# DAILY WITNESS

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## ING POWER AND OPTIMISM OLD M'GILL RE-OPENED TO-DAY

Chancellor Dr. Peterson, Glowed With Gratitude Over Generosity of Montreal.

IMPERIALISM IN SPEECH IN WHICH BRITAIN CAN SAFELY CONTINUE WORLD-WIDE MISSION



INDIANS AT THEIR LUNCHEON DURING THEIR PERFORMANCE OF THE SEVENTEEN HEROES BEFORE THE MOVING PICTURE MACHINE AT CHATEAUGUAY POINT

## ARMIES OF BALKAN STATES READY TO MARCH AGAINST

Two Hopes for Peace Powers and [illegible] Week

MONTENEGRO LATEST STATE MOBOLIZATION WITH [illegible] AND GREECE

London, Oct. 1.—The [illegible] Balkan states are [illegible] with feverish activity. [illegible] tion order given out yesterday [illegible] ing out of [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]



## NEW M'GILL PROFESSORS

Changes Made in Faculties of Art, Science and Law, But None in Medicine

[illegible] day [illegible] McGill. The [illegible] were [illegible] Freshmen [illegible] registration [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Arts, [illegible] Medicine, St. [illegible] in medicine and [illegible] [illegible] largest [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

# COLLEGE UNION MEETS WITH APPROBATION

## Eulogistic Reference From Many Protestant Pulpits on Sunday

[illegible] preached at the opening service of the Union [illegible] place in Montreal. [illegible] Principal Patrick preaching in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, strongly commended it, while a striking endorsation of it was delivered by the Rev. Dr. Symonds, in his sermon in Christ Church Cathedral in the morning.

**A Tribute to Laymen.**

**Says Rev. Dr. Symonds.**

Dr. Symonds said the movement came [illegible] long thing which [illegible] impressed it was that it showed the tremendous interest of the laymen in the practical problems, [illegible] the scheme was largely the result of the determination of laymen who saw at once the practical advantages, and whose minds and hearts were large enough to embrace a proposal which means in many ways more strength, more light and more love.

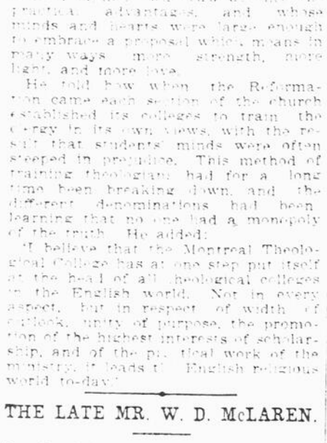
He told how when the Reformation came each section of the church established its colleges to train the clergy in its own views, with the result that students' minds were often steeped in prejudice. This method of training theologians had for a long time been breaking down, and the different denominations had been learning that no one had a monopoly of the truth. He added:

"I believe that the Montreal Theological College has at one step put itself at the head of all theological colleges in the English world. Not in every aspect, but in respect of width of outlook, unity of purpose, the promotion of the highest interests of scholarship, and of the practical work of the ministry it leads it. English religious world to-day."

## THE LATE MR. W. D. McLAREN.

**Death of One Who Was For Half a Century a Well-known Business Man**

Mr. W. D. McLaren died on Sunday at the residence of his son-in-law, Professor McLeod, Carleton Road, at the advanced age of eighty-five years. He had been in failing health for several



THE LATE MR. W. D. MACLAREN.

years. The funeral will take place from Knox Church on Wednesday afternoon.

For many years Mr. McLaren had been a noted figure in business and Presbyterian Church circles. He was born in Stirling, Scotland, and came to Canada, at the age of ten. During his business life—for fifty-five years—he was associated with a commodity that his business ability made a household word, 'Cook's' Friend Baking Powder,' of which he was proprietor until his retirement from his St. Paul street business several years ago. He took the keenest interest in all the works of the Presbyterian Church, being the oldest elder of Knox Church. He was one of the most modest of men, and yet he gave liberally, both of his time and means, to further the work of Christianity upon earth. The extent of the good that he did privately can scarcely be realized for his endeavor was to do everything to the glory of God, not for the praise of man. Five sons and three daughters survive: William, John, Henry, Andrew and Norman; Mrs. McLeod, wife of Professor McLeod; Mrs. James Fleck, widow of Dr. Fleck, for thirty years minister of Knox Church; and Mrs. H. S. McDonald, of Peterborough.

## 'A MERRY CHRISTMAS.'

During the heavy snow fall on Sunday a sailor was seen heavily navigating down Craig street considerably under the influence of liquor. Pausing at the corner of Cadieux, he took a piece of chalk from his pocket and scrawled across a plate glass window: 'A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.' The police are endeavoring to find out where he procured his liquor on Sunday.

## HOUSE OF REFUGE.

The number of night lodgings given last week at the Protestant House of Industry and Refuge was 98, and the number of meals 213.


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St. Lambert.


# ALARMING REPORTS OF TENSION IN THE BALKANS

New York, Sept. 30. A London cable says: Although there is ground for believing that peace will be preserved, alarming reports are reaching London regarding the tension in the Balkans, where the war spirit is growing, and is accompanied by widespread military activity.

Russia has suddenly mobilized seven army corps, each about 35,000 strong, at Warsaw and the military centres of the Polish provinces. Although this is officially described as a 'test' mobilization, this action has caused some alarm, inasmuch as no test mobilization has been carried out in Warsaw for a number of years.

Bulgaria has suspended the dismissal of her reserves until Oct. 14, and is alleged to be threatening Turkey with a general mobilization if the Porte does not halt its military preparations.

Belgrade despatches announce that Servia is quietly summoning the reserves and sending them to the frontier, while her Prime Minister has called upon Turkey to grant 'home rule' to the serf subjects of the Porte as the only means of avoiding a war.

Montenegro has been warned by the Powers against showing a provocative attitude, but there is news of an attack by Montenegrin troops upon a Turkish force in which the Turks lost thirty dead and thirty prisoners.

Greece has demanded satisfaction of Turkey in somewhat peremptory terms for the action of the Turkish troops in Samos in firing on a Greek steamer. The Turkish government has promised an inquiry and expressed its regrets.

A Copenhagen telegram says that, in consequence of several urgent telegrams from the Greek government concerning the difficulties of the Balkan situation, King George of Greece left Copenhagen on Sunday night. To a personal friend before his departure the King said in conversation that the situation looked serious, but he expressed the hope that peace would be maintained.

A Constantinople newspaper publishes a telegram stating that a French cruiser on Saturday landed troops in Samos, where a revolution in miniature has been in progress, and disarmed the Turkish garrison.

Turkey, it is announced, is willing to abandon the concentration of troops in Adrianople, to which Bulgaria has taken exception, and will hold the Russian and Bulgarian troops in various parts of Macedonia instead, but if Bulgaria mobilizes her troops the Turkish army will immediately be placed on a war footing.

Reports from Berlin state that five Turkish divisions, of 16,000 men, in Asia Minor are being called up.

Meanwhile from Sofia comes the news that, amid the enthusiastic cheers of its population, regiments of cavalry are entraining for Jamboli, on the southern frontier, where a great part of the Bulgarian cavalry is being concentrated.

Hopes that peace will be preserved are based upon the reported action of the great powers. Although Bulgaria, Servia, Montenegro and Greece have apparently arrived at a common understanding against Turkey, it is announced that they have been warned that any attack by them on Turkey would sooner or later lead to intervention on the part of the powers, who would not allow them to profit by such an attack.

The 'Daily News' correspondent at Constantinople telegraphs:

The Russian embassy is seriously alarmed, and is using the utmost exertions to prevent the outbreak of war. The Russian ambassador and the councillor of the British embassy had a long interview on Saturday with the Minister of Foreign Affairs, the Russian ambassador endeavoring to persuade the Turks to change their programme and reassure the Bulgarians.

'King Ferdinand and his ministers undoubtedly desire the maintenance of peace, but the Bulgarians are so excited that it would require but little to provoke a declaration of war.

**CALLED UP 100,000 MEN.**

Athens, Sept. 30.—Turkey is making elaborate military preparations to meet any hostile demonstrations in the Balkans according to a semi-official statement published here to-day. The Ottoman Government has called up 100,000 men, forming eleven divisions of the Redifs, or second reserves, for six weeks training in field manoeuvres.

The Turkish troops sent from Thrace to Albania some time ago have now been ordered to return to their stations, so that the only troops at present detached from their ordinary posts are those concentrated in Salonika, along the Dardanelles, and at Smyrna in consequence of the war with Italy.

**END HOSTILITIES ON ISLAND OF SAMOS.**

London, Sept. 30.—The cessation of hostilities in the Island of Samos is announced to-day by the Porte, according to a news agency despatch from Constantinople.

# CEREMONY IN COURT

## Chief Justice Davidson Officially Appointed to Head of Quebec Judiciary

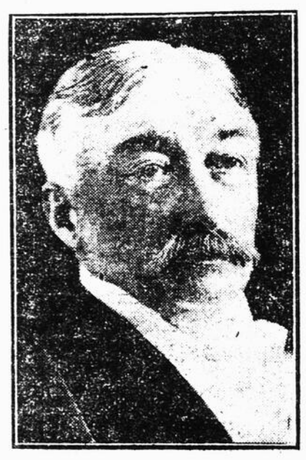
Shortly after noon yesterday the Royal warrant officially appointing Chief Justice Davidson head of the Superior Court for the Province of Quebec was read to him at the Court House.

Preceded by the ushers of the court, attired in the semi-dress of the old Beefeaters of London Tower, gowned and bearing each a staff surmounted by a golden crown, the new Chief Justice was surrounded by his brother judges, who stood while the commission was read.

After the reading of the warrant in English, Mr. J. L. Archambault, K.C., batonnier of Montreal, voiced in French the sentiment of the Bar in the appointment of Mr. Justice Davidson to this high judicial position. The hope of the legal fraternity was expressed that the learned Chief Justice would long be spared to occupy the place he has attained.

In a concise though comprehensive reply Chief Justice Davidson thanked the Batonnier and his brethren at the Bar for the kindly expression of feeling, which was contained in the official welcome to the dignity, he has attained, and was gratified in noting the reference made to Mrs. Davidson.

He expressed the idea that he had a tremendous task set him in measuring up to the standard set by his predecessor, Sir Melbourne Tait, but assured his confreres and members of the legal profession present that his duties would be untiringly pursued. In closing he made reference to the constantly-increasing volume of litigation occupying the time of all the courts



MR. JUSTICE DAVIDSON.

and the growing demands thus made on Bench and Bar alike.

The appointment of Mr. Justice Campbell Lane was also formally ratified yesterday at this same ceremony, when the Governor-General's warrant was also read.

The Batonnier also presented a score of young gentlemen of the law, who have just concluded their final examination, and who, in the presence of the august legal assembly, were called to the Bar. They were welcomed to the profession by the Chief Justice, who gave them some sage and timely advice, as did also Mr. Justice Delorimier, as they stood newly gowned and white-tied in their new professional robes.

## INWARD BOUND.

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| Teutonic, arr. Montreal | Sept. | 28 |
| Letitia, arr. Montreal | " | 29 |
| Montfort, arr. Montreal | " | 29 |
| Pengore Head, arr. Montreal | " | 29 |
| Kronz Prinz Olav, arr. Quebec | " | 28 |
| Scandinavian, arr. Quebec | " | 29 |
| Michigan, arr. Halifax | " | 29 |
| Sardinian, arr. Halifax | " | 29 |

## OUTWARD BOUND.

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| Caledonia, arr. Moville | Sept. | 29 |
| Calonia, arr. Liverpool | " | 29 |
| Tunisian, arr. Liverpool | " | 29 |
| Prinz Frederich Wilhelm, arr. Plymouth | " | 29 |
| St. Paul, arr. Plymouth | " | 29 |
| Oceanic, arr. Southampton | " | 29 |
| Cretic, arr. Naples | " | 29 |
| Saxonia, arr. Madeira | " | 29 |

# CANADIAN CLUB OPEN

## To-day's Speaker, Mr. Barton Kent Enthusiast on Entente Cordiale

The Canadian Club held its opening meeting for this season yesterday, and Mr. Barton Kent was the speaker, his subject being the entente cordial between Britain and France.

Mr. Kent is president of the Entente-Cordiale Society in London. He began by saying that he was specially interested in the subject, because he had married a French lady when he went over there to learn the language. Dealing with the history of the relations of Britain and France he told how they had at various times fought together or against one another.

The French were always fearless foes and faithful friends. Any misunderstadings that occurred in the early days were due to not understanding one another's language.

Mr. Kent put the spirit of the association in the following French sentences:—

Autres temps, autres moeurs: heureusement nous avons changé tout cela, et la manche, qui autrefois nous séparait de nos voisins, sert aujourd hui de trait d'union entre les deux grandes nations civilisatrices de l'occident de l'Europe.

King Edward VII. had helped the movement very much, as had Paul Cambon, the French ambassador in London.

The society tries to get British people to visit France, and has established four travelling scholarships—two of £20 and two of £10 each. Men of different politics, like the Hon. Mr. Balfour and the Hon. John Burns, have helped the society.

Another extra meeting will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday of this week, to hear Sir Arthur Lawley, K.C.M.G., a very distinguished soldier and statesmen. He has been Administrator of Rhodesia, Governor of West Australia, and Governor of Madras. Sir Arthur Lawley has made a tour of Canada, having delivered eloquent addresses at Ottawa, Winnipeg and other Canadian cities. He is now returning home.

# CABINET COUNCIL

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—In response to a call sent out last week to the Ministers of the Crown, a practically complete Cabinet Council convened this morning in the office of the Privy Council, to commence the task of preparing the sessional programme.

One of the first things to be decided on is the date of the opening of Parliament. That it will be either Thursday, Nov. 14, or Thursday, Nov. 21 is certain. No matter which date is chosen there remains only six or seven weeks in which the Ministers must prepare for the consideration by Parliament of the various matters to be outlined in the Speech from the Throne.

By far the most important of these matters will be the Government's declaration of naval policy, which will become a subject of immediate consideration by the Cabinet. The additional information from the Admiralty which was promised Premier Borden, has now been received, and the Government is in possession of the complete facts both in regard to the German situation and the cost of the construction of war vessels of all types.

That action this session will be confined to the voting of an emergency contribution of a size yet to be determined by Council is practically certain. The permanent naval policy of the Government will not likely be brought down till the 1913-14 session of Parliament.

Many other matters of importance will engage the attention of the Ministers during the next few weeks, including the new Bank act, an amendment to the Railway Act, the bill to create a permanent tariff commission, the bill to provide Federal aid to highways, and, possibly, the redistribution bill.

Quebec, Que., Sept. 30.—The first frost of the season occurred this morning, when some fruit crops suffered heavily.

# FINANCE

# DOMINION STEEL BUYS HUGE COAL AREAS OUT WEST

An interesting development in connection with the plans of the Dominion Steel Corporation is shown by the purchase by the company of its first coal deposit in Western Canada. The property secured is known as the Ford areas, of 12,000 acres on High River, south of Calgary.

# SEPTEMBER CLEARINGS SHOW RECORD

A further evidence of the remarkable growth in local trade and finance progress was given this afternoon when the Montreal Clearing House issued the clearings for the month of September, which showed a phenomenal increase in comparison with corresponding month for two previous years.

Following are the comparisons:

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| Total for month, 1912 | $221,230,581 |
| Corresponding month, 1911 | 170,172,523 |
| Corresponding month, 1910 | 170,063,257 |

# HIGHER MONEY RATES HAVE NO EFFECT HERE

It is evidently not the intention of the brokers on the Montreal Stock Exchange to advance the rate on call loans another 1-2 percent, to conform to the advance by the banks. It is believed that the brokers were aware, the other day, when they put the rate up to 6 1-2 percent, that the banks were about to advance the rate on them to 8 percent. It is believed that the brokers will now maintain the rate at 6 1-2 percent, and not advance it to 7 percent, as they would have to do to maintain the 1 percent margin between the bank rate and their own rate.

Trading yesterday was exceedingly active with several of the big leaders in great demand. Laurentide was a feature, advancing to 240, while Montreal Power sold up to 242, and C. P. R. to 280 1-2. Tooke Bros. reacted to 48, while Richelieu and 'Soo' common held firm at slightly higher levels. Other lower priced issues were traded in and notwithstanding the high money rates the demand for best class of stocks is as persistent as ever with every evidence of great activity without very much depression in quotations.

# FOREIGN RATES

Paris, Sept. 30. —Closing—The Balkan situation caused a weak opening on the Bourse to-day. Later the tone was better and the market closed steady.

Three percent rentes 90 francs 75 centimes for the account Exchange on London 25 francs 29 centimes for cheques. Private discount rate, 3 percent.

Berlin Sept. 30. —Prices were weaker on the Bourse to-day. Exchange on London 20 marks 46 pfennigs for cheques. Money, 2 percent. Private discount rate, 4 1-4 percent.

## MISSOURI PACIFIC.

Missouri Pacific August gross increase, $852,511; net increase, $601,606. Operating income increase, $572,927; net income increase, $588,046. For two months' gross increase, $1,599,917; net increase, $1,315,577; total income increase, $1,376,777.

# MARKET THIS P.M

There was nothing unusual about the condition of trading on the stock market this afternoon. Laurentide, Spanish River and Power were strong, while Richelieu continues to hold firm at 118 1-2.

## CHICAGO MARKETS.

Messrs. J. S. Bache and Company, 29 Hospital Street, Montreal, reports the Chicago market quotations to-day as follows for the 'Witness':

| | Open | High. | Low. | Close |
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| Wheat— | | | | |
| Sept | 88¾ | 88⅞ | 87⅝ | 88 |
| Dec | 90¼ | 90⅜ | 89⅜ | 90 |
| Corn— | | | | |
| Sept | 71½ | 73¾ | 71½ | 73⅝ |
| Dec. | 53⅜ | 53⅛ | 54⅝ | 52⅝ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| Sept | 32¼ | 32½ | 30½ | 31b |
| Dec. | 32⅛ | 32 | 31½ | 31⅛ b |
| Pork— | | | | |
| Sept. | | | | 1627 |
| Oct. | 1637 | 1647 | 1630 | 16350 |
| Lard— | | | | |
| Sept | 1105 | 1097 | 1105 | |
| Oct | 1092 | 1105 | 1092 | 1105 |
| Short Ribs— | | | | |
| Sept | 1057 | 1072 | 1057 | 1065 |
| Oct. | 1050 | 1052 | 1050. | 1050b |


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# BLAIR BROS. N.Y. BROKERS CLOSE DOORS

New York, Sept. 30. The failure of Blair Brothers, members of the Consolidated Stock Exchange, was announced to-day. The firm was organized in 1907, and has correspondents in several cities. The cause of the failure and the amount involved are not announced.

# CHINESE LOAN

London, Sept. 30.—The Chinese loan was quoted at 1-2 percent discount. Underwriters have taken 60 percent. Underwriters announced that when the books were closed on Saturday subscriptions were nearly $10,000,000 in excess of the amount offered.

# WHAT IS DOING IN TEXTILE?

The movement in Dominion Textile Common recently has been a great deal more impressive than any similar movement in the same issue in the past. Big interests are back of the movement for a better market, and given anything like favorable conditions in the general situation they expect to find an advancing market for issue.

There is certainly something important developing in Textile circles. It may not be a dividend increase as anticipated, but a new plan of reorganization that is likely to cause a surprise.

## London Money in Good Demand With Rates Firm

### —Balkan Trouble a Factor

London, Sept. 30.—Money was in good demand and discount rates were firmer to-day.

After increased competition Americans paid 77s. 9 1-8d. per ounce, an advance of an eighth, for $5,500,000 of the $7,500,000 new gold offered in the open market, India taking the remainder. A commission was also paid, but the parties interested refuse to state the amount. Some of the gold will be shipped to New York this week.

The Balkan situation caused hesitancy on the Stock exchange. Prices declined early under local selling, while Paris, which was also depressed by the Balkan difficulty, offered its favorites in the foreign and Kaffir sections. The market, however, rallied a fraction in the late trading, and closed generally above the lowest. The new Chinese loans sold at seven-eighths discount, and Greek bonds were weak features. American securities were quiet and featureless until the gold purchase was announced. Then prices advanced a fraction, but the trading was limited and the closing uncertain.

# GOOD GUESS

Interests who are fairly close to the steady advance in Laurentide Paper state that the value of the rights that will accrue to shareholders, in connection with the proposed power development, will make the present stock worth at least $250 a share.

## BAR SILVER.

New York, Sept. 30.—Bar Silver was very high, selling at 63 3-4 cents per ounce.

## FINANCIAL PERSONALS

New York, Sept. 30.—Mr. John D. Ryan, president of the Amalgamated Copper Company, is expected to return from the West this week.

Mr. J. P. Morgan is in Washington.

Mr. C. J. McCuaig has returned from Sherbrooke.


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A despatch from New York states that Mr. W. L. Sel[illegible] Philadelphia, wants to be a member of the New York Cotton Exchange. It is suggested that his name may have something to do with his position in the market.

# U.S. HOLDERS IN LA ROSE OBTAIN PLEASING NEWS

New York, Sept. 30. — Shareholders of the La Rose Consolidated Mines Company, who met here and in Boston, were told to-day that since the removal of the La Rose office from this city to Montreal it has been, they claim, impossible to get any first hand information on the company's affairs, but they were satisfied by a lengthy and optimistic statement from President James McGibbon, as to the present condition of La Rose and the value of the different properties.

In his summary, President McGibbon goes fully into figures which would prove that the company is in a pretty safe condition, while he quotes details of surveys made at the different mines, which would indicate that the LaRose properties at Cobalt are yet productive of much mineral wealth.

The statement is made that the La Rose directors have in view the expenditure of a certain amount of the $1,500,000 surplus in other properties which are worthy of development and which, it is claimed, would be largely the output of the LaRose mines.

The assertion by President McGibbon that he has every confidence in the future of the company has been well received on this side of the border, and more especially as he emphatically stated that while there has had an unwarranted drop in price recently, it is not the result of dumping on the part of any of the directors, but largely the outcome of indecision on the part of certain large and disgruntled holders to do something to cause trouble or unpleasantness to the management.

The reputation of President McGibbon as a financier and reorganizer and the success that has attended the management of several big Mining Corporations is sufficient warrant for shareholders here in holding their stock on the strength of the optimistic statement received from Montreal.

## AS THEY SEE IT

Miller & Co.—The fastest runners stop to catch their breath at times, and we would not be surprised to see more or less halting and backing around the present levels.

J. S. Bache & Co.—There is a good undertone, and there does not seem to be much uneasiness over the advance in call money rates.

## BOSTON FIRM CHANGES.

Boston, Sept. 30.—J. R. Williston & Co., members of the New York and Boston stock exchanges, announce that Mr. W. F. Newell becomes a member of their firm as of Oct. 1.

## Strike Cuts Down Earnings of D.S. Coy.

The effects of the strike of employees upon the Duluth-Superior Traction Company, which commenced on August 8, are plainly seen in the statement of earnings for the month of September to date, and of the third week in September, as follows:

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| 3rd week... | 4. | 21,949 | 17,005 | 77.5 |
| Month to date ... | 30,396 | 63575 | 25,179 | 39.9 |
| Year to date . . | 785,296 | 801,886 | 13,093 | 1.6 |

# SPANISH RIV. PLANT DOING MORE RECORDS

Toronto, Sept. 30.—The production of the Espanola plant of the Spanish River Pulp & Paper Company continues to create new records. For August the output of pulp was 4,197 tons, which represents an increase of 263 tons over July. The production in August was at the rate of 162 tons a day, and is considered satisfactory in view of the fact that the month of July created the best record attained up to that time. The increase in pulp production for the first eight months of the year was 5,430 tons over the previous year.

In the new paper plant steady increases have been the rule, and for the month of October it is expected that the daily production will exceed 1[illegible] tons. At the Sturgeon Falls plants of the company both paper machines are now working to their full capacity.


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# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS AND STOCKS

## FINAL DEAL IN WHEAT CORNER QUIETLY MADE

...Oct. 1.—The big-... undertaken in ... Armour corner of ...ended yesterday ... the excitement ...ng the culmination ... There were no ...eeze' at the last ...were filled. ...late on Monday ... making a total of ... which the Armour ...hicago has taken ...month.

### Crucible Steel Co. Earnings Fairly High

...1.—Crucible Steel ... dividends in first ...scal year ending ... $2,385,873. For ...xpected net profits ..., sufficient to pay ... on the preferred, and leave ..., equal to 6 percent on the ...

...st two quarters ... to have been ... the preferred ... and 9 percent ... Earnings for the year ... exceed preceding fiscal year by ...

### AS THEY SEE IT

Laidlaw & Co.—The general prospect for higher prices not only remains unimpaired, but appears to be more pronounced than a week ago. While reactions are to be expected from time to time, these are likely to be confined to moderate limits for the near future at least.

E. & C. Randolph—There is no sign of the present advance stopping, and it looks as if higher prices were coming with only moderate and usual reaction.

J. S. Bache & Co.—The market is still broadening, and this week promises to be one of great activity and rising prices.

Boston, Oct. 1.—The Boston Exchange held its annual election yesterday afternoon. The only changes were that Messrs. G. S. Baldwin and Herbert Foster took the places of H. K. White and C. E. Sweet on the governing committee.

The officers are: President, Henry Hornblower; vice-president, Harry H. Gay; treasurer, Sidney Chase.

Governing committee: term expires 1914—Messrs. John Parkinson, F. W. Remick, G. N. Towle, P. W. Wrenn, G. S. Baldwin and Herbert Foster.

## U.S. STEEL HAS FAIR SURPLUS SEPT. 30, LAST

New York, Oct. 1.—Notwithstanding the deficit of $5,000,000 shown by the United States Steel Corporation in the first quarter's operations, and the fact that during the second quarter dividends were barely earned, it is expected that the earnings of the quarter just closed and of the quarter just entered upon, will be unusually satisfactory.

It is predicted that $30,000,000 were earned in the third quarter ended Sept. 30; that $35,000,000 will be earned in the fourth quarter, and that the surplus for dividends will run close to $59,000,000 for the year. This should leave over 6 percent on the common stock, after paying the 7 percent preference dividend.

### CHEESE PRICES FIRM.

The level of prices for cheese is unchanged, with finest western, colored, at 13 5-8c to 13 3-4c; finest western, white, 13 1-2c to 13 5-8c; finest Townships, 13 1-4c to 13 3-8c; finest Quebec, 13 1-8c to 13 1-4c; seconds, 12 7-8 to 13c.

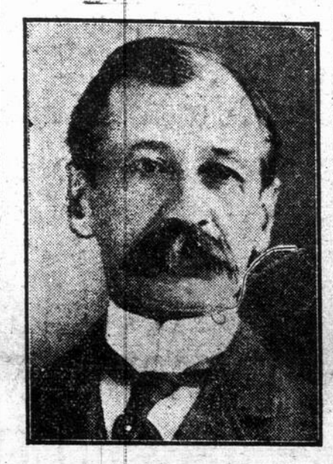
### BALED HAY UNCHANGED.

No. 1 hay, $15 to $16; No. 2 hay, $14 to $15; No. 2 good, $13 to $13.50; No. 3 hay, $12 to $12.50; clover, mixed, $10 to $11.

### OATS CONTINUE HIGH.

Scarcity of oats continues to keep prices high, with No. 2 Canadian western, 54c to 55c; extra No. 1 feed oats, 53 1-2c to 54 1-2c.

## SHERBROOKE RAILWAY & POWER ISSUES FIRST ANNUAL REPORT--- PROFITS GOOD, FUTURE BRIGHT



MR. C. J. McCUAIG.

President C. J. McCuaig of the Sherbrooke Railway and Power Company, issued to-day the first annual statement dealing with the finances and development of this young and progressive concern. The report will come no doubt as a pleasant surprise to those who are interested in the company, and especially the residents of Sherbrooke and district, who are appreciating the increased facilities as to traction and power supplied, and which are materially assisting in the commercial enlargement of that city.

'During the year,' says Mr. McCuaig, 'some very important steps have been taken in connection with the company's affairs, and the scope of its operations has been considerably extended by the acquisition of several companies, with established businesses, in the district between Sherbrooke and the International boundary line. Legislation was obtained at the last session of the Quebec Legislature ratifying these contracts and still further extending the company's powers. The companies acquired consist of the Eastern Townships Electric, the Stanstead Electric and the controlling interest in the Lennoxville Light and Power Companies.

'To provide funds for the purchase and extension of these properties, building transmission lines, and the extension of the company's main system, the Company issued $348,500 additional bonds and $348,500 stock, which they have sold.

'The directors consider that the earnings this year have been very satisfactory under the conditions which existed. They were naturally affected by the reconstruction of the street railway on some of the important streets during the early part of the year; by the partial earnings from power on the main system, as several contracts, closed early in the year, were not connected up until several months later; by the purchase of power for the Stanstead system during the building of the transmission line; and because the statement shows only three months earnings from power for the Stanstead system, since the completion of the transmission line.

'The coming year, in addition to showing the full year's revenue from the above mentioned sources, will include the revenue from the sale of additional power, which, when connected up, will yield an increased revenue of about $20,000, contracts for which were signed in July and August. The company has also purchased from the city of Sherbrooke its light and power business, franchise and rights in the town of Lennoxville, which has been paid for.

'Negotiations are pending for the sale of another large block of the company's power and it is reasonable to expect that a market will be found for the greater portion of the remainder of the power developed before the expiration of the year.

'Regarding the future prospects of the company it may be said that Sherbrooke is expanding rapidly. Building permits already issued for this year amount to over $1,500,000. A large number of new industries have located their plants in Sherbrooke, and five of the present large manufacturing concerns are constructing additions to their plants, which, in three cases, will more than double their present capacity. Other towns in the neighborhood are feeling the natural impetus from the growth of the country and are steadily expanding in size and importance. It is, therefore, reasonable to anticipate that the revenue from the street railway and from the sale of power and light, will steadily expand.'

Following is the statement of profit and loss for the year ending June 30 last:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Railway and power operations:— | | |
| Gross earnings | $64,500.71 | |
| Operating expenses | 43,616.98 | |
| Net earnings | | $20,883.73 |
| Real estate:— | | |
| Rentals | | $ 990.65 |
| Stanstead and Eastern Township's Electric Company's | | |
| Gross earnings | $23,148.58 | |
| Operating expenses | 12,975.63 | |
| | | $10,172.95 |
| Lennoxville Light and Power dividend | | $ 800.50 |
| Net profit for 1912 | | $32,847.83 |
| Balance at credit, 1911 | | 3,694.46 |
| | | $36,542.29 |
| Less:— | | |
| Bond interest | $41,077.06 | |
| Less interest charged to portion of system under construction | 8,000.00 | |
| | $33,077.06 | |
| Accidents Written Off:— | | |
| Railway department | 552.86 | |
| Power department | 570.82 | |
| | $ 1,123.68 | $34,200.74 |
| Balance carried forward to the credit of profit and loss | | $ 2,341.55 |

## WHAT PRODUCE MEN SAY ABOUT THE INQUIRY

When, recently, a commission of inquiry into the cheese weighing methods in Montreal was set afoot by the federal minister of agriculture, the Hon. Martin Burrell, at the request of Dr. Edwards, M.P. for Frontenac, local produce dealers on the Board of Trade spoke of this investigation as needless and of no special profit.

Mr. John Gunn, president of the Produce Dealers' Association, said that the local dealers treatment towards the cheese makers was in every way fair, and the investigation into weighing methods would prove only that the Canadian producers enjoyed more liberal treatment than those of Australia or New Zealand, where material reductions in the weight of cheese were allowed for on its reaching the middlemen.

The Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner of the Dominion, Mr. J. D Ruddick, in a conversation with the 'Witness' during this same period, said that if no other benefit resulted from the inquiry, it would at any rate show whether such suspicions were groundless, and thereby create a better feeling between the makers and exporters.

It is hoped that such will be the good effects, now as it has been apparently found that the faults in weighing originated at the factories and not the local warehouses.

On being asked what was his opinion upon the matter this morning, Mr. John McKerrow, of A. A. Ayer and Company said that the reported results of the inquiry, viz. that faulty scales were found to be used at many of the factories, are a feasible and natural outcome of the inquiry. 'The scales should be tested twice a year,' he said, 'instead of once every five years.'

Other dealers said that it would be a great benefit if those factories, which could afford a little expense, would set about in tailing a new equipment of scales.

Mr. P. W. McLagan, of Lovell and Christmas said he would defer comment upon the subject until the commission had completed its negotiations and drawn up its report. 'I don't want to base my judgments upon a press despatch,' he said, 'particularly as the inquiry is not yet over, there being yet a hearing in Brockville and Montreal.'

The Bank of Hochelaga has just opened a new branch in Longue Pointe, corner Notre Dame and LePailleur streets.

## MODEL FOR MONUMENT



MODEL DESIGNED BY MR. G. W. HILL, A.R.C.A., FOR THE CARTIER MEMORIAL, CHOSEN BY THE COMMITTEE.

The models are on exhibition in the old G. T. R. offices, corner of St. James and St. Francois Xavier streets, where they were inspected to-day by hundreds of admiring citizens

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill, Macgregor street, have left for a trip to the Pacific Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Guy Ross, Pine avenue, are on a trip to the West and the Pacific Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gordon Strathy, who have been abroad since June, are sailing for home early this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Harris, Peel street, are back in the city after their sojourn for the season at Murray Bay.

Mrs. Andrew H. Allan is leaving on October 12 to join Mr. Allan in Boston, where they will in future reside.

The Hon. Charles R. Devlin, Minister of Colonization, Mines and Fisheries, was at the Government offices this morning.

Mrs. Hugh Mackay and children, who have been abroad through the summer, returned to Montreal by the 'Corsican.'

Miss Hazel Ibbotson, second daughter of the late Col. E. B. Ibbotson, and Mrs. Ibbotson, will be a débutante this season.

Miss Beatrice Coristine, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Coristine, will be one of the débutantes in Montreal this season.

Mrs. Roswell Fisher and family have closed their summer home, Bolton Cliffs, Georgeville, and returned last night to 'The Sherbrooke.'

Dean and Mrs. F. P. Walton, who have been spending the past three months in Great Britain, were among passengers arriving by the 'Corsican.'

The Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, accompanied by Mr. Alex. Johnston, Deputy Minister, came down from the Capital this afternoon.

Mrs. Clawson Rea, who spent part of the past season with her mother, Mrs. F. W. Thompson, at St. Andrew's, N.B., has returned to her home in Winnipeg.

The Hon. D. Gillmor and Mrs. Gillmor, Dorchester street West, are returning to town in the early part of this month, from their summer residence at St. George, N.B.

Mrs. S. J. Carter and family have closed their summer home, 'Windyhaugh,' at Knowlton, and returned to the city. Mr. John C. Callaghan and Miss Evelyn Callaghan, who were guests of Mrs. Carter, have returned to Hamilton.

The marriage of Miss Ethel G. M. Liddell, daughter of Mrs. J. H. Liddell, to Mr. William J. Galbraith, will take place on Saturday afternoon, October 5, at four o'clock, at the bride's summer home, 'Ravensneuk,' Riverside drive, Lachine.

The marriage of Miss Irene McBride, daughter of Major and Mrs. John T. McBride, to Mr. Dudley Oliver, manager of the Bank of Montreal, Magog, and son of the late Surgeon-General Oliver, R.A.M.C., is to be celebrated at the residence of the bride's parents, 4262 Dorchester street west, on Wednesday, October 16.

The marriage of Miss Mary Frances McDermott Cooke, daughter of Mrs. Herbert E. Cooke, to Mr. Bernard Francis Moore, formerly of Woodford Green, London, took place at St. Ann's Church this morning. The Rev. Father Robert Moore, brother of the groom, performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. Father Pennafort and the Rev. Father Jasmin. The bride was given away by her grandfather Mr. P. McDermott, sr. She wore her travelling suit of elephant gray cloth with garniture of velvet and hand-made lace, and a large velvet hat to match, trimmed with shaded gray and blue ostrich plumes. The bridegroom's gift was a set of ermine furs. The bridesmaid was Miss Beatrice R. Herbert, who wore mauve silk trimmed with lace and black velvet, and a black beaver picture hat with white mount. To her the groom's gift was a fancy clock for the desk. Mr. Herbert Paxton was best man. Prof. McCaffrey presided at the organ. After the service in the church, a reception was held at the residence of the bride's grandfather. On their return from their wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Moore will reside at 5173 Western avenue.

At Maple Grove, Edina, Que., on September 24, the wedding was celebrated of Miss Ada May Moncrieff, eldest daughter of Mr. Joseph Moncrieff, to Mr. George Robert W. Porteous, of Montreal, formerly of Pencaitland, Haddingtonshire, Scotland, the Rev. Wm. Halpenny, of Grenville, Que., officiating. The bride was gowned in cream Liberty satin, with overdress of crepe de chine, trimmed with touches of real lace; she wore her mother's bridal veil, with a wreath of lilies of the valley, and carried pink carnations and maiden hair ferns. The only ornament worn by the bride was a gold chain with pearl and sapphire pendant, the groom's gift. She entered the parlor with her father to the strains of the 'Lohengrin' wedding march, which was played by Mrs. Wm. Halpenny, and was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel Moncrieff who wore a dress of white hand-embroidered voile with touches of blue satin, and carried pink carnations and maiden hair ferns. Mr. Cecil R Moncrieff, brother of the bride, was best man. The bridal group stood during the ceremony under an arch of evergreens and maple leaves. After the ceremony about one hundred guests sat down to dinner, the house being decorated with maple leaves and evergreens for the occasion. The bride's going away suit was of brown with hat to match, trimmed with willow plumes. The out of town guests were: Mrs. J. Brechin, Mrs. R. E. Hutt, Miss Lila Selmer, Miss C. Brewer, and Mr. and Mrs. Tomalty, all of Montreal; and Mrs. Archibald Erwin and son, of Sharbot Lake, Ont., and Mr. Geo. Moncrieff, Plaisance.

### DUKE HONORS TENANT'S DAUGHTER

An instance of the kindly consideration shown on every occasion by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught transpired during the visit of the royal party in Vancouver. Learning that Mrs. Walter Smart, of that city, is a daughter of one of the old residents on the Balmoral estates in Scotland, well-known to the Duke, His Royal Highness requested Mrs. Smart and her husband to come to the Hotel Vancouver, where they had the honor of being received by His Royal Highness and also of being presented to Their Royal Highnesses the Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia.

### PRINCESS ESCAPES; MR. BAKER DOESN'T.

At the reception to Their Royal Highnesses the Governor-General and the Duchess of Connaught at Nanaimo, Princess Patricia had a narrow escape from being struck by an evergreen tree which had formed part of the decorations in front of the courthouse. The tree toppled over, and would have fallen on Her Royal Highness, had not Mr. W. R. Baker, who is travelling as C. P. R. representative with the royal party, happened to step backward, with the result that he intercepted the tree, which fell on him, but fortunately without any injury.

### ROYAL VICTORIA COLLEGE.

**Learmont House Will Be Used as Additional Residence.**

The Royal Victoria College is commencing a record year. Though the full registration returns are not yet in, Miss Hurlbat, the warden, is looking forward to a larger attendance than ever before. A number of students have arrived from British Columbia, and one from the opposite extreme, Newfoundland. This is the first lady who has attended McGill from Newfoundland.

Already the accommodation at the Royal Victoria College has been found insufficient. The Learmont house, at the corner of University and Sherbrooke streets, will be used as a residence for those whom the college cannot accommodate. Miss Cameron, the lecturer in English, will have charge. The Learmont house was purchased for the university last year by Lord Strathcona.

The staff at the R.V.C. remains unchanged with one exception. Mlle. Greterin, of Paris, has been appointed resident tutor in French.

### SHIPPING NEWS

**INWARD.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Corsican, arr. Montreal | Sept. 30 |
| Scandinavian, arr. Montreal | " 30 |
| Sicilian, arr. Quebec | " 30 |
| Bosnia, arr. Boston | " 30 |
| Merion, arr. Philadelphia | " 30 |
| Menominee, arr. Boston | " 30 |
| Nordam, arr. New York | " 30 |
| Duca Di Geneva, arr. New York. | " 30 |

**OUTWARD.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Caledonia, arr. Glasgow | Sept. 30 |
| Cassandra, arr. Glasgow | " 30 |
| Pretorian, arr. Glasgow | " 30 |
| Canada, arr. Liverpool | " 30 |
| Kaiser Wilhelm II. arr. Plymouth. | " 30 |
| Amerika, arr. Hamburg | " 30 |
| St. Paul, arr. Southampton | " 30 |
| Mount Royal, arr. London | " 30 |
| Pres. Grant, arr. Hamburg | " 30 |
| Montezuma, arr. Antwerp | " 30 |
| Roma, arr. Naples | " 30 |

### SAILORS' CLUB.

The concert to-morrow evening at the Catholic Sailors' Club will be under the auspices of the C. M. B. A. Branch No. 26. A very select programme has been arranged. The seamen from the ships in port will take part. The chairman will be the grand deputy of the C. M. B. A., Mr. W. F. Wall.

### TWO LINERS HERE TO-DAY.

After uneventful voyages, the C. P. R. liner 'Monmouth' and the 'Manchester Shipper' arrived in port here this forenoon, the former from Bristol and the latter from Manchester. Both carried heavy loads of general cargo. The trip out was cold and unpleasant. There was a good deal of ice and fog off Belle Isle, but the ships were delayed very little. In the river rain and fog prevailed most of the way up.

### CORINTHIAN SAILED.

The 'Corinthian' left outward soon after day break this morning.

### SAILORS' INSTITUTE.

The programme for the Sailors' Institute concert to-night is being arranged by Mr. S. S. Bain, who will have assisting him Miss Fanny Young, contralto; Mr. Moore, tenor, and Mr. Shedwick, basso. There will also be a fine array of talent from the ships in port, including Mr. Robert Cousins, of the Corsican.


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**ASSETS AND EARNINGS**

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|---|---|
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| Surplus of liquid assets over liabilities.... 200,000.00 | |
| | $845,000.00 |
| Net earnings, year ended April, 1911 | 83,000.00 |
| Net earnings, year ended April, 1912 | 77,000.00 |
| (In addition to these earnings, special reserves of $19,000 were created) | |
| Net earnings, year ending April, 1913 (estimated).... | 100,000.00 |
| (July and August earnings were 25 per cent. in excess of this estimate) | |

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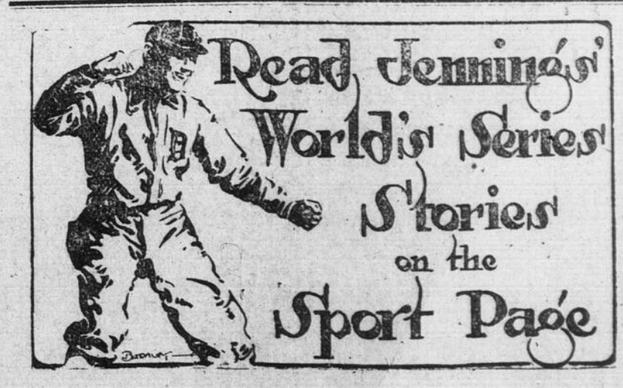
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# UNION OF COLLEGES NOW AN ACCOMPLISHED FACT

## Opening of Joint Lecture Course in Royal Victoria College To-day

### PULPIT WELCOMES IDEA.

### References in Protestant Churches at Sunday's Services Were Favorable.

This afternoon the unification of the teaching staffs of the diocesan, Presbyterian, Wesleyan, and Congregational Colleges became an accomplished fact by the opening of the joint lecture courses which will henceforward be a feature of the training of all theological students in Montreal.

This inaugural session, which was open to the public, was held in the Royal Victoria College, the platform being occupied by the principals and professional staffs of the four colleges, with Principal Peterson and the deans of McGill University. The Rev. Principal E. Munson Hill, of the Congregational College, as the first dean of the joint faculty, presided, and others with him as representatives of the respective denominations included Mr. T. B. Macaulay, chairman of the Congregational Union, Bishop Farthing for the Anglican Church, Rev. Dr. Clarke for the Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. W. R. Young for the Methodist Church.

The Rev. Principal James Smyth, of the Wesleyan College, conducted the opening devotions, and the principal speakers were Bishop Boyd-Carpenter, Dr. Robert Speer, of New York, and Principal Peterson.

At to-night's banquet in the Windsor Hotel there will be no toasts beyond that of 'The King,' but two addresses will be given — one by Bishop Boyd-Carpenter on 'The Vale of the Spiritual in Human Life,' and the other by Dr. Robert Speer on 'The Demand of the Times for Christian Co-operation.'

The interest which the new departure on the part of the colleges has aroused is shown by the fact that over 500 guests, including a large proportion of the leading citizens, have signified their intention of being present at the banquet.

The union was the subject of many able sermons in the city churches on Sunday last. A request from the four heads of the affiliating colleges, and a similar one from the provisional committee of laymen were sent to the ministers asking them to make special mention of the inauguration of the union this week. As a result the response on the part of the clergymen was in itself significant of the general support which the movement is receiving. The following are outlines of a few of the sermons delivered upon the subject of college union:

### The Rev. A. A. Radley's Views.

'A New Experiment in Church Union,' was the subject of an able discourse by the Rev. A. A. Radley in the Sherbrooke Street Methodist Church Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Radley took as a text, 'Wisdom is the principal thing.' Prov. 4: 7.

The outline of his sermon was as follows: 'It is a levelling process among the students of our various denominational colleges which will do away with whatever tendency there may be to hold aloof from each other on the grounds of superior social position, scholarship, orthodoxy, or culture in the different churches. It is a movement towards a more liberal theology,' continued Mr. Radley. 'Now, by that we do not mean looseness of creed or indifference to the great truths to which the various churches have given emphasis but an attempt to understand the viewpoint of others. There is nothing the church needs so much to-day as this drawing together theologically. There are extremists at both ends, and there is much un-Christian and unholy bitterness of feeling between the two sections.

'We hope for much good from this drawing together of those who are to be the future leaders in our religious life.

'Further, it is a business proposition.

'As such, of course, it appeals to a large number in the community. This is the day of combines. The question of church union is undoubtedly animated as much by this spirit as by anything, that is not to say that church union is therefore a mistake—nor is it therefore necessarily a sound movement, but any movement which arouses the interest and sympathy of our consecrated business men deserves careful consideration.

'Again, it is a national movement. I mean that the spirit of nationhood is in it. It is a very local affair at present, purely an experiment, but it is attracting attention, and it is in line with the spirit that is being diligently fostered by the public men of our country in political affairs.

'Finally, it is a spiritual movement. Credit must be given for a real purpose to glorify God. Moreover, we must believe in his overruling providence, his immanence in all the movements of mankind.'

### Announced at Crescent St. Church.

At the morning service in Crescent Street Presbyterian Church, the Rev. R. W. Dickie made special mention of the inauguration this week of the theological union of colleges. He characterized the movement in eulogistic terms, and intimated that one of the elders of his church had tickets for any who might care to purchase them for the banquet to be held in the 'Windsor' Hall this evening.

### Dr. Sparling Heard Too Late.

Rev. Dr. W. Sparling stated that he did not preach upon the union of colleges on Sunday for the simple reason that he did not receive the communications sent out to clergy requesting them to do so until too late in the week. He had prepared his sermons, and arranged for the services in his church accordingly. However, he was in hearty sympathy with the movement, and made favorable comment upon it in announcing the inauguration of the movement this week.

### Calendars Announced Banquet.

The church calendars in a number of the congregations gave special prominence to the banquet to be held to-night at the 'Windsor' and announced from whom the members of these congregations could secure tickets for same.

### Rev. Bruce Taylor, D.D., in Favor.

The Rev. Dr. R. B. Taylor, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, delivered an eloquent sermon on the prospects of the union at the morning service taking for his text Ezekiel 3: 17.

Dr. Taylor said that the suggestion for co-operation thrown out by an Indian missionary before the Canadian Club some time ago fell upon a soil prepared by the liberty of ecclesiastical conditions existing in a Dominion where all religious denominations were equally unprivileged, and where under the agencies of rapid expansion men were faced by a situation so necessitous as to be impatient of what looked like overlapping or waste of effort. 'In England such a movement would be absolutely impossible,' said Dr. Taylor.

He considered that when the matter was gone into it was found that there was little in the theological course that was purely denominational. It was ecclesiasticisms that kept churches apart, and not the searching of scholars after truth, he contended. Continuing Dr. Taylor explained that the relationship of the churches to one another was certain to be great. 'No longer is theological education to be in water tight compartments,' declared the preacher, 'but men will begin to work with a heritage of friendliness and sympathy with one another's point of view.'

In conclusion Dr. Taylor prophesied that the effort would be followed elsewhere, and that in a quarter of a century we would have almost everywhere in the Dominion men trained under these broadening and kindly conditions.

### Rev. Hugh Pedley, D.D., For Union.

In the morning service at the Emmanuel Congregational Church, the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Hugh Pedley, was assisted by the Rev. Dr. Hill, Principal of the Congregational College, who because of seniority of service, is to be the principal fo rthe year over the united course of study. Dr. Hill spoke briefly, setting forth exactly what the change would mean in the way of recognizing openly a union of spirit, and teaching that has for a long time existed among the different colleges.

Dr. Pedley took for his sermon the subject, 'The Modern Ministry, Its Handicaps and Hopes. He mentioned two handicaps that stand in the way of young men who are considering the ministry as a profession. The first of these, the inadequate pay, and the second, sectarianism.

'The present movement with the theological colleges represents a very advanced step towards removing the second of these handicaps,' said Dr. Pedley, 'and it is to be hoped that the working out of this plan will be one step towards organic union of the churches in Canada in a united Canadian Church.'

## A MISSION TO JEWS.

### Converted Hebrew Opens Up Quarters on Dorchester Street, and Will Conduct Classes.

With the aim of Evangelizing the Jews of Montreal, Mr. H. Asher has opened a mission at 183a Dorchester street west. The work will be interdenominational, and the mission will bear the name 'The House of the Prince of Peace.' Evening classes will be conducted three times a week in English, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, from 7.30 to 9 o'clock, and gospel meetings every Saturday and Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Mr. Asher will also conduct a house to house visitation.

The story of how he came to throw himself into the mission work is told by Mr. Asher himself: 'During my five years in Paris, France, he says, 'I worked at my profession as druggist, one day a young Jewish man came into the drug store and asked for something that he could not explain well in the French language I began to speak to him in the Yiddish, and thus a brief conversation ensued on a topic pertaining to life eternal; and my Jewish friend without hesitation told me proudly that he was a socialist, and that he did not believe in a God. My heart went out with pity for this Jewish brother of mine, and I began to feel distinctly the call to go and do something for my people.'

Mr. Asher is a Hebrew by birth, a native of Roumania, who, through reading Isaiah, Chapter 53, was brought to acknowledge of the truth that the Jesus of Nazareth is the true Messiah.

## ROYAL EDWARD'S LIST.

Among the saloon passengers sailing by C.N.R. liner Royal Edward for Bristol on Oct. 2 are:

Mr. G. J. Crowdy, Lord Congleton, Mr. A. E. Greeen, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. David Levi, Miss Blanche Levi and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Sharpe, Miss Townsend, Mr. S. B. Townsend, Mr. Frank Alder, the Rev. W. P. Anderson, Miss L. I. Bergman, Mr. H. L. Cairns, Miss G. R. Clark and three children, Miss E. Davis, Miss Dutot, Mr. M. Doward, Miss Cissle Fear, Mrs. W. Gundy, Mr. and Mrs. Lean, the Rev. W. Moorhead, Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons, Miss A. Storer, Miss B. Shadwell, Mr. W. H. Smith, the Rev. A. E. Smart, Major J. A. Tigar, Mr. Thorburn, Mrs. M. Willis and infant.

## THE CITY'S SORE SPOTS

**The Medical Health Department has prepared a map of the city on which the diseases will be marked by colored pins, so as to show the most unhealthy districts. By this map Cadieux appears to be the most unhealthy street, and the upper end of St. Charles Borromme, now part of Elgin St., is also bad.**

**Elm street, which juts from the west side of the mountain, has thirty cases of contagious diseases marked on two blocks of it. This chart will be shown at the Child Welfare Exhibition.**

## EAST END METHODISTS

### Held Successful Harvest Festival and Sunday-school Rally.

Harvest Festival and Sunday School Rally were observed in the East End Methodist Church last Sunday, when fruit, flowers, and vegetables were abundantly given by the different families and the young people and ladies artistically arranged these on the altar and pulpit to make a most pleasing effect. Large audiences gathered, especially at the evening service when the auditorium was filled, with the exception of a few pews. 'The Building of a Nation for God,' was the theme of the rally day services at 3 p.m. This was the uniform order used throughout Canadian Methodism, emphasizing the Bible, flag and Sunday school as three potent factors in the nation building. An address, illustrated by a picture of a youth starting on the journey of life, kneeling at the foot of a hill and beseeching God to be the guide of his youth, was given by the pastor, the Rev. B. B. Brown. The roll call of classes showed a class enrollment of about 315 scholars in all departments.

## $60,000 FIRE AT SACKVILLE YESTERDAY

Sackville, N.B., Oct. 1.—The most destructive fire in the history of Sackville occurred yesterday afternoon and many buildings were burned or damaged before assistance from the Amherst, N.S., fire department checked the progress of the flames. The loss is about $60,000, and principal losses are: Capt. Porter Hanson, two buildings, loss $12,000, insurance $4,500; Mrs. Charles A. Doull, building, loss $6,000, insurance $1,000; C. W. Cahill, drygoods, loss $8,000, insurance $4,000; Fawcett Bros., footwear and groceries, loss $7,000, insurance $4,000; R. G. Henderson, druggist, loss $4,000, insurance $3,000; W. H. Tracy, building and furniture, loss $5,000, insurance $2,575.

## 57 SHIPS ARRIVED.

### Only Three Tramp Steamers Were in Port Here in September.

During September there were fifty-seven ocean vessels berthed in the Port of Montreal, or an increase of one over the previous month. The Allan line led with fourteen arrivals. There were but three tramp steamers in the harbor, the 'Ovid,' 'Hallamshire' and the 'Euplectela.'

The combined tonnage of all the ships was 101,427 tons.

## KEEPING CONTRACTS FROM BRITAIN.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Whether American or British mechanics will make nearly a million dollars' worth of armor piercing shells for the United States Navy next year probably will depend upon a decision by the Attorney-General as to the applicability of the eight-hour law to contracts for the shells.

An English firm bid lowest for the contracts, but the American company which offered the next lowest price now claims that their bid was made with the understanding that its establishment would have to be placed on an eight-hour basis. If the eight-hour law is not to be applied, this company wants to make another proposal with a heavy cut in its figures.

Some objection has been suggested to the English company's bids on the ground that its shells are cast steel, while the American projectiles are of forged crucible steel, which is much more expensive. The naval ordnance officials say, however, that they cannot take into account the materials of which shells are to be made so long as they pass the very severe tests imposed.

## HOME FOR GIRL WHO RAN AWAY.

Windsor, Oct. 1.—Katie Jay, a fifteen-year-old girl, who was sentenced to six months in Sandwich jail by Magistrate McGee, of Amherstburg, has been released after serving six weeks of her sentence.

The little girl, whose home was in Chatham, is said to have run away with a man named Johnson, more than twice her age. The Amherstburg authorities found the couple living in the woods near that town making their home in a hollow tree. Johnson managed to escape, while the child was held as a vagrant and given a jail sentence.

The case aroused much indignation, and as a result of an agitation started by several ladies of Amherstburg, the girl was released and turned over to the Children's Aid Society, which has agreed to find a home for her.

## $175,000 OF BANK LOOT IN MEN'S HANDS.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Information that $170,000 of the money stolen from the Canadian bank may be now in possession of two men, one a well-known business man here, was given Assistant Chief Schuettler by Jeannette Little. She is the reputed wife of Jim Stacey, under arrest in St. Louis in connection with the robbery. She said the two had the money, or at least the knowledge of where it is. The identity of the business man is kept secret by the police. The second man implicated by the woman is said to have a criminal record. The police are searching for both. The business man is reported to have disappeared after the search for the bank robber became public.

Breaking of her silence by the woman was unexpected. Detectives say that she has only begun her revelations and that through her they may round-up the entire gang.

## INCREASE IN CUSTOMS REVENUE.

Ottawa, Oct. 1. — Canada's customs figures for the first six months of the year show an unprecedented increase of fifteen millions, which promises to reach over thirty millions before the end of the year is reached. Figures issued show that the increase of the first half of the fiscal year is greater than was the increase in the whole of the fiscal year 1910-1911. The receipts for the months of September just closed amounted to $10,082,193.23, an increase of 2,372,012.12. For the six months of the fiscal year 1912-13 just closed the revenues were $56,480,130.50, an increase of $15,173,804.08.

## BYE-ELECTION TO FILL TWO VACANCIES.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Writs will be issued to-day for provincial bye-elections in East Middlesex and North Waterloo. Nominations will be held Oct. 21, with polling on Oct. 28. The first named vacancy was created by the death of R. A. Sutherland, the Liberal member, while in North Waterloo, Dr. Lackner, the Conservative member, has resigned to accept the appointment as sheriff of the county.

## MONTREALER AND ROOSEVELT

The Hon. F. E. Gilman, who has been in Boston and other points in the Eastern States lately, saw something of the presidential campaign, and says Roosevelt has no chance, but he may split the Republican vote and let Wilson in.






## POLICE CENSORSHIP WILL BE MORE RIGID

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Presumably as a result of the situation created by the St. Clair case, the police on Saturday notified Manager Dan. Pierce, of the Star Burlesque Theatre, that instead of a police official censoring performances each Monday, the management must provide in advance that no objectionable songs, jokes, actions, or words be included in any show. If the police find any suggestive, indecent, or immoral features in any performance the whole company and the manager of both the show and the theatre will be immediately placed under arrest.

## WILL OF LOUIS XVI.

Paris, Oct. 1.—Henri Rochefort announced yesterday that he had discovered the original will of Louis XVI., written entirely in the king's own handwriting, and dated 25 Decembre, 1792, Tour Du Temple.

The document, which is on the special paper that was used exclusively by the Kings of France, shows that the sovereign's hope to escape a capital sentence was clearly established and indicated his religious faith.

Above the crown is a post scriptum stating that the document was done in double. M. Rochefort, basing his view on various erasions and corrections, gives it as his opinion that the copy just found is the original and the other, in the Royal Archives is the second copy.

## EXPRESS DRIVER INJURED.

James Brown, a driver employed by the Victoria Transfer Co., Westmount, was thrown from his waggon yesterday afternoon, sustaining injuries necessitating his removal to the Western Hospital. A street car struck the back of his waggon. He was sent to his home at 45 Anderson street, this morning.

## REPAIR ATLANTIC CABLE

Halifax, N.S., Oct. 1. — The commercial cable steamer Mackay-Bennett will sail to-day for cable repair work at New York. The present landing place of the commercial cable there is to be changed.


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# THE ADMIRALTY'S 'SECRET DOSSIER' A MERE MARE'S NEST!

BY CAPTAIN J. REID, R. E. (T.)

Doubtless those whose eyes occasionally skim over the multitudinous pages of one of your contemporaries have noticed frequent references to a 'secret dossier.' It concerns the German menace and the British navy. It crops up in this manner at times:

We have said a number of times in the past that we think that the leaders of the Opposition at Ottawa should be given access to as much information on the urgency of the case as can possibly be permitted. They are Privy Councillors under the oath of secrecy; and they could be trusted with the 'secret dossier' which seems to have so impressed our Ministers in London.

Your contemporary goes further and suggests that 'a number of prominent journalists of both parties and of none, be likewise' invited to attend for the legitimate and patriotic purpose of giving them all the information possible on this vital subject before it comes in final form for public discussion.

Well, I hope Mr. Borden will not make the 'prominent' journalists turn out for the occasion as the owner of the German menace makes them do in his capital in shirt fronts, swallow tails and toppers, and this before midday. If such a consummation is conjured let it fall to the lot of the sporting representatives, who may represent the 'none,' and who can cry at intervals—'Play the game! Play the game!'

What is this 'secret dossier' of your contemporary? It sounds like the cry of the old Dreyfusian days! Of course, if a newspaper keeps on building up a morbid fancy, it will speedily become an obsession. King George the IV. always declared he won the battle of Waterloo, and used to appeal to the Iron Duke's testimony. The Duke acquiesced generally with a muttered oath.

Dossier means a bundle of papers, and this particular one does not concern such sorts as Peter Murphy's boys. The bundle deals—to use the graphic expression of your contemporary—with the cold-blooded 'war lords' of Europe who lean over their battlements and laugh amid the hell-storm of their shells.

I can tell you what the real dozier of the British Admiralty is, and it is not a secret one, but in capacity full and running over. Admiral Lord Fisher, the creator of the present navy has uttered its formula:

'If I am in command when war breaks out, I shall issue the following orders: 'The essence of war is violence. Moderation in war is imbecility. Hit first, hit hard, and hit anywhere when the moment comes, as come it may at any moment. There is but one who is Mistress of the Sea.''

This is the right spirit. This is the spirit of Lord Palmerston who declared he should regard a German warship in the North Sea a pirate, and sink it.

Why should—I ask—the British Admiralty have a 'secret dossier' with which to create such an impression on Canadian ministers regarding the evil combinations of other nations?

It is a mare's nest, a will-o'-the wisp, a phantasmagoria!

What secret intentions can Germany have against Great Britain that the latter does not publicly know? She knows that the feeling still rankles in Germany over Agadir. But that can be lived down or remedied. We have a precedent with France. She has forgotten about Fashoda, and is now our ally. Scare-mongers forget this.

Can any secret political machinations be achieved in partial ignorance now-a-days on the World's chessboard? I laugh at the suggestion. The electric telegraph wires spun everywhere like a spider's web rendering the dome of the World a huge vibrating whispering gallery, and the throbbing of news throughout this sensatory system has rendered secrecy impossible. Everything is well sized up. There is little probability or mystery. The public know it all. It is shouted from the housetops, and a lot of exaggerated lies with it!

The net-work of official espionage is very correct. Officers who have worked with intelligence divisions of war departments know that details regarding things material, such as the numbers of men, horse, guns, warships, extent of stores are all obtained, and maintained, and easy to be maintained, since money only is required.

No keels of warships can be laid down in German shipbuilding yards but what our consuls and vice-consuls report. No possible collection of transports can come to any seaport but what attracts the same handy class of official. No increase of navy or army forces occurs but what our naval or military attachés carefully report in detailed form.

Germany realized at Agadir that in her prospective struggle with France and Great Britain she had not only to deal with the latter's fleet, but likewise with her army. Some imagine Britain has only her warships. Oh! no! don't have any delusions on this point! She has soldiers as well. She poured 450,000 of them into South Africa. She will go one better than that the next time, and do it as grindingly, too. With 500,000? Yes! Do not be led away by those who write of armed millions. Nations have not rifles for such numbers, nor have they ammunition-supplies, nor could they feed them if they brought such human masses together.

Old General Linievitch after the disaster in June, 1905, at Mukden stood fast at Tieling, a hundred miles further north, with 500,000 Russians, and the Japanese moved after him. But peace was signed at Portsmouth before another shot was fired. I do not believe in the serried millions which are to gather in armed array at the Armageddons of the future. I leave these distorted visions to the penmen of the bum-alarmist crowd.

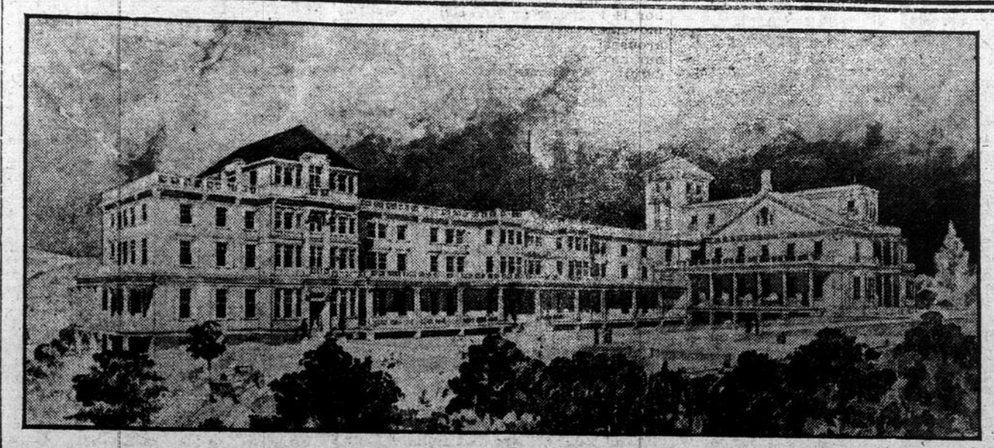
With my friend, Ritter von Mannlicher, the famous rifle inventor, I was during the later 'nineties on very confidential terms. He said to me in Vienna once:

'They speak of putting two or three millions of men into the field of battle, at least some nations do. Well, I know they do not have the rifles to arm them with. I know they have not yet got them from my companies' manufactories.'

As I have said every intention and movement of importance in naval and military spheres is known, so close and intent is the watch at present. Thus our War Office is duly informed that the German military authorities in order to deal with the imminent probability of a British force hostilely occupied in Schleswig-Holstein whilst hostilities are actively engaged on a frontier further south have been compelled to add a balancing increase of armed numbers as compensation. Well, we know it now; it is nothing very serious.

An interesting speculative subject to follow is this fairy theme of a 'secret dossier,' and I will continue my reflections in the next article.

# THE NEW PLEASANT APARTMENTS



PALATIAL STRUCTURE WHICH THREE MONTREAL GENTLEMEN WILL ERECT IN ST JOHN, N.B

Three Montrealers, Mr. W. Ernest Bolton, Mr. A. M. Irvine, and Mr. A. Chase Casgrain, will erect a large apartment house in St. John, N.B. It is planned for the choicest residential part of that city, and is made necessary by the great prosperity and rapidly increasing population.

It will be called the 'Pleasant Apartments,' and will contain twenty-five suits of seven or eight rooms each, as well as a few bachelor apartments. It will be erected on a magnificent plateau overlooking the city, and be within ten minutes' walk of the business and commercial centre. There will be a large roof garden and pergola, a complete vacuum cleaner system, gentlemen's club, with billiard, lounging, smoking, and reading rooms.

Tennis lawns, bowling greens and picturesque walks bordered by hedges and shrubbery will complete the beautiful residence.

# STEAM TRACTION ENGINES MAY BE RUN ON STREETS

## City Attorneys Report that By-law Debarring Their Use is Ultra Vires.

The new civic by-law prohibiting the employment of steam traction trucks for the transportation of merchandise or material on the city streets is ultra vires in the opinion of the city attorneys. The draft of this by-law was approved by the city lawyers, but the aldermen modified it a great deal in council. It was Ald. Lapointe's amendments which were incorporated in the law. He had a fling at the lawyers for their circumlocution, in moving his amendment, and now the lawyers have a fling at him in finding the measure ultra vires. Accordingly, Mayor Lavallee last night notified Chief of Police Campeau not to enforce it.

The Mayor said he was in no way influenced in his action by the application for an injunction against the regulation of Westmount on this problem. Two different by-laws on the same subject might be legal or illegal. This would depend on the phraseology employed. Having received the advice of the lawyers that the by-law was ultra vires, the Mayor said he notified the Chief of Police to discontinue all actions against the use of steam trucks in Montreal.

As an example of the effects of the operations of these trucks on the streets, the Road Department engineers refer to upper University street, where the asphalt pavement has been entirly brokn up and will have to be relaid. It was put down last year.

## POINTE CLAIRE

The annual meeting of the Pointe Claire Mission was held at the schoolhouse on Cedar avenue. After the reports for the church and Sunday-school had been submitted, a presentation of a portrait of Mr. O. F. Lilly was made on behalf of the School Board, to be hung in the school, in commemoration of Mr. Lilly's efforts and services on behalf of the school. Mr. Black, one of the trustees, in the course of his remarks, said that it was due to Mr. Lilly that the Protestant people of Pointe Claire had a school of their own, since prior to 1897 they had paid their taxes to the Catholic Board, and had to send their children into Montreal to be educated; and it was Mr. Lilly who made representation at Quebec for the establishment of a Protestant school and succeeded in securing the same. He was elected chairman of the board, which office he held up to June last, when on account if ill-health he had been unable to attend to his duties on the board, for which reason he resigned last spring. He was a member of the church committee, and the leading spirit in the establishment of the mission services.

## NOTHING AGAINST MR. ROOSEVELT YET

Washington, Oct. 1.—All of the correspondence between President Roosevelt and the late Edward H. Harriman, covering the period from Mr. Roosevelt's succession to the presidency in 1901, until Mr. Harriman's differences with him in 1906, was placed in evidence yesterday before the Senate committee investigating campaign expenditures.

Out of the scores of letters, covering every subject from exhibits of Indian pictures to the appointment of Federal judges and territorial governors in Arizona, the Senate committee was able to secure little new light bearing on the subject of campaign contributions, or the disputed question of whether or not President Roosevelt had specifically asked Mr. Harriman in 1904 to raise a fund of $240,000 for the aid of his campaign.

### ARMY SERVICE CORPS '500.'

The '500' tournament given by the 15th Canadian Army Service Corps, in which for the past month members of every corps in the city have taken part, was brought to a closely contested finish last week. Major W. Sadler, C.O., of the above well-known company, presented prizes to the following: First prize, diamond stickpin, Co. S.-Maj. Tessier, 15th C.A.S.C.; second prize, bridge set, Q.-M.-Sgt. Holmes, 5 C.A.M.C.; third prize, locket, Private Desrosiers, 15 C.A.S.C.; fourth prize, pipe, Comrade Brennan, A. & N. Veterans; fifth prize, clock, Corporal Palmer, 15 C.A.S.C.

## BIG MERGER GOES THROUGH TO-DAY

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Stock certificates of the Brazilian Traction Company will be issued to-day in exchange for deposit receipts of shares of the Rio and Sao Paulo companies, and one of the largest mergers and exchange of securities in recent years will have been carried through without even a meeting of shareholders having been called.

### EPWORTH LEAGUE RALLY IN DOMINION SQUARE CHURCH

Large Gathering of Young People, at Which Hochelaga League Carried Off the Banner.

The annual fall rally of the Montreal and District Epworth League Union was held in Dominion Square Methodist Church last evening and proved to be a most successful gathering. The Rev. F. Y. Bartlett, general secretary of the Epworth League, addressed a large body of young people on the various aspects of the great work in which they were engaged. The Hochelaga League carried off the banner given for the largest percentage of members present, ninety-six percent being at the meeting. All of the city and district Leaguers were very largely represented, despite the unfavorable weather, with the result that the church was well filled with a body thoroughly representative of the young people of Montreal Methodism. The programme throughout was a most interesting one, including several addresses and a well-rendered selection by the Fairmount Male Quartette. The Epworth League Union is entering upon an aggressive winter's work, which was well inaugurated at the rally last night.

## SEEKS SCOTTISH WIFE DESERTERS

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—Sir George McRae, chairman of the local Government Board of Scotland, arrived in Ottawa yesterday. He is touring Canada looking into cases wherein Old Country men have deserted their wives and comes to this country. There are said to be thousands of such cases in the Dominion.

Sir George's mission is probably one of the most unique on which any titled visitor has yet come to Canada. Briefly, it is to further an arrangement between Canada and Scotland by which husbands may be deported or, failing that, that they should contribute to the support of their spouses.

'In the city of Glasgow alone,' said Sir George, 'the number of wives and children deserted last year was 970, which cost the city no less than $48,250. The number for the whole of Scotland was 3,808, representing an expenditure to the country of $157,000. Why shou[illegible] GRAVE to say all this? The lo[illegible]men's Board of Scotland, of wh[illegible]TSON, [illegible]ce-president and chairman, belie[illegible]RIGG, [illegible]uld not, and that an arrangement [illegible] be made between the Mother Count[illegible] and the colonies to cover it.'

### WILL DISPOSE OF OVER HALF MILLION.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—The will of the late Robert A. Smith, a partner in the brokerage firm of Osler & Hammond, who was the victim of an automobile accident near Richmond Hill, while returning from the Conservative picnic at Jackson's Point, was filed for probate in the Surrogate Court office. He left an estate of $549,180 divided as follows:

Real estate, $73,500; household goods, $3,300; mortgages, $51,000; stocks, $124,664; life insurance, cash, and miscellaneous, $266,350.

An annual income of $15,000 is provided for his widow. The capital fund will be divided equally between the two children, Francis and Ruth. A number of bequests to other relatives are made.

### STENOGRAPHERS NOT SUITED.

Cases being heard at the Court House are often delayed and considerable inconvenience caused to all parties concerned, by the difficulty of securing court stenographers on short notice. This is said to be due to the fact that while they used to have a large room where they could wait and work on the third floor, they have lately been obliged to use a smaller room on the ground floor, which is quite unsuited for them. Hence they do not make this place their headquarters. An inspector of the Health Department is said to have criticized the place, but the provincial authorities are responsible, and no action has been taken.

The matter may be taken up by the Bar Association.

## AHEAD OF LAST YEAR

### Montreal's Building Permits Two Million Dollars More This Season.

The building record of Montreal till Sept. 30 this year, is nearly two millions in excess of the same period last year. Mr. A. Decarie, of the building department, completed the compilation of figures yesterday to indicate that the total permits for new buildings and repairs taken out from Jan. 1 to Sept. 30 this year, totalled 13,325,394, against $11,509,450 for the same period of 1911. The present year is ahead of last year by $1,815,964. Last September the building permits totalled $2,146,018, against $1,157,876 for the previous September. August, this year, went behind half a million dollars over August of last year.

### FORMER COMMERCIAL AGENT COMMITS SUICIDE.

A cable from Paris yesterday announced that Mr. Anatole Poindron, former Canadian Commerce agent, had committed suicide by shooting himself in the head because of grief over the recent death of his wife.

The former commercial agent was appointed to that position through the influence of Senator Dandurand, but he was retired soon after the change of regime at Ottawa. Mr. Poindron, who was born in Limoges, Belgium, first came to Montreal as the representative of several Belgium houses, afterwards organizing a line of steamers between this port and the continent. After spending the greater part of the past summer in this city he returned to Paris, and was said to be organizing a syndicate to develop Franco-Canadian financial relations.



TEACHERS OF OUTREMONT UNION SUNDAY-SCHOOL, DISBANDED YESTERDAY.

Back row.—Mrs. J. R. Mathers, Miss W. E. Denman, Mr. W. F. Denman, Mr. W. A. Wilson, Mr. R. Allebone, Miss K. T. Grimsdale, Mrs. C. Rodgers. Front row.—Miss A. Hutson, Mr. S. W. Denman, Miss B. Leath, Mr. H. Riva, Miss E. Clendening, Mr. F. Lawrence, Mrs. G. Bond. Mr. R. Allebone, Miss O. H. Bond.

### CHARGED WITH SHOOTING.

Michael Papaluck and Michael Sunduck were arraigned before Judge Leet yesterday afternoon on a charge of shooting with intent to wound, and on their plea of not guilty, were remanded for enquete on the 8th. The complainant, Michel Seiger, 431 Elm street, alleges that on Sunday night the two men came to his home and asked for liquor. Upon being refused, one of the Roumanians fired a revolver through the woodwork of the door and smashed windows with a stick.

### TRADE COMMISSION WANTS INFORMATION.

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—As a result of the investigation now being carried on by the Imperial Trade Commission, of which the Hon. George Foster is a member, all the administrative departments at Ottawa have been called upon to furnish such data in their possession as would be of use by the commission, more especially in regard to the character and extent of the natural resources of Canada. It is expected that the information so obtained will be considered by the commission during the sittings in England, and later on the commission will come to Canada for a study of conditions here on the ground.

### OFFERING FREE TRIP TO BELFAST.

Liverpool, Oct. 1.—A great gathering took place at Sheil Park last evening to protest against Home Rule. The assembly numbered not less than 100,000, who arrived in three processions. The enthusiasm was unbounded and rockets and fireworks of all kinds were discharged.

Sir Edward Carson and Frederick E. Smith, the Unionist leaders in the movement, made speeches. The latter said that three Liverpool shipowners had promised him the use of free ships to carry 10,000 men from Liverpool to Belfast to help Ulster if it came to a fight.'

Belfast, Oct. 1.—The Marchioness of Dufferin presided at a meeting of women in Ulster Hall last night in opposition to the Home Rule Bill. The hall was crowded and fiery protests were voiced against the measure.

### BOUDRIAS REMANDED AGAIN.

Adelard Boudrais, charged with the murder of his wife, whose body was found floating in the St. Lawrence river at Varennes on Aug. 15, was again remanded yesterday till Oct. 14.


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THE ARENA
October 3-24

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1912.

A thing is happening in Montreal just now which has drawn the attention of the world—that is the world that thinks. Theology is still, as it always has been and more and more will be, the deepest concern of thought. The movement of the world toward 'that far off divine event, to which the whole creation moves'—that time when the laws of heaven will govern life on earth—is the chief and happiest of all objects of contemplation to those who have faith in that outcome and whose aim in life is to hasten it To all such the union of the Protestant churches for theological study is fraught with a significance far transcending the economic advantage gained, or even the greatly improved opportunities of those who are preparing for the sacred task of bringing men into touch with God. A school cannot make a 'man of God.' But it can provide that the 'man of God' shall be 'thoroughly furnished,' and the mere fact that our students are henceforth to have the services of more teachers, and that our schools will offer the attraction of large classes to such men as have in the past speedily left us for larger spheres, is reason enough for welcoming the great change that has come to our theological colleges. But, beyond that, it is the distinct forerunner of the day which prophets are waiting for, when all Christians shall be working together for the incoming of the 'Kingdom of Heaven.' It is that aspect that has drawn great men hither to congratulate us and which has evoked surprise and praise wherever good men are looking for the better day.

TURKEY'S TROUBLES.

For sixty or eighty years Turkey has been known among the powers as 'the sick man' whose approaching demise was to be the occasion of the greatest European conflagration of history. Many have been the books of prophetic interpretation which associated that 'coming struggle' with the great battle of Armageddon foretold in the Revelation. Instead of going off like a rocket, however, Turkey has been scaling off her provinces during all that time by the most gradual process. Greece achieved her independence in 1829. In the fifties Russia got Bessarabia and a large section of Armenia. Roumania, having enjoyed autonomy under Turkish suzerainty from the time of the Crimean war, became a kingdom in 1879. Servia, having enjoyed autonomy since 1830, became a kingdom, also in 1879. What were known as the Turkish atrocities in Bulgaria followed on a revolt which had its rise in Bosnia and Herzegovina. Then followed the Russian invasion of Turkey, which gave autonomy to the larger part of Bulgaria in 1879; and at the time of the Young Turk revolution in 1908 Bulgaria declared her independence. Bosnia and Herzegovina, which at the former date came under Austrian protection, were seized by Austria in 1908. The French invaded Algiers in 1829 and were eighteen years conquering it. They took five years to get no further than Italy has now got in Tripoli. Later France added Tunis, and she is now adding Morocco, while Italy has set the heather on fire by commencing the same process of forced regeneration in Tripoli. Great Britain occupied Egypt in 1882, and is now in full possession. She has in practical possession of all the available coast of Arabia outside of the Red Sea. She also holds Cyprus. Crete is semi-independent, and is only withheld by the powers from joining Greece. The rest of European Turkey is now hot for liberty. Albania is demanding autonomy. There is a part of the Turkish remnant that Bulgaria claims. There is Macedonia, that Bulgaria, Servia and Greece all claim, and that Austria is hungry for. At Constantinople the political parties are at each other's throats. While war seems brewing everywhere in the Balkan peninsula, the European powers are unanimous, or seem so, in desiring that there should be none, all fearing what might happen should any of them begin plundering. The European 'concert' has no doubt been on the whole a power for peace, but the flimsiness of its texture has been too often proved for us to place much trust in it.

THE DANGERS OF CIVILIZATION.

The proposal of a Scandinavian materialist philosopher to enlist the Canadian government in a crusade against civilization and religion, as regards a tribe of blonde Eskimos, which he alleges to an unbelieving world that he has discovered, a tribe which he looks upon as kindred of his own, is based on two implied accusations against the missionaries, neither of which do we note that he has proved. The first is that missionaries carry or introduce those who carry the diseases of civilization to peoples whom they mow down. The other is that missionaries do not make the rules of sanitation as much a part of their teaching as they make the proclamation of the gospel. Mr. Stefansson would appear to regard his Eskimo kinsmen as a tribe of wild animals in danger of extinction, for whom a quarantined reserve should be provided, that they may live on according to their own dirty disease-nursing ways, to which he tells us they are so finely attuned that disturbance of these is sure to work havoc among them. We are inclined to think more of both the missionaries and of these Norse Eskimos than Mr. Stenfansson does. We do not doubt that by practice and precept the missionaries do all that men could do to elevate the native standard of living, and that such teachings and warnings are the simple people's only protection against dangers which no law could shut out. What is more, we believe that there is no more hopeful way to lift these people out of their native dirt than the teaching that makes men children of God and brothers of the most civilized.

Here Mr. Stefansson's heathen question is answered on his own ground. 'Has religion,' he says, 'accomplished anything when it has succeeded in changing a medicine man's mysterious idea of salvation into some other form of mysterious idea?' It will be found in countless places that religion has accomplished this very work of developing wholesome and cleanly ways of living. This has been notably the case in the Moravian missions to the Eskimos along the coasts of Greenland and Labrador, regions where to have kept the natives from all the worst contaminations of civilization was obviously impossible—where scurvy and typhoid and worse diseases were liable to be landed in shiploads. The only hope for those people was to change them from the innocent children they were into men of knowledge and will, and that is what those self-denying men have done. A traveller visiting the chapel at Nain, one of those mission centres, saw on the wall a framed motto. Our explorer would probably have passed this by as some text connected with some mystery of supposed salvation. But the traveller asked what it was, and the good missionary translated it, 'Do not spit on the floor.' Surely that is a text after the materialist's own heart and suggests a stage of culture quite beyond what some of our modern civilization has reached.

Twenty years ago a Church of England mission from Toronto was established among the Eskimos at Fort McPherson, near the mouth of the Mackenzie, and at Herschel Island, a centre frequented by whalers and by the riff-raff of the sea. The missionaries found the natives living amid all sorts of uncleanness and with only 'an animal's sense of right and wrong. After five apparently hopeless years the mission was withdrawn from the latter place, whereupon the natives took up the care of the schools themselves, and held services. The Rev. Mr. Whittaker, of Fort McPherson, who knew them at the first and who has recently visited them, says that one who had not kept in touch with them would scarcely believe that they were the same people. Where once they were a thieving, immoral race they are now honest and clean. Once simply selfish they have contributed liberally to send a missionary to their brethren of the same race further east, at Coronation Gulf, sending also ten persons of their own number to stand by and assist him. This is the very missionary that your yarning explorer would shut out by Canadian governmental authority.

THE QUALIFIED TEACHER.

About half of the teachers in the Protestant rural schools of the province are unqualified. The department of public instruction recently issued a statement to the effect that six out of every ten of these teachers were unqualified, in fact as well as in law, and that consequently the schools under their charge were practically useless. The conclusion was apparently a well based one. In the educational campaign, two of the ablest inspectors had dealt with this question and had given some illustrations of the incompetence of some of these teachers, and of the utter lack of progress on the part of the pupils under their care. In one school, for instance, the pupils, ranging in age from six to sixteen, did not know in what country they lived. In another school the pupils, of the same range of ages, were unable to do simple addition or subtraction. These may have been extreme cases, but the remarks of the inspectors made it plain that in the great majority of the schools where the unqualified teachers are employed the time of the pupils is practically wasted. How could it be otherwise? Young girls are engaged who have received no more education than was to be obtained in just such schools.

Now, however, a critic in one of the country newspapers brings the statement of the department forward as a tremendous proof of the inadequacy of the school system. These pupils, he thinks, who are now engaged as teachers should know more than they do, and that they would know more if only the system were changed. They would undoubtedly know more if they had been taught by qualified teachers, and that is the very thing that the school law in vain demands. Mistaken deductions can easily be drawn when two distinct things are mixed together. The system required by law is one thing and, unfortunately, the conditions which too often prevail are another. No conceivable change or improvement in the school law of any country could possibly make competent teachers out of pupils who have been given no more than a very inferior elementary education. It would be about as reasonable to say that the whole system of modern medical education is wrong from the bottom up because a first year student in medicine is not ready to step out and practice.

The qualified teacher means one who has not only been trained to the work, but who has received an education considerably in advance of that of the pupils she will be likely to teach. Her knowledge and mental training must be such that she can exercise an influence upon the minds of these pupils. The young girl who has had no more training than that afforded by four or five years' of schooling—possibly under an unqualified teacher—should not be expected to undertake the difficult task of teaching others. The cruel and wicked feature of the question is the action of so many school boards in engaging these incompetent girls for the work, because a few dollars of school taxes can be saved thereby. It is the vilest kind of social economy, and a gross injustice to the rising generation. The critic referred to seems to think that the elementary schools should produce the teachers already equipped for their work. In what part of the civilized world is such a thing expected? Every teacher for the elementary schools should have, at least, some training in the secondary or higher schools. The majority of our model schools and academies are doing admirable work, and it is to them we look for the supply of candidates for the training school at Macdonald College.

In a pamphlet recently issued by the department of public instruction, there is a significant statement on this question of the value of training. One of the inspectors had made a special report upon seven municipalities whose schools he had visited. The average annual salary in the whole seven municipalities was only $179.62. The Inspector adds:—

'Only 40 percent of the teachers are legally qualified Protestant teachers. Five percent of the qualified teachers are teaching on second academy permits. One-third of the qualified teachers hold model school diplomas. 88.8 percent of the unqualified teachers have been reported as "incompetent." 50 percent of those teaching on permits have been reported as "incompetent." There are no incompetent teachers among those who hold diplomas for Protestant schools.'

With the substantial grants now being paid to the rural boards, there is no excuse for the large proportion of unqualified teachers employed in our rural schools. In most cases only a slight increase in the taxes is necessary, in addition to the grants, to enable the boards to give much better salaries and secure qualified teachers. As the pamphlet referred to says:—'It is surely plain that a more generous ideal in the rewards offered to the rural teachers is called for, and every public spirited ratepayer has a duty to perform in the matter. The local spirit towards education is the basis of the endeavor of the local community, and therefore the measure of its intelligence and the security for its progress.'

BESIDE A GREENING MOUND.

Beside a greening mound I stood in thought,
Where, in the earth's embrace, there sleeps a boy
These twice ten years. Ah! Death, what lightsome joy
Was quenched that day. No spring its balm has brought
To heal that wound; and though to me were nought
Save age and name revealed, who could deny
A tear, for Grief I knew was somewhere nigh;
And here but late her tender hand had wrought.

Dear little lad! Some home's bright light went out
That sweet May day they left thee there alone;
And empty hands still deck thy bed about,
As though at night thy cot they smoothed again;
And while thy playmates are to manhood grown,
The same dear boy thou ever dost remain

ALEXANDER LOUIS FRASER.

THE INLAND ESKIMO.

(Archdeacon Stuck, in the 'Churchman.')

If I were not a white man I think I would rather be one of these inland Eskimos than any other sort of a native I know of. They are bold and enterprising far beyond the Indian; they make long journeys from salt water to the furthest recesses of the interior; but they hunt the mountain sheep high up where the Indians never venture and haul the meat hundreds of miles for sale to the miners.

The youths of this hardy race, heirs of the uncharted Arctic wilds, clean limbed and well statured, light-hearted and good-humored, facile in all the wilderness arts, appeal very strongly to me, and Joseph's greeting to Benjamin springs to my lips when I meet one of them: 'God be gracious unto thee, my son.'

## 'RUBY' ON HER MAIDEN TRIP

### Big Detroit Freighter Passed Through the Port on Way to New York.

The big freighter 'Ruby,' of Philadelphia, passed through the port to-day on her maiden trip from Detroit to Philadelphia. The vessel is one of the finest equipped ships that has visited Montreal this summer. She was built by the Great Lakes Engineering Works at Detroit for the Girard Trust Company, and is intended for the tramp trade running out of New York. Her defricks are strong enough to enable her to handle a weight of thirty tons, while her hatches will permit of the lowering of any freight that her derricks can lift. She has a register of 2,351 tons gross.

At this port Capt. Hait, who had brought the ship from the yards of the builders, surrendered command to the salt-water master, Capt. F. T. Pennington, who took the vessel on her voyage this afternoon.

The 'Ruby' is one of the big fleet of freighters that has passed through Montreal since August, 1911.

Three other ships have been delivered from the same yards and for the same company this summer.

Captain Alfred D. McNevin, of Cleveland, adjusted her compass here to-day.

MARLBOROUGH STREET METHODISTS.

Notwithstanding the stormy weather on Sunday last, the attendance at the Marlborough St. Methodist Church was good. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion. In the morning an able sermon was delivered by the Rev. A. T. Jones, M.A., B.D., of Ebenezer Church, on 'The Church Observing Customs of Jesus.' Rally Day programme was used in the afternoon.

THE WEATHER

FINE AND COOL.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Shallow depressions exist in Alberta and the St. Lawrence Valley, and pressure is highest over the Central States. The weather has been generally fine in Canada, except that same scattered showers have occurred from the lower lake region eastward.

Lake and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh northwest to north winds; fine and cool to-day and on Wednesday; light local frosts to-night.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Moderate to fresh northwest to north winds; fine and cool to-day and on Wednesday; light local frosts to-night.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Fresh to strong winds, shifting to west and north, showers to-day, then clearing; Wednesday, fair and cool.

Maritime—Fresh west to south winds, showers to-night, and for a part of Wednesday.

Superior—Moderate variable winds, fine and cool.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan — Fine and moderately warm, Wednesday, a few scattered showers, but mostly fine.

Alberta—Fair to-day, local showers to-night and on Wednesday.

TEMPERATURES:

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| Winnipeg | 40 | 67 | 38 | |
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| Sault Ste. Marie | 42 | 50 | 38 | |
| Toronto | 47 | 57 | 45 | |
| Kingston | 44 | 52 | 42 | |
| Ottawa | 42 | 48 | 42 | |
| Quebec | 40 | 46 | 36 | |
| St. John, N.B. | 42 | 44 | 38 | |
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| Detroit | 46 | 58 | 42 | |
| New York | 48 | 58 | 46 | |

Washington, Oct. 1.—Eastern New York—Fair and cooler to-night; probably frost interior; Wednesday, fair; moderate west winds, becoming variable.
New England—Fair, cooler to-night; probably light frost in Connecticut and western Massachusetts; Wednesday, fair; moderate southwest and west winds.

# M'GILL RE-OPENS

(Continued from Page 1.)

plied mechanics, and the application of science to industry. But in addition to that, they are no longer regarded as cloistered and apart from the main stream of public affairs. Men look to men for the development of the habit of clear, honest, impartial thinking on contemporary problems, and for the formation of that trained and informed public opinion which is to assist in the solution of these problems. Even in the realm of economic and political science, and in regard to social questions, it is held that what the universities think to-day the country will think to-morrow, and as one of the speakers said: 'The universities are thinking in trms of a heightened social consciousness and a singularly broad and generous interpretation of social duty and the common good.'

McGILL MEN SHOW PUBLIC SPIRIT

Here in McGill, as Professor Dale can testify, we are not wanting in such aspirations as these. There are many McGill men who have been doing strenuous service in the cause of better civic administration, and we are not afraid to take a stand in connection with social problems, or even to lend a hand with constructive politics. Certainly there is no lack of material for the Literary and Debating Society. Take the naval question, and the problem of imperial defence. I am not going to talk politics to you, though I belong to the number of those who believe that such matters as these should be kept altogether outside the sphere of what is known as party politics. It is the one and only way of salvation ... dealing with them. Here in McGill we are loyal friends of the British Empire, and we do not think that the time has come to substitute anything else for it in the world as we see it to-day. The alternative to our Empire—especially when we think of the interests of the Crown Colonies and dependencies of which we are the guardians—would be something little short of chaos. I was in Rome this year, and as I mused in the Forum I could not help thinking of the wonderful record made by a people who at the start were by no means numerous, and who spread themselves from a little meeting place in the Forum, something like a corner of our campus, over the whole of the world. Their Empire passed away because it had outlived its usefulness. In these days there were other nations yet to come. Behind the barrier of the Alps they had through long centuries been gathering strength, and when the hour of doom struck they were ready to overrun the fertile plains of sunny Italy. Undoubtedly there are cycles in human affairs. Some of you may recall the lines of Lucretius:—

Augescunt aliae gentes, Nations wax and wane, and all created things change roun din but a little span; like runners they pass on the torch of life.'

BRITAIN IS QUITE SAFE.

So far as Britain is concerned, it seems to me that, deriving fresh strength from her over-sea Dominions, she may safely plan to continue her world wide mission. The time has not yet arrived for her to hand on the torch to any other runners. That is why in the training for citizenship that we seek to give at McGill, we do not and dare not neglect the imperial point of view. We are fortunate, as it seems to me, in being able to cultivate a three-fold patriotism—local, national and imperial. We know what we feel for this city and this province; we are proud of the magnificent country in which we are helping to build up a mighty nation; but that country and nation are none the less great to us because they constitute a partner state in the greatest empire the world has ever seen. Let us show ourselves worthy of so great an inheritance. Much after all depends on the individual.

'The star of strength and greatness,' as Lord Morley said the other day to the University of Manchester, of which he is the honored Chancellor, 'rises or sinks in a state according to the proportions in its numbers of men and women with courage, energy, will, and open, supple, teachable intelligence; and then, besides on their power of making their qualities effectively felt.' If we keep our ideal high, the future will bring us nothing that we need fear. Here in Montreal we are set on a hill; let us see to it that none but the best and highest influences radiate from us to the community we seek to serve.

I welcome you all in your several departments of study, freshmen and seniors, men and women, teachers and taught,—I welcome you all once again to the halls of old McGill, and venture to express the confident hope that the session which begins to-day will prove one of the most successful in the history of the University.

BIGGER MAIL BUSINESS.

### Montreal Post-Office Returns Show Increase in Revenue and Amount of Business Done.

Montreal post-office returns for September show a general increase both in revenue and in the receipt and despatch of mail compared with the corresponding month of last year.

For September of this year an income of $112,497.23 shows an increase of $6,296 compared with September, 1911, and while all items have increased, that of $103,719.19 for the sale of stamps, shows the largest proportional increase compared with the $98,161.17 for that month last year. Newspaper postage has increased from $5,336.75 to $5,661.45.

The number of sacks received from Great Britain at the Montreal post-office during the month just closed was 2,900, of which 1,197 were received via Canadian lines and 1,703 via New York. In September 1911, 2,760 sacks arrived, 1229 direct from Great Britain, and 1461 via New York, which shows a total increase of 140 sacks.

Altogether 137,507 pounds of mail has been despatched, of which 37,480 pounds were letters, and 100,027 printed matter. There were 4516 parcels sent. During September last year a total of 114,663 pounds were despatched, composed of corresponding items, the increase for the last month being, in letters, 3,250 pounds, and in printed matter 12,394 pounds. There was an increase of 133 parcels.

During the month 159,282 articles were registered, which shows an increase of 26,962 over the corresponding period last year.

The summer service for the Yukon district is now in operation, and all classes of mail matter can be forwarded.

## THE SPRING MAID

'The Spring Maid' was a popular young person when she was here last season, but she was not Miss Christie Macdonald, who was still in New York playing to one of the biggest season's business on Broadway. Now the Spring Maid is here again, and she is Miss Christie Macdonald, one of the Canadian girls—she came from Pic ton—who have achieved success upon the stage. It was not merely because she is a Canadian girl that she received so warm a welcome from the large audience at His Majesty's last night; it was because she is winsome and clever, and can sing delightfully; she is free, without doing a single thing even bordering on offence, and she thoroughly enjoys herself during the performance. There can be no doubt about that. She is one of those on the stage to-day who did not spring into notoriety by some freak, but has made her way by real ability and unflagging industry. No one grudges her her success.

The story of 'The Spring Maid' is the not strikingly original one of a princess who disguises herself as a maid of the Carlsbad springs in order to teach a lesson to a prince who has spoken slightingly of the ladies of high degree. Of course, then both fall in love, and their path of happiness is made much smoother by the fact that they are really equal in rank.

The prince is Mr. Thomas Conkey, whose physique is admirably suited to the part. He manages to infuse his songs with a good deal of temperament, which, combined with a good voice, makes his work worthy of Mr. James MacSweeny, as the Princess's father, is amusing enough, while Mr. Tom McNaughton infuses with a vast amount of interest the very hackneyed part of a down-at-heel actor.

Apart from Miss Macdonald, the features of the operetta are the sprightly songs and dances and the stage settings. These are all above the average; scenes of real beauty are shown, and the dances illustrating the legend of the Carlsbad woods are unusually dainty.

## THE BLINDNESS OF VIRTUE.

Mr. Cosmo Hamilton, the English playwright, scored a pronounced success with his much-discussed problem play, 'The Blindness of Virtue,' at the Princess Theatre last night. The downpour of rain just at the theatre hour did not prevent the gathering of one of the largest first-night audiences of the season. It was an audience, too, that came to appreciate Mr. Hamilton's offering, and the reception that it gave his production delighted the author. Every act was received with hearty applause, while Mr. Cosmo Hamilton was forced to appear before the curtain at the close of the last act, in response to the insistent calls of the gathering. In a few words he voiced his sincere appreciation of the reception that 'The Blindness of Virtue' had received.

The play is English in setting and accent. It is a bit of the hedge-lined roads and rose-covered cottages of the old Island. There were golf clubs and cricket bats, with an occasional hint of the race track.

The company is English, too—direct from the Little Theatre at London, where its success was one of the greatest of the theatrical season.

It is a problem play, too—not one either, in which the moral is all but concealed under a wealth of minor things, but one in which the real object is constantly in view. It may be that 'The Blindness of Virtue' presents but one side of the old questions of life, but, if so, it is that one upon which Mr. Hamilton believes greatest stress should be laid. To him Virtue is an angel, but she is a blind one, and must ask of knowledge to show her the pathway that leads to her goal. His creed embraces the following article—to him an axiom of religion: 'Ignorance is not innocence, but ignorance is ruin.'

It is only after eighteen years' work in East Brenton, Middlesex, that the Rev. Harry Pemberton (A. Holmes-Gore) and Mrs. Pemberton (Lena Halliday realize this truth. Their daughter Effie (Dorothy Rundell) has reached her seventeenth birthday, an ignorant, innocent girl, but filled with an indefinable unrest, in which the problems of life are ever before her.

Mary Ann (Madge Murray), the gardener's daughter, born the same day as Effie, has fallen, pleading ignorance of life as the reason for her conduct. The Hon. Archibald Graham (Basil Hallam), the age of Effie, is introduced into the home of the vicar. Love springs up in their hearts and innocent, ignorant Effie is found in a most promising interview in Mr. Graham's room. Her childish, simple confession saves the situation and averts the impending tragedy.

The company is a capable one, without a single weak spot in the cast. Cookie (Pollie Emery) is a delight. Her quaint sallies and presumptuous babe its kept the audience in good humor all the time she was on the stage. Effie is an attractive character, daintily and winsome, and with Miss Dorothy Rundell she suffered not at all in the presentation. The Rev. Harry Pemberton (A Holmes-Gore) is a splendid vicar, and left nothing more to be desired for that character. His wife (Lena Halliday), and the Hon. Archibald Graham (Basil Hallam) acquit themselves well. The other three characters are equally well sustained.

## ARMIES OF BALKAN STATES

(Continued from Page 1.)

Russia's proposal was communicated to Turkey by M. de Giers, the ambassador to Austria-Hungary. Great Britain showed herself willing to talk reforms in Macedonia in a general way, without committing herself to anything definite. France's answer is due to-day and her attitude is expected to be still more conservative, being dictated mainly by considerations of finance.

More was expected of Great Britain, where for years sympathetic interest was accorded the Macedonian cause.

FEVERISH HASTE IN SERVIA.

Belgrade, Servia, Oct. 1.—War preparations are being carried on with feverish haste. General mobilization of the Servian army has been ordered, and it is expected will be well under way within a few hours. The publication of news of military movements is forbidden.

Belgrade is seething with excitement. The streets are full of uniformed reservists and the railway stations are crowded with men on their way to join the colors. The mobilization of the Bulgarian army simultaneously with that of Servia has added enthusiasm to the occasion.

MONTENEGRO, TOO.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Oct. 1.—A council of war was called to-day by the King. All the high military authorities of the country were present, and it is expected that in view of the strained situation in the Balkans a similar decision in regard to mobilization will be reached as in Servia and Bulgaria.

The news of the general mobilization of the Balkan nations has aroused intense excitement here, and a warlike spirit pervades all political circles.

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To sell or dispose of the undertaking of the company, or any part thereof for such consideration as the company may think fit, and in particular for shares, debentures or securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of this company;

To do all or any of the above things as principals, contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others;

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Any power granted in any paragraph hereof shall not be limited or restricted by reference to, or inference from any other paragraph, under the name of Cite Saint Luc Realty, Limited, with a capital stock of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($150,000.00), divided into fifteen hundred (1,500) shares of one hundred dollars ($100.00) each.

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Dated from the office of the Provincial Secretary, this fourteenth day of September, 1912.

C. J. SIMARD,
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is hereby given that under the First Part of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as "The Companies' Act," letters patent have been issued under the Seal of the Secretary of State of Canada, bearing date the 10th day of September, 1912, incorporating Andrew Ross McMaster, King's Counsel, of the City of Westmount, in the Province of Quebec; Talbot Mercer Papineau, Advocate, of the City and District of Montreal; Auguste Angers, Accountant, of the City and District of Montreal; Margaret Hartley, Secretary, of the City and District of Montreal, and Gertrude H. Flawn, Secretary, of the Town of Outremont, in the District of Montreal, for the following purposes, namely:—

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(Canadian Associated Press.

London, Oct. 1.—In acknowledgment of the many courtesies and kindnesses extended to Col. Hughes and his officers during their stay in England, the Minister of Militia gave a private dinner at the Junior Army and Navy Club on Saturday night, at which were present, among others, Lord Dundonald, Lord Brooke, Col. Ward, of the War Office; Lieut.-General Settle, Lieut.-Col. Hon. Newton Moore, of Australia; Col. Robin, of New Zealand; Sir Trevor Dawson, of Vickers, Son & Maxim; Mr. Hickens, of Cammell-Laird Co.; Sir Lewis Michell, of South Africa; Col. Harper, and Sir Max Aitken.

Colonel Hughes, in proposing the toast of King George, expressed, on behalf of himself and officers, the greatest appreciation for the kindness of the War Office officials to them. To General Sir John French, Ian Campbell, and various naval shipbuilding establishments, he also extended gratitude. The visit had been most instructive, and he was convinced that nothing but good could result from an annual visit and interchange of officers each year. The time had arrived when the whole forces of the Empire should come more closely together.

Colonel Hughes sails for Canada on the 'Empress of Britain' on Friday next.

## REALTY SUIT DISMISSED.

Discontinuance of action was the reason for the dismissal of the suit yesterday of James R. Gordon against Carrick, Limited. The amount involved was $20,000, claimed as the result of Carrick having sold St. James street property to the Burland Realty Co., which the plaintiff averred it was agreed to sell to him for $55,000. The amount claimed represented the increase in the value of the property, from the time of the alleged agreement until the date of the institution of the suit.


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## CHIEF FINES A DETECTIVE

### Officer Guerin Once in Conflict With Chief Campeau Again Crosses His Path.

The Board of Control yesterday accepted a report of Chief of Police Campeau, fining Detective Guerin $10 for altering a document prepared for the Arraignment Court by Deputy Chief of Police Hebert. The detective said that another officer was named in the report instead of him as making an arrest. Detective Charette and a constable were credited with making th earrest, which Detective Guerin said should be credited to him. The document altered was the regular morning list of prisoners. It was signed by Deputy Chief Hebert and became a court document. The prisoner was brought into the central station the previous night. The officer in charge said that Detective Guerin told him to credit Detective Charette and a constable with the arrest. When the change in the list was made, a clerk of the court informed Chief Campeau. Detective Guerin was called into his office, and asked for an explanation.

Chief Campeau said that if the detective had reported to him that the list was not correct he would have had it changed.

Detective Guerin had trouble with Chief Campeau five years ago, when he was dismissed for insubordination. The detective was charged with censuring Chief Campeau and the administration of the Police Committee, of which Ald. Proulx was chairman. He made a fight for reinstatement, was supported by former Chief Carpenter, and he gained his cause when the reform administration was elected. Now he is in conflict with Chief Campeau again.

## WHO'LL BE THE NEXT CHIEF DETECTIVE?

### All Possible Candidates Have Been Eliminated Except Three.

'Nothing new here,' was the reply to-day of Chief Campeau to a 'Witness' reporter in regard to the appointment of a successor to Chief Carpenter, as head of the detective force. The number of times he has answered this same question does not seem to bother the always smiling head of the police department, who, if he cares to exercise his prerogative, may name the man of his choice, and, according to the whisperings going on in the City Hall, that man will have the support of the Board of Control, when it comes to a vote on the adoption of the Chief's recommendation.

Two reports were run to earth this morning in this way. One of them which had the name of Sergeant-Detective Charpentier coupled with it was to the effect that the Board of Aldermen were to ride rough shod over the Controllers, and place the name of Mr. Charpentier before the meeting. The other unfounded story was that one of the dark horses was Inspector McMahon, like its running mate above, collapsed as soon as the inspector was seen.

'Don't want it; I'm satisfied where I am. And a man who is satisfied with his position is well off; let me tell you that,' was the philosophic comment of one of the biggest men on the police roster.

The result of this has been the elimination of all but three of the score of 'possibles' that loomed up for a short while. These three are Inspector O'Keefe, Sergeant-Detective Charpentier, and High Constable St. Mars. Although the statement from Chief Campeau that the appointment would be made from the force seems at first to shatter the chances of the latter, his friends are banking on his clerical fitness as well as his ability to handle men. His present position was earned during long service as clerk of the court, and a study of the Criminal Code with Coroner McMahon, both of whom filled the positions of court clerk for a number of years.

The last information culled places the nomination of candidates two weeks away. Nothing that would lead the way to the beginning of this rumor transpired during the day, and the satisfied air of the police head, who says things are going along smoothly, and there is no need of hurry, adds to the generally accepted belief that nothing will be done for a while in the matter of a new head for the Detective Bureau.

## COLONEL'S 'MIDDLING LIVELY TIME'

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 1.—A tumultuous crowd gave Colonel Roosevelt what he describes as a 'middling lively time' here yesterday. Men scattered through the crowd heckled him as in Atlanta last Saturday, and succeeded in raising an uproar which for a time drowned out any attempt on Colonel Roosevelt's part to go on with his speech. He stood his ground and matched one retort with another until he had silenced his dissenters.

On the way to Knoxville Colonel Roosevelt made a number of speeches from his train. He assailed Governor Hooper and Senator Sanders, of Tennessee. He also characterized Governor Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana, Democratic candidate for Vice-President, as a representative of the Taggart machine.

Col. Roosevelt said Governor Wilson had declared himself in favor of limitation of the powers of government, and by that declaration had placed himself in opposition to proposals for progressive legislation. He was interrupted by cries of 'Hurrah for Wilson.'

'Then hurrah for abolishing any law which limits the power of the sweatshop owners over women,' he shouted back. The cries continued. The Colonel singled out one man in the crowd who was making the most noise. 'Your voice is all right, but I'm trying to appeal to your intelligence,' he said. The crowd laughed and cheered and Colonel Roosevelt was not interrupted again. 'I was interested rather tepidly in the statement of Mr. Taft the other day that the Progressive party platform was a crazy quilt of inconsistent or unrelated ideas,' he said. 'Our programme will seem a crazy quilt only to those who have not studied the questions of the day. When Mr. Taft says our platform is a crazy quilt, my answer is that the abuses of our present industrial system are a real crazy quilt and that our intention is to rip them out piece by piece.'

## DIPHTHERIA AMONG INDIANS.

Indian Chutes, via Elk Lake, Ont., Oct. 1. — An epidemic of diphtheria of a most malignant type has broken out among the Indians at Turtle Lake near the Hudson Bay Company's post. Fort Matchewan. Some deaths have occurred already, and prospectors from above Fox Rapids report two additional deaths within the past week.


# HENRY MORGAN & COMPANY LIMITED

## *Misses' Heavy Cheviot Suits, $22 & $30*

Aside from the slight tendency toward various interpretations of the Norfolk effect, in almost every other respect, Misses' Styles for this Fall are practically parallel with the favored fashions for women.

Probably the most decided change is that in some instances coats, instead of having the broad open revers, button close up to the neck.

The otherwise frequent use of buttons, the evidence of panels and pleats and the various half-belted effects, immediately associate these suits with the popular Fall styles for women.

Rough finished materials will be widely worn.

The two Suits described below are chosen only as examples of our exceptional Fall displays in Misses' Suits---in styles more varied, more extensive and more interesting than ever.

MISSES' SUITS in heavy Cheviot—Coat in Norfolk style, lined with satin. Skirt with side pleats and panel back. Sizes 14 to 18. Price $30.00.

MISSES' SUITS in heavy Cheviot—Coat half belted at back with three rows of inserted pleats. Deep collar of inlaid velvet buttoned up to neck. In black and navy. Sizes 16-18. Price $22.00.

WOMEN'S STREET COSTUMES AT $25.00.

Women's Street Costumes of Camel's Hair in grey and navy. Coat is somewhat longer than usual, with four bottons, satin lined, Skirt has panels in front with bias panels of sides—both skirt and coat are piped with black satin. *Second Floor.*

### *Fall Millinery*

TAILORED HATS FOR IMMEDIATE WEAR AT MODERATE PRICES.

*EXCLUSIVE MODELS FOR DRESS OCCASIONS.*

### *Corsets at $2.50*

DESIGNED FOR MEDIUM AND STOUT FIGURES, MADE OF COUTIL.

*THESE MODELS ARE MADE WITH LOW BUST AND LONG HIPS.*
*Second Floor.*

## *Recent Arrivals Bring Again to Completeness Our Stock of Dress Trimmings.*

Indications again point to a season of trimmings. From the simple trimming of net and fancy work for the street and afternoon dress to the richer and more elaborate embellishments of pearl, crystal, and diamante for Evening Apparel, these trimmings could scarcely be of a more desirable or extensive nature.

*Crystal Fringes from 1 inch to 4 inch including pearl and crystal fringes, gold beads, crystals, —colored beads and crystals, from 40c to $1.75 per yard.*
*Steel Bead Fringe from 1 inch to 4 inch wide, 50c to $1.75 per yard.*
*Fancy Vests for Directoire Suits in fancy brocades each $1.75 to $3.30.*
*Main Floor.*

### *WOMEN'S HIGH BOOTS--PR. $5.50*

Cut with a high protective top, this boot of gunmetal or tan with medium slip sole is made for wearing with the short Fall skirt. Black. $5.50. Tan $6.00.

*Main Floor Annex.*

### *WOMEN'S LACE BOOTS--PR. $5.00*

Short in the vamp, this boot is made small in appearance. Viscalised soles render it waterproof, and thus desirable for fall wear. Price $5.00.

*Main Floor Annex.*

## *A BOOT FOR GROWING GIRLS*
### *MEDIUM ROUND TOE, PAIR, $5.00*

Features such as these manufacturers have recognized as vital for the health and comfort of a Growing Girl's Boot: Low heels that permit the foot to be in natural position, medium round toes that do not cramp natural growth, and high-cut tops that give excellent ankle support. *Main Floor, Annex.*

## *The Empress Adjustable Form*

THE FORM WITH THE EXTRA ADJUSTMENT AT THE WAIST LINE

¶ The great improvement in this Form is in the *Bust* whereby it is possible to make either a low, medium, or high bust.

¶ The extra cut at the Waist Line allows the hip adjustment to be independent of any other part of the form. Price $16.50. *Main Floor.*


## JEANNE MANCE

### Her Figure Will Form the Frontispiece of the Child Welfare Exhibition Programme.

The noise of hammer, chisel and plane in the Drill Hall on Craig street indicates the immediate approach of the Child Welfare Exhibition, the construction of which is now in hand. The hall which is the home of the defensive art is to temporarily house an exposition of that art in another form, to demonstrate how to save life from various enemies. The principal feature of the Drill Hall, under its new conditions is the grand stand which is being erected in the centre, capable of holding nearly a thousand spectators to watch the exhibitions in dancing, kindergarten games and other evolutions that will be performed on the spacious stage which fronts the main portals. Around the building wooden frames are being placed which are to hold the screens that will set forth in photography and by diagram the conditions of life in this city as they have been observed by public bodies and experts concerned in vital, moral and benevolent aspects, the preparation of which has entailed much labor and thought. These conditions of life will be discussed and dealt with verbally by the Canadian Conference of Charities which is to meet in the Central Y. M. C. A. next week during four days. That conference, which is in the hands of Mr. Rufus Smith for the Charity Organization Society, will do much to enforce the lessons of the Child Welfare Exhibition, as the speakers on all subjects will be experts in their line.

The programme of the exhibition which has been got up by Dr. W. H. Atherton will be ready within a day or two. It has a striking frontispiece, the design being that of a woman bending with great solicitude over a little child which she holds with one arm. The face will be recognized by Montrealers as that of Jeanne Mance, who as one of the original religieuses who arrived here to minister to the sick and orphans, is worthy of such remembrance. It is a pretty and effective frontispiece to a programme which will be full of interest. On the back of the programme is a plan of the layout of the Exhibition which will enable visitors to pick their way along the graduated and sequential unfolding of the path of child life. The cost of this construction runs to $25,000.

The officers of the Exhibition have now been removed from the Monument National to the Drill Hall, where Dr. Anna Strong and her assistants are to be found. Telephone number is E 3089.

## 12,000 OPERATORS BACK TO WORK

Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 1.—The strike of twenty-four hours declared by the Industrial Workers of the World employed in the textile mills of this city as a protest against the imprisonment of Ettor and Giovannitti, ended today, when 12,000 operatives who remained away from the mills yesterday, returned to work. The return of the workers was generally free from disorder, although some minor disturbances were reported.

## PAIN DROVE HIM TO EXTREMITIES

### Major Wm. Bennett Shot Himself Following Fall From a Train.

Last night a most lamentable consequence followed an accident which befell Major William Bennett, station master at Lakeside, ten days ago. At his home at 118 Britannia street, Major Bennett, who had been suffering excruciating pain, shot himself after being almost distracted with the agony resulting from a fall from a train at the lakeside, and sustaining concussion of the brain.

When his family, who heard the shot, rushed to the room, they found him lifeless on the floor, the bullet having entered his brain.

Major Bennett, who was 65 years of age, came to Montreal forty years ago, a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston. After taking an active part in local military affairs for some years, he gave up everything to devote his energies to the performance of the duties of the responsible positions he held under the Grand Trunk Railway. He was a member of the Victoria Presbyterian Church, and had a wide circle of friends in Point St. Charles, being a keen conservative worker in that district.

He was a native of Grenville, and is survived by his wife, one daughter and three sons, two of whom, William and Charles, are resident in Montreal.

## THANKSGIVING DAY, OCT. 28.

Ottawa, Oct. 1. — The government has fixed the date for Thanksgiving day to be Monday, October 28.

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# Make Your Fall Preparations at the Woman's Store of Canada, where Four Floors of New, Exclusive and Correct Apparel Await You

## Stylish Imported Coats Underpriced

In the Mantle Department we are showing **107** Coats that we purchased at special prices. These are samples of a leading Berlin maker.

When you buy these coats you save the duty, which represents about a quarter of the price.

Every style is different and they are all becoming, distinctive and authentic. You cannot buy garments with the same smartness and individuality for anything like the same prices They come in Tweed in a wide choice of new weaves and fancy mixtures.

Remember, that in the ordinary way the prices would be 25% more than **$12.50** to **$20.00**.

## Good Values in Petticoats

A complete selection of Sateen Petticoats, stylishly made and perfect fitting. Each **.69**, **.75**, **$1.00** to **$1.50**.

Flannel lined Petticoats at **$1.25**.

We have a good choice of Satin Petticoats correctly made and close fitting in the latest Fall shades, at **$2.95**.

*We Extend a Cordial Invitation to all Mothers to Come and See the Beautiful Things in*



## "The Children's Shop"

This section on the 3rd Floor is devoted exclusively to the needs of infants, growing girls and misses. "The Children's Shop" has lately undergone an entire change which results in a much better equipped department.

We have always set a high standard for our children's garments and this year the standard is if anything higher.

The Buyer of this Department has made many journeys to the centres of children's fashions and bought larger assortments and daintier garments than we have ever seen before.

You will find every kind of wearables for the wee tot, and becoming, stylish dresses, coats, etc., for the young Miss having ideas of her own as to dress.

The objection some mothers have to buying ready made Children's Dresses can have no foundation here, because "Murphy" children's garments are made of as good fabrics, with as much care and attention to the cut, sewings and small details, as to the high priced garments of fashionable women.

We insist on the best, we get the best, and it is only the best that we offer those who patronize "The Children's Shop." Watch our Windows and see some of the good things we have.

Remember Wednesday and the following days are "Children's Shop Days."

## "Sovereign" Waists

### The Last Word in Styles and Values

Ten new styles direct from the hands of the designer have just been added to the "Sovereign" Series of Waists. They are the latest interpretation of Fall Waist Fashions. In fit, fabric, and workmanship they are perfect and unexcelled in value.

In the series you can obtain all the favored shades, including Stone Greys and new Blues.

We describe two exclusive designs here:—

Beautiful Messaline Silk Waists with the new Robespierre Collar and Directoire Cuff in all Black, Black and White, White and Black, with a new idea in cross pleats down the front in panel style. We have a similar design in navy, but with high net collar piped with a beautiful shade of Emerald Green, making a most effective looking waist.

Sovereign Waists.. .. .. .. **$5.00**

*All Waists of* $5.00 *and up altered Free of Charge.*

## The "Wolsey" Unshrinkable Stockings for Women

### .50 Per Pair

Pure wool cashmere, of medium weight, full-fashioned leg and elastic foot. Each pair bears the "Wolsey" tag, sizes 8 1-2 to 10, **.50** per pair.

## 'Mount Royal' Hosiery

To avoid the discomfort of toes that are heavily spliced or double all round, wear silk stockings, with the anti-darn Toecaps, which unite comfort and durability, and can't be worn through. The leg is pure fine thread silk, the soles lisle, also the top, which has a deep garter welt. Sizes 8 1-2 to 10 inches. **$1.25** per pair.

## OCTOBER SPECIALS IN BLACK SILKS

*Rich Black Duchess Mousseline*—Made expressly for the "Murphy" Store. Each name bears *our name and guarantee.* The finish is beautiful and the dyes perfect. Note the width, 38 inches. Special per yard.. .. .. .. **$1.19**

*Rich Black Chiffon Taffetas* from one of the best French producers. They are of the soft Duchess finish, deep full rich Black. Our liberal guarantee with every yard. The texture of these Silks make them specially suited to the new Style Robes.

36 inches wide, extra special **$1.00** per yard.

40 inches wide, extra special **$1.25** per yard.

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## AUTHENTIC LACES

Black allovers, edgings, insertions, wide bandings, and ball trimming.

Allovers in Guipure and Oriental, **$2.00** to **$5.00** a yard.

Allovers in Oriental from **.39** to **$2.50** a yard.

Ball trimming, **.20** and **.25** a yard.

Edgings in Guipure from 2 to 8 inches wide.

Narrow insertion and beading in Guipure lace also from 2 to 9 inches wide. The designs are exquisite.

Oriental insertions and edgings from 1 to 18 inches wide, some are on plain net, others embroidered on Point d'Esprit.

Beautiful Vandykes in Oriental and Guipure lace, from 2 to 18 inches, fine and heavy patterns.

Appliques and motifs in Oriental and Guipure, Shadow, Oriental and Chantilly flouncing, from 18 to 45 inches wide. The designs are all very handsome, some are in the festoon effect, others beautiful Rose designs. Prices from **$1.75** to **$6.50** a yard.

## Beautiful Tunics in the Paris Shop

Exquisite King's Blue Crepe Ninon Tunic, handsomely beaded in Gold, Silver, and White beads, one of the latest designs, at **$25.00**.

Handsome Tunic in White Crepe Ninon, beaded in White, Gold, and Topaz, very handsome designs at **$25.00**.

Beautiful Cerise Crepe Ninon Tunic, a very pretty design, beaded in silver and fringe at **$25.00**.

We also have a large variety of Tunics in different shades imported direct from the most exclusive Parisian designers. From **$10** to **$75**.

## New Costume Corded Velvets

Wednesday we will specialize the popular *CORDED VELVETS.* Very Rich qualities that will tailor well, the pile is close and rich and will not rub off.

We have four different qualities all in good costume shades.

No. 1—27 inches wide, at **.85** per yard. In the following colors:—Nattier Blue, Bluette, Golden Brown, Mid-Brown, Grey, Myrtle Green, Ivory and Rich Black.

No. 2—27 inches wide, at **$1.00** per yard. In Neptune Blue, Navy Blue, Alice Blue, Tan, Brown, Ivory and Black.

No. 3—24 inches wide. Very special Hollow Cut at **$1.29** per yard. In Hussar Blue, Copenhagen Blue, Navy Blue, Rich Green and Black.

No. 4—24 inches wide. Rich, uncrushable and will not spot with rain. The best quality of corded velvet we stock. Per yard.. .. .. .. **$1.49** The colors are exceptionally fine. Rich Navy Blue, Grey, Green and Brown.

(On Sale Velvet Dept., First Floor)

## Long Duplex SUEDE GLOVES

### $1.00 Per Pair

A different glove from the usual make. Fits like Kid, warm and washes well, pique sewn, mousquetaire wrist with two pearl domes. White or natural Chamois color. Sizes 5½ to 7. Per pair.. .. .. .. .. .. .. **$1.00**

## "LA RIVE," Our Own KID GLOVES at $1.25 per Pair

A good Kid glove can be bought at this price and "La Rive" is the proof of it.

The skins from which "La Rive" gloves are made are all carefully selected, and only the finest qualities used. Tans, Grey, Navy, Champagne, Modes, Black and White. It is a comfort to have this glove fitted. Try it. Per pair.. .. .. .. **$1.25**

## Considerable Savings in Children's Footwear

**300** pairs Regular $1.98 and $2.50 Boots; Wednesday at. .. **.98**

**200** pairs Regular $1.50 and $1.75 Boots; Wednesday at. .. **.79**



A manufacturer's floor stock of **300** pairs of good boots to be cleared on Wednesday. These are all guaranteed stylish, smart, and reliable.

In every detail they are carefully made. The leathers are of the best and the fit perfect and easy. Boots that will wear well during all weathers. They come in Gunmetal, Patent, and Dongola Kid. Sizes 8 to 10, 11 to 5. Regular $1.98, $2.25 and $2.50 Boots; Wednesday.. .. .. .. .. **.98**

**300** pairs of Boys' and Girls' sample shoes, strongly made of good leathers. They are new and smart, made on the newest lasts. Buy an extra pairs of shoes for your boy or girl while these special values last. Kid, Patent, Chocolate, Tan, Gunmetal Boots in sizes 2 to 6½.

Wednesday per pair.. .. .. .. **.79**

## Wednesday's Offerings in the Embroidery Week

A large assortment of loom ends, including edging, insertion, strapping and wide banding embroidered on Nainsook, French Mull, in an excellent choice of dainty patterns. Regular .75 to .90 a yard; Special Wednesday per yard.. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. **.35**

Allovers on Swiss Muslin and Nainsook embroidered in small designs in blind and eyelet effects. These may be splendidly adapted for yokes and sleeves for children's dresses. Embroidered allovers regularly priced up to $1.50 and $1.75 a yard; Wednesday.. .. .. .. .. **.75**

## The Best in Whitewear is Our Aim

We have one principal aim, that is, the foundation of our Whitewear Department—it is to give unquestionably the best values. You have only to pick up a garment in this section and examine it. The beautiful quality of the fabric, the neat, strong sewing and the refined trimmings will hold your attention.

Garments that appeal to the women with discriminating taste is our specialty.

Here is a dainty Bridal Set which is an example of the splendid values that can be obtained here.

Dainty Bridal Set of four pieces, made of nainsook and handsomely trimmed with Swiss embroidery and insertion to match. The underskirt and drawers are finished with lace and rows of fine pin tucks. The gown and corset cover with lace and two rows of Baby Ribbon. This set is made in sizes from 34 to 42 inch bust, and priced complete at **$3.99**.

## Ready-to-Wear Hats at $2.50

Here's a substantial reason why you should visit our Millinery Salon on Wednesday. We shall put on sale 500 beautiful imported ready-to-wear hats at an appreciably reduced price. These hats all have a marked becomingness and represent the newest styles. A large choice of the favored colors, as well as Black, to choose from. Regular $3.50 to $4.50 Hats; Wednesday.. .. .. **$2.50**

## Stylish Hats at Special Prices For Wednesday

*Trimmed Hats* **$5.00** *Each*

This is an offering for 8 o'clock shoppers. There are 150 only of these trimmed hats, and they will go on sale simultaneously with the opening for business on Wednesday.

They have all been imported and combine the newest styles with a smart, becoming appearance, best materials and tasteful trimmings. A large variety of colors allows you to choose one appropriate to your Fall suit. Regular $8.50, $10.50, $15.00 and $18.00 Hats; On sale Wednesday.. .. .. $5.00

## Are You Interested in Fancy Work?

In our Fancy Notion Department we stock every one of the hundred and one necessities that go to make up the complete work basket. Here's a list of articles for Fancy Workers that should be interesting to you.

Corset Covers, stamped on Lonsdale cambric, with floss .. .. .. .. **.25**

Nickle plated bar muff holders, each .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. **.10**

Linen and burlap fringe, in brown and green linen .. .. .. .. **.25** a yard.

Stamped marquisette blouses, several designs .. .. .. .. .. .. **.59**

20 different designs in stamped centre pieces, pure linen, each .. .. **.19**

Satin slipper soles, in all sizes, per pair .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. **.25**

Solid leather wool soles, all sizes, per pair .. .. .. .. .. .. .. **.35**

D. M. C. Cotton perle in all pretty shades, per skein .. .. .. .. **.50**

Royal Society Floss rope or India, 2 for .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. **.05**

Crochet silks, in all shades, from **.10** to **$1.25** per spool.

Manloves's Irish Lace thread, 200 yard speeed, **.05**; 1,000 yards for **.25**

Pin Cushion forms, all sizes, in round, square, or oblong, **.05** each to **.25**.

Mercerized cushion girdles, plain or combinations, colors .. .. .. .. **.25**

Silk cushion girdles, **.50** and **.75** each.

"Royal Society" packages, **.35** to **$1.50**.

Pin cushions, stamped on white linen, **.25**, **.35**, **.39**.

Japanese silk, piano drapes, **$1.98** to **$5.00**.

Large size linen laundry bags, each, **.25**.

Fancy pin cushions, round, oblong, or square shape, yellow, pink, blue and nile. Prices from **$1.35** to **$4.00** each.

Tapestry cushion cases, 12 designs, each, **.25**.

## Damask Cloths

All Linen Damask Table Cloths, new and pretty patterns, cloths that we guarantee to be all Linen, and that will give good strong wear.

Damask Table Cloths, size 68 x 68 inches, all pure Linen, very handsome designs, full bleached. They are wonderful value, at each .. .. .. .. **$1.50**

Same cloth, in a large size, 68 x 68 inches.

Wonderful value, at each .. .. $1.75

A heavy all linen cloth for extra strong wear, good designs, bordered all round, size 2 x 2 1-2 yards. Special value at each .. .. .. .. .. **$2.25**

Fine grade Damask Table Cloths, size 2 x 2 1-2 yards, new and pretty patterns, borders all round. Extra value at each .. .. .. .. .. **$2.75**

50 dozen Damask Table Napkins, assorted designs, very pretty sizes of napkins, 22 x 22 inches, good fine quality linen.

Per dozen .. .. .. .. .. .. .. $2.25

## We are Leaders in Bags at $5.00

The latest style bags made of the highest grade genuine leathers. Variety of shopping bags from the smallest to the largest size in seal morocco, walrus, suede, saffian and horseback alligator, in colors, tan, brown, navy, red, green, purple, black and gilt, black and gile, black and gunmetal mounting. The finest variety ever shown at .. .. .. .. .. .. .. $5.00

## DISCUSS NAVAL BILL DAILY

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... to the near approach of the ... the western trips of the Hon. ... White and the Hon. Mr. Pelletier and the Hon. J. D. Hazen have been called off.

## INCREASE IN HARD WHEAT

### Ten Times as Much Now as at This Period Last Year.

Calgary, Sept. 30.—The quantity of hard wheat threshed in Alberta this year will be ten times as much as last year. The prospect is that at least half of the 1912 crop will grade No. 1 hard, and No. 1 and No. 2 northern.

Up to date, George Hill, government grain inspector, has inspected more than half as much No. 1 hard as was marketed altogether last year. Only two cars of No. 1 hard white Fife, which sells in Winnipeg as No. 1 northern, were shipped from Calgary in 1911, but three cars of this particular wheat were inspected here during the current month. It is estimated that the total output of first grade wheat this year will be about three hundred car loads, as compared with 281 car loads in 1911. The yield in this immediate vicinity this year is only slightly greater than that of last year, but a phenomenal yield is reported in some sections.

## BEAT TEAM OF KING'S PRIZEMEN

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 30.—A team composed entirely of King's prizemen, was beaten at Bisley on Saturday by the London and Middlesex Rifle Club team by seven points, under King's first stage conditions. The defeated team comprised Sergeant Fulton, senior, Queen's Westminsters. Winner 1888: Sergeant Ommundsen, Edinburgh, 1901; Captain Johnson, London Rifles, 1902; Captain Davies, Queen Victoria Rifles, 1906; Lieutenant Radice, Civil Service, 1910; Private Fulton, Queen's Westminsters, 1912.

## AGREEMENT FOR MINERS REACHED

Great Falls, Mont., Sept. 30. — The joint scale committee of the coal mine owners and miners of District 12, United Mine Workers of America, which has been in session here for about a month considering a wage scale for the next two years, has arrived at an agreement. This agreement will be submitted to a referendum vote of the members of the Union. Members of the committee say the agreement provides for a wage increase of from 15 to 75 cents a day.

## BEGAN MINISTRY IN MONTREAL

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 30.—The Rev. Doctor Thornton, Presbyterian, has concluded 29 years' ministry in Camden Road. He was born in Canada, began his ministry in Montreal, and was elected moderator in England last year.

### A JOB FOR 25 MEN.

Mr. Aza Filiatreault, who was provincial organizer for the sheet and metal workers, and has been appointed business agent for Local 116 of the Tinsmiths and Roofers, says he can give twenty-five men a job at fifty cents an hour.


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## YOUNG ZIONISTS REPORT SUCCESS

### Six of Eight Members of Council and Executive Are McGill Men.

The Young Men's Zionist and Literary Society held their annual meeting for the year 1911-12 last Sunday afternoon at the Baron de Hirsch Institute. President S. Tritt and the other officers of the society made their report for the year (1911-12), just concluded to a large attendance of members. The past year was in many ways a banner one for the society both in the success of the affairs held, and also in the amounts remitted to the Federation for the support of the Zionist Movement. During the year the society was instrumental in forming a Young Ladies' Zionist Society, which is at the present momen very active in the cause of the movement. The receipts on various accounts during the past year, as reported by the financial secretary, Mrs. H. Nathanson, totalled the handsome sum of $537. Of this the land fund received $115, National Fund $156, and the balance, less $100 in the bank, went to various minor funds.

The society is already laying plans for their annual ball, which this year is to be held in Victoria Hall, Westmount. They recently participated in the Zionist Tag Day, when the Young Men's Zionist team won the first prize for the size of the amount collected. The society has just distributed 150 National Fund boxes, which it proposes to open every month.

The election of officers, which concluded the proceedings, resulted as follows: President, Mr. J. Leavitt; vice-president, Mr. L. Maitland Leo; financial secretary, Mr. H. Nathanson; recording secretary, Mr. Wm. Bernfeld; council, Messrs. Zacks, H. Bernfeld Hyams and Viner. It is interesting to note that of the council and executive six of the eight members are McGill men, every faculty being represented in the society

## RETIRAL OF THE 'STRAW' AND PANAMA

### Fire-fighters However Still Retain Their Summery White Caps.

The old straw hat has been retired for the season and the 'Panama' has followed it into seclusion. Both had a precarious summer for there was only a couple of weeks when they reigned in all their glory. It was too cold for such light head gear. Now their day is over for the summer is ended, and the fall and winter days are near.

Already they have disappeared from the city streets. Not one did the reporter see down town to-day. The only 'top' that suggests the good old summer time, is the white one that is still worn by the members of the fire brigade. A couple of fire fighters passed along St. James this morning with their summer caps—nice, light, ones—and tried very hard to be unconscious of the eyes that stared at them. But they made rather a poor success of it.

The summer hat is gone: the day of the 'beater' ad the 'Panama' is over—until 1913.

## PLEASED TO HEAR ARGUMENTS

### But Stefansson's Suggestion re Eskimos Likely to be Scouted.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—Nothing official is known here of the proposed visit of Explorer Stefansson with his suggestion to bar civilization from the blonde Esquimaux of the north. Official opinion in government circles is that any request for the keeping of missionaries and traders away could not be seriously considered.

'Missionaries and traders go into every part of the world to preach the Christian religion and carry on business, and it seems inconsistent to ask that the blonde Esquimaux shall be made an exception,' said one of the deputy ministers.

'However, when Dr. Stefansson comes here we shall be pleased to hear his arguments.'

### TO METIS BEACH.

**Railway Offers to Make Agreement With I.C.R. For Transportation of Rails.**

The I.C.R., 'Ocean Limited,' which leaves Montreal every evening at 7.30 o'clock may continue running all fall until after the Christmas holidays, according to Mr. H. A. Price, assistant general passenger agent.

Mr. Price was asked about the report that the Gulf and Terminal Railway were declining to haul the I.C.R. sleepers through to Metis Beach, but were offering to make an agreement with the I.C.R., allowing the latter running rights over the line from Ste. Flavie to Little Metis, a distance of ten miles. Mr. Price had no information about this but intimated that possibly the government would consider the operation of this line if it adopted a policy of adding a certain number of branch lines to its system.

### ANOTHER CORNER SOLD.

**Small St. Lawrence Boulevard Property Brought $6,000 at Auction This Morning.**

A small property, situated on the southeast corner of St. Lawrence Boulevard and Chenier streets, was sold yesterday to Alphone Demartigny by the executors of the Estate of the late M. L. E. Desjardins, for $6000. The block had a frontage of twenty-five feet on St. Lawrence Boulevard and a depth of 84 feet on the side street and consisted of a store and two tenements. The price received for it was, therefore about $2.80 per square foot. It was sold by auction in the offices of Mr. R. Dumouchel, N.P.

## FIVE TO ONE AGAINST SUFFRAGE

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 20.—A referendum London Teachers' Association, three-quarters whom are women, regarding women's suffrage, shows two thousand for, ten thousand against. Another militant campaign is threatened here.

### SOUTH SHORE RALLY DAY.

Rally Day was celebrated yesterday by the Montreal South Methodist Sunday School. Mr. Arthur Humphrey, superintendent, presided, and a most interesting programme was rendered by the large assembly of scholars. The hard work put in by the teachers and officers of the school is bearing fruit, and a successful winter's work was doubtlessly inaugurated yesterday afternoon.

# Of Interest to Women.

## The 'Witness' Daily Fashion Hint.

### For the Fair Equestrian

In Black and White.

As a rule the newest hats of beaver are either large with low wide crowns or of a shape akin to the masculine derby. Daped toques are not usually seen either in plush or in felt, but rather in a long haired material stimulating fur and known appropriately as peau de bete. These are seen frequently in white, and are quite old fashioned in appearance, when draped loosely and not quite so high as formerly, turned back with a black underbrim and ornamented by a wide half band of cut jet.

This type of hat will soil quickly and be difficult to clean, while, though it is smart enough for the morning, it can never look well dressed.

Beside this hat was another in a style uncommon for winter, but really charming, a large form of black velvet with a flouncing of white tulle and one pink rose, this being a modification of a summer style that means to persist throughout the autumn.



PHOTOS BY JOEL FEDER

With all the correct lines of a conventional riding coat, this garment is much cooler than the ordinary lined coat of worsted material. It is worn over khaki riding breeches and a plain white silk skirt and stock. Boots and gloves are tan. The derby hat is built after the very latest lines.

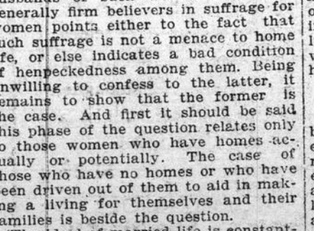
### A HUSBAND'S POINT OF VIEW.

There are still quite a number of people who have the idea that the women who are asking for the suffrage are mainly 'disappointed' spinsters, who, if husbands were forthcoming, would quietly subside into a state of contentment with their lot. When they are shown by actual names that a great proportion of the leaders in the suffrage movement are married women, they immediately conclude that the husbands must be rather of the mean-spirited, henpecked order, hiding their diminished heads in their neglected, disorderly homes while their domineering wives are away holding forth at meetings. The question of whether woman suffrage will injuriously affect home life is probably the most vital point in the matter to most people, and surely no one should be better qualified to speak to the point than men who have married women actively engaged in endeavoring to bring suffrage about except those who have experienced its actual effect in the countries where it is an accomplished fact. At least, this opinion should be somewhat enlightening.

The point of view of the husband of an active worker for suffrage is given in the 'Woman's Journal.' 'That the husbands of such women are also generally firm believers in suffrage for women points either to the fact that such suffrage is not a menace to home life, or else indicates a bad condition of henpeckedness among them. Being unwilling to confess to the latter, it remains to show that the former is the case. And first it should be said this phase of the question relates only to those women who have homes actually or potentially. The case of those who have no homes or who have been driven out of them to aid in making a living for themselves and their families is beside the question.

'The ideal of married life is constantly changing, and its trend has been steadily in the direction of bringing the wife more and more into equality with her husband. But the old line of cleavage, giving to her as her particular sphere the care and management of the home and the children, and to him the burden of providing the means to carry it on, still, generally speaking, obtains. This is largely inherent in the conditions of existence. It is, however, not necessary that she should confine herself entirely to one occupation, and in fact she cannot do so to the exclusion of any consideration of the larger affairs of the city or the state, because under modern conditions the method of carrying on those large affairs more and more intimately affects the home. It seems to me that the home of the suffragist differs more particularly from the home of the anti-suffragist in the attitude of the wife to the husband. Doubtless the man who feels that his wife's sole occupation in life should be to minister to his comfort, to have no ideas more important than having dinner ready on time and his favorite dishes on the table, to wait up for him at night while he enjoys himself at the club, and generally to revolve about him as the centre of the universe, will feel that suffrage prejudicially affects the home.

'On the other hand, a man who believes that a woman is entitled to live not merely as a satellite of his, but to be on an equality, where the life of neither is wholly subordinate and deferential to the other, but where for the most part both pursue together their joint aims but to some extent follow their own individual lives, that man will consider that suffrage has benefited the home. It does not require all of the time of a woman of brains to carry on a house so that her critical sisters cannot find fault with her housekeeping, and to bring up her children carefully and well. There is a good deal of spare time left over. Some women spend it one way and some another. I can't say that I find the time given to suffrage work, to taking an active interest in the welfare of the state, and in seeking the vote in order to be better equipped in advancing the cause of human progres is at all incompatible with being a good housekeeper and a good mother. It entails upon a man some willingness to co-operate at times in order that household affairs may run smoothly, but involves no sacrifice of home comforts, and to my mind an active interest among women in the political affairs of the country tends more to strengthen the home ties by bringing the sexes more into intellectual relations with each other than did the old relation whose inevitable result was to limit as closely as possible the mental range of the wife to the four walls of her dwelling house.'



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### WAYS TO USE APPLES.

Apple Pudding.—Measure a pint of bread crumbs, add two well beaten eggs and a teacup of rich cream, and mix. Put a layer of batter in a greased, baking dish, then a layer of sliced apples; continue in this way, the last layer being batter. Bake until the apples are tender. Serve with lemon sauce.

Apples with Cocoanut Cream.—Peel and core, without breaking the fruit, six or eight large apples, put them into a sauce pan with a pint of water, a teaspoon of grated orange peel and one-half teacup of sugar; cook gently util tender, then lift carefully into a dish. Put two tablespoons of shredded cocoanut in one teacup of milk and boil for ten minutes, drain and leave to cool. Whip a teacup of cream, flavor with one-half teaspoon of vanilla, add three tablespoons of sugar and the cocoaanut. Fill the cavities in the apples with the cream and serve very cold.

Apple Dowdy—Line a baking dish with thin slices of brown bread, buttered; fill in the spaces with apples that have been pared, cored and chopped; mix a teaspoon of ground cinnamon with a half cup of brown sugar. Sprinkle this over the apples, add half a cup of warm water and cover with another layer of brown bread buttered side up, and bake slowly one hour. Serve with a hard sauce.

Baked Apples, Creole Style. — Pare and core the apples, leaving them unbroken; cook in a little water to which is added the juice of a lemon. Place in a dish and fill the centres with jelly or marmalade, pouring the liquid in the baking pan over them. On the top of each apple place a meringue made by beating the white of egg with powdered sugar. If the meringue is squeezed through a star-shaped tube it adds to the attractive appearance. Put in a moderate oven for eight minutes. Serve cold.

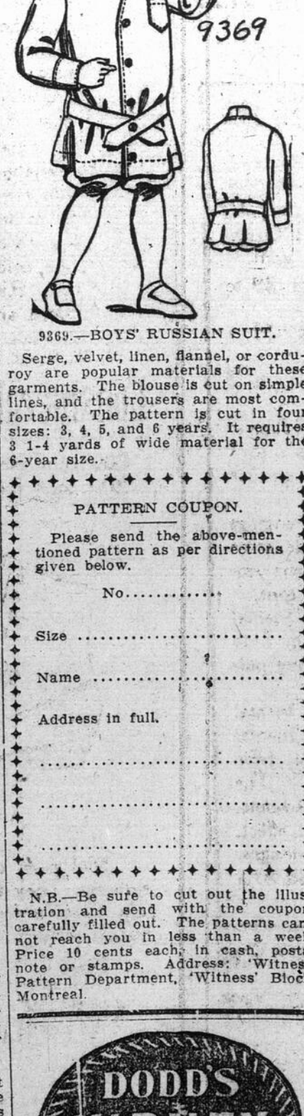
Frosted Apples.—Scald six or eight apples until the skins can easily be removed without destroying the shapes of the fruit. Have ready some clarified butter in which to dip each one. Cover with powdered sugar and bake in a slow oven.

Apple Amber.—Line a pie pan with pastry and have ready the following filling: Cook one pound of apples and pass through a sieve; add three ounces sugar, two ounces butter, the beaten yolks of two eggs and rind of one lemon (grated). Put in the pastry and bake until well set. Whip the whites to a stiff froth, add a little sugar, spread the meringue on top and brown. Garnish with candied cherries.

Apple Whip.—Stew the apples and put them through a sieve. Beat the whites of six eggs to a stiff meringue, add eight tablespoons sugar and two cups of the apple mixture. Bake in a steady oven. Serve at once with whipped cream.

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# Montreal and McGill Teams Look Strong--World's Baseball Gossip

## BASEBALL

### McGraw's Recruit Pitchers are Showing Up Wonderfully Well—Demaree, Kerby, Goulait and Bader Have Been Tried Out in the Past Few Games Since the Pennant Was Assured and Have Helped to Boost the Giants' Showing.

**THE BOSTON RED SOX WILL BE PUT THROUGH A SPECIAL PRACTICE WHEN THEY GO TO PHILADELPHIA TO CLOSE THE SEASON— CONNIE MACK'S MEN WILL GIVE RED SOX SOME VALUABLE POINTERS.**

New York, Oct. 1.—Enthusiasts who are following the concluding work of the New York Giants before the world series are being surprised with the strength of McGraw's string of recruit pitchers. Such men as Demaree, Kirby, Goulait and Bader, all strange names in the Giant's line-up, have been tried out in the past few games since the pennant was assured, and helped to boost the Giants' showing.

Bader, a youngster from Dallas, Texas, pitched a winning game against Philadelphia yesterday, although nine hits were made off him. None of these recruits are eligible for the big games next week, but the fact that they are winning games is pointed to by many fans as indicating strong men behind them. In the last five games the Giants have played, it is strange that the only one lost was pitched by the so-called star of the team, big Jeff Tesreau, against Boston, on Saturday.

Yesterday's victory was the 101st for the Giants this season, one less than the string of Boston American victories to date. Predominance of earlier opinion that the Red Sox would be strong favorites in the world series is weakening, particularly here. Many of the 'experts' say that the contenders are so evenly matched that a seven-game series is not at all unlikely.

The clear, cool day, keeping the crowd at the Polo Grounds in a shivering state, led to much speculation as to world series weather. The heavy rains last week are believed to have emptied the clouds for some time to come, but chill winds, more in order for football than baseball, and ran the bases to suit themselves, winning the second game of the series from Cincinnati here yesterday afternoon by a score of 6 to 4. The locals' fielding was excellent.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati .... | 20200000— | 4 | 5 | 4 |
| St. Louis ..... | 00020130*— | 6 | 8 | 0 |

Batteries — Fromme and Severoid; Perritt and Snyder, Bliss.

**Batted Local Pitchers All Over Field.**

Chicago, Oct. 1. — Pittsburg batted the local pitchers all over the field yesterday and won an easy game, 9 to 3. Hendrix held Chicago to five scattered hits. In the opening inning Byrne strained a tendon in the foot sliding to the home plate and was carried off the field.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
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| Chicago .. ... | 000100200— | 3 | 5 | 0 |
| Pittsburg .. .. | 14020001 1— | 9 | 13 | 2 |

Batteries — Cheney, Toney, Powell and Archer; Yentz and Gibson.

**Has Suspended Second Baseman Egan.**

Cincinnati, Oct. 1.—President Herrmann, of the Cincinnati Club of the National League, announced yesterday that he had received notice from President Thomas Lynch, of the National League, that he has suspended Egan, second baseman of the Cincinnati Club, for three days, and Umpire Finneral for the rest of the season. This is said to be the result of Herrmann's protest against Finneran ordering Egan from the field in the game in Chicago on Friday. Both were charged with having used improper language on the playing field.

**Yesterday's Results.**

Brooklyn, 6; Boston, 5.
New York, 4; Philadelphia, 2.
St. Louis, 6; Cincinnati, 4.
Pittsburg, 9; Chicago, 3.

**National League Standing.**

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York .. .. .. | 101 | 46 | .687 |
| Pittsburg .. .. .. | 91 | 57 | .615 |
| Chicago .. .. .. | 89 | 58 | .605 |
| Cincinnati .. .. .. | 74 | 76 | .490 |
| Philadelphia .. .. | 70 | 77 | .476 |
| St. Louis .. .. .. | 62 | 88 | .413 |
| Brooklyn .. .. .. | 57 | 96 | .373 |
| Boston .. .. .. .. | 43 | 100 | .329 |

**Where They Play To-day.**

Philadelphia at New York.
Brooklyn at Boston.



THE LAW HOUSE, McGILL'S TRAINING QUARTERS FOR HER FOOTBALL SQUAD.— The members of the team who are seen on the bank are, from left to right, A. F. Argue, 'Shag' Shaughnessy, Tom Lowery, Jimmy Lee (captain), John McNaughton, president of Students' Council.

seemed from unofficial observations to be in prospect. It is recalled that last year the weather was so rainy during the big games season that it took thirteen days to dispose of the six contests.

**Will Be Put Through Special Practice.**

Philadelphia, Oct. 1.—When the Boston Red Sox come here this week to close the baseball season the home team expects to put the new pennant winners through a course of practice that will aid greatly in fitting them for the world's series. Connie Mack's men having been through the fire of two world's series, one of them with the New York Giants, the local Americans expect to give Jake Stahl's men many pointers. This they will do partly through their loyalty to their own league and partly because James Mcleer, president of the Boston Americans, managed the two teams of star players that kept the Athletics on edge for their series against Chicago and New York.

Bender and Coombs will give Wood and the other right-handed pitchers of the Red Sox the benefit of their experience against the Giants, and Plank will do the same for Ray Collins, a left-hander. The Athletics will, as far as possible, play the New York style of ball and will try hard to win. They intend to be especially spry on the bases in order to give the Boston catchers an idea of what they will have to look for when the Giants get on the base paths.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

**Boston Defeated.**

Boston, Oct. 1. — Brooklyn played better ball yesterday and defeated Boston, 6 to 5. An error by Sweeney, Cutshaw's attempted sacrifice that went for a hit, a base on balls, a single back of first base, and a sacrifice fly netted the visitors two runs in the eighth, giving them a lead that the locals could not overcome. Ragon was hit by a batted ball during the seventh inning and forced to retire.

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| Brooklyn .. .. | 021000021— | 6 | 9 | 0 |
| Boston .. .. .. | 100020002— | 5 | 11 | 3 |

Batteries—Ragon, Knetzer and Miller; Brown and Rariden.

**Alexander Weakened in the Seventh**

New York, Oct. 1.—New York defeated Philadelphia here yesterday by a score of 4 to 2. Alexander weakened in the seventh and New York batted in three runs. Bader, a recruit pitcher from Dallas, Texas, pitched for New York. Packert hit the ball hard, getting three two-baggers.

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia .. | 000011000— | 2 | 9 | 0 |
| New York .. | 00000031*— | 4 | 7 | 3 |

Batteries — Alexander, Seaton and Killifer; Bader and Wilson.

**Took Second of Series.**

St. Louis, Oct. 1.—Perritt was steady after the third inning while his team mates hit Fromme at opportune stages

**Yesterday's Results.**

Philadelphia, 11; New York, 10.
Boston, 7; Washington, 5.

**American League Standing.**

| | Won. | Lost. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Boston .. .. .. .. | 102 | 46 | .689 |
| Washington .. .. .. | 89 | 59 | .601 |
| Philadelphia .. .. | 88 | 60 | .595 |
| Chicago .. .. .. | 74 | 76 | .493 |
| Cleveland .. .. .. | 72 | 77 | .483 |
| Detroit .. .. .. .. | 69 | 80 | .463 |
| St. Louis .. .. .. | 52 | 98 | .347 |
| New York .. .. .. | 49 | 99 | .331 |

**Where They Play To-day.**

New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Washington.



## HUGH JENNINGS SAYS

(By Hugh A. Jennings.

The New York Giants and the Boston Red Sox will meet for the supremacy of the baseball world. This is now assured.

The great question to baseball men is, 'Will either team play up to its real form or will they, like every other team in a world's series, save the 1908 Cubs, fall below standard?'

The 1908 Cubs, who defeated Detroit four out of five games, alone played up to their real game in the post-season battles. All others—Giants, Athletics, Pirates and Tigers—failed to show their real class, owing, I believe, to the peculiar effect which the importance of these games exercised upon the minds of the players.

Men expected to shine in world's series games; men who have starred all season usually lose their brilliance during the heat of the struggle for the supremacy of the baseball world.

It will be interesting this fall to note the work of such stars as Joe Wood, This Speaker, Larry Doyle and Jeff Tesreau. Will they live up to their reputations or will they, like stars of former league races, fall the victims of this world's series psychology?

Because of this peculiar effect of the importance of these games upon the stars and upon the team as a whole, I will not attempt to pick a winner. A comparison of the strength of the rival teams as they are playing to-day, however, I can make, and the reader may draw his own conclusions.

First, as to managers, the Giants have the greatest manager in the world in John J. McGraw. He has no peer in the game. It is no disparagement of the Red Sox leader, Jae Stahl, to say that in leadership the Giants have a big advantage at the outset.

McGraw has built up teams and won pennants with them. He has made stars of comparatively weak men. He has ripened lemons, like Rube Marquard, into luscious peaches.

John McGraw is a fighter, a driver, a leader, all in one. He is one of the scrappiest men in baseball, and if Boston gets anything it is not entitled to, it will not be his fault, for, depend upon it, he will overlook nothing that brains, resources or strategy can invent.

McGraw gets everything out of his men, because he knows human nature. He knows when to drive and when to lead. He is lenient when lenience is the balm for sore hearts and sore heads; he is stern when discipline is the antidote for strong hearts and strong heads. And, above all, when his men deliver they are well paid.

McGraw made a great player of Fred Merkle, when Merkle was on the verge of going to pieces, following his play that gave the Cubs a pennant. When the world censured him McGraw said nothing, but he handed the youngster a contract for the next season calling for a big advance in salary. Had he jumped upon the boy the Giants in all probability would have had to find another first baseman, because Merkle was at the point where very little more would spoil his usefulness. McGraw saved him. Just such things make McGraw's players go the limit for him. They realize he always has their interest at heart.

Jae Stahl's great machine was put together by John I. Taylor, jr., former owner of the club, and he fitted in at first base as an effective cog in a wonderful machine. But Taylor deserves credit for building up the machine.

Stahl's strength as leader lies in his ability to go out and play and lend personal leadership and that indomitable spirit of his to the game.

Stahl went to Boston a finished ball player, with valuable managerial experinence gained in Washington. But greater than all has been the loyal support of the fans. Boston is the one city where the people know baseball well enough to place the blame for a losing team where it belongs—upon poor players, not upon the management.

When a team goes wrong in Boston the fans figure out which players are at fault and blame them. Hence Stahl has had no personal discouragement.

But you can't compare McGraw and Stahl as managers and team builders, because McGraw is in a class by himself.

HUGH JENNINGS.

(In his next article Jennings will discuss the pitching staffs of the rival teams.)



HUGH JENNINGS, FAMOUS MANAGER OF THE DETROIT TIGERS, WHO HAS WRITTEN FIVE GREAT STORIES ON THE WORLD'S SERIES FOR THE 'WITNESS.'

### SIGNED FOR WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Sept. 30. — Barry Durnan signed articles to-day to scull for the world's championship, 'Sportsman' cup and £1,000.

Each side deposits £250. A further deposit of £250 will be made up on Oct. 7th.

### ST. JAMES CLUB EMPLOYEES' A. A. ANNUAL FIELD DAY.

The St. James's Club Employees' A. A. held their annual field day on the M. A. A. A. Grounds on Monday last, and although the weather proved anything but pleasant the events were well competed for, and brought out a good number of competitors.

The 2 mile open event given for the Junior Harriers was well represented, and easily won by H. Musgrove, of the C. P. R. Angus A. A. A.

The following is a list of the results:

100 yds. dash won by J. Smart; 2nd, A. J. Boorman; 3rd, C. Siddal.

Throwing the ball won J. Smart, 75 yards; 2nd, C. Kitchener.

Putting 16 lb. shot won E. T. Hicks, 25ft. 11in.; 2nd, C. Siddal.

High Jump won—C. Siddal, 4ft. 5 in. 2nd, E. T. Hicks; 3. J. Smart.

2 miles (open)—won—H Musgrove, Angus A. A. A. 11 min. 24 3-5 sec.; 2, E. Lawrence Angus A.; 3rd, C. Anderson Gordons.

Running Broad Jump—Won C. Siddal, 16 ft. 5 in.; 2nd, J. Greaves; 3, H. Dallas.

2 mile bycle—Won E. T. Hicks; 2nd, E. A. Leigh; 3rd, A. Tapp.

220 yards dash—Won J. Smart; 2nd, C. Siddal; 3rd, A. J. Boorman.

120 yards hurdle—Won C. Siddal; 2nd, H. Wickman; 3rd, E. T. Hicks.

1 mile handicap—Won A. Ritsert; 2nd, C. Siddal; 3rd, F. Knight.

**BRITISH FOOTBALL.**

London, Sept. 30.— Football matches played to-day resulted as follows:—
Aberdeen, 2; Queen's Park, 0.
Partick Thistle, 9; Celtic, 3.
Clyde, 1; Third Lanark, 1.
Rangers, 3; Kilmarnock, 0.
English League, 2; Southern League, 1.

**INSURANCE BOWLING LEAGUE.**

The Insurance Bowling Association will hold its 2nd annual meeting at 8 o'clock to-night, October 1st, at Kastel's Hotel, No. 344 St. Catherine street West.

The association extends its invitation to members of the C. F. U. A. who may be desirous of entering a team in the league for the coming season.

### WRESTLING

**Pardello Will Meet Cazeaux To-morrow Night at Sohmer Park.**

Leo Pardello, the big Italian, and Raymond Cazeaux, who has just returned from France will mix it up in a catch-as-catch-can contest at Sohmer Park on Wednesday night.

Both men are well known as clever at the game, with a gameness that will prevent either man from quitting no matter how severe the gruelling he receives. They are equal in strength, height, and staying powers, and one of the fastest bouts of the season will undoubtedly result when these two gladiators clash.

**Y. M. C. A. BOWLERS.**

**North Branch Handicap Spoon Competition Won by S. Walsh.**

The handicap spoon competition, which was conducted last week in the North Branch Y. M. C. A. Bowling Alleys created considerable interest. In all 51 men took part in the competition, and on account of the close handicapping the final results were always in doubt. Friday night Mr. Stanley Walsh made a score of 208, and with his handicap of 28, giving him a total of 231. Mr. H. Diplock presented him the prize, which consisted of a 'Roger's 1847' spoon. This competition will continue throughout this week, and any members of the association are heartily invited to compete.

**DURNAN AND BARRY WILL MEET FOR A CHALLENGE CUP AND $5,000 IN CASH.**

London, Sept. 30.—Besides the sculling championship of the world, Ernest Barry, of London, the title holder, and Edward Hanlon Durnan, of Toronto, will compete on the Thames for a challenge cup and $5,000 in cash on Oct. 14. Each of the men deposited $1,250 as forfeit when they signed articles to-day.

### ENGLISH RUGBY IS BOOMING

Montreal will see greater activity than ever in English rugby circles. Plans are now completed for an All-Montreal team to visit the Maritime Provinces. Two games are to be played in Halifax, one with the Wanderers of that city and another with some other club, yet to be arranged. The games will be played on Thanksgiving Day, and the Saturday preceding. Several of the teams have commenced practices and all have good prospects. Last year's champions, the McGill team, are very strong. Their initial turn-out was last Saturday. Another one is being held to-day. A number of new men are on hand both from England and British Columbia.

The McGill team is considering this fall, a trip to play the college teams of the Maritime Provinces. It is probable that games will be arranged with Dalhousie, New Brunswick and Acadia or Mt. Allison, Colleges.



GEORGE GOULDING, of Toronto, who gave an exhibition of his skill at the Canadian championships on Saturday.

## RUGBY

### McGill Students Will Meet Billington on Ship—Will Accompany Team to Toronto.

**HAS NOT BEEN OUT WITH TEAM BUT HIS DROP KICKING MAY SCORE, VICTORY FOR COLLEGIANS.**

Eloborate plans are being made to ensure the presence of Billington with the McGill at Toronto on Saturday. According to the latest reports the famous back will arrive in Montreal on Friday morning, the team leaves for Toronto on Friday night. Students will meet the steamer and stay with Billington until he is safely on the train at 10.30. Though last year's star will not be in the best of condition or practice, he should prove a very valuable man. He will be taken with the team as a spare, but should the need of a good drop-kicker be felt he will be put in the game.

The team as it stands at present is quite strong, and Coach Shaughnessy is well satisfied, but McGill's hardest game is her first one.

At yesterday's practice a great deal of improvement was shown. Draper, the swimmer, was out again, and showed very good form. Timmins has returned from Porcupine, and is playing with the first squad. Bignall and Lee showed up particularly well.

The squad owes a great deal to Stuart Forbes, who, though unable to play himself, is doing a great deal of coaching and makes an excellent assistant to Shaughnessy.

MONTREAL WILL BE FIT FOR FIRST STRUGGLE.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather the Montreal Rugby team held a signal practice last night in their club house at the grounds.

They put in an hour of good hard work at this very essential phase of the game.

The last real hard workout before they meet the Oarsmen here on Saturday will take place this afternoon. Coach Ross is desirous of bucking up the scrim which is not altogether as strong as it might be. There seems to be no doubt but what Coach Ross will send the men into the field in wonderfully fast condition. McMurtry will be on the team, while McAllen and Corrigan will have to battle with some newcomers before earning their places. McMurtry has shown more improvement than either of the others and is without exception the best man Montreal has had in the scrimmage for years. The back division is now definitely decided on. Billie Bailey will play at full back. Art Brophy will play on the right half, Elliott Green at centre and Pope on the left, which will make a fast line. Stanley Ross has been decided on as quarter for the first game at least. He is getting the ball out with good snap and is punting well.

### P. Q. F. A.

**The Weekly Meeting of the Governing Body Was Held Last Night.**

WESTMOUNT SHIELD.

Secretary read a communication from Mr. Geo. Millard, one of the trustees, who stated that the trophy cost $35.00. There was a balance due of $24.00. After discussion it was agreed by the association to take over the shield and pay the balance owing, viz, $24.00, subject to the approval of the trustees.

C. P. R. and Lachine are both anxious to play the holders of the shield the Sons of Scotland. The former by virtue of their position in the competition have prior claim and once final arrangements have been made it is expected their challenge to the Sons will be accepted, following which the second league champions will have a set-to with the winners.

Maples wrote objecting to the charge made by the Sons of England for marking the ground for last Saturday's game. Opinions differed whether the charge of $2.00, was exorbitant or no, but in view of the fact that the season was drawing to a close and this being the first appeal of its kind, and furthermore there being nothing in the rules to guide the association, it was decided to leave the matter alone. Doubtless a suitable clause will be added to the rules next season.

DRAW FOR THE GENUINE FINAL.

Sons of England vs. Valleyfield.
Locos vs. Fairmount.

Ties to be played on October 12th. Referee for these games will be Mr. J. W. Jim Ryder and Mr. Jim Rose.

The following matches and officials were fixed for Saturday first.

Maples vs. Crusaders. Referee, Mr. P. Fitzpatrick.

Grand Trunk, jrs., vs. Thistles. Referee, Mr. A. Grindle.

St. Paul's Jrs. vs. Overseas. Referee, Mr. Jas. Rose.

Rosemount vs. St. Pauls United. Mr. E. J. Phillips.

The undecided league game 'twixt Sons of Scotland and Sons of England, which will practically decide the championship will be played on Saturday first, on the ground of the former. Mr. R. Walker will referee.

CROSSAN'S INJURY.

The former decision of the association which was to pay the doctor's bill for attendance on the International half-back was reconded and a grant of $25.00 was voted instead. This was the finding of the meeting by the casting vote of the chairman, who was not altogether satisfied with the support accorded to the motion.

REFEREES ASSOCIATION.

Mr. W. G. Hay, the referees' representative instructed by his committee asked a ruling from the chair on the question of objections to referees duly appointed by the P. Q. F. A. Mr. Davies replied stating that the governing body alone, was responsible for the selection and appointing of referees and that no club could object to the "hall marked' individual.

THE D. F. A. AND CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES.

Mr. Hay wanted to know when the promised series of championship games was to be played. The secretary informed the meeting that no communication had been received from the D. F. A. Mr. Campbell, the eastern representative explained that owing to unforeseen circumstances there would be no matches this season.

EAST VS. WEST.

Permission was granted to the first league on the request of Mr. Jack Kyle to play a representative game on October 19th.

It is expected that arrangements for the second league, International, Scotland vs England, will be completed on Wednesday evening when that body will meet. This closed the business until Monday, the 7th October.

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## WORLD'S SERIES SPORTLIGHTS---NO. 6

### *Duffy Lewis Is One of the Three Great Defenders of Red Sox's Outer Works*

BY JIM NASIUM

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Duffy Lewis, left fielder of the Boston American League team, is one of that great coterie of ball players who eased themselves away from Cincinnati to complete pennant winning combinations for other cities. Frank Chance found in Cincinnati the two men necessary to round out his great championship machine when he grabbed Orvil Overall and Harry Steinfeldt from the Reds. Detroit's pennant winning combination was made possible when Sam Crawford jumped the Reds to join the Tigers and become their principal clean-up artist, the great Christy Mathewson came to the Giants from Cincinnati in exchange for Amos Rusie and at once began his career of winning pennants for McGraw, and Fred Lake found in Cincinnati the one man to complete the greatest trio of outfielders ever exhibited under one tent in Duffy Lewis, of the Speaker-Hooper-Lewis combination of the Boston Red Sox.

Lewis was a Cincinnati player for only about ten minutes, coming to the Red Sox in the spring of 1910, where he at once made good, not only as a fielder, but as a batsman. He is, perhaps, the greatest defensive player of that great trio of florid hosed outer gardeners, possessing a marvelous throwing arm, great speed and superb judgment of batted balls, and while the figures he has whacked in the official averages with his bludgeon is some shy of the impressive batting average of Tris Speaker, and he falls short of Hooper in that useful science of "getting on," he is a hard hitter and a batsman of the "clean-up" type and has won many a game for the Red Sox during their pennant winning season just closed with his long wallops, being especially effective at the bat with men on the bases.

Lewis bats fourth on the Red Sox assaulting order, following Speaker in the clean-up position, and, aided and abetted by the "getting on" proclivities of the men preceding him in the batting order, is among the leaders of the American League at driving in runs. While his batting figures at the present writing is a trifle under the .300 mark—.273 to be exact—the 144 hits he has slammed out up to the hour in which we gallop to press has been for a total of 201 bases, and the major portion of these lusty clouts have bounced off his bludgeon at times when they meant runs for his team, which, after all, is the only kind of batting figures that figure much in the grand finish. Unlike his two collaborators in this all-star outfield, Lewis hits from the right side of the plate and is a right-hand thrower, being more effective at the bat against left-hand pitchers than either of the other two.

With his propensities for lamming the pill for extra bases at psychological periods when they will do the most good for the cause, Lewis is apt to cut much ice in the coming events of the big World's Series, and the one bet that you can go down hook, line and sinker on is that anything propelled by Giant maces into Duffy Lewis' corner of the pasture will have to be tagged all the way to be assessed at par in the open market. The only method ever discovered for making baseshits with reasonable success out there is to ram the pill over the outfield ramparts.

In the coming series Giant base runners are sure to bump into an obstacle to their customary practice of stretching extra bases out of hits to the outfield, going from first to third or from second home on singles and scoring on short sacrifice flies, and through holding Giant runners down to the least possible advancement on balls batted to the outfield or killing them off when the attempt is made, the strong and accurate throwing wings of Lewis, Speaker and Hooper are apt to have much to do with the ultimate result of the series.

With Speaker, Lewis and Hooper on the job, it behooves Giant base runners to insert a curb bit in their base running proclivities once the ball gets by the inner line of defense, if they want their base hits to accumulate anything more tangible than a series of busted hopes and blasted ambitions.




DUFFY LEWIS

### *His Wonderful Throwing Arm and Speed Make Him One of Boston's Mightiest*

# PROUD OF SEPT. 21 BECAUSE THE LIBERALS FELL IN A GOOD CAUSE

## Sir Wilfrid Says the Majority Made a Mistake at Last Election and Both They and the Minority are Suffering.

### LIBERALS HAD PUT FORWARD THE ONLY REMEDY FOR THE HIGH COST OF LIVING, WHICH WAS MORE IMPORTANT THAN THE NAVAL POLICY.

('Witness' Staff Correspondence.')

Cornwall, Oct. 1.—Having completed a tour of New Ontario, which he said had been a revelation to him of a great revulsion of feeling against the present Government, Sir Wilfrid Laurier opened his old Ontario campaign in Cornwall last night amid scenes of great enthusiasm. Constituents from all parts of Stormont & County—in which, at the last election the Liberal candidate was defeated by only 65 votes—gathered to hear what the veteran leader of the Opposition had to say on the political situation, while the citizens of Cornwall generally vied with each other in doing him honor.

They met him at the station with a civic address of welcome, they escorted him through the streets with Piper Munro leading a torchlight procession, and with a band to play patriotic airs, and they cheered again and again every point that he made in the fine fighting address that he delivered.

Full of health and energy, the picture of hopefulness and buoyancy, he spoke with all his old fire and aptness of illustration, and not once throughout his address or the addresses of his supporters was there a note of dissent from the audience.

SPARROW COULD CARRY GOVERNMENT'S ACHIEVEMENTS.

The Borden Government has not given the country any more than would sit lightly on the wings of a sparrow,' was his description of the achievements of a year's administration by the Conservatives. He declared that the Cabinet was torn by dissensions over the naval policy, the Nationalists advocating one thing and the Jingoes another, while as to the appeal to him to take the naval policy out of politics, he pointed out, amid cheers, that it was not he who dragged it into politics, but the Conservatives, who first accepted the policy he had down, and then repudiated it in order to make political capital out of it.

He maintained that the Liberals were just as loyal to the British Empire, and just as ready to do their share in supporting its burdens, as were the Conservatives, and he said when Mr. Borden's naval policy was laid down, the Liberal party would judge it on its merits, and support it if it were right.

But far more important even than the naval policy, he maintained, were the problems of the high cost of living in Canada and the transportation and marketing of the grain crop of the West. Much grain rotted on the ground last year for want of a market, and wider markets must be provided if the West were to remain united with the East in a contented nation.

The meeting was held under the chairmanship of Mr. J. W. McLeod, president of the Stormont Liberal Association, and those supporting him on the platform included: Senator Edwards, the Hon. Sydney Fisher, the Hon. C. Murphy, the Hon. Geo. Graham, the Hon. Mackenzie King, Mr. J. A. Baker (son of Mr. Ballantyne Baker, M.P., Eng.), Mr. Robt. Laurier (nephew of Sir Wilfrid Laurier), Mr. P. E. Campbell, Col. Munro, M.P.P.; Ald. Miller, the Rev. J. D. Richardson, the Rev. I. P. Bruneau, Mr. D. B. McLennan, Mr. A. McCracken, Dr. Munro, Mr. W. J. Derochie, Mr. P. M. Tart (Mille Roches), Mr. W. Pollock (acting mayor of Cornwall), Mr. Ewan Dingwall (Williamstown), Mr. A. H. McMillan (Rocksborough), Mr. C. W. Young, Mr. Harold B. McGivern (Ottawa), Mr. J. K. Maclean, Mr. John McInnes (Finch), Mr. A. P. Pinard, Mr. W. A. Stewart (Lancaster), Dr. Lalonde, Mr. Peter Bonneville (Lancasneville (Lancaster), D. A. A. Macter), Mr. D. A. A. Macdonald (Harrison), Mr. Wesley Hamilton (Chesterville, the Liberal candidate for Sheverier.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL GO TO MEET HIM.

Headed by the Acting Mayor, Mr. William Pollock, the members of the Town Council went in a body to the station to meet him, and on his arrival they presented him with a warmly-worded address expressing their welcome to 'one of Canada's greatest men, one of the Empire's foremost statesmen.'

At the Victoria Skating Rink, which was packed by a crowd of five thousand people or more—one of the largest audiences ever seen in Cornwall—Sir Wilfrid had another great reception, as he came in headed by the band playing 'O Canada.' Cheer after cheer resounded through the building, to be renewed again when Sir Wilfrid was presented with further addresses on behalf of the French and English Liberal Associations.

Following this, three pretty little girls—the Misses Liddell, Moreau and Payment—presented him with handsome bouquets, and the cheering became more enthusiastic than ever as Sir Wilfrid rewarded each little girl with a kiss.

Mr. G. I. Gogo, the Liberal candidate in the last election for Stormont County, led off the speech-making. He reminded the electors that the division was only lost to the Liberal party by 65 votes at the last election, and he evoked much cheering as he urged the Liberals to greater efforts to wipe up this small majority.

MR. MACKENZIE KING ON THE OUTLOOK.

The Hon. Mr. Mackenzie King, who had a hearty reception, said the receptions which Sir Wilfrid Laurier had had in his tour of New Ontario augured well for the future of the Liberal party, for they had been greater and more enthusiastic than at any period when he was Prime Minister. Great as the receptions in New Ontario had been, he believed that they would be surpassed by the receptions he would get in Old Ontario.

During the last contest the real position of the Liberal party was obscured by many questions raised by the Opposition. In fact, the position of the Liberal party was wholly misrepresented. The great question before the people at that time was a purely economic one, but the Opposition succeeded, by flag-waving, in diverting attention from the real issue, and carried the people away on a wave of so-called patriotism.

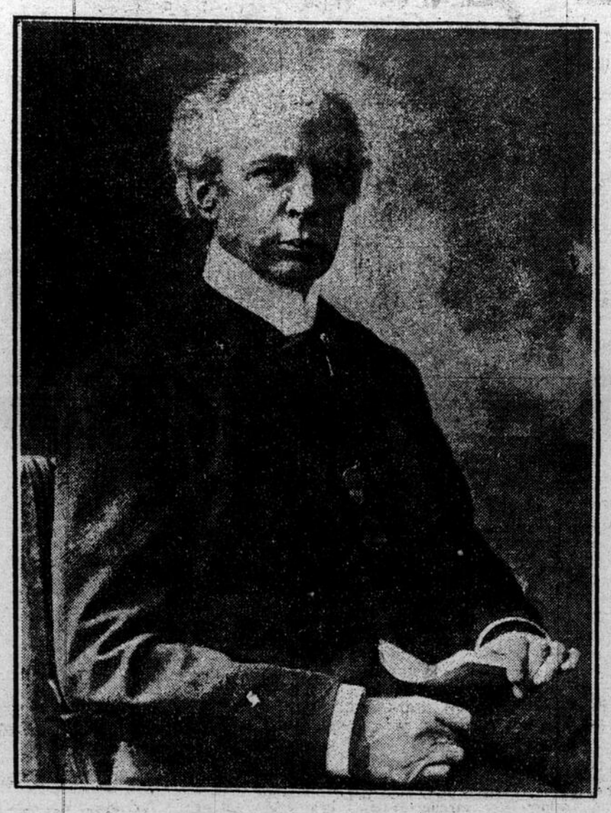
'Mr. Borden has now been in power for a whole year,' continued Mr. Mackenzie King, 'and what single act has he or his Government performed which has assisted in any way in drawing closer the relations between this country and the Motherland, or in advancing the interests of the Empire? Was not this the great stock-in-trade of the leader of the Conservative party? Was not he the one who professed to have a monopoly of loyalty, and the monopoly of the right to carry the Union Jack?

'Sir Wilfrid had not been in office one year before he gave the people the British preference. That was his first act and his last act in office was to recognize our great responsibility to the Empire by creating the Naval Service.'

He spoke, in conclusion, of the alliance of the Conservative party during the last election with the Nationalists of Quebec. Mr. Borden, he said, took three of these men into his Cabinet, and the country had been governed by these three ever since.

LIBERALS UNITED, SAYS MR. FISHER.

The Hon. Sydney Fisher, who had a reception second only to that of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, spoke with pride of the fact that despite appeals to passion and prejudice, the province of Quebec had stood by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Liberal principles. When the Liberal party was defeated last September, they went out of power on a clean public issue, without smirching their reputation. They went out of power a united party—a party which was one from one end of the Dominion to the other on the public issues they put before the people.



SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

'Mr. Borden, in a recent speech in Montreal, dwelt for a long time on the creation of a Canadian nationhood.

'What has he to do with it?' asked Mr. Fisher. 'The Canadian nationhood is the creation of the Liberal party, and if Mr. Borden and his party are waving the flag and glorying in Canada's position in the Empire, they are only able to do it through the achievements of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

He predicted that Sir Wilfrid Laurier would carry Quebec again in favor of unity and harmony, and in favor of Canada's contribution to the Motherland, and declared that nationhood existed as strong in Quebec as in Ontario.

'Reviewing the situation, there was,' he said, 'only one conclusion to be drawn, and that was that for the safety of Canada, for the increase of its prestige in the Empire, and for the greater strength Canada should bring to the Empire, the people would have to support Liberal principles, and return a Liberal Government to power.

SIR WILFRID SAYS VERDICT A MISTAKE.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, whose rising was the signal for prolonged cheering, declared he was proud of Sept. 21, 1911, because the 'Liberals fell in a good cause, and because, the day after, they were ready to renew the fight again. The majority made a mistake at the last election, and both they and the minority were suffering for it.

For what had Mr. Borden done during his year of office? 'What he had given them would sit lightly on the wings of a sparrow; it was not to be discerned by the naked eye. The reason was that from the time the Conservative Government came into power until now, the members had been wrangling among themselves in order to evolve some sort of naval policy—and up to the present time they had failed signally. They had not been able to form such a policy, and he did not know that they ever would be able to.

'What is the reason,' he asked, 'that there are some fifteen members of the Cabinet sitting at the council board continuously? They are putting the question to themselves every day, 'What is going to be our naval policy?'

'But they cannot come to a conclusion because the demons of Nationalism and of Jingoism are ruling the roost, and preventing the possibility of an agreemnt. At the last election the Conservative party sowed the wind, and now they are reaping the whirlwind. In order to get into power they aroused one passion in the province of Quebec, and another passion in the province of Ontario. Now they find themselves unable to reconcile those passions.

CONSERVATIVES DRAGGED NAVY INTO POLITICS.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier reviewed his own course in regard to the naval policy—how, after the Imperial Conference in London in 1902, it was decided to relieve the mother country of the expense of maintaining defences at Halifax and Esquimalt, promising that when the development and wealth of the people warranted it Canada should have a navy of her own. He told how ultimately the Liberal party had begun the creation of this navy by a policy accepted by Mr. Monk, the leader of the Nationalists in the House, and accepted unanimously by the Conservative party. But afterwards it occurred to the Conservatives that they could make capital out of it, but in endeavoring to make capital the party split in two, the Jingoes going one way and the Nationalists the other. In Quebec the whole Conservative party took the ground that Canada should have no Navy whatever. Now they had to face the problem again, and they were in a dilemma.

Referring to the memorial recently sent to him asking him to take the question of the Navy out of politics, he said it was not to him or to the Liberal party that this memorial should be addressed. It should be addressed to the two factions of the Conservative party. It should be addressed to Mr. Monk and Mr. Borden, and Mr. Bourassa. It was the Nationalists and the Jingoes who should be asked to get together on this question, and evolve a policy of some kind.

WAITING FOR MR. BORDEN'S POLICY.

'As for the Liberal party, we are waiting for the policy of Mr. Borden and his Government. That policy shall be judged upon its merits, and we will support it if it is right and oppose it if it is wrong. I appeal to you to look upon this question upon its merits and upon its merits alone.

'What Mr. Borden's policy will be I do not know—and I do not know that he knows. He said he would go to London, and he went. One would suppose that when he went he would know the minds of his own colleagues, but apparently he did not. After consulting with the Admiralty, he was asked when leaving for Canada what conclusion he had come to, and he said 'I don't know, I must go to Canada and consult my colleagues.' When he got to Canada, he was asked again, and his reply was 'I don't know! I must wait for more information from England.' Now he has sent Mr. Foster to England. What will he bring back I don't know, but I know he is trying to get something from England which will support Mr. Borden in the difficulties he is going to meet in his naval policy.'

MR. FOSTER'S MISSION IN ENGLAND.

Sir Wilfrid related an anecdote of an athlete who boasted he would jump over St. Paul's Cathedral, but at the last moment refused to do it, because no straw had been placed on the other side to break the fall.

'Mr. Borden,' he said, 'reminds me of that anecdote, for he has sent Mr. Foster to England to bring back straw to put on the other side.'

He criticised Mr. Borden for not issuing the writs for by-elections to take place on the same date, saying he was afraid to bring off elections in Macdonald and Richelieu together because a different policy in regard to the Navy would have to be presented in one constituency than was presented in the other.

Because it had accomplised nothing, the Borden Government blamed the Senate, saying it was the Senate's fault that the Highways Improvement Bill and the measure for the creation of a Tariff Commission were not passed into law. But the Senate introduced an amendment to safeguard the administration of the money under the Highways Bill, and another amendment to make companies calling for higher protection disclose their profits, dividends and their watered stock. These amendments were exactly what the Conservatives did not want, and rather than accept them they killed both measures. It was not to the discredit of the Senate that these Bills had not been passed. All honor to the Senate for having stood by the people.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING.

There were two questions, however, before the country which were much more important than highways, tariff commission, or even the naval policy. That was the high cost of living and the marketing of the products of the West.

In regard to the former, he declared that notwithstanding the general increase in wages, the people were getting no benefit therefrom, because the cost of living was going up so rapidly. The Conservative Government was doing nothing to remedy this. The Liberals, on the other hand, had put forward the only remedy, which was a freer interchange of products with our neighbors.

CROPS ROTTED FOR WANT OF MARKET.

As to the marketing and transportation of the crops of the Northwest, he said this was a problem of greater magnitude than people realized. Last year a large portion of the crop rotted on the ground. The people could not market it for want of transportation and for want of a market. When the people of the Northwest had toiled and sweated in the sun to raise a crop and then could not sell it, they certainly had a grievance, and it was the duty of the rest of the country to help them solve it.

'We cannot let this condition of things remain,' he said. 'The grievance of one must be the grievance of all, if we are to ensure that there be no discontented people in Canada. I say the Government should give to these two problems their first attention, and if they fail to do so, the people should put the administration of this country into other hands.'

He concluded by urging the electors to prepare for another election. It might come, he said, like a thief in the night. For a motto he gave them the motto which he gave to his supporters the day after the defeat last September. It was, 'Don't cry. Don't whine, but commence immediately to prepare for the new fight.'

HON. MR. MURPHY ON GOVERNMENT DISMISSALS.

The Hon. Charles Murphy said that during the tour just made through New Ontario quite a revulsion of feeling had been noticeable among the electors. It was quite evident that they were already tired of the government at Ottawa. Since it had come into power the Conservative Government had done nothing but dismiss postmasters, canal men, and other employees in the public service; in fact, their actions in this regard had been nothing short of a scandal. Nothing like it had ever before been witnessed in Canada. But the policy had its comic side. For instance, Mr. Monk had ordered the dismissal of the custodian of a public building who had been slumbering peacefully in the nearby cemetery for three years, and Mr. Pelletier had dismissed, for political partizanship,' a postmaster in Antigonish who had been dead for five years.

COMMISSIONERS TO DRAW BIG SALARIES.

One other thing in which the Government had shown itself particularly zealous was in the appointment of commissioners. They had appointed over forty up to the present time, the members of which were paid from $10 to $65 a day 'and reasonable expenses.' By and by the people would find out that there were some nice little bills for them to pay under the head of 'reasonable expenses.'

The Government was now appealing to the Liberals to take the naval question out of politics. But who put it in politics in the first place? The Conservative party. And let that party now take it out of politics. It was Mr. Rogers who suggested to Mr. Borden that he should bring the naval question into politics, and thus go back on the position he had taken in the House of Commons. Mr. Borden yielded to the tempter, and soon was seen in open alliance with the Nationalists, who said they would only support a party which promised to wipe the Naval Act off the statute books.

HON. MR. GRAHAM DEFENDS RECIPROCITY.

The Hon. George Graham dwelt at some length with the high cost of living, declaring that the people were being penalized by trusts which paid dividends on watered stock, and resorted to flag-waving whenever it was suggested that such competition should be allowed as would keep them within the bonds of reason.

The Conservatives, he said, glossed over this plunder by saying they were building up a home market for the farmer. That was not the right way to build up a home market. The right way was that adopted by the Laurier Government, who raised the country from stagnation and depression to a state of high prosperity by its progressive policy in regard to immigration and transportation.

Following upon his success in these directions, he secured from the United States the best offer that had ever been made to Canada. They were then told by the Conservatives that it was disloyal to trade with the United States. Why, Canada traded more with the United States to-day than with all other countries put together; it was doing more business with the United States than it was last year even, and the people were not a bit disloyal because of it.

Mr. Graham also referred to the great benefits that would accrue to the country from the Grand Trunk Pacific, but said the Conservative Government was doing its best to spoil the road by altering the grades.

The meeting closed with cheers for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the King.


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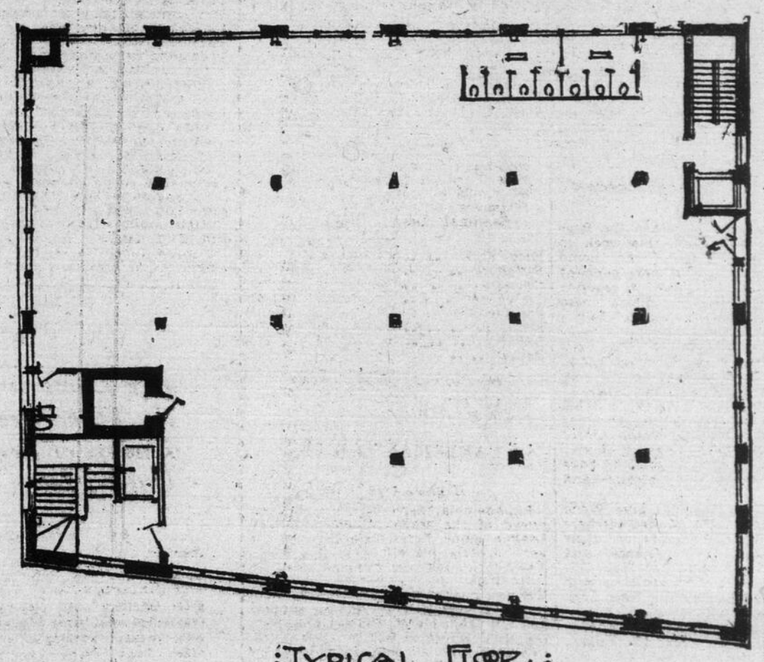
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### BIRTHS.

EVANS — At 161 Grande Allee, Quebec, on Sept. 28, 1912, the wife of G. W. F. Ridout-Evans, C.E., of a daughter.

PHILIP—At 'Rockcliff,' Mussoorie, Upper Punjab, on Sept. 29, 1912, a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Philip, Delhi, India.

(By cable.)

### MARRIED.

BONNELL — SCOTT — At St. John, N.B., on Sept. 25, 1912, at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 99 Douglas avenue, by the Rev. F. S. Porter, pastor of Germain Street Baptist Church, Cora May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Scott, to Dr. Fenwick C. Bonnell.

FULLER—YATES — On Sept. 27, 1912, at Smith's Falls, Ont., by the Rev. D. T. Cummings, B.A., Daisy Annie Yates, of Kingston, Herefordshire, England, to William Arthur Fuller, of Beckwith Township, near Smith's Falls, Ont.

MACDONALD — MACGREGOR — On Sept. 26, 1912, at 392 Burwell Street, London, Ont., by the Rev. Jas. Ross, D.D., Mervil MacDonald, B.A., LL.B., of Toronto, to Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Stewart Macgregor.

FUSSING — ROY — On Monday, Sept. 23, 1912, at the home of the bride, by the Rev. Wm. Henderson, Mr. Harold Fussing, of Montreal, and Miss Mary Roy, of Three Rivers.

TIMBRELL—GRANT —At St. George's Church, Ottawa, on Sept. 26, 1912, by the Rev. J. F. Snowdon, M.A., assisted by the Rev. W. W. Craig, B.D., Dora Charlotte Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Grant, and granddaughter of the late Lieut.-Col. Charles Stuart, to Alan Timbrell, eldest son of the late Captain Walter T. Timbrell, 54th Regt. (2nd Dorsets), and grandson of the late Colonel Timbrell, C.B., Indian Army.

### DIED.

BADENOCH — On Aug. 13, 1912, at her daughter's residence, 6 Colville-gardens, London, England, Christina, widow of the late Rev. George Roy Badenoch, LL.D., and daughter of the late James McDonald, of Aberdeen, Inverness and Belfast.

BENNETT — On Sept. 30, 1912, at his late residence, 118 Britannia street, Major William Andrew Bennett.

Funeral from the above on Oct. 2, at 2 p.m., to Mount Royal Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this invitation.

BLOMELEY — In this city, on the morning of Sept. 30, 1912, Alfred Blomeley, late of H.M. Customs, eldest son of Edwin Blomeley.

Funeral will leave his late residence, 2 Reading street, corner Charlevoix street, Point St. Charles, on Wednesday, Oct. 2nd, at 2 p.m.

BRADFORD — At Beamsville, at the residence of her son-in-law, the Rev. J. Wass, on Sept. 28, 1912, Elizabeth Sutherland, relict of the late John Boddy Bradford, in her 86th year.

DIX — At Guelph, Ont., on Sept. 26, 1912, Jean Brown, dearly beloved wife of the Rev. Dr. D. S. Dix.

MERSON — At Huntingdon, Que., on Sept. 29, 1912, William Huntly Merson, eldest son of Mr. James Merson, Elgin, aged 34 years.

McLAREN — At Montreal, on Sunday, Sept. 29, 1912, William Duncan McLaren, in the 86th year of his age.

Funeral on Wednesday, October 2nd, at 3.30 p.m., from Knox Presbyterian Church (cor. Mansfield and Dorchester streets), and from there to Mount Royal Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

ROBERTS — At Perth Road, Ont., on Sept. 26, 1912, Susan Stephens, of Cornwall, England, beloved wife of J. S. Roberts, Postmaster, Perth Road, aged 72.

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## OBITUARY

### MR. J. P. KAVANAGH.

Mr. John P. Kavanagh died at his residence yesterday at 36 St. Mark street after a long illness.

The deceased was for over twenty-five years manager of the local coal branch of the Ogdensburg Coal & Towing Company. He was born in Plattsburg N.Y., in 1861; came to Montreal in 1886, when he assumed charge of the local office of the company. He was one of the founders of the Knights of Columbus in Canada, and for many years served as representative of the Dominion on the National Council of the Order. A wife, one daughter, one sister and two brothers—Messrs. James T. Kavanagh, of Plattsburg, and Thomas A., of Winnipeg, survive.

## THE PATH OF GLORY

A ROMANCE OF THE FRENCH AND INDIAN WAR.

BY

PAUL LELAND HAWORTH

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SYNOPSIS OF PREVIOUS CHAPTERS.

On the eve of the French-Indian war, George Washington, in company with Charles Randolph, a young Englishman, an Irishman, Barnaby Currin, Jacob Van Braam, a Dutchman, and a number of Indians, is the bearer of a menacing letter from the British governor of Virginia to the Chevalier de Saint-Pierre, commander of a fort near Quebec, accusing the French troops of encroaching on British territory. The envoys are gallantly entertained by the Chevalier and his beautiful daughter, Alfrede, but Captain Reparti, commander of another French fort, shows hostility, and plans to surprise the Britishers; however, they receive a timely warning from Alfrede. Charles Randolph is given the captaincy of a company in the army, while Barnaby is made a lieutenant. The Chevalier de Saint-Pierre is summoned to Quebec for military orders, and Alfrede, who bids good-bye to the old fort, follows in company with her trusty servants. On the way they are taken captive by a squad of Indians, who over hear their plans, and Alfrede is on the point of being burnt to death when she is rescued by Charles Randolph, Barnaby, and their company. Randolph escorts her to within sight of Fort Presqu'Isle, where she is discovered by Captain Reparti and his men. The captain ascertains the whereabouts of Alfrede's rescuers, and he cunningly inflicts a great massacre at the British fort, and takes Barnaby's family prisoners. Randolph and his men set out and liberate the captives, but they are unable to find Barnaby's little boy. In a battle with the French, Randolph is wounded and taken prisoner by Captain Reparti. After his recovery he is conducted to Quebec, where he associates with the French nobility. Here, he again meets Alfrede. Randolph is accused of planning to set fire to Quebec, and is imprisoned, and later sentenced to death. Alfrede and her friends visit him, and Randolph declares his love for the girl. Captain Reparti, the supposed perpetrator of the plot, promises to secure a reprieve for the prisoner on the condition that Alfrede consents to marry him, and she promises. But Jacob Van Braam, Randolph's loyal friend, challenges Reparti to a duel, and the Frenchman is seriously wounded. With the assistance of Alfrede and her friends Randolph escapes from prison. Soon after this an English fleet lands at Quebec, and Randolph is eager to join it.

### CHAPTER XXXII—Continued.

'"You porpuss-faced swab, you ought to be tucked up to a yard's arm for such lies!" roared old Killick, the master. "I'll take the vessel through myself!" He wouldn't let the pilot so much as say a word, but fixed the mate at the wheel, and then went to the fo'c'sle with his trumpet. The Frenchman swore we would be lost, for no ship ever presumed to attempt to pass through without a pilot. "Ay, ay, my dear frog-eater," growled Killick, "but I'll convince you that an Englishman can go where a Frenchman dare not show his nose." By watching the ripple and color of the water, hang me, if he didn't bring us through without so much as touching a sandbank. The pilot then said that surely Killick had been up the river before. When he was told "No," he lifted hands and eyes to heaven and crossed himself the way these rascals have of doing, when they see something they believe is uncanny.

'This, however, was but the beginning of the notable and important services that have been rendered by Admiral Saunders and his skillful men,' continued Knox. 'Twice the French have endeavored to burn the fleet, but each time our Jack-tars have foiled their efforts. The last time the enemy sent down a most formidable fire-craft, which consisted of a parcel of schooners, shallops, and stages chained together. It could not have been less than a hundred fathoms in length, and was covered with grenades, old swivels, gun and pistol barrels loaded up to their muzzles, and various other devilish inventions and combustible matters. But this attempt, like the previous one, happily miscarried, for our gallant seamen, with their usual expertness, went out in small boats, grappled the raft before it got down above a third part of the Basin, towed it safe ashore, and left it an anchor to burn and sputter and explode as it would.'

'Ay, ay,' growled Captain Smith pessimistically, 'we have all done our duty this venture, but we have been unfortunate. "British colors on every French fort, post, and garrison in America," was the toast we drunk as we sailed out of the harbor of Louisburg; but we'll have to bestir ourselves if we're to see any of it come true. This fleet can't stay in the river forever with winter coming on.'

'A few days sometimes work wonders,' said Randolph hopefully.

Half an hour later Barnaby and Randolph bade good-by to their new-found friends and entered a boat which was to carry them to the ship 'Sutherland,' where Barnaby was to make his report. It was a dismal, rainy morning; but, between the gusts of rain, Randolph could see two or three miles down the river the promontory of Quebec, which he had first beheld twelve months before, and just opposite it Point Levis, above which clouds of white cannon smoke were rising from the English batteries. Closer at hand, an indentation in the cliff wall on the northern shore marked the Foulon, while on the southern shore and somewhat above, at the mouth of the little river Etchemin, appeared the white tents of a force of English. From time to time the boat passed warships and transports, all alive with bluejackets and redcoats.

In the contemplation of these scenes Randolph was suddenly interrupted by an exclamation from Currin. 't's losin' my memory I must be,' said the Irishman self-accusingly. 'I haven't once before remembered that I have a letter for you, Charles.'

'A letter? from whom?'

'From Colonel Washington. I got it 'way back in June. He was expectin' us to reach Quebec, and wrote me he thought mebbe I'd get a chanst to deliver it to you. He's went an' got married.'

He fumbled in the fold of his hunting-shirt, and presently produced the letter and handed it to Randolph. Randolph eagerly broke the seal and read:

'Mount Vernon, Virginia,
27 April, 1759.

'Dear Charles,—I heard with great concern of your mishap at Ticonderoga, and was much rejoiced when the welcome news came that you were only slightly wounded, had recovered, and had been sent to Quebec on Parole. I venture to believe that you will find your stay in that city less intolerable than would some others.

'As you have doubtless heard long ere this, we have at last, after many Disappointments, managed to master Fort Duquesne and scatter the hellish Bands who have so cruelly Harried our Borders. For a Time, owing to the Difficulties attendant upon completing a new Road, it appeared as if we would not be able to strike a Blow. When we reached Loyal Hanna within fifty Miles of the Fort, a Council of War determined that it would be inadvisable to attempt to advance further; but at this critical Juncture we learned from three Prisoners who providentially fell into our Hands that the Enemy was very weak, so we marched without Tents or Baggage, and with only a light Train of 'Artillery. After letting us get within a Day's March, the Enemy burned the Fort and ran away by the Light of it. We took Possession and rechristened the Place Pittsbourgh, in Honor of the Great Minister who is doing so much for the Glory of Britain. General Forbes, who was frightfully ill during most of the Campaign but persevered in spite of his Suffering, died soon after he returned to Philadelphia.

'My own Health having long been indigerent, the Enemy being at last driven from our Border, and I having been elected to the Burgesses, I concluded to retire from the Service, and did so on reaching Home. On the sixth of January I had the Happiness to be married to Mrs. Martha Custis, with whom you are acquainted. She unites with me in sending warm Regards; and we hope that when you return to Virginia, you will often honor us by your Presence at Mount Vernon.

'I am sending this in care of Lieutenant Currin in the Hope that his General will be active enough to enable him to deliver it. 'The English flag flying above Quebec' is a Toast that is frequently drunk of late. I trust that the Objects that led you and Lieutenant Currin to join the Northern Army will be soon and happily realized. Permit me to close by saying that if yet another Plantation in the County of Fairfax were to have a new Mistress this year, it would be very pleasing to

'Your warm Friend and obedient Servant,

'GEORGE WASHINGTON.

By the time Randolph had finished the letter, the boat had drawn near a ship-of-the-line with two tiers of black-muzzled guns frowning from her oaken sides and the flag of a rear-admiral of the blue flying at her masthead. Soon the Virginians were on board. The rain had not yet ceased; and a gusty northeast wind, rushing up between the cliffs that walled the river in, whistled lugubriously throuhg the rigging and dashed the rain through the port-holes. A petty officer at once conducted them to a cabin and knocked on the door. A voice bade them enter; and, with Barnaby leading, the Virgians stepped inside.

Randolph found himself in the presence of a young officer of perhaps thirty-two, who had just risen from a table upon which lay scattered a number of maps and papers. His hair was red; his complexion sandy; his eyes blue; his nose slightly upturned; and his forehead and chin somewhat receding. A bit of black ribbon secured his hair in a queue behind; and a scarlet coat, broad of cuffs and flowing in skirt, covered his slender, narrow shoulders, and long thin limbs. On his left arm was a band of black crape; and about his body, in bandolier fashion, was tied the silken scarf then worn by officers for use in carrying them, when wounded, from the field. His look was that of one on whom some chronic illness had laid its insidious hand; but from h's eyes shone a vigorous and enterprising soul—too strong for the frail tenement it tenanted.

When they first entered, it was evident from the droop of his shoulders and the cloud on his face that his mood was in accord with the weather outside; but when his eyes fell upon Barnaby, he seemed to brighten, and cried:

'Egad! Lieutenant Currin, I'm glad to see you back safely. After you were gone I almost reproached myself for having sent you on such a dangerous mission. But who is this you have with you?'

'Tis a prisoner I took by the way,' said Barnaby, without blinking an eyelid.

'Indeed! But though he has on some sort of French cloak, I see that underneath he wears the uniform of a captain of our own provincial forces.'

'Faith, Gineral Wolfe, there's no misleadin' you,' replied Barnaby, 'You're right in thinkin' he's no Frencher. To be plain, he's Captain Charles Randolph of the Sixtieth Regiment of Royal Americans, and my immediate superior officer. And yet I told the truth. I took him prisoner.'

'Well, well, that is droll. But explain the riddle.'

Barnaby described the meeting on the plateau, the conflict, and the sudden recognition, not neglecting in skillful asides to mention some of Randolph's services during the war.

'Wonderful! perfectly wonderful!' exclaimed the young commander in astonishment. 'Why, 't is like a page from Plutarch or the Aeneid. Captain Randolph, I heartily congratulate you upon your escape and am happy to meet you. I have heard your name before. Some weeks ago, through a mistake, we captured a number of high-born French ladies, whom as soon as we conveniently could we sent back under a bag to their relatives and friends. At a dinner given in their honor a number of them spoke of you and seemed very eager to learn whether you had escaped to my army.'

'I have lain hidden near Quebec,' said Randolph. 'I did not attempt to go down the St. Lawrence as they supposed. Only a long illness has prevented my joining you sooner. But I am happy that I am here at last, and I hope that I shall be allowed to take part in the final blow for the capture of the city.'

'Yes!' cried Wolfe delightedly, 'that is the proper spirit. I like it, I do indeed I shall surely see that you have work to do. Having been so lately a prisoner you would be excusable if you were somewhat chary about making another venture so soon.'

'General Wolfe,' said Randolph earnestly, 'Lieutenant Currin and I saw this war begin. We were with Washington when he took Jumonville's party. If you were to search the colonies through, you could not find two men more anxious for the capture of Quebec.'

'Amen to that!' said Barnaby.

'Captain Randolph,' replied Wolfe, 'I had something of your story from the ladies. I know also the wrongs suffered by Lieutenant Currin. What you say is true, and in a manner I am not sorry it is so, for I see that I can trust you both. Lieutenant Currin, what have you to report?'

'Gineral Wolfe,' said Barnaby, 'Captain Randolph an' me scoured the plateau well-nigh to the walls of the city, an' there is but the one post.'

'And the cliff?' demanded the general, with kindling look.

'It can be climbed. Leastways I think so. But here is Captain Randolph, who knows more of regular operations than I. Ask him.'

Wolfe turned questioning eyes upon Randolph.

'My friend is much too modest,' said Randolph. 'I have been with him since the beginning of the war, and I have never known his judgment in a matter of this sort to be in error in the slightest particular. I heartily concur in his belief that a regiment or an army can scale the cliff with ease. The undertaking is far less formidable than it looks. Only the presence of a considerable force at the top could defeat the attempt. As to the likelihood of there being such a force, I can add one important detail which Lieutenant Currin, owing to his inability to understand French, did not discover.'

He then related in some detail the interview which the two had witnessed between Vergor and Reparti regarding the number of Vergor's troops and Vaudreuil's countermanding Montcalm's order for a battalion to encamp upon the plateau.

As the Virginians told their story, a look of enterprise came into the young commander's pale face, yet with it was still mingled something of indecision.

'Gentlemen,' he said, after a pause, 'I find myself in a somewhat peculiar situation. I see from your talk that you have penetrated what I may as well admit was a tentative plan. Under the circumstances it will probably be safer for me to take you into my confidence fully. And yet not one of my brigadiers nor other officers dream that I contemplate such a stroke as you see I do. They are older than I, and have lost confidence in my abilities. Besides, they are so wedded to conventional warfare that to them such a plan would seem that of a madman.'

He paused, and for a minute or two sat bowed forward wrapt in thought. Then in a measured voice he continued:

(To be continued.)

## "BED-TIME STORIES"

### THE LONELY LITTLE FLOWER.

Once there was a little flower that was very discontented where it grew. It grew beside a stone near a brook, and there were no other flowers near, and the trees grew over it and made it somewhat gloomy, but still sometimes that made its lonesomeness worse; for the brook told about such lovely places up higher on the hill where it sounded as if it must be very gay all the time, with the sun and the wind and many flowers bobbing and nodding about. The little flower would often drag her poor petals in the brook and sigh mournfully.

One day it heard a great crashing and crackling through the woods near; then dreadful sharp noises rang out every little while. 'O, what can that be?' said the little flower to the brook.

'Some one shooting,' said the brook carelessly, as one speaks who is a little proud of being well informed.

'O, what does that mean?' asked the little flower. And so the brook went on still more proudly to explain.

Just then something came falling over the rock and down through the tree branches and upon the stone beside the little flower. The little flower almost cried out in distress. It was a poor thrush. Its wing was broken and bleeding from the senseless shooting of the gunner in the wood. 'Water, water!' moaned the little thrush. So then the little flower, forgetting her own troubles, this time dipped her petals in the brook for a purpose, and, raising her shiny head, splashed drops of water over the poor little bird and held some in her cup for him to drink. This she did often and brushed him soothingly with her leaves. It was mild, lovely weather, and the flower was glad that the first time that the sun did not come piercing into the little nook, because the bird could keep cool and comfortable. So, with all the flower's care, finally the little wing was healed — a little bent, perhaps, but mended as nature mends things, and the little thrush could fly again. But the little flower was sad when he chirped and hopped and was rejoiced that he could go. Then the little birds said: 'O, you mustn't cry, little flower. I will always come to sing to you. See if I don't.' So he flew away. The little flower waited, and was sure that he would come back. Suddenly in the evening of the day he went away she heard the loveliest, sweetest songs you can imagine. There the little thrush sat on a branch above. His mate came with him, too, and they began to build a nest. 'O, I shall never be lonely again!' said the little flower. And the brook whispered to her: 'So you see it was for a reason that you grew in this lonely place. If you had not been here, the poor little bird would have died.' — Anne Craig, in the 'Christian Register.'

### THE FIRESIDE CAT.

Old Mother Tabby sits all the day long,
Purring in tune with the crackling fire's song,
Warming her mittens and toasting her toes,
Surely a picture of perfect repose.

When I come in the room she will jump to my knees
And bey for a pat, mistress dear, if you please,'
Then draw her tail round her and sleepily purr
While I tickle her whiskers or smooth her soft fur.

Perhaps Tabby thinks, as serenely she sits,
Of the three grown-up cats who were once her small kits,
Or it may be her beautiful, drowsy day-dream
Is of scampering mice, and rich saucers of cream!

A witch is that pussy; by magical art
She has cozily curled herself up in my heart,
And the room would seem lonely — quite dreary the day
Were there no crackling fire, and no sleek tabby gray.

—Marion Hovey Briggs, 'Northwestern Christian Advocate.'

### WHAT SAITH THE SCRIPTURE?

October 1.

The Lord shall be thine everlasting light, and the days of thy mourning shall be ended.—Isa. lx., 20.

In those blest realms of endless day,
The Lamb shall all our wants supply;
And God's own hand shall wipe away
The falling tear from every eye.

The city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in it; for the glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof.—Rev. xxi., 23.

### BOGUS GAS INSPECTOR.

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## REAL ESTATE HAPPENINGS

### SIR RODOLPHE FORGET'S NEW RESIDENCE.

The new residence for Sir Rodolphe Forget is under construction at 60 Ontario avenue. When completed it will cost $142,000. The lot measures 90 feet in width and 118 feet in depth, while the residence itself will have a frontage of 79 feet. The material will be light sandstone. It will require another year to finish the construction of the palatial home.

Recent Transfers.

MASSON ST.—H. Demers has sold to Edward Donald a property situated at the corner of Masson and Iberville streets for $10,000.

CRAIG ST.—Philip Glickman has sold to F. W. Jacobs a property situated at the corner of Craig and Wolfe streets, for $19,500.

ST. URBAIN ST.—The Sheriff of Montreal has sold to Carl Rosenberg a property situated near the corner of St. Urbain and St. Catherine streets for $17,000.

DUMONT AV.—L. Bourbonnniere has sold to C. Levesque a property bearing the Nos. 1224-36, 53 and 54, St. Mary's Ward; fronting on Dumont avenue, for $3,017.10.

PAPINEAU AV. — Mrs. L. E. Lortie has sold to Charles Larin a property situated on Papineau avenue bearing the civic Nos. 936 to 942, for $10,000.

## RAILWAY ITEMS

A C.P.R. bulletin announces general change of time on its Eastern lines to take effect Oct. 27.

The C. P. R. hotels, the Algonquin and The Inn, St. Andrews, N.B., are closed for the season; Caledonian Springs Hotel and the Emerald Lake Chalet close September 30th; Banff Springs Hotel, Chateau Lake Louise and Kootenay Lake Hotel will close October 15th. Glacier House October 31st. Mount Stephen House (Field), Hotel Revelstoke and Hotel Sicamous remain open all winter.

The new C.P.R. Transpacific Steamships 'Empress of Asia' and 'Empress of Russia,' being 20-knot boats, will be considerably faster than the present vessels, as well as being very much larger.

Besides the long stretches of double track which the C. P. R. has in operation between Montreal and Glen Tay (143.38 miles) and between Fort William and Brandon (521.99), double track is being used between a number of other points, and double track construction is going on vigorously at several places on the system.

An international dry-farming congress will be held at Lethbridge, Oct. 19th to 26th.

The Grand Trunk Railway has decided to place in storage at Brockville within the next few days 20,000 tons of coal, filling 400 cars. This is to serve as a reserve supply to prevent any inconvenience or delay this season should traffic be blocked or tied up owing to another car shortage at the border.

Rapid progress is being made with the construction of stations along the main and branch lines of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. Indeed by the time that the first train runs from coast to coast over the completed line, travellers should look out on a handsome building at every stopping place. A report covering the last three months shows that, out of a total of 237 stations, 79 have been completed, 58 are in various stages of construction, while 100 remain to be erected. These are divided as follows:—

Main line—Winnipeg to Fitzhugh—139 stations. 69 completed, 44 under construction, and 46 not started.

Yorkton branch—10 stations. 2 completed, 5 under construction, and 3 not started.

Regina branch—17 stations. 4 completed, 3 under construction, and 10 not started.

Calgary branch—32 stations. 4 completed, 3 under construction, and 25 not started.

Prince Albert branch—19 stations. 3 under construction, and 16 not started.

Mr. H. R. Charlton, general advertising agent of the Grand Trunk system, is in receipt of the following letter from the Commissioner of the Board of Trade of Saskatoon:—'There is quite an acute demand for harvest help throughout this large district end, in the hope that you may be able to do something toward the relieving of the same, I think it well to write to you. Any men you can send should come direct to this office as we can place them immediately; and I can only say that we shall be very grateful for anything you can do for us.'

The New England Delegation to the Women's Christian Temperance Union Convention which is being held this year at Portland Oregon will arrive in Montreal at 7.25 on Friday morning, October 11th, via the Central Vermont, and will leave for Portland on the Grand Trunk's 'International Limited' the same day. The party, which numbers 25 is travelling in a special car.

Staying at the 'Chateau Laurier,' in Ottawa is Mr. G. H. Collins, general manager of the Canadian Cold Storage Company, of Prince Rupert, the Grand Trunk Pacific terminus, who states that by next January the largest fish freezing and cold storage plant in the world will begin operations there. Mr. Collins is now completing with the Hon. J. D. Hazon, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, some details in connection with his company's fishing rights.

Last spring while in England he ordered a fleet of nine large fishing boats to play the waters adjacent to Prince Rupert where fish are said to be more plentiful than in any other waters. These are now almost built, and will be ready to sail for their destination via Cape Horn in a few weeks' time. Each boat has a carrying capacity of 350,000 pounds of fish. In addition six other boats are being built by British firms for the company on the Pacific coast. More than 100 tons of fish can be frozen daily at the new plant which has a storage capacity of 4,000,000 pounds. With the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific fish from the Northern Pacific coast will be delivered in the east about three days earlier than is the case at present. In all the Canadian Cold Storage Company is spending over $1,500,000 on its Prince Rupert plant which furnished an agreeable surprise to the Hon. Frank Cochrane on the occasion of his recent western tour.

Some valuable hints which should conduce to the safety of the general public, were given to an audience of G. T. R. employees in Ottawa last night by Col. J. T. Taylor, special agent of the International Bureau of Explosives, with headquarters at New York.

The International Bureau of Explosives is an organization supported on all railroads, having for its object the enforcement of the regulations already existing in both the United States and Canada for the transportation of combustibles and the instruction of railway employees to this end.

Col. Taylor explained the regulations in detail, rousing his hearers to a realization of the dangerous nature of the stuff they handled. Dynamite, black powder, fireworks, gasolene, acids, compressed gases, cartridges, etc., were all touched on, and the proper methods to suit their separate cases illustrated. Ottawa is particularly interested in this matter from the presence near the city of several powder magazines, one of which blew up at Hull a few years ago, with disastrous results.

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The Grand Trunk announces that the evening train for New York, Boston and New England points, heretofore leaving Montreal at 9 p.m., via G. T. R., C. V. Ry., and B. and M. R. R. is leaving Montreal at 8.30 p.m., arriving Boston at 8.05 a.m., same time as at present, and the train from Boston leaving that city at 8 p.m., arriving Montreal at 7.25 a.m., daily, will continue to leave Boston at the same hour, and arrive Montreal at 7.48 a.m. Changes have also been made in the service between Montreal and New York via G. T. R. and D. and H. Ry., the service now being as follows: Trains leaving Montreal 8.45 a.m., daily, 3.00 p.m., daily except Sunday, 7.25 p.m., daily, and 8.10 p.m. daily, arriving New York 8.33 p.m., 5.05 a.m., $7.26 a.m., and 7.26 a.m., respectively. Returning trains leave New York, at 12.25 a.m., daily except Sunday, 8.45 a.m., daily, 7.45 p.m., daily, and 8.02 p.m., daily, arriving Montreal at 3.25 p.m., 8.20 p.m., 7.41 a.m., and 8.05 a.m., respectively.

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A bath house has been fitted up in lavish style in the basement of the 'Union Station' at Winnipeg. Partitions and wall panelling are carried out in solid marble, and the floor is of marble mosaic. No expense has been spared in the decoration and furnishing of these apartments. Rich rugs are on the floors, and the barber shop adjoining is modern and luxurious in its appointments. An idea of the style of this place may be gained from the fact that the shoe shine stand is of solid marble blocks, upholstered in real leather.

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A visitor at Grand Trunk Pacific headquarters yesterday was Mr. H. C. Good, of the prominent Boston financial firm, Good and Doherty. Mr. Good has just returned from Edmonton and Northern Alberta, where he has been placing farm mortgages and securing inside city properties. So successful has he been that he has made arrangements for placing mortgages to the amount of $200,000 a month through his firm.

## DIED AT HIS WIFE'S FUNERAL

Kingston, Sept. 30.—While friends were gathering for the funeral service over the remains of his dead wife at his home, and as the hearse drove up to the door, John Roberts, an aged resident of Perth Road, died in his room upstairs, where he lay ill of inflammatory rheumatism. The shock of his wife's death killed him.

### HIT BY A PLANK.

Ponat St. Pierre, a carpenter in the factory of D. G. Loomis & Sons, Cote St. Paul, was standing behind a planing machine yesterday, when a plank shot out and struck him. He sustained serious internal injuries, but on inquiry at the Western Hospital, where he was removed, it was said that he was progressing favorably.


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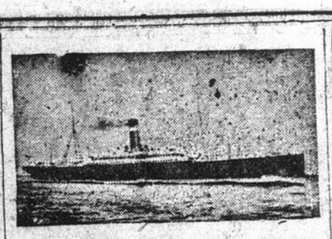
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### Government to Pursue its Policy Despite Ulster's Protest.

New York, Oct. 1.—A London cable says: The government opinion of the Ulster anti-Home Rule demonstration and covenant signing is summed up in the following words of Sir Rufus Isaacs, delivered in an address to his constituents at Reading, last night: 'I speak for the government. I say that these incidents in Ulster will not turn us one hair's breadth. We are undismayed, we are undaunted by all these performances. We shall pursue our policy calmly and patiently, with such wisdom as we can bring to bear upon the question with which we have to deal.

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### DUMB MEN AND 'BLIND PIG.'

A 'blind pig,' with deaf and dumb patrons, is quite a new combination in police circles. Captain Robert and Constable Charron paid a visit to Antoine Bernard, 370 St. Timothee street, last night, and both claim to have procured liquor while acting deaf and dumb. They say that Mrs. Bernard told her husband it would be all right. 'You can sell it to them; they could never tell,' she is reported to have said.

### KILLED BY LANDSLIDE.

A fatal accident occurred yesterday at the excavation that is being made in Normand street for the addition to the Customs House. Michael Island, 40 years of age, an employee of P. Lyall & Sons, contractors, was crushed to death under a landslide. He died before he reached the General Hospital. Two other men, who were alongside, escaped with slight bruises.


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## TRIAL OF 51 BEGINS TO-DAY

### Dynamiting Conspiracy Charges Over Year Old Will be Heard at Last

Indianapolis, Oct. 1.—Who participated with the McNamara brothers in the series of dynamite and nitroglycerine explosions which preceded and followed the wrecking of the Los Angeles 'Times' building, Oct. 1, 1910, when 21 persons were killed, the government hopes to disclose in the trial which begins to-day before Judge A. B. Anderson, of fifty-one men.

At the head of the list of defendants, who thus are brought into court exactly two years after the Los Angeles disaster, are: Frank M. Ryan, president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers; Ortie E. McManigal, once known as 'J. W. McGraw,' on the Pacific Coast, a confessed dynamiter and accomplice of the McNamara brothers, who has been kept in custody as a witness for the prosecution ever since his arrest in Detroit a year ago last April.

Herbert S. Hockin, successor of John J. McNamara, as secretary-treasurer of the union, whom McManigal accuses of being the organizer of the dynamiting crowd and one of the originators of the alarm clock scheme by which explosions were set off several hours after the mine was placed.

Most of the other defendants are present or former union officials whom the government charges were linked together in a conspiracy by an extensive correspondence from 1905 to 1911, during which time more than one hundred explosions in States scattered from Massachusetts to California occurred in works undertaken by employers of non-union labor.

### NO PARTITION OF PERSIA.

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## SOCCER

### Crusaders Football Club Will Hold Special Meeting To-night.

A special general meeting of the Crusaders Association Football Club has been called by Captain Ralph Dundas for this evening, in the offices of Findlay and Howard, 211 Notre Dame street west, at eight o'clock.

The business to be discussed is of importance to every members, and to every well wisher of the club. The club's finances will be discussed, and plans for strengthening the organization presented. Every member should be present, and a cordial invitation is extended to intending members, and friends, also to be present.

### BIG CUSTOMS RETURNS.

The Customs returns for the past month show a large increase over those for the corresponding period of last year, the increase totalling $502,254.56 The detailed figures for both years are $2,218,169.68 for September, 1912, as against $1,715,915.12 for September, 1911.

The Inland Revenue returns for the district of Montreal show an increase for the past month over September, 1911, of $87,074.40, the details being $827,539.71 for September, 1912, as compared with $741,465.31 for September, 1911. The inland revenue for the financial half-year which closed yesterday was $5,036,317.92, as compared with $4,094,617.20 for the corresponding half of the previous financial year, an increase of $941,700.72.

### THREE ITALIANS HELD.

Sherbrooke, Que., Oct. 1. — Baliffs from Bishop and a new man arrived in the city at noon yesterday, bringing with them Frank Raffello and his two brothers, Joseph and Bruno, arrested on the charge of murdering Camillo Cherubino on Wednesday at Lime Ridge. Frank, who is alleged to be the real murderer, was sent back as an undesirable alien. The others were arrested at West Stewardtown.

## TRAM COMPANY MUST GIVE EQUIVALENT

### Controller Lachapelle Says that It Should Not Get New Street Lines From City for Nothing.

No new lines should be given to the Montreal Tramways Company until it meets the Board of Control and negotiates a new agreement.

This is the view of Controller Lachapelle, as given to a 'Witness' reporter, and, judging by the attitude of the City Hall to the company, the aldermen concur in this attitude also.

Controller Lachapelle said that the company was uneasy lest at some future date the city would establish independent car lines on the streets not given to it, and so Mr. E. A. Robert, the president, and his business associates were anxious to secure leave to extend their lines on new thoroughfares.

But this would be a valuable concession to the company, said Controller Lachapelle, and the city should never make it without some equivalent compensation. Therefore, the company should be prepared to come forward and tell the city what it is prepared to do in return for securing more streets for its lines.

Another assurance the company will have to give the city, said he, is that it can operate its existing system better than it is now doing. The condition of the tracks is simply 'awful.' The rails are uneven, the way is rough, the rails on one side are sunk lower than the rails on the other side, and the company is not operating cars on all the tracks it already has laid down.

Then, the company, said the Controller, will have to do better, and move faster in replacing old cars than it is now doing to be in a position to present a reasonable argument for more lines to the city, to demonstrate to us that it can effectively make use of more trackage. It is replacing the old single-truck cars, which are a nuisance, with double-truck cars at the rate of only one hundred a year, and if the city asks why faster progress in this needed improvement to its service is not made, we are told that it cannot secure any more cars than it is at present securing. If this is so, how can the company expect to put an adequate number of cars on the new routes that it has asked for without taking away these cars from lines already in operation and much underequipped?

'I am perfectly willing to meet the representatives of the company on behalf of the city at any time,' said Controller Lachapelle, 'and negotiate for the improvement of the service, provided, always, that the company makes equivalent returns to the city for its gains.'

Controller Lachapelle, in other words, said that the company need not expect to gain valuable concessions from the city for nothing.




### SCANDINAVIAN'S LIST.

The following saloon passengers arrived here last night on the SS. Scandinavian:

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### MAY FIND GOLD AND SILVER IN PATRICIA.

Toronto, Oct. 1. — Prof. Miller, provincial geologist, has prepared for the Ontario Government a special report upon the district of Patricia, Ontario's share from the partition of Keewatin. His report is based upon the information gathered during the past forty years by the geological survey of Canada. These reports state that the geological conditions are favorable for the existence of gold, silver and iron deposits, petroleum, gypsum, gas and salt. Other portions should provide excellent agricultural areas.

### RETIREMENT OF SCOTLAND YARD CHIEF.

London, Oct. 1. — Frank Froest, chief superintendent of the criminal investigation department of Scotland Yard, retires after thirty-four years' service in the police force.

Before settling down to the life of a country gentleman, Mr. Froest is going to visit America, Canada, and the West Indies, where he has many friends, especially in New York.

### SNOWFALL IN MAINE.

Presque Isle, Maine, Oct. 1.—A snowstorm early yesterday, the first of the season, caused heavy loss to farmers in this section. Fruit and shade trees were broken down by the weight of damp snow, and standing grain damaged. Telephone wires were broken in many places.


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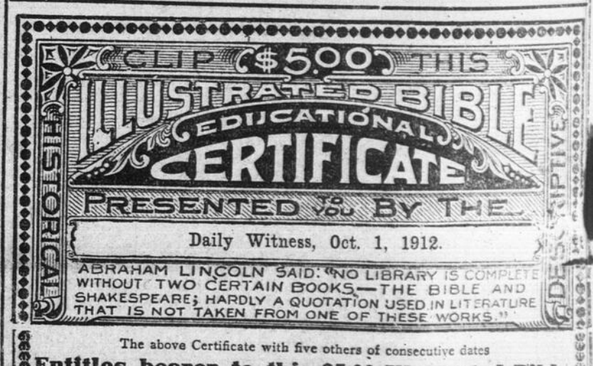


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