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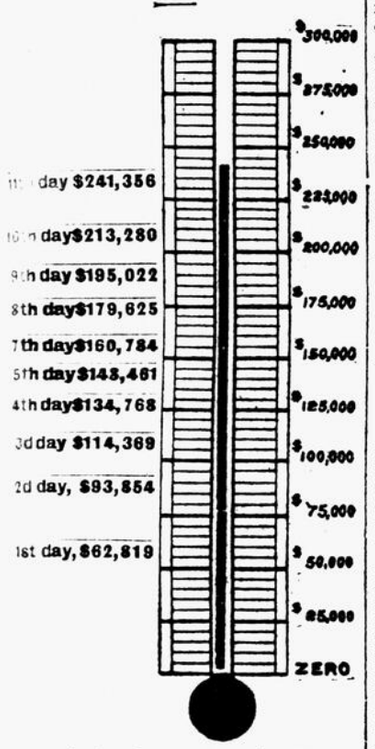
HURRAHS AND HANDKERCHIEF WAVING AT Y.M.C.A. LUNCHEON.

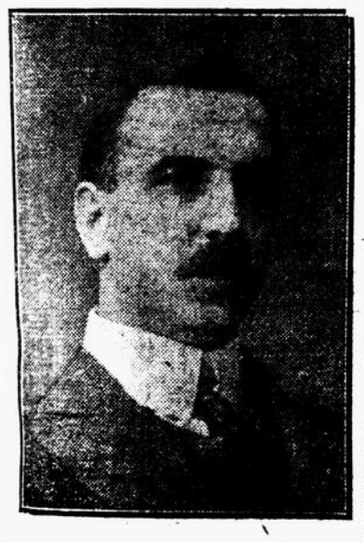
Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon Gives $10,000 and Total Goes to Over $28,000 for the Day.

WATCH IT GROW.

Daily Indicator of the Progress of the Y.M.C.A. Campaign for $300,000.



The closing days of the Y.M.C.A. ... are providing scenes of great ...sm. At to-day's luncheon it ... cheers and handkerchief-waving, ...best day's report since the first ... the campaign was handed in, ...l for the day being $28,076. ...sand dollars of this amount ...tributed by Mr. D. Lorne Mc... Mr. R. J. Younge's team, who ... in this subscription, leapt from ...low down on the Business Men's ..., to second place with a total ...,246. Mr. J. W. McConnell's ... still holds the undisputed first ...ong the Business Men's teams. Mr. ...Connell was able to report a $5,000



MR. D. LORNE McGIBBON,

... $10,000 gave the Y.M.C.A. ... fresh impetus to-day.'

... from an anonymous donor ... total for his team now ... Mr. McGibbon was pre... luncheon, and there was ... cheering for him when the ...ment of his subscription was

...ncon was the most numerous... ...since the opening of the ...among those present being ...en ladies. The ladies were ...terested in the proceedings, ...only dawned on the campaign ...day that they might have ...assistance if they had made ...ady helpers. Indeed, Mr. ...announced one subscription ...who told him, he said, that ...t a great shame that there ...canvassers in this cam... were hundreds of ladies ... who wanted to help the

...rent gossip that the man ...Mr. McGibbon's subscrip... ...that gentleman to put his ... for $1,000. Then he so ... the Association's good ... McGibbon altered it to ... canvasser, however, still ...ation to deliver, and when ...ed this on Mr. McGibbon ...egged to be allowed the ...earing up the last card and ...another for $10,000.

...ption announced by Mr. ..., was for $85 from a ... of seventeen children—$5 ...ould. This grandmother, Mr. Birks said, helped to collect funds for the Montreal Y.M.C.A. fifty years ago, and arranged one of the first annual teas of the Association in this city. Mr. Birks had four $1,000 subscriptions to announce—from James G. Ross, G. A. Grier, the Canada Sugar Refining Company, and from a friend, the latter being one of a group of several Westmount gentlemen, contributing $1,000 each.

Mr. G. Max Sinn, announced that Mayor Michaud, of Maisonneuve, who was one of the subscribers, had expressed great approval of the work of the Association, and said he would do all he could to help it when it entered upon its work in Maisonneuve.

Mr. R. J. Younge announced a subscription of $1, signed 'A loser at the races,' and another of the canvassers reported a subscription of $2.03 from an American, being all the Canadian money he had left on his departure from the city.

Official total, Thursday	$213,280
Citizens' Committee.....	4,125
Business Men's Committee.. ..	21,878
Young Men's Committee..	2,073
Grand total..	$241,356

The following amounts indicate the reports submitted by the teams of the Business and Young Men's Committee through their captains for the day, and the standing of the teams:

Business Men's Committee—J. W. McConnell, Chairman.

No. 1—J. W. McConnell..	$ 5,220
No. 2—W. S. Leslie....	680
No. 3—G. W. Birks....	1,200
No. 4—Geo. Lyman....	600
No. 5—John Allan	735
No. 6—W. H. Goodwin..	812
No. 7—Henry Timmis..	581
No. 8—R. J. Younge..	10,986
No. 9—F. W. Fairman..	344
No. 10—G. E. Williams..	720
Total....	$21,878

Young Men's Committee.

A—J. K. McNutt..	$284
B—A. L. Robertson....	30
C—C. W. Shelly..	257
D—J. E. Birks..	572
E—R. A. Becket, jr..	139
F—W. G. P. Malone..	157
G—Alex. Holland..	368
H—F. W. Owen..	123
I—W. A. Maclaren..	50
J—P. A. Doig..	96
Total..	$2,973

Standing of Teams—Business Men's Committee.

Highest, No. 1, with....	$33,425
2nd, No. 8, with..	18,246
3rd, No. 3, with..	17,134
4th, No. 6, with..	10,837

Standing of Teams—Young Men's Committee.

Highest, H, with..	$4,445
2nd, G, with....	3,819
3rd, A, with..	3,674
4th, J, with..	3,187

The following subscriptions for $1,000 and over have been received:—

Messrs. Henry Birks & Sons...	$25,000
Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon..	10,000
Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ross ..	5,000
Mr. F. Howard Wilson..	5,000
Mr. John Murphy..	5,000
Mr. C. C. Holland..	5,000
Mr. D. W. Ross..	5,000
Mr. Hugh Watson..	5,000
Friend (T. L.)..	5,000
Friend, S. R. M....	5,000
Mr. Abner Kingman..	3,000
Mr. A. F. C. Ross	3,000
The D. Morrice Co., Ltd..	2,500
Friend..	2,500
Mr. J. C. Holden..	2,000
Mr. J. W. McConnell..	2,000
Mr. P. J. Macintosh, New York	2,000
The John Murphy Co., Ltd.. ..	2,000
Directors of Gault Bros. Co.. ..	2,000
Mr. G. F. Johnston..	2,000
Messrs. Hanson Bros..	2,000
Mr. Robert Henderson..	1,000
Mr. W. Y. King..	1,000
Heirs Estate Fairman..	1,000
Mr. John Allan..	1,000
Mr. W. S. Leslie..	1,000
Mr. H. J. Allison..	1,000
Mr. R. T. Hopper..	1,000
Mr. Arthur Lyman..	1,000
Mr. Jas. Ballantyne..	1,000
Mr. Henry Munderloh..	1,000
Mr. W. E. Elmore..	1,000
Mr. C. L. Hervey..	1,000
E. H. Wilson, Lachute Mills.. ..	1,000
Friend..	1,000
Friend..	1,000
Friend..	1,000
Jas. W. Knox..	1,000
Friend..	1,000
In memory of Benjamin Lyman..	1,000
Ald. Jas. Robinson..	1,000
A. E. Ogilvie..	1,000
Guy L. Ogilvie..	1,000
Wm. C. McIntyre..	1,000
Lt.-Col. Chas. A. Smart..	1,000
Mr. George Hague..	1,000
Mr. S. S. Boxer..	1,000
Ald. Alex. D. Fraser..	1,000
Mr. E. H. Snedeker..	1,000
Friend (T. S.)..	1,000
Mr. J. E. Aldred..	1,000
Merchants' Bank of Canada.. ..	1,000
Mr. Hugh Paton..	1,000
Friend, A. H. O..	1,000
Drummond, McCall & Co..	1,000
Mr. Jas. G. Ross..	1,000
Friend (J. G. R.)..	1,000
Canada Sugar Refining Co..	1,000
Mr. G. A. Grier..	1,000

PERJURY COMMITTED THIS MORNING BEFORE THE ROYAL COMMISSION.

Dramatic Conflict Between Two Firemen in Relation to the Payment of $275 for a Position on the Brigade.

Deliberate perjury was committed by one of two firemen before the Royal Commission this morning. Mr. Justice Cannon himself remarked that this was an undoubted fact, after Charles Rioux, one of the men concerned had, in dramatic manner, called upon Divine intervention 'to strike him dead' if he were not telling the truth.

Charles Rioux had been called to give evidence in relation to the testimony of Jean Rioux, who yesterday declared that he was introduced by Charles to a man named Munday at the Grand Hotel, at the corner of St. James and St. Gabriel street, and that Charles was present when Jean paid the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars to Munday for a position in the Fire Brigade.

Charles Rioux now admitted that he introduced Jean to Munday, but he said this was at Munday's house on Notre Dame street east, and not at an hotel. He repeatedly denied, and with fervor, that he was present when any money passed between the men, and he said he had no knowledge whatever of any money transaction at all.

The two men are not related, but Joseph Cote, of Trois Pistoles, who was said to have sent Jean to Charles, is the brother-in-law of the latter.

Charles Rioux was put through a searching cvross-questioning by Mr. Laflamme, but he stood firmly by his denial of all knowledge on any money transaction between Jean Rioux and Munday.

'After Jean was appointed fireman,' he said, 'he asked me to help a friend of his to a position, but because I would not help him, he threatened to send me to the penitentiary.'

'What for?' asked Mr. Justice Cannon.

The witness replied that he did not know.

It was at this stage that Jean Rioux was called to confront the witness before the Court.

Jean, under the oath that he took yesterday afternoon, repeated his declaration that he had paid $275 to Munday at the Grand Hotel in the presence of Charles Rioux.

Charles Rioux just as emphatically declared that he was not present, that the only time he was present with Jean and Munday was at the latter's house, and that there was no payment of money, or question of payment, between them. 'And,' he added, 'may the good God strike me dead if I am not telling the truth.'

'Do you consider Jean Rioux an honest man?' asked Mr. Laflamme.

'I do not think he is,' replied Charles, who went on to give testimony of having introduced another man, named J. B. Roy, into the brigade, with Mr. Munday again as intermediary. He denied all knowledge of any money transaction between them.

Jean Baptiste Roy, however, put another light on the matter by his evidence, which was to the following effect:

'I came to Montreal from St. Arsene, below Quebec,' he said, 'after being told by the sister of Rioux, Mrs. Cote, of Trois Pistoles, that her brother could get me a position on the Montreal Fire Brigade on payment of two hundred and fifty dollars. After that, I telegraphed to Charles Coté, who replied the same day to the effect that if I came to Montreal he would help me to a position on the fire brigade. I came down, borrowed $250 from my brother, who lives in the city, and went to see Charles Rioux. He asked me if I had got 'the necessary,' and I replied that I had.

Mr. Justice Cannon—Did he mean by that to ask you if you had the money?

Witness—I cannot say that he asked me directly if I had the money, but I swear positively that it was perfectly well understood between us that I had to pay money if I were to get an appointment. Charles Rioux told me that he would introduce me to a man who would help me, and he accordingly took me to Mr. Munday, who, when he saw me, said, 'You are not very big.' (Laughter.)

'But you had that with you which would make up for your lack of stature,' remarked Mr. Perron.

Witness—I had. I gave the money (250 in bills) to Munday, who gave me a letter to give to Chief Benoit. When I went to Mr. Benoit he asked me several questions, and then told me he had not a vacancy at present, but when he had he would let me know.

Mr. Perron—What were the questions the chief asked you?

Witness—He asked me how long I had been in the city, and though I had just arrived, I replied that I had resided here for two years and a half. Charles Rioux told me to say that. He also told me to say that I could speak English, and I said so accordingly when I was asked.

Mr. Perron—Did the chief ask you in English?

Witness—No, in French. (Laughter.)

'And can you speak English,' asked the judge.

The witness confessed that he could not.

Proceeding, the witness stated that after his interview with Mr. Benoit, he called to see Munday again, and he told him to wait a time. This was in March, 1907. In the following month, Roy was appointed as fireman.

Witness, further questioned by Mr. Perron, said it was generally said in the district of St. Eloi that positions could be bought on the Montreal Fire Brigade.

Immediately before the adjournment, Oliva Joseph Munday, an elderly, grey-haired man was put on oath, and told to return to give evidence at half-past two o'clock. He was cautioned by the Commissioner not to speak of the nature of his evidence to anyone.

Mr. Justice Cannon has given definite instructions that all the documents and evidence given before the civic investigation committee relative to No. 13 police station must be produced before the Commission on Tuesday morning next.

The Commission will not sit on June 24, St. Jean Baptiste Day.

THE 'CAMPANA' ASHORE

Well Known Quebec Steamship Company Liner in Trouble at St. Valier, Que.

PASSENGERS ALL REMOVED—STEAMER WILL BE FLOATED WITHOUT MUCH TROUBLE.

Quebec, June 18.—The steamer 'Campana,' of the Quebec Steamship Company, plying between Montreal, the Gaspé coast, and the Maritime Provinces, ran ashore at St. Valier shortly after eleven o'clock last night. The passengers, of whom there were twelve first class and twenty-three second class, were removed from the damaged ship in lifeboats.

The latest information says that the 'Campana' is resting in a good position, and it is expected that she will be floated without much difficulty.

St. Valier, Bellecase county, is on the south shore of the St. Lawrence, about twenty miles below Quebec.

THT LATE MR. HUXTABLE.

A memorial service for the late Rev. G. G. Huxtable will be held in Sherbrooke Street Methodist Church on Sunday evening, at 7 o'clock. The Rev. T. A. Haipenny, B.A., who was Mr. Huxtable's pastor for the past three years, will preach, and Ald. Carter, president of the Dominion Alliance, will tell of the work of the late secretary and how it was appreciated throughout the province, and elsewhere. Mrs. D. Scott, president of the Hochelaga County W.C.T.U., is also expected to speak. All White Ribboners, Royal Templars, Good Templars and members of other temperance organizations, are invited to attend this service, as a token of respect for the memory of an honored and successful warrior in the fight against intemperance.

PRESS DELEGATES

ENTERTAINED BY DIRECTORS OF MANCHESTER SHIP CANAL—MR. BRIERLEY SPEAKS.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Manchester, June 18.—The delegates to the Imperial Press Conference were entertained here last night to dinner by the directors of the Manchester Ship Canal Company.

Mr. J. S. Brierley, of Montreal, proposed the port of Manchester, recalling the fact that an ancestor of his left Manchester 97 years ago. It was not matters of business, he said, but bonds of friendship that drew them to England. 'Never let it be supposed that their close connection depended on sordid conditions. Their feeling for the Mother Country was based on their common love of liberty and on sentimental affection. It had frequently been said that trade follows the flag, but he did not know that affection and sentiment inevitably followed trade.' He instanced the great trade between Canada and the American continent and the trade between Great Britain and Germany, and if this had produced any great affection between those countries the fact had escaped his observation.

SUICIDE'S BODY UNCLAIMED.

The body of Wilfrid Duquette, still lies at the morgue, unclaimed. This is the man who shot himself a couple of days ago, while pretending to examine a revolver in Martineau's hardware store, St. Catherine street east. It is thought that the man belonged to Quebec, and the morgue authorities are expecting some of the relatives to come and claim the body.

A DEN OF VICE.

For keeping a disorderly house on Cadieux street, near Demontigny street, Marie Charlebois was fined $100 and costs or six months by Mr. Recorder Weir today. Robert Tweedie who was found on the premises escaped with a fine of $20 or two months while three female inmates of the house were remanded until Monday for sentence.

DRUGGIST ACQUITTED

Judge Leet Decided that no Illegality Was Committed in Sale of Calomel.

THE CASE WAS AGAINST MR. CHAPMAN, ONE OF A LARGE NUMBER.

A judgment awaited with eagerness by the chemists of Montreal was delivered by Judge Leet to-day, when he dismissed the action instituted by E. Desrosiers against W. H. Chapman, corner of Guy and St. Catherine street west, accused of selling calomel and in so doing not conforming to the Pharmacy law.

This was a test case, and there are many others taken on similar lines. Mr. D. McAvoy told a 'Witness' reporter, that it was highly improbable that they would be proceeded with at present. 'However, an appeal will be made in this special case on which Judge Leet has rendered judgment,' said Mr. McAvoy.

In giving his decision the judge said he had little sympathy with a prosecution that had been taken out of spite.

MEETING OF EMPERORS

Expressions of Hearty Good Will Exchanged at Banquet on Russian Imperial Yacht

Reval, June 18.—The toasts exchanged between the Emperor Nicholas and the Emperor William at the banquet on board the Russian Imperial yacht 'Standart,' last night, were cordial in their expressions of good will between the two countries.

'I assure Your Majesty,' said the Russian Emperor, 'that I cherish the sincere and unchanging wish ever to maintain the traditional relations of hearty friendship and mutual trust that always have united our two houses, and the cultivation of which I strongly desire, not merely as a pledge of the good relations of our two countries, but of the general peace.'

In reply, Emperor William said: 'I am rejoiced to see, in this hearty reception, a new and valuable confirmation of our sincere personal friendship. I see in it also fresh confirmation of the traditional relationship of cordial friendship and confidence, which, corresponding to the manifold interests and thoroughly peaceful sentiments of our two countries, exists between our governments.'

Berlin, June 18.—The Foreign Office has not yet been advised of the results, from the political standpoint, of the meeting in the Gulf of Finland, yesterday, between the Emperor William and the Emperor Nicholas. The exchanges undoubtedly were of the utmost cordial character, but there will be no official information on the subject until the return here of the Foreign Secretary, Herr von Schoen.

'MADE IN CANADA.'

Manufacturers' Association to Renew Campaign for Home Products.

(See also page 7.)

A matter regarded by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association as one of the most important taken up by them for some time, is the 'Made in Canada' campaign, which the executive yesterday decided to enter upon on an extensive scale. While indirectly the association was connected with a movement of this kind some five or six years ago, it now proposes to handle the entire proposition itself and to operate it primarily as a business and advertising undertaking. The plans upon which they are now working include practical encouragement to 'Made in Canada' exhibitions; the enlistment of the support of commercial travellers; inducing shopkeepers to dress their windows at certain regular times exclusively with Canadian made goods; the teaching of the 'Made in Canada' principle in schools by means of object lessons representative of typical Canadian industries; talks to workingmen, moving pictures, and other things calculated to help the movement along. The matter has been left in the hands of a sub-committee to elaborate a definite plan of operation, and will be made the subject of a special report at the annual general meeting which is to be held in Hamilton in September.

FOR SELLING CIGARETTES

ST. CATHERINE STREET STOREKEEPER SUMMONED IN CASE OF BOY ARRESTED FOR SMOKING.

In the case in which Constable John Collins arrested a boy 14 years of age named Emile Bertrand for smoking cigarettes, the police have issued a summons against George Pulos, tobacconist, of 293 St. Catherine street west, who, it is alleged, sold the cigarettes to the boy. According to law a boy under 16 years of age must not smoke, and it is illegal for anyone to either sell or give him any tobacco. The case will be heard on Monday.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Filters seem to catch the germs only to hold them for future use. The most of the cholera cases in St. Petersburg are among the people who are drinking water coming through dirty filter-beds.

The British Home Secretary has promised to investigate the inquest into the suicide of Mrs. Mary Agnes Ruiz, which occurred in London last month, but was not made public.

The scores in the cricket matches in England at five o'clock this afternoon were: Essex, 190 runs for 4 wickets; Surrey, 179 for 2; Leicester, 159 for 5; Lancashire, 149 for 2, and the Australians, 232 for 5.

Great Britain, through her ambassador at Washington, is urging the United States not to press her claim for participation in the Haukow Sze-Chuen Railway loan.

The action of President Castro, of Venezuela, in January, of last year, in annulling the salt and match monopolies held by a London firm, has just been annulled by the High Federal Court, and both companies are to resume work at once.

There was snow in New York to-day.

In New York, East Side, yesterday, three separate schools, aggregating 4,000 pupils, were startled into such a panic by the passing of a fire engine that all three had to be closed. Parents and children, for some time back, have had their nerves on edge by letters from unknown miscreants, threatening that the children will be murdered unless each family sends the writer a dollar.

The county attorney of Hutchinson, Kan., is being appealed to to break up a band of snake-worshippers in the county, at whose meetings women and children have been bitten by poisonous reptiles.

In the United States Senate to-day the amendment placing print-paper on the free list, was killed by a vote of 29 to 52.

In a wreck on the Chicago and North-Western Railway, near Fond du Lac, Wis., yesterday, the engineer was killed, and the fireman, a mother and her baby, fatally hurt.

Heavy rains early this morning extinguished the forest fires raging through the State of Maine.

The North-West Mounted Police are close on the trail of Red Murray, a horse thief, who escaped from the Manitoba provincial jail, two years ago, and has since, while making his headquarters in Northern Montana, been conducting extensive raids through Saskatchewan.

Toronto sporting men have been warned by the Mayor and police that any player deliberately striking another in a game will be arrested.

The civic authorities of Vancouver have decided to invite His Excellency Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, to officiate at the formal opening of city's new bridge over False Creek at the Granville street.

The new St. Vincent de Paul Hospital which was opened in Sherbrooke this week, represents an expenditure of $160,000, and when the other sections are built on, the building will have cost $600,000. The hospital is fitted with all modern conveniences and is recognized as one of the best equipped institutions in this province.

MR. JOSEPH BOIVIN DEAD

DEPUTY PROVINCIAL TREASURER PASSES AWAY AT HIS SUMMER HOME.

Quebec, June 18.—Mr. Joseph Boivin, Deputy Provincial Treasurer, died about midnight at his summer residence, the 'Island of Orleans.' The deceased was suffering from heart failure for some time past, and it is thought that complications set in, causing death to come rather suddenly. The deceased was fifty-one years of age, and came here from St. Hyacinthe in 1887, as private secretary to the late Honore Mercier. The late Mr. Boivin was exceedingly popular and leaves a young wife.

MOVING PICTURE SHOWS

The case in which proceedings have been instituted at the instigation of the Attorney-General of the Province of Quebec, against thirty Montreal moving picture show proprietors, for keeping their premises open during prohibited hours on May 23, was mentioned this morning, and Judge Bazin fixed the hearing to take place next Wednesday. Mr. T. Rheaume is representing the Attorney-General, while Mr. R. A. E. Greenshields, K.C., and J. Walsh, K.C., have been retained by the defence.

SCAFFOLD GAVE WAY.

Ernest Mole, 18 years of age, and Leonard Pelly, 24 years of age, were removed to the Notre Dame Hospital this morning, suffering from severe injuries received through falling off a scaffold. The two men were 'pointing' on the Laurentian Baths building, at the corner of Beaudry and Craig streets, when a rope supporting the scaffold broke and they fell a distance of 35 feet. Mole had one leg broken, while Pelly had his skull fractured and is in a critical condition.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Notices of births, marriages and deaths must invariably be endorsed with the name and address of the sender, or otherwise no notice can be taken of them. Birth notices are inserted for 25c, marriage notices for 50c, death notices for 25c prepaid. The announcement of funeral appended to death notice, 10c extra; other extensions to obituary, such as short sketch of life, two cents per word extra; except poetry, which is 50 cents per line extra—prepaid.

Annual subscribers may have announcements of births, marriages and deaths (without extended obituary or verse) occurring in their immediate families free of charge, in which case name and address of subscribers should be given.

BIRTHS.

PRESTON — On June 16, 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Preston, 301 Stewart street, Ottawa, a son.

SMITH — On June 11, 1909, at their residence, 38 Thomas street, West Toronto, to Dr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, a son, Gerald Lucian Morgan Smith.

MARRIED.

BARRIE — SMITH — At Richmond, Que., on June 16, 1909, at the residence of the bride's brother, J. Denison Smith, by the Rev. H. Carmichael, Eunice Mina Smith, Somerville, Mass., to John Leonard Barrie, of Richmond.

BRICK — HOLLINRAKE — On June 16, 1909, at 'Maplehurst,' Milton, Ont., the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. F. W. Hollinrake, B.D., of Hamilton, assisted by the Rev. W. Smythe, William J. Brick, of Winnipeg, son of Mr. Benjamin Brick, of Toronto, to Gertrude, youngest daughter of James Hollinrake, Esq.

BELL — WALSH — On June 16, 1909, at the residence of the bride's parents, Wickham, Que., Miss Lizzie N. Walsh to Mr. Bernard H. Bell.

BOLES — MOORE — On June 16, 1909, by the Rev. Carl Allum, in the Methodist Church, Maberly, Ont., Miss Mabel Moore, of South Sherbrooke, Ont., to Mr. Elijah Boles, of Kingston, Ont.

BOYD — ROBSON — At the residence of the bride's parents, Rapidview, Moulinette, Ont., on June 16, 1909, by the Rev. A. E. Boyd, B.D., Lottie Florence, younger daughter of John A. Robson, to J. H. Boyd, of Metcalfe, Ont.

GRAY—JARVIS—At Melville Presbyterian Church, Westmount Park, on June 16, 1909, by the Rev. John Lochhead, M.A., William Lyall Gray, formerly of Manchester, England, to Elizabeth Mary, youngest daughter of Edward W. Jarvis, of Aberdeen, Scotland.

LOWE — ROSE — At the residence of the bride's parents, 178 Congregation street, on June 16, 1909, by the Rev. W. Timberlake, Minnie, daughter of James Rose, to Samuel Lowe, of the City of Montreal.

MACDOUGALL — MEWBURN — At St. John's Church, Port Arthur, Ont., by the rector, the Rev. Charles Hedley, on June 15, 1909, May Helen, only daughter of Lloyd T. Newburn, Calgary, Alta., to A. J. Glenholme Macdougall, M.B., of Port Arthur, Ont.

McNEIL — RUTHERFORD — At the home of the bride, Allan's Corners, Que., by the Rev. F. B. Richardson, B.A., B.D., Jessie M., daughter of John G. Rutherford, to the Rev. J. A. McNeil, of Clarendon, Que.

McCRILLIS — PARKER — At the home of the bride's father, Mr. A. Parker, R.R. Station Master at Smith's Mills, Que., by the Rev. John Fowkes, Mr. George Henry McCrillis, of the city of Montreal, to Miss Gertrude Maud Parker, of the village of Smith's Mills, Que., on Tuesday, June 15, 1909.

MORGAN — TOMPKINS — On June 16, 1909, by the Rev. J. F. Gorman, at Grace Church, Ottawa, George F. Morgan to Amelia F. Tompkins, youngest daughter of the late R. Tompkins, of Buckingham.

NOBBS — SHEPHERD — On June 12, 1909, at St. Mary's Chapel, Como, P.Q., by the Rev. Paterson-Smyth, M.A., LL.D., Percy Erskine Nobbs to Mary Cecilia, elder daughter of Francis J. Shepherd, Esq., M.D.

PINCOMBE — DICKSON—On June 16, 1909, at St. James' Church, Hull, Que., by the Rev. Canon Smith, Jessie Agnes, daughter of the late James Dickson, of Ottawa, to Percy, son of the late Richard Pincombe (formerly of Quebec).

ROGERS — HUNT — In Kingston, Ont., at St. George's Cathedral, on June 15, 1909, Alica Louisa, only daughter of Charles George Hunt, of Kingston, to Charles Rogers, third son of John Rogers, of Ryde, Isle of Wight, England.

SHARP — SMITH — On June 16, 1909, at St. Martin's Church, Montreal, by the Rev. G. Osborne Troop, M.A., William E. Sharp to Alice M. M. Smith, daughter of Joseph Smith, Esq.

WALKER — McCALPIN — On Wednesday, June 2, 1909, at the residence of the bride's parents, South Lake, Ontario, by the Rev. J. H. McConnell, B.D., Maggie J. McCalpin, daughter of Mr. Robert McCalpin, to Mr. John Walker, of Howe Island, Ont.

WOODBURN — BRAILSFORD — On June 9, 1909, at St. John's Wesleyan Church, Bradford, England, Richard Franklin Woodburn, of Bradford, formerly of Montreal, to Mary Drummond, daughter of Alfred W. Brailsford, of Heaton, Bradford.

WRENSHALL — DENNIS — At Christ Church, Chatham, Ont., on June 16, 1909, by the rector, the Rev. T. S. Boyle, assisted by the Rev. D. W. Collins, rector of Exeter, cousin of the bride, Mr. Chas. Monck Wrenshall, manager Merchants Bank of Canada, Tilbury, to Mary Edna, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dennis, Chatham, Ont.

WRIGHT — FINLEY — On Wednesday, June 16, 1909, at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 2 Bishop street, Frederick Eugene Wright, of Washington, D.C., to Kathleen, daughter of the late Samuel Finley.

DIED.

ALLEN — In Kingston, Ont., on June 16, 1909, Sarah Elizabeth Woods, widow of the late Ald. William Allen, aged sixty-five years.

COOPER — On June 15, 1909, Ven. Archdeacon Cooper, M.A., D.D., of Keswatin, eldest surviving son of the late Canon H. C. Cooper, B.A., Oxon, in his 71st year.

FRIZELL — At 448 Agnes street, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Christina McPhail Frisell, widow of the late Richard Frisell, in her 71st year. 'At rest.'

HOOD — On June 16, 1909, H. William Hood, eldest son of Hugh W. Hood.

Funeral from the residence of his father, 110 Shuter street, on Friday, the 18th, at 2.30, to Mount Royal Cemetery.

MAKINS — In Kingston, Ont., on June 16, 1909, William Makins, aged 18 years and 7 days.

S. CARSLEY Co. LIMITED.

Downtown Store—Notre Dame St. West

FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1909.

A Rare Chance for the Men To-Morrow!

2100 Men's 4-Ply Collars!

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Bought as "Seconds"
Reg. 15c and 20c, for

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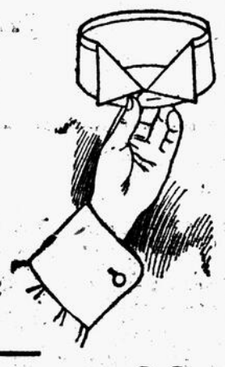

This event shows just how near perfection are the collar-making machines of to-day. These collars come from one of the large, well-known makers—and represent practically his entire factory loss for the past six months. The price at which we took the entire lot would hardly pay for the material, and the laundering. Don't fail to secure a supply.

All the newest shapes are included in this lot the 'Wing,' the double collar, the turn-down collar and the straight collar—all are here. The imperfections on these goods are so slight that it is difficult to distinguish them from regular stock. All wanted sizes. Regular values 15c and 20c.
To-morrow, each.. .. .. **5c**

SEE ST. JAMES STREET WINDOW.

Men's White Duck Trousers 98c

Worth regularly $1.25, for

500 pairs. Men's White Duck Trousers, good strong duck, finished with deep hem and belt straps, cut full, sizes 29 to 48 inches waist. Regular value $1.25. Special.. .. .. **98c**

MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S 2-PIECE OUTING SUITS, in fancy homespuns, prices from .. .. **$5.95** to **$14.45**

YOUNG MEN'S 3-PIECE SUITS, of smart silver grey worsteds, with over plaid effect. Special price.. .. .. **$15.00**

Boys' Summer Clothing!

Boys' Wash Suits, bloomer style .. .. **75c.** to **$4.15**
Boys' Norfolk Suits, of light summer tweed, from **$2.95**
Boys' Wash Blouses, special price **50c**

Hats for Men and Boys

White Duck Hats, ideal for outing wear., etc., special **24c**
Straw Hats, sizes for men and boys, up-to-date blocks, priced all the way from .. .. **35c** to **$2.35**
Panama Hats, at **$5.00, $6.50, $7.00**

Men's White Canvas Shoes, $1.59

Just as an example of the values to be had here, take these White Canvas Oxford Shoes, Blucher, laced style, for men, with medium weight sole, worth $2.00. Selling to-morrow at.. .. .. **$1.59**

Ladies' Long Lisle Gloves, 29c

A small purchase of 12 dozen pairs only, Ladies' Elbow Length, Fine Lisle Gloves, mousquetaire wrist, the regular value of which would be 75c a pair. Sale price to-morrow.. .. .. **29c**

Complete Fishing Outfit, $1.35

We will offer this remarkable combination outfit again to-morrow, consisting of: Good 3-Piece Bamboo Rod with Brass Ferrules, Reel Rest, 40 yard Nickel Reel, Leader, ½ doz. Flies (assorted), ½ doz Gut Hooks, and 1-2 doz. sinkers—all complete for **$1.35**

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Montreal's foremost musicians use and endorse the famous Pratte Pianos. See assortment received by the Leach Piano Co., Ltd., 560 St. Catherine street west, near Drummond. Prices from $150, payable $10 cash and $8 monthly.

MANN — On June 13, 1909, at her residence, Church street, Bowmanville, Ont., Ellen E., widow of the late Henry Mann, in her 82nd year.

ROSS — At 422 Nostrand ave., Brooklyn, N.Y., on June 16, 1909, William Ross, lithographer, son of the late Phillip Ross, of Montreal.

SOMERVILLE — Suddenly, at Hemmingford, Que., on June 17, 1909, Alice M. Darby, dearly beloved wife of P. H. M. Somerville.

WOOD — At the Protestant Hospital, Ottawa, on Saturday, June 5, 1909, Cecil Wood, aged 8 years, eldest son of O. J. Wood, Vankleek Hill, Ont.

WRIGHT — On June 14, 1909, at Jeffery Hale's Hospital, Quebec, Amelia Wright, daughter of the late George Jeremiah Wright, aged 74 years.

Notices received too late for this page may possibly be in time for page 8.

Those sending notices for the above column may send with them a list of names of interested friends together with a one-cent stamp for each address, and marked copies of the 'Witness' containing the notice will be promptly mailed. For addresses in foreign countries three cents will be required.

IS IT A DECEPTION?

A competitor advertises as the Cleanest, most Sanitary, largest, best equipped and most complete Dyeing and Cleaning Works in Canada. The same party advertised this claim once before, when we offered to pay, and do so again,

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OFFICES THROUGHOUT THE CITY.

SENTENCE DAY AT BELLEVILLE.

Belleville, Ont., June 17.—In the county court to-day, before Judge Deroche, the following sentences were imposed: William Balcock, for wounding without intent, three months in jail at hard labor, Thomas Smart, a Mohawk, for perjury, six months in the Central Prison, Richard Simpson, for indecent assault upon a girl under 14 years of age, one year in the Central Prison, and 20 lashes; Harry Barnum, for shopbreaking, and theft, three years in the penitentiary; Wilbur Vancott, for knowingly receiving stolen goods, six months in the Central Prison; Jerome Clark, shopbreaking and theft, three years in the penitentiary.

CLOSING OF BRITISH MAILS.

The postmaster, Montreal, has been advised that the British mails by Canadian steamer to-day will be despatched from Montreal by the I. C. R. seaside special, instead of by No. 34, leaving at noon. The mails, therefore, will be closed at the Montreal post office at 6 o'clock this evening.

SUNDAY SELLING

Regulations Still Outrageously Violated, Says Judge Choquet.

FUTURE OFFENDERS WILL HAVE LICENSES CANCELLED WITHOUT EXCEPTION.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the License Commissioners the transfers of two licenses was granted, one being that of Mr. G. Cusson to Arthur Vallée, 1571 Notre Dame street west, and the other, P. L. Turgeon to A. Benoit, 23 Jacques Cartier square.

Judge Choquet, president of the commission, took the opportunity of severely admonishing those hotelkeepers who are still infringing the law by selling on Sundays. He announced that in future those who were found guilty of Sunday selling would, without exception, have their licenses cancelled. 'It seems,' he said, 'that some of the saloonkeepers are simply mocking the authorities, and that despite repeated warnings the regulations are as outrageously violated as in the past. It will be well for those interested to take notice that the Commission will show itself inflexible in cancelling the license of every offender.'

'SCOUTING FOR BOYS'

GENERAL BADEN-POWELL'S BOOK TO BE DISTRIBUTED AMONG CANADA'S CADET CORPS.

The Honorable the Minister of Militia and Defence has been pleased to approve of the issue to Cadet Corps throughout the country, of copies of Lieut.-General Baden-Powell's book 'Scouting for Boys,' with explanatory pamphlets by the same author.

The object of this distribution is to provide cadets with the means of instruction in practical scouting and other military duties, which are not to be found in the ordinary drill book and training manual. It has been felt for some time that cadet corps have been in need of instruction other than that provided in the syllabus for cadet training, i.e., the squad and company drill, with manual and firing exercises, did not give sufficient scope to a boy's ability and imagination, nor did it furnish sufficient attraction, once the novelty of military drill had worn off. This has now been provided for by General Baden-Powell's book and, in distributing copies to the heads of educational institutions and others in charge of cadet corps, it is hoped that use will be made of them and advantage taken of the excellent instruction therein contained.

M.S.R. EMPLOYEES

HELD ANNUAL MTETING AND VISITED DOMINION PARK.

The following persons were elected to office at the sixth annual meeting of the Montreal Street Railway Mutual Benefit Association held last evening:—Mr. G. W. Ross, president; Messrs. J. Delaney, R. M. Hannaford, A. S. Byrd, J. Hughes, J. Gagne, N. Lachance, W. Butler, A. Arel, A. Leblanc, H. G. Taylor, A. Gaboury, D. McDonald and Patrick Dubee, director and secretary-treasurer.

The following medical officers were re-appointed:—Dr. A. R. Marsolais, chief medical officer; Drs. J. R. Rioux, A. Ethier and W. E. Nelson.

Auditors—Messrs. J. E. Semper and Alex. Stewart.

About eight hundred employees attended the meeting and Mr. W. G. Ross, president of the association, presided.

Addressing the members in French, Mr. Patrick Dubee, who acted as secretary, referred to the good feeling existing between the company and the men, and gave general statistics regarding the society's financial condition.

Afterwards the members proceeded in ten cars, headed by the band, to Dominion Park, where supper was served followed by a concert.

Conspicuous among the members present were Joseph Craig and John Rafferty, both of whom have been connected with the company for almost forty years.

There are 2,500 members of the association.

SMUGGLERS PUNISHED

DRESSMAKERS' SUPPLIES WERE THE COMMODITIES THEY WERE INTERESTED IN.

New York, June 17.—George C. White, William Kilgannon, and the latter's wife, Elizabeth Kilgannon, pleaded guilty to-day in the United States Circuit Court to indictments charging them with smuggling. White and Kilgannon are engaged together in business as dealers in dressmakers' supplies on Fifth avenue, and Mrs. Kilgannon is a dressmaker, Kilgannon was sentenced to a year in the penitentiary and White to two years in the federal prison at Atlanta. Mrs. Kilgannon was fined $5,000, which she paid.

MME. NORDICA'S FAREWELL.

London, June 17.—Madame Lillian Nordica gave her farewell concert at Queen's Hall this afternoon, amid scenes of extraordinary enthusiasm. The hall was so crowded that many from the audience had to be accommodated with seats on the platform. When the singer first appeared the entire audience arose and cheered, and she received a memorable ovation at the close of the concert.

Both the King and the Prince of Wales had engaged a row of stalls for performance, but they were unable to be present

BRANDENBURG TRIAL

SUNDAY-EDITOR OF NEW YORK 'TIMES' AND A LADY STENOGRAPHER TESTIFY.

New York, June 17.—Broughton Brandenburg showed little concern to-day as the state continued its attempt to prove that the article sold to the New York 'Times' for $500, as the late Mr. Grover Cleveland's, was a forgery and that Brandenburg knew it when he sold the article. When the court adjourned he was chatting cheerfully with spectators, and apparently did not regard as damaging the testimony of the second day of his trial.

Late to-day the state introduced witnesses in rapid succession, first to identify the typewriter on which the article is said to have been written and the stenographer to whom it was delivered, then the typewritten sheets of the article itself and their correspondence with the published text. By this testimony the prosecution hopes to prove that the article was dictated in part from notes and in part written in long-hand by Brandenburg and passed over by him to the stenographer to transcribe, more than a month after Mr. Grover Cleveland died.

Miss Lillian Bacon, who said she took Brandenburg's dictation of part of the article in question, told how Brandenburg looked over the sheets at her table when they were done, and said: 'It is good salable stuff,' adding that it was '"Cleveland's style," or something like that.'

Mr. Charles M. Lincoln, Sunday editor of the New York 'Times,' was recalled to the stand to-day. The article was read to the witness at the opening of court. It had been identified by him and admitted in evidence at the close of the session on Tuesday. On cross-examination by Attorney Jacobs, for the defence, Mr. Lincoln stated that he had twice sent a reporter to F. S. Hastings, one of the executors of Mr. Cleveland's will, to ascertain if the article was genuine. Two letters which the witness said the reporter had secured from Mr. Hastings were admitted in evidence. In one of them, over the signature of F. S. Hastings, the statement was made that the writer had given Brandenburg 'a formal written assignment by which he has the exclusive right to the said article.' The second letter, in part, said:—

'I have examined the signature submitted to me by Mr. Ybarra, and compared it with others of Mr. Cleveland, and believe that the one submitted by Mr. Ybarra is genuine—I have no reason to believe that the article furnished you by Mr. Brandenburg purporting to have been written by Mr. Cleveland is not genuine.'

Mr. Lincoln adhered under cross-examination to his positive identification of the article as the one Brandenburg had given him. As to the genuineness of the article, the witness said, his reliance on it was placed solely on the statements made by Mr. Hastings. When the original article had been returned to Brandenburg after its publication, Brandenburg objected to the signature having been cut off, and witness said he informed the defendant that the signature would not be given up because the genuineness of the article had been questioned.

Mr. Lincoln said he had no recollections of Brandenburg saying anything about intending to sell the article to the Republican National Committee, but stated that that committee had asked permission to use the article, and credit it to the 'Times.'

Brandenburg's testimony before the Grand Jury, which indicted him, was read. Brandenburg stated to the Grand Jury that he had typewritten the article himself.

'Who signed it?' was the question.

'Mr. Cleveland,' was the answer the prosecutor received. According to the minutes, Brandenburg said Mr. Cleveland signed the article at his office, No. 1 Madison avenue. There was no one else present. He had urged Mr. Cleveland to give him an interview, but the request had been declined. He had then asked that Mr. Cleveland prepare a series of articles to be sold by Brandenburg, but Mr. Cleveland replied that he did not think this would be dignified. Mr. Cleveland finally wrote some twenty or thirty sheets of notes which Brandenburg carried with him. After typewriting it, he testified, he took it to Mr. Cleveland for correction, recopying the corrected article. His suggestions as to cutting out certain passages had been adopted, Brandenburg testified.

Mr. Cleveland was not well when he took the article back, and objected to looking it over, but finally he did so, and signed it with a stub pen, the manuscript notes being left with Mr. Cleveland.

The writer then told of offering the article to several magazines before offering to the 'Times,' and of Mr. Cleveland's disappointment at the price offered. He also told of conversations with Mr. Hastings after the ex-President's death, in which the writer declared Mr. Hastings specifically authorized him to sell the article. Mr. Cleveland's signature, Brandenburg testified, was attacked about March 6, 1908.

BURGLARS AT EASTMAN.

Eastman, Que., June 17.—Burglars entered the store of C. H. Dingman & Co., this place, during the early hours of this morning. The lock was pried off the store door and entrance thus effected. An effort was made to open the safe, and it appears that there was an explosion in an effort to blow it open. This aroused a man who slept in the building up stairs, and he shouted, thus frightening the burglars. They succeeded in making their escape, taking two revolvers and a few dollars in cash which had been left in the cash drawer.

Readers can have the 'Daily Witness' at summer resorts in Canada or the United States for only 25 cts. per month.

PUZZLE PICTURES POSTPONED

The publication of the ... announced for to-morrow ... unavoidably postponed.

DEATH OF MRS. ...

BRITISH HOME SECRETARY MISES AN INQUIRY ARE FURNISHED

London, June 17.—Mr. ... stone, the Home Secretary, in the House of Commons to-day, to investigate the inquest of Mrs. Mary Agnes ... last May, if furnished ...

Mrs. Agnes O'Brien ... had been mentioned in the divorce case of Vanderbilt, committed ... ing in London, on ... There was an inquest ... the proceedings were ... the public. A question ... to the Home Secretary ... of Commons, by Mr. ... M.P., regarding the ... facts in connection ...

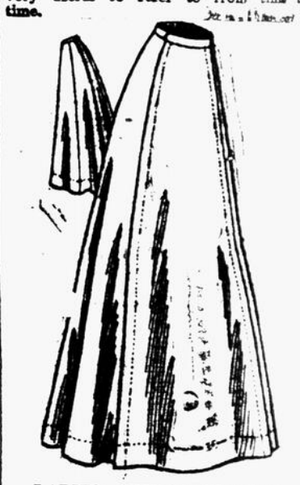
NOTES AND ...

An Extra Sleeper ... —Owing to the increased ... Canadian Pacific has ... sleeper between Montreal ... Marie, leaving Montreal ... 9.50 p.m., and returning ... a.m. In addition to ... the company is operating ... between Montreal and ... and Montreal and ... hart.

A New Train for ... mencing to-morrow, June ... will be run between Montreal ... bridge, Ste. Agathe and ... ing Windsor Street Station ... on Saturdays only, and ... Sundays only leaving ... p.m., and arriving Windsor ... tion at 9.15 p.m. On the ... ney to Montreal this train ... a Parlor Car from Ste. Agathe ... real.

THE 'WITNESS' DAILY MODEL

The home dressmaker should keep a little catalogue scrap book of the daily pattern cuts. These will be found very useful to refer to from time to time.



LADIES' FIVE-GORED SKIRT

Paris Pattern No. 7970.

A splendid model for the ... skirt, to be developed in any ... summer materials, but ... linen, Indian-head cotton, ... Victoria lawn, mercerized ... racquet cloth, is here illustrated. ... stitching is all the trimming ... a skirt of this kind needs and the ... box plait at the centre ... necessary fulness. The ... the left side of the front ... edge is finished with a ... pattern is in 7 sizes ... waist measure. For 26 ... made of material with ... yards 20 inches wide, ... inches wide, 4 5-8 yards ... 4 1-8 yards 42 inches ... 54 inches wide; without ... 7 1-4 yards 20 inches ... inches wide, 4 yards ... 5-8 yards 42 inches ... inches wide; width of ... 3 1-2 yards.

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Please send the above-mentioned pattern as per directions given below.

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N.B.—Be sure to cut out the ... tion and send with the coupon, carefully filled out. The pattern cannot reach you in less than a week. Price 10 cents, in cash, postal note, or stamps. Address, 'Witness' Pattern Department, 'Witness' Block, Montreal.

STORES WILL CLOSE EARLY

New Law to be Enforced in St. Louis After July 7 Next.

TOWN COUNCIL DISCUSSES ENGINEER'S SALARY AND OTHER IMPORTANT MATTERS.

In the absence of the Mayor, who was prevented from attending Wednesday's meeting of the Council, as the result of an accident he met with recently, the acting Mayor, Mr. Jubinville, presided. Councillors present were Messrs. Lavalle, Berubé, Godon, Martel, Grignon and Desjardins.

The early-closing Association of St. Louis, having requested the Council to put in force the early-closing by-law adopted last summer, it was decided to accede to the request and carry out the provisions of the law within the limits of St Louis. Accordingly after July next, all stores will have to be closed at 6 o'clock in the evening, on Wednesdays and Thursdays of each week.

Some discussion took place regarding the expediency of giving the town attorney instructions to take the necessary steps for a new issue of debentures under the amended bill, annexing the municipality to the city of Montreal, but without result.

The question of purchasing a steam roller was taken up on the report of the town engineer. It appeared from Mr. Vanier's report that eight tenders for steam rollers had been received, and that he advised the Council to purchase the 15-ton roller, offered by Messrs. Hugh Cameron & Co., for $3,450. The report was adopted and the Road Department will have two steam-rollers at work this summer, the other roller having been leased from the municipality of Ville St. Paul.

Councillor Berubé called attention to the engagement of Mr. Vanier, passed in December 21, by which it appeared that the town engineer was to be paid for supervision, of the construction of permanent sidewalks at the rate of five percent of the cost. This percentage would amount to a considerable expense and he thought this work of supervision could be done much cheaper.

Councillor Martel replied that Mr. Vanier was entitled to this commission. The secretary read the engagement to show that Mr. Vanier was given five percent commission, which was to cover the work of giving the alignment and grade. He also read a letter from Mr. Bastien, town attorney, in support of Mr. Vanier's claim.

Mr. Berubé said the Council had also made an engagement with Mr. Vanier, by which he was to receive a salary of $2,750 annually as town engineer; and that it was evident that the work of supervising the construction of the sidewalks was part of the duties of the engineer, and was fully covered by the salary of $2,750 a year, which Mr. Vanier received.

The Financial Statement, as submitted by the Secretary-Treasurer, covering three years past, was ordered to be printed for distribution.

CITY FIRE STATIONS

NUMBERS AND LOCATION SINCE RECENT REVISION.

The numbers of three fire stations have been changed since the new fire headquarters at the corner of Chennevile and Craig streets were opened. The new station, lately called No. 20, will be known as No. 1, and the old No. 5 station, on St. Catherine street west, near Bleury street, is to be known as No. 25. The Youville square station will be called No. 20.

The following is the complete list of stations:

No. 1—Craig street, corner of Chennevile street.
No. 2—40 St. Gabriel street, near Notre Dame street.
No. 3—154, 156 and 158 Wellington street, near Dalhousie street.
No. 4—15 Chaboillez square.
No. 5—Berthelet street, near Ontario street.
No. 6—147 Ontario street east, near City Hall avenue.
No. 7—Corner Notre Dame and Beaudry streets.
No. 8—Corner of Craig and Gain streets.
No. 9—72 Richardson street, corner Richmond street.
No. 10—789 St. Catherine street west, near Guy street.
No. 11—640 Ontario street, near Beaudry street.
No. 12—308 Seigneurs street, near Notre Dame street.
No. 13—St. Catherine street, near De[illegible] street.
No. 14—867 St. Dominique street, near Rachel street.
No. 15—398 Hibernia road, corner of Mullins street.
No. 16—462 Parc Lafontaine, end of Rachel street.
No. 17—1444 St. Denis street, near Bernier avenue.
No. 18—Corner of Boyer street and Rachel St. Denis.
No. 19—521 Fullum street, near Ontario street.
No. 20—Youville square.
No. 21—148 Mill street.
No. 22—94 Vinet street, near Workman street.
No. 23—1942 St. James street, near Henri square.
No. 24—2310 Notre Dame street west, near St. Elizabeth du Portugal avenue.
No. 25—250 St. Catherine street west, near Bleury street.

OFFICE AT NIAGARA CAMP.

Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont., June 17.—Postal service, affording the same facilities as in a city, was inaugurated in connection with the Niagara Camp to-day. The Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, postmaster-general, accompanied by Mr. [illegible] Rowe, chief post office inspector, were present for the formal opening.

CAUGHNAWAGA INDIANS

ARE REHEARSING THEIR NATIONAL HISTORICAL DRAMA FOR CHAMPLAIN TERCENTENARY.

These are great days in the Indian village of Caughnawaga. One hundred and fifty of the braves are rehearsing the life history of the Iroquois tribe, with a view to giving dramatic presentations on the same at the forthcoming celebration of the tercentenary of the discovery of Lake Champlain. Tonight the first full-dress rehearsal will take place, and it is expected that there will be a big crowd of visitors from surrounding points. The pageants which the Indians are to present are for the most part founded on Mr. W. D. Lighthall's new book, 'The Master of Life,' and to this has been added a scene depicting the battle of Lake Champlain. Those who are connected with the production of these Indian pageants say they far surpass in interest those in which the Indians took part at the Quebec Tercentenary. The Champlain Tercentenary starts on Monday, July 5, and lasts until the following Saturday, and the Indians will give performances at the following places: July 5, Crown Point; July 6, Ticonderoga; July 7, Plattsburg; July 8, Burlington, Vt.; July 9, Isle la Motte (morning), Rouse's Point (evening).

THE CANADA CLUB.

At the annual meeting of the Canada Club on Wednesday, the following were elected to serve for the ensuing year: Hon. President, Mr. Hugh A. Allan; President, Mr. Lansing Lewis; Vice President, Mr. W. I. Gear; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. J. H. Horsey; Hon. Secretary, Mr. A. E. Abbott. Messrs. C. E. Archibald, Anson McKim and Colonel J. H. Burland were added to the committee in place of three retiring members. The financial statement, presented by the retiring president, Mr. R. W. Macdougall, showed the club to be in a very prosperous condition, and a hearty vote of thanks was accorded him.

NEW BUILDINGS FOR QUEEN'S.

Kingston, Ont., June 17.—At a cost of $150,000, two new buildings for chemistry and mining and metallurgy will be erected on the campus at Queen's for the School of Mining. The buildings will be put up facing Union street. The Provincial Government aided with $100,000, and Prof. Wm. Nicol gave $40,000. There are now ten buildings on Queen's grounds. A new club house will be erected on the athletic grounds.

READABLE PARAGRAPHS

They were sitting hand in hand on the gnarled trunk of a fallen oak. The sun's golden crown had jewelled the desolate, dreary west, and the trees were enshrouded in crimson rich as a monarch's garb. 'I dreamed of you last night,' she said, in a rich Cockney accent. 'Did you, really?' he inquired, and a tint of red suffused his brow like the blush that kindles on the timid cheek of morn. 'Yus,' she said, 'I allus dreams when I 'as a good tuck in of lobster and rhubarb pie afore going to roost.'—Glasgow 'News.'

Conversation heard on a train for Monte Carlo. Two travellers, unknown to each other, chatting familiarly: 'On your way to Monte Carlo, sir, that delightful and exclusive home for gamblers?' 'That is exactly where I am going.' 'And you will play just a little, I suppose?' 'I do nothing else, sir; it is my business.' 'Gracious! You don't mean to say you make a business of it?' 'Yes, sir; twice a day regularly, and I never by any chance lose.' 'In that case, perhaps, you will explain your system to me?' 'Certainly, with pleasure. I play the violin.'

Angler—'Is this public water, my man?' Inhabitant—'Aye.' Angler—'Then it won't be a crime if I land a fish?' Inhabitant—'No; no; it will be a miracle.'

HE BEGUN IT.

A young clergyman was taking holiday duty in a moorland district, where the church-goers were largely made up of farmers and shepherds. The latter were in the habit of bringing their dogs with them to church, and, like their masters, they listened quietly during the service, and sometimes, like them, they dozed during the sermon. The new clergyman at his first service started intoning, and, unused to such an innovation, one of the dogs commenced to howl. 'Take that dog out!' enjoined the clergyman, but no one moved, and he proceeded with the service. The intoning was renewed, and so also was the howling. 'Take that dog out!' commanded the clergyman. 'I told you before to have it removed.' One of the shepherds rose from his seat and dragged the animal outside. Presently shuffling feet were heard coming up the aisle, and the shepherd resumed his seat; but, turning to the clergyman at the reading desk, he remarked: 'You begun it!'—Glasgow 'News.'

'Niagara has a wonderful force,' remarked a globe trotter to a lady. 'Marvellous! Do you know when I first saw it for a full moment I couldn't speak.'

PILES Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for each and every form of Itching, Bleeding and Protruding piles. See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbours about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. 60c, at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto.
DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

ZAM-BUK CURES SUNBURN.

Don't have your vacation spoiled by the pain of sunburn; and don't have your skin permanently freckled from the same cause.

Zam-Buk contains herbal extracts and juices which not only ease the pain of sunburn, but prevent unpleasant results from it. Zam-Buk applied to a bad burn gives speedy ease. It also soothes blisters, aching feet, chafed places, insect stings, etc. See that you take it with you to the country!

Mothers should know that for baby's chafed places it is better than powder. Also for heat rashes, eczema, prairie itch, etc. Sufferers from piles will find it indispensable. All druggists and stores. Local wholesale depot, 144 Craig street West, Montreal.

TRADE GAMBLING

REPORT OF COMMITTEE APPOINTED BY GOVERNOR HUGHES TO INVESTIGATE QUESTION.

New York, June 17.—The report of the committee appointed by Governor Hughes to investigate speculation in securities and commodities and the organizations used in dealings therein has been made public. The New York Stock Consolidated Stock, the Cotton, the Produce, the Coffee, the Mercantile, and the Metal exchanges and the curb market were thoroughly investigated, and recommendations looking to improvement of existing conditions were made at length by the committee. The most drastic finding is that affecting the mercantile and metal exchanges, as follows: 'Under present conditions, we are of the opinion that the mercantile and metal exchanges do actual harm to producers and consumers, and that their charters should be repealed.'

Concerning speculation in general the committee declares that it may be wholly legitimate, pure gambling or something partaking of the qualities of both, that in some form it is a necessary incident of productive operations; that it tends to steady prices and that for the merchant or manufacturer the speculator performs a service which has the effect of insurance. 'In law,' says the report, 'speculation becomes gambling when the trading which it involves does not lead, and is not intended to lead, to the actual passing from hand to hand of the property that is dealt in.

'The rules of all the exchanges forbid gambling as defined by this opinion; but they make so easy a technical delivery of the property contracted for, that the practical effect of much speculation, in point of form legitimate, is not greatly different from that of gambling.'

The committee makes no presentment against short selling, but declares the tendency of such selling is to steady prices. It is recommended that the minimum margin should be 20 percent and strong disapproval is expressed of branch brokerage offices, which supply liquor and resort to other improper means to induce speculation.

A POINT OF LAW

THE P. & R. RY. INDICTED FOR ALLOWING LOWER FREIGHT RATE THAN SCHEDULE CALLS FOR.

Philadelphia, June 17.—In the indictment yesterday of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway by the Federal Grand Jury for allowing a lower freight rate than that published in the schedule of the Interstate Commerce Commission, rises an important question regarding what is to be legally recognized as the original point of shipment of commodities and merchandise imported from foreign ports. The proceedings, which were started by the Government, constitute a test case of the point at issue.

A carload of beet sugar was imported from Hamburg, Germany, its destination being Alberta, Canada.

As no Canadian port was acceptable for the delivery of the sugar the shipment was sent to the port of Philadelphia and was handled by the Reading part of the way to Alberta.

The Reading's charges, it appeared, were but 55 cts. per hundred weight, despite the schedule price of $1.32 covering this class of freight. The company contends that the shipment was not one which originated in this country and did not come within the application of the scheduled rates of the Interstate Commerce Commission. The original point of shipment, according to the railway, was in Hamburg, Germany.

United States authorities aver that to all intents and purposes of the act, the carrying of the sugar by the defendants was an original shipment, the starting point being the local port and not Hamburg.

FIRE RECORD

LOSS OF $20,000 CAUSED AT NEWARK, OHIO, BY A CARELESS SMOKER.

Newark, Ohio, June 17.—A cigar or cigarette carelessly tossed away is supposed to have caused a fire that early to-day destroyed the auditorium of the Monumental building, in which the Ohio Grand Army Veterans have been holding their annual encampment. The loss is $20,000. The veterans to-day are meeting in churches and school houses.

BANQUET TO THE PREMIER.

The members of the Council of the Bar tendered a banquet to Sir Lomer Gouin at the Mount Royal Club, under the presidency of the Batonnier, Mr. R. C. Smith, K.C., on Wednesday. The gathering had no political significance, the compliment being paid to the guest of the evening in his quality as Premier and Attorney-General.

THE LISTS WILL CLOSE AT 4 P. M. ON TUESDAY, THE 22nd DAY OF JUNE, 1909.

The Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, Limited.

APPLICATIONS will be received by THE EASTERN TRUST COMPANY OF HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA, up to June 22nd, 1909, for

5 p. c. First Mortgage Bonds of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, Limited, at Par.

Payable as follows: 10 p. c. on application; balance with accrued interest on July 15th, 1909.

THE Bonds offered are part of an issue of $6,000.000 secured by a First Mortgage upon all the ore, coal, timber and other lands, buildings, mines, minerals, collieries, smelting furnaces, steel mills, coke ovens, rolling mills, forges, coal and other fixtures, plant, machinery, patents, railways, wharves, rolling stock, powers, rights, revenues, privileges, exemptions and franchises (present and future acquired) of the Company in Canada and Newfoundland.

The Bonds are 50-year Gold Bonds with a Cumulative Sinking Fund of ½ p. c., commencing on January 1st, 1911, and are redeemable at any time by the Company before maturity at 105. The interest coupons will be payable half-yearly at par at Montreal, Toronto, Halifax and Boston.

The mortgage securing the Bonds covers among other things the Iron Ore and Coal deposits of the Company, which alone are estimated to represent in value many times the amount of the issue of Bonds.

The earnings of the Company for the past three years have been as follows:—

1906..	$960,281.03
1907..	944,790.66
1908..	734,701.53
	$2,639,773.22

An average for the three years of $879,924.44, equivalent to about three times the interest on the entire issue of Bonds.

The accounts of the Company for the past three years have been audited by Messrs. Price Waterhouse & Co., of London, England, and their certificate can be seen at the office of The Eastern Trust Company, Halifax.

A part only of the Bond issue has been reserved for the Canadian market, the balance being placed elsewhere.

The Present Bond holders of the Company whose Bonds are to be redeemed at 110 are to be given the privilege of exchanging their present holdings at 110 for the new Bonds at par, or the 6 p. c. Debenture Stock of the Company at par, accrued interest to be adjusted; and the Directors will, out of the Bonds available for the Canadian Market first allot those applied for by the present Bondholders and allot the balance among the other applications received *pro rata*.

All Bondholders who wish to avail themselves of the privilege of exchanging their Bonds are to communicate their wishes to the undersigned on or before June 22nd, 1909, stating what number of Bonds they wish to exchange, whether their present holdings of Bonds are First Mortgage or Consolidated Bonds, and what securities, whether Bonds or 6 p. c. Debenture stock, they desire to receive in exchange.

Applications for purchase of Bonds must be for multiples of $100 and accompanied by a deposit of 10 p. c. on the amount of the application. (No deposit is required in the case of applications for exchange of Bonds.)

In case of partial allotment, the surplus deposit will be applied towards the amount payable on July 15th, failure to pay which when due will render the deposit liable to forfeiture.

Interim certificates will be issued pending the engraving of the Bonds.

Applications should follow one or other of the following forms:

FORM No. 1.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE.

To the Eastern Trust Company,
Halifax, N.S.:

I hold (1)..... Bonds of the par value of $..... of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, Limited.

I desire to exchange them for (2) .....

.....

.....of that Company, on the terms of your notice dated June 11th, 1909, and I agree to accept the same, or such part thereof as may be allotted to me.

Dated at.....this.....day of June, 1909.

Signature.....

Address.....

(1) State whether First Mortgage or Consolidated.

(2) State whether you desire New Bonds or Debenture Stock, or, if you desire both, state what portion of each.

FORM No. 2.

APPLICATION FOR PURCHASE.

To the Eastern Trust Company,
Halifax, N.S.:

I enclose herewith the sum of $..... being the deposit of 10 p. c. payable on application for $..... of the new 5 p. c. First Mortgage 50-year Gold Bonds of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company, Limited, at par, and I hereby request you to allot me that amount of Bonds, and I agree to accept and pay for the same, or such portion thereof as may be allotted to me, on the 15th day of July, 1909, upon the terms and conditions of your notice of the 15th day of June, 1909.

Dated at.....this.....day of June, 1909.

Signature.....

Address.....

Printed forms of application may be obtained from any Branch of The Union Bank of Halifax, the Bank of Nova Scotia, the Metropolitan Bank, the Royal Bank of Canada, the offices of the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Company, Limited, at New Glasgow, North Sydney, Quebec, or Montreal, or from

THE EASTERN TRUST COMPANY,
Halifax and St. John, Canada

June 15th, 1909.

Weekly Calendar.

DOMINION PARK THE PLAYGROUND OF CANADA **TO-NIGHT**

Grand Amateur Athletic Sports to-night. Numerous entries by best known local cracks, including Frank Lukeman (sprinter), W. Halpenny (vaulter), Don Buddo (hurdler), and many Nationals.

FIFTY BIG PARK FEATURES

Great Tug-of-War Contest To-morrow Night

All east-bound cars run or transfer to Park.

10 cents ADMISSION 10 cents

LYRIC HALL

FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS AT 2 P.M. and 8 P.M.
LYROSCOPE MOVING and SONG PICTURES
ONLY TWO DAYS EACH WEEK IN SUMMER. Fine Programme as usual. Two Hours' Show.
Popular Prices, 10c, 15c, 25c Children at Friday matinees, 5c

M. A. A. A.

ANNUAL SPRING HANDICAPS

M.A.A.A. Grounds. Saturday, June 26th, 1909

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS.

JUNIOR—100 yards, 440 yards run.
INTERMEDIATE—100 yards, 880 yards run.
SENIOR—100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, 880 yards, 1 mile, 3 miles, Running High Jump, Running Broad Jump, Putting 16 lb. Shot, Throwing 56 lb. Weight, Pole Vault. Open to Amateurs registered with the A. A. F. of Canada.
Rules of the A. A. F. of Canada to govern.
ENTRIES CLOSE TUESDAY, JUNE 22nd, 1909.
Entrance fee, Junior and Intermediate, 25c, per man for each event.
Entrance fee, Senior Events, 50c, per man for each event.
250 Peel Street. JOHN DAVIDSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

FRIDAY, JUNE 18.

ART ASSOCIATION

Galleries of Paintings
—AND—
Work by Canadian Artists.

9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission 25c.

SUNDAY, JUNE 20.

DOMINION ALLIANCE

MEMORIAL SERVICE

For our late Secretary

REV. G. G. HUXTABLE,

SUNDAY EVENING, JUNE 20th, 7 O'CLOCK,

Sherbrooke St. Methodist Church.

All members of Temperance organizations and other friends of the cause are specially invited.

S. J. CARTER, President.

MEN'S OWN

In CALVARY CHURCH - COY STREET

SUNDAY, June 20th, 1909.

Speaker—Rev. Prof. E. A. COOK, Ph.D.
Subject: 'THE GOLDEN AGE.'
Soloist—Miss JENNIE JOSLIN.

A Treat for All Who Come.

REV. R. CORRIGAN

will speak at the MEN'S MEETING,
SUNDAY, 3.45 P.M.
J. STUART JAMIESON, Chairman.
SPECIAL MUSIC.

Mr. L. H. PACKARD will speak at the MEN'S MEETING,
SATURDAY, 8 P.M.
Mr. P. A. DOIG, Chairman.

SONG SERVICE,
SUNDAY, 8.30 P.M.
ON THE STEPS OF THE BUILDING.
All Men Heartily Invited to these Meetings.
Young Men's Christian Association, Dominion Square.

MAILS FOR GREAT BRITAIN, EUROPE, ETC., CLOSED AT MONTREAL.

June.

**12	10.30	a.m.	Empress of Britain, Can. Pacific.
18	9.30	a.m.	New York, American.
* 18	6.00	p.m.	" Supplementary.
**19	12.30	p.m.	Laurentic, Dominion.
21	9.30	a.m.	Kaiser Wm. der Grosse, N. G. Lloyd.
* 21	6.00	p.m.	" Supplementary.
22	9.30	a.m.	Campania, Cunard.
* 22	6.00	p.m.	" Supplementary.
25	9.30	a.m.	St. Louis, American.
* 25	6.00	p.m.	" Supplementary.
**25	10.30	a.m.	Victorian, Allan.
**26	2.30	p.m.	Dominion, Dominion.
28	9.30	a.m.	Kaiser Wilhelm II., N.G. Lloyd.
* 28	6.00	p.m.	" Supplementary.
29	9.30	a.m.	Lusitania, Cunard.
* 29	6.00	p.m.	" Supplementary.

*Letters may be posted up to 6 p.m. Other matter should be posted before 5 p.m. Registered before 5.30 p.m.

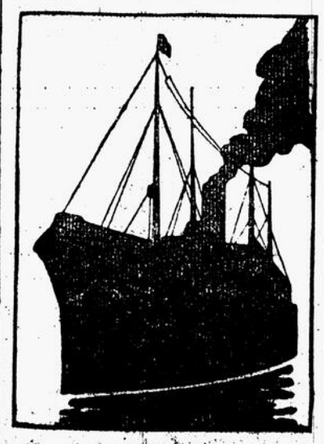
**Parcels (per Parcel Post) are forwarded by the Canadian steamer, the last time of mailing at Head Office being 9.30 a.m., on Fridays and 12 noon on Saturdays.

*Letters for the above mails may be posted at Postal Stations 'B' and 'C' up to within 15 minutes of the above mentioned hours of closing.

COMMISSIONER APPOINTED.

Mr. S. W. Jacobs, K.C., of the law firm of Jacobs & Garneau, has been appointed a commissioner to proceed to Ireland to take evidence regarding the antecedents of Dillon, who stands charged with killing Constable Shea and wounding others in Mance street, fourteen months ago.

SHIPPING NEWS



ARRIVALS.

Steamer.	At	From
Adriatic	New York	Southampton
Barbarossa	New York	Naples
Siberian	St. John's	Glasgow
Lancastrian	Boston	London
Mongolian	Glasgow	New York
Merion	Liverpool	Philadelphia
Prince Friedrich Wilhelm	Plymouth	New York
Oceanic	Southampton	New York
Estoria	Libau	New York
Nieuw Amsterdam	Rotterdam	New York
La Provence	Havre	New York
Princess Irene	Naples	New York

TUNISIAN PASSENGERS.

The SS. Tunisian, of the Allan line, which sailed this morning for Liverpool, had on board the members of the Bisley team, which is as follows: — Lieut.-Colonel A. Bertram, 3rd Inf. Bgd., Dundas, Ont., Commandant; Major M. S. Mercer, 2nd Q. O.R., Toronto, Adjutant; Capt. J. McVittie, 48th Highlander, Toronto; Sergt. W. A. Smith, G.G.F.G., Ottawa; Sergt. F. H. Morris, 46th Regt., Bowmanville; Staff-Sgt. F. Richardson, 5th C.A., Victoria, B.C.; Color-Sergt. J. Freeborn, 13th Regt., Hamilton; Captain W. H. Forrest, 6th D.G.O. R., Vancouver; Sergt. W. D. Sprinks, 10th R.G., Toronto; Corp. D. McInnis, 19th A. M.R., Edmonton; Staff-Sergt. T. Mitchell, 13th Regt., Hamilton; Lieut. Neil Smith, 24th Regt., Chatham, Ont.; Staff-Major S. J. Huggins, 13th Regt., Hamilton; Staff-Sergt. H. Kerr, 48th Highlanders, Toronto; Sergt. G. W. Russell, G.G.F.G., Ottawa; Private H. D. Gongeon, 90th Regt., Winnipeg; Sgt. W. Kelly, 10th R.G., Toronto; Corp. G. Copping, 3rd V.R.C., Montreal; Staff-Major G. Creighton, 2nd Q.O.R., Toronto; Sergt. H. M. Marsden, 90th Regt. Winnipeg; Major J. M. Jones, 82nd Regt., Pownal, P.E.I.; Sergt. F. A. Steck, 78th Regt., Truro, N.S.

The other saloon passengers are: the Rev. A. H. Armstrong, Oak Park; Miss Audap, Mrs. A. D. Blackader, Miss C. M. Blackader, Montreal; Mrs. Biermans, Master Biermans, Shawinigan Falls; Dr. Frank T. Bailey, Mr. Bailey, jr., Denver; Mr. M. C. Bogart, Mrs. Bogart, Napanee; Mrs. Bertram, Miss Bertram, Dundas; Mrs. Mary J. Bates, Joliet; Mr. Walter Beechy, Oak Park; Mr. W. W. Ballantyne, Ottawa; the Rev. Walter Cannon, Ottawa; Mrs. W. H. Cosegrove, Hammond; Mr. Caldecott, Toronto; Colonel Frewen, Mrs. Frewen, Miss Frewen, Miss I. Frewen, Hamilton, Bermuda; Mr. Gideon Gaciau, Ottawa; Miss Ileck, Napanee; Mrs. Huggins, Hamilton; Mrs. Edward Jenner, Halifax; Mrs. Henry S. Jaffray, Chicago; Mr. Wm. Jones, Ottawa; Miss Mabel Kidder, Proctor; Major Knowles, Mrs. Knowles, Miss Knowles, Dundas; Mrs. Keating, Montreal; Mr. W. H. Leas, Mrs. Leas, Chicago; Mr. P. R. Labelle, Mrs. Labelle, Montreal; Mrs. Love, Victoria; Miss Edna Martindale, Alleston; Mrs. Mason, Joliet; Captain Gordon Miller, Toronto; Miss J. E. Macdougall, Montreal; Mrs. Newberry, Mrs. George T. Nicholson, Miss Carrie Nicholson, Chicago; Miss M. X. Norton, Proctor; Mr. H. Gilbert Nobbs, Mrs. Nobbs, infant and maid, Toronto; Mr. A. B. Owen, London; Mr. J. N. Perrault, Montreal; Mr. G. G. Reed, Chicago; Mr. E. B. Rilson, Miss Roberts, Montreal; Mr. J. Rye, Ottawa; Mr. Southern, Liverpool; Mrs. Stuart, Miss Stuart, Winnipeg; Mr. G. C. Sherman, Liverpool; Mr. J. E. Sinclair, Mr. J. B. Spencer, Ottawa; Miss Mabel Thompson, Princeton; Mr. Charles Woodward, Mrs. Woodward, Vancouver; Mrs. T. H. Wordleworth, Master Phil. Wordleworth, Miss L. Wordleworth, Montreal; Mrs. L. Devering, Bruyesel; Prof. Duxberry, Manchester.

Readers can have the Daily Witness at summer resorts in Canada or the United States for only 25 cts. per month.

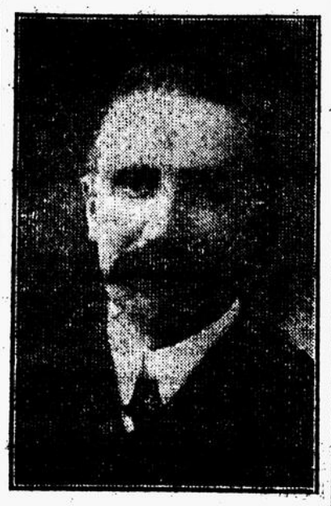
SPORTING NEWS

THE MINTO CUP

Ald. O'Connell Has Been Appointed Referee for Tecumseh New Westminster Games.

The Minto Cup trustees have now appointed officials to handle the matches between New Westminster and Tecumsehs and have chosen one eastern and one western man. Alderman Thomas O'Connell, of Montreal, and Mr. Lionel Yorke, of Vancouver are the choice of the trustees.

Ald. O'Connell has taken an active in-



ALD. T. O'CONNELL.

terest in lacrosse for many years, and since the early '90's has been an active official of the Shamrocks. From 1895 until the position was abolished a few years ago, he was field captain of the lacrosse team. He has been president of the National Lacrosse Union, understands the rules thoroughly, and is recognized as one of the best referees in the East.

Lionel Yorke, of Vancouver, was formerly a resident of Toronto, and at one time played on the defence end of the Torontos. He has been a resident of Vancouver for some years.

DOMINION PARK MEET

FIRST OF SERIES OF ATHLETIC TOURNAMENTS WILL TAKE PLACE TONIGHT.

The first of the series of athletic meets to be held at Dominion Park this summer is scheduled for this evening, and over 40 entries have been received by Armstrong, who is in charge. The entries include some twenty names from the M.A.A.A., while St. Patrick's, Nationals and other local clubs are represented. Lukeman and Buddo are among the entries from the M.A.A.A., and practically all the best track men in the city will compete. The first event will be started at nine o'clock, and it is expected there will be a big crowd on hand.

CRICKET NOTES

Rain stopped play in the cricket match between McGill University and the University of Pennsylvania on the campus yesterday. McGill went in first and scored 73 runs, after which Pennsylvania made 21 for one wicket. Luncheon intervened, and was followed by weather which made play impossible.

To-morrow McGill play Osborne and next Saturday Haverford College, both on the campus.

The M.A.A.A. will meet Valleyfield C.C. in their league match to-morrow afternoon on the M. A. A. A. grounds, Westmount. The following men will represent the M.A.A.A.:—C. B. Godwin (captain), O. Wallace, E. P. Wallace, E. H. Thompson, T. Shaw, E. C. Smith, J. M. Jones, T. H. Stimson, C. N. Racker, J. de Pass and T. B. Motherwell. The game will start at 2 p.m. sharp. Members of the above club are requested to be on time.

The following teams have been selected to play for Lachine to-morrow, 1st team vs. Montreal II, at M.A.A.A. grounds; 2nd vs. Verdun II., at Lachine:

1st team—R. S. Hart (captain), V. Dennis, A. Atkinson, H. Burgess, A. Budd, E. Mundy, P. Mills, P. Chambers, F. Pearson, G. Horsfall, J. Johnson.

2nd team—F. Smith (captain), P. C. McLachlan, P. Pinder, J. Pashley, S. Moore, N. Cosh, G. Hassell, T. Girling, W. Linford, E. McArdle, Bradburn. Spares—W. J. Llewellyn, A. R. Higgins, Wickets pitched, 3 p.m.

The 1st team will take the car leaving Bridge avenue at 1.40 p.m.

M.A.A.A. HANDICAPS

The M.A.A.A. handicaps, run despite the weather of last evening, resulted as follows:

440 yards, junior—1, E. Lee (scratch); 2, Jas. Lawlor (15 yards); 3, H. Bartley (25 yards). Time, 53 seconds.

One mile, senior—1, W. Hay (scratch); 2, A. H. Coates (35 yards); 3, Jas. Lambie (35 yards). Time, 4 minutes 38 seconds.

220 yards, intermediate—1, S. Koppel (19 yards); 2, J. Wilson (25 yards); 3, W. Munn (10 yards). Time, 24 2-5 seconds.

440 yards, senior—1, A. Brodeur (20 yards); 2, D. Buddo (scratch); 3, J. Roughton (10 yards). Time, 52 3-5 seconds.

Judges—E. W. Sayer, R. Gomery, and G. Bowie.
Timers—Jas. MacDonald, J. Davidson.
Scorers—E. S. Ospell, John Moore.
Starter—Steve Farrell.

NEW AUTOMOBILE RECORD

Readville, Mass., June 17.—The world's automobile record for 25 miles was broken at the Readville track to-day by Ralph H. De Palma. His time was 23 mins. 35 seconds. Barney Oldfield's old record, 23 mins. 38 3-5 seconds, was made at Fresno, Cal., Dec. 16, 1904.

LAWN BOWLING

Drawings for M.A.A.A. Competitions Have Now Been Made.

The match committee of the M.A.A.A. Lawn Bowling Club have made their drawings for the club competitions, and the members are requested to get these matches played off without delay, so they will all have to be completed within a month's time, and are to be closed on July 15 for the first round.

There is to be no entrance fee charged for any of these events, as the executive want to foster this pleasant pastime as much as possible. The green is in very fine condition this season, and it is claimed by all those who have already played upon it to be one of the finest in the province of Quebec.

RINK DRAWINGS.

	VS.
L. Boyd A. C. Cook J. Mitchell T. Mc. Hutchison N. K. McDonald (Skip)	C. McKerrow A. Dalrymple R. F. Smith E. J. Christmas James Wilson (Skip)
J. Gunn P. Cormack M. Armstrong J. H. Bucknell J. H. Roberteen (Skip)	F. E. Eveleigh W. M. Kearns W. V. Taylor Mr. Crooks H. B. Parsons (Skip)
F. C. Birks J. Patterson G. A. Holland J. R. Henderson R. Thomson (Skip)	W. Hutchison W. McNally C. P. O'Connor J. Scriver W. E. Finlay (Skip)
George Wood R. Darling D. Murdoch W. H. Biggar J. H. Louson (Skip)	W. Northey A. C. Johnson L. Rubenstein J. Jephcott H. McLaren (Skip)
John Lewis H. Roffey L. A. Whittet C. A. Lockerby A. J. Williamson (Skip)	A. C. Whiteford George Hemsley A. J. McPherson N. Stewart W. R. Hughes (Skip)
W. Gerhaty R. Peel D. Hemsley George Plow G. H. Cornell (Skip)	R. Wall R. Bach H. H. Syer W. O'Hara Dave Wilson (Skip)
F. C. A. McIndoe W. A. Coates J. Holmgren J. Eaves G. P. Coghill (Skip)	R. M. Wilson H. N. Friedman Dr. Gilday W. G. Robertson T. B. Tyler (Skip)
J. Cowan Mr. Armour M. Crown A. J. Ayer J. Alexander (Skip)	J. F. Cavinagh A. McNally C. N. McCuaig W. Granger W. S. Wilson (Skip)

DOUBLES.

	VS.
C. P. O'Connor George Plows	A. Dalrymple D. Wilson
R. F. Smith D. O'Hara	F. C. Birks W. Granger
A. J. McPherson J. L. Eaves	W. A. Coates N. K. McDonald
L. A. Whittet A. J. Ayer	A. McNally T. B. Tytler
J. Holmgren J. R. Henderson	D. Murdoch W. G. Robertson
M. Armstrong W. H. Biggar	R. Bach G. P. Coghill
L. Rubenstein C. A. Lockerby	A. C. Johnson J. Wilson
C. N. McCuaig J. L. Scriver	H. Roffey J. H. Louson
J. Mitchell T. McC. Hutchison	M. Crown J. Jephcott
W. V. Taylor E. J. Christmas	W. McNally W. B. Parsons
Dr. Gilday A. N. Stewart	W. M. Kearns J. H. Robertson
H. H. Ayer J. A. Bucknell	Mr. Armour J. Alexander
D. Hemsley W. Crooks	P. Cormack A. J. Williamson
N. Friedman G. H. Cornell	R. Peel W. E. Finlay
J. Patterson W. S. Wilson	R. Darling H. McLaren
George Hemsley R. Thomson	H. C. Cook W. R. Hughes

LONGBOAT'S LATEST IDEA

INDIAN WISHES TO RACE SHRUBB IN ROAD SHOES.

Toronto, June 17.—Longboat's latest is that he will run Shrubb 20 miles at the Island a week from Saturday night, if Shrubb will run in road shoes. Longboat says he is not used to spikes, and wants the race to be run on equal terms or, failing this, he will run Shrubb from Oakville to Toronto for $500 a side on a date to be arranged, the race to be run rain or shine.

ROYAL ST. LAWRENCE Y.C.

The race for the Commodore's Cup, for all classes with the exception of the Seawanhaka boats, and the race for the cup presented by Mr. George Washington Stephens for the Seawanhaka class, will be sailed to-morrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock over the Dorval course. The Commodore of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club and Mrs. Smith will be 'at home' at the clubhouse during the afternoon.

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP OF MONTREAL DISTRICT

C. R. MURRAY,
Open Champion, 1906.

A. H. MC[illegible]
Open Champ[illegible]

TO REPRESS ROUGH PLAY

TORONTO'S MAYOR IS DETERMINED TO DEAL STERNLY WITH CASES OF BRUTALITY.

Toronto, June 17.—Mayor Oliver and Judge Winchester, both members of the Police Commission, and Chief of Police Grasett, stated to-day that in future any player in lacrosse, baseball or any other sport who deliberately struck another would be at once arrested. Mayor Oliver was at Scarboro last Saturday and saw Hyland, of Shamrocks, hit Braden, of Torontos, a terrible blow with the stick on the back of the head, putting Braden out of the game, and this action is the result.

ROYALS STILL LOSING

By losing at Newark yesterday the Montreal team dropped three pegs in the series and are now fifth. The score yesterday was:

NEWARK.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Schalfly, 2b	4	2	2	1	3	2
Gettman, cf	5	1	4	3	0	0
Kelly, lf	5	0	2	0	0	0
Wolverton, 3b	3	0	1	1	1	0
Meyers, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Sharpe, 1b	4	0	1	9	1	0
Louden, ss	4	0	1	3	3	0
Lapp, c	4	1	2	8		0
Frill, p	3	1	0	1	0	0
Totals	35	5	13	27	12	2

MONTREAL.

	AB.	R.	IB	PO	A	E
Joyce, lf	4	0	0	0	0	1
Yeager, ss	4	1	2	2	5	0
O'Neil, rf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Colvin, 1b	1	0	0	2	0	0
Casey, 3b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Corcoran, 2b	4	0	2	2	1	0
Starnagle, 1b, c	4	0	1	10	1	1
Fallon, cf	4	0	1	2	1	0
Clarke, c	2	0	0	4	1	0
Winter, 3b	1	0	0	1	2	0
Wicker, p	2	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	33	2	7	24	12	2

Score by innings—
Montreal ..... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Newark ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 x—5

Summary—Two base hits, Gettman, 2; Schalfly, Yeager; three base hits, Corcoran; stolen bases, O'Neil, Starnagle, Wolverton; sacrifice hit, Frill; bases on balls, off Wicker, 4; off Frill, 2; struck out, by Frill, 6; by Wicker, 4; passed ball, Clarke; wild pitch, Wicker; double plays, Louden to Lapp to Schalfly; Corcoran to Starnagle; left on bases, Montreal, 6; Newark, 10. Umpire, Finnerna. Attendance, 1,500.

EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Buffalo 3, Jersey City 0.
Rochester 3, Providence 1.
Toronto 3, Baltimore 4.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Rochester	28	15	.636
Buffalo	24	23	.511
Newark	22	22	.500
Toronto	23	24	.488
Montreal	21	22	.488
Providence	20	22	.476
Baltimore	22	25	.468
Jersey City	19	23	.432

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia 1, Detroit 4; Washington 5, St. Louis 1; Cleveland 3, New York 2; Chicago 8, Boston 2; Boston 6, Chicago 1.

Standing—Detroit, Philadelphia, Boston, New York, Cleveland, Chicago, St. Louis, Washington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Chicago 4, Brooklyn 2; St. Louis 4, Boston 2.

Standing—Pittsburg, Chicago, New York, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Brooklyn, Boston.

BLUE BONNETS

Yesterday's downpour of rain did not prove beneficial to the Blue Bonnets track as very poor times were registered in the various races of the afternoon. The results were as follow:

First race—For three year olds and upward, One mile,—1, Jack Parker (E. Walsh), 110; 2, Glimmer (McCarty), 118; 3, Purslane (Musgrave), 123. Time, 1.42 2-5.

Second race—A selling event for two year olds over a course of five furlongs—1, Autumn Girl (Reid), 106; 2, Jack Dennerlen (Heward), 108; 3, Adonia (Herbert), 100. Time, 1.03 3-5.

Third race—A selling event, open to three year olds and upward, over a distance of one mile.—1, Joe Gaiteas (Reid), 96; 2, Gemmell (Mentry), 107; 3, Desperadale (McCarty), 103. Belle Scott and Greendale also ran. Time, 1.44 2-5.

Fourth race—The Jacques Cartier stakes. For three year olds and upward. One mile.—1, Centre Shot (Mentry), 106; 2, Donald Macdonald (Reid), 94; 3, Redmore (McCarty), 103. Juggler also ran. Time, 1.42 2-5.

Fifth race—Steeplechase event for four year olds and upward, over the full course of about two and a half miles.—1, Pagan Boy (Archibald), 145; 2, Kara (Lynch), 163; 3, Wild Refrain (McKinney), 130. Bystander also ran. Time, 5.34.

Sixth race—A selling event. Six furlongs.—1, Colonel Zeb (Davenport), 107; 2, Lady Orimar (McIntyre), 100; 3, Silk Hose (Goldstein), 107. Also ran—Gold Front, Colored Lady, Maxim Gun, Ballet Girl, Ceremonious, Sensible and Firebug. Time, 1.17 2-5.

WESTON'S LONG TRAMP

Echo, Utah, June [illegible] Weston arrived here [illegible] 4.40 this afternoon and [illegible] toward the West at [illegible] to stop overnight at M[illegible]

POINTE CLAIRE [illegible]

The annual general meeting [illegible] Claire Boat Club was held [illegible] house on Monday, with a [illegible] of members. The treasurer [illegible] ed the club to be in a [illegible] condition, having regarded [illegible] lay last season.

The following officers were [illegible] the season: President, C[illegible] vice-president, J. P. Talbot; E. Leonard hon. treasurer, G[illegible] son; hon. secretary, H. V. M[illegible]

The following fixtures for the [illegible] been arranged:

June 24—Smoking concert.
June 26—Sailing race, handicap, Beaconsfield B.C.
June 29—Canoe trials.
July 1—Dingy race, handicap [illegible]
July 10—Sailing race, handicap, Beaconsfield B.C.
July 12—Canoe trials.
July 15—Dingy race, handicap [illegible]
July 27—Canoe trials.
July 29—Dingy race, handicap [illegible]
July 31—Sailing race, handicap, Beaconsfield B.C.
Aug. 10—Canoe trials.
Aug. 12—Dingy race, handicap [illegible]
Aug. 21—Annual regatta.

THE 'EARL GREY'

CANADIAN ICEBREAKER LAUNCHED AT BARROW TO-DAY BY THE COUNTESS OF ANTRIM.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

London, June 18.—The Countess of Antrim to-day launched, on behalf of the Canadian Government, the icebreaking and passenger steamer 'Earl Grey' at Barrow.

THROWN FROM HER HORSE

Brandon, Man., June 17. Miss Pilling, of the teaching staff of Park School, was thrown from [illegible] here last night and sustained [illegible] that it is feared will prove fatal. A dog startled her horse and he ran to the livery barn, throwing her [illegible] head. Miss Pilling, in the fall, sustained a fracture at the base of the skull. Three doctors were called, but little hope is held out for her recovery.

CHRISTIAN SCIENTIST INDICTED

Virden, Man., June 18.—J. W. Williams, a member of the Christian Science Church, whose daughter died of pneumonia while under treatment by leaders of the church, has been committed for trial on a charge of criminal negligence.

Was Troubled With Weak Back For Years.

Could Not Perform Household Duties. Doctors Attended Without Avail.

Mrs. Arch. Schnare, Black Point, N.B., writes: "For years I was troubled with weak back. Oftentimes I have lain in bed for days, being scarcely able to turn myself, and I have also been a great sufferer while trying to perform my household duties. I had doctors attending me without avail and tried liniments and plasters, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I was about to give up in despair when my husband induced me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and after using two boxes I am now well and able to do my work. I am positive Doan's Kidney Pills are all that you claim for them, and I would advise all kidney sufferers to give them a fair trial.

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150 pairs children silk plaited hose in black and white, .35, .45, .65 and .75 lines in sizes 6½, 7½, 8 and 8½, to be cleared Saturday at per pair ..... .25

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Without quoting regular price or value, it ought to be enough to say that these ribbons are pure taffeta silk, 5½ inches wide; right in weight for bowing; bright and beautiful as to their finish; rich in tone and plentiful as to color assortment, there being 15 shades. With all these qualities they will be out for clearance Saturday at per yard..... .25

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IN COPENHAGEN BLUE,
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pink, pale blue, white, navy, green, peacock blue and fancy stripes.
Splendid qualities all, clearing at per pair - - - - .39

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These summerweight corsets of ours, special, at .75, have the same splendid fitting qualities, the same shapeliness, the same rust-proof steels, the same correct style as our special at $1.00—the coutil is not just so fine, that is all.

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PRINT PAPER QUESTION

SENATOR BROWN DECLARES CANADA IS THE ONLY COMPETITOR OF THE UNITED STATES.

Washington, June 17.—After disposing with little difficulty of a number of disputed paragraphs in the tariff bill, the Senate to-day began the consideration of the print paper and wood pulp provisions, which have been the bone of much contention and of no little anxiety on the part of the senators.

The subject was introduced by Senator Aldrich, who, as chairman of the finance committee, proposed an amendment increasing the duty on print paper from one-tenth to two-tenths of a cent per pound, which, he said, equalled $4 a ton. The Dingley law placed the duty at $6 a ton and the House reduced it to $2 a ton. Senator Brown, of Nebraska, immediately took the floor to speak on the subject. He declared that the print paper industry needs no protection. These paper mills, he insisted, have an advantage over every foreign print mill, whether they are in Scandinavia, Germany or Canada.

'Canada is our only competitor in this market,' said Mr. Brown. 'The cheap and the inferior product of other countries than Canada protect the mills of the United States against all competition worth mentioning.

'Canada had an investigation into the subject in 1901. The testimony in that investigation showed that the American mills had an advantage of $6 per ton in the cost of production of print paper. Following that report, the manufacturers of Canada petitioned their Government to continue the 25 per cent ad valorem duty on paper importations.

'Our consul in the province of Quebec reported that the laborers in the Canadian mills receive as high, if not higher, wages than those in American mills. It is undisputed by the testimony taken by this committee that many of the workmen in the Canadian mills are American citizens and receive higher wages than when in the United States.'

Senator Brown entered into a discussion of paper making and the progress that has been made in the manufacture since the discovery that it could be made from wood.

Senator Brown drew the following conclusions at the end of his argument:

'Our pulp wood supply is nearly exhausted.

'The pulp wood supply of Canada is apparently inexhaustible.

'The pulp wood tend to conserve the pulp wood.

'The production cost of print paper is less in the United States than it is in Canada.

'The cost of news print paper costs in Canada $29.54 to manufacture; in the United States it costs $27.74 per ton.

'The print paper market is controlled in the United States by combination and whatever duty the law may fix will assist the combination in that control in violation of the law of competition to the injury and outrage of the public.

'By reason of such control, the cost of print paper to the consumer has been arbitrarily advanced to an unreasonable and unconscionable profit to the manufacturer.

'Print paper advanced from $38 in 1907 to $42 and $50 per ton in 1908.

'The importation of print paper for all time has been negligible.

'The proposed duty on pulp and print paper is therefore not necessary for protective purpose nor useful for revenue purposes. It is, therefore, an outlaw duty and should be stricken from this bill.'

At the risk of creating a panic, Mr. Brown said he would read from President Roosevelt's message to Congress, in response to which the House had undertaken to investigate the wood pulp and paper business. He then proceeded to read from the message, and in doing received careful attention.

'These very papers that are asking for free paper,' said Mr. Tillman, 'are the very headlights of protection, and they deny me the opportunity to buy this coat or these shoes,' illustrating by pointing to the articles of his attire, 'yet they want free paper.'

In opposition to Mr. Brown's statement that print paper can be manufactured as cheaply in the United States as in Canada, Mr. Frye said that skilled labor in Canada is paid as much as in the United States. Unskilled labor, which, he said, is 80 per cent of the whole labor involved, is paid 30 percent less in Canada.

Mr. Aldrich said the House Committee, in recommending the $2 rate on print paper, did not take into consideration the difference of cost of woods at mills in Canada and the United States, and the Senate committee had added $2 a ton on that account.

Senators Frye, Gallinger and Hale insisted that wages were lower in Canada than in the United States, while Mr. Brown put forth the report of the Maine committee and the statement of the American consul at Quebec to show that rates of wages were higher in Canada. He asked Mr. Hale if the results of a ten months' investigation by the House Committee were less reliable than a ten weeks' consideration by the Finance Committee of the Senate.

Mr. Hale said the facts brought out by the Finance Committee were immeasurably more accurate.

Mr. Brown replied that he never knew of any men he thought more of individually and less collectively than the members of the Finance Committee. He did not accept their conclusions as a body on the cost of paper production.

By a viva voce vote the Senate sustained the Finance Committee in its proposed reductions of duty on window glass below the House Bill, and the Dingley rates, after rejecting an amendment offered by Senator Bacon for still lower rates.

SUPERINTENDENT OF ST. HELEN'S

PARKS COMMITTEE FAILED TO MAKE SELECTION OUT OF FIVE APPLICANTS.

At a meeting of the Parks and Ferries Committee yesterday afternoon, the names of five men were submitted for the position of governor of St. Helen's Island, but after a great deal of discussion, in which all nominations were voted down, it was decided to recommend the quintette to the consideration of the City Council. The five men are Messrs. Desormeau, Vreudge, Bernadin, Brault, and Lacoste.

After Ald. Lapointe had commented on the wretched appearance of Champ de Mars, the committee decided to ask that $3,500 be provided for improvements. Out of this sum $1,000 will be devoted to the purchase of 'tarvia,' a tar composition which will lay the dust on the field.

Another subject to engage the attention of choosing a site for the erection of a monument to the memory of the veterans of the Fenian Raid. After Mr. A. St. Armand had spoken on the desirability of having such a monument, the matter was left in the hands of a sub-committee to deal with.

A PULL ALL TOGETHER WILL RAISE IT.

LAKE NIPISSING FLOODS

MUCH DAMAGE THE RESULT OF DAMS AT FRENCH RIVER.

North Bay, Ont., June 18.—The effect of the dams built over a year ago at French River to keep the waters of Lake Nipissing at normal level, the year round, has been most disastrous, especially this year, with abnormally high water.

Much property along the shore line has been flooded and in the eastern section of North Bay and among the summer cottages, considerable damage has been done, while a number of building lots have been submerged.

Representations made to the Government by the town council of North Bay resulted in an examination, followed by the blowing up with dynamite of one of the dams yesterday to allow the water to get away.

New dams will be constructed on different plans as these built were utterly useless in coping with spring freshets, and should never have been put there.

C. O. O. F. GRAND LODGE.

Halton, June 18.—At the meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Canadian Order of Oddfellows yesterday a recommendation of the committee of laws was dealt with. It proposed that organizers be appointed by the Grand Lodge, instead of by the executive and that a permanent organizer be appointed in Toronto. The recommendation did not carry. Another to abolish the bonus system also failed. It was decided that in future one delegate should be allowed for every 200 members o Western lodges, and that each delegate should have four votes.

SIR JOSEPH WARD SAILS.

(Canadian Associated Press.)

Wellington, N.Z., June 18.—Sir Joseph Ward, the Premier of New Zealand, sailed to-day for London in connection with the Imperial Defence Conference which meets next month. A huge crowd assembled. There was some cheering and some hooting as the steamer left port, the hooting being due to dissatisfaction over the prorogation of Parliament.

JUBILEE AT BROME

CONSECRATION OF ST. JOHN'S CHURCH TO BE CELEBRATED NEXT SUNDAY AND MONDAY.

Special services in celebration of the jubilee of the consecration of St. John's Church, Brome, Que., are to be held in that church on Sunday and Monday, June 20 and 21. The Rev. Walter Windsor, rector of St. John's, Que., will be the preacher on Sunday morning, and the Rev. Canon Carmichael, rural dean of Brome, in the evening. The Rev. F. A. Pratt will preach at 2.30 o'clock on Monday afternoon, and previous to the service dinner will be served to all visiting friends.

The building of the church of St. John the Evangelist at Brome was largely due to the energy and enthusiasm of the late Rev. Robert Lindsay, afterwards so well known in the diocese as Rural Dean Lindsay. He was at that time in charge of the mission of Brome, with headquarters at Knowlton. His zeal for the work had led him, while on a visit for his health in England, to collect a sum of money, and this he desired to be the nucleus of a church building fund for what was then called Brome Corners. A meeting was held in the Brome Corners Hotel on Monday morning, Feb. 23, 1857, and so heartily was the matter taken up that on June 21, 1859, the Most Rev. Francis Fulford, Bishop of Montreal and Metropolitan, was able to consecrate the new church.

The Rev. Rural Dean Lindsay after leaving Knowlton was for fifteen years Rector of St. Thomas's Church, Montreal. He died in December, 1890. A beautiful chancel window was put in Brome Church in memory of Mr. Lindsay. Mrs. Lindsay still lives in Montreal, and still manifests a very warm interest in the church and people of Brome.

SYNOD OF HURON

RESOLUTION FAVORING CHURCH UNION CARRIED ALMOST UNANIMOUSLY.

London, Ont., June 17.—That this Synod desires to express its satisfaction at the action of the General Synod in authorizing a renewal of negotiations with other Christian communions for the furtherance of Christian unity, and it hopes that no effort will be spared to bring about some practical results.'

The above resolution, which was introduced by Judge Ermatinger, of St. Thomas, at this morning's session of the Synod of Huron, was carried by a practically unanimous vote.

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FRIDAY, JUNE 18, 1909.

We all knew long ago that, not only in the Fire Brigade, but also in every other civic department, it was the 'fellow' who had the 'pull' that got the promotion, apart from all considerations of individual merit. It has taken a Royal Commission, however, to show up in all its proportions the ugliness of the system of graft and patronage. Just who has actually benefited from a monetary standpoint through the graft remains to be proved. As to patronage, which stands as the only proof against aldermen at the present time, one would think that even such men as Alderman Proulx, who not long ago in open Council claimed it as an alderman's legitimate privilege, would feel ashamed of it in the shadow of the procession of witnesses which has passed before Mr. Justice Cannon and shown that 'pull' is everything at the City Hall and merit only a matter of after-consideration—a long way after sometimes; that long and efficient services have been ignored, in the Fire Brigade particularly, while new men have at once jumped from the first rung of the ladder, from the rank of 'branchier,' as they call it, to that of captain, without passing through the grades that intervene. One man yesterday afternoon had the courage to give some valuable constructive evidence. 'The aldermanic influence,' he said 'is damaging to the efficiency of the department. Eliminate that and you will have accomplished one important step in the direction of reform.' There is testimony that this healthy sentiment guides the present chief of the department. As he gives it practical effect, so he will justify the confidence which the public has heretofore placed in him.

Except, as a subject for speculation by quidnuncs in European politics, there is nothing in the meeting of the Czar of Russia and the German Emperor to cause even a ripple on the surface of international affairs. They have met before, and, although much was expected to result from their conferences, nothing particularly striking ever occurred. Their personal relations are, no doubt, quite cordial, for they have many interests in common, and William is such a gadabout that he would easily find reasons for a summer cruise in the Baltic. His way of governing is now well understood. He tells his Chancellor what he wants done, and leaves him to carry out the details. Germany, like all the great powers, including the United States, is struggling with the financial problem. It is suggestive of the change that has taken place that governments in each of them have made practical acknowledgment that the masses engaged in industry are taxed to the limit of endurance, and that to continue the existing rate of expenditure the wealthy and landed classes must be made to bear the increased burden. This may be regarded as another triumph of Democracy, for only the fear of industrial revolt could restrain the habit of imposing new burdens as required on the people at large. The great financiers and moneyed concerns generally are protesting against this change in the incidence of taxation, but in vain. It is the leading question now for all the powers. The two emperors, whatever else they may plan, can have little, if any, influence on it. They are mere flies on the huge wheel of the world, whirling all things whither neither can tell.

The extension of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, from its present terminus at Charlton to Gowganda, will open up a mining region of illimitable possibilities. It will also make available for settlement extensive tracts of good farming land. This railway is being constructed by the Ontario Government. When first projected to and northward from North Bay, it was designed as an aid to colonization through which it was expected to pay for the cost of construction. But the discoveries of silver at Cobalt and the resulting rush into the country, made it one of the best paying railway propositions in the Dominion. Now that gold, as well as silver, asbestos, and other minerals, have been found in quantities, inviting the expenditure of capital at Gowganda and beyond, the extension of the road is a business as well as a colonizing necessity. Reports received in this city from prospectors in the new field are highly encouraging. There is a great future, no doubt, in store for our hitherto despised hinterland. One enthusiastic prospector declares that a great city is sure to rise on Lake Gowganda, and even names the locality of it. East of it, stretching to the Quebec border, and believed to extend beyond that line, mineralized rock formations exist. In fact, there seems no end to the mineral wealth of the whole northern plateau, including the height of land and the region north of it, near which the Transcontinental Railway is projected to run. Transportation of supplies is at the present the greatest barrier to development, on account of the cost and the many difficulties in travelling by land and water routes. When these will have been overcome a great boom may be expected. What all this vast mineral wealth may mean for the good or ill of Canada and the world, is another matter.

Grain exporters, farmers, and business men have been pleased that the weather during the first part of June has been so favorable to the crops. With the greater part of the month passed there has been all the rain that could be desired, alternating with warm sunshine and cool spells. The climatic conditions have been more or less ideal since seeding time, and it is popularly thought that the lateness of spring has been fully made up, and summer conditions continuing favorable, there will be small likelihood of pre-harvest frosts, as harvests will not be delayed to such an extent as was at first expected. The growth of grains has been very rapid during the past two weeks. Samples of wheat over twenty inches long have been exhibited. This is conceded to be a record so early in the year after a late seeding. The area under wheat cultivation in the Western Provinces is above 7,000,000 acres, according to the Winnipeg 'Commercial.' If the harvest should show twenty bushels to the acre, then the wheat output would be about 140,000,000 bushels, and should the result be only eighteen bushels per acre the output, of course, would be 126,000,000. It is reasonable, therefore, to look this year for the largest wheat crop in the history of the Canadian West, even if the returns per acre were slightly below the average. The coarse grains cover a larger acreage this season. They were planted at the proper time, and much is expected from them. The raising of oats and barley is profitable and constitutes a large factor in the general grain situation.

The splendid annual report of the Dominion Iron & Steel Company shows on operations for the year a profit, after payment of all expenses except interest, and after setting aside the necessary appropriations for sinking fund, exhaustion of minerals and depreciation and renewal of plant, of $2,225,834. The interest charges for the year amounted to $654,422, but of this sum about $150,000 was interest on floating indebtedness, which would not have occurred but for the action of the Coal Company. Without making any allowance for the recovery of this sum, the earnings show a net surplus of $1,571,412, a falling off from last year's figures. With regard to the Dominion Coal Company, the directors say that the payment of $2,750,000 made by them on account leaves a balance of $1,201,092 still to be adjusted. Of this sum only $392,496 has been taken into account in making up the books of the Steel Company to May 31, being the balance of the moneys disbursed in payment for coal in excess of the contract price and for law costs. The need for any provision in contingent account for a possible loss on this item has, therefore, disappeared. At the end of March last the profit and loss account was credited with $2,209,210 transferred from the special contingent account provided in connection with the claim against the Coal Company. The Steel directors have taken advantage of this readjustment to appropriate $1,800,000 in reduction of property and construction account, leaving a balance of $2,099,801 to be carried forward into the new year. This will be increased by whatever amounts are recovered from the Coal Company in respect of interest on the claim and of damages due to short deliveries of coal and to the partial shutting down of the plant. A feature of the report and of the meeting is the high appreciation of the value of independent auditing.

FINANCIAL REVIEW.

The volume of trading on the local stock market this week has not been as large as during last week, but prices, until yesterday, generally maintained a level close to the recent high records. Prolonged rises, some of them in rapid leaps, have accompanied the revival in trade, and the investing public has not failed to accept the opportunity to deal extensively all along the list. The money market continues to be well supplied. The great surplus of money seeking employment is emphatic testimony that confidence has been fully restored. The steel market is watched daily with the greatest interest. All signs in the iron industry point upwards. Indications are that the average production at our different steel plants will grow monthly, and swell the profits of the steel corporations. The result of this is seen in the demand for iron issues. Railway earnings all along the line are showing satisfactorily. Probably the most gratifying development in this respect is the splendid advances made by Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk securities on the London stock exchange, testifying to confidence placed in these stocks by foreign investors. When it is remembered that only a few months ago a gloomy cloud hung over our big transportation companies as they issued heavy decreases in earnings week by week, the present happy condition of affairs in trade which has replaced deficits by surpluses will be all the more brightly contrasting.

The opinion has been expressed that present quotations are about high enough, and that stocks are reaching levels where returns will not be as quick or sure as was the case a few weeks ago. Large holders may see at these prices opportunities for realizing profits gradually on securities purchased much lower down. Conservative people, for the present at least, should use much care in their selections. This does not mean that the market to-day does not still present good buying opportunities. Outright purchases of good stocks are being generally retained—regardless of temporary declines—for higher prices.

The past week has been an important one in mining circles. It has afforded interesting episodes from a buyer's point of view. That the directors of the Temiskaming decided to pass the dividend has been interpreted by many as of unfavorable portent. There appears to be little, if any, reason, however, for such a supposition, or for any fearful inferences. The directors of Temiskaming should have sufficient ability and insight into mining affairs to understand what course is best to follow. The resources of the company appear to be unlimited, and the outlook for the future of the mine seems bright. La Rose has declared the regular quarterly payment of three per cent, with an additional one percent. Nipissing has also declared its dividend, the regular quarterly one of three per cent, and an additional bonus of two percent, while Crown Reserve continues to pay big returns to its fortunate shareholders. It is pleasing to note that the progress at Cobalt is continuous and substantial, and, although an occasional small weekly shipment of ore is reported, there is an actual increase in the aggregate which is quite marked, and an ever-increasing output is assured.

Many thousands of settlers have come into Canada from the United States and England this spring, bringing with them, so we are told, between $60,000,000 and $75,000,000. These people will furnish the very best of bone and sinew and brain for the work they may find to do here. The movement across the border both of capital and men is among the most interesting industrial phenomena of the times. Keen observers declare that Canada is getting the best possible settlers, in the form of strong, hardy and industrious men and women who are coming to the Dominion with the determination of making it their home, and taking their part, whether large or small, in its development and expansion. Canada has now reached a stage from which she must go forward at a rate passing all anticipations. It was the great movement of people and capital into Canada that helped largely to prevent us from feeling acutely the general world-wide business leanness of the past eighteen months. Just now the financier, the manufacturer, the wholesale and retail merchant have all their stories of optimism. They will tell you of recuperation, that new life has been infused into industries all over the country. Industry is distinctly on the up-grade. Cash payments are more frequent, while failures are small.

MACDONALD COLLEGE.

Closing Exercises Yesterday Were of a Memorable Character.

OVER ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE GRADUATES SENT OUT AS TEACHERS.

Without doubt the rain of yesterday was welcomed throughout the country, but the students of Macdonald College viewed with dismay the gathering clouds. And the rain came. On Wednesday afternoon friends and parents began to arrive, and every train from early yesterday morning brought its quota of visitors.

Long before the appointed hour the large assembly hall, seating over five hundred persons, was more than crowded, and each aisle was filled with chairs. The programme commenced by the students singing 'O Canada.' On the platform, besides the president, Dr. Robertson, was Principal Peterson, of McGill, Sir William Macdonald, Dean Sinclair, of the School for Teachers; Dean Juniper, of the School of Household Science; the Rev. Dr. Shaw, chairman of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction; Prof. Dale, of McGill; Inspector Taylor and Dr. Parmelee, Secretary of Education.

After Dean Sinclair had given his report, Dr. Parmelee presented the diplomas to the successful candidates, whose names were published in yesterday's 'Witness.'

Sir William Macdonald then presented the medals and prizes. Miss Macaulay, of the Model Class, received the Prince of Wales medal for highest aggregate standing, and the Governor-General's bronze medal for the Art of Teaching. The superintendent's gold medal was obtained by Miss Radley, who stood second in the aggregate of marks. Prizes for French, offered by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, went to Misses Bruneau, Marceau, Fowkes and Powles. In the elementary class, Miss Walsh won the J. C. Wilson prize of $40, and Miss Davis received the second prize. The prize of the Alliance Francaise de Montreal went to Miss E. Foster, who obtained the medal, and Miss M. Cameron, who received a book.

The class sang a Latin song, after which Miss Grace Hatton gave the French valedictory, and Miss Tomkins that in English. There was also interjected an English song, after which Dr. Dale presented the diplomas to the successful academy teachers, Misses Brown, Wisdom, Elliott, Vipond, Norris and Mr. Surprenant. The exercises of the School for Teachers was closed with a French song.

Miss Juniper, the Dean of the chool of Household Science next presented her report. There were twenty-five in the second year course and fifty in the first year. Several had dropped out, but twenty-four received diplomas in the second year, and twenty-eight in the first year. The work in the School of Household Science consists of the following subjects:—Bacteriology, chemistry, cookery, dairy work, English, home nursing, horticulture, household management, household art and science, laundry, manual training, millinery, needlework and dressmaking, physics, physiology, physical culture, poultry, practical housekeeping.

Following results in the department of household science have not been published:

Two-year Course.

First class honors—Annie Holiday, Jessie McNaughton, Katherine Boyer, Ailene Pomeroy, Margaret Dowie, Marjorie Flewelling.

Second class honors—Isobel Hall, Dorothy Brennan, Jessie Macdonald, Alice Crutchfield, Agnes Rutherford, Dora Whyte, Annie Brodie, Ethel Dickieson, Eleanor Edgar, Patience Scott.

Pass—Marian Webster, Margaret Ogilvie, Alice Armitage, Marjorie Irvine, Laura Tardiff.

First class honors—Jean MacLeod, Marian Macdonald, Christina McFarlane, Agnes Clouston, Margaret Stewart, Dorothy Parker, Pearl Leslie.

Second class honors—Ada Colwell, Alice Scott, Agnes Macdonald, Elizabeth Macdonald, Lillie Nesbitt, Gurda Crandall, Beatrice Farquharson, Muriel Allan, Gladys Beatty, Rita Gorman, Mary Innes, Gwendolyn Bell, Lynda Snowden, Editn Gordon, Ada Walker, Honor McEntyre, Meredith Wadsworth, Helen Trenholme.

Pass—Edythe Nelles, Grace Simpson, Irene Clark.

The diplomas were presented to the successful students by Principal Peterson, after which Sir Wm. Macdonald presented the prizes. In the second year the first prize went to Miss Macnaughton, who has just completed her second year at Macdonald College. Miss Boyer received the second prize. In the first year Miss Jean MacLeod obtained first prize, and Miss Marian Macdonald second prize.

For the graduating class in Household Science Miss White read the valedictory. Special teaching certificates have been granted to Mrs. Rutter, Miss M. Creelman and Miss J. Clarke, who took a special course in domestic science.

Dr. Robertson, as Dean of the School of Agriculture, presented his report, 43 students in the first year and 21 in the second. Professor Lochhead presented diplomas to the successful students in the two-year course: Messrs. Brittain, Buck, Summerby, Savage, Gorham, Williams, Grindley, Grisdale, Spencer, Wood, Logan, Rhoades and Sweet.

Sir Wm. Macdonald presented the prizes. A medal was given by Dr. Robertson to Mr. Brittain, and books, given by Mrs. Lochhead, went to Mr. Buck. In the first year the first prize went to Mr. Newton, while Mr. Lods received the second prize.

Mr. Brittain gave the valedictory for his class.

Mr. F. D. Monk, M.P., congratulated the authorities upon the work being accomplished, and assured those interested in Macdonald College of the hearty appreciation of the statesmen of the Dominion, who were more and more coming to rise up and call the founder of the institution at Ste. Anne de Bellevue blessed.

Dr. Parmelee, in a brief speech, told of the pleasure it always afforded him to visit the college, for new possibilities seemed to open before his vision after each visit.

Principal Peterson and others gave short addresses, and Principal Robertson gave a brief resumé of the whole year's work:

Students enrolled—School for teachers, 125; school of household science, 76; school of agriculture, regular course, 64; school of agriculture, short courses, 61; total, 326.

NATURE STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS.

Dr. Robertson then announced the scheme of nature study scholarships and those who obtained them as follows:—

Model Class—Edith Radley, Clara Hyndman, Agnes Marceau, Ida Bruneau, Isabella Smith, Grace Hatton, B. Bechervaise, Margaret Brown, Bertha Prouty, Hazel Sadler, Roy Bissell, Jean Cross, Ruby Blois.

Advanced Elementary Class.—Edna Davis, Lydia Barter, Annie Robb, Bernice Willett, Grace Pye, Ethel Manson, Sara Cooke, Ellen Laws, Elizabeth Stevenson, Emily Blomely, Mary Moore, Mildred Beane.

These scholarships are given to promote nature study and school gardening in the province of Quebec. The holder of a scholarship is entitled to free tuition and board at the college during a two weeks' course the first year, and again the next year; ten dollars for the purchase of books, apparatus, etc.; five cents per mile to pay travelling expenses from home to the college the second year. The students follow a prescribed course of study during their spare time throughout the year, and when they shall have accomplished the required work in a satisfactory manner, will receive certificates to show what they have done. In order to be eligible for a scholarship, the applicants must have made a good record in the school for teachers, both in their academic studies and in practical teaching.

After the closing of the exercises with the National Anthem, the visitors had an opportunity to see the work of the household science students in cooking, sewing and laundry.

A large number of pieces cleaned and ironed by the students were on exhibition in the laundry. The sewing and millinery room was even more interesting. Every student had to make and trim a hat, while each second year student had made her own graduation costume as well. An attractive feature of this exhibit was the work of day school students. This room was an array of beauty and exceeding great interest to all, and on every side one heard exclamation of surprise and aduration of the excellent work done by the girls.

Mention should also be made of the work in the Manual Training Department, where was shown what girls can do with chisel, hammer and plane, and all felt grateful that it had been put into the heart of Sir Wm. Macdonald to make all this great work possible.

THIEF GOT SIX MONTHS.

Stealing a pair of boots from the store of J. Lavallée, corner of St. Lawrence and Votre streets, will deprive Joseph Lapointe of his liberty for some time to come, for Judge Baxin to-day sentenced him to six months' imprisonment. Constable Frank McColl made the arrest.

RACE TRACK MAN

THREATENS THE ON... TORNEY-GENE...

Toronto, June 17. A citing incident took p... liament buildings at ... Foy, who was late... Cabinet meeting, wh... 12 o'clock, was ac... dor by Herbert ... manager for Abe ... the racing meets a... track, the charter ... ment has decided ... you going to do any... ed Capewell, taki... eral by the arm. M... that he could not ... could not wait to ... Capewell's grasp. ... caught the A... shoulders, saying, ... Mr. Foy once more ... so gently as before ... council room, Cap... 'All right; you'll ... in South Toronto ... ronto is Mr. Foy's ...

CHAPLAIN OF ...

Washington, Ju... Ulysses Grant B. ... of All Souls' Unita... city, was to-day de... resolution to act as ... wise ordered. Mr. ... the church, which th... and succeeds the Re... Hale, deceased.

JUST OUT

The following are the ... week's 'World Wide.'

ALL THE WORLD OVER.

The Coming Colonial Confere... ter 'Guardian.'
A Democratic Sultan—Glimpse... sonality of Mohammed V.—By ... pian, Special Correspondent of ... ling Post,' New York.
A Medical Missionary Writes ... Terrors—The 'Evening Post,' New ...
Russia's Disloyalty to Persia—The ... London.
A Russian Dreyfus Case — The ... London.
Unknown Diplomats—The 'Evening ... New York.
Mr. Thomas Price—Stone-cutter and ... Minister of South Australia—Man... 'Guardian.'
Samuel and the Suffrage — E. N... man, in the 'Westminster Gazette.'
Allegiance to Humanity—The Right ... James Bryce, in the 'Outlook,' New ...

SOMETHING ABOUT THE ARTS.

The Stage in the Past—The 'Nation,' ... don.
Four Veteran Painters—A Rare Collection of Works—Manchester 'Guardian.'

CONCERNING THINGS LITERARY.

Sonnet from a Suburb — Dawson, in 'Westminster Gazette.'
Edward Everett Hale—Torch Bearer—By Hubert Greusel, in the 'Tribune Sunday Magazine,' New York.
The Women Novelists of Italy—By Matilde Serao, in the 'Independent,' New York.
In the Mountains—Some Remarkable Pictures of the Canadian Alps—The 'Tribune,' New York.

HINTS OF THE PROGRESS OF KNOWLEDGE.

Has the Fermat Theorem Been Solved?—A Woman—Willis Steell, in the 'Evening Post,' New York.
The People's High Schools in Denmark—The 'Morning Post,' London.
Ozonizing a City's Water Supply—The 'Scientific American.'

PASSING EVENTS.

THINGS NEW AND OLD.

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A LITTLE WARMER

There is never a streak of sunshine
To gladden the day's sullen gloom
Till I meet in the quiet garden
Marie in a daffodil gown.

Then the skies become all unclouded,
The gloom in deep shame quickly flees,
But in truth at this radiant moment
I find my blue heaven in her eyes.

Just a flash of the ardent sun-god
Illumines the dreary air,
For I see 'neath the climbing vine
The gleam of Marie's golden hair.

For the weather is ever charming
No sky has the courage to frown
When there smiles 'mid the garden roses
Marie in a daffodil gown.
—Jean Graham.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, 10 a.m.—The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures:—Victoria, Kamloops, 74, 54; Edmonton, 76, Battleford, 82, 56; Calgary, 78, 48; Qu... 80, 62; Winnipeg 80, 54; Port Arthur, 36, Parry Sound, 72, 46; Toronto, 74, Ottawa, 74, 40; Montreal, 76, 48; St. John, 66, 54; Halifax, 76, 48; St. John, 66, 54; Halifax ...

Fresh north-westerly to northerly during the day, fine and cool, light to moderate winds, fine and warmer.

The depression which was yesterday morning now covers the time Provinces, while a pronounced pressure system is situated over region. Rain has fallen heavily lower lakes to the Maritime Provinces, local thunderstorms have occurred in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

10-12 Notre Dame street West, June 18, 1909.—Readings by Henderson's Standard Barometer at ... Yesterday, 29.83; 11 a.m. to-day.

Temperature.	Max.
To-day	55
Yesterday	78

OFF FOR BISLEY

Corpl. Copping and Priv. Gougeon, Each Presented With Two Purses of Gold.

TWO HUNDRED CHEERING COMRADES MARCHED THROUGH HEAVY RAIN TO GIVE THEM SEND OFF.

A purse of gold each from the regiment and another purse of gold each from their respective companies, were the presentations made last night, at the Victoria Rifles Armory, to Corporal Copping and Private H. D. Gougeon who are going to the National Rifle Association meeting in Bisley to take the other 18 Canadian members to make up the Canadian team.

Over 200 members of the regiment were present, including the following officers: Lieut.-Col Robert Starke, commanding; Maj. Fisher, Maj. Stewart, Capt. Rodden, Capt. Kane, Capt. Gascoigne, Capt. Rodden, Capt. Evans, Lieut. Holland, Lieut. Brown, Lieut. Taylor, and Lieut. Fred. Shaughnessy.

Lieut.-Col. Starke, in making the presentations, expressed the hope that the members would have a very pleasant trip across the ocean and be successful in the shooting. If more men would devote an equal amount of time to shooting that these two men had done, it would be considered a very good thing for the country at large, for, in his opinion, the best contribution Canada could give to the Mother Country was the men who were efficient in rifle shooting. The Vics were giving, he added, every encouragement in that line, excellent results had been shown in all past years, and they had always had a man in the Bisley team.

After an impromptu concert, the men formed in procession, and, with the single band at their head, escorted the two Bisley men down to the SS. 'Tunisian' at the wharf, making light of the downpour of rain. General Buchan and the other officers were on deck to give the men farewell greetings, and there was tremendous cheering and singing of patriotic songs before the men dispersed.

The full list of the Bisley team is as follows:—

Commandant—Lieut.-Col. Alex. Bertram, 3rd Infantry Brigade, Dundas, Ont.

Adjutant—Major M. S. Mercer, 8nd O.O., Toronto.

The following members have been to the N. R. A. meeting at Bisley before, some several times:—

Capt. J. McVittie, 48th Highlanders, Toronto.

Sergt. W. A. Smith, G.G.F.G., Ottawa.

Sergt. F. H. Morris, 46th, Bowmanville.

Sergt. F. Richardson, 5th C. A., Victoria.

Sergt. J. Freeborn, 13th, Hamilton.

Capt. W. H. Forrest, 6th, D.G.O., Vancouver.

Corpl. D. McInnis, 19th A. M., Edmonton.

S.-Sergt. T. Mitchell, 13th, Hamilton.

Lieut. Neil Smith, 24th, Chatham.

S.-Maj. S. J. Huggins, 13th, Hamilton.

S.-Maj. S. Kerr, 48th Highlanders, Toronto.

Sergt. G. W. Russell, G.G.F.G., Ottawa.

Sergt. W. Kelly, 10th R.G., Toronto.

Maj. J. M. Jones, 82nd, P.E.I.

The following members are making their first visit:—

Sergt. W. D. Spinks, 10th R.G., Toronto.

Pte. H. D. Gougeon, Vics., Montreal.

Corpl. Gray Copping, Vics, Montreal.

S.-Maj. G. Creighton, 2nd Q.O., Toronto.

Sergt. H. M. Marsden, 90th, Winnipeg.

Sergt. F. A. Steck., 78th, Truro, N.S.

SYNOD OF RUPERT'S LAND

GOTHENBURG LIQUOR LICENSE SYSTEM ENDORSED.

Winnipeg, June 18.—The Anglican Synod of Ruperts Land endorsed the principles of the Gothenburg license system as the means of controlling the liquor traffic after a protracted debate.

FIELD DAY TO GRAND'MERE.

The excursion of the Natural History Society to Grand'Mere on Saturday next promises to be one of the most successful in the history of the society. The train leaves Place Viger station at 8 a.m. sharp, stopping at Mile End. A hot luncheon may be obtained at the Laurentide Inn on arrival. Prizes will be given for the best collections in geology, botany, and entomology. Those who intend going should obtain their tickets at once.

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MANUFACTURERS' ASSOCIATION

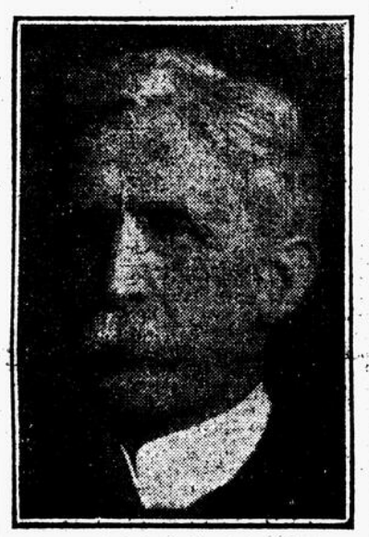
WILL HOLD ANNUAL MEETING IN THIS CITY NEXT WEEK.

The monthly meeting of the executive council of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association was held yesterday afternoon at the Windsor Hotel.

The annual meeting of the Montreal Branch will be held on Thursday, June 24, at 2.15, in the council room of the Montreal Board of Trade, when important matters will be up for discussion.

The following nominations have been received for the executive committee: Messrs. C. W. Davis, of the Williams Manufacturing Co.; the Hon. A. Desjardins, of the Montreal Terra Cotta Co.; R. J. Young, of the Canada Rubber Co.; J. H. Sherrard, of the Alaska Feather and Down Co.; Charles A. Smart, of the Smart Bag Co., Ltd.; W. J. Sadler, of Sadler & Haworth; William Rutherford, of William Rutherford & Sons; Carl Riordon, of the Riordon Papier Mills; C. S. J. Phillips, of Morton, Phillips & Co.; Frank Pauze, of the U. Pauze & Fils Co.; L. H. Packard, of L. H. Packard Co., Ltd.; John O. Gunn, of the Dominion Furniture Manufacturing Co.; Robert Gardner, of R. Gardner & Son; Joseph Fortier, manufacturing stationer; George Esplin, of G. and J. Esplin; C. Fred. Birks, of the Belding, Paul Company, Limited; Joseph Horsfall, of the Montreal Woollen Mills; E. J. Littler, of the Walter M. Lowney Co.; A. A. Brown, of the McClary Manufacturing Co.; A. H. Brittain, of the Atlantic Fish Co., Ltd.; F. H. Hopkin, of the Dominion Wire Rope Co., Ltd.; W. T. Rodney, of the Standard Explosives, Ltd.; also J. C. Casavant, of St. Hyacinthe, and D. J. Fraser, of St. Johns, as representatives for outside branches.

Mr. William Cauldwell, the new chairman, is a native of Toronto, and was for many years connected with Brown Bros., Ltd., of that city. He took up his residence in Montreal about seven years ago, when he became connected with the Canada Paper Co.,



MR. W. CAULDWELL.
who was elected chairman yesterday.

Ltd., a position he has since held. Mr. Cauldwell is well-known through Canada, and in the course of his business career has made eighteen trips to the Pacific Coast. As a member of the Montreal executive committee for the past three years, and the executive council, Mr. Cauldwell has given freely of his services to the association.

Mr. Whitehead was one of the promoters of the Mount Royal Spinning Company, which was founded in 1907.

MR. W. T. WHITEHEAD.
who was re-elected vice-chaidman.

Previous to that date he was with the Dominion Textile Co., as manager of their Montreal mill, and before that he was with the Colonial Bleaching Company. His entire business career has been spent in the cotton business. He is now general manager of the Mount Royal Company.

Readers can have the 'Daily Witness' at summer resorts in Canada or the United States for only 25 cts. per month.

TO ENCOURAGE SHOOTING

'DOMINION OF CANADA PRIZE' OPEN TO MEMBERS OF CIVILIAN RIFLE ASSOCIATIONS.

With a view to the greater encouragement of rifle shooting among members of civilian rifle associations, it has been decided by the Militia Council to offer an individual prize, to be known as 'The Dominion of Canada Prize,' to each gazetted and efficient civilian rifle association, for competition durinf the season 1909, under the rules laid down hereunder:—

The special prize offered is a nickel silver ornamented salver, ten inches in diameter, bearing the coat of arms of the Dominion of Canada, with an inscription that it is presented by the Government of the Dominion for skill in rifle shooting; the name of the association and winner will be engraved on the salver.

Competitors must be duly enrolled members of the association they represent, as shown by the last service roll on file at headquarters.

To be eligible for this prize, it will be necessary for the association to hold four competitions during the season of 1909, in which at least forty percent of the members must take part. Dates of these competitions must be fixed in advance at a general meeting of the association and communicated to the District Officer Commanding before the first shoot for the salver. (All members of the Association are to be notified.) Dates so arranged may be changed with the consent of the district officer commanding should circumstances make it necessary to alter them.

The ranges, at which these competitions are to take place, wil be 200, 500 and 600 yards, and the targets as specified in 'Regulations for Rifle Associations'—7 scoring shots at each range to count.

The prize to be awarded to the competitor making the highest aggregate in the four competitions above mentioned.

Claims for this prize, duly certified by the captain and secretary of the Association, will be forwarded through the district officer commanding, with the annual target practice return before Dec. 31, 1909. No claims for the salver will be considered which have not been forwarded in accordance with this paragraph.

The name of the winner, post office address and the name of the nearest express office are to be clearly set forth in the target practice return in which the claim for the salver is made.

Competitors must use the arms and ammunition provided by the government as free issue for the year.

No competitor, who has won this prize in a previous year, shall be again eligible for it. In the event of a previous winner making the highest score in the competition, the salver will be awarded to the member of the association making the next highest score who has not previously been awarded this salver.

In case of ties, etc., Dominion Rifle Association rules will govern.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mrs. F. Leveille has sold to Jos. Arthur Forest houses Nos. 618, 620, 622 and 624 Casgrain street, for $3,800.

Mme. Henri Doucet has sold to Mme. Jean J. L. Mergeay the south-western half of lot 598, St. James ward, with buildings fronting on Wolfe street, for $10,500.

Hubert Raymond has sold to Mederic Thibault the south-eastern part and other part of lot 609, St. Mary's ward, with buildings fronting on Gain street, for $9,000.

The Sheriff of Montreal has sold to the Thomas Davidson Manufacturing Company lots 756 to 759, and the north-eastern half of lot 755, with buildings fronting on Albert street, for $9,875.

Alexandre Chagnon has sold to Francois M. Lavoie two lots in Coté Visitation, with buildings, for $4,000 and other considerations.

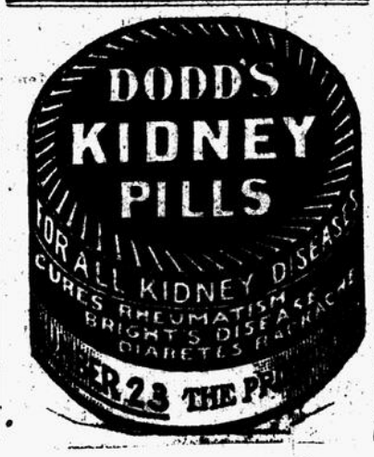
Alex. Chagnon has sold to J. E. Champagne two lots in Cote Visitation, with buildings, for $4,000, and other considerations.

The same vendor has also sold to P. Lefrancois lot 12-161-1, Coté Visitation, for $4,000, and other considerations.

Théodore Dupras has sold to Napoleon Daunais lots 13-44 and 45, Ville St. Louis, with buildings fronting on Hutchison street, for $3,200.

ANNUAL MEETING.

At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the I. L. Michalson & Sons, Ltd., held on the 16th inst., a satisfactory statement of the year's business was submitted. The following board of directors was elected: Harris Michalson, Israel Michalson, Mrs. Robert Goltman, M. L. Mittenthal, Robert Goltman. At a meeting of the board of directors held immediately at the close of the general meeting, the following officers were elected: President, Harris Michalson; Vice-President, Israel Michalson; Secretary-Treasurer, Robert Coltman.



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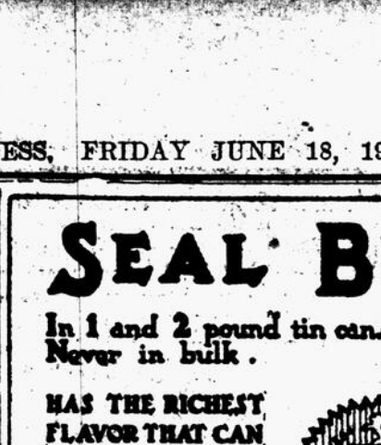

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ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION

IMPORTANT PAPERS READ BEFORE CONVENTION AT QUEBEC.

At yesterday's sessions the papers read were on the following subjects: 'The conservation of our natural resources through the use of high efficiency lights,' S. C. Doane, chief engineer, National Electric Lamp Association, Cleveland; 'Lightning Arresters,' Prof. L. A. Herdt and J. D. Allmont, McGill University, Montreal; 'Questions, answers and topical discussion of business-getting,' E. J. Philp, Berlin; H. O. Fiske, Peterborough; and E. A. Evans, Quebec. During the afternoon session the ladies of the party crossed to Levis, and were given an opportunity to see part of the south shore on the Levis County Railway.

Mr. W. N. Ryerson was re-elected president of the Canadian Electrical Convention yesterday, there being no opposition to his candidature. Other officers are: First vice-president, P. S. Coates, Chatham, Ont.; second vice-president, E. A. Evans, Quebec; secretary-treasurer (re-elected), T. S. Young, Toronto; Managing committee, R. S. Kelch, Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company, Montreal; R. G. Black, general superintendent Toronto Electric Light Company, Toronto; A. A. Dion, general superintendent Ottawa Electric Company, Ottawa; J. J. Wright, manager Toronto Electric Light Company, Toronto; H. O. Fisk, Peterboro Electric Light Company, Peterboro, Ont.; S. J. Smith, Perth; W. L. Adams, Niagara Falls; W. M. McFarlane, Cornwall; F. A. Chisholm, St. Johns, Que., and A. L. Mudge, Toronto.

During the afternoon the delegates were guests of the Canadian Pacific Railway on the 'Empress of Britain.' The delegates were received by Commander Walsh, superintendent of the steamship service; W. G. Annable, general passenger agent of the steamship department, and Captain Murray, of the 'Empress of Britain.' They were given a unique opportunity to view the ship, as their visit was timed to witness the weekly parade of the 420 men of the crew and the different emergency drills.

After the drill the delegates were entertained to lunch in the main saloon of the vessel, when speeches of welcome were made by Captain Murray, Commander Walsh, and Mr. W. G. Annable, replies being made by the President and the other officers of the association.

The convention closed to-day with a trip through the harbor and to the ruins of the Quebec bridge on the 'Montcalm,' the delegates being guests of the Government for the occasion.

GERMAN-VENEZUELAN TREATY.

Berlin, June 17.—An agreement of amity, commerce and navigation between Venezuela and Germany was to-day assented to by the Federal Council.

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MOVEMENTS OF MINISTERS.

Ottawa, June 18.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Hon. George P. Graham and the Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux returned to the Capital yesterday, and the first cabinet meeting for some time will be held to-day to clean up arrears of public business. The Hon. Wm. Paterson left last night on a visit to his daughter, at Picton, Ont., and the Hon. Wm. Pugsley leaves next week for St. John, where he will spend a few days before proceeding to the Pacific coast on a trip of inspection of public works.

ELECTRIC LIGHT FIGHT.

The injunction case of the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Co. vs. the Montreal Electric Light Company, has been continued to Monday next, on account of the absence of Mr. Justice Lafontaine.

WALTER PAUL'S

SPRING IMPORTATIONS have nearly all been received, and are larger and better than ever. Families going to the SEASIDE or COUNTRY for the summer months can get their ORDERS FILLED with the BEST of everything in the line of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FRUITS, VEGETABLES, etc., at the LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. All goods carefully packed and placed F.O.B. on Rail or Steamer. No charge for packing or cases.

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that under the First Part of Chapter 79 of the Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906, known as 'The Companies' Act,' letters patent have been issued under the Seal of the Secretary of State of Canada, bearing date the 6th day of May, 1909, incorporating William Albert Magor, Real Estate Agent; Charles Leander Higgins, Manufacturer, and Pierre Alexandre Boivin, Accountant, all three of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec; and Louis Napoléon Benjamin, Manufacturer, of Lachine, in the said Province of Quebec; and Joseph Alfred Nadeau, Notary, of the Town of Iberville, in the said Province of Quebec, for the following purposes, viz.:—(1) To acquire by purchase, lease, concession, license, exchange, or other legal title, mines, mining lands, easements, mineral properties, or other interest therein, minerals and ores and mining claims, options, powers, privileges, water rights, patent rights, letters patent or invention, processes and mechanical or other contrivances, and either absolutely or conditionally, and either solely or jointly with others, and as principals, agents, contractors or otherwise, and to lease, mortgage, place under license, hypothecate, sell, dispose of and otherwise deal with the same or any part thereof, or any interest therein; (2) To prospect and explore in all parts of Canada for minerals of every sort and description whatsoever, and particularly for chrome and asbestos, with a view to locating and acquiring mines and mining rights and operating the same; (3) To quarry, smelt, refine, dress, amalgamate and prepare for market, ore, metal and mineral substances of all kinds, and to carry on any other operations pertaining to mining germane to the Company's objects; (4) To buy, manufacture, sell and otherwise deal in minerals, plant, machinery, implements, conveniences, provisions and things used in connection with mining operations or required by workmen and others employed by the Company; (5) To buy, own, utilize, sell and otherwise deal in patent rights in improved mining machinery and other implements; (6) To construct, carry out, maintain, improve, manage, work, control and superintend any roads, ways, bridges, reservoirs, watercourses, aqueducts, wharves, furnaces, mills, crushing works, hydraulic works, factories, warehouses, and other works and conveniences which may be necessary for the business of the Company, and to contribute to, subsidize or otherwise aid or take part in any such operation; (7) To purchase and take over the whole or any part of the assets and liabilities and other property, rights, movable and immovable interests of Joseph Alfred Nadeau, Notary, of Iberville, and Louis Napoléon Benjamin, Manufacturer, of Lachine, and to pay for the same, either in cash or in paid-up and unassessable shares of the stock of this Company, or otherwise as may seem fit, and to execute the necessary contracts or other documents in that regard; (8) To acquire the good-will, property, rights, and assets, and assume the whole or any part of the liabilities of any person, firm, association or corporation engaged in any business similar to that conducted by this Company, and to pay for the same in cash, stock, debentures, or other securities of this Company; (9) To build, acquire, own, charter, navigate, and use steam and other vessels; (10) To make advances on contracts and all necessary arrangements with reference thereto with contractors or other persons and firms; (11) To enter into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interests, or co-operation with any person or company, carrying on business similar to that which this Company is hereby authorized to carry on; (12) To generate, develop, improve and utilize on the property of the Company such hydraulic, electric, steam or other power as may be necessary for the due conduct of the Company's business; (13) To do business as general merchants; (14) To acquire and hold stock in any company engaged in any business or undertaking similar to that which this Company is hereby authorized to carry on; (15) To pay for any services rendered to, and any property and rights acquired by the Company, in such manner as may be deemed expedient, and in particular by the issue of shares or securities of the Company credited as fully-paid or partly paid-up; (16) To carry on any other business germane to that which this Company is hereby authorized to carry on; (17) To sell, exchange or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the business or assets of the Company, and to accept in payment thereof, cash, or shares, debentures or other securities of any other company having objects similar to those of this Company, and to distribute the same among the shareholders of this Company; (18) To do all such acts, matters and things as are necessary to the due attainment of the above objects. The operations of the Company to be carried on throughout the Dominion of Canada and elsewhere, by the name of 'Chrome and Asbestos Mines' (Limited), with a capital stock of one hundred and ninety-nine thousand dollars, divided into one thousand nine hundred and ninety shares of one hundred dollars, and the chief place of business of the said Company to be at the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec.

Dated at the office of the Secretary of State of Canada, this 7th day of May, 1909.

CHAS. MURPHY,
Secretary of State.

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OLD NEWSPAPERS
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Gladys Dunlop is the guest of Miss Kate Edgell, in Sherbrooke.

Lady Hingston, who has sailed for England, will spend the summer abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Munro are in Winnipeg this week, on their trip to the West.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wyman, Westmount, are spending some time in St. Johns.

Mrs. W. I. Shaw has returned from Cornwall, where she was attending the W. M. S. Conference.

Mrs. Cornu, Macdonald College, while in the Capital next week will be the guest of Mrs. Duncan Macpherson.

Sir Robert Perks sails for England by the 'Laurentic' on Saturday, after a stay of several weeks in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. MacTier and their children, Miss Adeline and Master Stuart MacTier, will spend the next few weeks in Great Britain.

Mrs. Chas. J. Patton, and Masters Ralph and Francis Patton, of 19 Essex avenue, have gone to their summer home, Strabane cottage, Little Metis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loring have gone to Three Rivers for the wedding of Mrs. Loring's cousin, Miss Gwendolen Baptist, and Mr. G. H. Montgomery.

Among the passengers on the 'Empress of Ireland,' which sailed from Liverpool to-day, is Dr. R. N. Coulter, deputy postmaster-general, who has been to Australia in connection with the All-Red route.

The engagement is announced, in Toronto, of Miss Frances Muriel Cronyn, daughter of Mrs. Benjamin Cronyn, to Mr. H. E. Haultain, C.E., son of the late Major-General Haultain. The wedding will take place quietly in September.

Among the wedding gifts received by Miss Melvin-Jones on the occasion of her marriage to the Rev. T. Crawford Brown, were a ruby and diamond brooch from Her Excellency the Countess Grey; and a French bronze patch box from Lady Sybil Grey.

The Countess of Aberdeen and the delegates to the quinquennial congress will visit Hamilton on Saturday, and will stop off at the Beach for an hour. Mayor Maclaren will present an address to Lady Aberdeen, and the party will then be the guests of Mrs. W. E. Sanford at Wesanford.

The marriage was solemnized on Wednesday, at the home of the bride's parents, Kingston, Ont., of Miss Alberta L. Davis, eldest daughter of Mrs. George Davis, to Mr. M. L. Moore, of Montreal. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. D. Whitmore. The bride was unattended and wore a princess dress of cream silk eolienne. Her going away gown was of taupe broadcloth with hat to match. Mrs. and Mrs. Moore left for Montreal, where they will reside.

A wedding took place at Richmond, Que., on Wednesday, June 16, when Miss Eunice Mina Smith, teacher of the Foster, School, Somerville, Mass., was united in marriage to Mr. John Leonard Barrie, of the firm Barrie Bros., furniture dealers. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. Carmichael at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. J. Denison Smith. The bride wore a travelling suit of pongee-colored tussore silk with hat to match. After the wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Barrie will reside in Richmond, where they will be at home after the first of September.

A wedding was celebrated quietly at St. James Church, Three Rivers, this afternoon, when Mr. Geo. H. Montgomery (of the legal firm of Brown, Montgomery & McMichael, Montreal), and Miss Gwendoline Baptist, daughter of Mrs. John Baptist, of Three Rivers, and granddaughter of the late Archbishop Bond, were united in marriage, the Rev. H. Reginald Bigg officiating. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Wm. Bond Baptist, wore a gown of marquisette over white satin, and was attended by her sister, while the groomsman was Mr. Claude Hickson, of Montreal. Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery left by the 4.15 C. P. R. train for Quebec, and will sail to-morrow by the 'Laurentic' for Britain. The presents to the bride were very numerous, quite a number of cheques being among them.

The Maples,' Cornwall, was the scene of a June wedding on Wednesday afternoon, when Bertha, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. Kirkpatrick, was united in marriage to Mr. Alexander Clarke, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke, of Montreal. The house was beautifully decorated by the girl friends of the bride—the drawing room in bridal wreaths and ferns, the dining room in pink and white. The bride, who entered the drawing room escorted by her father, and preceded by little Marjorie Flack and Margaret MacLaren, was gowned in white marquisette over satin, finished with embroidery and fringe. Her tulle veil was held by a coronet of orange blossoms. After the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Dr. Harkness, luncheon was served, being followed by the usual congratulations and toasts. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke left on the afternoon train on their way for the Saguenay, the bride travelling in a blue braided Rajah costume with smart hat to match. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Clarke, Miss Clarke and Mr. Connel, of Montreal. The bride received a great many beautiful gifts.

A house wedding took place at Allan's Corners, Que., on Wednesday, June 16, when Jessie M., eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. G. Rutherford, was united in marriage to the Rev. J. A. McNeil, of Clarendon, Que. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a princess gown of pointe d'esprit over white silk. She wore a wreath of orange blossoms, and carried a large bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid, Miss Ella Rutherford, sister of the bride, wore a gown of figured silk mull with orange blossoms spray, and carried a bouquet of snowballs and lilies of the valley. The best man was the Rev. Mahlon Robinson, a college mate of the groom. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. P. L. Richardson, B.A., B.D., assisted by the Rev. E. W. S. Coates, of Ormstown. The groom's gift to the bride was a crescent brooch, to the bridesmaid a pearl brooch, and to the best man gold cuff links. About a hundred guests were present, including friends from Montreal and Toronto. The wedding gifts were numerous and beautiful. After the wedding dinner, Mr. and Mrs. McNeil left for Montreal, Quebec, and a St. Lawrence trip. They will take up their residence at Clarendon.

The marriage of Mr. Alexander Mackenzie Thompson, of McGill University, son of the late Rev. Dr. Thompson, of Sarnia, Ont., to Miss Anna P. Gill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Gill, was solemnized in the First Presbyterian Church, Brockville, at noon yesterday. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. N. MacLeod, assisted by the Rev. D. Strachan, of Toronto, the groom's brother-in-law. The church was decorated with palms, and pink and white flowers. The bride, who wore a white satin gown trimmed with rose point lace, a veil and orange blossoms, was attended by Miss Berta Gill as maid of honor, wearing white silk mull with silver trimmings, and carrying pink roses, and by two little flower girls dressed in white over pink and pretty little bonnets trimmed with rose-buds. Mr. Robert Thompson, of Toronto, was best man. A reception was held at 'Ingleneuk,' the residence of the bride's parents. On their return from their wedding trip, Prof. and Mrs. Thompson will reside in Montreal. Among Montreal guests invited to the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsay, the Misses Ramsay, Miss Freeland, Miss E. Freeland, Miss Gill, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gaunt, Miss Loucks, Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, Miss Louise Murphy, Mrs. T. Bishop, Miss Effie Copeland.

The marriage of Miss Edith E. McBain to Mr. Raymond Smith took place at the residence of the bride's mother, 415 Drolet street, on Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. R. Dobson, of St. Giles Presbyterian Church. The bride, who was given away by her uncle, Mr. E. D. Staton, wore a princess gown of white silk and carried a sheath bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Gladys Smith, sister of the groom, wore a cream gown and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Mr. George McBain, brother of the bride, was best man. Miss Ada Staton played the wedding march. The bride received many handsome presents, also two useful 'showers' from her fellow employees in the Audit Office of the G. T. R. Those present were Mrs. Smith, mother of the groom; Mr. Smith, the groom's uncle, and Mr. A. Smith, his brother; Mrs. E. Morton, of Quebec; Mr. and Mrs. G. Brazier, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Staton, Mr. and Mrs. A. McBain, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Staton, Mr. and Mrs. T. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. W. Staton, Miss E. Vivian, and the Misses L. and F. Brazier. After the ceremony dinner was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith left by C. P. R. for a trip to the Eastern Townships.

A SPLENDID EXAMPLE

LORD ROBERT'S COMMENT ON ACTION OF THE OGILVIE COMPANY.

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Company, Limited, received the following cable yesterday from Lord Roberts:—

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HOLD UP IN A STORE

The case in which Henry Lavoie and David Steinburk were accused of illegally detaining a young man in the latter's clothing store on St. Lawrence street, on Saturday, came to a conclusion to-day, when Mr. Recorder Weir sentenced the dependants to pay a fine of $10 each, r undergo one month's imprisonment.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNICS.

The Point St. Charles Congregational Sunday School unite this year for their annual picnic with the Point St. Charles Baptist and Verdun Baptist Mission Schools. The train will leave the Sebastopol street siding near the subway station to-morrow morning for Highgate Springs. Fairmount avenue and Sherbrooke street Methodist Schools are uniting at Ste. Rose, and St. James and East End Schools go together to Otterburn Park.

THE LATE SHERIFF THIBAUDEAU

FUNERAL THIS MORNING WAS ATTENDED BY LARGE NUMBER OF CITIZENS.

The funeral of the late Hon. J. R. Thibaudeau, Sheriff of Montreal, which took place this morning, was one of the greatest tributes ever paid to any citizen of the metropolis. The cortege which left his residence on Durocher street, at 8.30 o'clock, covered the greater part of the distance on Bleury street between Sherbrooke street and Craig street. The hearse was preceded by a squad of forty of the jail guards, wearing white helmets and under the command of Mr. Barré, assistant governor.

The chief mourners were the two sons-in-law, Mr. Aimé Geoffrion, K.C., and Dr. Douglas Gurd; his father-in-law, Mr. Guillaume Lamothe; his brothers-in-law, Messrs. C. A. Barnard, K.C., Arthur Gagnon and Dr. Mackay; his nephews, Senator Alfred Thibaudeau, Messrs. Jean Prevost, K.C., Alfred Roy, Thibaudeau Rinfret, Chas. Rinfret, Fernand Rinfret, Dr. C. Rinfret, Roger Larue, and his cousin, Mr. E. Laframboise.

Among others in the large cortege were Chief Justice Sir Melbourne Tait, Justices Archambeault, Davidson, Robidoux, Curran, Lafontaine; ex-Judges Mathieu, Loranger and Doherty; Judges Dorion, Leboeuf, Lanctot, Bazin, Sicotte, Senators Gillmor, Dandurand, J. P. B. Casgrain, Mitchell, Dessaulles, Jules Tessier; Hon. Messrs. J. Decarie, Minister of Agriculture; T. C. Casgrain, Louis Beaubien, J. D. Rolland, P. E. Leblanc, N. Perodeau; Messrs. A. Girard, prothonotary of the Superior Court; P. N. Durand, deputy sheriff; C. Vallee, governor of the Montreal jail; James McShane, harbor master; C. A. Harwood, Postmaster; Alph. Racine, Dr. E. P. Lachapelle.

The governors and staff of the Notre Dame Hospital, the Court House officials, the officials of the Montreal jail and the Court House reporters all attended in a body.

The service was held in the chapel of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Church of Notre Dame, the Rev. Abbe Bedard officiating, with Abbés Pelletier and Legrand as deacon and sub-deacon. After the service, the remains were conveyed to the Cote des Neiges cemetery for interment. The floral and religious offerings were rich and numerous, including, among others, contributions from the Court House, and jail officials, the authorities of Notre Dame Hospital, and the members of the press. After the funeral, the governors of the Notre Dame Hospital held a special meeting to pass resolutions of condolence.

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL

EXECUTIVE CONSIDERS QUINQUENNIAL REPORTS, AND DELEGATES VISIT TORONTO SCHOOLS.

The executive committee of the International Council of Women, now meeting in Toronto, held a long session yesterday of business preliminary to the Congress. Mrs. Ogilvie Gordon, honorary corresponding secretary, gave her report covering the council work and expansion during the last five years. The secretary read a letter from Mrs. Bowen, of Constantinople, a sister of Ahmed Riza, the president of the new Turkish Parliament, who wrote saying that she was hopeful of forming a national council for the women of Turkey before very long.

From Finland, Baroness Gripenburg wrote saying that a council was about to be formed there, while from Egypt the same news came. The Countess de Philosophoff reported that the minister of the interior had at last consented to allow the formation of a council in Russia. These cheering tidings were received with enthusiasm by the council.

The following ladies were elected life patrons of the council: Mrs. Marie Elkman, Sweden; Froken Lavonius, a daughter of the late Governor of Finland, Stockholm; Mrs. H. T. Bovey, formerly of the Montreal Council; Fraulein Helen Lange, Germany.

Invitations for the holding of the executive meeting and the quinquennial council for 1914 were received from France, Norway, Australasia and Italy, and these will be considered in due course by the council.

The Countess of Aberdeen has been nominated for the office of president for the next term of five years, and Madame Jules Siegfried, of France, is a candidate. Dr. Alice Salomon, Germany, it is understood, will replace Mrs. Ogilvie Gordon as corresponding secretary. Mrs. Gordon will be a candidate as one of the three vice-presidents, other nominees being Miss Balde, Netherlands; Lady Edgar, Canada; Baroness Gripenburg, Finland; Frau Marianne Hainisch, Australia; Mlle. Monod, France; Mlle. Popelin, Belgium; Frau Charlotte Norrie, Denmark; Countess Rasponi Spalletti, Italy; Mrs. Mary Wood Swift, U.S.A.; Mrs. Garrison Villard, U.S.A.; and Dr. Skoglund, Sweden.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Sanford, of Hamilton, showed that the income for the quinquennial period just closed was $5,130.59, and the expenditure, $3,470.18, leaving a balance of $1,660.41.

During the day a number of the delegates spent several hours inspecting the public schools, escorted by Inspector Hughes. On the whole, they found much which met with their approval, the only disapproving note being struck by Froken Elizabeth Gad, for many years principal of a girls' high school at Copenhagen, Denmark, who, on being shown a class of little girls in costume being put through a physical culture drill based on a Spanish dance, expressed the opinion that the movements and fancy dresses put theatrical ideas into the children's heads.

SHIPPING NEWS

THE LAURENTIC'S CABIN LIST.

The SS. Laurentic, of the White Star-Dominion line, sails to-morrow for Liverpool with the following saloon passengers:—A. S. Ault, Mrs. Ault, Mrs. J. J. Armitage, E. D. Armour, Dr. E. Herbert Adams, Miss Armstrong, Miss Lena Amsler, Mr. Victor Beaudry, T. B. Bethell, Mrs. Bethell, Miss Elizabeth Blackstock, Miss C. Blackstock, Gbb Blackstock, W. G. Blackstock, Miss L. Brown, W. A. Brunette, W. Brodie, Prof. E. Broome, Mrs. Broome, Miss Broome, Miss H. Beaugrand, Mrs. Bates, Dr. F. M. Blumer, Mrs. Blumer, Hugh C. Baker, A. R. Bishop, H. St. George Baldwin, Mrs. Baldwin, C. H. Crowdy, E. C. Campbell, E. C. Cattanach, N. S. Croker, Mrs. E. A. Chatterton, Miss Vera Chatterson, Miss Audrey Chatterson, E. B. Crompton, W. H. Clark, Prof. C. W. Cabeen, E. G. Cooper, Harry Cameron, Mrs. C. W. Carothers, Mrs. Oscar Dunn, Joseph G. de Loylmer, Mrs. Delorimier, A. F. Duclos, R. Davison, R. Dodde, Mrs. R. Dodds, W. A. Denton, J. Eggers, Mrs. Eggers, Mrs. W. Herbert Evans, W. J. Elliott, Miss Elliott, Fitzroy Elliott, M. Fitzgibbon, Edwin F. Fobes, Mrs. Fobes, Miss O. N. Fobes, J. N. Farmer, M. Goldstein, Mrs. Goldstein, R. L. Gaunt, Temples Godman, G. Godman, G. Ross Geddes, Miss A. Gibson, the Rev. Father T. A. Gaze, Arthur R. Holden, F. W. Harbour, I. F. Hellmuth, K.C., R. B. Henderson, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Hewton, the Hon. W. J. Hanna, Mrs. Hanna, E. M. Hayton, Miss Bessie Hackett, Joseph W. Hiner, Mrs. Hiner, R. D. Hessey, K. G. Holiday, Sir William Jaffray, Bart., Mrs. Jaffray, D. T. Kennedy, Mrs. Kennedy, Miss Helen Kennedy, Miss Margaret Kennedy, John Lindsay, F. F. Ladd, Mrs. Ladd A. I. Lewis, Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. George W. Littlefield, Miss C. Littlefield, John McRae, S. W. Milne, R. E. MacDougall, George H. Montgomery, Mrs. Montgomery, R. Minty, Mrs. J. R. Meredith, H. Michalson, Sydney Moss, Jos. Micklebrough, Mrs. Mason, Miss Mitchell, Dr. A. W. Mayburry, W. B. Matthews, Miss E. Milne, D'Arcy Martin, James Muir, Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., Mrs. Nesbitt, Alexander Nelson, B. L. Northcott, Miss Sallie Nolle, H. W. Ogden, Mrs. Ogden, J. Oldershaw, Sir Robert Perks, Malcolm Perks, J. H. Plummer, F. S. Peacock, Mrs. Peacock, Robert Peebles, Alex. Petrie, A. Pierce, Mrs. Pierce, Sydney Pierce, M. P. Rae, Mrs. Rae, W. M. Reay, Mrs. Reay, Miss Jean Reay, Miss Dorothy Reay, Mrs. Campbell Reaves, Mrs. J. Newton Rogers, Prof. J. J. Rice, Frank Rhind, Charles M. Reid, A. M. Stewart, Mrs. Southgate, J. H. Sampson, J. L. Smith, Mrs. H. R. Schaffer, Mrs. Strickland, Miss Louise Shelley, Master J. Sloan, Mrs. Sloan, Mrs. E. A. Small, Mrs. Albert K. Shorey, Miss Laura Sloan, James Stirton, Dexter Tiffany, Mrs. Tiffany, Mrs. Taylor, M. Vineberg, Mrs. Vineberg, Mrs. Arthur Vaillancourt, H. W. Weller, J. Wightman, Colonel John White, Richard With, Francis B. Ward, Mrs. Ward, E. A. Wood, H. W. Walker, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. S. D. Wyatt, Miss Charlie Winslow, Miss Libbie White, H. T. S. Yates.

ON THE PRETORIAN.

The following is a list of the cabin passengers sailing to-morrow morning by the Steamer Pretorian for Glasgow:—Miss Grace Adams, Cleveland; Mr. C. A. Anderson, Mrs. Anderson, Akron; Miss Altman, Miss B. Altman, Boston; Miss M. Allen, Lincoln; Mrs. A. B. Alexander, Boston; Mrs. Adams, Miss Adams, Chicago; Mr. Alexander, Glasgew; Miss Blackwood, Toronto; Miss Grace Babbitt, Miss Bertha Babbitt, South Bend; Mr. B. Warren Brown, Beloit; Miss Brown, Boston; Miss Daisy Bonnell, Chicago; Mr. Fred W. Burnham, Barre; Miss Barbour, Toronto; Mr. Frazier Curtis, Mrs. Curtis, Boston; Miss G. B. Cayford, Montreal; Miss Coroon, Winnipeg; Mrs. Campbell, Miss Colville, Toronto; Miss Helen Fillebrown, Rochester; Mr. Samuel Frew, Toronto; Miss Sarah G. Gibson, Kingston; Mr. R. G. Henderson, Boston; Miss Jennie A. Howe, Cleveland; Miss A. Hardman, South Bend; Miss A. Henderson, Miss H. Henderson, Toronto; Miss Nellie Irvine, Welland; Miss A. B. Juniper, Montreal; Miss Ida Jaekson, Chicago; Miss Kerr, Mrs. R. E. Kingsford, Miss Kingsford, Miss Dorothy Kingsford, Mr. B. M. Loudon, Mr. James Loudon, Mrs. Loudon, Miss Loudon, Toronto; Mr. E. H. McKnight, Mrs. McKnight, Columbus; Miss M. Mitchell, Fargo; Mr. C. J. Macklin, Mr. E. P. Macklin, Chicago; the Rev. J. A. McKeen, Mrs. McKeen, Orono; Miss Louise Miller, Lincoln; Miss Murray, Winnipeg; Mr. David Neill, Chicago; Mr. J. A. Patterson, Toronto; Miss C. Partridge, Mr. W. H. Partridge, Miss E. Pope, South Bend; Miss E. R. Pyrtle, Mrs. E. C. Pillsbury, Miss S. Pillsbury, Chicago; Mr. R. Philips, Winnipeg; Miss Robertson, Toronto; Mrs. Radford, Miss Radford, Miss A. S. Rutherford, Montreal; Miss Rennie, Winnipeg; Mr. E. E. Simpson, Mrs. Simpson, Seattle; Miss M. Sherman, Fargo; Mr. Peter Scott, Montreal; Miss Mary Sullivan, Lincoln; Miss Mary Scott, Glasgow; Miss Blanche L. True, Fargo; Mrs. S. T. Townsend, Miss Ida Townsend, Evanston; Miss F. I. Wolcott, Oberlin; Mr. P. B. Whytock, Mrs. Whytock, Toronto; Miss Julia Whitton, Miss E. Whitton, Rochester; Miss Waddell, Toronto; Mr. Wallace, Glasgow.

THE SICILIAN'S LIST.

The SS. Sicilian, Capt. Wallace, sails to-morrow morning for Havre and London with the following saloon passengers:—Mr. Carl H. O. Adam, Detroit; Mr. Aucouturier, Mrs. Aucouturier and child, Ottawa; Mrs. E. W. Allen, Miss Allen, Chicago; Mrs. R. A. Brock, Montreal; Mrs. A. H. Brown, Chicago; Miss Beckley, Montreal; Miss Bone, Chicago; Mr. J. P. Bretz, Ithaca; the Rev. W. S. G. Bunbury, Sherbrooke; Miss Bertha Bray, Boston; the Rev. R. Brochard, Quebec; Miss Brent, Toronto; Prof. Francis Bacon, Miss Dorothy Brotherton, Miss Alma Blount, Detroit; Miss Blanchet, Miss P. Blanchet, Ottawa; Miss E. L. Brookfield, Halifax; Miss D. M. Brookfield, Halifax; Major Brown, Toronto; Mr. Philip E. Burnley, Ann Harbor; Miss Louise Cyr, Chicago; Miss May Colbaugh, Fulton; Mrs. B. Coulip, Montreal; Archdeacon W. B. Carey, Mrs. Carey and child, Kingston; Mr. Cole, Indianapolis; Madame M. Calon, Mlle. Suzanne Calon, Mlle. Germaine Calon, Mlle Simone Calon, M. Pierre Calon, M. Jedy Calon, Montreal; Miss R. B. Collins, Miss C. V. Collins, Northampton; Mr. Jewell Cravens, Ann Harbor; Mr. Selkirk Cross, Montreal; Mr. Duyrenfurth, Chicago; Miss Marion Dimond, Boston; Mr. Leonard Dooge, Miss Ida Dooge, Miss Helen Dooge, Detroit; Miss K. Drysdale, Halifax; Sister Francois D'Assise, Quebec; Mr. Wm. Daniels, Montreal; Miss B. Ellis, Los Angeles; Mrs. Pauline Gilette, Cleveland; Mr. J. G. Gravely, Toronto; Mr. Herbert Hallsworth, Mrs. Hallsworth, Riverside; the Rev. W. T. Halpenny, Mrs. Halpenny, Master Merill Halpenny, Montreal; Mrs. G. H. Hinch, Miss E. Hinch, Miss J. Hinch, Miss H. Hinch, Mr. F. H. Humphries, Mr. Stanley Humphries, Toronto; Miss Ethel Hodge, Montreal; Miss Grace Humphries, Toronto; Mies H. L. Haultain, Mr. Etienne M. Jarousse, Montreal; Mr. A. Janeson, Chicago; Mrs. Thomas Jocelyn, Hamilton; Mr. Jenkins, Mrs. Jenkins and child, Chicago; Miss Tillie M. Lambourn, Cincinnati; Miss H. Lawrence, Montreal; Miss Ida Langlois, Miss Grace Langlois, Toronto; the Rev. Fr. Le Creu, Mr. E. B. Meyer, Montreal; Mr. C. A. McPheeters, Mrs. McPheeters, Mr. R. Allen McPheeters, Fulton; the Rev. Dr. McTavish, Mrs. McTavish, Toronto; Miss M. A. C. Miller, Charlemont; Mrs. McBeth, Toronto; Mr. F. B. Marsh, Detroit; Miss A. M. Masch, Halifax; Mrs. W. R. MacInnes, Miss Julia M. MacInnes, Miss Evelyn M. R. MacInnes, Master Donald A. MacInnes, Miss Emma S. MacInnes, Montreal; Sister Ste. Marie Mathilde, Quebec; Mr. Lucien Mergeay, Mrs Mergeay and infant, Montreal; Mr. Macklin and two sons, Chicago; Madame E. Motter, Cambridge; Mrs. Harriet Mann, Miss Mary Markeley, New York; Mrs. Benoit Morel and child, Montreal; Mrs. C. Brooke Marsland, Warkworth; Miss Virginia Osborn, Miss Nellie Passel, Cincinnati; Miss Jessie Palmer, Mrs. Pettree, Chcago; Mrs. M. B. Pratt, Miss Lois J. Pratt, Miss Hattie B. Porter, Denver; Miss Purchase, Chicago; Mr. R. H. Plaisance, Miss Sarah Plaisance, Detroit; Miss Ross, Montreal; Miss K. Reid, Toronto; Mr. J. Ringwalt, Mount Vernon; Miss Amelia Roth, Cleveland; Mr. Roop, Mrs. Roop, Chicago; Miss Irene Skinner, Mr. Wm. Sullivan, Chicago; Miss Edith Sivett, New York; Mr. Albert Sprinks, Mr. F. R. Smith, Mr. Leonard Smith, Toronto; Sister Ste. Marie Theophane, Quebec; Mr. C. F. Wanstall, Sherbrooke; Mr. W. H. Worrell, Miss Isabel Walt, Detroit; Mrs. Williams, Toronto; Mr. J. R. Wilson, Chicago; Mr. Williams, Toronto; Mr. J. H. Wilson, Salina.

THE KEYPORT GOES WEST.

The steamer Keyport passed through the harbor of Montreal to-day on her maiden trip to the Upper Lakes. This ship has just been built for the Keystone Transportation Company by contract with Mr. C. I. de Sola, the Canadian associate of Messrs. Swan, Hunter, & Wigham Richardson, of Wallsend-on-Tyne, and was constructed in the yards of the latter, Mr. John Reid acting as consulting engineer for the purchasers. The steamer Keyport represents a new type of vessel specially designed for the Canadian lake and canal traffic, with the object of providing the greatest carrying capacity possible within limits permitted by the dimensions of the St. Lawrence canal locks. She is a sister ship of the SS. Keywest, built for the same line. Mr. de Sola transferred the vessel to the owners to-day.

NOTES.

The SS. Willehad, of the Canada line, from Hamburg, Bremen and Rotterdam, for Quebec and Montreal, passed Cap Magdeleine at 8.40 a.m. to-day. She is due in Quebec to-morrow morning.

The Allan line R.M.S. Victorian, from Liverpool for Quebec and Montreal, passed Cap Chatte at 3.15 a.m. to-day.

The Allan line SS. Corsican, from Liverpool, for Quebec and Montreal, via Moville, sailed from Moville at 9 o'clock this morning with 22 first, 182 second and 458 third class passengers.

The SS. Dominon, of the White Star-Dominion line, was reported 110 miles, southeast of Fame Point at 9.30 a.m. to-day.

The White Star-Dominion R.M.S. Megantic sailed from Liverpool at 5 p.m. yesterday on her maiden trip with a large list of passengers for Quebec and Montreal. She will sail on her return trip from Montreal on July 3 with a very heavy passenger list, among those booked being Her Excellency the Countess of Aberdeen and a large number of the delegates who attended the International Council of Women.

The SS. Manchester Spinner passed Father Point at 5.15 o'clock this morning.

GULF REPORT.

Father Point—Foggy, raining, calm; inward 5.15 a.m., Manchester Spinner.

Cape Chatte—Dense fog, heavy rain, east wind; inward 7.30 a.m., Victorian and two masted steamer.

Fame Point—Cloudy, strong south-west wind; Dominion 110 miles south-east at 9.30 a.m.

Heath Point—Cloudy, strong south wind.

Cape Ray—Raining, strong south-east wind.

Cape Race—Foggy and calm; Hesperian 190 miles south-east at 2.40 p.m. yesterday, reported large bergs in latitude 47.34 N., 46.53 W.

A YOUNG BURGLAR

BROKE INTO A JUNK STORE AND STOLE RUBBER AND BRASS.

Alexander Aird, 17 years of age, giving an address in Tansley street, pleaded guilty in the Arraignment Court before Judge Bazin, to-day, to entering the junk store of W. Zackone, 913 Lagauchetiere street east, last night, and stealing 150 pounds of rubber and 150 pounds of brass, besides purloining a handcart to carry off the material. He was remanded until Monday. Detective Richard effected the prisoner's arrest.

TRAIN DERAILED

ENGINEER KILLED, FIREMAN FATALLY INJURED, AND MOTHER AND BABE MAY DIE.

Fond du Lac, Wis., June 18.—Thomas McDonald, the engineer, was killed, his fireman was fatally hurt, and a mother and her babe were so badly injured that they, too, may die, in a wreck on the Chicago and North-western Railway, a short distance from North Fond du Lac, when a passenger train from Menominee, Mich., due here at midnight last night, ran into a wreck in the yards, and was derailed.

BOY BADLY HURT.

Three-year-old Esau Godwin, who fell from the third story window of his home, Ida street, on Wednesday, and was conveyed to the Hotel Dieu, is still in a critical condition.

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ASSESSMENTS 1909

Notice to Property Owners.

In order to give property owners an opportunity of ascertaining whether the valuation of their properties has been increased or not, an effort will be made this year to deliver the tax bills in time to admit of any complaints being made before the 20th September, as by the Charter the Assessors cannot receive complaints after that date.

To ensure prompt delivery of the bills, however, proprietors who have changed residence since last year, are requested to send their new addresses to be designed.

AGENTS AND TRUSTEES

Agents and trustees wishing to have the bills for properties they represent are requested to send in lists of such properties without delay.

Forms for this purpose can be had on application, if desired.

W. [illegible]
City Treasurer.

City Treasurer's Office,
City Hall,
Montreal, 17th June, 1909.

WANTED — APPLICATIONS [illegible] position of teacher of Domestic Science in the Public Schools of Victoria [illegible] be received up to 10th July by the Board. Salary $80 per month. FELLA MOORE, Secretary Victoria Board.

WANTED, BRIGHT YOUTH [illegible] must write good hand, and be good figures. Address P.O. Box [illegible]

SNOW IN NEW YORK STATE

Malone, N.Y., June 18.—A flurry in mid-June was the novelty of the residents of Duane and sections of Franklin County to-day. The air was sharp and some of the days in early April snow continued to fall for a short time, and it disappeared as it fell.

ALL RECORDS SMASHED AT SYDNEY STEEL PLANT

Over 900 Tons of Iron Per Day —Rejoicing in the East at Success of Corporation

...ney, C.B., June 18—The past few days ...sational new records made at ... The blast furnaces have ...n practically active, three furnaces at ... were turning out over nine hun... ...g iron a day for some days ... the output was 907 tons, and ... tons. This is considerably ... the best previous record, and ...ained would mean an output of ... tons for the month.

...ments at the plant are running ...pressure, and it is confidently ex... the June output will beat all ...records.

...arkable financial report presented ...nual meeting held in Montreal ... and the able and optimistic ad... ...ed by Mr. Plummer as to the ... the Steel Corporation have been ...ut the Maritime Provinces ...edented gratification. Friends ...any are sanguine that the steel ... Cape Breton will soon reach ...portions, and the great strength ...inion Steel Company is the one ...versation on all sides. The ...assured, and Mr. Plummer, Mr. ... the other officials, are the heroes ...day.

DIVIDEND ON COMMON STOCK OF STEEL CO.

A well deserved tribute was paid Mr. J. ... Plummer by his friends in this city at ... Mount Royal Club last night when they ...ered that gentleman a complimentary ...ner, at which the directors of the Steel ...poration and a number of influential ...ens were present.

...e evening was enjoyably spent, and ...needless to state that the guest of ... was the recipient of many kind ...ssions as to his untiring efforts in the ...ests of the company, and his capable ...agement in the growth and develop... ...t of the plant.

...r. Plummer, in modestly acknowledging ...e compliments paid him, made, so the ...business' understands, an important state... ...t as to the payment of dividends on ...common stock, saying that this divi... ...d was likely to come much sooner than ...s generally anticipated.

Toronto Clearings

...earings of the Toronto banks as passed ...ough the local clearing house during the ... week, including Thursday, totalled, ...,991,956.

C.N.R. Debentures

...vable from London states that pre... ...inary arrangements are being made for ...sue of $4,000,000 Canadian Northern ...ario Railway four percent debentures.

Report Was Carried

(Canadian Associated Press.)

...ton, June 18.—At a meeting to-day of ...thern Alberta Land Company the ...recommending that $2,000,000 be ... irrigation, was carried.

London Exchange

London, June 18, 4 p.m.—Closing—Consols ... money were quoted at 84 5-16; and for ...ount at 84⅜; C.P.R., 185½; G.T.R., ...

Maximum Steel Output

Pittsburg, June 18.—Steel mills of the ...ountry are now operating more extensively ...an at any time since October, 1907.

To Increase Rail making Capacity

A despatch from Pittsburg states that ...e United States Steel Corporation will ...ow in additional furnaces within the next ...wo weeks as a result of heavy orders for ...eel rails recently placed.

Money on Call

New York, June 18.—Money on call ...eady at 1⅜; prime mercantile, 3½ to 4 ...ercent. Exchanges, $361,612,601.

Iowa Central Ry.

The earnings of the Iowa Central for ...e second week in June show an increase ...$65, and from July 1 a decrease of ...

COBALT STOCK TRANSACTIONS ARE SLIGHTLY INCREASING

A ...ly active morning's trading was ...e in Cobalt stocks on the local mining ...

...following are the noon closing quota... ...ere kindly furnished to the 'Witness' ...by Fisher & DeRosiers, stock brokers, 91 ...Francois Xavier street:

	Buyer.	Seller.
...-American	9½	10
...mbers-Ferland	51	53
...Lake	13	13½
...Central	34	35
...Reserve	338	345
...of Cobalt	35½	36½
...Rochick common	—	17
...Rochick pref	20	23
	10½	11
	25	27
...Meehan	12	13
...Black Mining	13	22
...Lake	775	800
	77½	800
...Nipissing	24	26
...ver-Dart-Sav.	90	95
	1075	1100
...Scotia	42	43
...Temiscamie	—	50
...Trethewey	24	26
...Trust & Alliance	35	37½
...Trust & Queen	34	38
...Trust & Leaf	11	12
	129	132
...Vacuum Gas	87½	89

MORNING SALES.

...Lake—1000 at 7⅞, 500 at 800, 500 at ...

...Reserve—500 at 16, 1000 at 11 30 days, 500 ...

...Trethewey—2000 at 28, 2000 at 28¼, 1500 ...

...Trust & Queen—300 at 17.

...Vacuum Gas—5000 at 11½.

...Leaf—400 at 12¼.

UNLISTED.

...Consolidated—700 at 9.

STRENGTH DISPLAYED BY MONTREAL STREET RY.

Evidence of Public Confidence in Company—Earnings are Growing—Some Details

The consistent strength of Montreal Street has been once more demonstrated in a marked manner when, in face of a weakening in almost every other security on the exchange, this stock showed a very healthy advance. There never was a time when greater public confidence was shown in an enterprise, and it is gratifying, from the standpoint of a shareholder, to note the promise of even further advancement in the future.

Latterly a great deal of expenditure has been necessitated in the repairs and perfections of the tracks in the city, but this work has been completed in all except ordinary wear and tear details, and henceforward the only outlays that can be felt in this respect will be right in the suburbs, where the roadway between the tracks may have to be re-laid here and there during the next two years. It is in these suburban districts that evidence of the company's success can be seen in an appreciable degree, notably north of the Canadian Pacific Railway tracks, on the St. Denis Boulevard and Amherst Park, and the St. Louis and Annex sides; while to the east, Delorimier and Maisonneuve are helping to pile up the receipts of the company to a greater height every week. Westward, it is just the same—permanent growth everywhere.

The necessary extensions of the system will before long make the company one of the biggest street lines in existence on the continent, as it is already, through the acknowledged ability of the management, one of the most advanced and efficiently controlled concerns in the world. In this respect, Senator Forget and Mr. Ross have just reason to be proud of their achievements.

Directly the civic road committee gets through the pressing labor of giving out the road work for the summer season, it will take up the question of framing a by-law which will call upon the Street Railway Company to carry freight over its entire system. This will mean a work that the management is quite capable to carry out to the benefit of business interests of the city, and it will necessarily add to the stability and importance of the company, while the earnings are certain to show an appreciable increase. The stock at present prices is, in the opinion of those who carefully follow the market, one of the best investments offered to the public. cmf

Statement by President

Chicago, June 18.—President Harahan says that the acquisition of Central of Georgia by Illinois Central does not mean the establishment of any new transcontinental route via Southern Pacific. Galveston will continue to be the east coast port of that line while Illinois Central will work to develop traffic between the west and South Atlantic seaboard and southeastern territory.

Steel Issues in Paris

Paris, June 18.—The most powerful influences are being used to effect a compromise on the question of listing United States Steel common on the Bourse. The matter is much complicated and negotiations will necessarily be prolonged. No definite action need be expected for a week in any event.

Tip on Hill Stocks

It is reported in Wall Street that Great Northern preferred stock is being well bought on the present setback. The Hill stocks did not enjoy a proportionate advance in the movement thus far, and it is said they will be leaders in the next upward movement.

Gossip on Copper

It is reported in private cables this morning that a weak account in copper metal is being liquidated. According to the story this account is a foreign combination of speculators who expected a revival in the demand for copper metal along the same lines as that in steel products.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES

Reported by W. P. O'Brien, 57 St. Francois Xavier Street. Tel. Main 631.

	Sellers	Buyers		Sellers	Buyers
Bell Tel. Co.	149	148	Dom. I. & S.	43¼	43⅛
B.C.Pk.As.A.	100	94	" pfd. xd	124½	124
B.C.Pk.As.B.	100	94	Duluth com	....	....
Can. Con.	43½	42	" pfd.	....	....
Can. Pac. Ry.	182	181	Halifax Ry. xd	115	112
Crown Reserve	3.43	3.40	Hav. Elec.	60	....
Detroit Elec.	62¾	62	" pfd.	....	57
D. Coal com. xd	74¾	74½	Mex. L. & P	70	66
" pfd	117	115	" pfd.	....	....
Ill. Trac. xd	98	93¾	M. & St. Paul	138	137½
Int. Coal	80	74	" pfd. xd	....	....
Int. C'l. Com	....	....	Mt. L. H. & P	113½	113
Int. Pwr. C'l	155	....	Mont. St. Ry.	217	216½
L. W. Ds. com	114¾	114½	New St. Ry.	....	....
" pfd. xd	....	....	Mont. Steel	85	83¾
Laur. Paper	127	122	" pfd xd	....	106
" pfd	126	122	Mont. Tel.	160	154
Mackay com. xd	81	78	Nipissing	11	....
" pfd. xd	75	....	Sao Paulo	148	146½
Nor. Ohio	30	26	Shaw W. & P.	95½	....
N.S. Steel	68	67½	St. John Ry.	....	....
" pfd	....	....	Toledo	70	....
N. W. Land	....	....	Toronto xd	124	123¾
Ogilvie com	123¼	120	Tri City pfd.	....	90
pfd.	127½	....	Twin City	105	104½
Penm'a Ltd.	53¾	53¼	West India	....	....
" pfd	90	....	Winnipeg	....	....
R. & O. Nav.	83	82			

BANKS

B.N.A.	....	....	Nationale	....	....
Commerce	....	181	New Brunsk	....	....
Dom.	....	....	N. Scotia	....	....
East. T.	....	....	Ottawa	....	....
Hamilton	....	....	Quebec	124½	....
Hochelaga	....	....	Royal	....	....
Imperial	....	....	Standard	....	....
Merch.	....	162	Toronto	220	....
Molson. xd	205	....	Union	....	....
Montreal	....	251			

COTTONS.

Can. C.Cot. xd	51	50	Dom. Tex. pf	107½	106½
D. Tex. com	72	71¼	Montreal xd	139	138

LOANS

Bell Tel.	5	....	....	Keewat'n Mills	....	105
Can. C. Col.	6	....	100	L. of Woods	....	....
Can. Con.	5	....	....	Laur. Paper	6	....	110
Cable	....	....	....	Mag. Is. Dev.	6	....	....
Dom. Coal	5	98	97½	Mex. E. L. Co.	5	....	....
Dom. Cot.	6	109½	100	Mex. L. & P.	5	67½	....
D. I. & S.	5	....	92	Mt. L. H. & P.	4½	....	....
Halifax Tr.	5	....	100	Sao Paulo	5	....	....
Hav. El. Ry.	5	....	....	St. John Ry.	5	....	....
Mt. St. Ry.	4½	100¾	99¾	Textile Ser. A	6	100	95
M. Warch.	6	....	....	" " B	6	100	97
N. S. S. & C.	6	....	....	" " C	6	95½	95
N. Sco. Con.	6	....	....	" " D	6	100	95
Ogilvie Mil.	5	....	110	T. York Rad.	5	....	....
Series B.	6	....	....	West India	5	....	....
Price Bros.	5	....	105	Win. Elec.	5½	....	....
Rio de Jan.	5	....	....	Wind. Hotel	6	....	....

MR. JAMES ROSS TO SPEND SUMMER IN CAPE BRETON

Will Inspect Dominion Collieries and Predicts a Big Season for Coal Industry.

Sydney, C.B., June 18.—Mr. James Ross has arrived here from Montreal, and will spend the greater part of the summer season cruising on Cape Breton waters in his yacht 'Sheelah.' The president of the Dominion Coal Company expressed his pleasure of being back at Sydney once again. It was his intention to look thoroughly into the coal situation throughout the East. He will immediately visit all the collieries operated by the Dominion Company, after which important improvements to the immense plant at Glace Bay are likely to be undertaken.

Mr. Ross was pleased to note that the threatened strike among the miners is a thing of the past. He had confidence in the good judgment of the men and their loyalty to the company. He considered that trouble at the collieries, especially at this juncture, would not be beneficial to trade. He was confident that the present season would show a record output of coal, while shipments to the St. Lawrence and other ports were likely to show appreciable gains. With the settlement of all outstanding differences between the Steel and Coal Companies, Mr. Ross looks forward to a period of unprecedented activity in the industrial life of Cape Breton.

NEW MEXICAN OIL CO. $25,000,000 CAPITAL

Mexico, City, June 18.—That the Mexican people intend to do everything in their power to control the oil situation in this country is indicated by the formation of a $25,000,000 company, to be known as the Mexican Eagle Oil Company, and of which Guillermo Landa, Governor of the Federal District, is president.

The company has acquired all the concessions for the development, exploitation, and marketing of native, crude and refined oils, as well as other kinds of products held by the firm of S. Pearson & Sons. The directorate of the new corporation is composed of Mexicans, with one exception, Mr. John B. Body, who is in charge of the Pearson interests in this country.

Wall Street at Noon

Wal Street—Noon—The upward trend of prices continued but at a lessening pace. Trading fell very dull by noon. Union Bag preferred and Central Leather rose 2, American Hide and Leather preferred 1⅝, and U.S. Steel preferred, American Cotton Oil, Hocking Coal and American Beet Sugar 1. Toledo, St. Louis and Western and American Can. pfd. fell 1. Bonds were irregular.

Erie Railway Bonds

Albany, N.Y., June 18.—The Erie Railway has applied to the Public Service Commission, second district, for authority to issue $1,000,000 bonds under first consolidated mortgage deed date Sept. 10, 1905. Proceeds are to be used for general purposes.

Winnipeg Wheat Closing

Following are to-day's fluctuations in the Winnipeg wheat market:

Wheat.	Open.	High.	Close.	Thursday.
July	128⅛	128½	127¼	128⅝
Oct.	103⅛	108⅛	107	107⅝

Liverpool Market Prices

Liverpool, June 18.—Closing—Wheat, spot No. 2 red western winter, nominal; futures barely steady; July, 8s 11¾d; Sept., 8s 5¼d; Dec., 8s 3¼d. Corn, spot, steady; new American mixed (via Galveston) 6s 6½d; futures quiet; July, 5s 6¼d; Sept, 5s 6½d. Hams, short cut, strong, 57s. Shoulders, square, strong, 54s. Lard, firm; prime western, 59s 6d; American refined 60s.

CHICAGO MARKETS

Messrs. J. S. Bache & Co., Bell Telephone Building, report the closing prices in Chicago to-day as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat, July	115¼	115⅝	113⅝	114⅝
Sept	107⅛	108	106¾	107¼
Corn, July	72⅞	72⅝	71½	71⅞
Sept	69⅜	70⅛	68⅞	69⅛
Oats, July	51⅝	51⅝	50½	50¾
Sept	43¼	43½	42⅞	53⅛
Pork, July	....	20.67	20.55	20.57
Sept	20.75	20.90	20.75	20.80
Lard, July	11.95	11.95	11.90	11.90
Sept	11.92	....	....	11.97
Sh. Ribs, July	11.15	11.20	11.15	11.15
Sept.	11.10	11.17	11.10	11.13

NEW YORK STOCKS.

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Stocks	Opg.	Clos.	Stocks.	Opg.	Close
	June 11th.				
Amal. Cop. xd.	81¼	81⅝	Kan. T. pfd. xd	44¾	....
Amer. Loco. xd	58½	58⅝	L. & Nash.	....	....
pfd. xd	....	....	Mex. Pac.	....	....
Am. Sugar xd.	125¾	125¼	Mo. St. P. xd.	....	....
do pfd. xd.	....	....	do. pfd. xd.	....	....
Am. Smelt. xd	91	91¼	Mex. Cent.	....	....
Am. Car Fg.	54¾	54¾	N. Y. Cent. xd	115⅝	115⅝
Am. St. F. com.	....	....	Erie Rail'd	35½	35¼
do. do. pfd.	....	....	do. 1st pfd.	59¾	59⅝
Am. Wool	....	....	do. 2d pfd.	43	43
Anaconda xd	48¾	48¾	N. Y. O. & W.	53¾	53½
Atchiso xd.	113¾	114⅛	North Pac. xd.	150¾	151⅛
do. pfd.	....	....	Nor. & West.	89½	89½
Balt. & Ohio	117⅛	117⅞	Pac. Mail	....	....
do. pfd.	....	....	Penn. R.R.	135¾	136¼
Brooklyn R.xd	78¾	78¾	Pressed Steel	43	41¾
Can. Leather	31¾	32¾	do. pfd. xd	....	....
do. pfd.	....	....	People's Gas xd	113	113
Can. Pac.	181¾	181¾	Phila. & Read	151½	151½
Chic. Gt. West	8¾	9	do. 1st pfd	....	....
Can. South.	....	....	do. 2d	....	....
Chesa. Ohio	65¾	65¾	Rock Island	30¾	30¾
Chic. & Alt.	62	63	Railway pfd.	....	....
Chic. & N. W.	152	152	R. Iron & Steel	30¾	30¼
C. M. & S. P. xd	153¾	153¼	do. do. pfd.	106¾	106
Col. South.	....	....	South. Pac.	29	30¼
Con. Gas xd.	140¾	141¾	do. pfd.	67¾	67½
Col. Fuel	42¾	42¾	South. Railway	32¾	32¾
Corn Prod.	23¾	23¾	Sloss Sheff'd	59	59
do. pfd.	....	....	Tenn. C. & I.	....	80¼
Detroit U.	....	....	Texas Pacific	21¾	20
Del. & W. xd.	....	....	Tol. St. L. & W.	....	....
Del. & Hud. xd	168	168	Twin City xd.	....	....
Den. & Rio G.	17¾	18¾	U. S. Steel xd	65¾	66¼
do. pfd.	....	....	pfd. xd.	123¾	123⅜
Dul. S. S.	....	....	U. S. Rubber	....	....
do. pfd.	....	....	do. 1st pfd.	118	116
G.N.R. pfd xd	148	148	Union Pac. xd.	190½	191¼
Gen. Elec. xd	....	....	do. pfd.	97¼	....
Havana Elec.	....	....	Wabash	22	22¼
Iowa Central	....	30¼	do. pfd.	38	38
Ill. Cent.	147¾	148			
Inter. Pump.	30¾	30¾	Wis. Cen. com	....	....
Inter. Met. com.	16½	17	do. pfd. xd	....	....
" pfd.	41	42¾			
Kan. Tex.	41¾	41⅝			

WEAKNESS OF WALL STREET AFFECTS LOCAL MARKET

Many of the Leaders Showed Weakness—A Few, However, Were Sold at Prices Well Up

Wall Street was on the quiet side of the market to-day and as if in sympathy, the local exchange showed general softness, and in the majority of cases fractional losses were noted. Iron common continues to have active purchasers, but the issue was transacted at lower prices, which, however, is not unusual or of unfavorable portent. The preferred was maintained at 124. Montreal Street was moderately strong at 217, Toronto Rails at 124 and Detroit at 61½. Power was much in request at a figure slightly reduced. This, however, is a natural fluctuation and of a temporary nature. Other of the leaders sold at average or weaker prices, with two or three exceptions. Crown Reserve was purchased eagerly at 5.41. A number of banks and bonds were traded in.

New York, June 18.—The market has been strong and weak by turns to-day, but much quieter than for the past few days. After a fairly strong opening, fresh selling carried prices down. This liquidation soon ran its course and the market rallied fairly well at the noon hour.

The bull party is no longer aggressive and the rallies seem mainly a leisurely covering by the short interest. The general list at one o'clock was strong and for the most part showing fractional net advances of the day.

MORNING EXCHANGE SALES.

Crown Reserve—900 at 3.41, 1,050 at 3.40, 500 at 3.42, 100 at 3.41.
Nipissing—50 at 10⅝.
Iron pfd.—25 at 124½, 70 at 124, 40 at 124¼, 100 at 124.
Coal—125 at 75, 25 at 74⅝.
Mont. St. Ry.—40 at 217½, 35 at 217.
Rubber—25 at 33¼.
Iron—100 at 43⅝, 200 at 43¼, 100 at 43½, 425 at 43, 15 at 43⅜, 250 at 43¼, 300 at 43, 150 at 43½, 75 at 43, 25 at 43⅜, 75 at 43¼, 135 at 43⅛, 50 at 43.
Rio—21 at 88, 75 at 90⅝, 100 at 90.
Textile pfd.—15 at 105½.
Pen. pfd.—1,000 at 88.
Power—25 at 121¾, 125 at 121¼, 50 at 121⅛, 175 at 121½, 5 at 121⅝, 2 at 121, 10 at 121¼.
Detroit—30 at 61⅛, 50 at 61¼, 15 at 61½, 25 at 62.
Mexican—25 at 67, 50 at 67½.
Toronto Ry.—50 at 124½, 50 at 124, 50 at 123½.
Rich. & Ont.—5 at 82, 1 at 81.
Tri City pfd.—75 at 90.
Ogilvie Com.—25 at 123½, 25 at 126, 60 at 125.
Pen. com?—30 at 53, 10 at 52½, 25 at 53½.
Textile Com.—150 at 72.
Porto Rico—10 at 45.
Telephone—10 at 149.
Molsons Bank—10 at 205 cash.
Mer. Bank—1 at 168.
Rubber Bds.—$5,000 at 95C.
Iron Bds.—$2,000 at 95 flat.
Bank B.N.A.—1 at 154.
Keew. Bds.—$3,500 at 105½.

AFTERNOON SALES.

Rio—25 at 91, 50 at 90, 200 at 88⅝, 125 at 88½.
Can. Pac.—200 at 181½.
Power—50 at 121⅞, 11 at 121½, 20 at 121⅞, 25 at 122¼, 100 at 122½.
Toronto Ry.—25 at 123½.
Quebec pfd.—25 at 115½.
Ogilvie Com.—25 at 125½.
Iron pfd.—125 at 123⅞, 75 at 124.
Iron—20 at 43, 225 at 43 1-8, 50 at 43¾, 50 at 43, 25 at 43½, 5 at 43¾, 200 at 43⅝, 225 at 43⅞, 50 at 44.
Lau. pref—10 at 124.
Textile common—75 at 71⅝, 25 at 71¼, 100 at 7 ..
Crown Reserve—1750 at 3.41, 50 at 3.45.
L. of Woods—25 at 114½, 25 at 114¾.
Iron bonds—$3000 at 95 flat.
M.S.R. bonds—$200 at 100½.
Dom. Cot. bonds—£600 at 94¼ 4½ percent.
Scotia Con. bonds—$2000 at 106.

Wall Street Closed Steady

New York, June 18.—The stock exchange closed steady all round, with nothing startling at all. C.P.R. sold at 181⅜, 'Soo' made no sales, Steel common at 66⅝, Un. Pacific at 194 1-8, Southern Pacific at 130 1-8, and Reading at 151⅝.

CATTLE MARKETS

Chicago, June 18.—Cattle receipts estimated at 15,000; market steady; beeves, at $5.20 to $7.25; Texas steers, $4.65 to $6.25; western steers, $4.75 to $6.30; stockers, and feeders, $3.60 to $5.50; cows and heifers, $2.50 to $6.20; calves, $5.75 to $7.75.

Hogs, receipts estimated at 14,000, market generally 5c higher; light, $7.30 to $7.90; mixed, $7.45 to $8.10; heavy, $7.55 to $8.15; rough, $7.55 to $7.75; good to choice heavy, $7.75 to $8.15; pigs, $6.25 to $7.15; bulk of sales, $7.65 to $8.00.

Sheep, receipts estimated at 8000, market steady; native, $3.75 to $6.00; western, $3.75 to $5.90; yearlings, $6.00 to $7.00; lambs, native, $5.00 to $8.25; western, $5.75 to $6.25; spring lambs, $6.00 to $9.00.

East Buffalo, June 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 50; steady; prime steers, $6.75 to $7.25. Veals—Receipts, 1,300 head; active and 25c higher.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,800 head; fairly active; pigs, steady; others, 5c to 10c higher; heavy, $8.30 to $8.35; mixed, $8.20 to $8.25; yorkers, $7.40 to $8.25; roughs, $6.90 to $7.10; dairies, $7.60 to $8.15. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 800 head; active and firm; unchanged.

FARMERS' MARKET PRICES, June 18.

There was another large gathering of farmers, market gardeners and housekeepers in the vicinity of Bonsecours market and Jacques Cartier square this forenoon, and as was the case last Friday, enormous quantities of rhubarb, radishes and lettuce were offered for sale at pretty low figures. There is a drop in the prices of poultry, and oats are also lower, owing to the abundant supply; they sold from $1.30 to $1.40 the bag; for buckwheat $1.50 per bag was asked; potatoes, 85c to $1 the 80 lb. bag; turnips, 65c do.; American cabbages, $2.25 to $2.50 the crate; Bermuda celery, $1 the dozen; radishes, 6c to 10c the dozen bunches; lettuce, 10c to 25c do.; rhubarb, 10c to 25c do.; green onions, 5c to 10c the bunch; carrots, 35c to 40c the dozen bunches; asparagus, 15c to 20c the bunch; cucumbers, 30c to 40c the dozen; green beans, $2.50 the bushel basket; spinach, 40c the box; dead turkeys, 18c to 19c per lb.; geese, 18c to 15c do.; ducks and chickens, 15c to 18c do.; live fowls, $1.50 to $1.75 the couple; spring chickens, 75c to 85c do.; tub butter, 20c to 22c per lb.; print butter, 23c to 25c do.; eggs, 20c to 25c the dozen; cream, 25c the quart; apples, $7.50 the barrel; Valencia oranges, $4.50 the crate; lemons, $3.50 the box; tomatoes, 25c to 40c the basket; California plums, $3 the crate containing four-tin boxes; strawberries, 12c to 15c the box; bananas, $1.50 to $2 the bunch; hay, $10 to $12 the 100 bundles of 15 lbs.; straw, $6 to $6 the 100 bundles of 12 lbs.

WESTERN GRAIN DEALERS WILL NOT BE BAULKED

In their Resolve to Ship Grain From Western Ports—Chafed by Remarks of Easterners.

Grain men on 'Change this morning were earnestly discussing the contents of a despatch received from Vancouver which states that it is ridiculous to claim that there is any possibility of wheat heating in transit from the Pacific, and that it is all the more ridiculous in view of the history of wheat shipments from Portland and other coast points. If the soft wheat which has been shipped in the past has never heated, what chance is there, says the report, for the hard wheat grown in Alberta to be damaged. It can be taken for granted that the vessels in which wheat will be shipped from Vancouver will be properly dunnaged and lined, and there will be no danger whatever of heating if wheat is loaded in ordinary good condition.

This despatch would indicate that western dealers are still determined to carry on a large shipping business from western points, and are chafed at the ridicule which is cast at the idea by dealers in the east. As regards the non-heating of soft wheat by the Mexican route, there is some question in the minds of local dealers. This discussion was raised at first by a speech made in England recently by Mr. Horne, chief inspector of wheat in Manitoba, who said that even under best conditions wheat was liable to heat and germinate if shipped by the Mexican route, and that he much preferred the Hudson Bay waterway.

Those interested and best informed on the subject state that in their opinion the bulk of grain will always be shipped by the shortest and cheapest route, which for some time to come will undoubtedly be by the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence route, while navigation is in operation at any rate.

That the C.P.R. have built a large elevator on the western coast has significance, but is not as conclusive as many would imagine. Grain men in the city have no fear of the outcome of experimental shipments from western ports.

'Soo' Earnings

The earnings of the 'Soo' Railway for the second week in June shows a gross increase of $34,180.

Sales at Vankleek Hill

Vankleek Hill, Ont., June 18.—There were 1,550 white and 319 boxes colored cheese boarded and sold on Vankleek Hill cheese board here yesterday afternoon, nearly all white sold for 11¾ cents and colored at 11 13-16 cents.

Belleville Sales

At the meeting of the cheese board, held yesterday, there were offered 3,000 white and 30 colored. Sales: Bird, 500 at 11 11-16 cents; Cook, 400 at 11 11-16c, and 411 at 11⅝c; Lovell and Christmas, 500 at 11⅝c; Sprague, 400 at 11⅝c; Kerr, 100 at 11⅝c, balance refused 11⅝c.

Brockville Board

At a meeting of the cheese board, held yesterday, 3,620 boxes were registered, of which 1,290 were white and the balance colored; 110 colored sold at 11 13-16 cents.

Hay Unchanged

A steady demand continues for all grades of hay. No. 1 is quoted at $13 to $13.50 per ton; extra No. 2 at $12 to $12.50; No. 2 at $11 to $11.50; clover mixed at $10 to $10.50, and clover at $9 to $9.50.

Flour Prices

Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, are quoted at $6.30; seconds at $5.80; winter wheat patents at $5.40 to $5.50; ninety percents at $5.25 to $5.35; in bags at $3.10 to $3.20, and extras at $2.85 to $3.

Potatoes Active

There is a good demand for small lots of potatoes at firm prices. Green Mountains in car lots on track are selling at $1.02½ to $1.05, and in a jobbing way at $1.15 to $1.20 per bag. Quebec varieties, in car lots, on track, have sold at 95c to $1, and in a small way at $1.05 per bag.

Egg Supplies Large

Arrivals of eggs continue n ample measure and local quotations are unchanged at 18 to 19 cents per dozen.

GOOD GROWING WEATHER CAUSES BETTER TRADE

Dairy Products Bring Good Returns—Advance in Cottons —Payments and Failures

Good growing weather has prevailed this past week with the result that the country is looking well, though crop prospects are not yet fully assured. Pasturage is excellent and the make of cheese fairly large, while prices are high. Exports to date are 209,937 boxes as compared with 193,174 boxes for the corresponding period of 1908. The make of butter has been light, owing to the good returns from cheese, but higher prices are ruling. There has been practically no export business in butter this spring.

In general merchandise the movement is fairly good. Dry goods men are beginning to make deliveries of fall goods, for which there are orders, while there is some sorting business being done in summer lines. The stiffness in cottons is becoming evident, and the Dominion Textile Company ha given notice of an advance of 5 percent in gray and bleached Cantons. Manufacturers of clothing are fairly satisfied with orders. Boot and shoe factories report orders ahead of last year. Hides are firm under light supplies, and dealers are buying on the basis of 13 cents for No. 1; calfskins are higher at 16 cents for No. 1.

Some houses profess disappointment with June payments, but collections as a whole are better than a month ago. Ten district failures are listed for the week, with liabilities, according to Dun's of $60,000.

WEAKENING GRAIN PRICES ON TWO CONTINENTS

Has Unsettling Effect—Farmers are Unlocking Their Supplies —Oats Much Easier.

Toronto, June 18.—In wheat and oats at Chicago and Winnipeg and a weakness in all grains at Liverpool is the summary of the market to-day. Local quotations in Manitoba wheat, Ontario and Canada western oats are lower by 1 to 2 cents. Now that prices are weakening, the waiting farmer in Ontario is loosening his hold on some of his grains.

Oats are offering much more freely through the country this week than for weeks previous, while there are only straggling lots for sale and not enough to depress the market the present optimism relating to future crops has caused a decline of from 1 to 2 cents per bushel. Numerous inquiries are being made by cable nor Ontario flour, but no business of any account is being done in this line.

Local dealers' quotations: Manitoba wheat, No. 1 northern, $1.34; No. 2 northern, $1.32; No. 3 northern, $1.30½ on track, lake ports. Ontario wheat, No. 2 red, white or mixed, $1.35 to $1.40. Corn, American No. 2 yellow, 82½c to 83c Toronto freights; Canadian, 76c to 77c, Toronto freights. Oats, No. 2 white, 59c to 60c on track, Toronto; No. 2 white, 56c to 57c; No. 3 white, 55c to 56c, outside; Canada western No. 2, 59c; No. 1 extra feed, 58½c; No. 3, 58c. Barley, No. 2 nominal, 62c to 63c; No. 3 extra, 62c; No. 3, 60c to 61c. Buckwheat, No. 2, 70c to 75c according to needs. Peas, No. 2 nominal at 92c to 93c.

Manitoba flour quotations at Toronto are: First patents, $6.20; second patents, $5.70; strong bakers, $5.50. Ontario flour, ninety percent winter wheat patents, $5.75 to $6.25 in buyers' sacks on track, Toronto, $5.50 to $6 outside. Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $23 to $24 per ton; shorts, $24 to $25 track, Toronto. Ontario bran, $25; shorts, $26 track Toronto.

Bar Silver Unchanged

London, June 13.—Bar silver was quoted to-day at 24 pence per ounce, unchanged.

CANADIAN CONSOLIDATED RUBBER CO. LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the regular quarterly dividend of one and three-quarter percent on the preferred shares of the capital stock of this Company has been declared payable on July 2nd, 1909, to shareholders of record on June 28, 1909, and that a quarterly dividend of one percent on the common shares of the capital stock of this Company has been declared, payable on July 2nd, 1909, to shareholders of record on June 28th, 1909.

By order of the Board.

W. BINMORE,
Secretary Treasurer.

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By Order of the Board.

E. L. PEASE,
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Montreal, P.Q., May 25, 1909.

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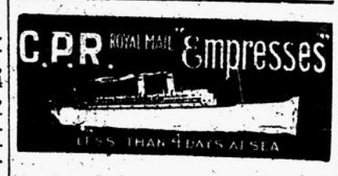

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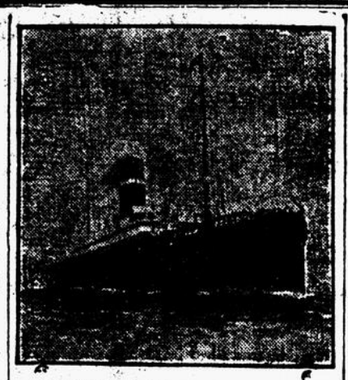

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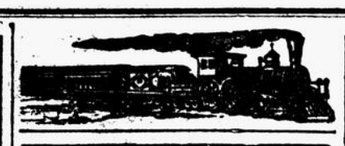

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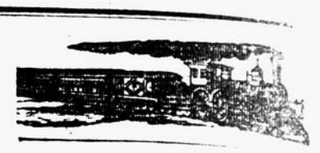

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SUMMARY OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

The kindly old Canadian couple, Mr. and Mrs. Ward, feeling great responsibility as to disposal of an unexpected fortune in England to become acquainted with the probable heir, Mr. Ward's nephew, John Compton, vicar of the little town of Mosford. A close friend, Nathaniel Pye, professor of Archaeology at Oxford, who had spent several years in Mosford, as a guest. Methodist preacher, attempts to prepare them for finding John Compton a rather narrow and bigoted churchman, but sincere and well meaning. They determine to conceal the fact of their wealth for a year in order to see the effect in their nephew and his wife. A dear friend unintentionally convinces Mrs. Ward her husband's failing in exaggerated form. To procure them a kindly welcome in one quarter Nathaniel Pye takes a note of introduction to Miss Kennedy and her niece, Oriane Graham. Miss Kennedy, who, in spite of her appreciation of his intellectual worth, had for social considerations effectually prevented any expression of his love for her niece during his stay in Mosford, determines to atone for that slight if possible by her treatment of the old couple. The news of their coming brought dismay to Ethel Compton, the Vicar's wife, who, as a grand-niece of the Countess of Sarum, felt that it would be unpleasing socially, and as a churchwoman, that two such rabid Baptists would be a menace to the spiritual good of Mosford, and of Squire Latimer, and his artist son, Willie, who were already rather lax in church matters. Oriane's interest in the old couple and the Vicar's growing affection for them in spite of his continued disapproval, provoke Ethel Compton to a determined hostility, politely, but definitely displayed towards them, and turned towards maintaining her husband's weakening prejudice. Her task was the easier owing to the ill-feeling between parties at this time over the Education Bill, the Wards' position that questions of religious instruction in the day schools were of minor importance to the main one of improving the poor educational system, being incomprehensible to the partisan Vicar, and the no less partisan Methodist minister, the Rev. Morris Cole. Oriane and Ethel out for a walk, overheard old Mr. Ward make a reference to his wealth, and Ethel slipped hurriedly away. Oriane remained and explained to Mr. Ward promising to mention her knowledge to no one. As for Ethel, her many heartsearchings over her own zeal and God's seeming injustice led her to the conclusion that she had been 'righteous overmuch.' Her veiled confession was quite misunderstood by old Mr. Ward, who thought her only unwell, but it entirely satisfied the demands of Ethel's conscience, and cleared the road for the pursuit of her new tactics, starting with an attempt to remove her husband's prejudice. The bitterness of the political parties thoroughly impregnates the churches culminating for the Anglicans, after the blow of the Liberal victory, in harsh attacks on the supporters of the Education Bill. Compton's naturally gentle nature is overborne by his prejudice; once he is actually rude to Mr. Cole, and even somewhat harsh to a young churchwoman who had married a dissenter. His gentle old bishop's mild rebuke and Ethel's real distress on hearing of his conduct are unpleasant surprises to him.

BOOK IV.

THE WILL AND THE WAY.

CHAPTER XXVI.

MRS. COLE ON MISS BROWN.

After much thought and, let it be said clearly, much humble and earnest prayer, Ethel started on her mission to Mrs. Cole. The training which years of parish work had given her enabled her to speak and act on her convictions as people who have not had such training cannot easily do. To give addresses at mothers' meetings and girls' clubs, to lecture choir boys and direct the domestic arrangements of the poor, had become easy by long habit. All these activities required the courage tact, and patience that she was prepared to call to her aid as she stood at the Cole's door. The duties of her position, however, had not taught her to see herself as others saw her. That was one experience that she was not prepared to meet. She entered the house buoyed up, not only with faith and determined good humor, but with the conviction that, present strained relations apart, her religious reputation and social rank must make her a most welcome guest.

When Mrs. Jarvis Cole came into the room Ethel was looking at various pictures and books in quite a little ecstasy of surprise and admiration.

The greeting over,' she cried, 'I have been looking at your beautiful things until I hardly know where I am.'

Mrs. Cole's response was dry. 'You are in Mr. Jarvis Cole's dining-room.'

'If you had been buried in Mosford as long as I have, you would understand my delight in finding such a room as this.'

'I should have supposed there were more beautiful things at the Hall or at the Park.'

Ethel gasped at the bare idea of such a comparison. She could not see that her air of surprise had been patronizing; she only thought that Mrs. Cole was in a bad temper. There could not be any amiable beating about the bush.

'You are perhaps busy, but when I explain why I came—if you will have the great kindness to listen with patience—I am sure you will not blame me.'

'Will you sit nearer the fire?' asked Mrs. Cole.

'Thank you; it will be more cosy. Mrs. Cole, I have been thinking long and very sadly about the unhappy differences that have arisen amongst us. I am sure you must feel as I do.'

'It is unfortunate.'

'Oh Mrs. Cole, are we not all too liable to blame fortune for what many perhaps be in part our own fault? One of the cottagers told me the other day something Mr. Cole had said in one of his sermons. I was very much touched by it.'

'What was it?'

'It was old Grantham told me. He said that Mr. Cole had explained to them that it was not enough to sing hymns and utter prayers, but that true religion requires us to live in simple truthfulness and perfect love with every one. I thought it so beautiful.'

'Mr. Cole preaches in that way twice every Sunday. Is the idea new to you?'

Ethel's cheeks flushed, but she succeeded in a little laugh. 'I did not mean that I thought the sentiment very original, but beautifully expressed. Of course I have not attempted to reproduce the language.'

'I should hardly think old Grantham capable of reporting Mr. Cole's language, but I am glad you liked what you heard.'

'It is the idea that truth and love must be at the bottom of our relations to one another that I felt to be needed by us all just now. If the differences amongst us arise from a lack of these, surely we may seek to surmount them.'

Ethel's musical voice and pretty pleading began to atone for her first blunder. Mrs. Cole opened her mind. 'Well, I am sure if you really want to get to the bottom of things and make them better. I've no need to object. Mr. Cole and I both think that party feeling is a very bad thing.'

'It will be easy if you really think that,' cried Ethel with a note of joy.

'What in the world did you suppose we thought?' asked Mrs. Cole, but not in her first dry tone.

'I don't know,' said Ethel pleasantly. 'I don't know, Mrs. Cole, exactly what I thought, only it seems to us——' She paused.

'I should be glad to do my very best to help you; but if it seems to you that we do not understand the first principles of Christianity—after all the good work Mr. Cole has done in Mosford—I'm afraid it isn't a very promising look-out, is it?'

Ethel could not conscientiously admit that Mr. Cole was a Mosford benefactor. She looked with grave, childlike eyes and said, 'It seems to me, Mrs. Cole, that in the healing of this bitter feeling we must each do our own small part. The question for each of us is, 'What is my part?' If we would each conscientiously ask our heart that question, and then try to do our part, I think we should not fail.'

'Yes. I suppose we ought. We can begin by asking the Lord's direction and blessing; that is the one thing we can each be certain is right. Mr. Cole is very fond of a petition from your Litany; he uses it frequently in these times—that the Almighty may be pleased to turn the hearts of our enemies and slanderers in order that they may be forgiven.'

Ethel wondered for a moment if this was meant as a deliberate insult, but a look at Mrs. Cole's face convinced her that it was not. Mrs. Cole was, in fact, looking much more good-natured than she did at first.

It was necessary for Ethel to introduce that particular point which she had there was little time for reflection; he was being constantly struck and must constantly strike out for the night. In such a predicament it is very distressing to be pierced by the conviction that some of your blows would be better unstruck and some of your energies better directed into another channel.

In the meantime Oriane was sitting beside Mr. Ward in a meeting in which everything was entirely new to her. The inward peace and inspiration which she thought she had detected in the old man's life had caused her to come there upon a sudden impulse. She had not been seated half an hour before she felt persuaded that what she wanted was not to be had there. A common concert hall, garish by daylight, had been hired for the conference. It was filled with people of a sort Oriane could not class. She had expected parsons in white neckties and a few women in neat garb or in some decorous deaconess dress. She saw instead a great many women, all dressed more or less in the fashion of the day, and was still more amazed by the number of men in lounge suits, who put bowler hats under the seat. She found herself questioning what this sort of man had to do with religion on week-days. Both men and women were sitting on the platform, and a woman was giving an address. Mr. Ward said the speaker belonged to the Society of Friends, but she wore a pink rose in her hat! Oriane glanced about, puzzled and disheartened. A side door was constantly opening to admit late comers. At length a man entered who was not a stranger to Oriane; it was Professor Pye. He sat down on a bench by the wall. Oriane had not seen him for years. No sooner did she recognize him than she realized that it was natural he should be there, but in her restless, uncomfortable mood she plagued herself with the idea that he might think she had taken this unwonted step in the hope of meeting him.

He did not see her. He had no sooner possessed himself of a printed agenda and a hymn-sheet than an old woman came in, and he gave up his seat and possessions to her. As soon as he was again steated an infirm man entered, and the scene was re-enacted. Oriane felt annoyed that there was no doorkeeper. She was also vexed because she could not fix her attention on the address, could not keep herself from watching the door. Mr. Pye was now standing by the wall. Two over-dressed young women came in, rustled and creaked about for half a minute, leaned against the wall beside the Professor, asking him questions in disturbing whispers. Oriane marvelled that religion could take such divergent forms. How any one could possibly worship God or obtain peace of mind in such an assembly as this she could not conceive. Yet she saw Mr. Ward wrapped in attention to every word the Quakeress said. She saw, too, or thought she saw, that Mr. Pye wished to listen: his eyes sought the platform even while he was answering the fussy young women.

(To be Continued.)

CHILDREN'S CORNER.

ONCE UPON A TIME.

Once upon a time there was a toad, who was not pretty, and he set out on his travels in search of friends. It is sad to tell, but this toad was not even as nice as he looked. When he was younger he had not always done at once what his mother told him; so now when he was grown up he was not remarkable for good behavior. Toads do most of their travelling at night, and this one used to rampage along ditches at the furious rate of one mile in two hours. This very much upset tadpoles and such like. But the toad was selfish, and minded no one but himself, and even when a glow-worm flashed his light on him and asked his number he only laughed and answered, 'Go it, old police trap. Who cooks his dinner by sitting on it?' This, of course, was rude; and the poor glow-worm cried so much that he could not burn for ten minutes. It is not always easy to go on being bright when you feel bad.

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The way the toad invited others to be friends was very funny. He looked at them hard and sang to them. But for a long time he had no success. Once he asked a black spaniel to be friends, but the spaniel sniffed him and jumped backwards quite startled. Then some nights after he espied a large snail halfway up a tree trunk. 'Good!' he said to himself, 'if I get friends with him we'll have no house rent to pay and he'll do all the carrying. Hallo, snail dear, hallo! You are soft and white inside. Also you are easily squashed, but I wouldn't squash you; I'm not a boy. Snail, you are beautiful and you are damp! Be friends.' But the snail took not the slightest notice. This made the toad downhearted; and a caterpillar on the bank was so sorry for him that he called out softly, 'Toad, toad dear, never mind! I'll be friends with you. Come and see me at once.' Now this was kind of the caterpillar; but instead of receiving his kindness properly, the toad croaked derisively, 'You,' he said, 'you hairy, green-bodied pulp, you! How dare you? And the ill-bred toad went his way.

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It is not easy for nasty people to make friends, and the toad got so disgusted at being friendless that at last he set out to search in the daytime. To his great delight he very soon saw on a flower a most beautiful butterfly, and at once he was in raptures. He croaked his finest song, and then he pleaded, 'Oh, butterfly, be friends—be friends!' The butterfly moved a wing, and shifted his place on the blossom, and at last he spoke. 'Not so, Sir Toad,' he answered. 'The last time you saw me you were rude and despised me.' 'What?' asked the toad, surprised. 'Why, I've never seen you before, or anyone half so beautiful. Be friends, dear butterfly, and I shall be so happy.' And he shone his eyes at him. The butterfly laughed. 'Toad,' he said, 'the last time you saw me I was a caterpillar. But I've changed since.' And the toad remembered and hung his head. 'I apologize!' he pleaded, 'I didn't know.' 'Know,' was the stern answer, 'of course you didn't! And you didn't think! You're like some children who despise others without ever thinking what a poor or badly-dressed or ugly playmate may become later on. Shame on them! And shame on you!' And the toad was so ashamed that he crept into a hole and squatted alone, and thought how miserable he was and how wrong he was to despise others. And for all I know he is still there, hoping that very few children are like him.—'Christian World.'

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FRIDAY, JUNE 18.

CHRIST AND THE HOLY SPIRIT.

The Holy Spirit is God. He who can impart the Spirit must be God. Jesus breathed upon His disciples and said 'receive ye the Holy Spirit.' (John xx., 22.) Christ, the giver of the Spirit, is God. Jesus promised to send the Spirit from the Father. He also said, 'I and My Father are One.' Jesus was to baptize with the Holy Spirit. (Matt. iii., 11.) The disciples were to baptize believers into the one name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. (Matt. xxviii.) The three are one God. Believers have been sealed with the Holy Spirit, the earnest of the promised inheritance. (Eph. i., 13, 14.) If we have not received the Spirit, we have no pledge of heaven, though we have the promise of Jesus, 'I go to prepare a place for you.' (John xiv., 2, 3.) All believers are set apart to God by the anointing of the Spirit. Christ is the Anointed One, and all believers are anointed in Him. (II. Cor. i., 21, 22.) They have the Spirit as the earnest of the glory which awaits them. The Spirit's indwelling presence an evidence of sonship. When Jesus shall come we shall be like Him. (I. John iii., 2.) Every believer should bear this testimony to Jesus recorded in II. Pet. i., 17-21.) Acts of power through Christians a proof that Jesus is in heaven on the throne of God. He is crowned with honor and glory, because He tasted death for every man. (Heb. ii., 9, 10.) We have the Spirit's testimony to Christ both in words and acts of power throughout the New Testament. (John xiv., 26. Acts ii., 33.)

DAILY TEXT.

June 18.

Let none of you imagine evil in your hearts against his neighbor; and love no false oath: for all these are things that I hate, saith the Lord.—Zech. viii., 17.

Judge not, and ye shall not be judged; condemn not, and ye shall not be condemned; forgive, and ye shall be forgiven; give, and it shall be given unto you.—Luke vi., 37, 38.

Jabez called on the God of Israel, saying, Oh that thou wouldest bless me indeed, . . . and that thine hand wouldest keep me from evil, that it may not grieve me!—I. Chron. iv., 10.

We talk about the telescope of faith, but I think we want even more the microscope of watchful, grateful love. Apply this to the little bits of our daily lives, in the light of the Spirit, and how wonderfully they come out!—Frances R. Havergal.

The power to love—God's greatest gift!
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THE FELLOWS WITH THE PULL GET THE PROMOTIONS.

Aldermanic Patronage Condemned Before the Royal Commission—Man From Below Quebec Paid $275 to Become Fireman.

Still more testimony was given before the Royal Commission yesterday afternoon of money having been paid for entry to the city Fire Brigade, the most glaring case mentioned during the session being that of Jean Rioux, a young man who came up to the city from Trois Pistoles, not far distant from St. Eloi, on the south shore of the St. Lawrence below Quebec, where so many other present members of the city brigade came from.

Rioux declared that he was told before he came that he would have to pay to become a city fireman and as $275 was the price named, he borrowed this amount from his father and gave the money to a man named Munday at the Grand Hotel, at the corner of St. James and St. Gabriel streets. Munday gave Rioux a letter of introduction to Chief Benoit, and he was afterwards admitted to the brigade as a fireman.

A number of fire captains were called, and though they had not paid for promotion, they admitted, generally, that promotion was impossible unless one had influence. The first step to advancement was to get the permission of the chief to interview the aldermen and secure their interests. The man who could in this way get the biggest 'pull' was the most likely to succeed. Men of merit and long service had been passed over by younger men of less practical worth. The efficiency of the department, it was said, suffered accordingly.

Captain Bennett, a well known fireman of long experience was pointedly asked by Mr. Laflamme if he could suggest any method of reform on the procedure as he had known it in the past. He thereupon suggested the elimination of aldermanic influence, and the adoption of a system of promotion by seniority when all other things, merit and character, are equal.

Take in matter set

Theophile Foucher, who had been a member in the fire brigade for twenty years, and resigned in September last, said he had not paid anything for his positions. As to his promotions, they were made on what Mr. Laflamme described as the 'descending scale.' He was captain, then lieutenant, and finally fireman.

Asked by counsel why he had been reduced in the ranks, Foucher candidly admitted that it was for having 'le coude trop haut.'

The expression puzzled the Court for a moment, and then the whole assembly exploded with laughter as the witness described what he meant by lifting his hand and elbow to imitate a man taking a glass of liquor.

Captain Giroux, who entered the fire department in 1893, said he knew Philias Pepin in the brigade, but he denied that it had ever been a question between them as to the payment for a promotion or a loan for promotion.

The witness was reminded by Mr. Laflamme of a loan of $118 he contracted in 1894, which had been the subject of a court case that morning, but he would not give any reason why he borrowed money, other than that it was for personal purposes. He emphatically denied that he paid one cent for his position. He had been first nominated by Alderman Bumbray, and he had afterwards offered the alderman a cigar, but he would not accept even that.

OUTSIDE INFLUENCE.

Mr. Henry Beck, manager of the Canadian Fire Hose Company, said he had done business with the city fire department for the past fifteen years, the business realizing six or eight thousand dollars a year He knew nearly every one of the captains. He thought they deserved their promotion. Witness had spoken a good word for Foreman Taylor and Captain Mann ,and knew the latter was applicant for the position of sub-chief.

Mr. Laflamme.—Have you heard that positions were bought and sold in the department

Witness—Yes, I have heard rumors of that, but I do not know, from my knowledge, that money had been paid for promotions or money deposited in the hands of third parties for promotions.

Mr. Laflamme—Is it to your knowledge that anyone in your establishment has acted as a go-between in regard to promotion ?

Witness—No.

Mr. Laflamme—You would not stand for that ?

Witness—No, sir.

Mr. Laflamme—Do you know of any gifts having been given to officers ?

Witness—No.

Mr. Laflamme—Did you yourself make any gift to a superior officer for the protection of your friends, directly or indirectly ?

Witness—No, sir.

Mr. Beck was asked to return to court to-day with his books showing the business he had done with the city during the past six years, together with a summary of the different amounts received, and stating the nature of the goods supplied; also, his cheque book and stubs.

Captain Joseph Lapointe denied having paid for position or promotion; so did Adolphe Trempe.

Captain McCullough said when he first applied for the position of a captain a man named Fred. Clark, now dead, told him that money was being 'put up' for the job, and if he wanted to secure it he would have to 'put it up' also. Witness did not do so. A man named Carson got promotion. McCullough added that he had previously heard promotions were bought and sold, and he had observed that young men were promoted over the heads of men who had performed longer and better service. When he was finally promoted captain, witness did not pay anything.

Captain Reynolds said he was promoted Captain in 1906, through the influence of aldermen and other friends, after being defeated in 1904, on nomination for the position. This was lost him on the casting vote of the chairman, Alderman Robertson. Captain Murphy got promotion in 1904. Witness did not pay for his position or promotion.

Captain William Hooper swore that he never paid a cent for any position in the brigade.

INFLUENCE BETTER THAN MERIT.

Captain Bennett said his experience was that if a man had friends and influence he could get promotion in the brigade over a man who had superior merits. He considered this had been an injustice in the past. As for money influence, he knew nothing about that, as no money had ever been asked from him.

In reply to Mr. Laflamme, witness said it would be a good reform to eliminate aldermanic influence and to make promotions by seniority, if all other things were equal.

Captain Taylor said his promotions cost him nothing. When he was advanced to the grade of captain he sought the support of ex-Ald. Ames, Ald. Clearihue and ex-Mayor Laporte, who were, he thought ,above reproach.

Mr. Perron—Do you suggest that others are not above reproach.

Witness—No, I did not say so, and I do not suggest it.

Captain Mann, when called, was asked by Mr. Perron if it were true that he was seeking the position as sub-chief?

'I am, when there is a vacancy,' replied Captain Mann.

Mr. Perron—We are informed, captain, that you have deposited with a certain gentleman a certain sum of money in order to secure your appointment as sub-chief. Is that true?

No, sir; it is not, replied the witness decisively.

Has anyone deposited money for you?

No, sir.

Mr. Perron—Then our information is wrong?

Witness—I guess it is—quite wrong.

Mr. Perron—How did you obtain promotion?

Witness—by my own ability, I hope.

Mr. Perron—Then you are one of the luckiest men in the brigade?

I was born in the brigade, asserted the captain proudly.

Which is one of the reasons, perhaps, why they did not charge you for your advancement! concluded Mr. Perron.

Moise Beaudry, driver, asserted that he entered the fire brigade without influence, but on his own application and the strength of the testimonials of his previous employers.

MORE MEN FROM ST. ELOI.

Fireman Beaubien, another man from St. Eloi, said he came here thirteen years ago.

So that you must be one of the pioneers of the industry from St. Eloi, commented Mr. Laflamme.

I was one of the first, replied witness, but Godbout was before me. It was through him that I secured my position in the fire brigade twenty days after I arrived here. There are about twenty of us in the brigade who came from St. Eloi and just around there.

Witness did not pay to join the brigade.

Fireman Rioux, who also came from below Quebec, joined the brigade through the nomination of Ald. Laviolette, but the position cost him nothing.

PAID $275 TO BECOME FIREMAN.

Jean Rioux, fireman, said he entered the brigade in 1907 at the age of eighteen years. He came here from Trois Pistoles. A tailor there, named Joseph Coté, told witness that he could enter the fire brigade of Montreal for $275. Witness thought this was a deposit, and secured the money from his father. He handed the money to Mr. Munday at the Grand Hotel, at the corner of St. James and St. Gabriel streets. Charles Rioux was present. Mr. Munday gave witness a sealed letter to Chief Benoit, and he was afterwards appointed fireman. Witness had not received any of his money back.

Captain Charest said he was promoted to his present position in 1905, but he had not yet entered upon his functions, nor yet received the full salary of his office. He added that he could not give any reason why his full salary was lacking, but he had an impression that it was because he had no money to give. He received this impression partly through his experience when he sought promotion as foreman. He then sought the support of Sub-Chief Dubois, who told him he could not work for a few glasses of wine.

Wilfred Lemire, fireman, said he was once suspended and reinstated on the brigade a month afterwards through the influence of Ald. Seguin and Lariviere. He approached these aldermen through Mr. Julien, shoe dealer, who had supplied boots to the police department.

Engineer Hardigan, and one or two other witnesses, said their appointments did not cost them anything.

The Court then adjourned until 11 o'clock this morning, the hour being fixed an hour later than usual, on account of the late Sheriff Thibaudeau's funeral.

CANADA'S TRADE

Ottawa, June 18.—Trade figures for the month of May show most gratifying increases in both imports and exports, and indicate that the trade of the Dominion has now practically recovered from the depression which set in in the fall of 1907, and is now almost equal in volume to the higher record set two years ago.

Imports for the month totalled $23,060,076, an increase of $5,183,547 over May of last year. For the first two months of the fiscal year, the imports totalled $50,592,549, an increase of $7,792,625 over the corresponding period of last year. The cusoms revenue for the month shows an increase of $670,000.

Exports of domestic produce for the month total $15,810,207, an increase of nearly two millions. For April and May exports total $27,673,004, an increase of $2,471,704. The total trade last month, including coin and bullion, amounted to $44,911,726, an increase of $7,029,659. For the first two months of the fiscal year the increase in total trade has been $11,457,926.

ST. JOHN, N.B., EXHIBITION.

Ottawa, June 18.—An order in council has been passed, giving to St. John, N.B., a grant of $50,000 in aid of the National Exhibition, to be held in that city next year. Chatham and Moncton were also after the vote, but it has been decided to give it to St. John. Regina will get it in 1911.

MR. OBALSKI RESIGNS.

Quebec, June 16.—Mr. James Obalski has tendered his resignation as superintendent of mines for the province of Quebec. Mr. Obalski was one of the veteran of the provincial service. Twenty-nine years ago he accepted the position from which he has just retired.

'BLACK HAND' LETTERS

Cause a Panic in a Hebrew Section of New York.

THREE PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLOSED IN CONSEQUENCE.

New York, June 17.—One of those sudden waves of hysteria which from time to time sweep the crowded tenements of the East Side, to-day temporarily closed three public schools with an attendance of 4,000 pupils, blocked all traffic on Grand street for an hour and was not quieted until the police reserves were called out. Beyond the fact that many Jewish parents have of late been receiving threatening letters demanding one dollar from each family on pain of having their children murdered, there is no explanation. First the rumbling of a fire engine on the gallop reached the ears of the pent-up children of a school that houses 2,300 pupils. The engine whistled shrilly, a little girl shrieked in answer, and in a minute the hallways were filled with a mob of shrieking, fighting boys and girls, and angry panic-stricken mothers from nearby tenements were clawing and kicking at the outside of the street doors.

As if by pre-arrangement, another passing engine chafed the nerves of another set of children in a second school. The rumor spread through the excited surging streets that the school was on fire. Before the crowds could get to it there was a shout that a third school had been blown up by the Blackhands' Then there was no holding the people. Parents fought with the police for their children and many were torn and bruised in the scuffle. All traffic came to a stop, and it was long before order was restored.

All the East Side schools had to be closed an hour earlier than is usual. It was found impossible to get more than half the normal attendance of children, and those that did return could not study.

DOMINION OF CANADA PRIZE

OFFERED BY MILITIA COUNCIL FOR COMPETITION THIS YEAR.

Ottawa, June 17.—With a view to the greatest encouragement of rifle shooting among members of civilian rifle associations, it had been decided by the Militia Council to offer an individual prize to be known as 'The Dominion of Canada Prize,' in each gazetted and efficient civilian rifle association, for competition during the season, 1909. The special prize offered is a nickel silver ornamented salver, 10 inches in diameter, bearing the coat of arms of the Dominion of Canada, with an inscription that it is presented by the Government of the Dominion for skill in rifle shooting. The name of the association and winner will be engraved on the salver. To be eligible for the prize, it will be necessary for the association to hold four competitions during the season for 1909, in which at least 40 percent of the members must take part. Dates of these competitions must be fixed in advance at a general meeting of the association, and communicated to the district officer commanding before the first shoot. The range at which these competitions are to take place will be 200, 500 and 600 yards, and the targets are specified in regulations for rifle associations—seven scoring shots at each range to count. The prize to be awarded to the competitors taking the highest aggregate in the four competitions.

The Minister of Militia has ordered the issue to cadet corps throughout the country, of copies of Lieut.-General Baden Powell's book 'Scouting for Boys.' The object of this distribution is to provide cadets with the means of instruction in practical scouting and other military duties which are not to be found in the ordinary drill book and training manual.

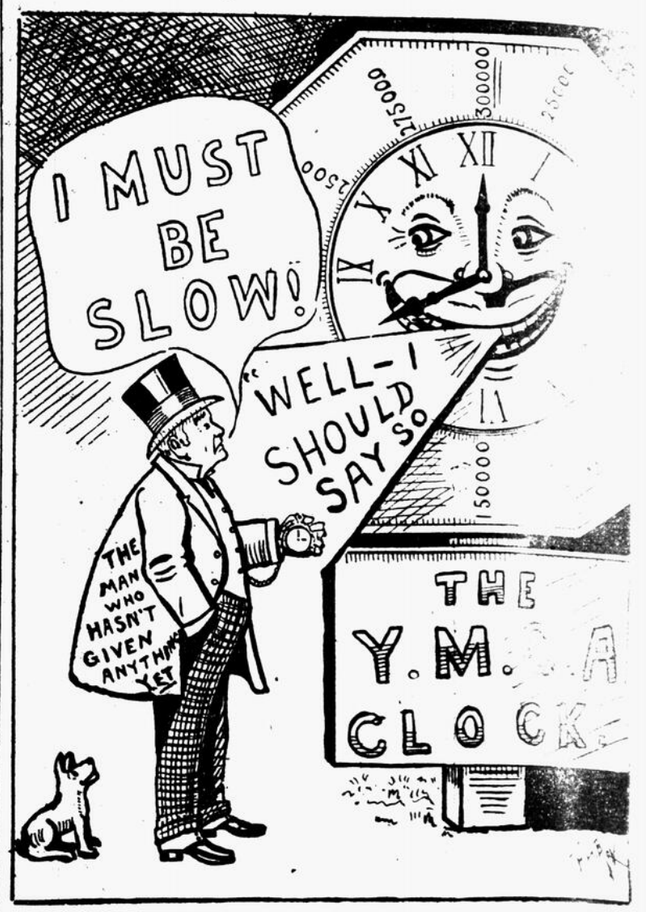
FROM SALT LAKE CITY

THE ST. LAWRENCE IS NOW THE POPULAR MORMON ROUTE.

The St. Lawrence route is now the popular route for Mormons travelling between Europe and Salt Lake City. Every week or so a large party arrives in Montreal on their way to the Mormon colony in Utah. To-day 53 Mormons are here on their way to Europe—some to visit their old homes, others to do missionary work, and tell their friends how, under the guilding hand of the Mormons, a once arid desert has been turned into one of the most fertile portions of the West. Most of the members of the party are of German or Scandinavian origin, comparatively few of the converts coming from the British Isles. The party sails on the 'Laurentic' on Saturday morning.

NOTRE DAME COLLEGE.

Bishop Racicot presided at the closing exercises of the Notre Dame Ladies' College, in the mother house on Sherbrooke street west, yesterday afternoon. The visitors were met by the Rev. Mother-General St. Aniclet and the Rev. Sister Ste. Anne Marie, the head of the institution. Every one present congratulated this lady upon the success attending her efforts in the interest of Catholic higher education in Canada. The opening address was read by Abbé Perrier, who commended the efforts now being made by the ladies of the Congregation of Notre Dame to give higher classical training to the young ladies of the land. Ex-Judge Doherty, ex-Judge Loranger, the Rev. Gerald McShane, and the Rev. Canon Dauth also delivered congratulatory addresses.



HOW IS YOUR WATCH?

A MONTANA 'BAD MAN.'

Northwest Mounted Police on the Trail of 'Red Murray,' Noted Horse Thief.

DESPERADO IS A CRACK SHOT, AND SAYS HE WILL NEVER BE TAKEN ALIVE.

Humboldt, Sask., une 17.—The Humboldt detachment of the Royal North-West Mounted Police are having a hot chase after a Montana bad man, who is working the country to the north of here, literally armed to the teeth. The man is an ex-convict with a bad record, a crack shot and a horse rustler. He swears he will not be taken alive. A few days ago he rode into Viscount, Sask., and posing as a sheriff, 'lifted' six valuable horses, which he drove northwards with him. The Mounted Police were notified and a general order sent out for his arrest. According to a report received this evening, a posse of twelve Mounted Police are within half an hour's ride of him and momentarily word is expected of a fight which will last until the rustler is either killed or put out of business. As far as can be learned, this man, 'Red' Murray, alias Ryan, escaped from the provincial jail in Winnipeg some two years ago, and has since made his headquarters in the vicinity of the Big Muddy River, Montana. It is understood that the state of Montana has offered a big reward for his capture on account of his rustling operations in that state., When he escaped from Winnipeg jail he was awaiting trial on a charge of horse-stealing, and the Montana authorities were also after him at that time on a similar charge, but he has since added to his crimes many times over, and the police of Montana and the Mounted Police are more than ever anxious to lay their hands on him.

FIREMEN KEPT BUSY

FIRES IN ST. NICHOLAS AND WILLIAM STREETS LAST EVENING.

Three fires breaking out in separate buildings at almost the same time kept the firefighters busy last night, and caused damage estimated at $15,000. All the fires occurred in St. Nicholas street, near St. Paul, street.

The first fire broke out in the second floor of the Canadian Thermas Bottle Company's premises, No. 9 St. Nicholas street, at 9.50 o'clock. The fire was easily extinguished, and covered little loss, but the stock on the floor below was damaged a good deal by water. The fire was extinguished in about twenty minutes.

When the salvage corps was preparing to go, smoke was seen issuing from under the eaves of the adjoining building, occupied by the Rhodes Improved Metallic Company, Mr. Thomas J. Reid, commission agent: Mr. T. J. Smith and Nephew, Mr. Robert S. Fraser & Co., woollens and millinery supplies, and the Canadian Rand Drill Co. The flames were confined to the upper portion of the building, but again a considerable quantity of stock was destroyed in the lower floors by the water.

The Globe Hat Works premises in William street, near Canning street, were also discovered to be on fire. The blaze started in the engine room and spread rapidly, keeping the firemen of the western division busy for considerably over an hour. The stock of the Canadian Iron Foundry Company on the lower floor was slightly damaged.

DID NOT ANSWER SIGNALS

Such is the Reason of Russian Commander for Firing on British Steamer 'Woodburn.'

Stockholm, June 17.—Despat... ceived here from Helsingfors ... firm the news that the British ... er "Woodburn,' of Newcastle ... eously mentioned in despatch yes... as the 'Northburg'), was fired u... a vessel of the Russian squadr... Pitkipas Bay, the rendezvous of th... peror Nicholas and the Emperor ... liam. The first was a blank ch... but this was followed a few sec... later by two shells. Portions of the ... penetrated the bulkheads of the 'W... burn,' and pierced a steam pipe ... engineer of the steamer was ... in the leg, and was taken abo... Russian cruiser, 'Asia,' whe... wounds were dressed. Later, th... ed man was conveyed to a hos... Viborg. After making repairs ... 'Woodburn' sailed to-night for ...

Copenhagen, June 17.—Ad... reports here, the reason given ... Russian commander for firing ... British steamer 'Woodburn' w... the latter was signalled by the Rus... but gave no signal in return.

ST. JEAN BAPTISTE DAY

FRENCH CANADIANS WANT A GENERAL HOLIDAY ON JUNE 24.

At a meeting of the 'As... Jean-Baptiste' held at the ... National' this week, it w... Mr. J. C. Lamothe, att... by the Hon. L. O. Da...

'Whereas the 24th of ... tional holiday of the Fr... and that this year, on ... the seventy-fifth anni... foundation, this day wi... with a greater display ...

'Whereas the French C... have the privilege of at... bration of this day, and ... employers, without distinc... should by courtesy and ... their French Canadian e... them a holiday on the 24...

'Resolved, that the ge... of this association write ... companies, namely, the C... fic Railway, the Grand T... and all other companies ... public service, in order ... them for their French ... employees, the favor of ... 24th of June next and ... the newspapers all the ... whether English or Fren... grant the same favor to ... ces of French Canadian na...

This motion was adopted.

MURDEROUS BAND IN ...

Kiev, Russia, June 17. ... armed men to-day vis... a local landlord ... large sum of money. ... fused. The bandits the... landowner, his mother ... and a servant, and made ...

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