whit-cher, in his lifetime of the Village of Beebe Plain, in the District of Saint Francis, Physician and Surgeon. All claims must be filed with my vouchers within thirty days. E. W. Hovey, Rock Island, Que., Dec. 19th, 1911.

INSOLVENT NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF F. W. White

An Insolvent.

SALE AUCTION SALE

On Tuesday, December 26th 1911

The undersigned, under order of Court, will sell by Public Auction at his office, 125 Wellington Street,

SHERBROOKE

the following property belonging to Defendant's abandoned estate, to wit:

All those certain tracts or parcels of land situate and being in the Township of Anson, in the District of St. Francis, known and described as: Firstly—The West quarter of the lot number six in the ninth range of said Assot, containing fifty acres of land, more or less. Secondly—The North half of the West half of the lot number six in the ninth range of said Assot, containing fifty acres of land more or less.

Also all the mines, mineral and mining rights and privileges in, under and upon the West fifty acres of the lot number five in the ninth range of the said township of Anson, subject to any incumbrances thereon.

TERMS—CASH.
Sale at 3 o'clock P.M.
JOHN J. GRIFFITH, Auctioneer.

NOTICE

All taxes in arrears in the Parish of St. Armand West must be paid to the Secretary-Treasurer before January 1, 1912, to save costs.

H. C. HASTINGS, Sec.-Treas.
St. Armand Canton, Dec. 19, 1911.

MR. A. E. J. MCCREARY.

Special Diploma Frankfurt on Main, Germany.

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TRFNHOLMVILLE.

The social held at Mr. W. H. Stevens on Wednesday was not as well attended as it would have been had the roads been better, but those that did get out had a fine time. About four dollars was added to the Church fund's.

Mr. Frank Blanchette is busy sawing up wood for the farmers with his gasoline engine.

Mr. J. Bradford lost a fine cow one day last week.

Mr. T. Knowles, of Montreal, at the Maples on Sunday to see Mrs. Hamel, who continues about the same.

Coatcook House—Popular Home for Travellers. A. A. Pomeroy, Prop.

CASWELLBORO.

Arrivals and departures: Mrs. Elie Demick at Heathton caring for her cousin, Mrs. Sarah Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lincoln and little son Cecil, Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Lincoln's grandmother, Mrs. Harriet Smith.

Mr. T. E. Demick's condition continues about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Smith are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Lincoln, for a short time.

BALDWIN'S MILLS.

There will be a Christmas tree in the Baptist Church on Friday evening, Dec. 22nd. A good programme is being prepared.

MINTON.

A few of the people of Minton, both young and old met at the Methodist Church, to organize an Epworth League. The officers and committees were elected, and plans were made for the coming winter. The membership, as yet only numbers 13. The first box Social was held on the 14th, at Mr. Meyers, about 25 being present.

CHERRY RIVER.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Buzzell, of North Dakota, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss M. Sager is home from Oliver Corner, where she has been for some time.

CANADIAN AND WORLD NEWS

(Continued from Page 1.)

Grace Keator, who is president of the Blind Women's Club of New York, together laid the cornerstone of the new lighthouse for the blind in East Fifty-ninth Street this afternoon. The ceremony marked the beginning of actual construction on a building unlike any institution in the world—a settlement house exclusively for blind people. Joseph H. Choate presided at the laying of the cornerstone. In addition to President Taft the speakers included W. L. Scandlin, the blind president of The Blind Men's Self-Improvement Club of New York, and Dr. John H. Finley, president of the College of the City of New York who is also president of the New York Association for the Blind.

WILL CONTINUE VOYAGE
Gibraltar, December 20.—The Punisular and Oriental steamer Macedonia, from London for Bombay, is expected to arrive here at noon today. A wireless message was received from Macedonia late last night stating that she had been delayed by a series of storms. Some uneasiness had been felt on account of her non-arrival, and the wireless stations both here and at Cadiz made several unsuccessful attempts during the day to get into communication with the steamer. The Princess Royal, the Duke of Fife and their family, who were passengers on the steamer Delhi which was wrecked off Cape Spartel last week, and who have been awaiting the arrival of the Macedonia, will continue their voyage aboard the vessel.

BURNS GET REDARDS.
Los Angeles, Cal., December 20.—A county warrant for \$5,000 was drawn yesterday in favor of William J. Burns. This is the first of the rewards to be paid for the capture and conviction of the McNamara brothers. As far as the county is concerned, according to District Attorney Fredericks, no other rewards will be paid.

DIAMOND RUSH AT KIMBERLEY.
London, December 20.—A Johannesburg despatch to the Express reports a diamond rush at Bloemhof, a farming district on the banks of the Xaal River, not far from Kimberley. A canvas town with a population of 12,000 has sprung up within a month. Twelve thousand claims will be officially announced Saturday.

HELP TO CANADIAN MISSIONS.
London, December 20.—Two thousand pounds sterling are being sent from the Archbishop's fund for missionary work in Canada, to be evenly divided between the Colonial Continental Church Society and the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

CALGARY TRAM'S SURPLUS.
Calgary, December 20.—Calgary Municipal Street Railway reports earnings of \$100,000 over the above expenses of the past eleven months, the receipts totalling one-third of a million. The expenses include taxes, sinking fund and sundries.

LADY LADY KNOLLYS A BRIDE.
London, December 20.—The marriage of the Hon. Louisa Knollys, the only daughter of Lord Knollys, who was secretary to King Edward the Seventh, Lieut. Allen McKenzie, of the Grenadier Guards, took place yesterday at the Guard's Chapel. The Princess Victoria was present. Afterward the couple were received by Queen Alexandra at Harborough House.

MARRIAGES

TAYLOR. — JACKSON.
Cookshire, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The marriage takes place this (Wednesday afternoon) of Miss Ethel Jackson, eldest daughter of Mrs. R. Cole, to Mr. Reginald Taylor, of Birchton, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Taylor, of that place.

SPORTING NEWS

BASKETBALL

TONIGHT'S BASKET BALL GAMES.
Tonight's basket ball match promises to be one of the best of the season. The Newport High School team is composed of fast players and will no doubt put up a brilliant game against the local aggregation.

The Y.M.C.A. team will be picked from among the following: H. Tate, C. Wiggett, Edney, Johnson, Holt, McKee, Palmer, Dresser, etc.

The second game will start at nine o'clock, and will be between the High School and the Y. M. C. A. second team.

The first game will start sharp at eight.

SPORTING NOTES.

Ernie Russell and "Bud" Glass may play with Wanderers again this year.

Marty Walsh signed an Ottawa contract yesterday.

Charlie Davidson will likely play for the All-Star E. T. team here on Monday.

The Y.M.C.A. team to-night will be one of the strongest in the club's history.

McGregor, the star Tecumseh lacrosse player, may be seen in a Wanderer uniform this season.

His Majesty's Hockey Club, of this City, would like to arrange games with any out Junior teams of the Townships. Write F. J. Conway, Sec'y, Sherbrooke, Que.

HISTORY OF COMPTON COUNTY

Compiled by late L. B. Channell. A few copies of this valuable, local historical work are offered for sale. Apply

DAILY RECORD

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THE XMAS SEASON draws nearer and nearer every day, and the time in which to choose Christmas Gifts grows shorter. We're in splendid trim for Holiday trade, showing just the things that Men and Boys are always delighted to receive as Christmas Gifts.

For Men

DRESSING GOWNS
SMOKING JACKETS
OVERCOATS
\$10, \$12 to \$20.
SUITS
\$10 to \$20.
FULL DRESS SUITS
\$25.00 to \$30.00.
RAINCOATS
\$6.50 to \$16.50
TROUSERS
\$2.00 to \$6.00.
SHOES
\$4.00, \$5.00.
SUIT CASES
\$2.50 to \$15.00.
HATS AND CAPS
SHIRTS AND COLLARS
NECKWEAR
HANDKERCHIEFS
FANCY VESTS
GLOVES AND MITTS
SUSPENDERS
SWEATER COATS
HOSIERY
UNDERWEAR
UMBRELLAS

For Boys

OVERCOATS
\$2.50 to \$12.00.
SUITS
\$2.00 to \$12.00.
CAPS AND HATS
SWEATERS
SWEATER COATS
HOCKEY SWEATERS
HOCKEY TUQUES
UNDERWEAR
GLOVES AND MITTS
BELTS
SUSPENDERS
SEE OUR \$2.50 OVERCOATS
For Boys 2 to 7 years.
SEE OUR 4.50 OVERCOATS
For Boys 6 to 12 years.
SEE OUR \$7.50 OVERCOATS
For Boys 10 to 16 years.

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SUIT CASES
Fitted with Ladies' Manicure Sets.
UMBRELLAS
PERFUMERY
25c to \$2.00.
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Nicely boxed. \$2.00 to \$10.50.
MANICURE SETS
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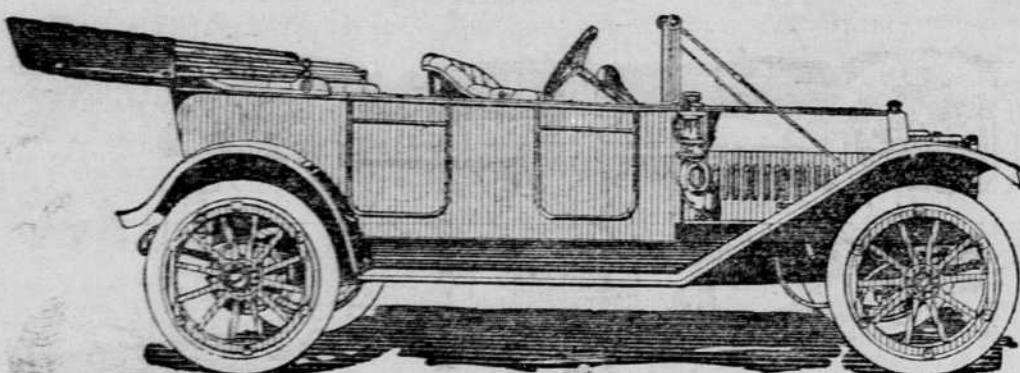
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Three Styles of Body.

ADVANCE orders and applications for dealer territory for 1912 indicate another record year for Tudhope cars. Canadian buyers want the Tudhope because it represents one hundred cents' worth of automobile value for every dollar invested. Your money all goes into the car. To illustrate this point—

For every \$135.00 invested in a Tudhope car you receive \$135.00 actual value. For every \$135.00 invested in a car not manufactured wholly in Canada you receive \$100.00 car value, the difference (\$35.00) covering the duty that must be paid in importing the car or its component parts.

The Tudhope is made in Canada in a factory which cannot be surpassed on the Continent for equipment—a factory with an output large enough to reduce the cost per car to the lowest possible figure.

The Tudhope factory has no out-of-date machines to be charged off at a heavy loss and added to the cost of 1912 cars. It is a modern factory designed to produce modern cars at a price which gives the Canadian buyer the same purchasing power as his neighbor on the "other side."

TUDHOPE "SIX" \$2,150

A powerful, easy-riding, Tudhope, 48-horsepower motor car, operating with the steady flow of power possible only with a Six-Cylinder motor. The strain on the car and the wear on tires is greatly reduced—while abundant flexibility and wide variation in speed (2 to 75 miles per hour) is obtained. The Tudhope "Six" meets the demand for a high-power, high-quality machine at a moderate price. Our facilities for manufacturing this car in Canada enable us to place it on the market at a price much below that of imported high-power "Fours."

SPECIFICATIONS IN BRIEF

Unit-cast, 6-cylinder, long-stroke motor, 127-inch wheel base, 37 x 4 1/2 inch tires, sufficiently large for a car a full half ton heavier than the Tudhope Six—chrome nickel steel gears and working parts—Bosch Dual Ignition system—nickel trimming throughout—special Tudhope equipment, including top, windshield, extra tire and Continental demountable rim, speedometer, Truflow-Hartford shock absorbers, and tool box on running board.

Five-Passenger Touring Car \$2,150
Two-Passenger Torpedo Roadster \$2,150
Six-Passenger Torpedo Body \$2,215
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Local dealers for some places in this district have not yet been appointed.

ENGINEERS WILL VISIT PANAMA CANAL.

First Move Towards Realization of Georgian Bay Canal.

WILL CONSULT U. S. ENGINEERS WITH VIEW OF CARRYING ON CANADIAN DITCH.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—The first move towards the realization of bringing into the practical the Georgian Bay Canal scheme was made yesterday by the public works department. Mr. A. St. Laurent, deputy minister of public works and engineer in charge of the Georgian Bay ship canal, leaves Ottawa to-day in company with Mr. Coultie, the assistant engineer for Panama via New Orleans. The object of the two engineers in going there is to examine the works and obtain information that may be useful when the Georgian Bay Canal is placed under construction.

Such is the official information issued by the department yesterday. The two officials will be absent from Ottawa for six weeks and during that time will consult with all the eminent engineers who made possible the opening of the great Panama route. As the latest machinery and appliances for work of that kind are at the canal, Mr. St. Laurent and his assistant will make a report up on them.

SPOKE ON TRADE AFFAIRS AT BANQUET.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Advised Travellers to Look After Foreign Trade.

HON. G. E. FOSTER FAVORED INTERPROVINCIAL TRADE, AND MR. BOURASSA USE OF FRENCH.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—Members of the Dominion Commercial Travellers' Association at their annual banquet, last night had the advantage of hearing two members of the Dominion Cabinet, together with the leader of the Opposition, and the leader of the Nationalists, each of whom exposed divergent views and ideas. While Sir Wilfrid Laurier emphasized the necessity of looking after foreign trade, and not being cut out by European nations, the Hon. George Foster argued that interprovincial trade relations were perhaps more important still; and Mr. Henri Bourassa, speaking for the Province of Quebec, made an eloquent and forceful plea for the use of the French language throughout the Dominion. That the composition of the audience had many constituents may be gauged by the fact that every speaker was well and enthusiastically received.

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