

RICHIEU CO. EARNINGS ARE MUCH LARGER. At a meeting of the directors of the Richieu Co. held this morning, the announcement was made that since the opening of navigation until May 31, the earnings of the Richieu Co. have shown a material advance over the corresponding period in 1909.

MOLSONS BANK NEW CAPITAL TO BE ISSUED. Cable from London to-day makes statement that the Molsons Bank of Montreal is about to issue \$500,000 capital stock, which will be taken up at the rate of \$20 per share by the bank.

QUEBEC RY. MAKES GOOD PROGRESS --PARIS LISTING. Several of the officials and directors, resident in Quebec, of the Quebec Railway Light and Power Corporation, are in the city to-day.

NEW PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS FOR FLOUR CO. The announcement made in the 'Witness' yesterday regarding the construction of a new mill and elevator in this city by the recently organized St. Lawrence Flour Mills Company, was a matter for much interest and discussion among members on 'Change this morning.

BELL TELEPHONE EXTENDING ITS GREAT SYSTEM. Further extensions to the Bell Telephone Company's system, not only in Montreal, but throughout the province of Ontario, are being planned by the management. These are necessary in order to meet the growth in the company's business which has been so marked during the past few years.

'CANADIAN' WILL BE NAME OF DOM. STEEL & COAL. A Toronto despatch makes the announcement that an agreement has been reached between the representatives of the Dominion Steel & Coal Corporation and the officials of the Hamilton Steel & Iron Company, under the title of 'The Canadian Steel Corporation,' which the Hamilton company had decided upon, and which the Dominion Company now announces it will take.

Quebec Railway Higher Stock Market Firm. Active interchange of Quebec Railway shares this afternoon formed the staple of trading on the local stock market. Quebec reached to 44 1/2. News of the listing in Paris is expected early next week. Other issues were firm, though only moderately active.

Bank Clearings for Past Week Were Heavy. The Montreal Bank Clearings for the week ending to-day, show a further enlargement of the volume of money in circulation here.

To Double Track Line From Hamilton to Buffalo. Hamilton, June 9.—It was announced this morning that the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo line, between Hamilton and Buffalo, would be doubled tracked.

U.S. Government Bearing on American Securities. Canadian Issues Safest. In the opinion of Mr. Collins M. McCullagh, it would appear that a time has arrived in the history of the United States when the public appreciation of the government's policy is such that the government is not unlikely to lead to a heavy demand later to move the crops.

Ottawa Broker Failed With Heavy Liabilities --Statement Later. Ottawa, June 9.—The failure of W. E. Bagnall, broker, is announced to-day. The amount involved is said to be several thousand dollars, against which there are some assets. A definite statement is promised in a day or two.

Warm Weather Required to Insure Bumper Crops. Winnipeg, June 9.—Only a spell of warm weather is needed to ensure bumper crops in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. The recent cold spell did not affect the crops, and a large amount of rain has provided ample moisture for weeks to come.

Wheat Markets Easy --Grain Prices Nominal. Toronto, June 9.—The outside wheat markets were inclined to be easy this morning, in anticipation of the Government report, which is expected to show a pool were 3d lower, and caused a weakness on the opening at Chicago and Winnipeg.

AMONG THE MEMBERS-ON-CHANGE. Grain exporters on 'Change generally regard at United States Government report that the export of wheat is rapidly increasing.

Bank of England. London, June 9.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increased, £1,423,000. Circulation, decreased, £1,054,232.

New York Closed Firm. New York, June 9.—The stock exchange closed very firm but dull, with C. P. R. at 156 1/4, 'Sox, 138, Union Pacific, 117 1/4, Southern Pacific, 122, and Steel, 86 1/2.

Time Money Easier. New York, June 9.—Time money easier; rates, 3 to 3 1/2 percent for 60 days; 4 to 4 1/2 percent for 90 days; 4 1/2 to 5 percent for 120 days.

Imports Show Increase --Luxuries Loom Large. One of the most notable evidences of general prosperity in Canada is set forth in the import figures for the fiscal year ending April 30, which have just been issued by the Department of Customs.

Consols Very Strong. London, June 9.—Consols for account were very strong to-day at 82 3/16, and for account, 82 1/4.

Exportation of Fruit is Now Prohibited. Washington, June 9.—Official despatch from Manila, Nicaragua, and other states that the war is fast progressing, and that the exportation of fruit products has been prohibited and money exchange is rapidly increasing.

NO ACTION TAKEN. A meeting of directors of the American Agricultural Chemical Company, held at the company's headquarters in Montreal, to-day, resulted in no action being taken on matters reported forward at the meeting of directors.

WALL STREET COMMENT. New York, June 9.—The opening was quiet but failed to respond to the reduction in the Bank of England rate, and some stocks showed weakness from the list, notably Amalgamated Copper, which was affected by the liquidation in Rio Tinto abroad.

RAILWAYS HOLD FIRM. London, June 9.—Canadian Railways were quite firm to-day with Canadian Pacific at 101 1/2, and Grand Trunk Railway at 90 1/2.

COBALT SALES. Toronto, June 9.—Copper, 2900 at 27 1/2; 4000 at 28 1/2; future: Big Six, 1000 at 3 1/2; Buffalo, 2500 at 25 1/2; 5000 at 26 1/2; 10000 at 27 1/2.

CHICAGO MARKET. Messrs. J. B. Roche and Company, Bell Tel. 1-11, Chicago, report the following quotations in Chicago to-day: Wheat, 95 1/2; Corn, 58 1/2; Oats, 38 1/2; Pork, 38 1/2; Lard, 12 1/2; Sugar, 12 1/2.

MONTEAL STOCK EXCHANGE PRICES. Reported by W. P. O'Brien, St. Francois Xavier Street, Tel. Main 111.

NEW YORK STOCKS. Specially reported for the 'Witness' by C. D. Monk, Special St. Local Manager of J. S. Bechtel & Co., 100 Broadway, New York.

R. FORGET, Stock Broker, 83 Notre Dame Street West, Montreal. Paris Office: 60 Rue de Provence.

HANSON BROS. & CO. 101, 103, 105, 107, 109, 111, 113, 115, 117, 119, 121, 123, 125, 127, 129, 131, 133, 135, 137, 139, 141, 143, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, 159, 161, 163, 165, 167, 169, 171, 173, 175, 177, 179, 181, 183, 185, 187, 189, 191, 193, 195, 197, 199, 201, 203, 205, 207, 209, 211, 213, 215, 217, 219, 221, 223, 225, 227, 229, 231, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, 247, 249, 251, 253, 255, 257, 259, 261, 263, 265, 267, 269, 271, 273, 275, 277, 279, 281, 283, 285, 287, 289, 291, 293, 295, 297, 299, 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 311, 313, 315, 317, 319, 321, 323, 325, 327, 329, 331, 333, 335, 337, 339, 341, 343, 345, 347, 349, 351, 353, 355, 357, 359, 361, 363, 365, 367, 369, 371, 373, 375, 377, 379, 381, 383, 385, 387, 389, 391, 393, 395, 397, 399, 401, 403, 405, 407, 409, 411, 413, 415, 417, 419, 421, 423, 425, 427, 429, 431, 433, 435, 437, 439, 441, 443, 445, 447, 449, 451, 453, 455, 457, 459, 461, 463, 465, 467, 469, 471, 473, 475, 477, 479, 481, 483, 485, 487, 489, 491, 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Weekly Calendar. DOMINION PARK TO-DAY Benefit for the Victorian Order of Nurses SPECIAL FREE ATTRACTIONS. ADMISSION 10c.

Y.M.C.A. Twice daily, 2.30 and 5 p.m. Two Hours of Music, Songs and DANCING. Special, THIS WEEK, 'The Song of the Sea'.

Art Association. GALLERIES OF PAINTINGS, SCULPTURE, &c. Open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. ADMISSION 25c.

POSTPONED Until SATURDAY, July 9th. GRAND UNION PICNIC of the Mount-street West End and Edouard-avenue schools.

DOMINION STEEL & COAL CORPORATION, LIMITED Notice to Shareholders.

Notice is hereby given that the first Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the DOMINION STEEL AND COAL CORPORATION, LIMITED, will be held at No. 185 St. James Street, Montreal, on Friday, the 17th June, 1910, at 11 o'clock a.m.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MAILS. To be closed at this office during the week ending June 11, 1910.

MR. CRATHERN'S BEQUESTS

General Hospital Gets \$125,000, Besides \$25,000 Already Donated. OTHER CHARITIES BENEFIT.

In addition to the sum of \$25,000 already donated, the Montreal General Hospital comes in for the handsome bequest of \$125,000 under the will of the late Mr. James Crathern.

MUST BECOME MEMBER. Hamilton, June 9.—The Niagara Synod concluded its two days' session yesterday afternoon.

The Daily Witness OFFICES: CORNER CRAIG AND ST. PETER STREETS. TELEPHONES: ADVERTISING AND SUBSCRIPTION DEPARTMENT, MAIN 4096.

Postage included for Canada (Montreal and suburbs), New York, London and the British Isles; also for Barbados, Guyana, Surinam, Guiana, British Honduras, British North Borneo, Ceylon, Cyprus, Falkland Islands, Fiji, Gambia, Gibraltar, Hongkong, Jamaica, Leeward Islands, Malta, Mauritius, New Zealand, Northern Nigeria, Orange Free State, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Transvaal, Trinidad, Tobago, Turkey, Island and Zanzibar.

While the publishers of the 'Witness' exclude from its columns all financial and other advertisements which they consider calculated to injure the reader, they guarantee advertisements which they guarantee to exercise their own discretion in the matter of publication.

Table with columns for days of the week (S, M, T, W, T, F, S) and rows for different rates or categories.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1910.

It will give many citizens who have not shared in its labor a comfortable feeling when they learn that the Citizens' Association is 'taking notes' about the candidates to be selected for the City Council in the eight new wards recently annexed.

The interesting fact that the 'Image' is formed in the focus of a paraboloidal reflector, and that a similar instrument is called the 'omniscopic'.

Canada's Temperance. (Canadian Associated Press.) Glasgow, June 9.—At the World's Temperance Convention, the membership in Canada was 12,000, and for a country where liquor is so prevalent there were 12,000 abstemious.

EXCLUDED AND ADMITTED. One immigrant family in England has been made happy owing to the efforts of the 'Westminster Gazette'.

Students Coming. London, June 9.—The touring party of university men, who are about to proceed to Canada and the United States, will be met at the Students' Travelling Bureau, Liverpool on June 21st.

Fireman's Funeral. The funeral of Louis Philippe Camire, fireman, was held this morning at 10 o'clock.

Ascended Mount McKinley. Fairbanks, Alaska, June 9.—Pete Anderson, W. R. Taylor and Chas. McGonigle, who were with Tom Lloyd when he reached the summit of Mount McKinley on April 3, arrived at Fairbanks yesterday.

Conference Closes. Trenton, Ont., June 9.—The work of the Bay of Quinte Methodist Conference took the members into the midnight hours, but they were determined to complete the labor.

Fatal Fall from Balcony. This morning, at 9 o'clock, in the General Hospital, Hyman Pemitzky, who while at work fell from a balcony of the house at 21 Vallee street, died.

IS ELECTED BISHOP. Rev. W. S. De Pencier, Vancouver, Has Been Chosen by Anglican Synod.

Libel from London. 'Leader' Strongly Criticizes Falseness Regarding King's Death.

Chief Campeau Imposes Extra Duty on Men Who Made Mistake.

Lambert Arrested. Constables Waited Quietly and Took No Risks of Being Shot.

Opposes Standard Oil. Austria to Protect Petroleum Industry from Monopoly.

Praised the Post-Office. Mr. George Hadrill, of the Board of Trade, has in a letter to Mr. L. G. Gabor, postmaster general, expressed appreciation of the recent quickening of the delivery service.

Honor for Kaiser. Berlin, June 9.—The Emperor William has received an autograph letter from President Diaz of Mexico, asking him to accept the grand cordon of the newly instituted Order of the Mexican Eagle.

Mr. Henry Miles Back. Says Canadian Delegates Were Well Treated at Late King's Funeral.

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Funeral is to be Public. Arrangements for Obsequies of Dr. Goldwin Smith Concluded.

Sir James Whitney to Attend. Service Will be Held in Convocation Hall for Late Prominent Scholar.

Scandal in Japan. Forgery of Emperor's Seal Discovered and Arrests Made.

The Late Mr. Crathern. The Board of Management of the Montreal Protestant House of Industry and Refuge has passed a resolution expressing the sense of loss which the board and the members of the institution, and his time and money had ever been in its service.

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For the First Friday of Our Summer Sale—Values Extraordinary

Exceedingly Fine Hosiery

3 Pairs for \$1.25
But Worth Twice or Three Times As Much

It is a special purchase of the very highest class of hosiery. The quality of these stockings makes the price, high as it seems, simply unique by its lowness. Indeed, it is questionable if a quality so high were ever offered here at a price so low. It simply means two or three pairs for the price of one.

- Heavy raised embroidered designs seldom, if ever, shown at a bargain price before;
- Colored embroidery and drop stitch combined in the one pattern;
- Rosebud designs;
- Net and lace effects;
- Rich black embroidery effects;
- Black with white;
- Tan and black embroidery effects;
- Black with pink;
- Fancies in grey, green, navy, champagne.

What we mean by fancy patterns is plain ground with checks, stripes, novelty designs, plain and broken plaids; combinations of embroidery with checks and plaids—plain tops with fancy ankles—plain ankles with fancy tops. There are also

- Silk embroidered effects in two and three tones;
- Eyelet embroidery and lace combinations;
- Lace and small silk embroidered designs.

Some of the Colors—

White	Sky	Garnet
Pink	Mode	Grey
Wine	Navy	Heliotrope
Pearl	Nile Green	Taupe
Apricot	Champagne	Wisteria
Cardinal	Dark Moss	Purple
Black	Brown	Chocolate

2,500 pairs, all new, and all supremely fine quality of lisle and silk lisle, placed on sale Friday at... 3 pairs for \$1.25

Heavy Taffeta Ribbon, .15 Yard

2,500 yards of heavy taffeta ribbon, 5 and 6 inches wide; pure silk; every yard fresh and beautifully finished; colors—sky blue, pink, wisteria, old rose, copenhagen, white, black, grey, green, red and navy. 2,500 yards at, per yard... .15

WASH RIBBONS THAT WASH

9,000 yards in sky, pink, mauve and white; cut into lengths and sold for—

6 yards for	.13
6 yards for	.18
5 yards for	.19
3 yards for	.13

according to the width.

Men's Socks 3 Pairs for .50

250 pairs cotton and lisle, black and colored. 600 pairs fine plain lisle, also fancy lisle; others with silk embroidery patterns; 25 colors; per pair... .25 500 pairs of children's socks, 3 pairs for .50 Two-thread lisle; guaranteed fast colors; neat patterns; all sizes from 4 1/2 to 8.

The Last of These Most Excellent Cotton Voiles

Owing to the run on those .25, .30, .35 and .45 qualities of new cotton voiles which we have been selling at .15, we have been compelled to take out the window display of them before the appointed time, and we sound a warning to all who want a dress length not to put its selection off later than Friday.

The patterns of these voiles, you should know, are woven in, not printed, and the styles of the designs are simply beautiful.

FANCY BRAIDS .5 and .10 Yard

1,600 yards of edging, 3/4-inch wide, and 725 yards of straight edged braid, 3/4-inch wide; worth .15, .20 and .25 yard; for, per yard... .05

The colors are fawn, green, navy, black with paisley pattern; pale blue with champagne; grey and silver; black and silver; white and persian; brown and gold; green and gold; wisteria and gold. All perfectly new and worth .15, .20 and .25; for, per yard... .05

Also Wider widths up to 1 1/2 inches, all colors except black, per yard... .10

Neckwear

Hundreds of hunting stocks, some are white, some are white and sky, some white and mauve, some white and tan, some white and pink; were special at .25. June sale price... .15

Pleated Dutch collars, beautified by cream Valenciennes lace, red, cream, green or Paisley braid; value .35; sold special at .25 and .19. June sale price... .10

Boys' knitted silk ties, each in striped pattern of two colors; were special at .19. June sale price, Friday... .15

Dutch collars in spotted muslin with wide insertion of white Valenciennes lace. Special... .20

The Balance of All Our \$13.50 Repp Suits CLEARING AT \$8.95 Each

- Made from the best American Repp;
- New York's own cut and design;
- A perfect tailored effect in everyone;
- Long shawl collar, turn-over cuffs and trimmed with strappings;
- Seven different colors and shades;
- Sizes for misses 16, 18 and 20 years of age;
- Ladies' sizes 34 to 40 all represented;
- Every suit bought to sell at \$13.50 this season;
- June sale price... \$8.95

Underwear and Apron Sections

Combinations A decided clearance of .50, .65 and .75 lines of ladies' lisle thread combinations at... .39

Aprons Print overall aprons in both light and dark shades of washable print. June sale price... .59 White tea aprons, with hemstitched frill of same material; special at... .29

Tan Oxfords

Will be the feature in our shoe sale again to-morrow—New ones—Splendid in shape, style and make. Same price... \$1.95

Women's Lisle Gloves .25

150 pairs lisle thread gloves, champagne shade; these have broad stitching on the back; per pair... .25

Millinery Flowers

Six hundred sprays of millinery flowers, worth .75, \$1.00, \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.50, including those marked, up to now, at .79; clearing finally, if possible, on Friday at... .39

33 1/3% Off Children's Coats

Practically all the remainder of coats and little reefers in our baby-wear and girls' outfitting department for girls from 2 to 14 years, are being offered at... 33 1/3% discount

Toilet Requisites Special

500 sponges of all sizes, both fine and coarse, and worth from .10 to \$1.25; special for Friday, each... .05 100 bottles liquid soap, worth .19 bottle; Friday, each... .19 or 2 for... .25

Jewellery

Gold filled lockets with small pearl in centre; special at .98 A large assortment of beauty pins; bought at a special price; exceptionally good value at... .25

Embroidered Corset Coverings As Low as They Can Be

Here is one case where the June sale cannot bring down the price, for the price was at rock bottom before the sale began. We refer to our embroidered dimity check nainsook and muslin corset coverings which we are selling special at, per yard... .25

BAGS

Worth .35, .50, .75, .98, \$1.25, \$1.38 and \$1.50. Friday... .29 100 Bags, Ladies' Misses' and Children's sizes. Leather and Beaded in various colors, besides black. Values .35, .50, .75, .98, \$1.25, \$1.38 and \$1.50. Friday, each... .29

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Waists Sold Special at \$1.69 Clearing Friday At .89

500 Summer waists, both lingerie and tailored, and all particularly fine; some beautifully embroidered; some very attractively trimmed with lace insertion and tucks; some almost all-over embroidered; others with scalloped edge; all of the higher order of inexpensive summer blouses, dainty, fine, really fine, summery and well made—everyone of them.

Valued conservatively at \$2.00 and \$2.50; sold special at \$1.69; June sale price, Friday... .89

(All sizes in the lot as a whole, but not all sizes in each one of the styles.)

\$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10 & \$12.50 HATS, \$3.50 Each

It is a clearance of our own excellent styles of trimmed millinery.

One hundred hats and no two alike. The mounts and trimmings alone are worth more in many cases than the sale price of these hats complete... \$3.50

Your choice of black, white, tuscan, navy and colored hats, in small, medium and large styles.

6,000 Handkerchiefs All New 5 Cents Each

A novelty make of children's and misses' handkerchiefs, suitable also for grown folks' use in the country.

Made from fine white lawn, neatly hemstitched with fancy border of raised imitation embroidery in either white or colored patterns.

We regard the value such that we expect to sell the whole 6,000 this week-end at, each... .05

Children's Parasols

300 parasols for children at, each... .25 These are just received from the factory; finished with nice frill and plain wooden handle.

Parasols for Women

175 parasols in fancy and plain silk, linen and cotton. The very newest things we have received from England; offered Friday at, each... \$1.98 New handles; new designs; new make up and new colors.

White Cottons

1,000 yards white cotton, 36 inches, value .12; for... .08 1/2 5,000 yards white longcloth, 36 inches, value .12 1/2; for... .09 1/2 4,000 yards white cotton, 36 inches, value .15; for... .12 1/2 5,000 yards "Queen's Own," 36 inches, value .20; for... .16 3,000 yards Spanish longcloth, 36 inches, value .22; for... .18 1,000 yards Madapolam, 36 inches, value .18; for... .12 1/2 2,000 yards Madapolam, 36 inches, value .15; for... .11 1/2 1,000 yards Twill cotton, 36 inches, value .18; for... .15 2,000 yards grey cotton, 40 inches, value .15; for... .12

Sale of Table Cloths and Napkins At HALF PRICE

These tablecloths and napkins represent a lot of slightly soiled ones and a comparatively small number of seconds; but they are all pure linen.

2 x 2 yard cloths, worth \$3.50; for \$1.75
2 x 2 1/2 yard cloths, worth 3.50; for 1.75
2 x 2 1/2 yard cloths, worth 4.00; for 2.00
2 x 2 1/2 yard cloths, worth 4.75; for 2.38
2 x 2 1/2 yard cloths, worth 5.00; for 2.50
2 x 2 1/2 yard cloths, worth 8.00; for 4.00
2 x 3 yard cloths, worth 4.00; for 2.00
2 x 3 yard cloths, worth 4.75; for 2.38
2 x 3 yard cloths, worth 6.50; for 3.25
2 x 3 yard cloths, worth 8.00; for 4.00
2 1/2 x 3 yard cloths, worth 8.00; for 4.00
22-inch napkins, worth \$2.25; for.. 1.75
22-inch napkins, worth 2.75; for.. 1.98

Samples Half Price

Samples of embroidered linen Bed Spreads, Shams, Scarfs, Tea Cloths, Night Dress Cases, Laundry Bags, Doilies, Pillow Cases, Friday... Half Price

The embroidered Bed Spreads are extra large 2 1/2 x 3 yards. 10 dozens all linen huck towels, slightly soiled, less 25%.

Sheets

2 x 2 1/2 Sheets, fully bleached, hemmed and hemstitched, \$2.25 quality; for \$1.95
2 1/4 x 2 1/2 Sheets, hemstitched, \$2.50 quality; for... 2.25
2 1/2 x 2 1/2 Sheets, hemstitched, \$3.00 quality; for... 2.49
100 Pairs pillow cases, 40 and 44 ins., 40 quality; for... .25
2 x 2 1/2 Linen finished sheets, \$2.50 quality; for... 2.15
2 1/4 x 2 3/4 Linen finished sheets, \$3.25 quality; for... 2.75
45-53 Hemstitched pillow cases to match, .70 quality; for... .59

Pillow Cases Extra Special

Hemstitched pillow cases, 40, 44 and 46-inch sizes, made from fine heavy quality cotton; extra special, per pair... .39

Fancy Notions

Odd pieces of Battenberg braids (lengths from 3 yards per piece to 10 yards). Three widths; price from .01 to .10 per yard; clearing at, per dozen yards... .05
Odd shades in "Art Silks" for embroidery work; price per skein, .05; clearing at, per dozen skeins... .05
Odd shades of Beldings or Corticelli Filo and Roman Floss and Twisted Embroidery; price .04 and .05 skein; clearing at, per dozen skeins... .05
Large sized linen bags in pale blue, white and tan; price, each, .25; Friday... .19
Tapestry cushion tops in twelve good designs; value .25 and .35 each; Friday... .2 for
Four only, silk piano drapes, prettily embroidered; 1 yellow, 1 white, 2 green; price, each, \$9.00; Friday, each... 2.48
36 only, white linen centre pieces; good quality and nice designs; price, each, .35; Friday, each... .19

LUNCH ROOM SERVICE

BREAKFAST from 7.45 to 9.30. (Ten different menus, 25 cents to 50 cents.)
LUNCHEON from 12.00 to 2.00 p.m. (Full course, 35 cents.)
SHOPPERS—Special Afternoon Tea. (3.00 to 5.30 p.m., 25 cents.)
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THEOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY

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ALBERTA GALICIAN SCHOOL.

Dr. C. W. Gordon Declares Colleges Are Not Supplying Enough Men.

Hallifax, June 9.—The Presbyterian General Assembly yesterday decided to establish a theological college at Edmonton, and authorized the creation of a fund for a Galician school in Alberta.

Dr. C. W. Gordon told the theological colleges that in not supplying more men for the mission fields they are neglecting their duty. They should take steps to find more men for the ministry.

At the evening session moral reform evangelism and systematic beneficence were discussed and resolutions based thereon were adopted. The Assembly will conclude to-night.

At the morning session thirteen ministers from other churches were received. Their names are: The Rev. G. J. Logan, Pictou, Congregational; the Rev. A. F. Thompson, Truro, Presbyterian; the Rev. W. B. Muir, Halifax, Presbyterian; the Rev. F. A. Richards, Montreal, Congregational; the Rev. J. A. Hiltz, Kingston, Baptist; the Rev. John Bradford, Toronto, Presbyterian; the Rev. John MacKerrel, Assiniboia, Presbyterian; the Rev. M. Rollo, Brandon, Presbyterian; the Rev. S. P. Rondeau, Regina, Congregational; the Rev. Geo. Jac, Battleford, Presbyterian; the Rev. Elmer E. Hench, Calgary, Presbyterian; the Rev. A. J. B. Back, Toronto, Reformed Episcopal; the Rev. L. R. Burrows, Sydney, Presbyterian.

An advance in the evolution of home mission work was in granting to the synods practical autonomy in the business within their bounds.

Dr. E. D. McLaren introduced the home mission report. One important matter was appointment of the Rev. J. A. MacFarlane, Point Lewis, to be synod superintendent of home mission for one year, at a salary of \$2,000 per annum.

The Moderator stated that two telegrams had come from strange lodges asking the Assembly to protest against changes in the coronation oath. He had referred to the committee on seals and overtures, which now asks that it be sent to a special committee.

"If I had my own way with it I would lay it on the table for a year," said the Moderator. Dr. D. D. McLeod, of Barrie, opposed doing anything about the matter. It would only be introducing political questions into the Assembly. The house called for a committee, however, and the Moderator said he would name them as follows: Dr. J. F. McLaren, Dr. D. McLeod, Dr. Turnbull, Dr. Sedgwick, Walter Paul, and Paul Lyle.

Dr. C. W. Gordon made an appeal for a committee to devise means for securing more men for the mission fields in the West, and he attacked

the methods of the theological colleges. In the next five years, he said, we will need from 800 to 1,000 more men to overtake the work in the West if we are not to fall down before it. This year we are getting only fifty-seven men out of the colleges and not one of them for the West, needing 250 men this year, and with 1,200 vacant posts. Dr. Gordon told the Assembly that he considers this the most solemn thing before the Assembly.

ATTACKS CURRICULUM.

Dr. Gordon proceeded to attack the curriculum of the colleges. Latin and Greek and Hebrew were important, but a more important thing was the preaching of the Gospel.

The Rev. Dr. Geo. Arthur, in an address, asked for a scheme of education among the Galicians, of whom there are 50,000 in Alberta. The church's efforts in this respect need strengthening. The plan he outlined was endorsed by the Synod of Alberta, and he asked that the Assembly approve of it, and authorize the raising of money to finance it. Five thousand dollars would be needed at the start.

Mr. G. A. Sutherland, of Nova Scotia, seconded the motion, which was carried.

Rev. Dr. Ramsay, of Ottawa, replied on behalf of the supporters of Church union to the reason for dissent. He said: There are statements made regarding the incompetence of the Assembly to do as she proposed, but no proof is offered. It is inaccurate to say that the Assembly has no authority. The Moderator took great pains to make it clear to the house. The procedure has been legal at every step, and no advantage has been taken of the people.

Dr. E. Scott, of Montreal, objected to the assertions made by Dr. Ramsay alleging that they contained errors in fact. There are statements made proving this. The matter then dropped.

"Moral reform was the subject at the evening session. Dr. Shearer presented the report as convened. Rev. R. G. McBeth, of Paris, Ont., made a strong speech on the various subjects embodied in the report and moved their adoption.

Rev. Rodolphe Lemieux was commended for closing the corridors of the post office on Sunday. The Assembly declares that it cannot rest satisfied while the criminal code legalizes the vice of gambling, which debases thousands of lives.

The report on evangelism was presented by the Rev. Dr. C. W. Gordon, seconded by Mr. Geo. E. Ross. The systematic beneficence report, and that on the Laymen's Mission Movement, R. G. McBeth, of Paris, Ont., will be finished late to-night.

THE CANADIAN SEIGNEUR.

The lecture on "The Canadian Seigneur and Nobleman," which was to have been delivered by Dr. Gregor in the Royal Victoria College on Tuesday last, will be given to-morrow at 5 p.m., and the next lecture, which will be on the "Rebellion of 1837-38," will be delivered in the same place at the same hour on Friday the 17th inst. These lectures will be delivered in French.

WORKINGMEN'S HOMES.

Toronto, June 9.—The Home Building Company, of Calgary, have purchased from Robins, Limited, 1,600 feet of the Ashbridge Estate, and will build workingmen's homes. The amount paid was \$30,000. Building operations will commence shortly.

OUTREMONT BONDS

Council Seek Tenders for \$200,000 Issue.

The town council of Outremont last night decided to advertise for tenders for \$200,000 worth of bonds, which they propose to issue to obtain money for street improvements.

Contracts to the value of \$40,000 were let for new sewers, Mr. Wm. Duquette being given the whole work, he being the lowest tenderer. In all, about 10,000 yards of sewers will be laid, on Van Horne street, Wiseman street, and Durocher street, the amount to be expended being \$11,700, \$13,983, and \$14,812 respectively.

The third reading was given to the by-law by which a commission will be appointed to take charge of the sinking fund of the town.

Plans for the new municipal sheds and workshops, which it is proposed to erect on St. Juste street, were examined, but left over.

DENTAL EXAMINATIONS.

Successful Candidates at McGill Announced.

Results of examinations in the dental department were announced at McGill yesterday.

The following passed in all subjects of the first year, comprising histology, anatomy, physics, practical chemistry, inorganic chemistry, botany, zoology, and bacteriology: Boyce, W. E.; Dalpe, W. G.; Gross, H. S.; Wathen, J. McK.

HONORS.

Physics—1, Dalpe, W. G.; 2, Wathen, J. McK.
Practical chemistry—Dalpe, W. G.
In addition to the above the following have passed in—
Histology—Solomon, A. S.
Anatomy—Scott, W. E.; Solomon, A. S.
Practical chemistry—Scott, W. E.; Solomon, A. S.
Inorganic chemistry—Solomon, A. S.

The following gentlemen have passed in all subjects of the second year, as follows: Pharmacy, histology, anatomy, physiology, organic chemistry, dental histology and dental anatomy: Gilmartin, J.; Lightstone, B.; McDowell, D. S. H.; Strang, A. McD.

HONORS.

Histology—Strang, A. McD.
Organic chemistry—Strang, A. McD.; 2, Lightstone, B.
Dental histology—1, Strang, A. McD.; 2, Lightstone, B.; 3, Boyce, W. E.
Dental anatomy—1, Boyce, W. E.; 2, Lightstone, B.; 3, Strang, A. McD.
In addition to the above the following have passed in—
Pharmacy—Gold, Maxwell; Boyce, W. E.
Histology—Boyce, W. E.; Gold, Maxwell.
Anatomy—Kennedy, F. W.
Physiology—Boyce, W. E.; Kennedy, F. W.
Organic chemistry—Boyce, W. E.
Dental histology—Boyce, W. E.; Gold, Maxwell.
Dental anatomy—Boyce, W. E.; Gold, Maxwell.

NEW DETECTIVES.

On the recommendation of Chief Campeau, the Board of Control yesterday approved of the appointment of Sergeant Charland and Constable Beauchamp as detectives. They will be assigned to their new duties to-day. Charland has been a member of the police force for eight years, and Beauchamp for six years.

MONTREAL CONFERENCE

Concluded Annual Sessions at Brockville Last Evening.

THE FINAL DRAFT.

The General Conference Memorialized to Compile a New Hymn Book.

Brockville, June 9.—The Montreal Conference concluded last evening with the presentation of the final draft of ministers and stations and the election of district chairmen and secretaries. Most of the other business had been completed by noon. The stationing committee had been in session most of yesterday and Tuesday arranging the details that were awaiting their attention after the first transfer list had been drafted.

THE FINAL DRAFT.

The following appointments were announced in the final draft, issued at six o'clock, some being changes from the first draft and others entirely new transfers:

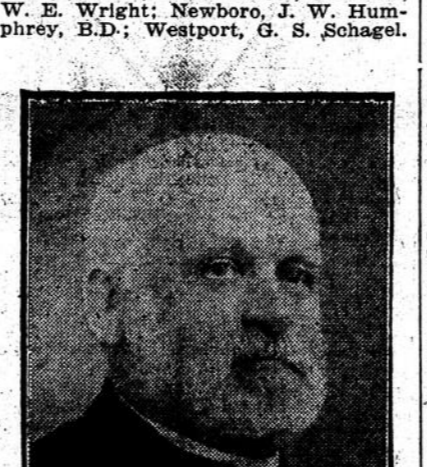
Montreal, north district—East End, T. A. Halpenny, B.A.; Huntley street,



THE REV. T. A. HALPENNY, B.A.

to be supplied: All People's Mission, C. S. Laidman, St. Paulin, Charles A. Mullin; Lakefield, W. E. Lewis.
Montreal, south district—Lachine, Johnson Seiler; Hudson, J. G. Fulcher, S.T.L.; Kensington, E. D. Mitchell; Odelltown and Lacolle, A. E. Sanderson, S.T.L.; E. S. Howard, superintendent.

Matilda district—Inkerman, L. Conley; Winchester Springs, S. F. Newton.
Brockville district—Prescott, A. E. Wunnells, B.D.; Addison, W. W. Weese; Delhi, D. D. Elliott; Portland, W. E. Wright; Newboro, J. W. Humphrey, B.D.; Westport, G. S. Schaefer.



THE REV. H. A. YOUNG.

Kingston district—Gananoque East, F. Horton.
Perth district—Lanark and Clayton, J. Robinson; Q. A. Campbell; Maberly, C. W. Hollingsworth.
Pembroke district—Locksley, G. N. Maxwell; Beachburg, G. Mossoy; Cobden, D. A. Lough; Clinton, C. Barnard; W. Sagar; Portage du Fort, C. Allum.
Ottawa district—Ottawa South, C. S. Desprose (president of conference); James Lawson and F. C. Reynolds, superannuated; A. Yimer, Elwood Lawson; Eardley, J. A.; Vaughan; Carp, F. G. Robinson, B.D.; Diamond, R. W. Street; North Gower, J. H. Murray; Hammond, to be supplied; Point Fortne, to be supplied; Pickanock, to be supplied.

Quebec district—Richmond, H. W. Burnett, B.D.; Birchton, Thomas Hancock, S.T.L.; East Angus, W. R. Johnston, S.T.L.; Maribton, Thomas Knowles; Theford Mines, G. W. Runnells, B.A.
Stanstead district—East Bolton, Eric McLaren; South Stukely, F. J. Hayden; Knowlton, G. C. Wood; Bromie, M. Brundage; Farnham, T. C. Brown.

The election of chairmen and secretaries of districts resulted as follows: Quebec district—Chairman, Dr. Young; financial secretary, G. I. Campbell; Sunday-school secretary, T. A. Halpenny.
Perth district—South—W. Timberlake; chairman; R. Corrigan, financial secretary; A. E. Pates, Sunday-school secretary.
Kingston district—Wm. Philp, chairman; John Webster, financial secretary; H. S. Osborne, Sunday-school secretary.
Brockville district—Dr. W. H. Sparling, chairman; F. H. Read, financial secretary; George Stafford, Sunday-school secretary.
Kingston district—J. T. Pitcher, chairman; Thos. E. Burke, financial secretary; T. A. Sproule, Sunday-school secretary.
Perth district—S. J. Hughes, chairman; W. T. Keough, financial secretary; J. H. Miller, Sunday-school secretary.
Pembroke district—Melvin Taylor, chairman; Jno. D. Ellis, financial secretary; Geo. A. McInosh, Sunday-school secretary.
Ottawa district—C. S. Desprose, chairman; Geo. S. Clendennin, financial secretary; E. W. Thompson, Sunday-school secretary.
Quebec district—Walter S. Lennon, chairman; W. T. G. Brown, financial secretary; Paul Pergau, Sunday-school secretary.
Stanstead district—W. S. Jamieson, chairman; W. T. Smith, financial secretary; J. H. Fisher, Sunday-school secretary.
Waterloo district—D. T. Cummings, chairman; Jas. Pieltz, financial secre-

tary; A. T. Jones, Sunday-school secretary; A. H. Hymnal.

A report was received from the committee appointed a year ago to prepare a memorial to be forwarded to the General Conference concerning the issuance of a new hymnal. It found that more than one hundred hymns in the hymnal other than those of the Methodist church throughout the world are absent from the hymnal now in use of the church. The report memorialized the General Conference.

That before the end of the third year in the coming quadrennium a new hymn book shall be compiled and issued.

That a representative committee be appointed to have charge of the selection, editing and arranging of the hymns and tunes for use in the new hymnal.

That instructions be given to this committee to take a plebiscite of the whole church requesting the people to mark the favorite hymns and tunes in the hymn book now in use and to suggest any new hymns and tunes to be found elsewhere.

The report was adopted.

A committee was appointed to wait on the Minister of Militia during the coming year with a view to establishing a permanent spiritual home for Methodists during the camps at Petawawa.

Conference occurred in the memorial from Montreal district north, that each quarterly board send to district meeting a list of lay members who would attend conference from which list the delegates will be accepted.

The conference occurred in the recommendation of the Lay Association of Montreal, that there be an increase in the salaries of ministers.

A memorial from the Perth district, presented by the Rev. E. Thomas, and seconded by the Rev. J. Wood, was endorsed, recommending the General Conference to take steps for the organization and direction of a staff of comradely evangelists who shall correlate the work of social and moral reform with the historic evangelistic message of Methodism with a view to the permeation of the entire life of the twentieth century with the spirit of the cross.

The following were appointed a conference evangelistic committee: G. E. Bland, H. S. Osborne, W. T. Halpenny.

The following were made executive of the Sunday-school committee: P. A. Halpenny, J. H. Miller, L. H. Fisher, T. F. Harrison, R. W. Dillon, Sabbath observance, John Webster, E. Johnston, P. E. Sisk, well; representatives to the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance, Jas. Lawson, Ottawa, and N. G. Acton, Almonte.

HAUNTED SHIP

Parrot Responsible for Groans Attributed to Ghosts.

A ship in harbor is haunted. One of the "Southark's" crew swears to it. Others attacked officially to the vessel says "Paddy," the parrot passenger, was author of the groans and noises heard on the trip out.

The "Southark" arrived with a heavy passenger list yesterday. Mrs. J. Henderson, who made the trip from the third class, assures that she heard a sigh of relief went up from the "Southark's" crew.

One of the third-class passengers, an Englishman, and according to maritime law, was buried at sea, with Christian ceremony. That happened the third day out from the Clyde. On the night following, Paddy the parrot, who had hitherto been silent, uttered a peevish groan, and then shrieked of awesome character. Of course it was apparent to the butcher, who had charge of the fowl, that Paddy was merely recovering from the fright of the burial at sea voyage. But the weird sounds conveyed a different meaning to the third class passengers, and members of the crew, who did not know Paddy was on board. They immediately coupled the ayen shrieks with the death of the unfortunate passenger. "Finally explanations were given, but the general air of uneasiness was only dispelled when the "Southark" touched Montreal, and the port opened immigration and customs officers.

MARRIAGE UNIFICATION.

Anglican Synod Seeks Revision of Laws in Provinces.

Ottawa, June 9.—The Rev. J. F. Gorman (Grace Church), seconded by the Rev. Geo. Bousfield (St. Margaret's), presented the following note of motion to the Anglican Synod yesterday:

"That whereas the differences in provincial law with reference to the question of marriage have tended to the confusion, and have in the province of Quebec, where marriages between Roman Catholics and non-Roman Catholics have been dissolved, both by the civil and ecclesiastical authorities, other than statutory grounds, given rise to a grave consideration of things subversive of the sacredness of the marriage bond, and that, in the meantime, His Grace the Archbishop be requested to appoint a committee of four, two clerical and two lay, to examine thoroughly into this matter, to collect data, and to confer with any other religious bodies interested in this question with a view to securing united and harmonious action; the committee to report at next session of Synod."

CHAMBRE DE COMMERCE.

DELEGATES TO CONGRESS IN LONDON.

At the meeting of the Chambre de Commerce yesterday afternoon, on the motion of Mr. G. H. Castell, seconded by Mr. Damase Masson, the following were selected as delegates to the International Congress of Chambers of Commerce, to be held in London, on June 21st: Mr. O. S. Perrault, president; Mr. L. E. Geoffroy and Mr. Thomas Cote. The two latter are already in Europe, and Mr. Perrault leaves to-day on the "Royal George."

MOVING PICTURE TAX.

Action for Failing to Pay Dismissed by Judge Bazin.

The action of the city against Theoret and Oswald, Bastien, for having conducted a moving picture show at 65 St. Catherine street east without having paid the tax of \$500, was dismissed by Judge Bazin, in the Recorder's Court yesterday. Last year the tax on the moving picture shows was increased from \$50 to \$500, and it was through the wording of the new law that the city was defeated. The old law read: "A tax of \$50 on all persons giving exhibitions of animated or other views," and the new law that came into force at the beginning of the present year reads: "A special tax not exceeding \$500 on every concert hall or hall for theatrical representations or for the exhibition of moving pictures."

Judge Bazin held that while the word "persons" was mentioned in the old law the new law did not do so, and as the defendants were not the proprietors of the building they were not the proper party to proceed against.

LOST LIFE ON VESUVIUS.

Naples, June 9.—J. A. Sillon, of San Francisco, met Sunday last yesterday on Mount Vesuvius. He had climbed up the mountain, which had been quiet for some time, and was engaged in a fissure, which was emitting sulphuric gas. He was overcome by the fumes and died almost instantly.

\$250,000 FOR UNION.

Toronto, June 9.—It is announced that if Trinity and Wycliffe Universities, two Anglican institutions, will contribute \$250,000 toward a new building for their work. Committees of these institutions have held several meetings without conclusion of any nature.

CRUELTY OF INSURGENTS

Mexican Massacred Residents of Valladolid and Sacked Town.

TROOPS MARCHING TO SCENE Cause of Outbreak is Not Decided But Rebels Show Organization.

LEGISLATIVE CRAZE

Railroad President Speaks Strongly of Government Regulation.

Binghamton, N.Y., June 9.—President Fred D. Underwood, of the Erie Railway, the principal speaker at the annual dinner of the Binghamton Chamber of Commerce, yesterday spoke about government regulation of public utilities and the legislative craze. He said in part:

"There should be a government supervision of railroads. It should be impossible for anyone to exploit railway securities, as was done in the early days of their construction; and while it is necessary to have authority in the matter of investments to an incomparable extent with the knowledge of the subject during the early history of the country, it is wise to have authority to exercise guardianship over the issuance of bonds, stocks and other securities. It is also wise to have a referee in case of dispute, but it is unwise and unnecessary to have any authority but the state or federal government exercise a constant espionage over railroads. Doing business by law is unhealthful.

"We do not require forty-six legislatures to frame embarrassing laws for the restraint of railroads—untrial legislation put out through motives of malice, ignorance and fanaticism.

"My opinion is that we are on the wrong track. We are following the heathen custom of looking to our rulers for help when the help rests upon ourselves. Put the honest business men in office and you will have no bad laws. Put theorists and faddists in office and you will have the spectacle of a legislature passing a thousand bills of regulation, aimed at the second largest industry in the world, and its attendant panic and confusion."

THE CIVIC ELECTIONS.

Citizens' Association Will Give Moral Support to Approved Candidates.

Realizing that the eight new aldermen, who on July 4th will be elected to represent the eight new wards, may do much to aid or hinder the Board of Control in their work, the Citizens' Association will give moral support to what part they will take in the campaign. The general opinion was that the mode of procedure adopted for the February elections should be followed.

The association will not make any nominations, but will give their moral support to one candidate in each ward. That they may be helped in determining what are the best nominations, they have elected a committee of new members from the new districts were added to the association yesterday.

The resolution, stating the position of the association, reads as follows: "The Montreal Citizens' Association invites the electors of the wards newly annexed to Montreal to select the most suitable candidates to represent them in the City Council of Montreal.

"As these elections are to be held on the 4th of July next, it is important that a choice should be made without delay.

"The association intends to follow the same line of conduct as at the last municipal election, and will not interfere in the selection of the candidates, but it intends to give its moral support to the candidates who shall be judged best qualified and honest."

CANDIDATES ALREADY FORWARD.

It seems the candidates from whom choice may be made will be many. Those spoken of already are—
Notre Dame de Grace—Messrs. Alphonse Decarie, Dugald Macdonald, George Marcell, former mayor, and I. T. Paul—Messrs. Michael Judge, former mayor, and Ludger Lapointe, contractor.
Emerald—Messrs. J. U. Emond, advocate, and Dr. Leon Dubois, former mayor.
Bordeaux—Messrs. Edmund Lussier, advocate and former mayor, and G. Menard, contractor.
Ahurats—Mr. T. Bastien, contractor and former Montreal alderman.
Rosemont—Mr. J. N. Drummond, former mayor.
Longue Pointe—Messrs. P. Bernard, former mayor, and L. A. Lavalle, advocate and ex-Montreal alderman.
Cote des Neiges—James McKenna, former Montreal alderman.

Nominations may be made at the City Hall up to June 20th.

STRENGTHENING NAVY.

United States is Keeping Apart With Europe.

New York, June 9.—Sir Wm. White, former director of naval construction of the British navy who has been here for a brief stay, thinks the United States is keeping pace with European naval construction. Sir Wm. said before his departure for Ottawa yesterday that he had the opportunity to inspect a number of American warships while here. He said that the American warships compare favorably with those built by other countries in the late nineties. Those that the United States is now building compare favorably with those built in the late nineties.

"What particularly impressed me in regard to the battleship 'Florida' was her great weight and the progress that was made in her construction in a short a period."

THE KING LOOKED WORRIED.

So Montreal Visitor Who Saw Him at Biarritz, Says.

Mr. J. H. St. Denis, who has returned from a six months' tour of Europe, was at Biarritz in March when the late King was sojourning there.

"I saw the King several times," said Mr. St. Denis, "walking about, and was close enough to him to observe that he looked worried. He would not be a better shot, though he looked well. Some times he would walk down to the pier, and his motor would go and bring him back."

"Once I saw him motoring with the Queen Mother of Portugal, when he drove with her to Bayona, about half an hour's drive away. I also saw the King at Paul, a resort near Bayona, which has a fashionable beach colony. But what struck me was that I saw the King looked worried and talked very little."

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