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LABOR REFORMS.

Emperor William Busy in His New Mission.

SUCCESS OF LIVERPOOL DOCK LABORERS.

Landing Arms in Ireland—One Revolver to Wit.

THE IMPERIAL LABOR REFORMER.

Proposal for a Labor Council.

LONDON, May 28.—Though there are
still a few who doubt the ultimate suc-
cess of the labor policy of the Emperor
William of Germany, nobody questions
his sincerity in his endeavor to ameliorate
the condition of the workers, while
his present activity in the super-
vision of labor matters at home
and enquiring into them abroad,
commands general admiration. It
is stated in Berlin that the Kaiser has
decided to ask the assistance and co-
operation of a workingman's privy
council, to have immediate control of the
preliminary work of formulating the
regulations governing trade matters in
Germany, and to advise and press upon
such questions as may arise from time
to time affecting the relations between
employer and employee. Each of these
councilors is to receive an annual salary
of 20,000 marks, and the body is to be
known as the Arbeitrath.

GREAT BRITAIN IN A FUNK.

Scared at a Woman's Revolver.

LONDON, May 28.—Upon the arrival of
the steamship City of New York, May
21st, at Queenstown to-day, a female
passenger who gave her name as Mrs.
Nugent was discovered when passing the
Customs to have a loaded revolver con-
cealed in a secret pocket in one of
her skirts. She disclaimed ownership
of the weapon and declared that a
fellow-passenger, named Davine, had
requested her to carry it ashore for him.
Davine could not be found, and Mrs. Nu-
gent was arrested and arraigned before a
magistrate, who remanded her for viola-
tion of the law prohibiting the bringing
of firearms into England.

MARITIME PROVINCE NEWS.

A CLOSE ELECTION.

HALIFAX, N.S., May 28.—Dr. Haley,
Liberal, and T. B. Smith, Conservative,
were to-day declared to represent Hants
County in the House of Assembly. The
ballots were recounted and Haley has a
majority of one.

VERDICT OF WILFUL MURDER.

The coroner's jury has found a verdict
of wilful murder against Theodore Watt
for stabbing Sam Torrie, and finding that
Wm. Gray was an accessory.

COMMITTED FOR WILFUL MURDER.

St. John, N.B., May 28.—The prelimi-
nary examination of Theodore Watts and
Wm. Gray, charged with the murder of
Sam Torrie, was held to-day before the
police magistrate. Watts made a state-
ment in which he acknowledged stab-
bing Torrie. He said he and Gray had
been invited to Torrie's house and that
was the reason they went to the door.
Torrie ordered them away and pushed
Gray down. Both men were committed
for trial, Watt on a charge of wilful murder
and Gray as accessory, at the present
session of the Circuit Court.

ELOPED WITH A MARRIED MAN.

Richard Woodacre arrived here this
morning from New Bedford, Mass., in
search of his daughter, May, aged 18,
who ran away with a man named Por-
ter, employed in the cotton mill at that
place. The police found that Porter and
the young girl had come to the city, but
to-day, no doubt hearing of Woodacre's
arrival, had left where they were board-
ing and cannot now be found. Porter is
a married man, and leaves a wife and
two children in New Bedford.

ACTION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT.

In the Circuit Court, Donnel & Son,
rope manufacturers, Bath, Me., were
awarded \$1,350 in a suit for breach of
contract, brought against Connor & Son,
of the New Brunswick Cordage Works.
Connor & Son contracted to supply Don-
nel & Son with 100 bales of hemp and
failed to do so.

FROM THE DOMINION CAPITAL.

APPLICATIONS TO THE RAILWAY COMMITTEE.

OTTAWA, May 28.—The Railway Com-
mittee of the Privy Council to-day
granted an application of the Midland
Railway to straighten the track in Camp-
bellford and between Belleville and
Peterboro', and to make other improve-
ments. The application of the Napier,
Trenton & Quebec Railway to build a
branch from Harrowsmith to Sydenham
was granted. The application of the St.
Catharines & Niagara Central to run
on Midland street, St. Catharines,
by the side of Montebello Park, was
granted. The application of the
Canada Atlantic to enter Ottawa from
the present main line and run along
Rideau canal bank to the Basin, close to
Sapper's bridge and the Russell House,
and in the heart of the city, was taken
up. The Montreal and Ottawa applied
for similar powers. In reply to the
Premier the representatives of the Cana-
dian Atlantic expressed willingness to
allow the track to be used by other
roads, and on this understanding the case
was taken on debenture.

THE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

are going on in the House of Commons
to-day. The candidates are upwards of
one hundred in number. In consequence
of recent statements as to collusion and
unfair dealings by examiners, the ex-
aminations are more rigidly conducted
than usual. Precautions have been taken
to prevent anything in the slightest de-
gree calculated to affect unfavorably the
fair and impartial treatment of all candi-
dates.

MANITOBA AND THE NORTHWEST.

THE SEPARATE SCHOOL CASE.

WINNIPEG, Man., May 28.—In the case
against the teacher of St. Joseph's School,
a bill filed to restrain a teacher of a
Catholic school from continuing religi-
ous exercises in the school, to-day, be-
fore Justice Bain, it appeared that as the
question involved the constitutionality of
the school act of last session, the Judge
intimated that it would be better to in-
form the Attorney-General of the fact,
and also that if he desired to be present
or represented at the hearing, the Court
would be pleased to have him appear.
The hearing was adjourned till Wednes-

day of next week to give the Attorney-
General an opportunity of appearing.

RAID ON A GAMBLING HOUSE.

The gambling house of Bob Shaw was
pulled on Sunday night and he was fined
\$40 and costs this morning. An appeal
was entered. A number of well known
citizens were in the house at the time of
the raid.

AN END OF A SPOKE.

Letitia McChorister, an old Metis
woman, was found dead last night after
a prolonged debauch. She was well
known in police circles.

WANT TO LEAVE THE STATES.

The Provincial Government immigra-
tion agent is in receipt of a letter from
St. Thomas, Dakota, inviting him to visit
that locality, as several families there
are anxious to seek homes in the Dan-
doun district.

MINOR NEWS NOTES.

Premier Greenway, who denies the
correctness of the interviews with him
appearing in the Toronto papers, has re-
turned home.

At Bathford potatoes are selling for
\$2 a bushel.

Egan Bros' grading outfit and sixty
men have been sent to Lethbridge to
work on the Canada and Great Falls rail-
way from that place to the boundary.

Wheat is quoted in Winnipeg at 95c.

Mr. Wrigley, of the H. B. Company,
left to-night for Montreal.

Drowning Fatality.

UXBRIDGE, Ont., May 28.—George York,
aged seventeen, living near here, was
drowned this morning at Pefferlaw.

Increase in Railway Earnings.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The statement of
the New York, Lake Erie & Western
Railroad Company for April, as compared
with the same month last year, shows
an increase in net of \$124,608.

Improving Nature.

CLIFTON HOUSE, NIAGARA FALLS, Ont.,
May 28.—In connection with the visit of
the Duke of Connaught and party, it has
been arranged to have the American
falls illuminated on Saturday night and
each night thereafter during the season.

3rd and 4th Camping Ground.

KINGSTON, Ont., May 28.—Lieut.-Col.
Straubenzie, D.A.G., has received infor-
mation from the Minister of Militia that
the camp for numbers 3 and 4 districts
will be held here. It will open on June
17th, with over 2,000 under canvas.

Bank President Found Guilty.

NEW YORK, May 28.—In the United
States Circuit Court this evening, the
jury in the case of P. J. Claassen, on trial
for appropriating funds of the Sixth Na-
tional Bank while its president, after six
hours' deliberation returned a verdict of
guilty.

Presidential Summer Palace.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—It is nearly set-
tled that the president and his family
will summer at Cape May Point, N.J.,
with the postmaster-general, who has a
cottage there or in a cottage that is be-
ing especially constructed for that pur-
pose.

Dock Laborers' Strike Successful.

LONDON, May 28.—The strike of the 300
timber handlers on the Liverpool docks was
of short duration, as the strikers were
backed by the Dockmen's Union, and
the employers were unable to pro-
cure men to take their places. The de-
mands of the men were conceded to-day
and work was resumed.

A Corner in Rhine Vines.

LONDON, May 28.—The vineyards in the
valley of the Rhine are being devastated
by worms, which infest the vines in such
numbers that their extermination is im-
possible. It is estimated that hundreds
of thousands of vines have already been
destroyed, and the destruction of the
entire crop is threatened.

The "Moore" Anniversary.

NEW YORK, May 28.—The anniversary
of the poet Moore's birth was celebrated
to-night by the Dublin Men's Associa-
tion, at No. 54 Union Square, with a
banquet, speeches, songs, recitations and
dancing. The Association will dedicate
the Moore testimonial in Central Park
on Memorial Day.

Captain of the "Icarus" Reprimanded.

LONDON, May 28.—The trial by court-
martial of Commander Wm. Annesley, of
Her Majesty's warship Icarus, for exces-
sive and illegal punishment of seamen
under his command commenced to-day.
The charges against Annesley were sus-
tained by the evidence, and he was sen-
tenced by the court to receive a public
reprimand.

Robbery and Murder.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 28.—G. W. South-
white, an artist, was found in his studio
this morning lying upon the floor un-
conscious with a dagger wound near his
heart. The contents of his trunk were
scattered about and his pockets had been
rifled, showing the incentive for the deed
to have been robbery. No clue or suspi-
cion exists as to the assassin. The
wounded man will probably die.

Champlain Canal Break.

ALBANY, May 28.—Superintendent of
Public Works Hannan has received a dis-
patch from Division Supt. Hammon, say-
ing that the serious break on the Cham-
plain Canal at Mechanicsville would be
repaired by six o'clock in the morning.
There are over one hundred boats above
the break and almost the same below.
Four boats are lying on the bottom and
have gone to pieces, and will be removed
by the wrecking boat to-morrow.

Separate School Supporters.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 28.—The con-
vention of the German Catholic societies
adjourned sine die at noon to-day. Resolu-
tions were adopted this morning declar-
ing it was the sense of the convention
that the German law infringes upon the
conscience of the German Catholics, and
resolving, therefore, that the societies
take an active part in the approaching
State campaign. Congratulatory speeches
by Gustav Kaizer and Anton Bicker, and
a benediction from Rev. Father Dried, of
Beaver Dam, closed the labors of the
convention.

Lamed Back Cured.

"Seven years ago I was troubled with
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Several remedies failed, but on trying
Hayward's Yellow Oil I found immediate
relief, and two bottles effected a complete
cure."

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BLAINE'S SCHEME.

Senate Report on the International Railway.

U.S. DETECTIVES SURPRISE THE BRITISHERS

Completion of the Million Dollar Baptist Fund.

THE INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY SCHEME.

Mr. Sherman's Report to the Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—In the Senate
to-day, Mr. Sherman, from the commit-
tee of foreign affairs, reported an amend-
ment to be offered to the consular and
diplomatic appropriation bill authorizing
the President to carry into effect the re-
commendation of the international con-
ference by the appointment "by and
with the advice and consent of the Sen-
ate," of commissioners to represent the
United States in the international com-
mission, whose compensation is to be paid
from the fund, to be contributed by the
several nations interested; also to detail
from the army and navy such officers of
may be spared without detriment to the
service to serve as engineers on such
commission in making a survey, their
expenses to be paid by the commission.
An appropriation of \$60,000 is called for
as the share of the United States in the
expense of such commission and survey.
The resolution offered by Mr. Callum
about the transportation of merchandise
in bond over the Canadian Pacific Rail-
way stands over without action until to-
morrow.

AN ACCOMPLISHED SWINDLER

THE MAYOR'S DUTIES

A Sample of What the City's Chief Magistrate Does Daily.

STRANGE VISITORS AND STRANGER REQUESTS

Very few citizens have the slightest conception of what the Mayor of Montreal is called upon to do when at the City Hall for an hour daily. Every day brings new visitors with requests and appeals for assistance out of difficulties. The Mayor has his time fully occupied hearing the complaints, asking questions and in giving advice. Respectable people, unable any longer to fight against misfortunes, visit him with the hope that he, in his official capacity, will be able to relieve them. His visitors and their demands vary very much and touch on matters entirely outside of his province.

When the Acting Mayor arrived at the City Hall, looking bright and cheery, yesterday afternoon, a goodly number of people were waiting to see him.

When ready for business, the first ushered in was a low set man, who was anxious of going round the city as a hand peddler, but being unable to pay \$20 for a license he requested that one be granted at a reduced rate. His words complied with the request.

"Take a seat, madam," said the Mayor to an old lady who has been peddling for twenty-five years with a little wagon. Her husband has been bed-ridden for twenty years and, consequently, unable to earn a dollar. She supports him and two grandchildren. The tax, which was formerly \$7.25, is now \$10, which she is unable to pay, and is only out for half a day at a time, as she has her household to attend to and the sick husband. The Mayor sympathized with her, not only in words, but practically, as he gave her an order to get her license renewed at \$7, dropping, as he said, a quarter on last year's. "God bless you every day you live," said she as she left the room, a pleased and grateful woman.

Another elderly lady, with a nice white apron, was the next to be heard. Her story was that she has a little hand cart and stands at Bonsecours market, and for which privilege she pays 25 cents per day, or \$1.25 per week. They want to double it, and she cannot afford it. She was referred to Ald. J. B. R. Dufresne. Before dismissing her, H. S. Worship, addressing the press representatives, said, "The tax is too high, gentlemen; it's outrageous, but I can't help it. A mother and a sickly daughter were next heard. Their story was that the daughter's husband had gone to work in Chicago, and was at present living sick there. She had only \$3 and desired to get a reduced rate. They produced a letter from their parish priest, who considered them worthy of assistance. The Chief of Police, to whom they were referred, said that his allowance was all gone, but it was cheaper to assist those people out of town than to keep them in jail for six months. Some people came here from Rimouski and other points to ask for assistance.

A German and a Jew were granted a six and a three month license at \$20 and \$10 respectively to peddle on foot.

Mr. St. Jean appeared on behalf of another individual who wanted to peddle with a cart at a reduced rate.

The Chief said that merchant and storekeepers who paid taxes and high rents were complaining about peddlers standing on either side of their doors.

The Mayor—"Make your men keep them on the move."

The Chief—"The best thing to do is to repeal the by-law."

A mother with her son next ushered in, and the fond mother informed, His Honor that her son had made up his mind to become "one of the finest," and wanted to join. His Honor was evidently satisfied that he would be an acquisition to the force, as he referred the pair to the Chief of Police.

A very respectable looking old lady, neatly dressed, entered the chamber on crutches. Her story was, in common with the majority, seeking redress from her high tax imposed on those doing business in a small way at the market. She trades at Bonsecours, and was recommended to place her case before Ald. J. B. R. Dufresne.

The next visitor was a rather pretty young woman, who, in response to the Mayor's question, said that she wanted to take out licenses for three horses. She was directed to the proper department.

A short set man, well dressed, and with a heavy gold Albert, approached. His Worship with a smile. He wanted to get a permit to exhibit a seal on Sundays. It was sick, and he did not think it would live long, and he wanted to make as much out of it as possible before it died.

The Mayor, with his characteristic candor, quietly told his visitor that he would have to apply to Sir John A. Macdonald, as his demand was against the criminal laws of the country. The leave was brought to a close by Darcy informing the Mayor that his time was up.

"Now, gentlemen, don't you think that I have earned my salary?" said the Mayor as he lit a cigar and signed some official documents.

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IMPERIAL FEDERATION.

The Colonies Should Pay for Their Protection.

What proved to be practically an Imperial Federation meeting was held in the Mountain Street Methodist Church last night. Rev. D. V. Lucas first delivered a lecture on "The present greatness and future glory of the British Empire," after which Dr. W. G. Beers and Mr. McGowan delivered speeches in favor of Imperial Federation. Rev. J. Tallman Pitcher occupied the chair and introduced the lecturer, Rev. Mr. Lucas, who, though not permanently residing in Montreal, is well known in the city.

The lecture proved to be an interesting one, and showed that the subject has been with him one of careful thought and study. The principal point of the discourse was the consolidation of the British Empire into one grand kingdom under a central parliament which would have representatives from all parts of the kingdom. The speaker would have this parliament deal with questions which were of national concern only, and give to the several parts of the kingdom a greater measure of self-government, or about the same thing as home rule. In relation to the trade and commerce of the nation, he would have free trade between all the colonies and the mother country, and raise a discriminatory tariff against all other nations which would not enter the lists as free traders. In this manner he would force a great many, if not all other, countries into free trade, which he considered the

millennial policy. The lecturer favored the abolition of standing armies as far as possible and also thought that the navy could be made to be less of a dead weight on the nation.

In this connection he referred to the militia of Canada, which has proved itself to be so efficient in times of necessity, which he considered fully demonstrated the feasibility of doing without standing armies. He favored the giving of a thorough military training to all young men, so that at the age of twenty-one or twenty-three they would be in as good position as a trained soldier to take up arms in defence of their native country. Speaking of Canada's part in the support of the British navy in the event of Imperial Federation, he held that Canada had a right to pay in proportion to the amount of good which she received from that navy. He thought it was not honest nor fair play to expect to receive protection without paying for it. At the close of the lecture Dr. Beers and Mr. McGowan followed with their speeches in favor of Imperial Federation, and in that connection moved a vote of thanks to the lecturer. In extending the thanks of the audience to Rev. Mr. Lucas, the chairman referred to the points of the lecture as being questions for discussion and ones upon which much might be said on both sides. The meeting closed by the singing of the national anthem.

The Carslake Sweep will be drawn at the Vic's Armory on Saturday, 31st inst., commencing at 6 p.m. Subscribers are cordially invited to attend. u126

A WAIF.

The police were notified last night that a young baby had been left on the steps of No. 159 Lusignan street. The child, which was about one month old, was brought by the police to No. 6 Police Station, and afterwards taken to the Cathedral street branch of the Grey Nunnery, where it was taken charge of.

IRISH CATHOLIC TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

A special meeting of the Irish Catholic Temperance Convention was held in the society of St. Gabriel's Church last evening. Rev. Father O'Meara, P.P., in the chair. Rev. Father McCallen and Rev. Father Stubbs were in attendance. The meeting was opened with prayer. Amongst those present were Messrs. T. Latimer, T. Doyle, M. Sharkey, J. Burns, Jos. Phelan, M. J. Ryan, J. Hagan, J. McGuire, A. T. Martin, A. Brogan, N.P., and John S. Kelly, secretary of the Convention.

After the transaction of general routine business, questions of interest to the temperance cause were discussed. Afterwards the question of duly celebrating the Father Mathew centenary was taken up, and it was decided to hold a grand religious and social celebration on the occasion, arrangements for which will be completed at any early date.

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GREAT MUSICAL TOURNAMENT.

An extraordinary event in musical circles is about to take place in the form of a contest between the famous Gilmore's Band and the Montreal City Band (65th), to be held at the Victoria rink on June 2nd. We may fairly style the two above organizations to be without superior in America, and the outcome is looked to with great expectation by the numerous dilettante of Montreal. Gilmore has selected Schubert's Heroic Symphony as his principal effort, the City Band taking the Ballet of Faust, by Gounod, as theirs. The two bands united, numbering 110 pieces, will perform as a finale the overture to William Tell, by Rossini. This, we believe, to be the first time Montreal has ever had the occasion to listen to such a number of accomplished artists performing together the works of the great composers. The combined playing of a single number by such two musical corps is alone worth the entrance money. Our readers will find the particulars in the advertisement published in our amusement column. 127

AMUSEMENTS.

ACROSS THE ATLANTIC.

That sterling and popular actor, Mr. John W. Ransome, will be seen at the Theatre Royal next week in his melodramatic success, "Across the Atlantic," which, to judge of its last presentation in this city, is one of the best sensational plays of to-day. Mr. Ransome assumes many roles, but in each of them seems equally at home.

THE BROOM-MAKER.

This popular comedy is drawing good houses to the Royal this week. The warbling song by "Gretchen" received a double encore at yesterday afternoon's performance.

THE TOM MOORE ANNIVERSARY.

A large and enthusiastic audience gathered in the Victoria Rifles Armory last evening to witness the entertainment given by the dramatic section of the C. Y. M. Society. It was given on the occasion of the Tom Moore anniversary. The members of the society have been for some time back busy at work practising for the event. Their performances showed careful and painstaking training on the part of all, the result being a creditable showing which the audience fully appreciated. The scenery was varied and appropriate, as were also the rich costumes representing the era of the Crusaders. Where all did so well and gave such faithful representations it would be invidious to particularize. King Rudolph's Will, a three act tragedy, which was given first, provoked the interest of the audience, which was kept up throughout. The proceedings closed with a one act comedy entitled, "A Close Shave." These who so ably entertained the audience were Messrs. J. A. Rowan, M. J. Gorman, J. Patterson, N. J. Brittan, J. Nebb, W. R. Rawley, A. F. Nicholson, J. D. Mackay, L. E. Curran, W. J. Cherry, J. B. McDermott, T. F. Drew, J. McAtter, P. Madden, G. McNally, J. McNally, R. Milloy and D. O'Leary.

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The quickest, surest and best remedy for rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sore throat, soreness and lameness, is Haygarth's Yellow Oil. It quickly cures sprains, bruises, burns, frostbites, chilblains, etc. For croup, colds, quinsy, etc., take 10 to 20 drops on sugar, and apply the oil externally also, when immediate relief will result.

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SPORTING NEWS.

Baseball.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

First game: At Philadelphia—R. H. E. Philadelphia.....0 4 0 0 2 0 3 10—10 16 9 Philadelphia.....0 6 0 0 3 0 3—12 7 8 Batteries—Lawson and Berger; Anderson and Clements. Umpires—Jones and Vickery.

Second game: At Philadelphia—second game. R. H. E. Philadelphia.....2 0 0 0 4 1—7 9 3 Pittsburgh.....2 0 0 0 0—4 4 3 Called—darkness.

Batteries—Vickery and Schriver; Jones and Berger. Umpire—McDermott.

At Boston—R. H. E. Cincinnati.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 4 Boston.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 2 Batteries—Durea and Keenan; Nichols and Bennett. Umpires—Powers and Zacharias.

At New York—R. H. E. New York.....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 12—4 7 7 Chicago.....1 2 0 1 1 0 0 0—5 4 2 Batteries—Russe, Buckley and Burdett; Somers, Hutchinson and Kittidge. Umpire—Lynch.

At Brooklyn—R. H. E. Cleveland.....3 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—5 9 5 Brooklyn.....0 0 4 0 3 4 3 1—15 17 7 Batteries—Lincoln and Zimmer; Terry and Clark. Umpire—McQuade.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Toronto—R. H. E. Toronto.....3 0 0 0 0 0 3 31—10 14 3 Detroit.....0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—2 8 5 Batteries—Coleman and Grim; Smith and Goodfellow. Umpire—Hengle.

At London—R. H. E. London.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1 3 2 Saginaw.....2 0 0 0 5 0 0 0—7 12 2 Batteries—Demorris and Murphy; Stein and Arundel. Umpire—McLaughlin.

At Buffalo—R. H. E. Buffalo.....0 0 1 0 0 2 3 0—7 7 4 Hamilton.....2 1 3 0 1 0 1—8 10 2 Batteries—C'Neill and Oldfield; Spregel and Twohey. Umpire—Curry.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

At Syracuse—R. H. E. Syracuse.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 2 Louisville.....0 1 0 2 1 1 0 0—5 8 1 Batteries—Keefe and O'Rourke; Stratton and Ryan. Umpire—Doerscher.

At Rochester—R. H. E. Rochester.....0 1 1 0 0 0 1 0—3 6 6 Toledo.....0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0—2 4 1 Batteries—Callahan and McKeough; Healy and Rogers. Umpire—Toole.

PLAYERS' LEAGUE.

At Boston—R. H. E. Boston.....0 3 0 1 1—5 10 4 Chicago.....0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3 5 8 Called on account of rain.

Batteries—Kilroy and Murphy; King, Beaton and Farrell. Umpires—Holbert and Ferguson.

At Brooklyn—R. H. E. Brooklyn.....3 0 0 0 4 1 0 1—9 5 3 Pittsburgh.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5—5 7 7 Batteries—Welsh and Kinslow; Tener and Fields. Umpire—Jones and Knight.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E. Philadelphia.....2 0 3 0 0 0 0 0—5 9 3 Buffalo.....0 1 1 1 0 5 3 0—11 12 2 Batteries—Buffington and Cross; Baldwin and Mack. Umpires—Gaffney and Barnes.

At New York—R. H. E. New York.....0 0 1 0 7 3 2 3—16 15 5 Cleveland.....0 0 0 1 0 2 0 2—5 6 5 Batteries—Keefe, Ewing and Brown; O'Brien, Sutcliffe and Snyder. Umpires—Matthews and Gunning.

MONTREAL VS. OGDENSBURG.

The Montreal baseball team will leave this evening by the 8.25 train for Ogdensburg, where they will play the Ogdensburg team on Friday, Decoration day. Judging from its composition, as given below, they stand a fair chance of coming out the victors.

The following will compose the team: Messrs. Page, Ball, Little, White, Kelly, Woods, Burrs, Talkam and Gauthier.

Cricket.

MONTREAL VS. BISHOP'S COLLEGE.

The first match of the Montreal cricket club, which will be played on Friday on the M. A. A. grounds, is exciting much comment amongst cricket circles in this city, as it is the first match in which the newly formed club in connection with the association will participate. The college team, owing to their own grounds being in a bad condition, decided to come to Montreal in order to put in their final practice, and the following gentlemen arrived at the Balmoral Hotel last evening: Messrs. H. A. Smith, E. W. Frith, R. C. Kanlback, G. G. McLeod, F. C. Heneker, R. M. Crosby, M. Drury, A. P. Lomas, J. H. Douglas, W. S. Bruce, R. R. Farrweather and F. L. Stone.

The Montreal team have, as yet, not been chosen, but as the club have so many aspirants to club honors it will not be a very difficult task.

Quits.

THE MONTREAL CLUB.

The members of the Montreal Quoit Club are particularly requested to be on the ground next Saturday afternoon at two o'clock for general practice.

Football.

FOOTBALL TO GOVERN.

At a meeting of the members of the Quebec Rugby Football Union, held in the M. A. A. rooms, it was decided to go back to the challenge system similar to that followed in hockey. Eastern Ontario clubs will be admitted to the Union. The Beavers, of Cornwall, have already been admitted and application has also been received from the St. George's Club, of Quebec.

Turf.

THE BEL-AIR JOCKEY CLUB.

The following is the programme for the Bel-Air Jockey Club for their second race meeting to be held on June 28th and July 1st:—

FIRST DAY—June 28th.—

No. 1. Purse, \$250; of which \$50 to second. Weight for age. Weight for age. Winners once this year 5 lbs. extra, twice or more 7 lbs. Maidens allowed 5 lbs. Three-quarters of a mile.

No. 2. "Piper Haidies Stakes," a handicap sweepstakes for all ages, of \$25 each, \$10 forfeit to be paid at time of entry, with \$50 added, of which \$100 to second, third horse to receive his stake. One and one-half miles. Entries close 2nd June; weights announced 10th June.

No. 3. Purse, \$300; of which \$50 to second. Horses that have started this year and not won allowed 5 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Winners once this year 5 lbs. extra, twice or more 10 lbs. One and one-half miles.

No. 4. Purse, \$250; of which \$50 to second. Weight for age. For horses foaled in the Dominion of Canada. Winners of Queen's Plates this year to carry 5 lbs. extra. One and one-quarter miles.

No. 5. Handicap hunters' flat—Purse, \$200; of which \$50 to second, \$25 to

third. For horses owned by members of a recognized hunt club, and that have been fairly hunted with any recognized pack of hounds in Canada or United States in 1889. Riders to be members of any recognized hunt club in Canada or United.

Weights between 170 and 140 lbs. Handicap announced on 26th June. One and one-quarter miles.

N.B.—Members of Bel-Air Jockey Club shall be eligible to ride in this race.

SECOND DAY, JULY 1ST.

No. 1. Purse, \$250; of which \$50 to second. Weight for age. Winners once this year to carry 7 lbs. extra, twice or more 12 lbs. Maidens allowed 10 lbs. Three-quarters of a mile.

No. 2. "Carslake Stakes," a handicap sweepstakes for all ages, of \$25 each, \$10 forfeit to be paid at time of entry, with \$50 added by Mr. Geo. Carslake, of which \$100 to second, third horse to save his stake. One and one-half miles. Entries close 2nd June; weights announced 10th June.

No. 3. Purse, \$300; for all ages; of which \$75 to second and \$25 to third. Winners of any race this year to carry 5 lbs. extra. Maidens allowed 5 lbs. One and one-half miles.

No. 4. Purse, \$250; of which \$50 to second. Weight for age. Winners at this meeting to carry 5 lbs. extra. Dominion bred horses allowed 5 lbs. One mile.

No. 5. Purse, \$250; of which \$50 to second and \$25 to third. Handicap steeplechase. Two miles. Weights announced on 26th of June.

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MILITARY NOTES.

The 65th Battalion, under command of Sergt-Major Gauthier, held the weekly muster in the drill shed last night.

No. 3 and 5 companies of the Montreal Garrison Artillery were put through standard gun drill in the drill hall last night.

A BABCOCK EXPLODES.

An accident of a very sad nature happened at No. 2 fire station yesterday.

Mr. John Thomas, who is a brother of the ex-freeman injured at the Monday night fire, was engaged in testing the strength of a Babcock, when it suddenly exploded. Part of the flying missile struck Mr. Thomas on the lower jaw, and when picked up it was found that he was severely injured. He was at once taken to the General Hospital, where everything that can be done is being done for the unfortunate man. On enquiry at a late hour last night, it was learned that he is lying in a very precarious condition.

THE POLITICAL WORLD.

Hon. Mr. Mercier to Open Up the Campaign in Earnest—General Notes.

The political campaign will be opened up in earnest to-day by Hon. Mr. Mercier in Rouville county. A number of meetings, at which the Premier will speak, will be held throughout the Province immediately. Among those who will accompany him are Hon. H. Archambault and Messrs. H. J. Cloran and A. E. Poirier. On Saturday the campaign will be officially opened in Huntingdon county, when the same gentlemen will deliver addresses.

Mr. Geo. W. Stephens is busy with his canvass in the St. Lawrence division and appears to feel confident of being elected. The requisition tendered him contains as many as 494 names, representing the Catholic, Protestant, Liberal, Conservative, English and French electors of the division.

So far, Hon. Mr. McShane is receiving no opposition in the old Montreal Centre division, and, as he said himself yesterday to a Herald representative, there is very little likelihood of any one beating him in that constituency.

Mr. Redmond, who is mentioned as a probable labor candidate, informed the Herald reporter that he was as yet undecided regarding opposing "the people's Jimmy." It is expected that he will give an answer this evening to a deputation from the Knights of Labor as to whether he will run or not. The probability is that he will ask for further time to consider. With reference to this division, it may also be stated that Mr. C. J. Doherty is at present in a quandary as to what to do. Those who are in a position to speak say that he is postponing giving a decision until he is assured that the "sineews of war" will be provided.

Says the *Ordnament Record*: "No opposition has yet appeared in this county to the Hon. Mr. Robidoux, and there is no good reason why one should be brought out. It would only impose expense and trouble for nothing, and the desire of the people seems to be that no poll should be held here this time."

The re-election of Mr. Bisson, ex-M.P.P. for Beauharnois County, is now pretty well assured. Mr. H. J. Cloran, who attended a meeting held in the county on Tuesday, brings most encouraging reports of the prospects of the Mercier candidate being returned by a large majority.

The Conservatives have at last fixed upon a victim who is prepared to contest Chateauguay County against Hon. Mr. Robidoux. His name is Mr. Greig, and he has started his organization with the hope of putting the newly appointed Provincial Secretary to unnecessary expense.

Mr. E. Spencer is evidently not going to have everything his own way in Missisquoi County, as the Liberals of that constituency have fixed upon Mr. England, a relative of the ex-member for Bromes, as a candidate to oppose him. His prospects of election are at the brightest.

The Conservatives of Hochelaga County have made a mistake in choosing Dr. Rodier as a candidate, as he has refused to sacrifice himself in their interests.

A *Justice* reports that at the political meeting held at St. Laurent, a few days ago, Mr. Joseph Tasse accidentally dropped out of his pocket two promissory notes, one for \$4,500 and the other for \$3,000, signed by him and made payable to the order of Sir A. P. Caron. These notes were picked up by one of his adversaries and handed to Hon. Mr. Taitton.

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Hon. Mr. Mercier will be present and make an address at the conference of delegates in the McGill Normal School tomorrow afternoon.

KIMBER MYSTERY.

The Missing Man's Body Discovered in the High Level Reservoir.

OPINION DIVIDED AS TO MURDER OR SUICIDE.

The Kimber mystery was partially solved yesterday by the discovery of the missing man's body in the high level reservoir. Whether the case was one of suicide or murder remains unsolved.

Shortly after six o'clock Antoine Berichon, a mason, was passing the reservoir on his way to his work when he observed something floating in the water, and at once recognized it as the body of a man. A laborer employed in breaking stone near by was called, and the two notified one of the policemen on duty in the park, who in turn informed the coroner and Mr. Dumaine, the undertaker. Napoleon Poirier, one of Dumaine's men, brought the body to the morgue at about eight o'clock.

At ten an inquest was opened and at noon a verdict of "suicide" had been rendered. The jury, composed of workmen, brought from the streets as they went by, by Serge Charbonneau, viewed the body, which was in a very much advanced state of decomposition.

Dr. E. P. Mount was the first witness called. He stated that he had made a superficial examination of the body. There was a wound of about five inches long across the neck, penetrating the wind-pipe. On the left side of the throat were three small wounds, but only skin deep. There were no other marks on the body. He was of the opinion that these wounds were self-inflicted. He was led to this belief because of the small wounds under the left ear, which would seem to prove that several attempts had been made by the deceased to take his life before he could nerve himself up to draw the fatal cut. Without making an autopsy, however, he could not declare positively whether the man had died from the wounds and subsequent loss of blood or from drowning. He thought that an autopsy should be held.

Napoleon Poirier, the man who removed the body from the water and brought it to the morgue and searched it, next followed. The deceased wore gray pants and a brown vest and coat. There was no hat on the head and nearly all the hair and moustache, which was blonde, had fallen off. The throat was very much swelled and around it was a towel, also bearing traces of blood. The face was dark and swollen. The deceased had on an undershirt and a gray flannel shirt. These were also saturated with clotted blood. On a piece of linen sewn on the shirt, written in Chinese ink, was the following: "T. S. Kimber." In the coat pockets were three stones weighing each about five pounds. In the other pockets were found two penknives, a pouch of tobacco, a corkscrew, a watch chain, a lead pencil, fifteen cents in silver, and a few other knick-knacks.

Antoine Berichon, the stonemason, next followed and related the finding of the body, as related above. The jury, after a brief deliberation and an address by coroner Jones, relating the discovery, declared themselves satisfied with the evidence, and brought in a verdict of "suicide."

Just why a verdict should be rendered before an autopsy had been completed is not very clear; but coroner Jones stated to a Herald reporter that he had done all he had to do and that he was satisfied with the verdict. All he had to do, said the coroner, was to ascertain where, when and how the body was found. On the recommendation of coroner Jones a post-mortem examination was held yesterday afternoon. The following doctors were present and performed the operation:—Drs. Mount, Brennan and Fenwick.

The police authorities, according to the statements made by the physicians, say that they wish the public to understand that the present case was one of ordinary suicide. Chief Hughes last evening, in answer to a telegram received from the Minister of Justice, telegraphed the verdict rendered and said that the police, from the start, were right in concluding that the deceased, J. S. Kimber, had come to his death by suicide.

While everything points to suicide, people's opinions differ, and many are asking the question how a man could possibly cut his throat to the extent of five inches, quietly leave Styles' hotel on St. James street at eleven o'clock in the morning, and with a bloody towel round his neck, weak with loss of blood, stagger up the streets that lead to the mountain, climb the steep hill to the reservoir, surmount the iron railings that surround it and plunge into the water. Even had his strength held out to perform this extraordinary feat, it is pointed out that the strange and ghastly appearance presented by the man must have attracted special attention from some of the numbers of persons that he must have passed on his journey.

ST. JEAN BAPTISTE SOCIETY.

The picnic and games of the St. Jean Baptiste Society promises to be even a bigger success than this popular society has yet known. At a meeting held last night, under the chairmanship of Mr. L. A. David, a vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. Grenier, wife of Mayor Grenier, for having consented to take the responsibility of a large amount of the work essential to the success of the undertaking. Messrs. Gothe and Marchand were appointed a committee to assist in the arrangements. Amongst those who will be invited as guests are: Messrs. Laurier, Chapleau, Taitton, Robillard, Tasse and Judge Ritchie.

HOSPITAL NEWS.

Among the patients who were brought to the General hospital yesterday was Emile Eudon, a laborer who was working in a quarry at Mill Rush. He was assisting in the raising of a huge piece of rock with the aid of a derrick when, by some means, the machinery gave way, and before he could get out of the road the heavy mass fell upon him and crushed both legs. He was at once brought to the city and taken to the hospital, where every care was given him. In spite of this, however, it is feared that the left leg will have to be amputated.

There were two men taken to the General hospital yesterday, neither of whose names were learned by the authorities. The first was a man who was slightly injured at the marble works on Bonny street, and the second was a man who fell to the sidewalk on St. Laurent street. On examination at the hospital it was proved that he has been suffering for