

The Weather.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf— Fair and warm.

The Quebec Chronicle.

Temperatures.

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RUSSIAN BUREAUCRATS FACED BY THE NATION

Lower House Votes Want of Confidence in the Ministry

EITHER SURRENDER OR WAR

The Alternative Before the Government—General Strike May Possibly be Inaugurated Today.

St. Petersburg, May 26.—At the end of a memorable seven hour session the lower house of parliament to-day indignantly rejected the Government policy as presented by Premier Goremykin and, with only seven dissentient voices, voted a lack of confidence in the ministry, practically throwing down the gauntlet to the bureaucracy with a demand for retirement of the present cabinet and its supersession by a ministry approved by the majority in the house. The spirit of absolute revolution is in the air and a conflict between the crown and the nation now appears to be inevitable. While the house avoided the appearance of delivering an ultimatum the Government seems to have no alternative except surrender or war. The gloomiest forebodings are everywhere expressed to-night and the general impression is that the country is on the verge of a titanic struggle, which may be delayed, but not averted. Despatches received from the interior indicate that the struggle possibly may be inaugurated Monday with a general strike when the people learn that all amnesty has been refused them. While the Premier's statement promised co-operation with the lower house "in so far as the latter does not transgress the limits of the fundamental laws," it recognized the agrarian question as paramount, proposing to remedy the deficiency in land through the operation of an agrarian bank and migration to Siberia. It proposed the introduction of universal and compulsory education, the reform of the administration and the realization of the four liberties. Premier Goremykin's statement, however, returned a non possumus on the burning question raised by the house in its reply to the speech from the throne. It declared that the Government's fiat and exceptional laws cannot be withdrawn until order and terrorism cease. The expropriation of appanages of the crown and church and private lands was declared to be inadmissible. The right of investigation of administrative acts, the crown, the house having only the power of interpellation. Premier Goremykin said: "We were solely the prerogative of the Emperor. Such briefly was the Government's reply to the address of the house and the Premier's words seemed to arouse all the latent resentment in the hearts of the members of the house. The constitutional democratic leaders for the first time gave free range to their passions and with flaming words orator after orator declared the Government programme inadmissible and said that the ministry must give way to a cabinet in which the people had confidence. M. Rodicheff announced that the Government's reply had dashed to the ground all his hopes of working in harmony with the administration. M. Kovalevskii expatiated the role of Mirabeau, practically paraphrasing the Frenchman's words: "We are here by the will of the people and nothing but bayonets can disperse us," while half a dozen peasant members hurled defiance at the ministry. Even Count Heyden, the leader of the Right, deserted the Government side, saying that inasmuch as the Government had refused to redeem its promise to repeal the exceptional laws he also was for censure. The resolution of censure as adopted provides that the House shall proceed with the order of the day on Monday, thus adroitly placing upon the shoulders of the Government the responsibility for making the next move. For the moment, as evidenced by a communication issued by the official agency at midnight, the ministry, in hesitating in a dilemma, being ready neither to resign itself or dismiss parliament. The communication says: "We are able to announce authoritatively that the rumors of a dissolution of parliament are unfounded. The parliament will sit until the middle of June when it will take a vacation. The dismissal of the ministry is a matter exclusively for the unfettered decision of the sovereign. The speech of the Minister of Justice at to-day's sitting of the house was an expression of his personal views given on his own initiative."

HARRIERS MEET

Montreal, May 26.—The Harriers meet on Saturday was a great success. In the senior competition, M.A.A.A. and St. Patrick's tied for first place with 13 points each; Y.M.C.A. came second with 10; Gordons, third, with 5; and Westmount fourth with 1. Junior—M.A.A.A., 14; Gordons and St. Patrick's, 8; Westmount, 2; Gordons, 2; Y.M.C.A., 1. The Quebec men were unplaced in the contest.

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RUSSIAN HOUSE'S BOLD CHALLENGE

Government's Response is Awaited with Anxiety

SERIOUSNESS OF SITUATION

Generally Recognized on All Sides—Terrorists Quick to Seize the Opportunity for a Number of Attacks.

St. Petersburg, May 26.—1.10 a.m.—With breathless anxiety society awaits the Government's response to the bold action of the lower house of parliament Saturday, which in censuring the ministry and demanding its retirement was like a deliberate slap in the face and a direct challenge which the Government, though inclined to prefer its usual policy of temporization and compromise, can hardly avoid meeting. Parliament has burned the bridge and virtually has taken the step the French states general did when it transformed itself into a national convention. By flouting the fundamental laws and practically declaring that it proposes to exercise full parliamentary rights with a responsible ministry, it has become in the eyes of the law a revolutionary body and from that position there seems to be no retreat. The news of the action of the house came like an electric shock, the people generally being as greatly surprised as the bureaucracy at the promptness with which the whole of the Government's policy was absolutely scorned. Both sides recognize the acuteness and seriousness of the moment, but panic is in the government and not the popular camp. Premier Goremykin went to Peterhof immediately after the adjournment of Saturday's session to confer with the Emperor, and yesterday there were agitated conferences between the ministerial leaders. The constitutional Democrat chiefs are displaying calmness in the face of the crisis. They declare that having delivered their reply they propose to go calmly ahead with the work before them, forcing the Government to take the initiative. The strength of their position lies in the conviction that the Russian nation and especially the peasantry, who are sure to be discontented at the fiat concerning the expropriation of land, is behind parliament in its rejection of the Government's policy as utterly unacceptable. "The Government if it dares to fight," said M. Kokoshkine, one of the Constitutional Democratic members of the House, "can disperse parliament; but the victory of the bureaucracy would only be temporary. It would inevitably be followed by a bloody revolution which would leave a stink of the present government standing. The Emperor must choose between a real constitutional government and the loss not only of his crown, but probably of his head." The Social Democrats and Social Revolutionists are rejoiced at the turn of events, believing that they furnish just the stimulus needed for the rising they are planning. The terrorists were quick to seize the opportunity for a series of blows in widely separated parts of the country, the news of which forms a prominent feature in this morning's newspapers instead of the expected decree of amnesty. The attempts at Tiflis and Sebastopol are indications of the determination of the fighting organization to resume its campaign of assassination with full vigor. The press to-day, almost without exception, is pessimistic, recognizing the extreme gravity of the situation and the tempest which the denial of the right of forced expropriation of land will provoke among the peasantry. The Reich declares that the Government's reasoning in this respect is false and fallacious, the expropriation of land standing practically on the same basis now as in 1861. Prof. Karsjoff in a special article says a parallel of the early stage of the French revolution is now complete. He invites the ministry to substitute for the 1906 events those of 1789 and then to consider whether they wish to continue their present course. The Slovo, the Octobrist organ, falls behind none of the others in sharpness of criticism, declaring that the government has proclaimed war on parliament. Orders for the guard corps to go into summer camp at Krasnoe have been countermanded and it is supposed they will be retained here in readiness to cope with any outbreak.

BOMBS THROWN AT REVIEW

Sebastopol, May 27.—Several bombs were thrown here to-day while a review of troops was being held after the Te Deum in celebration of the anniversary of the Emperor's coronation. Three persons were killed and several wounded. Among the wounded were the commander of the fortress, Gen. Neptueff, who received slight hurts, and the chief of police, who was gravely injured. Other high dignitaries escaped. Vice-Admiral Chouknin, commanding the Black Sea fleet, who is a special subject for terrorist revenge, was not present. Two of the bomb throwers were arrested.

POLITICAL GOSSIP OF LONDON TOWN

Pity the Troubles of Poor H. C. B.—Joe a Constant Irritant

THE EDUCATION BILL LIKE

A Brick Thrown Into a Horne's Nest—The Fury of Woman Scorned—Break With the Labor Party.

New York, May 27.—The Herald's London correspondent says:—Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's troubles increase with such rapidity that even the stolid, pawky Scotch premier is beginning to lose his nerve, giving way to fits of ill-temper and rudeness. An instance was the scene with Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, in which "Fighting Joe" called the premier impertinent. Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's interference on that occasion, in behalf of MacNamara, was totally uncalled for. I have remarked during my visits to the House that the moment Mr. Chamberlain rises, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is like an angry dog spoiling for a fight. He is scarcely sit still. He fidgets, interrupts, wipes his forehead and shows pronounced signs of mental agitation. I am told that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman feels terribly bitter toward "Joe." Never having forgiven Mr. Chamberlain holding him up to the country at the time of the Boer war as a Little Englander. What makes matters worse for the Premier is that in verbal duels "Joe" invariably gets the best of the argument, principally because he keeps cool, whereas Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is born blusterer of a plethoric nature. But Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman has worse troubles than "Irritating Joe" for the education bill has proved that the Liberals have thrown a brick into a horne's nest. It has already alienated an immense class throughout the country, consisting of the clergy and school teachers, and, through them, great sections of population, while Sir Henry's casuistry and temporizing remarks to the woman's deputations have arraigned the petticoat influence of the country against him. And it is worthy of note that England's women are coming to the front in a manner which is truly astonishing. Indeed, highly alarming. To those politicians, who seek to oppose their progress, Mr. John Burns has proved a source of great weakness to the Cabinet. Mr. Keir Hardie, Mr. Tom Thorne and other labor candidates are bounding him perpetually. Mr. Tom Thorne is a huge of frame and is gifted with a stentorian, thundering voice, which seems to make the rafters of the House shake. It is true that his name is a terrible thorn in the side of the Government, to whose members he pays scant respect. Altogether the cut and thrust communications which have clearly proven that in this instance, the whole matter would have been settled in half an hour with a little firmness. But the Government has the courage to admit it was wrong, so one of the most unjust and scandalous cases of modern times is dragged along, possibly for months to come, all on account of a lack of courage by the Government. After an exhaustive study of the tariff systems of Germany, France and Italy, Mr. Eugene Foss, of Boston, vice-president of the Reciprocity League, expresses the opinion that the United States must revise its protective tariff if it would continue the era of prosperity. "It is only a question of time before the Senate will be forced to realize the necessity of sweeping changes," he said, discussing the situation with the Herald correspondent. "Anybody who knows the movement in Europe to guard against an American invasion understands that we shall be shut from competition unless immediate action be taken in Washington to preclude the possibility of so disastrous an event. From my point of view, it appears that the only way we can crawl from the hole into which our tariff system is plunging us, will be to adopt a minimum and maximum tariff in dealing with other countries. Trade treaties must be made with nations with which our commercial interests are interwoven so we shall be given by them a square deal instead of the one-sided arrangement which now exists, with the whole of Europe all laying itself against us. It is apparent that a crisis is coming, and I look for the subject of the tariff to be the greatest political issue from now on in the United States. We are facing the alternative of making a new arrangement of our commercial relations or accepting the chances of great business and financial depression. If we would protect our interests we must look deeply into the matter. In the last year Germany made trade treaties with eight different countries, not only because such trade treaties were conducive to greater commercial activity, but to fortify herself against the American tariff. Germany's proposition was clear and sound. If you will deal with us, she tells America, we will deal with you. Your goods will find a market here when our sugar finds a market with you. It has only been good will toward us on the part of Germany that her duty on American goods has not already been advanced from 25 to 400 per cent. For a year the increase has been deferred because of the explanation of the Washington authorities that the Senate has not yet had time to make a trade treaty, but if no reciprocal agreement is made and Germany makes effective a higher tariff the result will be a difference of \$225,000,000 against American interests."

IT TOOK A SLIDE

Foundation of Ogilvie Co's Grain Elevator Gives Way and Starts to Slide Into River.

Fort William, Ont., May 27.—The Ogilvie Company's grain elevator at this place which was erected some two years ago, started to slide into the river about nine o'clock last night and the most alarming reports were current as to its collapse and total loss of the building and contents. It was found, however, early this morning that the elevator had moved from its foundations, evidently caused by the displacement of the pile foundation. The Canadian Pacific Railway and the other elevator companies promptly rendered all possible assistance and men have been at work all day making arrangements for the removal of the grain, of which there is about 300,000 bushels, a portion of which belongs to outside parties. At the moment it looks as though 75 to 80 per cent. of the grain might be saved as the bins are intact and the total loss on grain and elevator will not amount to more than \$250,000.

ARRIVAL OF EMPRESS

Liverpool, May 27.—The Canadian Pacific Railway's steamship Empress of Britain arrived at eight o'clock this morning (Sunday).

PRETENDER'S SECRETARY ARRESTED

Barcelona, May 27.—The secretary of Don Jaime, of Bourbon, son of Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, was arrested here to-day. The charge on which he was taken into custody was not made public.

FOREIGNERS SAFE FROM DISORDERS

Paris, May 27.—A semi-official note issued to-day relative to reports of trouble at Pointe-a-Pitre, Guadaloupe and Port De France, Martinique, says, there is no possibility of danger to foreigners there, who are protected by a garrison of 5,000 men and two warships.

DAVITT'S CONDITION SERIOUS

Dublin, May 27.—1 a.m.—The condition of Michael Davitt is extremely critical and grave fears are entertained for his recovery. He is hardly expected to survive the night. After steadily improving during the past week Mr. Davitt had a serious relapse Sunday. He maintained his ground during the day, but at night his condition grew worse. Three doctors are in attendance on the patient.

WON THE FRENCH DERBY

Paris, May 27.—Wm. K. Vanderbilt's Maintenance, with Jockey Woodland in the saddle, won the Prix de Jockey Club (the French Derby) at Chantilly to-day. The race was for 1-year-olds at 1 1/4 miles and the stake was valued at \$20,000. Seventeen horses started. Notwithstanding the uncertain weather a most brilliant assemblage of leading personages in diplomatic and social life witnessed Mr. Vanderbilt's victory. Bengal with Woodland up, won the Prix des Etangs. Bengal is also owned by Mr. Vanderbilt.

ENA'S GRACIOUS DEED

Madrid, May 27.—The first notable act of Princess Ena of Battenberg since her arrival in Spain to become the bride of King Alfonso XIII. has been to induce the King to pardon Fernando Levera, who was condemned to death after an exciting trial. The dramatic circumstance under which pardon was given, as the condemned man was going to the gallows, attracts widespread attention and further augments the popularity of Princess Ena. Levera was to have been executed in the neighboring town of Badajoz, but the population solicited Princess Ena's intercession and she spoke to the King, who consulted with the ministers and after a cabinet council the Government resolved to grant the request as it was the first petition the Princess had made in Spain. Thereupon the King issued a pardon and a telegram announcing this fact reached the prison at Badajoz half an hour before the time set for the execution. The march to the scaffold was about to begin when a messenger brought word of the pardon. There were remarkable scenes of rejoicing. The townspeople formed a procession and sang the praises of their Queen to be. The people of Madrid also highly approve the Princess' humane intervention and the papers comment upon the coming Queen's first act as being "due to mercy. The Paris Palace was again the scene of royal ceremonies to-day, the ideal weather permitting of open air religious services on the lawns of the palace, where the military bishop celebrated a campaign mass.

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## The Quebec Chronicle

QUEBEC, MAY 28, 1906.

### THE GRAIN TRADE.

It looks as if Quebec were going to secure a share of the grain trade, through our good fortune in having extensive elevator facilities and good deep water berths. During the last few days the big steamer Empress of Britain, took in 40,000 bushels of grain at the Great Northern elevator and the Teviotdale 88,000 bushels of Manitoba wheat. There are now two distinct electric conveyors connected with this elevator so that steamships can take in grain at two different berths, one on the Louise Dock and the other on the St. Lawrence front. In addition there is a marine leg on the inner basin of the Louise Dock by which grain can be taken from propellers, barges and other inland craft and put into the elevator for storage. With these facilities and two lines of tracks in the elevator itself for unloading and loading into cars, this elevator is one of the most complete on the continent, and with its great capacity—one million bushels—is capable of handling a very large quantity of grain in the season. Shipping men say it is the best working seaport elevator in Canada, and local grain men say that it is already bringing to Quebec for storage and distribution a large quantity of corn and other grain that was formerly distributed from Montreal for want of elevator facilities here. This is borne out by the fact that in the short time since the opening of navigation the Great Northern elevator has received and stored no less than 283,000 bushels of grain.

### NOT A TREATY.

It is formally denied that any treaty between Great Britain and Russia, respecting various matters, on which friction has hitherto excited to a greater or less extent, has been concluded, but, it is added a certainly friendly understanding has been arrived at which is calculated to effect the same purpose. As Russia has never been famous for respecting her treaties longer than it was to her interest to observe them, an amicable understanding with Great Britain is just as good as a treaty, and if it has been arrived at it would appear that the peace of the world may be reckoned on as secure for many years to come. Great Britain and France are now good friends with all the former causes of friction between them removed, and Italy and Spain are also on terms of good understanding with the Empire, while in the Far East, Japan and England have joined hands, and British interests are secured in that quarter, as the entente cordiale with France, Spain and Italy secures them in the Mediterranean Sea. The danger point, at present, in the eyes of British statesmen, lies in the North and Baltic Seas, and a friendly feeling between Russia and England would eliminate that also. It is not many years since that Europe presented the appearance of an armed camp, with the nations mutually jealous of each other, and agreed only in hostility to Great Britain which occupied a position described as a splendid isolation. The influence of Edward the Peacemaker, has changed the situation entirely, and this by amicable understandings rather than by formal treaty; the universal feeling of jealousy and distrust has in a great measure died away, and the one great obstacle to a general disarmament, for which all the peoples are praying, is

the ambition of Germany. If the arrangement with Russia is accomplished, it will then be Germany that occupies the post of isolation which, however splendid it may be, is an uncomfortable and even a perilous one.

If the report, as to the terms of the Anglo-Russian understanding is correct, Russia gets little beyond a recognition of her dominating influence in Northwest Persia. She abandons her designs on a port in the Persian Gulf, and agrees to maintain the status quo in Afghanistan and Tibet. By this the ever-present dread of an advance upon India by Russia from the North is for the time dissipated, and in the Far East the lines of the Anglo-Japanese agreement will hold good for the Anglo-Russian one.

This satisfactory condition of things from a British point of view, is attributed, and with great justice, mainly to the tact and conciliatory disposition of Edward VII., but we may be excused for doubting whether these would have been efficient as they have been had it not been for the success of Japan in the Russo-Japanese war. If Russia had been victorious instead of vanquished, it is as certain as anything can well be, that within a very short space of time Great Britain would have been engaged in a struggle for life or death against a coalition of the Continental Powers. It was only the triumph of Japan followed by the internal troubles of Russia that prevented this, and brought the nations to considerations of peace rather than of war. It is greatly to the credit of the Statesmanship of the British King that he saw his opportunity and knew how to avail himself of it.

The irritant factor that militates against the peace of the world is Germany, and Germany is the irritant factor because of her isolation, which, if we except Austria, who does not count for much in international politics beyond the affairs of the Balkan Peninsula, is total. If this could be removed, if Germany could by any means enter within the circle of the European family, the peace of the world might be regarded as assured, and it is to be hoped that this will yet be accomplished and that the jealousy which has been embittering Anglo-German relations for many years past will disappear. Certainly it is an unnatural feeling to exist between two nations that are of a kindred stock, have so much in common, and have been so friendly in the past, and every effort to do away with it should meet with encouragement and favor.

### THE RECENT HOLD-UP.

The Mounted Police appear to have acted up to their usual standard of efficiency in connection with the recent train robbery and have captured three of the robbers, one of whom turns out to be a veteran road agent from the United States. The Police deserve the greatest credit for their excellent work. There was some talk when the new provinces were formed of disbanding the Mounted Police, but the Government would make a great mistake in doing so. Civilization has its dangers no less imminent than those that existed when our Northwest was a wilderness. The Northwest Mounted Police have been 33 years in existence, they are one of the finest bodies of men in the world, and it takes years of hard work to create a force with such a morale. The Mounted Police have handled the redman with firmness and tact, the result being that Canada has not had an Indian war in our great western territory. For many years to come there will be plenty of work for the Mounted Police in caring for the white settlers that are pouring into the territory, including such work as rounding up Doukhobor fanatics and running down American train robbers.

## PRESS OPINIONS.

**SCHOOL FOR FIANCES.**—The Bishop of Ripon wants a public school for engaged couples. He would send them to it for strenuous inculcation of the sense of their impending responsibilities and instruction in the art of meeting them. Then the Bishop would have a home of rest for betrothed pairs, in which they could recover from the labors of the exacting educational course and receive lessons in the blessedness of composure under difficulties.

The Bishop is an eloquent man. No-body has hitherto breathed a word of suspicion against his common sense. He has been married so long that he will be free from suggestions that his

own pre-nuptial experiences have not eventuated well. His wife is an able woman, doubly adorned with the graces of domesticity and publicity. His children honor their parents and are not known to have made imprudent marriages.

What the Bishop says about fiances' insufficient knowledge of what is before them is perfectly true. It applies also to candidates for ordination. "How foolish we were when we were young," said a matron to her spouse. "How young we were when we were married," was the brutal reply. Still, the world is replenished and made good by the foolishness of impractical love-making. The course of true love won't run very much smoother by making Edwin and Angelina contemplate seriously the responsibilities which attach to cook stove and cradle. Edwin and Angelina ought to think deeply of other things besides tea cream and kisses. They should give to their elysian dream some tinge of sobriety. But if they will not borrow it from their prospective parents-in-law, how are they likely to achieve it in a schoolroom, from which they will fervently pray other students will be excluded?

The Bishop of Ripon should take a plibiscite of the engaged couples in his diocese upon his scheme. It would make him wise unto recantation. It is foolish, but it is true, that people will insist on acting as though the only school for marriage is marriage.—Toronto World.

**A CANDID FRIEND.**—The Globe is becoming apprehensive of the future of its political friends of Ottawa in consequence of the revelations of corruption. The Globe recalls the past history of Governments in this province of the Dominion, and finds that the overthrow of governments has been effected not by the strength of the Opposition exerted from the outside, but by corruption working from within. The case of the Dominion Conservative Government is cited in 1896 and of the Ontario Liberal Government in 1905, to prove this. Of the latter the Globe says: "It was not because the people chose Mr. Whitney and his associates, or were influenced by the attacks on the Government by the Opposition and its newspaper allies, that the political complexion of the Ontario Legislature was so almost completely changed. The thing was made possible by Liberals who would no longer stand for the methods resorted to be alleged friends of the Government."

The application of the lesson follows and is very close: "That significant fact should be laid to heart by the Government at Ottawa, which is strong because of the support of Liberals who would not hesitate to punish the wrong doing of their own political friends; and the Government at Toronto should not forget that it owes its present position to the determination of Liberals that the barnacles be removed from the ship of State. What was done then may be done again, more readily and with more straight-going decisiveness."

With Premier Laurier, however, limiting the area of the proposed inquiry into a deal which has all the appearance of being corrupt, lest it might implicate friends of his Government, there is little hope of anything effective being done either by the press, or the friends of the Liberal party, to check the downward trend, and save it from wreck on aroused public sentiment.—Kingston News.

**WHARF OR BRIDGE?**—The Disraeli wharf is a bridge within the limits of Disraeli and is a municipal property; it should have been constructed by the municipality. That it is a bridge is made apparent by the fact that the taxpayers of Disraeli, are going to extend the wharf to cross the river, and the contract states that the specifications for the new part, or bridge, are to be those used for the wharf.

This bridge including the 310 feet called a wharf—is to substitute the old ramshackle municipal bridge built 30 years ago,—the 310 feet built by the Government cost the Dominion \$8,200 and the 400 feet to be built by the municipality is contracted for to be completed for \$2,200. The Government wharf was started building just before the dissolution of the last Parliament, and there was a great rush of laborers put on, and contracts given out for election purposes. No doubt the matter of compelling the Government to give the people of Disraeli a new bridge—in place of the old one—was on the cards as a bribe to vote for the Liberal candidate, engineered by Mr. Tobin himself, assisted by the Government officials, who made the astonishing discovery that they needed a wharf for the accommodation of the "steamboats" and "vessels" engaged in carrying passengers and goods up and down the lake to and from Disraeli overland—there is no water to swim in or steamboats to come to the wharf if there were any water. This is a sample of the way in which the Government squanders the people's money, and accounts for our expenditure jumping up from \$44,000,000 to \$80,000,000 in nine years.—Richmond Guardian.

### A SUPERFLUITY OF DEATHS.

In the "Reminiscences" of Sir Hy. Hawkins, quoted in the last issue of the American Law Review, there are some amusing stories of the vagaries of jury decisions. "The evidence was irresistible," says Sir Henry, "and the case one of inexcusable brutality." The man had been tried for the murder of his father and mother, and as I said, the evidence was too clear to leave a doubt as to his guilt.

The jury retired to consider their verdict, and were away so long that the judge sent for them and asked if there was any point upon which he could enlighten them. They answered no, and thought they understood the case perfectly well.

After a great deal of further consideration they brought in a verdict of "Not Guilty." The judge was angry at so outrageous a violation of their plain duty, and did what he ought not to have done—namely, asked the reason they brought in such a verdict, when they knew the culprit was guilty and ought to have been hanged.

"That's just it, my lord," said the foreman of this distinguished body, "I assure you we had no doubt about the prisoner's guilt, but we thought there had been deaths enough in the family lately and so gave him the benefit of the doubt."

## USED UP AND TIRED OUT

Every day in the week and every week in the year men, women and children feel all used up and tired out. The strain of business, the cares of home and social life and the task of study cause terrible suffering from heart and nerve troubles. The efforts put forth to keep up to the modern "high pressure" mode of life in this age soon wears out the strongest system, shatters the nerves and weakens the heart. Thousands find life a burden and others an early grave. The strain on the system causes nervousness, palpitation of the heart, nervous prostration, sleeplessness, faint and dizzy spells, skip beats, weak and irregular pulse, smothering and sinking spells, etc. The blood becomes weak and watery and eventually causes decline.

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Miss Roselle Knott, who appears at the Auditorium to-night and to-morrow matinee and night in "When Knighthood Was In Flower," has probably received as many laudatory comments as any living actress. More especially as "Mary Tudor" in her present play has her work been favorably criticized. The following expression from one of the best critics of the day, and a severe one, seems to best set forth the opinion of theatre-goers in general: "The play 'When Knighthood Was In Flower' affords many theatrical opportunities, and these Miss Knott ably uses. Her embodiment of Mary Tudor crystallizes into one engaging personality the attributes of authority, impetuosity, intransigence, force of will, gleeful caprice alternating with tenderness, and ardent passion tempered with both sweetness and mirth."

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**O**NE SPECIAL Pattern Hat, which deserves special mention, is an exquisite creation of Old Rose Malines, hand shirred, fine hand-made rosette bandeau, trimmed with Old Rose flowers, ribbon and rich esprey. This is one of the best values in the store at our regular price which was \$18.00, you may have it at the Challenge Sale Price... **\$13.50**



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**E**IGHT ONLY—Room Size Rugs, size 8 feet 5 inches by 5 feet 5 inches, handsome Oriental patterns, suitable for Libraries, Sitting Rooms, Halls or Smoking Rooms, represent the best values we have to offer in the Carpet Department. Every housekeeper owes it to herself at least to see these rugs and compare these values with those of any other store in Quebec. The number is limited—but that is because they were such exceptional value at the regular price 47. The first eight comers will secure these handsome rugs at the Challenge Sale Price, only... **\$6.30**

### LADIES' KID GLOVES.

**F**INE KID GLOVES—every pair in our entire stock shares in this most liberal discount. This department is one of the most popular in the store, and the quantity we have already sold during this Challenge Sale speaks well for the values we are offering. You may have your choice of any pair of gloves in the store at a discount of... **10 p.c.**

### SPECIAL VALUE

Perrin's Fine Kid Gloves In all the popular shades and colorings, including Tan, Beaver, Grey, Black and White, 2 dome fasteners, regular price \$1.00 per pair, Challenge Sale Price per pair, only... **90c.**



### LADIES' WHITEWEAR.

**S**ELDOM such an opportunity as this is offered to purchase these dainty undergarments at such tempting prices. Our assortment is full of just such beautiful designs as will charm the woman of taste. These we are selling during the Challenge Sale at a discount of... **15 p.c.**

### BOYS' CLOTHING.

**I**T IS surprising how many mothers have visited the store during the last few days to take advantage of this opportunity to save money on good, serviceable clothing for the boy. Our Boys' Clothing is made in our own workrooms and special care is given to the fit and style — discount... **10 p.c.**

### SPECIAL VALUE.

Boys' 2-piece Suits of finest Scotch tweed, all the latest designs in checks, overplaids and fancy mixtures, made by expert cutters and designers, right in our own workrooms, and guaranteed to be perfect in every respect. Our regular price for these suits is \$3.50. Challenge Sale Price, only... **\$3.15**

### TABLE LINEN.

Finest Damask Table Linen, 90 inches wide, free from dressing and guaranteed to be of the very best quality, matchless value at our regular price \$2.25 per yard. Challenge Sale Price... **\$2.03**

### BATH TOWELS.

Fine Turkish Bath Towels of good, serviceable quality, large size, exceptional value at our regular price 25c. each, your choice during this sale for, each... **22c.**



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**E**XQUISITE Paris and New York Pattern Hats, made by the leading experts of Europe and America, models to be met with nowhere else, positively only one of a pattern, also included in this sale. These hats were imported direct and our regular prices represent the best value in Quebec. All to go at a discount of... **25 p.c.**

### CARPETS.

Even our new stock of handsome carpets and rugs are to be sold during the Great Challenge Sale at a discount of... **10 p.c.**

### OILCLOTHS.

Oilcloths too—in spite of the advance in prices are to be sold during this sale at the same discount of... **10 p.c.**

### LADIES' FINE WAISTS.

**R**ICH Dresden Silk Waist, elbow sleeves, trimmed with Valenciennes lace, very handsome, regular price \$15.00, Challenge Sale Price... **\$12.75**

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### WHITE TAFFETA SILK.

Ladies' Silk Underskirts of fine White Taffeta, trimmed with handsome Valenciennes lace, rows of Valenciennes insertion and dainty medallions, made with full gored flounce, a fortunate purchase enabled us to mark these exquisite petticoats at \$12.50 each. You may have them while they last at the Challenge Sale Price, only... **\$10.63**

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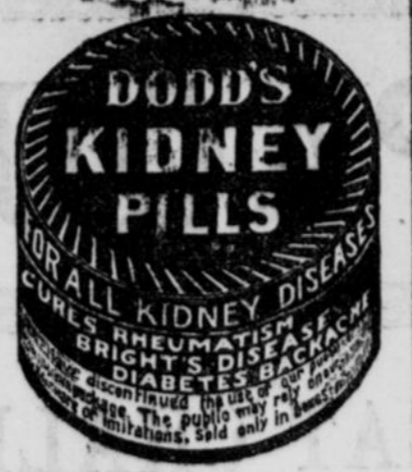
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SHIPPING NEWS

A RESCUE AT SEA

The Allan R.M.S. Ionian, Captain J. N. Nunan, from Liverpool, 17th via Moville, 18th instant, with 60 first, 243 second and 513 third-class passengers and a general cargo, landed the mails at Rimouski at 5.05 a.m. Saturday and arrived in port at 5.55 p.m. same day, mooring at the Breakwater.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Pier at the mouth of Cap Rouge River is submerged as well as the other deep water Pier that was there up to last winter at the end of the long wharf.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway have this day filed in the office of the Registry of Deeds for the County of Quebec in the Province of Quebec, a plan, profile and reference book of the lands required for the purpose of the Eastern Division of the said Railway through the eastern 17 1/2 miles of said County of Quebec.

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CHARTERED. A steamer, 1687 tons, depls. St. John, N.B., to west coast England, 25th, June.

STEAMER SUNK. Dublin, May 26—The steamer Duke of Gordon, of Glasgow, which arrived here to-day reports that she was in collision with the steamer Carrick of the Ayr Steamship Company, of Glasgow, early this morning in the firth of Clyde during a fog.

NOTES. Steamer King Edward, Captain Simpson, left port on Saturday morning for Natashquan and way ports with passengers and general cargo.

PORT OF QUEBEC. Arrived May 26. SS Ionian, Nunan, Liverpool, Allans, Rae & Co., passengers and general cargo.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Sardinian, Captain Braes, from Montreal and Quebec, arrived at Liverpool on Saturday morning.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Pretorian, from Glasgow, with passengers and a general cargo, passed Fame Point at 6.30 p.m. yesterday, and is due in port this evening.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Turcoman sailed from Bristol at 1.10 a.m. on the 25th for Quebec and Montreal.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Englishman from Montreal for Bristol passed out at 10 p.m. Saturday.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Kensington arrived from Montreal at 9.15 p.m. Saturday, and after embarking passengers proceeded to Liverpool.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Manxman, Captain Christie, from Montreal and Quebec, arrived at Bristol yesterday morning.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Tampican, Captain Westcott, from Montreal and Quebec, arrived at London yesterday.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Manchester Importer, Captain Forrest, arrived from Montreal at 3.45 p.m. yesterday, and proceeded for Manchester.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Manchester Shipper, Captain Haworth, from Manchester, passed Cape Chatte at 11.30 a.m. yesterday. Due in port this morning.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Bermudian arrived at Bermuda from New York at 10 o'clock last Saturday morning.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Tripitad sailed from New York for Barbados, W.I., at noon last Saturday.

DEPARTURE. Steamer Republic, from Naples, May 12th at 8 p.m., with 120 first, 195 second and 2,300 third-class passengers making a total of 2,615 passengers on board, arrived at New York May 25, and docked at 11.45 a.m.

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DIED. DUMAS.—On Sunday, May 27, Caroline Warren, wife of Alfred Dumas, aged 36 years. Funeral will leave the residence, No. 20 St. Flavien street, Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock for the Richelieu boat for Murray Bay. Relatives and friends please attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Ocean Sailings—Cunard Line. Ocean Sailings—Quebec Steamship Co. Daily Service—R. & O. Nav. Co. Sale of White—T. Beland & Co. There's a Reason—Postum. Y.M.C.A. Anniversary. Notice—A. S. Gravel. Great Challenge Sale—Z. Paquet. Great Reduction Sale—F. Simard & Co. Summer Goods—E. J. Dynes. Great Farewell Sale—P. J. Cote. Auditorium—When Knighthood Was in Flower. Opening of New Store—Eusebe Picard. Fire—Imperial Laundry. Montreal Steel Works, Limited.

FIRE!

The Imperial Laundry has a complete plant installed in its new building, corner of Bath and St. Valier Sts., and will not be inconvenienced by the recent fire.

Imperial Laundry

Y.M.C.A. ANNIVERSARY

36th ANNIVERSARY. Public Anniversary Service will be held Wednesday evening, May 30th, in the Association Hall.

REV. A. N. MARSHALL, of Adelaide, Australia, will be the speaker. Public are invited. May 28x2.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the A. Gravel Lumber Company, Etchemin, Province of Quebec, will be held at the President's Office, Union Bank Building, Quebec, on Wednesday, the 6th day of June, 1906, for the reception of the annual report, election of Directors for the ensuing year, and other business.

A. S. GRAVEL, Manager. Quebec, 26th May, 1906. May 28x9.

AUDITORIUM

MON. TUES. MAY 28-29 MAT. TUES. Special Engagement of the Canadian Actress ROSELLE KNOTT In the Historical Romance of Chivalry. "WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER" Special Scenery, Historical and Tableau Curtains. PRICES. Evng. 25, 35, 50, 75 \$1.00. Mat. 25, 50

IN AND ABOUT TOWN

BOY'S SAD DEATH CANON WAITT DEAD

Fell from Gallery of Parents' Residence and Fatally Injured. Principal of Bishop's College Passed Away Yesterday Afternoon.

Alfred Giguere, 15 years of age, son of L. C. Giguere, fell from the gallery of his father's residence, in St. Joseph street, on Friday night and received such injury that he died yesterday morning. Dr. Jolicoeur, District Coroner, was notified, and an inquest will be held on the body this afternoon.

EASTERN PROVISION CO. No. 239 John Street. 500 lbs. creamery butter at 23c. per pound. Fresh eggs at 18c. Complete list of cooked meats at prices on hand. Phone 717.

RAN OFF THE TRACK. Two sleepers on the I.C.R. Maritime Express, bound west, ran off the track when the train was near Amqui, P.Q. yesterday. The passengers from the sleepers were transferred to first-class cars and the train proceeded on its way, arriving at Levis only forty minutes after schedule time. None of the passengers were injured.

"THERE IS REST FOR THE WEARY." Rest your feet and you will rest your body. Eighteen hours comfort in a 24 hour day. F. Simard & Co., Quebec.

TWO IMPORTANT MEETINGS. Rev. A. N. Marshall, of Adelaide, Australia, will speak at the Young Men's Christian Association members' conference to-morrow (Tuesday) night at 8 o'clock. Mr. Marshall will be the principal speaker at the 26th public anniversary of the Association, Wednesday night at 8 o'clock in the Association Hall. Everybody invited.

DISCHARGING AND LOADING VESSELS. The attention of merchants, shipmasters, stevedores and others is directed to the advertisement of Mr. J. R. Wells, which appears in another column. The advertiser has up-to-date gear and facilities for the prompt and efficient discharge of vessels' cargoes of all kinds and is prepared to make contracts for that purpose. Also supplies all the necessary gear required for loading vessels. Orders receive prompt and careful attention.

SUPREME COURT SEAT. The Ottawa Citizen says:—Not until after the session will the appointment be made of a Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada. While the impression is prevalent in political circles that Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick, Minister of Justice, will be the new Chief Justice, it is known that strong pressure is being brought to bear to have the appointment go to Sir Louis Jetté, the present Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. It goes without saying, however, that the Minister of Justice will have the refusal of the position.

QUEBEC & LAKE ST. JOHN RAILWAY. From now on a parlor car will be put on the express train due to leave Quebec at 8.10 a.m. daily except Saturday and Sunday. When any passengers offer car will also be put on the train which leave Quebec at 8.10 a.m. on Saturdays for Lake Edward.

KNIGHTS VISIT SOREL. A large number of members of the Quebec Council of the Knights of Columbus left here on Saturday evening for Sorel on board steamer Quebec, specially leased for the occasion. On the way up the steamer stopped at Three Rivers, where the Quebec Knights, accompanied by the members of the Three Rivers Council, attended a special mass. Shortly after ten o'clock yesterday morning the Knights of both cities proceeded to Sorel to institute a Council in that town. The excursionists will return to Quebec this morning.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT. Judge Langelier rendered judgment on Saturday last in the Superior Court in the case of L. J. Belanger vs. The Batisson Lumber Co. The action was for \$6,132 for the use of a house belonging to plaintiff and for the value of a large quantity of timber which the plaintiff alleged, the defendants cut on the former's timber limits. The defendant offered Mr. Belanger \$400 for capital and \$45.47 for costs and deposited these amounts in court; but the plaintiff refused to accept the same. Judgment was rendered for \$422 and interest and costs.

BARNUM & BAILY'S CIRCUS. It has been definitely decided that Barnum & Baily's circus will visit Quebec during the present season, the date upon which the great show will visit Quebec being August 4. The show will visit the Maritime Provinces, and after playing the towns on the other side of the river it will strike Montreal on August 1st, where it will play two days, it will go to Three Rivers on the 3rd, and down to Quebec on Saturday, August 4. It will then jump from Quebec to Ottawa.

RAIN OR SHINE. The performances at the Bijou Rustic Theatre, Montmorency Falls, daily at 3.30 and 8.20 p.m. Programme this week:—Barlow and Nicholson, the Tramp's Mistake; Richard Leggett, in the Rising Generation; the Wizard Bros., comedy triple bar act.

BAND CONCERT. The Union Lamblotte band gave an enjoyable concert on the Boulevard Langelier last evening, when a great crowd of people assembled to listen to the well-selected programme of music rendered. The band, which played for the procession of the Artisans yesterday, appeared in new and neat uniforms.

FIRE ON VALIER STREET. The firemen were summoned yesterday morning at a fire which broke out in a junk store in St. Joseph street, near its junction with St. Valier street, kept by a man named L. Silberman. The building being a wooden one, it made quite a blaze and a second alarm was sounded, but the firemen kept the fire confined to the one building, which, however, was completely gutted.

LAMOthe AND PIETRO. The meeting between Lamothé and Pietro to-night at the Jacques Cartier Hall has excited a lot of interest and there should be things done when the men meet. Pietro has undertaken a large sized contract in attempting to put the local men down three times in an hour, and there are many who are under the impression that he cannot do it. That is to be proved this evening. There will be a couple of preliminaries that should add interest to the occasion. This match will be the last of the season under the auspices of the Canadian Athletic Club and there will doubtless be a large turnout of spectators to witness the event.

Been Hit? Nerves Gone? Quit Coffee and Use POSTUM "There's a Reason."

BODY RECOVERED

Remains of One of Victims of Recent Fatality at the Falls.

Entirely nude, though not seriously mutilated, the body of one of the victims of the fatality at the Natural Steps at Montmorency Falls was picked up on the Beauport Beach on Saturday. The body was taken to the morgue, where it was yesterday identified as that of Norbert Trudel, of l'Ange Gardien, and an inquest will be held by Coroner Jolicoeur this morning.

It will be remembered that Trudel was one of a party of four men who were drowned while on their way to their work at the dam in course of construction at the Natural Steps at Montmorency Falls, on the morning of the 7th instant. The quadruple drowning happened as a result of the boat in which they were crossing to their work being caught in the rapids. The bodies were carried down and over the Falls, and hope had almost been abandoned that any trace of the bodies of the unfortunate victims would ever be discovered.

When the body was found, the Coroner was notified and he ordered it to be conveyed to the morgue in this city. Here it was definitely identified yesterday morning by the son of the deceased as that of the body of his father.

PILGRIMAGE. The Franciscans held a pilgrimage to Cane de la Madeleine on the C. P. R. yesterday, when about 550 people attended.

NO ONE SHOULD MISS. Paying a visit to the Falls this week. The bill at the Rustic Theatre is well worth seeing. The acts which they introduce are pleasing and enjoyable. See them and be happy.

OBITUARY. The death is announced of Abbe Antoine Narcisse Bellemare, a former superior of the College of Nicolet, after a long illness. He was born at Yamachiche on January 5th, 1827. He retired from active service in 1900.

HE CARRIED A REVOLVER. A stranger, giving the name of Hopkins before the Recorder's Court on Saturday charged with threatening some boys in Champlain street with a loaded revolver. He was fined \$10 and costs and the revolver was confiscated.

CAVALRY CAMP. There were a large number of visitors at the cavalry camp at St. Joseph de Louis yesterday. A number of friends from town dined at the officers' and sergeants' messes, the latter being a model in its equipment and conveniences. The Regiment has a road ride during the day.

Y.M.C.A. BOYS ELECT OFFICERS. The junior department of the Association had a delightful meeting Friday night. There was a large attendance. After the meeting the boys enjoyed tea and coffee. The following officers were elected:— President—James Lee. Vice-President—Berton Ramsey. Secretary-Treasurer—Douglas Lindray. The boys are enthusiastic over the prospects of the junior camp this year, which will open early in July.

THE VALIER STREET FIRE. The loss by the fire in St. Valier street, early on Saturday morning, is estimated at \$75,000. The buildings, the property of Mr. J. G. Hearn, are valued at some \$45,000, and only insured for \$5,000 in the Atlas and New York Underwriters' Companies. The Imperial Laundry loss is computed at \$15,000, and only insured for \$2,000, divided equally with the German-American and Queen Fire Insurance Companies. The Hill Manufacturing Company sustains a loss of about \$5,000 and is insured for \$2,500, divided as follows:—Scottish Union, \$1,000; German-American, \$500; Home, \$500; Liverpool, London and Globe, \$500; Mr. James Perry sustains a personal loss by the destruction of new furniture and his workshops of fully \$5,000. During the progress of the fire a fireman named Edmond Dion, who was mounted on a ladder, was seriously burned about the face and hands by the flames bursting through a window of Perry's factory. The injured man was taken to his home, where medical assistance was summoned.

Does Your FOOD Digest Well? When the food is imperfectly digested the full benefit is not derived from it by the body and the purpose of eating is defeated; no matter how good the food or how carefully adapted to the wants of the body it may be. Thus the dyspeptic often becomes thin, weak and debilitated, energy is lacking, brightness, snap and vim are lost, and in their place come dullness, lost appetite, depression and languor. It takes great knowledge to know when one has indigestion, some of the following symptoms generally exist, viz.: constipation, sour stomach, variable appetite, headache, heartburn, gas in the stomach, etc.

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LATEST SPORTING NEWS. QUEBEC LOST GAME LORETTE BEATEN.

Montreal Baseball Club Won an Exciting Contest Yesterday Afternoon.

A bad first innings put the Quebec ball team, so far in the hole yesterday afternoon that it could not pull up the lead secured by Montreal, despite a plucky up-hill fight throughout.

Laval Association Football Team Won Saturday Afternoon's Game.

Lorette went down to defeat on the Q.A.A. grounds on Saturday afternoon, when the Laval team beat the team from the Indian village by a score of 3 goals to 1 in their scheduled game in the District Association Football League.

By innings: Montreal 5, Quebec 0. Summary—Bases stolen, Gillen, Steer, Young, Tremblay; three base hits, Gillen, Deschamps, Steer; home runs, Gillen; double plays, Steer, Stevens, Young; Young, Stevens; bases on balls, by Rivet, 2; Anctil 3; struck out, by Rivet, 2; Anctil 3; Page 6; passed balls, Farrel, Goslin 2; wild pitches, Anctil; left on bases, Montreal 6, Quebec 10; time of game, 1 hr. 55 mins.; umpire, Ed. Fleming; attendance, 1,500.

BASEBALL RESULTS. National (Saturday). At Pittsburgh: Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.

LADY GOLF CHAMPION. New York, May 25—For the fourth time in her career as a golfer, Mrs. Chas. T. Stout, of the Richmond Country Club, Staten Island, won the Women's Metropolitan Golf championship title today.

FRED ROUTHIER KNOCKED OUT. Augusta, Me., May 26—Tommy Sullivan, of Lawrence, knocked out Fred Routhier, of Quebec, in four rounds last night before 1,000 people.

BASEBALL RESULTS. National (Saturday). At Pittsburgh: Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.

SPORTING NOTES. The fourth annual regatta of the American Rowing Association was held on the Schuylkill on Saturday.

BRISTOLS DEFEAT CRESCENTS. The Bristol Baseball Club defeated the Crescent Baseball Club yesterday afternoon on the Q.A.A. grounds by a score of 28 to 13.

LOTS OF FUN. For all who visit the Falls this week. The bill at the Rustic Theatre is a most enjoyable one.

NATIONALS DID IT. Surprise of Opening of Lacrosse Season was Defeat of Caps.

Montreal, May 26—The first surprise of the lacrosse season came with its opening. Nationals defeated Capitals by six to one. They played all around them. They were faster, and they used better judgment.

It certainly was a great day for French-Canadian athletes, and it was a great day for lacrosse, for it signalled the opening of the season of the reorganized Lacrosse Union, and although the match was one-sided, it was not by any means uninteresting.

From the start the Nationals had the best of it, but their supporters gnashed their teeth at the old failing showed itself again, and they did not get in close enough.

WOODBINE RACES. Toronto, May 26—The track was slow, slippery and muddy. The summary follows: First race—Chudchun 87, Swain, E. S. Gardner, 3 to 1, won; Edgely, 90, Farrow, 2 to 1, Gallagher, 2nd; Miss Morgan, 97, Smith, N. Dymont, 4 to 1, 3rd. Time, 1:14.45.

CHURCH ROBBERED. It is reported that the church at Charlebourg has again been visited by thieves, who, entering during the night, broke open the poor boxes and carried off some thirty dollars.

CITY OF QUEBEC. NO. 400. BY-LAW NO. 400.

Concerning the closing at seven o'clock in the evening on Saturdays, of all bars, in all establishments, (Drawn up in the French Language.)

Concerning the provisions to be taken against fire in the streets where boilers are used to melt the materials used in the paving of streets in asphalt, bitumen, etc.

Notwithstanding the provisions of the By-Laws No. 195 of the 23rd of March, 1895, and 199 of the 16th of April, 1875, when on streets or public squares of this city, or on ground belonging to private citizens, work is proceeded with of paving in bitume, asphalt, or other substance similar thereto, the laying of which requires fire to melt or boil the material required for that purpose, the boilers used and heated for that purpose may be placed on the said streets or public squares.

The said City Engineer is empowered to look after the enforcement of the present By-Law by himself or his subordinates.

Attest: J. GEO. GARNEAU, Mayor. H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

CITY OF QUEBEC. NO. 399. BY-LAW.

To fix, determine and impose for the civic year, from the 1st day of May, 1906, to the 1st day of May, 1907, the tax or assessment on immovable property in the City of Quebec, to meet the expenses of the said city, for and during the said year.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council doth hereby ordain and enact as follows to wit:

1. To meet the expense of the requirements of the civic services for the fiscal thousand nine hundred and six, (1906) to the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seven (1907) an assignment or tax of seventeen and one-half per cent, of the amount of the annual rent, or of the rental annual value of the said property as imposed on the said assessment of the said city, shall be levied on the said city for the said year and in the same manner as the other assessments and taxes already imposed and levied in the said city.

Attest: J. GEO. GARNEAU, Mayor. H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

CITY OF QUEBEC. NO. 398. BY-LAW NO. 398.

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The said City Engineer is empowered to look after the enforcement of the present By-Law by himself or his subordinates.

Attest: J. GEO. GARNEAU, Mayor. H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

CITY OF QUEBEC. NO. 391. BY-LAW.

Concerning the license to be taken by certain commercial travellers, and repealing By-Laws Nos. 379 and 387, (Drawn up in the French Language.)

At a meeting of the City Council of the City of Quebec, held at the City Hall, in the said City of Quebec, on the twenty-seventh day of April one thousand nine hundred and six (1906), in conformity to law and in virtue of a By-Law passed by this Council pursuant thereto, and after the due observance of all the formalities prescribed by the statute in such case made and provided, at which meeting are present the two thirds of the members composing the Council of the City of Quebec, that is to say:

His Worship the Mayor and Aldermen: Barry, Barbeau, Bedard, Brunet, Campbell, Dinan, Drouin, Fiset, Folley, Fortier, Galipeault, Hall, Hogan, Huard, Lavigne, Lemay, Letourneau, Madden, Mathieu, Messervy, Mulrooney, Poirier, Shink, St. Pierre, Tanguay, Taschereau (Saint Louis), Taschereau (Saint Pierre), Verret, (29).

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the City of Quebec, and the said Council doth hereby ordain and enact as follows to wit:

1. No Commercial traveller, being in the City of Quebec, shall take orders, or sell goods in trade or other articles, on sample catalogue or price list, to persons other than merchants in the ordinary course of their business, before having obtained for doing so, a permit or license from the City of Quebec, which license shall be delivered by the City Clerk.

Attest: J. GEO. GARNEAU, Mayor. H. J. J. B. CHOUINARD, City Clerk.

# FIRE! FIRE!

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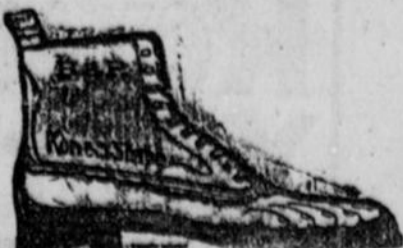
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### ASCENT OF VESUVIUS

Frederick Chamberlain describes a visit to Vesuvius during a recent eruption:—

As we neared Naples in the September night almost nobody on board went below, for we had learned at Port Said that Vesuvius was in eruption, and likely to continue for some days in that unwonted state. All hoped to see the giant of the old mountain before he again drifted into one of his long naps. For more than thirty years now had he been resting, so that we were to be given our one chance of a lifetime, probably, to see him awake.

At about ten o'clock, when the darkness was intense, there was suddenly on the starboard, far up in the air, a red light. It appeared to be one that revolved, for in a few seconds it had entirely disappeared. It was so large and so elevated that we knew we were not far from it. "There it is!" somebody cried. Instantly there was a rush for the rail. Opinions were about evenly divided as to whether the light came from a lighthouse or from the volcano. Its regularity, however, decided some of us. It must be something made by man.

But we were mistaken. It was Vesuvius. The ship's officers assured us that there was no seaman's light in that locality, and then before long, as we flew nearer to the red flame, it became evident that the light was hundreds of feet above. But there was not ten seconds variation in the periods between any two appearances of the beacon.

At midnight the anchor cut the waters of the bay and our long voyage from the Far East of nearly 30 days was over. Naples is built so that it rises from the seaside clear to the top of the high hill. Except only the appearance of Hong Kong at night, and I believe the view of Naples from the bay when all "the evening lamps are lighted" is the most beautiful I have ever seen.

Vesuvius may be ascended by two methods—by carriage road or by the electric. Which ever one may prefer, there is a long ride of perhaps an hour through the poorer portions of Naples to where the city fades away into the hills whose sides are covered with vineyards of the blue and white grapes.

Our ride to the railroad station was rough and hot and one of our party had an experience on the way that ended her day's enjoyment. She, with a young man of twelve, occupied a landau, which wheeled close behind that in which I was riding. Suddenly, I heard a scream and noticed a boy running down the sidewalk as if he were much frightened. I leaped from the carriage and discovered the lady in the rear nearly beside herself. The boy I had seen scampering away had run beside her and snatched at a golden chain that carried a diamond set locket suspended about her neck.

There was a sharp quick struggle between the owner and thief. Her frightened cry, however, had determined that and left in possession of her treasure, which, however, was broken.

As we rode along it was readily seen that the people disliked us, and that nearly all the homes comprised gardens in the rear which were of the pure Italian style, with many regular, sanded walks, uniformly cut shrubbery and, almost invariably, some statuary.

At 2 o'clock we were seated in the electric car, which had doors at the sides between each two seats, and were being propelled by an overhead trolley system up the small hills that lead to Vesuvius.

After a ride of about half an hour, we stopped at a hotel which overlooked Naples and its bay. Here all the feminine members of our party, except one, left us.

In fifteen minutes we were at the very base of the cone. Here we changed conveyances, and were taken by a cable line up the very steep side of the volcano. This last section of our way was, perhaps, half a mile in extent. The cable line terminated some 20 feet below the crater. All the way from Naples to the summit of the volcano we could see that the hidden giant of the great black mountain was still smoking. Every minute, by the watch, he would emit a cloud that would sail away and leave behind no traces of the old fellow's dissipation till he blew out the next whiff.

Upon descending from the cable car some ten of us found that we were still some hundred yards from the smoke.

There was no vegetation. Long ago we had left the vineyards beneath us. There was nothing at the top of the volcano except ashes, cinders and huge boulders of lava. There was square mile after square mile of lava. Nobody could say how deep it was, but one could often discern that it exceeded ten feet.

The ascent after leaving the cable line was in ashes and cinders, into which the foot sank as in dry sea sand, which rendered progress laborious.

A flock of guides and helpers, with ropes, sticks or chairs surrounded us, their ingenuity bent upon securing our patronage.

Several hired canes, while one accepted the free end of a rope, the other extremity of which was attached to a stout Italian gentleman who took the part of the tugboat. But nobody rode in the chair. It was made clear to us that the law required that nobody should farther ascend without a guide. His fee was half a dollar.

With much labor we reached a point about fifty feet below the level of the crater. Here we were informed that we could proceed no further, as it was dangerous beyond.

The precaution seemed silly, for the giant was simply puffing away just like any peaceful old gentleman enjoying his after-dinner smoke.

Upon every hand were holes in the cone, from which steam was emanating. I visited half a dozen of them, and found the smoke hot and the earth warm for quite a distance about. The whole top of the mountain was nothing but a thin sieve. Far down to the southward, some four or five miles away, beside the sea, was Pompeii. It was about as distant as Naples, which is to the northwest of the volcano.

Pompeii looked like a small, burned

town, many of whose roofless walls and gaunt chimneys still remained upright.

Some of us expostulated with the guides for not approaching nearer to the crater, but they were obdurate. They replied that they had not dared to approach farther for a week, as those who had studied the phenomenon for long periods had declared the danger of violent explosions was very imminent, and no one could say when the peril was most intense.

We tried every device from bribery to daring them, but to no purpose.

To all our entreaties, inducements and reproaches, they observed that it would delay for a while we would doubtless learn that they were not overcautious at all unless we desired to lose our lives or seriously imperil them.

Events soon proved the wisdom of their seeming overcaution, for of a sudden the giant altered the rate of his puffing. For two minutes he held the smoke in his lungs. When it became evident that he was doing this, the guides warned us to keep a sharp lookout. You may be sure that we did.

Ah! A sound of the grating of thousands of stones as they rushed up and brushed the rocky sides of the crater on their way to the clouds filled the air. A huge column of smoke four or five times as high and large in diameter as any we had seen, burst out and piled up like a huge pillar, several hundred feet in elevation, while the air was full of rocks and cinders which could be plainly seen flying in all directions. After ascending for, perhaps, 100 feet, they fell back with a clatter, and rolled down the mountain side. Had we been much nearer, it is plain that none of us could have escaped serious, if not fatal, injury. The rain of rocks was too thick to permit dodging. A half-dozen rolled down upon us, and the party speedily grew smaller, only two guides and two of us with Kodaks being silly enough to repeat the experience.

In the course of half an hour we secured a number of pictures of these violent explosions.

Two of them plainly show scores of rocks flying in the air. Upon more than one occasion we dodged to escape a descending piece of lava. We found these fragments to be often as large as a human head and they were so hot as to retain the impression of a seal or any metal that one dared to hold upon them.

By 7 in the evening we were again at our hotel, the whole trip having occupied six hours, and entailing an expenditure of about \$5 for each person. We had seen the most famous volcano in the world in eruption and taken photographs of it within 50 yards of its crater, and had stood within the area of its rain of lava—surely a rare experience, and all in all the most intensely weird, impressive day of our journey except that at Canton, the show place of all the world.

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Short and Sweet with Little to  
the Purpose, and No Purpose

OLD TIME BENEVOLENCES

Revived by Mr. Paterson—Increased Tax-  
ation, and increased Wastefulness and  
Graft in All Departments.

Ottawa, May 26—The budget debate  
of this year like the budget speech it-  
self was unusually short. It began be-  
tween four and five in the afternoon,  
and ended between one and two the  
following morning. Mr. Fielding was  
content with very little more than a  
simple financial statement of the  
situation, colored a little of course,  
by a desire to make a good showing,  
but not running off into campaign de-  
claration. He left that for the Min-  
ister of Customs, and Mr. Paterson  
did it so extravagantly that he kept  
the Opposition in a state of mild  
merriment. Mr. Paterson has a pic-  
turesque way of showing that the  
people who pay about twice as much  
money in taxes as they did in 1896  
are not taxed any more than they  
were then. He says that the percent-  
age on goods is not so high as it  
used to be. The country gets more  
revenue because the people buy more  
and therefore he persists in calling the  
additional twenty-two millions cus-  
tomers revenue "a free gift of the peo-  
ple to the Government." The splen-  
did benevolence of the Canadian peo-  
ple has hardly been recognized by  
themselves. They have thought that  
they were paying because they had to.  
The only way they could escape mak-  
ing this free gift, was to abstain from  
buying things. It was an old custom  
in England to call Government ex-  
actions benevolences, and Mr. Paterson  
has revived the name. But the truth  
is that the taxation on the average  
class of goods imported is much high-  
er than it was ten years ago. In 1895  
the customs taxes on all goods im-  
ported for consumption averaged  
\$16.99 on each \$100 imported. In 1905  
the average was \$16.04. Now there  
are statistics which show how much  
the average price of articles in com-  
mon use has increased. The increase  
has been about fifty per cent all  
round. Let us suppose that on im-  
ported articles it is twenty-five per-  
cent. That is to say merchandise cost-  
ing \$100 for duty imposed in 1895  
would now cost \$125. Instead of pay-  
ing \$16.99 duty on this average bill  
of goods the consumer pays \$20.05.

It has always been the custom be-  
fore Mr. Fielding's time for a Min-  
ister of Finance when he has a substan-  
tial surplus under normal conditions  
to remit taxation. That is what Sir  
Leonard Tilley did in 1883 when he  
had a surplus of seven millions. It  
is what Mr. Foster did in 1891 when  
he had a much smaller surplus. It is  
what Mr. Fielding does not do when  
he claims a surplus of  
twelve and a half millions. There is  
not in his programme of this year  
a single remission of taxes on the ar-  
ticles of common use. The only conces-  
sion made is one to railway com-  
panies in respect to old rails which  
they wish to send away to be rolled  
over again.

Perhaps Mr. Fielding may be reason-  
ably correct in maintaining his tariff  
rate. His surplus after all is only  
nominal. In 1905, with nearly eight  
millions of alleged surplus he added  
five millions to the debt. In the cur-  
rent year now drawing to a close he  
claims over twelve millions surplus  
and admits that there will be a fur-  
ther addition to the net debt of the  
country. During his ten years of office  
he has increased the debt every year  
but three, and under the present pro-  
gramme he will add to it in the next  
two or three years more than Mr.  
Foster did during the whole period of  
his administration.

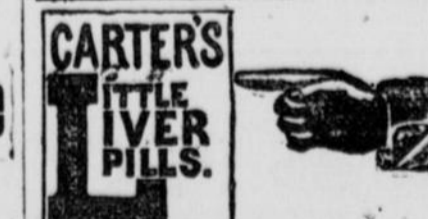
So there is no real surplus, and  
Mr. Fielding may not feel justified in  
reducing the public income. The only  
resort, and that is the one which Mr.  
Foster in his able review recommended,  
is retrenchment in expenditure. In  
ten years, as Mr. Foster points out,  
this Government has doubled the cost  
of governing the country. It has taken  
a hundred million dollars and more  
out of the hands of private people  
above what would have been taken on  
the previous scale of expenditure and  
has distributed the money from Otta-  
wa. The question is whether Mr.  
Fielding and his friends have made  
better use of this money than the peo-  
ple would have made if he had left  
it with them. Judging from Mr. Fos-

ter's review, and certain exposures  
that have been made, the Government  
has not shown exceptional capacity  
for conducting business with economy.  
For instance we are spending \$1,  
600,000 a year in governing the Yukon  
which has not more than eight thou-  
sand people. We have a telegraph sys-  
tem in the Yukon which cost three-  
quarters of a million and could have  
been leased at a rental of \$30,000 a  
year, and all expenses paid. We are  
paying \$275,000 a year to operate  
this system and it brings in \$111,000  
year. We have the Interior Depart-  
ment up there collecting last year  
\$408,000 in gold royalties and other  
dues and this department cost in 1905  
\$476,000, or \$68,000 more than it col-  
lected. The post office department  
costs five dollars for every one dollar  
of revenue. Such is the Yukon.

The Marine and Fisheries Depart-  
ment has been under investigation.  
Wherever it is touched extravagance,  
waste and apparent corruption is dis-  
covered. The Merwin contracts, the  
Arctic scandal, the Neptune scandal,  
the Seal scandal are part of the dis-  
graceful record.

A good deal has been said about  
the Western land deals and the injus-  
tice done the settler. Nearly as much  
might be said about the actual loss  
of money to the treasury. Lands have  
been thrown away to speculators at  
a dollar an acre for which settlers are  
willing to pay, and have to pay seven  
to ten dollars an acre. There is a  
direct steal from the treasury of six  
dollars to nine dollars. Taking in the  
fraudulent homestead entries and the  
scrip transactions, this plunder runs  
up into millions.

Enough has been shown of the deal-  
ings of the Public Works Department  
to make it clear that there is large  
waste or worse than waste in that  
field. Certain dredging contracts and  
wharf enterprises have been in evi-  
dence and the wreck of the Laurier  
tower speaks for itself. Mr. Emmerson  
himself has made confession of the ex-  
travagance and loss in the intercolonial  
department, its expenditure there  
last year reaching four millions. There  
are very grave suspicions regarding  
much of this outlay. Concerning the  
immigration branch of the Interior De-  
partment, which has been pouring out  
money lavishly, it is not necessary to  
do more than call attention to the  
disclosures made daily before two  
committees of the House, and to the  
astounding charges which officials in  
the service are making against each  
other, charges which do not in all  
cases surprise those who remember the  
peculiar party services by which some  
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WEEKLY LETTER.

By Private Wire Neuville Belleau & Co., 93 St. Peter Street, Quebec, Phone 946.

New York, May 26.—Trading stagnated on the stock exchange during the past week reaching the lowest daily record for the year, 360,000 shares.

Subsequently under the stimulus of professional operations the total was increased 100 per cent, but even then one stock, accounted for a third of the transactions.

Short covering was forced in specialties, though new lines were evidently being put out in other quarters, strengthening the position of the market.

Public participation, as is usual during a speculative deadlock, was a negligible quantity. Doubtless the feeling of suspicion and indifference to Wall street allures has been fostered by the unsavory disclosures, resulting from the inter-state commerce commission investigation of the Pennsylvania, which have implicated high officials in grafting operations.

This adverse sentiment has been heightened by the belief that the evil is propagated in one corporation, suggesting possible widespread practice in the railroad world. Yet from the standpoint of the shareholders or future investor good is bound to result in the shape of a more careful management. In the diminution of rebates and improper practices generally under the provision of the railroad rate bill a long step is taken in the right direction.

Pennsylvania stock has suffered not only from the aforesaid disclosures but further heavy borrowing as well. Scarcely has the allotment of one 850,000 loan been made in this country when another similar flotation is announced abroad. Advantage is taken of the accumulations of the thrifty French peasant to arrange a loan in Paris where discount rates range not far above the two per cent level. Since the Pennsylvania Railroad has secured \$350,000,000 additional funds in five years, it is not surprising that conservative circles are beginning to question the wisdom of the present ultra progressive policy though admitting the ultimate benefits. By this, as it may from the standpoint of our money market, the placing of bonds abroad is a distinctly favorable factor.

It permits the redemption of maturing finance bills without gold exports from this side and encourages further French investments in our securities. With a condition of bond indigestion here such a result would prove most helpful though there are signs that a demand is gradually developing from our own investors. Rumors of more securities issues are in circulation ranging from the St. Paul to the United States Steel, which, however, are premature. Further corporation borrowing is to be expected in view of the heavy improvement programme, but it is hardly conceivable that such operations will be allowed to disturb the money market. General conditions, in fact, favor a higher level of prices prior to the July disbursements and look for a gradual upward trend. Stocks should be purchased on weak spots.

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Notice of Assignment.

In the matter of WILBROD BOUCHARD, of Quebec, Joiner, insolvent. The said Wilbrod Bouchard having made an assignment of his assets on the TWENTY SECOND day of May, 1906, notice is hereby given to his creditors to be present at a meeting which will be held on the THIRTY-FIRST day of May, 1906, at ten o'clock a.m. at the Court House, to give their advice on the appointment of a curator and inspectors.

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NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, May 26.—Flour, receipts, 13,263 bbls.; exports, 13,765 bbls. Firm rice, quiet. Barley, steady. Wheat, receipts, 34,000 bushels; exports, 35,308 bushels. Spot, firm. Options closed 1.5c higher. Corn, receipts, 46,225 bushels; exports, 35,472 bushels. Spot, steady. Option market closed unchanged to 3c net higher. Oats, receipts, 101,700 bushels; exports, 200,919 bushels. Spot, steady. Pig iron, quiet. Copper, firm. Lead, quiet. Tin, unsettled. Coffee, spot; Rio, quiet. Sugar, raw, firm; refined, firm.

NEW YORK CLOSING LETTER.

From E. & C. Randolph, by Private Wire to McDonald, Lesperance & Co.

New York, May 26.—To-day's market calls for but little comment. Commission business was at a standstill and the market fluctuated idly within narrow limits, not changes, as a rule, being trifling with declines somewhat more numerous than advances.

Wash "B" were an early feature and ran up sharply on the semi-official announcement of a plan for relieving them. The Bank Statement was unfavorable, showing an increase in loans and deposits, and a decrease in surplus of about three and a half millions, bringing this item down to between six and seven millions, which, of course, is very low for this time of year. It seemed to have been pretty well discounted though as the market grew even duller after its publication than it was before. The tone at the close was very dull and somewhat soft. Sales, 251,500.

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Montreal, May 26, 1906.

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**THEY THREW BOMBS HORSE WAS EXCITED**

**Governor and Chief of Police Escaped Injury from Terrorists.**

Tiflis, May 27.—While Governor-General Timosieff and Chief of Police Martinnoff were driving to-day bombs were thrown at them. Neither was injured, but a Cossack belonging to their escort was killed. The crime was attempted in the centre of the town, a few rods from the scene of the assassination of General Griasenoff, chief of staff of the viceroy of the Caucasus, who was killed by a bomb explosion January 29th last. General Timosieff and Chief of Police Martinnoff were riding in separate carriages. They were on their way to attend the coronation anniversary of the Tsar at the Cathedral. Two bombs were thrown simultaneously, one of them failing to explode. Chief of Police Martinnoff, who was riding with his revolver in hand, shot and killed one of the terrorists, but the other escaped. Governor-General Timosieff's coachman was wounded. The city is agitated, fearing an armed outbreak.

St. Petersburg, May 27.—M. Shtaloff, warden of the city prison here, was shot four times to-day and mortally wounded by an 18-year-old youth who was executing a social revolutionist sentence in revenge for Shtaloff's bad treatment of political prisoners.

**CHINESE TRADE DISTURBED.**  
 Chefoo, May 27.—The continued forced circulation of a nondescript Japanese war note, yen in Manchuria, which is even at a premium over the gold yen, seriously disturbs trade from Chinese ports to Manchuria, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Tien Tsin and other distributing points are overstocked with merchandise for re-export to Manchuria, which prominent merchants declare they can not move on account of the possibility of securing redemption of the war note yen by Japan except at a heavy discount, which often reaches 25 per cent.

**ANGLO GERMAN RELATIONS.**  
 New York, May 27.—The New York Herald has the following in a special cable from London to-day: In the political world matters were never more interesting than at the present moment. The visit of the German Burgemeister to Berlin here quite cold. Emperor William's effort to imitate the French course of action toward this country has not resulted in like effects for the conditions are quite dissimilar. As a highly intelligent diplomatist said to me recently: "The bitter anglophobia existing in Germany is confined to the court and its surroundings, but is not seconded by the more solid part of the country; whereas in England, from the King to the potboy teutonophobia has become a perfect epidemic, from which none have escaped." This diplomat's opinion is most fully confirmed by what I hear on all sides. Rightly or wrongly, probably the latter, the entire British nation is to-day convinced that Germany is only waiting for a propitious moment to strike a death blow at England's trade, even if war be necessary. I have taken some pains to ascertain the reason of this and find that one of the main causes is the bombastic publications of the notorious German naval league, openly stating that Germany must strain every effort to build battleships in order to annihilate the British fleet. Wilhelmstrasse has become extremely nervous as regards Anglo-Russian plans as to the Bagdad Railway, which, if carried out, will leave her the useless trunk of a body, the extremities of which have been lopped off. Here I am assured from an excellent source lies the grand diplomatic struggle of the future, and Algeciras has demonstrated clearly that Germany has no diplomats to-day, Prince Buelow being a mere tool of the Emperor. The latter, I hear, is much disconcerted at his failure. A tradition has been summed up in a saying of Bismarck at the time of the Gladstone administration that when the Liberal Government is in power, England's foreign policy ceases to exist. So it was then, but Sir Edward Grey, the present able Minister of Foreign Affairs, is quite equal to Lord Lansdowne in force of character.

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 SS Persuiga, at New York, from Leghorn.  
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 SS Menominee, at Boston, from Antwerp.  
 SS St. Paul, at Plymouth, from New York.  
 SS Umbria, at Queenstown, from New York.  
 SS Potsdam, at Boulogne, from New York.  
 SS Canadian, at Liverpool, from Boston.  
 SS Celtic, at Liverpool, from New York.  
 SS Empress of Britain, at Liverpool, from Quebec.  
 SS Columbia, at Mobile, from New York.

**SALE OF WHITEWEAR.**  
 This Morning at 9 o'clock will be offered for sale a great lot of Ladies' Whitewear at low prices only. Ladies' White Underskirts from 69c. up. Very nice Night Dresses for 69c. Drawers from 25c. up. Corset-covers from 13c. up. These goods are at half-price being a balance of a factory.

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**Cornered by Would Be Captors the Animal Leaped the Rapids.**

Ottawa, May 26.—An hour's excitement was provided at the Cascades, up the Gatineau, yesterday by the escape of a horse belonging to A. Cusson of Clarence street. The horse had been taken from a rig and let loose, but when the question of recapture arose it proved a difficulty. The owner got six other Ottawans who were driving out that way and the horse was surrounded on all sides save that of the river. When the would-be captors closed in around the horse he turned and made a clean leap into the rapids.

For an hour thereafter he was swirled around over a distance of a mile in the Cascades, and caused considerable anxiety to those on the banks, for it is most improbable that any horse had ever come out of the rapids alive. Eventually, however, Mr. Cusson expertly put a larva over the horse's head and landed his exhausted catch. Had its owner been less experienced the feat would have been impossible and the day have ended disastrously.

**PRINCE OF WALES VISITS PRESIDENT.**  
 Paris, May 27.—The Prince of Wales made a visit of half an hour on President Fallieres to-day and later the President returned the visit.

**JAPANESE BATTLE ANNIVERSARY.**  
 Tokio, May 27.—To-day the anniversary of the battle of the Sea of Japan, the Navy's red letter day, was celebrated with brilliant festivities which were graced by the presence of the Crown Prince.

**BUBONIC PLAGUE AGAIN.**  
 Havana, May 27.—The British str. America, from Buenos Ayres, arrived here to-day and was sent to quarantine owing to two cases of illness on board that are believed to be bubonic plague.

**ELECTIONS IN BELGIUM.**  
 Brussels, May 27.—The general elections through Belgium were held to-day. There was no excitement and the success of the government is practically assured. The Belgian electoral system is such that the government cannot be overthrown unless there be very strong anti-government feeling. There was no cause in to-day's elections for such an attitude.

**A FATAL COLLISION.**  
 Oil City, Pa., May 27.—One man was killed and five others wounded in a head-on collision between a light engine and a freight train on the Buffalo and Allegheny and Valley division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, near West Monterey to-day. W. A. Seaton, flag man, 28 years old, of Pittsburgh, was killed. The injured, who are trainmen, will recover. All live in Pittsburgh.

**GREECE BREAKS WITH ROUMANIA.**  
 London, May 27.—A despatch to a news agency from Athens, says that the Greek Government has decided to break off diplomatic relations with Roumania, recall its consuls and entrust the protection of Greeks there to the Russian agents. The despatch adds that this step is taken owing to Roumania's expulsion of Greeks.

**POPE HAS RECOVERED.**  
 Rome, May 27.—Although the Pope has entirely recovered from his recent illness, he appeared somewhat pale and weak this afternoon when seen in public. Amid thousands of people he walked out from St. Peter's to venerate the 16 Carmelite nuns, who were beheaded to-day for the martyrdom they suffered at the time of the French revolution.

**NEW LAKE FORMED.**  
 Medicine Hat, May 27.—Corp. Botley, R. N. W. M. P., who has been out on patrol duty for several weeks, turned up at Swift Current the other day with a strange story, smacking of the improbable, but backed up by such facts that put disbelief out of the question. It seems from the story that on the first night of the San Francisco earthquake a band of Indians was camped at a point near Pelletier Lake, or Eagle Quill Lake, as it is more generally known, and that during the night members of the band were all awakened by a violent shock, which might or might not have been associated with the earthquake in some way. But that there had been a terrific convulsion of nature of some sort there could be no doubt, as in the morning it was found that an arched well had broken out in the bottom of the cooler near by, and was throwing water fully thirty feet in the air. The cooler was rapidly filled, and was the adjoining depression, and a fair-sized lake now exists where there was no water before. The new lake is twenty miles south of Swift Current.

**A SENSATIONAL DESERTION.**  
 Kingston, Ont., May 27.—"Nothing too sporty for Johnston," said a batteryman this morning, as he described how Corp. Johnston, of the R. C. H. A., "flew his kite," to use a civilian phrase for desertion. There was much cleverness in the missing non-com's tactics in getting out of the barracks, so much in fact that if "Brother" Johnston comes back they should append a badge for tactics if such a decoration exists, to the sleeve of his tunic. Corp. Johnston's side of the story is that he was not given a fair show at Tete de Pont Barracks. His juniors were advanced over him notwithstanding his skill in gunnery. He freely said up town that unless matters took a turn he would "loop the loop," or in other words slope. Tuesday evening he carefully laid his plans. He went to the stable and put a halter over one of the battery horses and rode it up to the gate. To the flying sentry he remarked that he was on duty and was ordered to give the animal light exercise. The gates not only went ajar, but flew wide open and when the artilleryman got around the corner he flew also. Free to the Grand "Loop" water station was where the astonished sentry made for. This morning the staff of "A" Battery were notified that one of their horses was found loose in a field at the G.T.R. over station, but the whereabouts of Johnston is at present unknown.

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**NEW RUSSIAN MINISTRY**  
 London, May 28.—The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent thinks that the immovability of a ministry under former Minister of Finance Shipoff is clearly indicated. On the anniversary of his coronation Sunday, the correspondent says Emperor Nicholas entertained a number of guests at Peterhof, including President of the Lower House of Parliament Mouroumoff.

**A NEW YORK MURDER MYSTERY.**  
 New York, May 27.—Under conditions that indicate that murder was committed the body of a young woman was found to-day on the Bronx shore of the Harlem River. The body was scantily clad and round the neck was a tightly fastened noose of cord. An autopsy showed that death probably was not due to drowning, but the condition of the body, which had evidently been in the water for several weeks, was such as to make it impossible to determine the precise cause of death. The body was that of a woman about 25 years of age.

**THE SEED GROWERS.**  
 Ottawa, May 26.—The annual convention of the Canadian Seed Growers Association has been fixed to be held at Ottawa on June 27th and 28th. The sessions will be conducted in the Canadian building, except that of the evening of the 27th, which will be given over to popular addresses by Hon. Sydney Fisher, Prof. Robertson of St. Anne de Bellevue, and possibly Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture for Saskatchewan. This will be the third annual session of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association. It will take in hand the consideration of matters connected with the raising and preserving the standard of seeds and grains grown on Canadian farms.

**KILLED BY LIGHTNING.**  
 Mobile, Ala., May 27.—During a ball game in an open field this afternoon a thunderstorm came up accompanied by vivid lightning, which struck in the midst of a crowd of spectators, instantly killing five persons and injuring about 25 others more or less seriously. The dead: Donald Touart, aged 21; Steven Touart, aged 9, sons of Steven J. Touart; Arthur Moody, aged 19; two negroes, John Green and Chas. Thomas. Seriously injured: John Yonkers, Fred Johnson. At least 20 others were shocked and knocked down by the stroke. They quickly recovered and were able to leave the scene. The field was strewn with bits of shoes and clothing from those who were killed or seriously injured and the bodies of the dead presented a terrible spectacle. A silver dollar taken from the pocket of one of the victims was melted on both sides.

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