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TRAGIC MURDER COMMITTED IN STREETS OF LEVIS AT LATE HOUR DURING NIGHT

Body of Lucien Morissette, Intercolonial Railway Employee, Found with Two Bullet Wounds—Young Man Named Remillard Arrested for Alleged Crime—Unwritten Law Alleged To Have Been Motive

A man named Lucien Morissette, aged 40, an employee of the Intercolonial Railway, was shot to death shortly before midnight last night and his body now lies at Moisan's Morgue, Levis, with two bullet wounds, while Romeo Remillard, of Wolfe street, Bienville, who is charged with the shooting, is now a prisoner in the cells at Central Police Station on Laurier avenue.

It is said that Joseph Remillard, the father of the prisoner, and the accused himself, returned to their home about eleven o'clock last night to find three men in the house with the mother. The father is alleged to have been intoxicated and, it is said, ordered the son to shoot one of the men. The three men immediately took to flight and the son picking up a high-power rifle followed them to the street, where he fired two shots at the fugitives. After the second shot one of the fleeing men dropped to the street and lay there.

The first intimation that the Levis police received of the shooting was when they received a telephone call after midnight notifying them that a man was lying on Wolfe street, in Bienville, and was in danger of being frozen to death. A patrol was sent out to investigate and found that the man was dead and that his body had been pierced by two bullet wounds.

Dr. Romeo Roy, of Levis, was called, but only to confirm the fact that the man was dead.

Coroner Jolicoeur was then notified by Dr. Roy, of the shooting, and ordered the body of the victim removed to the morgue of Mr. Charles Moisan.

The Levis police then investigated the case and placed Romeo Remillard under arrest, while it is said to be probable that the father may also be taken into custody.

The names of the other two men who were in the house with the victim could not be ascertained by the police up to the time of going to press.

Lucien Morissette, the victim, is said to be an unmarried man, and well-known in Levis.

The domestic relations of the Remillard family are said to have been strained for years. The father enjoys a good reputation, and for many years was a foreman in the employ of the late firm of Carrier & Laite, while he was later employed by the Davie Shipbuilding Company. It is said that the husband and wife had been separated on several occasions but had always settled matters and lived together again.

The scene of the shooting was in the section of Wolfe street which lies in Bienville, a suburb of Levis, and as a result very few people were aware of the tragedy. Even neighbors living close by who had retired before the shooting occurred were not awakened by the shots.

As the case, thus far, does not appear to be a complicated one, it is thought that Coroner Jolicoeur will hold an inquest into the matter within two days and that then all the details of the deplorable event will be brought out.

It is not known whether the accused made any statement to the police or not when arrested, but he went to the station voluntarily, while the father remained at his home.

ANOTHER VERSION.

Another version of the shooting is that Lucien Morissette, the victim, had never entered the Remillard home, but had merely gone to the door to inquire for another address when he was shot down.

According to this latter version, Morissette, who was employed as a telegrapher for the I. C. R., left the office at ten o'clock last night in company with two other telegraphers named Guimont and Belanger. They had been invited to the home of a fellow-worker named Baker who resided on Wolfe street, and, not knowing where he lived, they stopped to inquire at the Remillard home where a light was burning.

Morissette walked up to the house, while his two companions waited on the sidewalk. As soon as the door was opened they heard two shots and immediately ran away. When they returned later they found that Morissette had been killed.

Lucien Morissette was well-known in Levis and was noted as a first-class telegrapher, as well as a faithful employee of the I. C. Railway.

During the war he enlisted in the 22nd Battalion and attained the rank of Captain. He was overseas three years, and had a splendid record in the army.

A MONTREAL MAN MADE PRESIDENT

R. A. Ross Inaugurated At 34th Annual Meeting of the Engineering Institute

Montreal, Que., Jan. 27.—(By Canadian Press)—R. A. Ross, Montreal City Commissioner, was today inaugurated President of the Engineering Institute of Canada at its 34th annual meeting and the largest gathering of engineers ever held in the Dominion with representatives of the profession from Halifax to Vancouver, together with a large number of visiting engineers from the United States in attendance at the convention, held at the headquarters of the Montreal Branch. Four hundred and fifty members registered there today and it was expected a hundred more would register tomorrow. Headquarters were found to be too small, the convention adjourned to the Windsor Hotel.

The retiring President, Lieutenant-Colonel R. W. Leonard, of St. Catharines, Ont., took charge of the opening sessions. Reports showed continued growth, new branches having been opened at Sault Ste. Marie, Windsor, Niagara Peninsula, Peterborough and Kingston. The financial statement showed a slight deficit although it had the greatest revenue in the history of the Institute.

Reports were presented by various committees following which the convention adjourned for luncheon and in the afternoon the report of the scrutineers was read showing Commissioner R. A. Ross had been elected President by acclamation, with the following vice: Brigadier-General Mitchell dean of the Faculty of Applied Science at the University of Toronto, and W. G. Chace of Winnipeg.

For Councillors, of whom there are thirty, ten to be elected each year, the following were elected:

F. E. Brown, Montreal; Julian G. Smith, Montreal; A. R. Decary, Quebec; F. A. Bowman, Halifax; J. B. Challies, Ottawa; E. R. Gray, Hamilton; Guy C. Dunn, Winnipeg; B. S. McKenzie, Winnipeg; J. R. C. Maorelle, Moose Jaw, Sask.; George W. Craig, Calgary; and H. W. Burwell, Vancouver, B.C.

The convention will resume at ten o'clock tomorrow morning when the President will take the Chair and a general discussion will be held on "The gateway of the profession."

OTTAWA TO HAVE MILITARY WEEK

Large Number of Military Organizations to Assemble—Annual Meeting D. R. A.

Ottawa, January 27.—The week of February 23rd to 28th, will be military week in Ottawa and a large number of military organizations will meet here during that period and many prominent military men from all parts of the Dominion will be in attendance here.

The big event of the week is the annual business meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association, the last D. R. A. meet was held at Rockcliffe in 1913. This year it will be revived in full force and it is expected in view of the great practice that most Canadians have had in shooting, both the annual meeting and the shoot itself will be the greatest in the history of the country.

The Canadian Artillery Association will also meet February 25th-26th for an annual meeting.

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INQUEST UPON JAMES TILLEY IS CONCLUDED

Death Caused by Collision of Second Section of Train with the First

ALL ORDERS OBEYED

Jury Found Trainmen Carried Out Instructions According to Regulations

North Bay, Ont., Jan. 27.—(By Canadian Press)—The inquest into the death of James Tilley, one of the victims of the C. P. R. train wreck, near Corbeil on Sunday morning, was concluded shortly before seven o'clock this evening. The jury found that all the trainmen concerned obeyed orders and carried out instructions according to railroad regulations.

The verdict was that the death of Mr. Tilley was caused by the second section of number one train colliding with the first section, which was stalled at the time. It was recommended that the C. P. R. Company hereafter run their trains on the block system, that is, that the trainmen of each following train, before leaving a station at which a telegraph operator is employed, shall have the assurance that the preceding train has left the station next further on.

The only additional witnesses examined today were Conductor Englund and Fremantle Gleason, of No. 2 section. Their evidence brought out nothing new.

Were Winnipeg Family. Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 27.—J. Tilley and his wife, of Winnipeg, were killed in the C. P. R. wreck at Corbeil, Ont., Sunday and probably their child. Word was received by a brother, Alfred Tilley, Winnipeg, definitely establishing the death of J. Tilley and his wife. It is feared that the Tilley child is one of victims who remain unidentified. In the list of victims published Monday the destination of J. Tilley was given as Vancouver, B.C.

Many survivors from the wreck arrived in Winnipeg at noon today, many of them with bandaged heads or severe cuts and scratches. Maude Copley 11 years of age, who has come all the way from England alone was among the passengers who arrived today. She is going to Victoria, B.C. to join relatives. She was thrown through a window and received cuts on her face.

Official Statement. Montreal, Que., Jan. 27.—The following official statement was issued tonight by the Canadian Pacific Railway in connection with the train wreck near North Bay last Sunday:

"The derailed locomotive has been lifted and no additional bodies have been found. It has, however, since transpired through inquiries from relatives in the West, that Mr. Tilley, one of the victims, was accompanied by his wife and child. The bodies of the two children removed from the wreckage were presumed to be the children of Mrs. Peden. It has since been found that one of these bodies is not one of a Peden child and is therefore presumably the child of Mrs. Tilley, whose body has now been almost with certainty identified. It appears, therefore, that the child's body is still missing and the neighborhood is again being carefully searched.

"Delay in identification is due to the fact that the parents travelling with the children were in both cases fatally injured. The patients in the hospital are reported as all doing well.

A despatch received tonight at Canadian Pacific Railway headquarters here states that the other child's body has been found in the debris near the wrecked engine. It is believed that this body is that of the other Peden child. This brings the total number of dead in the train wreck to nine.

RINN CHALLENGES SIR OLIVER LODGE

Bets That He Can Deceive Him with Faked Spirit Manifestations

New York, January 27.—A challenge to Sir Oliver Lodge in the form of an offer to bet him \$5,000 that he can deceive him with faked spirit manifestations was issued last night by Joe Rinn, at a dinner of the Sunrise Club, which he entertained with a series of spiritualistic "tests." Rinn is a wholesale fruit broker, who has attained a great deal of notoriety as a harrier of mediums. Several years ago, he exposed Eusapio Balladino, May Pepper and other well-known mediums.

TELEGRAPH RATE CASE HEARING

Final Stage Reached With Argument of Companies' Counsel

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 27.—(By Can. Press)—The final stage in the telegraph rates case was reached this afternoon when W. H. Tilley, K.C., counsel for the telegraph companies, opened his argument, which he will probably conclude when the hearing is resumed tomorrow.

Mr. Tilley commenced his argument following the examination of Mr. C. E. Friend, comptroller of the Canadian National Railways. His line of reasoning was calculated to show that the Board of Railway Commissioners had authority to regulate telegraph rates in Eastern Canada notwithstanding the provisions of any special statute and that the Board was in a position to increase the twenty five cent rate as present obtaining in Ontario and Quebec.

Before Mr. Tilley started speaking Mr. J. E. Walsh, Solicitor for the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, made a brief statement to the effect that the organization which he represented was prepared to leave the case in the hands of the Board. The Association assumed that the telegraph companies were in the same position with regard to increased costs of operation as all other organizations. He directed the attention of the Board to the increases asked for in the Maritime Provinces, which he thought would bear looking into.

After the completion of Mr. Tilley's argument tomorrow morning it is probable that Mr. H. J. Synington, representing the Winnipeg Board of Trade, will present the case for those opposed to the increases.

The Winnipeg delegation seems very determined in their decision to probe the telegraph companies' condition to the bottom and to understand fully the reasons for the application. Members of the delegation state that something in the way of advances may be requested to put the companies on a basis permitting of good and constant service for the public, but beyond what is required in reason, together with a fair return on the several investments they are not prepared to go.

Mr. Tilley whose argument was of a rather technical nature, dealt at some length with the agreement which was entered into between the Montreal telegraph company and the Great North Western Telegraph Company, when the former was taken over by the latter company. He was strongly of the opinion that there was no good argument in this agreement or the statutes which made a 25 cent rate compulsory in Eastern Canada. At any rate the Railway Act, he stated, gave the Board of Railway Commissioners jurisdiction over all rates, whether controlled by special statutes or not and therefore the Board was in a position to revise rates if it saw fit. He cited portions of the statute in support of his contention.

The examination of Mr. C. E. Friend, comptroller of the Canadian National Railways, by Mr. E. H. M. Temple, Solicitor for the Government System, and also by Mr. Synington, was partially confined to questions on evidence already taken at other hearings.

AN ATTACK ON ADMIRAL SIMS

Democrat Says He Betrayed Confidence—Should be Dishonorably Discharged

Washington, D. C., Jan. 27.—Rear Admiral Sims, a leading figure in the Naval decorations controversy and in the pending Senate investigation of the Navy's conduct of the war, was vigorously attacked today in the House by Representative Byrnes, Democrat, South Carolina.

Declaring that if the Admiral was admonished by a high naval official not to let the British "pull the wool" over his eyes as he testified recently before the Senate Naval Decorations Committee, he violated a confidence in making the instructions public. Representative Byrnes said, and he deserved "the condemnation of every American and a dishonorable discharge from the Navy."

Representative Husted, Republican, New York, referring to Mr. Byrnes' assertion that Sims possibly should be "dishonorably discharged" from the Navy, asked whether the officer who admonished him "not to let the British pull the wool over his eyes" ought not to be removed, but the Democratic member said the admission was justified in view of Admiral Sims' pro-British attitude.

U. S. TRANSPORT POWHATTAN HAS MADE HALIFAX

Finally Docked Last Evening After Nearly Fortnight's Vicissitudes

HARDSHIP NOT EVIDENT

Kaiser's Erstwhile Pleasure Yacht Little Worse for the Long Struggle

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 27.—(By Can. Press)—At a few minutes after nine o'clock tonight the United States army transport Powhattan docked here after nearly a fortnight's vicissitudes during which the eyes of the United States and Canada have been continually upon her. The erstwhile pleasure yacht of the ex-Emperor of Germany did not present much evidence of hardship and indeed looked little worse for her long struggle with the waves.

The crew were also little affected by their adventures. There were very few cases of sickness and only one man was in a condition that could be called serious. The crew were taken to Camp Hill Hospital by the local branch of the Red Cross.

Members of the crew had no harrowing stories to tell. They were rather inclined to reticence, but stated that they had in some degree suffered from cold. They all thought that the worst chapter of the Powhattan's adventures was on last Sunday after she had broken adrift from the Lady Laurier. The ship rolled helplessly and violently the whole of that day while her decks were drenched with biting drifts of spray which froze as they fell.

Contradictory messages were received today here from the Powhattan. The first word came at nine o'clock when it was stated that she was 37 miles off and making good speed. At one o'clock C. H. Harvey, agent of the Marine and Fisheries Department, received a wireless stating that the tow was six miles off the lightship and that a strong southeasterly wind was rising. The message added that the two tugs were barely holding the tow and that more assistance was needed immediately. The tug Cruiser put out and also the United States tug Kingfisher. Later in the afternoon a flash came that the convoy had passed Chebucto Head and at 7 P.M. there was no longer any doubt of her safe arrival.

The first announcement of the Powhattan's coming was a faint and ghostly blowing of horns in the distance. Then the ships loomed into sight. Between the Acushnet and the Osagee there was a long gap of blackness upon which the searchlights suddenly fell, revealing the Powhattan. Colonel Griswold of the United States Army Transport Service, sent out a tug with men to relieve the crew fearing they were exhausted. However, they refused to be relieved.

Captain Randall of the Powhattan reports that none of his crew is injured and that only three of them are slightly ill. It will not be necessary to remove any of them to the hospital.

The American cutter Osagee, had a miraculous escape from being sent to the bottom during the attempt made last Saturday to take the disabled Powhattan in tow, after the

The Weather.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 27.—A pronounced area of high pressure is centered over the northwest states and the weather is turning colder again in Ontario and Quebec. It continues decidedly cold in nearly all parts of the West. Light snow has fallen in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Temperatures: Prince Rupert 14 26 Victoria 30 36 Vancouver 28 38 Kamloops 10* 8 Calgary 24* 2 Edmonton 30* 10* Medicine Hat 36* 6* Battleford 38* 20* Prince Albert 32* 18* Saskatoon 35* 15* Winnipeg 23* 4* Port Arthur 10* 2 St. John 6 24 Toronto 17 24 Kingston 16 36 Ottawa 20 32 Montreal 2 32 Quebec 2 24 St. John 24 36 Halifax 10* 24

* below zero. Forecasts: Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Northerly winds, fair and decidedly cold.

Ottawa Valley and Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Northerly winds, fair and decidedly cold.

Gulf and North Shore—Strong northerly winds, fair and decidedly cold.

Maritime—Strong northerly winds, fair and decidedly cold.

Superior—Fair and very cold.

Manitoba—Fair and decidedly cold.

Saskatchewan and Alberta—Local snowfalls but mostly fair and cold.

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hawsers had parted and the big transport went adrift. There was a mountainous sea running and the Osagee steamed up to the steamer Lady Laurier, to try and secure the line again, and pass it to the Powhattan. Just as the cutter came near the Laurier, a big sea struck the Osagee and sent her crashing against the starboard bow of the Laurier. On the Osagee, three boats were smashed into splinters, the port railing was carried away, the port side of the pilot-house smashed, and the shrouds carried away. Other deck damage was also sustained. No serious damage was done the Laurier.

Captain's Story. "My men were splendid. America should be proud of them," said Captain Randall of the Powhattan, interviewed here tonight. "The situation," he added, "was never critical. We simply had to settle down and make the best of it, realizing that we'd get in when we'd get in. The bulkheads were exceptionally strong and well shored. The worst part of it was the terrific cold and being without lights." As to the crew, he said, they had suffered much, but their morale was the highest to the last. "They are chiefly ex-naval men and they were always ready for any-

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Hon. Dr. Beland arrived in town yesterday.

Mr. Jos. Levy, of Montreal, is a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. T. C. Workman, of Halifax, is staying at the Chateau.

Hon. Walter Mitchell is in town, a guest at the Chateau.

Hon. Judge J. Decarie, is expected in town this week from Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dolduc, of Levis, are spending a few days in Ottawa.

Mr. Peter Bercovitch, K. C. M.P.P., is in town, a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. Elk. Levesque, of Chicoutimi, is in the city, registered at the Chateau.

Mr. L. O. Berube, is in town from Riviere du Loup, a guest at the Chateau.

Mr. E. G. Stuart, of Montreal, is in the city, registered at the Chateau.

Mr. Raoul Liagre, of Van Bruesels, is in town registered at the Chateau.

Mr. C. E. Ganet, M.L.A., arrived in town yesterday and registered at the Chateau.

Mr. John Ball, of Kenogami, arrived in town yesterday and registered at the Chateau.

The Misses Marguerite and Pauline Marois, of this city are in Ottawa, the guests of Miss Jeanne Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Grimmer, of Temiskaming, arrived in town yesterday and are guests at the Chateau.

Mr. Arthur Sauve, Leader of the Opposition, returned to town yesterday to continue his Parliamentary duties.

Hon. P. J. Paradis, M.L.C., and Miss Marcelle Paradis, left yesterday for New York, where they will sail for Europe.

Mr. C. H. N. Connell, District Engineer, Canadian National Railway, leaves for Montreal today to attend the Civil Engineers Convention.

Mrs. G. B. Ramsay who has been visiting friends in Toronto and Montreal during the past three weeks, arrived home on Monday evening.

Louis G. Fontaine has left for Montreal in the interests of the Universal Products Agency and will be back at the end of the week.

Mr. T. Ryan, formerly of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, has entered the Jeffery Hale Hospital, where he will undergo an operation.

Miss Marcelle Belanger of Outremont is spending a couple of weeks in town the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lemont, St. Ursule Hotel.

Rev. Abbe Germain, of Laval University, who has been studying in European Universities for the past three years, is expected in town at the end of the week.

The French Republic has bestowed upon Mde P. E. Blondin and Hon. Justice Brodeur, Ottawa, the Silver Medal of the Order of Reconnaissance Francaise for services during the war.

Mrs. Wm. MacMillan will receive at her residence, No. 129 Fraser street on Thursday, Jan. 29 from four to six o'clock in honor of Mrs. Nelson Tweedell who has recently arrived to make her home in this city.

Word was received by cable last week of the death of Rev. Samuel Prenter, D.D., LL.D., pastor emeritus of Ormond Quay Church, Dublin, Ireland, in his seventy-seventh year. Dr. Prenter was one of the best known ministers in the Irish Presbyterian Church and was an ex-moderator of the General Assembly. He was the father of one of the ministers in the Presbyterian Church—Rev. Samuel Prenter of Valcartier, Que.

The wedding was solemnized yesterday morning at the Bon Pasque Chapel, of Miss Madeleine Gagnon, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Alphonse Gagnon, of this city, to Captain Willie McKay, 22nd Battalion, son of Dr. and Mrs. Ernest McKay, also of Quebec. The Rev. Abbe Laberge officiated. The bride was given away by her father, while the groom was attended by his father. A guard of honor, composed of returned officers, was formed as the happy couple left the Church. The service was attended by a number of relatives of the contracting parties. Dr. and Mrs. W. McKay left for Montreal and New York on a wedding trip, and on their return will reside in this city.

BREAD PROBLEM IN WEST INDIES

"The West Indian colonies, in common with the rest of the world, have their bread problem. How this is to be met is the subject of an official inquiry, and an interim report of British Guiana Flour Substitutes Committee indicates the lines upon which action can be most usefully taken. Analyses collated by the committee show that the products of tropical origin which most nearly approach wheat-flour in food value are rice, guinea-corn, and maize. These materials can be employed alone only in the preparation of cakes. Without wheat-flour they do not give satisfactory bread. Other products," says Nature, "of relatively higher starch content which are of local origin, e.g., cassava, sweet potatoes, tannias, and eddoes, can also be employed in this way, but they yield an article of lower food value and wide nutrient ratio. It is possible, however, by the addition of a proportion of meal, obtainable from locally-grown pulses, e.g., pigeon-peas, black-eye peas, lima, and bonavist beans, to bring the nutrient ratio of these more starchy products up to the desired standard. Action upon these lines is recommended and a proposal is put forward for the establishment of a factory or factories for converting the locally-grown raw materials into non-perishable and marketable products.

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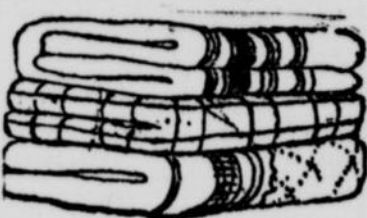
Heavy plain half bleached sheeting, 68 inches wide; regular 76c quality for**62c**
 Regular 85c quality for**70c**
 Regular 90c quality for**75c**
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 80 inches wide; regular \$1.00 quality for**89c**
 80 inches wide; regular \$1.30 quality for**\$1.08**
 90 inches wide; regular \$1.20 quality for**90c**
 White Circular Pillow Cotton, 40 inches wide; regular 50c value for**39c**
 42 inches wide; regular 55c quality for**44c**
 44 inches wide; regular 60c quality for**49c**
 Full bleached Cotton table Damask, in pretty patterns; regular 90c quality for**67c**

Regular \$1.20 quality for**95c**
 Regular \$1.50 quality for**\$1.25**
 Regular \$1.90 quality for**\$1.59**
 Regular \$2.25 quality for**\$1.89**
 Regular \$2.75 quality for**\$2.29**
 Regular \$3.25 quality for**\$2.75**
 Roller Towelling, heavy weight; regular a yard 25c, for**18c**
 Regular a yard 36c, for**30c**
 Regular a yard 45c, for**38c**
 Red Checked Glass Towelling; regular a yard 34c. Sale price a yard**29c**
 Huckaback Cotton Hand Towels, already hemmed; regular each 35c. Sale price each**29c**
 Regular each 40c. Sale price each**34c**
 Regular each 50c. Sale price each**42c**



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Nainsook Drawers, in pretty model hand worked. Special sale price**\$2.59**

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Nainsook Night Dresses trimmed with hand embroidery and ribbon beading, in same style. Special sale price each**\$3.79**

Batiste Underskirts of good quality, with large frill of embroidery on the bottom. Special sale price**\$2.19**

Nainsook Underskirts with frill of embroidery trimmed with lace. Special sale price**\$2.69**

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Spring will soon be here, and with it warm sunshine and weather, every woman likes to have a nice blouse to go under her new Spring suit; now is your time to procure one at a low price.

Special Offerings In The Wallpaper Department

Many people may think that it's rather early to buy Wallpapers for Spring decorations, but be warned in time. Prices will almost double between this and the time for house cleaning. If you do not wish to hang it right away, buy it now, and then when you need it you will have it right handy, and then you will pay much less for it now than you will in the Spring.

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Wallpaper in green, ground with gold and red flowers, 9 inch border to match, regular a single roll 25c. Sale price**19c**

Wallpaper in green, ground with gold stripes and mosaic patterns, 18 inch border to match, regular 18c a single roll. Sale price**12c**

Wallpaper in yellow, ground with gold and red flower, 9 inch border to match, regular 18c a roll. Sale price**14c**

Wallpaper in grey, ground with striped and blue flower pattern, 9 inch border to match, regular a single roll 21c. Sale price**9c**

Wallpaper in white, ground with striped and small flower pattern, 9 inch border to match, regular a single roll 22c. Sale price**15c**

Wallpaper in green, ground with gold and red flower, 9 inch border to match, regular a single roll 25c. Sale price**18c**

Wallpaper in green, ground with gold and red flower, 9 inch border to match, regular a single roll 22c. Sale price**15c**

Wallpaper in drab, ground with striped and floral design, 18 inch border to match, regular a single roll 15c. Sale price**12c**

Wallpaper in yellow, ground with striped and floral design, 9 inch border to match, regular a single roll 15c. Sale price**10c**

Wallpaper in blue, ground with striped and small flower design, 9 inch border to match, regular a single roll 25c. Sale price**18c**

Wallpaper in white ground with yellow floral design, 9 inch border to match, Regular a single roll 25c, sale price**18c**

Wallpaper in drab, ground with gold, striped and floral design, no border. Regular a single roll, 20c sale price**12c**

Wallpaper in blue and grey, striped design, 6 inch border to match. Regular a single roll 20c, sale price**15c**

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SUIT AGAINST "LE DROIT" STILL SPREADING

Bishop Scollard Enters Action for Alleged Libel Against the Publishers

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 27.—Unstated damages are claimed by Bishop David Joseph Scollard of North Bay against Le Droit...

Alarming Reports Received By United States Public Health Service

Washington, Jan. 27.—Influenza continues to spread over the country. Reports to the Public Health Service today said the total of cases reported in Illinois had reached 14,805...

A Gloomy Prediction. New York, Jan. 27.—Dr. Royal S. Copeland, City Health Commissioner, tonight predicted that there would be more than four thousand influenza cases reported in New York tomorrow...

Deaths from influenza for the last twenty-four hours numbered 96, an increase of 10, while pneumonia caused 81 deaths, an increase of eleven. There were 1,378 cases of influenza reported today...

ONTARIO LABOR MEMBERS CONFER

Relations of Party with Provincial Government Discussed in Toronto

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 27.—At the Walker House this afternoon there was a conference of elected Labor members of Parliament to discuss the present relations between the Labor Party and the Provincial Government...

GRANDCHAMP GETS KING'S POLICE MEDAL

Gen. Armstrong Says Honor is Unusual—City Should Arrange Suitable Ceremony

Montreal, January 27.—Mr. E. R. Dwyer, chairman of the Administrative Commission, has received a letter from Brig. General Armstrong, enclosing one from T. J. Mulvey, Under-Secretary of State...

ARCHDEACONS IN OTTAWA DIOCESE

Bishop Roper Makes Appointments at Opening of the Diocesan Synod

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 27.—Right Rev. J. C. Roper, Bishop of Ottawa at the opening of the Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa, in Laurier Hall, Christ Church Cathedral this morning announced the appointment of Rev. Canon Johnstone McLelland Snowden, rector of St. George's Church as Archdeacon of the Diocese in the city of Ottawa...

Advertisement for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, featuring a circular logo and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

GIVEN TEMPORARY LEASE ON LIFE

U. S. Senate Pessimistic Over Peace Treaty Compromise Negotiations

Washington, D.C., Jan. 27.—Peace treaty compromise negotiations, hovering on the verge of dissolution, were given today a new forty-eight hour lease on life. But there was nothing in the development which changed the pessimistic view of the Senate leaders as to the final outcome...

ROBERTS TO FOLLOW

Food Ministry Will Come To End Within a Few Months Time

London, Jan. 27.—(By the Associated Press)—George Nicoll Barnes, Minister without portfolio, has resigned from the Cabinet. The significance of his resignation lies in the fact that it will likely cause the final withdrawal of Labor from the Coalition Government...

HERR ERZBERGER IS VERY WEAK

Bullet Firmly Lodged in Splintered Part of the Shoulder-blade

Berlin, January 27.—An X-ray examination of the wound suffered by Matthias Erzberger, Vice-Premier and Minister of Finance, who was shot yesterday by Oltwig von Hirschfeld as he was leaving the criminal courts building, shows that the bullet splintered part of Herr Erzberger's shoulderblade, where it is firmly lodged...

FOREIGN EXCHANGE STILL GOING DOWN

Another Collapse of Sweeping Dimensions Attended Local Dealings on 'Change Today

New York, N.Y., Jan. 27.—An other collapse of more sweeping dimensions attended local dealings in foreign exchange today. Rates on all the important European countries sagged to new levels of discount...

TRAVELLING EXPENSES MUST BE RETURNED

Ontario Supreme Court Decide Farmers' Convention Party Must Pay Own Way

Toronto, January 27.—An echo of the farmers' anti-inscription jaunt to Ottawa early in 1919 was an appeal argued before the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of Ontario today on behalf of William Barker, member at that time of the Burford Township Council (Brant County) against an order by County Judge Hardy, compelling members of the Council to restore to the Treasury certain moneys voted by the Council to pay the expense of the delegation that went from that municipality to Ottawa...

GOVERNMENT PROPERTY WANTONLY DESTROYED

Witness Unveils Scandal in Construction of U. S. Powder Plant

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 27.—So much valuable Government property was wantonly destroyed during the construction of the Federal powder plant at Nitro, W. V., that John Tinsley, a witness before the Congressional Subcommittee investigating the question here today, declared that he was moved to protest. "My life was threatened if I didn't keep my mouth shut," Tinsley testified. "I was told to get out of there; and I did."

GEORGE NICOLL BARNES RESIGNS FROM CABINET

Final Withdrawal of Labor From British Coalition Government Signified

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SIR LOMER GOULIN PRESENTS BILL

Increased Salary For Provincial Agent in London—Quebec Bill Passes

Sir Lomer Goulin presented his first measure of the session yesterday in the form of resolutions which purport to increase the salary of Hon. Dr. P. Pelletier, Agent of the Province of Quebec in London, from \$6,000 to \$8,000 and also to permit this high official to benefit by the Government pension fund in accordance with the Civil Service Act...

CABINET MAY BE CUT DOWN SOON

New Public Works Minister To Administer Railways and Canals

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 27.—(By Canadian Press)—While there has been no definite announcement as to who will be appointed to the new Ministry of Public Works, an interesting rumor is in circulation that the new Minister of this Department will also have under his jurisdiction the Department of Railways and Canals...

KIEL DOCKYARDS ARE INSPECTED

Virtually No Activity Around Harbor During Allied Commission's Visit

London, Jan. 27.—The Reuter correspondent with the International Naval Commission at Kiel says the Commission inspected the dockyards there on Sunday and left Monday for Berlin. There was virtually no activity around the harbor during the stay of the commission. All types of German warships were moored in the harbor. Only two cruisers and four destroyers were in commission...

INSURRECTIONARIES TAKE SIBERIAN TOWN

Czechs Reported Hemmed In By Red Forces West of Irkutsk

Peking, Monday, Jan. 26.—(By the Associated Press)—Nikolsk Ussuriisk (in the Ussuri River region of Siberia) is reported in advices from Harbin to have been captured by insurrectionary forces with little opposition. West of Irkutsk, the Czechs are reported hemmed in on both sides by Red forces and clashes are occurring daily. Czech headquarters are declared to view with alarm the social revolutionary regime at Irkutsk, which is hostile to the Czechs and other foreigners. One Czech officer is said to have been killed in Irkutsk.

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Continuation of the big Whitewear Sale. Come and examine the goods we are offering at pre-war prices. MARCEAU & CO., 155 St. Joseph Street.

SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE COMING IN

Meeting in Connection With Winter Sports Last Evening at City Hall

There was a meeting of the Sports Committee last evening at the City Hall, which was under the chairmanship of Mr. George Van Felson. Nothing much was done, and the meeting was very short. The most important item in the adoption of the program that had been drawn up until the 17th of February by the Committee. It had been drawn up, but not submitted to the Committee. A varied field of sport and attractions is offered, or will be offered during the period extending from the present day until the middle of February...

DEEP WATERWAYS CONVENTION ON

Deepening Upper St. Lawrence to Admit Big Ocean Vessels Urged

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 27.—The convention of the Canadian Deep Waterways and Power Associations opened today with 100 delegates in attendance at a luncheon tendered by the Board of Trade, C. E. Fleming, of Windsor, Ont., President of the Association, gave an address. Immense benefit would accrue to the whole of Canada were the upper waters of the St. Lawrence River deepened to admit ships of ocean draught. Mr. Fleming declared. Wheat could be shipped at a saving of five cents a bushel and the \$5,000,000 to \$7,000,000 gained each year thereby, would be sufficient to pay interest on the gigantic project, he said.

STEEL EARNINGS SHOW DECREASE

Chiefly Result of the Strike Which Was at Height in October

New York, Jan. 27.—Chiefly as a result of the steel strike which was at its height in October, total earnings of the United States Steel Corporation for the final quarter of 1919 fell to \$39,791,302, a decrease of \$4,385,930, compared with the previous quarter. Net income of \$23,040,275 and surplus of \$5,222,288 compared with \$29,111,429 and \$11,205,167 respectively, in the previous quarter.

WAVES FROM OTHER PLANETS QUITE POSSIBLE

London, Jan. 27.—Discussing the mysterious signals described yesterday by Signor Marconi as having been received in the form of interruptions of the Marconi wireless instruments, Sir Frank W. Dyson, Astronomer Royal, today admitted that in his opinion it was quite possible to get waves from other planets. He was not prepared to go further at the present time and left it to greater wireless experts than himself to describe the effects of such waves.

MISSING SEAPLANE DRIFTED ASHORE

Miami, Florida, Jan. 27.—The Navy seaplane which was many hours overdue on a flight between the Bahamas Islands and Palm Beach, Fla., and for which a general search had been ordered by the Navy Department, has drifted ashore with all members aboard safe, near the small town of Vero, north of Miami, said a telephone message received here tonight.

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NEW BILLS IN THE LEGISLATURE

Government Will Increase the License Fees on Fur Trading in the Province

An increase in license fees for fur trading in the Province of Quebec must be provided for in resolutions of the Legislative Assembly yesterday afternoon by Hon. J. E. Perrault, Minister of Colonization, Mines and Fisheries. The present fee for residents of the Province is \$10 and for those residing outside the Province the license costs \$50. It will be stipulated in the bill that the fees for residents of the Province shall not exceed \$25 and for outsiders shall not exceed \$100. Hon. Mr. Perrault also gave notice of a bill to amend the Quebec Fisheries Act which will forbid the use of a mask or a disguise by persons fishing in closed season to avoid recognition by game wardens. The Minister of Colonization presented another bill which refers to colonization roads. The law at present states that all colonization roads must be classed as such by order-in-council. The roads are divided into three classes, those for which the Government pays the whole cost of construction, those for which it pays half and those for which it pays less. In the amendment proposed it will be enacted that whenever the government makes a grant towards the opening of a road it shall be classed as a colonization road without it being necessary to pass an order-in-council which was required up to the present. The new law will be made retroactive and will apply to all roads already built except in such cases as are pending in the courts.

MANY "REDS" ARE OUT ON BAIL

Sixty-three Perfect Cases On Ellis Island Await Deportation

New York, Jan. 27.—Of the 528 extremists sent to Ellis Island to await deportation proceedings after their arrest in Federal raids on Communist quarters here a month ago, only 275 are still held there, it was announced today. The others are out on bail. An average of six a day are released on bail. There were said to be just sixty-three "perfect cases" on the island ready for actual deportation. Of these, 43 were arrested in Detroit and 20 were "left-overs" from the "soviet ark," Buford, which recently delivered 249 radicals in Finland for passage through to Russia. Most of the extremists released on bail "expect to remain at liberty," their attorneys stated today. They based their belief on reports that the immigration authorities possess no proof that their clients are members of the Communist or Communist-Labor parties.

FORMER POST OFFICE EMPLOYEES MAY RETURN

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 27.—(Canadian Press)—Postmaster J. McIntyre said today he had received from the Post Office Department at Ottawa word that ex-employees of the Winnipeg Post Office who so desire may re-enter the service as vacancies occur, subject to certain conditions. Application must be made direct to the Civil Service Commission at Ottawa. Whether this order includes employees who joined the sympathetic strike last May is not disclosed.

URGED TO RUN IN LIMOULOU WARD

A strong delegation of tax payers headed by Mr. Labrecque of La-brecque & Carrière, last evening, requested him to run for seat No. 1 in Limoulou Ward. Mr. Labrecque received the delegation in his usual charming manner, thanked them for their confidence in him, and promised them that he would think the matter over and give them his answer in the course of a few days, after deliberation.

MR. PETER BERCOVITCH ENTERTAINED AT PARLIAMENT

Mr. Peter Bercovitich, member of the Legislative Assembly for St. Louis-Montreal, entertained at dinner in the Parliament Cafe yesterday evening. His guests included members of both Houses, a few personal friends and all the members of the Press Gallery. Mr. Bercovitich, who is a most agreeable host, made things very pleasant for all his guests and an agreeable social gathering was the result of his entertainment.

UNION BANK OF CANADA DIVIDEND NO. 122

Notice is hereby given that a dividend on the rate of 10% per annum upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of the Union Bank of Canada, has been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in the City of Winnipeg, and also at its branches, on and after Monday the 1st day of March, 1920, to shareholders of record at the close of business on the 13th day of February next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 14th to the 28th day of February, both days inclusive. H. B. SHAW, General Manager. Winnipeg, January 26th, 1920. Jan. 28, Feb. 2, 9, 12, 17, 20, 25, 1920.

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MENTAL HYGIENE.

The conference on mental hygiene held in this city on Saturday last affords striking and very hopeful evidence of a new interest on the part of the State, Society and the Medical Profession alike in perfecting both preventive and remedial treatment of insanity and feeble-mindedness.

Here in Canada we have a fourth factor to deal with, that of immigration, and there is reason to believe that by a more efficient system of medical examination the amount of insanity can be reduced by fifty percent in certain Provinces and by twenty percent in others.

For many centuries, until comparatively recent years, insanity was regarded as a divinely ordained affliction and then as one that admitted of no cure.

In the treatment of insanity or feeble-mindedness, suitable surroundings play an important part and here again we have travelled far from the torture houses of the Victorian period that were calculated to drive a person mad if he was not so already.

Whether we turn to the criminal courts, to the school-house or to the factory, there is scarcely a human institution to which the new science of mental hygiene is not destined to lend beneficent aid.

Home of family life is now a thing of the past and individuals are no longer capable of amusing themselves—they must be amused.

UNCRUNCHED MILITARISM.

Some startling and very suggestive statistics regarding the present armed strength of Germany, to which the attention of the Chronicle has been drawn by Mr. Donald MacMaster, K.C., M.P., are contained in a recent issue of the London Times.

Of this number some 400,000 belong to the Regular Army, and in addition there are some 12,000 land forces attached to the Navy.

There are also the Emergency Volunteers, numbering from 150,000 to 200,000 men, which are organized on a militia basis and are affiliated to the nearest units of the Regular Army.

These four volunteer organizations are under the Ministry of the Interior, Federal or Provincial, and their avowed object is to maintain order in times of domestic disturbance.

While the Treaty was not yet in force, the million men under arms were not violating its provisions, but

now that it is fully ratified it will be Germany's duty within three months to reduce their number by four-fifths. It has taken Germany three months to reduce her Regular Army from the half million of August last to 400,000, and all the time a great militia and volunteer army has been forming at a rate far exceeding that of the reduction in the Regular Army.

There are dangerous and troublesome times ahead for Germany, and it is necessary, as the Times points out, that a very sharp eye should be kept on these new volunteer organizations. They are more dangerous both to the domestic peace of Germany and to the peace of her neighbors than even the Regular Army.

The danger to the stability of the State is now far greater from the old military party than from the Spartacists. Nor will a German Army under its old chiefs be so dangerous to its neighbors because it is labelled with fancy names.

If any Power ever seeks in the future to do what Germany did in this war, it will not be by the same methods, and what we must be on our guard against in our enemies is not a vast accumulation of compulsory levies, but some adaptation of civil organization to the purposes of war.

The Canadian Railroader Weekly continues to receive warm support from industrial workers in its vigorous campaign for the appointment of a tariff board with a representative of labor on the commission.

MR. Z. A. LASH.

(Toronto Mail and Empire)

Mr. Z. A. Lash, who passed away on Saturday, held a high place in the profession to which he belonged, and in the estimation of the very wide circle of his business and social connections.

THE FINAL PHASE.

(London Express)

Figures have been issued with official authority during the past few days showing in some measure the contribution of the British Empire to the victory of the Allies over Germany.

In addition, there were 80,000 British combatant troops in Italy who co-operated most effectively in the final defeat of the Austrian Army at Vittorio Veneto, capturing 30,000 prisoners, and in the Eastern theatres of war, Palestine and Mesopotamia, where about 400,000 British troops on an average throughout 1918 were fighting, the complete defeat and destruction of the Turkish army was effected by the British alone, and a total of 85,000 prisoners taken.

A COMMISSIONER OF FINANCE.

(Ottawa Journal)

The suggestion of a Dominion Commissioner of Finance, which appears to be under consideration by the Government, would seem to be a sensible one.

The Government will, we think, act wisely, if it secures the services of the best available man in financial matters in the country, and pays him a salary worth-while.

Correspondence.

AN OPEN LETTER TO MAYOR LAVIGUEUR

Quebec, January 27th, 1920.

Mr. H. E. Lavigueur, Mayor of Quebec, Quebec.

Mr. Mayor,— Four years have elapsed since my term of office as mayor expired, and since that time it has always been my intention to avoid any interference in the city government, but I feel that circumstances now oblige me to give the public a few explanations in justification of my administration.

Domion Park—When the Town of Montcalm was annexed to the City the latter undertook to make certain improvements among which were the construction of sewers and waterworks. Before these projects were submitted to the City Council I had repeated interviews with Messrs. Gallagher and Forrester, who were then the engineers of the Waterworks Department, and both of them were agreed that it was essential that these sewers should empty into the St. Charles River.

Right of Way Permit—A right of way permit was obtained from Mr. George Madden, who was then proprietor of Dominion Park. I saw that permit in possession of Mr. Forrester, Waterworks Engineer, and I instructed him to deposit it in the Waterworks Department to be filed with other documents of a like nature.

Money Voted for These Works—At the time of the annexation of the Town of Montcalm a certain amount of money was voted for these works, especially for the waterworks. The material required was secured by tender in the usual way.

Automobiles—I find that certain newspapers have not correctly reported your utterances in this connection, but think it my duty to give a few explanations. At the beginning of my term of office as Mayor I was informed that a carter was at my disposal for all official functions where his services were required.

Loans—It is true that important loans were contracted for under my administration. If the amount borrowed had been squandered or misapplied you would have just cause for complaint, but you know as well as I do that the amounts raised in this way have been applied to urgent and very important works.

Consideration should also be given to other important works, such as the 40-inch water-main, the renewal of a considerable part of the waterworks piping in the streets to ensure proper pressure, the placing of a considerable number of hydrants and gully wells, the reconstruction of several fire stations, the improvement of the fire brigade and its equipment, also the construction of three steel bridges over the St. Charles River, the construction of the Civic Hospital, the municipalisation of the Exhibition, the paving of a large number of streets, etc., etc.

I note that on every occasion when you are called upon to defend yourself, either before the public or before the Council, you refer to the previous administration of which you were yourself a member and whose policies you supported at that time, where they now meet with your condemnation notwithstanding.

Foreign Mails.— Foreign mails will be despatched, papers and parcels only, to Europe per SS. Frotyrian, sailing from St. John, N.B. This mail will be closed at the Head Office at 1:00 p.m. on the 28th instant.

A letter mail to be despatched by SS. Mauritania will be closed here at 9:30 p.m. on the 28th instant. Another one to be despatched by SS. Baltic will be closed here at 9:00 p.m. on the 29th instant.

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claim was ill-founded, and I had reason to believe that I could have had it further reduced if not entirely withdrawn. I am certain that your constituents would also be anxious to learn why you abandoned the City's proprietary rights in the old gas company property to the Quebec Railway Company at the very moment when the Federal Government was taking steps to confirm those rights of the City by instituting expropriation proceedings.

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DIED. DEVLIN—On January 27th, at his late residence, No. 39 Julia Street, William Devlin a native of St. Sylvester, P. Q.

Canadian Club Luncheon

Brigadier-General Tremblay will be the guest of honor of the Canadian Club of Quebec at a luncheon at the Chateau Frontenac today at 1 o'clock.

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SEALED TENDERS, addressed to J. C. Beckwith, District Engineer, Quebec, P.Q., and marked on the outside "Tenders for Mastic Flooring" will be received up to and including 12.00 o'clock noon, Wednesday, February 4th, 1920, for the laying of European Rock Asphalt Mastic Flooring in buildings at St. Malo Shops.

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IN AND ABOUT TOWN

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Montcalm May Have Tough Job breaking Through To Quebec

Should the Government ice-breaker Montcalm receive orders to come to Quebec, she will have a tough job to break up the ice formation west of this port. A solid ice bridge has formed across the river between the north and west shores at Point a Platon, west of the Quebec Bridge.

GENERAL WATSON CITED IN ORDERS

Sir David's Services in Month of November, 1918, Recognized by High Honors

Brigadier-General J. Landry has addressed the following communication to Major-General Sir David Watson, K. C. B., C. M. G. with which he encloses "Citation à l'Ordre de l'Armée" issued in the latter favor by the Commandant en Chef des Armées Françaises de l'Est and "Le Président du Conseil, Ministre de la Guerre; also by Le Maréchal, Commandant en Chef des Armées Françaises de l'Est, Petain, which read as follows:

Quebec, P.Q., 27th January, 1920. Major-General Sir David Watson, K. C. B., C. M. G., c.o. "Quebec Chronicle", City, Sir.

I have the honour to enclose herewith "Citation à l'Ordre de l'Armée" issued in your favour by "Le Maréchal de France, Commandant en Chef des Armées Françaises de l'Est" and "Le Président du Conseil, Ministre de la Guerre" to which I may be permitted to add personal congratulations. Will you please acknowledge receipt on the enclosed form?

I have the honour to be, Sir, Your obedient servant, J. LANDRY, Brigadier-General, Commandg., Military District No. 5.

PIANO RECITAL WAS DELIGHTFUL

Serge Prokofieff Gave Masterly Performance At the Columbus Hall

The Piano Recital given by Serge Prokofieff, the noted Russian artist, last evening in the Columbus Hall, under the direction of Mr. J. A. Gauvin was well attended, the large audience being a most representative one, especially in regard to those who delight in hearing favorite classical pieces interpreted by noted musical celebrities, and in this respect these were not disappointed in the performance given by Mr. Prokofieff, who was accorded enthusiastic applause at the conclusion of each of the numbers that figured on a well selected program which was delightful in every way.

COMPANIES' BILL WAS EXPLAINED

Measure Was Given Second Reading and Referred to Public Bills Committee

The Government bill respecting companies and corporations was given second reading in the Legislative Assembly yesterday afternoon and referred to the Public Bills Committee for study after it had been explained by Hon. L. A. Taschereau, Attorney-General.

ALLEGED FUR STEALING CASE

L. Audette, of Amos, Arraigned Before Judge Choquette in Court of Sessions

Leo Audette of Amos, on the Line of the Transcontinental Railway, was arraigned before Hon. Judge Choquette in the Court of Sessions yesterday afternoon on the charge of receiving furs that had been stolen from a train baggage car, in which they had been placed encased in a box for transportation to Quebec.

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VOTES FOR WOMEN IN THIS PROVINCE

Motion on This Question Will Be Discussed in Legislative Assembly Shortly

The question of giving votes to women in the Province of Quebec will shortly be discussed in the Legislative Assembly on a motion which will be brought in by Mr. J. S. A. Ashby, Liberal member for Jacques Cartier.

FARMERS AND THE WORKMEN

Agricultural Committee of the Assembly Protest Against Resolutions of Nat. Unions

The agricultural committee of the Legislative Assembly last night unanimously passed a resolution which will be sent to the Federal Minister of Labor protesting the resolution passed by the National Catholic Unions at a convention held in Three Rivers asking for the prohibition of a part of the foodstuffs from the Province of Quebec.

NO ADDITIONAL ELEVATORS YET

Interesting Correspondence Between Mr. J. T. Ross and Hon. J. D. Reid

The following are copies of a correspondence between the President of the Quebec Board of Trade and Hon. Mr. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways, which will be found of interest inasmuch as they apply to the grain trade of Canada, and the shipping of grain for export through American ports.

The letter forwarded by Mr. J. T. Ross on January 26th, deals with the situation in detail, and the reply of the Minister of Railways takes exception to the former's statement that it is profitable to carry wheat to Winnipeg by Government Railway:

Quebec, Jan. 20, 1920 Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways, Ottawa, Ont.

Dear Sir,—I am instructed by the Council of the Quebec Board of Trade to draw your attention, and to ask you to draw the attention of the Cabinet to the alarming result of the absence of proper railway terminal facilities at Canadian seaports.

You will no doubt remember that the Quebec Board of Trade has repeatedly urged the Government, since 1912, by correspondence and by delegations to complete the National Transcontinental Railway by providing grain elevator storage for ten million bushels at each of the ports of Quebec, Halifax and St. John—Montreal being already fairly provided for—together with the necessary steamship berths to keep these elevators employed.

This has not been done. Instead of doing so, the Government has built a large elevator at Port Colborne, which is more or less tributary to New York, and the elevator storage at the head of the Great Lakes and in the interior has been increased to such an extent, that about 80 per cent of the elevator storage is now situated on the Great Lakes and in the interior, and less than 20 per cent at our seaports.

The result has been, and it could not be otherwise, because \$0 will not go into 20,—that, as Senator Bennett recently stated in Parliament, 80 per cent of our western grain trade, a trade which was our great inducement for going to the enormous expenditure of building three transcontinental railways, goes to New York for export.

At a public meeting held at St. John, on the 19th instant, it was stated that on account of the failure to extend the grain conveyors to the new berths, twenty-three ships had been diverted from St. John, and that eleven large cargo steamers are now anchored in and off the harbor of St. John, waiting to get berths.

I am sure you must realize and the Government must realize that this position is nothing less than a calamity for the trade of the country, which calls for immediate action on the part of the Government.

Although you yourself have proved by actual operation that it is profitable to carry wheat all rail from Winnipeg to Quebec by the Government railway for three cents per bushel cheaper than the Lake and rail rate to New York, or to Montreal, we understand that not a bushel of wheat has come by that road for export during the season of 1919. It has been asserted that the principal reason which has enabled New York to divert our western trade is that marine insurance underwriters discriminate against our ports. This could be overcome, we believe, without cost to the country, by the Government assuming the marine insurance of all Canadian ports, at New York rates.

I am, therefore, instructed respectfully to renew the request made to the Government by the Quebec Board of Trade, seven years ago, and since, that elevator storage should be provided for ten million bushels at each of the ports of Quebec, Halifax and St. John, together with the necessary steamship berths.

And I would again respectfully point out to you that the City of Quebec is strictly entitled to this, under the terms of a written contract with the Government executed in 1910.

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We are convinced that the policy we had indicated would put a stop to this alarming diversion of our trade to New York and would bring it back to Canadian seaports.

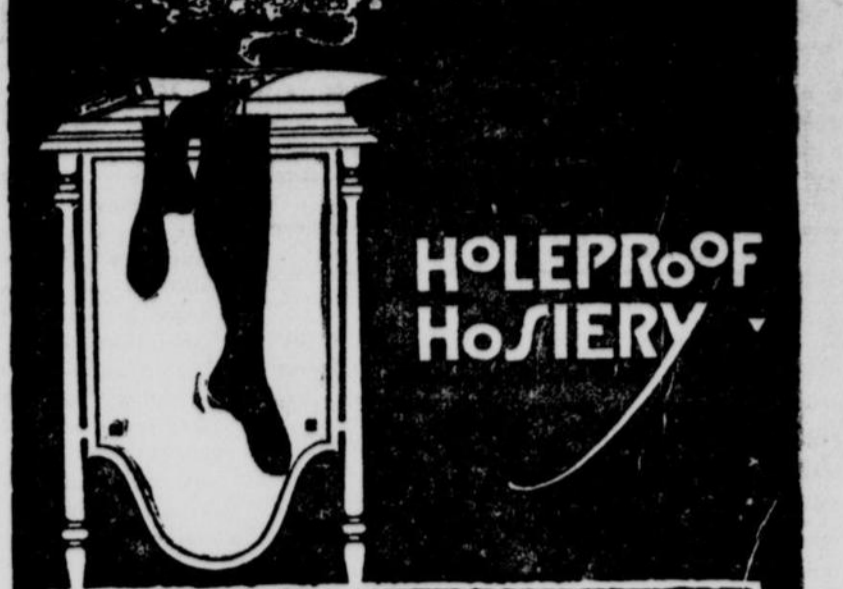
Yours respectfully, Signed J. T. ROSS, Pres. Que. Board of Trade, Minister of Railways Reply, Office of the Minister of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Jan. 23rd, 1920.

Dear Sir,—Yours of the 26th instant duly received and contents fully noted.

One statement you make in your letter I must take issue with at once, which is—That I have proved by actual operation that it is profitable to carry wheat all rail from Winnipeg to Quebec by the Government railway for three cents per bushel cheaper than the lake and rail rate to New York, or to Montreal.

This statement is incorrect. Several years ago the late Mr. Cochrane did experiment by carrying grain from a point on the Transcontinental opposite Fort William to Quebec for six cents per bushel. At the time his officials led him to believe it could be carried for that rate, but after investigation it was proven that on every bushel that was carried a heavy loss was the result. So that now you can take it as quite sure it is an absolute impossibility to carry it from Port Arthur to Quebec at a rate less than lake and rail or all water.

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- LADIES' BLACK STOCKINGS.
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- LADIES' RIBBED STOCKINGS.
- LADIES' KNICKERS.
- LADIES' TIGHTS.
- LADIES' UNDERWEAR.
- LADIES' STOCKINGS.
- LADIES' GLOVES and GAUNTLETS.
- MEN'S VESTS.
- MEN'S OVERSTOCKINGS.
- MEN'S PULLOVERS.
- MEN'S GLOVES and GAUNTLETS.
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HON. W. R. ROLLO ACCEPTS CHALLENGE OF MacBRIDE

Will Meet Mayor of Brantford On Platform In His Own Town

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 26.—Hon. W. R. Rollo, Minister of Labor and Health has accepted the challenge issued yesterday by Mayor M. M. MacBride of Brantford, to meet on a platform and discuss the matters in dispute between them with reference to the O.F.O.-Labor Government and Mayor MacBride's "bolting" from the U.F.O.-Labor conference which chose the members of

the new Government. Mayor MacBride in his challenge, suggested that the debate should take place in St. Catharines.
Hon. Mr. Rollo said today: "If MacBride wants to discuss the pros and cons of the U.F.O.-Labor coalition I will accept the challenge, and I don't go to St. Catharines. I will go to Brantford, right into Mr. MacBride's own riding. All he has to do is name the date, place and time, and I will be there."

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SPORTING NEWS

CRESCENTS AND SONS OF IRELAND MEET IN FIRST; NATIONALE vs. EMERALDS

City League Teams Start Second Half of Schedule This Evening with Two Interesting Matches—Large Crowds Expected To Be Present—Teams Evenly Matched

The City League will start the second half of their schedule this evening at the Arena when the Sons of Ireland meet Crescents and Nationales will hook up with Emeralds in the second fixture of the night.
Crescents were the only team that inflicted defeat on the Sons of Ireland in the first half, and are going strong at the present time. They have a good little defence, composed of Eddie Piton and Reggie Delaney, and a good forward line. Crescents have been playing in hard luck in their last two or three matches, for they would have just as much of the play as their opponents but would not be able to score goals by any means. They ought to make the Sons step some to get the edge over them in tonight's game, even though they will not have the services of Frank Brophy, Bouchard and Lesteur for the game.

Sons of Ireland have won the championship of the first half, and will start out with one idea in their heads tonight. To win the game, and also capture the title for the second half of the series, and make a clean job of it, and when the Sons are going, they require some stopping. With Hammy Laroche and George McNaughton they have perhaps the two best men playing amateur hockey in the city today. The Green sweatered boys have got a great little machine gathered together, and the other teams in the league will need to play them in the when they are booked to meet the Irishmen, if they want to defeat them in their pennant rush.

The second match of the night brings together Nationales and Emeralds. This is the first time that Emeralds have played under that name it being the former 5th C.G.R. team, while Nationales are the erstwhile Laval team. The first meeting of the two teams at the beginning of the season resulted in a seven to none victory for the Soldiers, but both outfits have been considerably strengthened since then, and a battle royal is expected when the two sextettes take the ice.

Both outfits have fast, young and well balanced teams, and should cut out a hot pace from start to finish.

The following are the probable line ups:

| Crescents | Nationales | Emeralds |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Goal | Goal | Goal |
| Lacombe | McDonald | Turgeon |
| Point | C. Point | Point |
| McDonald | Morency | Roy |
| Piton | Centre | Quinn |
| Delaney | Centre | Centre |
| Power | Hughes | Boucher |
| R. Wing | L. Wing | R. Wing |
| Mill | H. Laroche | Lesieur |
| Substitutes: | Substitutes: | Substitutes: |
| Quart | Young | Duchaine |
| Fleming | Cote | Bois |
| Davey | Wiggs | Caron |
| O'Brien | | |
| Referee—J. Walsh | | |
| Time—Roy Halpin | | |
| Scores—Dan Griffin | | |
| Pen.—Rec.—Pat Leprie | | |
| Goal Umpires—Amos Burns and J. Germain | | |

BUSY DAYS AHEAD FOR CURLERS

Medal Shots at Victoria Club Tonight — Gov.-General's Prize Series Tomorrow

Local curlers will be busy engaged with various competitions between today and the end of the present week. This evening at the Victoria Curling Club, play will take place in the Medal Shot for the Club Gold Medal.

Clubs will meet in the preliminary series for the Governor General's Prize. The winners of this event will compete in Montreal next week.

On Saturday the Wayagmack Club of Three Rivers will play Victoria in the District Medal Series.

It will be seen from the above program that the local devotees of the "roarin' stone" will have their hands full with the various events in the course of the next three or four days.

BAKER IS THROUGH

Miller Huggins Says "Home-Run Baker" Has Probably Played Last Game

New York, N.Y., Jan. 27.—Miller Huggins, Manager of the Americans, announced today that J. Franklin Baker, the hard hitting third-baseman of the Yankees, has probably played his last big league battle.

Huggins returned here today from a visit to Baker's farm at Trappe, Md., where he tried to induce Baker to play one more year with the club.

"Baker gave me little hopes that he would again put on a big league uniform," said Huggins. "The player is even more insistent than he was last winter that he is through. He said his business in this Maryland farm, required him to stay there. The only promise I could exact from Baker is that if later he should decide to return to the game he would take it up personally with me."

"Though Baker will be very welcome, if he should change his mind, I shall make plans for the coming season without considering him for third base. I shall play Wilson 'twister at this base and hope to get another man for the outfield."

INVESTIGATION IN QUEEN CITY FOR U. S. BOXERS

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 27.—Chief of Police H. J. Grasset today intimated that he might be an investigation in connection with the bringing to Toronto of boxers from the United States to take part in the boxing bouts held here under the auspices of soldiers' organizations because it was alleged that the soldiers' organizations did not receive all the percentage they should receive. The chief said the professional element would not be allowed to abuse the privileges enjoyed by the returned soldiers.

BRAMER GOT DECISION.

Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 27.—Harry Bramer, Pacific Coast bantam, was awarded the referee's decision here last night over Zulu Kid, of Brooklyn, N.Y., in a ten round bout.

Sporting Notes

The City League get off on the second half of their schedule tonight. All four teams are actively engaged.

The Quebec Bulldogs leave on the 1:15 today for Montreal, where they will play the Canadiens tonight in the Metropolis.

Toronto St. Patrick's play the Ottawa Senators right in the Capital tonight.

Freddie Welsh is going to try a come-back stunt. The lightweight champion of the world, Benny Leonard, and the former lightweight champion, Freddie Welsh, in the Bahamas Islands. Permission for the fight has been granted.

The Toronto St. Patrick's will be the next visitors to Quebec, meeting the locals on Saturday night here.

Local curlers will have plenty to do their hands between now and Saturday. They have two or three competitions, besides their own little matches, and the ice at both of the clubs is always filled with players who want to get their differences settled.

Louis Rooney, the popular manager of the 5th C.G.R. Hockey club will shortly join the army of Benedict. Louis has had a good deal of hockey experience having played with Junior St. Pats in 1910 and broke into the old City league with the same team in 1911-12, playing great hockey on the wing for that team when St. Pats won the City League championship in 1912. His playing helped them considerably as he was the leading goal scorer of the league at the end of the season. He turned down an offer to play pro hockey that year from the Halifax Crescents. He also played with St. Pats in the Senior Amateur Interprovincial League in 1913, and was playing-manager of St. Pats in their last year in the City League in 1916.

FRENCH SKI CLUB TO BE AFFILIATED

Montreal, Jan. 27.—The Club Mont Royal D'Amerique, a new French-Canadian ski club, has received a letter from the Countess De St. Maurice, Paris, stating that at the next meeting of the club alpine they will be proposed for affiliation.

FAMOUS GOLFER DEAD.

Chicago, Jan. 27.—George Simpson, former amateur golf champion of Scotland, and more recently prominent as a professional in American national open championships, is dead here. In 1911, he tied for first in the national open with Michael Brady of Boston, and J. J. McDermott of Philadelphia.

PRACTICAL CHAMPIONS OF MANITOBA DISTRICT

Winnipeg, Jan. 27.—The Winnipeg Falcons practically clinched the championship of the Manitoba senior hockey league last night by a six to two victory over Selkirk after twenty minutes overtime, in the most spectacular exhibition of hockey seen in the province during the present season.

FREDDIE WELSH TO FIGHT BENNY LEONARD

Miami, Fla., Jan. 27.—Permission to stage a world's championship bout between Freddie Welsh, English champion, and Benny Leonard, lightweight champion of the world, and Freddie Welsh, English champion, was granted Monday by Sir William Allardyce, Governor-General of the Bahamas Islands, it was learned here today.

FRENCH BOXERS RING CAREER FINISHED

Paris, Jan. 27.—The pugilistic career of Louis De Pontieu, feather weight champion of France, ended yesterday when surgeons amputated his left hand to save the fighter's life. He met Tancy Lee, the British champion, in this city on Xmas Day and, though he knocked out his opponent in the seventeenth round of their bout, he injured his hand and blood poisoning developed. Pontieu was one of the first Frenchmen to gain prominence in the ring, taking up boxing as a profession in 1906.



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Sun of Prosperity Shining Brightly For the Canadians, Foreign Trade Returns Show

Dominion's Export Surpass Her Imports and Her Customs Receipts for 1919 Are Greater by \$30,000,000 Than Her Finance Minister Estimated They Would Be

New York, Jan. 27.—While prosperity sheds its rays over the United States, there is no eclipse on the other half of the North American continent. Canada is enjoying a prosperity almost equal to that of its neighbor.

When the Dominion Minister of Finance made up his budget for 1919 he made an optimistic estimate of the revenue to be received from customs duties. He knew that there had been high under war conditions and he felt that it was a matter of prudence to expect a decline. The unexpected has happened. The purchasing power of the community has given full rein for the first time in five years and instead of declining the purchases abroad increased. Instead of facing a decline in customs duties of \$14,000,000 there is an increase for the calendar year of \$18,000,000. In brief Sir Henry Drayton has \$30,000,000 more revenue from this source than was expected.

The foreign trade returns have a similar story to tell. Canada's exports were swollen during 1917 and 1918 by huge shipments of shells and other munitions. Canada made 66,000 shells for the British army, though before the war not a single shell had ever been produced, even for the consumption of the Canadian army. When this export stopped and while factories were changing over to peace production it was natural to expect a decline. It came, it was smaller than was expected. During the twelve months ending November 30, 1919, the exports amounted to \$1,361,994,840, as compared with \$1,296,761,088 in the last twelve months of the war. The small decline in exports did not offset the gain in imports and Canada's total foreign trade showed a slight increase. Indeed, in foreign trade Canada stands at the moment seventh or eighth among the nations of the world.

Exports Pass Imports.

A short review of Canada's position before the war and its progress during the war will be found interesting. Canada before the war imported much more than she exported. Or as one financial writer has expressed it: "The salient features of the economic position of Canada shortly before the war were the enormous predominance of imports over exports, the failure of the exports of the country to expand in proportion to the immense amount of external capital which was being borrowed and upon which interest had to be paid and the consequent shortage of cash and liquid assets in the treasuries of corporations in the vaults of banks and purses of the public."

The tendency the banks had set out with some success was war. Canadian imports for the fiscal year 1913-1914 amounted to \$618,157,174 and exports came to \$455,487,324. A similar proportion had existed some years before Canada was borrowing from Great Britain for federal provincial, municipal and railway purposes, an immense sum of British money was being invested in Canadian enterprises. British financial experts had called a halt in that respect, little dreaming that Canada was soon not only to send her sons to help the Motherland but to lend her credit as well.

In so far as the balance of trade is concerned at the end of the fiscal year 1917-18, imports amounted to \$962,842,746 and exports \$1,540,027,788. Of course, the war is responsible very largely for this remarkable reversal. For the calendar year 1919 Canada's favorable balance of trade will be over \$300,000,000. Moreover, Canada as a nation has ceased to borrow money from abroad, or practically so.

The Dominion still gets money from New York and for industrial purposes much American money finds its way into Canada. In fact, financial regulations are rather intimate and money flows both ways freely. However, in the main, Canada has been financing herself. Of the total of \$750,000,000 debt of last June, seventy-five per cent was a debt to Canadians and the balance had been incurred prior to the war.

Over-subscribed Last Loan.

Canada has successfully floated her sixth loan of \$200,000,000, which was over-subscribed by about \$400,000,000, as were all the preceding loans. Debt, however, is only relative after all. About thirty-three years ago the debt of Canada, compared with revenue, represented a six years' purchase. The year before the war, although the debt had increased by over \$100,000,000, it represented only a two years' purchase. Last year, with the sudden augmentation of war debt, it went up to a five years' purchase, and after this present loan has been completed Canada will be where it was thirty years ago, back to a debt representing a six years' purchase.

Although a difficult thing to arrive at even approximately a careful survey of Canada's wealth—what might be termed productive value of realizable assets, independent of undeveloped natural resources—gives a total of \$18,000,000,000. Placing the prospective debt at \$3,000,000,000, Canada has assets nine times greater. Figuring the population at 3,000,000, the average wealth per citizen is about \$2,000, or quite equal to the estimated average wealth per head in the United States.

On of the best indications of a prosperity and substantiality in Canada is the savings deposits of the country. Notwithstanding the large sums raised in war loans, the savings deposits in chartered banks on May 31 were \$1,197,000,000, as compared with \$600,000,000 on the same date in 1914. As a large number of depositors are of the class who subscribed to the loans this result is really remarkable. There was no advance made in the deposits in the Dominion government savings banks. Nevertheless in 1917 more



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WM. BELL

Chronicle Files 25 Years Ago.

The Sheriff and His Deputy

Quite a difficulty has occurred between Sheriff Gagnon and Col. J. E. Amyot, his deputy. The Sheriff claims that he has revoked Col. Amyot's commission for insubordination, but declines to give the details, while the Colonel declares that his case is a good one, and that he awaits with confidence the decision of the Attorney-General, to whom it has been referred, pending which he declines to speak further. It is learned outside, however, that trouble has partly arisen over a document which, it is claimed, should not have left the office though it is an open secret that Mr. Gagnon strongly objected when appointed, to the intention of Colonel Amyot as Deputy-Sheriff. However, Colonel Amyot has the Attorney-General's instructions to remain at his post, and the matter will probably be settled alright upon Mr. Casgrain's return to town.

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Hazing, it is said, prevails in Trinity College, Toronto. A freshman told a newspaper reporter the other day, that the conduct of the Seniors was simply brutal, and that the freshmen were put to torture and humiliated continually. There was no redress. If they complained or objected, and failed to fall into line with the wishes of their tormentors, matters were made more unpleasant for them. The authorities do not appear to know what was going on right under their noses. The story, as told by the student, if true, is most disgraceful.

now that war demands have ceased? The following opinion given by a financial expert is probably as good as could be offered on that point. Holders of securities of Canadian industrial corporations which produce steel, cement, lumber, bricks and other building material, and holders of real estate securities should realize that during the next few years the housing problem in

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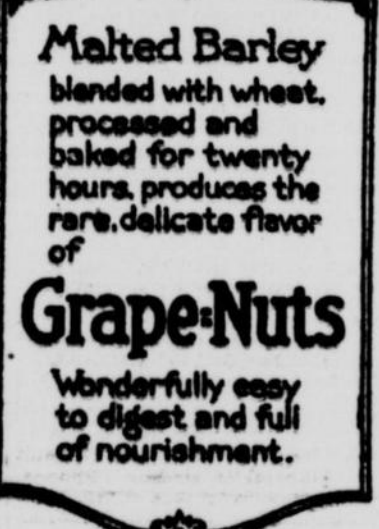
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Recollections of the Old Survey Days

During the summer of 1881, we were locating and running trail lines for the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway along Nobsaug Lake and down the Vase Creek towards Lake Nipissing. A Mr. Heagan was in charge of the party, that gentleman for work, Mr. E. Duchesnay was transitman, and Emile Tetté was a settler on Nobsaug Lake, and what fishing there was in it!

While we were camped along the lake we used a lumberman's red boat to take us to and from the shore, when we invariably trawled with a hand line and common spoon.

I recollect while rowing to work one morning, Duchesnay trawled, I was looking on. Suddenly there was a tremendous tug at the line. Uttering an exclamation, Duchesnay began hauling it in, but it was no easy matter. "Was evident he had hooked a big one. Fortunately, however, the line was stout and the fish securely caught. After a brief and desperate struggle on the part of the fish, he was brought alongside of the boat. The question then was, how to get him on board? He had neither gaff nor landing-net. At his belt, Duchesnay carried a neat little 32 calibre Smith and Wesson revolver. A brilliant idea occurred to me.

"Shoot it, Mr. Duchesnay," I called out. Promptly acting on my suggestion at a range of a couple of feet, or so, he broke his back with a bullet, killing him immediately and a maskalung of thirty-two lbs. weight—weighed on our return to camp in the evening—was lifted into the boat without any trouble.

The following Sunday morning Duchesnay and I took a bark canoe and went trawling. We had but one line and took it turn about to fish and paddle. I do not recollect how many we caught, but I do remember that after fishing, for only a portion of the morning, we brought back to camp more black bass and dore than the whole party of about twenty-two healthy men could eat, before a good part of the catch went bad and had to be thrown away.

I do not know how many settlers may now be living about the lake, or

how much fishing has been done since those days, but unless it has been much fished it should still well repay a visit of any enthusiastic disciples of the gentle art.

Recollect we had but one common, large red and silver spoon. How the fish must have swarmed in the lake, then. What sport might not expert fishermen have today, with rods and proper tackle? Where could they find finer camping grounds either, or lovelier wild scenery of lake and woods?

When we had left the lake a few miles with our survey we got into the undulating birch country along the Vase Creek. What a paradise that country was for sportsmen, then, before its world old silence had been disturbed by the locomotive's whistle. Moose, bear, lynx abounded. Never a day passed that we did not see fresh tracks of them. The bear and moose were never seen. What and moose are more shy or wary? A moose occasionally we did.

One day, while running the line along a side hill, in the open brûlé country, we saw six magnificent moose. But, of course, no rifle was ever carried on the line and we could only watch them trot away. What strides they took, with what ease they negotiated fallen timber!

It was about mid-summer, if I remember rightly, of that year 1881, somewhere along the Vase. We had gone out to work as usual, I was a

roadman on that survey; that morning, however, one of the chainmen was laid off, for sickness or something, and I was told to fill his place.

As usual, that morning, Duchesnay set up his transit, and as usual the axemen lolled about, lighted their pipes, or gave a final touch with whetstones to their axes, while they waited for line. In a few moments the transit was in readiness and Duchesnay turned to me.

"Get a good stout four by four inch, four foot dry stake, like a hub-stake, blaze it like a hub-stake, and mark on it with red keel, in big letters, 'C.P.R. Station O.' From now on this line will be known as the Canadian Pacific Railway, not the Canada Central." He turned to the men. "All right, boys, stick up a picket and get line now."

Thus I had the distinction of making and driving in the first station stake marked, C.P.R.

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Output in Davie Yards Highly Praised by Shipping Trade Magazine

The Shipbuilding Harbor Construction Magazine in its last issue refers to the Davie Shipbuilding Co. Ltd., as follows: "The high reputation of the Davie Shipbuilding Co.'s output—second to none in Canada—coupled with the urgent representations made by local public bodies in Quebec and others on behalf of the company, are understood to have carried much weight at Ottawa, and it is hoped that a further contract or contracts will be forthcoming for the Levis plant in the near future."

The Davie Company was building ships when nine-tenths of the present Canadian yards were waste ground and Mr. George Davie, the managing director of the organization, is rightly classed as one of the ablest men in his profession throughout the Dominion. The neglect of this company is frankly incomprehensible.

EMPRESS OF FRANCE
EXPECTED TO DOCK
The C.P.O.S. Empress of France is expected to dock at Liverpool today. She sailed from St. John, N.B. on the 21st, and on her arrival at Liverpool she will after being discharged, go into dock, but is expected to be ready to sail for St. John February 25th.

BUFFALO BRIDGE
LOST PROPELLER
Halifax, Jan. 27.—The United States Shipping Board's steamer Buffalo Bridge arrived off harbor this morning in tow of the U. S. Shipping Board's steamer Clairton. Later she was towed into port by two tugs. The Buffalo Bridge a steamer of 5,075 tons bound from Oporto to an American port lost her propeller off the coast. The Clairton is last reported as having arrived at Hamburg, Dec. 27th.

AIRPLANE SEARCH
FOR MISSING CRAFT
Chicago, Jan. 27.—Owners of the small steamer Sidney O. Neff today planned to use airplanes in searching for the craft which was swept out into the lake with breaking ice after having been held prisoner more than a week. An all-night search by coast guards and light-house keepers with powerful searchlights failed to locate the vessel.

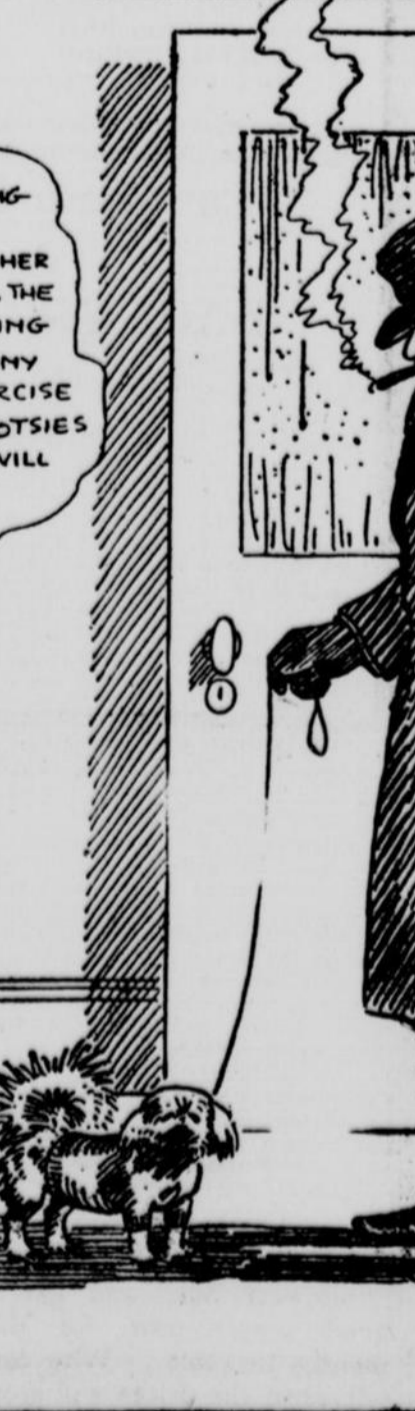
TO MY MOTHER.
She fed me from her gentle breast
I, the wee baby boy she bore;
She loved me then with all her heart
What could I ask for more?
She taught my childish lips to pray
Lest I might down the wrong road stray.
When I was just a little child
Bright, innocent and gay.
And when I grew to be a youth
My mother's heart remained the same.
No matter how I treated her
Naught could decrease the flame.
And now since I became a man
My mother's heart is as of old;
And spite of what the doctors say
I believe it made of gold.

JUDGMENTS BY THE COURT OF REVIEW:
Gibson: Brown vs. Moreau—Action maintained and plaintiff declared owner of the horse claimed and under seizure in this cause, the whole with costs.
Judgments by the Court of Review:
Guy vs. City of Levis—Confirmed with costs; Hon. Chief Justice Lemieux dissenting.
Belley vs. City of Montmagny—Confirmed with costs; Hon. Chief Justice Lemieux dissenting.
Hon. Justice Tessier will render judgment tomorrow morning at half past ten, in the following cases: Lortie vs. Laliberté; Noel vs. Galarneau; Plante vs. Caron.

JUDGMENT BY THE PROTHONOTARY:
Poulin vs. Matthews—Judgment against defendant for \$198.70, interest and costs.

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H. E. LAVIGUEUR, Mayor.
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CITY OF QUEBEC.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.
Quebec, 12th January, 1920.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.
Municipal Elections For All The Wards Of The City of Quebec.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the nomination of a candidate or candidates for the office of Mayor and of Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1 and 2, in each of the wards of this city, for all the wards of the City of Quebec, will take place on MONDAY THE NINTH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1920, BEING THE SECOND MONDAY OF FEBRUARY, 1920, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF TWELVE OF THE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON AND FOUR OF THE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, at the offices of the City Clerk in the City Hall. All requisitions for candidates must be in writing and signed by six or more electors duly qualified as such; such requisitions shall specify if the candidate is a candidate to mayoralty or to aldermen and by the number of the seat, for which particular seat the candidate is nominated. Such requisitions shall further contain a written consent to the said nomination, which consent shall be signed by each candidate, or in his absence, by a person who declares that he is thereunto authorized by him. Such requisitions shall also be accompanied by a solemn declaration made by the candidate or by another person, authorized so to do, attesting that the candidate is the proprietor of the immovable or immovables to be described in the solemn declaration and said immovable or immovables are worth as to the person or persons, and are candidates for the office of Mayor, the sum of, at least five thousand dollars, and to those who are candidates to the office of Aldermen for Seat No. 1, the sum of two thousand dollars, and as to those who are candidates to the office of Aldermen for Seat No. 2, the sum of one thousand dollars, the said sums of five thousand dollars, the said sums of two thousand dollars and one thousand dollars respectively to be over and above the rents, mortgages or

charges upon the said immovable or immovables. Such requisitions shall also be accompanied by a certificate from the City Treasurer, establishing that the candidate is not indebted to the said City, according to law, for assessments, taxes or any dues whatsoever, or for any other reason to the thirtieth day of April, 1919, and in case there should be more than one candidate for the office of Mayor and Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1 and 2, in each ward, nominated for any of the said wards, the voting shall take place on MONDAY, THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1920, BEING THE THIRD MONDAY OF THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1920, BETWEEN NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, in each and every ward, where there shall be more than one candidate for said offices of Mayor and Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1 and 2 in each ward respectively, there shall be a "Poll-house" for each one hundred and fifty electors, having a right to vote for election of Mayor or for the election of Aldermen for Seat No. 1 or Seat No. 2.

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

QUEBEC CITY.
Board of Health Department.
Quebec, January 24th, 1919.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
To all Persons Interested in the Sale of Veal of Premium Age.

According to the new law in force, all persons who shall be convicted of having had in their possession dead Veal less than twenty-one (21) days old, for purposes of trade, either as purchaser, as vendor, or as intermediary, are liable to imprisonment or a fine of twenty dollars (\$20.00), for each Veal thus exposed for sale, either in private stalls, in the public markets, or in any other place within the City of Quebec.

CITY HALL.
By-Law No. 370c.
To Amend By-Law No. 335 and Others, re Rates on Tramsways.
(Drawn up in the French Language)
At a meeting of the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the fourteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (1919), in conformity with the provisions of a By-Law passed by this Council, pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such cases made and provided, at which meeting were present the absolute majority of the members of the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Bedard, Bertrand, Bouchard (St. Roch), Fiset, Gauvin, Lantier, Lesage, Martin, Mercier, Seguin.

It is hereby ordained and enacted by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, that it is to say: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Bedard, Bertrand, Bouchard (St. Roch), Fiset, Gauvin, Lantier, Lesage, Martin, Mercier, Seguin.

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—Saturnia . . . Portland, Glasgow
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—Pretorian . . . St. John, Glasgow
—Niagara . . . New York, Bordeaux
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—LaSavoie . . . New York, Havre
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4—Scandinavian, St. John . . .
Liverpool
—Cassandra . . . Portland, Glasgow
7—Columbia . . . New York . . .
Merville, Glasgow

—Rotterdam, New York, Ply-
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9—Sicilian . . . St. John, Havre
and London
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14—Saxonia . . . New York . . .
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—Metagana . . . St. John, Liverpool
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16—Scotian . . . St. John, Antwerp
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H. E. LAVIGUEUR, Mayor.
H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

CITY OF QUEBEC.
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.
Quebec, 12th January, 1920.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.
Municipal Elections For All The Wards Of The City of Quebec.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the nomination of a candidate or candidates for the office of Mayor and of Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1 and 2, in each of the wards of this city, for all the wards of the City of Quebec, will take place on MONDAY THE NINTH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1920, BEING THE SECOND MONDAY OF FEBRUARY, 1920, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF TWELVE OF THE O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON AND FOUR OF THE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, at the offices of the City Clerk in the City Hall. All requisitions for candidates must be in writing and signed by six or more electors duly qualified as such; such requisitions shall specify if the candidate is a candidate to mayoralty or to aldermen and by the number of the seat, for which particular seat the candidate is nominated. Such requisitions shall further contain a written consent to the said nomination, which consent shall be signed by each candidate, or in his absence, by a person who declares that he is thereunto authorized by him. Such requisitions shall also be accompanied by a solemn declaration made by the candidate or by another person, authorized so to do, attesting that the candidate is the proprietor of the immovable or immovables to be described in the solemn declaration and said immovable or immovables are worth as to the person or persons, and are candidates for the office of Mayor, the sum of, at least five thousand dollars, and to those who are candidates to the office of Aldermen for Seat No. 1, the sum of two thousand dollars, and as to those who are candidates to the office of Aldermen for Seat No. 2, the sum of one thousand dollars, the said sums of five thousand dollars, the said sums of two thousand dollars and one thousand dollars respectively to be over and above the rents, mortgages or

charges upon the said immovable or immovables. Such requisitions shall also be accompanied by a certificate from the City Treasurer, establishing that the candidate is not indebted to the said City, according to law, for assessments, taxes or any dues whatsoever, or for any other reason to the thirtieth day of April, 1919, and in case there should be more than one candidate for the office of Mayor and Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1 and 2, in each ward, nominated for any of the said wards, the voting shall take place on MONDAY, THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1920, BEING THE THIRD MONDAY OF THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1920, BETWEEN NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND FIVE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON, in each and every ward, where there shall be more than one candidate for said offices of Mayor and Aldermen for each of the Seats Nos. 1 and 2 in each ward respectively, there shall be a "Poll-house" for each one hundred and fifty electors, having a right to vote for election of Mayor or for the election of Aldermen for Seat No. 1 or Seat No. 2.

H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

QUEBEC CITY.
Board of Health Department.
Quebec, January 24th, 1919.
IMPORTANT NOTICE
To all Persons Interested in the Sale of Veal of Premium Age.

According to the new law in force, all persons who shall be convicted of having had in their possession dead Veal less than twenty-one (21) days old, for purposes of trade, either as purchaser, as vendor, or as intermediary, are liable to imprisonment or a fine of twenty dollars (\$20.00), for each Veal thus exposed for sale, either in private stalls, in the public markets, or in any other place within the City of Quebec.

CITY HALL.
By-Law No. 370c.
To Amend By-Law No. 335 and Others, re Rates on Tramsways.
(Drawn up in the French Language)
At a meeting of the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the fourteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (1919), in conformity with the provisions of a By-Law passed by this Council, pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such cases made and provided, at which meeting were present the absolute majority of the members of the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Bedard, Bertrand, Bouchard (St. Roch), Fiset, Gauvin, Lantier, Lesage, Martin, Mercier, Seguin.

It is hereby ordained and enacted by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, that it is to say: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen Bedard, Bertrand, Bouchard (St. Roch), Fiset, Gauvin, Lantier, Lesage, Martin, Mercier, Seguin.

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I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife Celestine Rousseau, nee Gougeon, without an order signed by me. G. ROUSSEAU, 1288 St. Vallier street. Jan27x3

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AUCTION SALE.
In the matter of Omer Pouliot, 138, 4th Street, Limoulin, Quebec, Grocer, Insolvent. Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, Feb. 5th, 1920, at 11 o'clock A.M., will be sold by public auction, at the offices of the undersigned, 147 Mountain Hill, Quebec, the assets of this estate as follows:
(a) Stock of Groceries, \$1,513.70 and store fixtures . . . 330.75
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(b) Book Debts . . . 2,568.25
(c) Rolling Stock . . . 243.00
(d) One Safe . . . 80.00
(e) One "Cash" Register, "National" . . . 690.00
(f) 1 Automatic Scale . . . 150.00
(g) The rights of the insolvent on a property situated in the city of Quebec, in Limoulin Parish, and being known and designated under number five hundred and eight, (508) subdivision of lot number one hundred and eighty four (184) of the official plan of St. Roch North, with buildings of residence and store, thereon erected, circumstances and dependencies. The sale will be made for each item separately as so much in the dollar and to the highest bidder for the items A, B, and C, and to the highest bidder for the items D, E, F, and G. The inventory, the lists of book debts and of the rolling stock, and the titles regarding the property are to be examined at the offices of the undersigned, 147 Mountain Hill, Quebec. The store will be opened for stock inspection on Wednesday, February 4th, 1920. Terms: Cash. Lefavre & Gagnon, Joint Curators, Offices: 147 Mountain Hill, (Bosses Building) Quebec, Que. Jan 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, Feb. 1st.



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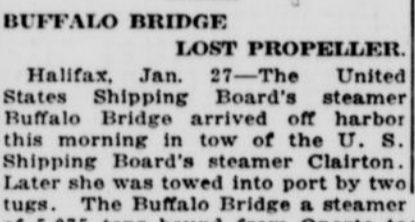
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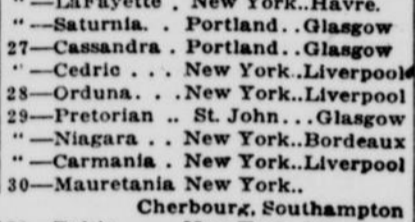
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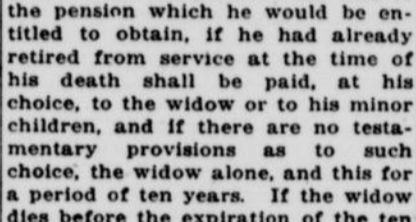
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City of Quebec,
District of Quebec.
CITY OF QUEBEC.
CITY HALL.
BY-LAW No. 36a.
To Amend By-law No. 2, Concerning the Removal of Snow in the City.
(Drawn up in the French language)
At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held on Friday, the 9th day of January, (1920), the following By-law was read for the first time.
It is hereby ordained and enacted by the Municipal Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council ordains and enacts:
10.—Clause 1 of By-law No. 36 adopted and passed on the 12th December last (1919), is amended by adding after the word "Cartier" the following words: "and de Salaberry Ave. between St. John and Grande Allee streets and the eastern side of Garden street between Buade and St. Anne streets" and striking out at the end of said clause the words "excepting de Salaberry Avenue."
Public Notice
It is hereby given that in conformity with the disposition of the law, the above By-law shall be read a second time for adoption, on Friday the 23rd day of January next (1920).
By order,
H. J. B. CHOUINARD,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL
Friday the 23rd. January, 1920.
Present: His Worship the Mayor, Aldermen: M.M. Bedard, Bertrand, Bouchard, Bouchard, Collier, Fiset, Gauvin, Lantier, Lesage, Martin, Mercier and Seguin—12.
The minutes of the last meeting are read and approved.
Read a letter from Mr. Rochette, attorney for Mr. Wilfrid Pouliot, claiming \$322. from the city for damages resulting from an accident on collision between his vehicle and an automobile belonging to the city fire department. Referred to the Legal Advisor for the City.
Read a letter from the Canada Lumber & Box Co., praying for an exemption of taxes. Referred to the Finance Committee.
Read a communication from the Board of Commerce of Canada, Ottawa, Bakery Section, Ottawa, laying before the Council a tabulated statement of the abridged cost of bread in different cities of Canada, during November last. Referred to the Finance Committee.
Read a letter from the Q.R. L. Heat & Power Company, explaining reasons of the delay in execution of their contract with the city in connection with a complaint of Alderman Bouchard, J. C. Ward. Ordered that the said letter lay on the table of the council.
Presented the Following Reports of Standing Committees:
Finance No. 223rd.—To grant exemption of taxes to the B. O. Products Ltd. Moved by alderman Collier, seconded by alderman Bedard and resolved that the said report be inscribed as 4th order of the day.
Finance No. 224th.—To grant exemption of taxes to Messrs. Lachance & Tanguay, boots and shoes manufacturers. Moved by alderman Collier, seconded by alderman Fiset and resolved, that the said report be inscribed as the 5th order of the day.
Finance No. 225th.—To give assent of the council to the incorporation of the Quebec Squash Racket Club. Moved by alderman Collier, seconded by alderman Lantier and resolved, that the said report be inscribed as 6th order of the day.
Reports of officers of the Council:
—His Worship the Mayor lays before the council a letter from the City clerk, explaining what has been done for the preparation of the list of municipal electors, answering complaints made against the manner in which they are made.
His Worship the Mayor lays before the Council the Annual Report of the Quebec Exhibition Commission, and a letter and tabulated statement prepared by Mr. Johnston, city auditor, stating that the said financial report and voucher are correct. Ordered that the said report, documents lay on the table.
The Order of the Day Being Called.
1st order of the day.—The council proceeds to the second reading for adoption of by-law No. 36a, amending by-law No. 36, concerning the removal of snow, for which second reading for adoption the presence of the absolute majority of the council is required.
All members of the council being present as follows to wit:—Aldermen: Bedard, Bertrand, Bouchard, Bouchard, Collier, Fiset, Gauvin, Lantier, Lesage, Martin, Mercier, and Seguin—12.
The preamble of the said by-law is read and adopted.
Clause 1, of the said by-law being read it is ordered, that the words "On the east side," in the 5th line, be struck off; before the words "Garden street" and the said clause thus amended is adopted and the said by-law is declared by His Worship the Mayor to have been adopted and put in force.
2nd order of the day.—The second reading of by-law No. 50, re sale of milk and cream being called, it is ordered that the 2nd reading of the said by-law be postponed until the next meeting of this council and the city clerk is dispensed of the obligation of publishing again the said by-law and public notices of the said second reading.
3rd order of the day.—The notice of motion of alderman Bouchard, J. C. being called. It is moved by alderman Bertrand and on division resolved: That this council orders the Legal Advisors of the city to take immediately the procedures required to annul the contract signed between the City of Quebec and the Quebec Railway, Light, Heat & Power Company, on the 25th of November last (1919), because the said company has not fulfilled the engagements which she undertook to lay and to maintain in operation the service of tramway on the Beauport Road, for the 15th of November last.
4th order of the day.—Read the 223rd report of the Finance Committee which being put to the vote is adopted and is resolved: That this council hereby grants an ex-

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At The Theatres
Tom Mix Tomorrow At the Auditorium; "Her Game" Today
Florence Reed in "Her Game", a social drama of romance and adventure appears for the last time today at the Auditorium, with a Mutt & Jeff comedy, Silk Hat Harry's adventures and an educational film.
Tomorrow, the Auditorium will present Tom Mix in "The Feud" a play most particularly fit for Tom Mix.
The superstitious, especially those who have faith in telling fortunes by cards, will be interested in "The Feud".
In this picture Mix plays Jere Lynch, son of a feudist family who is in love with the daughter of the enemy, Betty Summers—played by Eva Novak. They make the hut of Nancy, a negro mammy, their secret rendezvous. When mammy amuses them by telling fortunes with cards, she predicts a union of Lynch and Summers blood. Then appears the ace of spades—the card of death—and mammy says that the union will not take place till blood has been shed.
And her prediction comes true in a most dramatic scene. The bill, tomorrow, will also include a comedy and other pictures.

The Exploits Of a German Submarine, At the Empire.
A picture that is creating a sensation wherever shown is that of sinkings of Allied merchant ships by Hun subs and were taken as authentic evidence to be presented to the German Government by the commander of the U-boat that his craft had sunk so many ships while on a trip. An official cameraman took these pictures from the deck of the U-35 and were intended to be shown to the Allies who have recently permitted them to be shown on this side. These gruesomely fascinating pictures will be presented at the Empire Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week in conjunction with H. B. Warner in "Haunting Shadows," taken from "The House of A Thousand Candles," also 4th episode of "The Lion Man" and comedy.

"My Husband's Other Wife,"
With Sylvia Breamer at
Victoria Theatre Tomorrow
Today is the last chance to see Alice Brady in "Red Head". Tomorrow a big triple attraction is billed, Sylvia Breamer, being featured in "My Husband's Other Wife" a stirring society drama which will make a profound impression. The first episode of "Adventures of Ruth" with Ruth Roland and Larry Semon comedy complete the bill.

Return Engagement of "Mickey" Next Week.
Patrons of the Empire Theatre have repeatedly requested the management to book a return engagement of "Mickey", featuring Mabel Normand and now this request has been granted. For three days only, commencing Monday, this sensational and vastly pleasing picture will be presented at the Empire. It ran for sixteen solid weeks in one theatre in Toronto and played to capacity houses at every performance. Don't be one of the disappointed this time but be on hand early or get to obtain a good seat to enjoy "The Picture You Will Never Forget."

Mabel Normand in "Pinto" Tomorrow At the Allen
THIS BIG FEATURE WILL BE PRESENTED WITH THE SIXTH EPISODE OF "THE INVISIBLE HAND," A COMEDY AND OTHER PICTURES
The Allen closes today the engagement of Wm. Russell in "The Lincoln Highwayman."
Tomorrow, the bill will include a big feature with Mabel Normand also the sixth episode of "The Invisible Hand," the big sensational police mystery serial. A comedy and other pictures will close the bill.
It is doubtful if any picture in which Mabel Normand has appeared has given the opportunity for such versatile depiction as "Pinto" Not only is the light comedy of the story eminently suitable to her but she is given a chance to strut around in chaps, spurs and sombrero and to show good horsemanship, and it can be easily understood that Miss Normand is in her element in this part. The scrip was especially written for her and consequently she blends perfectly with the character of "Pinto" a spirited ranch girl who not only drives the cowboy to desperation on the ranch, but when confronted with the stilled life of society folk in New York makes them realize, in her freshness, how unsatisfactory and small is their existence. Miss Normand, right through the picture, stimulates laughter stirs up sympathy and generally holds the attention in a tense grip by the sheer power of her acting.

emption of business taxes and of all taxes, except Water and School rate on the surplus of valuation above \$11,000, on the property which the B.O. Produce Co., Limited, intend to rebuild on lots Nos. 2150, 2149, 2137, 2136, 2135, of the official cadastral plan of St. Sauveur, for a period of ten years; to be computed from the 1st of May next 1920, in conformity with the conditions mentioned in the letter annexed to the report. And His Worship the Mayor is authorized to sign a contract to that effect.
5th. order of the day.—Read the 224th report of the Finance Committee which being put to the vote is adopted and it is resolved: That this council hereby grant exemption of all taxes, except Water rates and School Taxes to MM. Lachance & Tanguay, manufacturers of boots and shoes, on the valuation of the additional story which they intend to add to their manufacture, which stands on cadastral No. 2102; subdivision 147, 146, 145, 135, 134, 133, of the official cadastral plan of St. Sauveur ward for a period of ten years, to be computed from the 1st of May next, 1920 and subject to the conditions mentioned in their letter annexed to the said report. And His Worship the Mayor is authorized to sign contract to that effect.
6th. order of the day.—Read the 225th report of the Finance Committee which being put to the vote is adopted and it is resolved: That this council hereby gives its assent to the demand of the Quebec Squash Racket Club, for an act of incorporation for their club, in conformity with the statutes of the province relating thereto.
Motions Being Called:
Alderman Fiset moves, seconded by alderman Bedard, and it is resolved: That this council hereby declares that they have learned with pleasure that Laval University has given acknowledgement to the literary value of our worthy city clerk, conferring upon him the degree of doctor in letters, Honorary Cause.
That the council of the city of

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Twenty-five million boxes of Cascarets were sold last year to folks who wanted relief without injury, from Constipation, Biliousness, Indigestion, Gases, Colic and Sick Headache. Cascarets work while you sleep, removing the toxins, poisons, and sour indigestible waste without gripping or inconvenience. Cascarets regulate by strengthening the bowel muscles. They never weaken or shock the liver like calomel or harsh pills. Cascarets cost so little too.

At The Theatres
Tom Mix Tomorrow At the Auditorium; "Her Game" Today
The Exploits Of a German Submarine, At the Empire.
"My Husband's Other Wife,"
With Sylvia Breamer at
Victoria Theatre Tomorrow
Return Engagement of "Mickey" Next Week.
Mabel Normand in "Pinto" Tomorrow At the Allen
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Dandruffy Heads
Become Hairless
If you want plenty of thick beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do it all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.
It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.
By morning, most of it, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.
You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.
BEAUCE, Superior Court, No. 4456. Dame Marie Patry, wife of Gedeon Gendron, Dealer, of Ste. Marie, duly authorized to enter an action for Justice, Plaintiff, vs. The said Gedeon Gendron, Defendant. An action for separation as to property was entered on January 10, 1920. Beauce, January 13th, 1920. Fortier Cliche & Dutil, Atty. for Plaintiff. Jan. 21x30

JOHNSON WORKS
EVERY DAY NOW
HAD TO LAY OFF FROM WORK
—GAINS FIFTEEN POUNDS
—TAKING TANLAC.
Tanlac has surely kept me on the job, for I had just about reached the point where I would have had to quit work, but since taking it I not only feel like a new man but have gained fifteen pounds in weight," said Vernon H. Johnson, Hotel Cecil Calgary, Alberta, a machinist, recently, while on furling of his experience with Tanlac.
"For three years," Mr Johnson continued, "I have suffered from stomach trouble and pains in my arms and shoulders. My appetite had almost entirely left me, and the little I did manage to eat I just had to force down. My food seemed to form into a lump causing a heavy feeling in my stomach and I would bloat up badly with gas. My arms and shoulders pained me terribly when I was working. Using a big wrench would nearly kill me and at times I could hardly lift a hammer a foot, and would just have to quit and go home. I was in such misery at night I could get but little sleep and lots of nights I would just lie awake all night long turning and twisting trying to get in a position in which I would be easy. I was in a badly run down condition and was so weak and suffered so with pain I would have to lay off from work two or three days at a time.
"I bought a bottle of Tanlac, as I had heard so much of the good it was doing others, and I began to get better almost as soon as I started taking it. I took six bottles in all, and I want to say I have been entirely rid of all my troubles. I have a splendid appetite and can eat anything I want without suffering the least bit from it afterwards. The pains in my arms and shoulders have all gone, and I can do my work and use my arms as freely as I ever could without them hurting me a particle. I can sleep all night long now without waking up, and always get up in the morning feeling rested and ready for work. Tanlac has surely put me on my feet, and I can not recommend it too highly."
Tanlac is sold in Quebec by Jolicoeur's Pharmacy, 338 St. John St. and Martel & Dion, druggists, 105 and 109 St. Joseph St., and in Lewis by Maurice Dion, Druggist; under the personal direction of a Special Tanlac representative.—(Adv.)

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Women's Navy and Black SERGE SUITS. In many choice models. Regular \$30. to \$35. each. To clear at the low price of \$19.90
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MORE EXPENSIVE SUITS.
Great reduction in price for the more expensive grades of Suits in the most desirable materials of Duvelyn, Velour Cloth, Serge and Tweeds in the wanted colorings.
SUITS. Formerly priced at \$48.50. Now \$32.50
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Practical models, tailored of best heavy Tweeds and Chevots. Regular sale prices ranging from \$25.00 to \$35.90. These are broken lines. Offered at each, to clear \$9.95
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Handsomely fur trimmed and strictly tailored Coats, among the most successful shown this season, fashioned of Italy, Christal, Velour Cloth, Silvertone, Arcadian Lamb, Plush, etc. at these LIBERAL REDUCTIONS:
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Odd lots gathered from our own assortment, in a good selection of smart styles.
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