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VENEZUELA'S WAR.

The Dictator's Troops Suffer a Crushing Defeat by the Insurgents.

ONE-THIRD THE ARMY SLAIN.

Sketch of the Origin of the Difficulties—The President Palacio Precipitated it by Trying to Succeed Himself Despite the Constitution—The Leader of the Insurgents.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE HERALD.

NEW YORK, April 21.—A cable to The Herald from Puerto, Cabello, Venezuela, says: This seaport is in a terrible state of excitement over the utter route of the Government troops on April 14. At sundown on that date, Palacio's army made its final and futile attempt to dislodge a force of insurgents under the command of Gen. Mora who were intrenched at a spot beyond Polito. Twice the Government soldiers had attacked the enemy and failed to drive it from its position. Discouraged over their ill success, Palacio's troops showed signs of panic, but under the stirring appeals of the leader, they rallied and again charged the foe. The encounter was brief but furious. They were defeated all along the line, and turning, fled in every direction. The insurgents followed in hot pursuit and did not abandon it until the terror-stricken government troops were well on the road to this town. There were many dead, dying and wounded left upon the battlefield. Some of them were rebels, but the large majority were followers of Palacio. Nothing definite could be learned as to the exact number of those slain, but it is officially announced that the Government lost one-third of its force in the encounter. Of this loss, by far the greater portion wae caused by desertions. As soon as Palacio's men saw that they were overcome, many of them threw down their arms and went over to the enemy.

The news of the battle's result spread terror throughout Puerto Cabello. It was almost immediately followed by general conscription order. The town has 9000 inhabitants. Every able-bodied man among them has been forced into military service. This state of affairs naturally has had the effect of almost paralyzing the entire commerce of the port.

The revolution in Venezuela has now been under way for nearly a month. It was caused by the arbitrary acts of Palacio, the President. The constitution of the Republic states specifically that the President is not eligible to re-election except after one term or more shall have intervened between his incumbency of the Chief Magistracy of the nation and his candidacy for another term. Dr, Raimundo Andueza Palacio, the present President, came to the conclusion early in his administration that two years would not be sufficient for him in his exalted station. He sought to have the Constitution amended so that the President should not only be eligible to re-election immediately after completing his term but that he should hold office four years instead of two.

The proposition was favorably received by the country, but the hitch came when the president wanted the amended constitution put in force immediately. Both Houses of Congress held that the amendment should not take effect except with the beginning of the next administration. This did not suit Andueza; He therefore sought by every means in his power to get the amendment put in force immediately, and the contest thus arising continued steadily from day to day and week to week. It reached a crisis on February 20th last. when Congress was to meet. Palacio, aware that his supporters in both Houses were in the minority, thought to compel the fulfilment of his designs by instructing them to absent themselves from the opening sessions, thus making it impossible to have a quorum. The dead-lock continued without any signs of being broken and at length the majority held a meeting of indignation, and, as a result, issued a manifesto to the country denouncing the president as a tyrant and usurper, and declaring they had dissolved Congress.

This decisive and revolutionary action was taken early last month. In the twinkling of an eye the people were up in arms against the scheming ruler. He, on the other hand, sent his minions right and left into the ranks of the opposition, and had them thrown into prison. Not even the person of a judge of the Corte de Casacion, the highest court in the land, or that of the clerk of the court was safe from their grasp, for both of these high officials were ignominiously arrested and locked up. Their confreres promptly passed a resolution dissolving the court and denouncing the President as a usurper of extraordinary rights in violation of the constitution and contrary to the laws which he had pledged himself to respect and enforce. Thus Venezuela found herself without a Congress, without a Court of Appeals, and presently the Supreme Court also could no longer perform its functions. All authority was therefore thrown into Palacio's hands and he found himself an absolute dictator.

The leaders of the Opposition in the Senate were Doctor Munoz Tebar and Doctor Bustamente. The incarnation of the revolution to-day is General Joaquin Crespo. He was also in the Senate when the conflict was participated, but was debarred by lack of oratorical and like abilities from taking a commanding position. When, however, it became apparent that the burning question could only be solved by an appeal to arms, the people, recalling his glorious achievements on many battle-fields, and recognizing in him the highest military authority in the land, turned to him as the only man who was capable of leading them to victory. Crespo readily assented, and immediately betook himself our of Caracas, the stronghold of Palacio, and in the interior, among his llaneros and other faithful followers of previous campaigns, immediately set to work to organize an army.

Crespo is a man of about 46 years of age and great wealth. He was President of Venezuela from 1884 to 1886, and, originally the creature and almost the slave of Guzman Blanco, at length turned against him, and is now, as he has long been, one of that ex-Dictator's most bitter enemies.

The man against whom Crespo is pitted is Dr. Sebastian Casanas, who has been Palacio's right-hand man throughout his entire administration. In the cabinet he has hitherto held the portfolio of Minister of the Interior. Palacio has now appointed him general-in-chief of the army, notwithstanding the fact that he is not a military man either in training or experience. He was educated for the medical profession. There is hardly any doubt as to how he will fare against such a consummate military chieftain as Crespo.

The city of Caracas, upon which all eyes are naturally turned in the present excitement, is one of the oldest and most prominent in various other particulars of the South American capitals. It was founded at the foot of the Avila Mountain in 1567 by Captain Diego de Lozada, and is famed as the city wherein the idea of South American independence since so grandly achieved, was born. There, also, Simon Bolivar, who is worthily referred to as the George Washington of South America, first saw the light of day. It has a population, according to the census of 1888, of 70,466 souls, and though in the main not remarkable for its architecture, is yet possessed of a fair number of imposing and pretentious structures.

THE LAST SAD RITES.

Sarnia Filled With People Attending Hon. Alex. MacKenzie's Funeral.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

SARNIA, Ont., April 21.—The town of Sarnia put on the trappings of wge today to a greater extent than it has ever done before and it yas in respect to Hon. Alex. Mackenzies whose burial took place here this afternoon, Up to last night there had gathered in town large numbers of prominent and represetatives men from different cities and towns throughout the country to attend the funeral.

About 11 o'clock the remains of the dead were taken from the residence of Charles Mackenzie, M. P. P., where they had remained during last night, to the church. Besides the floral tributes which had accompanied the remains from Toronto, there were many from local friends and admirers; also from different associations. The casket was completely surrounded with such tributes. From 12 o'clock to 2 o'clock, the body lay in state and the general public was allowed to pass through the church and take a last look at the face of the deceased. During the two hours probably five thousand people viewed the face of the dead chief.

At 2 o'clock the services commenced with the church crowded and thousands on the outside. The services were conducted by Rev. Prof. McLaren and Rev. Prof. Gregg, both of Knox College. A eulogy of the deceased was delibered by Rev. Prof. Gregg. He spoke highly of the deceased statesman and spoke of him and the late Hon. Geo. Brown as kindred spirits in their work for the welfare of Canada.

The remains were taken to Lakview Cemetery for burial in the family plot and the procession to the cemetery was a large one. In carriages were the male relatives of the deceased, the Sarnia town council and town officers; delegates from different points, members of different Reform Associations and public and prominent men from differen places. At the grave the services were conducted by Rev. Prof. Gregg. There were delegations here from various towns and cities, aed from Toronto came Mayor Fleming at the head of a delegation. There were several members of the Dominion and Provincial House, and important delegations were on hand from Goderich, Stratford, St. Thomas, London, Chatham, Windsor and other points.

The Liberal Candidate Selected.

TORONTO, April 21.—The Liberals of Toronto held a convention to-night to select a candidate to contest the impending bye-election for the legislature caused by the death of H. E. Clarke. The nominees were F S McKinnon, Charles Burns, Dr Orden, N G Bigelow, E T Malone, Dr E King, Frank Pedley, J C Withrow, Ald McDougall and W T R Preston. All retired in favor of Mr Bigelow who accepted the nomination. Nomination takes place to-morrow.

Young, Beautiful and Wealthy.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Mme. Francisca De Barrios, the young, beautiful and wealthy widow of the late President of the Republic of Guatemala, was married this evening to Senor Jose Mantinez De Koda, a Spanish nobleman at the residence of the bride, 855 Fifth avenue. Archbishop Corrigah officiated, and Mme. Aparico, for the Queen Regent of Spain, gave away the bride.

An Astronomer Killed.

LONDON, April 21.—John Hartnup, the chief astronomer of the Birdstone observatory, Birkenhead, was killed to-day. He went to the summit of the observatory to examine the apparatus and while there lost his balance and fell the whole distance to the ground, his neck being broken.

Charged With Robbing Tiffany.

NEW YORK, April 21.—James A. Palmer, doing business in this city under the name of J. T. Palmer & Son, manufacturer of bronze, brass and gas fixtures, was arrested to-night by Inspector Steers on a charge of robbing Tiffany & Co., the silversmiths, of $50,000 by means of forged and fraudulent bills. The forgeries have entended a period of more than 5 years.

Yesterday's Court of Special Sessions.

Judge Desnoyers presided in the Court of Special Sessions yesterday when the following cases were disposed of: Michael Costigan was found guilty of breaking and entering a shop with intent to steal. He had previously served a seven months' sentence for larceny and had also been convicted for vagrancy. He was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary of St. Vincent ne Paul. Amie Morin and Jean Brossard were found guilty of stealing tools from different parties It was their first known offence in Montreal, but it is thought that the pair are old offenders from Quebec. They were sentenced to six months' imprisonment each. Telesphore Brochu alias Therrien, the man found in Beaudry Hotel at Longueuil with supposed murderous intent pleaded guilty to a charge of breaking and entering and was remanded until Tuesday for sentence.

NOT MUCH BLISS

The Minister of Agriculture had the Ignorance, but it Didn't Work That Way.

LIBERALS HAD A FIELD-DAY

The Manner in Which They Exposed to the People of Canada What the Hon. John Carling did not Know About Matters Pertaining to his Department was Decidedly Interesting.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

OTTAWA, April 21.—The House reassembled to-day, and in a sitting of nearly eight hours did considerable business, in which, as usual now-a-days, the honors of debate rested with the opposition. They were able to prove that Mr. Tupper's bill to amend the steamboat inspection, was an invasion of the rights of parliament, and they had an overwhelming advantage when Mr. Carling endeavored to explain the estimates of the Agricultural Department. Rarely in the history of Canada has the responsible head of a department shown himself so hopelessly ignorant of the details of the department which his colleagues say he has at his finger ends. If Mr. Carling cannot do better than he did to-night the whole of his party will come to the opinion of the Conservative M. P. who said to The Herald to-night: "and that is the man for whom we have to bear the odium and degradatign attacked to the London elections."

The Speaker formally announced the election of Dr. Colter in Carleton, N.B., and that gentleman was introduced by Hon. Mr. Laurier and Mr. Gilmore, and took his seat, amidst Liberal applause.

Sir John Thompson introduced a bill respecting witnesses and evidence. He explained that the bill, among other things, gave an accused person the right to testify in his or her own behalf. The bill was read a first time.

Sir John Thompson said that Vice-Regal assent having been given to them, he would move that the House do to-morrow resolve itself into committee upon the resolutions respecting increase of judges salaries. The motion was carried.

Lord Knutsford's Message.

A message was received from the Governor-General, transmitting to the House a despatch from Lord Knutsford, colonial secretary, in reply to a message of sympathy sent to the Prince and Princess of Wales at the opening of the session. Lord Knutford's reply reads thus:

DOWNING STREET, March 31, 1892.

MY LORD,—I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Your Lordship's despatch of the 11th instant, and to acquaint you that I have communicated to their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, the addresses accompanying it which were presented to you by the Senate and House of Commons of Canada on the occasion of the death of H. R. H. the Duke of Clarence and Avondale. The Prince and Princess of Wales have been much touched by these expressions of condolence, and have desired me to request that your Lordship will convey to both Houses of the Legislature of the Dominion their best thanks for the sympathy expressed in these addresses which has been an additional solace to them in their bereavement.

Steamboat Inspection Act.

The House went into committee on the bill to amend the steamboat inspection act, the provisions of which have already been explained in The Herald.

During the discussion on the measure Mr. Hazen declared that the old act respecting steamboat inspection had been a dead letter and never carried out whereupon, Hon. Mr. Mills declared that his statement fully justified his contention that Parliament should take more interest in measures it was asked to pass. The House should be more than a mere registering machine for the Government and the time had come when an end should be put to the system by which Parliament was asked year by year to amend Legislation pending for the working of the various departments, Mr. Hazen's remarks were in his opinion the worst possible criticism of the methods of the administration of the Marine department by Mr. Tupper and were undoubtable proof that affairs had been maladministrated.

Mr. Hazen rushed to Mr. Tupper's defence and claimed that the Legislation was justified by marine regulations in force at its passage, but which had since passed away.

Mr. Welsh poked fun at Mr. Hazen's newly acquired knowledge of marine matters. It was something new for a lawyer to be so well posted about life boat and buckets. In his opinion the regulation requiring these articles to be of metal was ridiculous. He asked the House whether in the event of a disaster at sea it would prefer to trust for safety to a metal bucket or a good oaken bucket. His answer came quickly, for from both sides came cries of "the old oaken bucket."

Mr. Davies protested against the principle of the bill which sought to give power to the Governor-in-Council. Legislation was the privilege of Parliament and should not be relegated to any other body. The bill was discussed at some length.

Commodore Welsh caused some amusement by his statement that it seemed to him that the object of the bill was to compel every vessel flying the Dominion flag to carry a lawyer on board. The bill was reported.

The Militia Estimates.

The House then went into supply, taking up the items for the permanent corps, $470,000. Mr. Casey quoted extensively from General Herbert's report to prove that the permanent schools had turned out an utter failure.

Mr. Bowell promised to consider the general's remarks, but denied that the permanent schools had been mismanaged by the department. The large number of desertions was, he claimed, due to the small rate of pay and the enforcement of too severe regulations. The whole question was surroundod by many difficulties, and he hoped, with the general's aid, to overcome these and to make the permanent forces the success they should be.

After recess the consideration of the militia estimates was resumed. Mr. Bowell stated that in his opinion schools had been a reat practical value to the force. He would endeavor to modify the system by which officers had to go the schools to secure their certificates.

Col. O'Brien complained that under the present system the schools lost their educational character and were losing that characteristic by becoming mere regiments for show purposes.

What Mr. Carling didn't Know.

On the item for the experimental farms Mr. Carling said that it was not yet possible to reduce the expenditure. The $75,000 spent last year was bearly sufficient to meet the requirements of the farms. He hoped however to in future reduce the expenditure considerably.

Mr. MacMillan (Huron,) complained that the House had been deceived in reference to the amount required for these farms. When they were first started Mr. Carling promised that the central farm and all the branch stations would not cost more than $200,000 yet since then far more had been expended. The annual expenditure it was predicted would not exceed $40,000 yet, now, $75,000 was asked.

In reply Mr. Carling fell upon the excuse that full details of the work done had been given in the reports of Prof. Saunders and others distributed all over the country. Last year 4728 samples of new oats were distributed to the farming community, also 2804 samples barley, 2221 of spring wheat, 959 of corn, 149 of rye and 235 of potatoes, and had been attended by satisfactory results. He referred to the grain growing experiments, the instruction given in butter and cheese, and the tests of different varieties of fruits as proofs of the good work done by the farm.

A Slipshod, Haphazard Way.

Mr. Davies asked what had been the total expenditure on each farm, the receipts from each farm, and the loss upon each station.

Mr. Carling was unable to give the information, whereupon Mr. Davies protested against proceeding with the estimates without these figures. Such a slipshod, haphazard way of asking Parliament to transact its business was ridiculous. In England the head of every department gave full information before asking Parliament to vote its estimates.

Mr. Patterson, of Brant, supported the doctrine laid down by Mr. Davies, and thereupon the Finance Minister rushed to his colleague's assistance, by stating that the adoption of the Liberals proposal woul introduce a very unwholesome system into the House. (Opposition, hear, hear). The Government could not consent to such a policy.

Mr. Patterson contended that it was the Ministers duty to have all information concerning his department at his finger ends.

Mr. Carling protested that all information concerning the farms was in Prof. Sander's report for last year presented to Parliament.

Mr, Patterson asked him to state briefly what was in that report, but this only served to further illustrate the ministers ignorance for he fell back upon the excuse that he could not be expected to do the reading for the opposition.

When he sat down Mr. Davies said that the Ministers manifestation of ignorance was the best justification for his request for information. Mr. Carling's statement that Saunders' report for this year would be ready next week was the very reason why the estimates should not be proceeded with. Not only did the Minister not know what he should, but his report contained none of the facts necessary and required by parliament.

Two Rowed Barley Question.

Mr. McMillan urged a better system of book-keeping in order that the farmers might know whether the farms paid expenses.

Dr. Sproule tried to defend the minister by urging that all the information asked for had already been distributed in pamphlet form.

Sir Richard Cartwright protested against the delay in producing the Experimental Farm's report. He asked Mr. Carling to state what were the prospects of producing two-rowed barley in Canada, as well as of developing our trade with Great Britain in eggs and other produce now shut out of the United States markets.

Mr. Carling replied that Prof. Saunders told him that whenever six rowed barley could be grown two rowed was a success. He read a letter from an English expert stating that two rowed barley grown in Canada was worth 92 cents per bushel, and as barley could be grown and shipped from Toronto for 27 cents, a profit of 65 cents was left for the farmer. He urged that Canadian farmers should take greater care in preparing their barley for the market.

Mr. McMillen from personal experience said that it would pay the farmer better to grow 6 rowed barley and pay 30 cents duty by sending it to the Buffalo market than it would to grow 2 rowed barly and ship it to England.

Col. Tyrwhitt's experience was that the two rowed barley was more profitable than the six rowed species. Last year the former netted him 8 cents per bushel more than the latter.

Mr. McMillan (Huron) said his experience was the same as that of Mr. McMullen while Clarke Wallace mentioned the names of several of his constituents who had been successful with the two rowed barley.

More Evidence of Neglect.

Mr. Charlton ridiculed the policy of the Government to secure a market in England at great expense while they neglected all opportunities of securing our natural market across the border.

The discussion afterwards turned on the minor details of the expenditure, but on these the Liberals got as little satisfaction from the minister as before. Mr. Casey made a good hit when he reminded the committee that they should not blame the minister, for instead of attending to his experimental farms he had been attending to experimental voters' lists. Ladoga wheat and other varieties of grain were not handled, all to the disadvantage of the minister. In answer to Mr. Mulock Mr. Carling admitted that there had been several cases of tuberculosis on the farm last fall, but that no effort was made to discover where the disease originated.

The remainder of the agricultural estimates were passed, and the House adjourned at 12:25 a. m.

At the Girl's Evangelistic Hall, St. Catherine street, yesterday a good number of people assembled to hear one of the popular lectures that have been provided by the Y.W.C.T.U. The speaker was Dr. Wesley Mills, who took for his subject "The Biological Education of Children." The lecture was most interesting and was attentively listened to throughout.

IN MUCH TROUBLE

The Government Getting Into Deep Water Over the Caron Enquiry Burking.

LIVELY TIMES PROBABLE.

Sir Adolphe Caron Claims That the Government Has Just As Much Right to Protect Him From the Liberal Search Light as They Had to Squelch the Charges Against Mr. Haggart.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

OTTAWA, April 21.—There is much disturbance and anxiety in Ministeria circles over the disposition of the charges preferred against Sir Adolphe Caron. The discussion upon Mr. Edgar's motion cannot be resumed until Monday, and possibly not until Wednesday, and in the meantime the ministers do not know whether to grant an inquiry or refuse it. Sir John Thompson's plan was to vote down the resolution on the day it was moved antd hen laugh at those who charged him with violating his promises trusting to a short public memory to have the whole business buried and forgotten in a short time. But he ran foul of rules of the House and the debate was adjourned. Then the trouble began. The followers of the Government from Ontario do not like the Postmaster General and would like to see him ousted from the Ministry. They are not willing to incur the odium of burking an inquiry for the sake of shielding him and the Langevin men see no reason why Sir Adolphe should be treated in a way different from Sir Hector. Public feeling has been worked up over the matter to a considerable extent, and the Government organs were instructed to announce that after voting down Mr. Edgar's motion, the ministers would themselves ask for an investigation. But another hitch has occurred. Sir Adolphe does not want any investigation. He says the House of Commons refused to investigate the charges preferred by Mr. Lister against Mr. Haggart last session, and wants to know why there should be one rule for him and another for the Minister of railways.

What a Conservative Contractor Says.

Speaking of the situation to-day a well known conservative contractor said: Sir Adolphe has lots of nerve. He will not lie down and allow others to climb out of trouble over his body and his reputation. It is not Sir Hector the kickers have to deal with now. Sir Adolphe will die game and he will not allow himself to be sacrificed to save colleagues or party. The money he got from the Railway companies was spent for the benefit of the party not for his own benefit. All the men now in power are enjoying the fruits of his expenditures and they will only show ingratitude if they go back on him now. Mr Haggart does not want any inquiry in the Caron case, because if Mr. Edgar's request for a committee of inquiry is granted, the House cannot very decently refuse Mr. Lister a committee if he renews the charges he made last session in reference to the section B affair. If the Government makes one rule for Sir Adolphe and another for Mr. Haggart—if it shields one and allows the other to be exposed—the Quebec men will say that the purists in the Conservative party are only after Frenchmen's scalps. And that would be awkward. Hence Mr, Haggart thinks the Edgar charges should be ignored. He does not want the "Section B" matter investigated, and there are other members of the House who now carry their heads very high who would have to make troublesome explanations if it were shown on whose advice election contributions were charged as expenditure for "giant powder" by the "Section B" contractors. Who was it that advised the "Section B partners to draw money from the firm individually and hand it over to the campaign fund treasurer so that the amount of the firms contribution would not be recorded in the account books. You would be surprised if I told you. A large portion of the "Section B" money was used in the conspiracy to defeat the Mowat Government in 1883 and 1884."

NOTES OF THE SESSION.

Last choice for the Bisley team.—Montreal and Ottawa Railway.

Ottawa, April 21.—Mr. J. N. Greenshields, Q.C., is in town on business to day.

Nineteen of the first twenty men of the Bisley team have accepted. Staff Sergt. E. N. Mitchell, 90 Batt., declined, and his place was offered to Lt. McAdam of the Victoria Rifles. Sergt. Smith St. John Rifles, is now the waiting man.

Mr. Charlebois, contractor for the Montreal and Ottawa Railway, states that the road will be completed as far as Caledonia Springs in July next and that the Capital will be reached next year. The road is already doing a good business.

Quebec Cheese in Favor.

The Commons Committee on Agriculture and Colonization met this morning under the presidency of Dr. Sproule and heard Prof. Robertson deliver his annual address upon the progress of butter and cheese making in Canada. The address was as interesting as usual and showed that the past year had seen a continued improvement in the methods of dairy production. The English market still kept a steaky demand for our cheese, a new departure this year being a demand for cheese manufactured in Quebec Province which has caught the last of a certain section of connoisseurs. He also paid a compliment to Prof. Barnard and Pro. Chipais for the work they are doing in Quebec.

Arranging Matters to Suit.

It was stated to-day that one of the results of the recent visit to Ottawa of Hon. L. O. Taillon, a member of the Quebec Government, would be manifested in a few days by a bill of which Sir John Thompson has given notice, respecting provincial courts. The intention is for the provincial Gouvernment to abolish the magistrates' courts in Montreal and Quebec and tha the Federal authorities shall make the deficiency in judges by appointing two new members of the bench of the Superior Court. Should this proposal be carried out Mr. Taillon has the promise of one of them and Mr. Curran, M.P., can have the other if he wants it.

Supreme Court Spring Term.

The spring term of the Supreme Court opens on Tusday, the 2nd prox., when a large number of cases will be argued. The Court meets on the Monday to deliver judgments in appeals heard last term. The cases inscribed for hearing at the coming term are:

Election appeals—South Grey, Williams vs Landerkin; Pontiac, Murray vs Lyon et al; L'Assomption, Gauthier vs Brien; Rouville, Brodeur vs Charbonneau; Bagot, Dupont vs Morin.

Quebec cases—Paradis vs Bosse; O'Shaughnessy vs Ball; Lewis vs The Queen (Exchequer appeal); Dubois vs Ste Rose; Fillet vs Ferland; Williams vs Irvine; Rodier et al vs Lapierre et al; Martindale vs Powers; Empire Phosphate Co vs Anglo-Continental Guano Works.

A RIDICULOUS DIFFICULTY.

Work on the C. P. R. Hotel Stopped by a Ginger Ale Man's Heirs.

QUEBEC, April 21.—A most ridiculous difficulty has momentarily stoppad the work of construction of the new C. P. R. hotel on Dufferin Terrace. Some few years ago a party named Potvin obtained from Mr. Langelier, then mayor of the city, permission to erect a temperance hotel for the refreshment of promenaders on the terrace. He accordingly set to work and succeeded in building probably the ugliest kiosk which was ever erected in America. This ill-fated building was from the beginning a bone of contention. It was at first located between two russian guns below the Wolfe Montcalm Obelisk. Sir A.P. Caron then Minister of war forthwith swooped down upon Potvin declaring that he was on military ground, and must vamoose. The corporation got frightened, and transferred at considerable cost Potvin and his kiosk to the present site, granting at the same time a lengthy contract for the sale of soda water and ginger ale. As ill luck would have it the spot chosen happens to be precisely the place selected by the C.P.R. for the construction of their new hotel, but like the famous squatter on Logan's farm, Potvin, or rather his heirs, for the unfortunate man died in the interval, refuse to be sat upon. They even refuse $1000 offered by the Corporation to get out. This ridiculous hitch cannot possibly be serious; meanwhile, however, work is suspanded. The C.P.R. has served a formal protest on the Government, and the Government has in turn protested the Corporation.

OUT OF SEASON "ROORBACKS."

The Lie Given to More Sensational Nova Scotia Boodling Stories.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

HALIFAX, April 21.—Some very sensational stories have been telegraphed to Tory papers respecting alleged "revelations" made in connection with the Victoria Co. road monies. It was said that Benjamin Roper's name was attached to documents showing that he had expended the sum of $629, whereas he had only expended $93.25, that Roderick Campbell swore that he spent only $34 whereas, he purported to show an expenditure of $118; that Francis McKennon swore to an expenditure of $50, whereas the return showed an expenditure of $129. The evidence given showed that in each of these returns were included the returns of four or five sub-foremen as well as the foreman named in the road scale. The superviser grouped the returns in that way for convenience sake, but only attached the declaration of the foreman. It was an irregular and improper method of making up the returns and calculated to prove misleading, but there was not a cent of money misappropriated. The expenditure was made bona fide, the work was done and the men paid. With regard to the return of R. E. Burke who swore that he had not expended any money or signed any declaration purporting to show an expenditure of $140, it may be stated that while the case is something mysterious, your correspondent is informed that the work was done in Burke's case and with his knowledge. The Government, however, have decided to further investigate this and other cases, and will take steps to prosecute and punish any man who may be shown to have acted in a fraudulent manner. The investigation closed tonight, so far as the taking of evidence is concerned. There has been no evidence adduced connecting the members for Cape Breton and Victoria Counties in any way with any improper or fradulent transaction.

Charged With Attempted Murder.

Peter Malone, the boy arrested by the police of No. 7 station on Wednesday night for stabbing Charles Black, details of which have been already published, was arraigned before Judge Dugas in the Police court yesterday, on the charge of attempted murder. Malone felt his position keenly, and while admitting doing the cutting, pleaded not guilty to the crime with which he was charged. He was remanded for eight days, pending the result of Black's wound. Inquiry at the General Hospital last evening, elicited the statement that Black was doing remarkably well, and the doctors have now but little fear that he will not recover.

The Weather.

TORONTO, April 21.—The depression which was in the Mississippi valley last night, now with reduced energy covers the lake region. The pressure is highest in the Maritime provinces, and lowest in the far Northwest. Rain has fallen generally in the lake region and the Upper St. Lawrence valley, elsewhere the weather has been fine.

Minimum and maximum temperature:—Calgary, 68 68; Qu'Appelle, 30 56; Winnipeg, 32 60; Toronto, 4144; Montreal, 36 62; Quebec, 28 58; Halifax, 30 68.

Probabilities.

Lakes—Moderate to fresh westerly winds partly fair with some local showers.

St. Lawrence—Cloudy with rain.

Gulf and Maritime—Moderate to fresh winds, cloudy with rain.

Manitoba—Fine and warm.

Montreal Temperature.

Temperature in the shade by Standard Thermometer, observed by Hearn & Harrison opticians and matnematical instrument makers, 1640 and 1642 Notre Dame-street: 8 a m 35; 1 p m, 60; 6 p m, 57. Max. 61; min. 28; mean, 44. By standard Barometer: 8 a m 30.40; 1 p m 30.26; 6 p m 30.13.

THE KHEDIVE SATISFIED.

HE HAS COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN HIS CABINET.

DISCUSSING THE COPPER OUTPUT.

Delegates of British and American Companies Meet in London and Disagree on the Proposal of the Latter to a Fifteen Per Cent Reduction—Possibility of a Battle in Dahomey.

BY CABLE TO THE HERALD.

LONDON, April 21.—The Cairo correspondent of The Times telegraphs the result of an interview which he had with the Khedive. He says that the ruler of Egypt showed that he obtained a wonderful grasp of state questions for such a short time as he had been reigning. The Khedive informed the correspondent that the cabinet possessed his complete confidence, and that the rumors to the effect that the members intended to resign were quite unfounded. Since the dispute which had arisen in regard to the firman of investiture he had received his first autograph letter from the Sultan. The Sultan addressed him in the most cordial terms and his communication was to the effect that while desiring that the coolness existing between the Khedive and Ghazi Mukhtar Pasha, the High Commissioner of the Sublime Porte, should cease, he had forbidden the latter to interfere in the internal affairs of Egypt.

The Trouble in Dahomey.

PARIS, April 21.—The Government has received a despatch which contains the information that the vanguard of King Behaninz's force is within one thousand yards of Kotonou, and that the Governor of that place is momentarily expecting an attack to be made there and at Grand Popo. Sixteen Frenchmen who reside at Whydah, the port of the Dahomey, and other points, were not captured by King Benaninz's forces in the recent raids made on these places. Six of them have reached French stations in safety and it is hoped the others will also succeed in making their escape to a place of refuge.

Discussed the Copper Output.

LONDON, April 21.—Representatives of the chief British copper companies met American delegates who are desirous of reducing the output of the mineral, here yesterday. The British members of the conference declined to accept a proposal made by the Americans for a 15 per cent reduction, declaring such action was quite out of the question. They said that while they were not eager for any reduction in the output, they would agree to continue the negotiations, and asked for further details as to the products and capacity of the American mines.

The Bundesrath and Explosives.

BERLIN, April 21.—A measure will be adopted at the next meeting of the Bundesrath in regard to restricting the trade in explosives. The object of this measure is to prevent Anarchists or other persons using explosives for unlawful purposes from obtaining supplies of dynamite or similar articles.

Tenement House Fatality.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—In a tenement house fire here last night nine persons were burned to death. Fifteen others are missing, and it is feared they also have perished.

Rustlers and Cowboys Fighting.

DEADWOOD, Dak., April 21.—Word has been brought to this city that a battle between rustlers and cowboys was fought Monday near Little Powder River, resulting in a repulse for the rustlers. It is expected the trouble will ensue again, as the rustlers are determined to get into the spring round-up, and the cowboys are determined to keep them out.

An Old Landmark Gone.

SARATOGA, N.Y., April 21.—Thorllea hotel on the Kissingen Spring property at Geyserville was totally destroyed by fire about 2 o'clock this morning. Loss estimated at $8,000. The hotel was a landmark and was built by Dr. Huddleston half a century ago. It was a farm house and was purchased ten years ago by the Kissingen Spring company and converted into an hotel.

Killed the Door Keeper.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Arthur Friedheim, a well-known piano player, went to the Allberg theatre last night and demanded admittance. He was intoxicated and did not have a ticket and August Bartenhauser, the door-keeper, refused to pass him. Friedheim struck Bartenhauser in the face with his fist and knocked him down. Bartenhauser was severely injured aad died before he could be taken home. Friedheim is under arrest.

The Matto Grosso Revolution.

BUENOS AYRES.—The latest news from Matto Grosso, Brazil, is to the effect that the revolutionists intend to offer determined resistance to the government troops. All the steamers on the Parana river have been seized by the insurgents. The government troops are expected to arrive in Matto Grosso next week and they will at once attack the insurgents.

More People Than in Canada.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 21.—The total population of the state as shown by the recent state enumeration is 6,483,632, of which 720,605 are aliens and of the latter about 375,000 are credited to New York city.

The Cyclone of Texas.

LONGVIEW, Tex., April 21.—A cyclone of fearful velocity struck near Gladwater, 12 miles west of here on the Texas Pacific railway yesterday morning at 6 30 o'clock and destroyed nearly everything in its path. Fortunately the country over which it swept was sparsely settled and the loss of life was small. Forest trees were blown down by thousands.

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Personal Mention.

A new book soon to be issued in Paris and to be styled "La Republique et l'Armee" will virtually be a biography, and the first complete one, of Boulanger. In the work the author, Gen. Yung, has described as an eye-witness every incident in the brav' General's life from the period of his extraordinary popularity as Minister of War to his downfall. This book is said to be most eulogistic.

Mr. James Anthony Froude, who succeeds the late Mr. Freeman as Regius Professor of Modern History at Oxford, represents a very different school of historical study from that in which his predecessor excelled, for while Mr. Freeman was laboriously accurate and scientific, Mr. Froude is picturesque and dramatic, not to say theatrical. Mr. Froude will be seventy-four years old next Saturday. His name, it may be interesting to know, is pronounced to rhyme with "dude."

Algernon Charles Swinburn was fifty-five years old on April 5. The bays are growing yellow on the poet's temples and his pen has not been very productive of recent times. There is no more chanting of "Laus Veneris" as there was in the "better bright gray golden morn" of youth, and the "dusk of dolorous years" appears to have rent his muse into a retreat for senectitude. This is to be regretted, for Mr. Swinburne has reached a period of life at which many poets begin to do their best work.

There are few more rugged figures among the Scotch scholars of the present generation than is Professor Blackie, of Edinburgh. Though eighty-three, he has never worn a pair of spectacles, and for thirty years he had no need of medical advice. He attributes the vitality of his old age to his custom of living by an unvarying system, and it is noteworthy that Oliver Wendell Holmes, who is of about the same age and equally well preserved, told an interviewer some time ago that his own good health was due to his habit of living strictly by rule, even to the temperature of his bath. It is interesting to know that Professor Blackie does not go to bed until the clock strikes twelve. He rises at half past seven, and always after his mid-day meal he takes an hour's nap.

The Pope's private fortune makes him by far the richest man in Rome, though his wealth has shrunk very greatly from the 45,000,000 lire left by Pius IX. Much of the shrinkage has been due to unfortunate investments in building bonds and in corporation stocks—investments made for the purpose of receiving as higher rate of interest than that paid by the Rothchilds. The Pope gives his direct personal attention to financial tranactions such as soverigns usually intrust to a secretary or Chamberlain. He keeps his safe in his own apartments, and always carries the key to it himself.

The very remarkable statement is made that Fanny Crosby, who is known wherever church music is heard, from her "Pass me not, O gentle Saviour," is the author of 3000 hymns. The most famous of her religious songs was written twenty-three years ago, and since that time she has continued to produce them with unremitting industry She lives now in New York, and is sixty-five years old. No other writer of hymns, not even Dr. Watts, has been so prolific, though Dr. Robert Lowry, of Plainfield, New Jersey, is said to have produced several hundred. It was he who wrote "Shall we gather at the River?"

Two interesting little anecdotes of two of the most famous of British authors come almost coincidently from across the water. Professor Blackie relates that one Sunday evening when he was calling on the Carlyles, and the Sage of Chelsea talked on unremittingly, without allowing Mrs Carlyle a word, he went over to the philosopher, shook him by the shoulders, and shouted, "Let your wife speak, you monster!" The other reminiscence, told by Mrs. Hardy, the novelist's wife, of Sir Walter Scott, is that on one occasion when Sir Walter informed his wife that he was to receive a large sum for a certain book, Lady Scott replied, "Ah! then I can buy a new carpet."

John Murray IV. has for several years been a partner in the great London publishing-house of "John Murray," of which the head, John Murray III. died April 2, at the age of eighty-four. An interesting reminiscence of the first John Murray is the little-known fact that his name was McMurray, and that he dropped the "Mc" when he went into business in London, "in deference to English prejudices." John Murray II. was Byron's and Washington Irving's publisher.

Extreme Anti-Chinese Legislation.

Harpers Weekly: The Chinese exclusion bill, which was "rushed" through the House, after a talk of half an hour, by a vote 179 to 43, is described by a Democratic member who voted for it as "the toughest piece of legislation that ever passed the House." It prohibits absolutely the entrance of any Chinaman into the country, and practically, without discussion, without popular demand, without any sign of general public knowledge of such a purpose, arbitrarily abrogates treaties, and thereby invites China to expel summarily and at an enormous sacrifice to their interests the large American colony in China. Under the circumstances it must be regarded as an act of bad faith upon the part of the House, and, could the bill become a law, upon the part of the country. It is impossible, however, that the Senate should concur in such legislation or that the President should approve the bill, which would even forbid the return to this country of Chinese residents who had left it for any purpose, however large and valuable their pecuniary and other interests here might be. Although the Democratic party is responsible for legislation in the House, yet of the 43 negative votes upon the passage of the bill more than half were Democrats.

A Cigar Girl's Luck.

NEW YORK April 21.—Georgine Wolters, a pretty cigar store girl, won her breach of promise suit yesterday against the rich bachelor Louis Schultz. The jury awarded her $25,000 and $1,000 costs.

Too Late.

Perhaps Tennyson has written nothing which appeals to the hearts of all who read his poems more than the lyric of "Too Late." The burden of the sad refrain comes home with telling force to the hearts of those who have lost friends by that dread disease—consumption. They realize, "too late," the result of neglect. They feel that the dear one might have been saved if they had heeded the warning of the hacking cough, the pallid cheek and weakening system. They feel this all the more keenly because they see others being rescued from the grasp of the destroyer, and they think what is saving others might have saved their loved one. When the first signal of danger is seen take steps to avert the catastrophe. Be wise in time. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will drive away consumption. Do not wait until too late before putting its wonderful efficacy to the test, It succeeds where other remedies fail.

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And they took the light
Of the laughing stars, and framed her
In a suit of white
And they made her hair of gloomy
Midnight, and her eyes of glowing
Moonshine, and they brought her to me
In the silent night.

In a solemn night of summer
When my heart of gloom
Blossomed up to greet the comer
Like a rose in blooms;
All forboding that distress me
I forgot as joy caressed me,
Lying joy that caught and pressed me
In the arms of doom.

Only spake the little lisper
In the angel's tongue,
Yet I, listening, heard her whisper:
"Songs are only sung
Here below, that they may grieve you—
Tales are told you to deceive you—
So must Leonanie leave you
While her love is young."

Then God smiled, and it was morning
Matchless and supreme,
Heavee's glory seemed adorning
Earth with its esteem,
Every heart but mine seems gifted
With the voice of prayer, and lifted
Where my Leonanie drifted
From me like a dream. E. A. P.

—Really J. Whitcomb Riley.

The above is the famous "Poe" poem that gave Riley his first notoriety. It was carefully studied by Ralph Waldo Emerson and other prominent authorities, and pronounced by them to be undoubtedly genuine. Riley's strong gift of imitation has always been regarded by himself as against his liability to turn out strictly original work, and for that reason he avoids a too close study of any particular writer.

Homesick.

Here in the south am I,
On the southron sandy loam;
Beneath a southron sky,
But my thoughts are all at home.

'Tis there my father sits,
With his paper on his knee;
My mother sews or knits—
I know they think of me.

My sister, her music lies,
Her hands o'er the key-boards stray;
Tender the looks in her eyes,
She thinks of her brother away.

My dog, he whines in the hall,
For a sad old dog is he,
Waiting in vain my call,
For he, too, misses me.

And my girl—how my pulses stir!
For, as the dews of evening fall,
Another fellow may be courting her—
This makes me more homesick than all.

—Roy L. McCardell in Puck.

A Woman's Opinion of Woman.

The Woman's Tribune:—Walter Besant recently asked the question: "What is woman's greatest charm?" Of course the conundrum must be answered satisfactorily to men. So, in considering it, one must put one's self in man's place and try to remember what has been the chief characteristic of women viewed relative to the men who found them charming. It is not beauty; many of those who have held men enthralled have been remarkably plain in appearance. Neither is it grace of manner nor elegance of carriage; for these have also many times been wanting in those whom men have found irresistible. Nor is it the tender love of the mother, for this has in untold cases failed to win a word of appreciation or tenderness or even respect from men who have shamefully maltreated and deserted the mothers of their children. Nor indeed is it the unflagging devotion of the wife, for this also has ofttimes been spurned.

In those who have ruled the hearts of men or many of the numerous qualities which go to make up the generally charming woman may be lacking, but the one of indispensable quality necessary to make a man concede that she possesses the "greatest charm" is that of sympathy with him. It therefore is a varying quality according to the standard of the beholder. It may be intellectual or spiritual sympathy, or an appreciation of physical powers; but no man thinks a woman is charming unless he feels that in some measure at least that which he deems best and most admires in himself is felt and appreciated by the woman.

Children Should Have Several Rooms.

Mrs. Gladstone in the Ladies' Home Journal.

The meals should be taken where there is no litter of toys; a qdiet room is needed both for work and sleep. No attempt should ever be made to rear children in a single room. The necessity of providing a full supply of pure and fresh air in youth, when change and growth are most active, is obvious.

A Bright Woman's Chat.

Did you ever notice how, after a long and happy life husbands and wives often grow to look alike? People ponder at it, but it is really the most natural thing in the world. With the same thoughts always in their minds, the same interests, hopes and desires, it seems astonishing that their mentality does not in a more marked degree affect their faces and make the resemblance more striking. Of course it is only in expression, the features cannot change by this force, but they do change by time, and while they are in the transition stages is it not probable that the same influences acting on both should mold them after the same pattern? This is not a loss of individuality, but an accentuation of the individuality of both.

How often we say, "Oh, yes; I tell her everything. I have not a thought she does not share." And how untrue that is. There are corners in our minds and hearts that we do not uncover for the dearest and most confidential friend we have. We simply could not; it would be against nature to do so. And time goes on, and the secret places of our nature grow more and more numerous and deeper and more unfathomable. And then all of a sudden there comes into our lives a new element—some one who does not have to be told, who knows without a word, and then gradually everything that we have kept apart and all for ourselves becomes the property of that one person, and in some mysterious way are the more ours from that very fact. There are some divisions that multiply.

Nothing that is worth having comes easily, does it, after all? That sounds trite, but it is not: it is as great a truth as any ever written, and we finally come to appreciate it all the more for the mistakes we make in its application. Half a dozen times in every life some thing that seems very good falls at our feet or into our hands without a particle of effort of our own, and as we gather it up rejoicing we think that for once and in one case the old adage is proven false, and then all of a sudden our acquisition becomes of little or no value, or else it slips away from us, and the effort that we did not have to make at first is necessitated if we desire to keep that which is in our grasp.

Our hearts are pioneers, they go out from us impetuously hunting homes for themselves and never resting, try first one abiding place and then another, and turning from all till at last the right home is found, and then our bodies follow.

If we remain silent till there is something to say that will astonish the world we make a great mistake. The most beautiful concert owes no more of its success to the prima donna who receives all the applause and flowers than to the chorus, who though almost unnoticed, form the full, rich background and basis for the brilliant work in front.

Mother and Children.

There appears to be a curious tendency on the part of many men to lavish upon the little ones the affection once exclusively the wife's. A division of demonstration would be both natural and gratifying to a woman, but too often she is ignored in this respect entirely. The boys and girls are joyfully greeted by the home coming father, while the wife is carelessly nodded at over their sunny heads. A wise observer once said, "trouble comes with the first baby if it is coming at all." Different ideas of government are often the entering wedge of dissension. The little one sometimes separates the father and mother, and at its cradle the husband goes away from the wife in thought and deed just when she needs him most. While she rocks that cradle she thinks deeply, and in the readjustment of her ideas wifehood is merged in the stronger force of motherhood. She demands more of her husband mentally and morally than ever before, because he is baby's father, and is sometimes disappointed.

In the matter of expenses paterfamilias is apt to be more generous in his allowances for the needs of the children than for the less tangible wants of their mother. He admits that clothes can be outgrown, but is sceptical about their going out of fashion. We are told that a mother becomes unselfish. For herself, yes; but is she not tempted to overlook the claims of others in seeking all good things for her children?

I doubt if the mother, burdened with the care of her child's living and the fear of its dying, can half enjoy the beauty per se of childhood. The outsider can rejoice in all the loveliness, oftener with more appreciative eyes, because they are not blinded by dread. Heredity, to a conscientious woman, is simply appalling. How can she punish a child for faults inherited from herself? Can she be happy as she notes the growth of a disposition which should, for the good of the race, end with her husband's life? Can she help being afraid when she looks at the little son, who is a pocket edition of the father-in-law in a drunkard's grave? It is possible, too, for her to discover that her children, though gazing at her with her mother's eyes and speaking to her in the tones of a voice that has made the music of her life, are aliens in thought and deed.

But, some one says, I know all that; there are years of patient care and toil—years, perhaps, when the husband and wife go their separate ways, one rearing the children, the other going on alone, absorbed in business interests, forgetful of the woman left behind; but when the sons and daughters are grown, matters adjust themselves. Not always. The fair girl graduate becomes the faded little mother's rival, and in the devotion of father and daughter the wife is still left out. It is generally the rough boy, with that warm, loving heart which makes boys so dear the world over, who dimly divines the situation, and with bearish hugs and mammoth pats cheers and sustains the lonely heart. While it lasts it is the sweetest thing, this romance between the mother and her son; but, alas, it is brief! Some dainty little maiden takes the lad captive, and then the jealousy, the acute suffering of that mother's heart, who can fathom?

A Last Prayer.

[This poem was written four days before the author's death.]

Father, I scarcely dare to pray,
So clear I see, now it is done.
That I have wasted half my day,
And left my work but just begun,

So clear I see that things I thought
Were right or harmless were a sin;
So clear I see that I have sought,
Unconscious, selfish alms to win;

So clear I see that I have hurt
The souls I might have helped to save,
That I have slothful been, inert,
Deaf to the calls Thy leaders gave,

In outskirts of Thy kingdom vast,
Father, the humblest spot give me;
Set me the lowliest task Thou hast,
Let me, repentant, work for Thee!

—Helen Hunt Jackson.

AROUND THE HOUSE.

Useful Homely Suggestions for Frugal Housekeepers.

Clean piano keys with a rag dipped in alcohol.

To prevent mold in ink, infuse a piece of salt the size of a hazelnut in each quart.

Take egg stains from silver by rubbing with a wet rag which has been dipped in common table salt.

To make glue waterproof soak it in water until soft, then melt it in linseed oil, assisted by a gentle heat. This glue is not acted upon by water or dampness.

To clean gold jewelry with the stones in wash in warm suds made with fine soap, with ten or fifteen drops of sal volatile in it. This makes jewelry very brilliant.

When a chimney catches fire throw salt upon the fire below, shut off all the drafts possible (a piece of old wet carpet held before the grate is an excellent thing to use in shutting off the draught) and the fire will slowly go out of itself.

Bright sunshine, it is said, will nearly always entirely remove scorch which has been made by using an overheated iron. Frequently a shirt bosom, apparently almost ruined, has been brought back to its pristine whiteness by a liberal application of this remedy, which dame nature provides for us so liberally at times.

To mend china take a thick solution of gum arabic in water and stir plaster of paris until the mixture is of the proper consistency. Apply it with a brush to the fractured edges of the china, and stick them together. In three days the article cannot be broken in the same place. The whiteness of the cement renders it doubly valuable.

Close Calculations.

Mrs. Lincrusta Walton. "I like the design of this paper very well; but I cannot take it."

Salesman. "Why not?"

Mrs. Lincrusta. "It is too thick. It is my flat I am going to paper, and I have to economize space as much as possible."—Puck.

About Proposing.

In a little paper called Woman, some ladies have been comparing notes on the question of "how men propose," and what light their experience has been able to throw on this subject has been reserved for the enlightenment of its readers. It records one of an absent-minded young man who used notes. The young lady was giving a little reception, and, of course, her time was much occupied. The young man perceived that this would be the case, to facilitate matters, he brought with him a memorandum. "I afterwards," said the object of his ill-starred devotion, "found it on the floor, where he had dropped it in his agitation." It was: "Mention rise in salary. Mention loneliness. Mention pleasure in her society. Mention prospects from Uncle Jim: Never loved before. Propose."

Airy Trifles.

Snowflakes of white appear upon navy blue crepon.

Enormous bishop sleeves of white silk muslin will become a feature of the summer gown.

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Foamy laces and jetted tulles frame in most betwitching fashion the faces of rosebuds and their more matronly companions.

Tiny boutonniers of ragged-robbins, red, yellow and cream buds of delicate porcelain are pretty conceits for the button-hole.

An effort is being made to introduce in Paris a changeable silk foulard skirt, with which will be worn cunning figaro jackets of cloth.

Seek for negligee effects in your home gowns by donning imitation quilted silks of rose pink, turquoise blue, lemon and mauve, combined with crepes in artistic contrast.

Young girls' graduating dresses will be made of white wool crepon, crepe de chine or china silk. A sash of white moire or a corselet of lace will be used to complete the costume.

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BIRTHS.

McNOWN—River Beaudette, April 18, 1892, a son to Mr and Mrs A S McNown.

MARRIAGES.

ATKINSON—ELLIOTT—On April 18, 1892, at the Sherbourne street Method st Church, by the Rev C E Manning, Joseph E Atkinson, of the Globe, Toronto, to Ella S Elliott ("Madge Merton"), of Toronto.

HOWE—CAMERON—At St. Luke's Church, Toronto, on April 19, 1892, by the Rev Dr Langtry, assisted by the Rev Mr Read, Joseph Howe, Esq., Inspector Northwest Mounted Police, to Agnes Mary Cameron, daughter of the late John Cameron, of Toronto, and grand daughter of the late Rev Canon Bleasdale, of Trenton, Ont.

HAVVEY-COLLINS—At London, Ont., April 15, Ellen Collins, daughter of John Collins, to James Harvey.

JACQUES-NICOLL—At Ottawa, April 13, Franklyn R. R. Jacques, son of the late Alex. Jacques, sr., to Mary Nicoll, both of Ottawa.

LEES-FERGUSON—At Toronto, April 13, by Rev. J. M. Cameron, George Lees to Katie Ferguson, all of Toronto.

LENNOX-LEWIS—At Toronto, April 13 by Rev A M Phillips, B D, John Francis Lennox, of Barrie, Ont, to Leila Frances, daughter of T L L Lewis.

ROBERTSON-DAY—At St. John, N B, April 11, by Rev G O Gates, Andrew Robertson to Mary Ann Day, both of St. John.

DEATHS.

ARNALL—At Whitby, Ont., April 15, Caroline Arnall, wife of John Arnall, aged 75 years.

BENSLEY—At Barton, Ont., April 17, Robert D. Bensley, aged 53 years and 9 months.

DESROCHERS—At Kingston, on Easter Sunday, Zephirin J. Desrochers, aged 37 years.

ELWOOD—At Toronto, Ellen Elwood, widow of the late John Elwood, of Leslieville, aged 81 years.

GRIFFIN—In this city, on the 20th inst., of inflammation of the lungs, Florence Elizabeth Ann (Flossie), dearly beloved daughter of W. H. Griffin, aged 3 years and 1 month.

SLEETH—In this city, on the 20th inst., Robert Sleeth, aged 31 years, youngest son of David Sleeth, sr.

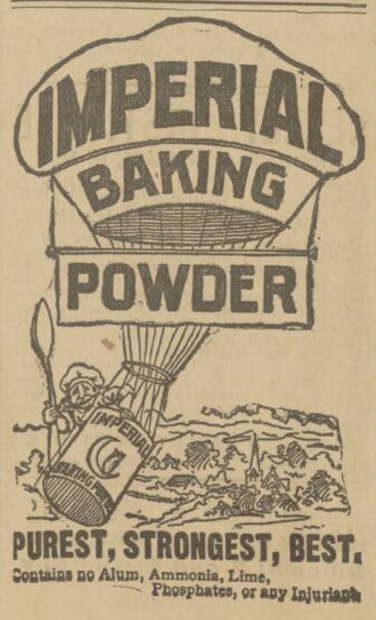
Notice of funeral hereafter.

LESLIE—In this city, on the 21st instant, Chas W Leslie, in his 25th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 378 Berri street on Saturday, 23rd instant, at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

LEHMANN—At Berlin, Germany, April 4, I M Lehman, aged 79 years, father of Mrs A Rosenthal, of Ottawa.

LESLIE—At Nepean, April 18, James Leslie in his 69th year.



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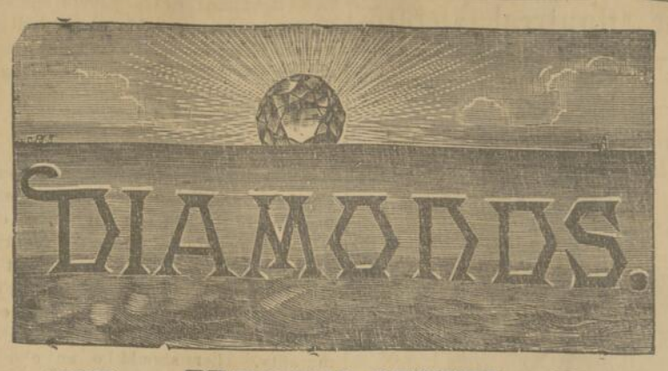

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FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 22

TWO MINISTERS OF PUBLIC WORKS.

The Gaze te bases a rather peculiar argument on the publication of Mr. Mackenzie's confidential letter written by him in 1875, when he was Minister of Public Works. In that letter Mr. Mackenzie said :

I would like much to be relieved of the Public Works department; but I cannot see my way to that at present. It is the great spending department, the possible great jobbing department, the department that can make or ruin the Government at such a time as this, when $25,-000,000 are at the power of its head to spend on public works. Friends (?) expect to be benefited by offices they are unfit for, by contracts they are not entitled to, by advances not earned. Enemies ally themselves with friends, and push the friends to the front. Some attempt to storm the office. Some dig trenches at a distance and approach in regular siege form. I feel like the besieged lying on my arms night and day. I have offended at least twenty Parliamentary friends by my defence of the 'citadel.' A weak minister here would ruin the party in a month, and the country very soon.

From this The Gazette goes on to dilate on the corruption revealed in Mr. Mackenzie's letter; it regards it as conclusive testimony of the absence in the Liberal party of the honesty to which it lays claim. This is going far afield for a plea. No one pre ends that human nature is radically different according to whether it is labelled Liberal or Conservative; there are men in both parties who would be quite willing to loot the public treasury, provided they got the chance.

The point in Mr. Mackenzie's letter which the public will see, if The Gazette does not, is that when the Liberals were in power the vultures did not get a chance. The leader of the Liberal party, possessing the confidence of an overwhelming majority of the adherents of that political faith, was the Minister of Public Works, and combined the functions of the two great spending departments of to-day, Railways and Canals and Public Works. The Government was engaged in building the Canadian Pacific Railway and millions of dollars were annually spent directly by the department. Yet Mr. Mackenzie's administration stood the test of a searching investigation by his opponents after they succeeded him; it was flawless. That was how the Liberal party, through its chief, conducted the public works department.

Turn now to the other side of the sheet and compare Mr. Mackenzie's administration with Sir Hector Langevin's. In the latter's time the department became what the investigation last session showed it to be; the feasting-ground of harpies. We know of at least a million dollars stolen from the people from under Sir Hector Langevin's eyes; and yet the enquiry last year was little more than a flash of light. The railway department had serious charges prepared against it last session, into which an investigation was denied, and to-day Sir Aldophe Caron is impeached of grave offences.

These facts should have made the Gazette pause. The Liberals do not profess to be impeccable, but they do claim that their leaders are honest men. Mr. Mackenzie was the Liberal Minister of public works; his record is stainless. Sir Hector Langevin was the Conservative Minister of Public Works, and his record is black as night. One man sternly resisted and suppresed the would-be boodlers; the other permitted his department to be turned into a huge engine of fraud and corruption.

The Gazette is entitled to all the comfort it can get out Mr. Mackenzie's letter.

THE ATTACKS MEAN NOTHING.

Hon. George Brown during his lifetime was the target for every possible missile of slander. Now, no one denies him a high place among the worthies of the Canadian nation.

Alexander Mackenzie had his personal honor and honesty impugned a hundred times during his leadership of the Reform party. Yesterday he was buried amidst the sincere sorrow of an undivided populace.

Hon. Edward Blake was a traitor, a time-server a man of ignoble impulses as long as he was in public life; now all recognize him for a high-minded patriot.

These facts indicate how little attention should be paid to the furious onslaughts which are now being made on characters of Mr. Laurier, Sir Richard Cartwright and the other Liberal leaders. Twenty years hence everybody will recognize them for falsehoods; but there are few who will have to wait that long to ascertain their true character.

SAWING OFF.

A practise has grown up o late years amongst politicians of compromising breaches of the law committed by one party against similar offences committed by the other party. The result is that offences against the laws of the country go unpunished, and there is a general sapping of the foundations of public morality. There should be an end to this iniquitous system of compromises to condone breaches of the law.

Pending an election contest, accusations are freely made against public men of deliberate theft from the public treasury. No sooner is the contest over than the very parties who have cried out most loudly for the punishment of the guilty parties are the first to suggest that the parties whom they so loudly denounced should go scot free because resort to prosecution would be considered to be persecution.

If the standard of morality of public men is to be improved there should be an end to this. The law should take its course. Be the criminal high or low; punishment should swiftly follow the offence. Respect for law will only be maintained by its impartial administration. It is the duty of the Government of the day to see that the law is administered impartially and without fear or favor. A firm adherence to this principle will meet with public approval. Fiat justitia ruat coelum.

CARON AND MERCIER.

Some of the Conservative comments on the Mercier and Caron enquiries are amusing reading for Liberals. A favorite statement just now is that the Liberal party have been moving heaven and earth to effect what is known as a saw-off, between the two cases; that is to say, that if the charges against Mercier were comfortably dropped, no more should be heard about the charges against Caron. There have been offers of compromise, but the Liberals did the rejecting not the proposing.

The Caron charges affect one who is still one of the chief pillars of conservatism and from their own knowledge of the morals of the whole party, its supporters are anxious to shut off enquiry, as they do not know who may be the next person implicated. They do not seem to object to be governed by ministers under suspicion, and so long as the machine works well, would apparently as lief have it under the management of a tainted corruptionist as of the squarest man in the Dominion.

The ideas of the Liberal party are directly opposite to this. The possibility of individual corruption, of people making a cloak of Liberalism to serve their private ends is admitted, but immediately on detection the cry of "turn the rascals out" is nowhere raised louder than in the very ranks of the party. With such a contrast in morals and methods there was no where any common standpoint from which a compromise could be arrived at. If wrong has been done by any one in our ranks we are perfectly willing that the offending party should fall under the lash of the law. We do not believe in a general whitewashing day which should restore all tainted politicians outwardly to a state of pristine purity.

Sir Adolphe must face the music. The Liberals have no intention of abandoning their demand for an investigation. The friends of Sir Adolphe Caron are fully aware of that fact now. Public feeling against the attempt of Sir John Thompson to stifle the enquiry is daily growing stronger, and will force a radical change of program on the part of the administration. Sir Adolphe is on trial, and he can acquit himself only by proving his innocence. He may as well recognize this fact at once. If he has any counter-charges to make, as his friends hint, he had better proceed to make them forthwith. The Herald, for one, wants to see daylight let in on every rascally bit of business that has been done during the past decade.

For the sake of common decency and fair play, the press of the province opposed to the late premier, should bear in mind that they are not prosecuting attorneys in the cases to be tried at Quebec on April 28th. The well-known rule of keeping silent on a case while it is sub-judice should not be departed from in this instance.

The Finance Committee meeting this afternoon will take the first step towards filling the vacancy occasioned by the death of Mr. Glackmeyer, the late city clerk. It is rumored round the City Hall that the opposition to Mr. Gosselin's promotion has been withdrawn and that he will secure the unanimous nomination. If this is true we tender our congratulations both to that gentlemen and to the City Council.

The Council are coming to our views as to the appointment of a head of the Health Department. The committee will recommend the appointment of a Sanitary Engineer with a salary of two thousand dollars to commence and a sanitary inspector commencing at $1,200 Looking at past complications that have been occasioned by officials not working amicably together, would it not be as well to secure the chief first, and let him have some voice in the minor appointment.

The Brantford Expositor gives these as the achievements by Mr. Mackenzie during his five years tenure of office: Vote by ballot; election trials by judges; simultaneous voting; property qualification of M. P's abolished; C. P. R begun; Dominion Supreme Court established: fisheries award; reduction in postage to United States; enlargement of canals; Government established in the N. W. T.; free postal delivery; Manitoba amnesty and N. B. school questions settled; Dominion Military College. It is a noble record.

MR. MERCIER'S PROSECUTION.

Comments of the Provincial Press on the Situation.

La Presse: Hon. Mr. Mercier is summoned to appear before Police Magistrate Mr. A. Chauveau, on the 28 inst., charged with having, in complicity with Messrs. Charles Langelier and Pacaud, conspired to obtain $60,000 from the Public Treasury. In bringing them to answer to the accusations the Boucherville Government is only doing its plain duty and its action should be approved by honest men of all parties. While we approve of the action taken by Government, it, however; by no means follows that we rejoice over the arrest of Mr. Mercier. On the contrary it is with profound sorrow that we are compelled to chronicle the appearance of an ex-Premier of Quebec before a police tribunal. From now to the end of the drama we shall only recognize Mr. Mercier as an accused person, that is to say as a citizen called to defend his honor and his liberty before a court of Justice, and shall content ourselves with giving our readers an impartial account of the proceedings from now till the time the verdict is given.

La Patrie: The news of the arrest of Mr. Mercier has taken all the world by surprise. Mr. Mercier went to Quebec and placed himself at the disposal of the authorities. He was there given assurance that he would not be prosecuted during the present term. He was allowed to return home and then came the arrest at the time when least expected and in a way to cause the utmost scandal and to wound as much as possible the feelings of his family and friends. This is adding persecution to injury and such conduct on the part of the Government will be justly appreciated by the public We believe that the Government have acted against their judgment, and that, but for the indiscreet promises made on the hustings to justify their usurpation and to preserve by any means the usurped power, they would have dropped all further proceedings in the case. It seems strange, as Mr Mercier says, that he should have been turned out of office for the Baie des Chaleurs affair but should be prosecuted for the Langlais transactions.

La Minerve: During the late electoral campaign Hon. M. de Boucherville and M. Casgrain both promised that Messrs. Mercier, Pacaud and Langelier should answer before the courts for the liberties they had taken with the Provincial treasury. This was not a vain menace, as was pretended in certain quarters, and yesterday the three gentlemen named were summoned to appear before the police magistrate of Quebec on the 28th inst. The charge is that by a shameful conspiracy the accused have appropriated the sum of $60,000. This is what is known as the Langlais scandal. There is no doubt but this is only a small portion of their depredations, but it is probably the most shameful theft during the regime to which the people have just done justice.

Le Canadien: 'We sincerley regret that the Quebec Cabinet should have resolved to adopt this extreme measure. The trampling of victors upon their vanquished enemies is no longer the custom of countries advanced in political civilization. Our Province is much more in need of peace than of spite, of concord than of wrath, of harmony than of violence. Mr. DeBoucherville and his colleagues are absolute masters of the situation.'

The Star: The Premier's repeated references to his intention of prosecuting all parties implicated in the spoliation of the province were as blunt and certain of comprehension as decency would permit on the eve of a popular election. If no legal action had been taken, the province would have felt that his pledge had been broken.

Le Matin: The Hon. Procurer General has given instructions to the Crown advocates to take criminal proceedings against Mr. Mercier and his accomplices. And it is only the commencement of the dance; but before long other boodlers will have to answer to their scandalous transactions before the courts of justice of the country.

GLEANINGS FROM THE PRESS.

Sir John Has Injured Himself.

Toronto Globe: It will take Sir John Thompson ten years to recover the ground he lost by his paltry, pettifogging speech on Mr. Edgar's motion against Sir Adolphe Caron.

What Is Poetry?

Edmund Clarence Stedman, in the April Century: Poetry is rhythmical, imaginative language, expressing the invention, taste, thought, passion and insight of the human soul.

Alex. Mackenzie.

Quebec Chronicle: Men called him hard, because he refused to allow them to grind their axes on his grindstone. They called him stupid because he was not "smart" enough to play the political knave, or to use his position for the inferior ends of the conscienceless fellows in his party. In his day, he was criticised unmercifully, by a rabid and truculent press. Now the same pens preach his virtues, and sing paeans to his memory. At last justice has been done him, and Canada mourns the loss of a great and distinguished man.

The Same as in Canada.

New York Evening Post: In the campaign of 1888 who can recall without shame the impudent appropriation of the natural flag as an exclusive symbol by the protectionist party, and the relegation of its opponents to the British flag, thus proclaiming a moral disfranchisement, denaturalization and deportation of one-half the citizens of the United States?

Political Corruption.

Our country at present is cursed and dishonored by political corruption. It is carried on so systematically that it might be classed as one of the fine arts. Satan's insinuation against Job that he was bribed or bought was a base lie, but even the father of lies would for once tell the truth if he should now say that many in our land can be bribed and bought, and he might safely include in the statement constituencies and Provinces; and yet, in the face of this, we are expected to believe that the state of religion is improving. Look at a map of our Province and see the shape of some of the constituencies. They look as if their boundaries had been marked out by chain lightning. We all know why they are so irregular and still professedly Christian men chuckle over it and say "it's so clever," and many of our young people are taught to believe that it is an evidence of great ability, and are encouraged to imitate the conduct of men so devoid of moral principle as to resort to such base methods to keep themselves in power, and also to deprive their fellow-citizens of their just rights.—Report of a committee of the Synod of Hamilton and London.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Nanon" To-morrow Night—Herrmann Drawing Big Houses—William's Coy.

At the Queen's last night a delighted audience witnessed Herrmann's performance. To morrow afternoon he is to give a change of program specially prepared for ladies and children. The whole engagement has been a very successful one.

"The Child of Fortune" Coming.

Mr. Aronson is so well pleased with his present engagement at the Academy of Music that he is arranging for the production early this fall here of "The Child of Fortune," this being the latest success at the Home House, the same company now appearing at the New York Casino will come complete from New York. The last and farewell performance of the excellent company now at the Academy will be to-night and matinee Saturday, playing The Tyrolean, and by special request on Saturday evening, the great Casino success, Nanon, Miss Tempest appearing in both operas. The company do not leave for New York until Sunday, and the Saturday night performance will be in no way shortened. At the matinee a souvenir copy of the Nightingale Song, with the portrait and autograph of Miss Tempest, will be given away to all ladies attending. This is the gem of the opera and was published last week in the Herald.

Williams' company will close a good week's business at the Theatre Royal to-morrow. The Acme Four have made a great hit and have proved one of the best variety attractions Montreal has seen for many days.

The Bottom of the Sea.

The Philadelphia Inquirer has this to say of the production which commences an engagement at the Theatre Royal next week: Webster & Brady's marine spectacle, "The Bottom of the Sea," was presented at the Empire Theatre last night, exactly as its authors would wish it, every mechanical detail a marvel of perfection, and the bright dialogue in the hands of people who were thoroughly capable.

A varied and attractive programme has been prepared for Thursday of next week at the Academy of Music, Members of the various local dramatic clubs, with the assistance of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Warner, will give a performance in aid of the Actors Fund of New York. The services of the performers are given gratuitously, so that it is hoped quite a large sum will be realized to be placed to the credit of the fund.

Musical and Dramatic Notes.

Mr. Charles Wyndham, manager of the Criterion, has engaged Mrs. Langtry to play "Suzanne," his English version of Dumas's "Demi-Monde." Her role will be that of a brilliant adventuress.

Sir Arthur Sullivan is out of danger. It will probably be another week, however, before he will return to London. Upon his arrival it will be decided whether an operation is necessary. It will be long before he will be able to complete the new opera to be produced at the Savoy.

Hayden Coffin, the well known baritone, has been engaged to create the role of Waldemar at the New York Fifth Avenue Theatre in Barrymore and Puerner's opera "The Robber of the Rhine." Mr. Coffin has made a great reputition in London during the last few years, having played in "The Lady and the Locket," "Dorothy" (964 consecutive performances), 'Doris," "The Red Hussar" and "La Cigale." It was Coffin and the song "Queen of My Heart" that he sang that contributed to the enormous success of "Dorothy."

Henry E. Abbey and Maurice Grau have made arrangements for securing the Auditorium for the entire season of the World's Fair, opening in May and closing in October 1893. The character of the entertainments to be given will be almost entirely, it is said, spectacular, though it may be that a short season of grand opera will be given. The purpose is to make the spectacles the most gorgeous and wonderful ever seen in this country, and Europe as well as America will be drawn upon for material.

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$210 Hood Square, rosewood case, 4 round corners, 7 1-3 octaves, $10 monthly.
$190 Pease N. Y. Square, perfect order, rosewood case, $8 per month.
$175 Square rosewood, 7 octaves, fine tone, $8 per month.
$125 Collard Upright, rosewood, 7 octaves, $6 per month.
$100 Hood Upright, good tone, rosewood case, $5 per month.
$ 60 Small Upright, 6 1-2 octaves, $5 per month, mahogany case.
$ 45 London Upright, 6 1-3 octaves, $4 per month.
$ 40 Broadwood Upright, 6 1-2 octaves. $4 per month
$ 90 Mason & Hamlin Organ, 3 full sets reeds, beautiful instrument.
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$ 85 Doherty Organ, 11 stops, high walnut case, $5 per month
$ 75 Wood's Boston Organ, walnut case, $5 per month.
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Widening of St. Catherine street at corner of St. Catherine and Drummond streets, in the St Antoine Ward of this City.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners in the above mentioned matter of expropriation have completed the proceedings of appraisement and deposited their report of such appraisement in the office of the undersigned, as required by saw; and that on Thursday, the 12th day of May next, at half past ten o'clock, in the forenoon, or as soon as counsel can be heard, the said report will be submitted to the Superior Court, for the District of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, sitting in term, in the division of practice, room No. 4, at the Court House of this City for homologation.

A. GOSSELIN,
Assistant City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
City Hall,
Montreal, April 19 h. 1892.

(To be inserted in The Herald and Gazette on the 21st and 22nd April instant.)

Bonsecours Market

TENDERS FOR REPAIRS.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at City Clerk's Office, City Hall, until noon

Thursday, the 28th April instant.

for the repairs in Bonsecours Market, rendered necessary by the recent fire, in accordance with the specifications to be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque for $250, payable to the order of the City Treasurer, and that accompanying the successful tender will be retained by the Treasurer until the completion of the work, as a guarantee for its due performance.

The Market Committee will not necessarily accept the lowest or any of the tenders.

(By order),

A. GOSSELIN,
Assistant City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office,
City Hall,
Montreal 20th April, 1892.

Pursuant to order of the County Court of Devonshire holden at Barnstaple, dated the 15th day of March 1892.

In the matter of the estate of James Lamping deceased, the persons claiming to be entitled to the shares in the residuary estate of James Lamping, late of Braunton, in the County of Devon, lighthouse-keeper, deceased who died on the 13th day of January, 1885, namely, his sister Ann Lamping, afterwards wife of Richard Marquis, formerly of Barnstaple, but, who, it is believed, many years ago went to Canada or her children if she died in his lifetime are to prove their claims before the 30th day of September, 1892, at the offices of the Registrar of the court on the quay Barnstaple or in default thereof will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the order.

Dated the 19th day of March, 1892.

JAMES BOSSON,
Registrar.
FFINCH & CHANTER,
Barnstaple solicitors to the estate.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that John Wesley Blair, of the City and District of Montreal, student at law, will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec at its next session for an act to admit him to the practice of the profession of an advocate in the Province of Quebec upon passing the examination required for admission to the practice of such profession, and exempting him from service under indentures for the term of four years as at present prescribed, and for other purposes.

R A E GREENSHIELDS,
Solicitor for Applicant.
Montreal, 21st March, 1892.

NOTICE.

Application will be made at the next session of the Legislature of the Province of Quebec for an act to incorporate the St Henri Light and Power Company for the purposes of manufacturing, dealing in and supplying electric and other illuminants, powers and heatings and all appliances connected therewith, with the right to construct and maintain all buildings and works necessary or incidental thereto; elevated and other tramways and ways of locomotion; and also means of communication of messages and intelligence; and for other purposes connected with electricity in municipalities and other places in the Province; with rights of entry, survey and expropriation; to enact penalties, and to issue bonds and for other purposes.

SELKIRK CROSS,
Solicitor for Applicants.
Montreal, April 20th, 1892.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Notice is hereby given that a special general meeting of the stockholders of the Canada Meat Packing Company will be held at their office in the city of Montreal on the fourth day of May next at 4 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of sanctioning a resolution of the directors of this company relative to entering into an agreement with the Canadian International Stockyards and Abattoir Company, [Limited] of New Jersey with a view to extending the operations of this company and for the purpose of approving such agreement relative thereto as may be deemed in the interests of this company.

By order C. BLAKELEY,
Montreal, April 19th 1892. Sec. Treas.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC
DISTRICT OF MONTREAL

Superior Court.

No 299—Dame Delphine Doucet, wife common as to property of Pierre Lortie, architect, of the city of Montreal, in the district of Montreal, and duly authorized a ester en justice, plaintiff, vs. the said Pierre Lortie, defendant.

An action for separation as to property has been instituted in this court on the nineteenth day of February last, 1892.

DUHAMEL, MARCEAU & MERRILL,
Attorneys for plaintiff
Montreal, 28th March, 1892.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mechanics' Institute of Montreal will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec at its next session for authority to increase the amount that can be borrowed on the security of the property of the Institute and for other alterations in the Charter.

WM. RUTHERFORD,
President.
JAMES BROWN,
Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

DIDIER GARNEAU, student of dentistry of the City of Montreal, will, at the next session of the Legislature of Quebec, ask the passage of a bill authorizing him to practice the profession of dentist.

DIDIER GARNEAU.
DROUIN & DROUIN, Attorneys for Petitioner.
Montreal, 17th March, 1892.

NOTICE is given by these presents that The College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec, a body politic and corporate, will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec at its next session, for the granting of several amendments to its charter comprising amendments relating to the mode of teaching Medical Sciences, of governing studies, the composition of the council, the price of admission and of license, the minimum price, the illegal practice of medicine and for other ends.

DUPUI LUSSIER,
Attorneys Ad Litem of the said Petitioners,
Montreal, March 21, 1892.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal, Superior Court. No 1190—Rosalie Lepine, of the City and District of Montreal, wife of Edmund Morisseau, inn-keeper of the same place, has to-day instituted an action in separation as to property against her said husband.

LUPIUS & LUSSIER,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.
Montreal, 15th March, 1892.

WM. RUTHERFORD
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The Annual Sermon to the St. George's Society, and to Englishmen generally, will be preached by the Rev. Canon Mills, B. D., in St George's Church on Sunday evening, 24th inst., at 7 p m. Special collection will be made for the charitable fund of the Society.

Annual Dinner on St. George's Day, 23rd inst., at St. Lawrence Hall. Tickets at Mr. W. S. Walker's, 211 St. James street.

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OTTAWA IS DISGUSTED.

THE CAPITAL TOWN SORE OVER THE LACROSSE SITUATION.

THE CLUBS MAY NOT UNITE.

Annual Meeting of the Bicycle Club Last Night—The Britannia Football Club Elects Officers—A Spring Series of Football Matches Not Probable—Close of the Snowshoeing Season.

So Ottawa feels sore over it! well, no wonder! Such a straight cold dose as Ottawa got on Wednesday night would drive cold chills down the spine of a brass monkey. The "Big Four" do not need Ottawa. If they have to accept them they will do so; simply because they have already committed themselves thereto, but their desires are in the direction of a four club league. "What is the use of Ottawa?" they argue. Ottawa never drew a full gate yet, either in this city, or even at home; and the last city that any lacrosse man would wish to play in is the ambitious one that wishes to place two teams in the field this year. Ottawa is no use from a lacrosse point of view. That is what lacrosse men say; and they ought to know. The result is, that Ottawa's efforts to get in to the swim were received with a cool indifference infinitely more aggravating than a direct refusal, and that a schedule for a four club league was drawn up right under the nose of the unfortunate man who announced himself as the representative of the amalgamated Ottawa teams. "Sic transit gloria mundi." This year Ottawa is not in it, no matter what standard its representatives may travel under. The balance of power no longer stands with the Capitals. It lies in the hands of the "Big Four," and they will use it for all it is worth. Bye, Bye! Ottawa!

Ottawa is Disgusted.

OTTAWA, April 21.—The result of yesterday's convention in Montreal was a hard blow to the lacrosse-loving people of this city. Everybody is disgusted with the outcome, especially the supporters of the Ottawas, who all along placed too much confidence in Montreal and Toronto. They expected more than a fair show from these teams, and richly deserved what the majority of the senior representatives did with them. Their own friends are indignant, in fact the ill-feeling against the executive of that organization is general. Nobody has any pity for the club because it instigated the trouble by resigning from the four club league. It is still maintained the executive fell into a big trap when they withdrew from last years league, and just how they are going to redeem themselves is causing no end of anxiety among the club's supporters. All the blame for the exclusion of the Capitals and themselves is being laid at their feet.

To-day the Capitals were in great spirits for the reason that the Ottawas had to bite the dust as well as themselves. That club has the sympathy of the public and regret is felt over their expulsion because they have always and on all occasions acted in a manly spirit.

Ever since the result of the conference became known the talk has been solely confined to the amalgamation question. It is well-known here that if Ottawa is going to have lacrosse the clubs will have to unite, but at present a settlement of that question seems to be a far way off. It is almost a certainty that neither of the clubs will ever take the initiative in the matter, and here is where the hitch is likely to take place, as well informed members of the Capitals this afternoon stated to your representative that they would amalgamate on their own terms. They claim to have a good hold on Ottawa and will do their utmost to keep them down in order to get even with them for their resignation act. The same informant said the Capitals would under no consideration give up their name, no matter what the consequences may be be.

The public are greatly agitated and it will be no surprise if an indignation meeting is called early next week. The people want lacrosse and they are going to do their utmost to have both clubs disband immediately and organize anew. This is apparently the only way out of the difficulty and it is not improbable that it will be acted upon.

A prominent lacrosse man who is acquainted with the inner affairs of both clubs said to-night that an amalgamation could be affected if the matter was left to arbitrators. This latter suggestion found favor with many and in the end both excutives may leave the situation entirely in the hands of desinteressed parties. As yet there is no signs of either clubs weakening, but everybody is clamoring for an amalgamation at once.

BICYCLING.

The Montreal Club Annual Meeting Last Night.

Decidedly the largest gathering of the M. B. C. that has met for a long time attended the annual meeting last night in the M. A. A. A. rooms, between 40 and 50 prominent wheelmen in connection with the club being present. Among others were Messrs E O Rasicoe, J D Miller, S Baylis, W McCaw, G S Low, W G Robertson, A Harries, Louis Rubenstein, A T Lane, Gordon Kingen and W S Weldon.

In presenting the 14th annual report, Mr. A. Harries said: The season had been the most successful, and the individual mileage was the highest since the formation of the club. This may be accounted for from the fact that the captain had offered a gold medal for the best individual mileage for the year. This medal was won by A. A. Simpson, with a total mileage of 1,054, which is 314 miles ahead of the best individual attendance. Ninety one rides were held, and 53 members attended one or more. Messrs. W. McCaw, H. R. Loranger, M. Rubenstein, L. Rubenstein, A. A. Simpson, L. E. D. Hannaford, made a tour of the Eastern townships visiting 7 towns, the distance covered being 87 miles. At the C.W.A. meet at Hamilton only a few members attended on account of the distance, but G. S. Low took three second prizes at the races. P. J. Berlo broke the Canadian record for half mile, by covering the distance in 1.16 2-5. The race of 8 miles to decide the rivalry between the ordinaries and safeties, composed of eight teams each, resulted in favor of the ordinary by fourteen points. The president and secretary rode the New Year in, starting their ride in 1891 and finishing in 1892, and Messrs. Darling and Peloquin rode to Lachine on New Year's Day. The committee would urge on the members the necessity of individually working for the good of the club, both by their attendance at rides and meetings and obtaining new members, as there are from 200 to 300 wheelmen in Montreal who do not belong to any club, and who would no doubt join us if they were approached on the subject.

This was followed by Mr. W. S. Weldon's report of the club's finances; which showed an expenditure of $520.24 against an income of $532.35, leaving a balance on the right side of $12 11.

The following were the officers elected:—

President—Mr. A. T. Lane.
First Vice-president—Mr. Gordon Kingen.
Second Vice-president—H. McKenzie.
Honorary-secretary—David J. Watson.
Treasurer—W. S. Weldon.
Captain—L. Rubenstein.
First Lieutenant—Fred E. Adams.
Second Lieutenant—A. A. Simpson.
Bugler—W. S Darling.
Standard bearer—A. B. Kingen.
Committee—D. S. Louson, A. Harries, F. Scott, N. H. Chapman.

Considerable amusement arose over the appointment of a bugler. Mr. Miller maintained that the office was a sinecure and old-fashioned, and Mr. Harries said anyone could stand on a door step and "bugle." Two names were balloted for and Mr. Darling was elected.

Mr. Lane, the president, desired to call the attention of wheelmen present to the accident which was reported in the day's papers, in which a little girl had been injured by a bicyclist. He hoped all members of the club would be especially careful that they would keep their own side of the road and be cautious in turning corners. Mr. Millar added that if cyclists were not more careful there would be an attempt to legislate them off the roads. This could not be done, but it was well to avoid all unnecessary friction with the public.

The meeting then adjourned.

BASEBALL.

Rain Interferes With Several of Yesterday's Games.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Brooklyn—Rain.
At Pittsburg—Rain.
At New York—Rain.

At Boston— R H E
Boston. ..... 0 2 0 0 0 3 1 1 0—7 1 15
Baltimore.... 0 0 2 1 0 1 0 0 0—6 7 9
Batteries—Nichols and Kelly; Buffinton and Gunson. Umpire—Gaffray.

At Cleveland— R H E
Cleveland... 4 0 2 0 0 5 0 0 0—11 15 2
Cincinnati.. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 7 2
Batteries—Young and Zimmer; Chamberlain and Murphy. Umpire—Lynch.

At Louisville— R H E
Lonisville .. 0 0 0 0 0 2 4 0 1—7 10 2
Chicago .... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—2 9 3
Batteries—Meekin and Grim; Gumbert and Schriver. Umpire—Sheridan.

FOOTBALL.

Britannia Football Club Elect Their Officers.

The annual meeting of the Britannia Football Club was held last night in the St. Lawrence Yacht Clubs' room, St. Catherine-street, at which about forty members were present. The treasurer's report showed a balance of $34.48, despite the fact that the club had been under unusual expense in the formation of a hockey club. Mr. Murphy, the secretary, presented the following report:

GENTLEMEN: In presenting the 17th annual report for the season of 1891-2, your secretary regrets being unable to record a large number of victories, but would recall with pleasure the heartiness of the members in attending practices, and the increasing loyalty to the old club which has been characterised of its supporters in its defeats as well as successes. One of the brightest features of the season was the addition to the clubs membership of 36 names, during the football season. The following is a record of matches played:

FIRST TEAM.

Oct. 17—Britannia vs. McGill .....Won
Oct. 24— " vs. Montreal .....Lost
Nov. 12— " vs. Ottawa City.....Won

SECOND TEAM.

Oct. 3—Britannia vs. Montreal.....Lost
Oct. 10— " " .....Won
Oct. 17— " " .....Lost
Oct. 24— " " .....Lost
Nov. 12— " vs. Ottawa City.....Won

THIRD TEAM.

Oct. 3—Britannia vs. McGill.....Lost
Oct. 31— " " .....Lost
Nov. 12— " vs. Bishop School. ...Lost

It will be observed that both the senior and the intermediate teams won and lost their respective championship. The senior victory of Oct. 17th was particularly creditable to the club, as the former champions had already defeated two teams and were in good condition. The spirit of determination which won this match seems to have forsaken the team on the following Saturday in a remarkable and unaccountable manner and the result was the biggest defeat on record. It will also be observed that although favored with an exceptionally fine season, a very small number of matches were played. The challenge system was responsible for this very unsatisfactory condition of affairs, and it is therefore a matter for congratulation that your representatives succeeded in having a motion passed at a meeting of the Quebec Rugby Union to the effect that the challenge system be abolished, and some form of tie system be adopted this will not only ensure a large number of matches, but will also settle dates definitely. At a special general meeting held in March 1891, it was decided to form a hockey club and secure a permanent club room. These plans were successfully adopted, and our present bright and convenient club room was secured, but it has not been used to as great an extent by the members as was desired. The hockey movement has proved a most desirable step. The practices have been largely attended, and the club membership largely increased. By this means 28 new members were admitted to full membership, making 56 in all, besides which, 24 members were admitted to hockey privileges only. Your secretary expresses the pleasure he has had in being associated with such an energetic and harmonious committee, and would express the hope that the new spirit of friendliness will continue to characterize its members and that they may be inspired to make the determined effort which will ensure for Britannia more than one title of champions. ALEXANDER MURPHY, Hon. Sec.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Hon President—J G Ross.
President—B B Stephenson.
First Vice-President—Alex M Murphy.
Second Vice-President—Major Cole.
Hon-Secretary—Alex Ross.
Treasurer—W Forbes.
Captain 1st team—J J Arnton.
Captain 2nd team—D W Lockerby.
Captain 3rd team—Norman Rankin.
Committee—F Crathern, W A Cameron, N Grace, D Corbett, N E Brown, Arthur Hamilton, J L Rankin.

It was decided to hold the semi-annual September 12th.

Mr. Stephenson stated that application had been made to the M. A. A. A. for the us of the grounds for spring practice, but the association decided that the grounds could not be used by any club this spring. Mr. Stephenson thought that this would put a stop to any spring matches. After passing a vote of thanks to the St. Lawrence Yacht Club for the use of the room, and to the retiring officers, the meeting adjourned.

Rangers Football Club.

The Rangers Football Club have elected the following officers: President, Jos Richards; first vice-president, Jas Greene; second vice-president, R A Cox; secretary, G L Lindsay; treasurer, R A Knight; committee, H Emery, E Pilgrim, W Foley, W J Lovell, R Dick and J Smith.

TO WIND UP THE SEASON.

The Canadien Snowshoe Club's Annual Dance.

The Canadien Snowshoe Club held their annual dance with the usual concomitant supper at the Balmoral Hotel last night. About 50 couples joined in the scene, and in true "Canadien" style they enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

The hall was beautifully decorated with flags and flowers. Mr. Randolph had the room fixed for the occasion and suitable to the tastes of the assemblage.

French flags supplanted the places of the Hibernian emblems that predominated on Monday last when the St. Patrick's choir had such a good time, and the floral decorations were in close keeping with the occasion. "Fleur de lys," met the eye all round the room and conspicuous as a motto, was "Welcome to the Canadian Snow Shoe Club." The supper "ad interim," was not the least enjoyable part of the evening's entertainment. Everyone partook in this part of the program and from the way they seemed to enjoy it the supper was a potent element, not to be neglected by those who wished to enjoy themselves. Mr. Randolph has been dubbed "the ubiquitous" as caterer for it does not matter whether it is French, English, Scotch, Irish, American or any other nationality he fills the bill all the time.

CRICKET.

An Irish Team to Visit this Continent.

Philadelphia Times: It is now very probable that Ireland will send a representative cricket team to this country early in September. At a meeting of the Germantown Cricket Club some weeks ago it was decided to try to get either an Irish or an English team to play in Philadelphia the latter part of the coming season. Mr. D. Newhall has lately received news that shows Ireland is taking a lively interest in the matter, and will send over a cricket team that will try hard to wrest the laurels from the Quaker City lads. The match will be played at Manheim the last week in September, under the auspices of the Germantown Cricket Club. The team that will meet the Irish gentlemen will be selected from the best cricketers in the city, and will be a strictly all-Philadelphia one.

LATE COMMERCIAL NEWS.

New York Provisions.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE HERALD.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Cotton spots, dull, unchanged. Uplands 7¼; gulf 7⅜. Futures active, steady. Sales, 264,400 bales. April, $6.96; May, $7.04; June, $7.15; July, $7.25; August, $7 35; Sept, $7.44; Oct., $7.54.

Flour dull, irregular.

Wheat receipts, 183 750 bushels; exports, 66,090 bushels. Sales, 4,890,000 bushels; futures, 191,000 bushels spot. Spot market lower and quiet. No. 2 red, 95½ to 96c; store and elevator, No. 3 red, 92 to 92½c; ungraded red, 80 to 99¼c; No. 1 Northern, 95½ to 96¾c. Options closed weak, ½c up on April and ½ to ⅝c down on other months. No. 2 red April, 93½c; May 90½c; June, 89⅝c; July, 90c; Aug., 89½c Dec., 91¼c.

Rye dull, lower, western, 81@86c.

Barley out of season.

Corn receipts, 106 875 bushels; exports, 2,183 bushels. Sales, 390,000 bushels; futures, 112,000 bushels spot. Spot firm, quite. No. 2, 49½@50c, elevator, 51c; ungraded mixed, 45@51c; steamer mixed 48 @ 49½c. Options very dull and ½c lower. April, 49⅜c; May, 47⅜c; June, 45⅝c, July, 46c, August, 46½c.

Oats—Receipts 61,250 bushels; exports, 833 bushels; sales, 280,000 bushels; futures, 138,000 bushels spot; spot, firmer, less active. Options, dull, easy; May 34⅜c, June 34c, July 33⅝c; No 2 spot, 35@36c; mixed western, 34@36½c.

Sugar—Quiet, stead; standard "A" 4⅜ to 4½c; cut loaf and crushed, 5 to 5⅛c; powdered, 4⅝c to 4¾c; granulated, 4⅜ to 3⅝c.

Eggs—Quite freely offered. State and Pennsylvania, 14½c; southern, 13½ to 13¾c; western, 14@14½c.

Chicago Provisions.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE HERALD.

The leading futures closed: Wheat April and May, 80⅝c; July, 80⅜c. Corn, April, 41⅜c; May, 42c; June, 38⅝c. Oats, May, 28¾c; June, 28¼c. Mess pork, May, $9.47½; July, $9.67½. Lard, May, 6.17½; July, $6.27. Short ribs, May, $5.52½; July, $5.65.

Cash quotations were: Wheat, No. 2 spring 82½c; No. 3 spring, 78 1-6c; No. 2 red, 85½c; No. 2 corn, 40 1-6c; No. 2 oats, 28⅜c; No. 2 white, 31@36c; No. 3 white, 30@30⅛c; No. 2 rye, 73c; No. 2 barley, 60c; pork, $9 65@9 67½; lard, $6 15½ @ 6.17½; short ribs, sides, $5.52½ @ 5.55; dry salted shoulders, $4.50 @5; short clear, sides, $6.17½@6.30.

Receipts—Flour 19, wheat 21, corn 138, oats 262, rye 13, barley 380,000.

Shipments—Flour 21, wheat 171, corn 230, oats 244, rye 8, barley 170,000.

NOTES FROM KINGSTON.

Valuable Mineral Discoveries in the Township of Clarendon.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

KINGSTON, April 21.—The grist mill owned by Bentz and Pilatzke, Eganville, was burned Monday. The buildings and machinery were valued at $10,000, and insured for $6,000.

An extensive mineral district has been discovered in the township of Clarendon. Excellent samples of nickel, lead and silver reached here yesterday. A vein of lead over three feet wide was found. A syndicate will commence mining immediately.

Tenement at Richmond Destroyed.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

RICHMOND, April 21.—Fire completely destroyed, last night, a double tenement dwelling house owned by Mr. R Jones, and occupied by Messrs. John Kelly and P. Pooler as tenants. Loss total. Insurance on building $1000 in the Queen's. Mr. Kelly had a small amount of insurance in the Phœnix, and Mr. Pooler having no insurance, lost all his furniture.

Not Fit to be a Soldier.

SPECIAL TO THE HERALD.

KINGSTON, April 21.—Gunner Wilson, gate-keeper at the Royal Military College, deserted from "A" Battery to-day leaving his wife and two children. After kissing them good bye he went to Cape Vincent where he was seen in the company of another woman He took all the money in the house; leaving his family improvided for.

CONGREGATIONALISM.

What it is and Why People Believe in it.

The Congregational Club of this city held a special public meeting last night in the assembly hall of the Congregational Theological College. Among those present were noticed Rev Dr Barbour, Principal of the College, who occupied the chair; Rev Professor Warriner, B A B D, Revs T Hall, W H Pulsford, E M Hill, J McKillican, and Messrs. S P Leet, B C L, T Moodie, C Cushing, T Moodie, H A Matley, A R Grafton and R. Seath.

After several items of club business had been disposed of, the Rev. W. W. Warnicer was called upon to give an address on behalf of Zion Church, on the subject of "Why is ours a Congregational Church."

In introducing his subject the reverend gentleman spoke of the wisdom of the committee in arranging for its discussion. The congregationalists talked too little about their distinctive principles, yet just because they are principles and not a set of forms, they needed to be illustrated and expounded. Congregationalism boasts of no ritual, it glories in no complex organizations, claims no human founder, it simply professes to be a spiritual life and power. Dr. Dale had said the ultimate principles of protestantism was "The direct access of the soul to God, and the direct access of God to the soul." That was also the ultimate principle of Congregationalism.

The Emmannel Congregational Church was represented by Mr. Huxley. In his address Mr. Huxley said that one of the weaknesses of the body was owing to professing members, instead of uniting workers with some particular church. It was compared to hotel life, where people stay and not live. A brief account of the origin of the denomination was given, after which the speaker dealt with the distinctive form of church government and the methods of electing officers, In concluding he spoke of the liberty of worship possessed by Congregationalists.

Calvary Church was the next and was represented by Mr. Lachlan. This gentleman's arguments covering almost the same ground as the previous speakers. He further said that the members of that body had more liberty in extending their work and putting up new churches. The speaker mentioned the fact that whole conferences of Methodist churches in the Southern States were adopting Congregational principles, as also were a large number of Lutherans of Sweden and Norway.

Mr. Kent on behalf of Point St. Charles Congregational church, referred to the aims and objects of the body. Their church was the Church of the New Testament, and the form of government the same. The remaining portion of his address was in substance the same as that already given. At the close of the addresses, the Chairman Dr. Barbour, briefly referred to what had been said, and expressed his pleasure at being present. Refreshments were then severed after which a very enjoyable meeting was brought to a close.

BREVITIES.

The body of an unknown man was found in the river at Varennes Wednesday afternoon.

The municipal council of St. Henri, have petitioned the G. T. R. authorities to build a new depot in that enterprising town.

Mr. H. Bourbonneere has just instituted an action to prevent Mr. Francois Bernier from sitting in the municipal council, of Coteau Landing.

Progress is being made in the placing of electric light on the Champ de Mars and by Monday everything will be bright for the drilling of the various battalions.

Before Judge Desnoyers in the Police Court, yesterday, Napoleon Picard for having unstamped tobacco in his possession had his case taken en delibere until April 27.

A retreat for the Catholic Italians of this city is being preached at the Church of Notre Dame by the Rev. Father Boniface, O.S.T., of St. Francis Church, New York.

A horse owned by F. X Archambault, carter of Panet-street, was killed on Plessis-street yesterday by a collision with another team, the driver of which was arrested.

St. Henri has petitioned the Grand Trunk railway to erect a new station in that suburb. They say the present station is far too small to accommodate the 6000 odd passengers who arrive there monthly.

Gentlemen wishing to have their clothes cleaned, dyed, repaired, altered turned or dressed can have them done at M. J. Adlers, 47 Beaver Hall Hill. Telephone 4861. Parcels called for and delivered.

The City Hall Committee meet at 2.30 p.m. to-day, and the Finance Committee at 4 p.m. The latter will make a report to committee respecting the vacant city clerkship, and will recommend a successor to the late Mr. Glackmeyer.

Mrs. Peter Morris claims $2000 for a broken leg; Mrs. John Macdonald asks $1000 for a similar accident, and Dame Francaise Dupont wants an indemnity of $500 for two broken ribs. All these are accidents against the city for injuries received by falling on slippery sidewalks.

The postal clerks between this city and Toronto are complaining very much about their hours, and declare their duties are so onerous, that a number of them have been laid up, and others of them suffer severely. A deputation will go to Ottawa from the Toronto end to have matters settled.

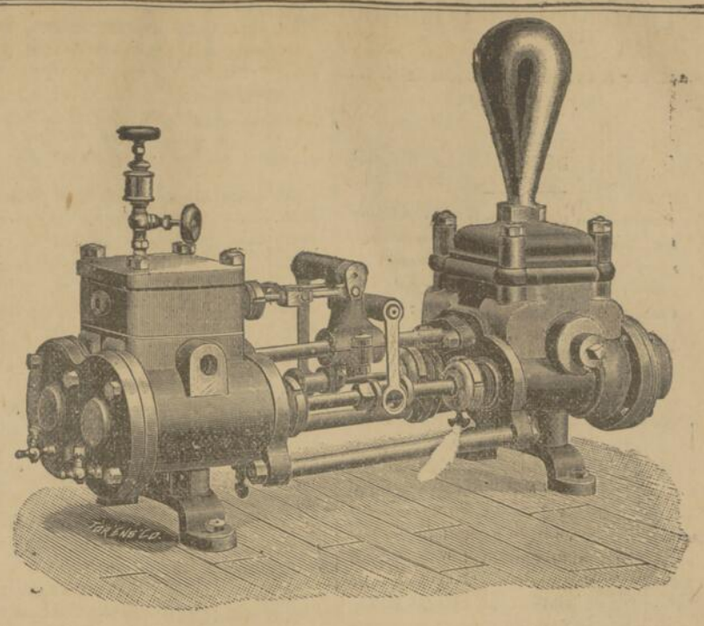
The funeral of the late Mrs. Edmund Stevens, wife of Mr. Stevens, of the Moniteur du Commerce, took place yesterday morning to the Church of St. Louis de France, Roy street. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Father Larocque, cure of the parish of St. Louis. The funeral was largely attended.

The somewhat celebrated McCarthy vs. Renouf separation case is still slowly dragging along through the courts. The latest news in connection with it is that the attorneys on both sides have agreed upon the appointment of Judge Peabody as a commissioner to examine witnesses in Portland. Interesting developments are expected.

Horses and Cows Cremated.

At 8.36 last night, the men of No. 14 station, St. Jean Baptiste, were called to a fire at Cote St. Louis de Mile End, which had started in a barn owned by Mr. Ouimet, milkman, of that place. It could not be ascertained how it originated, but before the engines arrived the barn was a mass of flames, and within half an hour it was totally consumed, along with seventeen cows, two horses and a considerable quantity of hay and straw. The loss will be from $500 to $700.

Mr. Benson's Shakespeare memorial performance will be given at Stratford-on-Avon April 23. Besides "Julius Cæsar," "Twelfth Night" and "A Midsummer Night's Dream," the programme will include "Timon of Athens," the first time it has been presented in England in a quarter of a century, when Phelps played it at Sadler's Wells Theatre.



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The Transfer Book will be closed from the 9th to the 16th proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

CHAS. W. HAGAR, Secretary.

Montreal, April 16, 1892.

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at the principal office of the Company, at Montreal, at 12 o'clock noon.

The Meeting will be made special for the purpose of considering, and of taking such steps as may be deemed expedient in order to give effect to any legislation by the Parliament of Canada, during its present Session, authorizing the issue of additional Consolidated Debenture Stock in exchange for Mortgage Bonds of which the principal or interest is guaranteed by the Company, and of authorizing such issue; such bonds to be held as security for the holders of Consolidated Debenture Stock.

The Transfer Books of the Company will close in Montreal and New York on Saturday, April 30th, and in London, on Tuesday, April 19th, and will be re-opened on Thursday, May 12. By order of the Board

CHARLES DRINKWATER,
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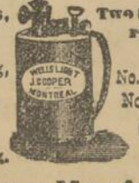

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An Amsterdam Correspondent is Authority for the Somewhat Sensational Story but Considerable Reserve is Placed on its Reliability—All the United States Capitalists Mentioned Repudiate the Yarn.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE HERALD.

NEW YORK, April 21.—A correspondent of the Herald at Amsterdam telegraphs as follows: Information has reached me in regard to one of the most sensational and remarkable international transactions which have been known for many years, and which cannot fail to make a great stir in England and Germany. The transaction consists of the virtual sale of the republic of San Domingo to a private company in the United States, the sum agreed upon being fixed at $3,500,000 in five per cent, debentures secured on the revenue from tobacco, etc. This concession has been sold by Messrs. Westerndorf, the well-known bankers of this city and the representatives of the San Domingo bondholders. At present nothing remains but the signatures of the American representatives to complete the transaction and secure to the United States this most important harbor and coaling stations. The holder of this concession practically rules the republic, because he pays the officials and receives the revenue from the tobacco monopoly.

Virtually a Government Purchase.

A striking feature however, is the statement which was made that the scheme has been approved and endorsed by Secretary Blaine and is supported by Messrs. Gould and D. Ogden Mills. It is also stated that those gentlemen are going to spring it upon the United States as a campaign weapon, somewhat upon the same lines as those on which Beaconsfield secured control of the Suez canal for England. The transaction has been rushed through with unprecedented rapidity all the details having been arranged within fourteen days. Baron Von Olegar, the London company's promoter with his solicitor, Walton Thomas, is awaiting the arrival of the American signatures. The former does not deny that the so-called private company is virtually the United States Government, which in this manner has become now and forever the master of San Domingo. One of the most active negotiators has been Mr. Isaac, son of the late Lord Mayor of London.

Assistant-Secretary of State Wharton said at Washington yesterday that he had never heard of the matter, and so did Acting-Secretary of the Navy Soley and other departmental chiefs. George Gould said he was sure his father had never heard of such a plan and would not join in it if it had been proposed to him. D. O. Mills said: "I never heard of such a scheme."

Consul Vasquez, of San Domingo, and Consul-General Haustedt, of Hayti, both said the story of the purchase was new to them and that such a plan could not have been considered, for no man or party could agree to sell the island. That could only be done by a vote of all the people, and such a vote had not been asked. The Herald says editorially that the story may not be true and that it is published with due reserve.

The Minister Did Not Meddle.

BERLIN, April 21.—Minister Bhelps yesterday gave an emphatic and positive denial to the rumors that he had been meddling in San Domingo matters and that there was any unpleasantness between the governments of the United States and Germany in consequence. Mr. Phelps said: "I decline to treat the reports seriously. They are too absurd. Nothing could be smoother than the relations between Germany and the United States. There have been no words, no quarrels, no troubles of any kind. I have no confirmation of the reported virtual acquisition of San Domingo by Americans nor am I inclined to believe in it."

Mother and Child are Doing Well.

Mrs. Brown was sick. Her friends said she would never get well. "What's the trouble?" "O, some kind of female weakness. The doctors have given up her case as hopeless. 'She may live for some time,' they say, 'but as for a cure, that is quite out of the question.'"

"I don't believe it," said a woman who had heard the sad news. "I don't believe she's any worse off than I was, five years ago, from the same trouble, and I don't look very much like a dead woman, do I?" She certainly did not, with her red, plump cheeks, bright eyes, and 150 pounds of good healthy bone, blood and flesh. "I'm going to see her and tell her how she can get well." She did so. She advised Mrs. Brown to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Mrs. Brown took the advice, also the medicine which cures all kinds of delicate diseases so common among women, and—got well. That was two years ago. Last month she presented Mr. Brown with a ten-pound son, and "mother and child are doing well."

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" " 11	Lake Ontario	" " 29
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May 11	Majestic	May 25, 4 pm
May 18	Germanic	June 1, 10 30am
May 25	Teutonic	June 8, 4 pm
June 1	Britannic	June 15, 9 am
June 8	Majestic	June 22, 4 pm
June 15	Germanic	June 29, 9 30am
June 22	Teutonic	July 6, 3 pm
June 29	Britannic	July 13, 8 am
July 6	Adriatic	July 20, 2 30pm
July 13	Majestic	July 27, 8 am
July 20	Germanic	Aug 3, 2 pm
July 27	Teutonic	Aug 10, 5 pm
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Normannia	" 16	10	am
Columbia	" 23	4	pm
Furst Bismarck	" 30	10	am
Augusta-Victoria	July 7	6	am
Normannia	" 14	9	am
Columbia	" 21	3	pm
Furst Bismarck	" 28	9	am
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" 28	*Numidian	" 14	May 15
May 5	Parisian	" 21	May 22
May 12	Circassian	" 28	May 29
May 19	*Mongolian	June 4	June 5
May 26	Sardinian	" 11	June 12
June 2	*Numidian	" 18	June 19
" 9	Parisian	" 25	June 26
" 16	Circassian	July 2	July 3
" 23	*Mongolian	" 9	July 10
" 30	Sardinian	" 16	July 17
July 7	*Numidian	" 23	July 24
" 14	Parisian	" 30	July 31
" 21	Circassian	Aug 6	Aug 7
" 28	*Mongolian	" 13	Aug 14
Aug 4	Sardinian	" 20	Aug 21
" 11	*Numidian	" 27	Aug 28
" 18	Parisian	Sept 3	Sept 4
" 25	Circassian	" 10	" 11

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" 26	" 27	*Carthaginian	" 17	" 23
May 10	May 11	Caspian	" 31	June 6
" 24	" 25	Nova Scotian	June 14	" 20

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" 29	*Hibernian	" 20
May 13	*Nestorian	June 3

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TRADE AND COMMERCE

Appointments To-day.

Auction sale of carpets, oilcloths and furniture at Marcotte's rooms, 10 a m.

Auction sale of hardware, paints, book debts, etc., at Marcotte's rooms, 11 a m.

Auction sale of horses and carriages at Maguire's rooms, 32½ St. James St., at 2.30 a.m.

Dividends Payable.

Royal Electric Co, 2 p c quarterly, May 16.
Mon. Street Ry Co. 4 p c interim, May 9.

FINANCIAL.

MONTREAL, April 21, 1892.

Montreal Stock Exchange.

The local market to day was essentially bullish, and considerable activity was seen in two or three securities. The feature of the day was Richelieu, which was very strong, opening at 79¾, an advance of ¾ over yesterday, and under steady buying-in, advanced rapidly all day, selling up to 83 this afternoon, but weakened a little at the close. The total sales amounted to 858 shares. Since about the first of April this stock has been gaining strength daily, and it is now 15 points in advance of what it was three weeks ago. There are various speculations as to the cause of the advance, and the rumor around town to-day that the same syndicate who lately operated on Street Railway stock are at work here is believed by some, but lacks confirmation as yet.

Gas gained several points, opening at 207 and sold up to 210 this afteroon, but was not dealt in very heavily.

Telegraph and Royal Electric sold off a little and we again note the steady continued buying of Bell Telephone.

Street Railway was steady at about 220 and a couple of large blocks came out.

Cable sold off a little this afternoon to 158½, 450 shares changed hands.

In the bank stocks Montreal was active and stronger, selling up to 230¼, and the dealings amounted to 215 shares. The other banks were quiet and dealings in them were confined to a few shares of Merchants, Peoples and Commerce.

The following were the sales:

MORNING BOARD.

25 Montreal.......229¾ 5 Richelieu....... 79
90 " ....230 25 " 79½
45 " ....230½ 125 " 80
25 " ....230 175 " 81
30 " ....230¼ 50 " 81½
1 Peoples ....105 20 Gas.............207
16 Merchants.... 155 25 " 208
75 Cable.......159 18 " 207½
75 " ....158½ 80 " 208
50 " ....158¾ 200 Pacific 89¾
25 Telegraph......144 100 Bell Tel 172½
25 " ....143¾ 20 Royal Electric..169
75 Richelieu ..... 79¾ 100 St Ry, new.....2 9
50 " 79½

AFTERNOON BOARD.

20 Commerce ....140½ 3 Richelieu 81
50 Cable.... .....158¾ 215 " 83
200 " ....158½ 25 " 82½
50 Telegraph.... ..144 35 " 82
50 Richelieu...... 82 50 Gas 210
25 " ...... 82¾ 300 St Ry...........220

Messrs. Meredith and O'Brien, St., Sacrement street, report closing prices as follows:

DESCRIPTION.	Value Share	½ yr. Div.	Ask'	Bid.
BANKS.				
Montreal	200	5	230	229½
Ontario	100	3½	117½	116
British North Amer	£50	3½	......	......
People's	50	3	108	105
Molsons ex d	50	5	170	164
Toronto	100	5	......	240
Jacques Cartier	25	3½	125	115
Merchants	100	3½	157½	155
Eastern Townships	100	3½	......	......
Quebec	100	3½	......	125
Nationale	30	3	......	......
Union	60	3	......	95
Commerce	50	3½	141	140½
Dominion	50	5 & 1	......	......
Hamilton	100	4	......	......
Ville Marie	100	3½	......	......
Imperial	100	4 & 1	......	......
Hochelaga	100	3	......	......
Commercial of Man.	100	3½	......	......
MISCELLANEOUS.				
IntercolonialCoal..	100	....	......	......
Montreal Tel. Co. xd	40	1½d	144½	144
Commercial Cble Co	100	1½d	159	158½
Northwest Land	£5	....	80	75
Rich & Ont Nav Co..	100	....	82½	81
Montreal Street Ry	50	4	220	219
do new	50	....	......	......
Montreal Gas Co. xd	40	6	213	210
do new	4	6	......	......
Canadian Pac Ry	100	2½	89¾	89½
GrandTrunk firstpref	100	4	72½	71
Canada Shipping Co	....	....	50	40
Nat. Cordage Co	....	4	......	......
Montreal Cotton Co	100	1½d	125	120
Stormont Cotton Co	100	..	......	......
Merchants Mfg.	100		......	......
Dominion Cotton Co	100	2½d	180	175
Mont'l Loan & Mort	25	3	......	......
Guarantee Co of N A	50	3	110	100
Accident	100		......	......
Bell Telephone	100	1½d	173	171½
Royal Electric Light	100	2 c	175	......
Dominion 4 p c st'k	100	..	......	......
Montreal 4 p c stock	100	..	......	......
BONDS.				
C Pac Land grant 5s	....	..	109	108
Canada Central 6s	.....	..	117½	114½
Champlain & St L, 6s	...	..	....	100
Canada Cotton 6s	...		......	......
Montreal Cotton, 6s	...	..	.....	100
Dominion Cotton, 6s	....	..	.....	100
Harbor 4s	...		.....	......

London Stock Market.

Messrs. MacDougall Bros., stock brokers, 69 St. Francois Xavier-street were cabled the closing of American stocks in London as follows:

	Apl. 20	Apl. 21
Atchison	37½	37½
Can. Pacific	91	91½
Commercial Cable	164½	
Grand Trunk, 1st	71	71½
" " 2nd	51½	51½
Erie	3	31½
Erie 2nds	109½	109½
Ill. Central	107½	107½
Lake Shore	137½	138½
Louisville & Nash	76½	77½
North Pac. pfd	63	63½
New York Cent. ex-d	117½	117½
Ont. & Western	20	20½
Reading	29½	29½
St. Paul	8	81
Union Pac	47½	47½
Wabash pfd	28½	28½

Financial Notes.

Money is 3½ to 4 p.c. on call.

French Exchange on London closed at 25.16.

Paris rentes opened at 96.85 and closed at 96.70.

Bank of England rate of discount was 2½ per cent Money in open market in London, 11-16 per cent.

Consols opened in London at 96 5-16 and closed at 96 5-16 for money, and opened at 96⅜, and closed at 96⅜ for account.

L. J. Forget & Co. have received the following special cable from London: Grand Trunk first preference opened at 71¾ and closed at 71¾ bid; second preference opened at 51½ and closed at 51⅝ bid; Canadian Pacific Railway opened at 91 and closed at 91¼.

At a special meeting of the Ontario and Western Railroad stockholders yesterday, the plan to refund the debt was adopted by a vote of 436,895 shares out of a total capital of 580,000 shares. The stockholders also approved the issue of $20,000,000 4 per cent. bonds, with which it is proposed to retire the present sixes, and, after setting aside a sufficient amount to retire the fives, use the balance in providing for additions and betterments.

Certain New York houses contemplate shipping from one to two million of gold on Saturday, unless they can get bills before that time. At present sterling exchange is very strong with actual demand at 488, and in limited supply. The selling of stocks for London account this week has turned the balance against the United States.

New York Stocks.

The New York Post has the following on to-day's stock market:

The market to-day was irregular. The general tone was firm, but coal stocks were the decided exception. The rumored engineers' strike on Reading demoralized both this stock and Lackawanna. Grangers, too, were weak, and as London was again a moderate seller, there were fractional concessions in all arbitrage stocks. Lake Shore seemed to suffer from liquidation, but was unattended with heavy trading. The market as a whole was dull and quiet.

Messrs. McDougall Bros., stock brokers 69 St. Francois Xavier-street, report the New York market as follows:

STOCKS	Closing. Ap 18	Closing. Ap 19	To-day. Op'g	To-day. Cl'g	Sales
Cotton Oil					
Atchison	36¼	36⅜	36⅜	36¼	......
C B & Quincy	108⅜	109⅛	108⅞	108⅜	600
Can Pac Railway	89¼	....	....	....	......
C C C & R I	70⅞	70⅞	....	70⅞	500
Chicago Gas	77⅜	77⅛	77⅛	77⅜	......
N Y Central	114⅞	115⅛	115	115	300
Canada Southern	61⅛	61⅜	....	60⅞	300
Del & Hudson	144	144⅛	144⅛	144⅛	1200
Del Lack & West	160⅛	160⅛	160⅛	159	20400
Erie	31⅛	31	31	30⅞	24000
Do pref	74⅜	74⅜	74	74	......
Do 2nd	108	107⅛	....	107⅛	......
Jersey Central	139⅛	139⅛	....	138⅛	900
Kansas & Tex	....	....	....	....	......
Lou & Nash	75⅛	75⅜	75⅜	75	2400
Lake Shore	134⅛	135⅛	135⅜	134⅞	3300
Mich Central	111	110⅛	110	110	100
St P M & Man	113⅛	113⅛	....	113⅜	200
Man Elev	123⅛	124⅛	124⅛	124⅛	......
Mo Pac	60⅜	60⅜	60⅛	60⅛	700
Lead Trust	....	....	....	....	......
New England	39⅛	41⅜	41⅜	41⅛	21000
N Pacific	22⅛	....	....	....	......
Do pref	62⅛	61⅛	61⅜	61⅛	5700
North West	121⅛	121	120⅜	120⅜	2600
Do pfd	144	....	....	....	......
North America	15	15⅛	15⅛	15	......
Ohio & Miss	....	....	....	....	......
St P & Omaha	8¼	48¼	48⅜	48⅜	600
Do pref	115⅛	....	....	....	......
Ont & Western	19⅛	19⅛	19⅜	19⅛	1000
Pacific Mail	36⅛	36⅛	....	....	......
Pullman Car	....	193	....	193	......
Reading	58⅛	58⅜	58	58⅛	127300
Rock Island xd	87	87⅛	87	86⅜	800
Rich Terml	10⅛	10⅜	10⅛	10⅛	300
St Paul	79⅛	7⅛	79⅜	78⅜	16400
Do pfd xd	123⅜	124⅛	....	123⅛	300
Amer Sugar Ref	96	96⅜	96	95⅜	......
Sugar Trust	97⅛	97⅛	....	97⅛	......
Texas Pacific	10⅜	10⅛	10⅜	10⅜	300
Union Pacific	46	46	45⅜	46⅛	4700
Western Union	93⅛	93⅛	93⅜	93	4800
Wabash	12⅜	12⅛	....	12⅛	100
Do pref	28⅛	28⅛	28⅜	28⅛	300
Sterling Exchange	487	487	487⅛	487⅛	......
Nat. Cordage	102⅜	102⅛	102⅛	102⅛	......
Money	......				......

Exchange.

Messrs. W. L. S. Jackson & Co., foreign exchange brokers, report the market as follows:

NEW YORK, April 20.

	POSTED.	ACTUAL.
Sterling 60 days sight	4 87½	4 86½ @ ¾
" demand	4 89	4 87⅞ @ 8
" cables		4 88¼ @ ½
" commercial		4 85¾ @ 6
" documentary		4 85¼ @ ½
Francs (Paris) long	5 16⅞	5 18⅛ @17½
" " short	5 14⅜	5 15⅝ @15

MONTREAL, April 20.

BETWEEN BANKS.	Buyers.	Sellers	Counter. Rate.
N. Y. funds	1-32 dis@par		⅛prem@ ¼
Sterling 60 days sight.	9 7-16@½		9⅛@ ¾
" demand	9 11-16@13-16		9⅞@10⅛
" cables			10⅛@ ¼
" commercial.. docu'y, 60's..	Market dead.		8⅞@9⅛
Cattle bills			9⅛

THE CATTLE RATES.

They Will Open Ten Shillings Higher Than Winter Rates.

Cattle rates will open this spring ten shillings higher than the winter rates via Portland, but still ten shillings under what was predicted a month ago. For the May steamers the rate will be 60 shillings (uninsured) on the Dominion, Beaver, Donaldson and Hansa lines, and 65 shillings (insured) on the Allan Line. The intention was to charge 70 shillings, but although the shipments will be heavier than usual in May, the amount of new boats offering is so large that space will be plentiful, and hence rates are only ten shillings over last year's figures. The fact that the restrictions as to the movement of imported cattle have been removed from Glasgow has brought up the price to 6d for choice beeves at that port, and the cattle shipped by the Montreal syndicate, already referred to in The Herald, should realize a very fair margin of profit for their owners.

The Rohr Failure.

The last scene in the career of Rohr & Co., wholesale liquor merchants of this city, closed yesterday. If the estate pays three cents in the dollar to ordinary creditors, it is all it will do. The liabilities are $20,000, and the assets (which are valued at $2,300), were sold yesterday by Messrs. James Stewart & Co., auctioneers, to Alderman Farrell at 71½ cents in the dollar. The book debts brought just 17½ cents in the dollar, and when the preferential debts and assignees expenses are paid, the balance for ordinary creditors will be a slim one.

Importation of Lemons and Oranges.

McBride, Harris & Co. have issued a handsome folder giving information respecting the spring importations of lemons and oranges. It states that there will be five cargoes here between April 25th and May 30th, as follows: Fremona, 60,000 boxes and half boxes; Charrington, 28,000 boxes and half boxes; Escalona, 56,000 boxes and half boxes; Dracona, 20,000 boxes and half boxes and 4,000 cases oranges; Avalona, 25,000 boxes and half boxes.

Business Notes

Louis Joseph Corbeau has registered as dry goods merchant, under the name of Lamarche & Corbeau.

Caverhill, Rose, Hughes & Co have made a demand or assignment upon Patrick McGarrity, confectioner.

Kenneth Chas Campbell has registered as chemist and druggist, under the name of Kenneth Campbell & Co.

Mr. Palardy, general store keeper of Eastman, Que., is endeavoring to effect a compromise at 40 cents on the dollar in 4, 8, 12 and 16 months, secured.

Mr Philadelphe Fortier, merchant of St. Charles, County Bellechasse, assigned to-day upon demand of Mr Joshua Thompson, of Levis; assets $2725.44; liabilities $2 08.58.

A. Vincent & Co., manufacturer of shoes, Ste. Therese de Blainville, are in financial difficulties. On liabilities of $1760 they offer 20 cents on the dollar in 3, 6, 9 and 12 months.

La Banque du Peuple will open a branch on or about 1st May next, corner Notre Dame and Aqueduct streets. Deposits will be taken from one dollar, and interest paid at the rate of four per cent, per annum.

Miss Amelie Kinsella, of Levis, assigned to-day on demand of Thomas May & Co; assets $3000, liabilities $2200. The only Montreal crediters are Thomas May & Co, $1100, John A Paterson, e290 and Bourgoin & Duchesneau $450. MrGeorge H Burroughs was named provisional guardian and the meeting of creditors will be held on May 2 next.

Farmer's Family's Narrow Escape.

WALLACEBURG, Ont., April 21.—A farm house and contents on the 8th concession of Sombra township, owned and occupied by John Powers, was destroyed by fire last night, Powers and his family barely escaping. A little boy of three years was badly burned about the face and legs. A hired man with whom he was sleeping threw the boy out through a window and then escaped through the flames himself. The loss on building is covered by insurance in the Citizen's.

The Term Extended.

HALIFAX, N.S., April 21.—The Nova Scotia House of Assembly yesterday passed a bill extending the term of municipal councils from two to three years.

PRODUCE AND PROVISIONS

MONTREAL MARKETS.

To-day's Receipts.

	G.T.R.	C.P.R.	Total
Wheat bush	..	693	693
Corn, bush	....	....	....
Peas bush	3500	....	3500
Oats bush	....	....	....
Barley bush	....	1510	1800
Rye bush	....	....	....
Meal brls	150	....	150
Flour blrs	150	586	736
Ashes brls	3	....	3
Butter pkgs	87	661	748
Cheese boxes	2	....	2
Pork brls	....	....	....
Lard tierces	....	....	....
Eggs cases	570	125	695
Hams boxes	....	....	....
Tinned Meats	....	....	....
Dress'd hogs	....	3	3
Leather rolls	17	20	37
Raw Hides	7	....	7
Spirit brls	....	....	....
Petroleum bbls	....	....	....
Highwines	....	....	....
Tobacco, pkgs	21	....	21
Beef, bbls	....	....	....
Tallow	....	....	....
Whisky	....	....	....

Grain.

There is no material change in the grain markets although a little more enquiry seem to be made. Prices are nominal in the absence of transactions. We quote:

No 2 hard Man. wheat	94 to 97
No 3 hard	84 to 88
No 2 northern	90 to 94
Peas, per 66 lbs, in store	75 to 77
Oats, Ontario	32 to 34
Oats, Manitoba	32 to 34
Rye per bush	91 to 92
Feed barley	42 to 44
Barley malting, per bush	57 to 62
Corn, duty paid	57 to 60

Flour.

The demand for flour cannot be said to have increased to any extent, and there is no new feature to report in the market, which is very dull. We quote:

Spring, patent,	per brl	$5 00 to 5 20
Winter wheat, patent	"	4 90 to 5 00
Straight roller	"	4 40 to 4 60
Extra	"	4 15 to 4 25
Superfine	"	3 90 to 4 00
Fine	"	3 30 to 3 60
Strong bakers	"	4 70 to 5 00
Ontario, bags, extra		1 75 to 1 95
Fine, bags		1 70 to 1 85
Manitoba bakers, per brl		4 70 to 4 90

Oatmeal, Etc.

No improvement is to be seen in the meal market. Prices are practically unchanged. We quote,

Granulated and rolled oats, per brl	$3 95 to 4 00
Granulated and rolled oats, per bag	1 90 to 1 95
Standard, per brl	3 85 to 3 90
" per bag	1 85 to 1 90
Pot barley, per brl	4 00 to 4 10
" per bag	1 90 to 2 00
Pearl barley, No. 1, per brl	7 25
" " per hf bl	3 75
Pearl barley, No. 2, per brl	6 75
" " per hf bl	3 50
Gold dust cornmeal, per brl	3 75
Split peas, per brl	3 75 to 3 85
" " per bag	1 75 to 1 80

Feed.

The feed market still shows signs of a little improvement especially in the demand for bran and shorts which are fairly steady. Prices are as follows:

Bran	$15.50 to $16.50
Shorts	$16.00 to $17.00
Moullie	$20.00 to $23.00

Provisions.

The market for hog products still continues fairly good and although dealers are not altogether satisfied with the volume of business a fairly steady jobbing trade is being done at unchanged prices. The decline of pork in Chicago has not made any difference here as yet. We quote:

Heavy Canada short cut mess pork, per brl	$16 00 to 16 50
Canada choice family pork, per brl	16 00 to 16 50
Western mess, new per brl	15 00 to 15 50
Western mess, old, per brl	14 00 to 14 50
Chicago extra clear, per brl	15 50 to 16 00
City cured hams per lb	10½ to 11
Breakfast bacon, per lb	9½ to 10½
Pure Canadian lard, per lb	8¾ to 9
Lard comp., per lb	7¼ to 7½

Butter.

There is no change in the butter market. New dairy is in good demand and moves readily at fair prices. Creamery is dull and buyers do not seem to be anxious to purchase. We quote prices as follows:

Late made creamery. per lb	21 to 22c
Townships, new, per lb	20 to 21c
Western dairies, per lb	17 to 18c
Brockville & Morrisburg, per lb.	18 to 19c
Summer straight dairies, per lb.	16 to 17c

Cheese.

There is no new feature to notice in the cheese market. New stock does not come in and stocks are very light.

Eggs.

The egg market still continues to grow easier; receipts being very liberal Fresh stock is moving faily well at 11½@12c.

Ashes.

There is no change to note in the demand for ashes, which still keeps very small. Prices are unchanged. We quote:

Pots, first sorts	$4.00 to 4.05
Pots, second sorts	3.65 to 3.65
Pearl, first sorts	6.05 to 6.10

Maple Sugar and Syrup.

There continues to be a good demand for maple products and as the receipts continue to be light prices are a little firmer. We quote syrup in bulk at 5½@6c. per lb. or 80@90c. per gallon. Sugar sells rapidly at 5c@6c per lb., depending on quality.

Live Stock.

The season for shipping cattle from this port is fast approaching and the steamship companies have announced the rates for May as follows: Dominion, Hansa, Donaldson and Beaver lines, 60s uninsured, and on the Allan line, 65s insured. Although this is 10s higher than the opening last year, it is not considered much out of the way. The prospects for a large business being done is excellent and May is expected to be a heavy month. The situation on the other side has grown more favorable to the reception of Canadian cattle, the restrictions having just been removed from Glasgow. Other places having previously done this, it is more than likely that by the time the first shipments from here arrive out that all restrictions will be taken off. The steamship lines report that May space is largely booked and a week or so will see things pretty lively on the wharves. It is to be hoped that the early shipments will reach the Old Country at the right time and give confidence to shippers.

The first vessel to leave here will be the Fremona with a cargo of 700 head for Newcastle.

The local market at the East End Abattoir to-day was lively, and there were about 300 head of butchers cattle, 2000 calves and 350 sheep and lambs offered The butchers were out in larger number than usual and the prices of cattle were higher all round than on last Thursday, prime bullock selling up to about 5c per lb, and two extra animals at 5¼c do. Common to fairly good stock sold at from 3½ to 4½c per lb, with some of the leaner beasts and slab-sided bulls at about 3c per lb. There were a good many milkmen's strippers offered on this market to-day, and prices of these were rather easier, ranging from $25 to nearly $40 each. The market was glutted with calves to-day, there being more of them on the market than were ever offered on one day before. Prices were much lower all round, and it is likely that a large number will not be sold to-day. Common calves sold at from $1 to $4 each, and good veals at from $5 to $8 each. Sheep were more plentiful than for some time past and prices were lower, unshorn sheep sold at from $4.50 to $7, and the shorn sheep at from $3.50 to $5 each. Spring lambs sold at from $3 to $5.50 each. Fat hogs sell at about $5.70 per 100 lbs for fed hogs, and $5.90 do for those just off the cars.

The New York market is reported yesterday as follows:—

Beeves—Receipts. 1080 head, all for exporters and slaughterers; no trade; feeling firm. Dressed beef steady at 6@8c per pound. Shipments to-day: 700 beeves; to morrow, 908 beeves and 6836 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 432 head: market steady. Veals, $4.00@5.50 per 100 pounds. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 827 head; market slow: unshorn sheep, $6.00@7.25: clipped lambs, $6 25@6.90. Dressed mutton steady, 10@12c per pound; dressed lambs dull at 11½@13c. Hogs—Receipts, 4213 heads, consigned direct; market nominally steady at $4.80@5 25 per 100 pounds.

CANADIAN MARKETS.

Toronto.

TORONTO, April 21.—Wheat, spring, No. 2, 80 to 81c; No 2, red winter 81 to 82c; No. 1, hard, $1.03; No. 2 hard, 94 to 95c; No. 3 hard, 85 to 86c; No. 1, regular, 73c; No. 2 do, 66c. Barley, No 1, 52 to 54c; No. 2, 48 to 49c; No. 3, extra, 44 to 45c; No. 3, 42 to 43c; Peas, No. 2, 59 to 69c. Oats, No. 2, 31 to 32c. Corn, 48 to 48½c. Flour, extra, $3.50 to 3.60; straight roller, $3.75 to 3.90. Timothy, $12 50 to 13. Hogs dressed, $5.75 to 6.25. Market quiet. Sales: 20,000 bushels fall on P. T. No 2 hard at 98c, grinding in transit. No. 3 hard at 85c. North Bay, No. 2 regular at 60c. North Bay, 5000 bushels, No. 3 barley lying east at 43c f.o.b. Oats on track at 31½ to 32c. Peas at 66 to 67c.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

Closing Prices for Grain and Provisions.

The following table shows the opening, highest, lowest and closing prices for grain and provisions at Chicago to-day:

	Month.	Op'g.	High.	Low.	Cl'sg.
WHEAT	May	80⅝	81¼	80½	80⅝
	June	......	......	......	......
	Mar	......	......	......	......
	July	80⅝	81⅜	80½	80½
CORN	Jan	......	......	..	......
	May	42½	43	42	42
	June	......	......	......	......
	July	39¼	39½	39⅛	39⅛
OATS	Feb	......	......	......	..
	May	29	29½	28¾	28¾
	June	......	......	......	......
	July	28	28½	27	28½
PORK	May	9 50	9 55	9 47	9 47
	Feb	......	......	....	.....
	June	......	......	......	......
	July	9 70	9 72	9 60	9 67
LARD	May	6 15	6 17	6 1	6 17
	July	6 22	6 27	6 22	6 25
SHORT RIBS	May	5 51	5 50	5 47	5 47
	July	5 62	5 62	5 64	5 62

New York, April 21, 1.15 p.m.—Closing,—Wheat, 93½c April; 90c May; 90c July. Corn, 49⅜c April; 47⅜c May; 46c July. Oats, 34⅞c April; 34⅜c May.

St. Louis, April 21, 1.20 p.m.—Closing—Wheat, 86c cash; 85c April; 84c May. Corn, 37¾c cash; 37 April; 36¾c May; 36⅝c July.

Toledo, April 21, 1.15 p.m.—Closing, Wheat, 91½c April; 91½c May. Corn, 41½c 41½c May.

Duluth, April 21, 1.15 p.m.—Closing; Wheat, No. 1, hard, 82c cash; 82c May, No. 1 Northern, 80c cash; 80½c May.

Milwaukee, April 20, 1.15 p.m.—Closing—Wheat, 79½c cash; 80c May; 80½c July.

Detroit, April 20.—Wheat closed at 91½c for cash, and 90½c for May.

The Chicago Markets.

Messrs. Meredith & O'Brien have recevived the following over their direct private wire:

CHICAGO, April 21.—This has been quite an active day for the movement of cash grain of all kinds. Speculative interest fairly good, but not large. Cables indicate slightly firmer markets.

Abroad clearances not large, but movement from interior points towards the sea shore and acceptances for export were again very large, aggregating fully one and one-half million bushels the past two days.

Cash corn and oats were in good demand, sample and car lots selling at advanced prices. The speculative trade in general seemed determined to sell something short, which caused prices for future delivery to be considerable below cash and shipping value. The market for hog product flopped and wallowed around all day, without any apparent intention to go anywhere, but finally landed with mess pork about ten cents per barrel lower than yesterday's final figures.

Chicago Hog Market.

UNION STOCK YARDS, April 21.—Hogs—To day's estimated receipts were 23,000; yesterday's receipts, according to official reports, 29,155; shipments, 126,131; left over, 6,000. Light mixed, $4.20@$4.65; mixed packing, $4.25 @ $4.65; heavy shipping, $4 15 @ 4.70; rough grades, $4.15@4.35. Cattle—Receipts, 13,000; market strong. Sheep—Receip's, 8,000; market slow.

Movements of Grain and Flour.

CHICAGO.—The receipts were 18,818 barrels of flour, 21,000 bushels of wheat 138,000 bushels of corn, 262,000 bushels of oats, 13,000 bushels of rye and 38,000 bushels of barley. The shipments were 21,106 barrels of flour, 171,000 bushels of wheat, 230,000 bushels of corn, 244,000 bushels of oats, 8000 bushels of rye and 17,000 bushels of barley.

New York.—The receipts were 7153 barrels and 9562 sacks of flour, 183,750 bushels of wheat, 106,875 bushels of corn 61,250 bushels of oats, 4500 bushels of barley. The shipments were 4364 barrels and 1690 sacks of flour, 66,090 bushels of wheat and 883 bushels of oats.

Milwaukee—The receipts were 1200 barrels of flour, 13,000 bushels of wheat, 3000 bushels of corn, 12,000 bushels of oats, 4,000 bushels of barley and 5,000 bushels of rye. The shipments were 7,220 barrels of flour, 4,000 bushels of wheat, 1,000 bushels of corn, 2,000 bushels of oats, 1,000 bushels of barley and 2000 bushels of rye.

St. Louis—The receipts were 7,000 bushels of wheat, 24,000 bushels of corn and 9,000 bushels of oats. The shipments were 16,000 bushels of wheat, 31,000 bushels of corn and 16,000 bushels of oats.

Toledo—The receipts were 12,000 bushels of wheat, 25,000 bushels of corn and 1000 bushels of oats. The shipments were 2000 bushels of wheat, and 9000 bushels of corn.

Duluth—The receipts of wheat were 156,000 bushels and the shipments 289,000 bushels.

Minneapolis—The receipts of wheat were 117,000 bushels and the shipments 28,000 bushels.

Detroit—The receipts of wheat were 9000 bushels, and the shipments 3000 bushels.

Chicago Notes.

Messrs. Lamson Bros. & Co. report the following over direct private wire to Messrs. Meredith & O'Brien:

The Price Current in its weekly crop summary says: Winter wheat and rye are making seasonable advancement, There is no material change in the status otherwise. Oat area is likely to be somewhat shortened by the lateness of the season. The prolonged holdings of cattle is enlarging the consumption of corn, week packing 185,000 against 160,000 last year. Seasons decrease 290,000.

Boyden and other parties who are credited with being long on May corn are the largest sellers. This may check any further advance.

Closing Board cables Liverpool spot and futures unchanged. London wheat 3d higher. Berlin wheat 1¾m lower. Paris wheat unchanged to 5c higher. Flour 25c lower to 10c higher. Antwerp wheat 12½c higher.

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool Provision Markets.

The following are to-day's quotations and comparisons:

	Arpil 20. s.d s.d.	April 20. s d. s. d.
Spring wheat	7 4½ to 7	7 4½ to 7 5½
Red wheat	7 4½ to 7	7 4½ to 7 5½
No. 1 Cala	7 5 to 7 5½	7 5 to 7 5½
No. 2 Cala	0 0 to 0 0	0 0 to 0 0
Corn, new	4 2¾ to 4 2¾	4 3 to 4 3
Peas	5 8 to 5 8	5 8 to 5 8
Pork	58 9 to 58 9	60 0 to 60 0
Lard	32 9 to 32 9	32 9 to 32 9
Bacon, l.c	33 0 to 33 0	33 0 to 33 0
Bacon, s.c	33 0 to 33 0	33 0 to 33 0
Tallow	25 3 to 25 3	25 3 to 25 3
New cheese	55 0 to 55 0	55 0 to 55 0

Liverpool Cotton Market.

The following cable was received by Messrs. Meredith and O'Brien to-day:

Spots, firm, arrivals dearer in consequence of holders being confident of an advance. Manchester will soon (we think) be able to raise their prices, when they will follow our movement. We do not see any grounds for anxiety about strike, we have no very decided opinion but rather think it will last one week only. We look for a steady market.

Beerbohm's Report.

Cargoes off coast, wheat steady; corn nil. Cargoes on passage and for shipment, wheat steady; corn firm. California wheat, off coast, 36s 3d, do promptly to be be shipped, 36s 0d, do nearly due, 36s 0d. American mixed maize for prompt shipment, 19s 9d; do, off coast, 20s 0d. Liverpool wheat, spot, quiet but steady; corn, do, demand fair, prices a shade higher. Liverpool mixed maize, 4s 3d. Canadian peas, 5s 8d. Weather in England, milder. The following table shows the imports into the United Kingdom for the weeks ended on the dates given below:

	April 16.	April 9.
Flour, bbls	185,000	254,000
Wheat, qrs	236,000	181,000
Corn, qrs	127,000	197,000

The Liverpool public cable says: Wheat quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately; corn steady, fair demand.

Manitoba Wheat Situation.

The Winnipeg Commercial says: Until after seeding, the local situation will be very quiet. The early portion of the week was unfavorable, being cold and damp, but the last three days to Saturday were fine and clear, and seeding will now go ahead fast, if the weather keeps dry. After seeding threshing will be resumed, and an active summer is expected. About the only movement is from western elevators to Lake Superior elevators at Fort William, stocks at the latter point showing an increase of 81,529 bushels at the last weekly statement. Total wheat in store at Fort William is 2,163,325 bushels. Last weekly returns showed 205 cars inspected at Winnipeg, and 429 cars the previous week. Manitoba wheat stocks west of Lake Superior, including Fort William, approximate 3,500,000 bushels.

Prices about nominal. We quote No 1 hard at North Bay $1 04 to $1 05; No. 2 hard North Bay, 94 to 95c, and 82 to 94c afloat Fort William. No. 3 hard, 71 to 74c afloat, and 85c North Bay. One car No. 2 hard sold on change at 94½c North Bay delivery. Three cars No. 3 hard sold at 85c North Bay.

The Outlook for Grain in Europe.

The London Evening List (Dornsbusch) of the 8th inst., in its weekly review of the British grain trade, says: The summer-like character of the weather during the past week has changed the appearance of the wheat fields of western Europe. In England a distinct improvement is observable, and nothing is now required except warm rain to bring on the backward winter sown wheat crop.

In France the wheat and rye crops are reported as presenting a splendid appearance except in those districts where damage by frost necessitated re-seeding. In southern departments crop prospects are most promising. In Belgium and Holland latest reports speak favorably of the appearance of wheat. In Germany the promising condition of the crops has affected the wheat market. The official report of the Hungarian crop is not so encouraging as the advices received from mercantile sources. The Italian wheat fields are said to look well. In several parts of Spain frosts have marred the fair outlook of the wheat crop. Several provinces suffered from snow-storms, but fruit more than grain crops have been injured. The melting of the snow in southern Russia reveals a promising condition of the wheat and rye crops. Spring sowings will be actively carried out when the surface of the land becomes dry enough for working. As the acreage under Azma is smaller than usual, efforts will be made to sow a large area with Ghirka.

Harvest is progressing with principal wheat-growing districts of India, with average results in northwest provinces. Already shipments of new crop have taken place, but it is not considered probable that exports of April will reach the expected level, as shippers repurchased many contracts for early shipment, which otherwise must have been fulfilled

Late commercial news will be found on page 5.

GAIN ONE POUND A Day.
Mar6—110
Mar8—112
Mar10—114
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CORRESPONDENCE.

Direct Taxation.

Editor Herald:—The bugbear in connection with the direct taxation is all a myth. The fear and dread of politicians to allude to this subject confirms the view entertained by many, that the farmer generally does not know that he is taxed i. e. the tory system of levying tax on every article he buys, makes it possible for the suspecting to fancy he is not taxed at all. Journalists are equally guilty with politicians in this matter. They think it would be imposing upon the intelligence of the people to tell them what they think every one knows, but it is evident that the struggling mass of farmers, who have but limited time to investigate, do not know, or they would never cast their votes as they do. Mr. Foster, our Finance Minister, puts it in a way calculated to mystify and deceive. In addressing a political meeting in Ontario, he said the Dominion Government were collecting from 15 to 18 million dollars annually for duties on imports. The hon. gentleman exultantly asks: "How do the Liberals propose to raise that large amount with free trade?" as though he was actually wrenching that amount from Yankee pockets. I would be disposed to answer the question by asking another.

WHO PAYS THAT AMOUNT?

Canadians every dollar, and only a part of it ever reaches the government treasury, the customs collector gets the lion's share. Mr. Foster was a first class advocate of temperance principles, until he was unfortunately made Finance minister, then his glorious visions of prohibition and a temporary millenium passed away as quickly as the morning dew. About seven million dollars is collected in various ways from the liquor trafic, and I think I hear him asking the temperance people, how they propose to make up that loss? He forgets to tells us that whilst we get seven millions as the price for the liberation of the evil spirits, it actually costs twice that amount to catch them again. It is just possible that when the Hon. gentleman, steps down from his exalted position, to again mingle with the creatures of this world, that he may be possessed of fellow feelings like other people, and return to his first love again.

Tory politicians would have the people believe that direct taxation would be an awful calamity, their imagination is exceedingly fertile. They portray in the most vivid manner, the revenue collector driving off the last cow or pig, and the half-starved family looking for the last time with tears in their eyes on dear old Bossy, that has kept starvation from their door so long. What nonsense. The present system of taxation bears heaviest on the poor man, as it is levied on what we buy, and the man with a large family is generally the poor man, and actually consumes more than his wealthy neighbour. This tax does not rush the bank stock. It does not reach the mortgagee. It does not touch the rich merchant. It does not touch the rich manufacturer. It does not interfere with the professional man, or trouble the money lender. All those are only taxed on what they actually consume, the same as the poor man, the system tends to make

THE POOR, POORER, AND THE RICH, RICHER.

Never, until we resort to direct taxation, will the people realize that it is they who have to find the 41½ million dollars that Mr. Foster proposes to take this year. It amounts to $41.50 for each family. A great many people act as though they imagined that the Government were possessed of some "Aladdin's lamp" whereby they are enabled to create any amount of genuine hard cash, and the more they can manage to screw out the better. If we collect from 15 to 18 million dollars revenue annually on imports, what can the amount be that we pay to our Canadian manufacturers that produce no revenue, only what goes to corrupt the electorate, for we manufacture most of the articles for consumption. To illustrate, cotton cloth is worth six cents per yard in the States, but as there is nearly three cents duty per yard, it is nine cents here, which we pay retail. If the article was imported the Government would get the three cents, but it is one of those articles that are so heavily protected that we do not import it, but we pay the three cents all the same, as a bonus to the manufacturer. Would it not be as well to let one manufacturer go as to drive out hundreds of farmers. We export about forty-eight million of dollars worth to the States annually. On this amount we pay about fifteen million dollars duty that finds it way into the U. S. A. Treasury.

WE PAY THE DUTIES BOTH WAYS.

Here is a chance for criticism. Our journalists don't talk in that way. Direct taxation is very simple. I have been a municipal secretary 22 years, and know something about collecting taxes. In my collection roll I have several columns, say: 1. Municipal tax; 2. road; 3 special road; 4. school, and sometimes I have special school tax or railroad tax, or any other tax that the Council or Commission choose to levy. I could have a column for national tax, it would not give me much trouble. All are collected together, but whether I have few or many taxes to collect, my salary is always the same. Every dollar levied would go direct to the government, and a much more equitable system might be introduced. Sir John A. Macdonald's wonderful scheme for preparing the voters' list at a cost of over four hundred thousand dollars, need not cost one cent. The municipal secretary is the only person competent to make a correct list. He knows the ratepayers and all about their qualification, but the aim of the government is not economy, but to find situations for their supporters. 211 revising barristers with their employees were quite an acquisition to their ranks. Every one, of course, were Tories.

Kingsey Falls. W. W. TOWNE.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria
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ALDERMEN KEPT BUSY

NO LESS THAN THREE COMMITTEES MEET YESTERDAY.

SURE TO HAVE ELECTRIC CARS

The sub-committee have apparently made up their minds.—Ald. Stearns emphatic on health matter. No delay in protecting the health of the city.

The sub-committee on electric railways presented their amended report to the full committee yesterday afternoon. The document is a very voluminous one, and deals with the whole 31 sections of the by-law which was passed some time ago to authorize the Montreal Elevated Railroad Company to construct and operate an electric railway on Park-avenue and Bleury-street.

The committee seems now determined to have electric railways all over the city and the report handed in by Ald Rainville not only deals with the above mentioned railway, but with all the streets on which it is proposed to build electric roads. The members present were quite unanimous in adopting the idea and decided to call for tenders at once. Parties wishing to tender may do so for any portion of the city they wish, naming the street on which they propose to run, each tender to be accompanied by a deposit of $1000 per mile of railway to be built. Before the meeting closed there were three offers in by three different parties to commence operations at once if they were granted a charter to do so and in each case they would undertake to have the electric cars running by Sept. 1 of this year. These officers were from Messrs. Mainwaring, Bickerdike and Bishop respectively. Particulars of the routes of these railways have already been published.

In addition to the above the mayor announced that he knew of a company that wanted to lay 100 miles of electric roads in the city and they had $25,000,000 at their back.

Changes in the By-law.

In discussing the by-law some important changes were made: Cars are to be run from 6 a.m, to 12 p.m. instead of 11 p.m. as previously proposed.

The cars are to run not less than every five minutes, except from 7.30 to 12 p.m., when they must run not less than every 10 minutes.

The limit of the charter is to be fixed at 18 years from Sept. 12 1892.

All alterations in streets where the cars run shall be made by the city surveyor, and then charged to the railway company. This is for the sake of uniformity and to secure the streets being properly macadamized or paved as the city requests.

The company will be bound to give transfer tickets all over the city.

The fare charged must not exceed five cents for each trip.

Purchasers can have six tickets for 25 cents.

After 12 p. m. the company may charge double fare.

The company shall be bound to provide sleighs in winter when the electric cars cannot run.

In the course of the discussion, ald. Rainville said he thought it would be impossible to have electric cars on those streets where the City Passenger Company had a double track.

The mayor: "I beg to differ with you. What are we here for? Is it in the interest of the city passenger railway. We care for no body, but we will have the best system we can get."

After some further discussion the meeting adjourned till 10 o'clock tomorrow morning when further details of the proposed lines will be discussed.

Mr. Mainwaring's Proposal.

The following is the proposal landed in by Mr. Mainwaring:

To His Worship the Mayor, and Aldermen of the City of Montreal.

GENTLEMEN,—As the time required to construct an electric road before the next exhibition is limited, I hereby make you the following propositions:

1. I will build an electric surface road, overhead trolly system to be used with iron poles, on Bleury-street and Park-avenue, from Craig-street to Mount Royal-avenue, and have it in operation before the 1st of September next. The whole to be to the satisfaction of the city engineer.

2. I will agree to do this, and take the Road upon precisely the same terms and conditions as may be arranged hereafter with the Montreal Street Railway Company, or any other Company who may acquire the right to run electric cars in the city of Montreal.

3. I will build electric railway lines upon any other streets now proposed by you, if I am notified to do so before the first day of April, 1893.

4. In the event of no arrangement being arrived at within two years with any other Company, I will consent to have the amount payable by me determined by arbitrators. The city to appoint one arbitrator, I one, and the third to be appointed by these two arbitrators.

5. I will agree to a system of transfers with any other lines; monthly statements to be made with thos. Companies.

The above offer is not an unreasonable one, as it is the only way of ensuring the building of the Road in time for this years' Exhibition.

The city will have the advantage of seeing a road in operation next winter, which will enable them to see how successful it is before they bind themselves to have the system all over the city, and they will be able to impose more careful conditions to proteet the interests of the city, if necessary.

It will enable competitors for the franchise for the whole city to judge of how much they can afford to pay for the privilege; and the city will get more than they would if tenders are advertised for now. I am, yours truly,

R. A. MAINWARING.

Montreal, 21st April, 1892.

THE HEALTH COMMITTEE.

Proposal to Appoint a Sanitary Engineer and Sanitary Inspector.

The Health Committee met at four o'clock yesterday afternoon Ald. Germain in the chair. There were also present Ald. Stearns, Beausoleil, Tansey, Gauthier, Cresse, Lamarche, Brunet, Kennedy, Nolan and Cunningham. The Mayor was also present for a short time.

The chairman read a tender from Messrs. Lyman Knox & Co. offering to supply chloride of lime to the health department at 2½ cents per pound. It was agreed to give them the contract the amount of which is about $300.

The case of Lessard, the guardian at St. Helen's Island baths was again before the committee and it was decided to retain him in his present position as no blame could be attached to him for the drowning of the boy last year at the baths.

Ald. Tansey said that he had heard several complaints about Lessard letting out boats on hire to parties who visited the Island and that he spent more time in attending to this than to the baths.

It was arranged that Lessard should have one boat for the purpose of looking after the bathers and it was decided to appoint a sub-committee to enquire into the abuses complained of at St. Helen's Island baths.

The scavenging question was then taken up and the committee decided at once to call for tenders to be in by Thursday next, for the scavenging of the city for eight months from May 1 next; for the removal of night soil and for the collection of dead animals for one year from May 1 next. Each tender to be accompanied with a deposit of $1000 as a guarantee for the due fulfillment of the contract.

Ald. Stearns wanted to know what had become of the $5000 deposited by the present contractor who it had been stated had not carried out his contract. "Why," said he "was it not confiscated?"

Ald. Beausoleil stated that the contractor had signed his contract in due form.

Ald. Stearns: "And was that all that he put up the $5000 for? My idea is that the money was deposited for the carrying out of the contract and this has not been done."

Ald. Cresse: "All the city contracts are badly carried out."

After some further discussion the matter dropped as Ald. Cunningham remarked that the committee had never found fault with the contractor.

The question of the vacant Sanitary Inspectorship was then taken up and the petitions from the Medico-Chirurgical Society and the Knights of Labor were read. In commenting on these the chairman of the committee should take into consideration the recommendations made by the medical fraternity and endeavor to secure the services of a thoroughly competent man to fill the post.

Ald. Stearns said the committee had now a chance to make the position worthy of the city of Montreal, and he was greatly in favor of having two thoroughly competent officers in the Health Department. The rapid growth of the city demanded it, and he would propose having a first-class sanitary engineer in addition to a sanitary inspector. He moved that the committee report to council for a special appropriation for this.

The motion was strongly supported by Ald. Beausoleil, who said now was the opportunity to reorganize the department, and he was quite in favor of appointing two first-class men. Ald. Gauthier also favored the idea. He said there many reasons why he would support the motion, one of the chief being that the department were badly in need of a sanitary engineer, and this position would be still more essential when the city built their incinerators. The salaries proposed were: Enginelr, $2000 a year to commence with and advancing by $100 a year to $3000; inspector, $1200 a year, advancing by $50 annually to $1500.

The motion was put to a vote and carried by 3 to 2.

Ald. Beausoleil proposed that application be made to the Local Legislature for authority to purchase land outside the city on which to build three or more incinerators.

Ald. Gauthier moved in amendment the following sites for the three:—Delorimier Avenue, Papineau Avenue and Mary Ann Street.

Ald. Kennedy: "I would like to know if Ald. Gauthier is sincere in this motion."

Ald. Gauthier: "Are you not in the habit of making motions when you are not sincere? Answer me that."

Ald. Gauthier: "We are losing too much time, and I propose we adopt the sites I have mentioned."

Ald. Beausoleil: "You will never get them within the city. They must be like the abattoirs outside the city limits. If you don't apply for property outside the city, we shall be in the same position next year as we are now."

Ald. Stearns: "I will vote for this, we have been so long and done nothing, let us decide upon something definite now.

The application to Quebec will be made at an early date.

The Fire Committee.

At the meeting of the Fire Committee yesterday nothing of much importance took place, excepting the appointment of John Naud, jr., as the captain for the new station, and that of Theophille Fauche to fill the vacancy thus made at Station No. 15. Eighteen dollars was allowed for damage done a milk wagon, that came into collision with a reel. Two representatives of insurance companies were present to ask the permission of the committee for a poor widow to occupy and lease a house owned by her, which was not built in accordance with the rules of the Building Inspector, who took action forbidding the use of the house. The petition was laid on the table, and no doubt will be granted. Another petition, but a written one this time, comprising the names of nearly all the residents around the locality, was placed before these gentlemen asking that the erection of the steam engine for Bastien and Valiquette at the corner of Guy and Albert streets be not allowed on the grounds that the smoke would be offensive; but after a letter had been read from the inspector showing there was no grounds for complaint, the petition was set aside, and Bastien and Valiquette can have their steam engine.

The question as to whether the building of houses on those streets which are being repaired should be uniform was next brought up, or whether builders on the side that was not knocked down were allowed to build as they pleased, according to the old law, and to settle the matter a council was appointed to see whether all builders could not be made to accord with the new law, viz, the building erected shall be three stories in heighth and of stone or iron.

There was quite a dispute over the account of Treffle Bastien for repairs done to No. 14 Station. It seems that the contract was for $3500 and an additional $928.60 making a total of $4428.79 of which $2800 was paid leaving a balance of $1628.60, but that the bill made out by Mr. Bastien calls for $1666,79 as balance due and claims the $38.19 difference between his account and that of Mr. Brown, the inspector, for putting in some beams. It was finally settled by placing both Mr. Brown's account for commission, and Mr. Bastien's account together, to be sent to the Finance Committee for payment.

Ald. Perreault moved a vote of thanks and a cheque of $50 to the firemen of the Canadian Rubber Works for services rendered during the Bonsecours market fire. This motion was unanimously carried.

Michael Hubbard was granted a paid-up policy in the Fireman's Benevolent Insurance Co., on account of having resigned from the service.

A resolution was passed asking that the new fire bell for Notre Dame Church be made by the original manufacturers in London.

A Bad Scaffold Accident.

An accident that may yet be attended with fatal result, occurred at 8 o'clock yesterday morning on St. Lawrence near Guilbault-streets. A Mr. Therrien, a cigar dealer was taking down a scaffold in front of his store. A young girl named Lea Drouin was passing on her way to work. One of the heavy timbers of the scaffold fell directly on her head and knocked her insensible to the street. She was removed to her mother's home, 961 St. Lawrence-street, where last evening she had not yet recovered consciousness. The physician who was summoned cannot as yet give an opinion as to the ultimate result of the accident.

ANOTHER CHANGE.

Mr. Withall Will Retire from the M. S. R. Board.

It is understood that within a few days Mr. W. J. Withall will retire from the board of directors of the Montreal Street Railway. The gentleman whose name is freely spoken of as his successor, is Mr. Everett, who it will be remembered had charge of the building of the lines of many of the electric street roads of the principal cities in America.

RESIDENT DOCTORS.

Governors of the M. G. H. Made Their Choice Yesterday.

A special meeting of the Board of Governors of the Montreal General Hospital was held yesterday afternoon in the Surgical ward of the new wing, for the purpose of electing five medical resident officers, to take the place of the retiring staff. There were 225 governors present, amongst them being John H. R. Molson, Hon. A. W. Ogilvie, Hon. J. K. Ward, James Slessor, G. W. Stephens, Charles Garth, Henry Lyman, Peter Lyall, Jeffery H. Burland, Richard Costigan, John Wm. Molson, Samuel J. H. Ewing, George Carslake, Dr. F. W. Campbell, H. J. Beemer, Sir Joseph Hickson, Hon. James McShane Hugh McLennan, S. Bethune, W. F. Torrance, Hon. H. Stearns, W. C. McDonald, R. R. Grindly, Richard Costigan, Wm. Angus, R. S. White, F. K. Wolferston Thomas, W. C. Munderloh and others.

Mr. John Sterling occupied the chair and before the ballots were taken, Messrs John and Robert Bickerdike, Wm Currie, F P Currie, Alex Currie, D Finlay, Dr D F Gurd, Dr J A Hutchison, Dr R C Kirkpatrick, Dr J Esdale Molson, Wm Rutherford, J H Redfern, Daniel Wilson, Alfred Porter, Dr Wilkins and Archibald McIntyre having fulfilled the necessary qualifications, were elected life governors and allowed to take part in the voting.

The ten candidates for the positions arranged in order of merit in the examinations of the medical board of the hospital were as follows: H J Wasson, Jas Henderson, C F Martin, F T Taylor, W H Smith, V Holliday, R T McKenzie, J E Binmore, T J Hackett, H B. Carmichael.

Messrs R White, S Holden and Geo Kemp announced the result of the election to be Drs H J Wasson, Jas Henderson, C F Martin, W H Smith and R T McKenzie.

The result of the election gives more than general approval, the board of governors showing a disposition this year to follow the recommendation of the medical board as to the fitness of the candidates. The result of the examinations heretofore has been set aside by the governors, and the election depended solely upon the extent of influence possessed by the candidates.

FELL SEVENTY-FIVE FEET.

Terrible Death of the Bell Telephone Night Superintendent.

The caretaker of the old Imperial Bank building, corner of St. Francois Xavier and Notre Dame-streets, made a startling discovery at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. Entering the yard he found the dead and much disfigured body of Charles Leslie, a Bell Telephone Company lineman, who sometime during the night had been killed by a terrible fall from the roof of the building referred to. The deceased, up to two months ago, was in the employ of the Federal Telephone Company, but since then has been with the Bell as night superintendent at their central exchange in the building referred to. He went to work as usual Wednesday night, and about seven o'clock went on to the roof of the building to do some work on the wires in the cupola. The operators did not then know where he had gone, and during the evening became anxious to know what had become of him. They kept up a search until eleven o'clock, but found no trace of Leslie. When found by the caretaker his head was terribly bruised and his face disfigured by several cuts. It is supposed that in coming out of the cupola Leslie stumbled over some obstruction and fell to the ground, a distance of some six or seven stories. The body was removed to Wray's undertaking establishment. Leslie had only been married about a year and leaves a young widow and child. He was about twenty-eight years of age, and was esteemed by a large circle of acquaintances.

An inquest was held yesterday afternoon by Deputy Coroner Loranger, when the jury returned the following verdict: "The deceased came to his death by falling a height of seventy-five feet while in the employ of the Bell Telephone Company. The company is to blame for not having guard rails to protect its employees at the spot where the deceased fell."

Another License Asked For.

Another saloon has been applied for on Beaver Hall Hill. Mrs. Frank Sauve, who formerly kept a saloon on Notre Dame-street, is out seeking the necessary signatures to procure a license for the store formerly occupied by J. B. H. Rickaby & Co., family grocers, a few doors from Dorchester-street.

Abbe Proulx Not Unsuccessful.

The Rev. Abbe Proulx, vice-rector of Laval University, maintains that he was not unsuccessful in his mission to Rome. He states that he had no expectation of obtaining a completely independent university for Montreal, and that, as a matter of fact, he obtained a good deal more for the Montreal Branch of Laval University than was ever expected.

Will Erect a Fine Building.

Mr. Birks of Henry Birks & Co. has purchased for $50,000 the fine stores and lot on the corner of Phillips' square and St. Catharine streets, which has a frontage of ninety feet on the latter street, and 55 feet front on Phillips' square. This firm intend erecting a magnificent building on this site in which they will carry on an extensive business.

Palatial Residences for Sale.

There are two palatial residences for sale in Montreal. Lord Mount Stephen is anxious to dispose of his magnificent mansion on Drummond street, and Mr. Duncan McIntyre is also supposed to be looking for a purchaser for newly-built palace on upper Stanley street. Mr. W. C. Macdonald, the millionaire tobacco manufacturer, has visited both mansions and is credited with a desire to purchase one of them.

St. George's Dinner and Sermon.

To-morrow is St. George's Day, when Englishmen will wear the rose of old England. Already the florists are preparing for the rush. On Sunday evening the annual sermon will be preached by the Rev. Canon Mills, B.D., chaplain to the society, and the collection will be in aid of its funds. To-morrow night the annual dinner will be held at St. Lawrence Hall, and, judging from the sale of tickets, will prove a pronounced success.

WOMAN'S GOOD WORK.

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Y. W. C. A.

MANY SATISFACTORY REPORTS READ.

Sir William Dawson Expresses an Opinion—The Day Nursery in a Healthy Condition—Prominent Men and Women Elected to Office—A Brief Outline of the Work Done.

"Christian Union and Christian Thankfulness placed together form one of the most powerful means of Christian work known, and can do a great deal in the world."

This is the opinion of Sir William Dawson, as expressed by himself at the 18th annual meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association.

The meeting was held in the Association Hall 101 Metcalf Street yesterday afternoon, and was very largely attended. Among those gentlemen present, The Herald reporter noticed Rev. Dr. Barbour, principal of the Congregational College, Dr. Hunter, Prof. Warriner, Mr. Barnes, E. M. Hill, A. J. Mowatt, Sir Wm. Dawson, and D. A. Budge, General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

The recording secretary's report briefly outlined the character of the work done by the association. During the week of prayer, union meetings had been held, and at a special thanksgiving service $63.83 had been realized. There had been 180 admissions to the association, an increase of 51 over last year. The work of Miss Forrester, the bible woman, was spoken of, and several instances were cited where much needed assistance had been given. The Helping Hand sewing school, composed of little girls, met every Saturday in the Inspector Street Sunday school. The various religious services had been well attended, and had proved very successful during the year. Speaking of the present building, the report said that although large enough when first occupied for the needs of the association, it was now far too small. A site had been procured on which it was hoped they would soon be able to erect a building suitable for the increased work of the association.

The Treasurer's report on behalf of the Building fund showed that $1,000 were urgently needed to liquidate pressing demands. In the general fund the year's receipts had been $3,671.44. The expenditure $3,500.31, leaving a balance on hand of $171.13. The next report was that of the Working Girls Home. It showed that from April to December 1891 there had been 200 transient, 2 to 4 permanent and 35 convalescent boarders. From Jan. 1st to March 14th, 1892, when a different system of numeration had been adopted, there had been in all 848 days board provided. The treasurers statement showed that there had been $1,713.49 receipts and $1,685.23 expenditure, leaving a balance of $28.26 unexpended.

After a brief report from the McGill branch, the general secretary gave her report. It outlined the work of the association as a whole, referring to the employment agency and educational classes in particular. In the employment bureau 86 applications had been received, of whom 35 had been supplied with situations. The library had been much appreciated by the members, and although it was a very fair one, a further gift of books would be most acceptable. The educational classes had never been more successful, the physical culture department under Miss Barnjum being very well attended. A touching reference was made to the death of one of the teachers, Madame Amos, the teacher of the French and German classes. Miss Williams had left to take up mission work in West Central Africa, and the best wishes of the association went with her. Thanks were rendered to all friends who had rendered aid to the association during the year.

Sir Wm. Dawson was the next speaker and was briefly introduced by the chairman, Rev. Dr. Barbour. He delivered a pleasing and appropriate address, congratulating the association of the work it had done in the past. He spoke of Christian unity saying it was when Christian people of any denomination joined in doing some good work. Sir William concluded by congratulating the members on the excellence of the reports that had been read, and expressing his good wishes for its future prosperity.

The day nursery report said that it had just closed the fourth year of its existence. Sixty-two parents in the last twelve months had availed themselves of the help given by the nursery, and ninety-six children had been admitted. The total number cared for had been 7794. The nursery had been closed four weeks during December on account of measles. The staff at present consists of matron, head nurse, daily teacher, assistant nurse and servant.

The kitchen garden and diet dispensary reports were also read, after which addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Barnes and Mr. D. A. Budge. The latter gave advice relative to raising subscriptions for the new building.

The election of officers was then proceeded with, and resulted as follows:

President—Mrs Stevenson.

Vice-Presidents—Mrs E K Greene, Mrs J Macdougall, Mrs N B Corse, Mrs J Macintosh, Mrs A S Ewing, Mrs W B Lindsay, Miss E F DeWitt.

Recording Secretary—Miss E C Forbes.

Treasurer—Mrs J B Learmont.

Directors—Mesdames C Seybold, J T Wilson, Jas Fairie, G T Ferrier, E F Ames, Mallock, Childs, Fairman, Papineau.

Board of Advisors—Messrs C McLennan, D Morrice, E K Greene, J Macintosh, R C Jamieson, David Yulle, Geo Hague, Ed Holton, A S Ewing.

Legal Adviser—L H Davidson, D C L, Q C.

Physicians—A Lapthorn Smith, 248 Bishop treet; Elizabeth S Mitchell, Mansfield street.

Committees—Religious—Convener, Miss A Walker; Mesdames Popham, C Seybold, E H Lay, C Childs, E Doran, J Murphy, A G Upham, N B Corse.

Admission and House—Mmes J Macintosh, E F Ames, T J Winship, Jas Wilson, jr; W Brown, A S Ewing, A Henderson, G T Ferrier, Jas Fairie.

Finance—Convener, Mrs J B Learmont. Mesdames E F Ames, Jas Fairie, A G Thompson, F Fairmans, J A McMaster, J S Sheare, A Henderson

Visiting—Convener, Mrs J S Bates, 2806 St Catherine street. Mrs J Murphy, Mrs R A McLennan, Mrs J S McLachlan, Miss Forester.

Musical and Social—Mrs J S Bates, Mrs H R Grafton, Mrs Cochrane, Miss Jamieson, Mrs S C Jones, Mrs Lindsay, Miss Linton, Miss M Murphy, Miss E Murphy, Miss Dodds, Miss Bancroft.

Educational—Convener, Mrs W B Lindsay, 120 Mackay street; Mrs J A Pillow, Mrs F Fairman, Miss Hillyer, Mrs C Macfarlane, Mrs J S Bates.

Helping Hand—Secretary, Miss Ames, Miss Miner; treasurer, Miss Low.

A Complaint by La Patrie.

La Patrie last evening says: The summons served on Mr. Mercier yesterday was in English. Here is a French Government in the French Province of Quebec, serving on a French Canadian a document emanating from a French judge, instigated by a French Attorney General; and it is found that this official document is in English.

And it is these same people that do not wish to hear a word of annexation to the United States, because they pretend that such annexation would cause the disappearance of the official use of our French language.

RIVER AND HARBOR.

Items Gathered Around the Wharves—A Race for Montreal.

The last of the three lightships on Lake St. Peter was placed in position yesterday.

A large gang of men were at work yesterday reparing the tracks on the wharf.

The buoys at Cap a la Roche, and the red iron buoys at Cap Levant are in position.

The steamer "Riviere du Loup" is now making her regular trips between Sorel and Berthier,

The work of erecting the Dominion Line sheds on the wharf was rapidly progressing yesterday.

The buoys at Cape Charles and Pauiller Bayer which were dragged from their anchorage by the ice have been replaced in position.

Until, Captain Roy, is completely restored to health, Captain Bruno will replace him in command of the R. and O. N. Company's steamer Montreal.

The ice jam at Cap a la Roche broke at 3 o'clock yesterday morning and by this morning the river may be said to be clear of ice between Montreal and Quebec.

The Ottawa river has been completely free of ice since Wednesday and the ferry steamer Bonito, now makes its regular trips between L'Orignal and Calumet

The steamer Berthier arrived in port yesterday and left in the evening with a full freight and a large number of passengers for Three Rivers on her first regular trip of the season.

The depth of water in the ship channel yesterday was 29 feet. This only one foot six inches above low water level. On this date last year the water in the ship channel was 36 feet 2 inches.

The R. & O. N. steamers Quebec and Montreal will resume the regular summer service between here and the Ancient Capital Monday. The Quebec will be the first boat from Montreal.

Mr. Robertson of the Harbor Commissioners received a telegram from Quebec yesterday afternoon, stating that the river below there, was full of heavy drift ice and floating logs, and was not as yet safe for vessels.

Captain Boucher, of the steamer Berthier, which arrived in port yesterday reports so much ice on the river on Wednesday night that he was unable to reach the wharf at Three Rivers and was compelled to anchor in the St. Maurice River.

The steamships Charrington and Fremona, the first cargo laden ships to arrive in the St. Lawrence this season, will only leave Quebec this morning and will probably not arrive here until tomorrow. The Charrington will dock at the Dominion Line wharf. The Fremona at the Thompson Line wharf. There will probably be a lively race up the river between the boats to see which will have the honor of being the first in Montreal.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of Ocean Steamships.

April 20.	Arrived at	From
Weser	New York	Bremen
City of Berlin	Queenstown	New York
Gothia	New York	Hamburg
Inchalvia	Halifax	London

Port of Quebec.

QUEBEC, April 21.—The Cap Rouge ice commenced passing down this morning and the river opposite the city has been covered with ice all day. It carried with it many logs, and many residents along the Cove and Point Levi have had a busy day saving what portion of the timber they could.

Government steamship Alert left port at 11 o'clock to act as lightship in the Lower Traverse till the regular vessel is ready in a day or two to take up her position there for the season.

The three steamships for Montreal which have been detained here by the ice will probably leave for their destination during night or to-morrow morning nothing definite as to their hour of leaving had yet been decided upon this evening.

Pilot schooner No 2 left for Bic station this morning with a batch of pilots on board to meet incoming vessels.

The new dredge built at Levis for the Montreal Harbor Commissioners will be launched the first high tide.

Wrecking steamer Lord Stanley has come out of winter quarters.

Government fisheries cruiser Le Canadien came out of winter quarters this morning and is at the Queen's wharf fitting out.

Inland Navigation.

PORT COLBORNE, April 21.—Down—Steamers James Langdon, Prince Columbia, Chicago to Ogdensburg, corn and oats; Viking, Chicago to Kingston, corn and rye; Toledo, Toledo to Ogdensburg, corn.

Up—Denver, Oswego to Chicago, Saml Marshall, Oswego to Green Bay, coal; Tilley and barges, Port Dalhousie to Cleveland; D R Vanallen, Oswego to Serpent River, light; Glengarry and barges, Kingston to Port Arthur, light; tug Wales, Hamilton to Windsor; Gpv Smith, Charlotte to Milwaukee, coal; McVittie, Ogdensburg to Chicago, general cargo; John Rugee, Oswego to Chicago, coal.

Cleared—Algonquin, Duluth, Clinton and barges, Amherstburg, light.

Wind—Southwest, light.

PORT DALHOUSIE, ONT., April 21.—Passed up—Schoones M T Downing, Oswego to Toledo, coal; schooner D G Fort, Oswego to Toledo, coal; shooner Hoboken, Oswego to Toledo, coal; barge A Muir, Port Dalhousie to Sandusky, light; steam barge enterprise, Port Dalhousie to Ashtabula, light; barge antelope Port Dalhousie to Ashtabula, light; steamer W J Averell, Oswego to Chicago, coal; tug Active and barges Kingston to Toledo, light.

Down—Steamer city of Toledo, Toledo to Ogdensburg, corn; steamer H R James, Chicago to Ogdensburg, general cargo.

Wind south, light.

KINGSTON, Ont., April 21.—The steamer Pueblo, with corn from Chicago, arrived last night, being the first arrival from Welland Canal. The Fisher cleared for Oswego.

OSWEGO, N.Y., April 21.—Arrived—Steamer Oregon, Ogdensburg; schooners E. Fisher, Kingston; Seafoam, Henderson.

Cleared—Schooners S & J Collier, Toronto, coal; Julia, Kingston, coal; Flora Emma, Port Darlington, coal; Seafoam, Henderson, gen cargo.

Gulf Reports.

L'Islet—Clear, calm. April 21.

River du Loup—Clear, west wind; Pilot schooner at Brandy Pots.

Father Point—Clear, west wind.

Martin River to Cape Rosier—Clear, northwest wind.

Cape Rosier—Inward, Sam W Harrison.

The Beauharnois Canal.

BEAUHARNOIS, April 21.—Beauharnois canal is now ready for navigation.

Will Come to Montreal.

HALIFAX, April 21.—Steamer Sarmatian, due Sunday from Glasgow, has 500 passengers, but will not likely land them here as she calls here for orders, and will probably take her passengers to Montreal.

General Herbert's Report.

EDITOR HERALD: If the synopsis of the annual report of the Major-General commanding the militia, as it appeared in the newspapers of this city is correct, the riflemen generally must be greatly disappointed, for I am aware that they had expected from his reputation that he would at least appreciate their work as a practical soldier unprejudiced by a flash of uniform or mere display of drill. The uniform which this branch of the service is ordered to wear, is certainly not intended to be attractive; it was probably intended to be useful, though it is doubted whether it possesses even that quality. While they are debarred from such dazzling show parades as trooping of colors, bayonet exercise, etc., as not adapted to their duties, and have no opportunities to show their actual work except in actual service at which times they have always conducted themselves in a manner to insure the highest commendation. EX-RIFLEMAN,

Montreal April 21st.

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PERSONAL.

J. F. Donnelly, of New York, is at the Hall.

J. J. Cox, of Toronto, is registered at the Hall.

D. McDonald, of Sutton, is a guest at the Hall.

C. Tessier, of Quebec, is a guest at the Hall.

Jas. Grant, of Belleville, is registered at the Hall.

A R T Elder, of Chicago, is a guest at the Hall

H E Wright, of Hamilton, is a guest at the Balmoral.

G M Lord, of New York, is staying at the Balmoral.

J F Grant, of New York, is a guest at the Balmoral.

D Fueles, of Moncton, N B, is registered at the Riendeau.

C J Duffers, of Ottawa, is staying at the Riendeau Hotel.

A W Handy, of New York, is registered at the Richelieu.

Samuel Disston and wife, of Philadelphia, are at the Windsor.

L J Duntin, of Ottawa, is amongst the latest arrivals at the Hall.

Sir Donald A. Smith, is stopping at the Queen's in Toronto.

H B Rathbun and wife, of Deseronto, are staying at the Windsor

D Darragh, of Kensington, P E I, is registered at the Balmoral.

L G Robitaille and wife of Ottawa, are staying at the Richelieu Hotel.

E Bayard Fisher and wife, of Fredericton, are staying at the Windsor.

J Beland, of Richmond, Que, is amongst the latest arrivals at the Balmoral.

Jno. Flynn, of Columbus, Ohio, is amongst the latest arrivals at the Hall.

H C Millar, of Morrisburg, is amongst the latest arrivals at the Balmoral.

Dr McMurdo, U S A, of Fort Sill, I T, and wife are registered at the Windsor.

Mrs George H Phelps and son, of Fargo, N D, are registered at the Windsor.

George Capsey and wife, of Biddeford, Me, are among the arrivals at the Richelieu.

C A Gormaly, travelling freight agent of G T R of Toronto, is registered at the Balmoral.

H W E Vaughan, of Sudbury, and F A Morgan and wife, of China, are registered at the Windsor.

The following were among the arrivals at the Riendeau Hotel yesterday: R Lambert, Louiseville; Jos F Vezina, Jollette; E C Wurtele, Sorel; R P de Laronde, St Andrews; F X Bussiere, Vercheres; P B Benoit and Ph Lamoureux, Chambly; G Genier, Casselman.

Among the late arrivals at the Richelieu Hotel are Alf Morisette, Quebec; J Ryan, Chicago; J W Campbell, Boston; N Fortin, La Chute; O R Carling, Winnipeg; James White, Magog; Robert J Greene, Buffalo.

At the Albion are registered the following gentlemen: H A Kimball, W H Pethybridge, Boston, Mass; H W Adams, Hartford, Conn; A H Merkley, A F Merkley, Morrisburgh, Ont; R M Smith, Chesterville; J E Edwards, Toronto, Ont; Ben Benham, B F Cannan, New Haven, Conn; E J Esty, Eastham, Que; C Weaver, Trenton, Ont.

The following Montrealers are stopping at Toronto hotel: M St John, J P Curran, Judge Clark, W J Ritchie and wife, G M Clark, J A Cantlier, L G Appleton, D Ross, J Birmingham, J R Craven, L Charlebois, Joseph Plaskett, D.V.S., late house surgeon of the Montreal Veterinary College, has returned to his home in Woodstock where he will take a few weeks vacation. Thence he proceeds to Norfolk, Va, where he intends to practice.

"Warspite" Men in Town.

Montreal had a number of blue jackets on her streets yesterday, and many were the citizens who eagerly questioned them as to where their war-ship was lying. But they were only time-expired men returning from the Pacific Coast, via the Canadian Pacific Railway, from the flagship "Warspite." Chief Quartermaster Coleman was in charge of the party of ten petty officers and men composing the squad, with Armorer F. Gilbert and Leading Stoker J. E. Dyer for their seniors in command. The men were the usual type of bronzed, brawny, weatherbeaten tars, for which England is famous, and they were honestly admired by all who saw them on the street.

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