Marconi—He works wonders and
His fame, it onward jaunts—
Have you heard of all the wonders worked
By little "Herald Wants?"

THE MONTREAL HERALD.

TO-MORROW'S WEATHER.
Fair and little milder.
Sun rose to-day at 7.14; sets at 4.28

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EAST END LIBERAL CLUB [illegible]S WORK

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Mr. D. Monet, M.[illegible]rairie, Replies to Statements Hon. Mr. Tarte.

BELIEVES THE PROVINCE SAFE FOR GOVERNMENT

Questions for Campaign, He Says, Will Be the Tariff, Grand Trunk Pacific Scheme, and the Budget.

At the request of a large number of Liberals, the regular meeting of the East End Liberal Club, called for last night, was made a public one, and took place in Pare Hall. The interest that is being taken in the subjects under consideration in anticipation of the elections was shown by the attention accorded to the speakers. Mr. Honore Gervais, president of the club, was in the chair.

The opening address was delivered by Mr. D. Monet, M.P. for Laprairie. Referring to the rumor that a general election was to be held in the near future, he remarked that if it should take place in two months or two years, it was in the Province of Quebec the preparations for the fight should be made.

It was this province that in 1896 and again in 1900 gave the Liberal party its majority.

Points to Real Question.

Recently, however, Mr. Tarte had stated he would take seventeen counties from the Liberal party. The real question was, could Mr. Tarte get elected himself?

The three most important questions to be considered during the campaign were the tariff, the Grand Trunk Pacific and the budget. The tariff question was the one that had probably occasioned the most discussion. The present tariff, as a matter of fact, brought the country a revenue of $32,000,000 by imposing duties of 20 to 25 per cent.

What Mr. Tarte and his friends really wanted was to give a tariff of protection equal to from 30 to 40 per cent.

This must be considered as a most singular remedy, and was rendered even more so by Mr. Tarte having a different argument for every class of people he addressed. To the workingmen he had been crying out that if they supported a policy of protection they would obtain salaries equal to those being paid in the United States. To the farmers he was saying: "Do not fear anything; the price of your farming implements will not be increased."

It was difficult to see how these two statements would be reconsiled.

How could the farmer get his implements at the same price when they were costing the manufacturer twice as much?

The cry of the Opposition had been "Canada for the Canadians," a sentence that sounded well, but did not mean anything. If all the countries with which Canada traded were to adopt such a principle their markets would be closed to our exportations of wheat and produce.

"What would be do," Mr. Monet said, "with our $20,000,000 worth of exportations if a principle of England for Englishmen and America for Americans was applied?"

The country was enjoying considerable prosperity, and there was not any use of talking of remedies to a man enjoying perfect health.

Then came the question of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Another railway through the West had become an absolute necessity. The question was, How much will it cost? The Grand Trunk Pacific would include two sections—the eastern section, from Moncton to Winnipeg, and the western section, from Winnipeg to the Pacific.

Conditions in the West.

The western section was being built under excellent conditions. The eastern section, less advantageous, would be built at the cost of the Government. A sacrifice had to be made in the interests of the development of the country. The project would not cost more than $14,000,000.

The Liberal Government had been accused of useless expenditure. The revenue of the customs showed an increase of $17,000,000, while the expenditure had only increased $332,000. No opposition had been made to any item of expense in particular.

A unanimous vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Monet for his address. Short speeches were also made by Senator Cloran, Mr. P. V. Savard, ex-M.P. for Chicoutimi, and P. H. Duchesne. A special committee was then appointed to make preparations for the Liberal rally to be held at the St. Jean Baptiste Market to-night, and it was decided that the members of the club should attend in a body.

ADVERTISERS' INDEX.

Beginning next Saturday, and continuing during the Saturdays before Christmas, The Herald will publish on its first page a classified index of the advertisements contained in the same issue.

This index will no doubt be appreciated both by advertisers and readers.

HALF-MINUTE INTERVIEWS

Mr. Recorder Weir—We are having people run over on the streets every now and again, and a hackman who is drunken ought to find other work where he can do less harm.

Hon. W. A. Weir—Judging from the enthusiasm and determination of those interested in the Ottawa River Railway Company, the building of an electric line from Grenville to Montreal is now an assured fact.

Mr. D. Monet, M.P.—It is ridiculous to say to the workingmen that they can obtain higher wages, and to the farmers that they will not have to pay any more for their implements. Farmers cannot get implements at the same price when it costs the manufacturer twice as much to make them.

Prof. E. W. MacBride—I can assure you there is no faculty making physiology equal to medicine in immediate prospect at McGill. It is, in all probability, a distant ideal that Principal Peterson hopes, some day, to see attained, and I agree with him as regards this.

Ald. Laporte—The statement made by the Grand Trunk Railway that it is willing to discuss with the Council the question of the elevation of the tracks from the Bonaventure Depot to St. Henri, is a most important one. As soon as the new Council is elected it should take the matter up and get rid of level crossings.

TUG PLOVER CUT THROUGH SINKING IN LACHINE CANAL

Seven Barges Are Caught in the Ice, But They Will Probably Get Out Before King Frost Closes the Season of Navigation.

Tug Planer, owned by Clement Brothers, of Lachine, lies at the bottom of the Lachine Canal just below the Weldon bridge. She was cut in two last night while attempting to break her way through the ice in the canal in an effort to get to Montreal with a barge in tow. It is believed she will not interfere with navigation, though she can hardly be raised before spring.

Seven barges are caught in the ice near Lachine, but it is expected they will get out. They are all light and bound to Kingston where they will go into winter quarters.

Five of the barges are owned by the Canada Atlantic Railway. They are the Condor, Hiawatha, Iroquois, Beauport and Bismarck. The barge Toronto is owned by the Montreal Transportation Company, while the Canadian Towage and Transportation Company own the Robert.

Ship Owners Are Anxious.

The sudden drop in the temperature during the last few days has been a source of considerable anxiety to owners of steamers and barges plying on the river. It was feared the ice would form in the canal so rapidly that several of the barges would be caught if not hurried through. What was feared has come to pass and the barges were caught.

Since then efforts have been made to extricate them, and the opinion of owners this morning was that if the weather does not become colder all the barges will get through without further difficulty.

It was a busy scene at Lachine this morning. Several tugs were engaged in breaking up the ice so the barges might get through. It was hard work, but a start has been made and there is every hope that the boats will reach their destination without accident. If they cannot get out they will be made ready to spend the winter at Lachine.

The Montreal Transportation Company's tug Jessie Hall arrived at Lachine at 10 o'clock this morning, towing the barge Kildonan, loaded with barley for the Montreal Warehouse Company. It is expected she will get through.

The tugs Dauntless and Kate are now engaged breaking the ice in the canal and at Lachine entrance, and it is expected their efforts will be successful.

The tug Reid reached Lachine from the West this morning, towing the barge Laura laden with wheat for the Ogilvie Flour Mills Company. She will proceed to Montreal as rapidly as possible.

The propeller Melbourne, loaded with general cargo, left Montreal this morning for the West. She succeeded in breaking her way as far as Lachine. The Melbourne is owned by the Jacques line.

Thick Ice in the Canal.

Reports received by the transportation companies say there is much ice in the canal and at Lachine entrance. The average thickness is three inches.

The chief danger is not that the boats may be shut in because as most of them are light, that would be a matter of comparatively little consequence, but there is a fear that in getting out some of them may meet the same fate as did the tug Planer.

The situations in the Soulanges Canal is more encouraging and the superintendent reports that with powerful tugs the channel can be kept open. It has been kept open so far mainly through the work of the Government steamer Scout, which started yesterday to break up the ice. This is being done to allow a Government lightship to reach the sea.

Fear Drop in Temperature.

While the barge owners this morning thought there was little danger of further trouble they fear the effects of a drop in temperature, consequently they may appeal for Government tugs to assist in keeping the canals open until the barges get out safely.

The Government lightship Lurcher No. 13, which is intended to be placed on the Lurcher shoal in the Bay of Fundy, is on her way from Toronto to the ocean, and it is to give her safe passage to the sea that the efforts are being made to keep the Soulanges Canal open.

ACTIVE CIVIC CANVASS STARTED IN WESTMOUNT

Nearly All the Candidates for Ward Seats and Mayoralty Will Have Opposition.

Active canvass has already started in Westmount for the municipal elections, which take place on the third Monday of January. The term of one councillor in each ward will expire and those who will have to again seek reelection are Councillor Rodger, No. 1 Ward; Mayor Cross, No. 2 Ward; Councillor Borland, No. 3 Ward and Councillor Stevens, No. 4 Ward.

Councillor Rodger has announced to some of his friends that he will not again seek election. An effort is being made to get him to stand again and accept the mayoralty of the town. If he should decide not to remain in the Council Mr. D. Gilmour and Edgar Judge will likely be among the candidates.

In the other words, Mayor Cross, Councillor Borland and Councillor Stevens will all seek reelection, and it is stated that opposition will be offered to all three. The nominations will take place the second Monday in January.

NOT ENOUGH CARS TO HANDLE GRAIN CROP

Pressure Now Severely Felt in the Northwest Territories.

Winnipeg, Nov. 27.—Dr. Elliott, Commissioner of Agriculture for the Territories, who is here, says the car shortage condition has been very bad and has tended to cause considerable discontent among the farmers. The other day at Indian Head there were 258 cars on order for the farmers alone and not one on the siding. The elevators are no better off and for the past two weeks they have practically closed down on account of the fact that they cannot get cars to send their wheat to head of lakes.

A special committee of the Winnipeg Board of Trade has been appointed to deal with grain shipping situation, which is very unsatisfactory to elevator men who claim the grain act is especially bridensome to some.

MILK SEPARATOR EXPLODED.

Killed One Man, Injured Two, Nearly Drowned More.

Bridgeton, N.J., Nov. 27.—One man has been killed and two others so seriously injured that there is very slight chance of their recovery by the blowing up of the separator bowl in an ice and milk plant here.

The bowl, which was made of steel and copper, flew to pieces just as an exploding fly-wheel does, and the pieces were hurled in all directions. Some of them flying into other departments of the plant, caused considerable damage to the ice-making machinery. The walls of the building were riddled as if by shots from cannon. Pieces of metal were picked up 200 feet from the plant.

Not only were the men injured by the flying metal, but they were almost drowned by the suddenly released volume of milk.

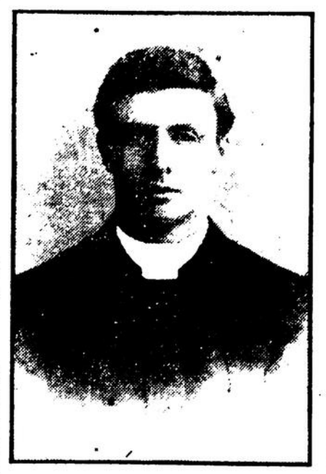
BOTH PLACES ARE IN SIGHT.

Washington, Ind., Nov. 27. At the First Baptist Church last night, the Rev. W. A. Freeman declared that hell is situated in the dark spots of the sun and that the bright part of the luminary forms heaven.

DEAN PLUMPTRE HONORED AT WYCLIFFE COLLEGE

Student Friends Present Him With a Silver Communion Set on Leaving Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—Dean Plumptre, of Wycliffe College, was last night waited upon by several of his student friends prior to his departure to Montreal as curate of St. George's Church. As an expression of personal regard he was presented with a silver communion set for practical visitation, engraved with the words, "From a few student friends." Dean Plumptre delivered his farewell address last evening in the college chapel.



REV. DEAN PLUMPTRE.

THE BOILING GLUE POT FOR THE GREEDY SHARK

Lower St. Lawrence to Have an Industry Based on His Bone and Blubber.

(Special to The Montreal Herald.)

Ottawa, Nov. 27. A new industry is being opened on the north shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence below the Saguenay River. It has been promoted by Mr. Anger, M.P., and will comprise the manufacture of oil fish, guano and fertilizers from the large sharks which abound in the gulf. These sharks are very large, weighing from three hundred to six hundred pounds each. They have for some years proved a menace to the fishermen and have also been detrimental to the fisheries in that locality. They are called ground or Greenland sharks and are easily captured by trawls. During the past autumn, in the ordinary course of their operations, the fishermen caught twenty-two of them, totalling in all 8,000 pounds.

ST. HENRI BAZAAR CLOSES.

The annual bazaar under the auspices of the Ladies' Society, in aid of the general fund of St. Simon's Church St. Henri, was brought to a close last night. Music was provided by the ladies and a graphophone contributed to the amusement. The receipts were larger than last year. The following is a list of the ladies who presided at the tables: Yellow table—Mrs. Wm. Tweedie, Mrs. Chas. King., Mrs. Jas. Tweedie, assisted by Miss Ligget. Candy Table—Mrs. Piller, assisted by Mrs. Annette and Miss Gaudy. Green and White Table—Mrs. Thacher, assisted by Mrs. Foster and Mrs. Ewart. Grocery Table—Mrs. Coderre. Fancy Table—Miss Wainwright.

Cable Service.

JOURNALISTS HOLD OWN OPINIONS

Two Leave Leading Paper Rather Than Write for Chamberlain Side.

GERMANS PREPARE FOR CHAMBERLAIN VICTORY

Already Spying Out Sites for New Factories Under British Protection.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, Nov. 27.—On one of the leading morning papers in London two writers have been compelled to leave because they refused to write in support of Mr. Chamberlain's policy.

Getting Ready for Trouble.

A prominent German manufacturer says that German manufacturers so strongly believe in the success of Mr. Chamberlain that negotiations are already on foot to purchase land in this country so as to be ready to lay down plants in the event of hostile duties being imposed against German goods.

Would Sell Us Autos.

As the freight is no more from Liverpool than from Pittsburg a Toronto writer to the Pall Mall Gazette urges that British motor car makers should take advantage of the preferential duties and send motor cars to Canada.

No More Foreign Mutton.

An Army Office order says that in future all frozen mutton supplied to the army shall come from British colonies only.

Will Dine With Joe.

At the farewell dinner to be given by Mr. Chamberlain to his late colleagues at the Colonial Office, Lord Strathcona and the Agents-General of the colonies will be present.

The Emigration Snarl.

As to the restrictions upon emigration by the German Government, it is understood that some emigrants with tickets prepaid for Canada via the Liverpool lines not allied with the German lines, were stopped upon the frontier of Saxony following the text of the order just issued by the Saxon Government that emigrants are only entitled to use the Saxon railway if in possession of a ticket by the North German Lloyd or Hamburg-American lines. The tickets of foreign steamship companies are not available.

DOG TENDED ABANDONED BABE.

Shabby Mongrel Kept the Little One From Freezing to Death.

New York, Nov. 27.—A shabby mongrel dog lay all night on a windy, open lot, and kept an abandoned little baby cuddled to his shaggy breast so that it should not freeze to death. John Kormoyle, on his way to work in the morning heard the piping of the babe. At a loss to understand the sound, he looked about until in a clump of bushes he came upon the strangely assorted sleepmates. Both were homeless derelicts, but with the instinct of comradeship in misfortune the animal held the infant close and licked its little cheeks. It was evident that the child, which was bareheaded and clad only in a thin white frock, had been left on the lot during the night and found there by the other outcast.

FRUIT MEN WANT CHEAP SUGAR

If They Had It Fruit Would Not Rot As It Did This Year.

Leamington, Nov. 26.—At yesterday's session of the Fruit-Growers' Convention here a resolution called attention to the quantity of tender fruits that had rotted upon the ground the past season for lack of proper means of sending them to Great Britain or other markets.

The association urged the Dominion Government to extend to the canning industry of the country the same system of aid already extended to other industries, by enabling them to bring in their raw materials at the lowest possible cost, and that to this end the duty on sugar used on canning, and on packages used for holding canned fruit be remitted.

WANT A GREATER PETERBORO'.

Peterboro, November 27.—Peterborough and Oshburnham yesterday recorded a majority vote for the union of the two municipalities on Jan. 1, 1904. The united population is 13,588.

DO WE GO BACK?

The Brantford Expositor has made a canvass which shows that the manufacturing industries of the city employed 1,439 hands in 1896 and 3,810 in 1903. That does not look as if the industries of Canada were being injured by the Liberal Government or its tariff.

Who Is

IRIS DEANE?

Read Saturday's Herald, Page 13, and you'll know.

SHERBROOKE BACK TO CANDLES; BIG MILLS CLOSE

Cold Spell Further Reduces Available Water Supply, Electric Light Service Breaks Down, Factories Have Neither Power Nor Light.

Sherbrooke, Nov. 27.—The low condition of the Magog River is becoming more and more serious and the result will be that the various industries depending upon its water for power, will have to close down entirely or substitute steam. The water and light situation in Sherbrooke is becoming more and more acute and it is hard to tell what th eresult will be unless rain comes or at least a mild spell to turn the snow and ice into water. Up to yesterday afternoon the electric light company were able to furnish a moderate supply of power and light, but about four o'clock in the afternoon the bottom fell right out.

The electric lights looked like candles and establishments using electric power had to close down for the first time since the installation of the electric light in this city. The householders and storekeepers, of whom about eighty per cent use this illuminant, had to fall back on candles and coal oil lamps. The dark streets and still darker houses presented a marked contrast to the usually well lighted streets and houses, for which Sherbrooke is noted. The sudden drop in the Magog River was occasioned by the severe frost of the last few days. This morning the river is lower by several inches than it has been yet and the continued cold weather cannot fail to reduce the flow still further.

The light difficulty, while a serious inconvenience, could be put up with were it possible to keep the factories depending upon the river for power and industries depending upon the electric power running. The fact that many of the large factories have to run on short time and some not able to run at all means a serious loss to the work people and that just at a time when they can least afford it. The paper mill, which has been running partly by water and partly by steam, had to close down yesterday forenoon, and that part of the mill that has been running during the night since the trouble with the low water began, did not start up.

The Lomas factory was also obliged to close down yesterday for want of light. The Rand Drill shops are very busy and the want of light is a serious inconvenience, and loss. The situation is indeed serious and the like has not been experienced before.

The Sherbrooke Heat, Light and Power Company claim they are not to blame, as under their contract they are entitled to the natural flow of the river; they contend they do not get it. The Patton Mills Co. at times close the gates at the dam. That if the natural flow of the river were allowed to come down even now there would not be sufficient power to give an efficient light service.

The electric company have served a notarial protest on the British-American Land Company, who lease the power to the Patton mill, for allowing the natural flow of the river to be interfered with. The latter company also served a notarial protest on the Patton mills this morning on the ground that they are using more water than they are entitled to. The only temporary solution of the situation that is apparent just now is that of the plan to lower the channel at the outlet of Lake Memphremagog, a foot, this scheme, as reported on to the Water Committee here, by the superintendent, would give two feet more water in the Magog River, for about two months or 30,000 cubic feet a minute, which would supply all the industries with sufficient power. This matter has been referred to the general manager of the Dominion Cotton Company at Magog, and the Mayor of Magog, who will confer with the Sherbrooke authorities.

POLITICIANS SHOULD BE WELL EDUCATED

Premier Ross Argues That College Trained Minds Are Best in Public Life.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—Premier Ross, in addressing the University students yesterday, argued the need for the well trained minds of university graduates in the parliaments of the country. That he believed in the college man as a parliamentarian was proved by his expressed opinion that the British House of Commons was the greatest deliberative body in the world, because fifty per cent. of its members were university graduates. In Canada the percentage of graduates in the Commons was about eight and in the States less than that. Turning to civic politics, the Premier said out of 137 aldermen in the seven chief cities of Canada only seven had university degrees.

INDIANS RESIST ORIENTAL INVASION

British Columbia Natives Club Two Japs to Death with Paddles at Sea.

Vancouver, Nov. 27.—The mystery of the disappearance of two Japanese at Rivers' Inlet was cleared up yesterday when Rev. Dr. Whittington returned from Northern British Columbia and stated that some Indians have confessed to having clubbed two men to death. The Indians had a grudge against Asiatics, and being intoxicated, they decided to pay off the score. They found the Japanese in their boat a mile from shore and despatched them by clubbing them over the heads with paddles. Then the boat with the bodies drifted out to sea. Seized with remorse the Indians have now confessed. The Provincial Police will arrest them.

Through The Herald's Sieve.

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, Jr., is disappointed because it's a girl. Daughters cost so much nowadays, especially if you buy them a duke.

CARRIE NATION SAYS she is no actress, but the people who have seen her on the stage have been aware of the fact for some time.

THE TORONTO NEWS says the report that elections would be held on January 28 was started by a Joker. As nobody can penetrate the joke, it should be published in Punch.

THE OWNERS of the Cedric deny she sank, also that she had trouble. They admit, however, that the Cedric was on the ocean, so that part of the rumor is true.

Business Woman.

She—Is she a business woman?
He—Yes.
She—What business is she interested in?
He—Everybody's.

"I SUPPOSE the daily bulletin of Laurier's health will be a feature of the coming election campaign."—Hamilton Spectator.

A good deal will depend upon whether the

late J. I. Tarte's elastic imagination is in good working order.

IT IS A POOR theatrical year in New York. People find that losing money in Steel stocks is about all the amusement they can afford.

"A GIRL IS NEVER really in love with a man unless she begins to worry about his neckties," says the Westmount Philosopher.

HAVE THE OTHER pugilists no veneration for age that they make agreements to knock out a patriarch like Fitzsimmons?

Country vs. City.

An Ontario country editor thus soliloquizes: "The sun-browned hard-spanked, bare-footed, hard-fisted country boy makes a much better fight in the battle of life than the pampered, high-collared and creased-trousered youth of our cities whose clothes have always been dusted with a whisk-broom instead of with a shingle. Let the city man who is out of a job try a year on a farm. Ploughing behind a mule will take the kink out of his top-knot, the frog out of his throat, the weakness out of his legs, and will give him an appetite, an honest living and a sight of heaven."

ANOTHER VANDERBILT girl has been born, and thus another rosy outlook has been provided for some future duke.

LORD CROMER, the ruler of Egypt, has published a book of poems, and the Egyptian critics are giving it high praise. Become a ruler first and then write your poetry.

THE SULTAN is ill again, and if the autumn bat bills of his harem are coming in, he probably has good reason to be.

A GREAT MANY women wipe their eyes away at this season of the year by sitting up nights working on something to be sold at a church fair.

MR. SCHWAB also wrote some letters that he probably wished he hadn't.

RITA'S NEW NOVEL is to be entitled "The Silent Woman." Rita has a very vivid imagination.

IN REFUSING to look careworn and sadly in need of a fresh new tariff, Canada is playing the Cons. a mean down down trick.

WILL THERE BE another Hugh John Macdonald iceberg this election? What! Who said Tarte?

SHAVE OR WHISKERS?

Somebody has started a discussion as to whether clean shaven men are greater than those who adorn their good looks with moustaches or beards. This discussion may perhaps, in time, supplant the momentous question as to the antiquity of Ann. At all events a casual list has been made, and here it is:

Clean Shave	Moustaches, etc.
Luther	Rembrandt
Napoleon	Rubens
Wellington	Salisbury
Humboldt	Bright
Newton	Balfour
Milton	Harcourt
Pope	Tyndall
Thackeray	Huxley
Goethe	Spencer
Schiller	Tennyson
Moltke	Browning
Millais	Swinburne
Bach	Kipling
Handel	Leighton
Beethoven	Virchow
Mozart	Tolstoy
Hayden	Dickens
Gladstone	Brahams
Washington	Mendelssohn
Emmerson	Hiller
Gluck	Raff
Weber	Gounod
Berlioz	Saint-Saens
Franz	Bizet
Meyerbeer	Tscharkowsky
Liszt	Rhemberger
Lachner	Longfellow
Wagner	Hugo
Rubinstein	Cleveland
Lincoln	
Chatham	
Nelson	
Canning	
Peel	
Chamberlain	
Laurier	
Rosebery	
Asquith	
Morley	

With Wellington, Napoleon, Washington and Nelson all on one side, it is plain that in the matter of warfare the clean shaven band would have the others beating a hasty retreat, but the gentlemen who made up the list evidently overlooked the fact that such eminent scrappers as Messrs. the Hon. Sam Hughes and S. E. Gourley would champion the noble cause of whiskers.

Before and After.

"You used to sing 'Every morn I send you violets,' before we were married," said Mrs. Brimkin, with a sigh.

"Yes," answered Mr. Brimkin, "but my devotion has taken a more practical form. Every month I pay the meat bill."

A MILLION-DOLLAR GIFT, like that of A. G. Vanderbilt to his two-year-old son, would make anyone "feel like a two-year-old."

THE YALE FOOTBALL TEAM this year made $50,000, which is just what John Morley got for writing his biography of Gladstone.

THAT NEW TELEGRAPHIC apparatus just exhibited in Berlin, which will send 2,000 words a minute over long distances, could almost keep up with a village sewing circle.

THE CONS. HAVE nominated Gourley to run again. However, the voters should see that he doesn't run far. Gourley is refreshing for a time, but the interval between his foolish remarks is not long enough.

FROM THE STANDPOINT of an outsider, it looks as if Charles M. Schwab was entitled to a brief term in jail.

ST. HELENS ISLAND AS MONTREAL PARK

Informal Arrangement is Made to Trade it to the City for Military School Site.

CIVIC COMMITTEE MEETS HON. MR. PREFONTAINE

Policing of the Wharf is Also Taken Up at the Conference, Which Will Meet Again December 9.

Ald. Laporte, Carter, L. A. Lapointe, Lebeuf, Couture, City Clerk David and City Attorney Ethier, composing a special committee, met Hon. R. Prefontaine, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, who represnted the Minister of Militia, this morning at the post-office, when three important matters were discussed:—The erection of the new military school, the handing over of St. Helen's Island to the city by the Government, and the question of police protection on the wharves.

In regard to the military school matter the Minister announced that it would be erected at Lafontaine Park. No other spot was available. It was finally arranged that if the city would expropriate the small corner of the park bordering on Papineau Avenue, and turn it over to the Government, and in addition give the sum of $25,000 to the Government for the establishment of the school, the Government would give over the whole of St. Helen's Island to the city for park purposes.

Will Remove the Stores.

The Government will retain merely nominal control of the island. The magazines and other Government possessions will be removed.

In regard to the question of police protection on the wharves, the Minister asked the aldermen to prepare a complete statement of the matter and forward it to the Minister of Militia. He also announced that the latter would meet the Civic Committee and discuss the question with them on either December 8 or 9.

A suit is now pending in the courts against the city for the payment of the sum of $18,000, the cost of military protection during the 'longshoremen's strike. Judgment will be withheld until the negotiations between the Government and city are completed.

Ald. Lebeuf pointed out to a Herald representative after the conference, that he was certain this matter would be soon satisfactorily settled. When the Military School was completed there would be at least 200 regulars stationed here, and these soldiers would be available to guard the wharf in time of trouble.

Opinion of Ald. Lebeuf.

Ald. Lebeuf also expressed pleasure that the St. Helen's Island matter had been arranged satisfactorily. The Government, in the person of Hon. Mr. Prefontaine, had shown a laudable desire to meet the city half way, and he was sure a satisfactory arrangement had been made.

The city could now go ahead and turn the whole island into a park. On account of the insecure tenure the city previously had on the island this could not be done. The space for citizens would now be three times larger.

Ald. Lapointe and Carter spoke in a similar strain. The latter said that the only difficulty remaining for settlement was to decide who should pay for police protection on the wharf. He believed that this matter would be arranged without much trouble when the committee meets the Minister of Militia.

JUSTIFIES THE ALCHEMISTS.

Old Fellows' Theories Supported by Latest Scientific Experiments.

London, Nov. 27.—Sir William Ramsay, the celebrated chemist, in the course of a lecture delivered here last night, described a number of experiments made which had resulted in the discovery that the gaseous emanation from radium was really helium. From this discovery, Sir William said, it might be concluded that the transmutation of metals was not, after all, so absurd a theory.

WHAT IS GOING ON

Academy—"The Sleepy King."
Proctor's—"More Than Queen."
Francais—"The Great White Diamond."
Royal—Burlesque.
Theatre des Nouveautes—"Le Monde ou l'ai Ennuie."
Windsor Hall—"Living Canada."

FAIR, WINDS, AND COLDER.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh west, shifting to south winds, fair and cold to-day. Saturday, fair and a little milder.

Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Fair and decidedly cold. Saturday fair and turning a little milder.

Manitoba—Fair and mild.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf—Moderate winds, fair and decidedly cold. Saturday, fair; with stationary or a little higher temperature.

Superior—Moderate to fresh southerly winds, fair to-day and on Saturday, and milder.

Maritime—Moderate to fresh, northerly to westerly winds, fair and cold today and on Saturday.

Readings by the Optical and Engineer's Supply Co.'s Standard Barometer at noon yesterday, 30.16; at 8 a.m. to-day, 30.19; 11 a.m. to-day, 30.18; temperature to-day, maximum, 21; minimum, 10; yesterday, maximum, 14; minimum, 12.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

New York—Cedric, Pretoria, Barcelona.
Liverpool—American, Westernland.
Glasgow—Corinthian.
Halifax—Bavarian.

MARRIAGES.

HOWAD-TAYLOR—At St. George's Church, on November 26th, 1903, by the Right Rev. Bishop Carmichael, Thomas Palmer Howard, youngest son of the late Captain Thomas Howard, to Daisy, third daughter of the late James Williamson Taylor.

THE SOVEREIGN BANK OF CANADA.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	31st Oct. 1902.	31st Oct. 1903.
ASSETS—		
Cash and Bank Balances	$ 383,097	$ 622,774
Bonds and Stock	439,363	713,397
Loans and Discounts	2,988,668	5,821,390
Bank Premises, Safes, &c.	44,075	52,359
	$3,855,203	$7,209,920
LIABILITIES—		
Capital—Paid up.	$1,173,478	$1,300,000
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits	240,000	362,838
Sovereign Bank notes in circulation	759,995	1,237,650
Deposits.	1,681,730	4,309,432
	$3,855,203	$7,209,920

N.B.—This Bank Commenced Business 1st May, 1902.

D. M. STEWART, General Manager.

Ladies' Morning Musical Club Holds Its Inaugural Concert.

Artistic and thoroughly enjoyable was the concert given last evening by the Ladies' Morning Musical Club. The concert room was comfortably filled by a characteristic Art Gallery audience, and from beginning to end the programme was greeted with marked appreciation. The selections were uniformly excellent, and no reflection upon the other performers is meant when in an analysis of the evening's work it is said that the solos by Mr. Francis Rogers stood out as the feature of the night.

Accompanied by Mrs. Thaxter Shaw, who played with excellent judgment throughout, the songs by Mr. Rogers were finished gems, and met with the hearty approval of the audience.

Montreal should see and hear more of Mr. Rogers.

A man with a fine commanding presence, but modest withal, and possessing a baritone voice of wide range, smoothness and flexibility, he sang a series of delightful songs, many of which no doubt were not "shop-worn" to the hearers. In the German lyrics he was sympathetic, in the Scotch sympathetic and equally pleasing, and in the Irish splendid.

Perhaps the audience liked, or appeared to like, the Irish songs a little the best, but of that it is difficult to judge. Suffice it to say, everything he sang was heartily appreciated, and Montreal, as we said before, should insist upon hearing Mr. Rogers again.

Mr. Joseph Gould conducted a large chorus of mixed voices through a varied and exceedingly enjoyable programme. The singers were well trained and obedient to the leader's baton, and in the difficult unaccompanied selections sang evenly and true. Not the least of the enjoyable features of the evening was Elgar's part song "The Snow," accompanied by Mrs. Shaw at the piano and Mme. Hone-Hudon and Miss Willett with violins.

The next of the chamber music concerts in the Art Gallery will be Dec. 7, when the famous and always welcome Kneisel Quartette of Boston will appear.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Montagu Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Allan, the Misses Angus, the Misses Abbot, Mr. H. Abbot, Mrs. and the Misses Gillespie, Mrs. Alexander Murray, Mrs. S. Greenshields, Mrs. Thaxter Shaw, Mrs. Duncan McPherson, Mrs. Skelton, Mr. and Mrs. Allan McDuff, Mr. and Mrs. James Laing, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Stead, Miss Bothwell, Mrs. C. E. Saunderson, Mr. and Mrs. Coates McFarline, Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Pedley, Dr. Church, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sise, Miss Sise, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Renouf, Mr. and Mrs. Duclos, Mr. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Gould, Miss Gould, Mr. H. D. Scott, Mrs. Gallitti, the Misses Macfarlin, Mrs. John Lovell, Rev. Mr. Mackay, Mrs. Mackay.

City Happenings Told in Paragraphs

The annual meeting of the Montreal Maternity Hospital is taking place this afternoon at 93 St. Urbain Street.

A meeting of the members of the Military Institute will be held Monday night to consider the advisability of giving a garrison ball.

Noe Cheyrier, of 23 Claude Street, was taken to Notre Dame Hospital last evening suffering from iodine poisoning. He is out of danger.

Albert Paquette was fined $5 or one month in jail yesterday by Mr. Recorder Weir. He is 62 years of age and has been begging without a permit.

The adjourned monthly meeting of the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society, will be held in the Chateau de Ramezay, this evening at 8 o'clock.

Wilmas Zuilimette stole a box containing $700 from Corporation Paymaster Perrault, two weeks ago, and yesterday afternoon Judge Choquet sent him to penitentiary for three years.

Miss McKillegan, formerly of China, will give an address next Monday evening, in the Point St. Charles Congregational school room. Members of other churches are invited to attend.

The opening Symphony concert of the Montreal Symphony Orchestra will be given at the Academy of Music this afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. Mr. Courtice Brown will be the tenor soloist.

A small fire in the home of Mr. Arthur Charriot at 54 St. Elizabeth Street, gave the fire brigade a run at 12.45 o'clock this morning. It was extinguished by a babcock charge. The loss is small.

The annual meeting of the Mackay Institute for Protestant Deaf Mutes and the Blind, will be held at the office of the secretary-treasurer, 189 St. James Street, next Thursday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

William Hennessy, of Peel Street, attempted to board a St. Catherine Street car at St. Philip Street last night. He was thrown and received severe cuts on the head. The wounds were dressed at Royal Victoria Hospital.

Joseph Goyette, a Longueuil youth, attempted to board a moving train at Bonaventure Station about 8 o'clock last evening. He was knocked down and his foot badly crushed. He was taken to Notre Dame Hospital.

At the men's meeting in the Y.M.C.A. to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, Mr. Fred. Schiverea, of Chicago, will speak on "True Manhood." His subject Sunday evening at 8 will be "Some Facts for Men to Face." Men are invited to attend.

Mr. J. E. Emile Leonard, M.P. for Laval, who was taken ill yesterday in his law office, St. James Street, is resting easily at his home. Dr. Hervieux is of opinion that Mr. Leonard's illness was due to overwork, and says it is not of a serious character.

Mr. William McNab, C.E., of Montreal, will give an illustrated lecture to-night in the rooms of the Grand Trunk Railway Literary and Scientific Institute, Sebastopol Street, Point St. Charles, on "World's Fairs and the Prospective St. Louis Exposition."

The Jollytime Social Club will hold its annual concert and ball in the Montreal Engineers' Armory, Wellington and Sebastopol Streets, to-night at 8.15 o'clock. The committee is composed of Messrs. F. V. Duckworth, F. Marsh, J. Marsh and H. Darlington.

An illustrated sermon will be given at the Point St. Charles Congregational Church Sunday evening, by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Harvey. The subject will be "Life's Pilgrimage, Or From Sinner to Saint." The usual high class of illusration, will be maintained, indeed the pictures are especially beautiful, and there will be special music at the service, including a solo setting of Mascagni's intermezzo, by Miss E. Maud Clark.

Officers and members of the St. Andrew's Society will attend service in Knox Church, Dorchester Street, Sunday morning, when the sermon will be preached by the Rev. E. A. Mackenzie, pastor of St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church, Point St. Charles, one of the chaplains of the society.

Joseph Ryan, accused of having committed highway robbery two years ago, who has been confined in Longue Pointe Asylum since, was arraigned yesterday, on his release, before Judge Choquet and pleaded not guilty. He decided that his trial should be before the Court of King's Bench at the March session.

The medical superintendent's report for the Protestant Hospital for the Insane for the week ending Nov. 24, shows admissions, 7; re-admissions, 2; discharged cured, 2; discharged on trial, 3; deaths, 2. The visiting governors for next week are: Messrs. O. Gould, W. C. McIntyre, Henry Earle and Major Freeman.

The congregation of Westminster Presbyterian Church, will hold anniversary services in their church, Atwater Avenue. Sunday morning the services will be conducted by the Rev. Prof. John Macnaughton, M.A., at 11 a.m., by the Rev. A. J. Mowatt, D.D., at 3 p.m., and by the Rev. J. Edgar Hill, D.D., at 7 p.m.

Mr. J. Ritchie Bell has completed his work at the Sailors' Institute for the season and will leave to-morrow for South Durham, where he will engage in evangelistic work. Mr. Bell will remain in this province until the first of February, when he will go to the Lower Provinces, remaining until navigation reopens to Montreal.

A fuse blew out in a St. Catherine Street car yesterday at Sussex Avenue, making it appear as though the car was on fire, and passengers made hasty exits. The flames could not be put out with sand, so another car pulled the burning one to Guy Street, where the firemen of No. 10 station used a babcock to put out the blaze, but considerable detention was caused to traffic.

In connection with the celebration of St. John's Day the Masonic brotherhood of Montreal will this year make a departure from the programme observed on previous occasions. Sunday afternoon, Dec. 27, a religious service which the members of the city and suburban lodges will attend in regalia, will be held in Christ Church Cathedral, when a sermon will be delivered by Bro. Rev. Dr. Symonds, Vicar of the Cathedral.

The Grand Trunk Railway System have secured 700 square feet of space at the Sportsman's Exposition, to be held at Madison Square Garden, New York, Feb. 19 to March 5, 1904, where an excellent display of fish and game, together with a fine collection of scenic pictures in the fishing and hunting regions of Canada will be made. The exhibit, which is now on display at the Sportsmen's Show, Chicago, will be augmented with several new features.

At the euchre given by the St. Anthony's Young Men's Society, Wednesday night, there was a large attendance. The ladies prizes were won by Miss Lang, Miss M. Meehan, Mrs. W. F. Ryan; gentlemen, Mr. J. A. Macdonald, Mr. A. Hamilton, Mr. T. Mulcair. In addition to the above, those coming into the competition for the euchre cup after the game were Miss M. Maloney, Mrs. A. Hamilton, Mrs. O. McDonald, Mrs. Tighs, Miss A. Nolan, Mrs. M. Lynch, Miss M. Hart, Mrs. J. F. Quinn, Mr. D. C. Benson.

CANADA AND ITS RESOURCES.

"Canada and Its Resources," was the subject of a lecture by Ald. Ames last night, in the Y.M.C.A. The lecture was under the auspices of the Canadian Club and the lecturer told of his trip through the Dominion with the delegates to the recent congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire. He covered the whole ground in such a way as to place each province and its resources before his audience. Stereoptican views augments the interest in the lecture, and at its close Ald. Ames was tendered a hearty vote of thanks.

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M. Andre Michel, a noted art critic, curator of the Louvre museum, and professor of the history of art at the Louvre school, near Paris, who is now touring the United States under the auspices of the American Federation of the Alliance Francaise, will deliver a lecture at an early date before the Alliance Francaise of Montreal. M. Michel is lecturing this week in New York and Brooklyn.

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Messrs. Dupuis Freres have added an extension of 100 by forty-two feet to the ground floor of their departmental store, St. Catherine Street, for a toy department, which will be one of the most interesting places in the city to visit during the holiday season. Toys have been gathered from all parts of the world. This department is a bower of bright and pretty things, and is prettily decorated with Union Jacks and Chinese hangings. In the centre of it is a Chinese kiosk or covered booth, lighted with Chinese lanterns, and decorated with all the pretty, gay things for which the Chinese are noted. This booth gives an attractive and pretty effect to the entire department. This section also carries a large stock of fancy chinaware, fancy glassware and jewellery, and offers a selection of beautiful and appropriate Christmas presents.

MRS. EMMANS IS HOSTESS.

Mrs. T. A. Emmans, Durocher Street, was the hostess at a largely attended tea yesterday afternoon, given for her daughter, who is one of the season's debutantes. Mrs. Emmans was gowned in brown canvas with touches of old rose panne velvet. Miss Emmans, who received with her mother, was daintily gowned in white canvas, with deep Irish crochet collar, and carried pink carnations. The tea table, which was prettily done in yellow chrysanthemums, with each centrepiece over yellow silk and yellow shaded candelabra, was in charge of Mrs. J. Robertson and Mrs. C. Morris pouring tea and coffee, assisted by Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. H. Fortier, Mrs. J. Gentles, Mrs. Wilkinson, Miss Fortier, Miss Currie, and Miss Lulu Stephens.

COURT CONFIRMS VALUATION.

The case of the City of Montreal vs. the proprietors of DeMontigny Street, from Parthenais to Dufresne, was heard in the Practice Court yesterday. The valuation of the commissioners appointed to determine the rate of expropriation was confirmed.

CHRISTMAS OPENING!

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NOTES OF LABOR UNIONS

The Bricklayers will meet in St. Joseph's Hall to-night.

The Sheet Metal Workers' will hold a concert and ball at the old Delville Theatre to-morrow night.

The Building Laborers' executive will meet to-morrow night in their hall St. James Street to receive reports from the standing committee. The union has made satisfactory progress and the large majority of employers are paying the regular wage scale, which was drawn up last October.

Mr. Daniel Keefe, president of the International Longshoremen's Union, and Mr. J. J. Joyce, first vice-president, will arrive from Detroit Sunday morning and will speak at a mass meeting of longshoemen in their hall, 1242a Notre Dame Street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All laboring men on the wharf are invited to be present.

The barbers intend to put up a big fight against the Sunday opening of barber shops. A mass meeting will be called next week, when the subject will be thrashed out. The Federated Trades and Labor Council has been asked to support the Barbers' Union in this movement and all the local unions will be invited to co-operate. The assistance of the Lord's Day Alliance is expected.

IMPORTANT TO LADIES.

There's war and rumors of war in the Silk trade.

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THEATRE CASE IS DISMISSED.

The suit of Madame Meissonier against the managementof Les Nouveautes Theatre, was dismissed yesterday by Mr. Justice Fortin. The amount sued for was $400, forfeit agreed upon by the parties when the contract should be broken, and $3 0that had been withheld from her salary to ensure the carrying out of the contract. The court found that Madame Meissonier had failed to carry out her agreement, and the action was dismissed, but Judge Fortin expressed the wish that the directors should pay the $30 withheld from salary.

THEY ACTUALLY DO THE WORK

Food Eaten is Worthless Unless Digested—Some Stomachs Must Have Help.

Food taken into the stomach which, from the nature of the food or the condition of the stomach, is not digested, is worse than no food at all. This is a true statement as far as it goes and a great many dyspeptics go only this far with their reasoning. They argue with themselves that because their stomachs do not do the work given them, they must be given less work; in other words they must be starved. It would be just as sensible for a business man who is unable to do all his own work to cut down his business to his own capacity as it is for a man to starve himself to relieve his stomach. The sensible business man employs help and goes forward with his business. Likewise the sensible dyspeptic will employ help for his stomach and give his body proper nourishment.

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MONTREAL TIME BILL.

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ST. JOHN, N.B., HALIFAX — Lv. ‡7.25 p.m. Ar. (x)8.35 a.m.

TORONTO, HAMILTON, CHICAGO—Lv. †9.30 a.m., *10 p.m. Ar. *7.35 a.m., †7.15 p.m.

WINNIPEG AND PACIFIC COAST—Lv. *9.40 a.m. Ar. *6.30 p.m.

S.S. MARIE, ST. PAUL, MINNEAPOLIS, DULUTH—Lv. *10.10 p.m. Ar. *8.00 a.m.

OTTAWA—Lv. Place Viger †8.20 a.m., †5.40 p.m. Ar. †12.40 p.m., †10.30 p.m. Lv. Windsor St. †8.45 a.m., *9.40 a.m., §10.00 a.m., †4.00 p.m., *10.10 p.m. Ar. *8.00 a.m., †11.15 a.m., *6.30 p.m., †7.00 p.m., §9.45 p.m.

QUEBEC — Lv. †8.30 a.m., †2.00 p.m., §3.30 p.m., *11.00 p.m. Ar. *6.30 a.m., †2.10 p.m., †6.35 p.m., §6.30 p.m.

BOSTON—Lv. 9.00 a.m., *7.45 p.m. Ar. *8.15 a.m., †9.15 p.m.

VAUDREUIL—Lv. †8.45 a.m., †9.30 a.m., *9.40 a.m., §10.00 a.m., (‡)1.30 p.m., †4.00 p.m., †4.15 p.m., (a)5.15 p.m., *10.00 p.m., *10.10 p.m. Ar. *7.35 a.m., *8.00 a.m., †8.40 a.m., †11.45 a.m., †12.15 p.m., *6.30 p.m., †7.00 p.m., †7.15 p.m., §9.45 p.m.

SHERBROOKE — Lv. †8.30 a.m., †4.30 p.m., §7.25 p.m. Ar. (x)8.35 a.m., †11.55 a.m., †7.05 p.m.

JOLIETTE — Lv. †8.30 a.m., †5.00 p.m. Ar. †8.35 a.m., †6.35 p.m.

BERTHIER—Lv. †8.30 a.m., (‡)2.00 p.m., †5.00 p.m. Ar. *6.30 a.m., (‡)8.50 a.m., †2.10 p.m., †6.35 p.m.

ST. JEROME — Lv. †9.00 a.m., §9.15 a.m., (‡)1.45 p.m., †5.25 p.m., (a)6.25 p.m. Ar. †8.30 a.m., †9.30 a.m., †6.55 p.m., §9.45 p.m.

STE. AGATHE — Lv. (n)9.00 a.m., §9.15 a.m., †5.25 p.m. Ar. †9.30 a.m., (u)6.55 p.m., §9.45 p.m.

LABELLE — (m)9.00 a.m., §9.15 a.m., †5.25 p.m. Ar. †9.50 a.m., (m)6.55 p.m., §9.10 p.m.

* Daily. † Week days. § Sunday only. (g) Monday only. ‡ Daily except Saturday. (x) Daily except Monday. (a) Daily except Saturday and Sunday. (b) Friday. (l) Saturday only. (m) Thursdays only. (n) Tuesdays and Thursdays.

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TORONTO LOCAL—Lv. 7.40 a.m., 5.15, 8 p.m. Ar. 9.50 a.m., 7.05 p.m. Daily except Sunday.

CHICAGO THROUGH—Lv. 9 a.m., 10.30 p.m. Ar. 7.00, 7.30, 6 p.m. Daily.

PORTLAND LOCAL—Lv. 8 a.m., 8 p.m. Ar. 7.20 a.m., 6.50 p.m.

ISLAND POND AND QUEBEC—Lv. 4.15 p.m. Ar. 1 p.m.

CANADA ATLANTIC.

OTTAWA—Lv. 8.40 a.m., 4.10 p.m. Ar. 11.20 a.m., 7.15 p.m.

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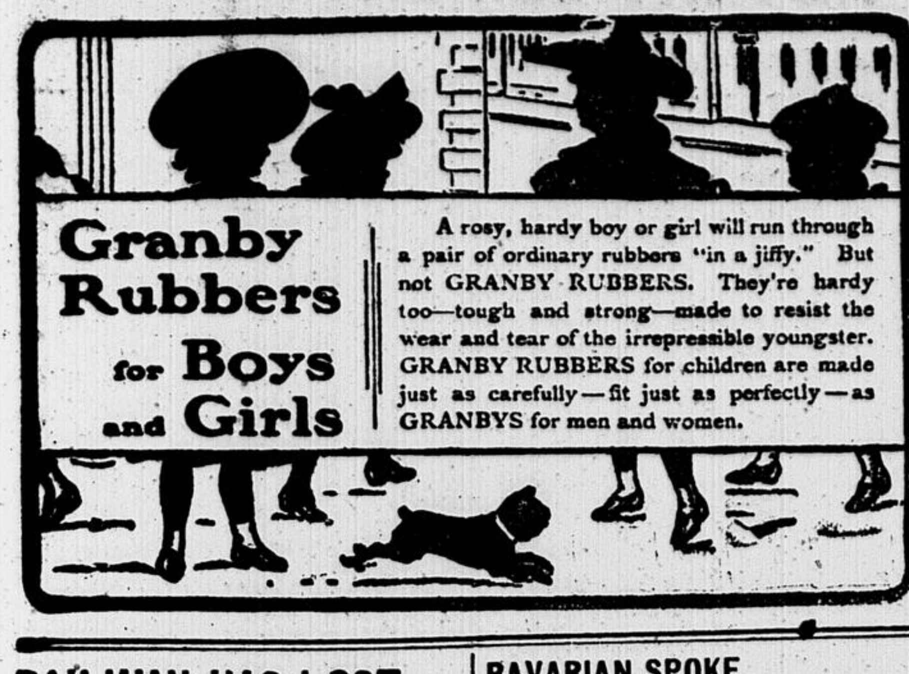

RAILWAY HAS LOST ITS WESTERN LAND

Cases Against Grantees in British Columbia Withdrawn by Columbia and Western.

The Columbia and Western Railway, which is a part of the Canadian Pacific system has withdrawn the actions against the grants of land concessions in British Columbia which practically means that the land grants given to the Columbian and Western road are taken away.

The case of the B.C. land grants has created much interest in Canada generally and in British Columbia in particular where it will be remembered they formed the subject of an enquiry conducted by a commission appointed by the legislature of British Columbia. This investigation was held last spring and was followed by the resignation of the British Columbia Government.

A statement dealing with the case was ade this morning by Chief Solicitor Creelman of the C.P.R. He said: "The lands in question were granted by the Government of British Columbia to the Columbia and Western Railway as part of their land grant subsidy. Subsequent to the issue of the Crown grants the Government of British Columbia took the position that the grants had not passed to the Columbia and Western Railway because they had not been actually delivered.

"The British Columbia Government afterwards passed an order-in-council purporting to rescind the former order by which the grants wee made.

"The railway company claimed ownership of the lands and prepared to contest the validity of the rescinding order-in-council. Such contest could only be made in a British Columbia court.

"It was afterwards ascertained that relying on the validity of the rescinding order the Government had issued licenses to other parties covering the lands claimed by the C. & W. Actions were at once commenced against these individual grantees, the object being to establish the validity of the original crown grants.

"These actions were pending at the time when the British Columbia Legislature in April last passed an act confirming the rescinding order and deciding that the crown grants did not convey the lands to the Columbia and Western Company.

"This action of the British Columbia Legislature unless disallowed by the Dominion Government took away the title of the Columbia and Western Company, and the actions commenced against the individual grantees would necessarily fail.

"Singular as it may seem, the Legislature refused to provide for the protection of the company's interests in the pending actions.

"The year within which the Dominion Government may interfere will not expire until May next but in the meantime some of the defendants in the actions have appealed to the British Columbia courts to dismiss the actions for want of prosecution."

Continuing Mr. Creelman said he had not been officially advised that the actions had been dropped as they are in the hands of the C.P.R.'s solicitors in British Columbia.

CITY HAPPENINGS.

Ald Ames is at Quebec attending a meeting of the Council of Public Instruction.

Henri Goyette and Elizabeth McDonald appeared in police court to-day before Judge Choquet. Both were found guilty of theft and were sent to jail for one month.

Warrants for conspiracy have been issued against Frank Frappier and Auguste Bosquet. Both are held on charges of defrauding the C.P.R. by padding payrolls while in the company's employ at Hochelaga.

Mr. Aime Geoffrion, K.C., will lecture before the Junior Bar Association, Thursday evening, Dec. 3, on "The Alaska Boundary Decision."

The Ladies of St. Anne's Guild, Church of S. John the Evangelist, will hold their annual tea and sale of work in the school-room Saturday, Dec. 5, afternoon and evening.

In the Court of Review at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning judgments will be rendered in the following cases: Berard vs. Dore and Gaudreau vs. Canadian Atlantic Railway.

At the Recorder's Court to-day, Damase Brisebois, his wife and three sons, Arthur, Adjutor and Camille, were remanded on bail till Dec. 2, on a charge of having assaulted two police constables on duty.

The investigation into the cause of the collision between the Hektos and Drottning Sophie, on Lake St. Peter, was resumed this afternoon, and adjourned until Monday, when the counsel will sum up the evidence.

Albert E. Thurlow was arrested yesterday by Detective McCall on the charge of manipulating street railway transfer slips to defraud the company. He came before Judge Lafontaine today and was remanded for enquete.

Michael Madigan was arrested yesterday by the police of No. 7 district on the charge of stealing bread. He came before Judge Lafontaine to-day and was remanded until Wednesday for enquete.

The case of Moy Hen et al. vs. the Canadian Pacific Railway, which was to have come up in the Practice Court this afternoon, has been postponed until Monday morning. 8here was some mistake in the names of the ten Chinamen interested and a delay was granted to make corrections.

The third annual masquerade ball given by Mr. J. Miller, the local comedian, will take place in Stanley Hall, Saturday, Dec. 5. Prizes will be awarded to the best costumed ladies and gentlemen and a full orchestra will be in attendance.

Joseph Gagnon, 70 years of age, who has been begging along the streets, was arrested in St. James Street and taken to the Central Police Station, where it was found he has a bank account of $500 and had enough for current expenses on his person. He was fined $10 by the Recorder.

BAVARIAN SPOKE HER SISTER SHIPS

Parisian and Tunisian "All Well"—Steerage Passengers Want to Land at Halifax.

Halifax, Nov. 27.—The Allan mail steamer Bavarian, Capt. McNicol, from Moville at 2 p.m. Friday last, arrived in port this morning, making a pretty good run. She was signalled here at 4 o'clock and made the run in a few hours less than seven days. Shes poke the Tunisian on Saturday last, and the Parisian at midnight on Wednesday, both by wireless. Both steamers reported "All well."

The Bavarian met heavy westerly winds for two days after leaving Moville, and then the weather moderated. Last night she met a snow squall, but on the whole had a fair winter passage. She brought 82 saloon, 109 second cabin, and 240 steerage passengers. The cabin passengers were:—Mr. and Mrs. S. Angrove, B. T. A. Bell, Mrs. and Master G. Bell, Duncan Campbell, the Misses Carmichael, New Glasgow; Hon. Arthur and Mrs. Drysdale, Halifax; Capt. J. C. Gardner, S. H. Greet, F. G. Issac, Mrs. Lace, Campbell Laing, J. Manuel, Miss Matheson, the Misses McKay, Lieut. McLean, R.H.A., F. S. Parlee, J. P. Patton, J. B. Phillips, A. G. Piddington, K. A. Sims, A. A. Smith, Mrs. Smith, Misses M. and A. J. Symington, G. Wolfe, G. B. Woods, A. R. Yule.

There was considerable mix-up as to landing of passengers here, and the railway officials looking for business were somewhat at sea, while even the officers of the ship were non-plussed. The arrangement to land westbound steerage passengers at St John was not known to the officers until the ship arrived. Most of the saloon passengers landed and later on many of the steerage passengers thought they would like to land, and began to come ashore and head for the immigration buildings. It looks as if the Allans would have a hard job to keep all passengers of this class on board till they reach St. John. The ship leaves this afternoon for St. John, having very little freight to land here.

MR. PARKER GIVEN DR. HARPER'S PLACE

Protestant Committee of Public Instruction Council Make Appointment.

Quebec, Nov. 27.—The quarterly meeting of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction, was commenced this morning, in the Parliament Buildings, Rev. Dr. Shaw, of Montreal, president, in the chair. The secretary announced the appointment of Hon. J. K. Ward as a member of the Council of Public Instruction, to replace the late Samuel Finlay, and the re-appointment of Mr. H. J. Silver as teachers' representative. The secretary also announced that Sir William MacDonald was unable to accept the appointment as member of the committee. Hon. J. J. McCorkill, provincial treasurer, was unanimously elected in his place. In consideration of the recommendation made at the annual meeting of the school inspectors, the committee agreed that in future no teacher should receive a bonus two years in succession. The sub-committee named to consider the appointment of a successor to Dr. Harper, inspector of superior schools, reported in favor of the appointment of Mr. John Parker, inspector of common schools, he to receive a salary of $2,000 per annum, $1,500 as inspector and $500 as special officer of the Department, and to pay his own travelling expenses. The report was confirmed.

Professor Kneeland spoke to his notice of motion respecting extra degrees for certain teachers, and argued that fully 60 per cent. of the teachers who received model school diplomas, had left the profession because they had not the means to attend the universities to take the higher degrees, and desired to take higher degrees without being compelled to attend the universities. Dr. Peterson took exception to the motion in its present form, which would permit students to go up for degrees without attending the universities. The motion was amended on the lines of modifications suggested by Dr. Peterson.

TO DEAL WITH RUSSIA FOR CANADA.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Mr. Henry A. Little, barrister, of Woodstock, Ont., has been appointed a Canadian commissioner to confer with the Russian representatives at a conference to be held in London next February, concerning the claims of nine Canadian sealers for compensation on account of seizure in Behring Sea some years ago.

FRITH WAS HANGED TO-DAY.

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 27.—Alfred Frith was hanged at 8.02 this morning by Hangman Radcliffe. The arrangements were carried out in perfect order. Frith was cool and collected. He made no confession.

NOTES OF THE COLLEGES

The McGill Undergraduates Literary Society will hold its regular meeting at 8 o'clock this evening in the Arts building. The programme will consist of readings by J. Jenkins, Arts, '05 and F. M. Ault, Arts, '07. The following debate will also take place: "Resolved that the adoption by the United Kingdom of a duty on all wheat except that imported from the colonies, accompanied by a tariff on manufactured articles, would be to the interest of the British Empire." H. Howitt, Arts, '05, and G. V. Cousins, Arts, '06 will take the affirmative side, and C. G. Greenshields, Law, '05 and J. H. Richards, Law, '06, will take the negative.

A meeting of the four years of Medicine in McGill, was held at eleven o'clock this morning in Lecture Room No. 3. It was decided to request the Faculty to, in future, collect $1.00 from each of the students as class feet instead of having the treasurer collect it, as is now done.

It was also decided to ask the sister universities to send each a representative to attend the Conversazione to be held about January 15. The usual grants were also voted to the different McGill representatives, one of which will be sent to Dalhousie University this year.

It is announced on authority there is absolutely no foundation for the statement in an evening paper to the effect that there would shortly be established in connection with McGill University a new faculty making physiology as much an arts subject as it is now one of medicine.

CITY REALTY SALES ABOVE USUAL MARK

Westmount, However, Again Heads the List of Transfers During the Week.

Real estate sales during the week were the largest in any week this fall and showed an advance in price. Dealings in St. Andrew, St. George's wards and in Westmount were the largest, while in the east end of the city Hochelaga made a better showing than any other ward. The total sales amounted to $238,939.65. Of this amount sales in St. Andrew Ward amounted to $29,900; in St. George's Ward to $23,160; in Hochelaga to $34,722.55, and in Westmount to $49,482.39.

The Westmount sales included the following:—J. O. Deslaurier sold to R. R. Stevenson, No. 412 Metcalfe Avenue, for $7,500; A. C. Matthews secured from Mr. T. Milburn a number of lots on Arlington Avenue for $7,211; A. Phillips sold to A. Harries Nos. 323 and 325 Lansdowne Avenue for $3,800; Hugh Brodies sold to C. A. Reynolds No. 12 Windsor Avenue for $5,500, and Mr. T. A. Ahier, No. 14 Windsor Avenue, for $5,360; Mr. S. A. Watt sold to Mrs. E. W. Barlow, No. 106 Arlington Avenue, for $7,500.

In St. George's Ward Alex. J. McGarr purchased from William Robb Nos. 50 and 52 Drummond Street with surrounding vacant lots for $22,500.

In St. Andrew's Ward S. H. Ewing secured from Mrs. J. H. Maguire, Nos. 100 and 102 Cote des Neiges Road and 400 St. Paul Street, for $10,600. W. C. Maxwell purchased from W. H. Davis, Nos. 23 and 25 Sussex Street, for $6,300.

In Hoochelaga The W. J. Poupore Co., Ltd., secured from the Montreal Land and Improvement Co. a tract of land in Forsyth, Nicolet, Valois and other streets for $30,657.56.

In St. Henri total sales amounted to $12,260; in Lafontaine Ward to $12,250, and in St. Gabriel Ward to $11,000. Sales in Outremont amounted to $1,365, and in St. Louis they totalled $4,419. $4,419.

EXPRESS TRAIN LEAVES RAILS AT DELOTBINIERE

Engineer and Fireman on I.C.R. are Badly Injured, But Passengers Escape Without Mishap.

A serious accident occurred on the I.C.R. yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at De Lotbiniere Station, by which the express train from Halifax to Montreal was derailed and the engineer and fireman badly hurt. The switch near De Lotbiniere was left open and, as a consequence the train left the rails and collided with a freight standing on the siding.

Engineer Stoddard, of Levis, who was driving the express, had his right leg broken in three places and was otherwise badly injured. Fireman Ruel was hurt in jumping from his engine and it is feared his injuries will prove serious. The express was crowded with passengers, but fortunately none of them were injured.

A wrecking train was soon on the scene, the track was cleared and the derailed train was brought into Montreal at 3 o'clock this morning.

On the freight train no one was injured. To-day trains are running as usual but yesterday's Maritime Express was delayed several hours by the accident.

PRIEST OF GREEK CHURCH ENTERS BIG DAMAGE SUIT

Rev. P. Giroux Wants $10,000 From Rev. Father Chamy, as Result of Controversy.

The action of Rev. P. Giroux against Rev. Father Chamy, for $10,000 damages, was brought up before Mr. Justice Robidoux in the Practice Court this morning on an inscription.

Father Giroux is a priest of the Greek Church, but is not recognized as such by the ecclesiastical authorities. Father Chamy is the regular missionary to the Syrian colony of Montreal.

The trouble between them originated a month ago, when an article appeared in a French paper attacking Father Chamy. This so angered Father Chamy that the following Sunday he replied in his pulpit and charged Father Giroux with having written the article. Father Chamy, in the same sermon, warned his parishioners to have nothing to do with Father Giroux.

Now Father Giroux has entered an action for $10,000 damages.

The Court withheld a decision until more proof is brought up.

INDIAN IS TAKEN BEFORE COURT OF KING'S BENCH

Plea is Made to Have the Case Against Kennatosse Settled Without Delay.

The case of Ignace Kennatosse, an Oka Indian who has been in jail at St. Scholastique for five months, because he was unable to account for certain goods belonging to his brother, was brought up in the Court of King's Bench this morning.

Mr. Markey asked the Court of Appeals to issue a writ of habeas corpus and this was granted yesterday. Sheriff Mireau, of Ste. Scholastique, with Kennatosse in charge, arriving in Montreal last night.

This morning they appeared in court where the case was argued out, Mr. R. C. Smith appearing for the Indian. Kennatosse was in charge of the property of his brother and acted as guardian. When called upon to give account of his stewardship he was unable to do so, and was committed to jail at Ste. Scholastique.

Mr. Smith argued that the commitment was illegal, and unless the courts took action Kennatosse would remain in jail forever. If his friends were to bring in the goods to-morrow he could not be liberated.

A strong plea was made to have the matter settled without any further delays and this was granted by the court. The case was taken en delibere and a judgment will be rendered Dec. 22.

DEPENDS UPON SPEYER LOAN.

Advices received to-day by local stockholders of the Consolidated Lake Superior Company say the stock deposits now amount to 600,000 shares, representing $1,800,000 on the assessment. The underwriting subscribed is a little more than $2,000,000.

The success of the plan will depend entirely on the Speyer loan syndicate agreeing to take bonds in the new company for the larger amount of their loan of $5,050,000.

Mr. T. J. Drummond, Canadian member of the committee, will leave Sunday for Philadelphia.

MR. M'NALLY IS INJURED.

Mr. William McNally, senior partner of the firm of William McNally & Co., met with a serious accident while jumping from a moving car on St. Catherine Street at 8.30 o'clock last night. On landing on the pavement Mr. McNally slipped and was thrown so heavily that severe injuries to the side of his head and his right arm resulted. He was removed to the Royal Victoria Hospital.

CZAR'S ADVISERS ARE GUILELESS

Are Anxious for Peace, So Must be Accorded All They Want in Corea.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—The prolongation of the Russo-Japanese negotiations at Tokio, which have been delayed by Viceroy Alexieff's return to St. Petersburg, is due to the inability to reach an understanding regarding Corea.

Tentative terms on the subject of Manchuria have been settled. Japan recognizes Russia's dominant interests and agrees not to place obstacles in the way of the solution of the problem. While still maintaining the ultimate recognition of her treaty rights, open ports and the integrity of Chinese sovereignty, Japan is content to leave these questions in abeyance, so as not to embarrass Russia. In return Japan insists on the recognition of her influence in Corea and the opening of Yongampho or other ports to foreign trade. Russia is willing to concede something, but she opposes the opening of Yongampho, on account of its proximity to the mouth of Yalu River, onthe ground that it will threaten her interests and complicate her difficulties in Manchuria.

Russia is doing everything possible to bring the negotiations to a conclusion. Viceroy Alexieff has the Czar's orders to this effect. Russia believes it wise to press matters, while Japan is in a pacific mood, which is attributed to foreign counsel. The chief fear expressed here is that the moral effect of the United States continuous pressure in connection with the open door policy will lead Japan to rashness. The attitude of the United States causes much nervousness and some resentment. The Russian view is that no good reason exists why the United States should become involved in a quarrel at the instigation of Russia's enemies, when her interests, comparatively insignificant, are not yet invaded. It is pointed out that last winter and spring, the United States was aroused by the persistent declaration in the British and Japanese press that Russia would never permit China to sign a commercial treaty, yet it was signed on the date fixed.

The sudden flash of anger in China over the Russian reoccupation of Mukden, because it is the old burial place of the ancestors of the present dynasty, is not considered grave, as China's impotency is recognized. Nevertheless, all steps will be taken to avoid a rupture as China's friendship is needed for the future.

Despite the conviction here that the crisis has passed for the winter, Russia is taking nothing for granted. Three quarters of her fleet are massed in or moving to the Pacific. Practically nothing is left on the European side.

Travellers who have just returned from Port Arthur report that the trains going eastward are still filled with troops and war munitions. It is estimated that Russia now has more than 150,000 troops east of Baikal, prepared for eventualities.

A telegram from Port Arthur says Yuan-Shi-Kai, the governor of Chi-Li province, is expected in the province of Mukden at the end of November to negotiate with the Russians.

CECIL AND CHURCHILL STRIKE SOME SNAGS

Lord Hugh and Winston Have Trouble With Their Constituents—Factories Close.

London, Nov. 27.—Lord Cecil addressed several Conservative associations amongst his constituents to-day. He opposed a resolution in favor of Mr. Chamberlain, but it carried.

Winston Churchill was boycotted again to-night from a Conservative meeting at which he was announced to speak. He now threatens to found a new organization.

Mr. Ritchie, speaking at Croydon to-day, said the fiscal agitation had badly unsettled trade, and he wanted a decision as soon as possible.

Mr. Asquith, speaking at Penzance to-day, said he did not believe a single colony was prepared to say to the Motherland, in order to give a preference to our trade put a tax on the food of your people. The colonies, he said, were making no real sacrifices themselves, and ought to extend a preference to England compared with foreign countries.

Profit by New Zealand Preference.

Austen Chamberlain, addressing a mass meeting in the Cambridge Guildhall to-day, said the policy of the Government was to secure liberty to negotiate freely, and to back its words with deeds if necessary. Before leaving London he learned that a large order placed with a German firm had, owing to the New Zealand preference, been cancelled, and given to an English firm instead.

There has been a remarkable response to Mr. Chamberlain's appeal for funds to help the tariff reform campaign. Hundreds of donations, ranging from £1,000 to 1s, have been received.

Many workingmen are contributing small sums, and writing encouraging letters like this: "I am only a poor workingman, but I am sending you a shilling to help old Joe along."

Five poor clerks in Wandsworth send a contribution of 10s, saying: "Under the guidance of our friend and champion, Mr. Chamberlain, we have no fear of the dear loaf bogey."

The Monmouthshire Steel and Tinplate Works, at Pontyminster, employing one thousand hands, and the Finzel Sugar Refinery, at Bristol, employing fourteen hundred hands, have closed.

DESIRES PROTECTION FOR LINEMEN OF DEPARTMENT

Mr. James Ferns Appeals to Fire Committee to Take Precaution With Currents.

Mr. James Ferns, superintendent of the Fire Alarm Department, made an appeal to the Fire Committee yesterday afternoon for protection for his linemen against high tension currents, also against accidents while engaged in their work. He asked that provision be made in the shape of insurance for the benefit of the men. He referred to the fatal accident in Frontenac St. where a lineman was killed the day previous.

The committee agreed that some provision should be made. Ald. Walsh was authorized to confer with the insurance companies and ascertain particulars and report.

The committee decided that work on the new Central Fire Station on Youville Square must be pushed forward as rapidly as possible and that the terms of contract be carried out to the letter. Dr. Daoust, the physician to the Fire Department asked for an absence of 30 days and this was granted.

Mrs. Curtis, whose husband was killed by an electric wire some weeks ago, wrote to the Committee asking for aid, and thanking the following members of the Council for assistance: The Mayor, $10; Ald. Laporte, $10; Ald. Walsh, $10; Ald. Ekers, $10; and Ald. Bumbray, $12.

LOOKS BAD FOR THE TORONTO.

Steamer Loading at Three Rivers Had to Leave on Account of Ice.

Quebec, Nov. 27.—The steamer Verdante, loading at Three Rivers, was obliged to come to Quebec to finish taking in cargo, on account of the ice.

AMUSEMENTS.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING of the *Mackay Institute for Protestant Deaf-Mutes and the Blind* will be held at the office of the Secretary-Treasurer, 189 St. James Street, on Thursday, December 3rd, 1903, at 3.30 p.m.
By order,
G. DURNFORD,
Secretary-Treasurer.

AMUSEMENTS.

WINDSOR HALL—TO-NIGHT and Every Night at 8.15.
Matinee Saturday Afternoon at 3.
Most Wonderful Moving Picture ever shown
LIVING CANADA
New programme including the great Indian play.
HIAWATHA.
Popular Prices 25c. Reserved 50c.
Sale of seats at Shaw's Music Store, St. Catherine St. Children at Matinees 10c.

CRYSTAL RINK *NOW OPEN*
General admission, 10c and 15c.
Band Saturday Night, also every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Ontario Rink Open To-morrow Evening.

BANDITS RESISTED, OFFICERS WERE SHOT

Police Drove Chicago Outlaws to a Swamp, Where They Showed Fight.

Chicago, Nov., 27.—Harry Van Dyne and Peter Niedemeier, accused of sensational murders and robberies at street car barns in Chicago, are reported to have been trapped in a dug-out near Miller Station, Indiana. The dug-out has been surrounded by the police. Urgent telegrams for help reached Assistant Chief of Police Schuettler to-day, and fifty men under the assistant chief's command left at once for Miller Station, armed with Winchester rifles and revolvers.

The battle is said to have been a furious one.

With the telegram came requests for a physician and a priest. The officer sending the telegrams, Sheehan, of Chicago, reported that he had no reason to doubt that the men surrounded are the accomplices of Gustav Marx, the self-confessed bandit, who has been under arrest in Chicago for several days.

The dug-out is in a wild section of country near the shore of Lake Michigan, and bordering the vast swamps that stretch to the southward. The few residents near the scene are reported to have rallied to the aid of the police. Several volleys from rifles were sent into the dug-out, but the bandits kept under cover. It is thought that one of the bandits was injured.

The two wounded policemen were taken to Miller Station and arrangements made to flag a fast train to hurry the victims to Chicago.

About the time that reports of the supposed escape of the bandits were received, the train bearing Detectives Joseph B. Driscoll, shot in the stomach and mortally wounded, and Sergeant Detective Mathew Zimmer, brother of Ald. Zimmer, shot in the head and arm, arrived in Chicago at the Grand Central Station.

MR. M'GARR BUYS PROPERTY.

Will Build Livery Stable in Drummond Near Dorchester Street.

Mr. Alex J. McGarr, proprietor of the Windsor Hotel cab stand, who at the request of the trustees of the Stanley Street Presbyterian Church withdrew his application for the erection of a large boarding and livery stable on the property adjoining the church, to-day completed negotiations for the purchase of another site in Drummond Street, north of Dorchester Street.

The property secured is now occupied by the large stables owned by William Robb, D.V.S., directly opposite the Victoria Rink. The purchase price was $22,500. Additional buildings will be erected. No new application is required for the property.

THE STATE OF TRADE

New York, Nov. 27.—Telegraphic advices regarding the state of trade throughout the United States and Canada, are summarized as follows:

Improvement is shown in industrial, agricultural and commercial lines. Pittsburg looks for general gains in demand for iron and steel from now on, except for iron ore, pig iron and billets, and in the latter after Jan. 1.

New England shoe and leather industries are quite active. The attitude of organized labor at Chicago, Fall River and elsewhere in accepting necessary reductions of wages is regarded as a favorable indication.

Farmers will not be hit by prospective trade depression owing to good crops. Southern planters will profit unprecedentedly through the high price of cotton.

East of Chicago railroads report a notable increase of business, due in part to close of navigation. General trade shows more snap owing to colder weather. This applies to the country generally.

Philadelphia bankers look for a fairly favorable business for six months to come. New York grocers report a good demand for high-class staples.

Trade at Montreal is improved owing to the rush prior to the close of navigation. Collections are only fair. Holiday trade is brisk at Toronto, and demand for seasonable goods is active, particularly furs and woo lens. The bank statement shows that all loans have been contracted.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 27.—Hams, short cut, weak, 48s. Bacon, Cumberland cut, weak, 43s 6d; long clear middles, light, weak, 49s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, weak, 49s; short clear backs, weak, 44s. Shoulders, square, weak, 29s. Hops—At London (Pacific coast), firm, £5 12s to £6 10s. Receipts of wheat during the past three days, 207,000 centals, including 129,000 American. Receipts of American corn during the past three days 110,800 centals. Weather dull.

Major Edwards, U. S. Consul, left this morning on a short trip. He is expected to return on Sunday.

MONTREAL STOCKS.

The following quotations were furnished by W. H. Weir & Son:—

DESCRIPTION	Nov. 26 Ak.	Nov. 26 Bd.	Nov. 27 Ak.	Nov. 27 Bd.
Canadian Pacific Railway	119	118	117½	117¾
Detroit Electric	65¼	65	65¼	65¼
Duluth pref	....	....	....	....
M.S.R.	200	195	201	196
Do Bonds	104½	104	104½	104¼
Toronto Street Ry	97	95¾	97½	96¾
Halifax Elec Tram Co	95	88½	95	88½
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
St John Electric Ry	112½	103	112½	103
TwinCity Transit	91	90½	91½	91
Toledo Railway	22	21¼	22½	[illegible]
Rich & Ont Nav. Co	80	78	80	79½
Commercial Cable Co	155	....	155	....
Do Coupon Bonds	....	....	....	....
Do Reg Bonds	....	....	....	....
Montreal Telegraph Co	170	159½	170	160
Bell Telephone Co	160	140	160	150
Dom Iron & Steel, com	9	8¾	8½	8¼
Do do pref	....	....	30	25
Do do Bonds	58½	57¾	57¾	56¾
Mont Heat, Light & P	75	74	75	74¾
Nova Scotia Steel	73	72	73	71¾
Ogilvie Milling pfd	....	....	125	119
Lake of Woods	....	....	....	....
Laurentide Pulp Co	....	....	....	....
Do do Bonds	100	....	100	....
Montreal Cotton Co	120	....	120	108¼
Dominion Cotton Co	....	34¼	....	31
Canada Colored Cotton Co	....	45	....	....
Do do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Merchants Cotton	40	....	....	35¼
War Eagle	....	....	....	....
Dom. Coal Common	....	....	72¾	72¾
Do pfd	112¾	109	112¾	110¼
Do Bonds	....	....	....	....
Bank of Montreal	....	250	....	250
Ontario Bank	....	....	....	....
Molsons Bank	....	....	....	....
Bank of Toronto	....	....	....	....
Bank of British N A	....	....	....	....
Merchants	152	....	152	148
Royal	....	....	....	....
Bank of Nova Scotia	....	....	....	....
Eastern Townships	....	....	....	....
Quebec	....	....	....	....
Union	....	....	....	....
Commerce	....	....	....	....
Hochelaga	....	....	....	....
North West Land Co	....	....	....	....

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

STOCKS BOOM!

There was quite a boom in Detroit on the local market this afternoon, and there also seemed to be something doing in New York. On heavy trading the price ran up to 67¼ here after selling this morning at 65¾. Twin City was also strong, and Pacific went to 118½.

AFTERNOON BOARD SALES.

125 Detroit United at 66.
50 Detroit United at 66¼.
25 Detroit United at 66½.
100 Detroit United at 66⅜.
15 Detroit United at 66½.
75 Detroit United at 66⅝.
100 Detroit United at 66¼.
100 Detroit United at 66¼.
25 Detroit United at 66⅜.
100 Detroit United at 66¼.
100 Detroit United at 66½.
10 Detroit United at 66⅝.
150 Detroit United at 66⅝.
150 Detroit United at 66⅝.
100 Detroit United at 66⅛.
275 Detroit United at 66¾.
125 Detroit United at 66⅝.
50 Detroit United at 66⅞.
150 Detroit United at 67.
100 Detroit United at 67½.
1,000 Street Bonds at 103½.
70 Twin City at 91½.
150 Twin City at 91⅝.
25 Twin City at 91½.
25 Twin City at 91⅝.
75 Twin City at 91¾.
25 Twin City at 91¾.
50 Twin City at 91⅞.
25 Twin City at 91⅞.
25 Twin City at 92.
25 Power at 74¾.
25 Power at 74⅞.
10 Street Railway at 200.
10 Street Railway at 200.
100 Street Railway at 199.
25 Toronto Railway at 97.
50 Coal at 72½.
25 Coal at 72½.
50 Halifax at 88½.
25 Pacific at 118½.
25 Richelieu at 79½.
6 Merchants Bank at 150½.
14 Merchants Bank at 149½.
2 Merchants Bank at 150.
25 Toledo at 22½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

By private wire to Mr. C. D. Monk, from J. S. Bache & Co.:—

DESCRIPTION	Nov. 25 Op.	Nov. 25 Cl.	Nov. 27 Op.	Nov. 27 Cl.
Amalgamat. Copper	37¼	38¼	89¾	38
Amer. Loco. com	1.5	13½	13¼	14¼
Do. do. pfd	73	72¼	....	74¾
Amer. Sug. Ref. Co	118¾	119¼	119	[illegible]
Do. Do pfd	120½	120½	....	....
Amer. Sm. & Ref. Co.	43¾	65⅛	....	44
Am. Car Foundry	17¾	18¼	....	18¼
Anaconda Min. Co.	65½	69	....	....
Atch. Top. and St. Fe	65½	65¼	65¼	66¾
do do pref	89½	89¼	90	9.
Baltimore and Ohio	75¾	75⅝	76	76
do. do. pref	....	87¼	....	....
Brooklyn Rapid T	38¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Chic. and Alton com	40¼	30¼	....	31¼
Canadian Pacific	118½	110¼	118¼	118¼
Canada Southern	....	....	41¾	40¼
Ches and Ohio	30½	30¼	30½	30⅝
Chic. Burl. Quincy	....	....	....	....
Chicago and N. West	....	....	166½	166¾
Chicago R.I. and Pac.	....	....	....	....
Chicago, Mil. St. P.	137¾	138	138¼	138¼
Colorado Southern	12½	12¼	....	12¼
do. do. 1 pref	52½	52¼	....	....
Consolid'td Gas N.Y.	....	....	175	176¼
Colorado Fuel Iron	26	26¼	25½	25
Clev. C.C. and St. L.	....	....	....	17½
Detroit United Ry	....	....	....	63¾
Dela. Lack and West	236	236	....	....
Delaware-Hudson	....	....	....	154
Denver Rio G. pref	67	67	67	67
Duluth S. Sh. Alt	....	....	....	....
do do pref	....	....	....	....
Great Northern pfd	....	....	....	....
General Electric	153¾	153	....	154
Jersey Central	....	....	....	....
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	....
Iowa Cen. Com	....	....	....	20
Kansas Texas com	....	....	17¾	....
Kansas Texas pfd	....	36¼	36¼	....
Louisville Nashville	103	103¾	103¾	103¾
Man Elevated	138¾	139	139	139
Missouri Pacific	89¾	89½	90	90¼
Metropolitan Trac	116	116¼	116¼	118½
N. Y. Cen. Hudson	117¾	117	117¼	117¼
Erie Railroad	26⅝	26⅞	27	27¼
do do 1 pfd	66½	66	66½	66⅞
do do II pfd	48	48	48½	48½
N. Y. Ontario. West	20⅞	20½	20½	20¼
Norfo't West Com	55¾	56	....	55⅞
Northern Securities	....	....	56⅛	....
Pacific Mail	26	26	26	....
Penn. R. R	113¾	114¼	114¾	113¾
Pressed Steel Com	23	24	24	24¼
do do pref	64	64¼	....	64¼
Peoples Gas	93	93½	94	94¾
Phil. & Reading	39⅞	40¼	40¾	40¾
do do 1 pref	....	....	....	....
do do II pfd	....	....	....	....
Pullman	....	....	....	....
Southern Ry. com	19	19½	19½	19¾
do do pref	76	76⅞	76¾	76⅞
Southern Pacific	45¾	45¾	45½	46
Tenn. Coal-Iron	27⅞	27¾	....	....
Texas Pacific	....	....	....	....
Twin City	90½	90¼	91¼	91¾
U. S. Leather com	7	7	....	....
do do pref	75	76	....	76
U. S. Steel com	10⅞	11⅛	11⅛	11
do do pref	51	51⅛	50⅞	51⅞
U. S. Rubber, com	....	....	....	....
do do pref	....	....	....	....
Union Pacific com	72¾	73	73¾	74¼
do do pref	....	....	....	....
Wabash	18⅞	19¼	19¼	19¾
do pref	34⅞	34⅞	35	35⅞
Western Union Tel	85	85	....	84⅞
Wis Cen. com	....	16¾	....	17
do. pref	37	37	....	....

CHICAGO MARKETS.

By private wire to Mr. C. D. Monk, from J. S. Bache & Co.:

Nov. 27	Opg.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, Dec.	79½	80¼	79½	80¼b
May	79⅝-¾	80¼	79⅝-½	80¼
Corn, Dec.	42	42⅛	41⅞	41⅞-2
May	42	42⅛	41⅞	42
Oats, Dec.	34⅝	34⅞	34½	34⅝
May	35⅝	35⅞	35⅝	35⅝
Pork, Jan.	11 20	11 07	10 75	10 75
May	11 15	11 20	11 00-2	11 00-2
Lard, Jan.	6 30	6 30	6 20	6 22
May	6 40	6 40	6 30	6 32
Ribs, Jan.	5 75	5 77	5 70	5 70
May	5 95	5 95	5 87	5 87

C.P.R.

There is no use waiting for Big Things in a Traders' Market. If this stock advances to $119.50, sell it "Short," and if it goes down to $117.00, "buy" it. Take small profits and repeat. Orders should be placed in anticipation of a rise or fall.

THOMAS FRASER,
BROKER, N.Y. STOCKS,
56 ST. FRANCOIS XAVIER STREET.
Phone No. 4575 Main.

LIBEL SUIT OVER BLAIR POLITICS

Fredricton, Nov. 27.—The Supreme Court to-day set aside the verdict and ordered a new trial in the libel suit of C. J. Milligan, former editor of the Telegraph, St. John, against James H. Crockett, of Fredericton. The Fredericton Gleaner, owned by Crockett, published an article which Milligan considered libellous and a jury awarded him $1,000.

FEARS FOR THE EMERALD.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—The belief is entertained here that the schooner Emerald, laden with coal, has foundered in Lake Ontario with her crew of seven. She was laden with coal, and has been out of Oswego a week. Local mariners believe she is wrecked.

AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY *All This Week*
Matinee Saturday
WALTER JONES Comic Opera Co. in
THE SLEEPY KING.
NEXT WEEK.
SAM S. and LEE SHUBERT present
AUBREY BOUCICAULT
In William A. Brady's production of
CAPTAIN CHARLIE
A Comedy Romance of the Time of Napoleon by Theodore Burt Sayre.
AN IMMENSE SCENIC EQUIPMENT BRILLIANT COSTUMES.
And a Strong Supporting Cast of Well-Known Artists.
Prices 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
Sale of Seats Opens Thursday.

PROCTOR'S ALL THIS WEEK
3 Matinees Only—Wed., Fri. and Sat.
MORE THAN QUEEN.
NEXT WEEK
ALICE NEILSEN'S production of the Big Comic Opera Success
The Fortune Teller
60—PEOPLE—60
Cast includes
Edna Bronson, Robert Lett
Grace Orr Meyers, Frank B. Head
May Emory, Hermann Hershberg
A BIG BEAUTY CHORUS.
MONDAY, NOV. 30th—BISHOP'S MEDICAL COLLEGE ANNUAL THEATRE NIGHT.
PRICES—50, 35, 25, 20, 10c.

FRANCAIS Matinees—Wednesday, Thursday Saturday.
THIS WEEK
Walter Fessler's Scenic Production
The Great White Diamond.
ALL NEXT WEEK
Beginning MONDAY, NOV. 30,
The romantic story of St. Bernard
"WHEN THE BELL TOLLS"
With all the original effects used in the Princess Theatre, London, production.
MISS LOUISE McCALLUM
and a Powerful Cast.
A Story of Absorbing Interest.
Magnificent and Unique Scenic Effects
Prices—10c, 20c, 30c, 35c and 50c.

ROYAL. Every Afternoon and Evening.
THIS WEEK—Nov. 23rd
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and a Big Olio of Novel Specialties.
Prices 10c, 20c, and 30c. Next Week—The Jolly Grass Widows Burlesquers.

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ONE WEEK ONLY
COMMENCING MONDAY, NOV. 30,
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The Greatest of all Moving Picture Shows, with NEW VIEWS.
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Male Quartette Will Sing.
MEN HEARTILY INVITED.

Relieve the Distressed.

St. Andrew's Society

The Anniversary Sermon to the Society will be preached in Knox Church on Sunday evening, November 29th, at 7 o'clock, by the Rev. Ewen A. Mackenzie, B.A., B.D., Senior Chaplain.

A special collection in aid of the Society's charitable work, will be taken up.

All Scotchmen and their descendants are heartily invited to be present.

Members of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Societies will assemble in the Vestry at 6.45 o'clock.

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON,
Hon. Secretary.

Art Association
PHILLIPS SQUARE.
Art Association Classes—Painting Class
A Painting Class (from the Draped Model) will be held on Wednesday and Friday afternoons, from 2 to 4 o'clock, commencing November 4. The Advanced Art Classes are held every Monday, Wednesday and Friday Mornings from 9.30 to 12.30. The class rooms are open daily for study.
For particulars apply to the secretary.

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When you are rubbed over with something that is not massage. We give you the best massage in the city, for cleansing, feeding and beautifying the skin
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MARKET BOARD ON TOUR

The annual inspection of the markets is being made to-day. The party consisted of Aldermen Chausse, Lesperance, Walsh, Bumbray and N. Lapointe, Superintendent Viron and Secretary Leblanc, of the markets department. Bonsecours Market was first visited and then St. Antoine, St. Lawrence, St. Jean Baptiste, St. James and the eastern and western cattle markets. The object is to ascertain what appropriations are necessary for next year.

FIRST BOARDS ARE NAMED BY RAILWAY

Mr. Edgar McMullen, of Boston, is Chosen as Provisional President of O.R. Co.

The Ottawa River Railway Company was regularly organized at the meeting of the promoters and intending stockholders, held in the Queen's Hotel yesterday afternoon. As outlined in The Herald, the company intends as soon as its stock has been underwritten, to proceed with the construction of an electric line from the town of Grenville in Argenteuil county, to Montreal. A provisional board of directors and committees were appointed to look after the organization of the company and the securing of the various rights that must be obtained.

The provisional management will be: Mr. Edgar McMullen, of Boston, president; J. A. C. Ethier, vice-president, and Claude Wilkinson, secretary.

The committee to look after the underwriting of the stock will be composed of Messrs. McMullen, Hon. F. X. Mathieu, Hon. W. A. Weir, J. Douglas Wells, J. A. C. Ethier, R. Christie.

The committe to confer with the Dominion Government to make arrangements for the acquiring of water power will be composed of Senator Domville, Hon. W. A. Weir, F. D. Monk, E. McMullen, J. A. C. Ethier, and R. Christie.

The committee to make ararngements with the Council of St. Louis, Outremont and Montreal for right of way be composed of Messrs. F. D. Monk and Thomas Gauthier.

The meeting of the stockholders, at which the regular board of directors will be appointed, will take place Jan. 12.

ASSISTANT MASTER MAY BE APPOINTED TO BERTH

Committee of High School Receives Principal Dixon's Report Anent the Re-arrangement.

The High School Committee met yesterday afternoon to receive a report from Mr. Wellington Dixon, the incoming principal, with regard to the re-arrangement of the working staff connected with that institution. Following is the report:

"After consulting with Mr. Rexford I am able to submit for your approval the following plan of re-arranging the classes in the Senior department of the High School:

"The existing arrangements have been disturbed as little as possible. The work, for instance, of Dr. Kelley, Mr. Curry and Mr. Walker is unchanged.

"The present members of the staff have been promoted to such an extent as to make it necessary to have a new man assist in the third forms with a little mathematics in one of the fourths which did not seem easily provided for otherwise, this new man to be in charge of what is called 3C class, where the main part of his work will be. The main promotions are:

"Mr. Gammell is to be moved from 4A to 5BC, the class I was in charge of, where he will have 2 1-2 hours in geometry to make up for the omission of geography in two of the third forms, this last to be done by the new man.

"Mr. Orrin Rexford will do all the mathematics of the sixth, nearly all of the fifth, and will continue his physics in the fourth, fifth and sixth, being class master in 4A, made vacant by Mr. Gammell's promotion.

"Mr. Ives will be moved from 3C and put in charge of 3A, the class which Mr. Rexford leaves; and Mr. Smiley will be asked to take the mensuration in the fifth, a subject which he taught in the Senior School before coming to us."

After the committee had considered the report it was adopted and referred to the board for its sanction. Mr. W. C. Munn, B.A., at present assistant master at the High School will, it is understood, be the new man.

ALL ARE FOR SWEET PEACE.

British and French Legislators Agree That War is 'Orrid.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The members of the British Parliament who, with their wives and daughters, are returning the visit to London of French Senators and Deputies representing the International Arbitration group, had a busy day. The most prominent of the parliamentarians were entertained by the leading deputies and others by the staff of the Siecle. Visits to the Senate and Chamber of Deputies followed, and at 5 o'clock a reception was held at the Elysee, Baron d'Estournelles De Constant introducing the members and their ladies individually to President and Madame Loubet.

Replying to an address delivered by Lord Brassey during the reception, President Loubet expressed the great pleasure the visit of the members gave him, and referred to the happiness he experienced during his recent visit to London. He said he hoped the example set by two great nations of western Europe in signing an arbitration treaty would be generally followed. The proceedings of the reception were most cordial.

ONE CAT SCRATCH KILLS.

Man Dies in Four Days After Being Wounded By Cat He Killed.

Paterson, N.J., Nov. 27.—Samuel Dykstra is dead as the result of a cat's scratch. A week ago Dykstra shot a cat which was annoying his family. He went to the yard and kicked what he supposed was its dead body. The animal sprang at him and scratched his leg deeply.

The leg became much inflamed, and the patient was sent to the hospital. From the ankle to the knee the leg was much swollen and inflamed. Dykstra was delirious and his pulse was rapid and weak. He was taken to the operating table and three incisions were made for the purpose of removing the accumulations of pus. The patient sank rapidly and died four days after being scratched.

SHIPPING.

PORT OF MONTREAL.

VESSEL IN PORT.

Toronto, below Sohmer Park.

PROPELLER RUNS AGROUND.

The propeller Miles, with 4,000 bushels of wheat, arrived from Fort William Thursday night. In coming into the dock she had to sheer out to allow a Montreal Transportation Company's tow to pass, and her bow grounded on a corner of the shoal in front of Richardson's dock. The propeller is resting on a mud bottom waiting to have part of her cargo taken out.

RIVER SEASON CLOSES.

Navigation on the Rideau and Ottawa has been closed for the season, and the freighters and smaller craft are in their winter berths. Immediately after the New Year the basin will be the scene of activity, as the work on the new freight and passenger boat to take the place of the Olive, of the Ottawa Forwarding Company's line, will begin. The structural steel therefor is now being placed in Montreal.

NOTES IN GENERAL.

SS. Toronto, Canadian Ocean & Inland..., is the only ship left in port. She lays below Sohmer Park, and is loaded with rails. She will load grain here.

The steamer Three Rivers, of the R. & O. Navigation Co., was pulled off the mud bank in the river near Longueuil yesterday. She went aground Wednesday night. There was no damage.

SS. Montreal, C.P.A. line, Montreal to London, arrived outward at 5 p.m. Wednesday.

SS. Monteagle, C.P.A. line, Bristol to St. John, arrived inward at 3 p.m. Wednesday.

SS. Ontarian, Allan line, passed Matane for London at 11 a.m. yesterday.

MR. BOWMAN MAY BE NAMED SENATOR

North Bruce Man Favored to Succeed Dr. Landerkin in the Senate.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—(Special.)—One of the latest names to be mentioned in connection with the Senatorship rendered vacant by the death of Dr. Landerkin, is that of Charles W. Bowman, M.P.P., for North Bruce, and chief Liberal whip in the Ontario Legislative Assembly. Mr. Bowman is one of the strongest men in the local House and in 1898, succeeded in redeeming the riding he represents by 250 of a majority and by a similar majority was re-elected in 1902.

THE WOMAN IN THE CASE.

Telegrapher Shot At His Post Was "Sorry" for Neglected Wife.

Williamsport, Pa., Nov. 27.—The mother of the man Clendennin, who was shot at the watch tower here, and who telegraphed for aid, has given to the police the name of a man whom she believes to know something of the death of her son.

"The story that Will told me some time ago, accounts for the motive of the crime. Will was thirty-one years old and a bachelor. He became well acquainted some years ago with the wife of a man who was with him in the office where he worked. The woman used to visit the office, and finally the husband became jealous. There was no reason for that, Will told me.

"This man began to drink and was discharged from the company's service. He became a 'tramp' telegraph operator, roaming from place to place. Will was promoted to the man's position. The wife went to Lock Haven to live. Will used to go there occasionally to see her.

"Several times the woman came down from Lock Haven and spent Sunday at a friend's house. Will went there to see her. He told me two months ago that she had applied for a divorce, and he remarked that she was too good a woman to be hampered by such a husband. She was only twenty-four years old.

"She went two weeks ago to visit friends in New Jersey. She sent a box of flowers for Will's funeral from there, and she wrote a friend that she had read of the murder in the newspapers.

"Will knew the murderer, else why did the man hammer the life out of him after he shot him? That was done to prevent Will from telling his name."

CHRISTIANITY IN OLD CHINA.

Rev. Murdock Mackenzie Says the Outlook is Encouraging.

Rev. Murdoch Mackenzie lectured in the David Morrice Hall last evening, taking for his subject, "The Outlook for Christianity in China," pointing out that the situation to-day was not without its serious aspects. The Dowager Empress, who had countenanced the Boxer uprising, was still on the throne, the Emperor, who had strong liberal views, was still a prisoner, the leaders of the Boxer movement were again at large and the Chinese were rapidly acquiring the military spirit.

It was only a few years ago that the Chinese said Christianity was gaining no ground whatever in China, and that it was to the lower classes only it appealed. The Chinese, however, were coming to understand Christianity. It was now known to all classes and ranks. The Distribution Society was circulating a vast amount of Christian literature, greater freedom of intercourse now existed between the missionaries and Chinese officials, railroads were being constructed, and missions that had been closed were being reopened. Taken in all, indications are encouraging.

LIKE IT AT 60 BELOW.

Germans of the Antarctic Expedition All Gained in Weight.

Kiel, Nov. 27.—When the steamship Gauss arrived with the Antarctic expedition the following telegram from Emperor William was delivered to the leader, Prof. Erik von Drygalski:

"I send you and the other members of the South Polar expedition of the Gauss, my imperial greeting upon your return home, and express joy that all, by God's will, have arived well and safe."

All the members come back weighing more than when they left here, Aug. 11, 1901, and ready for another polar journey. The ship brought back a full year's provisions. An ice-barrier which threatened to permanently enclose the Gauss broke, February 9. The expedition found the temperature ranging to 60 degrees below zero, not inconvenient. The relations of all the members with one another were perfectly harmonious.

TWO LICENSES ARE REVOKED.

At the last meeting of the Maisonneuve Town Council the hotel licenses of Messrs. Caron and Mayes were rescinded, the conditions not having been fulfilled. A license was transferred from Mr. Molinare to Mr. C. Lachapelle. Valuation of Mr. J. Oulmet's property was reduced to $1,500, and of Mr. Alf. Masson's lots on Larose and Latour streets to $450 each. Mr. Joseph Elie's salary as inspector of work on drains was increased to $3 a day. Twenty-five dollars was voted to the firemen's benevolent fund in recognition of the firemen's work at the Laniel factory fire.

BEWARE OF HEADACHE POWDERS.

New York, Nov. 26.—Mrs. Mary Cusick and Mrs. Julia Ward, who boarded with Mrs. Cusick, died here to-day under circumstances indicating death from some poison, the nature of which has not been determined. The women had complained of severe headaches during the day and each took a headache powder procured from a nearby drugstore, soon thereafter becoming violently ill and dying in three hours. It is thought that the powders may have affected their hearts.

SUCH GENTLE LITTLE WAYS.

Salt Lake, Utah, Nov. 26.—A despatch from Scofield, Utah, says that an attempt was made to-day by a number of striking Italian and Finn coal miners to roll a box car down the railroad tracks leading through a deep canon through which a party of railroad and mine officials were coming. The attempt was prevented by the military and a number of arrests were made.

SHIPPED CHINESE AS HORSES.

Malone, N.Y., Nov. 26.—Geo. Marsh, of North Burke, who is under arrest charged with attempting to smuggle six Chinamen into the United States last week by sending them to Boston in a car which had been engaged at Chateauguay for shipping horses, was held in $1,000 bail to-day by United States Commissioner Wells.

ATE THEIR TURKEY IN LONDON.

London, Nov. 26.—Thanksgiving day was celebrated by the American Society in London at a banquet given at the Hotel Cecil to-night. There were over 400 covers. William Jennings Bryan was the guest of honor.

City Hall News.

GRAND TRUNK READY TO DISCUSS SCHEME

Comptroller Sends Letter to Road Board Anent Elevation of Railway Tracks.

The elevation of the Grand Trunk railway tracks from Bonaventure Station to St. Henri, received some attention from the Road Committee yesterday afternoon, when the subject was referred to in a letter from Mr. W. Wainwright, of the G.T.R., regarding the opening of Dominion Street. The company, he said, was not prepared to enter into any arrangement for the opening of the street across its tracks. The letter concluded as follows:

"The company is prepared at any time to discuss with the Council the question of abolishing the crossing, between the Bonaventure depot and St. Henri, and the abolition of the tracks for that purpose."

Ald. Laporte said it was an important question, and should be dealt with when a new council was elected. Negotiations between the city and company had been carried on a few years ago but a deadlock had been reached over the question of cost ato be borne by each party.

A letter was also received from the Canadian Pacific Railway in reference to the closing of certain streets near the Place Viger Station, wanting to know what was the cause of delay.

The letter said in part: "The company has expended a large sum of money—about $400,000—in the purchase of property in St. Mary's and St. James Wards, and is prepared to go on, and spend a very considerable additional sum in making improvements which will undoubtedly be of much benefit to that section of the city, and we are at a loss to understand what reason there can be for withholding a favorable decision on a matter, in which not merely the interests of the company itself, but of the whole city, and especially of the East End, are so concerned."

Ald. Giroux thought it strange that the company was so anxious when it had full power to have the land there expropriated.

Ald. Gallery pointed out that the committee had made a report to council on the subject but it had not yet been dealt with. The matter then dropped.

The committee disposed of a number of minor matters. It was decided not to remove the cabmen's shelter on Jacques Cartier Square. An account for work done at the Chateau de Ramezay was forwarded to the Finance committee.

MAJORITY ARE AGREEABLE TO CEDING PROPERTIES

Three in Sherbrooke Street, However, Hold Out for Compensation to Turn Over Lands.

Property owners in Sherbrooke Street met the Road Committee yesterday afternoon to discuss the extension of that street from Delorimier Street to the eastern limits. They were headed by Mr. U. H. Dandurand, Mr. Shepherd and Mr. Delisle, and represented the seventeen properties concerned.

It was announced to the Committee that fourteen of the proprietors were willing to cede the necessary part of their property to the city, while three held out for compensation. The question at once arose whether the land of the three would have to be expropriated and if so who would pay the cost.

The members of the deputation defined their position as follows: They were willing to cede their land free if the cost of the expropriations necessary was placed upon the whole city, and they wanted the street opened at once. They thought that they were giving enough in their own land and were not willing to the payment of other land.

Chairman Vallieries was of the opinion that the proprietors on the street would have to bear the cost of the expropriations, as the work would be of most direct interest to them.

After some discussion it was resolved to have a report made, showing the valuation of the property that was not to be ceded to the city.

ST. LOUIS WORLD'S FAIR TO ECLIPSE PAN SHOW

Mr. H. R. Charlton Says It Will Excel Any Exhibition in Its Various Features.

Mr. H. R. Charlton, manager of the advertising department of the Grand Trunk Railway system, has returned from a ten days' trip to Chicago, St. Louis and other western points. At Chicago he visited the Sportsman's Show in the Coliseum, where the Grand Trunk have an exhibition. Mr. Charlton says the collection of fish and the series of large pictures depicting fishing and hunting scenes is the leading feature of the exposition, and together with the Multilens Biogen, projecting moving pictures of scenes taken on the line of the Grand Trunk, is attracting more notice than any other exhibit. While there Mr. Charlton was made an associate member of the International Sportsmen's Association.

Mr. Charlton speaks most enthusiastically regarding the World's Fair to be held in 1904, at St. Louis. The main buildings of the exposition are nearing completion and by the end of the year will be completed. As to its magnitude those who visited the Pan-American at Buffalo, can imagine the scope of the St. Louis Fair when it is stated that the floor space of one of the main buildings exceeds the aggregate area of exhibit space at the Pan-American. This building the agricultural building, covering 23 acres of ground, and is 1,600 feet long by 700 feet wide. Several of the other buildings over 15 acres of ground. The Canadian building is nearing completion and is in a good location near the agricultural building, and the British, French and other foreign countries' special buildings.

"From indications," says Mr. Charlton, "the World's Fair at St. Louis will be the greatest exposition that has ever been held and will far excell any other exposition, not only in area, but in its educational featres throughout every department."

OBITUARY.

Brockville.—Mr. Samuel Shannon, a life-long resident of Augusta Township, died at his brother's residence here.

Gravenhurst.—Bruce Avery, D.D.S., formerly of Mallorytown, died here aged 44 on Tuesday. He was a son of the late Rugles Avery.

Douglas, N.B.—George W. Dunphy, a prominent farmer, died here Tuesday, aged 74.

Cookshire, Que.—Mrs. S. J. Osgoode, wife of the postmaster here, died on Monday evening. She was a daughter of the late J. French Taylor. Colonel J. H. Taylor is a brother.

Harriston, Ont.—Elisha Lemmex, 80 years of age, formerly of Montagu, died here on Monday.

Ottawa.—Joseph Sullivan, formerly well known on the Ottawa River, died here on Wednesday.

HERALD CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

SITUATIONS VACANT

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WANTED — STRONG BOY, TO HELP plumbers and steamfitters. Apply Conroy Bros., 228 Centre st. 282

WANTED — GIRLS TO LEARN SPINNING. Good wages, steady employment. Apply 283 St. Patrick st. tf

WANTED — FIRST CLASS MAN TO TAKE charge of sticker room in large factory in Ontario. Write to this office, giving experience and references. R 1,000, Herald Office.

WANTED — AN ELDERLY WOMAN, TO DO housework and care with children, or young girl; must be fond of children; good place to right party. Address 83 Laprairie st., Point St. Charles.

WANTED

George A. Mace & Co., Paper Box Manufacturers, want all their hands to report for work at once. The factory is now in working order. 281

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, A BOY, WITH a little experience on the easy sign marker or rubber type stamping. Apply to The S. Carsley Co., Limited. 284

WANTED — FIRST CLASS GENERAL SERvant; highest wages; family four; new house, all conveniences. 94 Arlington ave. Telephone Westmount 1285. 283

WANTED — TWO GOOD LAUNDRESSES, at the Royal Victoria Hospital. Apply at Laundry Dept. 278

WANTED — 25 MEN FOR ENGLAND; FREE passage both ways and wages. Apply Waller & Co., 1887 Notre Dame st. 285

WANTED — RESPECTABLE AND INTELligent persons, to solicit orders for nursery stock; to the right parties I can offer the best inducements; best time in the year to make a start. Apply for terms, at once, to E. D. Smith, Winona, Ont.

WANTED — AN OFFICE BOY, WHO HAS at least passed the fourth year of the Protestant schools of the city, and who can furnish satisfactory testimonials of punctuality, diligence, politeness and neatness. Apply after ten o'clock, on Monday, November 30th, at 32 Belmont st. S. P. Robins, Principal.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OPERATORS on Wheeler and Wilson, No. 61, and Singer sewing machines, making blouses; also band and collar makers. Best prices paid, plenty of work. We do not work Saturday afternoons. Apply to The G. H. Harrower Co., 8 Beaver Hall Hill. 295

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT, FOR family of two. Apply 116 St. Matthew st., Thursday, between 2 and 9 p.m.

WANTED — TWO BOYS. APPLY HERALD Mail Room, Chenneville st.

WANTED — AN AGENT IN EVERY CITY, town and village in Canada, for one of the best selling books of the day. Pays thirty-three per cent. profit. For full particulars, write P.O. Drawer 2183, Montreal Canada. tf

WANTED — AT ONCE, GOOD COAT AND skirt hands. Apply 119 Greene ave., Westmount.

WANTED — 10 YOUNG LADIES' AGED BEtween 15 and 18, for Checking Office. Apply at once, to The S. Carsley Co., Limited. 284

WANTED — A HEAD NURSE FOR THE Protestant Infants' Home, who has had some hospital training. Also a night nurse. Apply 508 Guy st. 281

WANTED — GOOD FIRST TENOR AND second bass, to join male quartette. Only those who can read music need apply. Address K 351, Herald Office. 284

WANTED — FIFTY SHIRT MAKERS, ALL kinds of work, button holers, boxers, young girls to sew buttons. Skelton Bros. & Co., cor. Duke and William sts.

WANTED — 5 OR 6 BRICKLAYERS AT once. Apply to James Young, cor. Clarke and Western avenues, Westmount. 284

WANTED — BOY, ABOUT 15 YEARS OLD, good wages. Apply at 2565 St. Catherine street. 279

WANTED — HOUSEMAID, REFERENCES required. Apply 219 Peel st. 279

WANTED — A GENERAL SERVANT FOR family of two, references required. Apply 39 Prospect ave., Westmount. 284

WANTED — FIRST CLASS MAN TO TAKE charge of sash and blind department, in large factory in Ontario. Write this office, giving experience and references. R 1,500, Herald Office.

WANTED — A GOOD LAUNDRESS, IN PRIvate family. 489 Notre Dame st., Maisonneuve. Tel. East 332

WANTED — FIRST CLASS TRAVELLER, to represent manufacturer in linens, etc., on commission. Also one for dry milk. Address K 356, Herald Office 282

WANTED—TRAVELLER FOR THE COUNtry, to carry side lines in shirts, pants and overalls. Address K 354, Herald Office. 282

WANTED — A STRONG BOY. APPLY TO J. S. Robertson, 750 Craig st. 282

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT good wages and nice place for suitable person. Apply 167 Metcalfe st. Tel. 2678. 278

WANTED — 10 YOUNG LADIES AGED BEtween 15 and 18, for checking offices. Apply at once, to The S. Carsley Co., Limited. 282

ROOMS AND BOARD

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ROOMS — TO LET, BEAUTIFULLY FURnished parlor bedroom, also bedroom and sitting room, all modern conveniences. 40 Cherrier st.

ROOMS — LARGE, WELL FURNISHED room, ground floor; rooms on bath flat; Auer light, hot water. 29 Metcalfe st., facing Dominion square.

BOARD—MRS. DOCTOR SEARL, STRICTLY private accommodation for ladies, with professional attendance; ladies treated and attended. 28 St. Monique st. 285

ROOMS — DOUBLE FURNISHED ROOMS, very bright; gentlemen preferred. 208 Bleury st.

ROOMS — TO LET, FURNISHED ROOM, with board; gentleman only. Address E 45, Herald Office.

ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED ROOM, bathroom flat, hot and cold water; with or without board. Apply 295 St. Urbain st.

ROOMS — TO LET, FURNISHED ROOM, bright and well heated; gentlemen preferred. 327 St. Urbain st.

ROOMS — LARGE DOUBLE ROOMS, WITH first class board. Telephone Up 3245. 79 Union ave.

AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS — DO YOU WANT TO MAKE ONE hundred dollars by Christmas? Drop me a line. Wesley Linscott, Brantford. 285

LOST

LOST—BETWEEN WINDSOR HOTEL AND Drummond st., on Dorchester st., diamond and sapphire pin, horse shoe shape. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 2208 St. Catherine st. 280

MISCELLANEOUS

RESPECTABLE MARRIED WOMAN, WHO is obliged to work, desires home for her baby for about 8 months. Reply immediately, stating terms, to F 5, Herald Office.

WANTED TO PURCHASE

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WANTED — A FIRST CLASS, SECONDhand church organ, warranted. Give particulars. Address E. C., Herald Office.

WANTED TO PURCHASE TWO TOBOGGAN cushions (red plush preferred), to fit an 8 ft. toboggan. Address H. N. M., 512 St. Urbain st., giving full particulars.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY Arthur W. Wilks. Wilks and Michaud, Public Accountants, Merchants Bank Building. Tel. M. 4125.

OFFICES TO LET

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TO LET — OFFICES, WITH FIRE PROOF safes. A suite of five connected offices, separate entrance to each. Two fire-proof safes. Chesterfield Chambers. Possession immediately. G. W. Stephens, Jr., 18 St. Alexis st. 285

TO LET — IMMEDIATE OCCUPATION, bright office, fronting St. James, Temple Building. Apply Thomas Haram, Manager. 282

TO LET

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TO LET — FLAT, 73 MARIANNE STREET, 7 rooms, also bath, w.c., gas and hot water furnace; also dwelling, 33 Suzanne street, 5 rooms. Both in perfect order. 278

TO LET — EIGHT ROOMED COTTAGE. Apply on premises, 16 Kinkora ave.

PERSONALS.

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PERSONAL — BILL SMITH, OF LONDON, England, is in Montreal, and he would be glad to make a match with any lad at 100 or 105 pounds. If accepted, write to K 351, Herald Office.

PERSONAL PAINTING, PAPER HANGING, whitewashing, tinting, etc. Prices moderate. J. D. Smith, practical painter, 126½ St. Antoine st.

BUSINESS CARDS

J. A. FINLAYSON (SUCCESSOR TO FINlayson & Grant), Customs Broker and Forwarder, Warehouseman, 413 and 415 St. Paul st., Montreal. Heated Storage. Bond or Free. Telephone Main 1886. P.O. Box 434.

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SITUATIONS WANTED, FEMALE

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WANTED — WOULD LIKE TO HAVE FAMily washing. Call and return. 837a Sanguinet street.

WANTED—WORK OF ANY KIND, HOUSEcleaning; no washing. 18a St. Margaret st.

WANTED — WORK BY THE DAY, CLEANing or washing. Apply 127 Common st. 277

WANTED—WRITING, COPYING, ADDRESSing envelopes or circulars at home. Address "C," 29 Metcalfe st., city.

WANTED — BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, any kind of work by day or the hour. Apply or address 853d Sanguinet st. 282

WANTED — BY A YOUNG GIRL FROM the country, situation as nursemaid for half of each day, in return for her board. Address K 355, Herald Office.

SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE

WANTED — BY A MIDDLE-AGED MAN, a home for the winter, at small wages; willing to do all kinds of work; handy with brushes or carpenter tools. E. Lambert, 95 St. Antoine st.

WANTED — BARTENDER WANTS GOOD position; best of references. Address Box J. L., Herald. 278

WANTED — YOUNG MAN (LONDON, England), brother of foreign missionary priest, desires situation, light or heavy work; fair wages. Burns, 27 Victoria st.

WANTED — PRINTER, GOOD ALL-ROUND man, desires permanent position. State wages. Address H., Box 27, Herald. 283

WANTED — TEMPORARY WORK, BY EXperienced bookkeeper. Address F 20, Herald Office.

WANTED — ENGLISHMAN SEEKS SITUAtion as caretaker or handy man; 12 years' reference from last situation. Apply W. K., Herald Office. 276

WANTED — PAPER HANGING, PAINTING, tinting, glazing, etc.; competent workmen; low prices; best materials. Estimates given. Drop a card. J. Bacon, 75 Hallowell street, Westmount. 283

WANTED — BY A YOUNG MAN, SITUAtion of any kind; understands the care of horses; references. Address K 353, Herald Office. 278

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN, ENGAGED during the day, is desirous of obtaining work for the evenings during the busy season. Address H. K. M., 29 Esplanade ave.

WANTED — FOR AN INSURANCE OFFICE, a youth, aged about 15 or 16 years; must write a legible hand, live with his parents and be well recommended. Address P.O. Box 865, Montreal. 282

WANTED — SITUATIONS BY DRIVERS, coachmen, furnace men, kitchen men. We have also men for factories and warehouses, laborers, skilled mechanics, etc. If in need of any of the above men phone Main 4681. J. M. Welch & Co., Labor Contractors, 808 Craig st. 280

PLUMBERS & STEAMFITTERS

R. E. HANDFIELD, PRACTICAL ROOFER, Plumber, Steam and Gas Fitter. Electric bells, electric light. 1782 Notre Dame street. Bell Phone Main 2888. eodtf

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A MUSIC TEACHER WILL BE AT ST. LAMbert, Que., December 1st. For terms, pupils will call at Mrs. McDermott, Front street, 2 doors east of Victoria st. 281

BOYD'S SYLLABIC SHORTHAND EASILY learned in 30 days. Address Syllabic Shorthand and Business College, Karn Hall. W. T. Moon, Principal. 279

ITALIAN — IF YOU GO TO ITALY you must speak Italian. Professor Nel..., 179 Mansfield st., will teach you this beautiful language in a very short time. 282

MRS. JESSIE KELLOND, TEACHER OF piano, mandolin, banjo and guitar. 60a City Councillors st. 290

DOGS—WANTED, LOST, ETC.

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LOST — SABLE COLLIE DOG, WHITE breast and white mark on shoulder. Rigby, 18a Overdale ave. Tel. Main ...

FOR SALE — COLLIE (DOG), ALMOST 2 years old, pedigreed, house broke. Address K 342, Herald Office.

PUPS FOR SALE, TWO THOROUGHBRED, five months old, nicely marked. Apply 306 Lansdowne ave., corner Western ave.

FOR SALE — IRISH TERRIER PUPPY dogs, from registered prize-winning stock. 220 St. Martin st.

LOST — SMALL BLACK DOG, WITH SHINY coat and white spot on chest. Answers to "Billee." Finder please return to 157 Mansfield st., and receive reward. 280

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FOR SALE

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FOR SALE—SAFES, FIRE AND BURGLAR proof, new and secondhand, at prices that defy competition. Largest stock in city. A. Ahern, Montreal Safe Works, 300 St. James. Telephone Main 813.

FOR SALE — ANTHRACITE—PEA COAL, $4.75, for small stove; egg, stove, nut, $6.50; No. 2 nut, $6.00. J. H. Morehouse, 65 Farm st., Point St. Charles. Phone Main 3013.

FOR SALE — KINDLING FOR THE MILlion. Kindling wood, $2.00; cut hard wood, $3.00; mill blocks, $1.75; tamarac blocks, $2.00 per load. Also anthracite coal. J. C. McDiarmid, 3 Canal Basin, corner Guy and William st. Tel. Main 453.

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECONDHAND household furniture, pianos, carpets, oilcloths; also new and secondhand goods bought and exchanged, at Isidor Feldman, 349a St. Lawrence st. 279

FOR SALE — ON VERY EASY TERMS, kitchen stoves, hall stoves, and everything for the house, at cheapest prices. The Prince Co., 33 St. Lawrence st.

FOR SALE — CLUB, SPADE, HEART AND Diamond Badges. Just the thing to enliven a card party. Just out and very catchy. Also other Badges. Made by J. F. Monaghan, 210 St. James st., Room 1. tf

FOR SALE — ON CREDIT OR FOR CASH, furniture, carpets, oilcloths, etc., to suit every taste, at prices defying all competition. Prince & Co., 33 St. Lawrence st.

FOR SALE — 100 SLEIGHS OF ALL KINDS, at 1884 NOTRE DAME STREET, wholesale and retail. The very best, at very lowest prices. 284

FOR SALE — A SECOND HAND RACOON coat. 2685 St. Catherine st. 280

FOR SALE — ONE BRAHMA AND ONE partridge cochin cockerel. For price, apply to E. McQuade, Collingwood, Ont. 279

FOR SALE — LADY'S NAVY BLUE SUIT, size 36; also long tight fitting coat; almost new. Owner gone into mourning. Will sell cheap. Address Box K 357, Herald. 285

PROPERTY FOR SALE

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MANY PEOPLE ARE FINDING IT CHEAPer to buy a house than to pay rent. Our terms are easy and our list large. Call and see us and save money. "Estates Limited," 97 St. James st., Montreal.

WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED TO BORROW $1,500, AT 5½ P.C. Ample security. Address Borrow, Herald Office. 283

WANTED TO RENT

FLAT WANTED, FOR LIGHT MANUFACturing, with or without power; also office in connection with same. Box R 300, Herald.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES

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FOR SALE — ONE WELL-MATCHED PAIR black mares, 16 hands high, one pair of brown mares, weighing 1,500, and nineteen other general purpose horses, from $50 up. Apply Waverley Stables, 95 ... street. eodtf

FOR SALE — TWO LIGHT EXPRESS sleighs, suitable for grocers or butchers, also two stores, one with hot water arrangements and tank, all in good order. Apply 121 St. Andre st.

FOR SALE—TEN HORSES, ONE DRIVER. Apply at Stables, The Riverside, ... Verdun.

FOR SALE — ... SLEIGHS, ... Hundreds to choose from. ... Latimer & ..., 1884 NOTRE DAME ST.

LEGAL CARDS

MACLENNAN, CLINE & MACLENNAN, Barristers, etc., Cornwall, Ont. D. B. Maclennan, K.C., C. H. Cline, F. J. Maclennan.

LEITCH, PRINGLE & CAMERON, BARristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Notaries Public, etc., Cornwall, Ont. Jas. Leitch, K.C., R. A. Pringle, J. A. C. Cameron, LL.B.

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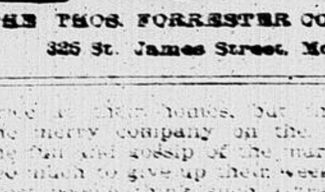

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SHORTHORNS PERISH IN BIG SNOWSTORM

Valuable Herd Killed in Railway Wreck on Way to Fair.

Crown Point, Ind., Nov. 27.—In a blinding snowstorm here yesterday a valuable herd of shorthorn cattle consigned from Ohio to Chicago, where they were to be exhibited at the live stock show was killed in a train wreck on the Pan-handle Railway. The wreck which was due to a rear-end collision, is attributed to the snow storm which prevented the engineer of the stock train from seeing the freight train that preceded him. The loss on the cattle is estimated at $50,000.

Detroit, Mich., Nov. 27.—James R. Stewart, of Denver, died early this morning at Harper's hospital from injuries sustained in the wreck of the Wallace Bros. circus train at Durand, Mich., August 7.

REAL ESTATE DEALERS UNITE.

Mr. R. A. Mainwaring is Elected President of New Association.

A real estate association organized under a provincial charter, and with its ramifications all over the Province of Quebec was decided upon at a meeting held in room 1 of the Windsor Hotel last evening. Provisional organization was effected with officers as follows:

President—R. A. Mainwaring.

First vice-president—U. H. Dandurand.

Second vice-president—Joseph Lavoie, St. Johns, Que.

Treasurer—John J. Johnston.

Secretary—W. C. Palmer.

Committee—Fitz-James Browne, J. Girouard, S. H. Ward, M. Langlois, J. A. Rafter, J. C. Simpson, R. Gohier, Charles R. Blacke and H. L. Putnam.

The object of the association is to promote the interests of real estate men throughout the Province.

BRITISH PRIDE IN THE OLD VICTORY.

The Famous Relic Religiously Preserved at Portsmouth.

It is by a strange coincidence that, only two days after the ninety-eighth anniversary of Trafalgar, the treasured relic of that great action, which is religiously observed at Portsbouth, Lord Nelson's old flagship, the Victory, has narrowly escaped destruction by collision, says the London Times. It seems that a condemned battleship, the Neptune, which has been sold out of the service and was being towed by two tugs on her way to be broken up at Bremerhaven, broke her hawsers under the pressure of a half gale from the west and was carried by a strong tide into direct collision with the Victory. The ram of the Neptune pierced the port quarter of the Victory below the water line, and made a rent through which water entered in such volume and with such rapidity as to threaten the speedy sinking of the vessel, which was crowded with men at the time, and which would very possibly also have on board a number of sightseers. Under the prompt direction of Admiral Superintendent Henderson, C.B., tugs were immediately dispatched to the rescue, and by their pumps succeeded in keeping the ship afloat while the leak was being temporarily stopped by divers, and until she could be released from her moorings and towed into the deep dock for examination. No account has yet been made public as to the precise amount of injury which she has sustained, but in all probability it will admit of complete repair. At the meeting of the Navy League on Wednesday Mr. Jane is reported to have expressed an opinion that there was "too much Nelson" in its proceedings presumably only with the fear that the national appreciation of one of the greatest of our heroes would tend to divert attention from the changes which have occurred in naval matters, as in all others, during the time which has elapsed since the great victory which crippled the power of Napoleon and preserved to this country the supremacy of the seas.

In any other sense than this it would we conceive, be difficult to find any other Englishman who would agree with the opinion thus expressed; and there can be no doubt that the accident if its worst consequences had not fortunately been averted by the skill and promptitude of Nelson's modern representatives, would have produced throughout the country a feeling not far removed from consternation. As it is, no lives have been lost, and no irreparable injury having been inflicted, the incident will only serve to strengthen the hands of the Navy League by directing public attention to the history of the "wooden walls" which have so narrowly escaped destruction. It may reasonably be hoped that the Victory will soon be brought back to her old moorings and that she may serve for many years to come as a perpetual reminder of the actions of the gallant Admiral who received his death wound upon her deck. It is possibly true that we may have "too much" of a merely blind reverence for the past, but it is certain that we cannot have too much either of the spirit by which Nelson was actuated or of grateful recollection of the splendid achievement of which the Victory is a perpetual reminder.

WILLIAM'S HEIR IN HARNESS.

Berlin, Nov. 26.—The Crown Prince Frederick William, in behalf of Emperor William, took part to-day in the dedication of the new American Church.

HAVE A CLEANLINESS FIT.

Santiago de Chile, Nov. 27.—The Chilean Congress has passed a measure providing for the expenditure of $5,000,000 for the darining and sewering of Santiago.

HART PEASE DANKS, SONG WRITER, IS DEAD

Made Famous By Writing "Silver Threads Among the Gold."

Gifted with a genius for song writing which had made his "Silver Threads Among the Gold" one of the most popular airs of the last half-century, Hart Pease Danks, who years gone by had heard great audiences throughout the land applaud his song and its pathetic verses, died alone and suddenly in a third storey back room of a lodging house in Philadelphia last week, says the Public Ledger. By dying he fell by the side of his old square piano, at which he had sat almost every day for many years to work out his themes. The instrument was littered with musical manuscripts, but most of these were unfinished, for the hand of death had fallen before the composer had framed their closing chords. Most of these were to have been for religious use, for it was to music of such a character that the man had devoted his genius during his later years, and in many a grand cathedral and humble chapel have been heard his "Thy Will be Done," "My Jesus, as Thou Wilt," "Ashamed of Thee," and a host of others.

The old man—he was 69—was a member of Ancient Lodge, No. 724, F. and A. M., and unless his widow and three children can be found this organization will attend to his burial. The composer, like many another of mightier name, found life with his family so uncongenial, it is said, that he separated from them five years ago, and never saw them afterward. His widow and a son are supposed to be in New York, and his two daughters are on the stage and are travelling.

Mr. Danks composed the song by which he was made famous in 1858, the year of his marriage. When the Civil War came the air grew in popularity, and soldiers about the campfire could be heard humming or whistling its plaintive, pathetic melody. Even today the sales of the song are large, and, although the composer was only paid a few hundred dollars for it, it has earned the publishers thousands.

LAZY MAN'S PARADISE.

The Women Are the Workers in the West Indies.

On market day in the West Indies thousands of peasant women and girls can be seen walking along the roads to the town from their palm thatched huts in the mountains and woods. They carry on their heads immense loads of bananas, oranges, yams, plantains, brown sugar or tobacco, stepping along at the rate of four miles an hour with the gait of a princess.

Constant carrying of heavy loads gives them a splendid carriage. They will walk forty miles to market to sell 30 cents' worth of produce. Often they could sell the same stuff for a better price at their homes, but they enjoy the merry company on the road and the fun and gossip of the market place too much to give up their weekly jaunt. Most people think such a tramp hard work, but they regard it as a picnic. Tramping along over rough mountain tracks, fording swift rivers, tugging fractious mules in the way that they should go, these women never let their loads fall. They could dance a jig without dropping them.

Meanwhile the men folk—who have not even taken the trouble to sow or harvest the crops, much less to carry them to market—are sleeping in the palm thatched hut or lying down in the ... outside and smoking the strong native tobacco.

"On my estate," said a coffee planter, "I employ about 600 people in the busy season, besides 200 or 300 children. The women outnumber the men by more than two to one, do far better work, though they are only paid 18 cents a day as compared with the men's 24 cents. The difference in wages is most unfair, but it is regulated by an iron bound custom."

COURTSHIP IN CARACAS.

After the meal is finished the "padre" may go to his club or cafe, while the ladies betake themselves to the large open bay window, says Harper's Magazine. Lamps are placed near them, and as you wander through the streets you plainly see everywhere, at the height of your own eyes, and quite near enough for a handshake, long rows of these groups of women, now gayly and often brilliantly dressed, thickly powdered and bedecked with the quaint old jewellery of the country.

Then by and by, a yong man appears in front of almost every window and converses with those inside. In most cases he is the suitor for the hand of one of the daughters of the house. Evening after evening he thus pays his respects to her family, standing for hours on the sidewalk, till the day arrives when the mother of his adored one believes the fact of his courting her daughter is sufficiently advertised to the neighbors, as well as to the community at large. Then only the doors of the house are thrown open to him.

CAN'T BLAME HER.

Paris, Nov. 26.—The Italy correspondent of the Liberale says the Princess Alice of Schoenburg-Waldenburg, wife of Prince Victor Frederick of Schoenburg-Waldenburg and a daughter of Don Carlos who is living on the coast of Italy, about nine miles from Genoa, is deeply chagrined at the false reports of her elopement.

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TWO MILLIONS IN BANK DIVIDENDS

That Amount Will be Paid Out by the Canadian Banks Next Tuesday.

Nearly $2,000,000 will be paid out by Canadian banks in dividends next Tuesday, when many of the semi-annual payments are due, and the amount this year will be larger than ever before in view of the increased capitalization of several of the leading institutions.

Money has been rather tight on the "Street" the last week, and in a measure the call for dividend purposes accounts for it.

The banks and the approximate dividend payments they will make are given in detail as follows:

Montreal	$620,000
Ontario	45,000
Toronto	140,000
Commerce	280,000
Standard	50,000
Hamilton	100,000
Ottawa	90,000
Hochelaga	69,000
Imperial	148,000
Quebec	75,000
Merchants	210,000
Traders	50,000
Union	80,000
Total	$1,957,000

Other banks, not mentioned in the foregoing, of course pay their dividends at different periods.

A considerable amount of dividend money will also be released by industrial concerns, while the bond interest payments will be made by the following concerns: Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Merchants Cotton Co., Montreal Board of Trade, first mortgage; Canada Switch and Spring Co., Quebec Railway, Light and Power Co., Cuban Electric Co., Trinidad Electric Co. and Sao Paulo Tramway, Light and Power Co.

CAR-MEN ORGANIZE THEIR NEW BENEFIT SOCIETY

The Montreal Benefit Society of the employes of the Montreal Street Railway, was regularly organized at a meeting in the Cote Street Station Hall last night. Eight hundred employes were present and the different speeches made by the representatives of the mn in the various sctions of the cty expressed entire satisfaction with the benefits and arrangement of the new association.

Mr. F. L. Wanklyn, general manager of the company, acted as chairman, and Mr. P. Dubec, assistant secretary, was secretary. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—F. L. Wanklyn.

Directors—Duncan McDonald, W. G. Ross, L. Robinson, P. Dubec, representing the company, and Mr. A. Caron, St. Henri Division; L. Chasland, St. Dinis section; G. Bellerose, Hichelaga division, and J. Donnelly, Cote Street division; representing the men.

Mr. P. Dubee will also act as secretary-treasurer of the association.

Mr. A. Caron, in an address on behalf of the men, expressed their satisfaction at the company organizing an association from which all members would receive such large benefits as so low cost. He had studied the by-alws of other associations and he was convinced that nowhere could benefits so great be obtained under $14 to $15 a year. All taht they would have to contribute to enjoy all the benefits of the four funds was 50 cents a month, or $6 a year.

Addresses were also made by Mr. Waknlyn, Mr. McDonald, Mr. Ross and Mr. J. Rafferty, the oldest employe of the company. At the close of the company. At the close of the meeting a vote of thanks was extended to the directors of the company for the manner in which they had attended to the formation of the association.

VERMICILLI PLANT IS DAMAGED BY FLAMES

A few minutes after 8 last night a man passing along St. Therese Street observed flames issuing from the windows of the to flat of the building No. 13 of that street. Fire station No. 2 is immediately round the corner in St. Gabriel Street, and, on being communicated with, the officer in charge was promptly on the spot. A first glance from the street showed that the flames had obtained a firm hold, and that there were probabilities of a serious fire, and right away assistance from the other stations was called for, and arrived sharp on he heels of the No. 2 apparatus.

Immediately a number of streams were laid on to the burning premises, and with the copious supply of water at hand the efforts of the firemen soon began to tell.

On gaining an entrance to the building the fire-fighters found that they had got on the scene just in time to prevent the outbreak spreading to all parts of the building—which is one of four flats—the flames by that time being in progress down the well of the hoist, and there can be little doubt but that for the commendable promptitude of the passerby who gave the alarm the whole edifice would have gone ablaze.

The building has been occupied as a vermicelli works since May by Messrs. Hudon & Orasali, wholesale grocers, of St. Paul Street, and on the upper flat were a number of what are known as Quebec stoves, which were used to dry maccaroni, and it is around these the fire is supposed to have originated. This portion of the building is well gutted, but the damage to the lower floors is confined to that caused by water.

Until a thorough examination is made of the premises it is almost impossible to give even an estimate of the loss, but the proprietors do not think it will amount to more than $10,000 and is covered by insurance.

FINANCIAL SPECIALS.

Investors and speculators will be interested to know that The Herald is printing a series of special articles on the properties listed on the Montreal Stock Exchange. To-morrow the Financial Page will contain a careful analysis of Twin City Rapid Transit, and the article in question will contain much that is new relative to dividend prospects and the company's various franchises.

MRS. MARTIN TELLS STORY AT TORONTO

Declares Dr. Doolittle Made an Error in Registering the Birth of Famous Baby.

(Special to The Montreal Herald.)

Toronto, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Martin, when seen here with reference to the statement of her husband, Dr. McLeod Martin, asserts that the trouble with him arose over a mistake of Dr. Doolittle, in adding the word "illegitimate" to the birth certificate of her baby, by her first husband, Mr. Keefer, born in the Burnside Maternity Hospital here in 1885.

Mrs. Martin says that she was in the Hamilton Hospital, sick, in March, 1885, and that an epidemic broke out in the ward she was in, when Mr. Keefer took her to the Toronto hospital, where the child was born in wedlock, and that she was not aware until after that it had been erroneously registered as "illegitimate."

In 1893 she was divorced from Mr. Keefer, and in 1898 married Dr. McLeod Martin, and all went well until his manner suddenly changed, which she attributed to his hearing of the asserted illegitimacy of the Keefer child.

In the meantime Dr. Martin had gone as surgeon on board a P. and O. steamship trading from England to India, and during his absence the celebrated Martin baby was born which, she says, is a legitimate child and the doctor asserts is not.

Referring to the proceedings Dr. Martin took against her in New York, she says:

"I say once and for all: There is no estate, and never will be, that can possibly come to Dr. Martin or his people. They don't belong to the class who have estates in Scotland. Dr. Martin's father was a carpenter, some of whose brothers were laborers and common workmen, and yet they were eminently respectable and resourceful people. Dr. Martin, with several of his male relatives of his generation, has distinguished himself by an indomitable trampling upon circumstances and pure force of character.

"Then, even supposing there was an estate, Dr. Martin has both brothers and sisters older than he is living. You can see the absurdity of such a contention? Well, Dr. Martin brought forward the nurse who had been with me during confinement, and she stated that I had caused her to get a child from a maternity hospital, the child to have brown eyes and features to resemble my own. The girl stated that she did this because I, a perfect stranger, had asked her to do so. Now, isn't that foolish? What, in the name of common sense, would I want with the child if it were not mine?"

Mrs. Martin says that two New York detectives have been after her and the baby since she has been living at Kew Beach, and she believes the child is still in danger of kidnapping, though she does not give any logical cause for such an act being attempted.

She expects to be subpoenaed in the Dewsbury baby farming case in a few days, and says she will then give her evidence in court.

Mrs. Martin explains her residence in Toronto as being for the purpose of earning a living and to take legal steps to have the Keefer infant's legitimacy established.

PATHETIC DEATH OF INFANT.

Mr. and Mrs. Lepine Lose Their Babe Through Exposure.

Pathetic indeed was the sudden death of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Lepine, which occurred yesterday at St. Lambert. Lepine, his wife and the babe, intending to visit relatives Wednesday in Laprairie, took the Longueuil ferry in mistake, and on their arrival in Longueuil, being in destitute circumstances and without money to procure railway tickets, started out to St. Lambert. They arrived there late in the night and were given shelter during the night by a French family. The cold and exposure of the long walk, however, had been too much for the baby, who contracted pneumonia from which it died.

The authorities of St. Lambert were notified and the family and the body of their infant were sent to Laprairie in a carriage, where they will be looked after by relatives.

WILL NAME FOREMEN TO-DAY.

Road Board to Make Arrangements for Snow Removal.

A special meeting of the Roads Committee will be held this afternoon to make arrangements for snow removal on those streets where the street railway tracks are laid, and to appoint foremen. The work is divided into 50 sections and over each is a foreman.

The cost of removing the snow from the car streets last year was $94,336, of which the street railway company pay half. The length of track is 41 miles. The highest cost of this work for any year in the last decade was the sum of $126,384, for the season 1899-1900.

LET US TRY THIS PLAN.

London, Nov. 27.—The North London authorities have adopted a novel method of suppressing the overcrowding on street cars. Finding that the arrest and fining of conductors was insufficient they are now resorting to the arrest of passengers, including women, whom the magistrates fine for "aiding and abetting" conductors in contravening the anti-crowding law.

ACHILLE LALONDE IS HELD.

Achille Lalonde was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives Sloan and McLaughlin on the charge of stealing copper wire from the poles along the Lachine Canal, the property of the Dominion Government. Inspector Chamberlain, of Ottawa, has been on the case for some time with the foregoing result. The accused came before Judge Lafontaine to-day and pleaded not guilty. He was remanded for enquete.

DRUGGIST IS FINED FOR STAYING FIGHT

Sprinkling Dogs With Ammonia to Separate Them Not Sanctioned by Civic Laws.

It has come to be recognized as quite in the nature of things that dogs should take a delight in barking and biting, and on simple temporary outbreaks confined to the family, usually, not much interest is taken in the affair, unless by the messenger boy on a rush errand.

But a bigger crowd was gathered one day not long ago in one of the streets in an upper part of the city. There was serious trouble on foot between a valuable half-bred St. Bernard and another specimen of the dog family, probably over a dispute as to which brand had the best genealogical tree, or could fetch the better price in an open market and no favors shown. However it was, they fought anyhow, and a wel-fought fight it was, say those who saw.

After the "scrap" had gone on for a time the owner of the "other sort of dog" arrived on the scene, and thinking doubtless that the animal was giving away far too much weight to his opponent, considered it right to bring the engagement to a close at a draw.

There is a saying "every man to his trade," and this particular dog owner is by way of trade a druggist. And looking round for a weapon, bethought him of ammonia of al ithings—the first occasion surely on which that fluid was used to stop a dog fight. A few drops thrown on the dogs soon gave them something else to think of, and the crowd melted away on its own respective businesses.

The inspector for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals took a hand in later on, and at to-day's court the druggist was fined $4 and costs for injuries caused to the St. Bernard, which lost one eye and had the other badly damaged by the ammonia sprinkling.

RICHARD HEWSON'S DENIAL IS TACTICAL BLUNDER

Constable with Long Memory Tells Court Some Things and the Recorder Does the Rest.

Richard Hewson made a tactical blunder when he pleaded not guilty at the Recorder's Court to-day.

He strongly denied having conducted himself in a riotous manner and used violent and threatening language to Mrs. Gilander, from whom he and his wife had rented furnished rooms. He had better have admitted the cvharge, thrown himself on the mercies of the court, and mayhaps he would have gone down to a light sentence. The evidence was all against him, and when Mrs. Gillander explained how terrified she had been for the "big bad man," Mr. Recorder Weir began to size up Hewson as a dangerous person. Then a smart young constable with a good memory, brought to the recollection of the court a crime on which accused and his wife had gone to jail for a year ago, and Hewson began to look sorry.

The sentence was two sureties of $100 each to keep the peace for one year, and the alternative two months in jail.

None of his friends came forward with the cash.

The case did not end here, however. Mrs. Hewson while on oath said to the Recorder that she had never been in trouble, and when the constable with the memory came out, with his story the woman was promptly called upd sent to the cells for false evidence.

COURT GRANTS MOTHER'S PLEA FOR SON'S REMOVAL

John Craig Will Serve Eight Days in Jail for the Purpose of Sobering Up.

"It is not often that a mother appears in court with the request that a son be put away from the home."

Mr. Recorder Weir was led to make this remark to-day, when an elderly woman went into the witness box in connection with the charge of drunkenness preferred by the police against her son, John Craig, and in the course of her evidence said she wished him to go elsewhere to live, and seemed to think the court could there and then order the accused to take residence in a boarding house.

With tears in her eyes and a tremor in her voice, she told how the youth, her only son, got into company and had acquired the evil drinking habit several years ago. He was all right when he was sober, "just got into company and drank," and when in that state she could not abide his language. "I had been too good to him," declared the mother, "and this is how he rewards me."

The erring and now penitent youth, begged for another chance and promised he would drink no more, but sadly the woman had to confess to the court that she had had these promises until she was tired of hearing them.

Mr. Recorder Weir was inclined to be lenient with the prisoner, but on hearing that he had been "on a drunk" for some time, gave him eight days in prison.

JOHN KEATING IS FINED AND LOSES HIS LICENSE

Mr. Recorder Weir Lectures the Hackman, Who, While Drunk, Left His Carriage.

John Keating, a hackman, was against two kinds of trouble this morning on his appearance at the Recorder's Court. He was fined for assaulting his mother and had his hackman's license cancelled.

Keating it was alleged, had been under the influence of drink and because his mother would not give him money wherewith to pay a loan, he pushed her about, in the course of which she was sligtly injured by coming in contact with a table.

"It was all a mistake," explained the prisoner, with a smile. "I only wanted half a dollar, and only pushed her."

This levity roused the ire of Mr. Recorder Weir, who said the court was determined to take strong measures with those young men who assaulted their mothers, and looked upon it as a mere trifle—a mistake. He was old-fashioned enough to look upon it as a serious matter and accused would go to jail for a month.

In the course of the evidence it transpired that Keating had been known to go out with his rig while he was under the influence of drink, and the Recorder, pointing out that it would be safer for the public if he were at some other work, revoked his license there and then.

KING'S HORSES WON'T COME.

London, Nov. 27.—King Edward has decided that he is unable to accept the invitation to send some of his horses to the St. Louis Exposition. The declination is accompanied by an expression of much regret; but, it is explained that His Majesty has made it an invariable rule not to enter horses in handicap races.

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CAUGHT WITH RAILWAY TICKETS

However, W. R. Thom Pleads Not Guilty to Stealing Them.

When W. R. Thom, a Canadian Pacific brakeman, arrived from Ottawa last evening, he met with a surprise in the shape of Detective Crowe, of the company's staff, who placed him under arrest and searched him on the charge of stealing tickets. It appears that for some time, commutation, return and hunters' tickets, good from some point on a return journey to Montreal, have been collected and re-used. When this was discovered, a watch was set, with the result of the arrest.

Thom had several tickets in his pockets, but pleaded not guilty before Judge Lafontaine to-day, and was remanded until Wednesday for enquete.

ANXIOUS ABOUT THE CZARINA.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—The Czarina's condition causes some alarm here, as the inflammation of her ear does not yield to treatment, and it is feared that an operation may be necessary. The Czar has decided not to bring her to St. Petersburg, fearing she may take cold on the journey, and Her Majesty will remain at Skierniewice, Russian Poland, until all danger is passed.

The papers here give no details of the Czarina's illness, beyond the official bulletins.

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LOSE THEIR MONEY ON TRAIN.

Two young men of Montreal, who went to Ottawa to see the sights, have had one "sight" added to the programme mapped out before leaving home, and that was not much of an attraction either, being known as the tramp's ward, among police officials.

Just how it all happened is not quite clear, but from what can be gathered, the young men, who are of respectable appearance, and gave the names of William and Harry Sprakiin, left Montreal with sufficient capital to carry through the trip, but either by loss or theft, seem to have parted with more of it than they could spare, on the journey up by train.

They subsequently wrote home for another supply, but as this had not materialized by last night, the trippers were compelled to throw themselves on the mercy of the police officials.

They were in out of the cold, of course, but the tramp's ward is no hotel de luxe, and if the Montrealers' cash does not get there to-day they will probably start out to walk home.

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A MILITARY MISSION.

The visit of Sir Frederick Borden to Great Britain should produce what will probably be the most important legislation of the next session of Parliament. Our Militia Minister is crossing the Atlantic to confer with the war lords of the motherland. No secret is made of the fact that this is his mission, and it is thoroughly understood that a new militia bill will be introduced when he returns. It would have been introduced before had it not been for the Imperial authorities. The Minister of Militia announced at the session of 1902 that he had a militia bill ready, but would not push it because Imperial defence was to be discussed at the Colonial Conference. On that occasion he announced the decision of the Government to organize a system of rifle clubs and train all good citizens to hit bullseyes with the Lee-Enfield. The Government also proposed to have a reserve of enough trained men to put a force of a hundred thousand in the field in case of hostilities. This was regarded as Canada's announcement of what would be offered toward Imperial defence. At the conference this proved to be correct. Canada offered to look out for herself on land.

After the meeting of the colonial representatives a militia bill was looked for last session. But the British commission inquired into the South African operations and found some serious defects in the army system. The Imperial authorities cabled a request that Sir Frederick hold his bill util they could consult with him. As there is no immediate prospect of war in this part of the world—the Alaskan boundary decision now having been given—Sir Frederick held his bill, and now has it in his grip going across the Atlantic.

Just what the Imperial authorities will want is problematical, but what they will get is easier to surmise. There will be no money spent on defence over the spending of which Canada has no supervision. Whatever may be done toward naval schools and recruits, something the Minister of Marine has several times hinted at, and whatever may be done regarding the Halifax and Esquimalt garrisons, Canada will spend the money Canada contributes. Sir Frederick Borden has emphatically expressed his belief in this principle of defence contribution and the blandishments of British war officials are not likely to change his mind.

Sir Frederick will endeavor to obtain changes in the present Canadian militia plans which will permit this colony appointing a Canadian as commissioner of her forces if it is desirable. At present no Canadian need apply.

The outcome of the present conference and the bill which will be based upon it are awaited with much interest by all Canadians who are in touch with the militia, and by a good many persons who are not.

RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR RUMORS.

The rumors regarding the certainty of an early collision between Russia and Japan have been so persistent that it may be of interest to recapitulate some of the reasons given by those who remain sanguine that they are either stock exchange canards or journalistic "fakes." A favorite surmise is that Japan is eager to force on a struggle now because every year may see Russia with a stronger naval force in Eastern waters and her land bases there better equipped and better supplied by the development of the Siberian Railway. It is argued that if Japan does not fight before these additional factors come into play she can never expect to do so, with success, later on. A writer who has lived many years in the East and was as intimate as a Westerner can become with the strange methods of Oriental statesmen reminds us that it is not very long since the "Yellow Peril" was looked upon as something more than a nightmare—that combination between China and Japan, which countries must have far more in common than some of those European "alliances" which hang upon such threads of temporary self-interest. It is said by this school that Japan can afford to wait even better than Russia, because though her influence is fast undermining that of Russia in the councils of Pekin, she is still liable to be checked in the free development of her plans by skilful reminders of the war of 1894, in which China's island neighbor humiliated her arms, acquired Formosa, secured the independence of Korea, and only by the action of France and Russia and the apathy of Britain was prevented from permanently retaining that coveted Port Arthur which her fleets had captured. As time goes on, however, these memories will fade, because they are not of the kind engendered by such a war as the Franco-German, and principally because the Japanese are the only people who understand China and get "on the inside" of things Chinese. Li Hung Chang looked to a time when Japan and China would join hands for the purpose of managing Eastern Asia, while Japanese statesmen believe that when China is advanced enough to become "a practical working partner" such an arrangement will come about.

It is Japanese workmen who are training the Chinese in arsenal and factory just as half a century back, it was British artisans who were training the Japanese, and a Japanese is far more in harmony with his kindred Oriental, and far more likely to overcome prejudice against modern ideas, than was the naval artificer who left Portsmouth of Woolwich to teach the little Jap. It is also considered by the school which thinks time is on the side of the Japanese, that the Manchurian question has occupied an absurdly inflated position in Eastern politics; just as the importance to Russia of Port Arthur was at one time said to be vital and now is admittedly somewhat—by comparison—of a white elephant. The Siberian route, with its 4,000 miles of railway and 50 miles of ferry transit, runs through a far more unsettled country than did the short lines from Cape Colony and Natal to Pretoria, and what interruptions in communications with a military base mean nowadays we have had a pretty expensive and extensive recent experience. Moreover, there is no such chance for an army of modern dimensions "to live on the country" as there was for Moltke in 1870 in fertile France, or even for Wellington amid some of the rich provinces of the Peninsula; rather must we remember the journey of Napoleon from Moscow—that fatal return journey, in starvation and snow, which rendered a future Waterloo possible.

Russia will inevitably go on inch by inch, settle up and introduce her own system upon a stable basis right up to the luring wall of yellow flesh which populates China in a density not known elsewhere—not even in crowded Britain. While Russia is making this advance so sure but so necessarily slow toward the East, are there not possibilities, too, for Japan and China to bring fresh elements into the situation? Britain is no larger than Japan, but what an influence she has wielded upon the Continent of Europe! The island power of the East is separated from the Asiatic continent by a strait little wider than that of Dover.

Great wars usually break out suddenly. It was but a few weeks before the rebuff of the Emperor William to the French Ambassador in 1870 that Earl Granville, then foreign secretary of Mr. Gladstone, expressed the belief that there was not a diplomatic "cloud on the horizon." In the Japanese imbroglios it will not do to prophesy except to say that if Russia does want war now she can put it out of the power of diplomacy to "arrange" the matter by making a hostile movement upon Korea. For Manchuria the Marquis Ito and his astute colleagues probably care only diplomatically as a pawn in the game with China and Russia; for the security of Korea as absolutely free to her for export and especially for import of the food she must—like Britain—have from outside, she would plunge into the fray with the same zealous self-interest as if a hostile army had actually landed upon her shores.

THE MODESTY OF VIRTUE.

It would be in the public interest if the members of the "Ontario Conservative Association" would give their names to the public. If the organization adhered to its avowed principles, modesty is the only thing which should forbid this. The organization was rather unique in politics. It was a body of subscribers who put up their money for the purpose of electing Conservatives in Ontario and of purifying elections. Either of these objects is quite a legitimate one, though it may be pointed out that it is rather unusual to subscribe large sums of money for purity purposes, and that this association disbanded after it had been charged in the courts with corrupt election practices.

Still, the organization certainly took an active part in the federal campaign of 1900 and the provincial campaign of 1902. In the first it raised and spent $20,000 and in the second $30,000. It may have spent all of this money in the cleanest manner possible, and we will assume that it did. The gentlemen who became members of the association may have done so for no purpose but that of promoting election purity, but if they did so there is no reason why their names should be kept secret. If they offered their money with no expectation of return except the satisfaction of seeing it virtuously expended in the Conservative cause, the public should know who they are. Then if the Conservatives should come into power and have the distribution of loaves and fishes, everyone could help these gentlemen to live up to their present benevolent intention. If, as is maintained, there was no hope of favor to follow the subscription, and if, as alleged, the association is no more, the dozen gentlemen who formed it should certainly make themselves known.

They owe this to the public, to the Conservative party, to themselves and their good intentions.

When corruption is banished from the Conservative party in Ontario, the people will not know to whom they shall erect monuments if these gentlemen remain unknown.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Forward Canada!

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Russia and Japan are still making faces at each other, but are getting closer together. Asia will beat the Balkans yet.

An Ottawa alderman waved the wrong banner at a dinner in New York, and now finds he has flagged his public career.

Messrs. J. Spence & Sons have made two large stained glass windows for Messrs. Henry Morgan & Co., which may now be seen in the Oak Room of the Colonial House. They represent subjects that should be of interest to all Canadians, one being "Lord Strathcona leading the Strathcona Horse down Piccadilly, London," and the other "The Surrender of Cronje."

Factory Employment of Women and Children is Carefully Regulated by Law in Germany

It is contrary to the German law to employ children in any industrial occupation under the age of 13 years. Their employment is then permissible only if the conditions are such that they are no longer able to attend school. Whether they are able or not is decided by the school inspector on the evidence presented to him concerning the circumstances of the child and the ability of those responsible for its maintenance. Those put to work between the ages of 13 and 14 may work not more than six hours a day, and the tasks given them must be such as they can perform without physical impairment. The number of children thus employed in Germany at the last official census was only 9,454. The home employment of young children is also regulated by law, and such law is very rigidly and impartially enforced.

At the age of 14 a child is exempt from the obligation to attend school, except in the case of boys, who are required to give a few hours a week to the work of the "continuation schools," where such schools are provided. At this age both boys and girls enter the Fabriken in large numbers, but between the ages of 14 and 16 they belong in a class by themselves and are subject to special regulations. They may not be employed in certain trades at all nor in any trades for more than ten hours a day. They are not allowed to work on Sundays, or holidays, or during hours appointed for religious instruction; nor shall they be denied release from work when they can show that such release is desired for confirmation, confession or communion. Their working day must not begin earlier than 5.30 a.m., nor continue later than 8.30 p.m. If they are required to work more than eight hours in the 24, they must have an hour of rest at noon and half hour recesses during forenoon and afternoon. No continuous spell of work may exceed four hours. During such rest periods any participation in the work of the factory is forbidden. Even to remain in the shops is permissible only when all operations are suspended or the young people have no other place to go. These regulations apply to both boys and girls.

After the age of 18 young people are subject to no special protection. It is required, however, that all who work for wages under the age of 21 shall be provided with a work book, in which are entered name, date of birth, nature of employment, date of employment, wages, and all other particulars needed to establish the fact of compliance with or violation of the law. If discharged, the reason must be entered in the register, and if this reason is insufficient or unsatisfactory, a police investigation will follow very quickly. Between 18 and 21 the normal boy, who is not physically unfit, is taken into the army. Whether he thereafter returns to the practice of the trade he has learned depends largely upon whether he can get an appointment in the government service. If not, he may do so reluctantly. It has been suggested that, in its solicitude for the welfare of the young of both sexes, the military consideration is predominant. That it has weight may be assumed without too great a stretch of the imagination.

The factory regulations concerning women were doubtless prompted by considerations of humanity. Females must not be employed at any kind of mechanical work before 5.30 a.m., or after 8.30 p.m. On Saturdays and on the eve of holy days their work must cease at 5.30 p.m. They must not work more than eleven hours on ordinary days and ten hours on Saturdays, or on the days preceding holy days. Every woman must have an hour nooning, and if she has a family and a household to look after she may claim an additional half hour. Every woman employed must have a work book, such as the law prescribes in the case of the young of both sexes, and this must record every essential fact needed to show compliance with the law. Special rules are established for the protection of women in certain industries which are classed as dangerous trades.

These are humane and reasonable laws, from the German point of view. It is interesting to speculate, however, what would be the average working hours for women and children in Fabriken, which has a somewhat broader meaning than the English word factory, if they were not limited by statute.

Physicians Declare the Constant Roar and Din in City Streets is Cause of Many Nervous Troubles

What is the effect of the constant noise, din and rattle-bang of New York on its average citizen? In some cases they become insane, says the New York Herald; in others, nervous prostration follows sudden shock from noise.

Unconsciously people are forced by being compelled to distinguish between different noises made at the same time to greater mental activity, which results in a wear and tear on the nervous organism. No person who has been about New York will deny that pedestrians are constantly startled and shocked by sudden and unexpected noises. At any of the down town elevated stations near the ferries can daily be witnessed the perplexity of people who are walking along the thoroughfares.

In the general excitement there is the shouting of teamsters, the clanging of the gongs on the cars, the automatic horns on automobiles, and, last and most perplexing of all, the rush of the elevated trains overhead. Even in the quieter avenues and streets uptown one is suddenly startled by the clang of the gong of the automobile, which, rubber tired, noiselessly creeps up behind the pedestrian.

Dr. John H. Gardner, of No. 47 West Seventy-first Street, treats the matter of noise in the city and its effect upon the people as one of the symptoms of "Newyorkitis," a term which he applied to a disease prevalent to the inhabitants of Manhattan. He says:

"What is described in the books as boiler maker's disease is not an uncommon condition in Newyorkitis. The symptom is, of course, the result of exposure to the din and roar, the screams and yells, which go on in the streets at all hours of the day and night. The high walls of the houses also play an important part in producing the symptom, for they reflect the noise and cause the sound waves to reverberate back and forth many times, thus greatly increasing the evil effect of a single discordant sound on the ears.

"The capacity of the city streets for transmitting sound and intensifying it is shown in the great distance at which the rap of a policeman's club on the pavement can be heard. The person in the street surrounded on three sides by solid walls is in the position of the boiler maker who hammers rivets on the inside of the boiler, so far as intensification of noise is concerned."

Dr. Alexander M. L. Hamilton seems to come very near to the exact state of affairs when he says:

"Primarily noise of itself will not cause insanity, but in one of highly nervous temperament or on the verge of distraction, or to a person just on the point of becoming insane, noise would undoubtedly hasten acute mania."

If a man were exposed to series of blows upon his body in a walk through the city he would call for interference of the police, but he is helpless to the shock upon his brain through the noises.

It is generally admitted by physicians and believed by people universally that incessant action upon the auditory apparatus is adding to the amount of nervous disturbance now so rapidly on the increase.

Old Warships Are Disposed of at Great Sacrifice But Are Not Always Bargains

What is done with those warships which becoming obsolete have to be "disposed of at alarming sacrifices," is one of those questions few ordinary persons could answer, says London Tit-Bits. Of course, the most profitable way would be to sell them to foreign countries, such as the South American Republics, and Turkey, Spain and China might often be occasional customers.

But for obvious political reasons such a thing is never done; indeed, so stern is the Government's determination not to run the risk of our navy's "ineffective" ships falling into foreign hands, that in every case it is stipulated that they shall be broken up in British waters. Thus it occurs that obsolete war vessels, which perhaps cost the nation £500,000 or even £750,000, have from time to time to be sold for £15,000 or £20,000, when as war vessels they would probably realize twice or thrice as much, if sold to a foreign country which did not mind having a navy somewhat out of date.

But sold—as in nearly every case they are—for breaking up, they simply fetch th price of old metal, etc., from which is to be deducted the cost of shipbreakers' labor, this being a very important factor, since it stands to reason a man-of-war cannot be disintegrated with a tin-opener.

Taken out of commission, the condemned warship lies moored until the Admiralty sell her, either by auction, or private treaty. She is stripped of guns and stores, and generally of certain portions of her fittings, which are often quite up to date and serviceable. Then she passes into the hands of her purchasers, generally a British firm, who have special plant for dealing with ironclads. She is towed to the most convenient place, and her destruction begins. She is ripped to pieces, from quarter-deck to keel. Her engines, decks, steering-gear, woodwork—everything is taken from her, until the mere steel shell remains, and the final blows are generally dealt with dynamite to break up her plates. As often as not ten or twelve months are occupied in breaking up a battleship.

Then, what becomes of her? You may be sitting in a chair the wood of which was once part of a battleship, before a grate made out of a cruiser's plate, for her plates are sold for resmelting, and they turn up unsuspected in a thousand homes, are made into stoves, railway lines, park railings, fire irons, traction engines, etc. If only steel could speak, there's many a humble looking fire grate which could tell of stirring deeds.

There is not much wood about the warships which fall into the shipbreakers' hands nowadays, but what there is commands a fairly ready market for a variety of purposes, as it is understood to be the best, toughest and most seasoned of its kind ordinarily obtainable. At the same time, large portions of a ship's timber are good only as fuel, and as such it is sold, but it is always reckoned to be the finest fuel wood money can buy. The better stuff is bought for barge building, flooring, etc., to be worked up by carpenters and cabinet makers. Ships' timber is considered particularly good for employment in damp places.

Every ounce of the wrecked vessel is disposed of to some purpose, yet even then, owing to the expensive trouble of breaking her up—and some vessels are much more trouble than others—her purchasers sometimes find she has only just repaid the cost to which they have been put, and that albeit she cost them only a fiftieth or sixtieth part of what she cost the nation, no more perhaps than twenty years before.

Twenty years is about the time which changes a new war vessel into an obsolete ship, such as it would be foolish to send into action. But occasionally ships become obsolete and meet their inglorious doom very much sooner. In one case, indeed, a battleship became obsolete while she lay in the building stocks, and she was actually broken up without being shifted from the place where her keel was laid down. Another vessel, the Hood, was broken up without ever "riding salt water," having been built in the Medway, and only being launched to go farther above for the purpose of being disintegrated. A third war vessel, of a smaller type, became obsolete while waiting for her boilers to be put in, and she never lived to breathe steam.

Not every obsolete war vessel meets the melancholy fate of being broken up, however; on rare occasions condemned ships, on being taken out of the effective list, are used for the storage of powder, etc., or as training ships, though ironclads are not very well adapted to such uses. Vessels of small types are sometimes, too, rigged up for special purposes wherever a Government office would otherwise have to purchase a new ship at a much greater outlay. But the ultimate end of every ship of war not sunk at sea is to be bartered for almost a fiftieth part of her cost, broken up and scattered over the land to be converted to a thousand different uses.

A TALE OF THE SEA

A terrible tale of suffering and the death at sea of a St. John captain has just been brought to light by the officers and crew of the sailing schooner Arietus.

When about 100 miles to the south of the Queen Charlotte Islands, a mastless derelict was sighted, and closer inspection revealed a figure kneeling on deck with hands grasping the wheel. All answers to his signals failing to elicit an answering hail from the derelict, the captain of the schooner lay to and boarded, when he was horrified to find that the crouching steersman was quite dead, and to all appearance had been so for some considerable time, the firm grip of the hands on the wheel and a few turns of a line maintaining the body in the position found.

An examination of the vessel led to the conclusion that she had been hurriedly abandoned by her crew after having experienced some very heavy weather, the captain for some reason or other having been left aboard. That he had been ill from some cause or other was, however, apparent, for close by the dead body was found a number of medicine bottles, together with portions of food.

The vessel turned out to be the General Siglin, on a voyage from San Francisco to Alaska, and left the outport with six of a crew, and it has been ascertained five passengers on board. The dead steersman proved to be her skipper, Harry Saunders, 40 years, a native of St. John, N.B., and before leaving the water-logged schooner his body was consigned to the deep with the customary formalities of a burial at sea.

So far no report is forthcoming as to where the desertion of crew and passengers took place or as to their subsequent movements and fate.

The Inventor.

CLOTHESWRINGER IMPROVED

A Mechanical Movement Which Dispenses With the Crank.

The comfort and convenience derived from the use of a clothes-wringer is somewhat interfered with by certain features which have restricted its application and use in a measure. For instance, because of the space required for the operation of the crank handle it is not always convenient to put the machine at the point on the tubs where it is most desired. This trouble particularly applies to the use of the wringer on stationary tubs, which, because of their size, often interfere with the complete revolution of the handle.

A reciprocating handle for the wringer has been brought out—the design and invention of a woman—which has the advantage of making the wringer

very flexible in its application. The new feature consists of a mechanical movement which is separate from the wringer frame and rails the connection being made by means of a link chain. The driving mechanism, instead of being a revolving handle, is a reciprocating wheel which imparts a continuous motion to the rolls by a very ingenious spring contrivance. The arrangement of the intermeshing teeth now existing in the wringer is preserved and the power-transmitting chain passes over one of these gears and under the other. As the handle is pressed down, the chain is in action, with the gear of one roll, and as the handle is brought up the spring referred to throws the chain on the teeth of the other roll and so on continuously. It will be readily seen that by this arrangement a regular and continuous motion is given to the wringer rolls.

Views of French Press

Le Canada says that great friendship has always existed between Hon. Mr. Fielding and his former confreres of the press.

La Patrie, referring to the general elections, says it is too early yet to risk any guesses, as an election is like a horse race—it is won when it is won, and not before.

La Patrie, remarking it is hardly three years since general elections were held, says it is the first time in the history of the country that a Parliament regularly elected has had such a short term.

La Patrie says that while it was stated Hon. Mr. Bernier, Minister of Revenue, would retire from political life when it came time to name his successor, difficulties occurred that made it impossible for him to hand over his portfolio.

La Presse says that the coming municipal elections will have a particular importance, as the Street Railway Co. proposes to start an agitation to get its fifty-year contract, and he Light, Heat and Power want their gas contract renewed.

Le Journal, referring to the proposal to have free books in the Catholic schools, says that when education is free it means education by the state or under the control of the state, and that these are two false principles against which we should put ourselves on guard.

He Saw Napoleon.

Very few persons of this day can boast of having seen Napoleon Bonaparte. One of the few is J. W. Ryder, of Devonport, England, who attained his 94th birthday recently. He was a boy when the Bellerophon put into Plymouth Sound with the French Emperor on board as a prisoner, but he clearly recollects the view he had of Napoleon. As this happened some eighty-eight years ago, and as there are no survivors of Waterloo left, it would appear that Mr. Ryder is almost, if not quite, the last of those living who can remember the "petit corporal."

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Veal and Green Peas, Calves Tongue in Sauce Piquante, Calves Tongues in Tomato Sauce, Chicken Saute a la Marengo, Chicken Curry a l'Indienne, Chicken a la Provencale, all at ..... 40c per can
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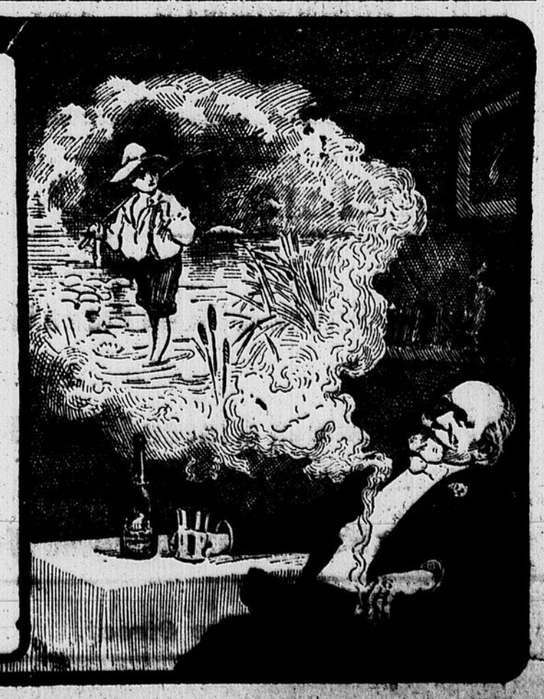

HOSPITAL HAS GOOD REPORT FOR SEASON

Mr. Roswell C. Fisher is Elected to Presidency of the Montreal Homœopathic.

It was a most satisfactory report that the committee of management of Montreal Homœopathic Hospital had to submit to the annual meeting yesterday, and general satisfaction was expressed that assets were $19,530 in excess of liabilities. Mr. John T. Hayes presided. Office bearers and committees for the current year were elected as follows:

President—Roswell C. Fisher.
First vice-president—E. G. O'Connor.
Second vice-president—S. M. Baylis.
Secretary—T. J. Dawson.
Treasurer—E. M. Morgan, M.D.
Committee of management—Mrs. G. D. Phillips, Mrs. J. T. Hagar, Mrs. C. T. Williams, Miss A. Moodie, Messrs. J. W. Hughes, George Durnford, A. R. Griffith, Edward Packard, H. M. Patton, M.D.; A. D. Patton, M.D.
Medical superintendent—A. R. Griffith, M.D.
Medical board, attending physicians—Senior, A. R. Griffith; junior, A. D. Patton. Attending surgeons, senior, H. M. Patton; junior, E. M. Morgan. Outdoor staff, O. W. Bradley and Laura Muller.

Mrs. John T. Hagar and Messrs. E. G. O'Connor, T. J. Dawson and R. L. Gaunt were elected life governors, and Mr. A. H. Plimsoll was elected honorary auditor, and Mr. Leslie Boyd honorary solicitor.

Report of Management.

The report of the committee of management stated that more patents and more medical men had availed themselves of the services of the hospital than in any previous year, the report of the medical superintendent showing an increase of 93 in the number of patients treated. It was also pointed out that that in addition to keeping expenditure within the revenue the committee had been able to expend $1,600 on alterations and reforms to the building.

The treasurer reported that the revenue for the maintenance of the hospital was $10,812.41, with an expenditure of $10,141.70, making a surplus of $670.71. The general statement showed an excess of assets over liabilities of $19,530.

The deaths for the year were 17, a percentage of 4.24. Of typhoid there were treated 30 cases, with one death. There were 21 cases of appendicitis, with 15 successful operations. Several of these were critical cases, where only an operation could save life. There were no deaths from this disease.

Lady Superintendent's Report.

According to the report of the lady superintendent, there were 28 patients accommodated in the maternity wards and 64 in all since this department was opened in 1901. Six nurses have completed their three years' term; nine have entered on probation; six of whom have been capped. Sixty-two private patients received special nursing, thirty-six in their homes, and 26 in the hospital. The revenue from special nursing was $920.25. Since its organization the Phillips Training School has graduated 25 nurses, 15 of whom are engaged in more or less active practice in Montreal.

The Woman's Auxiliary reported a successful year; $200 was given to the hospital painting fund, over $500 worth of new linen was added to the stores, and the usual ubiquitous requisitions for household articles were all duly filled.

Mr. J. T. Hagar was renominated for president, but owing to pressure of business was compelled to decline. The meeting accepted his decision with much regret, and a vote of thanks was heartily awarded Mr. Hagar for his past services.

IMPORTANT TO LADIES.

There's war and rumors of war in the Silk trade.

"Its an ill wind that blows nobody good." This silk war will be the greatest boon of the new century to the ladies of Montreal and surrounding district. For further details read Hamilton's ad in to-morrow night's Herald.

A Woman's Amateur Surgery.

A strange story comes from China of a remarkable operation for appendicitis performed by Mrs. William H. Logan, wife of a medical missionary in China. When living in the far interior of that vast country, eight hundred miles from the nearest doctor, her husband was stricken with appendicitis. Dr. Logan saw that his only chance of recovery lay in an operation, which he asked his wife to perform according to instructions which he gave her. A more appalling position for a human being to be placed in could scarcely be imagined; but this heroic woman, who might, perhaps, have screamed if a mouse had run over her feet, placed her husband under an anaesthetic, and with her unskilled hand successfully removed his appendix. Afterward when he had rallied sufficiently to be moved, she took him eight hundred miles by waggon and rail to a physician, who completed the cure.

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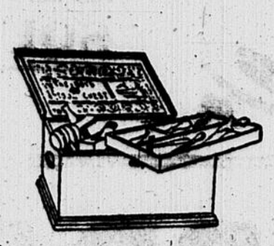

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Toy Stables, with one horse and one cart. Saturday's Price 24c
Boys' Tool Chests, filled with Tools. Saturday's Price 27c
Mechanical Automobiles, with driver blowing horn 45c
White Enamelled High Chairs, gold knobs. Saturday 14c
Boys' Soldier Sets, consisting of hat, breastplate, gun and sword.. 45c

An abundance of Good Books for Gifts

All the paths of literature have been traversed, and we present for your inspection the choicest volumes that have stood the test of time, as well as the favored works of present-day authors.

Every book at reduced prices. No new feature, 'tis true, as The Big Store aims to save you money at all seasons of the year.

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Footwear—Excellent Wearing Grades—Very Newest Styles

And better values than you can elsewhere obtain.

Ladies' Black Vici Kid Laced Boots, "Duchess." This is a special line, with high Cuban heel. Sizes 2½ to 7. Per pair, $2.85

Ladies' Black Patent Kid Theo Strap Slippers, with fancy bow and buckle, French heel, hand turned soles. Sizes 2½ to 7. Per pair, $2.35

Men's Black Enamelled Calf Laced Boots, Blucher style, Goodyear welt soles. Sizes 6 to 10. Per pair. $3.75

(Store No. 1, Notre Dame Street side, Ground Floor.)

Winter Weight Hosiery—Bargain Line And Regular Values

Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Black Wool Hose, seamless feet, suitable for under or overstockings. A special lot of 35 dozen to clear. Regular 23c values. Saturday, per pair, 18c

Ladies' Extra Heavy Black Wool Hose, good stretching quality. Per pair, 36c

Boys' Very Heavy Rib Wool Hose, fast dye, splendid value. Per pair 49c

Ladies' Very Fine Quality Black Wool Hose, soft finish. Per pair 60c

(Store No. 2, Notre Dame Street side, Ground Floor.)

Tuques, Sashes and Mitts

An outfit of this character makes our cute boys and girls look cuter. They also add materially to the comfort of those who delight to spend their time out-of-doors, enjoying the bracing air and engaging in sliding, skating and other winter pastimes.

A VERY SPECIAL LOT OF 9 DOZEN OF CHILDREN'S FINE WHITE WOOL MITTS, with long cuff, warm and comfortable. Saturday's Special Price, per pair 14c

(Store No. 4, St. James Street side, Ground Floor.)

BOYS' AND GIRLS' TUQUES AND SASHES, in plain, cardinal, scarlet, royal and pale blue. Each 27c
ANOTHER LINE, in scarlet or white, also scarlet with white stripe. Each 47c
ANOTHER LINE, made of 4 Ply Fingering, in cardinal, scarlet, pale, royal or navy blue, also white and black. Each 65c

(Store No. 3, St. James Street side, Ground Floor.)

Coal Scuttles

Strong Coal Scuttles, in heavy japanned metal and galvanized iron, 19c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 43c

(Basement.)

Lamp Extras

Lamp Chimneys, 3½c, 5c, 8c, 10c and 13c.
Lamp Burners, 5c, 7c, 9c, 14c and 16c.
Lamp Wicks, per yard, 1c, 2c, 3c and 5c.

(Basement.)

St. Andrew's Ball

Correct dress for this or any other social function, can be met in the various stocks at The Big Store. Our representatives abroad keep us fully informed about the changing modes in the old world and promptly forward every new feature.

Another Musical Recital To-morrow Afternoon

Between 3 and 5 o'clock, at The Big Store. An interesting programme of 12 numbers, consisting of piano solos, duets for violin and piano, marches, waltzes and other inspiring musical numbers will be performed by the entire orchestra.

The Concert will be held in the section adjoining the Art Gallery on the 5th floor. Those who attend are invited to occupy the seats in the waiting room. Last week's musicale was a most successful event, being largely attended, and every number was much enjoyed by the large audience present.

The Sale of Lace Curtains Ends To-morrow

It isn't every day that the opportunity to select from such complete stocks—stocks that include Curtains of every wanted kind and quality—at bargain prices. The large number of sales made during the week evidences your appreciation of the opportunities afforded. That enthusiasm may be maintained up to the closing moment, we append this list of specials for to-morrow.

CREAM OR WHITE NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, from 25 PAIR up. Particularly note the liberal sizes, and the liberal reductions in prices of the undernoted lines;

	Regular.	Monday.
50 in. x 3 yards	$0.82 pair	$0.69
58 in. x 3½ yds.	2.65 pair	1.95
63 in. x 3½ yds.	2.85 pair	2.15
72 in. x 4 yards	2.95 pair	2.40
75 in. wide x 4 yds. long	3.45 pair	2.85

(West of the Carpet Section, 2nd Floor.)

The Sale of Lace Will Also Conclude To-morrow

Particularly those who make the gifts they give will have occasion to regret if such opportunities as the undernoted are permitted to pass. Laces of equal qualities are:

LACE FOR 1c YARD, that usually retails from 3½c to 7½c.
LACE FOR 2½c YARD, that usually retails at from 5c to 20c. Patterns suitable for Dolls' Dresses, etc.
LACE FOR 5c YARD, that usually retails at from 10c to 25c. Suitable designs for Pin Cushions, etc.
LACE FOR 10c YARD, that usually retails at from 20c to 60c yard.
The undernoted Laces are principally Silk, and are adaptable in many gift-making schemes.
LACE FOR 15c YARD, that usually retails at from 25c to 68c yard.
LACE FOR 35c YARD, that usually retails at from 48c to $1.40.
LACE FOR 50c YARD, that usually retails at from 75c to $1.45.

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A Comprehensive Range of Ladies' Stylish Wraps

We know these values are not duplicated, because an investigation preceded committing the prices to paper.

LADIES' FRENCH FAWN BEAVER CLOTH JACKETS, ¾ length, deep applique, shoulder cape, Kimono collar, new sleeves with self applique, loose back..... $17.00

LADIES' GOOD QUALITY FRENCH GRAY BEAVER CLOTH JACKETS, ¾ length, deep cape and stole, with self applique, French back, newest sleeves $21.75

LADIES' EXTRA QUALITY FRENCH GRAY BEAVER CLOTH JACKETS, deep pointed cape, piped with fawn satin, long stole with cord ornaments, three-piece sleeves, lined with colored silk, French back .. $29.50

(Store No. 3, St. James Street side, 1st Floor.)

Ladies' Neckwear

Several quite attractive features.

New Silk Stocks, white edging, trimmed with lace applique, fancy stitching, in turquoise blue, red, pink, black and white, 75c

White Chiffon Stocks, embroidered with silk, with one tab, $1.10

New Chiffon Stocks colored silk edging, trimmed with applique and silk, with one tab, in white, pale green, pink and pale blue $1.65

(Notre Dame and St. Peter Street side, Ground Floor.)

Winter Gloves

Good styles and values in varieties suitable for ladies.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, wool lined, fur top, 2 stud fasteners, in good serviceable shades of tan or brown, also in black. Sizes 6 to 8. Per pair, $1.35

Ladies' Reindeer Gloves, wool lined, fur top. Sizes 6 to 8. Per pair, $1.45

Ladies' Reindeer Gloves, wool lined, fur top, extra fine quality, 2 stud fasteners, in gray or black. Sizes 6 to 8. Per pair $1.95

(Store No. 4, Notre Dame Street side, Ground Floor.)

Men's Overcoats for Winter Wea

The Big Store's assortment possesses attraction for the man who wants style and yet cannot afford to purchase such at the expense of quality, or isn't willing to forego personal comfort.

OVERCOATS, made of Dark Gray Cheviot, in the Raglan style, lined with Italian cloth, velvet collar, 3 inside pockets, slanting outside pockets, finished in first class style throughout. A regular $10.00 Overcoat that, because of a fortunate purchase, we are enabled to sell for $7.90

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' GRAY IRISH FRIEZE OVERCOATS, Ulster style, storm collar, back with belt, lined with a splendid wearing grade of Italian cloth.. $16.75

(Store No. 2, St. James Street side, Ground Floor.)

Boys' Overcoats Better Grades for Less Money

That is the reason so many mothers are purchasing the Boys' Outer Wraps at The Big Store.

BOYS' BLANKET COATS, made of a Navy Blue Woollen Fabric, coat lined with check tweed, hood lined with red flannel, piping to match, high storm collar. Sizes 22 to 28 in. chest measure. Our Special Price.. $3.85

BOYS' ALL WOOL DARK GRAY FRIEZE WINTER OVERCOATS, Raglanette style, velvet collar, slanting pockets, lined with farmer's satin, full back, well made and finished garments. Special Prices,

$3.15, $5.60 and $7.00

(Store No. 2, Notre Dame Street side, First Floor.)

Men's Winter Hats and Caps

No values that solicit your patronage quite equal the undernoted offered by The Big Store.

MEN'S AND YOUTHS' GOOD QUALITY FALL AND WINTER CAPS, jockey, golf and square top shapes, all sizes and various colors,

30c, 50c, 75c and $1.15

MEN'S IMPORTED FUR FELT HATS, in black, newest Derby or Panama styles, all sizes,

$1.65, $2.15 and $2.70

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Wood, Metal and Wire Sifters, of all descriptions, best value assured,

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A LEGAL REMEDY.

For the Removal of Cats From Back Fences.

A retired citizen in the Southeast section has been greatly annoyed by the howling on his own fence and shed in the backyard of a big black cat in the neighborhood. Not being able to sleep, he called upon his attorney the other day to discuss with him what could be done in the way of getting rid of the cats.

"There the cat sits every night on my fence," the sufferer explained, "and he yowls and yowls and yowls. Now, I don't want to get into any trouble with my neighbors, for I am a lover of peace but I would like to know if I am not justified in putting a stop to it?"

"Certainly," replied the lawyer.

"I am well within my rights if I shoot the cat, then?"

"Um, well, I would hardly like to say that," answered the lawyer. "The cat does not belong to you, as I understand the case?"

"No."

"And the fence does?"

"Yes."

"Well, then, I think I may safely say that you have a perfect right to pull down the fence."—Washington Times.

ITS FRONT ALWAYS TO THE SUN

A House That Turns All Day Toward the Sun for Treatment of Consumptives.

Dr. Pellegrin, a well known Parisian physician, sends his consumptive patients to live in houses that turn all day long toward the sun, says the New York American. The treatment has had magical results, both in consumption and anaemia, cancer and many other diseases. The turning of the house toward the sun is accomplished by a comparatively simple mechanical device.

The house is situated in the Department of Alpes Maritimes, near the Mediterranean Sea. It is square in shape and the weight is carefully distributed. It is built upon a steel turntable, which can be revolved by a slight effort. The house is built of stone, brick and iron, because it was desired to make it as strong and free from draughts as possible, although it would have been much simpler to have made it of wood. The house is carefully balanced on this turntable, which revolves by means of ball bearing wheels on a circular rail. There is an upright rod running through the centre to the foundation beneath, with a crossbar forming two handles like the bars of a capstan. By means of this arrangement two men can turn the table and the house at the same time. There are holes in the platform of the turntable for the passage of water and sewer pipes, electric wires, etc. The house is built upon a hill. To the south is the sea and on the north side, whence no sunlight but only cold winds, is a thick plantation of trees.

The hygienic house begins the day at sunrise facing toward the east. Then it is turned hour by hour on its axis, so that it is always facing the sun. It is moved around until it faces the sinking sun in the west. There is no need to turn it any further until the sun rises the next morning. There are no windows at the sides or back of the house, so that there can be no draughts. All the windows are set back so that the occupant can sit outside, in the open air and sunshine, without feeling any draughts.

A house of this character, situated in a healthy, sunny climate, is the best possible way of curing consumption, and many other diseases. Sunshine is the unfailing enemy of disease germs, and if they have not made too much progress it will surely drive them away. The treatment known as helio-theapy, or "suncure," is being constantly more applied in Europe.

The mechanical foundations of the house only add 10 per cent. to the cost of a house of similar size and character built upon a cellar. The fact that the house rests on moving foundations makes it drier and healthier.

SYSTEM POISONED BY DEFECTIVE KIDNEYS

Results in the Most Dreadfully Painful and Fatal Ailments Known to Man.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

Mrs. Chas. Brown, East Dudswell, Que., writes: "I used two dollars' worth of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and they did me more good than all the drugs I ever took. I had a very, very severe case of kidney disease. I was sick for two years, and during the second year was in bed most of the time. From January to June I could not sit up, but was obliged to lie on my back and could not get any relief at all. When passing water it seemed as though there were a thousand pieces of glass sticking through me, the smarting and stinging was so great. I could only pass a drop or two at a time, and the water was very highly colored. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills relieved me of these dreadful pains and took away the rheumatism. They also cured me of constipation and liver troubles, and I fully believe that if it had not been for them I would have been in my grave to-day. I am heartily grateful for the wonders D Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills have done for me, and I hope that others suffering as I did will profit by my experience and be cured."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25c a box at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto. To protect you against imitations, the portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous recipe book author, are on every box.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

[Advertising Rates — Birth Notices, 25c; Marriage Notices, 50c; Death Notices, 25c.]

BIRTHS.

BERLINGUET—At Grand Mere, Nov. 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Thos. Berlinguet, a son. x

CROZIER—At Kingston, Nov. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crozier, a son.

MONK—At Bartlefield, Nov. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Monk, a son.

STORMS—At Strathcona, Nov. 13, the wife of Gilbert Storms, of a son.

READ—At Sherbrooke, Nov. 21, a daughter to Rev. and Mrs. E. Ellery Read.

MOORE—At Stanstead Plain, Nov. 23, a son to the Rev. A. H. and Mrs. Moore.

DRUMMOND—At Toronto, Nov. 24, the wife of H. A. Drummond, of a daughter.

FOSTER—At St. Thomas, Nov. 21, the wife of G. Colley Foster, Imperial Bank, of a daughter.

FIELD—At Cobourg, Nov. 24, the wife of Frederick Field, of a daughter.

McWHINNEY—At Toronto, Nov. 24, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McWhinney, a son.

WILSON—At Sawyerville, Nov. 16, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson.

WILLARD—At East Angus, Nov. 13, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Willard.

DUFFIELD—At Agnes, Que., Oct. 26, the wife of H. J. Duffield, of a daughter.

HALLS—At Cookshire, Que., Nov. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Halls, a daughter.

JARVIS—At Smith's Falls, Nov. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Eli Jarvis, a son.

HAMBLETON—At Smith's Falls, Nov. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. James Hambleton, a son.

MOSS—At Franktown, Nov. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moss, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BUCHANAN-O'BRIEN—On Wednesday, the twenty-fifth of November, at St. Patrick's, by the Rev. Father Martin Callaghan, Alexander Buchanan, son of A. Brock Buchanan, Esq., to Anna Mary, youngest daughter of the late Hon. James O'Brien. x

DOUGLAS-McLEOD—At Emmerson, Kent Co. N.B., Oct. 21, Roland Matheson Douglas, formerly of Ross-Shire, Scotland, now of Ottawa, to Margaret Ann McLeod, of Emmerson.

BAYNE-PRINCE—At South Cookshire, Nov. 18, Richard Bayne to Mrs. Jane Prince.

GRANT-McCAUGHEY—At Cobourg, Nov. 18, Margaret Almira, daughter of Major and Mrs. McCaughey, of Cobourg, to William Hay Grant, of Toronto.

DOWNING-STONE—At Toronto, Nov. 18th, Arthur A. Downing to Anna M. Stone, daughter of Jas. Stone.

FREEMAN-SPARLING — At Dawson City, Yukon, Oct. 14, Florence Emma, daughter of William H. Freeman, of Toronto, Ont., to John Kerr Sparling, barrister, son of the Rev. Dr. Sparling, of Wesley College, Winnipeg, Man.

McMACKIN-COWAN—On Nov 25, S. Walter McMackin to Ada B. Cowan, both of St. John.

WEIR-NEVILLE—At Ottawa, Nov. 25, Wm. M. Weir to Florence E. Neville, daughter of Jas. Neville.

BUCHANAN-SHEARER—At Pictou, Nov. 17, Alexander T. Buchanan, of New Glasgow, to Mrs. Mary Merriman Shearer.

SEELEY-BOWSER—At City Roads, England, Nov. 11, Reginald Edward Seeley, Staff-Sergeant Army Pay Corps, son of the late G. S. Seeley, of Lindfield, Sussex, to Blanche Gertrude, daughter of W. H. Bowser, of Halifax, N.S.

SULLIVAN-PELLY—At Isaacs Harbor, Nov. 21, George D. Sullivan, miner, of Isaacs Harbor, to Margaret Pelly, of Antigonish.

DEATHS ELSEWHERE.

ALLIN—At Boulder, Col., Nov. 17, Dr. Arthur Allin, of Colorado University, husband of Alberta M. Carey.

WASS—At Balsam Lake, Oakville, Nov. 23rd, Mary, relict of the late William Wass, in her 90th year.

FORD—At Norwood, Nov. 24, Minta A., wife of Dr. S. P. Ford.

RATHBUN—At Deseronto, Nov. 24, Edward W. Rathbun, aged 62 years.

CORNELL—At Toronto, Nov. 23, Archibald Cornell, aged 54 years.

BOWLES—At Woodhill, Nov. 24th, Charles Douglas, son of Dr. and Mrs. George H. Bowles, aged 6 months and 8 days.

WYLIE—At Orangeville, Ont., on Nov. 24th, Euphemia, relict of the late John Wylie.

ALLEN—At Kingston, Nov. 23, Albert Edward, infant son of W. J. and Ethel Allen, aged 1 year and 4 months.

IRWIN—At Adirondacks, New York, Nov. 21, May Atcheson, wife of Wm. Irwin, jr.

BURKE—At Ottawa, Nov. 25, Thomas Burke, of the Geological Survey Department.

RUDDICK—At Elizabethtown, Nov. 23, James Edwin Ruddick, aged 41 years.

CARPENTER—At Brockville, Nov. 24, Stella, daughter of Gideon Carpenter, aged 19 years.

BOTSFORD — At Brockville, Margaret H., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Botsford, aged 24 years.

ROLFE—At Ascot, Que., Nov. 15, Dora M. Laberee, wife of Austin Rolfe, aged 28 years and 10 months.

BERRYMAN—At Portland, Me., Nov. 21, Henrietta, wife of Walter M. Berryman.

JENKINS—At St. John, Nov. 24, Catherine Jenkins, widow of George Jenkins, in the 96th year of her age.

Foolish Fanny

is wise enough to prefer lady charlotte gelatine.

Goethe, and when he visited Frankfort he sought out every individual who had been kind to her and thanked them all.

John Randolph said: "I should have been an atheist, if it had not been for one recollection, and that was the memory of the time when my mother used to take my little hand in hers and cause me on my knees to say: 'Our Father which art in Heaven.'"

THE PERILS OF PNEUMONIA.

Danger Can Be Largely Avoided if Proper Precautions Are Taken.

Many deaths from pneumonia can be avoided if proper precautions are taken, says the Chicago Record-Herald. The ordinary man is apt to think that because he never has a tangible or visible evidence of the cause of the disease it is useless for him to do anything against it. It is wrong.

The first thing for him to do is to live a healthful life. The better physical condition he keeps himself in the greater will be his powers of vital resistance and the greater his chances of escaping the disease if he is exposed to infection.

The next thing to do is to avoid the places where the danger of infection is greatest. The crowded and ill ventilated public hall or street car should be on his black list. The man who is able and willing to walk back and forth from his home to his work place every day instead of riding in the cars is materially increasing his chances of surviving the winter.

Finally, sanitary precautions to prevent a pneumonia patient from infecting other members of his family are essential. The family physician possesses the knowledge that the situation demands, and he is not doing his duty unless he gives full instructions and sees that they are followed.

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THOSE BLESSED MOTHERS.

Tributes of Johnson, Cromwell, Bonaparte and Goethe.

"Know you what especially impels me to industry? My mother. I shall endeavor to sweeten a part of her life that otherwise has been so unfortunate and lessen by my help and sympathy the great sorrows she has suffered. To her alone I owe the foundation of my mind and heart—Jean Paul Richter.

George Herbert said: "One good mother is worth 100 schoolmasters. In the home she is a loadstone to all hearts and a loadstar to all eyes."

De Maistre, in his writings, speaks of his mother with immense love and reverence. He describes her as his "sublime mother," "an angel," to whom God had lent a body for a brief system." To her he attributed the bent of his character and her precepts were the ruling influence of his life.

One charming feature in the character of Samuel Johnson, notwithstanding his rough exterior was the tenderness with which he invariably spoke of his mother, who implanted in his mind his first impressions of religion. In the time of his greatest difficulties he contributed out of his slender means to her comfort.

Cromwell's mother was a woman of spirit and energy equal to her mildness and patience, whose pride was honesty and whose passion was love, and whose only care, amidst all her splendor, was for the safety of her son in his dangerous eminence.

Napoleon Bonaparte was accustomed to say that "the future good or bad conduct of a child depended entirely on the mother." Nobody had any command over him except his mother, who found means, by a mixture of tenderness, severity and justice, to make him love respect and obey her.

Goethe owed the bias of his mind and character to his mother, who possessed in a high degree the art of stimulating young and active minds. "She was worthy of life," once said

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BLACK SATEEN WAISTS. Were $1.25. For **95c**
ODDS AND ENDS OF SILK WAISTS, at HALF PRICE.
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JAPANESE MATTING AND FIBRE CARPETS ..... Less 20 p.c.

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5 DOZEN OF BOYS' STITCH FELT HATS, new Fedora shape, color dark gray and Oxford gray. Regular $1.25 ..... Less 20 p.c.
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BELTS, BUCKLES AND GIRDLES of all kinds ..... Less 20 p.c.

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LESS 15 PER CENT.

SILK TABLE CENTRES, $2.10, $3.00, $4.00.
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1 LOT ALEXANDRE & ROUILLON DRESSED KID GLOVES, colored and black. Sizes 5 1-2, 6 3-4 only, $1.15 and $1.50. For **35c**
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DARK GRAY AND DRAB COVERT CLOTH, reversible, $2.00 and $3.00.. 33 p.c.
BLACK KNOTTED MANTLE CLOTH, $1.50 and $2.00 ..... 50 p.c.
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COLORED BROCADED CLOTH, for fur lined cape, $4.00, $5.00 ..... 50 p.c.

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COLORED DUCHESS SATIN RIBBONS 5 inches wide, all shades. Suitable for Sashes and Ties. Per yard **25c**
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LADIES' HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS, 1-4 and 1-2 inch hems.... **12c. 15c. 20c**
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LESS **10** PER CENT.
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FRILLED PILLOW SLIPS, with open work ..... 20 p.c.
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ENTIRE STOCK OF ART SILK.
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PINK AND BLACK STRIPE VELVET, PURPLE AND BLACK STRIPE VELVET, 50c per yard. LESS **50** PER CENT.
FANCY SILKS ON THE COUNTER, **50** PER CENT.
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BALANCE OF TRAVELLER'S SAMPLES OF STERLING SILVER NOVELTIES, at Discounts from
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SPECIAL TABLES OF $1.00, $2.00, $3.00, $4.00, $5.00,
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He trusts in God.

Whoever says when clouds are in the sky,
"Be patient, heart; light breaketh by and by,"
Trusts the Most High.

Whoever sees, 'neath winter's field of snow,
The silent harvest of the future grow
God's power must keep.

Whoever lies down on his couch to sleep,
Content to lock each sense in slumber deep
Knows God will keep.
—Edward Bulwer-Lytton.

POT-POURRI.

ORIGINAL TRIMMINGS.

Not only do evening gowns serve as a display for elaborate trimmings and color scheme, but on all gowns of this season are to be noticed trimmings of much more original and marked design than have been seen for a long time. There are medallions of velvet, cloth or satin, embroidered or painted, as the case may be, and these are always so skilfully arranged that they look almost as though woven in with the material. On an extremely smart black velvet gown are bands of satin showing a tracing of fine gold thread, quaintly embroidered with tiny pink roses or green leaves. This style of trimming is used on both velvet and cloth gowns. It is all hand work, is more original still effective, and allows of a great variety of coloring in the embroidered flowers, which should always be very small. The embroidery must be worked in silk with a stitch, after the fashion of the old fashion crewel needlework.

Again another treatment of the same design is seen in the feathers of jet or steel paillettes embroidered in the net or lace gowns, which give an undeniably good effect. A much simpler, but none the less charming, fashion is seen in the lace gowns made up over gold and silver embroidered chiffon. Through the delicate mesh of the lace over the filmy of the chiffon the design shows out, while the spangles brighten up all in a most attractive fashion. This style of dress is by no means economical, but then economy and modern dress are not exactly synonymous terms.

When a lace gown is made up over spangled net a still more elaborate effect may be obtained if the waist be trimmed with lace spangled to match the underskirt. The right effect can only be gained by having the spangles put on by hand or the finest machine work, though the latter is not recommended.

NOTES FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.

According to one who ought to know, five good sized chickens make sufficient salad to serve fifty persons.

A light luncheon at bedtime—a glass of milk and a few crackers—will be found beneficial to the members of the household who suffer from sleeplessness.

A good many folk confound cold air with pure air—windows should be so arranged in the sleeping-room that a constant supply of fresh air may be available.

A bag of elderdown or canton flannel fitted securely to the brush of an old broom and equipped with tapes to fasten it firmly to the handle, makes a good polisher for hardwood or painted floors.

HOME-MADE TOOTH POWDER.

Mix together equal parts of powdered chalk and charcoal and add a small quantity of castile soap. This powder keeps the teeth beautifully white.

USES OF SALT.

Common salt is useful as a tonic, an internal antiseptic, an external stimulant, etc., besides possessing other medicinal virtues too little known and appreciated. A bag of hot salt is very soothing in neuralgia, toothache, earache and similar affections. In croup it is a reliable and harmless remedy, the dose being a teaspoonful mixed with a tablespoonful of honey, frequently and freely. For a sprain nothing will give relief more quickly than cold salt water; swellings may often be reduced very quickly by frequent bathing of the part effected in strong brine; and, taken moderately, it is an antidote for alcoholic poison. It is an excellent hair tonic. Salt and water will remove tartar from the teeth, and, mixed in equal proportions with soda, salt makes an excellent dentifrice. In cases of dysentery, salt, taken in vinegar and hot water, usually gives great relief; and for cholera morbus add a teaspoonful of the strongest pepper to the dose.

Orientals, who understand the niceties of eating from a hygienic standpoint much better than we of the Occident, always take salt with their cheese. After one becomes addicted to the salt and apple habit they feel that apples should never be eaten in any other way.

FOR THE COOK.

COCOANUT RECIPES.

The cocoanut is a fruit that can be obtained at almost any month of the year. It is also available for any number of delicate desserts, some of which are given here.

Cocoanut Pudding Cold.—For one ordinary cocoanut allow one pint of milk, one half cup of sugar, three eggs and one teaspoonful of vanilla. Remove the hard shell and dark skin from the cocoanut and grate the meat. Beat the eggs without separating until light, then add the sugar, the milk and the cocoanut and lastly the vanilla. Pour into a deep pudding dish, stand the dish in a pan of water and bake in a moderate oven until it takes the consistency of custard. Stand on ice until thoroughly chilled.

Cocoanut Pudding Hot.—For one cocoanut, allow one half a cupful of sugar, one pint of milk, one fourth of a cupful of sherry and one pint of crumbed sponge cake. Grate the cocoanut as directed in the previous recipe. Put the sugar and the milk in a farina kettle and let cook for ten minutes. Put a layer of the crumbed sponge cake in a pudding dish. Pour a little of the wine over it, then sprinkle a layer of cocoanut over the top. Add another layer of cake moistened with the wine, and continue the process until all the ingredients are exhausted, taking care that there is a layer of cake on the top. Pour the sweetened milk on the whole and bake in a moderate oven. Serve hot without sauce.

Cocoanut Pie.—To make two medium size pies allow one pint of milk, two or three eggs, one half cupful of sugar, one cupful of grated cocoanut and one half teaspoonful of vanilla. Beat the eggs without separating until light and creamy. Add the sugar, the cocoanut and the vanilla. Line the pie dishes with a good plain paste rolled as thin as possible, fill them with the mixture and bake in a quick oven for one half hour. Serve cold.

Cocoanut Timbales.—For six ordinary size moulds allow two eggs, one pint of milk, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one grated cocoanut and as much sifted bread crumbs as may be required. Butter the timbale moulds or small cups and line them first with the bread crumbs, then with a thick layer of cocoanut. Beat the eggs with sugar and the milk and fill the moulds or cups with the mixture. Stand the cups in a pan of boiling water and bake for fifteen minutes. Turn out of the moulds and serve hot or cold with hard sauce and whipped cream flavored with brand respectively.

Cocoanut Ice Cream.—To make a sufficient quantity for ten persons allow one quart of cream, one half cupful of powdered sugar, three bananas, three-fourths of a cupful of blanched almonds, the whites of three eggs and two tablespoonfuls of grated cocoanut. Whip the cream until thick and add the sugar. Slice the bananas very thin, cut the almonds into tiny strips and beat both into the cream and add the whites of the eggs, which have been beaten stiff. Stir in the cocoanut and flavor with one-fourth of a teaspoonful each of essence of vanilla, essence of banana and essence of almond. Put in cone-shape moulds and pack the moulds in ice and salt. Let stand for three or four hours. Then turn out on a platter and dust over the surface grated cocoanut blended with powdered sugar. The cream will freeze to the proper consistency at the stated time and must be stirred after it is packed in the moulds.

Six Doctors Failed to Cure Him.

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Men, Women and Happenings

Mr. Allison Sims, Lorne avenue, left for Toronto last evening.

Mr. David Robertson, Montreal, is a guest at the Russell House, Ottawa.

Miss Marjorie Appel is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. O. Armstrong, Milton street.

Mrs. John Gilmour, Ottawa, entertained at luncheon to-day in honor of Lady Tilley.

Mr. Clive Dobell, who is spending a few days in town, returned to Compton on Monday.

Miss Amy Hiam was among the guests at the annual athletic dance given by the students of Trinity University at Toronto Wednesday evening.

Miss Ruth Galloway, Denver, Co., is expected in the city next week, when she will be the guest of Miss McGuigan, St. Mark Street.

Mr. Fred Smith, of the Bank of Montreal, who has been spending his holidays at New York, has returned home.

Mr. W. A. Murray, Montreal, was among the guests at a ball given by Mr. and Mrs. W. Hendrie at Hamilton Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Edward Lemoine and her daughter, Mrs. Bryce Stimson, of Carleton Place, are the guests of Mrs. Wurtele at Ottawa.

Lady Elizabeth Cochrane is expected at Ottawa shortly, where she will be the guest of her brother, the Earl of Dundonald, at Creighton Lodge.

Principal Peterson, of McGill University, is attending the meeting of the Protestant committee of the Council of Public Instruction to-day at Quebec.

Lady Rodney and her brother, Hon. Lionel Guest, who were spending a few days at Government House, Ottawa, left yesterday—Lady Rodney for New York, whence she sails for home, and Mr. Guest returning to Montreal.

Mrs. Charles D. White, of Sherbrooke, entertained Wednesday evening at a small euchre party in honor of Miss Goodday, of Quebec, and Miss Helen Woods, who are her guests. The prizes were won by Miss Tomlinson and Mr. M. W. Mitchell, while Miss Katherine Thornloe, Sault Ste. Marie, captured the "lone hand" prize. Mrs. White was assisted by Mrs. H. A. Tofield, her sister, and by Mrs. Frank White.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. McGuigan, St. Mark Street, entertained at dinner last evening in honor of the American Thanksgiving Day. Covers were laid for thirteen, the guests including Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis, Dr. Hutchinson, Mr. Coleman, Georgia; Mr. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, Montana; Mrs. John Davis, Kansas City; Miss Dolph, Chicago, and the Misses McGuigan.

Mrs. B. W. Coghlan, formerly Miss Dawes, received yesterday afternoon at her residence, 27 Tupper street, for the first time since her marriage. Mrs. George Smith, Miss Nora Dawes, and Miss B. Rawlings presided in the tea room. The polished table was daintily arranged with a large lace centre piece and yellow and white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Coghlan was gowned in pale blue crepe de chene, trimmed with hand embroidery and lace.

BABY COFFEE TOPERS

Were Given Coffee at 2 Years of Age.

"My mother always gave her children coffee to drink from the time they were old enough to hold a cup, consequently I used it from the time I was two years old to my eighteenth year," says a young lady of Potomac, Ill.

"Although I never suspected it, coffee was all this time undermining my health, and suddenly without any warning I was taken with nervous prostration. At times I could scarcely breathe and my face twitched continually.

"I was almost helpless and my stomach was out of order all the time. For three years I was treated, with only temporary relief, having to stay in bed nearly all the time. Then my uncle, an old physician, came to visit us, and as soon as he had studied my case a little bit he said:

"'Let me get you a square meal. I think I can make better coffee than any one in this house.'

"So I waited patiently, for I did love good coffee, and I thought I had never tasted such delicious coffee as that was, and I wondered why others could not make it just the same. So uncle told me he would teach them just how it was made.

"In this way I drank Postum Coffee for nearly a month before I knew it. I found my stomach getting so much better and all my troubles disappearing, and in a few weeks I was up and around the house again, and stronger and better than I had been for a long time. I am still growing stronger every day, and I am doing my best to get my friends to do away with coffee and use Postum in its place.

"Coffee almost ruined me and I know it, and I know the only way that I got rid of it and got well was by drinking Postum in its place. I have found out that you must be careful to follow directions on the Postum package to make good Postum." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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CHRISTMAS FINANCING SOLVED.

There is no time in the year when people are so willing and anxious to secure a piano (with all the pleasure it is capable of contributing to the home) as during this bright holiday season. But unfortunately there are so many other payments to be made for Christmas presents that the piano often has to wait. This need not be, for we are willing to arrange terms to meet this difficulty. Call and see us anyway and talk it over. You will find us accommodating and you can examine our stock of Chickering, Heintzman, Ennis, Karn and Howard pianos. C. W. Lindsay, Limited, 2366 St. Catherine Street (near Peel); East End branch, 1622 St. Catherine Street, corner of St. Hubert Street.—Advt.

HOWARD—TAYLOR.

The marriage of Miss Daisy Taylor, second daughter of the late Mr. J. W. Taylor, of this city, to Mr. T. P. Howard, son of the late Captain Howard, Beaver Hall Square, took place very quietly at St. George's Church last evening, his Lordship Bishop Carmichael, officiating. The bride, who was unattended, wore a gown of sapphire blue velvet, trimmed with blue soutache braid and vest of cream-colored cloth, embroidered in blue and dark blue panne picture hat, faced with pale blue chiffon and trimmed with shaded plumes. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses. Among those present at the ceremony were Mrs. Howard, mother of the groom, gowned in black with black bonnet; Miss Howard, sister of the groom, in pale gray appliqued in white with large black hat; Miss Lottie Howard, wearing dark blue foulard with trimmings of cream lace and blue hat; Mrs. A. Gordon Robertson, sister of the bride, wore pale gray cloth with black picture hat; Miss Lillian Taylor, sister of the bride, was gowned in green cloth with dark green hat; Mrs. Robert Howard, in black with black hat; Miss Louise Howard, wearing a tailor-made suit with large black hat; Mrs. Fred. Bacon, gowned in black with black hat; Mrs. Herbert Marler, in green with large white hat; Mrs. Douglas Stewart, wearing dark green with black and white hat; Miss Charlotte Bacon, in black with large black picture hat; Miss Fiske, gowned in black with red hat. Others present were:—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Lambert, Miss Ainsley, Miss Thibaudeau, Mr. S. O. Shorey, Mr. and Mrs. Renwick, Mrs. Howard, Mr. Wright, Mr. Gildersleeve and Mr. Montgomery. Mr. and Mrs. Howard left immediately after the ceremony for New York and Washington and on their return will reside at the "Astoria," 735 Sherbrooke Street. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts, including a diamond pendant from the groom. The staff of the J. W. Pyke & Co. and Phoenix Bridge & Iron Works presented Mr. Howard with a handsome silver tea service.

LADIES GIVE EUCHRE PARTY.

The ladies of St. Patrick's church held a euchre party in aid of the poor fund, in St. Patrick's Hall, St. Alexander Street, last evening. Two hundred players were present. The ladies' prizes went to Mrs. M. Casey and Miss Pertt and the gentlemen's to Messrs. Thos. McGovern and J. Kavannagh. Mr. Michael Stack, presided and had as his aides Mr. J. Kelly and Mr. G. Carpenter. To Mrs. P. A. Duffy is due the success of the affair, in which she was assisted by Mrs. P. McCrory and Mrs. John Fallon.

MISS ADAIR ENTERTAINED.

The ladies of the Victoria Golf Club were the hostesses yesterday afternoon at one of the prettiest teas of the season given in Morgan's Art Gallery in honor of Miss Rhona Adair. The president, Mrs. Strangman, the vice-president, Mrs. Cecil Gordon, and Miss Adair received in the dainty little drawing room, which was effectively decorated with palms and natural flowers. Tea was served in the large green room at the end of the gallery, the table being charmingly arranged with large bows of red satin ribbon and red carnations. Mrs. Bernard Stevenson poured, and Mrs. Dinham Molson was in charge of the coffee, assisted by Miss Macrae, Miss M. Monk, Miss M. Pangman, Miss Evelyn Clay, Miss Knight, Miss Jean Tyre, Miss Covernton, and Miss Campbell. The guests included Miss Nora Adair, Miss Green, Mrs. Linton, Miss Reford, Miss Porteus, Miss Ludington, Mrs. J. L. Day, Miss Ritchie, Miss Pinder, Miss Desbarats, Miss Ethel Bond, Miss Edith Rawlings, Miss L. Tyre, Miss Fisher, Miss McAnulty, Miss Barnard, Miss Hutchinson, Miss Russell, Miss Buchanan, Miss Hare, and many others.

ALD. VALLIERES TO STAND.

Ald. Vallieres, chairman of the Road Committee, will run in Duvernay ward, the new division, at the next municipal elections. Several hundred electors of the ward waited upon him last night and urged him to accept the nomination. The alderman finally consented. Ald. Vallieres has represented St. Denis ward in the council for four years.

IMPORTANT TO LADIES.

There's war and rumors of war in the Silk trade.

"Its an ill wind that blows nobody good." This silk war will be the greatest boon of the new century to the ladies of Montreal and surrounding district. For further details read Hamilton's ad in to-morrow night's Herald.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The treasurer of the Protestant Hospital for the Insane acknowledges with thanks the following subscriptions: Erskine Church, part collection Thanksgiving day, $30.72; G. M. Kinghorn, $50; James Poustie, 10.

WEST INDIES WANT BETTER TERMS.

(Special to The Montreal Herald.)

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Mr. Russell Murray, representative of the Imperial Department of Agriculture in the West Indies, had an interview with Hon. Mr. Paterson, Minister of Customs, to-day, relative to the Canadian tariff as it affects the bye-products of sugar, molasses and cocoanut.

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CHAPTER XXV.—Continued.

"We were not long in marrying after that. I was terrified at delay, not because I feared any contradiction of the report which had given this glorious release, but because I dreaded lest some hint of my early folly should reach you and dim the pride with which you regarded me. I wanted to feel myself yours so closely and so dearly that you would not mind if any one told you that I had once cared, or thought I had cared for another. The week of our marriage came; I was mad with gaiety and ecstatic with hope. Nothing had occurred to mar my prospects. No letter from Denver—no memento from the Klondike, no word even from Wallace, who had gone north with his brother. Soon I should be called wife again, but by lips I loved, and to whose language my heart thrilled. The past, always vague, would soon be no more than a forgotten dream—an episode quite closed. I could afford from this moment on to view life like other girls and rejoice in my youth and the love which every day was becoming more and more to me.

"But God had His eye upon me, and in the midst of my happiness and the hurry of our final preparations His bolt fell. It struck me while I was at the—don't laugh; rather shudder—at the dressmaker's shop in Fourteenth Street. I was leaning over a table, chattering like a magpie over the way I wanted a gown trimmed, when my eye fell on a scrap of newspaper in which something had come rolled to madame. It was torn at the edge, but on the bit lying under my eyes I saw my husband's name, William Pfeiffer, and that the paper was a Denver one. There was but one William Pfeiffer in Denver—and he was my husband. And I read—feeling nothing. Then I read again, and the world, my world, went from under my feet; for the man who had fallen dead in the camp at Nome was Wallace, William's brother, and not William himself. William had been left behind on the road by his more energetic brother, who had pushed on for succor through the worst storm and under the worst conditions possible even in that God-forsaken region. With the lost one in mind, the one word that Wallace uttered in sight of rescue, was William. A hope was expressed of finding the latter alive and a party had started out—Did I read more? I do not think so. Perhaps there was no more to read; here was where the paper was torn across. But it was no matter. I had seen enough. It was Wallace who had fallen dead, and while William might have perished also, and doubtless had, I had no certainty of it. And my wedding day was set for Thursday.

"Why didn't I tell Cora; why didn't I tell you? Pride held my tongue; besides, I had had time to think before I saw either of you, and to reason a bit and to feel sure that if Wallace had been spent enough to fall dead on reaching the camp William could never have survived on the open road. For Wallace was the stronger of the two and the most hardy every way. Free I certainly was. Some later paper would assure me of this. I would hunt them up and see—but I never did. I do not think I dared. I was afraid I should see some account of his rescue. I was afraid of being made certain of what was now but a possibility, and so I did nothing. But for three nights I did not sleep.

"The caprice which had led me to choose the old Moore house to be married in led me to plan dressing there on my wedding morning. It was early when we started, Cora and I, for Waverley Avenue, but not too early for the approaches to that dreadful house to be crowded with people, eager to see the daring bride. Why I should have shrunk so from that crowd I can not say. I trembled at sight of their faces and at the sound of their voices, and if by chance a head was thrust forward farther than the rest I cowered back instinctively and nearly screamed. Did I dread to recognize a too familiar face? The paper I had seen bore a date six months back. A man could arrive here from Alaska in that time. Or was my conscience aroused at last and clamoring to be heard when it was too late? On the corner of N Street the carriage suddenly stopped. A man had crossed in front of it. I caught one glimpse of this man and instantly the terrors of a lifetime were concentrated into one instant of agonizing fear. It was William Pfeiffer. I knew the look; I knew the gait. He was gone in a moment and the carriage rolled on. But I knew my doom as well that minute as I did an hour later. My husband was alive and he was here. He had escaped the perils of the Klondike and wandered east to reclaim his recreant wife. There had been time for him to do this since the rescue party left home in search of him; time for him to recover, time for him to reach home, time for him to reach the east. He had heard of my wedding; it was all in the papers, and I should find him at the house when I got there, and you would know and Cora would know, and the wedding would stop and my name be made a by-word the world over. Instead of the joy awaiting me a moment since, I should have to go away with him into some wilderness or distant place of exile where my maiden name would never be heard, and all the memories of this year of stolen delights be effaced. Oh, it was horrible! And all in a minute! And Cora sat there, pale, calm and beautiful as an angel, beaming on me with tender eyes whose expression I have never understood! Hell in my heart—and she, in happy ignorance of this, brooding over my joy and smiling to herself while the soft tears rose!

"You were waiting at the curb when I arrived, and I remember how my heart stood still when you laid your hand on the carriage door and confronted me with that light on your face I had never seen disturbed since we first pledged ourselves to marry. Would he see it, too, and come forward from the secret place where he held himself hidden? Was I destined to behold a struggle in the streets, an unseemly contest of words in sight of the door I had expected to enter so joyously? In terror of such an event, I seized the hand which seemed my one refuge in this hour of mortal trouble, and hastened into the house, which, for all its doleful history, had never received within its doors a heart more burdened or rebellious. As this thought rushed over me, I came near crying out, 'The house of doom!' The house of doom!' I had thought to brave its terrors and its crimes and it has avenged itself. But instead of that, I pressed your hand with mine and smiled. O God! if you could have seen what lay beneath that smile! For, with my entrance beneath those fatal doors a thought had come. I remembered my heritage. I remembered how I had been told by my father when I was a very little girl—I presume when he first felt the hand of death upon him—that if ever I was in great trouble—very great trouble, he had said; where no deliverance seemed possible—I was to open a little golden ball which he showed me and take out what I should find inside and hold it close up before a picture which had hung from time immemorial in the southwest corner of this old house. He could not tell me what I should encounter there—this I remember his saying—but something that would assist me, something which had passed with good effect from father down to child for many generations. Only, if I would be blessed in my undertakings, I must not open the golden ball nor endeavor to find out its mystery unless my trouble threatened death or some great disaster. Such a trouble had indeed come to me, and—startling coincidence—I was at this moment in the very house where this picture hung, and—more startling fact yet—the golden ball needed to interpret its meaning was round my neck—for with such jealousy was this family trinket always guarded by its owner. Why then not test their combined effect? I certainly needed help from some quarter. Never would William allow me to be married to another while he lived. He would yet appear and I should need this great assistance (great enough to be transmitted from father to son) as none of the Moores had needed it yet; though what it was I did not know and did not even try to guess.

"Yet when I got to the room I did not drag out the filigree ball at once nor even take more than one fearful sidelong look at the picture. In drawing off my glove I had seen his ring—the ring you had once asked about. It was such a cheap affair; the only one he could get in that obscure little town where we were married. I lied when you asked me if it was a family jewel; lied but did not take it off, perhaps because it clung so tightly, as if in remembrance of the vows it symbolized. But now the very sight of it gave me a fright. With his ring on my finger I could not defy him and swear his claim to be false—the dream of a man maddened by his experiences in the Klondike. It must come off. Then, perhaps, I should feel myself a free woman. But it would not come off. I struggled with it and tugged in vain; then I bethought me of using a nail file to sever it. This I did, grinding and grinding at it till the ring finally broke, and I could wrench it off and cast it away out of sight, and, as I hoped, out of my memory also. I breathed easier when rid of this token, yet choked with terror whenever a step approached the door. I was clad in my bridal dress, but not in my bridal veil or ornaments, and naturally Cora, and then my maid, came to assist me. But I would not let them in. I was set upon testing the secret of the filigree ball and so preparing myself for what my conscience told me lay between me and the ceremony arranged for high noon.

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MONTREAL FOOTBALL CLUB VICE-PRESIDENT RESIGNS

Mr. J. Stuart Wotherspoon Thinks it Better to Sever His Connection With the Club.

All has not been harmonious in the ranks of the Montreal Football Club and as a result, Mr. J. Stuart Wotherspoon, first vice-president of the club, has tendered his resignation to the president, Dr. A. Clifford Jack.

Mr. Wotherspoon intimated his intention to retire over a week ago. However, so many of the players and his old friends in the club decided to approach him with a view to inducing him to reconsider his decision that his letter was held over.

He refused to withdraw his resignation and it has now been accepted.

Mr. Wotherspoon has been identified with the Montreal Football Club for a number of years, both as a player and an official, and has worked hard in its interests. It was expected that he would be president next season.

"Why have you resigned?" asked a Herald representative of Mr. Wotherspoon yesterday.

"Because some of those who have worked hardest for the club have not been treated fairly. I mean, of course the coaching committee. When the titbits come, such as a trip to Ottawa or Toronto, some of them never get an opportunity of going, while others never fail to receive invitations. That is very unfair and provokes discontent throughot the whole club. It also tends to kill the enthusiasm of those who are slighted.

"I have spoken against it time and again, but without any effect.

"That, however, is not my only reason for resigning. I was induced to bring forward the Dunville Trophy, by some of the prominent members of the Montreal Football Club, who were anxious to foster the English game in the city. So a competition was arranged and dates fixed.

"Montreal was to play the first match on the day they opposed the Argonauts at Toronto, yet they entirely ignored their fixture.

"I don't like such treatment on the part of my own old club and think it better therefore to sever my connection. I wish the club every prosperity and hope my action will not be the means of others leaving. I should be sorry if that were the case, and will do all I can to prevent it."

Mr. Wotherspoon's resignation has caused keen regret. He was looked upon as one of the most valuable members in the Montreal Football Club.

MAT AND RING

Jim Parr Defeated.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 26.—Jim Parr, the English wrestler, living in Buffalo, is the first prominent catch-as-catch-can wrestler in America to get downed in a mixed match, a rather unenviable distinction. Parr, who was defeated Graeco-Roman style by Hjalmar Lundin, the big Swede, here a short time ago, met Lundin again in a mixed match. They tossed for choice of falls and Lundin winning, elected to wrestle Graeco-Roman. Lundin smashed Parr around a good deal in the bout, banging his head on the floor, and finally winning in 27 minutes. The next bout, catch-as-catch-can, went to Parr, but in time much longer than anticipated. Lundin made a good fight and caved in only after 29 minutes' work. Lundin handled Parr easily in the concluding bout, Graeco-Roman, and won in 17 minutes.

Another Challenge for Tremblay.

Sporting Editor Herald:

I hereby challenge E. Tremblay to a wrestling contest, catch-as-catch-can style, and will agree to throw him twice in one hour for any part of $500 a side, the match to take place either in Montreal or New York.

GEORGE BOTHNER.

Champion lightweight wrestler of the world.

Gonthier Beats Little.

The wrestling contest at Sohmer Park last evening, resulted as anticipated, in a victory for A. E. Gonthier. To win Geo. Little, better known as Dan McLeod, had to throw Gonthier three times catch-as-catch-can within an hour. Last night Little won the first two throws, the first in ten minutes and the second in fifteen seconds less. The third Gonthier won in four minutes, accordingly securing the match.

Another Match for Tremblay.

Max Wiley, of Rochester, the best lightweight wrestler in that part of the country, will undertake to throw the Montreal man, E. Tremblay, twice in an hour. The reason he gives the handicap is that he weighs 140 lb., while Tremblay only weighs 135 lbs. The match takes place on Friday evening, Dec. 4, at the Victoria Rifles Armory, 37 Cathcart Street, and ought to be as great a contest as the last at the Armory, when Tremblay so gamely defeated Hazlip, of Buffalo, about a week ago.

The Only Resort.

Because boxing has been stopped in the Province of Quebec, says the Buffalo Evening Times, it does not follow that the padded mitt artists will be barred in the Province of Ontario in which Toronto and Fort Erie are located. The chances for a favorable decision in the case against Jack Herman of the International A.C. of Fort Erie are said to be bright. Next month will tell whether the game goes or is squelched across the river.

BASEBALL

The Eastern Circuit.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—Mr. A. A. Alexander, president of the Toronto Baseball Club, has received a letter from President P. T. Powers, of the Eastern League, in reference to the work of the chairman of the circuit committee, George Stallings, of Buffalo. Mr. Stallings has conferred with Messrs. W. F. Bradley and Jake Wells, of Richmond, Pa., and they are eager to get a franchise in the Eastern. They have an option on the baseball park, and are both well-known in Richmond, where Mr. Bradley was president, and Mr. Wells manager of the champion Athletic League team for three seasons. The committee will report at the annual meeting of the league, which will be held in New York in two weeks' time.

SNOWSHOEING

St. Lambert Club.

The St. Lambert Snowshoe and Social Club has decided to inaugurate the season's sport by holding a ladies' night, which will take the form of a dance at the Boating Club House, the date selected being Thursday evening, December 10. The committee which has the arrangements in hand is working to make it the event of the season, and besides a good programme of dances and music, the club house will be extensively decorated with snowshoeing paraphernalia, the club colors, red and blue predominating in color effect. Tickets, which can be obtained from the committee, will be 50 cents, there being no charge for ladies. The annual meeting of the club was held last night when the officers for the season were elected.

WESTMOUNT WILL PLAY AT TORONTO TO-MORROW

They Ought to Beat Victorias Easily for Intermediate Championship of Canada.

Not content with annexing the intermediate championship of the Quebec Football Union that spirited young organization, the Westmounts, have challenged the Victorias of Toronto, intermediate champions of their district, for the championship of Canada, or at least that part of Canada which plays under the system of scrimmage adopted from the American style.

So to-morrow they play in Toronto under Quebec Union rules, and unless a tremendous reversion of form comes about, they will greatly surprise the Victorias. The Westmount men, or rather boys, for most of them are youngsters, are really first-class and fit to hold their own in senior company. How they will fare, therefore, should be easily foretold. Of course, the hard ground and the usual conditions that militate against a visiting team doing their best have to be taken into account, yet they should have no difficulty in winning. Following are the teams:

Westmount—Full-back, Young; halfbacks, Ross (Capt.), J. Brown, Trenholme; quarter-back, Bailey; scrimmage, Shewen, McKee, W. Snowdon; wings, Kelley, R. Brown, Sutherland, Dobel, Edwards and M. Snowdon.

Victorias—Full-back, Tooze; halfbacks, Stollery, Gowans, Robertson; quarter-back, Yeaman, scrimmage, Pitcher, Russell, Brown; wings, York, Yeaman, Whales, McWhirter, Palmer, Sheppard, Hudson and Henderson.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—There is a great deal of interest being taken in the game here for the intermediate championship of Canada on Saturday next. The Victorias have put in a good week's work at practicing the Quebec rules and have become quite familiar with them. The match will be played on the Varsity field and will be refereed by Mr. E. Percy Brown, who officiated at the Montreal-Argonaut match.

Victorias will be without the services of Cottam in their game against Westmount to-morrow. Stollery will take his place.

Games Across the Border.

At Manchester—Dartmouth, 62; Brown, 0.

At Boston—Holy Cross, 32; Tufts, 0.

At Watertown—Watertown, Athletic Association, 22; Bucknell, 6.

At Chicago—Michigan, 28; Chicago, 0.

LACROSSE

International League.

Vancouver, Nov. 2.—Efforts are being made to have Seattle, Everett and Whatcom admitted to the British Columbia League, which now numbers three teams—Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster. Last year Everett had a notion that she would like a team in the league, and some correspondence ensued on the matter. However, when the annual meeting of the league was held this spring, Everett's application was not forthcoming, but from the casual conversation with the different delegates it was gathered that they were not averse to seeing the Smoky City playing lacrosse.

Some of the things that the American teams would have to consider are the following. No Sunday game. All the league matches are now played on Saturdays and holidays, and the teams at present in the league will not stand for Sunday play. No professional players. The game is supposed to be strictly amateur, but though there is some blotting paper in every league, the players are supposed to be bona fide amateur and not to play the game for the money there is in it, but for the sport itself.

If six teams are in the league next year it will hardly be possible to play more than six games in each city during the season, for the players cannot always get off when they want to.

ATHLETICS

American Female Athletes.

New York, November 27.—For the first time in the history of amateur athletics in America female devotees of physical culture will be catered to through the medium of the great carnival of sport in Madison Square Garden during the week commencing December 28. Running races and jumping contests will be given, open to members of the fair sex.

As American women are among the best of the sex, athletically, in the world, they will be given a chance next month to prove their competitive worth in the series, which promises to overshadow from an all round competitive standpoint any ever held.

This will be an opportunity for compilers of records to obtain authentic performances to place in the keeping of Father Time for future generations to take a shy at.

Cross Country at Kingston.

Kingston, Nov. 27.—The cross-country run took place for the first time at the Royal Military College on Wednesday. Points were given according to the order in which the competitors finished, no points being allowed for those who did not finish within ten minutes of the first man in. A company challenge cup and company prizes were presented by Lieut.-Colonel Reade, commandant. For the challenge cup a team of a minimum strength of twelve started from each company, the winning company being the one which gained the greatest number of points. Two prizes were also awarded to the first two in each company.

Starting at Barriefield, the course lay over about four and a half miles of natural country, the finish being at the gate of the Royal Military College. The going was good, and the first man in completed the course in 28½ minutes.

Out of eighty-eight cadets, seventy-six started, of whom fifty-five finished within the time limit. The results of the competition were:

Winning team — Ryerson, Beeman, Hagarty, Hackett, Dunlop, Armstrong, Holmes, Schmidlin, McPhee, Le Mesurier, Inderwick, Hall.

Company prizes—A, Carruthers, Hammersley; B, Eakins, Agnew; C, Ryerson, Beeman; D, Bradt, Hall.

An Athletic Baronet.

Col. Lees Knowles, M.P., on whom the King has conferred a baronetcy is the same who acted as the captain of the Oxford-Cambridge lacrosse team which visited Canada and the United States. Those who met him in Montreal have kindly recollections of a genial personality.

The new baronet is lieutenant-colonel of the 3rd V.B. Lancashire Fusiliers, having a year or two ago resigned the hon. colonelcy to take up that rank. His services to the volunteer cause have been many, and at the present time he is constructing a 200 yards protected range on his own land, which will be of great service to the volunteers at Manchester and Salford.

During the war three detachments were sent from his battalion, and it is believed that the idea of the volunteer active service companies originated with him. H opened a free convalescent home for soldiers and instituted a permanent compassionate fund for the regiment of the Lancashire Fusiliers, which has been copied by other regiments.

ONE BROKE THE RECORD, OTHER SAVED HIS NECK

Swift Automobiles Give Rise to Some Variety of Emotions.

New York, Nov. 26.—William K. Vanderbilt, jr., made a new record with his thirty horse power gasoline automobile to-day over the Eagle Rock Hill, climbing course at Orange, N.J., and S. F. A. LaRoche, in a thirty horse power machine, going a mile a minute, crashed over a precipice on the mountain side. He escaped serious injury.

These spectacular events occurred at the third annual contests given under the auspices of the Automobile Club of New Jersey. Mr. Vanderbilt's time was 1.36¾. The best previous record for gasoline vehicles was 2.45, made by O. P. Nestman last year, and for steam vehicles 2.43 by W. J. Stewart two years ago. The course is approximately one mile from the start of the grade to the finish at the top. The average grade of the hill is eight per cent. The steepest near the top is estimated at from 15 to 17 per cent. Mr. Vanderbilt had three competitors, the event being the fifth on the programme. In the seventh event Mr. LaRoche experienced the accident which came near costing him his life. In the car with him was Mr. A. J. Packard, timing.

After half the distance had been covered Mr. LaRoche turned on more power in going down an incline. Ahead was a sharp curve, leading to a sharp ascent. So far did the car shoot along the operator lost control of it, and at the curve it rushed over a precipice.

Mr. Packard was thrown headlong over a fence a few yards away, but Mr. LaRoche was pinioned under the vehicle as it turned over and partly lost consciousness. Speedily recovering, and finding himself uninjured. Mr. Packard rushed to the assistance of his friend. The wheels of the machine were still revolving in its overturned condition at a speed of a mile a minute. He turned off the power, and then extricated Mr. LaRoche from his perilous situation. Beyond the shaking-up Mr. LaRoche's only injury was a cut four inches long on the calf of the left leg. His machine was repaired in time to compete in a later event.

Racing at Bennings.

Washington, D.C., Nov. 27.—The Thanksgiving Day card at Bennings was one of the best that will be offered during the present meet, including a steeplechase for gentlemen riders and a handicap steeplechase, besides "The Washington Cup" race at 2 1-4 miles on the flat. In this last event R. T. Wilson's Carbuncle, splendidly ridden by Redfern, trailed his field the entire distance to the head of the stretch, where he picked up the leaders and won easily. Connover won the steeplechase for gentlemen riders, and Goscar captured the handicap jumping event. Track fast. Summaries:—

First race, maiden 2-year-olds; 5 furlongs—Totness, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1; Niskayund, 3 to 1 and even; Bronx, 20 to 1. Time, 1.03.

Second race, selling, 3-year-olds and upward; 7 furlongs—Locket, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1; Our Nugget, 5 to 2 and even; Enue, 6 to 1. Time, 1.20 4-5.

Third race, steeplechase; about 2 1-2 miles—Connover, 3 to 1 and even; Billy Ray, 8 to 5 and 3 to 5; Red Hawk, 25 to 1. Time, 5.20.

Fourth race, The Washington Cup: 2 1-4 miles—Carbuncle, 9 to 10 and out; Rough Rider, 50 to 1 and 10 to 1; Circus, 4 to 1. Time, 4.12 3-5.

Fifth race, handicap steeplechase, about 3 miles—Gascar, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5; Morrellton Chief, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1; Wool Gatherer, 2 to 1. Time, 6.25.

Sixth race, selling; 2-year-olds; 7 furlongs—Conkling, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5; Lady Lavish, 7 to 5 and 3 to 5; Prince Salm Salm, 5 to 1. Time, 1.30.

Seventh race, selling; 3-year-olds and up; 1 1-16 miles—Scoric, 5 to 1 and 6 to 5; Flara, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1; Nine Spot, 1 to 2. Time, 1.52 1-5.

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HOCKEY.

Maxville is Organized.

Cornwall, Nov. 27.—At the annual meeting of the Maxville Hockey Club the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Dr. McDiarmid; hon. vice-president, Geo. Chalmers; president, A. J. McEwen; first vice-president, A. J. Kennedy; second vice-president, W. N. Dauley; third vice-president, Dr. Morrow; secretary-treasurer, A. J. McDougall; committee, Dr. Irvine, Dr. W. B. McDiarmid and Ira Marjerrison.

Gone to the States.

Kingston, Nov. 27.—Capt. "Dock" Wilson, of Queen's hockey team, has resigned, and goes to Pittsburg, Pa., to join the P. A. C. hockey team. Wilson is one of the fastest hockey skaters in Canada.

IMPORTANT TO LADIES.

There's war and rumors of war in the Silk trade.

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SKATING

Victoria Rink Opening.

On Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Victoria Rink will open for the season. This will give the members one of the longest seasons on record, and will be doubly enjoyable as one skate before Christmas is worth two after. The subscription rates are not changed except in so far as the banks and insurance companies are concerned, they obtaining a special rate for clubs of ten or more. To-morrow the Victoria Rifles Band will be in attendance and 5 o'clock tea will be served in the directors' rooms. All old members will be admitted on presentation of last year's tickets, and intending members can secure season tickets at the rink or obtain a card from the secretary.

St. Lawrence Rink.

The St. Lawrence rink is now open and looks well after the improvements which have been made during the summer. There is a new plastic asphalt roof, and the dressing rooms have been nicely painted.

The Crystal Rink.

The Crystal rink was opened for the season last evening, and at eight o'clock a goodly number of young skaters donned the blades. There was much enthusiasm over the early beginning of winter sports.

CURLING.

Caledonians Open Season.

The first curling match of the season as far as Montreal is concerned was played on the ice of the Caledonia Club. This is the earliest in the season that a curling match is known to have been played here. The rinks and scores were:

John Oman	W. H. Boon
R. J. Tooke	J. McLean
T. O. Lyall	J. H. Robertson
McDuff Lamt	W. Lyall
(skip)— 8	(skip)— 5

ROD AND GUN

Montreal Gun Club.

Mr. D. J. Kearney has won the club championship of the Montreal Gun Club and Mr. Edwards the spoon event. The scores in the spoon shoot were:

J. L. Edwards	15
N. Candlish	13
D. J. Kearney	10
C. Aubin	9
P. Hogan	8

The championship conditions were 25 birds one man up and resulted:

D. J. Kearney	15
N. Candlish	12
J. L. Edwards	11
C. Aubin	9
P Hogan	8

MISCELLANEOUS

The annual general meeting of the Outremont Golf Club will be held this evening in the Windsor Hotel.

Pennsylvania wound up her football season yesterday by defeating Cornell, by the overwhelming score of 42 to 0.

Parker and Bothner, the great wrestlers, are now anxious to meet E. Tremblay, of Montreal. Both these may be arranged.

A special general meeting of the Montreal Curling Club will be held in the club house to-morrow evening at 8. Skips will be appointed.

The fourth annual meeting of the Westmount Golf Club will be held in the Victoria Hall, Westmount, on Thursday, Dec., 3, at 8.15.

The Toronto Scots' Association Football Club, have decided to play in faster company in future and therefore have entered the senior league.

The Williams & Wilson hockey team would like to hear from any office teams desirous of forming a league. Address the secretary, 320 St. James Street.

The Montreal Bicycle Club had their weekly euchre competition last evening. George Cooke was first with 12 points and C. A. Spriggings, second, with 11 points.

Harry Vardon the great golfer, seems to be improving at the sanitarium, where he has spent several weeks. Players are beginning to speak of his "brilliant recovery."

Harry Cassell, of Morrisburg, goes to Toronto in the employ of Mr. Alexander, owner of the race horse string. The latter saw him ride at Cornwall Fair, and thinks he will make a jockey.

Hugh Wilson, who rides the jumpers for the firm of Crow & Murray returned to Toronto yesterday after being with the horses at the American shows. He speaks well of the treatment the Canadian received.

"Football opinion in Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa is unanimous that the rules need radical alterations," says the Globe. So they think also in British Columbia, the Northwest, Manitoba and the Maritime Provinces.

Golf has extended to the bazaars in England and is likely to soon become a feature on this side at church sales and country fairs. Putting greens, with limited turf areas, are being laid and prizes given for holing the most balls.

It is said that Ottawa College are thinking of joining the Intercollegiate Football Union. That can hardly be until they refuse to play any but students. The present composition of the team is ludicrous, and they are the object of the sneers of the Canadian football public.

Down in Montreal they are boosting the English style of Rugby, but it will never go in Ontario after the snapback game has been played here as it has been this fall. The English game was played here years ago, and the Osgoode Hall team were the first to depart from it.—Toronto News.

The cadets of the Royal Military College, Kingston, had a 4 1-2 mile across country race yesterday, and of the 88 cadets, 76 started, and 55 got home in the time limit. The first man covered the course in 28 1-2 minutes. The other 54 came in within ten after the time limit allowed.

"The stand of the 'Varsity Club in the Canadian football championship matter," says the Toronto Globe, "is somewhat inconsistent, to say the least. Ottawa City was not obliged to give them a chance to contest for the Canadian championship, but only consented to do so out of courtesy."

The Westmount team is considerably like a college team, and much younger than Montreal. They play a very open, fast and aggressive game, and only mar their style by too much verbal music. Their kicking was superb and was their chief method of gaining territory.—Halifax Herald.

Golf is booming in the antipodes. The Royal Club of Melbourne recently had 600 entries for a recent competition. In New Zealand the Maories are taking up the game in large numbers and the amateur championship of the country was recently won by Kurepo Tareba, a dusky descendant of Maori chiefs, over a young Scottish player.

"Varsity, with unparalled craftiness, holds the Rough Riders off for four days and then when the Quebec champions would only have one day in which to practice and that in zero weather, they accept Ottawa's terms in a way which gives one to understand that it was a foregone conclusion that the game would be played.—Ottawa Citizen.

The Two Thousand Guineas winner of 1883 was shot recently at the Alt-Golm Stud, in Germany, having become useless for stud purposes. Foaled in 1880, Galliard was bred by the late Lord Falmouth, and was got by Galopin, out of Mavis, by Macaroni. His chief success on the turf was when he won the Two Thousand Guineas, with Fred Archer in the saddle.

American courses are distinctly easy and rather monotonous. The requirements are not strict enough and mediocrity is all that is insisted upon. The drive must be fairly far and fairly straight, and it will lie upon the fair green. The approach again must be fairly straight, but there is rarely a bunker or a series of bunkers close to the green which demand that the stroke be played absolutely straight and exactly the right distance.—J. A. T. Bramston in Golf.

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FINDS NEW PROCESS TO TREAT LOW GRADE ORES

Messrs. Emore, of London, Eng., Introduce Concentrated Oil Plan at Rossland Mine.

Confirmation is given of the statement recently made that a process is about to be introduced at the Rossland mines whereby the low grade mineral can be treated profitably, and a general adoption of the new plant is reported to be the result of the tests. The invention is that of Messrs. Elmore, of London, Eng., and is known as the oil concentration process, and is freely described as follows:

The ore is burned in the ordinary way, after which it is brought into contact with a small quantity of mineral oil. The oil has the property of attaching itself to and buoying up the mineral particle, but does not attach itself to the particles of rock, and, therefore, you have the simple means of separating the waste rock from the valuable part of the ore.

Then the oil is taken with the mineral in it, and passed through the centrifugal separator, which separates the mineral from the oil and the clean oil is pumped back into reservoirs for reuse.

It is claimed that the oil process can take ten tons of ore worth from $5 to $7 a ton, and produce from this quantity one ton of concentrates, valued at from $50 to $60, plus tailings of gold and silver, thus making a saving in smelting and freight charges on nine tons of ore.

Mr. Elmore, who is at present in Canada, has also made tests of some of the great copper ore bodies located on the north shore of Lake Superior, and is convinced that these ores can be treated with the same degree of success as those of the Rossland camp.

SS. LAKE CHAMPLAIN TO SAIL.

Canadian Pacific Atlantic Liner Will Leave St. John To-morrow.

St. John, N.B., Nov. 27.—The Canadian Pacific Railway line steamer Lake Champlain, will sail to-morrow with the following passengers:

Mr. J. Birmingham, Mrs. Birmingham and child, Sault Ste. Marie; Mr. Willoughby Brassey, Liverpool; Mr. H. J. Brown, Mr. A. E. Butcher, Winipeg, Man.

Mr. C. B., Charlewood, Coaticooke; Mr. S. Colleaux, Ottawa.

Mr. E. M. Erickson, Mr. Arton Evenson, Mr. William Fraser, Minneapolis.

Mr. F. Gendron, Paspebiac.

Mrs. J. S. Hall, Toronto; Mr. O. H. Hansan, London; Rev. F. F. Hind, Mrs. Hind, Tweed, Ont.; Miss Hutchinson, Winnipeg.

Mr. Kelley, St. John; Mr. Herman Klug, Mrs. Klug and two children, Minneapolis.

Mr. F. Labey, Mrs. Labey and child, Paspebiac, P.Q.; Mr. T., Harry H. Law, Winnipeg.

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Miss Margaret Outram, St. John; Dr. J. W. Ross, Belleville.

Mr. J. Sanderson, Vancouver; Mr. Anton Sather, Minneapolis; Mrs. E. M. shadbolt; Miss Shadbolt, St. John N.B.; Mr. W. Stark, Liverpool.

Miss Tracy, Winnipeg.

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COSTS MONEY TO PEDDLE.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 27.—The county council of Frontenac are after peddlers with a sharp stick. After considerable discussion the tariff has been fixed as follows:—Pack, $50; hand cart, $100; one horse rig, $200; two horse rig, $300. Penalties for conviction, not less than $5, and not over $20. No less than ten days in jail and not over thirty days.

CHILD BURNED TO DEATH.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 27.—A sad accident occurred at the home of W. Randals, near Perth Road Village. While Mr. Randals was in the city his wife went to the barn to milk the cows, and left her three-year-old son, with toher children, in the house. By some means the lad's clothinge aught fire and when Mrs. Randals reached the house he was so badly burned that he only lived in agony for six hours.

Christmas Songs, Chimes Old Xmas Bells; Santa Claus Song, for Children, by Ellis; Coon's Xmas Dinner, Come Deck the Hall with Holly, Merry Xmas Bells, by Stephen Glover; and the old songs, Mistletoe Bough, God Rest Ye, Merry Gentlemen: All 10c each, 3 for 25c, or the 7 for 50c. Xmas Cards, a nice variety. W. Street, 3 Bleury.—adv.

NEW OFFICER FOR SOREL.

(Special to The Montreal Herald.)

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Mr. Wilfrid Desy has been appointed customs inspector at Sorel vice Mr. Mathieu, superannuated.

MONTREAL ART PRINTERS—HERALD JOB DEPARTMENT.

Stocks and Money

TWIN CITY WAS A FEATURE; WALL STREET KEEPS IRREGULAR

New York was very irregular in tone to-day, with the railroad list rather on the nervous side, and further declines in some of the industrials.

Indications point to a favorable bank statement to-morrow as the result of gold receipts and a cessation of the currency demand from the interior.

Money in Wall Street was 6 per cent.

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There was only a moderate amount of trading locally, with Twin City undoubtedly the feature of the market. There appeared to be some pretty good buying around 91¼ to 91½, and at times the stock was well held. Detroit and Toronto also came in for a little attention, but were by no means active. The flurry in Richelieu yesterday afternoon was not continued to-day. A leading broker, identified with the company took 250 shares yesterday upon receipt of the news that the steamer Three Rivers, which grounded in the river, got off at 2 o'clock without any damage done. The Richelieu season is now over, and no doubt the spring will bring the usual doubts as to the dividend. It is needless to remark, perhaps, that fears at this time are groundless, as the company has had a good summer, and the dividend due May 1, 1904, has already been earned.

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The sales to noon in Wall Street to-day were 225,500 shares.

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L. J. Forget & Co.'s London cable quoted Grand Trunk first at 111¼, second at 97¾, third at 46½, Canadian Pacific at 122⅜. Anaconda at 3½ and Hudson Bay at 35¼.

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Detroit United, third week November, increase $4,826; from January 1, increase $407,511.

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"Soo," third week November, decrease $10,150; from July 1, increase $97,484.

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No doubt a part of the extreme stringency in the Canadian money market is due to the necessities of the banks to conserve their funds for December dividend purposes. The principal banks are due to pay out a considerable amount of money the first of the month. Here is the list:

	Rate.	Payable.
Montreal	5	Dec. 1
Ontario	3	Dec. 1
Toronto	5	Dec. 1
Commerce	3½	Dec. 1
Standard	5	Dec. 1
Hamilton	5	Dec. 1
Ottawa	4½	Dec. 1
Hochelaga	3½	Dec. 1
Imperial	5	Dec 1
Quebec	3	Dec. 1

Dividends are also payable on these bonds:

Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Merchants Cotton Co., Montreal Board of Trade, 1st mortgage; Canada Switch and Spring Co., Quebec Railway, Light and Power Co., Cuban Electric Co., Trinidad Electric Co., and Sao Paulo Tramway, Light and Power Co.

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The Havana Electric Railway Company, earnings, are as follows:

For week ending Nov. 22, 1903	$26,855
Corresponding week, 1902	24,784
Increase	$ 2,071

Month.	1902.	1903.	Inc.
January	87,597	102,000	14,403
February	87,014	104,647	17,633
March	101,951	120,389	18,438
April	98,435	119,974	21,539
May	120,712	130,925	10,213
June	91,223	122,125	30,902
July	104,565	127,918	23,353
August	109,092	136,570	27,478
September	105,959	128,323	22,364
Ocober	106,139	125,031	18,892

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Mr. C. D. Monk's messages said: Americans in London are firm, ⅛ to ½ higher. Consols are 3-16 higher. Bank of England rate is unchanged. Union Pacific earning capacity now 9½ per cent. on the common stock. Fifteen roads for third week November show average gross increase of 2.02 per cent. The Iron Age says a good deal of Southern iron is now being placed. Washington operations continue bullish on Sugar. The general steadiness in western rate situation continues. New York making further efforts to draw gold from Enrope. Continental Tobacco Co. declared regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ on the preferred and 4 per cent. on the common, payable January 2. The stock market on Wednesday is what it is liable to be for some time to come. It is hard to depress the railroad list.

It rallies easily up to a certain point because there are few stocks for sale. It is limited by the money market. The minor industrial list is the source of all the market's weakness. It is not unreasonable to predict that market will not look well until every one of them has been thoroughly sifted to discover how far its quotations have been artificial.

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Pennsylvania Railroad will spend 30 millions next year for construction and improvements. London's betterment will probably be reflected in our standard issues; the hardening process can be laid mainly to indications of a favorable turn in money matters and expectation of favorable bank statement.

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Noon.—Considerable firmness shown early in the session, but was checked later by selling of Pennsylvania and the controlled lines of that company. Some of the grangers are showing strength, and there is a disposition to break away in some directions.

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London.—Gold to the amount of £500,000 is due from South Africa, and expected here it will be taken for America.

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Robert Meredith & Co. received the following over their private wire from Zimmermann & Forshay, New York: As compared with our finals on Wednesday, London shows gains of ⅛ to ½ per cent., but on the whole it is rather an indifferent market. New York Central has just given out contract for electrical equipment to comply with city's demands that the local terminal be improved. The improvements with the terminal changes are yet to be financed, and it is to be expected that the Central will appear for funds when monetary conditions become better. The market for the first hour was firm in most issues, and Southern Pacific was about most active. The buying may have been by shorts, but trading was of a desultory character, and the heaviness in Steel preferred and Pennsylvania gave weakest issue. Money is still being bid for above legal rates. Europe bought a few thousand here, but it was only to cover arbitrage. Exchange 483.55 to 483.60.

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A noon wire to Laidlaw & Co. said: The foreigners took kindly to our stocks in London yesterday and to-day, and our market was not slow to reflect this feeling. A strong opening, with the standard railways in the lead was brought about by the buying of London houses, helped with scattering commission business. Buying orders had accumulated over the holiday, which not only were conspicuous in railroad stocks, but they checked, for a time at least, a disposition to attack industrials. This group rather followed the upward course. R.B.C. preferred can be termed an exception to this. About 11 o'clock fresh developments of weakness in this stock appeared, and it suffered a decline of about three points. The peculiarity of this is that the selling came from one of the interests which gave the stock open support lately. Apart from this there did not seem to be much stock pressing throughout the room. The sentiment, momentarily, seems in general to be more favorable, and the traders are inclined to look for further improvement. The loan crowd seems to show a marked scarcity in minor industrials, in some cases a slight premium being paid for the use of some of these stocks. This is sufficient to cause hesitancy before increasing any short lines, especially in preferred stocks, and these are the securities which naturally the bears would trade in. A group of railroad earnings was published, and in a majority of cases showed favorable figures.

TO-MORROW'S HERALD.

To-morrow The Herald will publish on the financial page a study of the position of Twin City Rapid Transit. The stock has been so prominent of late that the facts contained will greatly interest investors and speculators. The question of the company's franchises is taken up, and in this connection much new information will be printed.

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The investment returns on leading Montreal stocks at the closing prices this morning are furnished as follows by Fairbanks & Abraham, stock brokers, 1724 Notre Dame Street:

	Close.	Div'nd.	Pays.
Canadian Pacific	118	6	5.08
Montreal Street	199	10	5.04
Toronto Railway	96	5	5.20
Twin City	91	5	5.49
Detroit United	66	4	6.06
Richelieu & Ontario	79	6	7.59
Montreal Power	74	4	5.40
Nova Scotia Steel	73	6	8.21
Dom. Steel Bonds	57	5	8.77
Commercial Cable	150	8	5.33
Montreal Telegraph	160	8	5.00
Bell Telephone	140	8	5.71
Ogilvie Milling pfd.	120	7	5.83
Montreal Steel com.	62	5	8.06
Montreal Steel pfd.	82	7	8.53
Montreal Cotton	110	9	7.27

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MORNING BOARD SALES.

25 Canadian Pacific at 118½.
50 Canadian Pacific at 118.
25 Canadian Pacific at 117¾.
10 Coal common at 71½.
25 Detroit at 65¼.
325 Detroit at 65¾.
25 Twin City at 91.
50 Twin City at 91½.
250 Twin City at 91⅝.
125 Twin City at 91¼.
125 Twin City at 91½.
25 Twin City at 91⅝.
150 Twin City at 91¼.
150 Twin City at 91.
25 Iron common at 8¾.
20 Toronto Street Railway at 97¼.
25 Richelieu at 80.
75 Richelieu at 79⅝.
5,000 City 4 p.c. Stock at 102.

COTTON STILL HOLDS AT HIGH FIGURES

Judson & Co. report the New York cotton market opening with a firm tone several points above Wednesday's closing prices, although it did not respond to Liverpool's advance which was caused by spinners buying and short covering.

Liverpool spot sales were 6,000 bales, at an advance of 16 points.

This is notice day for December, and this option is attracting attention. It is generally believed the short interest in December is considerable, and the cotton to deliver is certainly not in New York, nor is it pointing in that direction.

Hester estimates cotton in sight this week 505,000, against 575,000 last week, and 454,000 last year. The opening and 12.30 figures were:—

	Open.	High.	Low.	12.30
January	11.18	11.24	11.18	11.20
March	11.29	11.32	11.24	11.24
May	11.27	11.31	11.23	11.25
July	11.27	11.28	11.21	11.25
Dec.	11.10	11.18	11.12	11.14

LADIES' AID BAZAAR OPENED.

Lecture Room of Dominion Square Church Bright With Books.

A sale of work under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Dominion Square Methodist Church was opened this afternoon and will continue until 10 o'clock this evening. The booths are in charge of the conveners of the different societies of the church and are prettily decorated with streamers of vari-colored paper. The lecture-room where the bazaar is taking place is decorated with flags and festoonings of bunting due to the efforts of the decorative committee, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. G. Brown and Miss Isabel Birks. The candy table, in pink and green, is in charge of Mrs. C. E. Manning. The doll and bag table is presided over by Mrs. C. C. Holland. Fancy work by Miss Dillon, and the refreshments booth with the dainty decorations of yellow and white, is in charge of Mrs. W. I. Shaw. A novelty of the evening will be the New England Supper which will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, and will be in charge of Mrs. Joshua Bell. There will also be songs by Miss Hollinshead and Mr. Johnston, and selections from the Banjo and Mandolin Club.

BAZAAR AT FRASER HALL.

The Ladies' Hebrew Benevolent Society will hold a bazaar anniversary next Monday at the Fraser Hall Institute. Mrs. Mark Workman, president of the society, has been indefatigable in her efforts to make the bazaar a success. A large number of beautiful articles have been collected and an excellent musical programme been arranged for every evening, at which some of the best talent in the city have volunteered their services.

COLLEGE NOTES.

The sale of tickets for the annual theatre night of Bishop's Medical College, to be held at Proctor's next Monday night, is progressing rapidly. The professors, graduates and undergraduates have taken a large number of seats for their friends. The committee in charge is as follows: B. A. Conroy, chairman; A. Bercovitch, secretary; J. S. Dohan, treasurer; W. H. Reilly, G. Briggs, C. Crutchlow, J. J. Mullin, J. S. Rowell.

Messrs. W. A. Tremayne and Irving L. Hall will leave for New York Sunday night to witness the production of their new play, "The Light of Other Days," by Robert B. Mantell, at the Fourteenth Street Theatre next Monday night.

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"Street" Gossip.

Tight Money is a Leading Feature

Local brokers have been not a little surprised at the action of a few of the banks in calling money the past week or so, especially in view of the fact that the banks were supposed to have plenty of money on hand. The view was also taken that they had their loans down to a safe and satisfactory level, and that the commercial call for funds has not been as great as expected. However the fact remains that there has been some calling, and a banker explained it in a very few words when he simply said: "We need the money."

The fact that the demand for money is comparatively small prevents the prevailing tightness being felt anyway keenly, although brokers have admitted that they have had trouble getting money and might find things unsatisfactory should the speculative demand increase.

In regard to money in New York a banker down there writes: "We feel that money is bound to be easier about January 1, as by that time money will return from the West, including special monies that have gone to St. Louis and Baltimore to 'help the situation.' The United States has discharged all its debt to Europe, a point not generally recognized, in fact Europe owes us money which we can get whenever we want it. The United States has now become a creditor nation and our position is very strong.

"The railroad needs are still an uncertain factor, but so long as their demands come separately we should be able to supply them without seriously affecting money rates. The speculative needs for money are now practically nil."

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The C.P.R. Will Haul Good Deal of Grain

As far as C.P.R. is concerned, there is encouragement in the announcement that the road is preparing to handle a large bulk of its export grain an all-rail route this winter. A Port Arthur despatch reads: "Commencing on December 1, 200 cars a day will be sent east to the seaboard by the Canadian Pacific. The company is offering a special rail and ocean rate to England over its line of railway and steamships, which will no doubt be taken advantage of by the shippers. The grain will be hauled to St. John, N.B., where it will be loaded into the vessels. Already a large shipment has been made from King's elevator at this place to Europe via this route." And to look even still further ahead there is before the C.P.R., the C.N.R., and the country, a prospect for an immense grain crop in the Northwest next year. The influx of population that has taken place should add materially to the acreage of 1904, but, of course, all depends upon the next season's weather.

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The Senior Members of Stock Exchange

A little discussion arose some days ago as to the relative standing of Montreal Stock Exchange members in point of length of membership. The senior members and the dates upon which they were elected to the Exchange are as follows:

H. S. Macdougall	Dec. 1867
H. G. Strathy	Jan. 1871
H. C. Scott	July 1872
Hon. L. J. Forget	Feb. 1874
John Nichols	May 1875
J. R. Meeker	Sept. 1880
A. F. Riddell	Nov. 1881
J. G. Grant	Nov. 1882
C. Meredith	May 1887
G. C. Dunlop	May 1887
C. E. Gault	June 1887
W. R. Miller	Feb. 1889
R. Forget	Oct. 1890

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One Reason for the C.P.R. Decrease

The recent C.P.R. decrease has been readily attributed to the light wheat movement, and the details of the latter are somewhat striking:

Stocks of wheat in Canada at principal points of accumulation are reported as follows:

Montreal	165,000
Toronto	2,000
Depot Harbor, Ont.	144,000
Kingston	75,000
Coteau	244,000
Fort William, Port Arthur and Keewatin	3,190,000
Winnipeg	175,000
Manitoba elevators	5,500,000
Total, Nov. 7	9,495,000
Total, previous week	7,466,000
Total, a year ago	12,968,000

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Over One Hundred Millions in Treasury

The annual report of the Union Pacific shows the company to be in possession of financial reserves amounting to about $110,000,000.

In the first place it has advanced to Southern Pacific over $20,000,000 in cash, which debt is, of course, absolutely collectable in every sense of the word. It has furthermore advanced in a similar way to allied and auxiliary companies not part of the Union Pacific system over $12,000,000 more, making $32,000,000 of advances from Union Pacific funds to solvent corporations which will in due course repay principal with interest.

It has in addition some $46,500,000 of Oregon Short Line participating 4's free in its treasury available for any proper purpose. Furthermore, it has $90,000,000 of Southern Pacific stock which is now free and unpledged. Originally $70,000,000 of this stock were pledged as collateral for Union Pacific convertible 4's, and of this $70,000,000, $25,000,000 were freed by the cancellation of about $12,500,000 of the convertible 4's. The remaining $45,000,000 of Southern Pacific stock were taken out from the collateral securing the convertible bonds, and there was placed under the convertibles Oregon Navigation stock and Oregon Short Line stock and incomes.

Reckoning Southern Pacific stock at 40, there are nearly $110,000,000 of free assets in the Union Pacific treasury at the present time.

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Montreal Clearings Show Slight Gain.

The Montreal Clearing House statement shows:

	Clearings.
Total for week ending Nov. 26, 1903	$20,938,987
Corresponding week, 1902	19,990,720
Corresponding week, 1901	15,159,874

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Money Outlook Over in London.

London.—Money continues in good, but not unusual demand. The payment of treasury bills will make some calls upon the market, and there are at least two considerable issues of railroad stock to be financed. These altogether amount to about $9,000,000, but are distributed over a considerable period.

The $22,600,000 required for the last instalment of the Transvaal loan is due on Dec. 8th, but will soon be returned to the market and available for borrowing. The most conspicuous present factor is the American inquiry for gold.

"NOT ONE MOUTHFUL

of table food should be given a child before it is one year old," says Dr. Holt. What substitute then? Borden's Eagle Brand Condensed Milk is absolutely the safest and best infant food obtainable. Avoid unknown brands. Send for "Baby's Diary."

The officers of Laurentian Council, Royal Arcanum, are arranging for an "At Home," to be held in Drummond Hall, Friday evening, Dec. 11.

Rev. Geo. Molyneux Black, chaplain of the Grand Orange Lodge of Ireland, who has been on a Canadian tour, was to have lectured in St. Gabriel's Presbyterian Church last night, but owing to a railway delay, the Rev. gentleman did not reach the city in time to fill his engagement.

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Market Reports

NEWS AND VIEWS OF THE DAIRY MARKETS

The Butter Market Continues Quiet and Dull—Cheese Seems a Little Steadier.

The butter market is quiet and dull. Local dealers are doing a little trading but outside of this the export business is nil. Holders are hanging on to their stock, evidently awaiting an improvement. Quebec makes are quoted today at 21c, finest Townships at 21 1-4c to 21 1-2c and dairy makes at from 15c to 17c according to quality.

CHEESE.

The cheese market to-day is a little steadier. There was a slight improvement in the cattle inquiry but offers are still to low and local dealers are not anxious to sell at the prices offered. About the best offers received are 9 1-4c and very little business is being done at that figure, holders asking from 10c to 10 1-4c. Quotations to-day for October makes are: Eastern, 10c 1-4c; Townships, 10 3-8c and Western, 10 1-2c to 10 5-8c.

Country Cheese Boards Closing.

Brockville, Ont., Nov. 26.—The offerings were small, being 297 white and 566 colored. The best bid was 9¼c, made by Bissell, which the factorymen refused. On the street all sold at 9¼c, Bissell taking 400, Webster 300, Derbyshire 500, Murphy, 450, Dickey 500, Earl 300, Davis 400, total 2,850. The board stands adjourned until the first Thursday in May, 1904.

Kingston, Nov. 26.—The last meeting of the season of the Frontenac cheese board was convened Thursday afternoon. There were about 35 salesmen in attendance. Nine cents was bid for the 1,097 boxes registered, but salesmen refused to part with their holdings.

Cornwall, Nov. 26.—The report of the secretary-treasurer of the Cornwall cheese board, W. S. Friend, shows that despite the formation of new boards in the district at Lancaster and Alexandria, 1903 has been the banner year for the Cornwall cheese board, no less than 40 factories being registered on the board, as against 34 last year. The total number of cheese boarded this year was 56,558, of which 54,441 sold on the board. The white cheese numbered 30,165; colored, 23,329, and American 947. The highest price paid this season was 12⅝c in May, and the lowest 9¼c in July, the average being 10,515, a little better than 10½c, as against 10,126 in 1902, 9.09c in 1901 and 10.24c in 1900.

The number of cheese boarded and sold by months during the season were as follows:

	1903.	Sold.	1902.
April	1,155	1,155	167
May	6,401	6,346	4,783
June	8,374	8,289	8,068
July	9,472	9,106	8,835
August	11,267	10,885	9,883
September	7,934	7,609	7,398
October	8,977	8,401	6,418
November	2,930	2,700	3,338
Total	56,530	54,491	48,889

PRODUCE AND PROVISION MARKET

CHEESE—Dull.			
Finest Ontario	.10½	to	.10¾
Eastern Townships	[illegible]	to	.10⅜
Quebecs	.10	to	.10¼
BUTTER—Quiet and dull.			
Townships, finest	.00	to	.21½
Townships, good	.21¼	to	.21½
Quebec finest	.00	to	.21
Ontario creamery, best	.00	to	.19
Dairy, choice	.16	to	.16½
Dairy, good	.15	to	.15½
Quebec, good	.20¾	to	.21
MAPLE PRODUCT—			
Maple Sugar, per lb.	.08½	to	.09
Maple Syrup, per lb.	.05½	to	.06
Maple Syrup, small tins	.50	to	.55
Maple syrup, large tins	.70	to	.75
HONEY—			
Strained honey, per lb.	.08½	to	.09½
White clover, in comb	.13	to	.14

EGGS—The egg market shows a firmer feeling all round yesterday's rise of from ½c to 1c. Jobbers were taking everything they could get hold of at the higher prices.

Fresh eggs	.00	to	.24
Straight gathered	.00	to	.21½
Selected	.00	to	.24½
No. 1 candled	.00	to	.19
Montreal limed	.18	to	.18½
Cold storage	.18½	to	.19
No. 2 stock	.00	to	.16
BEANS—Unsettled.			
Pea beans, per bush.	1.45	to	1.50
Marrow peas, per bush.	.90	to	.95
HAY—			
Clover hay, per ton	.00	to	8.00
No. 3 hay, per ton	.00	to	8.50
No. 2 ordinary, per ton	.00	to	9.50
No. 1 ordinary, per ton	.00	to	10.50
No. 1 good, per ton	.00	to	11.00
VEGETABLES—			
Potatoes	.00	to	.70
Onions	.00	to	1.75
Cabbage, per dozen	.30	to	.40
Pumpkins	.90	to	1.00
Turnips	.00	to	.60
DRESSED POULTRY—Steady.			
Turkeys, per lb	.00	to	.12
Chickens, per lb.	.08	to	.10
Ducks, per lb.	.00	to	.13
Geese, per lb.	.00	to	.07

FRUIT—	
Grapes—Extra fine	$5.25
5 or 10 barrel lots at	$5.00
Jamaica oranges, in barrels	$4.90
Fancy lemons, 360s	$3.00
Fancy Lemons, 300s	$3.75
Cape Cod cranberries, fancy, per brl.	$11.00
American red globe onions, per lb.	2c
Spanish onions, cases	$2.25
New Jersey sweet potatoes, brls.	$4.00
Fancy bananas, crated	$2.50
Northern Spy Apples	$3.50
Baldwin's Greenings, Russets	$3.25
Northern Spy, Baldwin, Greenings, Russets	$2.25 to $3.50
Selected Fameuse	$3.00
Cocoanuts, 100s, per bag	$3.75
Bon Ton peanuts, green, per lb.	9½c
Coon Brand peanuts, roasted	7c
Bon Ton, roasted, per lb.	10½c
Coon Brand peanuts, green	6c
Italian chestnuts, per lb.	12c
California Tomatoes, per crate	$3.75
Boston lettuce, per dozen	75c to 90c

The Bonsecours Market.

Trade was fairly active to-day at the Bonsecours market and prices show no change from last week's market. There were not many farmers at the market and the supply of country produce was consequently rather light. Prices to-day are as follows.

To-day's Receipts.

Receipts in Montreal to-day by railroad and canal were as follows:

	G.T.R.	C.P.R.	Canal.
Wheat	....	....	16,000
Barley	....	....	5,000
Rye	....	....	2,000
Oats	2,100	....	....
Flour	205	....	....
Eggs	253	500	....
Butter	526	807	....
Cheese	924	915	....
Lard	6	....	....
Pork	....	100	....
Beef	....	1	....
Hams and Bacons	3	....	....
Leather	127	34	....
Raw hides	....	534	....
Tobacco	38	24	....
Dressed Hogs	8	261	....
Apples	993	218	....
Whiskey and High wines	....	11	....

WILL MEET THE ARCHITECTS.

A special meeting of the City Hall Building Committee of the Council of Ste. Cunegonde, will be held this evening to meet the architects invited to compete for a design for the new City Hall. It is understood the successful one will have the superintendence of the work. The competition will be restricted to the architects residing in the municipality. Messrs. C. Dufort, Piche, and Marchand. The architects will be instructed to provide accommodation for the Post Office. The cost of the building will be $90,000.

GRAIN MARKETS HERE AND ELSEWHERE

Hardly Any Business Being Done Either Locally or On Export Account.

There is nothing doing in the local wheat market to-day. Business is practically at a standstill, and as export inquiry is still below the figure at which local dealers are willing to trade, the amount of business being done is hardly of any consequence. No. 1 Manitoba wheat was quoted at Fort William this morning at 79c, 77c for No. 2 and 73c for No. 3. Business in other grains continues quiet, and we quote: Peas, 71 1-2c to 72c; rye, 58c; No. 3 extra barley, 51c; buckwheat, 51c; No. 2 white oats, 34c; No. 3, 33c; ex-store No. 2, 35c; No. 3, 34c bushel.

December wheat opened in Chicago this morning at 79 1-2c, went to 80 1-8, and then worked off to 79 7-8. May wheat opened at 79 5-8 and held just about steady.

May corn opened at 42, and at 12.30 was 41 7-8 to 42.

Cable advices to-day to the Board of Trade were as follows:

London, Nov. 27.—Wheat on passage quiet but steady, maize quiet but steady. Cargoes La Plata, maize, yellow rye terms, prompt 17s 10 1-2d. Parcels, Duluth, wheat, No. 1 northern, spring, passage, 29s 6d; maize mixed American sail grade. Dec. passage, 19s; maize cargoes, Odessa, F.O.R.T. steam passage, 19s.

Wheat cargoes, Australian, Dec. 30s; wheat, parcel, No. 2 Calcutta Club, Dec., Jan., 29s 9d, passage, 30s.

Toronto Grain Market.

Toronto, Nov. 27.—Wheat is steady at 77c to 78c, buyers and sellers, for No. 2 red and white middle freight and east or low freights; goose, 69c to 70c for No. 2 east; spring, 73c for No. 1 east; Manitoba, 90c for No. 1 hard, 85c for No. 1 northern and 82½c for No. 2 northern at Georgian Bay ports, and 6c more grinding in transit.

Flour is steady at $3.05 bid for cars of 90 per cent. winter wheat patents, in buyers' bags, east or middle freights; choice brands are held 15c to 20c higher. Manitoba is quoted at $4.55 to $4.60 for cars of Hungarian patents, $4.25 to $4.30 for second patents, and $4.15 to $4.20 for strong bakers, sacks included, on the track Toronto.

Millfeed is firm. Cars of shorts are quoted at $17 to $17.10 and bran at $13.50 to $14.50 in bulk, middle freights and east. Manitoba millfeed is steady at $20 for cars of shorts and $18 for bran, sacks included, Toronto freights.

Barley is dull at 42c for No. 2, 40c for No. 3 extra and 38c for No. 3 or feed, low freights or high freights west.

Buckwheat is steady at 43c for No. 2, low freights to New York.

Rye is steady at 52c to 52½c for No. 2 east or low freights or west.

Corn is easier. American No. 2 yellow is quoted at 53½c, No. 2 mixed and No. 3 yellow at 53c, and No. 3 mixed at 52½c in car lots on the track Toronto.

Oats are easier. No. 1 white are quoted at 29c and No. 2 white at 28½c, east for local milling. No. 2 white are quoted at 27½c, high freights north and west, and 28c middle freights.

Oatmeal is steady at $3.50 for cars of bags and $3.70 for barrels on the track Toronto, and 25c more for broken lots.

Peas are steady at 62½c for No. 2 low freights or east and 61½c, high freights west.

TO-DAY'S RETAIL PRICES

GRAIN—			
Oats, new, bushel	$0.00	to	$0.36
Barley, bushel	.00	to	.00
Rye, bushel	.00	to	.00
Peas, bushel	.00	to	1.05
Buckwheat, bushel	.00	to	.50
Beans, bushel	.00	to	1.85
Flour (baker's), per bag	.00	to	2.15
Flour (baker's), per brl.	.00	to	4.50
DAIRY PRODUCE—			
Cheese, per lb.	.14	to	.15
Butter, per lb., rolls	.21	to	.22
Eggs, new laid, dozen	.20	to	.25
POULTRY—			
Chickens, per lb.	.10	to	.12
Spring chickens, per doz.	3.50	to	3.75
Turkeys, per lb.	.14	to	.15
Spring ducks, per lb.	.16	to	.17
Geese, per lb.	.09	to	.10
FRESH MEATS—			
Beef, forequarters, per lb.	.00	to	.06
Beef, hindquarters, per lb.	.00	to	.09
Spring lamb, carcass, per qtr.	.00	to	.10
Mutton, carcass, per lb.	.00	to	.08
Veal, lb. per cwt.	.08	to	.10
Hogs, live weight, per lb.	.05¼	to	.05½
Hogs, dressed, per lb.	.07	to	.07½
FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—			
Potatoes, new, per bag	.00	to	.75
Carrots, per bag	.00	to	.50
Beets, per bag	.00	to	.00
Cabbage, per dozen	.30	to	.40
Apples, per brl.	3.25	to	3.75
Turnips, per bag	.00	to	.60
Onions, per bag	.00	to	1.75
Cauliflowers, per dozen	3.50	to	4.50
Spanish onions, per case	.00	to	2.25
Tomatoes, California, per lb.	.00	to	.20
Tomatoes, Holtome, per lb.	.00	to	.40
Wax Beans, green, basket	.00	to	5.00
Mushrooms, per lb.	.99	to	1.00
Lettuce, Grand Rapids, dozen	.00	to	.40
Watercress, per dozen	.00	to	.75
Cranberries, per brl.	8.50	to	11.00
Sweet potatoes, per brl.	.00	to	4.00
Celery, per dozen	.20	to	.60

A HUNTING INCIDENT.

During the past summer a joke was played on a young woman in Maine, who liked to go out at night to shoot deer. One evening she took a boat and a guide and started out to find a deer. After going some distance they saw what appeared to be the two eyes of a deer gleaming from the bank. She cast the "jack" upon it and then fired. The deer fell over but the guide advised her to wait until morning before going after it, for often a deer will go a great distance, although wounded, if it is followed, but if it is left alone it will lie down and lick the wound, and often die near where it was shot. In the morning she told her friends about her luck, and they started out to help her bring the deer home. When they arrived at the place they found a barrel upset. In one end were two holes made to resemble eyes, and two lighted candles had been put behind the holes.

THE BULGARIAN BUTTON.

The officers of certain Bulgarian regiments carry on the cuff of their uniform an eloquent reason for the present semi-mobilization of the Bulgarian army, says the London Times. This remark may appear cryptic, but it is easily explained. The grouping of the buttons upon the artistic extremity of the uniform sleeve in question has a certain significance. Within the scroll of gold braid which garnishes the sleeve are three parallel braid, tags; to the extremity of two of these a gilt button is attached. The remaining tag lacks the finish of the polished stud. The missing button, however, is on the sleeve: it is fastened, solitary and alone outside the scroll. This inconsistency at once arrests the eye and whets the curiosity, and upon making inquiry you will receive the following stereotyped reply: "Before the union of North and South Bulgaria there were two empty tags within the scroll and two buttons outside!" This guarded answer makes the interpretation obvious. Those three gilt studs are symbolic of three Balkan States—Bulgaria, Roumania and Macedonia. Macedonia alone is without the scroll.

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Butter a Good Medicine.

Butter is so common a commodity that people use it and scarcely ever think what wonderful value lies at their hand in the pats of dainty yellow cream fat, says the American Cheesemaker. Of course, they know that it is useful in many branches of cookery, and that without its aid the table would be bare of its thinly rolled bread and butter, its delicate cakelets, and its other usual accessories. Beyond these uses the value of butter is a thing only vaguely thought of. But this delicate fat is as valuable as the dearer cod liver oil for weakly, thin people, and doctors have frequently recommended the eating of many thin slices of bread thickly spread with butter as a means of pleasantly taking into the bodily tissues one of the purest forms of fat it is possible to get. Butter is a carbon, and all excess of it is stored up as fat in the body. It gives energy and power to work to those who eat heartily of it. So it is not economy at table to spare the butter, even to the healthy folk. For any one afflicted with consumption butter cookery, if plenty of fat can be digested, is one of the best ways of curing the disease if it is in its early stages, or of keeping it at bay if advanced. Butter is not a simple fat, composed of merely one sort. It is a mixture of no less than seven different sorts of fats, and no more complex oil can be taken than this is.

IMPORTANT TO LADIES.

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ARMY CONTRACTS.

Tenders will be received for Stations in Cape Colony by the General Officer Commanding Cape Colony, Capetown, for Stations in Natal by the General Officer Commanding Natal District, Pietermaritzburg, and for Stations in the Transvaal and Orange River Colony, by the Director of Supplies, Artillery Barracks, Pretoria, until 12 noon on Tuesday, 5th January, 1904, for the supply of Bread and Flour and Groceries, and on Thursday, 7th January, 1904, for the supply of Meat and Forage, at the undermentioned Stations in Cape Colony, Natal, Transvaal and Orange River Colony, for a period of 12 months from 1st April, 1904.

Cape Colony.	Natal.	Transvaal and O.R.C.
Cape Town	Durban	Barberton
Grahamstown	Howick	Bloemfontein
King Williamstown	Ladysmith	Harrismith
Maitland	Maritzburg	Kroonstad
Middleburg	Mooi River	Ladybrand
Naauwpoort		Middleburg
Simonstown		Potchefstroom
Wynberg		Standerton
		Pretoria

Forms of tender and conditions of contract may be had on application to W. W. Moore, Chief Markets Division, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, or to any of the above-mentioned Officers, or to the Director of Army Contracts, War Office, London.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

G. F. WALTON, Captain,
A.D. of S. for Director of Supplies.

Pretoria,
19th October, 1903.

THE MOLSONS BANK

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for eleven hundred and eighty-four shares of $50 each of the new stock of The Molsons Bank, or any portion of the same, issued by the Board of Directors on the 7th April last, pursuant to a resolution passed at a special meeting of the shareholders held on 23rd February, 1903.

The shares comprise the unaccepted allotments, and the fractions which under the provisions of The Bank Act were not allotted.

The stock will rank for dividend from the date of payment.

Tenders must state the price per share offered, and be accompanied by a certified cheque for ten per cent. of the amount. In case the tender is accepted the balance will be payable on allotment.

The Bank does not bind itself to accept the highest or any tender.

All tenders must be marked "Tenders for Stock," and be received by the General Manager, The Molsons Bank, Montreal, not later than the 20th December next.

By order of the Board.

JAMES ELLIOT,
General Manager.

Montreal, 20th November, 1903.

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DIVIDEND NO. 57.

NOTICE is hereby given that a *Dividend of 5 per cent.* for the half year ending 30th November, 1903, upon the Capital Stock of this institution has this day been declared, and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after TUESDAY, the FIRST day of DECEMBER next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 15th to the 30th November, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.

D. R. WILKIE,
General Manager

Toronto, Oct. 27th, 1903.

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NOTICE.

Municipal Elections

Electors are respectfully reminded that (as provided by clause 48 of the charter and its amendments), no person indebted to the city after the

30th November

For
WATER RATES,
BUSINESS DUTY,
LICENSES,
—or—
PERSONAL TAXES OF ANY KIND,
Will be Qualified to
VOTE FOR MAYOR OR ALDERMEN
at the coming elections.

Ratepayers will please govern themselves accordingly.

In order to afford facility to ratepayers to settle their dues, the City Treasurer's Office will be kept open until 10 o'clock p.m., Monday, the 30th instant.

W. ROBB,
City Treasurer.

City Treasurer's Office,
City Hall.
Montreal, November 25th, 1903.

IRIS DEANE
—
WHO IS SHE?

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Stamped White Linen Collars, all the latest conventional and floral designs, at..... .12

Stamped White Linen Bread Doylies, with buttonhole border, floral designs, and word "Bread," at..... .20

Stamped Linen Cosy Covers, in all sizes, at..... .28

Stamped Linen Glove, Veil, Handkerchief and Tie Cases at..... .20

Stamped White Linen Photo Frames, in all the latest designs, openings are square, round or oval, size of frame 10 x 12, at..... .11

Double Photo Frames, made to order, from, upwards..... .15

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The best on the market for durability, lustre and finish. We keep them.

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10 to 50 p.c. between 8 and 10 a.m.

Owing to the immense business done in this store we are at times literally unable to give our customers the care and attention we would wish, and by offering the above inducement, we hope to serve the purpose of BRINGING MORE PEOPLE HERE IN THE FORENOON and thus RELIEVE THE PRESSURE LATER ON IN THE DAY.

Take into consideration the unquestionably low prices at which we mark reliable goods and the above offer assumes a most important aspect. It will bring the thrifty buyer to test its value.

THE DISCOUNTS CEASE AT THE STROKE OF TEN, AND APPLY EACH DAY UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

This applies to everything throughout the Store excepting Groceries and goods marked net.

Scroggie's

Special Sale of Glassware

Just in, 50 barrels of Glassware, consisting of Jugs, Vases of all kinds, Cake Salvers, Butter Bishes, Berry Dishes, Nut Bowls, Pickle Dishes, Sugar Bowls, Cream Jugs, Syrup Jugs, Oil Bottles, Tumblers, Decanters, etc., etc. All this lot must be cleared at once at extra special cut prices, 10c, 25c and..... .50

SPECIAL VALUES

Ladies' Muffs

Handsome Black Coney Muffs, made in the latest effect, with pompom of fur at each end, lined with best quality black satin. Regular value $1.50. On sale now

98c

Ladies' Winter Jackets

Such values as these add to the already great enthusiasm that has been ever present in our Mantle Room this fall.

No doubt this is the incentive you need to buy your Winter Jacket.

Ladies' Tweed Ulsters, made in a neat and becoming style, with two circular capes, double breasted, wide sleeves, with two circular frills, slash pockets, finished with fancy buttons. Handsome..... 10.00

Ladies' Ulsters, made of fine quality reversible Zibeline, in a nobby style, deep shawl collar, wide, full sleeves, stole front, yoke effect in back, and finished with black cloth strappings. Effective..... 13.50

Ladies' Jackets, made of good quality black Beaver, double breasted, bell sleeves, turn back cuffs, velvet collar, slash pockets, and lined with A1 mercerized. Stylish..... 9.00

Three-quarter length Jackets, made of fine Tweed Mixture with yoke effect in back, fly front, wide sleeves, slash pockets, and trimmed neatly with satin folds and fancy silk ornaments. Natty 8.75

Three-quarter length Jackets, made of fine quality Frieze, in a neat box back style, fly front, bishop sleeves, and finished with plain cloth strappings and several rows of cording, also lined throughout. Very pretty.. 12.00

Fine black Beaver Cloth Jackets, made in a stylish effect, double breasted, bell sleeves, velvet collar, and trimmed with several rows of cording and black satin folds, also lined with mercerized. A beauty..... 12.50

This Should be a Gala Day for Boys and Girls, as

SATURDAY ONLY

we place on sale a large quantity of exceptionally good shoes at most unusually low prices. We want a great deal of room to display Christmas Slippers and we're going to give you the chance to help the Shoe Department make the necessary space. The Shoes we offer are all high grade leathers of superior finish and sturdy wear, **NOT JOB LOTS,** but regular lines, bought for our best customers, which will now be cleared out at the following greatly reduced prices.

Come early Saturday morning in order to get the best attention, which all children's feet particularly require in the fitting of good Shoes.

These are thoroughly genuine bargains as the items described below indicate, and we should advise all the boys' and girls' mothers to read the following:

THESE PRICES ARE NET:

Boys' $2.00 Boots for $1.25

These are handsome Dongola Kid Lace Boots, made with welt edge soles, all solid leather, leather backstays inside and out; the sizes run from 1 to 5, and will fit the average boy from 8 to 14 years of age. These are exceptionally good boots at our regular price of $2.00, and will be a most decided bargain for Saturday only, at..... **$1.25**

Youths' $2.00 Boots for $1.25

In this lot are some very fine Patent Leather and Viel Kid Lace Boots, sizes 9½ to 13, also splendid Box Calf Lace Boots, sizes 8 to 10½. These are boots that sell regularly at $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, but you may also choose from these on Saturday only for..... **$1.25**

Girls' $2.00 Boots for $1.25

This lot includes Kid or Box Calf Lace and Button Boots, made with spring heels and low common sense heels, light, medium and heavy weight soles; sizes from 11 to 2, to fit girls from about 7 to 13 years of age. Our regular prices for these boots is now $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00. Saturday only, special price..... **$1.25**

Girls' $1.50 Boots for 95c

This is a lot for smaller girls, from 4 to 7 years of age, sizes run from 6 to 10½, and embrace lines of good Dongola Kid, Lace and Button Boots, made with fine hand turned soles, also some with heavy soles. Our regular prices for these boots are $1.15, $1.25 and $1.50. Saturday only, special price..... **95c**

ASTONISHING VALUES

Ladies' Flannelette Wear

It is impossible for us to impress on you the full value of these few items. We will leave it entirely to you as to whether they are not away ahead of anything ever offered.

Ladies' Flannelette Night gowns, in plain colors of sky, pink and white, made with yoke and turn down collar, trimmed around collar, front and sleeves with silk embroidery. Our special price..... 1.25

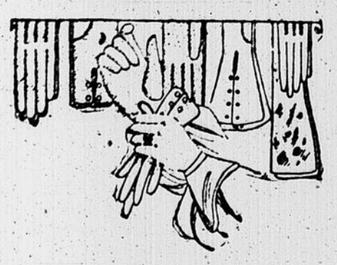
Ladies' Flannelette Underskirts, in plain colors of sky, pink and white, made with deep hemstitched frill. Our special price..... .59

Ladies' Flannelette Drawers in plain colors of sky, pink and white, finished with elastic frill. Our special price..... .39

Same style as above, striped flannelette..... .39

Ladies' Kid Gloves

Genuine Kid Glove Bargains



Ladies' 2-dome fine Suede Gloves, silk lined, Paris point embroidered backs; colors, tans, modes, grays, browns. A regular $1.00 Glove, only..... .89

Our celebrated makes, the "Strathcona," fine French kid glove..... 1.00

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