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BOER OFFICERS ARRIVE.

Two Have Reached New York and Will Settle in the United States.

NEW YORK, August 17.—Matthew Kane and Peter F. Oates, who were officers in the Boer army, arrived here to-day on the French line steamer La Bretagne. When Pretoria surrendered they determined to leave South Africa for good. Oates said he saw President Kruger just before he left. He was in good health and had his headquarters in a railroad carriage. These officers say that the war in South Africa has become guerilla in its nature. They will settle in this country and say that many others will do likewise, as soon as they can get away from South Africa.

ISBESTER WAS RELEASED.

LONDON, August 17.—It has been reported to the War Office that Pte. M. Isbester, formerly of the 13th Field Battery, C. A., and who was taken a prisoner by the Boers, while serving with the Canadian Artillery in South Africa, was released some time ago, and has arrived at Lorenzo Marques.

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BEING TRIED BY COURT-MARTIAL

General Hunter Is Opposed by General Olivier in the Orange River State.

(Special to the Star.)

PRETORIA, August 17.—The trial of Cordua, one of the conspirators recently arrested, began here to-day. He pleaded guilty, but later withdrew that plea, the evidence against him is very strong. He broke his parole and was caught dressed in a British officer's uniform.

The plan of the conspirators was to kill the British officers in Pretoria, seize Gen. Roberts, and to bring into the city a commando from General Botha's force. The trial is proceeding.

MOVEMENTS OF DE WET.

LONDON, August 17.—The Laffan despatch from Pretoria gives the latest news concerning the movements of General De Wet, and it carries its own comment.

General Hunter, while moving north in the Orange River Colony, met with opposition from General Olivier, south of Heilbron, and though it is stated that he caused the Boers to retire, it does not seem that he inflicted a damaging defeat.

Generals Buller and French have joined forces south of Woenderfontein. General Botha is reported to be holding Belfast in considerable strength to contest the British advance. It is stated that he has plenty of engines and rolling stock ready to transport his guns and men east to the railroad to cross the river.

The country where the Boers are now preparing to make what is supposed to be their last stand is the Barberton district, they having it is said abandoned Lydenburg owing to the hostility of the natives. The area of the apparently impending warfare is approximately 80 by 100 miles in length. It is extremely mountainous and much more difficult than the Tugela or Laing's Nek districts.

Here according to the latest British information, General Botha has about 10,000 men and from 50 to 90 guns.

DE WET HAS 7,000 MEN.

General De Wet, the Boer commander whom the British have been unsuccessfully trying to capture for a long time, has now retreated northwest of Rustenburg. Eighty prisoners who escaped from him report that his strength is now 7,000 men.

The Boers in the districts through which he passes take up arms again, and those who do not do so willingly are forced to join the ranks. Commandant Steenkamp, who was wounded at Dorenkop, and who subsequently took the oath of neutrality and returned to his home, is again fighting. General De Wet's success in evading the British is certain to bring large accessions to the Boers.

HAS JOINED DELAREY.

According to a despatch to the Daily Express, from Lorenzo Marques, dated yesterday, it is reported that General De Wet has succeeded in joining hands with Commandant Delarey.

General De Wet has managed to elude General Kitchener in spite of the fact that all the British waggons had double teams of picked animals. The Boers evaded the British at night over grounds known to them, while their pursuers were obliged to march in the day time.

Small commandos near Johannesburg drove in the British outposts at Sachswald yesterday.

General Viljeon, with 800 men, is directly north of Pretoria.

KAFFIR CHIEF FIGHTS BOERS.

Linch We, the Kaffir chief on the western border, has made a raid into the Transvaal as far as Pilagasburg and he captured a number of cattle. The Boers are said to have been the aggressors. Linch We is reported to be fighting in a civilized manner, and is treating his prisoners well.

KRUGER READY TO QUIT.

LONDON, August 17.—A British correspondent recently released from captivity at Nooitgedacht asserts positively that Mr. Kruger wishes peace, but that the fighting commandants insist upon continuing the war, and would prevent his flight by force if necessary.

The burghers, according to the same authority, share this view. The Transvaalers have 90 guns at Machadodorp with abundant provisions.

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IS STEYN DEAD OR ALIVE.

The Latest Report Says He Succumbed to Wounds When Endeavouring to Reach Kruger.

(Special to the Star.)

LONDON, August 17.—The Lorenzo Marques correspondent of the Daily Mail, says a report, emanating from the office of Mr. Pott, Consul of the Transvaal states that ex-President Steyn, of the Orange Free State, is dead. The correspondent adds that he learns that he died on the road while trying to reach President Kruger. He was previously reported to be very ill, but the correspondent says he is informed that he died from the effects of a severe wound. He states, however, that the details are not authenticated.

COUNTERVAILING DUTIES.

Helps the United States to Maintain Her Trade With Jamaica.

OUTLOOK NOT BRIGHT FOR A NEW STEAMSHIP LINE FROM ST. JOHN.

Ottawa, August 16.—The June Blue Book of the Department of Trade and Commerce contains a report from Mr. G. Eustace Burke, Canadian commercial agent in Jamaica, in which he says: As you are aware, the preferential tariff of 25 per cent has not been instrumental in appreciably improving shipments from this, or, I might say, any other West Indian island, of any of our products." The agent places responsibility for this failure upon the lack of steamship communication between Canada and the West Indies. But trade developments prove that the great factor is the United States' countervailing duty upon the bounty fed beet root sugars which amounts to a preference of 2 1-2 cents per hundred pounds, or 27 per cent. in favor of West India cane sugar imported into the United States, as against the 25 per cent. Canadian preference.

BETTER STEAMSHIP SERVICE.

Nor, in the opinion of those engaged in the West Indian trade is the 33 1-3 preference now in effect likely to counteract the stimulus of the countervailing duty added to the superior steamship service and consequently cheaper freight rates between the West Indies and the United States.

Mr. Burke regrets that owing to lack of adequate direct steamship communication with Canada, most of the Jamaica fruit (especially bananas) consumed by Canadians continues to be received by New York and Boston. The legislature of Jamaica being composed of the government officials and nominees entirely, the elected representatives having withdrawn as a protest against additional nominated members having been placed in the council, the government would not so much as consider a proposal to establish a quick direct line between Jamaica and St. John, N. B., tri-weekly, for a subsidy of $15,000 a year, or $30,000 for a weekly service, and under present financial conditions no change of policy need be looked for.

CANADA MUST ACT.

So that whatever is done in the way of increased steamship facilities must be done by Canada. "The undertaking with the Elder-Dempster Company offers no precedent, as that was of Mr. Chamberlain's own making," says the report. This refers to the West Indian imperial mail subsidy under which title the direct fruit line, subsidized jointly by Jamaica and the British government to perform a fast fortnightly service between Jamaica and an English port (Bristol most likely), will commence operation in January, 1901, the first steamer starting for Jamaica on the 16th of that month. The contract is for £40,000 annually for ten years.

ITALIAN COLONY DISTURBED

Torontonians Have not Yet Heard the Last of the Flag Incident.

TORONTO, August 17.—The Italian colony in Toronto is still very much agitated over the incident arising out of the proposal to honour the late King Humbert's memory by a funeral celebration in this city.

The Umberto Primo Society is entirely a national organization, while the Emmacolata Concerzione Society is more of a religious institution, siding with the Church rather than the State. Consequently there has been some division of sentiment over the attitude of St. Michael's authorities in declining to admit the Italian flag within the precincts of the cathedral or to allow it to be used in draping the casket. Father Ryan will again be approached in the matter to see if the difficulty cannot be overcome and the flags admitted in some form. If permission is again denied, the Italians will carry out another plan that they have in view. This is to have a bronze crown made here, which will be sent to the queen as a memorial from the Toronto colony to be placed either in the Pantheon or in the chapel which is to be built at Monza on the spot where the late King fell. The Italian Consul has already subscribed $50 for this purpose. Another meeting will be held next Sunday at which a letter will be read from the Circolo Militare Italiano, the Italian Society in Montreal. The letter was addressed to Mr. D. A. Rocca, B.A., an Italian Church of England clergyman, who is a lieutenant in the Montreal Society. It describes the procedure in Montreal where Father Leonardo Mazziotta, in the absence of the higher dignitaries, allowed the Italian flag to enter the Church of Nazareth without question and on the return of Archbishop Bruchesi and the Papal Delegate, Mgr. Falconio, was warmly commended for his action. A request is made for further news of the refusal here.

MR. BAIN HONOURED.

(Special to the tSar.)

BULLOCKS CORNERS, Ont., August 17—Hon. Thomas Bain, who, owing to ill-health, has resigned the Speakership of the House of Commons, was presented with an illuminated address by his constituents last night, expressing regret at his retirement, and lauding his career as their representative. Mr. Bain, in replying to the address, expressed the deep regret that he felt at severing the connection between himself and the constituency, which he has so long represented. He thanked the electors for the confidence with which they had so often honoured him and the kind words of the address.

TWELVE THOUSAND AT WORK.

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WERE COOL TO THE PREMIER.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Got a Poor Reception at Sydney, N. S.

THE PEOPLE WERE NOT INTERESTED ENOUGH TO DEMAND A SPEECH.

(Special to the Star.)

SYDNEY, N.S., August 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party arrived at 10.30 last evening, having sailed through the Bras d'Or lakes on the fishing steam cruiser Constance. Arrangements for a brilliant reception had been made. There was, however, slight enthusiasm. Arriving at the ferry wharf the party disembarked, the Premier entering the private carriage of Manager Moxham of the Steel Company, and driving to Sydney Hotel, thence to the residence of Mr. Moxham, whose guest he will be during his stay here. The reception of the Premier last evening is being contrasted with that given Sir Charles Tupper, for whom no formal reception had been arranged and who was compelled immediately upon his arrival at the hotel to appear on the balcony and deliver a short address, the whole street being crowded with the enthusiastic populace.

HIS LIFE TO SAVE BUSINESS.

Chicago Merchant Kills Himself so That His Wife Could Get Insurance.

CHICAGO, August 17.—Charles A. Mielenz died by his own hand some time on Wednesday on the Prairies near Foster and Southport avenues, in order that his wife might receive the benefit of $2,000 insurance which he carried in two German lodges. Mrs. Mielenz learned from the police last evening that her husband's body had been found.

Mr. Mielenz conducted a wall paper and painting business at 513 Larrabee st., and it was not prosperous. On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Mielenz received a letter from her husband in which he said:

"It is the best you can do to let me go, so everybody can get what they have coming. I feel sorry for my children. You will get enough of money from my lodges to put $1000 in the business and hold the balance for yourself and my dear children. It's hard to part but I don't see any other way."

A deadlock between the wine-makers and the wine-growers of California has ended in the breaking up of the growers' combine. Grapes are now selling for $13 and $14 a ton, instead of $18 and $20, the prices fixed by the association.

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THREE PROBABLY DROWNED.

Yacht Capsizes in a Squall With Five Persons on Board.

QUEBEC, August 17.—A despatch from River du Loup wharf received here last night, says: "The yacht St. Francois, owned by Jacques Foster, of St. Simeon, Charlevoix county, while on a pleasure trip from Tadousac to River du Loup, was caught in a squall about three o'clock and was capsized off White Island. There were five persons on board at the time, Capt. Foster, Adelard Savard, Cousino Morin, P. Morin and one Boucher, all of whom were thrown into the water. The yacht, Jamboro, with Mr. Wm. Price, of Quebec, on board, was passing at the time, and with much difficulty succeeded in saving Mr. Boucher and Adelard Savard, sailor. The other three, Capt. Foster and the two Morins, are missing and were probably drowned. The tug Dauntless went from River du Loup in search of them, but could find no trace of them.

WESTERN STABBING AFFRAY.

CALGARY, August 17.—A quarrel took place last evening on Atlantic avenue, opposite C. P. R. station, between a negro horse trainer named George Robinson, and a brakeman named Burns, when Robinson drew a knife and slashed Burns' throat, making a very serious, though not fatal wound. Robinson was taken into custody.

The Bell Telephone Company is making very extensive improvements in the eastern part of the province. The work of erecting copper lines in the district of Beauce and in the town of Levis has been commenced, while in St. Rochs 15,000 feet of new aerial cable is being constructed, and in the upper town of Quebec nearly as much more.

TEN MILLION TONS OF ORE.

But Carnegie Company Decline to Say if the Deal Has Been Put Through.

PITTSBURG, Pa., August 17.—The report that the Carnegie Co. had just closed a deal for ten million tons of ore a year for fifty years, thereby practically giving the company control of the iron ore production of the Lake Superior districts, cannot be confirmed here. When seen to-day the officials of the company preserved their usual reticence of matters concerning their business and refused to either affirm or deny the report.

DECLINES TO PERFORM MASS.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., August 17.—Preparation on the part of the Italians of Louisville for the celebration of solemn high mass for the late King Humbert have been a check. Father Bouchet, Vicar-General of the Louisville diocese, refused to perform the mass, and is said to have declined to give any reason. The two societies have decided that a letter shall be forwarded to Mgr. Martinelli, reciting the facts.

A GUARD OF HONOUR.

QUEBEC, August 17.—At a meeting of citizens yesterday it was decided that a guard of honour accompanied by state band will meet the ten men from the First Contingent on board the Parisian. All the troops will be called out to meet the detachment on board the Lake Ontario.

On Monday next the electric line from Quebec to Ste. Anne's will be inaugurated. It was in April last that the work of construction began. The line was completed on Saturday last, and after several trials it is reported ready for the public.

YOUNG MAN ROBS WIDOW

But She Had Her Revenge and He is Languishing in Goal.

CALGARY, August 17.—A young American named Waghorn, was arrested here yesterday, charged with obtaining fourteen thousand five hundred dollars from a widow lady in the United States under false pretenses. The arrest was made by Chief English, upon information furnished by American detectives. It appears that Waghorn claimed he could make a thousand dollars on sugar for himself and anyone who would go into partnership with him and advance $15,000 to commence. He induced a widow lady to entrust that amount to him, and as soon as he had the money secured left for Canada. Chief English connected him with the person described in a detective circular the moment he saw him at one of the leading hotels here and went to arrest him. He found he had gone to Banff. He communicated with the widow and she arrived the day of Waghorn's return from Banff and had him arrested.

TOWN IS BURNING DOWN.

PEORIA, Ill., August 17.— A message from Smithfield, a small town in Fulton Co., early this morning, announced that sixteen buildings had been destroyed by fire and that the flames were beyond control. Additional particulars are lacking, as communication is interrupted.

CANADA WON GRAND PRIZE.

LONDON, August 17. — Canada's success at the Paris Exposition is shown by an award that has just been made in secondary education Canada has been awarded the grand prize.

SATURDAY'S APPOINTMENTS.

What is going on in the Sporting World to-morrow.

Lacrosse — Senior Championship—Capitals and Shamrocks, S. A. A. A. grounds, 3 o'clock—Toronto plays in Cornwall. Interprovincial Championship, Montreal plays in Sherbrooke. Juvenile Championship, Overland vs. St. Gabriel.

Aquatics--Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club contest for the W. A. C. Hamilton Trophy.

Golf—Competition on Metropolitan Golf Club's Links, Fletcher's Field.

Cricket—Excelsior Woollen Mills team vs. Montreal Cricket Club, M.A.A.A. Grounds.

Baseball — Military Championship Match will be played at Montreal Baseball Park, commencing at 3.30.

Aquatics—Weekly swimming races of the Montreal Swimming Club at St. Helen's Island.

RESULTS ON TURF AND TRACK

GRAND CIRCUIT TROTTING.

Races in Different Parts of America.

GLENS FALLS, N.Y., August 17.—At the second day of the grand circuit meeting the 2.07 pace furnished the race of the day, as in the first heat Royal R. Sheldon and Connor came under the wire in a driving finish so close that it was declared a dead heat. In the second heat of the 2.12 trot, five horses came up the stretch under the whip and not a sulky length apart, making one of the finest finishes seen this year on any track. The 2.19 trot unfinished race was put over until to-day. Eleven horses faced the starter in the 2.12 trot, and it is a remarkable thing that none of the eleven got the flag, all finishing the five heats except the four that were drawn by their owners.

Summary: 2.28 class, pace, purse $1,500—Sally Hooks, b.m., by Dr. Sparks (MacDonald), won; P. H. Flynn, 2; Tommy W. 3. Dolly Brown also paced. Time, 2.12 1-4.

2.07 pace, purse $1,000—Connor, blk.f. (McDonald), won; Royal R. Sheldon, blk.g., (O'Neil), 2; Eyelet, gr.m., 3; Coney, blk.g., also paced. Time, 2.07.

2.12 class, trot, purse $1,000—Temple Wilkes, b.g., by Kentucky Wilkes (Golden), won; Dollade Wilkes, blk.m. (Hyde), 2; Big Timber, b.g. (Herrin), 3. Merriment, b.m. (Geers), also trotted. Time, 2.14

2.19 class, trot, purse $1,500 (unfinished)—Lady Geraldine, b.m., by Constantine (Geers), and Frank Creamer, br.g. (Grey), had one heat each. Best time, 2.11 1-4.

HEAVY TRACK AT SARATOGA.

SARATOGA, N.Y., August 17. —A heavy track spoiled what promised to be a good day's racing. The Mumm handicap had most of its interest destroyed by the withdrawal of Blues, Sharpshooter, The Puritan, Rockstorm and other colts. Summary:

First race, $400 added, for 3 year olds and upwards, one mile—Bannockburn, 125, Bullman, 2 to 5 and out, won; Intrusive, 119, Burns, 11 to 5 and out, second; Hood's Brigade, 109, Freeman, 60 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.46¾. Three starters.

Second race, $500 added, handicap, for 3 year olds and upward, mile and a furlong—Compensation, 121, Bullman, 2 to 1 and 3 to 5, won; Radford, 100, Henry, 16 to 5 and even, second; Favonius, 115, Turner, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 2.00½. Gonfalon also ran.

Third race, the Mumm Handicap, for 2 year olds, gross value $5,000; six furlongs—Lady Schorr, 110, O'Connor, 13 to 20 and out, won; The Musketeer, 105, Henry, 4 to 1 and even, second; Alard Schock, 126, Burns, coupled with Lady Schorr in betting, third. Time, 1.17¾. Tammany Chief, Rivenoak, and Maximus also ran.

Fourth race, $400 added, for all ages, five furlongs—Cyrano, 110, Clawson, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Lady Contrary, 105, Henry, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, second; Gala Day, 106, O'Connor, 7 to 2 and 7 to 5, third. Time, 1.04. Beauty Book, Terrorist, Loiterer, Epigram, Cupidity, Charawind and McFlecknoe also ran.

Fifth race, Saratoga Hunt, $300 added together with a silver cup, about 2½ furlongs—Diver, 160, Veitch, 7 to 5 and out, won; Champion, 152, Brazil, 12 to 1 and 2 to 1, second. Time, 6.32½. Highbie, 163, Donahue, even and out; and The Cad, 160, Mr. Harry Smith, 10 to 1 and 2 to 1, fell.

THE DETROIT RACE MEET.

DETROIT, August 17.—Terminus tip-toed a smart all-aged field in the six furlong condition race at Highland Park yesterday, and easily beat the odd-on favourite, Sweet Caporal, holder of the track record for the distance.

First race, 7 furlongs, selling—Fessy F., 102, A. Weber, 7 to 10, won; Passaic, 107, McQuade, 2 to 1, second; Viola K., 103, Landry, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1.29¼. Mound Builder and Annie Teuton also ran.

Second race, 4½ furlongs, selling—Lady Edith, 103, Landry, 4 to 1, won; Toad Rainey, 103, Castro, 8 to 5, second; Siroister, 109, Coburn, 5 to 2, third. Time, 56½. Cupa and Bell Adage also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Terminus, 85, J. Daly, 8 to 5, won; Sweet Caporal, 111, Coburn, 3 to 5, second; Cherry Head, 104, A. Weber, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1.15½. Charley Heels also ran.

Fourth race, mile, selling—Lady of the West, 107, A. Weber, 3 to 2, won; Baffled, 92, J. Daly, 9 to 5, second; Magog, 95, L. Thompson, 100 to 1, third. Time, 1.42½. Alexandra also ran.

Fifth race, ¾ mile, selling—Left Bower, 104, J. Daly, 11 to 5, 1; Nancy Till, 103, Landry, 2 to 1, second; Rey Salazar, 105, McQuade, 40 to 1, third. Time, 1.15. R. Q. Ban, Sakatuck, Crinkle, Tom Kingsley, Miss Fonsoland and St. Sulpice also ran.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, selling—Jucoma, 107, C. Wilson, 3 to 1, won; Sackhem, 97, A. Weber, 3 to 1, second; Queen Anne, 102, Coburn, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1.15. Hermencia, Yondrop, Sauceboat, Clipsetta and Guncotton also ran.

WINDSOR RACES WERE SLOW.

WINDSOR, Ont., August 17.—Weather perfect; attendance large; track slow. Results:

First race, for 2-year-olds and up, selling, 7 furlongs—Rebecca Wells, 103, Harshberger, 4 to 1, won; Momentum, 112, Hewitt, 5 to 2, 2; Cousin Letty, 103, Miller, 8 to 1, 3. Time, 1.30 1-2. Ellsmere, Helen H. L., Flora Daniels, Bequeath, Bromo, Lizzie Jackson, Mina B. L., Rotha, Eu Claire also ran.

Second race, for 2-year-olds and up, selling, 6 furlongs—Corder, 104, J. Martin, 8 to 1, won; Sevoy, 100, Irving, 6 to 1, 2; Douster Swivel, 111, F. Robertson, 12 to 1, 3. Time, 1.16. Tenole, Northumberland, Charley Shane, Al Caskey, Flop, Alamo also ran.

Third race, for 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Battus, 115, Miller, even, won; Regina Lee, 105, H. Wilson, 7 to 2, 2. Pine Chip, Dolly Wagner, Quibo, Lizzetto S. also ran.

Fourth race, handicap, for all ages, 5 1-2 furlongs—Bummer, 103, J. Martin, 7 to 2, won; Expelled, 106, Hycks, 5 to 1, 2; Acushla, 100, E. Robertson, 3 to 1, 3. Time, 1.09. Northumberland, George Lebar, Trune, Innovator also ran.

Fifth race, handicap, steeplechase, short course—Mavourneen, 130, W. Johnston, 12 to 1, won; Slasher, 133, Higgins, 7 to 2, 2; Lord Farandole, 160, C. Brown, 6 to 5, 3. Time, 2.56. Zufallig also ran. Tolstoi and Sallust fell.

Sixth race, for 4-year-olds and up, selling, 1 1-16 miles—Topmast, 111, J. Martin, 5 to 2, won; Beau Ideal, 111, Flint, 4 to 1, 2; Miss Soak, 107, Miller, 9 to 2, 3. Time, 1.50. Fanny Taylor, Fantasy, Prince Zeno also ran.

HARNESS RACING AT ST. JOHNS.

There will be racing at St. John's Park, St. Johns, on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. The programme follows:

First Day.
2.50 class, purse $125.
Special class, purse $100.
2.20 class, purse $150.

Second Day.
2.30 class, purse $125.
Named race, purse $100.
Free-for-all, purse $200.

St. Johns has the finest track in the Province of Quebec, the grounds are all fenced in, and there are over 200 first class box stalls on the track, which are furnished free.

PRAIRIE STAKES AT CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, August 17.—Great Bend, the odds-on favourite won the Prairie state stakes. He was much the best fairly revelled in the deep soil and won easily. The stake was worth $1,175 to the winner, and was one of the most interesting stakes of the meeting. Six horses were entered and only one scratched, this being The Lady.

HOOFBEATS.

A dividend of twenty per cent. on the capital stock of $100,000, payable August 20, has been declared by the directors of the Washington Park Association of Chicago. The racing season this year proved to be highly profitable. It is currently reported that the bookmaking privilege brought in a gross revenue of $50,000.

The colts and fillies eligible for the Futurity Stakes, to be run Saturday, August 25, at the fall meeting of the Coney Island Jockey Club, estimated value $45,000, are as follows: Agramonte, Aphrodite, Arrogant, Annuity, Audacious, Australia, Apple of My Eye, All Green, Americna Pride, Belb, Blues, Belvino, Birch Tree, Bedeck, Beau Ormonde, Bluff, Black Jew, Ballyhoo Bey, Cap and Bells, Cogswell, Chuctanunda, Driscoll, Dame, Elizabeth M. Egotism, Escalade, Elmer L., Elkhorn, False Colours, Flee Away, False Prince, Gautama, Gertrude Elliott, Golden Age, Gracious, Helen O'C., High Tone, Holstein, Irritable, Idle Ways, Kenilworth, Kate Spottswood, Lamp O'Lee, Lanceman, Longshoreman, Lady of the Valley, Matin, Military, Mortallo, Margraviate, Miarano, Maid of Fortune, Magnus Troil, Miss Zara, Noonday, Orderer, Ouananiche, Ondurdis, Olympian, Persevere, Passion Flower, Prince of Delight, Prince of Victory, Prince Charles, Rock Storm, Six Shooter, Spinal, Sadie S., Spry, Sandpiper, Sentry, Sweet Lavender, Smile, Seminole, Sneaky, Tammany Chief, Thornton, Tevendale, Telamon, Tommy Atkins, Trigger, Thoughtful, Tower of Candles, The Fiddler, Timothy Foley, Tuskarosa, The Parader, Valemont, Villa Kingston, Wiki Wiki, Walwin, Yelp, Zenadie.

IN THE AQUATIC WORLD.

SOME YACHT CLUB DOINGS.

Races and a Dinner Coming Off.

Saturday afternoon the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club will hold their weekly yacht races at Pointe Claire. These will be held over the international triangular course after the postponed Pointe Claire regatta races are sailed off. The club launch will, as usual, leave Dorval and tow up to starting point all boats wishing to compete in either events.

The 22-foot, one-design class will sail their last series race for the Kirke Greene trophy. After a long season's racing of close contests, the three leading yachts in this series now stand remarkably even in points. The points to date are:

Yacht.	Skipper.	Points.
Koorali	S. A. Finley	15 1-3
Ivaloo	C. T. Williams	15 1-6
Bona Dea	J. Paton	15
Viking	Lionel Smith	7 5-6

It is but fair to the skipper of the Viking to state the Viking missed two race days during the series. There is considerable excitement among local yachtsmen along the lake shore as to the probable winner of this series, the betting, however, is very even, although some of the knowing have picked out the Bona Dea as the winner.

The last race for the 17-foot class consisting of a series of eight races for the club cup, will also be sailed on Saturday. The standing of the leading boats in points for this series is also very close, viz.:

Yacht.	Skipper.	Points.
Doris	Fred. Barlow	50 1-2
Kittiwake	Ernest Bolton	47 1-2
Habitant	Douglas Hemsley	47
Viola	W. Ewing	32
Turtle	C. Kirkpatrick	24
Eileen	M. Holland	7

The Turtle and Eileen were not often raced during the series, and the Viola was unfortunate enough to carry away her bowsprit in one race and her centreboard in another. It is highly probable that Mr. Barlow's Doris will win this series, with Mr. Bolton's Kittiwake and Mr. Hemsley's Habitant making a hard fight for second place.

After these races are over, the annual race for the W. A. C. Hamilton Cup will be sailed, for which the 5-raters, 22-footers and 17-footers are all eligible.

After the races are over a dinner will be served at the club-house, and the cups presented in the evening.

LAKE OF TWO MOUNTAINS RACE.

The annual race for the lake of Two Mountains Challenge Cup, and race for cruising yachts will take place at Senneville on Saturday, August 25, on the arrival of the 1.30 train from Montreal and should this year prove even more than ordinarily successful as all the 5 raters will enter for the challenge cup race, and the Lake of Two Mountains "Whitecap" will make a determined effort to win back the trophy won last year by Mr. Duggan.

A large fleet of up to date cruisers is expected and this race should prove most interesting as it will be run on a handicap basis.

Entries must be sent to Mr. A. E. Abbott, 30 Hospital st., before Thursday, 23rd instant.

THE LACHINE ROWING CLUB.

On Saturday night, under the auspices of the Boating and Canoeing Club a dance will be held in the Strathcona hotel hall, Lachine. The event was postponed from last Saturday owing to the regatta and hop at Valois. On Saturday, September 1, the Fall, trial fours, the final events of the rowing season will be rowed. The Club has entered a crew for the war canoe race at the Grand Trunk regatta on Saturday, August 25, and there will be several entries for the other events on the programme.

THE GRAND TRUNK REGATTA.

The committee of the Grand Trunk Boating Club are leaving nothing undone to make their twenty-fifth annual regatta, which takes place Saturday, Aug. 25, the best they have ever held. The Grand Trunk regatta is always looked upon as the banner one of the season, and the entries from sister clubs are always numerous.

WITH THE BRAWNY ATHLETES

THE M. A. A. A. WEEKLY RACES.

Results of Last Night's Events at Westmount Grounds.

The sixth weekly race meeting was held at the M. A. A. A. grounds last evening, with the following results:

50 yards run —
W. Coldwell 1
W. C. Covernton 2
John Huckle 3
Also started—L. Depencier and J. M. Doyle.
Time—5 3-5 secs.

220 yards, handicap—
W. C. Covernton 1
W. C. Davison 2
W. Coldwell 3
Also started—Dave Brown, L. H. Depencier, T. J. Corbett, John Huckle and J. M. Doyle.
Time—23 3-5

Running high jump —
W. C. Davison, 4 ft. 7 in. 1
John Huckle, 4 ft. 6 in 2
T. J. Corbett, 4 ft. 5 in. 3
W. Coldwell, 4 ft 5 in 3

In the jump-off for third place Corbett and Coldwell again tied, and after tossing up Corbett won the place.

The officials were:

Judges—G. T. Pettingrew, A. B. Thompson and E. J. Christmas.

Timekeepers—Alex. Stewart, W. G. Ayling and E. Herbert Brown.

Starter—J. Michaelson.

The competition for aggregate prizes is now as follows:

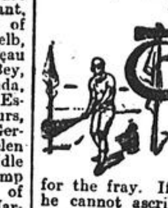
	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Ttl. pts.
W. C. Covernton	5	3	0	34
W. Coldwell	2	3	1	20
W. C. Davison	2	2	1	17
J. P. Craig	3	0	0	15
T. J. Corbett	0	3	2	11
R. Stephen	1	0	0	5
J. J. McHugh	1	0	0	5
Dave Brown	0	1	2	5
John Huckle	0	1	1	4
W. Strachan	0	1	0	3
J. F. Davison	0	0	3	3
J. N. Doyle	0	0	3	3
G. Francis	0	0	1	1
W. C. Nicholson	0	0	1	1
H. N. Cowan	0	0	1	1

TO-MORROW'S GAMES

The Meeting of the Capitals and the Shamrocks to Be Very Exciting.

ARCHIE M'NAUGHTON IS HERE.

The Former Montreal Lacrosse Star Back From the Far West—Lacrosse Gossip.



THIS is the eve of the great lacrosse struggle between the Capitals, of Ottawa, and the champion Shamrocks. The match will be played on the S.A.A.A. grounds to-morrow afternoon, and the gladiators are ready for the fray. If any man fail in his part, he cannot ascribe his lack of success to want of practice or to carelessness on the part of the experienced trainer who has been looking after his physical welfare. It will be a battle royal between princes of the game; a race for supremacy in which the contestants are thoroughbreds.

Owing to the great excitement over the match, the fine pitch to which the players are tuned, and the great anxiety of each individual amongst them to win, it is more than probable that the game will open with a display of nervousness. This will soon pass away, however, and then the tug-of-war shall have come, and Greek will meet Greek with all the energy, the alertness, mental and physical, and the pluck which characterized the noblest efforts of the ancient Athenians.

To-night twenty-six men will dream of deeds of valour and feats of skill, crowned by glorious victory; when sets to-morrow's sun great will be the joy of half that number, for their brows will be decked with laurels, and their praises sung in diverse tongues. Sad and dejected will the vanquished thirteen retire to their tents of mourning.

In other words, both teams are cock sure of winning the match, which promises to be a corker, and the team that loses will feel sore all over.

Ottawa people do not see how the Capitals can lose.

A "Sport" following up his opinion with a bunch of greenbacks yesterday said that the Shamrocks would not score two goals on the Capitals. The bet was taken.

Feeney and Galley will probably be absent from the Shamrock home to-morrow.

The Shamrocks' defence will be the same as that which faced Montreal. The changes on the team will be at the home end.

Westwick is said to be in fine form, but Harry Smith will give him a good day's outing.

"Pete" Green and and "Barney" Dunphy will have their "busy day" signs out to-morrow afternoon.

The turf at the Shamrock grounds is in perfect condition.

CORNWALL AND TORONTO.

(Special to the Star.)

CORNWALL, Aug. 17.—Although Cornwall boys laid back on their oars last week they were, however out in full force this week and are training hard for their match with Toronto here on Saturday. Degan has been laid up from an injured leg received in the Capital-Cornwall game at Ottawa, but will be on hand all right for Saturday. Cornwall expects a hard game when they meet Toronto. In fact, the general opinion here is that Toronto is the best aggregation of stick-handlers in the big league, and if their home only had the backbone, the ginger, or, in plain English, the nerve that the Capitals or Shamrocks possess, they would stand head and shoulders over any team that tosses the rubber.

REINSTATEMENT REFUSED.

Some time ago Harry Griffiths, who played with the Toronto Lacrosse team and who was suspended with the other members of that club who played during the Smith regime, applied to the C. A. A. U. for readmittance to the amateur ranks. The report of the sub-committee appointed to look into his case has been received. The committee recommends that Griffiths remain in the professional ranks.

SHOTS.

In Cornwall the opinion is expressed that the Capitals will defeat the Shamrocks.

The Argyles and Delorimier Lacrosse Club played a friendly game of lacrosse on the Delorimier Park, which resulted in a win for the Argyles by a score of 6 goals to nil.

"Archie" McNaughton has arrived in Montreal and on his appearance at the M. A. A. A. gymnasium last night was welcomed in a worthy manner.

The Cornwall team will line up against Toronto to-morrow in this order: Goal, C. Hess; point, John White; cover point, Donald Cameron; defence field, Fred. Degan, James Kervin and Alf. Tobin; centre, Burns; home field, W. Black, R. Madden and J. Broderick; outside home, A. Allan; inside, W. Broderick.

The Toronto team to play in Cornwall will be as follows: Goal, Hanley; point, Yorke; cover point, Wales; first defence, McBride; second defence, Stewart; third defence, Lamb; centre, Fred. Moran; third home, Fred. Mara; second home, E. C. Querrie; first home, Pringle; outside home, Murray; inside home, Greatrix; captain, P. C. Knowles.

The Ottawa Citizen says: "The Montreal people seem to forget how often it has occurred that Shamrocks have succeeded in getting the long end in this business of the appointment of a referee in the lacrosse matches. It would be very nice for Montreal and Shamrocks if the Capitals would meekly submit to anything in the shape of a referee that Shamrocks might suggest. At that rate, Capitals would certainly be swell fellows, but this season, when a championship is in the balance, Montreal must ponder over the fact that Capitals, like the Island City's own favourites, are out to win, and they won't be jollied out of any old thing that is coming to them. Montreal needn't worry, but has guessed pretty nearly all right when she suggests that Capitals are working every scheme to get the best of a referee deal for Saturday's occasion."

WITH THE WHEELMEN

TAYLOR LOST TO MILLER.

"Major" Was not Familiar With the Motor Pace.

HARTFORD, Conn., August 17.—At the Velodrome races last night, Miller defeated Major Taylor in a 10 mile motor paced race. The Major is not familiar with this style of racing. The time was 17.41. Miller was 3 laps ahead at the finish. In the 3 mile motor race, Dyer and Kramer fell on the first lap of the second mile, the tire and rim giving out. Miller and Judge won the race. The two mile amateur handicap was won by W. F. Weinberger, of New York. He and Ferm, of Waterbury, rode from scratch. Time 4.17 1-5, beating state record.

SWIMMING.

MONTREAL SWIMMING CLUB.

The tenth and final in the weekly series of races in the silver spoon competition held at the Montreal Swimming Club, will take place to-morrow afternoon. The following are the events: 220 yards, senior; egg hunt, junior; 100 yards, junior; egg hunt, senior; duck hunt, senior and junior.

The annual races will take place on Saturday the 25th inst. The programme to be announced later.

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MISCELLANEOUS SPORTING.

BIDDING FOR GLADIATORS.

Jeffries is to Meet the Big Men This Month.

NEW YORK, August 17.—Former Champion Bob Fitzsimmons and Tom Sharkey clinched their 25-round match by agreeing upon a battle-ground. They will meet at the Seaside Sporting Club of Coney Island, on August 24. Fitzsimmons waived the percentage basis and will meet Sharkey for a purse of $25,000.

At the meeting Fitzsimmons appeared with his eyes slightly discoloured and his face still bearing traces of his fight with Gus Ruhlin. He was accompanied by his manager and adviser, Percy Williams. Sharkey dropped in a little later. Tom O'Rourke, his manager, followed him. Pat Powers was present in the interests of the Twentieth Century A. C. Alec Brown did the talking for the Seaside Club. Powers declared that the Twentieth Century A. C. was anxious to manage the match and would give 55 per cent. of the gross receipts. He had hardly made his offer when Alec Brown said:

"On behalf of the Seaside Club I will give 60 per cent."

"So will the Garden," retorted Powers.

O'Rourke whispered something into Alec's ear, and Brown's countenance bore a look of impending triumph. In a voice which carried assurance with it he said:

"I will give 65 per cent! That's liberal enough and I don't think you can do any better."

"Sixty per cent is reasonable," said Fitz's manager, "but I don't think it is enough for this match. Now, as you know, the club has to cater to the wants of a lot of people, such as

POLITICIANS AND OTHER PERSONS,

to whom the organization must necessarily be under obligations. It's no use filling the building with deadheads, so I propose that the free list be limited. And, again, let it be understood that the men should reserve the right to put their own men in the box office and at the doors."

"That would be impossible and uncalled for," said O'Rourke. "The club cannot afford to let boxers run their shows exclusively, you know."

"Well, then, give us a purse of $20,000," said Williams. In a jiffy Fitzsimmons was on his feet and remarked:

"Give us a purse of $30,000 and I will box at the island."

"We can't do that," O'Rourke told him. "But I will tell you what we will do. We will give you and Sharkey a purse of $20,000 and 60 per cent. of every dollar in excess of $40,000 taken in at the door."

Before Fitz or Williams got a chance to reply the proceedings were temporarily interrupted by the arrival of Billy Brady. Williams, apparently unconscious of Brady's presence, said:

"Well, if we cannot get the terms we want we will meet Jeffries at some other club than either the Twentieth Century or the Sea Side."

Before his words had died out and before Brady could answer, Brown made this proposition:

"The Sea Side Club will give you a purse of $25,000. What have you got to say to that?"

"I accept," Fitz almost yelled, realizing that he had finally brought the club to his terms, "and I will sign articles at once."

When Brady heard this his jaws dropped and he looked as though he had received a hard blow. But his composure quickly returned, and raising himself to his fullest height he declared:

"How about Jeffries? He is ready to meet either Fitzsimmons or Sharkey. He is the legitimate champion and no one can deny that fact. Jeffries will meet Fitzsimmons. He will not arrange a contest to take place after the first of next month. I want it understood that if either Jeffries or Sharkey fail to clash with him this month they must not annoy him in the future. He is ready to give either Tom or Bob a chance to meet him now, and that is fair, I think."

Brady then turned to both Fitz and Sharkey and anxiously enquired:

"Will you two agree to tackle Jeffries on August 31 in case of a victory?"

The pair promised they would, provided they were not impaired by injuries and circumstances permitted. This satisfied Billy and he left.

Then Sharkey and the Cornishman talked about a referee. It did not take them long to

AGREE UPON CHARLEY WHITE.

Each man consented to pay White $100 for his services. The club will also give him $50.

The battle will be held under Marquis of Queensbury rules. The winner will receive 75 per cent. and the loser 25 per cent. of the purse. The men receive the privilege of furnishing their own gloves said gloves to be new and subject to the approval of the referee. Soft bandages will be allowed to be worn, and the club must deposit $2500 to insure the appearance of the men in the ring and as a guarantee that the contest will take place on the day scheduled. Both Fitz and Sharkey posted $2500 when the articles were signed, and the club has promised to place this sum in the stakeholder's hands to-day.

Fitzsimmons began training yesterday morning at Bergen Beach. "I shall not go at it heavily until about a week before the struggle," said Bob to a reporter. "I must be careful that I don't go stale. All I am afraid of is that my left knuckle will go back on me. I injured it, you know, against Ruhlin's head the other night and I am going to be very careful with it. Otherwise, with the exception of being a little sore about the body, I am in first-class physical condition."

Fitz further said that he was sorry that he had been misquoted about his treatment by the Madison Square Garden management on last Friday night. "I did not say that the receipts were juggled and that I should have received more," pursued Fitz. "I only mentioned the fact that I wish there had been more money in the house, that's all."

Sharkey has been training for several weeks and is in fine trim. "It means a good deal to me to win this mill," said Tom, "for then I can get a crack at Jeffries again."

Brown said that the Garden management acted in bad faith regarding this match.

"We had an understanding," observed Brown, "that if we allowed the Fitzsimmons-Ruhlin mill to go to the Garden we should receive free right to the contest between Fitz and Sharkey. We bid only 49 per cent. at the time the proposals were put in for Bob and Gus, if you will remember. Now wouldn't we have been fools to do such a thing if we had not pledged our words not to interfere? I have got assurances from Brady that Jeffries will not fight at the Garden, and I don't think Fitz or Sharkey will either. So if the champion puts on the gloves before the end of this month you can gamble the Coney Island Club will secure his services."

The New York World says:

Champion James J. Jeffries will not meet the winner of the Fitzsimmons-Sharkey match on August 31. This he decided on yesterday after a conference with his manager, W. A. Brady, so he has let up in his training at Loch Arbor, and will watch the passing of the golden era of pugilism in New York with the utmost unconcern.

Every effort was made, Jeffries feels, to arrange a match with Fitz, Sharkey, and others first hand, and now he declines to fall heir to the honor of meeting a battered-up pugilist and run the risk of playing to a handful of spectators. He has no complaint to make against the Sailor and the Australian because of their refusal to cancel their engagement just to give him a chance.

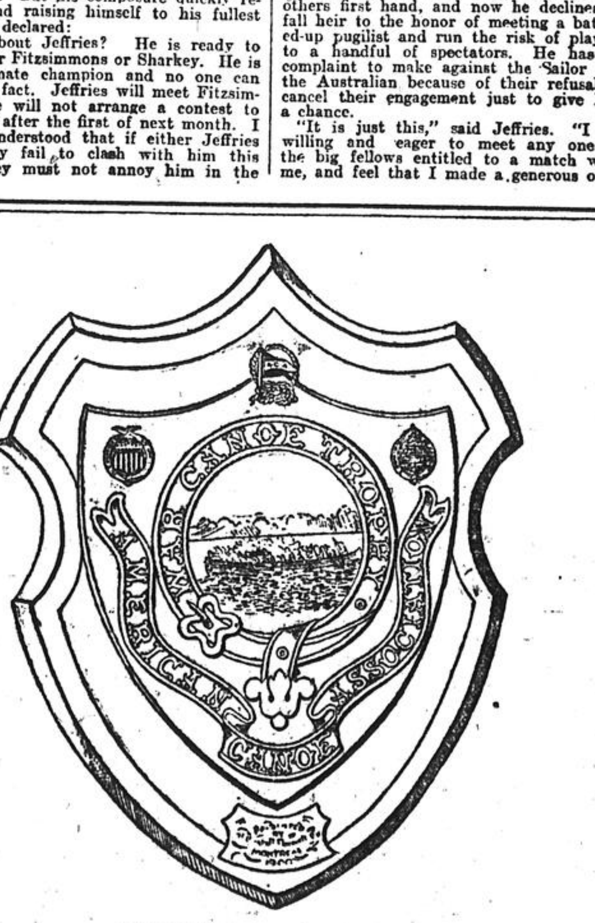
"It is just this," said Jeffries. "I am willing and eager to meet any one of the big fellows entitled to a match with me, and feel that I made a generous offer to Fitz and Sharkey. They didn't see fit accept, and that ends the matter.

"I will not train from now until August 24, and then have the winner of their bout inform me that his arm is broken or that his ribs are out of joint. That means work and anxiety all for nothing. I have plenty of money to meet any immediate emergency, and don't see where I come in to take a barn-stormer's chance or the price of a meal ticket."

Billy Brady said to a New York Sun reporter that Jim Jeffries would keep on training for a few days longer and then quit. Brady will leave for Chicago to make preparations for the champion's appearance on the road. "I don't think that either Fitzsimmons or Sharkey mean to fight Jeffries," said Brady. "They are merely bluffing and are trying to make the public believe that we are the ones who are afraid. Well, this fact will soon come out and then the sports will know that Jim is a pugilist who wants to work. I have received word that if either Sharkey or Jeffries make up their mind to meet the boilermaker they will insist first on splitting the purse. Well, they will get sadly left if they labor under this impression very long, for Jeffries does not propose to do anything of the kind. Jeffries is satisfied to let the victor take 75 per cent. and the loser 25 per cent. Some folks say that Jeffries has not intention of fighting before the first of this month. We will soon show our sincerity by posting a forfeit. Money, you know, always talks."

"BOB" FITZSIMMONS THREATENS

NEW YORK, August 17.—James J. Jeffries refusal to meet the winner of the Fitzsimmons-Sharkey bout on August 31, has caused the Australian to issue a statement in which he threatens to claim the championship by default, if successful in his coming encounter.



THE WAR CANOE CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY.

Competed for at the American Canoe Association Camp Meeting at Windermere, in Muskoka, on August 14th. Won by Toronto Canoe Club, who beat a crew selected from the clubs in camp by five seconds. Distance, one mile, with turn. Presented by McCaskill, Dougall & Co.

DESCRIPTION OF THE TROPHY.

Upon a bronze shield, 16 inches by 14 inches is raised a garter and ribbon, on which the lettering is again raised. The centre is a fine etching on bronze of a war canoe race, taken from a photograph. The United States and Canadian Arms, also the flag of the association, are enamelled in proper colours. A very bold and striking effect is produced by oxidizing the lower parts of the trophy and brightening the raised portions. The bronze shield is mounted on a leather-covered shield, 24 inches by 20 inches, on which is a silver plate showing the names of the donors.

The trophy was designed and manufactured by Messrs. Hemsley, of St. James street.

SPORTING CORRESPONDENCE.

A Misunderstood Notice.

Sporting Editor Star:

Dear Sir,—I beg to take exception to the small item in last evening's issue of the Star referring to coming trouble to the bicycle riders taking part at the Caledonian Games on Saturday last, for riding in unsanctioned races.

We did secure a sanction and same is signed by Mr. M. M. Duff, Provincial Chairman for Quebec, for the C. C. A.

Respectfully
W. C. McALLISTER,
Sec. Caledonian Soc.

If Mr. McAllister had read the notice carefully he would have seen that the statement of unsanctioned races only referred to the milkman's picnic.—Sporting Ed.

BRIEF NOTES OF DOINGS.

There never has been such a large number of crack players entered for any tennis tournament in Canada as for the international championships which begin on Tuesday next. It is probable that the two English champions now at Newport, Messrs. A. W. Gore and E. D. Black, will be present. In any event there will be the two champion doubles, Dwight Davis and Holcombe Ward, the ex-champion of the United States, R. D. Wren, also W. A. Larned, H. H. Hackett, E. P. Fisher, W. S. Bond, Beals Wright, and most worthy of mention are the two Pacific Coast champions, Sam Hardy and Sumner Hardy. R. P. Little will defend the international trophy against all these and many others, including George F. Sheldon, J. C. Neely, H. J. Foster, H. E. Avery and T. S. Kingmand. The ladies' event will be largely filled, as the Kenwood club, of Chicago, sends a delegation of four in Miss Hallie Champlin, Miss Edythe Parker, Miss Marian Stever, and Miss Maude Pennington. From Washington will come Miss Marie Weimer. Canada will be represented by Miss Summerhayes, Mrs. Whitehead, Miss Wilkes, Mrs. Burgess and many others. In addition to the open events of ladies, there is also a ladies' handicap and ladies' doubles.

"Tommy" Powers, formerly of Quebec, and who is well known to Montrealers through his work in goal for the Victoria Hockey Club's team, has been ordered by his physician to move to a more favourable climate. Mr. Powers' lungs have been affected, and he has been obliged to resign his position and will leave for the West within a few days. In addition to playing hockey for the Victorias, "Tommy" played in poles for the Junior Shamrock Lacrosse team.

Johnson Nelson, the young cyclist, won his twelfth straight victory under adverse circumstances at Cambridge, Mass. He gained and lost one lap through punctures, and finally won out by nearly four laps. Nelson rode as grandly as ever, and finished 35 miles 366 yards in the hour. McEachern was badly beaten, being ridden off his feet.

Would the secretaries of the following cricket clubs, Westmount, Montreal Woollen Mills, Cathcart, Canadian Paint Company kindly correspond with the secretary of the St. Johns C. Club, with a view of arranging matches for the remainder of the season. Address Sergt. A. Cotton, Barracks, St. Johns, Que.

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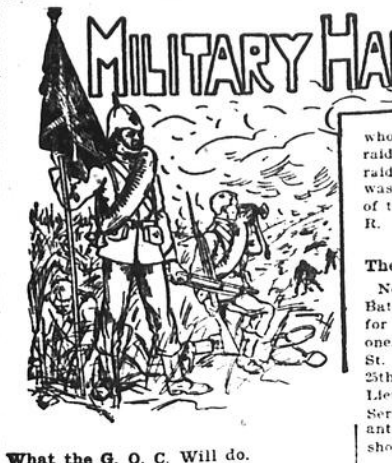


MILITARY HAPPENINGS

What the G. O. C. Will do.

After spending some time in Ottawa looking over military affairs as seen from headquarters, General O'Grady-Haly, it is understood, will make a tour of the Dominion, visiting the different regimental depots, and devoting some time to a personal inspection of the different militia organizations of the country. He will then be in a better position to prepare a report outlining the existing necessities towards promoting the efficiency of the Canadian army.

Highland Cadet Battalion.

The following are the appointments of this corps for the coming week, as outlined by Major Lydon, officer commanding:

Monday, Aug. 20—Special class drill for recruits lately joined.

Wednesday, August 22—Band practice and drill for all who have joined this year.

Saturday August 25—Vaulting and gymnastics.

In preparation for the military tournament to be given by the battalion in the Arena in October next battalion drills will be resumed on Wednesday, the 15th, August, in full dress, Bands to attend.

The Loyal Lockharts.

The Rev. A. D. Lockhart, of this city, has just received a newspaper from Rev. P. C. Clark, chaplain of Dinard, France. It is nearly 150 years old, and quite a curiosity. It has the following paragraph marked for his perusal:

"BRISTOL, April 22, 1758. — Yesterday Captain Lockhart, late commander of the Tartar man-of-war, was presented by the merchants, etc., of this city with a gold cup worth £100 for his great vigilance in taking so many French privateers."

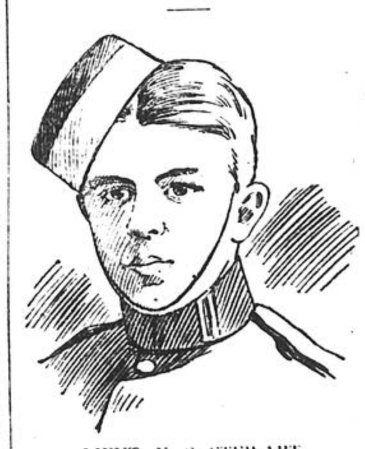
If the brave captain to which the chaplain draws Mr. Lockhart's attention is an ancestor of his, he can only say he is proud of him for so faithfully and bravely serving his King and country and overthrowing its enemies. The Rev. A. D. Lockhart was for upwards of seven years, from 1863 to 1870, chaplain to the Imperial troops at Fort Lennox, Isle aux Noix, Que., and also to the Montreal Artillery, who were there at the time of the Fenian raid, for which he received the Fenian raid medal in the Montreal Arena, which was placed upon his breast by the hands of the fair daughter of our late Mayor, Mr. R. Wilson-Smith.

The Field Battery.

Now that affairs in the Montreal Field Battery are running smoothly, the outlook for the immediate future is a very bright one. The men will go under canvas on St. Helen's Island on Saturday, August 25th, and will remain there for ten days. Lieut. Stephens will be in command, with Sergt.-Major Porteous as his chief assistant. It is said that Lieut. Stephens will shortly receive the rank of captain.

A Patriotic Move.

Those Vancouver, B.C., people are loyal to the core. Their representatives in the Canadian contingents did them proud, but they are not satified. The School Board has just decided to erect two new schools at a cost of $10,000 each, and the names chosen are "The Lord Roberts" and "The Admiral Seymour." Both of the services are represented, and to further carry out the idea, as it were, commodious drill rooms are to be provided in the basements to teach the youth how to drill and shoot.



LIEUT. H. S. STEWART,
Who has accepted a commission in the Imperial Horse Artillery.

Lieut. Stewart is a son of Major Stewart, R.O., of this city, and a graduate of the Royal Military College, Kingston. He has been soldiering since he was twelve years of age, and has for several years past been associated with the work of the Laprairie camps. He leaves for England to-day to assume his commission in the Imperial Horse Artillery. Lieut. Stewart is very popular among a large circle of acquaintances, and his future career will be watched with a great deal of interest.

Is a Canadian.

Major Perry, the new commissioner of the N.W.M.P., is a Canadian by birth, and graduated at the Royal Military College at Kingston. He was afterwards a lieutenant in the Royal Engineers of the Imperial army. He was appointed an inspector in the N.W.M.P. in 1882, and promoted by Sir John Macdonald to be superintendent in 1885. He served with distinction in the North-West rebellion, and was highly commended for the part he took when in command of a column under General Strange. Major Perry was in command of the N.W M.P. who visited England at the Diamond Jubilee, and received many marks of royal favour. On his return to Canada he was sent to the Yukon to relieve Major Steele, and remained in command there until recently, when he was recalled for promotion. While in Regina, Major Perry studied law, and is a full barrister for the North-West Territories.

Were Ready.

Something unprecedented in the annals of Canada has occurred within the last ten days, says the Military Gazette. On two occasions the military have been called out in aid of the civic authorities, and, as was to be expected, the response was prompt. That our Dominion covers much ground was shown. On the first occasion, Lieut.-Col. Worsnop, of Vancouver, B. C., had charge, the cause being a strike among the fishermen. All passed off quietly, and work was resumed. The Province of Quebec furnished the second case, a strike of the cotton operatives at the Magog mills sufficing to call out, upon order Lieut.-Col. Worthington and several companies of the 53rd Regiment. Happily, too, in this case harsh measures had not to be resorted to, and all ended without the interference of the militia being required. It is a fact worth noting that an ample supply of ammunition was on hand at each regimental headquarters. Evidently the Welland canal affair has had some effect.

The Returning Soldiers.

Some sort of a reception should be planned for the Montreal boys who are returning from the front by the Lake Ontario, and who are expected to reach this city on Saturday of next week. There are four or five on board, and as most of them were connected with some of the city corps before their departure for the Cape, it would be proper under the circumstances for these corps to organize a reception for their comrades. It is claimed by military men that there is no reason why the entire detachment, 120 men, should not be landed here instead of at Quebec. The boys will probably be allowed to go home as soon as they have been paid off and discharged, and as that only takes a few hours, it could be done just as well here at the brigade office as at the Citadel at Quebec. The detachment which reached Quebec by the Parisian a few weeks ago, disembarked at eight o'clock in the morning. By 11 o'clock they were paid off and discharged. At one in the afternoon, some of them were already on their way home, having taken passage either on the C. P. R., Grand Trunk, or the Intercolonial. There is no reason therefore why the men could not be landed here, especially as very little barracks accommodation will be required.

MONTREAL WON.

The Royals Were in Fine Form Yesterday and Played an Errorless Game.

FELIX PITCHED FINE BALL.

Toronto and Worcester Broke Even on Their Double Header Yesterday.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., August 17.

MONTREAL was in fine form and Harry Felix pitched gilt edged ball, so the visitors won the game handily. The Royals put up an errorless game, and hit Evans at opportune times. Two muffed flies gave Montreal the first run, and a wild pitch in putting a third strike on Dooley gave the visitors two runs in the sixth.

PROVIDENCE.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Walters, r.f.	4	0	2	0	0	0
Connors, 2b	3	0	2	2	2	0
Cassidy, 1b	4	0	2	8	0	0
Davis, l.f.	4	0	0	3	0	1
Stafford, c.f.	4	0	1	4	0	1
Parent, s.s.	4	0	1	3	4	1
Smith, 3b	4	0	0	1	3	0
Leahy, c.	4	0	0	5	0	0
Evans, p.	3	0	1	0	3	0
Totals	34	1	9	*26	12	3

*Johnson hit by batted ball.

MONTREAL.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Johnson, 2b.	4	0	1	2	3	0
Odwell, c.f.	5	0	1	2	1	0
Delehanty, l.f.	4	0	0	2	0	0
Dooley, 1b	4	1	1	11	0	0
Lezotte, r.f.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Henry, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Souders, 3b	2	0	1	3	1	0
Schiebeck, s.s.	4	0	1	3	4	0
Moran, c.	4	1	1	3	1	0
Felix, p.	4	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	37	3	7	27	13	0

By innings—
Providence ....000000010— 1
Montreal ....010002000— 3

SUMMARY.

Two base hit, Lezotte. Stolen bases, Connor, Moran, Felix. Double play, Evans to Paren to Cassidy. First on balls, off Evans, 1. Struck out, by Evans, 4; by Felix, 2. Passed ball, Moran. Wild pitch, Evans. Time, 1.55. Umpire, Hunt.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Providence	60	42	.588
Rochester	54	41	.568
Hartford	52	42	.553
Worcester	48	45	.516
Springfield	47	45	.511
Toronto	44	53	.454
Montreal	42	52	.447
Syracuse	36	62	.367

DOUBLE HEADER AT WORCESTER

WORCESTER, Mass., August 17.—Toronto and Worcester broke even in yesterday's double header. The first game went to Worcester, by clever sacrifice hitting and heady base running. In the second game Toronto had an easy victory. The visitors knocked Klobedanz out of the box, and Horton was substituted. The home team made a brilliant rally in the ninth inning, but could not overcome the big lead.

The scores:

WORCESTER.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Blake, c.f.	3	1	0	5	0	0
Rickert, l.f.	3	0	0	3	0	1
Delehanty, 3b	3	1	0	1	1	1
Bransfield, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Sharrot, r.f.	2	2	2	1	0	0
Kittredge, c	3	1	1	3	1	0
Connaughton, 2b	3	0	0	4	3	1
Raidy, s.s.	4	0	0	1	2	0
Pittenger, p.	3	0	0	0	2	1
Totals	27	5	4	27	9	4

TORONTO.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
J. Bannon, c.f.	5	0	1	3	0	0
T. Bannon, r.f.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Grey, l.f.	4	0	1	5	0	0
Carr, 1b	4	0	0	13	1	0
Lynch, 2b	3	0	0	0	4	0
Bemis, c.	4	0	0	1	0	1
Clymer, s.s.	4	0	1	4	1	1
Schaub, 3b	4	2	1	1	2	0
Williams, p	4	1	2	0	5	0
Totals	36	3	7	27	14	2

By innings—
Worcester ....120100010—5
Toronto ....000020100—3

SUMMARY.

Two-base hit, J. Bannon. Stolen bases, Lynch, and Blake. Sacrifice hits, Rickert, Bransfield, Sharrot, Kittredge, and Connaughton. Bases on balls, Blake, Delehanty, Sharrot and Lynch. Hit by pitched ball, Pittenger. Struck out, J. Bannon, Carr, Bemis, Schaub and Pittenger. Umpire, Egan. Time, 1.18.

THE SECOND GAME.

TORONTO.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
J. Bannon, c.f.	4	3	1	5	0	1
T. Bannon, r.f.	5	1	1	0	0	0
Grey, l.f.	4	0	1	8	0	0
Carr, 1b	3	0	1	8	1	0
Lynch, 2b	3	2	1	1	5	0
Roach, c.	3	1	1	2	1	1
Clymer, s.s.	4	1	2	1	2	1
Schaub, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Bruce, p.	4	0	3	0	2	0
Totals	34	8	12	27	12	3

WORCESTER.

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Blake, c.f.	5	1	1	3	0	0
Rickert, l.f.	5	0	1	4	0	0
Delehanty, 3b	5	0	1	3	2	0
Bransfield, 1b	4	0	2	8	0	0
Sharrott, r.f.	3	1	2	1	0	0
Kittredge, c.	4	1	1	2	2	0
Connaughton, 2b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Raidy, s.s.	4	1	2	1	1	2
Klobedanz, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Horton, p.	3	0	0	0	2	1
xSmoot	1	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	38	5	11	24	10	3

x Batted for Horton in ninth.

By innings—
Toronto ....41110001x— 8
Worcester ....100000004— 5

SUMMARY.

Two base hits, Rickert, Sharrott, Bannon, Clymer, Bruce, 2. Stolen bases, Blake, Bannon, Lynch, 2; Roach. Sacrifice hit, Roach. Double plays, Lynch to Clymer to Carr; Delehanty to Bransfield. Bases on balls, Bannon, Carr, Lynch. Hit by pitched ball, Sharrott. Struck out, Grey, Lynch. Wild pitch, Klobedanz. Umpire, Egan. Time, 1.40.

At Springfield—First game—

		R.	H.	E.
Springfield	000230003—	8	10	0
Rochester	113100000—	6	15	4

Batteries — Wood and Toft; Murphy and Dixon. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

Second game—

		R.	H.	E.
Rochester	10201000x—	4	10	4
Springfield	000030000—	3	8	5

Batteries — Morse and Deal; Bannon and Toft. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

At Hartford—

		R.	H.	E.
Hartford	00100100x—	2	5	2
Syracuse	000000000—	0	5	3

Batteries — Miller and Steelman; Pfanmiller and Smink. Umpire, Rinn.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Buffalo—Indianapolis, 5; Buffalo, 2.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 0; Detroit, 2.
At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 3; Chicago, 3. Game ended in a tie after 12 innings; too dark to continue.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At Pittsburg—

		R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	000000000—	0	5	3
Brooklyn	300003101—	8	12	0

Batteries—Phillippi and Hastings; O'Connor, McGinnity and Farrell.

At St. Louis—

		R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	000000010—	1	6	1
Boston	00001002x—	3	6	0

Batteries — Jones and Criger; Dineen and Sullivan.

At Cincinnati—

		R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	20000040x—	6	11	1
Philadelphia	000101001—	3	8	2

Batteries — Breitenstein and Peitz; Fraser and Murphy.

At Chicago—

		R.	H.	E.
Chicago	00010010x—	2	7	0
New York	000000000—	0	4	2

Batteries — Griffith and Chance; Mercer and Grady.

LINERS.

Leaders defeated Unions by a score of 18 to 0.

Pittenger has won 13 games for Worcester.

Cincinnati was the first club to record its 50th defeat.

Barrow has a team that should be close up to the top.—Hartford Post.

McGann has twice made four hits in six games. In his last seven games he has made 14 hits.

Four of the champions have stolen 20 bases or more. Not one of the Bostons has reached that figure.

Kittridge has batted at a .300 clip this season, and they will say Mrs. Kittridge is the official scorer.

The Brooklyns have batted, for .287 against .282 for the Bostons, and have fielded for .952 against .949.

Pitcher Hodson, formerly with Boston, Providence and Worcester, has won 22 games out of 28 for the New Haven club.

A scheme is on foot to organize an amateur baseball league, to comprise Kingston, Napanee, Belleville, Gananoque and Brockville.

The Hartford papers declare Toronto has the speediest bunch of base runners in the Eastern League in the Bannons, Lynch, Clymer and Grey.

"Le Theresian Club, of St. Therese, Que., is anxious to meet the Emmets, of Montreal. Address A. Dubreuil, or A. Deslauriers, Ste. Therese.

With all its hard luck New York has lost but few more games than Chicago, Boston or St. Louis, and as its present pace is fairly sure to beat out St. Louis.

The Royal Oak Baseball Club would like to meet any team with players not over sixteen years of age, to play matches any Saturday afternoon. Address all communications to R. Wadey, 28 Emily street.

After winning fifteen out of sixteen games played the Buffalo team is now playing in rank form. A few days ago they were in fifth place, but now are in seventh leading the tail end club by a few points.

At 3.30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, on the Montreal Baseball grounds teams from Nos. 1 and 5 Companies of the Victoria Rifles, will meet for the championship of the Vics. Both teams have been practicing hard and a fight to a finish is expected. Capt. Geo. Hiam of No. 2 Company will umpire.

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CHAPTER XV.—(Continued).

In half a minute the curtained door opened again, and Mrs. Hedger loomed large in the space thus left vacant. The ascent of the stairs had made her face a trifle redder even than its normal carnation. Her bonnet had been pushed a trifle further than was absolutely becoming off her forehead, in order that she might wipe her ample brow with a handkerchief, during the brief interval of waiting during which she had sought refuge on the ottoman in the gallery.

I was thankful once more that Mrs. Hedger had not donned the poppies on this occasion. They would have completed the picture. The artist glanced from Mrs. Hedegr to me, and from me back to Mrs. Hedger, while a feeble flicker of a smile just made itself perceptible in his eyes. A tawny moustache concealed his mouth, or probably an indication of his feelings would have appeared in that expressive feature likewise.

Mrs. Hedger's toned vulgarity, her partially refined commonness never struck me more than it did at that moment in Coutance's studio. I am ashamed to own that I was ashamed of her. She had been very kind to me since I came under her roof. Beneath an exterior which was not artistically attractive, there beat a warm heart and plucky spirit. If it had not been so, Mrs. Hedger would not have had to face the ordeal of Coutance's stairs and Brook's austerity that tropical afternoon. I reflected that she had come for my sake out of a chivalrous—although I felt, as I had done all along, only now in a more accentuated form—mistaken anxiety with regard to my safety. I stepped forward. The feeling was gone; I was only anxious to atone for it to my own better nature.

"This is Mrs. Hedger," I said. "My landlady. She did not like the idea of my coming along the first time"—I laid special stress on the last three words—"so she kindly came with me."

"I, too, am obliged to Mrs. Hedger for the trouble she has taken. Perhaps I ought to have suggested some such arrangement." The artist spoke with a grave dignity Then tunring more to me: "I think it is due to a relative—daughter possibly—of this lady that I owe your coming at all in the first instance."

"Aunt," I replied.

"Ah!"

Here Brook brought in tea, handing it first to me, then to my chaperon, while Coutance placed a seat for her.

Mrs. Hedger sipped her tea and was mollified. She had been content hitherto to let me bear the brunt of explanation, not having completely recovered her command of the necessary breath for conversation. She also confessed to me afterwards that she was not a little awed by Coutance's grand manner.

"So different, my dear, from the other harum-scarum artist chaps I have seen."

Mrs. Hedger had only traversed a few squares in Bohemia, and was unaware that there were many painters in London, who were not inhabitants of that country.

"You see, sir," she remarked to Coutance, "this young lady has neither father nor mother, and is quite a stranger to London, which is a very wicked place; we don't need to go to church to learn that. So, although Polly guaranteed everything, and she's a very shrewd girl is Polly, going close up to the fire, as I may say, without being singed, I thought it best to come and see for myself."

Coutance was engaged in turning over some loose drawings in a folio; he was apparently looking for something, but more probably giving us time to finish our tea.

"You may safely trust this young lady in my hands, during the time that she kindly gives me sittings, and although the distance is considerable to Islington, I do not think there is any danger to be feared on the way, even for a lady travelling alone."

The artist evidently did not intend that I should be chaperoned again. This was made even clearer by his tone than by the words themselves.

"It is the going home late in the evening that I am afraid of," answered Mrs. Hedger, more apologetically. She was already sorry that she had ever had a suspicion of this grave kindly gentleman, who looked, as she confided to me later in the seclusion of Haggerstone Place, like the whole Bench of Bishops rolled into one.

"Yes, I had not thought of that when I fixed the hour. In future, if it is agreeable to Miss Wrottisley, we will make our appointments for the morning."

By this time I had finished my tea. The surprise at seeing Coutance and hearing the familiar accents of his voice had subsided, and I was myself again. The paleness which the artist had remarked upon, at the outset of the interview, had vanished.

Mrs. Hedger rose to go. "I shall stay at 5, Connaught Place, Brixton — my brother's—until this young lady comes for me. Kindly put her into a cab and tell the driver where to take her."

In a few seconds Brook had shown Mrs. Hedger out, and the artist and I were alone.

CHAPTER XVI.

Coutance's studio in Sylvia Road was a long apartment probably running the whole length of one side of the house. I cannot compare it with others, as it is the only one I ever was in; but I should fancy very few are so luxuriously furnished. The carpet was of soft pile, with a bold pattern suited to the length of the room, executed in sober colouring, the prevailing tint being saffron. I heard afterwards that the carpet had been made at Axminster from a design sketched by the artist himself. The wall paper had a light gray background with yellow bosses raised upon it at intervals of about a foot apart. There were three windows on the left hand side of the studio filled with cathedral glass of a neutral tint. There was also a skylight.

Several unfinished canvases occupied spaces at intervals either on easels, or standing on the floor resting against the wall. The largest of these was the picture of which Polly Hedger had spoken, and which will be described later on. Besides the studies there were three pictures framed and hung between the windows. One represented a castle with turreted towers standing among the grand shapes of mountain forms. Probably not an English view; but the purple hue of the hills brought back my beloved Derbyshire with the rush of old association into my memory. A second was only a portrait of two magnificent dogs, and a puppy, all of the true St. Bernard breed. The third was a grand representation of the presentation of Magna Charta to King John by the assembled prelates and barons of England. Under this picture was engraved in old English characters the words "Noblesse oblige."

I could not doubt that all three were the selected favourites from works done by Coutance himself.

But of course that which interested me most, next to the master of the room himself, was the incomplete canvas, which was to bear the allegorical effigy of myself should the artist deem me worthy of supplying the requisite model. It was on a larger scale than even the three finished pictures, and stood on an easel at the further side of the room from the door by which I had entered. The whole was complete, except for a blank space, which even my untrained eye told me was left vacant for the principal figure.

The scene was placed in the open court of an Eastern Palace. In the centre a fountain spurted up a cool cascade of water, which fell into a spacious marble basin. Palm and orange trees grew in rich luxuriance on either side. On the left between the trees was a door-way through which could be seen a banqueting table, or rather one end of it, at which the Persian monarch reclined served by obsequious servants. The face of the King was hidden by a servant intervening, handing a goblet; but there was something in the dignity of pose, which, whether intentionally or not, suggested Coutance himself. No king could have a nobler model. The more I looked at the canvas, not that first day only, but afterwards, and the more I thought of it when alone, the more it grew to me to be like the painter, until at last, as the whole progressed towards perfection, I lost the idea of the original conception and intention. The Persian king faded, and was forgotten. The drama was put forward some thousands of years. Only Coutance remained. Only Coutance—and the other figures in the foreground of the picture.

On the further side of this left-hand doorway was the space for something which had yet to be supplied.

The right side of the courtyard was similar to the left, except that through the open doorway could be seen a colonnade, and beyond the open country. A woman had her hand on the side-post of the door and was looking back across the open space with a comprehensive view, partly mental and partly physical, which seemed to take in the calm plash of the fountains, indifferent in their unstudied play to the human drama, not to say tragedy—it was almost that—passing around them, the woman, not yet painted entering, and the Royal Banqueting Hall beyond.

On that face was expressed an epitome of the seamy side of exalted human life, dignity struggling through despair, baffled, despised, rejected love, turning to something very like hatred, and above all that fiercest sting of woman's nature, jealousy. Uncrowned, clad in simple white, this retreating figure was yet every inch a queen. Could this be Polly Hedger idealised? At first sight it seemed impossible; but the recollection of that outburst, during our Sunday morning walk, connected with the name of the man who stood before me, was yet fresh in my memory.

Polly was transformed by her own absorbing, unattainable in its object passion. With that recollection before me it was possible. Yet the painter's skill had done wonderfully. It had elevated, etherealised, raised, transformed, turning lovely clay into delicate pottery, endowing with a soul, adding a subtlety of refinement.

Was this a revelation to Polly, too, which might account for much of that outburst at our first meeting, which had puzzled and surprised me beyond measure when she described the intangible and yet unsurmountable difference which separated her station from mine, herself from me?

Some statuary, a few bright plumaged birds, delicately veined marble walls and steps—these were the accessories, which I hardly noted at the time, but which were exquisitely painted. The human interest absorbed all my attention to the exclusion of everything else.

And Coutance himself? Shall I confess I have hitherto shrunk from describing him? The room, the picture even—any thing is easier than to depict him. I cannot even tell now as I write what he seemed to me then, the first day I ever saw him. All sorts of feelings crowd into my mind, disturbing that clearness of vision which must inevitably precede clearness of analysis and description.

The painter was in a room of noble proportions surrounded by pictures, whose breadth and power were clearly perceptible even to my untrained artistic instincts, but both alike sank into insignificance beside the master of it all.

A very king of men, of commanding height, with a breadth of chest and a power of limb which, with any other build of frame, must have suggested symmetry subordinated to strength, yellow mane-like hair, with ample mustache and beard of the same Anglo-Saxon hue; a nose exquisitely moulded, small with the Greek curve, which is so rare in English faces—at any rate in its perfection; large, strong, lustrous, deep blue eyes.

No, it is impossible for my pen to describe Coutance in the perfection of his manly beauty, in the dignity of his mien, in that intense sense of power which pervaded his being, his movements, which influenced every man, every woman, every child, every animal with which he ever came into contact.

The artist had been watching me while I looked at the picture. As soon as the absorption of my first gaze was over, my eyes met his; and I became conscious that he was silently regarding me, reading my thoughts, and the secrets of my utmost soul at the same time. For that was one of Coutance's gifts. His glance penetrated through the object of his notice, often seeing, however, more than was there. I blushed to the roots of my hair.

"Are you willing to supply what is lacking still and has been lacking for some years?" indicating the picture on the easel with a sweep of his hand.

"Am I worthy? Have I what you want?" I asked with a timidity that was strange to me.

"We shall see," he smiled. It will be partly my fault if you are not, and I must give the idea up as an unfulfilled dream."

"Oh, but you may yet find someone else."

"I do not think it is likely. I am quite satisfied to try with my present material," bending his head courteously, "if you are content to let me. You will not be the first of many who has stood for Esther the Star, but I think you will be the last." Any one else but Coutance would have paid me some compliment probably, even if his satisfaction had been less; but that was not his way. I felt, however, that what he said so gravely and quietly was worth a thousand empty compliments.

"I am quite content," I replied, adopting his own words.

Then he handed me a sketch of the dress I was to wear, which he had prepared—a royal robe of purple over a long white under-skirt trimmed and girdled with gold, a little open at the neck, showing the outline of the figure, and gathered below in one hand to display the feet, the whole surmounted by a crown with one magnificent diamond in front. The face and figure were merely indicated in a couple of lines, not sketched in at all.

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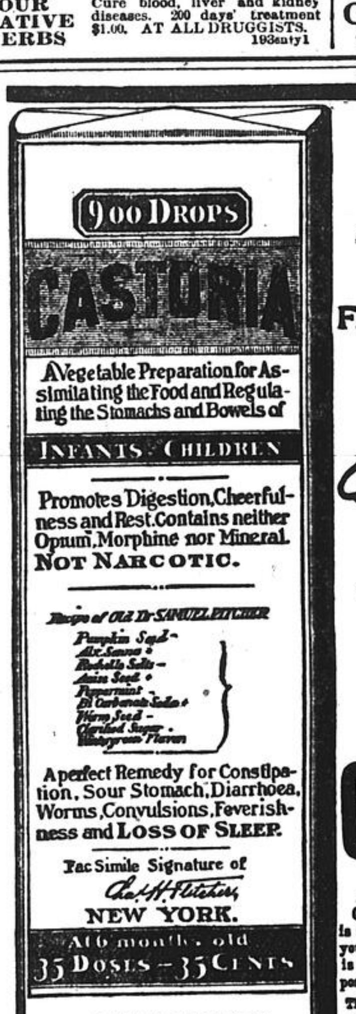

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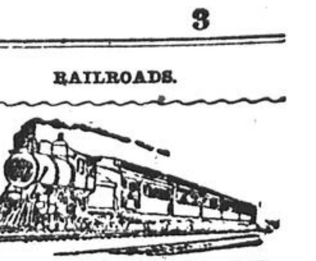

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The Daily Star

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 1900.

Smash the Machine! If there are two Machines, smash them both!!

BEFORE AND SINCE LIBERAL RULE.

Total expenditure in 1896, the last year of Conservative rule, $41,702,383; total expenditure in 1899, the last year of Liberal rule for which complete figures are to hand, $51,542,635; estimated expenditure for the current fiscal year, $56,312.527.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES.

When the elector considers the amazing fact that the Laurier Government have increased the total annual expenditure more during their short term of office than the Conservatives did in eighteen years he finds it difficult to understand where all the money has gone, in view of the fact that the Liberal Government have undertaken no great national enterprises such as those which characterized the Conservative regime. But when he reflects upon Liberal methods as exemplified in a number of cases to which public attention has been drawn he no longer wonders that the total expenditure is so great.

For instance, he remembers that the Government paid two dollars per pound for bogus emergency rations made up of broken biscuits ground into powder and packed in tin cans, whereas the British Government buys genuine emergency rations for the army at from fifty to seventy-five cents per pound. He remembers that all the members of the Government except Mr. Mills justified this as perfectly proper, and he concludes that it is considered quite the thing for members of the Government to pay high prices for everything they buy. The total amount involved in this case was less than $5,000, but every one who has kept accounts knows that a large number of small items count up to a big total, and if the same principle of paying double prices was adopted in all small transactions by the Government it would make an enormous difference in the total expenditure.

But the elector knows that it is not only in small transactions that the Government are extravagant. He remembers how the Conservative Minister of Railways and Canals, having arranged to purchase oil for the Intercolonial Railway, the Liberals came into power before the contract was signed, and Mr. Blair, refusing to carry out the arrangement made by the Conservative Government, made a new contract with the Galena Oil Company. The elector compares the price per gallon which Mr. Blair agreed to pay with the price that the Conservative Government were to pay, and extravagance seems too mild a word to characterize Mr. Blair's method of doing business. The figures are truly amazing:

	BY CONSERVATIVES. Prices per gal.	BY LIBERALS. Prices per gal.
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Engine oil, summer	.20	.39
Engine oil, winter	.21½	.39
Car oil, summer	.08½	.27
Car oil, winter	.09½	.45
Coach oil, summer	.19	.45
Signal and lamp oil	.37½	.46 1-5

The elector smiles at Mr. Blair's explanation that the Galena Oil Company guaranteed that if they were allowed to supervise the work of oiling they would prevent waste of oil, and so save more than the extra price of the oil, for he knows that this part of the contract was not strictly carried out. As hundreds of thousands of dollars are involved in this transaction the elector reasons that the Laurier Government adopt much the same business methods in big transactions as they do in little ones. This opinion is strengthened when he remembers the details of the Drummond County railway deal, by which the Government arranged to pay $2,094,192 for a useless little railway, although a prominent Liberal who owned about one-third of the stock only paid $24,000 for it.

Then the elector remembers how Mr. Tarte gave out dredging contracts at enormous prices, without tender, to relatives and friends who knew nothing about dredging, and they arranged to have the work done by others, making huge profits themselves.

These transactions and many others come to mind when the elector thinks the matter over, and he is not at all surprised that the expenditures have increased.

The people of Canada are not parsimonious; they do not want a stingy policy; they approve of large expenditures when necessary to carry out great national projects; but they will not endorse the reckless extravagance of any Government.

WORKINGMEN AND CHINAMEN.

It is a well-known fact that workingmen always sympathize with other workingmen when they are exposed to unfair competition even when they live a long distance away. Why then should it be supposed that the workingmen of Eastern Canada wish the workingmen of British Columbia to be subjected to the unfair competition of Chinese and Japanese labourers? The workingmen of Eastern Canada are not lacking in sympathy for the workingmen of the West, and when Sir Wilfrid Laurier told the people of British Columbia that the sentiment of the East was against them in this matter he misrepresented the feelings of the Canadian people—not intentionally, for he always tries to be on the popular side, but because he misunderstands public opinion.

When the people of British Columbia are told that Eastern Canadians are against them on this vital question it naturally creates a feeling of hostility toward the Eastern Provinces very hurtful to the Dominion. This is all one country from the Atlantic to the Pacific and anything that injuriously affects one section of it cannot be a matter of indifference to the other sections.

Even if there were no danger of the Chinamen coming East in large numbers the workingmen of Eastern Canada should show their sympathy with the workingmen of the west. But there is real danger of a very large influx of yellow men to Eastern Canada. They naturally look for work in British Columbia first, but so many of them are arriving that there is not work for all of them in the Pacific Province and they will come east in increasing numbers.

This question of restricting Chinese immigration may soon become an alarming one for the workingmen of Eastern Canada, and it is easier to avert an evil beforehand than to remedy it afterward.

M'GILL STREET AND ITS PAVEMENT.

In repaving McGill street asphalt should be used in preference to wood. The experience of both Canadian and American cities has shown that asphalt is the best pavement. It is easier to keep clean than wood, is more durable, looks better and is not very noisy. But either an asphalt or a wood pavement must be kept clean or it will rot. To allow filth to collect on asphalt even for a short time injures it, and this is equally true of wood. It is poor economy to spend money on good pavements and then fail to provide money to keep them clean. The experience of American cities goes to show that the cleaner an asphalt pavement is kept the longer it lasts. But it is even more necessary to keep a wooden pavement clean because it absorbs disease germs more readily than asphalt.

There is a great improvement this year over last year in the condition of the streets, but they are not yet nearly so clean as they should be.

Montreal has not yet had a fair test of the cleanliness of asphalt pavements because there are so many streets in the city paved only with macadam that the dirt is carried from them to the asphalted streets. If we had as many miles of asphalt pavement as they have in Buffalo, a city of about the same size, it would be comparatively easy to keep the pavements clean.

An asphalt pavement would greatly improve the appearance of McGill street. It is likely to become a magnificent street in the near future. It is very wide, occupies a central position, leading from the water front to Victoria Square, and has already some imposing buildings. Looking down McGill street from Victoria Square a stranger gets a very favourable opinion of Montreal. It is a pity that this fine street does not extend to St. Catherine street, or even to the mountain.

NEGROES IN THE NORTH.

People in general have been accustomed to regard the race hatred between whites and negroes of the United States as prevailing only in the Southern States, and negro leaders have frequently urged their people to emigrate to the North in order to secure justice and fair play, but the disgraceful scenes in New York the other night indicate that if negroes were as numerous in northern cities as they are in the south there might be conflicts between the two races as shocking as those which occur so frequently in the South.

The negroes in the Northern States are generally of a better class than those of the South. They are more intelligent and better educated as a rule. Yet the negro has not equal rights with the whites even in the North. No matter how much he may be above the average of his race in intelligence, education and wealth if a negro goes to a first class hotel or restaurant in the North, he is likely to be refused accommodation.

The race repugnance is probably nearly as strong in the North as in the South and the chief reason why it is not so frequently manifested is because there are comparatively few negroes in the Northern States. It is a serious problem for the United States, for the negroes are increasing in the North as well as in the South.

A BOER BOYCOTT OF BRITISH GOODS.

According to Mr. Stowe, the United States Consul-General at Cape Town, the Dutch element in South Africa will boycott British goods for some time after the war at least, and he thinks American manufacturers will get the advantage. He has received many enquiries from proposed co-operative associations asking information as to where they can buy United States products. The Toronto Mail and Empire points out that there is a way to meet the conspiracy of which Consul-General Stowe speaks, and that is by a preferential tariff. As the making of the tariff for the Orange River Colony and the Transvaal will be in the hands of the Imperial Government for some time the Mail and Empire thinks a maximum and minimum tariff might be arranged, the former to be applied to goods imported from foreign countries and the latter to goods imported from countries within the Empire. It thinks that the British element is strong enough in Cape Colony and Natal to secure similar legislation there if that policy were adopted by the Imperial authorities in the Transvaal and the Orange River Colony.

The time is certainly opportune for the Canadian Government to urge such a policy upon the Imperial Government and the Governments of Cape Colony and Natal, but it should be as part of a general scheme of inter-Imperial preferential trade by which all the countries within the Empire would trade with each other on more favourable terms than with foreign countries.

If British goods should be boycotted by the Boers, Canadian goods would, of course, be included in the boycott, as Canadian soldiers have taken the most prominent part in the battles in which the Boers were beaten.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier in Toronto: "If we get into power we will follow the example of Mr. Mackenzie; and I will say that, although we may not be able to bring the expenditures to what they were under him, we can reduce the amount two, yes, three millions of dollars per year." The expenditure in 1896 was $41,702,383. It has increased every year since and is now $56,000,000. It is all right to be a silver-tongued orator, but it "comes high" when he also exercises, like Midas, the touch of gold—"touching" the people for the gold.

The Toronto Globe says that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is criticized for not introducing a protective tariff in the Parliament of Great Britain. In fact, he is criticized because he told the British people that it would be a mistake to abandon the free trade policy of treating all nations alike in order to give Canada a preference, and because he did not accept the proposal of Mr Chamberlain for an Imperial Conference to consider the best means of encouraging trade within the Empire.

The statement made by Signor Crispi in advocating an increase in the Italian navy that Italy has descended from third place in 1890 until it is now seventh among the naval powers, does not mean that Italy's fleet is smaller than it was in 1890. It is in fact greater, but the fleets of the other powers have been increased so much more rapidly that Italy has fallen behind.

The statement that Oom Paul has contributed to Bryan's campaign fund several bags of gold from the people's treasure he carried off with him in his Pullman car patent moveable capital, is exceedingly doubtful. Herr Kruger knows the value of gold. If he would make his contribution in paper money of the South African Republic, it would give Bryan's supporters a financial object lesson.

PRICE OF ENLIGHTMENT

Chinese Consul Declares That it Would be Dangerous to Civilize His Countrymen.

OAKLAND, Cala., August 17.—Ho Yow, Chinese consul-general at San Francisco, in an address before the Ebell Society, said: "There are 500,000,000 of my countrymen. They are quick to learn and taking these facts into consideration, what would happen if the white race succeeded in forcing its civilization and its knowledge upon them? They would be able to manufacture guns and all the engines of warfare with equal facility. Under these circumstances Christianity might triumph, and again it might not."

The three chief causes of the present troubles in China, Ho Yow declared, to be missionary work, acquisition of territory by foreign nations and desecration of ancestral homes and the landscape of China.

In closing, Ho Yow said he could see no legitimate reason why one nation should wish to force its religion upon another.

THE MONTREAL POINT OF VIEW.

(The Boston Transcript.)

The Montreal Star has a grievance against the Dominion Government. In fact, it has many grievances scored up against the powers that be, but perhaps in this one local patriotism is as active as partisan prejudice. The Intercolonial Railway runs as far west as Montreal, but no farther. Any freight, therefore, brought from the Maritime Provinces and destined to points west of Montreal must be turned over at that city to some other road, and the Government has designated the Grand Trunk as the line to receive that favour. An attempt was made to fix this arrangement for a term of ninety-nine years, but the Senate objected to such an agreement, so it is now only for a short term. The Star urges that the Canadian Pacific road shall be given at least equal privileges with the Grand Trunk, and shows what, from its point of view, the advantage would be to Canadian interests. In fact, it contends that that is the only way in which the Intercolonial road can reap any profit on its long distance business. If this cannot be done there is danger that St. John will be abandoned as a winter port. And then appears the milk in the cocoanut. "It is the Canadian city of St. John against the American cities of Portland and Boston. . . . If the Canadian Pacific Railway abandons St. John as a winter port and transfers its export business to Boston, every farmer in New Brunswick will get less for his farm products because the great ocean vessels will cease running between that port and Liverpool unless they receive enormous subsidies from the Government." Perhaps this grievance is more genuine than some of the others. It is not for us to object to the present arrangement, but were our view point in Montreal we might share the Star's apprehensions.

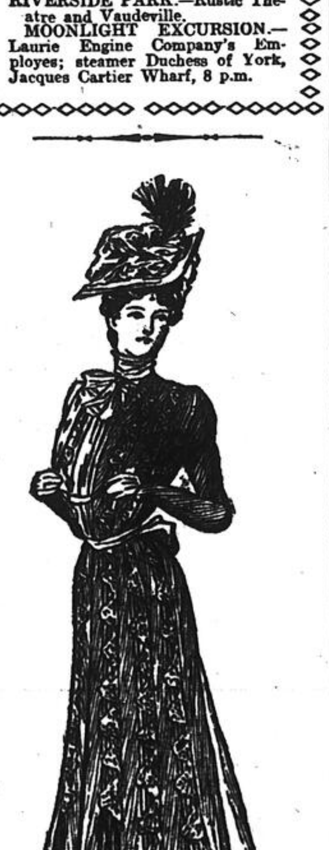
FAST MAIL WAS WRECKED.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, August 17.—Train No 3, the fast mail between New York and Chicago on the Lake Shore, was wrecked at one o'clock this morning on the long bridge over Sandusky Bay, but no one was killed or seriously injured. The engine and two baggage cars passed over safe. The smoker and one day coach are entirely submerged in the lake. One coach is on end down the bank; a sleeper about half tipped over is down the bank and the last sleeper is off the track right on the trestle.

It is said the cause of the wreck was the spreading of the rails. Everybody got out of the coaches, but several got badly cut up; no lives were lost.

THIS EVENING

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.—The Baldwin-Melville Stock Co., in "The Charity Ball."
SOHMER PARK.—Band Concert and Vaudeville Performance.
RIVERSIDE PARK.—Rustic Theatre and Vaudeville.
MOONLIGHT EXCURSION.—Laurie Engine Company's Employes; steamer Duchess of York, Jacques Cartier Wharf, 8 p.m.



Dainty gown of cream linen and lace, the latter being threaded with black velvet baby ribbon.

The MUSICAL JOHNSTONS, Celebrated Xylophone Players, will remain next week at Riverside Park. 193mty2

MEETINGS AND AMUSEMENTS.

WATER TRIPS
Saturday and Sunday by R. & O.
$3.00 Quebec and Return $3.00
Going Saturday at 7 p. m. and returning Sunday or Monday.
90c Sorel and Return 90c
$1.50 Three Rivers and Return $1.50
Going Saturday at 7 p. m., or Sunday at 3 p.m. Returning Sunday from Sorel, and Sunday or Monday from Three Rivers.
STEAMER TERREBONNE.
Steamers leave at 2.30 p.m. Saturday, trip down the river, returning at 8 p.m. Sunday at 8 a.m., returning at 8 p.m.
90c. Sorel and Return 90c
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Leaving Saturday at 11.30 a.m., returning to city Sunday at 6 p. m. Meals and berth included for the round trip.
Shooting all the Rapids.
Cheapest Trip Ever Given by Water.
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Boat leaves Verdun. Mondays and Thursdays 6 and 10 a.m., 2 and 6 p.m.; Tuesdays and Fridays, 6 a.m., 2 and 6 p.m.; Wednesdays, 6 p.m.; Saturdays, 6 a.m., 2.30 and 5 p.m.; Sundays, at 8 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 6 p.m. Leaves Cote St. Catherine on Saturdays at 4 a.m., 8 a.m., 3.30 p.m. and 5 p.m.; on Sundays at 5 p.m. Special rates for Sunday-schools and Picnics. RETURN FARE—20 CENTS. 193 1

THE IDEAL TRIP
To Carillon and Back, $1.00
PALACE STR. SOVEREIGN.
Take 8 a.m. quick G. T. R. train for Lachine wharf. Business men may join your party at Hudson or St. Ann's in afternoon. Get snap shot guide at ticket office. 191*5

MEETINGS AND AMUSEMENTS.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE,
THIS WEEK—Matinees Wed., Fri. and Sat., at 2.15 p.m.
BALDWIN-MELVILLE STOCK CO.
Presenting Belasco & DeMille's Sparkling Comedy-Drama,
THE CHARITY BALL!
—SAME OLD PRICES—
Matinees—10c, 25c. Nights—10c, 20c, 30c, 50c.
Next week, Farewell week, 4 Big Productions. 190*5

COMMON SENSE KILLS Roaches, Bed Bugs, Rats and Mice. All druggists, &c., 381 Queen Street W., Toronto. Beware of worthless imitation. 83*ntytf

The Battle of Giants. Championship Lacrosse.
Capital vs. Shamrock, (Champions)
S.A.A.A. Grounds, Saturday, 18th August, 1900.
Ball faced at 3 o'clock sharp. 1½ hour's play, rain or shine.
Admission, 25c. Grand Stand, 35c. Reserved Seats, 50c.
For sale by Jno. T. Lyons, druggist, corner Craig and Bleury sts.; Pearson & Co., tailors, Chaboillez Square; A. Decarie, druggist, St. Catherine and St. Denis sts.; MacKerrow Bros., St. Catherine st.; J. Tucker, McCord st.
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A MOONLIGHT TRIP On Steamer Duchess of York.
........GIVEN UNDER AUSPICES OF THE........
EMPLOYEES OF LAURIE ENGINE CO.
FRIDAY, August 17th, 1900.
Casey's Orchestra. Musical Attractions. Steamer leaves Jacques Cartier Wharf 8 p.m.
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Court Pride of the East
NO. 19, C. O. F.
Will hold their Second Annual Picnic to Electric Park, Back River, on
AUGUST 18th.
Adults, 25c - - Children, 15c.
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MEETINGS AND AMUSEMENTS.

NEW THEATRE ROYAL Afternoon & Evening.
THIS WEEK, AUGUST 13.
Doors open Afternoon, 1.30; Evening 7.30.
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Prices: 10c, 20 and 30 Cents.
Next Attraction—A Guilty Mother. 189*tf

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Lavigne's Military Band of Virtuosos.
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WON A GOLD MEDAL.

Views of Montreal Fire Brigade Please Judges at Paris Exposition.

NAUD-DUBOIS INVESTIGATION.

Absentee Aldermen Cause Another Postponement Until September 6.

While the Fire Committee was in session yesterday afternoon, Chief Benoit was informed by Mayor Prefontaine that he had a cable from Paris announcing that the brigade had been awarded a gold medal for the album of views of the various branches of the brigade exhibited there, and which had received the favourable attention of the judges. Among the photographs was a beautiful one of the Theatre Francais fire.

Ald. Hart presided at the meeting and Ald. Lamarche, Lavallee, Chausse and Bumbray were all present, the absentees being Ald. Ames, and Tansey, who has gone to Old Orchard on a short vacation.

The question of opening the Dubois-Naud investigation came up, and on motion of Ald. Chausse, supported by Ald. Bumbray and the chairman it was finally fixed for Sept. 6 at three o'clock.

Ald. Lamarche and Lavallee would have been prepared to commence then and there, but the absence of Ald. Tansey had the effect of having the start again adjourned. In the meantime interested parties are to be notified to be on hand for the date named with all their witnesses.

The building inspector reported upon his action against the Grand Trunk for not taking out a permit for their new office having been thrown out by the recorder. It was decided that the chairman and Ald. Lavallee should consult with the City Attornies to decide upon the advisability of taking the case to appeal as the committee are anxious to know what to do in future regarding the issuing of permits.

Mr. C. H. Stephens objected to a wood yard at the corner of Pine Avenue and St. Urbain street as being dangerous to his property for fire and generally objectionable. The building inspector is to report upon the matter.

F. L. Decarie, superintendent of fire engines, was granted a two months' leave of absence to visit the Paris exhibition.

The boiler inspector was instructed to give parties who create smoke nuisances a last chance before he proceeds against them.

A discussion arose regarding a temporary building erected contrary to building by-laws on Marianne street, corner of Berri. It seems the homologated line has been moved back, leaving a strip of land eighteen feet wide in front which has not yet been expropriated by the city. The proprietor, Antoine Brunet, seeing the delay, constructed thereon a temporary wooden building. A few weeks ago he was ordered by the Building Inspector, to conform with the by-law by either encasing it with brick or by tearing it down. Nothing has been done, it seems, and the committee debated yesterday whether the building was to be demolished or not. Opposition was expressed by some of the members, and it was therefore decided to refer the matter to the council.

DEATH WAS ACCIDENTAL.

Coroner McMahon yesterday held an inquest on the body of William Wood, the barge captain who was killed on the Grand Trunk track in the Dominion Coal Company's yards yesterday morning. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death. Mr. John Wood, brother of deceased, has decided to have the body buried here, and Messrs. C. A. Dumaine & Co., have been given charge of the funeral arrangements.

LICENSE TRANSFERS GRANTED.

At the last meeting of the License Commissioners, the following transfers were granted: C. Boyer, to Mrs. O. Rochon, 508 Craig street; Eustace Chenier, from 501 to 465 St. James street; P. Z. Millette, to Arthur Vinette, 94 Centre street; A. Prevost, to Wm. J. Stillwell, 21 Jacques Cartier square; and Remi Arbour, to Jos. Lemieux, 629 St. Lawrence street.

HURT BY FALL FROM STAGING.

The Notre Dame Hospital Ambulance was called about three o'clock yesterday afternoon, to 262 Notre Dame street, to bring in a man named Joseph Boyer, 45 years old, residing at 13 St. Ignace street, who had fallen from a staging a distance of a about ten feet. He had sustained injuries to the left side, and received several cuts on the side of the head. The necessary medical assistance was afforded to the injured man at the hospital.

FEDERATED TRADES COUNCIL.

Prison Made Shoes Caused Severe Condemnation of the Government.

The regular meeting of the Federated Trades Council was held in their hall, 560 Dorchester street, last evening. President Roberge in the chair.

A letter was read from the Boilermakers' Union, thanking the Council for its financial assistance during their trouble.

The communication from Mr. George W. Dower, secretary of the Trades and Labour Congress of Canada, held over from last meeting, inviting the council to send delegates to the Congress, which meets in Ottawa on the 18th of September, was discussed and the following delegates elected: Messrs. Roberge, Rodier and Rivet.

Delegates from the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union complained of the competition of prison made goods. They said it was pretty rough on law-abiding citizens attempting to earn a living making shoes and fair manufacturers with capital invested in the production of shoes, to go out into the market and compete against the prison made shoes produced at prices from sixteen cents to forty cents per pair. It was stated that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had promised to have these goods marked "prison-made," etc., if they were to be made at all, but this promise had not been carried out, and the Government came in for considerable condemnation by the different delegates.

Delegates from the Journeymen Bakers' Union urged the council to assist them by requesting the members of organized labour to purchase only bread bearing the union label. They stated that the wages of the bakers of Montreal have remained at practically the same level for some years, while the cost of living has increased from 25 to 50 per cent. More men are at work now than were employed in 1896, but they are in reality working for lower wages. The council decided to do all they could to assist the bakers with their label.

After a lively debate it was decided to ask the City Council for a grant of $300 to assist with the Labour Day celebration. The delegates claimed that Winnipeg, Toronto, Hamilton and other cities had granted sum for that purpose.

NEWS OF THE CITY.

HE WILL PREACH—The Rev. Neil McPherson, of St. Paul's Church, Hamilton, Ont., will preach in Stanley St. Presbyterian Church, on the next two Sabbaths.

HE BOUGHT OPENLY.—Mr. Lecour, of Cote St. Paul, in whose stable were found two horses stolen from Mile End and Laprairie, states that he did not buy the horses from a stranger, and at a price below their value, but that he acquired them publicly at an open sale, at Foster's horse exchange, on St. Paul street, near McGill street.

EXCURSION.—Division No. 3, A. O. H. will hold its annual excursion to Lake St. Peter on Wednesday next, the 22nd instant. The steamer Three Rivers will leave Jacques Cartier wharf at 1.30, and the return to the city will be about 9.30 in the evening. Casey's orchestra has been engaged for the occasion, and a good time is in store for all who take part in the trip.

BLACKSMITHS MEET. — Strathcona Union 157, of the Brotherhood of Blacksmiths, held its regular meeting last evening in the Knights of Labour Hall, 662 1-2 Craig street, President J. B. Bergeron in the chair. Thirteen new members were initiated. The secretary was instructed to write the Minister of Railways and inquire why the Government gave a contract to the Manchester Locomotive Works, of New Hampshire, to build eight new engines for the Intercolonial Railway, when the work could be done in Canada.

ELECTED OFFICERS. — The semi-annual meeting of Dominion Assembly 2436, Knights of Labour, was held in the Hall, 662 1-2 Craig street, Master Workman J. H. Dodd in the chair. The election of officers took place and the following were elected: Master Workman, J. H. Dodd; recording secretary, F. Chambers; Worthy Foreman, J. Fitzgibbon; financial secretary, J. Bowes; treasurer, P. Dillon; almoner, W. E. Douglas; statistician, R. A. Smith; delegates to District Assembly 18, J. H. Dodd, F. Galvin, W. Wallace; delegates to the Central Trades and Labour Council, J. H. Dodd, F. Galvin, W. Wallace.

STOLE WATCH—SIX MONTHS.

In the Police Court yesterday, Arthur Lapierre was found guilty of stealing a watch from E. Williams, of 47 Church street. The prisoner was sent down for six months. Wilfrid Drolet, arrested as an accomplice, was acquitted.

Grand Saturday Excursion
EVERY SATURDAY.
The Str. Chateauguay will leave No. 1 Canal Basin, foot of McGill Street, at 2 p.m. passing around the Chateauguay Islands, then up Lake St. Louis, to Beauharnois, returning by N.Y.C. railroad to Montreal, arriving at Montreal at 10 p.m. A most delightful trip.
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ANNUAL FIRING PRACTICE.
The companies will parade as follow:
No. 3 Company—Friday, 17th (to-night), at 8 p.m.
No. 1 Company—Monday, 20th instant, at 8 p.m.
No. 3 Company—Tuesday, 21st instant, at 8 p.m.
The firing detachments will parade at the Armoury on Wednesday, 22nd instant, at 6 p.m., and proceed to Quebec by boat.
Uniform for all parades—Drill order.
By order,
ERNEST C. COLE, Captain,
193*2 Adjutant.

McGill University
BOARDING HOUSE LIST.
Persons wishing to receive students as lodgers and boarders during the next session, beginning September 17th, are requested to communicate at once with the undersigned, giving full particulars as to terms, etc. Every application must be accompanied by a certificate of the sanitary condition of the house from the Health Office, and if from a new applicant, by written testimonials.
Applications should be in by August 25.
185*nty6eod W. VAUGHAN, Secretary.

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THIRTY CENT FULL MIDDAY DINNER AT THE BALMORAL HOTEL CAFE. 94*2aw

MANY IMMIGRANTS.

Quebec Agent Reports 4,700 Persons Settled in Province During Season.

WERE MOSTLY ENGLISH SPEAKING AND A DESIRABLE CLASS OF IMMIGRANTS.

Captain George LeBel, Provincial Immigration Agent at Quebec, who was here yesterday, reports that up to the end of July, 4,700 persons had been entered as having settled in this province during the present season, being an increase of 1,546 over the corresponding period of last year. They were for the most part English speaking and were a desirable class of immigrants. Captain LeBel spoke in complimentary terms of the class sent out by the Self Help Society in England. Over two hundred were Scotch, and many of them had considerable effects and means of their own on taking up their new abode. Within the past few weeks there have been one or two settlements in the Lake St. John district, by thrifty and intelligent French farmers, with comfortable means of support. The captain claims that this province receives the very best of the newcomers, as they are picked out on arrival and furnished with occupation.

Mr. Emile Marquette, local agent here, states that the best class of immigrants are remaining in Canada, the others going on to the Western States.

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CIRCULATION

—OF THE—

Daily and Weekly Star

FOR WEEK ENDING

August 11th, 1900.

Monday	57,150
Tuesday	57,052
Wednesday	57,087
Thursday	57,155
Friday	57,173
Saturday	63,335
	348,952

Present Average:

DAILY, for week ending August 11 **58,159**

WEEKLY STAR Last Week ... **116,789**

Average Circulation of the STAR Last Week, **174,948**

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THE STAR AT SUMMER RESORTS.

The Daily Star is sent to summer resorts and summer residences addressed to individuals at thirty cents a month. Persons visiting New York and other American cities may have the Star addressed to them for as short a period as one week. Subscriptions may be paid at 165 St. James street, or at the Star Branch Office, No. 1, corner Peel and St. Catherines treets.

HON. MR. BOND STRICKEN.

Newfoundland's Premier Mourns the Loss of His Mother.

(Special to the Star.)

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., August 17.—Mrs. Bond, mother of Honourable Mr. Bond, Premier, died this morning at her home at Whitbourne, at an advanced age. The Premier who is unmarried was devoted to his mother and is deeply stricken by his loss. The whole country sympathizes.

The work of organizing for the autumn campaign in connection with the general election has been somewhat retarded by Mr. Bond's enforced absence from the city due to close attention he has had to give to his dying mother.

GOOD NEWS FROM LABRADOR.

The Take of Fish Promises to be a Good Average.

(Special to the Star.)

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., August 17.—The latest news from Labrador is cheering. Fishing will be a good average. There are four warships in port, two English and two French. Some traps, recently taken from British subjects on the French shore by the British ships presumably at the request of the French settlers has caused action to be taken in the court by a merchant to whom the traps belonged.

Traces of gold have been found at Rose Blanche Mines. The property is likely to prove very valuable.

All is quiet at Belle Island. Eleven hundred men are now employed.

SAY IT IS WORKABLE.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, August 17.—The Department of Justice knows nothing of the reported discrepancies in the election act, which would make it absolutely unworkable. The act, they claim, is perfectly workable, and an election could be held under it to-day. The forms necessary for carrying through an election under it have all be drafted, and could be ready in short order.

NORWEGIAN BARK WENT DOWN.

LONDON, August 17.—The Norwegian bark Ratata, which was in collision with the British steamer Exeter City, was sunk. The disaster occurred on August 11, in latitude 49 north, longitude 25 west. Two of the crew were drowned. The remainder were rescued by the Exeter City and brought to port.

REPLACES SIR RICHARD.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, August 17.—Hon Mr. Bernier has been appointed temporarily a member of the Treasury Board, in the place of Sir Richard Cartwright, who is absent. This is done in order to secure a quorum of the board.

MONEY FOR BRITISH PRISONERS

CAPE TOWN, August 17.—An American consular official has gone from Lorenzo Marques to Nooitgedacht to distribute money to British prisoners there, each of whom receives $20.

FURNISHED HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED — WELL FURNISHED house for a few months this winter; must be in good locality. Address, giving particulars. E 1326, Star office. 193 3

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY FURNISHED flat, west of Union avenue, not less than six rooms. Address D. 7007, Star Branch Office. 191 2eod

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TO LET — IN 318 ST. PAUL ST., A nice office and sample room; moderate rent. H. H. Austin, Estate Tiffin, 61 St. Gabriel st. 193 10 eod

HOUSES WANTED.

WANTED — A HOUSE OR FLAT, not more than six or seven rooms, from Oct. 1; rent about $17 per month; must have furnace. G, 7072, Star Branch office. 193 2

RESIDENTIAL FLATS TO LET.

TO LET — DELIGHTFULLY SITUated furnished 7 room flat, 1 Pacific, off Dorchester street west; separate entrance; gas stove; rent low. 20 Imperial Building, or 37 Hawarden. 193 2

HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET—HOUSE, 211 ST. ANTOINE street, near Mountain street; hot water heating; house all newly painted, and in first class condition; immediate possession. Apply James A. Ogilvy and Sons, St. Catherine street. 94 tf

TO LET — SEPT. 1ST., IN WESTmount, new modern brick house of eight rooms; Daisy furnace. Address E 7024, Star Branch office. 192 3

TO LET — ST. LOUIS SQUARE. Furnished or unfurnished, with free hot water heating; handsome cut stone residence, 13 rooms, billiard, reception, etc.; hardwood finish; double baths, etc.; gas stove, extensive stabling; owner removing from city, will rent or sell reasonably to responsible party. H. L. Putnam, Temple building. 192 3

TO LET — $10 MONTHLY. UPPER dwelling, No. 13 Gaudry avenue, above St. Antoine street, 6 rooms; very warm in winter. Apply to J. W. Shaw, 2274 St. Catherine street. 192 3

TO LET — LOWER TENEMENT. IN one of the nicest situations in Westmount; hot water heating, electric bells, etc.; rent low to a desirable tenant. Apply to 67 Hallowell st. 193 2

TO LET — STONE FRONT HOUSE. 158 Mance street, above Sherbrooke, 12 apartments; recently renovated, as good as new; immediate entry. John Parslow, 78 Tupper st. 193 3

TO LET — A HANDSOME STONE house, No. 1184 Dorchester street, near St. Mark street; rent moderate; house to be thoroughly overhauled; painting and tinting to be done to suit a good tenant if lease arranged before 1st September next. Apply to George W. Hamilton and Son, agents, 24 St. Sacrament street. 193 2

TO LET — HOUSE AND GROUNDS. furnished or unfurnished, hot water heating, bath, etc. Thomas Ligget, 1884 Notre Dame street, or No. 1 Thornton Park. 193 tf

TO LET — LARGE, FINE RESIdence, never occupied; heated with hot water; best of plumbing; large grounds and stables, etc.; street cars pass the door; will take a nominal rental from first class tenant. Apply to R. A. Mainwaring, 147 St. James st. 193 2

TO LET — NO. 460 GROSVENOR street, Westmount, 8 rooms, Daisy furnace, all modern conveniences; perfect order; reduced rental. Apply W. A. Snowdon, 467 Temple Building. 193 3

TO LET — 95 PARK AVE., SEVEN rooms, furnace, exposed plumbing work; gas and electric light; rent low to May. Apply F. W. Milburne, Sun Life Assurance Co. 193 1

TO LET — FURNISHED OR UNfurnished, one of the finest terrace houses on Peel street; electric light, three bath rooms, every first class appointment. Apply immediately, F 7062, Star Branch office. 193 2

TO LET—HOUSES, 397 PRINCE ARthur street, modern self-contained, two flats, 10 rooms; near Durocher; also 49a Durocher, large tenement; both recently renovated. Apply 47a Durocher. 190 3 3aw

TO LET — FIRST CLASS HOUSES. gas, hot water, etc.; seven, nine, ten rooms; very low rents, $10, $12, $15; immediate entry. 590 Cadieux. 193 2

TO LET — HOUSES, 155 HUTCHIson, 22 Prince Arthur street; in good order; rent moderate. For further particulars apply to J. P. Whelan, 31 Durocher street. 193 4

TO LET — A HOUSE OR FLAT OF seven rooms, in a nice locality; rent about sixteen dollars. Address F, 1353, Star office. 193 1

PROPERTY FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TO LET — THOSE fine new cut stone front self-contained houses, with extensions, Nos. 59 to 65 Chesterfield avenue, Westmount; hardwood finish, 7 bedrooms; all latest improvements; tinted and decorated; delightful situation and outlook for a home; price low, terms easy. T. H. Walsh, Temple building. 193 2

FOR SALE — A PARTY LEAVING town is desirous of selling a modern, up-to-date house in Westmount; pleasant situation; price low on easy terms. Address F, 7055, Star Branch office. 193 2

FOR SALE — 162 ST. LUKE ST., A modern house, extension wing, first class order. The furniture also, which is nearly as good as new, may be had for half price. Apply M. Tolmie, 162 St. Luke street. 193 3

FOR SALE — ON EASY TERMS, NOS. 9 and 11 St. Catherine Road, adjoining Mountain Park, five bedrooms, commodious drawing room, dining room and library on ground flat; tastefully decorated; balconies front and rear; steel bath, furnace, and hot water throughout; stationary wash tubs, modern exposed plumbing; electric cars 12 minutes from Craig street, get off at corner Park ave. and Mount Royal ave. Can be inspected any time. Apply to N. Binmore, room 24, London and Lancashire Chambers, 164 St. James st. 163 eod tf

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE

FOR SALE — AT DORVAL, MR. Murray Kennedy's cottage, situated on river front, opposite to Dorval Island, close to Forest and Stream, Golf and Yacht Clubs. For particulars apply to Murray Kennedy, P. O. Box 371, Quebec. 191 6

SHOPS, STORES, BUSINESS PREMISES TO LET.

TO LET — FLAT WITH OR WITHout power, well lighted; central locality. Address P, 1001, Star office. 190 5

TO LET — SHOP, AND ROOMS over; rent cheap; also small factory. Enquire at 224 Delorimier avenue. 193 1

TO LET—SHOP, WITH GOOD WINdow, on Little St. Antoine street. Apply to 784 Craig st. 193 1

TO LET — IN ST. HELEN STREET, corner Lemoine street, fine street flat, cellar, and one top flat; power hoist and Daisy heater. H. H. Austin, Estate Tiffin, 61 St. Gabriel street. 193 10 eod

FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET.

TO LET — IMMEDIATE POSSESSion, comfortable furnished house of two flats, containing 8 rooms, 3 furnished as bedrooms, in a nice airy locality, West End, above St. Catherine street; terms moderate; willing to rent till 1st of May next. Apply to W. E. Cooper, Star office, St. James street. Branch office, cor. Peel and St. Catherine, or 179 Mance. Tel. numbers Main 2617. Uptown 1346. 155 tf

TO LET — COMFORTABLY FURnished house of two flats, all modern conveniences, four bedrooms; in vicinity of Upper Shuter st. F, 7045, Star Branch office. 193 2

TO LET — UNTIL MAY 1ST, A FURnished house, containing ten rooms, situated on Dorchester street west. Address B, 1277, Star office. 193 2

WANTED TO PURCHASE.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE AN ANGORA cat. State all particulars and address. G, 805, Star Office. 188 tf

WANTED — TO PURCHASE. BEST HIGHest cash prices paid for gentlemen's cast off clothing. I pay 20 p.c. more than any other dealer. E. Panarsky, 473 Craig street. Mail orders promptly attended to. 189 6

WANTED —TO PURCHASE. BEST, HIGHest cash prices paid for ladies' and gentlemen's cast off clothing, at S. Pearson, 2336 Notre Dame. Mail orders attended to. 191 6

WANTED — TO PURCHASE GENTLEmen's cast off clothing, old silver and gold; best prices paid for good goods. Address Max Frank, 493 Craig st., Box 423. 192 20

WANTED — FOR CASH, A JOB LOT of the cheapest varieties of Canadian revenue stamps; state numbers and prices to C. Needham, 76 Somerville ave., Westmount. 192 3

WANTED—PHOTOS OF QUEBEC AND ENvirons, views, scenes of life, sport, etc. Kobbe, 1380 Broadway, New York, U. S. A. 193 12

WANTED — A GOOD WATCH DOG, NOT particular as for breed. Apply to George Lundberg, London House. Apply between 5.30 and 7 o'clock. 193 1

WANTED — SMALL SECONDHAND LIGHT skiff; must be cheap. No. 3 St. Sacrament street. 193 1

SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OPERATORS on Wheeler and Wilson and Singer Sewing machines. Apply to John P. Black and Co., 361 St. James street. 181 24

WANTED—AT ONCE. EXPERIENCED OPerators in all departments of shirt factory, highest prices paid, and steady employment guaranteed all year. Apply at once, to Mdm. Hebert, at Gault Brothers' factory, St. Helen street. 174 tf

WANTED—SIX EXPERIENCED OPERAtors to put on bosoms. Only first class hands wanted. Apply at once, Gault Bros. shirt factory, St. Helen street. 181 tf

WANTED—FIRST CLASS SKIRT HANDS to work on tailor made skirts. Apply between 8 and 10 a.m., Jas. A. Ogilvy & Sons. 182 tf

WANTED — A COMPETENT, RELIABLE man to canvass Montreal and vicinity, an established list of customers. Apply by letter, stating age and salary expected, Luke Brothers Company, Box 679, Montreal. 187 19

WANTED — HOUSE AND TABLEMAID, with satisfactory references. Apply between 12 and 2, or 6 and 8 p.m., at 4240 St. Catherine st. 188 7

WANTED—AGENTS ON SALARY OR commission. The greatest agents' seller ever produced. Every user of pen and ink buys it on sight. 200 to 500 per cent. profit; one agent's sales amounted to $620 in six days; another $32 in two hours. Monroe Mfg. Co., X 147, La Crosse, Wis. 189 6

WANTED — LADY TRAVELLER, TO SELL an article of absolute necessity for ladies. An industrious lady traveller can make from $3 to $5 per day. Apply to A. Bertrand, 25 Commissioners street, Quebec, Que. 189 6

WANTED — A LAD WRITING A GOOD hand and quick at figures, for invoicing. Address, with references to Tooke Bros., Ltd., St. Elizabeth st., St. Henry. 191 3

WANTED — SIX EXPERIENCED IRONers for Frontenac Electric Laundry, Quebec: must be first class and experienced; good wages paid to proper parties. Apply at office, Superintendent Sleeping, Dining Car Dept., Windsor street station. Transportation provided. 191 3

WANTED — GOOD COOK, ALSO HOUSE and tablemaid, competent persons only. Apply before 11 o'clock a.m. or between 6 and 8 p.m., Mrs. Shorey, 64 Rosemount avenue. 191 tf

WANTED — STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEwriter, writing and speaking English and French; young man preferred. State salary expected. Address Y, 1198, Star Office. 192 2

WANTED — ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER in a manufacturer's office. Apply, stating experience, references and salary required, to P. O. Box 2293. 192 3

WANTED — EXPERIENCED R. C. FEmale teacher, not under 20 years of age, holding Model school diploma, able to teach and speak both languages fluently. Duties to commence Sept. 5th. State salary expected. Apply to Wm. J. O'Meara, Sec.-Treas., Bryson, Que. 192 5

WANTED — AN ENGLISH STENOGRAPHer, who understands French; lady preferred. Address immediately to the Manager, Place Viger Hotel. 192 2

WANTED — FIRST CLASS FRY COOK. Apply Windsor Hotel. 192 2

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED TRANSformer winder; permanent position assured to the right man. Address The Lachine Rapids Hydraulic and Land Co., 160 McCord st. 192 3

WANTED — AT ONCE 25 EXPERIENCED operators, on ladies' muslin underwear. Singer machine. The Progress Mfg. Co., cor. St. Catherine and St. Urbain. 192 4

WANTED — EXPERIENCED OPERATORS, also girls for sewing on buttons. Apply The Empire Manufacturing Company, Limited. 646 Craig st. 190 2 2aw

WANTED—LADIES TO DO PLAIN SEWing at home; $1.50 a day; four months' work guaranteed. Particulars for 5 two-cent stamps. Bona fide offer. Gem Book Co., Dept. D., South Framingham, Mass. 182 7 4aw

WANTED — FOR A COLLEGE. JANITOR and wife, without children; must be well recommended and Protestants; wife must be a good plain cook. Apply in writing, stating age, experience and references, to D, 1312, Star Office. 193 2

WANTED — FIRST CLASS COOK, ALSO man for dining room work; must be honest and sober. Apply with references, 79 Union avenue. 193 ?

WANTED — A FIRST CLASS WOMAN, who understands waiting on table. Apply 40 St. Antoine st. 193 1

WANTED — GIRL TO ASSIST WITH housework. 33 Mackay st. 193 1

WANTED — AGENTS TO TAKE SUBscriptions for new books; ladies preferred. Pay two to four dollars per day. Apply 429 St. Antoine st., city. 193 1

WANTED— A GENERAL SERVANT FOR A small family. 1203 Dorchester st. 193 2

WANTED — GIRL WHO IS NEAT AND ACcurate at figures, and has experience in office work. Address B, 1270, Star Office. 193 2

WANTED — A WOMAN TO TAKE CARE of a child in her own home. Apply to 743 St. James st. Mrs. Aiken. 193 1

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, COOKS, GENeral servants, tablemaids, chambermaids, big wages and light work, for private families, hotels, and boarding houses. Gorman's Bureau, 76 Mansfield st. 193 2

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY A SMART, reliable salesman; must be quick, polite and obliging. Apply to W. J. Clarke, Fancy Goods Bazaar, on Mount Royal Park. 193 1

WANTED — GIRLS TO FINISH COATS. H. Shorey and Co., Clothing Manufacturers, 1866 Notre Dame st. 193 2

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT AND also housemaid; references required. Apply No. 146 Durocher st. 193 2

WANTED — A SMART, CAPABLE YOUNG lady, with experience in office work; must be quick and a good writer; one speaking both languages preferred. Address, with references, C, 1290, Star Office. 193 2

WANTED — FIRST CLASS TINSMITH, one with knowledge of plumbing preferred; good position for right man. Apply to R. Hawkins, Smith's Falls. 193 1

WANTED — MOTHER'S HELP, WILLING to assist in all kinds of house work, live in country; references required. Apply stating remuneration expected. Mrs. R. H. Grant, Hazledean, Ont. 193 2

WANTED — TEACHER. A QUALIFIED teacher, French and English, wanted for Grenvillage school, No. 2, Dissentient. Duties to commence first September. Apply stating qualifications and salary to James Barron, trustee, Grenville, P. Q. 193 2

WANTED — MESSAGE BOY. APPLY 2391 St. Catherine st. 193 1

WANTED — GIRL TO ATTEND SODA fountain. Apply 2391 St. Catherine st. 193 1

WANTED — FIRST CLASS HANDS TO make shirts and overalls, on Singer machine, at factory or at home. Apply Robert C. Wilkins, 198 McGill st. 193 2

WANTED — SERVANTS. A COOK AND housemaid, for family of two, on Upper Stanley street; no washing or ironing; must have best references; two sisters not objectionable; time commence September 1st. Apply by letter, 33 Belmont st. 193 4

WANTED — STRONG BOY FOR BUTTER market. Apply W. J. Falle, No. 2 St. Antoine market. 193 1

WANTED — GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, where there is no children. Good wages. 9 Crescent st. 193 1

WANTED — A GOOD COOK. APPLY 2726 St. Catherine st. References required. 193 2

WANTED — MAN AND WIFE, WITH NO children, to go to the country; wife as cook and man to do outdoor work. Apply 990 Sherbrooke st. 193 2

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED NURSE for child two years old; must have best references, good wages for desirable person. Apply by letter, stating age, to "Nurse," P. O. Box 371, Quebec. 190 6

WANTED — GOOD GENERAL SERVANT; must have references. Apply in the evenings at 4435 Sherbrooke st., Westmount. 190 4

WANTED — FOUNDRY FOREMAN, FOR large modern shop; green sand, dry sand and loam castings; must be competent to take full charge. Give references and full particulars; also salary wanted. Address Box W, 1152, Star Office. 191 3

WANTED — A COMPETENT HOUSEMAID, with good references, for family of two; nice position for the right person. Address W, 1164, Star Office. 191 4

WANTED — HOUSEMAID FOR FAMILY of two; must be willing to go to the country; references required. Apply 318 Greene avenue, Westmount. 192 2

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT FOR A family of three; no washing or ironing. Apply at 4023 Dorchester st., between 10 and 12.30 a.m., or 8 and 10 p.m. 192 2

WANTED — AT ONCE BRIGHT GIRL, 14 to 16, to assist in light housework. Apply between 6 and 8 p.m., 4334 St. Catherine st. 192 2

SITUATIONS VACANT.

WANTED — GENTLEMAN, ENERGETIC and reliable man as demonstrator and collector, $50 cash bond required; salary and commission paid; advancement assured. Room 51, 232 McGill st., Montreal. 192 6

WANTED — A TABLE GIRL FOR NIGHT work; references. Apply 461 St. James st. 193 1

WANTED — AT ONCE FOR THE OFFICE of a manufacturing firm, a youth, having some office experience; must be correct at figures and come well recommended; a knowledge of shorthand desirable. Address Youth, P. O. Box 256. 193 2

WANTED — AN UPPER HOUSEMAID. 298 Stanley st. 193 2

WANTED — LOOM FIXER FOR COMPTON looms; good wages for first class man. Apply at once, Paton Manfg. Co., Sherbrooke, Que. 193 8

WANTED — FIRST CLASS STENOGRAPHer and typewriter, write French and English; must be first class penman, fast and accurate at figures; willing to pay a good price for a first class man; nothing but an expert need apply. Address F, 1359, Star Office. 193 13

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY OFFICE BOY. Written references required. Apply to Carter and Goldstein, Advocates, Royal Insurance Building, 1709 Notre Dame st. 193 1

WANTED — THREE SMART WAITRESSES as all day hands and four as lunch hands. Two Flag Dining Room, 589 Craig st. 193 1

WANTED — AT ONCE GOOD GENERAL servant. Apply 222 St. Antoine st. 193 1

WANTED — A MIDDLE AGED MAN AT a fruit stand. Apply corner St. Francois Xavier and Notre Dame sts. 193 1

WANTED — GIRLS FOR FACTORY WORK. Apply Davis and Lawrence Co., 356 St. Antoine st., city. 193 2

WANTED — EXPERIENCED LAUNDRY driver; must speak both languages, have first class recommend and some established trade in west end; good wages. Mireau's Model Cash Laundry. 193 1

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED YOUNG man for the entry desk; must be a rapid writer and correct at figures. Apply by letter only, The Gault Brothers Co., Ltd. 193 3

WANTED — A FIRST CLASS WAITRESS. Apply at The St. Elmo Restaurant, cor. McGill and Recollect sts. 193 2

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT, SMALL family. Apply at once to 309 Metcalfe avenue, Westmount. 193 2

WANTED — A COMPETENT CLOTHING salesman, speaking French and English; none but those well up in the business need apply. Address F, 1364, Star Office. 193 2

WANTED — 200 LABOURERS TO WORK on St. Lawrence Bridge, Victoria Cove, Quebec; wages 12½c per hour. Apply on works, M. P. Davis, Contractor. 193 3

WANTED — A RELIABLE MAN TO REpresent our house in resident and adjoining communities. Duties require hiring help, making collections and some office work. Liberal salary and expenses advanced to right party. Address with references, Wm. J. Uhl, Mgr., 723 Chestnut st., Phila., Pa. 193 3

WANTED — A RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman, able to carry on a coffee restaurant; also two tablemaids. 11 Chaboillez sq.; must speak English and German. 193 2

WANTED — A CAPABLE GENERAL SERvant; no laundry work. References required. Apply 64 St. Matthew st. 193 2

WANTED — 150 MEN AS MEAT CUTTERS, fur cutters, bookkeepers, stenographers, plumbers, bell boys, boys for shipping and to learn trades, rare chances, farm hands, jewellers, jewellery repairers, trunk makers, barbers, and hundred other positions. Call International Bureau, 232 McGill st., room 40. Take elevator. 193 1

WANTED — 500 POWER AND HAND stitchers, at once, good wages; 2 good stenographers, 5 waitresses, office girl, teachers looking for positions, 5 chambermaids, operators on furs, laundry girls, experienced vampers, 50 girls at different kinds of work. International Bureau, 232 McGill st., room 40. Take elevator. 193 1

WANTED — DRUGGIST'S CLERK; MUST speak German. State age and qualifications. Address J. McKenty, Gretna, Manitoba. 193 4

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN AS BOOKkeeper; must have first class references and be thoroughly reliable. Address G. 1398, Star Office. 193 1

WANTED — WRITERS TO DO COPYING at home. Art Institute, Lima, Ohio. 193 2

WANTED — AS STENOGRAPHER AND typewriter, French man, who is well educated, thoroughly efficient, best references; must know English perfectly. Apply own handwriting, stating experience, age, wages, etc. Address Shipper, P. O. Box 2321. 193 1

WANTED — WAITRESSES. APPLY TURKish Bath Hotel. 193 1

WANTED — FIRST CLASS SHOP MAN, for meat market; must be reliable, experienced man; well recommended. Address G, 7089, Star Branch Office. 193 2

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL, ABOUT 15, TO help with light housework and mind baby. Apply 619 City Hall avenue. 193 1

WANTED — LADIES TO SELL A BEAUtiful illustrated work of the Paris Exposition; pleasant work; easy to sell. Address F. 1381, Star Office. 193 1

WANTED — GENERAL HOUSE GIRL; must be good plain cook, Protestant preferred; wages $16 per month. Apply afternoons, 250 Metcalfe avenue, Westmount. 193 3

LOST.

LOST — STRAYED FROM P. GOUGEON, Notre Dame de Grace, red cow. Reward if returned to above address. 191 3

LOST — ON TUESDAY LAST, A SMALL tan and white fox terrier, answers to Bobs. Reward at 62 Beaver Hall Hill. Any one detaining this dog will be prosecuted. 192 2

LOST — ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON, A child's cotton doll, with bonnet and dress of print, either on Dorchester, west of St. Mathew, or Fort street. Please return to 92 St Luke st. 193 1

LOST — SABLE, BLACK AND WHITE COLlie. If not returned to 36 Laurier avenue, St. Henri, holder will be prosecuted. 193 1

LOST — PURSE ON MOUNTAIN STREET, Thursday night, between Woman's Hospital and St. Catherine, two cheques, car tickets, and small amount of silver. Return to 174 Mountain st. Reward. 193 1

LOST — ON THE 15TH, BETWEEN 9 AND 10 p.m., a small velvet and jet cape, silk lining, at corner of Craig and St. Lawrence Main, either left on car or dropped there. Reward at 96 Laval. 193 1

LOST — BETWEEN PLACE VIGER STAtion and Windsor street, along Craig and St. Antoine, small fishing rod in canvas case. Any one returning same to J. Pullam, 128 St. Antoine st., will be rewarded. 193 1

LOST — A PAIR OF SILVER FRAMED spectacles. Please return to 762 Lagauchetiere st. 193 1

LOST — BLACK AND WHITE FOX TERrier dog, black and tan head, with large spot on centre of back, has old collar on. Reward at 226 St. George st. 193 2

LOST — SKYE TERRIER DOG, WITH collar and city tax. Liberal reward on returning to 20 Hutchison st. 193 2

LOST — $5 REWARD. STRAYED FROM the pasture on Frontenac street, red cow, with a white spot on rump. Any one returning her to T. B. Roy, East End Abattoir, will receive the above reward. F. Mitchell, 29 Dorchester st. 193 2

LOST — IF THE PARTY WHO FOUND 3 jackets on Wednesday p.m. will return them to the policeman of the Windsor Hotel, will receive reward. 193 1

FOUND.

FOUND — LEFT IN A CAB, A KODAK. Owner can have it by paying expenses and applying to John Cosgrove, 11 Eleanor st. 193 2

PARTNERS WANTED.

WANTED — PARTNER, WITH $250, SURE fortune. Have an absolute cure for that fearful disease, cancer. No experience required. Can make $25 to $35 per week each. Address B, 1256, Star Office. 192 3

WANTED — PARTNER, WITH $5,000 CAPItal, for stock and fruit farming in Eastern Townships. Exceptional opportunity. Young Englishman or English speaking preferred. Address T, 60, Star Office. 193 1

PROPERTY WANTED.

WANTED — PARTICULARS OF WESTmount or Annex houses or lots for sale. Please state price, location, dimensions of lot, etc., to E, 1344, Star Office. 193 2

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED — POSITION BY LICENTIATE druggist, speaking both languages, good salesman, has first class business experience and a hustler; can adapt himself to any other line requiring tact and ability. Address B, 650, Star Office. 186 10

WANTED — EXPERIENCED DRY GOODS and boot and shoe man, wishes to communicate with first class firm, either line, with view to working, P.E.I. or P.E.I. and N. S. Best references. Box, 503. Charlottetown. 189 5

WANTED — BOOKKEEPER; WITH TEN years' experience, desires position as accountant; can furnish best of references; speaks French and English correctly. Address K. 853, Star Office. 180 6

WANTED — BY A YOUNG MAN SITUAtion as traveller, office or warehouse work. Can give the best of references. O. 980 Star Office. 189 6

WANTED — A POSITION AS CUSTOM cutter; can give first class references; 15 years experience; can command a good trade; conversant with both languages. Address Custom Cutter, to the Canada Clothing Mfg. Co., 67 St. James st. 190 5

WANTED — POSITION AS TEACHER IN private school, professional certificate from Ontario; Normal and Model training. Highest references. 505 St. Urbain st. 191 6

WANTED — BY TWO SISTERS, SITUAtion as companion to elderly lady, or as governess. Address R. B. A., Danville, Que. 192 2

WANTED — SITUATION BY A RESPECTable youth, in warehouse or storeroom, not afraid of work; can furnish first class references. H. Stockton, 10 Donegana st., city. 192 3

WANTED — BY A CERTIFICATED MASsuese, a position as attendant to invalid lady or gentleman. Apply 87 Osborne street. Tel. Up 1326. 192 2

WANTED — BY YOUNG LADY, ENGLISH, position as teacher, nursery governess, or cashier; highest reference. Address Y, 1218, Star Office. 192 3

WANTED — A SITUATION TO GO TO Europe, as ladies' maid or nurse. Apply 22 St. Monique st. 192 2

WANTED — SITUATIONS WANTED BY reliable maids, general servants, free of charge. Apply to Mrs. Jacobson, 64 Crescent street. 193 1

WANTED — BY A RESPECTABLE WOman work by the day of any kind. Apply 133 Chatham st. 193 1

WANTED — DRESSES FASHIONABLY made, very moderate rices, tailor-made suits, fancy blouses, jackets, capes, fit and finish guaranteed. 658 Lagauchetiere street. 193 3

WANTED — SITUATION IN OFFICE BY competent young lady, teacher, very fair knowledge of French; first class references. Address A. B., St. Chrysostome, Box 5, or 273 William st., city. 193 2

WANTED — BY A RESPECTABLE WOman work to do in the mornings. Address F, 1352, Star Office. 193 1

WANTED — BY A YOUNG MAN A POSItion as headwaiter or bartender; 20 years experience in club and hotel; best of references. Address F. 1371, Star Office. 193 2

WANTED — A SITUATION AS PLAIN cook in a private family; no objection to the country. Apply to 489 St. Dominique st. 193 2

WANTED — BY RESPECTABLE YOUNG woman work of any sort, by the day. Apply 5 Balmoral st. 193 3 1aw

WANTED — A LADY WILL GIVE HER services for pleasant home, and small salary, in a refined and cultured family, as lady help, or position of trust, thoroughly understands cooking and housekeeping; city references. Address G, 1383, Star Office. 193 2

PUPILS WANTED.

WANTED — BY PRIVATE TUTOR, A university graduate and experienced teacher, will prepare a few more students for matriculation in law, medicine, or the arts. Terms moderate. Address Prof. Albert, B. A., Q. 1028, Star Office. 190 5

WANTED — SHORTHAND AND TYPEwriting pupils at Cooke's studio, 11 Brandon avenue, day and evening, $1 monthly. 192 3

WANTED — PUPILS IN ENGLISH, SPECial prices for classes; private lessons at pupils' or teacher's residence. Address F, 7057, Star Branch Office. 193 2

SUMMER RESORTS.

ROOM — UPPER LACHINE, ON LAKE front, large furnished front room, private family. Apply or address 589 St. Joseph st., Lachine. 192 3

TO RENT.

TO RENT — 10 PIANOS, $2, $3 MONTH, Weber, Decker Bros., Kilgour, Nordheimer, Heintzman, etc., improved sewing machines $2 month. 84 Prince Arthur st. Telephone East 317. 193 2

HORSES, CARRIAGES, ETC.

FOR SALE — THOROUGHBREDS. WILL be sold on Monday, August 20th, at Foster's stables, 601 St. Paul street, at 3 p.m., two registered thoroughbred mares. (1) Skilite, by Imported Stylites, Aneta; (2) Amneris, by Gladiator, Queen Aida. Can be seen on Saturday previous at same place. 189 6

FOR SALE — OR MADE TO ORDER. Meader's improved bakers' delivery waggons. Send address for catalogue and prices, F. H. Meader, Orillia, Ont. 193 4

WANTED — TO BUY A SECONDHAND express waggon (covered.) Address F, 1365, Star Office. 193 2

BOARD AND ROOMS.

ROOMS — AND BOARD; ALSO TABLE board, can be had in first class French family, near Viger square. 57 St. Denis st. 189 6

ROOMS — WITH GOOD BOARD, AT $15.00 per month, also table board at $2.50 a week. Apply at 30 Victoria st. 191 4

ROOMS — WITH SUPERIOR BOARD, MODern conveniences; transients accommodated. 38 McGill College avenue. 192 3

ROOMS — TO LET, WITH BOARD; TRANsients accommodated. 148 Mansfield st. 191 3

ROOMS — TO LET, WITH BOARD, ALSO vacancy for table boarders. Apply 102 Mansfield. 192 3

ROOMS—A LADY HAVING A LARGE DOUble residence and grounds, in Westmount, offers rooms, with board, extra large connecting rooms, with bay windows; all elegantly furnished; electric light; telephone, and all modern conveniences; transients or tourists accommodated. Address 320 Kensington avenue, off Sherbrooke street. 192 3

BOARD — AND ROOMS. SINGLE AND double room, for married couple or gentlemen, with board or without board. 137 Mansfield st. 193 2

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ROOMS — FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHed, with or without board, and use of kitchen. 2 Overdale avenue, five minutes' walk from Windsor Hotel. 193 2

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ROOMS — DOUBLE AND SINGLE, ONE ON bathroom flat, with or without full or partial board; transients accommodated. 35 McGill College avenue. 188 10

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ROOMS — LARGE AND SMALL, BATHroom and upper flat, private house. Apply forenoon or from 6 to 8.30, 37 McGill College avenue. 192 4

ROOMS — LARGE DOUBLE ROOM, ALSO extra large single rooms, well furnished; breakfast if required; terms moderate. 80 Victoria st. 192 3

ROOMS — FURNISHED, IN QUIET FAMily; no children; gentlemen only. 22 Brunswick street. 192 2

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ROOM — WELL FURNISHED ROOM, WITH use of kitchen, for married couple. Address F, 7036, Star Branch Office. 192 2

ROOMS — TO LET FRONT PARLOUR, UNfurnished. 46 Mance street. 192 2

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ROOMS — ONE OR TWO COMFORTABLY furnished or unfurnished, double or single, with all modern conveniences, in private family; no children; rent reasonable to desirable occupants. 33 Guilbault st. 192 3

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ROOM — TO LET, FURNISHED ROOM, on bathroom flat. 2079 St. Catherine st. 192 3

ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED OR UNfurnished, private family, no children. 658 Sherbrooke st. 191 3 3aw

ROOM — COMFORTABLE FRONT BEDroom, bathroom flat, with good board, in private family. 154 Mance st. 193 2

ROOMS — UNFURNISHED DOUBLE PARlours to let, suitable for a married couple, very cheap, and one single furnished room on bath flat. Call at 12 Mount St. Mary avenue, St. Antoine west. 193 2

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ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED. 31 Victoria st., for gentlemen; references exchanged. 193 2

ROOMS — LARGE UNFURNISHED ROOMS, on bathroom flat, between Ontario and Sherbrooke sts., private family. 259 Bleury st. 193 1

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NOT CONFIRMED BUT IS BELIEVED.

Washington Accepts Report That Relief Column Has Entered Pekin,

BUT SHANGHAI ALONE

Hears News, While Chefoo and Taku Are Much Nearer Chinese Capital.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 17.—Out of the gloom of the recent acute crisis came to-day from many sources the cheering information, unofficial, but so circumstantial and positive as to be generally considered by officials, that the allied armies had reached Pekin and that the legations had been relieved. This information came from press despatches from London, Shanghai and Berlin, and was eagerly scanned by the officials in Washington. They were unable, however, to furnish the slightest confirmation.

At the State Department a cipher despatch was received from Consul Fowler at Che Foo, but unfortunately it referred only to points already pretty well known. A despatch from Admiral Remey, dated at Taku yesterday, gave information as to the situation at Pekin on the tenth.

The Chinese Minister was elated when word reached him of the press despatches announcing that the legations had been relieved. He pointed out that Shanghai was some eight hundred miles from Pekin, and it was surprising that information had not come from Che Foo or Taku, only about one hundred miles from Pekin, and the base of the allied forces. Moreover, the appeal of Li Hung Chang for an armistice was dated August 15, so Earl Li had not known at that time of the alleged retirement of the Imperial party from Pekin. The Chinese officials had no knowledge whatever of the reported departure of the Empress Dowager and the imperial household from Pekin on August 7, which, it is said, will make no change in the prerogatives of the Imperial Government.

There remain

MANY MOMENTOUS QUESTIONS

to be determined, granting that the Ministers have been relieved. It appears to be accepted that at least some of the powers will keep their military officers in China, at least until all questions growing out of the crisis are settled. This is expected to involve questions of territorial extension on the part of some of the European parties to the controversy, but Secretary Hay's declaration made at the beginning of the trouble seems to indicate clearly that the United States will not be a party to it. Chinese officials are apprehensive that a long period of diplomatic exchange may follow the crisis, covering six months or a year, and with China's present impotent condition there appears to be no issue but her eventually yielding to the various demands.

CABLE CONFIRMS MASSACRE.

Three of the Missionaries Were Americans—Tragedy in Province of Cheh Hiang.

Toronto, August 17.—The China Inland Mission to-day received cablegrams from Shanghai confirming the report of the massacre of eight missionaries in the province of Cheh-Hiang. Three of the ladies were from the United States. They are Mrs. Ward, Nebraska, who went to China in 1893; Miss Manchester, of New York, who went to China in 1896; and Miss J. E. Desmond, of Minneapolis, who went out to the Orient in 1893.

The following missionaries who went out from England are reported murdered: Mr. G. F. Ward, husband o fMrs. Ward, in China since 1993; Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Thompson, in China since 1881; Miss Sherwood, in China since 1893, and Miss Thorgood, who went out in 1890.

CONSTABLES ON GUARD.

Montmorency Cotton Mills Have Temporarily Closed Down.

MANAGEMENT DECLINES TO RECOGNIZE THE OFFICIALS OF THE KNIGHTS OF LABOUR.

(Special to the Star.)

QUEBEC, August 17.—Thirty special constables are to-day on guard at the property of the Cotton Mills Company at Montmorency, and the company has temporarily closed down all its work, and announces that some slight repairs to its machinery were becoming necessary, and that the present is a good time to make them.

The management declines in every way to recognize or hold any communication with officials of the Knights of Labour, and declares it will continue to deal directly with its employes, but will retain none who belong to existing labour organizations.

SIR HENRY SIMPSON DEAD.

Found Drowned at Datchet, Buckinghamshire—Was Veterinary Surgeon to the Queen.

LONDON, August 17.—Sir Henry Simpson, veterinary surgeon to the Queen and former president of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons, has been found drowned at Datchet, Buckinghamshire, where he owned the South Rea estate. He was born in 1842 and was at one time Mayor of Windsor.

DR. THORPE SHOT.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., August 17.—From the fishing boats of New Brunswick to the priesthood; from the pulpit to a physician's office; divorced from his wife, on account of his marriage to whom he had been excommunicated from by the Catholic Church, and finally killed by a friend.

Such was the career of Dr. Thomas J. Thorpe, who was accidentally shot on Saturday by his chum, Willis W. Wilkinson, jr. The latter was examining a weapon in his jewellery shop, when it was discharged. The ball entered the physician's abdomen and he died yesterday.

Dr. Thorpe, who was thirty-eight years old, started in life as a fisherman's boy, having been born at St. John, N. B. His father managed to give the lad a common school education. Intense ambition and forceful character early manifested itself in a desire to gain a higher education, and the boy worked and saved, and was assisted by his father in taking a course at a Catholic theological seminary in New York City.

He was ordained to the priesthood, and was assigned to one of the important parishes in New York City as assistant pastor. It was during the days of his priesthood that he became infatuated with Miss Mary Hasson, whose mother conducted a boarding-house near the church. Their marriage followed, and Father Thorpe was cast out of the Catholic Church.

He studied and became a physician, and his wife afterward obtained a divorce from him on the ground of brutality.

DAVITT VS. HEALY.

(Special to the Star.)

LONDON, August 17. — It is announced that Michael Davitt will oppose Mr. "Tim" Healy's candidacy in North Louth.

WAS IN EVERY FICHT.

Crane Escaped Boer Bullets Only to Die of Enteric Fever.

HOW SHELLS WERE DODGED.

Miracle the Canadians Were Not Cut to Pieces—All Night Behind Rocks.

SARNIA, August 17. — Mr. and Mrs. Crane, of Mandaumin, whose son Daniel was a member of the Canadian Mounted Rifles in South Africa, and whose death from enteric fever was recently reported, have just received a letter from their son, dated Elandsfontein, June 25. After referring to the fact that but little opposition was offered at the Vaal River, Daniel says:

"We, however, had a hot time with them at Krugersdorp, near Johannesburg. It was a miracle that we were not cut to pieces there. About 600 of us were ordered to take a kopje which was about 1,500 yards from the Boer lines. We had no sooner got started towards it when they started to shell us at a furious rate. We galloped on to shelter at the kopje without a scratch, although their shells fell right among us. We had to lie behind rocks all that day and night. I thought I would freeze."

After the Krugresdorp affair, there was not much more fighting before getting into Pretoria. The late trooper says he was in every engagement in which the regiment took part. He says that when they marched into Pretoria, they all thought that the war was over. They soon, however, found out that it was not.

"The warmest engagement we have been in was north of Pretoria, where you no doubt read of one of our fellows being killed by a 40-pound shell. After two days' hard fighting the Boers escaped at sundown. We then returned and camped near Pretoria, where we thought we would get a few days' rest. Next morning, however, the best mounts were chosen to go out towards Mafeking to meet Baden-Powell. As I have always had a good horse I am picked to go on every expedition of this kind. I only went about 25 miles when I was sent back alone to Pretoria with a message. As I had nothing to eat all day I went into a house on the outskirts of the city and maybe I didn't clear away a few eatables. It was the first good meal I have had since I came out here, and I did not know when I would get another chance like it. Everything is fearfully dear in the town. Imagine paying three shillings, 72 cents, for a loaf of bread, etc.

"Our officers came around among us last week asking for volunteers to work on the railroad or do police duty in Pretoria. As all or nearly so were going, I went with the rest to Johannesburg, where we were to find out what we could do on the road. They soon found out I knew something about telegraphs, so they sent me back here yesterday, along with four others. We started to look for a place to sleep in, when we came across this deserted house, where we have the best of furniture, a piano, etc. We have got orders to be very cautious as we would probably come in contact with some of De Wet's army, who burnt all our mail."

DE WET RELEASES ALL BRITISH PRISONERS.

(Special to the Star.)

CAPE TOWN, August 17.—General De Wet has released all the British prisoners in his camp, except the officers.

PRIVATE NICKS WOUNDED.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, Ont., August 17.—The following cablegram reached the Militia headquarters to-day:

TYFELAAR, August 16th.—Following casualty reported near Carolina, 14th August, 30, Private John Nicks, Lord Strathcona's corps, severely wounded.

(Signed) GENERAL.

30, is Private John Nicks, formerly of Upton Pyne, Exeter, England.

PREMIER AT NORTH SYDNEY.

Sir Wilfrid Presented With an Address—Goes to Louisburg To-morrow.

(See also page eight.)

(Special to the Star.)

SYDNEY, N.S., August 17.—At North Sydney to-day Premier Laurier was met by the Mayor and members of the civic Council, and preceded by a band corps was driven to Royal Albert Hall, where Sir Wilfrid was presented with a bunch of flowers by a little girl. The Mayor spoke briefly, welcoming Sir Wilfrid, and the Town Clerk read an address, to which Sir Wilfrid made a brief reply, delivering a purely non-political address. He paid a tribute to Nova Scotia's public men, among whom, he said, was one of the strongest men that Canada ever produced. After a number of citizens of the town were presented, the party returned to the boat and sailing up the harbour landed at the Steel Company's pier and visited all parts of the works. To-morrow the Premier goes to Louisburg. Lady Laurier will not be able to go to North Sydney owing to indisposition from the sea voyage from Canso.

DEATHS REPORTED.

NEW YORK,—Alexander B. F. Mamreov, who was for nearly twenty-five years a reporter for the New York Times is dead.

Henry G. Burleigh, ex-Congressman, died at Whitchall, N. Y. He was born at Canaan, Grafton County, N. H., June 2, 1832.

Augustus S. Barber, Jr., Secretary of the Republican State Committee of New Jersey, editor of the Woodbury Constitution, and one of the most prominent political leaders in that section of the State is dead, aged 51.

WOODSTOCK, Ont.—Mrs. Myers, wife of Morley Myers, of Woodstock, is dead in Ayr.

Mrs. Sutherland, wife of John B. Sutherland, of Woodstock, died Thursday, aged 52.

Dr. Elijah Cody, son of E. Cody, Embro, died at Las Vegas, New Mexico.

Tremont Haley, of West Zorra, is dead, aged 38.

TORONTO — John Carter died at Uxbridge, Thursday, aged 78. He spent the greater part of his life in Toronto, but retired from business about ten years ago. In his early career he was connected with the Globe, and was for many years afterwards manager of the printing business of Messrs. Dowsell & Hutchison.

THE VACCINATION STAFF.

The Hygiene and Statistics Committee meets this afternoon to consider, among other things, if the present temporary staff of fourteen vaccinators will be retained any longer or not. The impression prevails that the committee, realizing the good work that has been done in vaccination, within the last month, will retain their services as long as there is any more work to be done in that line.

CAPRESI WON THE PLATE.

LONDON, August 17.—At the first day's races of the Windsor, August meeting today the Manor Maiden Plate of 103 sovereigns was won by Capresi, ridden by Rigby.

The Club two-year-old plate of 103 sovereigns was won by Minnie Dee, and the Castle high weight handicap of 300 sovereigns was won by Robbie Burns, also ridden by Rigby.

PRIZE FIGHTER INJURED.

New York, August 17.—George Kelley, 18 years old, is in Seney hospital in a critical condition, the result of a blow by Michael Meyers, same age, in a boxing bout at the Greenwood Athletic Club last night.

Meyers and eleven others are now under arrest.

TO BE REINSTATED.

Some Grand Trunk Employes Will Get Their Positions Back.

THE BROTHERHOODS ADJOURN.

Another Order for Locomotives Given to United States Manufacturers.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the joint committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen of the Grand Trunk Railway, the following officers were elected:

For the Brotherhood of Engineers: Geo. C. Cobb, of Richmond, Que., chairman; J. S. Johnston, of Galt, secretary and treasurer.

For the Brotherhood of Firemen: W. J. Dowele, of Brockville, Ont. chairman; H. M. Paton, of Stratford, secretary and treasurer.

Chairman Cameron and a deputation of the Order conferred with Mr. Morse, superintendent of motive power, on Wednesday and arranged for the reinstatement of several of its members, thus concluding the Brotherhood's business with the company.

NEW ENGINES ORDERED.

The Grand Trunk has placed an order for a number of locomotives with the Dixon Locomotive Company, of Scranton, and the Brooks Company, of Dunkirk, N. Y. The style chosen is that of the Mogul type, and they will be used for both passenger and freight traffic. Work on their construction is to be commenced at once.

ABOUT RAILWAY MEN.

Mr. D. O. Pease, city passenger agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, left for New York last night on official business.

Mr. Geo. T. Bell, of the Grand Trunk Railway, has gone to Buffalo, to attend the preliminary meeting of the Buffalo Territorial Committee, which is to make arrangements for the conference of the Passenger Agents' Association, to be held in October.

Mr. Geo. Beckingham, for five years' roadmaster of the fourth and fifth districts of the Grand Trunk Railway, has resigned. He was well and favourably known among railway men in this city and throughout Ontario.

HELPED HER TO HER HOME.

Health Department Officials Do a Kind Act for an Ottawa Woman.

The employes of the Health Department yesterday performed a meritorious action. A respectably dressed woman called at the City Hall to see the Mayor, to try to get means to go to Ottawa. His Worship was absent and the poor woman told her story to one of the Health Department officials. Her husband had left last autumn for Fort William to try and get work; he became ill there and she heard nothing from him for some months. She then came to Montreal with a child now nine months' old to look for something to do. She did not succeed very well, and yesterday received news from her husband to come back to Ottawa if she could afford to do so, or wait until he could earn enough to pay her way back. She had had no breakfast for herself or her child up to the afternoon. The officials of the Health Department collected among themselves a sum sufficient to provide a good meal at a hotel for mother and child and bought the woman her ticket for Ottawa. Two of their number escorted her to the five-forty train last evening.

JAMES W. BANKSON'S FUNERAL

Many Friends Pay Last Tribute to Memory of the Dead Actor.

THE MEMBERS OF THE COMPANY ACTED AS PALL BEARERS.

The funeral of the late James William Bankson, who was a member of the Baldwin-Melville Stock Company, now appearing at Her Majesty's theatre, took place this morning from 214 Wood avenue to the Church of the Advent, and thence to Mount Royal cemetery where the remains were interred. The members of the company, and a large number of friends which the deceased had made in the city, attended. The pall bearers were Messrs. Findlay, Socola, Mordaunt, Elliot, Hart and Brown. At the church the service was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Doull and was very impressive. Mr. Lauer, the organist of the church, presided at the organ and played the Dead March in Saul as the casket was removed from the church.

GIRL MAKES SCENE IN COURT.

Screams and Struggles to Get Away After Being Sentenced for Loitering.

Victoria Brunet, a fifteen-year-old girl, was found loitering on McGill street at half past two o'clock this morning, and as she could not give an explanation of her presence on the street at such on unseemly hour, was arrested as a vagrant by Capt. Millette. Brought before the Recorder this morning, she at first pleaded not guilty and pretended that she was simply on her way home and did not know what time it was. After a time she changed her mind and admitted that she was guilty of loitering.

Recorder Wtir condemned the girl to two months in gaol. She created quite a scene as she was conducted from the courtroom to the lock-up, screaming and struggling to get away and even after she was locked up kept up a noise for a long time.

MR. BROWN'S WANDERING DOG.

Mr. Harry Brown, chief clerk of the St. Lawrence Hall, is a great lover of horses and dogs, and when he possesses any, they may be counted upon as the best of their kind.

He has one thoroughbred little dog, that was bequeathed to him by a friend now dead, and though all dogs are in the habit of making periodical excursions from home, if they are not watched, the excursions of Mr. Brown's pet have been so frequent that he came to the conclusion that there must have been more than the ordinary canine attraction to send the dog on its wanderings. He noticed signs, which to him seemed conclusive proofs, that the dog had been forcibly taken away, and though at first the animal seemed to have been able to escape his would-be captor, he finally stayed away entirely, and then Mr. Brown called in the assistance of the Canadian Secret Service, which promptly found his dog for him in a house on Sydenham avenue.

Not long after that Mr. Brown was again without his dog, and again the Canadian Secret Service were appealed to, who again found the animal in the same house. All this time the resident in this house avowed that the dog followed him, whenever he saw him, and that he could not do anything, try as he might, to prevent it from following him.

Mr. Brown, however, is not inclined to take this explanation at its face value, and threatens to make the gentleman explain in the Police Court if the dog should disappear again and should again be found on the same premises

FIRST EXHIBITION.—The Lachine Horticultural Society will hold its first annual exhibition in Lachine Town Hall, on Aug. 30 and 31. Entries should be in the hands of the secretary, Mr. C. A. Smith, not later than August 23.

DEATHS.

CLUIN—At No. 334 Laval avenue, on August 16, Grace Kathleen, youngest daughter of J. Cluin, Funeral private.

MR. CONNERS' DELAYS

Merchants Asking That the Harbour Board Should Explain

WHY WORK HAS NOT STARTED

Upon the Grain Elevators — Has Conners Failed in His Plans?

The Trade Bulletin of this week publishes an article upon the delay of the Conners Syndicate in commencing the work upon the grain elevators which they are under contract to construct in the port of Montreal. The Bulletin again expresses the opinion that Mr. Conners was merely a company promoter, and would never build the elevator himself. The article continues:

"It seems, however, that he has not been able to find a company to take hold of the scheme, and consummate it according to agreement. The question has been seriously asked whether Mr. Conners, of the Buffalo Syndicate, has not succeeded admirably in diverting millions of bushels of grain from the St. Lawrence route to the Erie Canal by the refusal to carry out his contract. Whether this was intentional or not, the result has been the same, and instead of the diversion of trade from Buffalo to Montreal, as promised by Mr. Conners, it has been just the reverse, namely from the Montreal route to Buffalo.

"What has become of the deposit which Mr. Conners was said to have made of about $30,000 or $40,000, as a guarantee of good faith in carrying out his contract? Surely this, or any other sum, if it were ever deposited, has now been forfeited through non-fulfilment of contract.

"It is stated that the Canada Atlantic Railway would be willing to build an elevator on the site allotted to Mr. Conners, if it could be secured on the same terms. At any rate, it is about time something was done in the way of improving our grain elevating facilities, which are sadly disproportionate to the other improvements that are being carried on at great cost in this port.

"It is about time that the Harbour Trust in their own interests took the public into their confidence, and disclosed the simple facts of the case, if only to silence the uncomplimentary remarks that are beginning to be disseminated, as there is evidently a feeling that the Harbour Commissioners are to blame for the failure so far to carry out the great elevator scheme which was to bring an increase of many millions of bushels of grain to this port. The Council of the Board of Trade endorsed the scheme, and a resolution in favour of it was carried at a meeting of the Corn Exchange Association; and members of these institutions think that some explanation should be given by the Harbour Commissioners, as to the delay in carrying out the project."

HORTICULTURAL CONVENTION.

Professor Fletcher Tells How to Make War Upon Insect Pests.

THIS AFTERNOON THE DELEGATES ARE HAVING AN OUTING.

(See also Page Nine.)

At this morning's session of the Canadian Horticultural Association a very interesting paper on "Hints on the various treatment of plants," was read by Mr. H. Simmers, of Toronto, on behalf of Prof. Fletcher, of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, whose composition it was, but who was prvented from being present owing to other engagements. The paper gave some valuable information relative to spraying and the destruction of insects. Grafting and pruning were also alluded to, and the proper methods of performing such described.

Mr. W. Fendley, of Brampton, contributed a paper on "Violets," and Mr. T. Manton, of Eglington, one on "Herbaceous Plants."

A discussion followed both.

This afternoon the members of the Association will go to Lachine and Dorval in special cars where they will inspect the gardens of Messrs. Joyce and Bain, and the conservatories of the Forest and Stream Club.

BRIBERY OF A CONSTITUENCY.

Method by Which Government Will Try to Help its Richelieu Candidate.

The following are the different items in the huge bribery scheme of the Government in the county of Richelieu:

1. Works at St. Joseph.
2. Reconstruction of the fleet, which gives work to 350 workmen.
3. Grants to the South River Railway.
4. Repairs to public offices.
5. Construction of ice breaker at Ste. Anne and Sorel.
6. Repairs to those already in existence.
7. Construction of a wharf at Ste. Anne.
8. Post office at Saint Ours Canal Locks.
9. Daily mail between Sorel and St. Victoire.
10. Increase of salaries of Government workmen.
    - (a) General increase.
    - (b) Journeymen 20 cents a day.
    - (c) Workmen 15 cents a day.
11. $433,000 instead of $75,000 for the fleet.
12. $2000 obtained for ice breaker at l'Ile de Grace.
13. $8200 obtained for ice breaker on the Richelieu.
14. $24,000 for the wharves on the St. Lawrence.

QUEBEC'S CROP OUTLOOK.

The Provincial Department Expects an Average Crop of 72.6 per cent.

The Department of Agriculture of Quebec has issued a bulletin dated July 25, on the state of the crops, which shows that up to the time of the preparation of the report the indications were that the whole province would have an average of all crops of 72.6 per cent. The temperature was cold in May and a part of June, and spring time was consequently tardy, more so than in former years. A lengthy drought in June, with spells of intermittent heat, threatened the hay crop and hurt the grass, but an abundant rain in July changed things much for the better, "and if the hay crop," says the bulletin, "can be taken in under favourable circumstances, it will be more than an average." Cereals and root crops promise to be good, though they were threatened in the district of Quebec by the green worm. Grain promises to be over the average.

TOOK "COUNT'S" EVIDENCE.

Magistrate Lafontaine Returned From His Errand to Boston To-day.

Mr. U. Lafontaine, police magistrate, returned this morning from Boston, whither he had gone to take evidence in the case of the Count de Toulouse Lautrec. Mr. St. Martin, the stenographer, accompanied the magistrate, and will also go with him this evening to Chicago to take further evidence in the case.

INSPECTORS APPOINTED.

Meetings of the creditors of the estate of S. Brenner, and S. Brenner & Co., were held this morning. Mr. A. L. Kent was appointed curator to both estates. To the estate of S. Brenner, the following were appointed inspectors: William Fraser, of Fraser, Viger & Co.; Ald. Laporte, of Laporte, Martin & Co., and George Ringland, of the Elder-Dempster line. Mr. F. X. St. Charles was appointed inspector for the estate of S. Brenner & Co.

BRITISH CHALLENGE

For the Much Contested For Seawanhaka Cup May Arrive Here Shortly.

MR. DUGGAN NOT TOO SANGUINE

But Other Officers of the Club Seem to Think That There Is a Good Chance.

There is more than a ripple of excitement just now in Royal St. Lawrence Yacht club circles over rumours in connection with the races for the Seawanhaka Cup that will take place next year.

There is a possibility of a challenge from England.

Since the time that Mr. Duggan first won the Cup on Oyster Bay, and brought it home, no such possibility has engaged the minds of the members.

At that time, Mr. J. Arthur Brandt, who the previous year had failed to win the cup in the competition of his Spruce IV., against the diminutive Ethelwyn, which represented the United States, did a good deal of cabling and letter-writing, but did

NOT COME TO THE POINT

quickly enough, and though in all probability his challenge, if it had been received in time, would have had the preference over the challenge from the Seawanhaka Club, the latter were awarded the contest for the next year.

Since then there has been no indication of any Englishman or any English Club being desirous to possess the Cup, but it is now stated, that reliable information has been received to the effect that a challenge may arrive shortly.

According to the rules, no one can challenge excepting through a recognized yacht club, and although the officers of the Royal St. Lawrence Yacht Club are said to have more than an inkling, as to the club, through which the challenge will be sent, they do not care for various reasons to state so at present.

When Mr. Duggan was asked straight out if the report that the club expected a challenge from British Yachtsmen were true; he stated with is usual reserve

"To use the word 'expect' would be to appear almost too sanguine in the matter. But we feel as if such a thing might happen."

B. C. LACROSSE CHAMPIONS.

They Will Arrive Here on Sunday and Their Programme is Arranged.

The new Westminster lacrosse team, the champions of British Columbia will arrive her on Sunday. The advance courier is Mr. Archie McNaughton, the great and only "Archie" of the Montreal team, and it is expected that he will captain the visitors. The fact that no Saturdays can be had in Montreal is considered rather hard luck by people from the West as their trip is a very expensive one, but they have almost entirely arranged their programme, which is as follows:

Wednesday, August 22—Montreal, on M. A. A. A. Grounds.

Saturday, August 25.—Quebec, at Quebec.

Wednesday, August 29.—Shamrocks, on Shamrock Grounds.

Saturday, September 1.—Capitals, at Ottawa.

Labour Day (not decided) Torontos, at Toronto.

One of the players on the team, is "Bob" Cheney, who was one of the Stars of the Montreal team, coming originally from Toronto.

ATHLETIC CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Programme for the Big Meet That Will Take Place Here in September.

The programme for the big championships of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, which are to be run off on the M. A. A. A. grounds on the afternoon of September the 22nd, has been arranged. It will include as usual, 100 yards, 220 yards, 440 yards, half mile run, one mile run, and a hurdle race. Also 16-pound shot, hammer 56-pound shot, high jump, broad jump,, and pole leap.

Already the most encouraging reports have been received from abroad as to the entries, and many of the athletes who were at the Paris games and are now doing England, will be present to take part in these.

MONTREAL CRICKETERS PLAY.

Annual Match With the Bedford League Under Way.

The annual cricket match between the representatives of the District of Bedford League and the Montreal Cricket Club was commenced this morning at the grounds of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association. The field was in excellent condition. Montreal went to bat first, and at the conclusion of the innings had rolled up a total of 138 runs.

The score:

W. R. Gilbert, b Fuller	11
J. J. Boyes, b Brain	4
F. Arblaster, b Pugh	67
A. E. Ewan, b Burrand	24
A. Hodgson, b Jackson	7
R. C. Gillett, run out	0
A. Browning, c McCabe, b Brain	3
D. Lokee, b Travers	5
W. S. Gough, b Pugh	3
G. E. Moberly, run out	6
Allen, not out	1
Extras	7
Total	138

PERSONALS.

Miss Emily Alberta Lambert is spending a few weeks at North Hatley.

Mr. Frederick Waldorf Heath has returned to the city from a trip down the Saguenay.

Miss Rhoda James has left on a visit to Lanark, where she is the guest of Miss Watt.

Mrs. J. J. Daley and Miss Maud Daley have returned from spending a few weeks at Brigham, Que.

Mrs. George H. Stephenson left on Wednesday for a short visit to Ayer's Flats, the guest of Miss Ida Davis.

Mrs. A. N. Brodeur, of 382 Sherbrooke street, has returned from St. Hilaire, where she has been visiting at Mr. L. P. Brodeur's for four weeks.

THREE OF A BAD KIND.

Three young fellows, ranging in age between ten and fifteen, were arrested in a lane at half-past four this morning by the police on a charge of vagrancy. They were remanded by the Recorder this morning until the 24th, when another charge may be brought against them. It is suspected that they are the youthful vagabonds who have been committing a series of petty thefts. Two of the boys named Lalonde live on St. Catherine street, and the other, Joseph Verrett, who is the eldest of the crowd, lives on Beaudry street.

A MONTREALER KILLED.

A despatch from Ottawa states that Edward Rollin, of Montreal, brakeman on the C.P.R., was killed last night at the Hull station. He was missed by the engineer of his train. On search being made his body was found on the track, the head cut off. He was 21 years old and lived with his parents in Montreal.

DIED IN A STRANGE LAND.

A little life went out very suddenly last night in the immigration sheds of the C. P. R. at the Windsor station. Among the immigrant passengers who reached the city yesterday afternoon from New York were a Aussian couple named Merickoff. They brought with them, a seven-months'-old babe. The little one had been sick for some days, but not seriously so, and no fatal results were dreamt of. Shortly after its arrival in this city, however, it took a turn for the worse, and the end come quite unexpectedly during the night. The coroner visited the station this morning and issued a burial permit. The funeral took place this afternoon.

PILLAGED POOR BOX.

Maisonneuve Had Exciting Time With Church Thief This Morning.

SEXTON DISCOVERED ROBBER

Who Was Busy at a Box Extracting the Coins With an Instrument.

A lively incident took place in Maisonneuve this morning which caused no end of excitement in that municipality. About eleven o'clock Ferdinand Simoneau, the sexton in the Maisonneuve church, heard a noise inside the building, and going in, found a suspicious-looking stranger working at one of the poor boxes. Believing that something was wrong the sexton started to go up to the man to ask his business. As he did so the stranger walked away to another box and, was seen to put a coin therein. When the sexton had reached the first box at which the stranger had been operating he found in it a force steel with an adhesive substance at its end to which coins were sticking. Realizing that he was in the presence of the worst kind of thief—the robber of the poor and fatherless—the sexton started after the man. Then followed and exciting chase. The stranger dodged and doubled like a hare; Simoneau called upon the onlookers to aid him and soon the whole town was in a hue and cry after the thief. The police took a hand and for half an hour or so Maisonneuve had a lively time. Eventually Mr. Simoneau captured his man who had taken refuge in a hay loft. The police came along and took the thief into custody. He was afterwards brought to the Central Police Station, wher he gave his name as William Durelle, said he was 26 years old, and that he lived on Beaudry street. Several coins which bore marks of defacement were found on him, among the $1.12 found in his possession, and he admitted that these at least had been taken out of various poor boxes in city churches.

Durelle was arraigned in the Police Court this afternoon, pleaded guilty, and was sent to gaol for six months.

FRANCO-CANADIAN LINE.

Moniteur du Commerce on Ill Luck Attending New Steamship Venture.

Le Moniteur du Commerce seems to think that there is a fatality attached to the attempts which have been made at various times to extend the trade relations between France and Canada by direct steamship service. It says that the present line has met with many obstacles. The first steamer, the Roger, was several days late; the consignees had difficulties in getting their goods and finally the "Mont Blanc" was detained in quarantine through smallpox and then it went ashore at Deschambeault necessitating its going into dry dock. Le Moniteur thinks that French shippers should investigate the causes of these contretemps and see if they cannot be remedied.

DEATH OF YOUNG RICHARDS.

Samuel Durbmann Arrested for Having Thrown the Stone Which Caused the Fatality.

This afternoon Detective Charpentier arrested Samuel Durbmann, a Hebrew lad, aged 14, living at 254 Cadieux street, upon suspicion of having caused the death of young Edgar Richards the other day. Young Richards died from the effects of a wound on the head inflicted by a stone thrown at him by some companions with whom he was playing. Durbmann admits having thrown sones at Richards, but denies having thrown the one which caused the fatal wound. He will be arraigned and remanded for enquete.

ELECTRICITY FOR HOTEL DIEU.

Mr. J. Valois, manager of the Chambly Electric Light Company, has commenced putting up fifteen hundred lights into the Hotel Dieu which, after October, will be completely lighted up by electricity.

SIMPLICITY MARKED MILLIONAIRE'S FUNERAL.

NEW YORK, August 17.—Services at the funeral of the late C. P. Huntington at the Fifth avenue residence to-day were marked with simplicity. They were conducted by Rev. A. Woodruff Hasley, of the Presbyterian Board of Missions. Interment later was made in the Huntington mauseoleum in Woodlawn cemetery.

ELEVATOR BURNED.

TREHERNE, Man., August 17.—The northern elevator caught fire this morning about one o'clock and was burned to the ground. The cause is unknown. There was about 2500 bushels of wheat in it.

CZAR TO VISIT PARIS.

PARIS, Aug. 17.—It is officially announced, according to the Petit Bleu, that the Czar will visit Paris on September 15 to remain five or six days. His Majesty will come alone and will reside at the Russian Embassy while in this city.

WHEAT WAS WEAK ; CORN FAIRLY STRONG ; FLOUR FAIR DEMAND.

(From the Star's Special Correspondent on the Chicago Board of Trade.)

CHICAGO, August 17.—Wheat continued to show a sagging tendency to-day, and considerable commission house long wheat came out. A larger proportion of the local trade is working on the bear side now, as is apt to be the case as the price works lower. There is a considerable short interest, and we would favour buying on scale or on breaks.

A large farmer of Central Illinois says of the corn situation fully 35 per cent. of last year's corn is still in first hands, and probably 25 per cent. of this amount is sold for September delivery at 40c or thereabouts. As soon as oats, threshing now, and about half done, are out of the way, this corn will move, and that not sold will be sold on a two or three cent bulge. The corn longs showed no disposition to put the price up, yet the feeling was quite strong. The Modern Miller will say to-day: Receipts of wheat at primary winter wheat markets indicate cessation of threshing operations. Farmers are rapidly clearing up the wheat in shock, and the indications are that a large portion of the wheat in stack will be held for better prices. The dry and hot weather has interfered with ploughing, and little progress was made in preparing the soil for fall seeding. The demand for flour was fair, showing a slight improvement over last week.

TORONTO MINING SALES.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, August 17.—Sales on the Toronto Mining Exchange to-day were:

British Columbia Gold Fields—500 at 2¾.
White Bear—400 at 1¼.
Golden Star—3500 at 8¼ ; Wd., 500 at 8¼.
Hammond Reef—3000 at 60.
Cariboo-McKinney—2000 at 93.
Total—13,000.

Afternoon sales:
Golden Star—3500 at 8¼, 30 days; 4000 at 8¼.
Cariboo-McKinney—500 at 93.
Canadian Gold Fields—2000 at 7¼.
Total—10,000.

3rd REG. V. R. C.

The Battalion will parade at the Armory, Cathcart st., on Saturday, 18th August, at 3 p.m. sharp, to meet the members of the Canadian Contingent returning from South Africa. Uniform—Review Order. By order,

E. W. WILSON,
Major and Acting Adjt.

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EX-SENATOR INGALLS DEATH.

For More Than a Year He Had Suffered From Throat Trouble.

AT WILLIAMS COLLEGE HE WAS A FELLOW STUDENT WITH PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

ATCHISON, August 17.—Senator Jno. J. Ingalls, who died at Las Vegas, N.M., yesterday, has suffered with a throat trouble for over a year, and in October last the disease assumed so acute a stage that a change of climate was ordered. Senator Ingalls consequently went to Arizona and spent last winter at Tucson. He expected to return to Atchison in the spring, but his condition was such that his return was deemed inadvisable. The weather being hot at Tucson, he was taken to Las Vegas Hot Springs two months go. From time to time reports have been circulated as to his serious condition, but they have been repeatedly denied both by the Senator and his family. Mrs. Ingalls joined her husband at Las Vegas several weeks ago and was with him when he died.

Senator Ingalls was attacked with grip about two years ago, while on a lecturing tour in South Dakota, and had been in poor health ever since. He left the lecture field in the fall of 1898 and came home to make speeches for Governor Stanley. Arriving at Atchison, he was prevented from getting into the campaign by illness, and went from there to Washington, where his family was then temporarily located. He was ill a long time after reaching Washington, and when he returned to Atchison again the grip had left him with a bronchial trouble, for which he sought relief in the Southwest.

John James Ingalls was born in Middleton, Mass. December 29, 1823. His father, who was a shoe dealer in moderate circumstances, proposed to bring him up to his own business, but young Ingalls, like many other bright boys, made up his mind to be a missionary, and then to edit a newspaper; but when the time for actually choosing a profession came he selected the law.

He attended Williams College and was a fellow student there with President Garfield. He did well at college, and was especially successful in literary studies and declamation. In his graduation exercises he delivered an oration which contained a very severe criticism on the faculty. It is said that this part of the speech was cut out by the professors who revised the effort before delivery, but on the platform young Ingalls restored it, with amplifications. "Mummy Life" was the title of the harangue, which so horrified the authorities that they thought of withholding the youthful speaker's degree. His wit, however, gained pardon for his audacity, and the diploma was conferred.

On leaving college he studied law at Haverhill and as soon as he had completed the necessary preliminaries he went west. With $70 in his pocket, he reached what was then the Far West, and settled at Sumner, on the Missouri River, in Atchison County, Kansas. Here he began to practice his profession for a living. This proved somewhat difficult at first. Money was scarce then in Kansas. His earliest client, who was a carpenter, paid his fee by making him a table and a desk, which are still preserved among the furniture in the senator's house.

The State which he represented at Washington was then in the throes of its turbulent existence as a Territory. A bitter and even bloody feud was being waged between the Free Soil party and the proslavery men. Ingalls' sympathies were actively enlisted in the cause of liberty, and he soon plunged into the very thick of the fight. He quickly established a reputation as a pungent and effective speaker, and a brave man, who could be cowed neither by the invectives of rival orators nor by the brandished revolvers of border ruffians.

Political jealousies entered into his profession, too, and his opponents placed every possible hindrance in the path of the ambitious young lawyer. But he fought his way upward. Before the war broke out he removed to Atchison, where for a time he edited the Atchison Champion, besides helping to start the Kansas Magazine. Here too, he was married to Miss Anna Cheeseborough, the daughter of a New York merchant.

In 1859 he was a member of the convention which met at Wyandotte, and drew up the constitution that was finally adopted when Kansas was admitted into the Union two years later. He served as secretary of the Territorial Council, and when the State Legislature was convened in 1861 he was appointed secretary of the Senate. The following year he was himslf a member of that body. During the war he held a commission as lieutenant-colonel of Kansas volunteers.

He was first elected to the United States Senate in 1872, and was twice re-electd. When he came to Washington he was not known in the East, and was met with a certain amount of coldness. This he quickly overcame, and was long regarded as one of the brainiest members of his party. Early in 1887, when John Sherman resigned the presidency of the Senate, Mr. Ingalls was chosen to succeed him in that office, which position he filled until 1891. Since leaving the Senate in 1891 Mr. Ingalls had not held public office, but was engaged in lecturing and as a journalist.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Specially reported for the Star by C. D. Monk, 16 St. Sacrament street, local manager for J. S. Bache and Co., New York, over direct private wire.

Stocks	Aug. 17 Op'g.	Aug. 17 Close.	Aug 16. Op'g.	Aug 16. Close.
Amer. Tobacco Co.	94	93¾	94½	94¾
Do do Pref.				
Amer. Sugar Refin Co	124¼	124⅜	125	124¼
Anaconda Mining Co.	45¼	46	46	46¼
A. Top & St. Fe	28¼	28	28¼	28
Do do Pref.	71	70⅞	71¼	71¼
A. S. W.	34⅛	34⅞	35¼	34⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	71⅝	71⅞	71⅞	71⅞
Do do Pref.	79¼	79⅛	79¼	79¼
Brooklyn Rapid Tran	58	58⅞	59	58
Canadian Pacific				
Canada Southern	50¼	49¾	49¾	50
Ches. & Ohio	27¼	27¼	28¼	27⅝
Chic. Burl. & Quincy	127	127⅝	127½	127¼
Chicago Gas x.d.	98½	98½	99	98⅞
Chic. & N. W.	163	162½		
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	107	107¼	107¼	107⅝
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	114½	114¼	114½	114⅝
Continental Tob., com.	26	25¼	26¼	26¼
Do do pref.			78¼	78⅞
Consolidated Gas, N.Y.	173¼	174¼	174	173¼
Color. do Fuel & Iron.	35¼	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝
Cleveland C.C. & St. L.	59¼	59	59	60
Delaware, Lack & W.			180	180
Delaware & Hudson	113¼	113¼		
Denver Rio G., com.	19¼	19¼		
Do Do pref.	67¼	67⅝	68	68
Duluth S. Shore & Atl				
Do do pref.	12	12		
Federal Steel	34	34¾	35¼	34¼
do pref.		66¾	67¼	67
General Electric	136	136	136	136
Glucose com. xd			54	54
Do pref. xd.			100⅜	100⅜
Ill Central	117½	116¾		
Jersey Central	133½	135	134¾	133⅞
Kansas & Tex		31		
Lake Erie & West				29⅞
Louisville & Nashville	72	72¼	72¼	71⅞
Manhattan Elevated	91½	92	92¼	92
Missouri Pacific	51¼	51¼	51⅞	51¼
Metropolitan Trac.	155	155⅝	155¼	155¼
National Lead Co.	18	17¾		18¼
Do do Pref				91
Nor. Pacific com. new	51¾	51⅞	52¼	51½
Do do pref xd	71½	71	71⅞	71¼
N.Y. Central & Hud	130	130	130¾	130¾
N.Y. Lake Erie & West		10¾		
Do do II pref.				
Do do I pref.		33¾	34	33¾
N. Y. Ontario & West.		21¾	21¾	21⅝
Omaha, com.				
Pacific Mail			32	33
Pressed Steel, com.	40½	40¼	40¼	40¼
Phil. & Read all paid	17	16⅞	71	72⅛
Pullman				187¼
Southern Ry. com.	11¼	11¼	11⅝	11¼
Southern Pacific				
Do do Pref.	52⅝	52⅝	52¾	52⅝
Southern Pacific	33¼	33¼	33¾	33⅝
Tenn. Coal & Iron	70⅝	71	71¼	70⅝
Texas Pacific				15¼
U. S. Leather Co.	10⅞	11	11¼	11¼
Do do Pref.			68¾	68⅝
U. S. Rubber Com.	31	30¾	30	31
Do do pref.	96⅝	96⅝	95	95
Union Pacific Com.	59⅝	59⅝	60¼	59⅝
Do pref.	76¼	76	76¼	76⅝
Wabash			7⅝	7⅝
Do Pref.	18¼	18¼	18½	18¾
Western Union Tel.				81

CHICAGO CLOSING PRICES.

J. S. Bache and Co., 16 St. Sacrament street, report the Closing Prices to-day as follows:

Aug. 17, 1900.

		Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat	Aug.				72⅝
"	Sept.	73½-⅝	73⅝	72⅞	72⅝-⅞
Corn	Aug.		39⅞	39⅝	39⅝
"	Sept.	39⅛	39⅛	39	39⅛
Oats	Aug.		21⅝	21⅜-½	21⅜-½
"	Sept.		22	21¾-⅞	21¾-⅞
Pork	Aug.				1100
"	Sept.	1127	1140	1100	1100
Lard	Aug.				657
"	Sept.		667	657	657-60
Short Ribs					
"	Aug.				685
"	Sept.		685	680	685

GREAT GOLF TOURNEY

International Golf Competition in Canada on the First of September Next.

QUEBEC HAS BEEN SELECTED.

Ten Canadians and Ten Men From the United States Will Battle for Championship.

Quebec will have the honour of having the International Golf Championships between Canada and the United States played off in its links this year.

President Watson of the Royal Canadian Golf Association received to-day the acceptance of the proposal made by our association in regard to the battlefield, from the United States Golf Association, and the battle will be fought on the Quebec links.

As will be remembered, last year a team from Canada

TRAVELLED ACROSS THE BORDER

and was defeated, but this year the Canadians hope to give a good account of themselves. The Quebec links were proposed, partly because they are considered to be the most sporting links in Canada, partly because Quebec is a city of singular attractions to people from the States, and partly because the golf players who are at present at Murray Bay and Cacouna, will find it easy to come up to the place of the tournament.

It is expected that the United States team will be accompanied by quite a number of golf devotees from across the line, and that a number of Canadian golfers will also go to Quebec to see the international battle.

The date set is Saturday the first of September.

The teams will be chosen from the pick of the amateur golfers in Canada and the United States and will be composed of ten men each.

ANOTHER DISGUSTED LIBERAL

What Mr. Arthur Delisle, ex-M.P., for Portneuf, Has to Say of the Party Leaders.

Under the headings of "Another Dissident Liberal—Mr. Arthur Delisle, candidate in Portneuf—What he thinks of 'Tarte-Laurierisme,'" Le Journal, this morning, says:

"Malcontents are to be found everywhere," said yesterday the ex-member for Portneuf, Mr. Arthur Delisle, advocate, while speaking to one of our friends. "Yes," he added, "I know them from experience, the present leaders of our party. In 1896 I wanted, while remaining Liberal, to vote with Sir Charles Tupper, the only man who spoke from conviction on that famous school question, and believing it to be my duty to do so. Such a position was made for me that, because of that vote, at the elections following, I had to make way for Hon. Mr. Joly, who to-day is Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, and who cares very little for the interests of the party.

"Well, to-day,' 'added Mr. Delisle, "I am still a Liberal of the old school; I will be a candidate in the county of Portneuf at the coming elections. I declare this, and I will run against all comers. I will run as an independent Liberal, ready to give British fair play according to its merits to the party in power. I do not wish to say any more," added Mr. Delisle, "but do not forget that if I am a Liberal I am not a fanatic. I will support a good administration, be it Liberal or Conservative. In any case I can judge for myself with the experience I acquired while a member, and know what to think on that point."

In conclusion, Mr. Delisle added: "I do not pretend that I will favour the Conservative party, but one thing is certain, I will not approve of the present regime, in which it is not the chief who governs, but his allies."

SHIPPING NEWS.

TRANS-ATLANTIC PASSENGERS.

The Corinthian Sails To-morrow With a Large Saloon List.

The Allan line steamship Corinthian sails to-morrow morning for Liverpool with all her cabin accommodation taken. The saloon list is as follows:

Mr. Wm. Allan; Mrs. Burnett, Glasgow, Scot.; Mr. James Burnley, London, Eng.; Mrs. E. S. Babcock, New York; Rev. Mr. Brander; Dr. Wm. Botsford, San Francisco, Cal.; Mr. Alcide C. Brouillet, Mrs. Buckley; Mr. Jonathan Clark, Chicago; Dr. Cochrane, Mrs. Cochrane, child and two infants; Mr. Henry Cook, R.N., Esquimalt, B. C.; Mrs. Cumming, infant and nurse, Edinburgh, Scot.; Dr. Alex. Mackenzie Campbell, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Mr. F. Christie, Mr. Ed. Cook, Mr. Conway; Lieut. Darley, R.N., Esquimalt, B.C.; Miss Devine, West Superior, Minn.; Miss Davidson; Dr. Joseph A. Duchesneau, St. Vincent de Paul, Que.; Mr. Wm. Dunlop, Miss E. Dale, Mr. J. Endicott, R N., Miss Ellis; Mrs. Forslund, Miss Forslund, Miss Forslund, Winnipeg, Man.; Mrs. Fisher, Mansfield, Eng.; Mrs. Fraser; Mr. E. Grant, Mrs. Grant, Ottawa; Mr. Graham, Mrs. Graham and child, Miss Griffoz, Mr. Mark Gardner, Miss A. E. Gardner, Mr. Thos. Harris, Toronto; Rev. Mr. Hutcheson, Almonte, Ont.; Miss Horner; Mr. C. E. Hoover, Mrs. Hoover, Cleveland, Ohio; Mr. Isaac Harvey, Mrs. Harvey, Master Harvey, Chicago; Prof. J. H. Hinshaw, Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. Hope, Rev. E. Ingham, Miss Jones, Miss E. Johnson, Mr. T. Johns, Mr. H. S. Jones; Mr. Kinoshita, Japan; Miss Kirkland; Mr. John Laing, Toronto; Mr. George Lee, Liverpool, Eng.; Dr. Landsborough, Mr. Henry Lendleyside, Mr. Lindgren, Mrs. Lindgren; Mrs. J. M. Moore, New York; Mr. Matemola, Japan; Rev. Mr. Meech, Mrs. Meech and child, Miss Meech, Rev. Mr. Moodey, Mr. Mason, Mr. Morrison, Mrs. Morrison, Mr. McKean, Mrs. McKean; Mr. Nagura, Japan; Mr. Thos. Needham; Mr. Oke, Mrs. Oke, Mr. Osborn; Mr. Alphonse Prevost, Montreal; Mrs. Pernot, Miss Pernot; Mr. Antoine Robert, Montreal; Mr. Frank Robinson; Miss Amy Stewart, Chicago; Col. Stone, Mrs. Stone, Ottawa; Mr. L. J. Seeley, Mr. J. L. Seeley, Rochester, N.Y.; Miss Simpson, Mrs. Skene, Miss Smith, Miss Sydney, Miss Sydney, Mrs. Smith; Mr. H. Tulloch, Mrs. Tulloch, Quebec; Mr. Todd, Winnipeg; Mr. W. Thorburn, Almonte, Ont.; Rev. E. G. Terry, Toronto; Mr. D. D. Triaula, Mrs. Triaula, Maquoketa, Iowa; Mr. Rich. W. Tenant, Miss Turner, Mrs. J. J. Turner, Mrs. Turner; Lieut. Williamson, R.N., Esquimault, B. C.; Mr. John Frank Watson, Glasgow, Scotland; Mr. M. G. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson, Montreal; Mrs. Westcott, Mr. A. Wrangham, Mr. Phil. Wales, Miss M. E. Woods, Mr. Wilson, Mr. W. F. Wardroper, Mr. Arthur Watson; Miss Younger, Miss Younger, Belleville, Ont.

LAKE MEGANTIC'S PASSENGERS.

The Elder-Dempster line R.M.S. Lake Megantic, Capt. Taylor, sailed this morning for Liverpool, calling at Moville. The following is her list of saloon passengers:

J. R. Anthony, Edinburgh; Mr. R. Colclough, Mr. John Colclough, Moncton, N. B.; Mr. R. Ell, Montreal; Mr. E. F. Ferris, Mrs. Ferris, Chicago; Mr. Thomas Fox, Mr. S. Hackett, Montreal; Lieut. Hamilton, Ottawa; Mr. James S. Henderson, Chicoutimi, B.C.; Mrs. Hensley, Halifax; Mr. C. Holland, Toronto; Captain Metcalfe and family of three, Liverpool, Eng.; Dr. G. L. Milne, Victoria B.C.; Mr. J. McCracken, Mrs. McCracken, Windsor, Ont.; Major R. W. McPherson, Mrs. McPherson, Buffalo; Rev. Brother Osmonde, Champlain, N.Y.; Mr. W. M. Reid, Mrs. Reid, Montreal; Mr. J. G. Reid, Edinburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Chicago; Mr. L. Saybery, Syracuse, N.Y.; Mrs. Saybery, Syracuse, N.Y.; Mr. S. Schur, Rotterdam; Mr. C. W. Scott, Toronto; Mr. H. S. Stewart, Mr. F. Taylor, Montreal; Rev. Brother Theodule, Champlain, N.Y.; Mr. A. H. Wright, Mrs. A. H. Wright, Toronto.

THE PARISIAN REPORTED.

The steamship Parisian, having on board Sir Charles Tupper and other distinguished men, passed Fame Point inwards at 4.30 this morning, and is due at Quebec at 3 o'clock to-morrow morning and at Montreal to-morrow evening about 6.

UNLUCKY MONT BLANC.

The Vessel is so Badly Damaged That She Will go Into Dock.

(Special to the Star.)

HALIFAX, N. S., August 17.—Divers examined the bottom of the unlucky steamship Mont Blanc to-day, and found the vessel to be damaged so badly that she will have to repair before proceeding to sea. The vessel is making water rapidly and will have to discharge her cargo and go into dock.

PORT OF MONTREAL.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Endeavour, 1640, Candlish, Newcastle, August 2, R. Reford and Co., light.

Steamship Buenos Ayrean, 2628, Pitts, Glasgow, August 3, H. and A. Allan, light.

Steamship Lord Charlemont, 2059, McVicker, R. Reford and Co., Cardiff, light.

CLEARED.

Steamship Lake Megantic, 3182, Taylor, Liverpool, Elder, Dempster and Co., general.

Steamship Tiber, 1134, Boulanger, Halifax, Dobell and Co., general.

Steamship Turret Crown, 1142, Hayton, Sydney, Kingman and Co., light.

Steamship Cape Breton, 1109, Reid, Sydney, Kingman and Co., light.

Schooner Lizzie Lindsay, 91, Howell, Gaspe, J. G. Brock and Co., general.

Steamship Campana, J. G. Brock and Co., Pictou, general.

Brigantine Stella, 200, Nielsen, Hudon, Hebert and Co., Cardigan, light.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Steamships.

Corinthian, 4018, Dunlop, H. & A. Allan. Moored at foot of Jacques Cartier square.

Manchester Importer, 2538, Morton, Furness, Withy & Co. Moored opposite Sohmer Park.

John S. Christie, 1566, Overgard, McLean, Kennedy and Co. Moored at Sharples' Wharf, Hochelaga.

Memnon, 2046, Cross, Elder, Dempster & Co. Moored opposite Customs House.

Devona, 2372, Tait, R. Reford and Co. Moored at foot of Berri street.

Endeavour, 1640, Candlish R. Reford & Co. Moored at foot of Berri street.

Buenos Ayrean, 2628, Pitts, H. and A. Allan. Moored at foot of Jacques Cartier square.

Lord Charlemont, 2059, McVickers, R. Reford and Co. Moored at foot of Jacques Cartier square.

Brigantine.

Stella, 199, Neilson, Neilson. Moored in Customs basin.

Schooners.

Nyanza, 91, White, Goodhugh. Moored in Customs Basin.

Glenrosa, 486, Carr, Anderson, McKenzie & Co. Moored opposite Ste Anne cotton mill.

STEAMSHIP SAILING.

Passenger steamships sailing from the ports of Montreal, New York and Boston are as follow:

Corinthian, for Liverpool, August 18.
Lord Charlemont, for Cardiff, August 22.
Devona, for London, August 22.
Alcides, for Glasgow, August 23.
Lake Superior, for Liverpool, August 24.
Parisian, for Liverpool, August 25.
Dominion, for Liverpool, August 25.
Frisia, for Manchester, August 25.
Fremona, for London, August 26.
Assyrian, for Antwerp, August 28.
Lake Ontario, for Liverpool, August 31.
Kastalia, for Glasgow, August 30.

FROM NEW YORK.

Astoria, Glasgow, August 18.
Mesaba, London, August 18.
Etruria, Liverpool, August 18.
Laurentian, Glasgow, August 18.
Statendam, Rotterdam, August 18.
Kaiser Wilhelm II., Genoa, August 18.
Trave, Southampton, August 20.
Cymric, Liverpool, August 21.
Kaiserin Maria Theresia, Bremen, August 21.
Servia, Liverpool, August 21.
St. Louis, Southampton, August 22.
Germanic, Liverpool, August 22.
Noordland, Antwerp, August 22.

FROM BOSTON.

Saxonia, Liverpool, August 18, Alex. Martin.
Lancastrian, Liverpool, August 21, F. Leyland and Co.
Norseman, Liverpool, August 22, Richards, Mills and Co.
Alexandria, Stettin, August 23, Gill and Lootz.
Kansas, Liverpool, August 25, Warren and Co.
Teutonia, Holland, August 25, Furness, Withy and Co.
Turcoman, Liverpool, August 29, Richards, Mills and Co.
Sachem, Liverpool, September 1, Warren and Co.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

ARRIVED.

Florida, at London, from Quebec, etc., August 16.
Montevidean, at Tilbury Dock, from Montreal, August 16.
Manchester Commerce, at Liverpool, from Montreal, for Manchester, August 16.
Roman, at Liverpool, from Montreal, August 16.
Elmdene, at Wismar, from Mobile, via Sydney, C.B., August 15.
Alaska, at Swansea, from Tilt Cove, August 15.
Iona, at London, from Montreal, Aug. 16.
Kaiser Wilhem II, at New York, from Genoa, August 16.
Servia, at New York, from Liverpool, August 16.
Pennsylvania, at New York, from Hamburg, August 16.
Germanic, at New York, from Liverpool, August 16.
Trojan Prince, at New York, from Genoa, August 16.
Columbia, at Plymouth, from New York, August 16.
Werra, at Naples, from New York, August 16.
Waesland, at Liverpool, from Philadelphia, August 16.
State of Nebraska, at Moville, from New York, August 16.
Carthaginian (Br.), at Halifax, from Glasgow and Liverpool, via St. John's, Nfld., August 16.
Steamer Patricia, at Hamburg from New York, via Plymouth, August 17th.

SAILED.

Aladdin, from Hull, for Quebec, Aug. 15.
Nitocris, from Liverpool, for Quebec, August 15.
Cerean, from Glasgow, for St. John's, Nfld., and Halifax, August 15.
Manchester City, from Manchester, for Montreal, August 15.
Cambroman, from Liverpool, for Montreal, August 16.
Grecian (Br.), from Halifax, for Liverpool, via St. John's, Nfld., August 16.

A CLAN LINER QUARANTINED.

LONDON, August 17.—The British steamer Clan Macarthur, of the Clan line, which sailed from Calcutta on July 12 via Port Said, August 2, for London, has been quarantined in the Thames owing to the death from bubonic plague having occurred on board the vessel.

THE WEATHER
FAIR

Predicted for the Star, Friday, 11 a. m. — Fine today and on Saturday; Stationary or slightly lower temperature.

August 17, 1900.
140 St. Peter Street,
Readings by Harrison & Co.'s Standard Instruments.

	Thermometer.	Barometer.
Midnight	71°	29.90
6 a. m.	62°	29.9[illegible]
Noon	74°	30.00

Maximum and minimum temperatures during the past twenty-four hours: Calgary, 68, 32; Qu'Appelle, 82, 58; Winnipeg, 82, 58; Port Arthur, 72, 52; Parry Sound 82, 58; Toronto, 83, 62; Ottawa, 84, 60; Montreal, 82, 64; Quebec, 78, 56; Halifax, 66, 60.

The MUSICAL JOHNSTONS,
Celebrated Xylophone Players, will remain next week at Riverside Park. 193sty2

GULF REPORT.

Weather conditions; Clear; Variable Winds.

L'Islet—Inward at 6 a.m., Savoy; at 6.30 a.m., Alcides.

Father Point—Inward at 7.15 a.m., Monteagle; at 7.20 a.m., steamer; at 9.40 a.m., Fremona; yesterday at 9.45 p.m., Frisia.

Metis—Inward at 8.30 a.m., Assyrian.

Martin River—Outward at 8 a.m., Atlantic; Inward at 9.40 a.m., Lake Superior and Parisian.

Cape Magdalen—Inward yesterday at 8.30 p.m., Avona.

Low Point — Inward yesterday, Polino; outward yesterday at 10.30 a.m., Aberdeen; at 7.30 p.m., Therese-Heymann.

Cape Race—Inward yesterday at 5.30 p.m., Transit; outward yesterday at 5 p.m., Weehawken; at 7.30 p.m., Forest Holme.

MARINE NOTES.

The Allan line steamer Nebraska, from New York for Glasgow, arrived out on Thursday afternoon.

The steamship Scottish King arrived at Quebec yesterday afternoon, and went into the dry dock at Levis this morning.

The Allan line steamer Norwegian sailed from Glasgow for Boston, via Moville, on Thursday afternoon, and brings 110 passengers.

The Dominion line steamship Roman, from Montreal on the 4th inst., arrived at Liverpool on Wednesday, the 15th, with a loss of two cattle and two sheep.

The Dominion line steamship Cambroman sailed from Liverpool yesterday, the 16th inst., at 5 p.m., with 92 first class, 86 second class and 133 third class passengers.

The Elder, Dempster and Co. R. M. S. Lake Superior, from Liverpool, arrived at Cape Magdalen at 6.30 a.m. She is due in Quebec early Saturday morning and Montreal Sunday morning.

The Dominion line steamship Dominion, from Liverpool, passed Cape Race at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, and is due at Quebec at 7 o'clock to-morow night, and Montreal Sunday noon.

The steamship Vimiera, Captain Ferry, from Hull, England, July 13, consigned to Carbray, Routh and Co., and which was due in Montreal on Monday, passed Cape Chatte at 9.30 yesterday morning.

The Dominion line steamship Cambroman Captain Jones, left Liverpool for this port at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She has on board 92 first, 86 second, and 132 third class passengers.

CASES OF MARTIAL INFELICITY.

Judge Choquet Dealt With Two of Them in Court of Special Sessions To-day.

The Court of Special Sessions, presided over by Judge Choquet, had this morning a couple of cases of marital infelicity. Philippe Vincent, of St. Henri, was accused of vagrancy and not providing sufficiently for the needs of his family. The evidence showed that though he did take a drink occasionally, he provided fairly well for the family, and that if he had been unable to do so lately it was because he had been unable to secure employment. He was, therefore, acquitted.

Joseph Picotte was accused by his wife of leaving her unprovided, and she also accused a woman, named Sophie Complaisance, of encouraging and abetting this neglect of the wife on the part of the husband. After hearing the case Judge Choquet condemned the woman Complaisance to eight days in gaol and allowed Picotte out on a suspended sentence.

NAVAL MEN FROM ESQUIMALT.

Large Party of British Officers Will Sail From Here for England on Sept. 7.

In the first week in September, a large party of naval men and officers will reach Montreal from Esquimalt on their way to England. The party consists of some 233 non-commissioned officers and men, besides a number of officers and their families, about two hundred and fifty in all. They are under the command of Captain Kirbey, of H.M.S. Phaeton, and consist of time-expired men. They will sail from Montreal on the Allan line steamship Tunisian on Saturday, September 7.

NOTES FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER

What Can be Bought at Bonsecours Market and What it Will Cost.

VEGETABLES. — Fine potatoes were offering at 55c a bag for new; cabbages, 3 for 10c for new green; celery was 25 to 35c a bunch of a dozen heads; onions, 40c a box; cauliflowers, 10c each; leeks, 15c a large bunch; Canadian lettuce, 25c a dozen heads; radish, 5c for three small bunches; spinach, 40c a peck; sage, savoury, parsley and sweet marjorie, 6 bunches for 25c; green beans, 15c a half gallon; green onions, 3 bunches for 5c; green cucumbers, 3 for 5c; ripe tomatoes, 5c a pound; mushrooms, 30c a pound; new turnips, two bunches for 15c; new carrots, 4 bunches for 5c; watercress, three bunches for 25c; vegetable marrow, 10c each; corn, 10c a dozen; egg plant, 15c each; carrots, 4 bunches for 5c; beets, 2 bunches for 5c; musk melons, 40 to 50c each; parsnips, 15c a bunch.

FRUIT.—California plums, 35 to 45c a small basket; California peaches, 20 to 30c a dozen; Canadian peaches, 40c a basket; Jamaica oranges, 40c a dozen; Valencias, 25c; lemons, 20 to 25c a dozen; bananas, 15 to 20c a dozen; cocoanuts, 5c each; American apples, 10 to 20c a dozen; blueberries, 10c a quart; watermelons, 25 to 35c each; Canadian Bartletts, 10 to 15c a quart; California Bartlett pears, 20 to 30c a dozen; Canadian Clapp pears, 50c a basket; musk melons, 10 to 25c each.

MEAT.—Spring lamb is selling at about 12½c a pound for hindquarters, and 10c for fronts; mutton sells at 12c a pound for hindquarters, 8c to 9c for fronts; sirloin beef is 15c a pound; rib roast, 12½ to 14c; round steak, 12½ to 14c; beef shanks, 5c; brisket, 8; corned beef, 10 to 12c; veal, hindquarters, 10 to 12½c; front quarters, 7c to 8c; tongues, 12c; kidney suet, 8c to 10c; fresh pork, fresh ham and green bacon, 12c; sausages, 10 to 13c; finest smoked ham and bacon, 14c to 15c.

DAIRY PRODUCE. — Choice creamery butter, 24c a pound; dairy butter, 20 to 22c; cooking butter, 18c; mild cheese, 12c; strong cheese, 14c; No. 2 eggs, 14c; new laid eggs, 18 to 20c; light comb honey, 12c a lb.; dark comb, 10c; maple sugar, 10c a pound; maple syrup, 90c a wine gallon tin.

FISH.—Fresh: Sturgeon, catfish, whitefish salmon trout and pike sell at 10c a lb.; halibut, 15c; haddock, 5 to 6c; suckers, perch, rock bass, 12 to 15c a string, according to size; eels 30 to 35c each; mackerel, 15 to 20c each; sword fish and dore, 12½c to 15c.

POULTRY.—By the pound, frozen turkeys sold in the market building at 12c to 13c; fresh killed turkey, 10 to 11c; geese, at 9 to 10c; fowls, 9 to 10c; roasting chickens, 11 to 12c a pound; Montreal spring chickens, 50 to 75c a pair; ducks, 12 to 15c a lb.; pigeons, 25c a pair; squabs, 30c a pair; sucking pigs, $1.25 to $1.75 each.

GAME.—Quail, $2 to $2.50 a dozen; plover, $2 to $2.50 a dozen; millards, 80c a pair; prairie hens, $1.75 a brace; English snipe, $2.40 a dozen; wild geese, $1 each; snow birds, 15 to 20c a dozen.

Frogs' legs, 15 to 25c a pound.

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

TORONTO, Ont., August 17. — Forty-three load in to-day, including 814 hogs, 468 sheep and lambs, and 5 calves. Export cattle, choice, 4¾ to 5c; export cattle, light, 4¼ to 4½c; export bulls, choice, 4 to 4¼c; export bulls, light, 3½ to 3¾; loads of good butchers' and exporters, mixed, 4 to 4¼c; butchers' cattle, picked lots, 4¼ to 4⅜c; butchers' cattle, medium, mixed, 3⅜ to 4c; butchers' cattle, common, 2¼ to 3c; feeders, heavy, 4 to 4¼c; feeders, light, 3¼ to 3½c; stockers, 2½ to 3¼c; milch cows, choice, each, $40 to $45; milch cows, common, each, $25 to $35; export ewes, 3¾ to 4 1-10c; export rams, 2¾ to 3c; butchers' sheep, $3 to $4 each; lambs, 4¾ to 5¼c per lb.; lambs, $3 to $4.25 each; calves, per head, $2 to $8; hogs, singers, 6¾; fats, 5¾, lights, 5¾; off cars. Trade fair for good butchers' cattle; export cattle easier.

REPUBLIC IS LOWER.

Staying Powers of Yesterday's Market Not in Evidence This Morning.

PACIFIC WAS STEADY TO-DAY.

Royal Electric Advanced and Montreal Street Railway Declined Two Points.

The buoyancy in the London Stock Market which has been in evidence particularly for the three first days of this week, seems to have run its course, for the present at least. Cables indicate that the movement was largely a professional discounting of the gold arrivals from America. It seems to have largely affected American railway securities, Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunks being included. The local price of Canadian Pacific benefited by the advance abroad to the extent of 3 3-4 points at the highest reached, but closed a quarter lower, at 90 1-2 for the week. The London market, however, receded to-day a quarter to 92 1-2 compared with 92 7-8 at yesterday's highest and 92 3-4 at the close of the day's trading.

The stiffness in the price of Republic mining yesterday on the issuance of the company's circular deploring the sacrifice of the stock by impatient shareholders, did not hold good this morning, and the stock sold lower to 76, closing a half higher. Yesterday the market closed at 80, after having sold down to 78, so that to-day's low water mark is two points below yesterday's. The softness can be imagined when it is stated that the transactions only amounted to 5000 shares. Toronto had quite a slump in that stock yesterday, a block of 20,000 shares being thrown on the market, breaking it to 72.

The general tone of the market so far as strictly domestic stocks were concerned was slightly contradictory. A purchase of fifty shares of Royal Electric advanced the price two points to 200, and sale of 50 shares of Montreal Street depressed the price of that stock two points to 245. The trading was on the light side, and there appeared to be very little snap to the market.

A feature in the London market during the present week has been the recovery in Grand Trunks stimulated by the increased first preference dividend for the first half of the current year from 1 to 1 1-2 per cent. During the stagnation which has existed in all departments in the London market Grand Trunks declined like all the other securities. Previous to the dividend announcement last Friday first preference was selling at 83 1-8 second preference at 54 1-8 and third preference at 20 1-4. The London market has halted in the improvement which was developing there so that there has been a slight reaction from the highest to-day but the improvement carried first preference up to 86 3-4, second to 57 1-4 and third to 21 7-8. The recovery has therefore amounted to 3 5-8 for first, 3 1-8 for second, and 1 5-8 for third preference. This is still between two and three points below the high water mark for the stock reached in February when the first and second preference dividends for the second half of last year were declared.

Grand Trunk Railway system earnings, 8th to 14th August, 1900:

1900	$434,663
1899	464,089
Decrease	$ 29,426

Chicago and Grand Trunk earnings omitted.

Messrs. L. J. Forget & Co.'s London cable to-day quoted: Grand Trunk first 84 1-2, second 55 3-8, third 21, Canadian Pacific 92 1-2, Hudson Bay £21 3-8, Anaconda £9 3-8.

London closing: Consols for money, 98 5-8; do, for the account, 98 7-8; Atchison, 27 5-8; C. P. R., 92 1-2; St. Paul, 117 5-8; Illinois Central, 120; Louisville, 74; U. P. pfd., 77; N. Y. C., 133; Erie, 11 3-8; Penna., 66 3-8; Reading, 8 5-8; Erie, first pfd., 34 1-2; N. P. pfd., 73 1-8; G. T. R., 6 3-4; Anaconda, 9 1-4; Rand Mines, 40. Bar silver steady 28 1-16d. per ounce. Money 3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 3-4 per cent.; do, three months bills, 3 3-4 to 3 7-8 per cent.

The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows the following changes:

	Marks.
Cash in hand, increased	14,580,000
Treasury notes, increased	920,000
Other securities, increased	1,900,000
Notes in circulation, decreased	15,860,000

The Montreal Clearing House statement for the week shows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Total for week ending August 16, 1900	$13,863,863	$2,350,971
Corresponding week, 1899	14,165,212	2,287,515
Corresponding week, 1898	11,109,227	1,567,191
Corresponding week, 1897	11,813,408	1,594,602

The special correspondent of the Star in Wall Street wires as follows regarding that market: Stock market opened quiet, with a sagging tendency. The movement of prices seemed to be a continuation of that which set in yesterday and which superficially may be attributed to a growth of anxiety regarding the issue of the presidential campaign. The London market was steady on the relaxing monetary situation there and bettering conditions in China. St. Paul's statement for the 2nd week of August shows an increase of $20,000, but this was without particular effect upon the general market or that stock. Apprehension of a heavy reduction in the banks' surplus reserves to-morrow stimulated selling. Few features of special interest developed in the trading. Declines were common, but losses were not particularly severe. Interest was fairly well distributed throughout the railway list with Grangers in the lead. Union Pacific and Northern Pacific shared in the reactionary tendency of the market. The industrial quarter was heavy, with the exception of Sugar, which continued steady. The traction group moved in line with the general market.

New issues of loans and securities in London during the week ending July 28 were £3,521,180, of which £630,000 were Canadian railway shares, £400,000 Canadian mining shares, £500,000 South African gold shares, and the rest industrials. Total for 1900 to date (including £30,000,000 new consols), £109,971,465, against £104,134,158 for the same period in 1899, £118,561,950 in 1898, and £95,876,445 in 1897.

Secretary of the Treasury Gage is quoted as saying this about the recent gold shipments: "The movement is entirely natural, and nature always tends to establish just equilibriums. The negotiation on this side of so large a part of the English loan fully explains the movement. We have gold to spare, and it will go, and ought to go, where it can be most profitably employed. At moment that place of most need appears to be Great Britain and the Continent. We have a large supply of the yellow metal—an increasing supply when our domestic production is considered. Besides this, we are buying at our assay offices on the Pacific coast almost the entire products of the British Klondike region. With our great resources, we can, as long as we maintain the gold standard and keep the public credit good, retain for our own use all the gold we need."

MORNING SALES.

Canadian Pacific—20 at 90¼, 25 at 90¼, 20 at 90¼, 25 at 90½.
Royal Electric—25 at 199½, 25 at 200.
Street Railway—25 at 247, 25 at 245.
Telegraph—25 at 165.
Dominion Coal pref.—35 at 110½.
Republic—1000 at 77, 2000 at 76, 2000 at 76½.
Molsons Bank—Nothing paid; 29 at 177½.
Merchants Bank—8 at 154.
Molsons Bank—10 at 183.
Bank of Commerce—25 at 149.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Reported for the Star by Gordon Strathy & Co., Stock Brokers, 9 St. Sacrament st.

Stocks.	Aug. 17th. Ask.	Bid.	Aug. 16th. Ask.	Bid.
Canadian Pacific	90½	90⅜	90⅝	90½
Duluth S. S. & A. Com	5	3	5	4
Do. do. Pref	15	11½	15	11½
Commercial Cable	169	165	170	165⅞
Do. do.				
Rich & Ont. Nav. Co	105	100¼	103	100¼
Mont Street Ry	245½	244½	250	248
Do do. New	245		245	240
Halifax Electric Ry	100	90	100	89¾
Toronto Street Ry	97½	96⅝	97½	96¾
St. John Electric do		116		116
Montreal Gas Co	185	182	185	182
Royal Electric	205	199½	199	197¾
Montreal Telegraph	165	163¼	166	165
Heat & Light, Halifax				
Bell Telephone Co	175	172¼	175¼	171½
Do Pref				
Dominion Coal Co	45	40		
Montreal Cotton	140	134	140	134
Can. Col. Cot. Mills Co	88	76	88	
Merchants Cotton Co. xd	133	125	135	
Dom. Cot. Mills Co	90	88¾	90	88½
War Eagle	1.55	1.50¼	1.51	1.50½
Payne Mining	96	90	96	91½
Virtue Mining	65	60	65	60½
Montreal-London	20	18	20	19¼
Twin City Common	61	58	61	58
Republic Mining	80	75	80	79
North Star	97	93	96	91
Flemington Coal and Coke Co.		22		22
BANKS.				
Montreal		252	265	252
Molsons	185	182	185	182
Merchants	160	153		152
Merch'ts of Halifax xd	180		180	
Nova Scotia			240	220
Eastern Townships				153
Quebec	124½		124½	
Nationale	100	95	100	95
Union				
Commerce	150	147		
Imperial				
Hochelaga	137		137	
Ottawa Bank	207		207	
Windsor Hotel				
Inter Coal Co	45	37	45	37
Do do pref	75		75	
North West Land pref				
BONDS.				
Cable Coupon	105		105	100
do Reg'd				
Heat & Light "	50	30	50	30
Halifax R'y			104	
Col. Cotton	100	99	100	99
Dominion Coal	110½		110½	

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Specially reported for the Star by C. D. Monk, 16 St. Sacrament street, local manager for J. S. Bache and Co., New York, over direct private wire.

2.15.

Stocks	Aug. 17 Op'g.	Close	Aug. 16 Op'g.	Close.
Amer Tobacco Co	94	93½	94½	94¼
Do do. pref				
Amer Sugar Refin Co.	124¼	124½	125	124¼
Anaconda Mining Co.	45¼	45¼	46	46½
A. Top & St. Fe.	28⅛	27¾	28¼	28
Do do Pref	71	70⅞	71¾	71⅛
A. S. W	34⅜	34⅜	35¼	34⅞
Baltimore & Ohio	71¾	71½	71⅞	71⅞
Do do Pref	79¼	79¼	79¼	79¼
Brooklyn Rapid Trans	58	58⅞	59	58
Canadian Pacific				
Canada Southern	50¼	49¾	49¾	50
Ches & Ohio	27½	27½	28¼	27⅝
Chic. Burl. & Quincy	127	126⅞	127½	127½
Chicago Gas x.d	98½	98½	99	98⅞
Chic. & N.W	163	162¾		
Chic. R.I. & Pac	107	106⅞	107¾	107⅜
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	114½	114	114½	114⅜
Continental Tob. Co	26	25⅞	26¼	26¼
Do do pref			78½	78⅞
Consolidated Gas N.Y.	173¾	174	174	173¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron.	35½	35	35⅝	35⅝
Cleveland C. C. & St. L.	59¼	59¼	59	60
Delaware, Lack West			180	180
Delaware & Hudson	113⅝	113⅝		
Denver & Rio Grande	19¼	19¼		
Do pref	67½	67⅝	68	68
Duluth S. Shore & Atl.				
Do do prif	12	12		
Federal Steel	34	34⅜	35¼	34½
Federal Steel, pref			67¼	67
General Electric	136	136	136	136
Glucose com xd			54	54
Do pref. xd			100⅛	100⅜
Ill Central	117½	11¾		
Jersey Central	133⅞	133¾	134¾	133⅞
Kansas & Tex				
Lake Erie & West				29⅞
Do pref				
Louisville & Nashville	72	71¾	72½	71½
Manhattan Elevated	91½	91½	92½	92
Missouri Pacific	51½	51⅛	51⅞	51¼
Metropolitan Trac	155	155	155½	155½
National Lead Co	18	17¾		18¼
Do de pref				91
Nor. Pacific Com. new	51⅜	51½	52¼	51⅛
Do de do pref. xd	71½	71	71⅞	71¼
N. Y. Central & Hud.	130	130	130¼	130⅜
" " II pfd				
" " I pfd	34⅛	33⅞	34	33¾
N.Y. Outario & West			21⅜	21⅛
Omaha, com				
Pacific Mail			32	38
Pressed Steel, pref	40½	40½	40¼	40½
Phil. & Read all paid	17	16⅞	71	72½
Pullman				187¾
Southern Ry. Com	11½	11¼	11⅛	11½
Southern Pacific				
Do. pfd	52⅜	52⅜	52¾	52⅜
Southern Pacific	33⅛	33	33⅛	33⅛
Tenn. Coal & Iron	70⅜	70	71⅛	70½
Third Avenue				
Texas Pacific				15½
U. S. Leather Co	10⅞	10⅞	11⅛	11⅛
Do do Pref			68⅛	68⅜
U. S. Rubber Com	31	30½	30	31
Do do Pref	96⅝	96⅝	95	95
Union Pacific Com	59⅝	59⅝	60¼	59⅝
Do pref	76⅛	76	76½	76⅛
Wabash			7⅛	7⅝
Do pref	18½	18½	18½	18⅜
Western Union Tel				81

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

There was a little more life about the mining market this morning, and prices were about the same as yesterday. Republic sold at 76 and 78, closing at the latter figure. Oregon brought 18½ and California 7½.

The sales this morning were as follow:
Canadian Gold Fields—2500 at 7.
California—4000 at 7½.
Montreal and London—5000 at 18½.
Republic—1000 at 76, 1500 at 78.
Oregon—3000 at 18½.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

MORNING BOARD.

Specially reported for the Star by R. Meredith and Company, Mining Brokers, 51 St. Francois Xavier st.

Friday, Aug. 17, 1900.

Par Values of Shares.	Stocks.	Sellers.	Buyers.
1.00	Payne	93½	90
1.00	War Eagle	154	150
1.00	Republic	78½	78
1.00	Virtue	65	60
.24	Montreal, London	18¾	18
1.00	Big Three	2½	1¾
1.00	Brandon & Golden Crown	18	12½
1.00	California	8	7
.10	Can. Gold Fields, Syn	7½	6½
5.00	Cariboo Hydraulic	130	
.10	Evening Star	8½	7½
.25	Fern	5	1
1.00	Gold Hills, Developing	3	1½
1.00	Iron Colt		
1.00	Knob Hill	65	50
1.00	Monte Cristo	3½	3
.25	Montreal Gold Fields	4	3
1.00	Noble Five	7½	2
.10	Novelty	2	1
1.00	Old Ironsides		
1.00	Virginia	10	2½
1.00	Rambler Cariboo		
1.00	Bullion	34	20
1.00	Decca		
1.00	Morrison		
1.00	Golden Star	8	8
1.00	Slocan Sov	19½	14
1.00	Fontenoy		
1.00	Rathmullen	8	
1.00	Winnipeg	9	5
1.00	Dardanelles		
1.00	Deer Trail, Con	4½	4
1.00	North Star	95	93
1.00	Kenneth		
1.00	Dupont Mfg Co.	25	

THE PROVISION MARKET.

Prices of barrel pork have advanced and demand continues active.

DRESSED HOGS—Abattoir dressed hogs are steady, selling at 8 1-4 to 8 1-2c per lb.

CANADA PORK—Heavy short cut mess, $18.50 per bbl.; short cut family back pork, $18.50; heavy short-cut boneless mess, $19.50; short cut clear, heavy, $18 per bbl.; heavy flank, $19.

HAMS—Large hams, 11 1-2c; choice selected small, 13c; extra small, 12 1-2c; with bone out, rolled, 14c.

BACON—Breakfast boneless, 13c; Wiltshire sides, 13c; Windsor backs, 12c; green bone in, not smoked, 9c; long clear, 8c.

SAUSAGES—Pork links, Oxfords, Cambridges' farmers', and pork sausage meat, 7c lb.; smoked Saveloy links, and Brunswicks, 8c; bolognas, 7c.

LARD—Choice refined in 20 lb. pails, 8c; extra pure, in pails, 9c; finest kettle, pails, 10c.

LIVERPOOL—Pork, 72s 6d; lard, 34s 9d; bacon, 39s 6d to 41s 6d; tallow, 25s to 26s.

IMPROVED IRON TRADE.

The Iron Age of yesterday said: "A more confident feeling is developing in the iron trade, particularly in those branches in which prices have come down to figures as low as any reached in the years preceding the boom. This is particularly true of bars, in which there has been a recoil from such figures as 85c per 100 lbs. at mill, so that now $1.00 to $1.10 is being done on large contracts. A stronger feeling has also developed in sheets. It is not claimed that in many other lines the advantage has yet turned to the buyer's side, but it is certain that more interest is being taken in the market.

Butter and Cheese

..IN..

LONDON AND LIVERPOOL.

The Star's Special Cable.

LONDON, August 17.—Butter is dearer, with a fair demand. Finest is quoted at 108s to 110s. The cheese market is strong, and prices show some shillings' advance for the week. Finest quoted at 53s to 54s.

LIVERPOOL, August 17. — Butter is steady and in fair enquiry at 104s to 106s. Cheese has advanced, but the rise checks business. Finest is quoted at 52s to 53s.

COUNTRY CHEESE BOARDS.

Summary of Transactions During the Past Few Days.

Date. Place.	Cheese Boarded	Cheese Sold	Price
August.			
9—Brockville	3220 w&c	all	10½-⅝
9—Vankleek Hill	956 w	956	10⅝-⅝
9—Kingston	719 w&c	424	10⅝
9—Barrie	602 c	all	10¾-7-16
9—Madoc	1145	110	10½
10—Chesterville	443	curb	10⅝
10—Iroquois	759 c & w	all	10⅝
10—Perth	1850 w	all	10 15-16-⅞
10—Brantford	1139	all	10¾-11
10—Napanee	1275	all	10⅝
10—Ottawa	2005 w & c	all	10⅝
10—Winchester	787	672	10⅝
10—South Finch	1092 w & c	all	10 15-16
10—Kemptville	700	all	10¾
11—Cowansville Que	3762	all	10¾-15-16
	20	butter	21
11—Cowansville	805 w	400	10 15-16 11
11—Belleville	1498 w & c	680	10¾-11
11—London			
11—Watertown, N. Y.	1800	9⅝	10¾
11—Ogdensburg, N. Y.	1320	curb	10⅝
	1 & 1 twins		10¾-½
11—Canton, N.Y.		butter	20¾-⅛
11—Canton, N.Y.	1499 w & c	1409	10⅝-⅞
11—Cornwall	ns		10⅝
11—Cornwall		1700	10⅞-11
13—Lindsay	9660	1 & s	10-10⅝
13—Utica, N. Y.	143	creamery	20-21
13—Utica, N. Y.	385	bid	10¾
14—Ingersoll	723	598	10¾
15—Ormstown, Que.	55	butter	20¼
15—Ormstown, Que.	1243	bid	10¾-11
15—Woodstock, Ont	935	all	10 15-16
15—Madoc	563 w&c	bid	10¾
15—Russell	2034 w&c	all	10¾-⅞
16—Brockville	785	all	10⅞
16—Vankleek Hill	1017	all	10¾
16—Kingston			

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Butter Market Is Firm and Prices Advance Again.

Cheese Market Is Duller and Feeling Rather Easier.

CHEESE—The market is rather quieter to-day. A determined attempt has been made during the past few days to get prices down on the country cheese boards, resulting in a slightly easier feeling in the local market. Quotations on finest westerns range from 11 to 11 1-8c, though buyers are not very eager at these figures. Easterns and Quebecs are quotable at 10 3-4 to 7-8c. Receipts to-day were 8,777 boxes.

EGGS—The market is rather firmer owing to an increased demand and decreased receipts of good stock. Besides the local trade there is a considerable quantity going forward to England.

Prices are about 11 to 11 1-2c for No. 2, 12 to 12 1-2c for straight gathered, 12 1-2 for straight candled, and 13c for No. 1 candled. Receipts to-day were 907 cases.

BUTTER — The market is undoubtedly strong. The English market supports it, and high prices are being paid in the country, though it is said that West Shefford reports regarding top prices will not be realized. In any case, 21 1-2 to 3-4c is being freely paid here to-day, though it is doubtful if any fancy goods could be had at the lower figure, while sellers are asking over the higher one. Receipts to-day were 4,379 packages.

MAPLE PRODUCTS—Prices are nominal at 5 1-2 to 6c a pound in wood and 6 to 6 1-2c in tins. Sugar sells at 7 1-2 to 10c.

POTATOES—Quotations for new stock are now about 50c a bag.

HONEY—The first of the new crop is now in. White comb is quoted at 13 1-2c to 17c in sections; dark comb at 10 to 12c; white extracted is 11 to 12c, and dark extracted is 8 1-2 to 10c.

POTASH — Rather better demand, but pearls are not wanted and nominal. Quotations are $4.75 for first pots, $4.20 for seconds, and first pearls, $5 to $5.25.

BEANS — The market is dull, choice primes being offered at $1.60 in 50 bag lots.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat is Fairly Steady But Trade is Dull for All Lines.

The Liverpool wheat market was easier to-day, Sept. closing ⅜d down at 5s 11⅝d; Dec. closing ⅛d down, at 6s 1d.

Paris was practically unchanged, Aug. closing at 19.95; Sept. at 21.30.

Antwerp was steady at 16⅝c for No. 2 red winter.

French weather fine.

English weather splendid.

London reported No. 1 hard Manitoba, steam, Sept., 31s 9d; Australian, iron, June, 31s; Canadian mixed oats, Aug., 14s 9d.

The New York wheat market was steady to-day.

Cable says Russia has accumulated good wheat reserves the past two crops and will have a large amount to export this year.

Seattle and San Francisco are said to be trading now on New York grain quotations, which are received in ten minutes after the sales are made in New York.

Argentine shipments to the U. K. last week were 78,000 qrs. wheat, and 62,000 maize, against 98,000 and 29,000 respectively the previous week.

Argentine shipments to the Continent last week were 24,000 qrs. wheat, and 48,000 maize, against 35,000 and 38,000 respectively the previous week.

LOCAL MARKET. — Oats are in fair enquiry, and sales have been made at 30½c, afloat, Montreal; peas are unchanged at about 69½ to 70c. Trade, however, is dull all around. Other lines are nominal. Manitoba wheat is dull and nominal at about 78¼c afloat, Fort William.

FLOUR. — The flour market continues quiet. We quote: Manitoba spring wheat patents, $4.70; winter wheat patents, $3.75 to $4; straight rollers, $3.60 to $3.65; in bags, $1.65 to $1.70; and Manitoba strong bakers', $4.10 to $4.35.

HAY.—Business is on the quiet side. No. 1, $9.50 to $10; No. 2, $8 to $8.25; clover, $7.50 per ton on track.

ROLLED OATS.—There is very little demand. Dealers are offering stock at $3.30 to $3.45 a barrel, or $1.60 to $1.67½ a bag, delivered at store.

FEED.—Quotations are: Ontario bran, in bulk, $14; shorts, $16; Manitoba bran, including bags, $15; shorts, $17; moullie, $18 to $24 per ton, including bags.

MANITOBA WHEAT.

(Special to the Star.)

WINNIPEG, Man., August 17. — Wheat, Fort William freight rate, 79½ cents; Brandon freight rate, 66½ cents.

TORONTO GRAIN MARKET.

TORONTO, August 17.—Wheat lower, old white and red quoted at 67c west; new quoted at 66 west. There is no demand for goose, and it is nominal at 62c west; Manitoba is steady at 90c for No. 1 hard, g.i.t., 80c afloat Fort William, 87c Toronto and west, and 84 to 85c Midland.

Flour—Demand moderate; cars of 90 per cent. patents quoted at $2.70 to $2.75 in buyers' bags west; choice well known brands are quoted at 15 to 20c higher. Manitoba flour is steady at $4.25 for cars of strong bakers, and $4.50 for patents here.

Millfeed—Cars of shorts are quoted at $14.50 to $15; and bran at $11 to $11.50 west.

Barley—Steady; new No. 3 extra is quoted at 34c; No. 2 at 38c west.

Rye—Steady; new quoted by buyers at 46c east and 45c west.

Corn—Steady; Canada yellow quoted at 40c west; No. 3 American steady at 47 1-2c.

Oats—Steady for old and easier for new at 26 to 26 1-2c for old white west; new are quoted at 23 1-2 to 24c west.

Oatmeal—Quoted at $3.10 for cars of bags and $3.20 for barrels here; small quantities, 20c more.

Peas—Steady; new quoted at 56c east and 55c west.

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BAILIFF'S SALE — PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal. No. 161. Recorder Court Joseph Laplerre, Plaintiff, vs. Napoleon Jasmin, Defendant. On the 27th day of August, 1900, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at No. 1120 St. James street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold, by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of one monument stone, 7 pieces stone. Conditions cash. M. DANDURAND, B. S. C. Montreal, 16th August, 1900. 193 1

BAILIFF'S SALE — PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal. No. 648 Circuit Court. Dame Palmire Bastien, Plaintiff, vs. Xavier Fredette, Defendant. On the 27th day of August, 1900, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of said Defendant, at No. 296 Rivard street, in the City and District of Montreal, will be sold, by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture, leather, etc. Terms cash. M. J. A. DECELLES, B.S.C. Montreal, the 17th August, 1900. 193 1

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HE HAD CAUSE TO REMEMBER.

A Brockville Confectioner's Unpleasant Experience With Carter the Alleged Pick-pocket.

(Special to the Star.)

BROCKVILLE, August 17.—A curious incident in connection with the case of the five alleged pickpockets now awaiting examination in Brockville is told. The counsel for the prisoners went to the proprietor of the confectionery store to secure identification of Carter, who, it was alleged, had indulged in ice cream there on the morning of the picnic at St. Lawrence Park, and the subsequent arrest. The idea was, no doubt, to show that Carter was not connected with the other suspects. The proprietor of the confectionery store positively identified the man as the customer of the morning of the 6th instant, but his testimony took an unexpected turn, for he not only identified the man, but added the information that he remembered the morning particularly, because he was ten dollars short that day in his cash.

LAME DUCK AT HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, August 17—The steamer Winnie, lumber loaded, from Pugwash to Liverpool, which struck a rock coming out of Pugwash last Thursday, afterwards making Pictou and finally leaving Pictou on Monday to go into dry dock here, arrived off the harbour in tow of the Danish steamer Louisiana yesterday afternoon.

Fire on Wednesday night destroyed the Berwind colliery of the Berwind-White Coal Mining Company, at Dubois, Iowa, causing a loss of $200,000.

CANADIAN MINING NEWS.

A Railway Connecting Republic, Wash., and Grand Forks, B. C. is Proposed.

THIS WOULD INCREASE THE ORE PRODUCTION OF THE WASHINGTON CAMP BY 2000 TONS PER DAY.

REPUBLIC, Wash., August 13.—At a largely attended meeting, representing mining and business interests, held here recently, a strong resolution declaring in favour of the immediate construction of a railway between this camp and Grand Forks, B.C., was unanimously adopted.

The resolution, among other things, recites that the proposed railway will result in the rapid development of the mineral resources of not only Republic, but the Colville reservation generally; that the grade between the two points, a distance of 35 miles, will not exceed one per cent., traversing as it does the San Poil and Kettle River valleys; that the railway will also provide shipping facilities for Anaconda, Sheridan and Belcher Mountain camps; that the present facilities for the treatment of silicious ores in Republic are entirely inadequate; that the Republic ores, when blended with the sulphide ores of the Boundary Country, can be treated more cheaply at Boundary smelters than at Republic; that the building of a railway between Republic and Grand Forks will increase the ore production of Republic to at least 2000 tons a day.

It is understood that the surveys between Republic and Nelson, Wash., a point on the international boundary, will be started within three weeks. John A. Manly, of Grand Forks, addressed the meeting, stating that the Grand Forks smelter will be enlarged to accommodate all ores offering from Republic. A charter for the connecting link 4½ miles long from Grand Forks to Carson, B.C., on the boundary line, is being sought this session from the Provincial Legislature. The applicants include J. R. Stratton, Provincial Secretary of Ontario; T. P. Coffee, general manager of the Guarantee Company, Toronto, and T. W. Holland, manager of the Grand Forks Townsite Company.

The MUSICAL JOHNSTONS,
Celebrated Xylophone Players, will remain next week at Riverside Park. 193mty2n

MANUEL TRAINING IN SCHOOLS

The New System is Being Inaugurated With Complete Success

AND PROMISES TO BE MAINTAINED PERMANENTLY AS A BRANCH OF EDUCATION.

OTTAWA, August 17.—In the course of a conversation on the subject of manual training in schools, the project so generously endowed by Sir Wm. McDonald, Prof. Robertson, to whom the millionaire manufacturer entrusted the inauguration of the scheme, expressed his satisfaction with the progress of the plan so far. It has just been definitely decided that the students in the Provincial Normal school will be taught manual training as a subject of the regular course of instruction. Thus there would be at the outset about 600 teachers and 5,000 school boys in training. When, in a couple of months time, the system has been set to work, from Nova Scotia to Winnipeg there will be employed sixteen or seventeen trained specialists in the schools of the leading cities and towns. These instructors have been engaged in England, on the continent and in the United States, and are under engagement for three years, their salaries as well as incidental expenses of instruction being paid wholly by Sir Wm. McDonald. Thus the system, which has been so successful in Europe, will be given a splendid start in Canada and at the end of the three years, when thousands of school children will have experienced the benefit of the training and hundreds of qualified teachers will be instructing their pupils in this branch of practical education throughout the country, it will be known whether the system is worth continuing.

In view of the excellent results achieved by the system wherever it has been systematically tried, Prof. Robertson has no doubt that the outcome in Canada will be the inclusion of manual training permanently as a branch of education under the auspices of the state.

BI-LINGUAL SCHOOLS.

Ontario's Minister of Education Issues an Important Circular Relating to Them.

TORONTO, August 17.—The Minister of Education has issued a circular to inspectors of Public and Separate schools on the subject of bi-lingual schools. The English language is becoming so important from a commercial and national point of view, that French-Canadian parents are manifesting a desire to have their children taught to speak and write it with fluency. The Minister points out that establishment some years ago of an English-speaking training school at Plantagenet did much towards improving the condition of the schools in Eastern Ontario, but that owing to the difficulty of securing teachers who had the necessary knowledge of both French and English, advancement had not been so rapid as was desired. Recognizing the fact that the pupils of the schools will receive better training if higher academic and professional training is required of the teachers, Mr. Harcourt has declined to separate these two parts of a teacher's qualifications as has long been the case with English-speaking teachers, and gives notice that commencing September next, persons seeking to be teachers of bi-lingual schools will confine their attention during the academic year to the non-professional requirements, which may be taken at Plantagenet or elsewhere. The examination will be on the same papers as those prescribed for the public school, leaving junior examination together with question papers on French grammar and composition. Candidates will subsequently be required to undertake a course of professional training almost on the same lines as those exacted of candidates for provincial third-class certificates. This latter course will be taken at Ottawa. Certificates obtained in this way will be valid for any school in the province where a French bi-lingual teacher is needed.

THE GOULET INVESTIGATION.

An Enquiry Into the Serious Charges Made Being Conducted at Quebec.

(Special to the Star.)

QUEBEC, August 17.—A very important investigation ordered by the Provincial Government is being conducted here by Assistant Attorney-General Cannon into the charges made by members of the Licensed Victuallers' Association against an official of the Inland Revenue Department, named Goulet. The charges laid by a number of unlicensed liquor sellers and others are to the effect that they paid Goulet certain sums of money to avoid prosecutions for failure to obtain licenses. Hon. Charles Langelier represents Goulet and Hon. L. P. Pelletier appears for the Licensed Victuallers' Association. Some fifty witnesses are to be examined. Mr. Langelier wanted the investigation limited to the special cases complained of. Mr. Pelletier objected, saying that these were only specimen cases to warrant the Government in taking action and Mr. Cannon decided that he would hear all the evidence offered. Mr. Goulet has already deposed that he received no money in either of the cases charged against him. On the other hand, Zoe Gagnon, hotel-keeper, deposed that he had given various sums of money at different times to Goulet and had sold liquor for three years without a license. Phileas Cote deposed that he had taken out no license in 1899 and had given $25 to the accused, which he intended for a bribe. Somewhat similar evidence was given by two other witnesses. The enquiry is still going on.

KLONDIKERS RETURN.

OTTAWA, August 17.—Mr. George M. Dalglish, one of the party of Klondikers who left Ottawa in November, 1897, accompanied by Wm. Moran and Dave Hopkins, of Ottawa, along with a party of Chicago men, has returned home. The party went by the Edmonton route, and it took them nearly 20 months to make the trip from Edmonton to Dawson. The party left Ottawa in the employ of the Northwest M. O. D. and T. Co., and were well supplied with all the equipments necessary for the trip, but they met with many hardships. The trip from Dawson to Ottawa was made in 14 days and was a pleasant one in every respect.

LONG TRIP BY WAGGON.

DETROIT, Mich., August 17.—From Ottawa, Canada, to Seattle, Washington, by waggon, that is the way a party of eight passed through Detroit on their journey towards the setting sun. John F. Schuart, his son, Joseph, and his mother-in-law, and Robert Smith, with their wives and families, left Ottawa three weeks ago in three prairie schooners, expecting to land on the Pacific coast some time in January. All of the party were formerly Americans and residents of Canada, and had been in Canada the past five years. They expect to cover about fifty miles a day from here west.

MINING MEN TO VISIT QUEBEC.

(Special to the Star.)

QUEBEC, August 17.—Several large parties of excursionists are on their way here. Nearly three hundred mining engineers from various parts of Canada and the United States are to arrive on Saturday morning over the Quebec Central road, after inspecting the asbestos mines en route. They are to remain till Sunday night, when they leave by Intercolonial Railway for the mining centres of the Maritime Provinces, and also go to Newfoundland to inspect its iron and copper mines..

INHERIT A FORTUNE.

ST. ANDREWS, N. B., August 17.—By the death of a maiden aunt in England, the children of the late Mr. Wm. Williamson, of this town, become heirs to an estate valued at $100,000. Three sons live here, and Charles, the other is at Perth, Ont. News of their inheritance arrived yesterday.

ACADIANS SEND MESSAGE TO QUEEN.

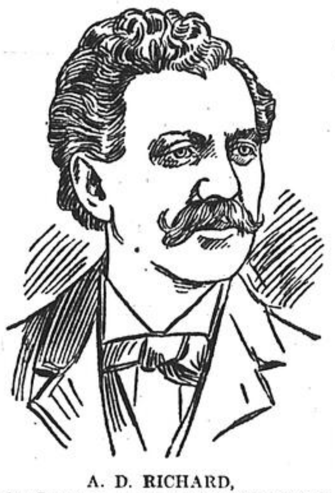
It Tells of Their Unfaltering Loyalty to the Crown of Great Britain.

THE NEXT PLACE OF MEETING.

Hon. Senator Poirier Again Elected to the Presidential Chair.

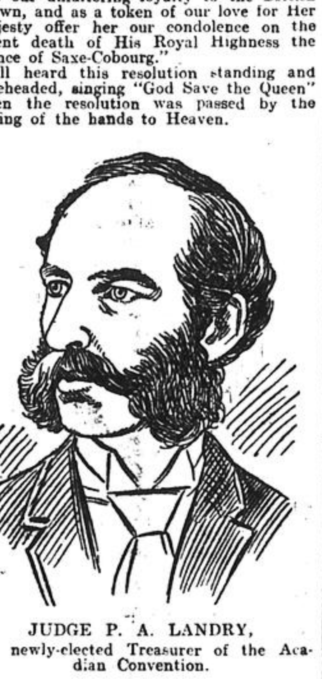
(Special to the Star.)

ARICHAT, August 17. — On Thursday morning committee of the Acadian Convention met in general session to hear resolution prepared the preceding night. Amongst these resolutions some touched on educational matters, others the press, and some were of religious interest, bearing on ecclesiastical government. Eloquent speeches were made by Senator Poirier, Judge Landry, Rev. Father Beliveau, of Grandique, and others. The greatest enthusiasm reigned, when, in the absence of Hon. A. H. Comeau, Professor Jules M. Lanos, of Halifax, moved, seconded by His Honour Judge Landry, that the following telegram be sent to Her Majesty Queen Victoria: "That we, the French Acadians, assembled in general convention at Arichat, Cape Breton, protest our unfaltering loyalty to the British Crown, and as a token of our love for Her Majesty offer her our condolence on the recent death of His Royal Highness the Prince of Saxe-Cobourg."



A. D. RICHARD,
Joint Secretary of the Acadian Convention.

All heard this resolution standing and bareheaded, singing "God Save the Queen" when the resolution was passed by the raising of the hands to Heaven.



JUDGE P. A. LANDRY,
The newly-elected Treasurer of the Acadian Convention.

Caraquer was selected as the meeting place for the next convention. A president and several vice-presidents were appointed. Hon. Senator Poirier was again asked to fill the president's chair. Hon. A. H. Comeau is first vice-president for Nova Scotia; Hon. Isadore Leblanc for Cape Breton; M. Marsonault, for P. E. Island; Dr. Delaney, for the Magdalen Islands, and O. M. Melanson for New Brunswick. Dr. Belliveau, of New Brunswick, is secretary, and Judge Landry, treasurer.

HARMONIOUS SESSIONS.

Presbyterian General Assembly Committee on Revision Meet and Agree on Restatement.

SARATOGA, N. Y., August 17.—The Presbyterian General Assembly Committee on Revision to "consider the whole matter of a restatement of the doctrines most surely believed among us, and which are substantially embodied in the Confession," held three executive sessions here.

The action of the committee was harmonious and will be sent in a few days to the presbyteries and given to the public.

The committee at a late hour last night adjourned to meet at Washington, Tuesday, December 4.

TWO HUNDRED STRUCK.

Montmorency Cotton Mill Employes Given Until Saturday to Return to Looms.

(Special to the Star.)

QUEBEC, August 17.—Two hundred operatives at the Montmorency Cotton Mills have left their work because of the order of the management against the employment of union labour. Two-thirds of the employes have signed the required document, binding themselves to remain clear of labour unions, and are still at work, and those now out have been given till Saturday at noon to follow their example.

KING OF SAXONY IN DANGER.

Man Arrested at Leipsic Yesterday Says He Was Appointed to Kill Him.

LONDON, August 17.—A youth about 20 years old was arrested at Leipsic yesterday, according to a special despatch from Berlin, who admits having conspired to kill King Albert of Saxony. He says he was appointed by lot to perform the deed, but that his courage failed him. His identity has not yet been established, but a dagger and a loaded revolver were found on his person.

IMPORTANT WITNESS MISSING.

TORONTO, August 17.—Fanny Helpert and Meyer Shapero, charged with poisoning Morris Goldstein, the second hand storekeeper, again appeared in the Police Court yesterday, but were remanded for a week.

The Crown officers are looking for a girl, the daughter of Fanny Helpert's brother, who is alleged to have heard the female prisoner make damaging admissions. The girl, however, cannot be found, and it is said she has been spirited away. The authorities say they can produce a former partner of Goldstein's who will swear that two cups of tea given to Goldstein by Mrs. Helnert had been doctored.

OFFICERS CONDEMNED.

Viscount Wolseley Made a Sensational Speech Yesterday.

DECLARED THAT 30,000 MEN WERE BADLY LED AND POORLY TRAINED—UNFIT FOR SERVICE.

LONDON, August 17.—Viscount Wolseley, field marshal and commander-in-chief of the British army, delivered, according to the Daily Mail, the most scathing condemnation ever heard at Aldershot after witnessing yesterday's manoeuvres.

He declared that the 30,000 men who participated were utterly unfit to send abroad, badly led, and badly taught.

Many distinguished officers listened to these remarks, among them General Montgomery Moore, formerly in command in Canada, but now commanding at Aldershot.

ANGLING GOOD IN QUEBEC.

Many Large Catches Reported in Lakes and Rivers Within Past Week.

(Special to the Star.)

QUEBEC, August 17.—The angling in the lakes and streams in Northern Quebec is now reported better than it has been at any time during the present season. Phenomenally large trout, some of five pounds and upwards, have been taken this week in the Ouiatchonan River, at Lake St. John, and Mrs. Taylor, the wife of the second assistant secretary of the United States Treasury, took a five-pound trout on Tuesday last in Lake Edward. In the Grand Discharge of Lake St. John, onananiche are reported more plentiful than for a long time past, and some very large catches have been made. The travel to Lake St. John is heavier now than at any time during the year. The calmon angling season, which closed on Wednesday, has been remarkably good. On the St. John River on the north shore, it is said that the catch of J. J. Hill, of St. Paul, and party, exceeded half a ton in weight. A net-fisherman and his son at the mouth of the St. Paul River took a hundred barrels of salmon during the season. James R. Wilson and Dr. Shepherd, of Montreal, have had excellent sport on the Grand Pabos, the latter mentioned gentleman killing a 42-lb. fish, after — so it is said—a three-years' struggle. A Quebec angler tells of a two-hours' fight on the Grand River, of Gaspe, with a 36-lb. fish. Ex-Governor A. R. Angers took nearly twenty salmon in a week on the A Mars River. Messrs. Law, Patterson and Small, of Montreal, had good sport on the Godbout, and Mr. F. H. Daniels and party, of Worcester, Mass., on the Little Cascapedia.

NEW YORK RACE WAR.

High Feelings Led to Many Fights Between Whites and Blacks Yesterday.

NEW YORK, August 17.— Many fights between whites and blacks resulted from the race riot on Wednesday night. Vincent A. Streets, coloured, and James Shane, white, began a row and both were arrested. Alexander Robinson, a negro, and a coloured friend, were on a 34th street car. Some one set up a shout as the car neared 8th avenue that the two negroes ought to be lynched. A man with a clothes line appeared from somewhere and the two negroes were pulled off the car. The rope was thrown around Robinson's neck and with fifty men and boys pulling, the mob started for a lamp-post. A squad of police appeared before the mob had gone far and with much clubbing dispersed the crowd. The two negroes got away in the scrimmage.

Every pawn shop in the Tenderloin did a thriving trade in small arms to-day. A leading pawnbroker said that he knew of five-shops that had sold out everything from "black jacks" to Colt's 41-calibres.

L'ALLIANCE NATIONALE

Will Meet in Annual Convention at Quebec Next Monday.

(Special to the Star.)

QUEBEC, August 17.—On Monday the annual convention of L'Alliance Nationale opens here in Tara Hall, with delegates in attendance from all parts of the province. Ald. H. Laporte, of Montreal, is president, and Jos. Contant, of the same city, vice-president. There will be High Mass on Monday morning in the Basilica, and a monster mass-meeting that night in Victoria Park, with public addresses and three bands of music. The convention will last till Thursday night.

On Tuesday Quebec will be visited by two hundred members of the Minnesota Press Association. They will be officially received at the Parliament House by Lieutenant-Governor Jette, and at the City Hall by Mayor Parent, and the local committee of press men will take them for a ride on the electric cars round the city, and also around the harbour on board the SS. Druid, placed at their disposal for the purpose by the Federal Government.

PUTTING MONEY IN BANKS.

Deposits at Ottawa Have Increased Since the Relief Fund Was Distributed.

(Special to the Star.)

OTTAWA, August 17.—Within the past two weeks a phenomenal increase in the amount of daily deposits in the Savings Bank branch of the Post Office Department has taken place. It is attributed to the distribution of the fire relief fund.

The average amount deposited daily is between $2,000 and $3,000, but since the cheques of the funds commenced to go out it has increased to between $10,000 and $14,000.

The number of new depositors has also gone up largely at the rate of from eighty to one hundred a day.

CANNINGTON CONSERVATIVES.

CANNINGTON, Ont., August 17. — The annual meeting of the Cannington Liberal-Conservative Club was held on Wednesday evening. The attendance was large. J. A. Kift, president, occupied the chair. After routine business the following officers were elected: Hon. president, David Lindsay; president, Wm. A. Robinson; vice-presidents, J. T. V. May, and Charles Reynolds; secretary, R. A. Sinclair; treasurer, J. J. Shier. Dr. Gillespie, president of the Liberal-Conservative Association of North Ontario, and Mr. W. H. Hoyle, M.L.A., delivered stirring and appropriate addresses on the topics of the day.

ANTIS WILL SUPPORT BRYAN.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., August 17.—The Liberty Congress of the American League of Anti-Imperialists yesterday emphatically endorsed the candidacy of W. J. Bryan for president. Thomas M. Osborne, of Auburn, N.Y., leader of the "Third Ticket" movement, offered an amendment to strike out endorsement of Bryan, and his amendment was vigourously supported by several delegates.

THEY HAVE THE MONEY.

(Special to the Star.)

VICTORIA, B. C., August 17.—The Evening Times says editorially that the money for the Mackenzie & Mann's railway from the Great Lakes to the Pacific, with a branch line to Dawson, has been subscribed in London. The Pacific terminus will be on the northern coast of British Columbia.

SIR FRANK SMITH BETTER.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, August 17.—Sir Frank Smith has been feeling very well for the past week, an announcement which was received with gladness by the Senator's many friends. Sir Frank is able to receive callers every day and also transact business.

Store News from Haycock & Dudgeon's the Satisfactory Store.

An Extra Event in Parasols.

Now for the last run on parasols.

We've given some fine offers already this season—but now we give a good deal better chance.

We've laid out on counters in our centre aisle just fifty Sunshades and Parasols, worth $1.65 and up to $3.75—they include some in shot silks in several shades, fine linen lace trimmed, gloria silks, etc., quite a collection—all at . . . $1.00 Each.

Some of our other lines are:
Cream colored Gloria Parasols, with muslin ruching and chiffon insertion, worth $3.00 for . . . $1.50
Fine Scotch Zephyr Parasols, trimmed with lace frills and insertion, worth $3.00 for . . . $1.50
Pale blue Foulard Silk Parasols, covered entirely with white lace, worth $7.50, for . . . $3.75
Light blue all Silk Parasols, trimmed with black applique lace, worth $10.25, for . . . $5.10

Saturday's Special Cash Discount.
Only have a day to do your shopping in, but all cash purchases of one dollar and over are subject to a special discount of ten per cent. over and above all previous reductions.

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HAS COST MILLIONS.

United States Expenditure for the Filipino War Reaches Enormous Figures.

LOSS OF LIFE HAS BEEN HEAVY.

Suicide and Insanity Are Often Mentioned in the Official Returns.

As nearly as figures can express it, the cost to the United States of the war in the Philippines has been $186,678,000 in cash and at least 2,394 lives of American soldiers.

Approximately speaking, the war with Spain ended and that with the Filipinos began on February 1, 1899. This date can be used in calculating the expenditure in money, although it was not until February 4 that hostilities with Aguinaldo and his followers really began, and it was not until February 6 that the treaty of peace with Spain was ratified.

The total of deaths given is compiled from a report made by the Secretary of War in reply to a resolution passed by the Senate, and from General MacArthur's death and casualty lists since the date covered by that report—May 24, 1900—up to and including August 11. It is possible that not all of the deaths have been reported, but the possible error is small, and 2304 is approximately the correct total.

COST OF ARMY AND NAVY.

It is difficult to approximate the cost of the war in dollars and cents, for it is impossible to determine just what proportion of the increased military and naval expenses of the Government should be charged to that war. Estimates prepared by expert accountants of the Treasury Department show that the cost of the army and navy since the beginning of hostilities in the Philippines has been $164,750,000 in excess of what it would have been if the same average rate of expenditures had been maintained that prevailed before the war with Spain.

This, however, has not all been due to the hostilities in the islands. Especially is this true as to the navy, for it cannot be said that the policy of ship construction has been materially affected by the Philippine situation, and about as many ships would have been kept in commission if the Philippines had been abandoned. It is doubtful if more than $7,000,000 of the $37,000,000 apparent increase in naval expenditures can properly be charged directly to the Philippine war.

With the army the situation is somewhat different. It is true that even if the Philippines had been abandoned upon the ratification of the treaty of peace with Spain there would still have been increased expenses on account of the military occupation of Cuba and Puerto Rico, and the cost of bringing home and mustering out the troops then serving in the Philippines would have been a considerable item.

On the other hand, at the termination of the war with Spain there were on hand vast quantities of military supplies of all kinds, which have been available for the Philippine operations and which can properly be charged to the Philippine account. It is impossible to express in figures either side of this account, but it is probable that one side would about balance the other.

There are some items of military expense which cannot properly be charged to the Philippines. These are the increased expenditures for fortifications in the United States, and the increased expense due to the permanent enlargement of the artillery arm of the service. These are estimated approximately at $15,000,000.

Subtracting from the apparent increased cost of the army and navy, $30,000,000 on account of new construction and other expenditures in the navy not directly due to the Philippines, and $15,000,000 for army expenses not connected with operations in the island, there is left $159,750,000 as approximating the cost of military and naval operations in the islands. Adding to this the $20,000,000 paid to Spain under the terms of the treaty of peace, and charging to the Philippines interest on the war loan since June 30, 1899, the cost of the two Philippine commissions, and various other civil expenses which can only be estimated by the Treasury Department, the total cost of the islands to date foots up $186,678,000.

The figures here given are based on a tabulated statement prepared by the Treasury Department, giving the army and navy expenditures by months from the beginning of the Spanish war, without making any deductions for expenditures not directly due to current operations.

LOSSES IN THE ARMY.

Prior to the present trouble in China this country had in the Philippines an army numbering 63,598 officers and enlisted men. In spite of this force the Filipinos have been able to maintain a species of guerilla warfare which results in more casualties to the American forces than the strength of the enemy would seem to warrant, especially when it is taken into consideration that since the early days of the war there has been scarcely a fight that could be dignified by the term "battle." Yet in the incessant skirmishes that have marked almost every day since the insurrection began, the Americans have lost 533 men killed in action, and there have been 1,668 deaths from other causes, most of them from disease, though this total embraces a few cases of suicide and deaths by drowning and accident.

There have been 2,073 men wounded in engagements with the Filipinos.

THE LAUNDRESS DOOMED.

London Washerwomen Have a New Rival in the Church Army,

WHICH HAS SET BOYS AT THE BUSINESS WITH CONSIDERABLE SUCCESS.

Not long ago a celebrated French woman who had been exploring the mysteries of the Sahara reported that she had discovered a highly civilized Arab tribe, in which the men not only tended the babies, but did all the family washing, while the women made the laws. And she brought back photographs to prove it.

Maybe that Arab tribe was a forerunner of a new state of things for us who think we are most civilized, for it has been discovered in London, quite by accident, that boys make better washerwomen than their mothers and sisters. The discovery arose from the effort of a Church Army officer over here to keep a lot of young scalawags out of mischief.

The Church Army is a great instituion over here, marching under the banner of the Church of England and reaching the same class of people, in pretty much the same way that the Salvation Army does. You might call them rivals in a friendly fashion. One of this army's lines of activity is to enlist bad boys as they come out of gaols, workhouses and such places, keep them for a time, provide them with board and lodging, while an attempt is being made to improve their characters, and then get them into good places. The ages of these boys range from 12 to 19. Some of them are typical "hard cases," and many are first offenders. And with all of them the army does great things.

The Church Army has 102 homes, all told, where it keeps for a time the men, women and children it rescues from crime and misery. In most of the homes set apart for boys the youths were formerly put to work cutting kindling wood or other work of that sort, but the supply of boys presently exceeded the demand for the work they were doing, and then it was that the officer in charge of them hit upon the laundry idea.

The women who formerly did all the washing for the homes did it badly, after the manner of London washerwomen. They were slow, too, and putting a garment into the wash was like putting money into a lottery. You might get it back with a lot of other things that didn't belong to you, but the chances were in favour of your never seeing it again. The officer figured out that as boys like to dabble in water they might take to laundry work rather better than one would suppose. So he engaged a laundryman, set up an assortment of tubs, mangles, ironing boards and boilers in one of the homes situated on Latimer road, and tried it on. That was last August, and the results have proved rather surprising.

Most of the boys, when first introduced to the tubs, wringer and ironing board, grumbled a lot about being "made old women of," as they put it, but the idea appealed to them more on the whole than slicing hard wood into chips. They regarded the work as a huge joke at first, and spent most of their time splashing each other liberally, but before they knew it they began to take real interest in doing their work well, and really were fairly expert by the time the Church Army found them situations elsewhere.

Of course, the boys don't do fine work, such as dainty things. They don't bother with women's clothes at all. That is yet done by the women in the "female homes," whom the boys have, to a certain extent, superseded. The boys mostly confine their efforts to rough work, but they can "do up" their own linen and those of the men and boys in the other homes. That they are capable of still higher things, or would quickly become so, is proved by the cases of two or three boys, who, through exceptional circumstances, have been made "assistant superintendens," and have thereby been enabled to remain in the laundry for ten or twelve months, instead of the customary three. In that time they have made so much progress that not only are they to be trusted with the fines of linen and dress shirts, but they have even aspired to lace curtains, and "done" them without a flaw.

"Capt." Winson, the man in charge, was questioned on the subject.

"I am now sure that boys can do laundry work better than women," he said. "It stands to reason. In laundry work you need strength. Watch a woman who is ironing and see how she bears down on the board. She knows that the harder she presses, the better. Take wringing. The great difference between some laundries and others is the amount of water their people wring out of, or leave in, the clothes. A lusty boy of 17 or 18 can develop twice as much strength inh is wrist as a woman, and having to wear shirts and collars himself he's likely to treat them more respectfully. And, after all, why not English laundrymen as well as Chinese?"

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BIRTHS.

ATKINSON — In St. John, N.B., on August 9th, the wife of A. W. Atkinson, of Sackville, a son.*

FREEZE — At Moncton, N.B., August 5th, to the wife of Wm. Freeze, I.C.R., a son.*

GALE — On August 10th, at Ottawa, the wife of J. W. Gale, of a son.*

HERBERT — At Ottawa, on August 7th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert.*

MARTIN — At Chatham Station, N.B., on the 3rd inst., to the wife of James Martin, a son.*

PATRICK—On the 16th inst., at Elmwood Cottage, Western avenue, Westmount, to Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Patrick, a son.

SAVAGE — At Fredericton, N.B., on August 3, to Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Savage, a daughter.*

SANGSTER — At Quebec, on the 9th instant, the wife of John Sangster, of a son (still-born).*

SQUIRE—On Thursday, the 16th inst., at Ste. Agathe, the wife of W. W. Squire, of this city, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BRANTFORD-CARROLL — On the 11th instant, by Rev. F. G. Lett, in Sherbrooke, Arthur Brantford to Ellen Lavona Carroll, both of Sherbrooke.*

CALDER - McLELLAN — At Whycocomagh, C.B., on August 2, by Rev. A. Ross, Angus M. Calder, of Orangedale, to Mary McLellan, of Stewartdale, C. B.*

CROSS-CAMERON — At Winnipeg, August 6, Dr. Cross, of Revelstoke, B.C., to Christina Bryson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cameron, of Winnipeg.

CROWELL - MEDICRAFT — At Albany Cross, N.S., August 5, by Rev. E. E. Locke, George Crowell, of South Albany, to Serana Medicraft, of West Dalhousie.*

EVELEIGH-ROSS — At Oak Point, Greenwich, N.B., on August 8th, by the Rev. H. A. Cody, Samuel Eveleigh to Frances Matilda, second daughter of Robert Ross of Hampstead, Queens Co.

GIBSON-McKAY — At St. Stephen's Chapel, August 9, by Rev. K. C. Hind, Geo. Gibson to Miss Mary McKay, both of Halifax, N.S.

GRANT-FAULKNER — August 8, at Halifax, N.S., by Rev. F. H. Almon, Harry C. Grant to Roxanna Faulkner, both of Halifax.*

KELLY-McKINLEY — At Alma, N.B., on August 8th, by Rev. H. S. Young, B.A., Robert Kelly to Clyde McKinley, both of Alma, Albert Co.*

LYNK-McLEAN — At Gabarus, C.B., on July 31, by Rev. D. Sutherland, Dan P. Lynk, of Cance Island, to Maggie A. McLean, of Gabarus Lake.*

McMONAGLE-ALMON — At Oromocto, N. B., on August 7th, by Rev. H. E. Dibblee, M.A., Samuel Thayer McMonagle, of Burton, and Ruth Maud Almon, of St. John.*

MORRIS-PHILIPS — In Fredericton, N. B., on August 8th, by Rev. J. J. Colter, Douglas Morris, of New Maryland, to Bessie Philips, of Rusagornish.*

PACE-FRIARS — On August 8th, by the Rev. Leo A. Hoyt, M.A., rector of Simonds, Frederick Pace, of Golden Grove, to Mrs. Catherine Friars, of St. John, N. B.*

ROACH-PHILLIPS — At Cobourg, Ont., on August 8th, by the Rev. Canon Spragge, Jean M. Phillips, daughter of Mrs. Mary Phillips, to Fred. W. Roach, of St. John, N.B.*

SHAW-GERRISH — At the Methodist Parsonage, Newcastle, N.B., by the Rev. F. H. W. Pickles, Fleming Shaw, of Nelson, N. Co., and Miss Jane Gerrish, of Indian Town, N. Co.

STUBBS-WATSON — At Peel, Ont., August 7th, by the Rev. J. Kessel, Annie Argo Watson, daughter of William Watson, to Samuel J. Stubbs, of Smith's Falls, Ont.*

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

CHILDS—On August 16th, Mrs. Margaret Childs, dearly beloved wife of Thomas Childs. Funeral from chapel, Montreal General Hospital, on Saturday, August 18th, at 2 p.m. (Chicago and St. Louis papers please copy.)

FRYER—On the 16th of August, 1900, at the General Hospital, Sophia Langhoff, beloved wife of Christopher Fryer, aged 30 years. Funeral from the hospital on Saturday, 18th inst., at 10 a.m., to Mount Royal cemetery.

GIBSON—At Slocan City, B.C., on August 14th, 1900, Ann McLeod, widow of the late Alexander Gibson, Esq., of Montreal. Funeral notice hereafter. 192 2

MORISON—At her late residence, 4477 Western avenue, Westmount, on the 16th of August, Eleanor Anne Timpson, widow of the late Malcom Morison. Funeral from her late residence, Saturday afternoon at 2.30. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

DEATHS OUTSIDE THE CITY.

ARMOUR — At Toronto, on August 9, in the 93rd year of her age, Mary Dallziel, widow of the late John Armour, of York Mills.*

BENT—At Milton, Queens, N. S., on August 1, Elias Bent, aged 87.*

CAMERON—At South Mount Thom, Pictou, N.S., on July 30, Isabell Fraser, wife of John Cameron, aged 72.*

CAMPBELL—At Coldstream, Gay's River, N.S., on August 7, Mrs. John Campbell, aged 73.*

CASSIDY — At Toronto, on August 9th, James Cassidy, in his 87th year.*

DEYARMOND—At DeBert River, N. S., on July 29, James Deyarmond.*

ELLIS—At Eastville, Upper Stewiacke, N. S., on July 30, Roland E. W., aged 3, child of Samuel T. and Sarah A. Ellis.*

FREEMAN—At Milton, Queens, N.S., on August 1, Florence A. Freeman, aged 33.

GRANT—At Whycocomagh, C. B., on the 2nd of August, Mrs. Grant, wife of the Rev. A. G. Grant, formerly minister of Lake Ainslie.*

HUNT—At Sydney, C. B., on August 5th, Lilian May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hunt, aged 4 months.*

JAMES—At Dartmouth, N. S., on August 10, Blanch Ruth, only child of Frank and Tessie James, aged 2 months and 12 days.

JEFFREY—At Cambridgeport, Mass., on July 1, Stephen W. Jeffrey, infant son of Stephen E. and Mary B. Jeffrey, aged 6 months.*

GODFREY—At Wolfville, N. S., on Aug. 2, Nancy L., wife of John P. Godfrey, aged 67.*

McBEAN — On August 9, at Winnipeg, Duncan G. McBean.*

MACDONALD—At Halifax, N.S., on August 10, Blanche May, infant daughter of Aubrey and Minnie Macdonald, aged 6 months and 4 days.*

MACKAY — At Winnipeg, on the 7th instant, Jas. Drummond, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mackay, aged 1 year, 9 months and 21 days.*

McKENNA—At Victoria, B.C., on July 3, Catherine O'Connell, relict of Michael McKenna, of North Sydney.*

MACPHIE—At San Francisco, on July 25, John B. MacPhie, aged 54, a native of Avondale, B.R.*

McEACHREN—At Brighton, N. S., on the 6th of August, Margaret M., beloved wife of Geo. B. McEachren, and only daughter of William and Mary Harris, of Halifax.*

McHEFFY—At Cook's Brook, Gay's River, N.S., on August 5, Farquhar McHeffy, aged 78.*

MILLER—At 95 Cunard street, Halifax, N.S., John F. Miller, aged 27, second son of the late Captain Miller.*

PARKINSON — Suddenly, at Toronto, on August 9th, Mary Joan, beloved wife of Robert W. Parkinson.*

POWER—At Weston, N.S., on July 31st, John Power, aged 59.*

SANGSTER — At Quebec, on the 9th instant, Rebecca Walwyn, beloved wife of John Sangster, and third daughter of W. W. Martin.*

SHERIDAN — At St. Charles, Man., Julia Sheridan, aged 19 years, on the 7th of August.*

TANGUAY — In Levis, Que., on the 10th instant, Phillipe Tanguay, husband of Margaret Butler.*

TUFTS—At Wolfville, N. S., on August 9, Marie W., wife of J. F. Tufts, aged 50.*

WINEARLS — On August 8th, at Winnipeg, Enid Marjorie, infant daughter of Herbert and May Winearls, aged 8 months.*

For Births, Marriages and Deaths, see page 6.

HALF HOLIDAY--The Big Store closes at 1 o'clock on Saturday during August.

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Junket Tablets	15	12½	Icing for Cakes	15	10
Shredded Wheat Biscuits	15	12½	Bird's Custard Powder	15	12½
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ALL TOUCHED HIS HUMP.

Story of a Little Sporting Man Who Made Money on His Deformity.

The Russell House lobby was crowded, says the Detroit Journal. Men in summer attire sat in the depths of the big leather chairs and either fanned themselves with their hats or were engaged in reading the papers. It was noticeable that all the papers were opened at the sporting page. It was also noticeable that the proportion of clothes usually spoken of as "loud" was large, and that nearly all the men wore diamonds. The drone of the hurly-burly without penetrated the lobby. The only other noise was the rustling of the papers.

Suddenly there sauntered in at the door a small man. He wore gray clothes, and had a sombre face. His legs were long for the rest of him, and there was that wistfulness in his face which is the mark of those whose misfortune is vulgarly known as a hunchback and to themselves as a curvature.

The little man in gray glided over to a big chair and stood quietly with one arm on the back. His appearance was followed by a change in the lolling men. Papers were folded up and placed in pockets. Hats were replaced, and it became apparent that the men were making ready to move. A big man with a smooth face, iron gray hair and a cluster of diamonds in his shirt front raised himself from a chair and strolled idly toward the little man with the curvature. He brushed against the back of the little man's coat and passed on toward the bar. Then a slim man with a black moustache, a white face and a checked suit moved toward the curvature. He approached it from behind, touched it reverently with his hand and passed out into the street.

One after another the men in the lobby arose, stretched themselves and moved listlessly forward toward the hump. All the time the owner of that deformity stood quietly. He paid no attention to the various men who approached him. Some of them, bolder than the others, even rubbed the back of the gray coat, but the little man did not turn his head.

"That's a queer sight," said a horseman. "Men who take chances are always superstitious," and he approached the man with the curvature.

"I should think," said the horseman, "that you wouldn't like to have these cheap gams rubbing up against your hump for luck."

"I don't mind," said the little man. "You see that guy outside the window looking in. Well, I bet him a ten-spot that I could come in here and in ten minutes an even dozen men would touch my hump. I guess I've got four to spare, and I'm going to collect the money. I follow the races myself."

FOND OF "MAKING UP."

Peculiar Desire Which Very Many Insane Women Manifest.

It is a curious fact that many insane women are possessed with an insatiable vanity and a mania for "make-up," says the London Express.

Sometimes the only way to keep the peace with such patients is to allow them a certain freedom in the use of cosmetics.

A wave of unmanageableness often passes over the woman's side of an asylum if the material of a new uniform dress deserves the title of dowdy.

Many insane women will tear a sombre brown gown to shreds. But if it is a pretty blue or a smart red, they preserve it carefuly against spots and dust.

The effect that dress has on the insane is so well known that the Lunacy Commissioners make special comments in their official reports to the Lord Chancellor on the colours and materials of the gowns supplied to women in the various asylums.

Very clever devices to obtain cosmetics are resorted to by patients infected with the mania of vanity, who have been accustomed to artificial aids to beauty.

They soak paper roses in water and use the tinted result as a cheek reddener. Or they put the red covers of books borrowed from the asylum library in a basin of boiling water and bottle the carmine fluid for future face use. Fresh flowers of reddish tinge are crushed and used on faued cheeks and wrinkled skins.

One former society beauty, now in an asylum, is perfectly tractable so long as she is allowed to wear a curly false fringe and to use a modified amount of rouge and powder. If these are taken away she becomes suicidal and refuses to eat.

Another notable example is that of an old woman with gray hair who becomes homicidal when she is deprived of a beautiful golden wig suited to a girl of 17. The experiment was tried once, but so much violence resulted that the commissioners recommended that she should be allowed to retain her headdress.

Before admission to the asylum she had poisoned three persons. But the wig and plenty of pink powder keep her peacable and contented.

The friends of patients who find their happiness in personal decoration bring them small packets of cosmetics, or rather they smuggle them in, for such articles are contraband and against the rules. Though their minds are gone, the patients are clever enough to make little holes in their mattresses, and to invent most cunning hiding places for their treasures.

In those cases where restriction of toilet appliances increases insane outbreaks the attendants let these little beauty stores pass by unnoticed. So long as the make-up is not too evident the attendants do not interfere.

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Table full Ladies' Low Lace Shoes, Black and Coloured, all kinds, regular price $1.50 to $3.00, irregular sizes 2½ to 7. Sale Price $1.00.

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A MODERN DON QUIXOTE.

The Interesting Adventures in Montreal of a New York Clergyman.

HIS FRENCH WAS WEAK AND HE HAD AN ILLUSTRATION OF THE NUMBER OF CHURCHES IN MONTREAL.

(New York Commercial Advertiser.)

A minister of this city returned from Canada this week with two ideas firmly fixed in his mind; one, that his knowledge of the French language left something to be desired, and the other that there were more churches in Montreal than in any other city on the continent—two to one. As the minister tells the story, he came into Montreal one stormy days last week on a steamboat, which was several hours over-due. As they neared the dock the captain drew the preacher to one side and asked his aid in a dilemma in which the former found himself. A young woman just out of a convent had been placed in the captain's charge, and he had promised to escort her to the boat which would take her to her home. Now the captain found himself unable to fulfil his promise, since, in view of the lateness of his arrival, he must hurry his preparations for the return trip. Would the minister kindly see the young woman to the boat landing, since his train did not depart until midnight? The preacher would, only stipulating that the transaction should be made plain to the lady, since he spoke no French and she no English. Agreed, and the two started off for the steamboat landing in amicable silence.

"Arrived at the dock in the pouring rain," says the preacher. "What was my dismay to see the boat's berth vacant and the dock deserted. Who was to break the news to the convent girl?"

The driver was English, so no help was to be expected from him, and the dominie summoned up his French, intending to tell the young woman that the boat had gone, and would she go by the train. He confesses, however, that what he did say sounded very much like this: "Le batong a allay, voulay vou allay a la shemin de fair?" But his fair charge merely shrugged her shoulders and said: "Je ne comprend pas," and in despair the minister re-entered the carriage and directed the driver to proceed to the railway station. As the vehicle turned away from the docks the young woman was seized with alarm. She threw herself around the carriage like a mad thing, dashing her head against the windows and trying to escape from the doors. All attempts to pacify her were in vain, and the minister called a halt and tried to think what to do. It was getting on toward night, and few persons were abroad in the rain in the region of warehouses bordering the river. Finally a newsboy appeared, and as he came abreast of the carriage the minister reached out and seized him, demanding: "Can you speak English?"

"Yes."

"French?"

"Yes," whereupon without more formality the services of the youngster were engaged as interpreter. When the situation was explained to the young woman she declared that she would by no means go by the train. Convent-bred girls didn't travel par chemin de fer unattended. Would she then go to a hotel and await the departure of the boat the next day? "Under the escort of a strange man? Never!" The minister was almost in despair. Had she, perhaps, a friend in the city? The young woman brightened. She had a schoolmate whom she had visited. She didn't know the street, but there was a church on the corner and she was sure she would know it. It was getting late, but there was nothing else for it, so the preacher ordered the cabby to drive in turn to all the churches in the city. This was the programme: A halt before a church would be made, and the minister would assist his charge out, elevating his umbrella meanwhile. A few minutes' scrutiny and a shake of the head would follow, and on the party would go. Finally, the Jehu came to a full stop, declaring that there were no more churches that he knew of. Upon second thought, however, he remembered one more, and a start was made for it, the unhappy minister counting the minutes before the departure of his train, and wondering what on earth he was to do. Fate, however, was kind, and when the eye of the lost maiden fell upon this last church she nodded a joyful assent and ran up the steps of the house opposite. As the door opened and a familiar face appeared the relief from the strain of the long hours of distress proved too much for the excited young Frenchwoman, and she burst into a storm of tears, incoherently trying to tell all her experiences. The preacher, in the hour of triumph, felt like a culprit. Fortunately, however, a member of the household could speak English, and when the facts of the case came to be known the minister's danger of missing his train was increased by the difficulty of refusing the proffered hospitality of the grateful family. It is gratifying to be able to state that he caught his train, though, well wearied in his services to beauty in distress. He has since been heard to say that he would qualify as a Don Quixote should become an expert linguist.

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FRUITS AND FLOWERS

The Topics Discussed at the Canadian Horticultural Convention.

WANT TO SHOW AT BUFFALO.

Many Interesting Pointers Given to the Members of the Association.

The Canadian Horticultural Association began its third annual convention yesterday in the Natural History Society's Hall, University street. A large number of gardeners and florists were in attendance. The delegates were welcomed by Ald. Gagnon, acting for Mayor Prefontaine, who, because of other engagements, was prevented from being present.

Mr. F. C. Miller, of Toronto, replied to the kindly sentiments expressed by Ald. Gagnon, and in the course of his remarks said that while the association was comparatively small in numbers its members to a great extent made up for that in the representative character which the gathering possessed. The objects of the association were manifold, but the greatest of all, the one held most in mind, was to spread the knowledge of horticulture. We had arrived at an age when the scope of horticulture was going to be more extensive in its effect on the morals of the country than ever before. Montreal had a wide system of parks and gardens; second to none in the Dominion. Montreal had always done her share to preserve and encourage the art of horticulture.

PRESIDENT'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

Mr. J. McKenna, president of the association, in his annual address, referred to the successful carnation meeting held in Toronto in March, and to the great rose show in New York last winter, at which many of the best prizes were carried off by members of the Canadian association.

"The tariff in regard to plants," he said, "is not quite as favourable to the florist as it might be in a few items, and I would recommend that a committee be formed to suggest the necessary amendments to the Government. The suspension of a clause in the San Jose Scale Act by our Government, allowing the importation of roses propagated under glass to be imported from the United States, was quite a boon to our rose growers, enabling them to procure the latest introductions in that line."

Mr. Wm. Scott, assistant superintendent of the horticultural section of the Buffalo Pan-American exhibition of 1901, in the course of a short address, said that the landscape features of that exhibition would exceed anything that had been attempted at the World's Fair. He thought that Canadian florists and gardeners should, therefore, take a very deep interest in the exhibition.

A resolution was moved by Mr. S. S. Bain, seconded by Mr. J. Gammage, and adopted, asking the Dominion Government to arrange for official representation at the Pan-American exhibition.

The attention of the convention having been drawn to the fact that Toronto proposed to extend the scope of its industrial fair of 1901 to that of a national exhibition, and was looking to the Dominion Government for financial assistance in the shape of $100,000 for permanent buildings, the argument being that Toronto would be able to attract to Canada many of the visitors to the Buffalo fair (which lasts from May 1 to November 1), and that the two exhibitions would thus help each other, a resolution was also adopted urging the advisability of the Dominion Government giving Toronto the assistance asked for.

This resolution will be sent to the manager of the Toronto fair, to be forwarded by him with like resolutions from other important bodies.

This closed the morning session. In the afternoon the visitors boarded special cars at Dominion square, and were shown the interesting points in the city.

THE EVENING SESSION.

At the evening session, Rev. Dr. Campbell called the attention of the association to the neglected wild flowers of Canada. Many of them were most beautiful in themselves, he said, and if they were rare, would be highly prized. He thought that every well-equipped horticultural establishment should have specimens of every variety of our native ferns and orchids.

During the course of a paper on "The advantage of organization in our business," Mr. S. S. Bain, of this city pointed out that few florists worked on business principles, or priced their plants on any intelligent system. Hence arose underselling, with all its consequences. He enumerated several points in which organization was desirable, the most important being grading, by which flowers of a certain perfection would bear a certain value, and which would enable advance orders to be given with a certainty of satisfaction to both buyer and seller; mutual help, by which one dealer would sell to another; purchases in bulk, by which individual retailers would be able to get the advantage of wholesale prices.

Mr. J. H. Dunlop, of Toronto, contributed a paper on "Roses up to Date." After discussing the American Beauty Bride and other varieties of this flower he described two of this year's novelties, the Liberty, of a growing crimson colour, with a very sweet perfume, and the Lady Dorothea, a sprout from the Sunset, which flowers well in winter, and is of a soft shade of peach pink, deepening to a red at the base of the petals outside and a bright flesh pink inside."

In presenting a paper on "How to make a private place most atractive," Mr. G. Robinson, of Outremont, threw out a number of practical suggestions for the management of a garden. Trees and shrubs must be planted not too thickly, even at the cost of the immediate appearance. Beds should be laid out with the view to variety, and carpet beds should be mixed with moss beds. Every piece of ground should either have flowers or the immediate prospect of flowers. Neatness and order must be everywhere, especially in the lawns, the edge of beds and the walks. Staking and watering may be overdone, and herbaceous plants should be allowed to grow as much as possible in their natural shape. Greenhouses must be made attractive to employers, and this will be best done by keeping a good selection of all varieties and one specialty for each season.

Certificates of merit were granted by the judges of the association, Messrs. William Scott, of Ottawa; Thomas Manton, of Toronto, and S. S. Bain, of Montreal, to Mr. Wm. Gammage, of London, Ont., for some very thrifty carnation plants, a fine young begonia, Gloire de Lorraine, some vigorous violets in pots, and a collection of small ferns; to Graham Bros., Ottawa, for a collection of useful commercial ferns; to Mr. John Campbell, Simcoe, Ont., for 250 spikes of gladioli, with very fine flowers, which consisted of upwards of fifty varieties; to Mr. C. A. Smith, gardener to Mr. T. A. Dawes, for two vases of very fine zinnias, two vases of fine dahlias, and a splendidly grown specimen of Achylifa Sanderii; and to Mr. Charles Scrim, of Ottawa, for six plants of Erica in various sizes and of fine vigorous growth, and for a collection of small well-grown commercial ferns.

ARRESTED BY THE MILITARY.

Le Canada Francais of St. Johns, Que., states that three men named Mathias Lavigne, Remi Lafaille and Alphonse Paquin, were arrested by a military squad under orders by Major Wadmore, commandant of the School, presumably for trespass on the military grounds. The men were handcuffed and taken to the civic lock-up where, after consultation with Sheriff Arpin, Acting Magistrate, they were liberated. The paper protests strongly at what it styles a high handed proceeding and threatens vengeance.

ENLARGING THE PREMISES.

Another store has been added by Dupuis Freres, the well-known St. Catherine street merchants, to their premises, which now occupies the whole block as far as St. Christophe street. The new part of the establishment will be given up to gentlemen's furnishings, ready-made clothing, tweeds, etc. This firm ranks among Montreal's most enterprising mercantile houses. 193 1

CARSONS RE-APPLY.

They Are Very Anxious to Be Reinstated as Amateur Athletes.

DESIRE HONOURS AS OARSMEN.

It Is Understood That They Have Made Very Extensive Statements About Their Career.

The Executive Committee of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union will be kept busy during the next month or so with the consideration of two new applications for reinstatement. These are the ones of the two Carson brothers of Ottawa. Some time ago their applications were made, but they did not comply with the rules of the Union in the point of their not being full enough, and so they were returned to the applicants with the demand that they be made fuller, if it was expected that any action would be taken in the matter. The applications have now come back, and tell the lacrosse history of the two gentlemen, it is supposed, during

THEIR ENTIRE CONNECTION

with the Capital Club.

Naturally the question is raised in connection with these applications, as to whether in case, the committee decided favourably in the matter, action could be taken sufficiently quick, to enable the two applicants to play lacrosse this season.

This is almost an impossibility, because it will take considerable time, not only for the special committee appointed to look into the matter, but for the mail vote to be taken after the committee reports.

It is understood at the same time, that the men have no desire to go back to lacrosse, but that they have great expectations about distinguishing themselves as oarsmen.

The special committee appointed by President W. H. O. Dodds, of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, to look into the matter is composed of Messrs. W. G. Ross, President of the Amateur Skating Association of Canada; E. M. Higginbotham, of Toronto; and F. Colson, of Ottawa.

WESTMOUNT COUNCIL

Decides it Will not Build Any Sewers Outside Limits of Municipalites.

MAYOR LIGHTHALL'S REPORT ON SUBJECT OF ST. JAMES STREET SEWER.

The town of Westmount at yesterday's meeting, again disclaimed any responsibility in connection with the St. James street sewer. The Mayor reported the result of the conference held by the Road Committee of Montreal and representatives of Ste. Cunegonde and St. Henri, and the engineers of all the municipalities interested. The St. Henri representatives at first wished to hold Westmount responsible for the whole cost, but finally agreed that St. Henri should pay half. The town of Westmount, however, disclaimed all responsibility for the rediversion of the water from Glen Brook.

The Council, after hearing the Mayor's report, passed a resolution setting forth that while Westmount was prepared to take over the cost of draining by separate sewer to the limits of the municipality, the town would not assume the responsibility of building any sewers outside the limits of the municipality.

The cost is about the same in both cases.

By-laws were passed for building lines on streets and roads on the mountain. A letter was sent asking the municipality of Notre Dame de Grace to consider the advisability of constructing a sidewalk along Western Avenue to the west of Claremont to the Cote St. Luc road. Drains were ordered laid on the continuation of Elgin avenue, opposite the park to the property of the new Melville Church.

HER GIFT TO LAVAL.

Madame Lussier Donates $20,000 to the French University as a Memorial of Her Brother.

Mrs. Widow Lussier, sister of the late Rev. Abbe Avila Valois, has made a donation of $20,000 in trust to the Seminary for the benefit of Laval University, in this city. This donation is intended by Mrs. Lussier to honour the memory of her late brother from whose estate the amount will be drawn and to help higher education in this city. The Seminary are to invest the money and pay the revenues to the University.

THE LATE MR. SAMUEL.

The funeral of the late Mr. Thomas Samuel took place yesterday afternoon to St. Paul's Presbyterian church, and from thence to Mount Royal Cemetery.

Rev. Dr. Barclay, pastor of the church, conducted the service. Many beautiful wreaths of flowers were sent by friends and relatives.

The chief mourners were Mr. Arthur T. Samuel, son of the deceased; Messrs. Thos. Samuel, R. R. Samuel, and Walter Leishman, nephews; Mr. John Henderson, brother-in-law, and Mr. Hector Laviolette, jr., grand-nephew. There was a very large attendance of friends, amongst whom were: Messrs. W. T. Weir, E. A. Brice, Mayor Lighthall, of Westmount; M. Hutchison, Robert Henderson, J. Wood, H. E. Hutchison, J. B. Goode, Dr. Beers, J. Watson, Lieut.-Col. Busteed, Edward Maxwell, J. P. Cleghorn, Thos. Gordon, John Bryson, A. S. Ewing, W. McComb, James Maxwell, Gilbert Mackenzie, R. G. Starke, F. P. Bickly, J. W. Pyke, T. Charles Davidson, Benjamin Tooke, J. Goode, jr., R. J. Tooke, Alex. Mitchell, A. G. Whitley, Cayford J. Macfarlane, W. Greig, J. R. Greig, J. G. Gibb, J. A. Cantlie, Alex. Hart, D. M. Robb, J. Macfarlane, jr., and W. Rutherford.

LATE MRS. MALCOLM MORISON.

The death of Mrs. Morison, widow of the late Malcom Morison took place at her late residence, 4477 Western avenue, Westmount, after a lingering illness of over six months. The deceased leaves a family of seven children. Mrs. Wm. Robertson, Mrs. J. Hugh Peattie, and Miss Aggie Morison, of Montreal; Miss Nellie Morison, of Elmira, N. Y.; Mr. M. J. Morison, of Ottawa; Mr. A. I. Morison, Montreal; and Mr. Henry J. Morison, Anaconda, Montana. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 2.30.

S. JOHN THE EVANGELIST'S SCHOOL.

To the Editor of the Star:

Sir,—Arrangements are in progress to secure an efficient headmaster for St. John's School. Pending their completion, I am prepared, with my renewed energy and strength, to carry on the work of the school on the old lines. I appeal with confidence to the friends of the school, those who have now or in the past had sons as scholars, to give S. John the Evangelist's School their aid and assistance.

ARTHUR FRENCH,
B.A., Oxford.

(Montreal.)

MONKEY MADE TROUBLE.

Constable Duquet was called upon by the Society for the Protection of Animals, at the request of a family on Dorchester st., to proceed to their residence and kill a large monkey which the family had as a pet. The animal had formerly been a great pet, but had become vicious. A shot from the policeman's revolver put the animal out of trouble.

TO MEET THE MINISTER.

The Government steamer Eureka, with a number of Mr. Tarte's friends on board left last evening for Quebec, to meet the Minister of Public Works, who will arrive on the Lake Superior, of the Elder-Dempster line.

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BRITISH TROOPS MAY LAND UNDER INTERNATIONAL GUARANTEE.

NEW YORK, August 17.—The London correspondent of the New York Tribune at an early hour this morning reviewed the war in China as follows. The news of rapid progress made by the Pekin relief force received on Wednesday evening has increased the tension with which intelligence from China was awaited yesterday. There was a general expectation that decisive information might be received in the course of the day, and at an early hour many press men and others called at the War Office and the Chinese Embassy to make enquiries, only to learn that no news had been received. Up to this evening the Foreign Office also was visited in vain, nothing having been heard there since the last cipher despatch from Sir Claude MacDonald, handed in two days ago. The Chinese Minister received cables from China in the course of the afternoon, and promptly drove down to the Foreign Office, but it was understood that he had no definite announcement to make with reference to the absorbing topic of the moment.

Little value was attached to the statements in a sensational New York and equally sensational London journal that the allies had reached Pekin on Monday. This is quite likely to be true, as it is known from Admiral Remey that the allies were at Lung Chow on August 13, and the officer commanding the British lines of communication telegraphed on Monday that General Gaselee was probably in Pekin that day, but the newspaper reports just referred to do not make much impression.

"By calculating probabilities," as one of the evening journals caustically remarks, "the Che Foo and Shanghai correspondents would figure out that the allied army might, could, would, or should, have reached Pekin on Monday." In this way the yellow man and the yellow press-man at Shanghai calculated that the Pekin Europeans were massacred on July 6.

LANDING OF TROOPS A BUNGLE.

The proposed landing of Indian troops at Shanghai has turned out, as some of us have anticipated for some days past, a sad bungle. I do not know what else could be expected, considering the way the matter was managed. In the first instance, Liu Kun Yi, who is the most moderate and progressive of the Viceroys, made no objection to the proposal that a few thousand British-Indian troops should be disembarked for the defence of the settlement and the transports were accordingly ordered up from Hong Kong.

Before they could be relieved of their passengers, the French and Russian Consuls intimated that if British troops were landed they would be followed by other foreign contingents. Thereupon Liu took alarm, and last Friday telegraphed, asking that the Indians should be sent away. The British Consul remonstrated, and subsequently Liu said he would admit the British, but would no consent to international occupation. Admiral Seymour was ordered to keep the men on the transport pending further developments, and there they have remained, sweltering in the steaming river, while the diplomatists endeavour to settle their differences.

If, after all, the ships should be ordered north without discharging the troops, the blow to British prestige would be as bad as when Russia was permitted to occupy Port Arthur, but, as it happens, the whole foreign community is really alarmed by the effect this withdrawal might have on the Chinese mind, and all the foreign consuls at Shanghai have agreed to join in the resolution to their respective Governments, representing the dangerous consequences of now removing the Indians from Wu Sung. They suggest that they should now land under an international guarantee and should be followed by other allied contingents. This solution is very unpalatable to the British Government, which claims a paramount interest in the Yangtse region; but it will probably have to be accepted to avoid the alternative of a humiliating retreat or serious friction with France and Russia. The Chinese minister in London says that the landing of a large foreign force might precipitate a rising in southern China, but no harm will result if only small detachments were employed to secure the safety of the Shanghai settlements.

Japan is understood to be supporting Great Britain in this matter, owing to the extreme indignation felt in the Island Empire over the conduct of Russia in taking advantage of the general confusion to appropriate New Chwang. The Japanese, who have done the hardest and most brilliant work in the Pekin relief operation, are naturally incensed at finding Russia already beginning the annexation of Chinese territory. One consequence is likely to be the despatch of a powerful Japanese army to Korea at an early date. The muddle over the Shanghai question would perhaps have been avoided if Lord Salisbury and his little influential colleagues were now in consultation, but the Prime Minister is buried with his doctors at a remote watering place in the Vosges, and the other Ministers are scattered about on the Moors or in various English and Scotch country houses. The business of the nation has to be conducted from day to day by the Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, and a few chief clerks in Downing street.

AS VIEWED FIVE HOURS LATER.

The rumour that the allies have reached Pekin is confirmed from several sources. A telegram from the Italian commander at Taku, states definitely that the attack on the capital commenced on Monday, and adds, that the Ministers are in communication with the relief force. No official news has, however, yet been received direct from Pekin.

The difficulties encountered by the allies are strikingly illustrated in a message from the Express correspondent with the relief force. At the battle of Ho Si Wu, the cavalry had to charge through the undergrowth so dense that it was impossible to see the enemy and almost impossible to sit on horseback. The Chinese had carried out a number of big excavations with the object of running off the water from the Pei Ho river, and works, which must have taken nearly a month to construct, were almost finished when the allied forces arrived on the scene.

The Yokohama correspondent of the Daily Mail says the Japanese Government proposed to the powers that before making a final attack on Pekin, the Chinese authorities should be invited to escort the foreign ministers to the allies' lines outside the city. Russia is reported to have assented, but the other powers have not replied to the suggestion. On the other hand, the express message from Tokio announces that the Japanese proposal of an armistice has been accepted by the powers.

GASELEE'S LATE DESPATCHES

He Tells of Trying March Under Blistering Sun—Ten Horses Killed.

LONDON, August 17.—General Sir Alfred Gaselee, commanding the contingent of troops from India in China, has wired to the Government from Matow, under date of August 11, via Chefoo August 15, as follows:

"Arrived here this morning early, after a most trying night march. The troops of all nationalities are suffering severely from the heat. Ten of our horses died yesterday from sunstroke. The enemy is believed to be entrenched north of Chang Chia Wan. There is no further news from the legations.

Gen. Gaselee sends two earlier despatches repeating advices already received by the British Government.

RATHER PESSIMISTIC VIEW.

French Consul at Shanghai Views With Alarm Situation in Yangtse Valley.

(Special to the Star.)

PARIS, August 17.—M. Bezaure, the French consul at Shanghai, sends a cable despatch to the Foreign Office which gives a rather pessimistic view of the situation in the Yangtse Valley. It now appears that the French consul was the only one who remained at his post at Chung King. The British consul at Hankow, however, is now sending a representative of his Government to replace the consul who fled. The new representative is travelling on a boat armed with maxims and guard of bluejackets.

RIFLE FIRE ON LEGATIONS

Continued Daily, Said Conger, and Foreigners Were Completely Besieged.

WASHINGTON, August 17.—The acting secretary of state makes public the following extract from a despatch received yesterday from Mr. Conger. It was handed to Mr. Adee by Mr. Wu, who explained that he had received it at midnight from the Taotai of Shanghai, by whom it had been received by way of Tsi Nan, August 15. It is undated, but would seem to have left Pekin some time between August 5th and 11th:

"Secretary of State, Washington:—Our cipher is safe. May it not be sufficient authenticity? We have been imprisoned and completely besieged since June 23. Continued artillery and rifle firing until July 17, only rifle since, but daily; with it, frequently attacks, one last night. Have already reported our losses. French, Italian, Belgian, Austrian, Dutch legations and all other foreign property Pekin destroyed.

"Dr. Inglis' child dead. Marine Fanning, Fisher, Turner, King, Tutcher, Kennly and Thomas, killed. All other Americans alive. Inform Alta and Secretary Ryan. Nearing allied forces give us hope.

"CONGER."

GLORY BELONGS TO JAPANESE.

PARIS, August 17.—A despatch reached here from General Frey, in command of the French marine forces in China, dated August 9, says the rapid advance of the allies towards Pekin was due to the excellent scouting of the Russians and Japanese.

General Frey returned to Tien Tsin in order to lead the reinforcements of French troops to the front.

ALLIES ENTERED PEKIN WEDNESDAY; FOREIGNERS HAVE BEEN LIBERATED,

According to a Semi-Official Despatch From Shanghai to the German Foreign Office To-day,

But a Cipher Telegram From the U. S. Consul at Chefoo Does Not Say So.

No News of an Official Nature Has Reached London or the Other European Capitals.

Berlin Advices Add That the Chinese Offered No Resistance to the Foreign Forces;

And That the Heliograph Was Used by Besieged Foreigners From City's Walls.

London, August 17.—The first definite announcement of the relief of the legations came from Berlin.

"The Allies have entered Pekin without fighting. The Legations are relieved and the foreigners are liberated."

Such is the despatch received from the German consul at Shanghai and given out by the Berlin foreign office at one p.m. to-day.

The collapse of Chinese resistance is explained in despatches from Shanghai as being due to the failure of the Chinese to flood the country below Tung Chow. The earth works connected with the dam at the Pei Ho were unfurnished and the canal at Tung Chow was full of water, facilitating boat transport when the allies arrived there.

Signals between the allies and the legationers holding part of the wall at Pekin were exchanged during the morning of August 15 (Wednesday.)

Troops are still arriving at Taku. The German transports Wittekind and Frankfort are due here to-day.

The Russian transport Nijni Novgorod ran on a reef August 14.

The Japanese cruiser Takasago, which went ashore recently, has been towed off and is now at Port Arthur.

A despatch from Yokohama under to-day's date announces that an official telegram from Seoul, the capital of Korea, says the inhabitant of the Pyong Yong district adjoining the frontier, are alarmed at the landing of 1,000 Russians in that neighborhood.

WANT TROOPS TO LAND.

Shanghai Bankers See Trouble if British Troops Are Withdrawn.

(Special to the Star.)

LONDON, August 17.—A despatch to the Times from Shanghai says Admiral Seymour received instructions through Mr. Warren, the British consul, that the troops which he intended to land at Shanghai should instead proceed north. This will be done to-morrow unless the British Foreign Office countermands the orders.

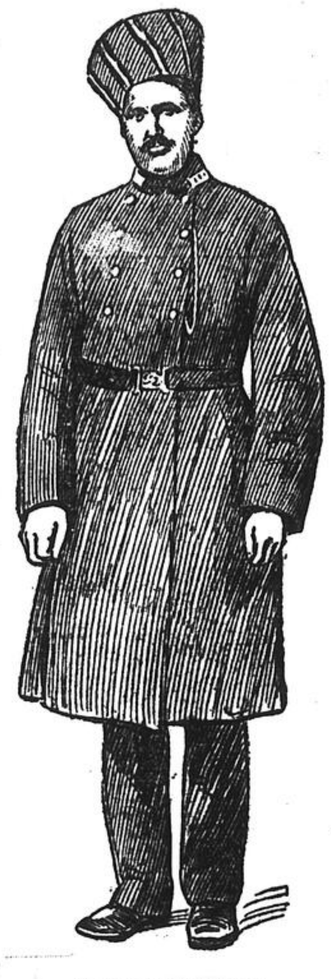
The managers of the principal British Banks and the leading shippers cabled Lord Salisbury yesterday urging him to reconsider the order for the withdrawal of the British troops. They stated that they expressed the opinion of the community when they said that the withdrawal now would have a disastrous effect.

The foreign consuls are equally alive to the effect of the withdrawal of the troops on the Chinese and are addressing a note to their governments with the object of inducing Great Britain to land troops.

SEYMOUR JOINS THE PROTEST

LONDON, August 17.—3.45 a.m.—From Shanghai comes the statement that Vice-Admiral Seymour and Brigadier General Creagh have joined in the protest against the withdrawal of the British troops. All the morning papers which comment on the subject, appeal to Lord Salisbury not to withdraw them and dilate upon the serious results of such an action to British prestige.

American negotiations looking to a cessation of hostilities also receive considerable attention, favourable and otherwise; but all the editorial agree that to precipitate a withdrawal from Pekin after the delivery of the legationers would have a bad effect upon the Chinese mind.

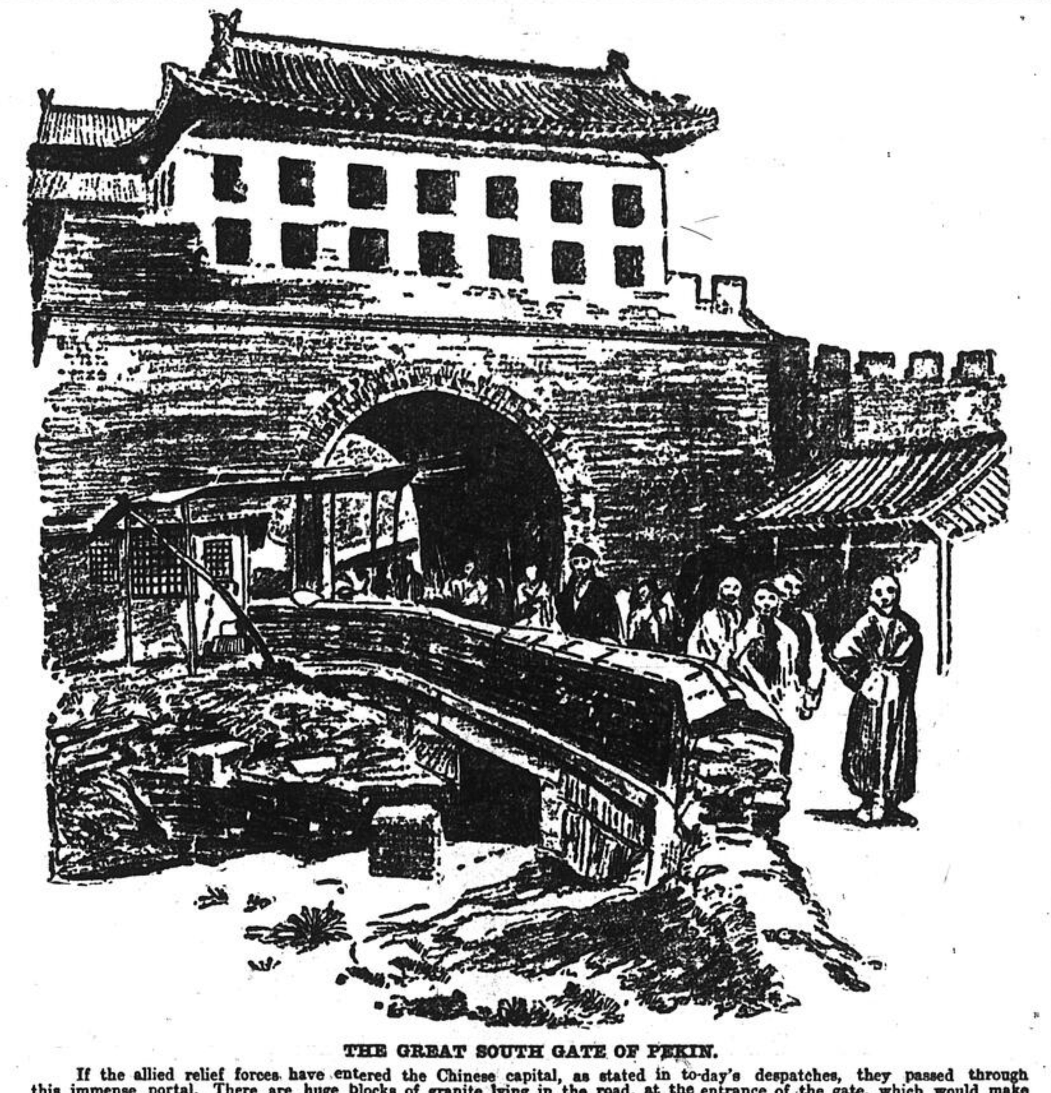


SIKH POLICEMAN,
(British Subject) at Shanghai.

COMPLICITY WITH CHINESE.

China Gazette Charges United States Consul Goodnow With Duplicity.

SHANGHAI, August 17. — The China Gazette openly impeaches the United States Consul, Mr. John Goodnow, of complicity with the Chinese.



THE GREAT SOUTH GATE OF PEKIN.

If the allied relief forces have entered the Chinese capital, as stated in to-day's despatches, they passed through this immense portal. There are huge blocks of granite lying in the road, at the entrance of the gate, which would make the marching of the artillery almost impossible.

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CHINESE HEAVY LOSSES.

Enemy Suffered Greatly From Allies' Assualt on Tung Chau on Saturday.

LONDON, August 17.—An official telegram dated Taku, August 14, has been received at Rome, which asserts that the attack on Pekin began on Monday, that Sir Claude MacDonald, the British Minister, has opened communication with the relieving force, and that the allies have established their headquarters at Tung Chau.

Chinese officials in Shanghai are reported as admitting that the allies inflicted a heavy defeat on the Chinese Imperial troops around Tung Chau on Sunday, and then marched direct on Pekin.

LEGATIONS CLOSELY BLOCKADED

WASHINGTON, D.C., August 17.— The Navy Department has made public the following despatch from Admiral Remey:

"TAKU, August 16.—Message from Pekin, 10th: Legations closely blockaded by Chinese; provisions ample for three weeks; all reported well.

"REMEY."

A Shanghai despatch says the British troops had sailed, but were recalled by a torpedo boat destroyer, and have now returned to Wu Sung.

United States transport Warren sailed from San Francisco on Thursday with the Ninth (colored) cavalry for Taku, by way of Nagasaki.

SHAKE THE WHOLE EMPIRE.

Li Hung Chang's Pathetic Appeal to Washington is Made Public.

SECRETARY ADEE ERITERATES THE DEMANDS OF THE UNITED STATES AS ONLY TERMS OF PEACE.

WASHINGTON, August 17.—The Department of State has made public the communications exchanged yesterday between the Chinese Minister, Mr. Wu, and Acting Secretary of State:

"The following memorandum was handed to Mr. Adee by Mr. Wu yesterday morning: A cablegram from Earl Li Hung Chang, envoy plenipotentiary of China, dated August 15, and received by Minister Wu, at 7 p.m., on the same day:

"The allied forces are approaching Tung Chow. I have memoralized the Imperial Government to depute an armistice with the several commanders on the spot. I will also shortly proceed to Pekin. The powers being fully aware of the embarrassing position their majesties, the Empress Dowager and the Emperor, are placed, are earnestly requested to telegraph instructions to their respective commanders after arriving at Tung Chow, with their forces to stop their further advance to the capital, so as not to cause alarm and fear to their majesties and calamities to the people. For such advance would shake the foundation of the Ta-Ching empire and wound the feelings of all her people, high and low. For a compliance with this appeal the millions of people of the empire will be profoundly grateful to the powers. Please communicate this cablegram at once to the Secretary of State."

SECRETARY ADEE'S REPLY.

The following memorandum in reply was handed to Mr. Wu in the afternoon:

"Foreseeing that there would be insufficient time after receiving a reply to our memorandum of August 12th to get instructions to the relief column before it had reached Pekin, we sent on the same day to the general commanding the American forces in China the following despatch:

"Adjutant-General's Office, Washington, August 12th, 1900.

"Fowler, Che Foo, for Chaffee, August 12.—Secretary War directs me to inform you that Li Hung Chang, appointed by Chinese Government to negotiate with powers, requests cessation of hostilities. We have replied that we are ready to enter into agreement between powers and Chinese Government for cessation of hostilities on condition that sufficient body of the forces composing the relief expedition shall be permitted to enter Pekin unmolested and to escort foreign ministers and residents back to Tien Tsin, the movement being provided for and secured by such arrangements and disposition of troops as shall be considered satisfactory by generals commanding the forces composing relief expedition. We have communicated this to all the powers. Japanese Government takes same position. We have not heard from other powers.

"(Signed) CORBIN."

IF MINISTERS WERE RELIEVED.

And two days ago in view of the rapid progress of the relief expedition, we sent the following:

"Adjutant-General's Office, Washington, August 14, 1900.—Fowler, Che Foo for Chaffee), August 14.—In anticipation of acceptance by Chinese Government of condition in our reply to them cabled you August 12th, if Chinese authorities communicate willingness to deliver ministers and persons under their protection to relief column at Pekin, under arrangements which you consider safe, you are authorized to make and carry out arrangements in concert with other commanders, without referring it here. From informal communications with representatives of other governments here, we believe all to take substantially same position. Question whether you should insist upon entering Pekin, and going to legations or will receive delivery at gate of inner Tartar city, or at outer wall, taking risk of ministers passing through city with only Chinese escort, you and the other generals must determine.

"By order Secretary of War,"
"CORBIN."

We are advised by Minister Conger that the attacks by Imperial troops upon the legations in Pekin have not ceased. While these attacks continue, we cannot stop the advance of our forces toward Pekin. If such attacks cease, the above quoted instructions will be allowed to stand, and they would seem to provide for all the action required under the circumstances stated by Earl Li in his despatch.

ALVEY E. ADEE,
Acting Secretary.

Department of State, Washington, August 16, 1900.

ALLIES CAPTURED 8 GUNS.

General Li Ping Heng Reported Wounded—Heliograph Brought Into Play.

SHANGHAI, August 17.—In their advance from Ho Si Wu to Tung Chow, the allies easily scattered the troops of Generals Tung Fuh Siang and Sung Chung.

The foreign column captured eight guns. It is reported that Li Ping Heng was wounded in the fighting at Yang Tsung.

The German Guards on Pekin wall heliographed the allies at Tung Chow.

NEW COLUMN FOR PEKIN.

PARIS, August 17.—French troops to the front finding there the Germans, the Austrians and the Italians who were not represented with the advance column, the general offered to give them facilities for getting to the front with his command. They accepted with thanks, and a new column composed of the forces of the nations mentioned started for Pekin.

SALMON FOR JAPANESE ARMY.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 17.—Although the salmon supply this year is short, the Japanese Government is placing heavy orders in the local market for salmon to feed its army. Men acquainted with the salmon packing say there will be over 32,640,000 less cans of salmon on the market this year than last.

JAPAN NEEDS NO LOAN.

NEW YORK, August 17.—In regard to the rumour that Japan was about to raise a war loan in the United States, S. Uchida, consul of Japan in this city, said:

"I am in a position to state that our Government has no intention at present to float any loan in connection with war in China."

GERMAN REINFORCEMENTS.

(Special to the Star.)

BERLIN, August 17.—Seven batteries of artillery, two companies of railroad engineers and one company of pioneers are preparing to accompany the next German contingent to China.

HEAT PROSTRATED AMERICANS.

LONDON, August 17.—Describing the capture of Ho Si Wu, a special despatch says that the headgear of the Americans was quite insufficient for the awful heat, and that the consequences were direful.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE AND CHINA.

There is, it is officially announced from the headquarters of the Christian Scientists, in Chicago, no truth in the despatch sent out from that city a month or so ago in which it was stated that a movement had been set on foot there to influence events in China with a view of saving the lives of the Americans and other Caucasians there in peril. Mr. Edward A. Kimball, C.S.D., member of the Christian Science Board of Lectureship of the First Church of Christ, writes to Mr. Charles W. Pearson, of Montreal: "Christian Scientists do not make use of the term 'focussing mind on China,' or anything that is equivalent thereto. Nevertheless, we, like all other Christians, pray for the deliverance of these people, and expect it."

It should be added that the use of the term, "focussing mind," is directly contrary to the teachings of Christian Science.

ALLIES JUST IN TIME

To Prevent Flooding of Territory From Pei Ho River at Ho Si Wu.

CHINESE HIDDEN IN TALL MILLET FIELDS — BENGAL LANCERS' GOOD WORK.

(Special to the Star.)

LONDON, August 17.—Press despatches describing the advance of the allies say that the arrival of the allies at Ho Si Wu was in the nick of time, the Chinese having almost completed works that were intended to drain the Pei-Ho. If they had succeeded the consequences would have been most grave, and it is probable that they would have stopped the advance of the allies. The Chinese had apparently been engaged on these works for a month. On the approach of the allies they became panic-stricken and fled, abandoning their tools. The cavalry of the allies caught the Chinese cavalry concealed in fields of millet, the grain standing ten feet high. It was impossible to see a yard ahead, and the millet almost pulled the riders off the horses. Nevertheless, according to the correspondent, a sharp fight ensued, the Bengal Lancers cutting the Chinese to pieces, while others fled in terror.

A despatch to the Standard dated Ho Si Wu states that a message from the Ministers, dated August 4, had reached camp, saying that the Chinese had again commenced to shell the legations.

The Times' Shanghai correspondent, in a despatch dated August 14, quotes a Chinese refugee from Pekin as saying that no semblance of a Government at present exists in the capital. The reactionary part of the population are gratifying the bloodthirsty instincts against all suspected of pro-foreign tendencies.

PERSONALS.

Dr. C. F. Wylde, of Montreal, is in Halifax.

Mrs. Philip H. Gilbert of Montreal, is in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Stacey, of Montreal, are at Ottawa.

Dr. Schwartz is spending the summer at Pointe au Pic.

Mr. F. T. Wilson, of Toronto, is in town for a few days.

Mr. W. T. Liffiton, of Montreal, was in Coaticook this week.

T. D'Arcy Tansey and family have returned from Europe.

Mr. H. Fortier, of Montreal, was in Sherbrooke yesterday.

Mrs. George Grant has left on a visit to friends in Belleville.

Mr. F. D. Dunn is at present visiting here from St. John, N.B.

Mr. W. Leslie, of Kingston, has been in town for the past few days.

Mr. A. Fleming, of Macleod, Alberta, is in town the guest of Mr. W. C. Ives.

Mr. Marling and family have returned to town after a visit to Brigham, Que.

Mrs. Sicotte, of St. Hyacinthe, is the guest of Mrs. W. L. Ball at Richmond.

Dr. Hopkins and family, of Montreal, are the guests of Mrs. Lloyd, at Hatley.

Mrs. Tait, of Montreal, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Sellar, at Henrysburg, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown, of Montreal, are in Quebec, the guests of Mrs. A. Forrest.

Mrs. Hoffman and son of Montreal, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Levin, at Sherbrooke.

Mr. Frank Meighen has returned from a trip to the Saguenay and the Lower St. Lawrence.

Mrs. John Eaman, of Montreal, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warminton at Brigham, Que.

Mrs. C. H. Baumann, of Minneapolis, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. Nicholson, Mansfield street.

Dr. H. A. Maher and family, of Montreal, are at Windsor Mills, the guests of Mr. A. E. McCabe.

Miss Margaret Roy is at present visiting at St. Johns, Que., where she is the guest of Miss O'Cain.

Dr. M. O. Klotz, of Ottawa, is in town to visit Dr. Klock, who is a patient in the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward May and Miss Lillian May are visiting Quebec, Lake St. John and the Saguenay.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ross are at present entertaining a number of friends at their shooting lodge in Scotland.

Miss A. Schultz has left for Belleville, where during her stay she will visit her sister, Mrs. W. Henthrone.

Mrs. MacCallum and the Misses MacCallum, 45 Union avenue, are spending the holiday season at Odelltown.

Mr. E. R. Pease and Mr. H. Pease are among the Montrealers spending the summer vacation at Prout's Neck.

Mrs. Kate Swales and son, of Spokane, are the guests of Mrs. Louis B. McFarland, 4053 Dorchester street, Westmount.

Mr. J. H. Copeman left yesterday for Carlo, New Brunswick, to spend two weeks the guest of Mr. J. McDonald, of Montreal.

Miss Fraser, of Montreal, and Miss Derick, of Miranda, are spending a few weeks with Miss M. A. Braithwaite, at Henrysburg, Que.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. B. Murray and Masters Alan and Jackey Murray are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Murray, Strathmore.

Mr. W. D. Lighthall, Mayor of Westmount, and Mrs. Lighthall have left with their family for a few days among the Rideau lakes.

Mr. C. E. Seifert, director of the Montreal Conservatory of Music, and Mrs. Seifert, have returned from a five weeks' visit to New York.

The Rev. Dr. Lewis Parks, of Calvary Church, New York, who has spent the summer at Murray Bay, has sailed with his family for Europe.

Mrs. Fred. G. Farish, who has been spending the winter with her mother, Mrs. Harwood, of Montreal, has left for her home in Telluride, Colorado.

Mr. Harold Redpath has recently purchased some property on the shores of Lake Memphremagog, near Georgeville, where he will build a country residence.

Mrs. Ogilvie, of Quebec, who is at present the guest of Mrs. F. E. Roy, at her villa Mon Repos, Malbaie, will shortly visit Mr. and Mrs. Rodolphe Forget, at Tadousac.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ryder, of St. Johns, and their son, Mr. Arnot Ryder, are now on a visit to England, and will take in the Paris Exhibition before their return in September.

The Society of Arts is about to set up one of the society's memorial tablets on the house, 54 Hunter street, Brunswick square, London, Eng., in which John Ruskin was born.

A pretty wedding took place at "The Pines," the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fiske, Coaticook, on Wednesday, when their eldest daughter, Miss Amy Fiske was married to Mr. Wm. T. Stewart, of Halifax. The bride wore a gown of white satin, with court train trimmed with white net and passementerie, and the customary veil and orange blossoms. Her three sisters acted as bridesmaids. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. Frank Stewart, of Hamilton. The ceremony took place at high noon, after which breakfast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart left in the afternoon for their wedding trip through the Maritime Provinces en route to their future home in Halifax.

A WRIT OF INJUNCTION.

The American Ginning Company has taken out a writ of injuction against M. Prior, with the Canadian Rubber Company mis en cause, to enjoin the latter from using a ginning machine which the plaintiffs allege was sold to them by the defendants.

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The United States cruiser Baltimore, with Rear Admiral John C. Watson on board, homeward bound from Manila, sailed from Gravesend to-day for Belfast.

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