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## TRIPLE MURDER AND SUICIDE

### A Whole Family Wiped Out—The Son Is Suspected of Being Author of Crime.

Appleton, Wis., Feb. 2—What is believed by the sheriff to be a triple murder and suicide was reported to District Attorney F. J. Rooney to-day when the bodies of four persons, all members of the same family, were found at the farm house of Lewis Mailhan, Binghamton, a settlement 15 miles from here. The dead are:

Lewis Mailhan, aged 66 years; shot in the head.

William Mailhan, aged 21 years; throat cut.

Dora Mailhan, aged 16 years; throat cut.

John Mailhan, aged 7 years; throat cut.

Wm. Mailhan, according to neighbors, recently had been acting very strangely, and the supposition is that he murdered his relatives and then killed himself. He had been at outs with his father since last fall and had been absent from home until last Sunday. A fancied grievance over favors extended to other members of the family is thought to have inspired the deed.

Mrs. Mailhan died several years ago. William was a favorite with his mother, it is said, and had not lived in accord with his family since her death.

### A SAD CELEBRATION FOR THIS YOUNG MAN

Montreal, Feb. 2—Through the premature explosion of a dynamite cartridge with which he proposed to celebrate the election of Alderman Lariviere to the City Council, as the representative of his ward, Joseph Vallee, aged 27, of Longue Pointe Ward, tonight lost an arm and an eye, and lies in a critical condition in the hospital.

### ARRESTED BY U. S. IMMIGRATION OFFICERS

Welland, Ont., Feb. 2.—Mabel Hughes and William H. Kimber, both of Welland, were apprehended by United States Immigration Officer Ladis in Buffalo on Tuesday. Kimber is charged with taking an alien woman into Buffalo for improper purposes. The woman was employed as a domestic in the house where Kimber boarded. They have been making frequent trips to Buffalo together. The girl told her mother that she was married to Kimber in Buffalo, but the marriage license records there do not show it.

### DUKE OF CONNAUGHT AND CANADIAN DEFENCE LEAGUE

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—Replying to the address presented to him yesterday by the Canadian Defence League, which set forth as its object the development of strong citizenship and physical and military training of the young men and boys of the Dominion, His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught said: "I am glad to have the opportunity of meeting the representatives of the Canadian Defence League and of hearing something of the objects of your association. These objects, as concisely summed up in the last paragraph of your address, have my full sympathy. The first essential of military training is the production of a healthy, disciplined manhood and no thoughtful person could possibly dispute the desirability of this object. Health and discipline are necessary for our daily life and for the successful conduct of business and an effort to secure them for the rising generation connot be laid open to the charge of militarism which has sometimes been brought by the ignorant against associations such as yours. I wish you every success in this work which you have so patriotically undertaken and to which you are unselfishly giving your time; I trust that the Canadian Defence League may long continue to benefit the young men of the Dominion of Canada."

## STEAMER SUNK IN A COLLISSION

### The Alleghany Goes Down After Colliding With the Pomaron.

New York, Feb. 2.—The Hamburg-American line steamer Allegheny, which left here yesterday for Central America and the West Indies, sank 75 miles west-northwest of Cape Henry, off the Virginia coast, after a collision with the British steamer Pomaron, according to wireless despatches received here to-night. The Pomaron, with the passengers and crew of the Allegheny on board and convoyed by the revenue cutter Onondago, is making slowly for port, the message said.

Earlier wireless messages to-day had told of the collision as occurring in latitude 37.48, longitude 74, but stated that although the Allegheny was badly damaged, it was believed she could reach port under her own power.

To-night's advices, although meagre, are to the effect that the damage to her hull was far more serious than was at first supposed, and that she sank not far from the point where the collision occurred, the Pomaron taking on board the sinking liner's passengers and crew.

The Pomaron's bow was badly stove in, but the wireless advices were that she was apparently holding well through a moderate sea with a strong nothwesterly breeze blowing.

The revenue cutter Onondago hastened to the scene of the collision in response to wireless calls, and she reported to-night that she had "picked up" the Pomaron 25 miles east-southeast of Hog Island Light and was convoying her into the Virginia capes.

The advices say that the collision occurred in a driving snowstorm.

### SERVIAN CABINET SAID TO HAVE RESIGNED

Vienna, Feb. 2.—It is reported here that the Servian cabinet has resigned. The action of the ministry is said to have been due partly to the discovery recently of an alleged military conspiracy to force King Peter either to dismiss the Radical cabinet or abdicate in favor of the Crown Prince.

### ARRESTED FOR FORTUNE TELLING

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—Madame Lillian Weston, who hails from Montreal and says she is a phrenologist, was arrested by Detectives McLaughlin and Downey in a downtown hotel this morning and will appear in Police Court to-morrow on a charge of fortune telling. It was alleged that the woman has been telling fortunes for several well known men and women in the city, and Detective McLaughlin declared that he had a straight case against Madame Weston.

### THE HAGUE ARBITRATION WAS PRETTY COSTLY.

Ottawa, Feb. 2—In the annual report of the Auditor-General for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1911, interesting statements of expenditures in the public accounts are compiled. It is shown that the Hague arbitration regarling the North Atlantic fisheries cost the country over $200,000. Among the items in the account for the tribunal are the fees for the non-national arbitrators, which totalled $31,361.67, and the National Arbitrators, Judge Gray, for the United States, and Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, for Canada, $18,500. Mr. J. S. Ewart, K.C., was paid $10,000 as counsel fee, and the report states that this is only in partial settlement. G. F. Shepley, of Toronto, was paid $19,886.67, and W. N. Tilley, of Toronto, $19,473.33 as counsel. Right Hon. Sir Robert Findlay cost the country $47,758.06 in fees and Sir Erle Richards, London, $20,215.41. Sir Allen Aylesworth's travelling expenses amounted to $4,022.58. Other items include expenses for shorthand reporters and minor counsel fees and travelling expenses.

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## ECHOES OF THE CIVIC ELECTIONS

### In Montreal — Mr. Mederic Martin Says That He Was Offered a Bribe.

Montreal, Feb. 2—Mr. Maderic Martin, alderman-elect in Papineau Ward, made an allegation to-day that an attempt was made to bribe him. He states that he was offered $3,000 for his resignation as a candidate. This bribe, he asserts, was offered to him by a certain individual against whom he has given notice of an action for a penalty of $400. The charter of the city says it is an offence, punishable by a fine of $400, to ask a candidate to withdraw for money. Action has been entered by Messrs. Perron, Taschereau and Kinfret.

The new City Council will be inaugurated on Monday week, Feb. 12, following the swearing in of Alderman Lavallee as Mayor, and the whole thirty-one Aldermen.

To-morrow Mr. L. O. David, City Clerk and returning officer, will formally declare the elections as shown by the returns of the deputy returning officers from the different wards, and, at the demand of any one of the aldermen-elect, a comparison may be made between the returns and the totals as added by the City Clerk. Four days are then allowed during which time a recount may be demanded, in which event the ballot boxes will be opened and the votes recounted before a judge of the Superior Court. The elections will be duly proclaimed on Wednesday next.

It was officially announced this morning that 24,634 electors had voted in favor of the abolition of the property on qualification for Mayor and aldermen and 15,734 against, giving a majority of 8,900 for abolition to the legislature for approval during the present session.

## RAISING OF THE BATTLESHIP MAINE

### After Half of Vessel Successfully Floated—Forward Section Next.

Havana, Feb. 2—The long protracted task of raising the sunken battleship Maine, was crowned with success this afternoon when the after section which was not injured by the explosion and which comprises approximately half the total length of the ill-fated vessel, was set afloat.

Barely sufficient water was admitted within the cofferdam to free the hulk from the mud in which it was deeply imbedded, but to-night it floats almost on an even keel, though somewhat down at the stern and much above its normal line of flotation in consequence of the removal of the heavy weights on deck, especialy the after turret and its guns. The hull, into which a bulkhead had been fitted, proved perfectly water-tight.

Major Harley B. Ferguson, chief engineer in charge of the work, intends now to cease admitting water within the cofferdam until the portions of the shattered forward section of the battleship are removed, which will be a matter of a few days. Then it will be a simple matter to admit more water, open a section of the cofferdam and float the hulk out.

### DEATH OF PRINCIPAL WITNESS IN MURDER TRIAL

Fort Worth, Tex., Feb. 2—Because Edward Throckmorton's body was taken from the hospital where he died, to an undertaking establishment and embalmed before the court's order directing that an autopsy be held, was served to-day, efforts to ascertain whether the State's principal witness against J. B. Snead, accused of having murdered Capt. A. G. Boyce, sr., was poisoned, came to naught. Throckmorton died last night from what is said to have been a mysterious illness. Physicians declare his death resulted from alcoholic poisoning. A grand jury is trying to determine whether liquor he drank was drugged. Before he died Throckmorton declared that he had been "doped." Members of the Throckmorton family deny that they instructions for the removal of the body while hospital authorities contend that they followed the usual custom of turning the body over to undertakers. The trial of Snead will be resumed at 9 o'clock to-morrow when a second special venire of 15 men will report.

### OCEAN ARRIVALS.

February 2, 1912.

SS Royal Edward, at Avonmouth, from Halifax.
SS Campanello, at Rotterdam, from New York.
SS Nieuw Amsterdam, at Rotterdam, from New York.
SS Lapland, at Antwerp, from New York.
SS La Savoie, at Havre, from New York.
SS Manchester Mariner, at Philadelphia, from Manchester via St. John, N.B.

## FINANCE MINISTER MAKES A MOTION

### To Pay G. T. P. Company $10,000,000—Result of Bad Bargain of Laurier Regime.

(Special to the Chronicle.)

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 2.—The principal event of the day was Mr. White's motion to pay the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company a sum of about ten million dollars, the result of an improvident bargain made by the Laurier government in 1904. Mr. White, in giving the resolution, explained the contract of 1903 provided that the government should guarantee the bonds for the Western division of the G. T. P. up to three-fourts of the cost, but not exceeding $13,000 a mile on the prairie section, or $30,000 a mile on the mountain section. The modified contract of 1904 removed the $30,000 limitation on the mountain section and in addition provided that the government would "implement" its guarantee. A difference of opinion arose between the government and the Grand Trunk Pacific. The government contended that the bargain meant that the Grand Trunk Pacific should issues bonds enough to realize the money required. Thus the government would simply guarantee the excess quantity of bonds necessary to produce the money required. The Grand Trunk Pacific argued that the bargain meant that the government must pay in cash the difference between the net selling price and par. The Supreme Court of Canada gave judgment in favor of the government. The Privy Council gave judgment in favor of the company.

Thus Canada is condemned to make good the difference between the amount the bonds realize and par.

Mr. White then gave a summary of the bond transactions up to date. In 1905 the company sold £3,200,000 bonds at 92½ realizing $14,559,000. In 1909 it sold £2,000,000 of bonds at 80 realizing $7,773,000. In 1910 it sold £2,000,000 of bonds at about 80 realizinz $7,856,000. Thus on transactions already included there is a balance of approximately $4,900,000 which this country must "implement," that is pay up in cash. But beside this the government's consulting engineer estimates that there are to come bonds to the extent of £5,515,000. Assuming that these realize there is a further liability of $5,153,000.

Thus, with the modification of the bargain, without a word of comment, Mr. White laid the facts before the House.

The Liberals allowed the resolution to pass without one word of comment.

The House then went into committee on the grain bill and spent the rest of the afternoon in debating it.

In this connection the event of the day was Mr. Foster's fulfillment of his promise to allow the owners of damaged grain the emergency powers as to car supply, hitherto reserved for elevators, which threatened to collapse. The measure designed to effect this was put through all its stages except the third reading.

The House spent the evening in supply.

Quebec public works were then taken up and posted to the extent of $683,875. Among the items passed were : Berthierville wharf, $19,500; Bic harbor wharf, $18,000; Cap a Laigle wharf, $18,000; Cape Cove wharf, $7,000; Cap St. Ignace wharf extension, $15,000; Fraserville wharf and dredging, $70,000; Grosse Isle Quarantine Station, $62,000; Magdalen island, breakwaters, etc., $15,000; Matane protection pier etc., $30,000; Murray Bay protection pier, etc., $40,000; Saguenay, dredging, etc., $40,000; Three Rivers deep water wharf, $118,000.

**Notes.**

An old and very rare engraving of Queen Victoria was presented to the Duke of Connaught to-day by Superintendent McClelland, of the Trent Canal, accompanied by the Minister of Militia. The story of the engraving is a curious one. It was made by a clever Belgian artist when the late Queen was in the seventeenth year. It because the property of the Belgian Minister of Public Works, who recently sent it to Mr. McClelland in recognition of the courtesy shown by the latter in showing the minister over the Trent Canal. Mr. McClelland had intended giving the negraving to the Museum, but on the advice of Hon. Sam Hughes, took it to His Royal Highness the Duke, who expressed himself as very glad of the gift, stating he had never seen the picture before and that no other copy was in the possession of the Royal family.

There is every reason to expect that the Borden government will at a very early date bring down legislation placing the whole of the outside civil service under the Civil Service Act The present ministers favored this reform while in opposition and intend to carry their opinions into effect now that they have the power. One of the strongest objections to the civil service legislation of the former government was that it did not touch the outside service and made no provision for improvements in the scores of offices maintained by the government in all parts of the country. There is a possibility that the bill bringing the outside service under the scope of the act may be introduced this session, but in any event it will not be long delayed. It will be necessary, in connection with this departure, to enlarge the Civil Service Commission.

## LIVELY TIMES FOR THURSDAY NEXT

### Are Promised in Belfast — 60,000 to 80,000 Men to Collect There.

London, Feb. 3.—The Morning Post's Belfast correspondent is responsible for the statement that from 60,000 to 80,000 men will gather at Belfast next Thursday, the date of the proposed Home Rule meeting, animated by intense hatred over what they regard as the treachery of Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, and Lord Pirrie, in advocating Home Rule for Ireland. The correspondent says 30,000 men will be armed with revolvers and a great majority of them also with clubs, which will be one fourth longer than the police batons.

Continuing, the correspondent says the objectors to the meeting have no quarrel with John Redmond or Joseph Devlin, who always have been Nationalists, but they consider Mr. Churchill and Lord Pirrie have been bought to pass and hasten the establishment of Home Rule. The Dublin Castle authorities, the correspondent concludes, are cognizant of the preparations and aware that 7,000 troops will be necessary to keep order, but so far they have done nothing.

### STEAMERS IN COLLISION.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 2—The Maritime Exchange here reports : "New York steamer Allegheny in collision to-day, lat. 37.48, long. 74, with steamer Pomaron (British) from Baltimore for Leith. Steamer Allegheny has No. 3 hold damaged, will return to New York for repairs. Damage to Pomaron not stated."

### SCARCITY OF COAL AT NOME, ALASKA

Nome, Alska, Feb. 2.—Negotiations are under way by the city to bring an ice-breaking steamer here with a cargo of coal to relieve the fuel famine. The city has almost exhausted its fuel stores and in the ordinary course of events the supply would not be replenished until the opening of navigation in June. There is no wood on Seward Peninsula, and the nearest coal is at Candle, which is 210 miles east of here, and it costs $300 a ton to bring coal from there to Nome over the snow trail. The weather has been mild with the temperature rarely below zero. Yesterday the temperature ranged between 4 and 18 degrees above zero. Forty below zero has been common in previous winters.

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## CIVIL SERVANTS WILL STATE VIEWS

### On the Reform of the Service Before the Public Service Commission.

(Special to the Chronicle.)

Ottawa, Feb. 2—The Public Service Commission will next week receive a deputation of the Civil Service Association and will hear what the inside service itself has to say on the subject of Civil Service reformed. This is something that has not been done in previous investigations. The Civil Service Association has appointed a committee of nine who will put their views before the commission. They, of course, favor superannuation and a more equitable scheme of salaries. The hearing on this branch of the enquiry will likely occupy most of the week. Following presentation of the views of the inside service, there will be another hearing at which a deputation of the Civil Service Federation, embracing the whole of the outside service from coast to coast, will give their ideas to the commission.

The General Conference of the Methodist Church will apply to Parliament for an amendment to the Act respecting the Union of Methodist Churches to allow the removal of such trustees as shall fail to attend a certain number of trustee meetings, and to permit five trustees to form a quqorum where the total number exceeds nine.

Ingersoll, Ont., Feb. 2—Maggie E. McColl, aged 24, the daughter of Archibald McColl, an East Missouri farmer, died to-day from the effects of a dose of paris green. No reason is assigned for her act.

## CONTROL OF THE CUSTOMS REVENUE

### Will Be Retained by the Imperial Government in Ireland.

London, Feb. 2.—John MacKinnon Robertson, member of Parliament and of the Government, addressing an Irish meeting in London to-night, added an interesting contribution to the anxiously debated question whether, under Home Rule, Ireland would control the customs and excise. Mr. Robertson said that to give Ireland complete and absolute fiscal autonomy would be tantamount to separating her from the Empire. There was no hope, he declared of carrying the Home Rule bill on such a footing as this and he trusted that the Home Rulers would realize that fiscal autonomy was outside of practical politics.

The Times differs with the Daily Chronicle's forecast of the Home Rule bill published Friday morning, which said the Irish Parliament would have full control of the customs and excises. The Times declares the Imperial Government will retain control of the customs.

### MAN FOUND DEAD.

Ottawa, Feb. 2—On the corner of Munroe and Division streets the dead body of Joseph Edward Albert, laborer, unmarried, aged 39, was found at 6 o'clock this morning by a milkman. He notified Police Sergeant Hanrahan, who had the body taken to Rogers' undertaking establishment. As far as can be deduced by the police and Coroner Baptie, Albert died of exposure after lying down on the corner while intoxicated.

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### PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN RAILROADS AND EXPRESS COS.

Washington, Feb. 2.—What virtually amounts to a partnership between the railroads and the express companies was suggested to-day by Commissioner Lane at the investigation by the Interstate Commerce Commission into express rates and regulations. To develop this relationship would appear to be the crux of the present inquiry.

George C. Taylor, vice president of the American Express Company and general manager of the Western department, explained the mechanical operations of the company.

"Why is it not possible?" inquired Commissioner Lane. "If you weigh every piece of express matter to pay the railroad companies upon the basis of actual weight transported. As a fact, is it not because the railroads and the express companies are in practical partnership?"

Mr. Taylor referred the inquiry to men older in the service than he. Mr. Taylor explained that the railroads were demanding continually a greater division of the express rate for their share.

"What is the theory on which they demand higher charges from you?" inquired Commissioner Lane.

"We make our divisions with the railroads on a basis of service rendered and on facilities which we require. I think the roads are honest in their deamnds."

### LEAPED FROM THE STATUE OF LIBERTY

New York, Feb. 2.—A man slowly ascended the upraised arm of the giant Statue of Liberty out in the harbor this afternoon, made tortuous way to the outside of the great hand, then sprang out into the air and shot toward the earth. Pedestrians in Battery Park, across the bay, gazed at the whizzing figure, spellbound, then gasped with relief when a parachute opened and the figure settled lightly on the ground at the statue's base. The man was Frederick Law, a steeplejack. H head obtained a government permit to make the leap.

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### THE CAR FERRY.

While the Quebec Bridge will not be ready just yet, there is no reason why the car ferry service cannot be ready to do some of its work by the time that the line is finished up to here. Up to now we have not heard that anything was being done in this direction, and we certainly think that this is one of the matters which call for the immediate attention of our representatives in the Federal House.

### ACTIVITY IN THE HOUSE.

The past week has been noticeable for a spurt of activity on the part of the Opposition in the Local House, and the Government have passed some anxious moments, and apparently still have a good many more to face. This quickening of the fighting spirit has been coincident with the return of Mr. Armand Lavergne to his parliamentary duties, and he has played a prominent part in the debates of the week.

There are various indications that the next week will witness no abatement of the struggle, and that the Kelly-Prevost discussion will not be without features.

### FULFILLING ITS PROMISES.

The Borden Government is not wasting any time making good its pre-election promises of major importance.

The introduction of bills providing for tariff and grain commissions is evidence that the people now have a government that intends to do things. It is a pleasant change from conditions as they were so short a time ago.

While the grain bill is a measure of special importance to the people of the Western provinces, the tariff commission proposal is something that will deeply interest the whole people, auguring, as it does, a scientific handling of the tariff in the interests of the whole country. Under all governments in the past there has been more or less slipshod management of this important business, with the result that, rightly or wrongly, charges have been made that special considerations were given to certain favored individuals and corporations. With an independent and capable commission in office, there should be an end to this sort of thing.

Critics of the government are making as much as possible of the fact that the powers of the commission will be limited to investigating and reporting to the government. When in power, the chief objection of the Laurier government to a tariff commission was that it might tend to remove the responsibility for tariff adjustments from govement. This, they argued, was something which could not be thought of for a moment. That argument is just as forceful today. In fact, it was never contemplated by advocates of the permanent commission that the government should be relieved of any responsibility in tariff-framing. All that was sought was the appointment of a permanent competent body which would be able to consider tariff matters intelligently and through such consideration maintain that proper balance of advantage to both consumers and producers, which the ideally arranged tariff alone can assure.

If, in the face of good advice from the commission, a government decides to take a course of action not in line with the interests of the people, then it would be so much the worse for that government.

### BERESFORD'S BOOK.

Though its publication has been deferred and intervening time has probably removed much of the sting, the appearance of Lord Charles Beresford's book, "The Betrayal," should produce an effect even if it fails to create a sensation.

The title of the book somewhat recalls General Homer Lea's "The Valor of Ignorance," which warned the United States of its military unpreparedness as against Japan.

But Lord Charles will probably find a more attentive audience in his country than General Lea in his. For, while in the man in the street may understand little of the technical merits of the charges, he is thoroughly apprehensive of the rapid progress of Germany. So it may be anticipated that "The Betrayal," landing, at it were, with both feet on the most sensitive point of the British conscience, will produce a loud and prolonged attack of national introspection.

It is an interesting fact that the great powers of the civilized world, in spite of their large military expenditures, have so often proved lamentably unprepared when there was an outbreak of war.

The Crimean War is always referred to as a monument of inefficiency in the matter of military administration.

Neither Austria nor France was properly prepared to meet the war with Russia. The American war with Spain also revealed an absence of preparation that might well have been disastrous had the States been facing a more formidable opponent. And it is a matter of common knowledge that the earlier stages of the Boer war were strewn with the wrecks of British military incapacity. For similar reasons, Russian, the richer and more powerful, was forced to give way to Japan.

Of course, in some cases, the unready party was the victim of political obtuseness, if not of downright graft. But this is not the whole story. Efficiency is incidental to keen striving to obtain some object, whether industrial, scientific, political or what not. In a pastoral nation, the zeal of the huntsman in the pursuit of game can be readily diverted to human quarry. The Germany of the seventies or in Japan the stimulus was supplied by the necessity of a successful war to achieve the national ambition. But in countries where the national aims are peaceful and the war expenditure exists only to protect the status quo, the incentive is lacking. However scientific may become the art of war, however stringer the training of officers, the object of the destructive arts, which is the necessity for destruction, is absent. The arts of peace rang above those of way, to the detriment of the latter.

Every movement, therefore, which tends to keep alive the martial spirit in peace-loving countries—as, for instance, rifle clubs or the Boy Scout movement—is highly deserving of encouragement, as it helps to diminish the awful floundering and waste which otherwise occur at the beginning of war.

It should be easier to maintain efficiency in the navy than in the army, because in the former service, even in times of peace, the elements of winds and waves demand the greatest vigilance. But even here the same principle applies, and probably, if the eighty vessels which Lord Charles declares were sent to the scrap-heap in 1904 had been sunk by an enemy instead, he would not find the survivors lacking in efficiency.

In connection with Lord Charles's statement that the Germans are catching up with the British in naval construction, it is often said that the latter made a mistake. For, it is argued, that, placing on the water a type of craft which rendered previous fighting vessels more or les sobsolete, she destroyed her long lead in naval construction, and made it possible for other powers to catch up.

Be this as it may, the discharge of bombs like that of Lord Charles is a good thing. The petard may hoist no one, but if it disturbs only for a short time that complacency which has ever been the greatest peril of nations, it will have served a useful purpose.

### LIBERAL PETS.

The Toronto Mail calls attention to the fact that in the interval between dissolution of the last Parliament and the resignation of the Laurier government, no less than 650 persons were appointed to positions in the Dominion public service by these same Liberal humbugs who are howling about the so-called abuse of patronage today.

The three months in question, remarks the Mail, was an extremely busy time for the government.

Nearly two-thirds of the period was devoted to the strenuous campaign for the Reciprocity Pact, and the remaining one-third to the hurried preparations for retirement from office.

Yet time was found to make these 650 appointments most of which would be crowded into the last month or so.

Office seekers whose faith in the government's return was weak would naturally bestir themselves to get their berths before the election.

It was after the elections, however, that the greatest amount of place-filling was attended to.

Offices and jobs were then allotted to workers who had borne the burden and the best of the day throughout the government's last stand.

The haste to quarter on the country so many of the rank and file who fought for the Reciprocity Pact ought to be kept in mind by readers of the Opposition protests against interference with Laurier place men.

### A NICE QUINTETTE OF SERVANTS.

Winnipeg, Feb. 2—The City Morality Department on information of a well known Winnipegger, whose name is a household word among Canadian railway men, is looking into the scandal connected with his mansion at Fort Rouge, which, during the absence of himself and family, was left in the charge of four maid servants and a groom. It appears that these converted it into a place of ill-fame, the discovery being made by a neighboring lady.

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

## Correspondence

Montreal, Que., Feb. 2,1912.

To the Editor of Quebec Chronicle.

I had just brought under my notice your issue of the 23rd ulto., wherein an alleged interview from the Providence Journal of March 2nd, 1910, is quoted. Such an interview never took place and was flatly contradicted at the time. I had no interview on the subject of any kind what so ever with any one representing the Providence Journal or any other paper. Please oblige me by having this prominently inserted in your paper.

W. WAINWRIGHT.

### THE NAVAL QUESTION.

To the Editor of the Chronicle:—

Sir,—The interesting letter of Mr. Fred. C. Wurtele fairly and clearly states the views of many Canadians. In its final analysis it is a proposal that the Canadian Government should borrow money, in all probability from British investors, to enable a conditional contribution to the Government of the United Kingdom, for the purpose of building in Great Britain additional line-of-battle men-of-war, such vessels to be stationed on the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts of the Dominion, manned by British sailors and presumably maintained at the expense of the United Kingdom.

Without any desire to discuss the naval question, I shall like to place some facts bearing on the subject before those interested.

The present British fleet is the most powerful in existance, or that the world has ever seen, well equipped, splendidly officered and efficiently manned, not only far stronger than that of any other power, but more than equal alone to any probable antagonistic combination. The naval expenditure of the United Kingdom for the past year was £44,392,500 against £22,031,788 expended by the German Empire. Of this the United Kingdom spent £17,566,877 on new construction including armorments, and Germany £11,710,859. No other power spent anything like the amount the United Kingdom did, either for maintainance or construction. The United States expended more on her navy than Germany did, though less on new construction. France comes next, and Japan continues to build, but these are all friendly nations, and recent arbitration arrangements between the two great English-speaking countries promise to extend the hundred years of peace between them to a thousand. Then what probability is there, or even reasonable possibility of the British fleet being destroyed. Even if it were destoyed, why should Canada lose her freedom, or antonomy, or nationality. With continued peace with the United States assured, is there any country in the world that could annex or occupy Canada, even if the United States shelved the Munroe doctrine. Again, to suppose what seems more than within the bounds of possibility, if the British fleet were destroyed, would not the destroyer be very much like the other Kilkenny cat at the finish. Further, how could battleships stationed on the Pacific, or even Atlantic, Coast of the Dominion reinforce the royal navy in the firing line in the North Sea. Very sudden action seems dreaded by alarmists, and all might be over before the arrival of the nearest Canadian succour.

Mr. Wurtele, like many other colonials, thinks Britain needs ships, or rather money to build them. Nothing is further from the truth. The last thing the United Kingdom wants is money. Not only does she, alone in this amongst all great nations, meet all expenditure out of revenue, but she is steadily, and indeed rapidly, paying off her national debt. In the financial year ending 31st March, 1911, she paid off £28,012,949, over one hundred and thirty-six million dollars. The national debt was absolutely reduced by that amount. If more ships had been needed, here was the money ready to hand, without any issue of long term bonds or consols. As a matter of fact both political parties are at one on the fleet question, and have the people behind them. No one need fear its efficiency will not be fully maintained, or that all the necessary ships will not be built. Certainly there is no doubt of money for that purpose.

Our duty as to protect our own shores and trade routes, and so relieve the United Kingdom of a protective expenditure towards which we do not contribute. Our further duty to our country is to develop its productive powers. If we are to spend money on battleships, let us do it in our own land. Ministerial statements on Hansard to the contrary notwithstanding, there would be no such difference as might be properly called several million dollars on a Canadian expenditure of eleven to thirteen million dollars. It would be interesting to have the exact figures. That shipbuilding in Nova Scotia would cost more in the first instance than in the United Kingdom may be admitted, but with iron and coal at tidewater, and as fine and intelligent a laboring population as is to be found even on the Clyde or in Belfast, there is no reason why judicious naval expenditure should not enable the founding of as great a mercantile shipbuilding industry as exists in the wide world. Whether the navy as proposed, which appears to have had the full approval of the Admiralty, was all that could be desired, is quite beside the question, and to discuss that would be to descend to party politics, which in this letter I have no intention of doing.

One word more. Mr. Wurtele is in my opinion wrong in supposing Canada cannot for many years man a single ship. If he is right, there is every reason why we should at once begin to endeavour to remedy so deplorable condition. He says, Britain has the men. Now it is precisely on this point uneasiness has long existed in England. In Germany it is now openly alleged that England may build superdreadnoughts, but she cannot man them.

If Bitish built ships, paid for with our money, are to be stationed on our coasts, presumably for our protection, are they to be manned with old country crews and maintained at the home government expense. To me, that appears a poor business, especially if we are to saddle the repayment of the initial cost of construction on those that are to come after us.

Yours truly,

ED. HARPER WADE.

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In his latest work this famous author has recorded the first love-story of Allan Quatermain. The plot is laid in South Africa at the time of the great Boer Trek from Cape Colony to the Transvaal, and, as may be expected, the story sets out many perilous incidents encountered. Dealing principally with the adventures of Marie's family, who took part in the trek this earlier portion of Allan Quatermain's autobiography describes the terrible hardships from fever and starvation suffered by those Boers who wandered into the neighborhood of Delagoa Bay, and includes a thrilling account of the massacre of Commandant Retief and his sixty followers, by Dignaan, the Zulu King. Our readers will remember that Mr. Haggard received his knighthood at the beginning of this year. Marie is published by Cassell & Company and is for sale wherever books are sold at $1.25

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# Saturday Will Be the Last Day of Our Greatest January White Sale

COME to the store on Saturday. There will be something doing every minute. Saturday will be the very last day of our greatest January White Sale, which has created an immense amount of attention in Quebec and the surrounding district. On Saturday we have gathered together the lots on sale and the prices at which these goods are being sold are made possible by the low price at which we bought. There is still a good selection of fine quality Whitewear and if you would take advantage of this sale we would strongly urge that you come early Saturday morning. Our showing of White Lawn Waists is the best we have made for many years and we know you will be more than pleased with the goods on sale here Saturday. Read every word of these descriptions and come bright and early Saturday morning.

### Nightgowns

Ladies' Nightgowns in Fine White Cotton, well made, tucked yoke trimmed with insertion, long sleeves, very dainty, Price....$1.49

### Nightgowns

Ladies' Nightgowns with round yoke trimmed with dainty lace and ribbon, made in White Nainsook of good quality, Sale Price...$2.27

### Chemises

Ladies' Chemises nicely trimmed with dainty embroidery, made in beautiful White Nainsook, front opening, Sale Price.....$1.13

### Chemises

Ladies' Chemises, exquisitely trimmed with insertion, front opening, made in very fine White Nainsook, Sale Price.....$1.37

### Underskirts

Ladies' Underskirts in Fine White Cotton, deep flounce made with tucks and edged with beautiful embroidery. Sale Price....89c

### Underskirts

Ladies' Underskirts, nicely tucked and trimmed with wide embroidery, made in Fine White Cotton, rare value, Sale Price.....$1.13

### Drawers

Ladies' Drawers in Fine White Nainsook, extra wide, well made, trimmed with insertion of dainty embroidery and tucks. Price..$1.63

## Princess Slips, Corset Covers, Etc

These values in Princess Slips and Corset Covers are attracting much attention. Already we have sold a great quantity. The quality of the material is all that could be desired and the prices are remarkably low.

### Princess Slips

Princess Slips in Fine White Cotton, made with dainty tucks and fine embroidery, round yoke, Sale Price .....$1.19

### Princess Slips

Ladies' Princess Slips in Fine White Batiste, beautiful embroidery yoke, Val. lace around neck, deep flounce, Sale Price .....$1.98

### Princess Slips

Ladies' Princess Slips in Beautiful White Pongee Silk, medium flounce with tucks, very attractive, Sale Price.. ..... $3.90

### Corset Covers

Ladies' Corset Covers in Fine White Cotton, prettily trimmed with beautiful lace and four rows of insertion, Sale Price, only.....39c

### Corset Covers

Ladies' Corset Covers in Fine White Batiste, very dainty and pretty, trimmed with embroidery and insertion, Sale Price, only.....57c

### Corset Covers

Ladies' Corset Covers in White Cotton, trimmed with fine lawn embroidery and dainty lace insertion, rare value, Sale Price.....67c

## Wall Paper Specials For Saturday

We would call your attention to these special bargains in Wall Paper, which will be the cause of much excitement in the Wall Paper Department. Come bright and early.

### Wall Paper

Fine Wall Paper, green ground with attractive floral pattern, 18-inch border to match, On Sale Saturday, per single roll .....6c

### Wall Paper

Silver ground with mica stripe and blue flowers, 18-inch border to match, very attractive, On Sale Saturday, per single roll.....7c

### Wall Paper

Green ground with beautiful pink floral pattern, 9-inch border to match, On Sale Saturday, per single roll.... ..... 9c

### Wall Paper

White ground with yellow stripe, 9-inch border to match, very good value, On Sale Saturday, per single roll .....9c

### Wall Paper

Silver grey ground with attractive yellow floral pattern, 18-inch border to match, On Sale Saturday, per single roll .....10c

### Wall Paper

Blue ground with gold diagonal stripe, 9-inch border to match, splendid value, On Sale Saturday, per single roll .....10c

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RECEIVED from THE PAQUET COMPANY, LIMITED, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, which amount has this day been deposited in this Bank, to be paid to a Charitable Institution of this City, such Institution to be determined upon later, if it can be shown that the advertisements of THE PAQUET COMPANY, LIMITED, are wilfully misleading or exaggerated.

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Alex Russell

(Manager) St. Roch Branch.

## Waists, Wrappers, Kimonos, Etc

For Saturday's selling we have set aside a large quantity of Waists in Silk, Lawn, Flannelette, etc., also Wrappers, Kimonos and Sweaters. The values are good as you can see from the following descriptions:

### Silk Waists

Ladies' White Silk Waists, front trimmed with insertion of Val. lace, regular price 89c, Sale Price .....74c

### Lawn Waists

Ladies' White Lawn Waists made with tucks and embroidered front, ¾-sleeves, extra value, Sale Price....69c

### Ladies' Waists

Ladies' Flannelette Waists, in navy blue and white, black and white, garnet and green, reg. prices 70c and 90c., Sale Price .....39c

### Sweaters

Ladies' Woolen Sweaters, navy, cardinal and gray, fancy knit, military collar, regular prices $2.50 and $2.75, Sale Price .....$1.98

### Wrappers

Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers, in navy, garnet, brown, black and white, fancy designs, flounce at bottom, Sale Price .....$1.39

### Kimonos

Ladies' Long Flannelette Kimonos, navy, pale blue, garnet, with Paisley border, very attractive, rare value, Sale Price .....98c

## Special Offers from the Carpet Department

The Carpet Department is offering for Saturday a number of extra values in Rugs, Carpets, Oilcloths, etc., also Curtain Materials and Cretonnes. Read these descriptions carefully and see that you do not miss this rare opportunity.

### Fine Rugs

Axminster and Brussels Art Rugs, sizes 9x10 ft. 6 in. and 9 ft.x12 ft., very special values, Saturday..... .....$23.00 and $17.50

### Runners

Floor Runners in Red Mohair, size 36 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. regular price $12.00, On Sale Saturday, only..... ..... $9.00

### Brussels

Fine Brussels Carpet, green ,red or blue ground, very attractive design, regular prices from $1.00 to $1.50 a yd., Saturday, yd.....69c

### Axminster

Fine Axminster Carpet for drawing-roms, etc., colors drab, blue, green, Oriental designs, reg. price $1.75 a yd, Saturday Bargain .....$1.29

### Cretonne

Fine French Cretonne, assorted patterns, width 32 inches, floral designs for curtains and coverings, regular price 75c. a yd, Saturday 44c

### Muslin

Fancy Colored Muslin for curtains, very attractive designs, rare values, reg. prices 10c and 12c a yd, Saturday Bargain, yard .....8c

## Grocery Specials from the Big Fourth Floor Grocery Store

Come to the Grocery Department on Saturday. We have many special values here to greet you when you come.

### Sugar

Fine Granulated Sugar, large quantity, On Sale Saturday, 10 lbs. for .....54c

### Corn Starch

Special value in Corn Starch, large quantity, On Sale Saturday, per pkg. .....5c

### Baking Powder

Good Luck Baking Powder, fine quality, On Sale Saturday, per tin .....7c

### Coffee

Special Coffee for Saturday's selling, good flavor, On Sale, per lb. .....16c

### Maple Sugar

Fine Maple Sugar, perfect condition, large quantity for Saturday, per lb.....10c

### Tomatoes

Maryland Chief Brand, in 3-lb. tins, On Sale Saturday, 3 tins for ..... .....35c

### Soap

Cosmos Brand Soap, good for the laundry, Saturday, 8 bars for ..... ....29c

### Potatoes

Large quantity of Potatoes, on sale by the bag, Saturday, per bag .....$1.00

### Biscuits

Calais Biscuits, splendid quality, well-known brand, On Sale Saturday, per lb. .....11c

### Biscuits

Belmont Biscuits, well and favorably known, On Sale Saturday, 2 lbs for .....25c

### Biscuits

Zoo Jokers, large quantity, reg. price 15c. a lb. Saturday, 2 lbs. for .....25c

### Chocolates

Chocolates, good quality, fresh, for over Sunday, Saturday, per lb .....14c

## Saturday Bargains in the Shoe Department
## A Very Successful Purchase of Fine Shoes

Our Buyer has secured a purchase of Men's and Women's Fine Shoes. There are Shoes in this lot which will measure up to the best we have offered in the last three or four sales which have been put on by this store. We would call your attention to the window displays and when you have seen the styles and noticed or yourself the quality of the leather, the fit and workmanship of each pair, you will be more than convinced that this sale is out of the ordinary. Come to this store on Saturday and, when here, do not fail to visit the Shoe Department.

### Ladies' Boots
**$3.00 Value, $1.99**

Ladies' Fine Patent Leather, Dongola and Calf Laced or Buttoned Boots, great variety to choose from, very special value, Saturday Bargain, per pair .....$1.99

### Ladies' Boots
**$3.00 Value, $1.99**

Ladies' Tan Calf Buttoned Boots, laced, sizes 2½ to 6, splendid styles, plenty for everybody, real value for $3.00 a pair. Saturday Bargain, per pair .....

### Ladies' Boots
**$3.50 Value, $2.19**

Ladies' Tan Calf Boots, sizes 2½ to 6, buttoned, real value $3.50. Saturday Bargain .....$2.19

### Ladies' Boots
**$3.50 Value, $2.49**

Ladies' Black Patent Leather and Tan Calf Boots, Blucher style, laced, very good selection, Saturday Bargain, per pair .....$2.49

### Men's Boots
**$3.50 Value, $2.49**

Men's Tan and Black Calf Boots, sizes 4 to 10, laced and buttoned styles would be good value at $3.50. Saturday, per pair....$2.49

### Men's Boots
**$3.50 Value, $2.49**

Men's Fine Patent Leather Laced and Buttoned Boots, sizes 3½ to 10½, would be good value at $3.50. Saturday .....$2.49

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## "Telephone System not Satisfactory.

**"Board of Trade Members attack Automatic Service at Annual Meeting.**

"The Telephone System, not only in Calgary, but throughout the province, was severely criticised at the annual meeting of the Board of Trade, held yesterday afternoon at the Board Rooms.

"Considerable discussion took place and it was the general opinion that the present automatic system was not suitable for large cities. J. A. Valiquette said it has been found in American cities that the automatic system was not satisfactory. When the calls got into five figures, the machines were very inaccurate, and caused considerable inconvenience.

"J. H. Woods said that the situation in Calgary was very bad. Applicants for telephones were kept waiting for months for phones. He understood that the trouble was that there was no supply of material, and that the outlook was very unsatisfactory.

**WILL INVESTIGATE SYSTEM.**

"A motion was passed that the president appoint a committee to investigate the telephone system, and take up the matter with the Provincial Government."


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# INVENTOR'S WIFE HELD FOR MURDER

## Chicago Grand Jury Indicts Mrs. Morrow and Trial Is Expected to Be Sensational.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Rena B. Morrow was indicted by the grand jury for the murder of her husband, Charles B. Morrow, an inventor, who was found shot to death in his home, 4545 Michigan avenue. Mrs. Morrow is well known in south side social circles, and is a poet.

The case promises to be one of the most sensational ever heard in the criminal courts of Illinois, the reputation and social standing of the accused woman giving great interest to the trial.

"I expected that I would be indicted," said Mrs. Morrow. "The news did not come as a shock. There exists a conspiracy against me, and I am the victim of a strange set of circumstances. Before God and man I am innocent of having taken the life of my husband."

The body of Mr. Morrow, frozen stiff, with two bullet wounds, was found on the rear porch of his home.

### GOVERNMENT MASTER OF SITUATION IN LISBON

Lisbon, Portugal, Feb. 2.—Apparently the government is master of the situation in the Lisbon district, where, owing to the gravity of the general strike a day or two ago, martial law was declared. It was officially announced tonight that there is not a single strike in Portugal, but this simply means that the strikers and their adherents have been overawed by the military display.

### FARMERS HOLD WOLF DRIVE.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 1—Wolves in the country surrounding this city have become such a menace to young stock and poultry that organized measures have been undertaken in several localities for their extinction. In the lone jack neighborhood several hundred farmers engaged in a wolf drive.

The dry weather of last summer offered a favorite season for rearing young wolves, and it is said the animals are more numerous than for many years.

### WANT TYPHOID VACCINE SUPPLIED FREE

Toronto, Feb. 1.—A deputation of medical men waited upon Hon. W. J. Hanner and Dr. W. S. McCulloch, chief medical health officer, to-day to ask that typhoid vaccine be supplied free by the government to all physicians in the lumber camps of the north. It was pointed out that the camps were always in danger of an outbreak of typhoid, which would be greatly lessened if vaccine were used wore freely.

### REORGANIZATION OF A RAILWAY COMPANY.

New York, Feb. 2.—Plans for reorganization of the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railway Company which has been in the hands of receivers since 1908, have been practically completed. They call for reductions in the company's capital of about $18,000,000, that is bond and stock issues aggregating $38,800,000 have been scaled down to about $20,000,000. A new prior lien mortgage will be made and short term priced lien five per cent bonds to the amount of $12,000,000 to $15,000,000 will be issued from time to time. Adjustment income bonds to the amount of about $6,000,000 will be authorized. New preferred and common stock issues will also be authorized. The announcement of the organization will probably come in a few days.

### DOUKHOORBS WILL GET LITTLE CONSIDERATION

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 2.—It is not considered likely that the Doukhobors, who purpose an exodus from Saskatchewan to British Columbia, and in behalf of whom a deputation is in Ottawa, will receive any consideration at the hands of the government.

The deputation, headed by Peter Veregin, waited upon the Minister of the Interior, and presented the claims of the intending emigrants from the province of Saskatchewan.

The colony, it will be remembered, has, since its arrival, refused to take out naturalization papers, and therefore not being Canadian citizens, the members could not obtain any deed to the lands upon which they practically "squatted."

They now recognize the fact that in leaving these lands they relinquish all claim to them in the absence of any deed, and that the lands in question automatically pass back to the government. The deputation, however, claimed that the people ought to be given some compensation for the improvements which they have made on the land during their occupation, and ask that they be either allowed that compensation or else be allowed to purchase the land at a nominal sum of, say, $3 per acre. In this way they obtain the deed without becoming Canadian citizens.

On the other hand, however, it is naturally contended by the government that they have reaped many harvests from the land without cost, and that moreover the improvements which they have made are counteracted by the depreciation in the crop price bearing qualities of the land.


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# SHAKESPEARE AS CURE FOR PHTHISIS

## Tried and Found Effective by Amateur Actor Who Cried for Poet's Hero Parts.

Denver, Col., Feb. 2.—"Shakespeare cured my of lung trouble," declared Geore S. Swartz, who gave the play of Richard III., before the art and literary department of the Woman's Club.

"When I was a boy," he continued, "I got the Shakespeare craze and learned seven of his plays by heart. In later years I almost forgot them until my physician informed me not long ago that my lungs were weak. I decided to try to strengthen them by the Shakespeare cure—that is, by indulging in the howling and ranting which accompanies the fine ecstasies of so many of the great poet's heroes.

"The cure has been absolutely successful, and to-day I consider myself a well man. In gratitude I have built a small theatre in the basement of my home, and there I give a Shakespeare play ever Friday night. Any one who is an admirer of Shakespeare is welcome.

"I came to give these public performances in this way: While engaged in howling for the sake of my lungs I found that there were actually a few persons who enjoyed listening to me. A little success goes a long way with me, so I decided to give more people the opportunity of seeing these performances if they so desired. I have four or five amateur assistants, but I play all the leading roles myself.

"Next Friday night I shall give 'Richard III.' in full in my theatre. The following Friday the performance will be 'Macbeth' and later 'King Lear,' 'Hamlet' and 'Two Gentlemen of Veronia.' It is my greatest ambition to live long so that it can be said that every play of Shakespeare was given under my roof. That is the way in which I hope to repay the immortal poet for curing me of lung trobule."

Mr. Swartz was assisted in his interpretation o "Richard III." by Miss Lyndall Lee, who took the part of Lady Anne, and by two boys, Lyle and Vernie Ahrens, who played the parts of the two young prices. The performance was received with enthusiasm by the women.

### ALASKA RACE WON BY WOMAN'S DOGS.

**Mrs. Darling's Team Aagain is Victorious in Carnival Sweepstakes.**

**of 412 Frozen Miles.**

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 1—The All-Alaska Sweepstakes, the greatest sporting event in the Far North, has again been won by the team owned by Mrs. C. E. Darling, of Berkeley, according to a despatch received by the owner from Nome.

The despatch was sent by "Scotty" Allen, the driver of the team, and read "Greetings. Success. We have won the carnival sweepstakes."

The Darling team has beaten the best teams in the North. Last year the team won the same race, bringing their owner a great deal of glory and $6,000 in money.

The distance travelled by the dogs in the race is 412 miles. They covered the route in eighty-one hours last year.

### MR. BOURASSA ON LORD BERESFORD'S BOOK

Montreal, Feb. 2—Henri Bourassa, in Le Devoir, to-day, makes some rather strong statements, following the publication of excerpts from Lord Charles Beresford's book "The Betrayal." He says:

"The publication of Lord Beresford's book gives us ground for reflection. Has Canada reached the apogee of its power in regard to the command of the seas? Mr. McKenna, whom Beresford practically chased out of office, was the man who gave us the Laurier navy. The only ones who have any right to demand an enquiry into the Beresford charges are the electors of the United Kingdom, our 'brother' and our 'equals' theoretically, but our 'masters' in fact. What we can do is to tell the British authorities that we are not prepared to enter into any blind agreement with any organization which is 'absolutely useless.' Why, seeing that the Laurier Government was overthrown on the naval question just as much as on reciprocity, should the naval law not be repealed? Then the new Government could propose any measure it saw fit for the defence of the country."

### GRAIN HANDLED IN FIVE MONTHS AT WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Feb. 2—The Dominion of Canada Grain Inspection Department has issued official figures of grain handled at this point for the first five months of the grain year, from Sept. 1 to Jan. 31, showing a big increase as compared with the same period a year previous. Grain shipments for the five months just closed totalled 91,483 cars as against 59,177 cars the previous year, or an increase of 32,306 cars, or 54 per cent. Distribution of this increase is as follows: Canadian Pacific, 50,777, against 66,154 cars; Canadian Northern, 95,647, against 18,111 cars; Grand Trunk Pacific, 8,776, against 4,099 cars; Great Northern, 2,283 against 813 cars.

### KILLED BY A CAB.

Montreal, Feb. 2—Frank Langan, of 79 St. Famille street, met with fatal injuries last evening, being struck by a cab, and dying to-day. The shaft caught him over the heart and inflicted fatal injuries. A sad feature of the case was that a few days ago his wife had been called to Midland to nurse a son who was seriously ill with appendicitis.


# THE GRANDE ALLEE APARTMENT HOUSE

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### PLUCKY WORK OF NURSES IN CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL.

Winnipeg, Feb. 2—Fire broke out before daylight this morning in one of the lower wards in the new Children's Hospital on Main street, directly beneath where twenty little patients were sleeping, and furnished a demonstration of pluck and presence of mind on the part of the nureses in charge. The fire gained such headway that before it was got under control three thousand dollars damage was done. But while the fire was being fought, the nursing staff quickly and without flurry, wrapped up the little ones in blankets, it being more than 20 below zero, and carried all to safety. The fire started at 5.54 o'clock and was under control in an hour.


# CURED OF EPILEPSY

**A Case That Should Bring Hope to Other Sufferers.**

Epilepsy is one of the most serious troubles that afflict the human race. This trouble is also known as "falling sickness" or "fits." The patient suddenly loses consciousness and falls. The muscles become rigid and there is a twitching of the race and limbs, sometimes accompanied by frothing of the mouth. The convulsion is followed by a deep sleep varying in duration. In the early stages the attack may only occur at intervals of several months, but as the disease progresses they become more and more frequent, the patient becomes debilitated and the mind weakened. Epilepsy is generally regarded as incurable, but taken in its earliest stages has in many cases been cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which enrich the blood, strengthen the system, thus enabling is to resist the progress of the disease. The following case will be of interest to any who suffer from this terrible malady. Mrs. John Mather, Bancroft, Ont., says: "My little son, Clive, at the age of five was stricken with spasms or fits and despite all we did for him, for the next five years was afflicted with them, apparently growing worse. He was under the care, at various times, of five different doctors, but they did him no good. He was growing worse all the time, until he got so bad he would sometimes have twelve of these spasms in twenty-four hours. I sent him to the Sick Children's Hospital, where they pronounced the trouble epilepsy, but did not help him. Later he was treated by a specialist, but to no avail. I was almost in despair when my mother advised me to give him Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got the pills and gave them to him, strictly following the directions as to diet. He continued taking the pills for several months, the spasms gradually coming less frequently, and with less severity, and finally they ceased altogether. It is now about two years since he took the last of the pills, and he has not had a fit in that time, and is now as well and strong as other boys of his age. I have great reason to be grateful for what the pills have done for him, and hope this may be of value to some other sufferer."

These pills are sold by all medicine dealers or may be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.


### TEMPERANCE FORCES WON.

Lake Megantic, Que., Feb. 1.—The temperance forces won out to-day and secured the election of A. B. Gendrau as mayor by a majority of 12.


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### DIED.

ALLARD—At Cap Rouge, on the 1st February, 1912, Dame Philomene Gosselin, wife of T. H. Allard, aged 71 years and 6 months.

The funeral will take place on Monday, 5th instant, the remains leaving the late residence of deceased at 8.30 for the parish church, where mass will be celebrated, and thence to St. Charles Cemetery.

The deceased was a member of the Confrerie du Rosaire, du Icaporlaire, Zelatrice de St. Viateur and of the Rosaire Perpetuel.

Friends and relatives are requested to attend without further notice. Montreal papers please copy.

JULIEN—At St. Jean Baptiste, on the 2nd instant, Honore Julien, culler, formerly of Sillery, aged 74 years.

The funeral wll take place on Monday morning at 9 o'clock, the remains leaving the late residence of deceased, 73 Richelieu street at 8.45 for St. Jean Baptiste church, and thence to Belmont cemetery.

Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

ROMERIL—On the 1st inst., Marion McDonald, wife of George Romeril, confectioner.

Funeral Saturday at 2 o'clock, from her brother's residence, No. 7 Artillery street, for St. Matthew's church, and thence to Mount Hermon cemetery.

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## IN AND ABOUT TOWN

## WINTER NAVIGATION OF THE GULF

**Will Be Impossible for Montcalm to Make Trip From Gaspe to Bay of Islands.**

Hon. L. P. Pelletier, Postmaster-General, in a letter to the Quebec Board of Trade, states that it does not seem possible to have the suggestion with regard to the proposed trip of the steamer Montcalm to the Gulf of St. Lawrence to have the vessel make her trip from Gaspe to Bay of Islands. The Minister of Marine states that it is out of the question to make the attempt this winter as owing to the Lady Grey being laid up the Montcalm will have quite as much as she can do to make the trip to Seven Islands in addition to her usual task of breaking ice in the winter.

A letter received by a prominent wholesale firm of Quebec from Mr. Chas. R. Scoles, General Manager of the Atlantic and Western Railway, says : "I have noticed that the Council of the Quebec Board of Trade has asked Hon. L. P. Pelletier to permit the Montcalm to go to Gaspe next month and to see if the ice could not be kept sufficiently broken to permit a vessel or steamer to run between Bay of Islands, Nfld., and Gaspe. You must understand what a great benefit that would be, if this was practicable, and it would be the means of revolutionizing transportation between Newfoundland and Canada.

### TRINITY CHURCH.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop Grisdale will preach in Trinity Church on Sunday, Feb. 4th, at the 11 o'clock service.

### BAND AT QUEBEC SKATING RINK.

The band will play this afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Spectators will be admitted on payment of 10 cents.

### QUEBEC GAOL CALENDAR.

There are at present one hundred and twenty-one prisoners in the Quebec gaol, eight of whom are females. Fifty of the total come from the Montreal gaol owing to overcrowding there.

### WEDDING BELLS.

At Montreal on the 31st of January was celebrated at St. Louis de France the marriage of Mr. James Thurber of Calgary, to Miss Jeanne Coutellier, daughter of late Mr. Coutellier of La Banque Nationale of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurber are leaving on a three months' trip to visit Egypt and the principal cities of Europe.

### RECORDER'S COURT.

Three prisoners appeared before the Recorder yesterday. One for being drunk and resisting the police was fined $14 and costs or twenty-three days' jail. Two men who were discharged on Thursday on charges of drunkenness, were up again yesterday on similar charges and were fined $10 and costs or one month each.

### METHODIST CHURCH.

The message of the Fourth Ecumenical Methodist conference, which is to be given from the pulpit of every Methodist Church in the world tomorrow, will be heard here at the morning service. In the evening, the subject will be the important question of "Church Union," on which the vote is to be taken this month. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at the morning service.

### EXPRESS COMPANIES AGAINST RAILWAY.

The express companies of the city have issued a challenge to the railway companies for a hockey match. The challengers are going at express speed, which they think can beat the ordinary railway speed. If the game takes place, there will be a collision which may make a real sensation.

### CHALMER'S CHURCH.

At the evening service tomorrow the minister's subject will be "Christian Certainty." A few days ago Mr. Martin received a letter from a modern agnostic in which he states his position on some vital questions. These portions of the letter will be read and discussed in the service tomorrow evening. The meeting of the W. F. M. C. on Monday afternoon at 3.30 promises to be an interesting one, as the president of the Presbyterial will be present to give an address.

### QUEBEC BAPTIST CHURCH.

The sixty-sixth annual meeting was held on January 31, in the lecture room, the pastor, Rev. Hugh A. Ellis, in the chair. There was a fairly good attendance and a lively interest in church affairs. The several reports were very encouraging—the Church, the Sunday School, the Mission Circle, Mission Band, the Ladies' Aid and the B. Y. P. U. The old officers in most instances were re-elected, and thanked for past services.

Though the church has lost numerically and financially during the year, it has more than held its own, showing a clear increase of 11 in membership, and most liberal and hearty giving in all departments. Few churches do as well for home and foreign missions. The pastor lives in the affections of his people and his preaching is highly appreciated and large results are looked for. The annual Sunday School tea is expected to take place on the 8th instant, and the young people are looking eagerly for it.

## NOTABLE MUSICAL EVENT IN QUEBEC

**First Production of "Madame Chrysantheme" in America Last Evening.**

Quebec rose to the occasion last evening, and crowded the spacious Auditorium to its fullest extent, when the first performance in America of "Mme. Chrysantheme," the four act opera of Andre Messager, by the Montreal Opera Company, took place.

"Montreal has never done so much for us as has Quebec," said a member of the company, "and we have never had such a house for any single performance."

The audience certainly was a great one. It was also a most fashionable one, all the leading people of the city seemingly being in attendance. It does not often fall to Quebec to be the scene of such a remarkable musical event as the first presentation of an opera outside of Europe.

Barring a few little unavoidable delays between the acts, the opera ran very smoothly and there was nothing to indicate that the company had been playing it right along. The mounting of the piece was perhaps the most picturesque of any which the Montreal Company has put on in Quebec. The scenery was simply magnificent, and the cherry blossom land was portrayed in a manner that added great charm to the opera. The honors of the evening fell to Madame La Palme, who was a most bewitching "Mme Crysantheum," and was called before the curtain again and again and presented with several bouquets. Mme. Riviers and Choiseul were in good voice. M. Sterlin made a good Pierre, and M. Bouafe as Yves; M. Stroesso as Kangoron, and M. Allan as Sucre, all fitted into their parts most acceptably.

The music of the opera is in lighter vein than those which have been presented so far this week. There at times seemed to be a flash of "Mikado" and again a remembrance of "Madame Butterfly." There were Gilbert and Sullivan sailors of "Pinafore," and the Japs of "Mikado," but the music was Messagers, and it was interpreted in a manner that showed careful study and preparation. Mr. Hasselmans conducted with rare taste, and the orchestra did it full share in making the production a notable one.

Today there will be two performances. "Rigoletto" will be produced in the afterroon, and "Romeo and Juliet" in the evening. Both casts will be very strong.


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### QUEBEC STEAMSHIP COMPANY

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### TO APPEAL FROM LICENSE COMMISSIONERS DECISION

The recent decisions of the License Commissioners confirming a number of licenses in this city has anything but pleased the Anti-Alcoholic League, who now threaten to appeal to thhe Superior Court from the Commissioners decision.

### EXHIBITION OF FRENCH CHINA.

Arrangements have been made with the representative of Messrs Bernardand & Cie, the famous makers of Lemoges china, to give an exhibition of their different lines of ware, at our store, 10 St. John street, commencing Monday, February 5th.

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### FOUND HIS WIFE AFTER FIVE YEARS SEARCH

Chatham, Ont., Feb. 2—After a search of five years duration, leading through many parts of America, in search of his wife, who deserted him, taking with her a family of three children, a resident of Massachusetts arrived in the city on Thursday and learned that his wife was living in this city with another man. He communicated with Crown Attorney Smith and learned that such cases are not within the jurisdiction of the Crown to prosecute. He has engaged a lawyer to secure possession of the children.

## NEW COUNCIL BOARD OF TRADE

**Held Its First Meeting—Several Interesting Questions at the Session.**

At the first meeting of the new Council of the Board of Trade, Mr. Wm. A. Marsh presided. The other members present were Messrs. Jos. Picard, 1st Vice-President ; J. G. Scott, 2nd Vice-President; J. P. E. Gagnon, Treasurer; M. Joseph, A. E. Scott, O. W. Bedard, Nap. Kirouas, J. B. Morrissette, Jos. Savard.

The new members of the Council were sworn in by the President, the latter and the Vice-President having previously been sworn in by the Mayor of the city.

A letter was read from Mr. Clarke, of Clarke City, asking the assistance of the Board in having the Federal Government sending the ice-breaker Montcalm to the principal points on the North Shore if possible. Several Quebec merchants have supplies to ship and the Island of Anticosti is also awaiting important pieces of machinery as well as supplies.

The Council received a reply from the Hon. L. P. Pelletire to the effect that the Montcalm would start on or about the 8th of February for Seven Islands.

The Council decided to recommend the Government to aid the proposed Canadian section of the proposed international road from Florida to Canada, provided that the Canadian section, which runs from Rouse's Point to Montreal, and which will be called Boulevard King Edward VII., is extended to Quebec.

The resignation of G. A. Vandry as representative of the Board on the Harbor Commissioners was accepted with expression of regret and thanks to him for his services. According to the rules of the Board, the President of the organization becomes the representative on the Harbor Commission, and Mr. Marsh will be the new man on the Commission.

A lengthy communication from Mr. Charles Bellerive in regard to certain civil reforms was read and was referred to the President for study.

The different committees for the ensuing year were appointed.

## CARNIVAL ON ST. LAWRENCE RINK

**Very Enjoyable Time Was Spent by Merry Crowd Last Evening.**

One of the most successful carnivals which has taken place in Quebec for a long time past was that which was held on the St. Lawrence Rink last evening. Nearly two hundred skaters were in costume, and everybody had a delightful time.

There were several hundred specators, and the scene was a fairy-like one, the decorations of the rink and the many and variegated costumes of the skaters all combining to make the event an interesting one.

Splendid music was provided by Gingras's band, and nothing was left undone to make the carnival one of the merriest gatherings of young people.

There were all kinds of costumes, and among them were many original ones. There were "Mother Hubbards," chauffeurs, fishermen, jockeys, fortune tellers, et al. General Wolfe and Kathleen Mavourneen, President Bill Taft, Mephisto, cowboys, Jack Johnson and many other well-known characters all seemed to be old acquaintances and joined forces in the general enjoyment. There were Wild West girls, summer girls, snowshoe girls, and many other kinds of girls and between them all came Little Red Riding Hood, Mary, Queen of Scots, Queen Mary, the Irish Queen, the Fairy Queen, and many other regal characters also disported themselves, while the Highland Lassie and Miss Canada moved about with the "Snowflakes" and hockey and snowshoe girls with a freedom that showed that Canada was a democrat in winter sports.

The carnical was one that reflected the greatest credit upon the manager of the St. Lawrence Rink, and the evening's entertainment was one that will not easily be forgotten.

### HOT GAMES PLAYED IN HALIFAX.

Halifax, N.S., Feb. 2—Two hockey matches were played to-night in the Maritime Pro. League. At New Glasgow it was a terrific game with the Crescents of Halifax. At the end of full time the score stood seven to seven. Overtime play began and continued for half an hour with no new scoring. The play continued still longer and at 11.45 o'clock New Glasgow shot a goal, making the score 8 to 7.

In Halifax the Socials won from Moncton with a score of 6 to 5. At the end of the first period it was 4 to 1 in favor of Moncton, at the second 5 to 3 for Moncton, but at the end the figures were 6 to 5 in favor of the Socials.

Capt. Fred. Gauthier and Mrs. Gauthier, of Winnipeg, are in town, and are the guests of their brother-in-law, Mr. Antoine Taschereau. Capt. and Mrs. Gauthier have a large circle of friends in this city, the gallant captain having for several years been A.D.C. to Lieut.-Governor Letellier de St. Just.


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"My command used your Peruna during our service in the Spanish-American War, and I will say this, that if the War Department records are consulted, it will be found that the casualties in my regiment were less than in any other regiment of the Army Corps while at Camps Alger, Meade and Bushnell. The total deaths in my regiment during the seven months' service, were seven out of a total number of 1400. I, of course, cannot help but think that Peruna certainly was a great benefit to my command."

**Cold Settled on Lungs.**

Mr. Samuel McKinley, 1215 Grand Ave., Kansas ity, Mo., writes: "I can honestly say I owe my life to Peruna.

"Traveling from town to town, having to go into all kinds of badly heated stores and buildings, sometimes standing up for hours at a time while plying my trade as auctioneer, it is only natural that I had colds frequently.

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"Last December I contracted a severe case, which, through neglect on my part, settled on my lungs. When almost too late I began doctoring, but without avail, until I heard of Peruna It cured me, so I cannot praise it too highly."

**Head and Nose.**

Mr. W. J. Harper, Lehigh, Cleveland Co., Arkansas, wites: "I do not know how to express my thanks to you for the good you have done me in treating me for catarrh.

"I was a great sufferer from the effect of chronic catarrh of the head and nose. I was continually hawking and spitting, and I had entirely lost my sense of smell. I had tried various remedies, but nothing did me any good.

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### $10,000 ACTION AGAINST THE CITY OF MONTREAL

Montreal, Que., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Marie Boillard, in a suit started today against the cit yof Montreal for $10,000 alleges that her seven-year-old son, Ernest Poirier, had lost the use of his left arm as a result of a vaccination performed upon his arm by one of the city's physicians in accordance with the compulsory vaccination law.

### OPTION ON PROPERTY IS DECLARED OFF

Montreal, Que., Feb. 2.—The Protestant Board of School Commissioners have tendered back to Mr. J. C. McGreevy of Winnipeg a cheque for $1,000 and the interest on the amount fo reight months, theprice he paid for an option on their Peel street property, as he has failed to take advantage of it, and their do not wish the property tied up any longer.

The commissioners believe they can dispose of the property elsewhere, but it appears that Mr. McGreevy has refused to accept their cheque, despite notorial notice, which, it is declared, has been served on him. He contends, it is understood, that the negotiations have gone so far that the property is now practically his.

### FIGHT BETWEEN MONGOLS AND CHINESE

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—A despatch received here from Harbin says that Mongols this morning attacked the Chinese garrison at Lubin-Fu, which is situated near Manchuria station,, in northeast Manchuria. The commander of the Russian garrison posted a detachment to prevent the violation of the neutrality of the railway. One Russian officer was killed and a Russian soldier wounded during the conflict. The Russian commander then ordered that all persons who had fired on the Russians be disarmed and placed under arrest.


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# CODE TELEGRAMS USED BY PACKERS

**To Give the Price of Meat to Their Different Branch Houses.**

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 2.—A code telegram, showing the average selling price and margins for Armour & Co., the National Packing Company, Morris & Co., and Swift & Co., for sales of dressed beef in Boston for the week ended July 16, 1910, which was received at the Chicago offices of the National Packing Company, was introduced in evidence at the packers' trial today.

The message, which was received in the course of business, was addressed to Vice-President Patterson, head of the dressed beef department; Assistant Manager Munnscke and President Edward Tilden of the National Packing Company.

It was the first time in the trial that Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing Company, and one of the defendants, had been mentioned as having received the prices and margins of competing companies.

The telegram was sent to Chicago over the company's private wire by Manager Perkins, in charge of the National Packing Company's branch house in Boston.

Joseph J. Reisch, formerly head of the shipping department of the National Packing Company, identified the telegram, but said he was not certain that the figures were the same as on the the paper he introduced before the federal grand jury, which returned indictments against the packers.

The telegram read: "Boston, July 16, 1910.—Patterson, Munnscke & Tilden: 11.52 minus 28, 11.27 minus 30, 11.11 minus 40, 10.77 minus 13. Signed Perkins."

Reisch interpreted the message to the jury and said that the first row of figures was the average selling price, and the second row fas the minus margin, whicrh indicated that the beef had been sold that week below the test cost. Te said the first price was for the sale of Armour & Co., the second for the National Packing Co., the third for Morris & Co., and the last for Swift & Co.

Reisch testified that all the time he was connected with the beef department of the company, similar telegrams from Boston and New York, giving the selling prices and margins of the packers Big Four, were received at the offices of the National Packing Company in Chicago each.

Reisch was on the stand when court adjourned until tomorrow.

### SCHOONERS IN COLLISION.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Feb. 2.—The schooner Rebecca Palmer, from Portland for Coalport, which passed here this afternoon with her headgear carried away, reported that when in the ice on Nantucket Shoals the schooner George W. Walcott sailed across her bow and carried away her jibboom with sails and rigging attached. Her hull was undamaged. The Walcott was also from Portland for Coalport, and received but slight injury. She proceeded to her destination.

### A SYNDICATE TO START FIRES FOR A CONSIDERATION

New York, Feb. 2—A syndicate which will guarantee the destruction of property by fire at the rate of $250 a fire, for the benefit of those desirous of collecting insurance, was declared to exist in New York city today by Judge Swann, of the Court of General Sessions. In remanding for sentence Antonio Bertalino, a grocer, convicted of setting fire to his own store, Judge Swann said that it was his opinion that the majority of the 17,000 fires in New York last year were of incendiary origin. "We know, although we cannot put it in evidence," he continued, "that any man who wants a fire in the city of New York, for a small consideration—my recollection is $250—paid to a syndicate, can have his house fired or his place fired in the most approved style known to those particular men of the syndicate." Fire bladders filled with kerosene and ether were found in Bertalino's place where it is alleged that goods valued at $900 were insured for $5,000.

### COMPANY HAS BIG NAME, BUT SMALL ASSETS

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 2.—Harry E. Wilson, the attorney who was appointed receiver of the Washington Orchard Irrigation and Fruit Company yesterday, was appointed receiver to-day of the Columbia River Orchard Company, the parent of the first named company. The Columbia River Orchard Company is alleged to have sold bonds to the face value of $3,250,000 to investors all over the United States. The Washington Orchard Irrigation and Fruit Company guaranteed the bonds and the Oregon-Washington Trust Company, of Fortland, Ore., was trustee for the bondholders. When Receiver Wilson entered upon his duties he forced his way into the offices supposed to be occupied by the fruit companies. He found two of the five rooms vacant. There were desks in the other three and these, on being opened, were found to contain only stationery. While the receiver was present a constable arrived with attachment papers and carried away the safe, which had been bought on credit. The receiver also was confronted by a bill for unpaid rent, and later the furniture company which had equipped the offices on credit telephoned demanding a settlement. All this time bondholders had been gathering in the hall, until the passageway was clogged. They demanded payment on the bonds. The receiver told them he was trying to discover if the companies had any assets.

# JOINT AGREEMENT IN CHINA'S CASE

**Is Desired by Germany—She Thinks the Time Is Ripe for Action.**

Berlin, Feb. 2.—Acco.ll.g to author itative views expressed here, the moment has arrived in the Chinese situation when a joint agreement by all the interested powers, including Japan and the United States, pledging themselves to take no step in China, except in common, is desirable and even necessary. Russia, Japan and the other powers to whom intentions of fishing in the troubled Chinese waters for their own advantage have been attributed, have promptly denied the insinuations, but it is realized here that the danger of intervention steadily is growing the longer the revolution continues.

Germany, it may be said, does not look with favor upon the possibility of separate action, either by an individual power or a group of powers. Her objects to such a move are self-evident.

Germany believes that the existence of a pledge by the powers to act only in concert in Chian might prevent any necessity of active intervention, especially if the powers gave the necessary weight to their representations at Peking and Shanghai. It has not been ascertained whether such an agreement has been proposed to the powers.

The possibility of Germany and the United States drawing together on their Oriental policies, in view of the danger of a general scramble for the outlying dependencies in the north and the south of the Chinese Empire, has been advanced by some persons familiar with Far Eastern conditions, but inquiries made today at the German Foreign Office elicited an answer which indicated that this idea has not yet been entertained there.

### THE DEATH ROLL.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—Mr. Hickson, advocate, member of the firm of Hickson & Campbell, died suddenly to-day.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 2.—General Luther S. Trowbridge, veteran appraiser of the Port of Detroit, comrade of General Custer and veteran of the Civil War, died to-day. He was 75 years old and two years ago suffered a stroke of paralysis.

### CHARGED WITH PASSING A WORTHLESS CHECK

Cornwall, Ont., Feb. 2.—J. A. O'Donnell, one-time manager of a bank at Cryster, was arrested last Friday on a charge of passing a worthless check for $15 at the Sterling Bank, Cornwall, last month, was this afternoon before Police Magistrate Danis. It is also alleged that on the day of his arrest O'Donnell endeavored to cash a check for $4,800 at the Sterling Bank at Mille Roches. The check was stamped "accepted at the Bank of Montreal, Torinquet, Sask.," a place which does not exist. Inquiries are being made as to his sanity, and it is said that he has spent some time in an asylum. This is the line of his defence. He was remanded for eight days.


### BABY'S HEALTH IN WINTER

During the winter months the mother finds it very difficult to keep her little ones well. Colds comes on quickly and the discomfort to the baby affects the whole household. To keep baby well during the winter he should be warmly clothed, have a daily bath, lots of fresh air, and Baby's Own Tablets should be given him occasionally to keep his little bowels working regularly, as nothing will bring on colds so quickly as a clogged condition of the bowels. Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine a mother can give her little ones. They break up colds, cure constipation and indigestion, expel worms and make baby bright and happy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.


### CANADIEN'S AND PITRE'S WRONG-DOING.

Montreal, Feb. 2—The Canadiens held a meeting to-night and discussed the case of Didier Pitare, the most brilliant player on their team, who practicaly threw away the game against Wanderers by a bit of attempted rough work which resulted in his being put out of the game. At the end of the meeting it was announced that Pitre had been fined $100, but the announcement is not taken seriously here, as it is the prevailing opinion that without Pitre the Canadiens would be put out of the running and would prove a poor drawing card, so that the speedy Frenchman is thought to hold the key of the situation, the announcement of a fine being only for effect.


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Denver, Col., Jan. 2—"Wagner's music has power to sooth the aching tooth," is a paraphrase of a well known saying that will be used when the theory advanced by Dr. Esther S. Cherry before the Woman's Club comes into general practice.

When that time comes physicians will prescribe liberal doses of "Die Walkure" for those suffering from insomnia, whole acts from "Gotterdammerung" for hysterical persons, and scenes from "Lohengrin" for those afflicted with headaches and other neuralgic complaints. Then phenacetine and trional and other drugs of German extraction will be placed in the discard and drug stores will give way to phonograph stores and mechanical piano emporiums.

All this Dr. Cherry did not say, but she did insist that music works wonders in curing nervous disorders. She was giving an interpretation of "Parsifal," the last and greatest "opus" Wagner wrote, and the medical talk was merely a digression, which was based on the assertion made by a Munich physician, Dr. Riverra, that Wagner's melodies, if they can be so characterized, have a healing effect peculiarly their own.

So convinced was Dr. Riverra of the efficacy of the master's music that he started a sanitarium where it was served to them morning, noon and night, and the trombone and base viol, the violin and the flute replaced physicians, nurses, attendants and medicines. His success was remarkable, Dr. Cherry said.

She attributed the powerful effect of Wagner's music on the ill to the fact that he put so much of his own vitality into his compositions. She had tested this doctrine herself, she said, and had found it efficacious.

Dr. Cherry read from all three acts of the opera, and Nelson Spratlen played passages from the opera on the organ to illustrate the readings.

### TO DEVELOP THE PORT OF ST. THOMAS, D. W. I.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., Feb. 2.—The Colonial Council to-day unanimously adopted a bill granting a concession to a Danish company to deepen the harbor of St. Thomas and build wharves, docks for the largest of steamers, ship yards and warehouses. According to a recent despatch from Copenhagen, Prince Waldemar, a brother of the Queen Mother Alexandra of Great Britain, was to be made president of the board of directors of the Danish company formed in Denmark to develop St. Thomas. The company, it was stated, considered that with the completion of the Panama Canal, St. Thomas would prove a valuable and important harbor and the international commercial shipping centre of the West Indies. The company, it is said, purposed to spend about $7,500,000 on the project. According to a bill introduced in the Danish Parliament, the government was asked to grant the company a concession in the harbor of St. Thomas for 99 years. The bill made St. Thomas and St. John a near-by Danish island, free ports.

### GOVERNOR WILL NOT INTERFERE IN CASE

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Governor Dix has denied the application for clemency made by Foulke E. Brandt, former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, of New York, who is serving a thirty-year sentence at Clinton prison for burglary.


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# UMBRELLA A ROOF IN ZERO WEATHER

## Mender Sleeps With No Other Shelter With Mercury Dropping to "22 Below."

Hudson, Mass., Feb. 2—Sleeping in a tent made of an umbrella top and four yards of old cambric, with the thermometer hovering around twenty below zero and with snow a foot deep by a man giving the name of Patrick H. Clark, who was arrested on a charge of vagrancy by Chief of Police Andrew Magorty in the woods off Broad street.

Complaints had been made to the police of the frequent visits for several days of a man who called at houses in the lower part of the town, asking for food, old papers and kerosene oil. Women jn the vicinity of Broad street hill became alarmed at his presence in the neighborhood, but one more courageous than the rest, Mrs. Euclid Peletier, an aged French woman, trailed Clark to a place where a path led into the woods. She later led Chief Magorty to where the path left the highway, about midway between Broad and Washington streets and directly opposite Forestvale Cemetery.

Following the path, which made a wide detour through the deep snow, they came upon Clark's place of abode. This consisted of an umbrella cover, around which old cambric had been sewed to provide sides and flap, the whole being suspended from the limb of a pine tree by a piece of hemp rope.

Pulling aside the flap, Chief Magorty found Clark huddled up within, reclining upon a bed of pine branches and with a one burner oil stove lighted to give heat. Outside the tent was a pile of old newspapers, and a number of tin pails used as cooking utensils.

Chief Magorty and a policeman pulled down the shelter.

Clark was arraigned on a charge of vagrancy. He gave his age as sixty-years, and residence Manchester, N. H., in which city he says he has relatives. He said he had been sleeping in the tent for three nights, coming to Hudson to ply his vocation as an umbrella mender.

The temperature in Hudson was 22 degrees below zero, and how Clark managed to survive in such weather is a mystery. He says he was a music teacher in his better days, and that he is a musician of no mean skill was demonstrated by a performance he gave in court on a chime of bells.

The Judge warned Clark that, while there is no law which forbids him to sleep out, there is a law which prohibits begging. The fact that the weather had been such that Clark could not very well go about in search of work was taken into consideration, and he was allowed to go on his way.

### GUNBOAT HAS 300 PARROTS.

San Francisco, Feb. 2—Bringing a tale of internal strife along the Central American coast, a forecastle full of Mexican parrots and 300 officers and men who are on their way to England, the British gunboat Algerine, Capt. Alexander K. Jones, arrived in San Francisco Bay from Acapulco.

When the local British officials boarded the vessel they were met by one of the noisiest receptions that it has been their good fortune to enjoy. Several thought at first that the Algerine's crew had been increased, but later they found that most of the noise came from parrots. The birds were perched everywhere, on the guns, the railing and even at the masthead.


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# ROMANCE OF RANCH SHATTERED IN CITY

## Wife Who as a Girl Was the Pet of the Cowboys Is Sued for Divorce.

Ponca City, Okla., Feb. 2—Back of the almost simultaneous filing of petitions for divorce, by both Mr. and Mrs. Zach T. Miller, lies a romance of the wholesome Oklahoma plains, whose craft of joy has been wrecked upon the perilous shoals of show life in distant cities. It is the story of a man and a girl, born and reared on the prairies, who married and might have lived happily ever afterward but for the lights and allurements of great centres of population.

Those who at any time for several years up to the summer of 1909 have witnessed the street parades of the 101 Ranch Wild West show may recall an unusually pretty young woman attired in a cowgirl habit of purple velvet, mounted upon the finest horse in the procession, her saddle and bridle resplendent in gold and silver embellishments. The picturesque figure was Mrs. Mabel Pettyjohn Miller, now suing Zach Miller for divorce at Oklahoma City and being sued by him at Newkirk.

She could ride fast and shoot straight, as her exploits in the show arena proved to delighted thousands. It was the allurement of the life incident to the Wild West show, avers the attaches of Miller's famous 101 Ranch, a few miles southwest of this city, that broke up the happy home of Zach Miller and his wife.

Mr. Miller has taken their only child, a girl of four years, to his relatives in Kansas City. In his petition he charges his wife with misconduct, habitual intemperance and extreme cruelty to the child.

Mrs. Miller, who has gone to live in Oklahoma City, alleges that her husband threatened to take her life, that he was extremely cruel to her and that he drank habitually. She asks for alimony in the sum of $250 a month pending the division of her husband's estate, which she says is worth $150,000, and for attorney's fees of $2,500.

Zach Miller grew up on his father's ranch, one of the largest in the United States.

From his early boyhood he was familiar with the great cattle round up, the herding and roping of sters and all the duties of cowboy life from the standpoint of the landed proprietor's son.

He loved the life. His luxuries were those of the well-to-do cattlemen—boots at $25 a pair, a sombrero at $15, a set of spurs at $50, a bridle at $100 and a saddle at $250.

He expected to spend his whole life on the big ranch, which stretches for miles along the Salt fork of the Arkansas River, where his brothers, Geo. and J. C. Miller, joined with him in growing all kinds of grain.

The little town of Red Rock, a few miles south of the No. 101 Ranch house, lies in what used to be the Otoe nd Missouri Indian reservation. There and Missouri Indian reservation. There was one hotel in the town, owned by G. W. Pettyjohn. Zach Miller had known little Mabel Pettyjohn, a pretty girl in short dresses.

When he began passing much of his time at Red Rock, about seven years ago, bartering with the horsemen and cattlemen coming up from Texas with stock to sell, he boarded at the Pettyjohn hostelry. The Pettyjohn girl had grown to be a beautiful young woman. She, like Mr. Miller, loved horses, and passed much of her time in the saddle. She was the idol of all the humble cowboys, and even of some of the Indian youths, who dared to look at her only from afar. Zach Miller, who gave promise of being a confirmed bachelor, fell in love with Mabel Pettyjohn and married her.

The couple went to live in the big ranch house. About that time the No. 101 Ranch Wild West show was being organized, and young Mrs. Miller passed much time on horseback witnessing the rehearsals and taking part in them.

Zach Miller was to go on the road with the show to look after the live stock. His bride pleaded that she be taken along.

"I want to see life in the cities," she said. "I can ride in the parades and also be a performer in the show. I'm sure it will be great fun—and then we can be together, you know."

Mr. Miller consented. For several seasons they travelled together with the show, which toured the entire country, especially the east. The winters they passed at home on the ranch. Every spring Mrs. Miller was more eager for the opening of the show season than she had been the preceding spring. She had come to love the glare and glitter of the life in cities.

Suddenly, two seasons ago, Zach Miller detached himself from the show and brought his wife back to the ranch. The couple settled down again to the ways of the plains. Mr. Miller was glad to be back, but his wife seemed to pine for the cities. Now Zach Miller has surprised his friends and employes by filing his petition for divorce, Mrs. Miller starting her suit only a few hours later.

### NEW BIRD IS DISCOVERED.

Washington, Feb. 2—On an expedition for the Smithsonian Institution in the Aleutian Islands, off Alaska, last summer, A. C. Bent discovered a new subspecies of ptarmigan, to be known as the Tanaga ptarmigan.

The bird belongs to the same general group with the domestic fowl. It exhibits a striking seasonal change of plumage. In winter it is pure white, while in other seasons it varies to brown, buff, gray or black.


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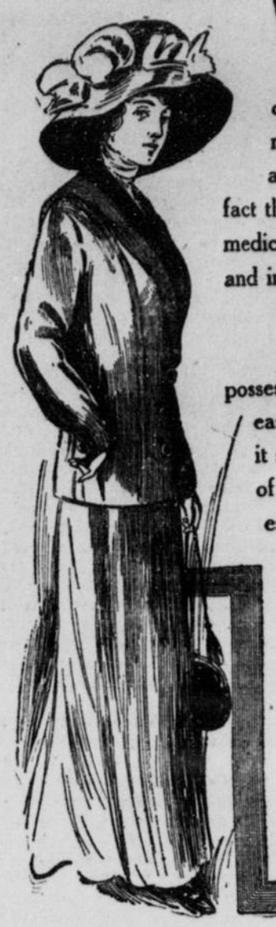

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By order of the Board.

B. B. STEVENSON,
General Manager.

Quebec, Jan. 19th, 1912.

Quebec, November, 1911.

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### LEASE OF WATER-POWERS

Notice is hereby given that the water-powers mentioned below will be leased at public auction, in the Sales-Room of the Department of Lands and Forests, in this City, on the 14th of May, 1912, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

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| Chute des Iroquois, | Vermillon River, Co. Champlain. |
| Rapide de l'Orignal, | Du Lievre River, Co. Ottawa. |
| Riviere des Eaux Mortes, | Hackett Township, Co. Champlain. |
| Kiamika Lake, | Co. Ottawa. |
| Ellis Bridge Rapids, | Ashupmuchuan River, Co. Lake St. John. |
| Chute de la Martine, | Metabetchuan River, Co. Lake St. John. |
| Grande Bostonnais River, | near La Tuque, Co. St. Maurice. |
| Batiscan River, | Notre-Dame des Anges Village, Co. Champlain. |
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Department of Lands and Forests,

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Truro, N. S., April 5, 1909.

Dear Mrs. Currah,—Your very kind letter was received yesterday. In reply to your question about my health, I am thankful to say that I am very well. As I have never given you a statement of my case you may be interested in it.

For several years I have suffered untold agony. This suffering was continuous, but I would have violent attacks every few weeks, each attack lasting several days. The first Sunday in November, I felt the pain increasing and so did not go to prayers. The rest of the family did go, and soon after the forcing down pains seized me and I had to remain on the floor until their return. I was in great pain all night and was very sick for a whole week.

Then Mrs. L. came to see me and told me of your wonderful medicine. I got my husband to send for it right away, as I was too sick to write myself. (My doctor could do nothing for me.) I have used 5 boxes of ORANGE LILY, have had three months of good rest, and am now well, never better in my life. I have not had the old pains since. I often ask my husband if it is myself that is going around and doing my own work. I can scarcely believe it. It brings tears of joy to my eyes. I could shout it to all the world. I cannot speak enough in its praise.

Your friend, MRS. E. H. F.

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# RUSSIAN COLONEL MURDERS ACTRESS

### Girl Had Been a Factory Hand in a Warsaw Mill His Family Owns.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2—Another scandal in the aristocratic fast set is furnishing rich food to the gossips. Col. Jevieckij, recently of the Emperor's hussars, having a beautiful and wealthy wife who dotes on him, killed Zenobia Scroczynska, a lovely young actress, in her apartment on the fashionable Angielski Prospect, the other night.

Col. Jevieckij visited Zenobia every day, took her to theatres, drove with her, was regarded as her affinity by all who knew them. She began life as a factory hand in a mill owned by the Colonel's family. Eight years ago, when she was seventeen, the Colonel carried her off to St. Petersburg. She has no histrionic talent, but she insisted that she must go on the stage; her protector paid large sums to assure her repeated appearance in one of the garden theatres here. Her gay temperament attracted many admirers, and that proved fatal to her; it was jealousy that aimed the pistol that Col. Jevieckij held. He is fifty, old enough to be her father.

The Colonel visited Zenobia at midnight a few days ago. The hour provoked no comment, as they kept late hours in her apartment. Soon after he arrived the other dwellers in the apartment house were startled by a pistol shot. Rushing out they met Col. Jevieckij running downstairs.

"Let me get the janitor and you shall hear all about it," he called over his shoulder. He did not return. The police soon discovered him in a little hotel, and he was put under military guard. He is deeply depressed and refuses to answer questions.

Zenobia was shot through the lungs. Half dressed, she was found dead on the floor of her bedroom. Of course no one knows what passed between the two. The Colonel's brother officers had visited Zenobia often and he had resented it.

The lovely Zenobia was a native of Warsaw and had no kin here. The Colonel's wife paid all the funeral expenses and bought a grave in the cemetery. This lady, who is a maid of honor at court, is deeply attached to her influence to preserve him from punishment. When asked why she looked after Zenobia's funeral she answered:

"The Colonel was so fond of her I could not leave her to the mercy of strangers."

None doubts that Jevieckij's influence and position will save him all trouble about the murder. He will be pronounced insane probably and sent to a private asylum for three months. After that he will be discharged as cured and return to his old haunts.

Society is busy trying to find out who made the Colonel mortally jealous, but so far without success.

# QUICK RESPONSE TO APPEAL FOR TEETH

### Denver Dentists Offer to Supply Sets to Aged Man Who Who Lost His Teeth.

Denver, Col., Feb 2—Upon the request of Mrs. James Williams, No. 1,456 Vine street, president of the Visiting Society for the Aged, the Denver Post published a suggestion that Denver dentists might do a praiseworthy deed by supplying with artificial teeth with which to eat it—a man 73 years old, unable to work, for whose care the Visiting Society for the Aged had taken responsibility.

Soon Mrs. Wiliams had received three offers to supply the man with teeth. One of the three offered to do work, free of charge, for any one of the proteges of the Visiting Society for the Aged, and that offer was accepted.

The man in whose behalf the appeal was made has been well cared for by Mrs. Williams and her assistants, he lacking only teeth to make him happy for the rest of his life, and he will have opportunity to make choice from a dozen offered sets.


## Famous Expert Tells

**How Fat May Be Removed Rapidly and Safely in Summer by a Simple Home Remedy Without Causing Wrinkles, Disturbing the Diet or Necessity for Exercise.**

"Fat is nothing but unused energy," says a prominent physician, and the man or woman who is burdened with it can easily get rid of it if they wish. All they need is 1-2 ounce of Marmola, 3-4 ounce of Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 4 3-4 ounces of Peppermint Water; all of which they can get at any good drug store for a few cents. Then let them take one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime until they are down to the weight they want to be.

This simple home recipe is far and away better than any or all the patent or secret medicines, for it reduces the fat safely and harmlessly, even during the hottest weather. The ingredients are in fact beneficial to the system, having both tonic and purifying qualities, and so help rather than distress the stomach. The remedy does not cause wrinkles, or it reduces one gradually and naturally, preserving a good outline, and, best of all, needs neither physical exercise to help it do the work nor does it require any change in diet—one can get results and still take things easy—eating meanwhile just what, when and how he or she pleases. Be sure and get the Marmola in a sealed package, so that you get Marmola and not a substitute.



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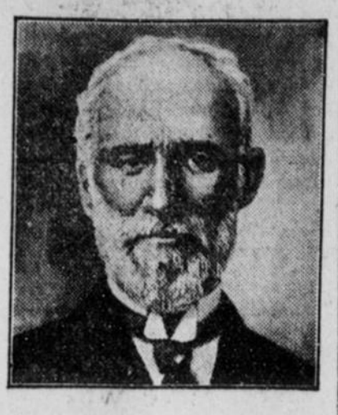

"I saw the strong testimonial in favor of 'Fruit-a-tives' by New Brunswick's 'Grand Old Man' Senator Costigan, and I knew that anything he stated was honest and true and given only to help his fellow-men. I tried 'Fruit-a-tives' and the effects were most marvellous, and now I am entirely well from all my Chronic Constipation that I suffered with for years."

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# TELLS OF COST OF WAR IN TRIPOLI

### Traveller Asserts That the Moslems Have Lost 50,000 and Italians 20,000 Men.

Denver, Col., Feb. 2—A Denver Post writer, now travelling in Europe, says in a letter from Italy:

"The war is interfering with commercial progress.

"It is costing much more than a million francs a day, and a great many lives. More than eighty thousand soldiers were sent to Tripoli There are now there 65,000 (40,000 more are on the way there). The difference between the 80,000 and 65,000 represents the wastage of war in the Italian dead, wounded and sick—nearly 20,000. But, according to Italian official statements, three times as many Moslems have been killed and incapacitated, say 50,000.

"The conflict then, up to to-day, the end of the year, after less than three months of battling, has brought death or ruin to 70,000 persons. The costs of the war added together for the two contending parties is reckoned at $300,000,000, while the dislocation of business and cessation of labor is another very but incalculable negative sum.

"Peace, settlement or unqualified victory for either side seems far away. The interests of the contenders are at opposite angles. The Italians are too far gone with their venture to withdraw; the Turks too angry to consider peace even though war may ruin their dynasty and the Moslem empire."

### WOES OF FILIPINO JOURNALISM.

Recently an every other day paper was started in Iloilo, the metropolis of the Island of Panay, in the Philippines. Filipinos set the type. Hence this:

"When a man has to set up type in language of which he understands nothing he is up against a hard proposition. He necessarily works slowly, painfully and unprecisely. The result of his labor is often a thing of beauty and joy forever. When the proofreader gets through with it the appearance is very similar to the record of the seismograph of an earthquake of horizontal and vertical components. When the alleged corrected sheet comes back—well, when it comes back several times, the proofreader realizes he is up against it. He cannot keep sending it back if the paper is to come out in the same calendar month. So all the typographical errors which will appear in the press are not to be attributed to the ignorance or the oversight of the management. At the same time we find it very convenient to have a goat. This is of no great interest to the public as news. We are not even sure that it is news. Nevertheless the public may forget it if not reminded from time to time."

### ANOTHER DUTY.

Judge:—"You are my wife's social secretary?" he asks of the beauteous creature who is seated at the small desk in the study.

"Yes, sir," she smiles. "I am supposed to take Mrs. Blirrup's place in as many social details as possible."

"Well—er—she doesn't seem to be coming downstairs this morning, and it has always been her custom to kiss me goodby when I start for the office."

# CHINESE MAID TO GO TO FIRING LINE

### Refuses to Let Her Fiance Depart for China Without Her and Will Be a Nurse.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 2—When duty stepped in and scurried the plans of Cupid and Hymen, and ordered Loo Chung Pok, instructor in the local revolutionary school back to China to fight against the Manchus, little Lau Bork Mun, a dainty, slim, dark-eyed Chinese maid of eighteen, could not think of living away from her ideal.

So with grim determination she announced that she, too, would go to the field and unite love with duty. And so she made her mother and brother and sister pack up, and will depart with her fiance.

Miss Lau Bork Mun has the distinction of being the most important figure in the Chinese revolutionary movement among the Chinese women in America. For a year she has been an instructor in the revolutionary school in lay street It was there she met Loo, then a sophomore in the University of California and an instructor in the Leong Dong, as the revolutionary school is called. Miss Lau had just arrived from China and Loo began to teach her English. She, too, became a teacher for him, darting lessons of love with every glance.

Then they became engaged. Then came the revolution. Then came the demand for men. Then came the decision to close up the school and send the men to fight with the revolutionists. The idea of parting with Loo became so distracting that little Miss Lau couldn't think life worth living. Suddenly a ray of light broke in upon her anxiety.

The American Missions called for Chinese girls to aid in picking line for the Chinese Red Cross. Why not join the Red Cross and be a nurse at Loo's side? And she hurried to Lau Lee See, her mother, and told her to pack and get ready to go to China.

"We will go together," said Loo. "And when the republic wins out and the battles are over we will get married."

# NO INTEREST CHARGE ON PRIEST'S LOANS

### Shepherd of a Kansas City Flock Ready to Help Parishioners in Need of Money

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 2—Practical cold weather charity is being dispensed by the Revd. Father J. W. Keyes, pastor of St James' Catholic Church, Fortieth street and Tracy avenue. Father Keyes personally looks after needly persons in his parish, whether members of the church or others. Last week he distributed a large quantity of coal and provisions. That work will be continued as long as the cold weather lasts or any one is in need.

Father Keyes has established also a little welfare loan agency of his own. It is customary in the Catholic churches for members of the congregation to make a Christmas offering to the pastor for his personal use.

"You have been more than generous to me," Father Keyes announced to his congregation. "I still have my offerings, and I wish to announce that if any member of the congregation is in need of a little money to tide him over this severe weather I will be glad to advance it for thirty or sixty days without interest."


## A WOMAN'S SECRET OF BEAUTIFUL HAIR

**Says Growth of Hair, Similar to That of Grass, Requires Rich Soil.**

Mildred King in Woman's Realm.

A woman friend of mine, possessing the most beautiful hair I have ever seen—long, healthy, luxuriant and in color a brilliant, glossy gold—said to me the other night: "Thousands of people suffer from total or partial baldness who could easily have hair, just as long and plentiful as mine, if they but understood the fundamental rules which govern its growth. The principle is identical to that governing the growth of plants, trees, etc. One cannot expect grass to grow in a cement sidewalk or in the sand. Then why expect it to grow on a scalp devoid of all life-giving elements. The hair, too, must be fertilized and nourished as surely as a gardener fertilizes his plants. If the scalp is dry, itchy and covered with dandruff, if the hair is gray or streaked, thin and split at ends, stringy, brittle or excessively oily, then the scalp needs nourishment or baldness will surely follow. Most hair tonics fail either because they do not possess the nourishing qualities and attack only the surface dandruff, acting as a mere "hair wash" or because they are not properly applied. Sprinkling on the hair does no good. The application must be rubbed briskly right into the scalp with the finger tips until the scalp pores have absorbed it. Doubtless many good treatments exist but I owe the life of my hair, which once was thin, scraggly, dead looking and coming out in handfuls with every combing, to the liberal use of the juice of the Pernambuco shrub which is known to all druggists by the pharmaceutical name of "Lavona de Composee." I mix 2 oz. of this juice, Lavona de Composee, with 6 oz. Bay Rum and 1-2 dr. of Menthol Crystals. Then I add just a teaspoonful of To-Kalon Perfume, giving a most delicate and pleasing odor to the hair. This should be shaken thoroughly and allowed to stand an hour before using. This mixture properly applied makes the hair grow with utterly amazing rapidity and by nourishing the hair roots stimulates the color sacs and restores natural color to gray or faded hair and makes it soft, fluffy and beautiful.

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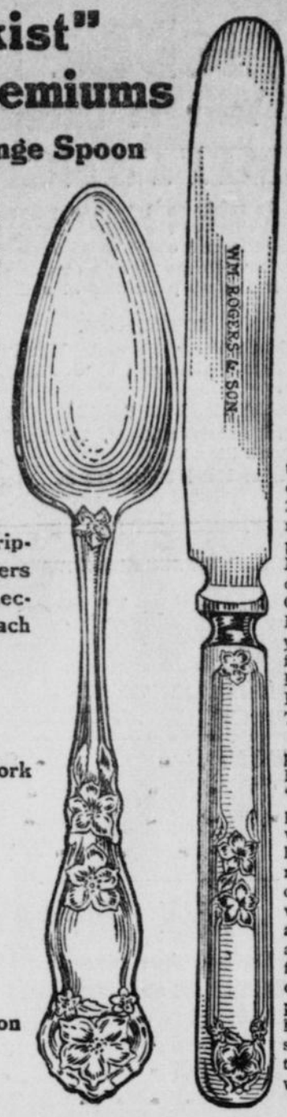


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# HEAVY-HITTERS IN SQUARE RING

### How Some of the Former Pugilistic Champions Won Their Battles.

Some of the heaviest hitters that ever drew on a boxing glove were men who never reached a championship — men who lacked cleverness enough to get them to the top, and who, in the long run, were worn down and put out of the game because they took blows to land one, and could not stand the gruelling forever.

Abe Attell is proverbial for light hitting. So was Jim Cobett, and yet both Corbett and Abe Attell are strong, sinewy, well-muscled men. They always preferred to take no risks and wear down their men rather than charge in and take long chances.

Battling Nelson could not hit especially hard, his blows being more in the nature of vicious shoves, and the Battler won by always boring in till he tired out the other fellow. Ad Wolgast, on the contrary, carries a knockout kick in the left hand—he is a left handed man—and the talk of sundry critics to the effect that Ad cannot knock men out with one punch is sheer absurdity.

Peter Maher is credited with having as hard a right hand punch as any heavyweight that ever lived. Peter could flash it in fact, too, and did little telegraphing before he shot it over. Bob Fitzsimons, though, had it on Peter and all of them, becaused he could hit hard with either mitten. Old Bob had an awkward cleverness, a queer foot shuffle and a trimp of humping up his shoulders to guard the jaw. Add to that a startling shift, and it wasn't hard for Bod to put either hand into the framework of an adversary. Robert, however, broke those hands all to pieces with his mighty swipes, and had no fighting tools at all in later years.

Terry McGovern could hit hard, but prefaced his knockout blow by a perfect storm of shoves and jolts from chin to belt. When his man was worried and giving ground under this attack, Terry would try the knockout, and it generally landed.

Young Corbett had a remarkable kick in the right hand, a fairly hard whang in the left, and a style of his own. He bored in like McGovern, but did not send in so many little blows. Resting his head on the victim's chest, he tried overhand swats, and usually got one in.

Joe Choynski, so those who fought him say, had a right-hand kick as heavy as that of Bob Fitzsimmons, and delivered even more suddenly. Bob Fitzsimmons says he never got such a whack in his life as when Joe hit him, while both Jim Jeffries and Tom Sharkey say Joe nearly broke their heads off the neck with his fearful smashes. Joe hadn't the weight, and his legs lacked endurance, and so he never was a champion.

Jim Jeffries, fallen idol, ought to have been a dreadful hitter, but his usual style—letting the other man come in, and then impaling him on a defensive punch—never showed how hard Jim could hit if he wanted to. He did let out some on Jack Munroe, and seemed to have a wallop quite in proportion to his stature.

Jack Johnson, too, has always preferred to hold back the punch and let the other man harpoon himself on it. People who have been hit by Mistah Johnsing say he has a lovely whack if he wants to use—a nice knockout in either hand.

Probaly the best combination of boxer and hard hitter than ever got inside the ropes was Tommy Ryan, whose footwork was equal to that of any featherweight, and who could hit a jarring knockout punch with either hand when the opportunity presented. Most of the sluggers, howevere, have been slow-footed, and most of the boxers have been gentle hitters. Tommy Ryans come only once in a generation.

### REPORT OF SEIZURE OF RED CRESCENT NURSES

Paris, Feb. 2.—The commission appointed to investigate the seizure by the Italian authorities of 29 Turkish members of the Red Crecent Society, who were passengers on the French steamer Manouba, handed its report to Premier Poincare today. The commission finds in favor of 27 of the Turks, who will be permitted to continue to Sfax, Tunis. Of the others, one is seriously ill, and the papers of the second have not been found satisfactory. The latter will not be allowed to proceed.

# FOREST IS TURNED INTO AN ORCHARD

### New York Man Shows What Energy and Little Money Can Accomplish.

White Salmon, Wash., Feb. 2—A record clearing is that of Dwight C Leeper, a young man of New York city. With a crew of ten men he began the task of transforming a dense forest of fir, pine and oak—some of which measured 12 to 18 feet in circumference—into a commercial orchard. By May 15 last he had 11 acres in apple trees and by November 15 last he had cleared and made ready for planting thirty-nine acres more, making fifty acres in all. Besides this he had sunk a sixty foot well, fenced the entire tract, hauled 40,000 feet of lumber twenty miles, built a stable and large bungalow.

Fifteen tons of powder were used in removing the stumps, as the charpit process was considered too slow. The work was superintended by Mr. Leeper's father, a civil war veteran, retired business man and traveller through Europe, Africa and the West Indies for several years.

Mr. Leeper's plans call for the construction of a beautiful home, the present bungalow to be occupied by the foreman; an immense combined packing house and stable, built on the Southern style, a half circle; a paved road from the main highway, and grounds laid out by an expert landscape gardener. In developing this place Mr. Leeper has spent $20,000, and many more thousands will be spent before Mount View Orchards is brought to the ideal home which the owner has set for the making of the best orchard in the West.

Mr. Leeper is unmarried, says he never intends to marry, that the orchard is one of his whims, but he is actuated largely by a desire to give his father a good home for the remainder of his years.


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### GREATEST DANGER THREATENING SOCIETY

New York, Feb. 2—Father Bernard Vaughan, the noted English Jesuit priest and orator, told an audience that crowded Carnegie Hall that the greatest dangers threatening society to-day are a lax system of divorce and marriage, cradleless nurseries and a system of education which demotes Christ from the rank of head master to a place on the back seat and instead of drilling an army is only arming a mob. Only by restoring Christian principles in all things, he said, can society be saved from approaching the low level of pagan Rome in the muddiest stage of its "muddy golden age." Father Vaughn spoke under the auspices of the Laymens' League for Retreats and Social Studies. Rev. Father Vaughn declared that present day society "while not yet at the cemetery, is heading rapidly toward it." He instanced as one of the causes of the decadence of the age the careless system of divorce, which, if not improved, he said, would be ruinous to the country. Socialism in its various phases, he also assailed. "Man and woman are in nothing alike," he said, "each gives to the other that what the other has not. Their union should be indissoluble. Careless marriages bring about cradleless nurseries. The man and woman who come together and dictate terms of policy to God, who defy His will and ignore His inspirations are playing a poor game. You are too heavily handicapped to run a race with God. Besides careless divorce and cradleless nurseries we are endangered by a Godless education. There is only one master who can teach and drill children in the use of the weapon of knowledge, and His name is Christ Jesus. In every school He is the head master or He is nowhere. Put Him on a back seat and He leaves the room. I fear in great part instead of drilling an army in your schools you are arming a mob You are putting dreadful instruments of knowledge in the hands of boys and girls and already I see the flash of their arms and hear them cry against things as they are. Like decadent Rome, too, we are falling into thriftless lives. We want pleasure and we want it at once. We love pleasure instead of work. Recreation we need, but not dissipation. In the evening nowadays men talk about the sport they have had, when they should say the sport they have not had. In such lives there is nothing uplifting. As a result we are living in an age of suffragettes, because men have lost their hold and women are getting the upper hand."

# LABOUCHERE WAS VERY ECONOMICAL

### Truth Tells How He Used to Live on 20 Cents a Day and Stuck to Old Clothes.

London, Feb. 2.—R. Bennett, the present editor of Truth, publishes a somewhat belittling article entitled, "The Real Labouchere," attributing the magazine's success to Horace Voules, rather than to Henry Labouchere.

Bennett relates this story of how Labouchere lived on tenpence a day.

"He came from Florence, took rooms, boasting that he got a cup of coffee and a slice of toast for sixpence there, paid fourpence for two sausages for his mid-day meal, which was eaten without bread or drink, took no dinner, and smoked cigarettes incessantly, even between bites of his sausage.

"His clothes were those of a ragpicked, causing his wife distress. She threw away an old coat which had done years of service. He appeared in a new one, very cross, at the office, but the next day, in good humor, he wore an old coat, which could be smelt yards away. He had resuscitated the coat from the dust bin, saying: "'I have done her: I found it.'

"Labby's habit of removing his teeth after eating angered many. Voules left him one day, saying, 'I can't stand those confounded teeth grinning at me.' Often the teeth were uncomfortable. 'Labby' would take the out and tinker with them with the first implement—office scissors or ruler. 'Have you got a hammer?' he asked Voules, and in a rage smashed $200 worth of teeth."

### ITALIAN WARSHIPS ACTIVE.

Perim, Arabia, Feb. 2.—The Italian warships have renewed their activity in the Red Sea. The Turkish fort at Sheik Said was shelled again to-day, although little damage was done. Yesterday it was expected that Hodeida would be bombarded, but the Italian destroyers have confined their attention to shelling small craft and villages along the coast.


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# BRIDE STEPS ASIDE FOR PREDECESSOR

### First Wife, Reported Dead, Returns and Tears Apart a Happy Home.

Boston, Feb. 2—Because his supposedly dead wife is alive and has once again entered into his life, Gustav E. Larsen, No. 1,415 Dorchester avenue, recently found himself in a peculiar predicament.

For Larsen had two wives on his hands. One he wooed and won in the land of the Vikings. The other he wedded after he came to this country and when he thought his first wife had departed this life

"And I supposed it was all right for me to marry a second time," says Larsen.

To relieve himself from the predicament Larsen asked the Superior Court for the annulment of the second marriage, and as the petition was granted, he will go to housekeeping with his first wife in a few months. She, with Torelf Larsen, a stalwart lad of 16, is in this vicinity, at a Brookline house, where she is engaged in housework, and the boy with his father, attending a Dorchester school .

Larsen's second wife, since she discovered another woman had prior claim to the man she thought was her husband, has been living by herself in Roxbury.

This strange story of matrimonial entanglements, misunderstanding and rare examples of self-sacrifice had its inception in the land of the midnight sun. It was in Christiania, Norway, that the first scene in the entanglement was staged.

This was especially true when in the summer he paraded through the streets in his guardsman's uniform, for it is in the summer that the youth of Norway serve their army apprenticeship.

"It was while I was wearing my army uniform that I met the girl who was to be my first wife," said Larsen.

"She was Aasina Anderson, and she came from Gremstg, a small town fifteen miles from Christinia. I met her one night in a little store on the outskirts of the city where I used to go to buy refreshments.

"I guess it was love at first sight for me, and I think that Aasina did not find me unlikable, for, after a year's courting, we were married.

'This was in 1892, and we went to house-keeping in Christiania. Three years later little Nancy was born Then came Torelf.

"We were happy and contented those first few years with the little ones, Aasina and I. But things began to break badly, and before I knew it my wife and I were hardly on speaking terms.

"Whose fault was it ?" you ask. "Well, I won't talk about that now, but I'll say that matters grew worse and finally, one night when I came from work, I found the house empty. Aasina, with Nancy and Torelf, had gone to Gremsta, where her mother lived.

"Then, in that year, with my brother, I came to Boston. I got a job as moulder. I was living all this time in Dorchester, and frequently I wrote to the old country to hear if any one knew of my wife and boy. Not once did I get trace of them, and finally I learned, in a roundabout way, that it was understood that Aasina was dead. The boy's whereabouts was not known.

"So, in 1906, meeting Olava Herdahl, and thinking I was a single man, I kept company with her. I found she liked me and I felt the same toward her. So, in 1907, never hearing from my first wife, we were married.

"We began housekeeping in Roxbury and later moved to Adams street, Dorchester, last fall.

"One day, it was a Sunday afternoon, the doorbell rang I was alone in the house with my wife, or, rather, the woman I thought was my wife.

"She went to the door, There stood a woman and a boy. They asked for me, and my second wife brought them into the house.

"It was rather dark where the woman stood, but she soon came toward me. With her hands in front of her she said to me, 'Einer,' that's my middle name, is that you?'

"And then I recognized her. It was my first wife. And I soon saw the boy with her was my Torelf.

"Aasina and my big boy talked over things with me, and we decided to begin life again as soon as permitted by the law. I saw Jas. E. O'Connell, a lawyer, and he advised me what to do. I feel that what I did was my duty to my first wife. And we are going to be just as happy in Dorchester as we were in Christiania."

Mrs Larsen No. 1 is employed in a Brookline residence doing housework. She is pleased at the prospects of a reunion. "We will be happy in the new country and we will forget the past," she said. "I will be happy when we start housekeeping again."

And the little woman who has shown that ancient Norse spirit of heroism still exists in the Viking descendants is living quietly in her home in Roxbury.

"I'm no longer Gustav's wife," she said, sadly. "Aasina has taken him again. It's hard, but I guess I have done what's right and I hope he'll remember me."

And then, seemingly overcome by her emotions, the sad faced woman slowly closed the door. A sob was heard from within.

### CHINESE RULES OF WAR.

This is a translation of an official proclamation posted by the revolutionists on the walls of Nanking :

"Notice is hereby given that the following persons are liable to decapitation :—

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# Latest Sporting News

## WANDERERS MAY BE WEAKENED

### Team From Montreal Seem to Be Hanging Out Signals of Distress Already.

The Wanderers of Montreal apparently are beginning to hang out signals of distress. The team fully recognize that they have a big contract on hand, but the Quebec team are not taking any stock in regard to stories from Montreal that the team will be weakened. The latest yarn is to the effect that they will be without the services of Sprague Cleghorn at cover-point. Sprague, so it is said, has a bad shoulder as the result of a heavy jolt received from Dubeau on Wednesday evening and this injury has been causing him trouble ever since. His absence from the defence of course is tooted a serious handicap to the locals, who will need all the strength they can muster to beat the Blue Shirts on heir own ice again.

Quebec does no appear to be worrying about to-night's game and expect to win it Sprague Cleghorn or no Sprague Cleghorn.

The officials of the game will be Referee, Jack Marshall, judge of play, Geo. McCarron. Umpires, Dr. Leclerc and D. Power. Timekeeper, Nap. Beleau; penalty times, Chas. McNamara.

OFFICIALS THIS EVENING.

Montreal, Feb. 2—The officials for to-morrow's N.H.A. games will be :

Wanderers at Quebec, Bowie and McNamara.

Ottawa at Canadien, Marshall and Butterworth.

## SOME FINE HORSES COMING

### Two-Day Trotting Meeting on the Exhibition Grounds Is Exciting Interest.

Some very fine horses will be started during the Mardi-Gras celebration meeting on the Exhibition grounds on the 15th and 16th of August next. The entries so far include :

First day, Thursday, Feb. 15, 1912, 2.25 class, purse $100 and set of dishes given by J. B. Martel, Quebec :

Venus Swing, J. B. Bigaouette, Quebec.

Concillor Jno. I. Laroche, Quebec.

Moko Simmo, Max Clement, Quebec.

Silver Wilkes, Eug. Marcoux, Quebec.

Named class trotters, purse $100, given by Mr. J. M. Landry and a stop watch given by D. Racine :

Corinne Monk, J. M. Landry, Quebec.

Mamie B., Geo. Levallee, Quebec.

Batie Yandle, J. Joncas, Quebec.

Honest Jim D., J. B. Forgues, Quebec.

Second day, Feb. 16, 1912. Free-for-all class. Purse $125 and silver cup, given by Ald. Art. Paquet :

Grace Keswick, Max Clement, Quebec.

Non Such, Jos. Darveau, Quebec.

Lou R., Geo. Belleville, Quebec.

Venus Swing, J. B. Bigaouette, Quebec.

Concilllo, Jno. I. Laroche, Quebec.

Five miles class. Purse $125 and silver cup, given by Mr. E. Jacot, Quebec :

Corinne Monk, J. M. Landry, Quebec.

Montagnard Girl, J. Buisson, Quebec.

Black Bird, E. Frechette, Quebec.

Honest Jim D., J. B. Forgues, Quebec.

### AMATEUR BALK-LINE BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP

New York, Feb. 2.—J. F. Poggenburg, the former champion, won the eighth game of the National Amateur Class A, 18.2 balk-line billiard championship tournament to-day defeating Dr. W. G. Douglas by the score of 400 to 374. The winner's average was 9 4-44 and his best run 85. Dr. Douglas finished with an average of 8 22-44 and his high run was 45.

Poggenburg played generally uncertain billiards with a few dazzling innings. His run of 85 counted on his eighteenth turn at the table was all close nursing, finally ending with a single cushion shot that went astray. At the end Dr. Douglas came up from 150 points behind and went to the front for a brief inning. When threatened, Poggenburg played more carefully and won.

At the close of the afternoon game notice was given of a meeting of the National Association for Monday, Feb. 26, called at the instance of Edward W. Gardner, winner of the Class A title in 1910, who wishes to play a special match with the winner of the present tuornament. The meeting may be arranged for an earlier date, while all of the prominent players are in this city.

### GENERAL BADEN-POWELL TO VISIT OTTAWA

Ottawa, Feb. 2—General Baden-Powll, leader of the Boy Scouts, who is at present touring the United States, will again visit Ottawa in the fall. After his present tour of one month in the United States he will return to England before coming to Canada.

## DEFEAT OF QUEBEC CURLERS

### Rinks From Both the Local Clubs Were Knocked Out in Montreal.

In connection with the opening matches for the Governor-General's and Jubilee Trophies in Montreal, the Gazette says :

While the game between Montreal and Howick, played on Caledonia ice yesterday afternoon, was rather one-sided, this was far fom being the case in the match on Montreal ice, Huntingdon winning by a couple of points after a really hard and keen struggle with the Victoria Club of Quebec. Huntingdon played if anything the better game and deserved to win, though at the same time Victoria had hard luck to lose. The Huntingdon rink, skipped by H. McLaren, slightly outskipped A. Laurie, especially in the later stages of the game. Victoria were leading at one time on this sheet, and had they continued as well as they started would no doubt have won. As it was Huntingdon improved and Victoria fell off with the inevitable result. Captain Swift, who was skipping for Victoria on the other sheet, played one of the best games of the afternoon, though there was little to choose between the two rinks. Huntingdon have to thank their leads and seconds for their win. They played a sound draw game, bunching near the button on almost every end, beating the Victoria leads and leaving the latter's thirds and skips nothing else but to go through hard to get the shot.

| Huntingdon. | Victoria, Quebec. |
|---|---|
| A. W McNaughton | A. B. Whitehead |
| T. F. McGinniies | K. Molson |
| A. A. Lunan | W. C. J. Hall |
| H. McLaren | A. Laurie |
| Skip—19 | Skip—14 |
| Dr. Walsh | G. Van Felson |
| J. W. Starke | A. D. Scott |
| C. H. Lamb | H. B. Shaw |
| J. R. Oney | Capt. A. E. Swift |
| Skip—12 | Skip—15 |
| 31 | 29 |

Huntingdon won by 2 points.

In one of the best games played here this season Ormstown last night defeated St. Andrews in the district semi-final by two points on Caledonia ice. Montreal managed to win the other semi-final played on Thistle ice. by nine points at the expense of Quebec in a match which though producing good curling, had no special feature. Montreal won on both sheets.

| Quebec | Montreal. |
|---|---|
| W. W. Johnston | A. P. S. Glassco |
| S. J. Grogan | Geo. Darling |
| F. S. Stocking | F. C. Wilson |
| A. Miller | F. N. Southam |
| Skip—11 | Skip—14 |
| E. E. Rattray | J. F. Johnson |
| W. Lambton | W. A. Wilson |
| J. Thompson | Rev. J. Williamson |
| E. Pope | T. Williamson |
| Skip—14 | Skip—20 |
| 25 | 34 |

Montreal won by 9 points.

### THE LADIES' CURLING BONSPIEL AT MONTREAL

Montreal, Feb. 2.—In the ladies' curling bonspiel to-day the scores were:

Senior Irons, Final—Heather I., 13; Lachine I., 7.

Consolation Irons, Semi-Finals—Lachine II., 18; Rideau II., 10; St. Lawrence II., 14; St. Lawrence I., 12.

Granite Finals—Lachine I., 19; Lachine II., 9.

Granite Consolation — Montreal I., 14; Heather I., 12.

Junior Final, Irons—Heather I., 14; Montreal I., 8.

Junior Consolation, Irons—Lachine, 12; Heather II., 10.

### GRAND JURY REPORT IN DYNAMITE CASE.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 2—Work was continued by District Attorney Charles W. Miller today in completing the forms of the thirty or more indictments which, it is reported, the Federal Grand Jury will vote on next Tuesday at the conclusion of the government's investigation into the dynamite conspiracy. It is said, if any arrests are to follow, it will be arranged that they take place simultaneously three or four days after the jury reports. The delay will permit the sending of papers to the federal districts in which any accused men are known to be. A report from Chicago that government agents were investigating a fire there last December in which records which might have thrown light on the dynamite cases were destroyed, was explained to-day in the statement that correspondence taken out of the iron workers offices here has led to search in many cities.

### GOVERNOR OF TEXAS ASKS FOR U. S. TROOPS

Austin, Tex., Feb. 2—In answer to the appeal of Governor Colquitt of Texas that in advance of possible future hostilities at Juarez steps be taken to ensure protection to residents of El Paso, President Taft has informed Governor Colquitt that the necessary instructions had been given. In a message to the Governor received to-night President Taft said :—"Telegram received. Have issued orders with a view to meeting the difficulties at Juarez and have invited the attention of the Secretary of War to the necessity for action."


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| EXPERIMENT ON | Mean Weight during previous interval in kilos. | Mean Weight during Feeding Period in kilos. | Mean increase in Grams. | Nitrogen of Extract in Grams. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Subject S. | 84.032 | 84.248 | 216 | 0.920 |
| Subject C. | 61.661 | 61.790 | 129 | 0.920 |

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### CHASTISEMENT OF A CHILD BY HER PARENTS

New York, Feb. 2—Because of a divided decision of the Court of Special Sessions here to-day the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court will have to determine how far a parent may go in the chastisement of a child. Theodore J. Wieting, a grocer, cer, accused by a Children's Society agent, of assaulting his daughter, Florence, 14 years old, was tried and found guilty, two justices voting for conviction and one for acquittal. Wieting was charged with beating his daughter in an inhuman manner. He told the court he had secured a divorce from the girl's mother and that the daughter was wilful and disobedient. "I slapped her face with a palm of my hand," said Wieting, "and she went to her mother, who caused my arrest." A fine of $100 was imposed. Wieting paid, and through his counsel, gave notice that he would appeal.


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Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 2—The case of Bert H. Conners, tried for an alleged attempt to dynamite the county hall of records on Sept. 9, 1910, went to the jury to-day after Judge Frank R. Willis had instructed the jury. He told them the fact that Conners was arrested near the building after he had assaulted an officer did not necessarily connect him with the dynamiting which was found the next day in the alley beside the structure. The general impression among the attorneys for both sides was that the jury would quickly return a verdict.


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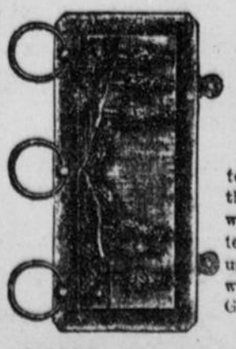

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# ALLEGED PLANTING OF DYNAMITE

## In Homes of Strikers at Lawrence Being Investigated in Police Court.

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 2—Charged with two counts of conspiracy in connection with the alleged "planting" of dynamite in the homes of textile strikers, John J. Breen, an undertaker, who is a member of the Lawrence School Committee, was bound over to the grand jury to-day, after a hearing in the Police Court. He furnished bail in the sum of $2,000 on each count. Seven other persons, arrested when police detectives made a descent upon the foreign quarter, and found several packages of dynamite, were released on charges of keeping dynamite without a license, having proved to the satisfaction of the court that they were not responsible for the presence of the explosives in their apartments.

In the case of Breen, 18 witnesses appeared for the State, including State and local police, while the defence offered no evidence. The Commissioner of Public Safety, Cornelius F. Lynch, who conducted the State's case, said that when the strike started he asked Mr. Breen to use his best efforts in the Syrian quarter to keep matters quiet, as it was well known that Mr. Breen was influential among those people. Mr. Breen promised to do so. Continuing, Commissioner Lynch told the court that on Saturday, Jan. 20, Breen came to the police station, and said he had received a telephone message to go to Boston. Following the telephone directions he said he went to Rowe's wharf in that city and met a man who gave him a letter which said :

"You will find dynamite at 240 Oak street, at 76 Lawrence street and in the cemetery."

The letter, he claimed, was not signed but bore a postscript asking that it be destroyed so he had destroyed it.

Commissioner Lynch then related in what manner the dynamite had been located by the officers at the places named by Mr. Breen. When all the case for the State was in, Attorney Kane for the defence argued that the only evidence against Breen was that he had secured information of where dynamite might be found and had so told the police; that no evidence had been submitted to show that Breen had any relations with any of these people in whose places dynamite had been found, and there was no reason to believe he had conspired with any of those persons.

### NEW COLORS FOR THE YORK RANGERS

Toronto, Feb. 2—A motion to grant $300 to the Twelfth York Rangers towards the purchase price of new colors, was referred to the Finance Committee of the York County Council this afternoon. The old colors have been in use since 1812, and are worn out. The Twelfth Rangers took a prominent part in the War of 1812, being engaged at Queenston Heights. In 1855 they opposed Riel's rebels and in 1866 they helped in suppressing the Fenian Raid. A detachment served during part of the South African War in 1899, several of the men earning the Distinguished Service Order, the most coveted of all trophies next to the Victoria Cross.

### SIR BADEN-POWELL IN NEW YORK.

New York, Feb. 2—Lieut.-General Sir Robert Baden-Powell, who is in this country to visit the Boy Scouts of America, returned here from Boston late to-day and was the guest of Andrew Carnegie for tea. Sir Robert hurried thence to Montclair, N.J., where he lectured to-night on the boy scout movement. He will return to New York next Friday from his trip to the west and will be the guest of honor that evening at the annual dinner of the Boy Scouts of America at which Gifford Pinchot will be the toastmaster.


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# QUADRUPLE MURDER IN LAWRENCE, MASS.

## Two Women and Two Men Found Badly Mutilated in a House.

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 2—A mysterious quadruple murder in which two men and two women were killed by stabbing or by having their throats cut with a razor, was revealed tonight by the discovery of the bodies of the victims on the second floor of a two family tenement house in the rear of 137 Valley street, near the heart of the city. The dead are :

Mrs. Annie Dennis, aged 35 years, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Favias, aged 35 and 30 respectively, and an unknown man.

A disturbance was heard in the Favias apartment about three o'clock this morning by the family which lives downstairs, but the trouble was not considered serious enough at the time to warrant an investigation. When no member of the household appeared during the day, however, the police were notified and entered the apartment to-night.

The body of the unknown man was found lying in front of a table in the kitchen. His throat was cut and there was knife wounds on his body. In a corner were the bodies of Jos. Favias and his wife, both of whom had evidently met death as a result of a bloody battle for their lives. Their faces, hands and clothing were slashed with knife or razor wounds.

Passing into the bedroom beyond the kitchen, the police found the body of Mrs. Dennis stretched across the bed. The woman's throat had been cut and she had been stabbed also.

All the victims were fully dressed with the exception of Mrs. Dennis, who was without her waist.

A mob of more than 1,000 people assembled about the scene of the crime as soon as the news spread, but a company of militia here on strike duty soon dispersed them. The police said that no connection between the murders and the strike situation was apparent.

It is believed that the murderer escaped by a rear door, as bloody footprints were found on the stairway leading to it. The police have no clue to the motive of the crime.

The household consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Favias and Mrs. Dennis, who was formerly Miss Annie Tanguay. All were French-Canadians. None of them were employed in the mills or elsewhere and they had no connection with the strike.

The theory held by the police late to-night was that the murderer had ben a guest of the family and committed the quadruple crime in revenge for some grievance after all had retired for the night. Bloodstains indicated that the victims were all stabbed in bed, and crawled in their struggles to the places where the bodies were found. Miss Ida Muslin, who lived in the house, saw a man without a coat and with his shirt sleeves rolled up to the elbows walk away from the house about 3 a.m. She said he had something in his hand resembling a long knife. She had been aroused by screams and heard a door shut in the Favias apartment.

According to the police one of the women, Mrs. Dennis, had been in court several times, and the house was frequented by men, who at times caused more or less trouble because of drinking and general disturbance.

The autopsy showed that on each of the four bodies was a jagged slash extended from the ear down to the throat, the mark of a dagger struck downward with a powerful blow. Only on the body of the unknown man was any other wound to be found. The condition of his clothing and the many slashes on his arms showed that he had not received his death blow in the throat until after a desperate battle.

### GOMEZ IS WILLING TO BECOME PRESIDENT

San Antonio. Tex., Feb. 2.—Emilio Vasquez Gomez, candidate for vice-president, for former confidential agent for Madero at Washington, is prepared to assume the presidency, if there is a successful revolution in northern Mexico. Discussing the matter here today, he said:

"I understand the revolutionists endorse the plan of Tacubava, which declared for me as president of Mexico. I will not lead an armed force, for I am a man of ideals and not a man of arms," continued Gomez, "but I will accept the presidency if it is offered me."

Senor Gomez denied that he had incited any rebellion in Mexico, nor would he participate in an uprising.

### MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 2.—Carrying his revolver in his hand as he entered a local hotel this afternoon, Phillip R. Yow, of Atlanta, walked to where C. C. Cadle, a detective, was seated and shot him twice, killing his instantly. Yow then shot himself twice through the heart each time, physicians say, sat down and put the last bullet into his temple before he died. Both were young men, Cadle being recentl carried. Jealousy is assigned as a motive.

### CRACK IN THE MUSEUM AT OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Feb. 2—The famous crack in the million dollar museum at Ottawa has cost the country over $6,000 for repairs, according to the report of the Auditor-General for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1911. It has likely cost a great deal more since that time owing to the further settlement of the tower. The Auditor-General objected to the payment of these extra charges to the contractor.

## Church Services

French Baptist, D'Youville street—Services Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesday at 7.30 p.m. Rev. A. J. Lebeau, pastor, No. 45 D'Youville.

St. Michael's, Sillery. Canon A. A. Von Iffland, Rector—Morning service 11 a.m. Evening service 4 p.m.

St. Andrew's (Presbyterian), St. Ann street.—The Rev. Andrew T. Love, D.D., minister. Divine services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath School at 3 p.m. Service Wednesday evening at 8 p.m. Strangers are cordially welcome to this old historic church.

St. Andrew's (Presbyterian), Levis. Rev. J. J. Wright, B.A., Pastor—Regular Sunday Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 12.25 p. m.

St. Peter's, 286 St. Valier St., St. Roch. Rev. E. A. W. King, M.A., R.D., Rector—Morning Prayer at 10.30. Bible Class and Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. Evening Prayer, 7 p.m. Holy Communion celebrated about mid-day on the first and third Sunday in the month, and on all other Sundays at 8 a.m. Seats free. All welcome.

Cathedral of the Holy Trinity—Sunday service: Holy Communion 8 a.m.; also at 7 a.m. on the second Sunday in the month. Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon on first and third Sundays in month at 11 a.m. Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon on second, fourth and fifth Sundays in month at 11 a.m. Children's service and Catechesing, 3.30 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon, 7 p.m. All seats free.

St. Patrick's, McMahon street, Rev. Father Hanley, C.SS.R., rector—High Mass at 10.30 a. m.; vespers at 7.30 p. m.

Lady Perpetual Help Chapel, Diamond Harbor, Rev. Father Woods, C.SS.R., Champlain street—Mass at 7 and 8 a. m.; vespers, 5 p. m.

St. Jean French Presbyterian, Kirk Hall, corner St. Stanislas and Cook Sts. Rev. Calvin E. Amaron, D.D., Pastor—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday School and Bible Class at 10.30 a.m. Weekday meeting on Thursday at 8 o'clock. Invitation to French speaking people.

Trinity, St. Stanislas St., below St. John. Rev. A. R. Beverley, M.A., Rector—Services tomorrow will be as follows: 11 a.m., Morning Prayer and Sermon; 3 p.m., Sunday School and Bible Class; 7 p.m., Evening Prayer and Sermon. Holy Communion: First Sunday in month at 11 a.m.; third Sunday, 7 p.m. Litany: Second Sunday in month at 11 a.m.

Methodist—The minister, Rev. G. H. Cobbledick will conduct both services. Sunday School and Bible classes at 3 p. m. Strangers and visitors cordially welcomed to all services.

Chalmers' (Presbyterian), 76 St. Ursule street, near St. Louis street. Rev. S. T. Martin, M. A. minister. Residence 67 St. Ursule street.—Public worship at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The minister will occupy the pulpit at both services tomorrow. Morning subject, "An Old and Perplexing Question." Evening Subject, "Christian Certainty." Men's Bible Class, 10.15 a. m. Sabbath School and Ladies' Bible Class, 3 p. m. Chinese Class, 8.15 p. m.

St. Matthew's, St. John street (without), Rev. Canon Scott, Rector—Sundays: Holy Communion, 7.30 a. m.; Mattins, 10.30 a. m., Holy Communion (choral), 11 a. m.; evensong, 7 p. m.. Daily: Holy Communion, 7.30 a. m.; evensong, 5 p. m.

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### ENGLAND AND RUSSIA TO REVISE AGREEMENT

London, Feb. 3.—Great Britain and Russia are about to revise their joint agreement concerning Persia, adopted in 1907, in order to bring harmony out of the existing conditions in that country, says a despatch from Moscow to the Daily Telegraph.

### CHINESE WOMAN CONFESSES TO MURDER.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 2—Oi Sen, the beautiful Chinese woman arrested at Billings, Mont., charged with the murder of Seid Bing, a member of the wealthy Seid family here, confessed the crime to the police to-day, giving the name of an accomplice, Wong Si Sam, who was arrested. Seid Bing was killed in Oi Sen's apartments here Dec. 20 and his dismembered body shipped to Seattle, where it was found in an unclaimed trunk. Oi Sen arrived to-day and later confessed, but the details of her story have not been made public.


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## THE CHRONICLE STEAMSHIP DIRECTORY OF OCEAN SAILINGS.

Date of sailing with ports of departure and arrival compiled for the Chronicle by F. S. Stocking, general steamship agent, 32 St. Louis Street, Quebec.

| Feb. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Numidian | Portland | Glasgow |
| 1 | La Lorraine | New York | Havre |
| 1 | Celtic | New York | Liverpool |
| 3 | Laconia | Boston | Med. |
| 3 | Canopic | Boston | Med. |
| 3 | Pr. Irene | Boston | Med. |
| 3 | New York | Boston | Ply Cher & Smpt |
| 3 | Pr. Lincoln | Boston | Ply Cher & Ham |
| 3 | Caledonia | New York | Glasgow |
| 3 | Canada | Portland | Liverpool |
| 3 | Grampian | Halifax | Liverpool |
| 7 | Lusitania | New York | Liverpool |
| 8 | Scotian | Boston | Glasgow |
| 8 | La Touraine | New York | Havre |
| 8 | Sardinian | St. John | Havre, London |
| 9 | Royal George | Halifax | Bristol |
| 10 | Oceanic | New York | Ply Cher & Smpt |
| 10 | Cameronia | New York | Glasgow |
| 10 | Em. of Britain | Halifax | Liverpool |
| 13 | Kaiser Wm | New York | Ply Cher & Bre. |
| 13 | Pannonia | Boston | Liverpool |
| 14 | K. Aug. Vic | New York | Med. |
| 14 | Campania | New York | Liverpool |
| 15 | Cassandra | St. John | Glasgow |
| 15 | Ionian | Portland | Glasgow |
| 15 | La Provence | New York | Havre |
| 15 | Baltic | New York | Liverpool |
| 17 | King Albert | New York | Med. |
| 17 | St. Louis | New York | Ply Cher & Smpt |
| 17 | Columbia | New York | Glasgow |
| 17 | Corsican | Halifax | Liverpool |
| 20 | Caronia | New York | Med. |
| 20 | Megantic | Boston | Liverpool |
| 21 | Adriatic | New York | Med. |
| 21 | Olympic | New York | Ply Cher & Smpt |
| 22 | Pr. Grant | New York | Ply Cher & Ham |
| 22 | Lake Erie | Boston | Glasgow |
| 22 | Athenia | St. John | Glasgow |
| 22 | Pomeranian | St. John | Havre, London |
| 24 | Philadelphia | New York | Ply Cher & Smpt |
| 24 | G. Washington | New York | Ply Cher & Bre |
| 24 | California | New York | Glasgow |
| 24 | Teutonic | Portland | Liverpool |
| 24 | Hesperian | St. John | Liverpool |
| 24 | Em. of Ireland | Halifax | Liverpool |
| 27 | Ivernia | Boston | Liverpool |
| 28 | Lusitania | New York | Liverpool |
| 29 | Sicilian | Portland | Glasgow |
| 29 | La Touraine | New York | Havre |
| 29 | Celtic | New York | Liverpool |
| 29 | Saturnia | St. John | Glasgow |

Note: Abbreviations—Ply., Plymouth; Cher, Cherbourg; Br., Bremen; Smp., Southampton; Ham., Hamburg; Pr., President or Prince; Wil'm., Wilhelm.

## DOMINION LINE.

Steamer Englishman, from Portland, arrived in Liverpool yesterday.

The Steamer Manxman sailed from Portland for Avanmouth at 4.40 p. m. on February 1.

## HIGH WATER AT QUEBEC.

| | Feb. | A.M. | P.M. |
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| Saturday | 3 | 6.07 | 6.25 |
| Sunday | 4 | 6.54 | 7.19 |

## BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, Feb. 2.—Bullion amounting to £238,000 was taken into the Bank of England to-day and £35,000 was withdrawn for shipment to India.

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## CLOSING LETTER.

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New York, Feb.2—An opening rally of ⅛ to ½ of a point followed by a 1-point drop marked the course of speculation this morning, with firmness characterized the market, with a recovery in prices to best quotations for the day. It is rumored that Union Pacific is seeking control of the Wabash. Southern Railway earnings for December increased $79,758 net and for the six month increased $285,663. Missouri, Kansas & Texas December surplus fell off $215,000. A shipment of $2,000,000 to Paris was reported. London did little or nothing. Business was only about half as active as yesterday, with a total of 438,000 shares to 2 o'clock. Copper remains stagnant, at 14 to 14⅛ cents, with the larger producers out of the market or holding for 14½ cents. The strength in Reading was attributed to rumored dividend rate of 8 per cent, but this seems ridiculous when Lehigh Valley, paying 10 per cent, is quoted at the same figure and Union Pacific, also 10 per cent, is only four points higher. American Can company earnings figure about 7¼ per cent on the preferred stock. The Street, as well as London, is nonplussed by the action o the stock market. There seems no sufficient reason for a slump in prices, and yet there is no demand for investment. The general opinion is that politics is the controlling factor and that neither the large operator nor the small one will consent to lift prices or buy until there is a more tolerant attitude or prospect for fair treatment of corporations in Washington. The closing was dull and but little changed net for the day. The outlook is still uncertain and we should await breaks on which to buy.

## WORK ON NEW SUBWAYS STOPPED

New York, Feb. 2.—The long-pending negotiations between the city and the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company and the Interborough Rapid Transit Company for the construction of new subways, were brought to a halt today by a temporary injunction issued by Supreme Court Justice Maddox, of Brooklyn, requiring the Public Service Commission to show cause why they should not be restrained from giving "preferential payments" to either company in proposed subway contracts. The question as to whether the city can pledge its credit to a corporation is involved, both the Brooklyn Rapid Transit and the Interboro having asked guarantees of profits. The order was obtained by a Brooklyn taxpayer, who is believed to have been induced to act in order to insure both for the companies and the city legal approval of the contracts.


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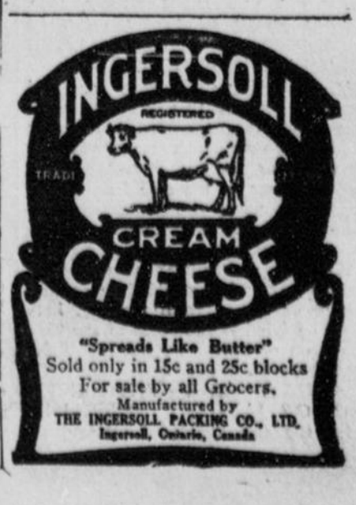


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CITY OF QUEBEC.

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Quebec, 20th December, 1911.

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 No. 1 and 2, in each of the wards of this City, for all the wards of the City of Quebec, except St. Malo ward, which is represented by one Alderman only, for seat No. 2, will take place on MONDAY, THE TWELFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1912, being the second Monday of February, 1912, between the hours of twelve of the o'clock in the forenoon, and four of the clock in the afternoon, at the office 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 as 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, attesting that the candidate is the proprietor of the immoveable, or immoveables to be described in the solemn declaration, and that said immoveable, or immoveables, are worth as to the person or persons as are candidates to the office of Mayor, the sum of, at least, five thousand dollars, and to those who are candidates to the office of Aldermen for seats Nos. 1 and2, the sum of two thousand dollars, and one thousand dollars respectively, the said sum of five thousand dollars, two thousand and one thousand dollars respectively to be over and above the rents, hypothecs, or charges upon the said immoveable or immoveables. 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 up to the thirtieth day of April, 1911. And if 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 NINETEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1912, being the third Monday of the month of February, 1912, 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 the election of Mayor or for the election of Aldermen for seats No. 1 or for seat No. 2. A person who is qualified to vote for the Mayor and for Aldermen for seat No. 1 and for Aldermen for seat No. 2 shall, however, only count as one elector.

By order:

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

LIST OF MUNICIPAL VOTERS DEPOSITED.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

CITY HALL.

Quebec, 20th December, 1911.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Is hereby given that, pursuant to the provisions of the Act 53, Victoria, Chapter 69, section 31, and its amendments, two alphabetical lists, one, of the persons qualified to vote at the municipal elections for the office of Mayor and Aldermen for seat number one in each ward of the city, and the other, for persons qualified to vote at the said elections for the office of Mayor and of Aldermen for seat numtwo in each ward of the city, shall be deposited in the office of the undersigned, on the SECOND DAY OF JANUARY, 1912, and shall be open to the public every day, beginning the said SECOND DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, 1912, TO THE TWELFTH DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, 1912, FROM NINE O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING TO FOUR O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.

The said lists shall, during the said period, be shown to any person making application therefor, and every elector who may wish to apply for the insertion or for the correction of a name in any of the said lists or for striking a name therefrom, shall do so within the delay fixed by law for so doing.

All claims or demands in relation to any names being added to or corrected or erased from the said lists must be fyled in the office of the City Clerk on or before FOUR OF THE CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON OF TUESDAY, THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY NEXT, 1912, being the day appointed by law, as final, and after the said day, no claim or demand will be received by the said City Clerk.

Printed blank forms for complaints may be had by applying at the City Clerk's office during office hours.

By order:

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City Clerk.

CORPORATION OF QUEBEC.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

Tenders for Steel Bridge.

CITY HALL.

Quebec, 5th Jan., 1912.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed tenders, endorsed Tender for Steel Bridge and addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to Wednesday, the 31st January, 1912, at 4 p.m.

For the construction of a Steel Bascule or Rolling Lift Bridge to span the River St. Charles, oposite Bridge street, in St. Roch's Ward and the Road known as Beauport Road in Limoilou Ward in this city. The whole as per plans and specifications prepared to that effect by the Government Engineer as regards substructure and approaches and per plans and specifications prepared by the Company whose type of Bascule, or Rolling Lift Bridge, is tendered for, a copy of which said plans and specification must accompany the tender.

Tenders must be made on the printed blank forms and enclosed in the printed envelopes, which will be furnished to intending contractors, on application for the same at the City Engineer's Office, and the Road Committee will not entertain any tender that it not made on the said blank forms and enclosed in the said envelopes.

Tenders must be endorsed on the outside of the envelopes, with a certificate from the City Treasurer of the necessary deposit as security for the contract.

Each tender shall be subscribed to by two responsible parties willing to secure the execution of the contract.

Each tenderer shall deposit in the hands of the City Treasurer an accepted check equal to 5% (five per cent.) of the amount of his tender, to be confiscated by any one refusing to sign the contract, and returned to noncontractors, retained from the contractor till the work is accepted. The City will (apart from the 5% (five per cent) above mentioned) withhold 20% (twenty per cent.) of the contract price till six months after the bridge is found to be in perfect working order, as well as all other works relating to said contract, and after said works are accepted by the City Engineer and also by the Provincial Government Engineer.

To guarantee the good working order of said bridge for a period of five years as well as to guarantee the perfect workmanship of the different parts of the work constituting this contract, the contractors will bind themselves to supply the City with a guarantee policy to the amount of $25,000.00 to be issued by a company approved of by His Worship the Mayor and to maintain said policy in force at their own cost for a term of five years as mentioned above.

The works to be started when the City Engineer gives order to that effect, but not before the Drouin Bridge, which is actually being constructed, is finished.

A period of twelve months after the works are started will be allowed for its construction.

The Corporation of the City of Quebec does not bind itself to accept the lowest or even any of the tenders.

The contractor to pay for drawing up the contract, and supply the City Engineer with a certified copy thereof.

The city will not divide the contract. Contract bids must be for bridge complete, including substructure, superstructure and approaches.

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# MR. LAVERGNE CAUSED AMAZEMENT

## In the Assembly. Describing a Trip of the Present Premier.

A good deal of amusement was caused yesterday by Mr. Lavergne's criticisms of a trip made by the present Premier when the latter was Minister of Colonization. He had all the details of the expenditures incurred on that "picnic" as he called it and dealt with them in caustic fashion. One item was for decorations and organization and the member for Montmagny pictured the former Minister of Colonization arriving at the villages that were gay with mottoes and devices of welcome and conjured up a vision of the natives hailing the visitor as the savior of their country, etc., etc. The trip had cost $806.

When Mr. Lavergne had finished Mr. Francoeur, of Lotbiniere, made a somewhat boorish attack on the member for Montmagny, but when the latter rose to a question of privilege, Mr. Francoeur said that he had nothing to withdraw as he had no wish to say anything against the character of Mr. Lavergne and had said nothing.

Some discussion took place on Sir Lomer's resolutions respecting the increase of the indemnity of jurors.

The Opposition recalled the fact that they had already introduced measures to this effect on previous occasions and that the Government had voted against it. However, they congratulated them on stealing their reforms.

Mr. Lavergne argued that the proposed indemnity was utterly insufficient. In this he was backed up by Messrs. Bernard and Cousineau, the member for Jacques Cartier calling especial attention to the case of the farmers whose service on a jury meant considerable inconvenience and often expense. He remarked on the way in which jurors were terated by the representatives of the Attorney-General. He described this treatment as brutal and disgusting and said it was a shame that men when called upon to do public service of this kind should receive about the same courtesy as if they were criminals.

The Premier's bill provides that the indemnity of jurors be increased from $1.50 to $2 in rural districts. Besides this it is provided that when jurors have to come long distances their expenses will also be paid.

Mr. Taschereau's bill to ratify the sale of the Vaiu and Lachapelle bridges was read the first time.

Another bill read the first time was that of the Premier to abolish costs in cases of less than $25 in the Circuit Court. So also was a bill presented by Mr. Robert, of Rouville, relative to the reduction of hotel licenses.

The Legislation Committee met yesterday morning under the presidency of Sir Lomer Guoin.

Several measures were examined and discussed, the chief of which was the bill to incorporate the Association of the Stenographers of the Superior Court of Montreal. Mr. Severin Letourneau, advocate, of Montreal, looked after the interests of the stenographers.

Sir Lomer Gouin considered that the bill should include the incorporation of all the stenographers of the Province if the profession was considered a liberal one.

The bill was finally rejected on a vote of 6 to 2. Messrs. Taschereau, Prevost, Cousineau, Galipeault, Perron and Tessier voting against it, and Messrs. Geoffrion and Levesque in favor of the measure.

Mr. Galipeautl's bill to close prothonotary offices at 1 o'clock on Saturday afternoons was also rejected.

The bill concerning appeals in the Circuit Court relative to the construction and reconstruction of schools was passed, as was the measure to amend the law relative to the examinations passed by surveyors.

Mr. Perron's bill to amend the Civil Code relative to moveable and immoveable property was suspended for further study of the measure, at the suggestion of the promoter.

**Evening Session.**

A certain amount of routine work was disposed of in the evening, and at the conclusion of the sitting Sir Lomer replied to Mr. Lavergne's criticism of the trip which he had made to Norminingue, when he was Minister of Colonization. The journey in question had covered 8,000 miles and the party had been composed of twenty persons, and these included several journalists. Thanks to their aid, much had been done to advertise the resources of the country visited. A railway had been built as far as Mont Laurier and an impulse had been given to colonization. As to the eating, to which Mr. Lavergne had taken exception, he could assure him that all had eaten alike and the Minister of Colonization had taken no more than his share. In fact, the trip had been so productive of good results that he had been asked by Mgr. Latuleppe to organize a similar one this year. Under the circumstances, it must be admitted that the expedition had been cheap, especially when compared with one that had been organized by Mr. Prevost to Mont Tremblant, which had cost $700, though it was only for a single day.

As a result of the redistribution bill, it is understood there will be six new seats in the Montreal district and three others in the rest of the Province.

**Private Bills.**

The following private bills passed in Committee of the Whole:

An act to incorporate the town of East Angus.—Mr. Godbout.

An act respecting the Univesity of Bishop's College.—Mr. Finnie.

An act to amend the act respecting the building of the church, sacristy and rectory of the parish of St. Viateur d'Outremont.—Mr. Langlois.

An act to authorize the Board of Roman Catholic School Commissioners of the city of Sherbrooke to contract a loan by means of an issue of bonds.—Mr. Therrien.

An act to amend the charter of the Montreal Street Railway Mutual Benefit Association.—Mr. Geoffrion.

An act to incorporate the Rat River Railway Company.—Mr. Tanguay.

An act to change the name of and give additional powers to the Peoples Telephone Company.—Mr. Therrien.

An act to amend the charter of the city of Lachine. Mr. Geoffrion.

An act to incorporate the town of Lasalle. Mr. Geoffroin.

An amusing incident occurred at one of the committee meetings when Mr. Lavergne asked a somewhat green messenger to get him Bourinot. After a hurried search around the corridors, the messenger returned and asked the member for Montmagny where Mr. Bourinot worked, as nobody seemed to know what department he was in.

**Answers to Questions.**

The following answers to questions were given:

Mr. Prevost was informed that the government had entered a suit against Mr. R. N. Leblanc, trader, of Bonaventure, claiming the sum of $20,000 from him for penalties on stumpage, and dues. Actions were taken on the 1st, 2nd and 8th of April, 1911. Mr. Louis St. Laurent was the lawyer, and Mr. C. E. Dorion acted as counsel until he was elevated to the bench.

The Hon. Mr. Decarie informed Mr. Langlois, of Montreal, that the government intends to present a bill during the present session to reduce the cost of school books in elementary schools.

Mr. Plante was informed by Hon. Mr. Taschereau that the government had received suggestions relative to providing for medical expenses and increasing the allowance for funeral expenses in the case of deaths caused by accidents to workmen, but that it was not purposed to amend the law to that effect this session.

# BANQUET TO THE HON. J. D. REID

## Minister of Customs and Mr. G. H. Ferguson, M. P.—Some Stirring Speeches.

Kemptville, Ont., Feb. 2.—The Liberal-Conservatives of the town tonight tendered a banquet to Hon. Dr. J. D. Reid, Minister of Customs, and to Mr. G. H. Ferguson, members for Grenville, in the local House.

A group of parliamentarians attended. Senator Pope, Hon. Frank Cochrane, and Hon. J. D. Reid spoke on the Empire, and what the Conservatives had done to uphold it.

Senator Pope said Sir Wilfrid Laurier can no longer play ducks and drakes with Quebec province. It was not nationalism that had defeated him, but the anti-reciprocity sentiment, for the people of Quebec recognized they were enjoying greater liberty under the British crown than they would in any other way.

Hon. Frank Cochrane said it was the duty of Canada to open up the great north country. There was on the Hudson Bay a port that never froze, which will be used in connection with the new railway. Then in Ontario, he said, only two-fifths of the arable land had been sown.

Dr. Reid said nothing had been done by the new government which was not part and parcel of Sir John Macdonald's policy. The minister himself said he recognized the need of farming being developed and the establishment of experimental farms and the making of a market abroad for Canada's products.

### RODOLPHE LEMIEUX VEXED OVER THE LOSS OF HIS JOB

Montreal, Feb. 2.—Rodolphe Lemieux, ex-Postmaster General, was in fighting mood to-night when he addressed the Young Liberal Association.

"The Right Hon. R. L. Borden came into power through the Ne Temere and through the Ne Temere he will probably meet his political doom," he declared.

He pictured the Premier faced with two problems, the Ne Temere and the Manitoba boundary question, and declared that he was unable to handle either of them fairly and fearlessly, being afraid of his Ontario majority and unable to trust his Quebec allies. He said that the exaggerated campaign cries that gave the Conservatives their majority would have an unfortunate sequel for that party. He then attacked F. D. Monk in particular, picturing him as dismissing poor, harmless FrenchCanadian from minor positions and taunted certain Conservative members with their inability to secure the dismissal of the three Montreal Harbor Commissioners.

### GREAT RAILWAY ACTIVITIES FOR TORONTO

Toronto, Feb. 2.—The Act of Legislation, under which the city of Toronto may proceed to construct street car lines within the boundaries covered in the Toronto Railway Company's charter goes into effect tomorrow, when the necessary proclamation by the Lieutenant Governor will appear in the Ontario Gazette. This means that the city is at liberty to inaugurate the Danforth avenue car line and provide a service for the people of East Toronto. The Ontario railway amendment act, passed by the Legislature in 1910, gave the city the power to lay tracks upon any street if the Toronto Railway Company refused to meet the city's demands in this direction, but the act was not to come into force until proclaimed by the Lieutenant Governor. The citizens have already passed by the by-law for the Danford avenue line.

# ALL HANDS WENT TO THE BOTTOM

## When the British Submarine A3 Sank After Collision With a Gunboat.

Portsmouth, Eng., Feb. 2.—Submarine "A-3," which went out of the harbor this morning to carry out a series of diving and torpedo exercises, sank like a stone immediately after a collision with the gunboat Hazard. A big escape of gas, which was observed on the surface immediately after she sank, indicated that the vessel quickly filled with water.

The Commander-in-Chief of the Portsmouth Division of the British Navy confirms the flooding of the submarine and the drowning of the whole of her crew, which numbered eleven. The submarine lies on the Princess Shoal, almost on the same spot where submarine "A-1" was lost with all hands on March 18, 1904.

Besides the regular crew of ten men and a lieutenant, who were on board the "A-3," the Admiralty states that three other lieutenants were on the vessel going through a course of instructions and were drowned when the submarine sank, making the total of fourteen deaths.

Under Admiralty regulations, only the bare official report of the sinking of the submarine is available, and it is not known yet where the blame, if there be blame, for the accident lies. None of those who witnessed the disaster will be permitted to speak of it until after the offical inquiry.

The salvagers late this afternoon located the sunken submarine lying on the sandy bottom off Spithead, some forty feet down. Owing to the darkness, however, they suspended operations for the night and to-morrow morning will make an attempt to raise the little vessel.

The "A-3" belonged to the early type of submarines, which is practically obsolete except for coast and harbor defence work.

King George and Emperor William this evening sent telegrams of regret and sympathy to the families of the victims.

### SCOTCH CURLERS IN DETROIT

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 2.—The Royal Caledonian curlers, from Scotland, who arrived in the United States today from Canada, to-night were defeated by the Detroit curlers, 89 to 84, in spirited matches. Six games were curled. The Scottish visitors received a rousing welcome when they crossed over from Windsor, Ont. Detroit Scotchmen escorted them in parade to the City Hall, where a reception was held in the mayor's office.

### HINTS OF CROOKED WORK IN RENFREW ELECTION

Arnprior, Ont., Feb. 2.—Hints of the possibility of crooked work in the election of February 22, the tariff policy of the new federal government, the railway policy of the old, and more locally the agreement made by the 27 Conservatives of the riding to allowd Hon. George P. Graham to represent it unopposed, were the main subjects of discussion at tonight's meeting in the Arnprior Town Hall in the interests of Dr. Maloney, Conservative candidate in South Renfrew. Hon. Dr. Roche, Secretary of State; Mr. Haughton Lennox, M. P., Mr. C. J. Foy, of Perth, and Mr. Maloney himself were the principal speakers and they addressed an audience of about 1,000, a large proportion of which was composed of the fair sex. The feature of the Secretary of State's remarks was his announcement that the Conservative government proposed to divorce the tariff from political pull and the exigencies of the party by the tariff commission it would appoint.

Mr. Foy, who has been mentioned in connection with the Solicitor-Generalship, raked over the record of Hon. G. P. Graham, the Liberal candidate for South Renfrew, while a member of the Ross government, and with Mr. Haughton Lennox advised vigilance against corrupt practices in the coming election.

### EDDIE DURNAN ABOUT TO RETIRE.

Toronto, Feb. 2—Eddie Durnan, the Toronto sculler, who holds the American championship title, announced tonight that he was through with the rowing game, in which he has been conspicuous for many years. Durnan's action is ascribed to his failure to get backing for his proposed race with Arnst on Toronto Bay this summer. The Australian sculler, who is the world's champion, demanded a side bet of $2,500 and $1,500 for expense money. Durnan's backers, who have always come to his assistance in the past, failed to respond on this occasion. Durnan's friends say that they do not believe he will retire, but that he will ready to meet any challengers for the title which he holds.

### CONTROLLER WANKLYN RESIGNS HIS POSITION.

Montreal, Feb. 2—The Citizens' Reform Association received another bad blow to-day, when, immediately following the elections in which five candidates, blacklisted by the association as unfit to sit in Montreal's City Council, secured their return to that body, Controller Wanklyn, the leading figure in the Board of Control since the inauguration of a commission system of government two years ago, sent in his resignation to the Mayor. Controller Wanklyn has only served two years as controller and resigns half way through his term of office, Montreal's controllers being elected for four years. Controller Wanklyn's letter merely stated that for private and urgent reasons he was forced to retire from civic life. He was a leading figure in the reform movement and the only English controller on the Board of Control.

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Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, 7th February, 1912, at 11 a.m., the following assets of the above estate will be sold at my office, 44 Dalhousie street:

| | |
|---|---|
| A—Hardware stock in trade | $3,052.79 |
| Shop furniture ..... | 232.74 |
| | $3,285.53 |

The sale will be "en bloc" at so much in the dollar.

The inventory may be seen at my office.

The store will be open on Monday, 5th February instant, for the inspection of stock.

Conditions of payment: Cash.

J. P. E. GAGNON,
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Office: 44 Dalhousie Street, R. & O. Nav. Co. Building.
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# Commercial News

## NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

McDonald & Lesperance, stock brokers, private wire to New York and Montreal, Hochelaga Bank Building. Telephone 1227.

(Canadian Press Service.)

New York, Feb. 2.—After two days of rampant speculation, the stock market moved at a more moderate pace to-day. The amount of business fell off abrutply. Quotations continued to move in an uncertain manner, with alternate periods of strength and weakness. Net changes were small, with a majority of slight losses. The occurrence of the day which attracted ed most attention was the engagement of $2,000,000 gold bonds for export to Paris. The steady accumulation of idle funds here, the demand from abroad and the rise in exchange rates to the highest point in nearly two years had suggested the likelihood of a gold export movement. The announcement came sooner than was generally expected, however. Exchange rates are still below what is regarded as the shipping point, demand sterling to-day being quoted at 4.87a50.

In the stock market Reading was the most active issue. In the early trading it rose 2 points. The continued strength of this stock was still unexplained and perplexed traders as much as the recent pressure on Union Pacific has done. The short interest in the stock apparently was alarmed and the advance of to-day was attributed largely to covering. The price fell sharply after the early advance and only a partial recovery followed. Lehigh Valley was the weakest of the important stocks, ending the day with a substantial loss. Union Pacific was again under pressure at times. Pacific Mail was active and strong, moving up 2 points. There was some irregularity in the movement of the tobacco stocks. The widest fluctuations in this group were in the Lorillard, which rose 5 points.

Business in bonds fell off to-day, but prices were well maintained. Total sales, par value, $2,572,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

## MONTREAL CLOSING LETTER.

Received over the private wire of McDougall & Cowans, stocks brokers, 81 St. Peter street.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—The dealings in Dominon Iron common was the only feature of the market to-day. The trading at the opening was at prices fractionally higher than the close last night and orders to buy were well distributed, but the selling was as in the past ten days very persistent and the stock reacted to 60⅛. The only reason to be offered for the selling is for political purposes. The buying is general. Power rallied sharply and showed a gain of 3 points from yesterday's low. The balance of the list shows few changes in qotations.

## COTTON MARKETS.

New York, Feb. 2.—Futures closed steady. Closing bids: Febraury 965c; March 976c; April 984c; May 991c; June 993c; July 10.04c; August 10.06c; September 10.07c; October 10.14c; November 10.17c; December 10.20c; January 10.21c. Spot closed steady, 10 points higher. Middling uplands 10c; do. gulf 10.25c. Sales 1,035 bales.

Liverpool, Feb. 2.—Cotton, spot, good business. Prices 15a17 points higher. American middling, fair, 641d; good middling 603d; middling 577d; low middling 547d; good ordinary 513d; ordinary 487d. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 10,500 American. Receipts were 13,400 bales, including all American. Futures opened firm and closed barely steady.


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## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Quotations on the New York Stock Exchange, as received by Bruneau & Dupuis, from Charles Head & Co.

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Amal Cop | 61¼ | 61⅝ | 61 | 61⅝ |
| Atchison | 104 | 104¼ | 104 | 104¼ |
| Am Car Fdy | 50½ | 50½ | 49⅝ | 49⅝ |
| Am S & Ref | 70 | 70 | 69⅛ | 69¼ |
| Am S R Co | 119 | 119¼ | 118½ | 118¾ |
| Ana Cop | 34¼ | 34¼ | 34⅛ | 34¼ |
| Balt & Ohio | 101¾ | 101¾ | 101¾ | 101¾ |
| Brook R T | 78 | 78 | 78 | 78 |
| Can Pac Ry | 229 | 229 | 229 | 229 |
| Ches & Ohio | 69½ | 69¾ | 69 | 69½ |
| Erie | 30⅝ | 30⅝ | 30½ | 30⅝ |
| Gas Con | 139½ | 139½ | 139½ | 139½ |
| Gen Elec | 157½ | 157½ | 157½ | 157½ |
| Gt North pfd | 128⅝ | 128¾ | 128⅝ | 128½ |
| Interborough | 17⅞ | 18 | 17⅞ | 18 |
| Do pfd | 56¼ | 56¼ | 56⅛ | 56⅛ |
| Lehigh Val | 160¼ | 160½ | 158⅝ | 158⅝ |
| Mo Pac | 39⅝ | 39⅝ | 39¾ | 39⅝ |
| North Pac | 116¼ | 116¼ | 116¼ | 116¼ |
| Pennsylvania | 124⅛ | 124⅜ | 124 | 124 |
| Peo Gas | 106¼ | 106½ | 106¼ | 106½ |
| Reading | 157⅝ | 159 | 157⅛ | 157⅜ |
| Rock Island | 23⅝ | 23⅝ | 23⅝ | 23⅝ |
| Soo com | 130½ | 130½ | 130 | 130 |
| St Paul | 106⅝ | 106½ | 106 | 106⅛ |
| South Pac | 107 | 107¼ | 106¾ | 106¾ |
| South Ry | 27½ | 27½ | 27½ | 27½ |
| Union Pac | 162½ | 162⅞ | 161 | 162 |
| U S Steel | 60⅝ | 61¼ | 60 | 60⅝ |
| Do pfd | 109½ | 110 | 109½ | 109⅞ |
| Wabash pfd | 17½ | 17½ | 17⅛ | 17¼ |

## MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Quotations furnished by Messrs. Neuville Belleau & Co., 93 St. Peter street.

| | Sellers. | Buyers. |
|---|---|---|
| Can Pac Ry | 229½ | 229 |
| Minn & St Paul | 130⅛ | 130 |
| Toronto Street | 131½ | 130¾ |
| Detroit United | — | 58 |
| Sawyer | | 39½ |
| Quebec Ry | 50 | 49¾ |
| Quebec Ry bonds | 77 | 76½ |
| Cement | 28¾ | 28¼ |
| Cement pd | 88½ | 88 |
| Rio Janeiro | 112¾ | 112⅝ |
| Steel o Can | 34 | 33¾ |
| Rich & Ont | 120¾ | 120½ |
| Mont Power | 191 | 190½ |
| Dom Steel | 60½ | 60¼ |
| Dom Iron pfd | 105 | — |
| Tooke | 39 | — |
| Can Converters | 37 | 33 |
| Can Cotton | — | 15 |
| Porto Rico | 77 | 76½ |
| Nova Scotia | 94 | 93¾ |
| Ogilvie, Milling | 128 | 125 |
| Mexican | 85 | 84¼ |
| Sherwin | 37 | 36½ |
| Lake of Woods | 135 | 130 |
| Can Loco | 31¼ | 30¾ |
| Laurentide Pulp | 160 | 155 |
| Laurentide Pulp | 160 | 155 |
| Can Loco pfd | 88½ | 86½ |
| Dom Textile | 66¼ | 65¾ |
| Do pfd | — | 100 |
| Crown Reserve | 300 | 295 |
| Penman Ltd | 59 | 57 |
| Do pfd | — | 88 |
| Banks— | | |
| Commerce | 217 | — |
| East Townships | — | 212 |
| Hochelaga | 165 | — |
| Merchant's | 198 | 197 |
| Molson's | 215 | — |
| Montreal | 247 | 247 |
| Nova Scotia | 277 | 275 |
| Quebec | — | 131 |
| Royal | 233 | 232½ |
| Toronto | 211⅛ | — |
| B. N. A. | 150 | 145 |
| Dominion | 232 | — |
| Nationale | 124 | 123 |
| New Brunswick | 261 | — |
| Standard | — | 234 |
| Traders' | — | 143 |
| Union | — | 151¾ |

**Sales.**

Dom Steel, 236 at 60½; 100 at 60⅝; 325 at 60½; 20 at 60⅝; 175 at 60½; 50 at 60⅝; 50 at 60⅝; 10 at 60⅝; 10 at 60⅝; 205 at 60¼; 5 at 60½; 100 at 60¼; ,1025 at 60⅛.
Cement, 3 at 29.
Cement pfd, 1 at 88½.
Crown Reserve, 250 at 295.
Rio Janeiro, 5 at 112½; 5 at 112¾.
Detroit, 100 at 58¼; 100 at 58.
Steel of Can, 55 at 34.
Nova Scotia, 175 at 93½; 10 at 93¾; 25 at 94.
Quebec Ry, 25 at 49; 125 at 50.
Quebec Ry bonds, 2,000 at 77.
Rich & Ont, 100 at 120½.
Toronto, 55 at 131½; 50 at 131¼; 15 at 131½; 50 at 131¼.
Can Pac Ry Rights, 200 at 7⅛; 6 at 7⅛; 25 at 7⅛; 5 at 7¾; 2 at 7½.
Coal bonds, 1,000 at 100.
Merchant's Bank, 5 at 197.
Penman, 10 at 57.
Penman pfd, 200 at 88.


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Nova Scotia, 1 at 276.
Montreal Bank, 12 at 247.
Royal Bank, 10 at 232¾; 20 at 233.
Sherwin pfd, 2 at 94½.

## NEW YORK CLOSING LETTER.

Received over the private wire of McDougall & Cowans, stock brokers, 81 St. Peter street.

New York, Feb. 2.—The market was quiet and irregular with changes as a rule confined to small fractions. Before long, however, an urgent buying movement started in Reading, on which the stock rose quickly to 159. It looked as if a good sized short interest was being driven to cover in confusion. The rest of the market sympathized very little with the rise in Reading and the trading during the rest of the day remained dull and professional and changes in quotations were confined to fractions. Reading soon sold off and in the afternoon lost almost all of its earlier gain while the list, as a whole, showed a heavy tone and closed fractionally lower than last night. Lehigh Valley was very heavy from the start and was one of the first stocks to show weakness, as it was yesterday. The tone in final dealing was heavy. Total sales 539,000.

## TORONTO PROVISION MARKET

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Quotations are as follows:

Wheat—Ontario, No. 2 winter, 95c — outside, according to location. Manitobar, No. 1 northern, $1.12½; No. 2 do., $1.09½; No. 2 do., $1.05½.

Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 51c; No. 3 do., — at lake ports for immediate shipment. Ontario, No. 2 white, 44c outside; No. 2 do., 42½a43c outside; on track, Toronto, 46½c.

Corn—American, No. 3 yellow, 72½c.

Peas—No 2, $1.15a1.20 uer bush.

Rye—No. 2, $1.04a1.05 per bush.

Barley—Per bushel, 94a95c outside for malting.

Buckwheat—Per bush., 67a68c shipping points.

Flour—Manitoba, 1st patents, $5.50; second patents, $5.00; strong bakers', $4.80. Ontario, winter, 90 per cent patents, $3.60a3.65 seaboard.

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Eggs—Selected, 32c.


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## WINDING UP ACT ORDER

### AUCTION SALE

In the matter of the Boston Asbestos Co., East Broughton, in liquidation, notice is hereby given that on THURSDAY, FEB. 15TH, 1912, At Eleven O'Clock A.M., will be sold by public auction at the office of the undersigned, 125 St. Peter St., Quebec, the assets of this liquidation as follows:

A—1. All the mines, minerals and quarries on the lot of land number thirteen B (13 B) of the plans and book of reference of the cadastral for Beauce County for the fifth range of township of Broughton, together with a small lot of land forming part of the said lot of land thirteen B of the official cadastral for the said fifth range of township of Broughton containing sixty superficial arpents of land with buildings, and bounded to the southeast by the line of the Quebec Central Railway, to the northeast by the residue of the said lot thirteen B, at one end by the sixth range and at the other end by the right half of the said fifth range.

2. Another lot of land situated in the fifth range of the township of Broughton in the said parish of Sacre Coeur de Jesus, containing fifty-two acres and two rods in superficies more or less and dependencies, being the lot cadastral number thirteen C (13 C) of the said fifth range with mines and rights of mine to deduct however from the said lot the piece of land sold to Mr. Joseph Jean Perron as per deed passed between him and Treffle Roy before J. N. Therrien, N.P., on the nineteenth October, nineteen hundred and seven.

3. Another lot of land situated in the fifth range of the said parish of Sacre Coeur de Jesus, containing about ten arpents in front on about fourteen arpents in depth being known and designed under number fourteen A (14 A) of the official cadastral for Beauce County for the said fifth range of township of Broughton with the mines and the mining rights, less the 3 acres sold to the Quebec Central Railway for sand purposes to be taken off the said lot.

4. All the rights and pretentions on a lane of land forming part or detached from lot number Thirteen A (13 A) of the official cadastral for the sixth range of the town of Broughton containing 15 feet in front on all the depth of the said lot Thirteen A, bounded on one end to the fifth range to the other end to nearly the half of the sixth range, on one side to lot number fourteen and on the other side to the remaining part of the said lot Thirteen A.

These four lots of land forming but one property belonging to the Boston Asbestos Co., will be sold "en bloc" as only one property.

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(c) Stock of asbestos in shop 285.25

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The sale will be made according to the articles 7552 and following of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec, the purchaser becoming proprietor only after complying with condition mentioned in the said articles.

The purchaser at the sale, on the 15th of February will have to deposit in the hands of the liquidators an amount of $1,000.00 which will be remitted to him if he does not become the final purchaser, and will be kept by the liquidators for the creditors if becoming the last purchaser according of the said articles he does not pay the purchasing price.

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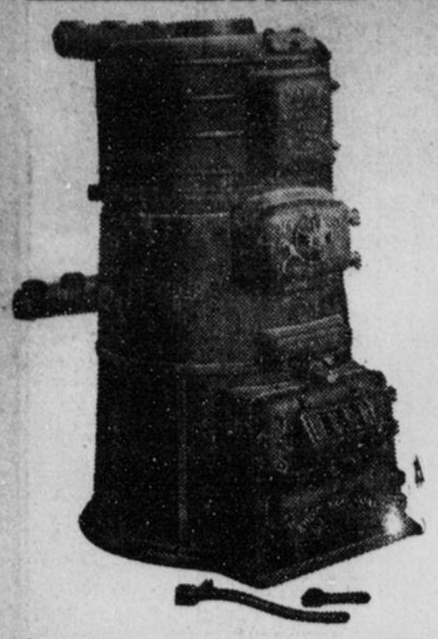

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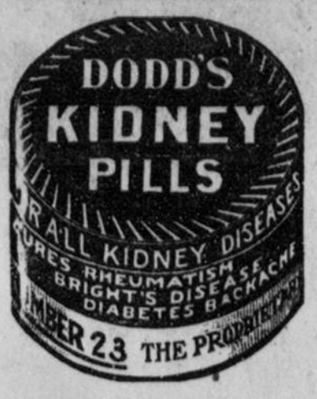



## CONTRACT FOR THE DROUIN BRIDGE

**Awarded to J. H. Gignac Co.—No Quorum Present to Pass Two By-Laws.**

It was expected that last evening's meeting of the city council would be the last meeting of that body before election day, as it had been practically decided that the present council would adjourn until the 23rd instant, for the last sitting, as the new council will be sworn in on the first of March next. However, owing to the want of a quorum, the proposed programme was not carried out, and as a result another council meeting will have to be held on Friday next. There were two important by-laws on the order paper for first reading—the early closing bl-law and the by-law adopted on Thursday night by the civic by-law committee, for the reduction of civic committees.

To adopt these by-laws in first or second reading it is necessary that two-thirds of the members—23—be present, but last night only 22 put in an appearance, and when the early closing by-law came up for consideration only 19 members were present.

This was not surprising, as it is well known that the by-law is not a popular one with a large number of the civic fathers, who, on the eve of the elections, are not anxious to commit themselves one way or the other. Besides, several of the aldermen attended the last evening's performance of the opera company, while others are of opinion that there are too many civic meetings of late.

Besides the meeting of the city council there were two committee meetings, roads and waterworks, held previous to the council meeting, to dispose of important business and to adopt reports.

Among those present at the committee meetings last evening were Mayor Drouin, Pro-Mayor Dinan, Aldermen Cannon, Lavigueur, Pouliot, Cote, Collier, Guillot, Morin, Gauvreau, Shink, Bergevin, Lamontagne, Levallee, Trudel, Messervey, Fiset, Verret, Barbeau, Emond, Madden, Jobin, Goulet and Gauvin, but some dropped out before the council meeting.

The roads committee was presided over by Alderman Pouliot. The principal business before that committee was the consideration of the report of Messrs. L. A. Vallee, engineer of the provincial public works department, and W. D. Baillarge, city engineer, recommending the acceptance of Mr. J. H. Gignac's tender for the new Dorchester bascule bridge, Strausse system, for $145 000, besides a ropalty of $7,000. The committee adopted the report and awarded the contract to Mr. Gignac.

A petition was presented by Alderman Pouliot, to continue the extension of Ste. Helen street, from Laliberte street to Bridge street, and the matter was referred to the city engineer.

The waterworks committee was presided over by Alderman Lavigueur, who informed the committee that he had received three applications for the position of waterworks guardian in St. Sauveur in the place of the late Mr. Maddison. The applicants were Messrs. Stevenson, Poitras and Voyer, and, on motion of Alderman Levallee, the latter, who is an employee of the department, secured the job.

A letter was read from Mr. Forrester, hydraulic engineer, withdrawing his resignation, owing to the decision arrived at, at the last meeting of the committee.

On motion of Alderman Jobin, seconded by Alderman Fiset, it was resolved to report to the council that the committee was thoroughly satisfied that the charges made against Mr. Forrester had not been proven.

Alderman Lavigueur was of the same opinion as Aldermen Jobin and Fiset, but thought that Mr. Forrester, to satisfy the public, should take an action against Mr. H. Gaudry, but Alderman Jobin replied that this was a matter with which the committee had nothing to do. The matter then dropped.

### CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

Mayor Drouin presided at the council meeting, where among the letters read, were the following:

From Messrs. Jennings & Co., unsuccessful tenderers for the new city fire apparatus, hoping that in future they would be more successful, and inviting His Worship to send some official to attend the automobile show in Montreal and examine their apparatus. Referred to the fire committee.


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From Fortier & Freres, protesting against the city granting an exemption of taxes to Mr. Ferland for a ready-made clothing factory, when there were similar firms carrying on the same trade in this city. Mr. Fortier's firm announced that they intended enlarging their factory next spring, and would also ask for an exemption of taxes. Referred to the finance committee.

From Mrs. Maddison, requesting that her son be appointed guardian of the waterworks in the place of her late husband. Referred to the waterworks committee.

From the Salvation Army, asking for leave to hold public meetings on streets and in public squares in this city, like in other cities, and requesting that they be granted police protection. Referred to the police committee.

A petition was read from the Stadacona chapter of the Daughters of the Empire, complaining of the spitting habit in streets, which helps to spread tuberculosis, and suggesting that posters be placed at certain corners to notify would-be offenders that a fine of a dollar or upwards would be imposed. The petition was referred to the by-law committee.

The following committee reports were presented and adopted:

From the finance committee, recommending the acceptance of Mr. J. H. Fortier's suggestions regarding the Quebec exposition, published in yesterday's issue, with an amendment proposed by Alderman Cannon that a paragraph be added to the effect that none of the directors would draw salary for their services.

From the finance committee accepting the offers of Mr. Lepiny to sell a property on Arago street for the widening of that street, and from Mr. Dinan, to sell a lot in Champlain street for a fire station.

The road committee presented reports awarding the contract for the construction of the new Dorchester bridge to Mr. J. H. Gignac; for broken stone to the Quebec Brick Company. Regarding the latter tender, Alderman Pouliot remarked that certain parties had been under the impression that Mr. Baker, manager of the Chateau Richer Quarry Company, was the author of a recent letter which appeared in the Daily Telegraph, signed "Taxpayer," but that he had proven to the satisfaction of the committee that he was in no way connected with that correspondence.

The report of the waterworks committee regarding Recorder Dery's report and exonerating Mr. Forrester from all connection with the recent charges against him, was unanimously adopted.

Alderman Verret, president of the by-law committee, presented two reports from that committee for first reading. One was in connection with the early closing of retail stores at 8 o'clock, and the other was for the reduction of civic committees from 9 to 6.

As it was known that the early closing by-law was to come up at that meeting, a large number of clerks were present, and great was their disappointment when they discovered that the necessary quorum was not present. The by-law had, therefore, to remain on the order paper, and the clerks retired, but in the corridor encountered one of the city fathers who had shirked the vote and surrounded him, and one of the party was in the act of striking him when Constable Lacasse interferred and removed the young man. Sergeant Power and the constable immediately cleared the passage, while other business was being transacted in the council chamber.

The by-law for the change of committees met with the same fate, and as Alderman Verret insisted that this by-law had to be adopted before the coming into function of the new council, it was decided after a discussion, in which Aldermen Verret, Cannon, Fiset, Jobin and Messervey took part, to have another meeting on Friday next, when His Worship will make an effort to have a full meeting of the council.

Alderman Messervey asked if it was the intention of this council to pass a by-law prohibiting tying the legs of cattle, or other small animals, when carried or exposed on the city markets, as asked in letter of the 12th of May last, 1911, of the president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals?

Mayor Drouin replied that all the council could do was to suggest that the question be referred to the by-law committee to consider the question.

Alderman Lantier also had the following question on the order paper:

Is it to the knowledge of His Worship the Mayor that a great many taxpayers have suffered and still suffer in their properties of the consequences of gas escaping in different streets of the city?

If in the affirmative, does the council intend to take energetic measures to put a stop to this state of things? and if in the affirmative, what are the best means according to our charter and the law to be taken to stop at once this state of things?

Mayor Drouin replied that according to the city attorneys, the matter could not be submitted, as had been suggested, to the Public Utilities Commission, and that the city had no right to intervene.

Alderman Cannon remarked that if the city had no legal right to intervene nor bring the matter before the Public Utilities Commission, the city authorities could certanly ask the Legislature for certain powers which might put a stop to the present state if thing, which was a menace to public health, as complaints are coming in from all parts of the city. In this connection the legal advisers should immediately prepare some legislation.

Alderman Messervey also referred to the nuisance, remarking that it was due, either to bad pipes or to pipes being improperly laid under ground. He favored the appointment of a sanitary plumber.

Before adjournment, Alderman Cannon proposed a resolution of condolence on the recent death of the Duke of Fife, which was unanimously adopted, and which will be forwarded to His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught.


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## PERSONAL

Hon. S. N. Parent left for Ottawa last evening.

Mr. A. G. Doughty, of Ottawa, is at the Chateau.

H. Anger of Ottawa is at the King Edward Hotel.

Mr. A. G. Watson, of Montreal, is at the St. Louis.

Mr. J. A. O'Brien, of Renfrew, is a guest at the Chateau.

V. Terreau and wife of River du Loup are guests at the King Edward.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Paquet of Rimouski are registered at the King Edward Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Taschereau, of Quebec, are the guests of Colonel and Mrs. Fiset, Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Saunders, of Montreal, are spending two weeks at Old Point Comfort.

Mr. W. G. Tait and Mr. W. A. Beatter, of Pictou, N. S., are registered at the Blanchard Hotel.

Miss Vera Tierney, of Quebec, is visiting her sister, Miss E. Lettan, Notre Dame de Grace, Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Pelletier, of Quebec, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Warrington, also of Quebec, arrived at Old Point Comfort the middle of the week.

Mrs. G. T. Young, of Montreal, has engaged rooms for the month of February, when it is expected a number of the warships of the Atlantic fleet will be at anchor in Hampton Roads.

Lates tarrivals at the King Edward Hotel: J. W. Foster, Montreal; J. H. Pudney, Toronto; A. Kersey, Jersey City; A. Lachance, Beauharnois; Jos. Picotte, Montreal; L. Lecours, Preston, Ont.; L. Laplante, Windsor, Ont.; A. Buies, Montreal; Charles Boucher, Charlevoix; A. Bastien, Vaudreuil; E. Carmes, Bontreal; Miss E. Bell, New York City; Miss Marie Hanley, London, Eng.; C. A. Van, Portland, Me.

Arrivals at the Clarendon: Hubert Aucrin, Eastern Harbor; W. Tooker, Montreal; Nap. Laliberte, Victoriaville; A. Laalme, River du Loup; Mr. and Mme. Dufort, St. Joseph; J. J. Lavoie, St. George; Mr. and Mde. Cloutier, Beauce; Mr. and Mde. Fortier, Ste. Marie, Beauce; J. A. Legaire, Chicoutimi; J. L. Findlay, Montreal; Chas. F. Roy, New York; J. L. Demers, Thetford; L. H. Carnie, Chicoutimi.

Arrivals at the Blanchard Hotel: J. D. Bouchard, St. Simeon; G. Fait, Pictou, N. S.; J. N. Beater, Toronto; Jos. Ford, Portneuf; E. Dubeau, Isle Verte; F. Reid, Miss M. Campbell, Milwake; J. S. Beaudet, Ste. Emelie; J. E. Michaud, Fraserville; J. N. Blouin, Beauceville; H. Martel, St. Raymond; P. Poulin, Victoriaville; E. Godbout, St. Eloi; L. Garon, Three Rivers; E. Faucher, Montreal; J. Cote, A. Menard, Sorel; G. Bergeron, Isle Orleans; F. Gelinas, Yuamachiche; J. A. Laberge, Murray Bay; E. Levesque, Montreal; Miss A. Grenon, La Tuque; N. Lapierre, Shawinigan Falls; E. Morin, St. Tite; F. Parent, Rimouski; Miss A. Bissonette, Lauzon; A. Roberge, Black Lake; N. Sirois, G. Pelletier, Montreal; E. Talbot, Fraserville; A. Marois, Thetford Mines; J. L. Vermette, Cookshire; A. Turgeon, Coaticook; J. L. Flynn, Renfrew, Ont.; L. H. Hardy, N. Hardy, St. Basile.

### NEW YORK POLICE CONDEMNED BY JURY

New York, Feb. 2.—The charge of incompetency in obtaining evidence in gambling cases was made against the New York police department today by the additional grand jury for January, which was discharged by Judge Malone in General Sessions. The attack on police methods was made in a presentment and a resolution filed by Foreman Thomas W. Slocum in court just before the grand jury was discharged.

### QUEBEC AN DVICTORIA DEFEATED IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Feb. 2.—To-day's curling results were:

Governor General's Prizes, Semi-Final—Heather, 67; Granby, 14. Montreal, 51; Huntingdon, 17.

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District Medal—Caledonia, 30; Quebec, 24. Thistle, 32; Victoria, of Quebec, 25.


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