

The Weather.

Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf.—Moderate northerly and westerly winds; fair and not much change in temperature.

The Quebec Chronicle.

Temperatures.

Maximum and Minimum Temperatures:—Montreal, 44.62; Quebec, 42.58.

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ONE CENT.

CANDIDATES NOW FACE THE ELECTORS

Nominations Throughout the Province Yesterday

ALL QUIET IN QUEBEC

By Meetings Held in Various Parts of the District—Opposition Candidates Meet

Yesterday was nomination day for the elections in this Province, and considerable interest was manifested throughout this territory as to the number of candidates who would be elected by acclamation, as candidates had already been announced in most of the constituencies.

The present campaign is rather a peculiar one, as among those running for parliamentary honors, are Liberals, Conservatives, Nationalists, Independent Liberals and Independent Conservatives, and the result of the voting on Monday next is anxiously awaited.

According to the list of candidates nominated yesterday and published in this issue, the elections by acclamation are few and were not unexpected although in the St. Sauveur division Dr. Cote was proclaimed elected when his election was really contested by the Conservatives, but the returning officer will probably have to answer for his action in not accepting the nomination of an Opposition candidate, before the courts.

Last evening the newspapers published a list of the candidates nominated, but that list was, in several cases, erroneous. For instance, Le Soleil stated that Senator Choquette had been nominated as an opponent of Mr. Lavergne, in the place of Mr. Laislois. This news, published in the Liberal organ, was quite a surprise to politicians, but as a matter of fact the two candidates nominated were Messrs. Lavergne and Laislois.

In this city the nominations were carried out in a very quiet manner, and the friends of the candidates had produced the nominating papers early in the day. In this city and district the Government candidates are all opposed, although Dr. Cote was proclaimed elected by acclamation in St. Sauveur. At the last moment the Conservatives decided to oppose Dr. Cote and presented a petition, signed by over twenty-five electors, to the returning officer, Mr. Cantin, N.P., and deposited the sum of \$200, required by law, at ten minutes to two, but the returning officer, not having compared the names of the petitioners with the electoral list, not counted his money before two o'clock, refused to accept the petition, and declared Dr. Cote elected by acclamation.

COUNTY OF MONTMAGNY.

Between two and three thousand electors attended the nomination meeting at Montmagny yesterday, when Messrs. Armand Lavergne and J. C. Laislois were nominated for that constituency. Mr. Lavergne spoke against Mr. Laislois and Senator Choquette, the latter being frequently interrupted, hissed, and booed by the electors. At the conclusion of the meeting, Mr. Lavergne was conveyed to his hotel upon the shoulders of his friends, and upon his arrival at the hotel the crowd insisted on Mr. Lavergne delivering a speech, which he did, being enthusiastically received. Speeches were also delivered by Ald. Huard, Messrs. Ernest Taschereau and P. Simoneau. Mr. Lavergne's nomination paper was signed by 31 Liberals and 20 Conservatives. Mr. Lavergne's prospects are very bright.

COUNTY OF QUEBEC.

One of the most enthusiastic meetings of the present campaign was that held at Charlesbourg yesterday afternoon on the occasion of the nomination of the candidates, Chevalier Bedard, Independent, and Mr. Cyrille Delage, Government. The meeting was the occasion of a spirited debate between the two candidates and the enthusiasm and applause that greeted Mr. Bedard throughout his speech showed conclusively the trend of public opinion, and the appreciation by the electors of the County of Quebec in his views and opinions. This gentleman is quite frank and aboveboard in his statements, and his text is at all times the same, in whatever part of the county in which he is speaking, that of the "WELFARE OF HIS CONSTITUENCY AND THE ADVANTAGES TO BE DERIVED FROM AN HONEST ADMINISTRATION OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS."

Mr. Bedard strikes at the root of the evil, in his denunciations of the support of a party at the expense of the public and the constituencies represented by the respective deputies.

There can be no question, judging from the tenor of yesterday's meeting, that Mr. Bedard is gaining in popularity and favor as the polling day draws near, and the electors appear

STRONG AND VIGOROUS, OPPOSITION LINES UP

For the Provincial Election on Monday Next—Government Placed on the Defensive.

MINISTRY FIGHTING FOR LIFE

The next week will witness the close of an electoral campaign of a rather extraordinary nature, and differing from the ordinary political campaign in its character. At its commencement the reorganized opposition as represented in Parliament was contemptible in numbers and utterly powerless to exert any practical influence in the counties of the province. The Government and its friends in the press and on the stump sneered at it, and even went so far as to question its existence. The Conservative party, they said, was without a leader, without a programme, without a following; it was dead and buried under successive political coups de main and their resulting avalanches and the inconsiderable remnant that remained would be utterly and completely wiped out by the result of the contest that is now on, if they had the courage to raise their heads up. Mr. Gouin says the same thing now, not at Montcal, where he is face to face with Mr. Bourassa, but at Portneuf, where he is attempting to provide a refuge from the storm, greatly to the disgust of an ex-M. P., Mr. Delisle, an ardent supporter of Mr. Gouin in everything else, but drawing the line at his intrusion in Portneuf to the extent of coming out in opposition to the Premier on his own platform! The campaign was embarked on by an Opposition small in numbers, and with a prestige lowered in its own eyes and in that of the public by the tactics adopted by its leaders at the time of the Parent coup d'etat, to-day it is strong and vigorous, with candidates in nearly all of the constituencies, and with the chiefs of the Government reduced from the aggressive to the defensive, as the Montreal Gazette concisely put it in a recent issue: "Mr. Gouin, confronted by Mr. Bourassa in the St. James division of Montreal, seems to have made up his mind that it will be well to cast an anchor to windward and is, it is understood, to seek election also in what used to be the safe Liberal division of Portneuf. Hon. L. A. Taschereau, one of his colleagues, is also a candidate in the adjoining constituencies of Montmorency and Charlevoix, with a good prospect of being defeated in the latter, and the likelihood of having to fight hard for the former. Hon. Mr. Roy, another colleague, is finding that the situation in Kamouraska, which he represented, requires all his attention. Hon. Mr. Weir is confined to Argenteuil on account of the energy Mr. McDougall has put into the Opposition campaign. Hon. Mr. Devlin, by the testimony of the local Liberal paper, the Advance, has given Pontiac to the Conservative candidate, Dr. McNally, and will have to give most of his time to Nicolet, the other constituency with which he is toying to the loss of the cause he represents."

It is a significant commentary on Mr. Gouin's boast in Portneuf that after the election day there would not be a single Conservative surviving, to find that Ministers are compelled to fight for their lives instead of being returned by acclamation, and some of them so doubtful of the issue that they are casting about to hedge in another constituency. The despised opposition of a month ago has now before it the certainty of greatly increased parliamentary representation, and even a fair prospect of victory. For this Hon. Mr. Pelletier, Hon. Mr. LeBlanc and his allies in the Legislature, deserve the greatest credit; under apparently hopeless circumstances they have discharged the duties of the Opposition with unwavering energy and unabated spirit and their example has revived the old party enthusiasm and instilled into the rank and file the ardour for a fight of which they have no reason to despair.

To-day the Opposition of which a month ago it was said that it had no chiefs and no standard-bearers is led by able and experienced leaders and is contesting nearly every constituency. It was charged that it had no platform then; to-day the Government itself professes to approve of and stand upon the Opposition platform. To quote once more from our Montreal contemporary: "It is noteworthy also that, save in regard to the duty of so administering the forest lands as to secure the maximum of employment for the people of the province, ministerial candidates are inclined to accept the chief planks of the Opposition. Ministers have promised to revise the laws that impose taxes on the trade of the province. They agree with the school and agricultural programme enunciated by Mr. LeBlanc and Mr. Pelletier. They promise to do justice to the constituencies whose population has far outgrown that of the average electoral division. They, in fact, say the Opposition platform, is a proper one and so give the people a reason for voting for the men who designed it." There is this further reason, that the men who constructed the platform which by common consent is acknowledged to be a good and proper one, are the men who should be entrusted with the carrying of it out; not those who were unable to imagine it, and whose platform consisted of coffin planks and outside charitable institutions until the rising tide of popular appreciation made them wiser, if not better men.

to appreciate and comprehend the infinite advantages to be derived from a representation that would be given by an independent gentleman such as Chevalier Bedard.

When the returning officers had proclaimed Messrs. Bedard and Delage as the only candidates placed in nomination, speeches were in order, and at the request of Mr. Delage, it

was decided that the candidates alone would address the meeting. Mr. Delage opening the meeting, being followed by Mr. Bedard, and Mr. Delage securing the reply.

As the majority of the electors called for speeches from others present, Mr. Bedard and Mr. Robitaille, M.P., asked Mr. Delage to address the meeting, but the latter refused. Messrs. Bedard and Robitaille then moved to an adjoining gallery where they again addressed the large crowd.

Excellent speeches were also made by Messrs. Bedard, Lorenzo Robitaille, M.P., Mr. Philippe Chalout, and Mr. Alieyen Taschereau. The latter gentleman made a masterly speech eulogizing Mr. Bedard's candidature and referring in well spoken terms, to the great many good deeds voluntarily executed by him in the past to the residents of the County of Quebec, which is also his native county. Mr. Taschereau created considerable enthusiasm by his remarks regarding the great fight at present being waged by Mr. Bourassa and Mr. Lavergne

REMARKABLE TRICK OF RETURNING OFFICER

Conservative Candidate Ruled Out of Contest

THOUGH PAPERS AND

Were Presented to the Proper Official Ten Minutes Before the Appointed Time.

If Dr. Cote was elected by acclamation yesterday to represent St. Sauveur Division, in the next Legislature, he can thank the returning officer, Mr. Cantin, N.P., who at the last moment refused to accept the nomination of Mr. L. P. Robitaille, who was placed in nomination in opposition to Mr. Cote. The nomination papers in favor of Mr. Robitaille had been signed by over 25 electors and Mr. Robitaille signed his acceptance of the nomination which was presented to the returning officer by Mr. Charles Smith, advocate, at ten minutes to two. According to the proclamations, any nominations may be presented between noon and two o'clock and Mr. Smith, accompanied by Mr. Faucher, notary, and Mr. Savard, appeared before the returning officer ten minutes before the time was up, the former producing the nomination papers, while Mr. Faucher, as agent for Mr. Robitaille, produced the amount of the deposit, \$200, in Union Bank bills. At that hour all that was necessary for the returning officer to do was to ascertain if the names on the nomination paper, were those of electors and whether or not the deposit was sufficient. While the returning officer was going over Mr. Robitaille's papers, two o'clock struck and as Mr. Cantin had not completed his work, he returned the papers to Mr. Smith with the inscription, "Not accepted for cause, as I could not complete the proceedings before 2 o'clock and had no time to count the money deposited." Mr. Savard, notary, was present to swear to the legal formula, and all had entered the returning officer's room before 2 o'clock. Mr. Cantin then proclaimed Dr. Cote elected by acclamation.

The last has not yet been heard of this incident, as Mr. Robitaille and his friends intend to bring the matter before the courts. Messrs. Smith and Faucher have given affidavits in support of the above statement.

against great odds and the self-sacrifice of these gentlemen in severing their connections at Ottawa, and the accompanying emoluments, in order to devote their services to Provincial politics and secure an honest and upright administration of public affairs here. He deprecated the past records of the Gouin Ministry and created the greatest enthusiasm in his appeal for more independent men and men immune from party subserviency.

Mr. Taschereau's remarks were received with the greatest enthusiasm by the large number of electors present, and he concluded in exhorting them to use every legitimate and honest means of electing as their representative in the coming Legislature a gentleman of the ability, standing and independence of Chevalier Bedard.

COUNTY OF PORTNEUF.

Nominations in this county took place at Cap Sante yesterday and when the returning officer proclaimed Premier Gouin and Mr. Valin as candidates, a meeting was held and addressed by both candidates and Senator Tessier, Messrs. Beaubien, French and Couillard, advocates, of this city.

Hon. Mr. Gouin had little to say about politics, but appealed, as a native of the county, to the sympathy of the electors, taking occasion to refer to all his Government had accomplished for education in this Province, which would be a great benefit to farmers' sons in future.

Mr. Valin in reply stated that he was not only a native of the county but had always resided there and had always taken considerable interests in the farmer. He was in favor of granting free lands to bona fide settlers, and remarked that for years past this class of settlers had been considerably neglected. Under the Liberal administration, agricultural clubs had been sadly neglected.

Mr. Peter French followed and spoke of all the good that had been accomplished in this Province under the Gouin administration. Mr. Valin again requested Premier Gouin to sign a document by which he would choose Portneuf in preference to St. James division, if elected in both constituencies, and also asked him to sign an agreement by which the candidates would not spend money nor distribute liquor during the campaign.

Hon. Mr. Gouin refused to sign these documents, adding that he would not encourage the distribution of liquor nor money, and that in saying so, his words were as good as if he signed these documents. Senator Tessier spoke strongly in favor of the present administration, and called upon the electors to vote for Premier Gouin, who was a native of the county.

Mr. L. Omer Beaubien replied, and remarked that that was not a question of sympathy, but whether or not the electors approved the programme of the Gouin administration in the past and were willing to accept it in the future.

QUEBEC CENTRE.

Mr. Lavigneur wishes it to be understood that contrary to what was stated in an evening paper yesterday, he is not running as a Conservative candidate, but as a Liberal. Mr. Lavigneur, with a number of friends, will address a meeting this evening at his central committee rooms, corner St. Stanislas and St. John streets.

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QUEBEC, JUNE 2, 1908.

CAVE GANEM!

It is strongly asserted that desperate means will be resorted to in order to prevent the Gouin Government from incurring a disastrous defeat, or even a serious check. There was more than was apparent at first sight in the doctrine advanced by Hon. Mr. Taschereau and others that the Ottawa and Quebec Governments were bound up together, that the Dominion Liberal and the Provincial Liberal had the same views and interests, and that those who would vote for Sir Wilfrid Laurier would therefore vote for Hon. Lomer Gouin; there was implied in this the sure and certain expectation of moral and material assistance from Ottawa in the case of the electoral storm proving too violent for the unaided efforts of the Ottawa Government to stem. As the campaign progressed, and it became evident that the Opposition was developing unexpected strength and energy, this expectation was practically realized by the appearance of Dominion Cabinet Ministers and members of Parliament canvassing the constituencies in favor of the Local Government, and this not having the anticipated effect, and the political outlook appearing darker than ever, it has been decided to make a bold effort at the last, and to carry the constituencies as London, Ontario, was carried for Mr. Hyman, in the good old days when the Liberal machine flourished in that province. If that Abitibi Land deal had gone through without a hitch, and the atheistical friend of Hon. Mr. Turgeon had had more faith in that gentleman than he is alleged to have in the Deity, it is just possible that the Caisse Electorale would have been sufficient for the emergency, but as it is, the Powers that be at Ottawa have come to the conclusion that their protégé in Quebec is as financially weak as it is in principles and something must be done to strengthen its weakness. There being an equal lack of principles in the two Governments, nothing, of course, could be done in that direction, but that at Ottawa is considerably richer in the grafters and middlemen dependent on it for their profits, and out of these it has been decided to collect what Charles I. (who got his head cut off for doing it.) would have called a "benevolence," and accordingly the Grand Trunk Pacific contractors, who have naturally benefited by the "Quebec method of classification" will supply all the money needed for the purchase of votes. Operations will be commenced this week, and our Conservative friends will do well to take the warning in time, and to exercise the utmost vigilance. This last outrage should surely be enough to set the whole province ablaze with indignation, and to arouse every honest and self-respecting man, every man who loves and honors his province, to see that it is properly punished. Surely it was sufficient that Quebec should occupy towards the Dominion the same position that a petty protected Balkan principality does to Russia, or Austria; that its Cabinet Ministers should hold office by the grace of Ottawa; that its policy should be dictated from Ottawa; that the members of its Legislature must, before being elected, receive the sanction of Ottawa; that Quebec cannot be left to choose its own Mayor without the intervention of Ottawa; that when the Provincial Liberal party falls out within itself, as it has an eccentric habit of doing every now and then, it cannot settle its own differences without delegations to and from Ottawa; even that Messrs. Gouin and Turgeon could not knife their respected friend and premier without its being necessary to call in Ottawa to bind up the wounds by the provision of a snug retirement? Is not this humiliation enough for free men without there being added to it the last and deepest degradation of being regarded as cattle to be bought and sold at a price, as human chattels, who cannot even plead the vis ma-

jeure of the slave pen, but will voluntarily consign themselves into the servitude of which we have spoken for a consideration. The very thought of the possibility of such infamy should raise the whole province in revolt against those who have had the audacity to entertain it. The contractors of the Grand Trunk Pacific, that is to say of the Eastern Section of the so-called National Transcontinental are, it is asserted, to be called upon to furnish the funds for the wholesale bribery and corruption that is contemplated. What is their interest? and why should they submit to a tax on their profits if these are reasonable? The very fact of the demand is a proof that the charges of Major Hodgins were not baseless, and that the Government at Ottawa is, and always has been fully aware of the fact. Years ago when the Eastern Section of the Transcontinental was first mooted, The Chronicle said that the Government proposition was not dictated by any regard for the true interests of the country, but by a desire to accumulate material for a big campaigning fund, and here is a proof that we were correct.

GOVERNMENT RECORDS.

The Gouin Government goes to the country professing that it has a clean record for honest administration of the affairs of the Province, forgetful of certain transactions, such as the Breckey contract, the Dupuis case, &c, which to put it in the mildest possible form, have, under what little examination was possible, assumed a decidedly suspicious appearance, and one requiring further explanation, and of the other fact that one of the members, Hon. Adelard Turgeon, is still under grave accusation, so grave that the Government itself deemed that investigation was necessary to satisfy the public, and issued a Royal Commission for that purpose, whose report it has neither laid before the representatives of the people, nor had the courage to declare what conclusion, if any, it had come to from the perusal of it. No unprejudiced person, therefore, is in a position to declare that Hon. Mr. Turgeon has been proved innocent of the charges brought against him, and in this respect also the Government record is not clean.

Certainly the blots are few, but they give rise to the not unreasonable belief if the Opposition had possessed the same relative strength as that possessed by the Opposition at Ottawa, to which it has not shown itself inferior in energy and fighting spirit; and this is an additional reason why Hon. Mr. Gouin's threat of sweeping it altogether out of existence should be realized in the opposite direction. There is reason to believe that had the Provincial Opposition had a proportionate strength with that of the Dominion, its labors would have had a similar result to those of the investigations in the House of Commons during the last few sessions, which, in spite of the frantic endeavors of the Ottawa Government and its supporters in Parliament to stifle enquiry have revealed the fact that there is impropriety in practically every transaction at Ottawa, and that the public lands are distributed among politicians, many of whom are members of Parliament, and instances of which are given by the Toronto Mail and Empire as follows: "One man now in the House secured two hundred and fifty thousand acres of public land at one dollar an acre when it is worth ten times that price. Another has captured the choice timber of the West and holds it for speculative purposes. On one deal alone he has cleared eighty thousand dollars. A group of politicians was awarded a great tract of irrigable land, and a huge grazing lease. That coterie of favorites has made eight hundred and forty thousand dollars by turning the concessions over to a company. Among a little body of favorites the fishery privileges of the Great West have been distributed for a rental of a few dollars per annum. One of the concessionaires has sold out for a quarter of a million. While huge sums are being made by politicians in the West, rake-offs

are enjoyed by their brethren in the East. The Government has been buying railway land through middlemen with the result that it pays double price, and the difference between the actual cost and the figure charged to the public passes to private pockets. In the purchase of supplies the same system prevails. The order is given to the middleman, who transmits it to the actual maker or vendor, and then charges the country from fifty to one hundred per cent, more than the actual price paid. It has been discovered in the Marine Department enquiry that we are paying four thousand dollars each for buoys that it cost four hundred dollars to make. It has also been learned that a Minister of the Crown received as a gift ten thousand dollars worth of stock in a company with which the Government did business. According to the Civil Service Commissioners' report, the patronage system pervades the public service. As a result we are compelled to pay exorbitantly for supplies which we could get at a reasonable figure were competition allowed. The system of rake-offs has made its influence felt upon the public finances. We are now paying \$73,000,000 in taxes, whereas in 1906 the taxation was but \$27,000,000. Each family paid \$27.68 in taxes in 1896; each family pays \$58.88 in taxes now. Our expenditure has gone up correspondingly, and the debt, owing to the tremendous obligations that have been entered into, is alarming. Now these things are not without their significance and interest from a Provincial, as well as a Dominion point of view. Mr. Gouin and his friends and associates are never tired of proclaiming their intimate connection with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his friends and associates, and of asserting that the two Governments are "two hearts that beat as one." Will the electors note the admission? If we take Mr. Gouin at his word, when we see what the Ottawa Government has done, and been exposed in the doing, what may we conclude that the Quebec Government has done though a weak Opposition hitherto has only effected a partial exposure?

MARKING TIME.

Government organs seek to create prejudice against the Opposition by alleging that salaries of customs and other officials cannot be paid because of refusal to vote estimates. The Government might easily get its estimates through by dooping the bill by which it is proposed to ignore the provincial voters' list in Manitoba and British Columbia. There is no popular demand either in Manitoba or British Columbia for such a bill. It is purely a piece of political strategy, without precedent or warrant, demanded only by Government supporters in the West who fear they will lose their seats unless they have control of the voters' lists. Nor is it apparent that the Government is very anxious just now to get estimates through for the payment of officials. It is apparently much more deeply interested in the other estimates, which would give it money to spend for election purposes. The Government is just now marking time, awaiting the result of the elections in Ontario and Quebec. If it is able to hold Quebec solid and make a showing in Ontario, Parliament may be dissolved and further exposure of public rascality headed off. If, on the other hand, the Conservatives make a showing in Quebec and hold their own in Ontario, the Government may see fit to abandon its iniquitous franchise bill and go the limit of the Parliamentary term. In any event, the Conservatives are ready. They will not submit to an unjust measure and they are not afraid to go to the people whenever the Government says the word.—Moncton Times.

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Per steamer Vir'ian, Vipond, from Liverpool—6 pkgs to Holt, Renfrew & Co., 1 do to Chinie Hardware Co., 2 do to Glover, Fry & Co., 6 do to order, 21 do to Renaud & Co., 25 do to Wilson, Paterson & Co., 1 do to G. C. Scott, 6 do to order, 58 do to Chinie Hardware Co., 237 do to order, 6 do to Paquet Co., 10 do to Gauvreau, Beaudry & Co., 1 do to B. Morgan, 6 do to Dehene & Paquet, 2 do to J. Amyot, 1 do to J. B. Laliberté, 4 do to A. W. Colley, 2 do to G. C. Scott, 42 do to J. A. Noel, 1 do to American Dispatch 5 do to J. E. Martin, 300 do to order, 50 do to G. Beuchamp, 50 do to Dominion F. & G. Co., 50 do to Legare & Fils, 6 do to Earl Gray, 3 do to Holt, Renfrew & Co., 3 do to J. A. Kirouac & Co., 5 do to Paquet Co., 47 do to E. Romihue, 1 do to B. Houde Co., 5 do to H. Beaudry, 60 do to A. Toussaint & Co., 60 do to N. Rioux & Co., 39 do to order, 180 do to Dominion Express.

Per steamer Hesperian, Fairfull, from Glasgow—2100 pkgs to order, 8 do to Robert M. Guilette, 2 do to G. C. Scott, 1 do to Renaud & Co., 11 do to Terreau & Racine, 1 do to S. J. Shaw & Co., 30 do to H. Beaudry, 1800 do to Ramsay & Langridge, 4 do to Jos. Amyot, 430 do to Martineau Co., 72 do to Chinie Hardware Co.

Per steamer Russell Sage, Russell, from Erie—1175 tons coal to Carberry, Son & Co. Per barge F. D. Ewen, Monette, from Sodus Point—473 tons coal to Canadian Import Co. Per barge A. D. Logue, from Fairhaven—983 tons coal to Canadian Import Co.

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Bath sprays, bath tub seats, towel arms and bars, rubber mats, sponges and soap holders, tumbler holders, toilet paper holders, glass shelves, robe hooks, whisk holders, etc., etc. Full assortment to be seen at Chinie's branch store, Fabrique street, sat, tu, thur, sat.

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Hammocks from \$1.00 to \$7.00. Ice-cream freezers, the three minute kind; water filters, water coolers, ice-breakers, machines, alcohol stoves, wood spirit, coal oil stoves, lime and lemon squeezers, ice picks, corkscrews, lemonade mixers, ice-cream dishes, stopper lifters, champagne taps and coolers, all to be had at Chinie's, sat, tu, thur, sat.

INTERESTING DAY IN SMASHING THE METHODIST CONFERENCE ATLANTIC RECORD

Reports from Departments Cunard Steamers Mauretania and Lusitani

MEMORIAL SERVICES DO GREAT SPRINTING

Education 1 Anniversary Took Place Last Evenng. when Eloquent Addresses were Delivered. On Both the Eastward and the Westward Passage—Mauretania's New Record

The consideration of reports from various departments of the work of the church occupied the attention of the Methodist Conference yesterday morning. One of the most interesting reports was that of the Mission Board which was presented by Rev. C. E. Manning, and which showed that the progress of the past year had been most gratifying. Special reference was made to the work done in meeting immigrants in the ports of debarkation in the Dominion.

Another important report was that of the Educational Committee, which was presented by Rev. J. W. Graham, Superintendent of Education, who made an appeal for a greater increase of aid for those offering themselves as probationers.

The Stationing Committee recommended the establishment of a city Mission Board for Montreal and also of an Italian mission. This was approved with the establishment of the missions in the following districts:—Dorchester St., Terminal Park, Lac des Isles, Rosemont, St. Lambert, Robinson and West Shefford.

One of the interesting features of the afternoon session was a report on Deaconess' work, which was presented by Miss Wilcox, of Montreal. Four deaconesses were at work at present in Montreal, and they were engaged in four branches of the work, visiting or evangelistic, nursing, caring for children, and hospital work. Miss Wilcox gave several interesting incidents in regard to the work, and her address was followed with much attention.

Mr. H. Walker presented the report of the Committee on the state of the work, which came in for some discussion and which was finally postponed to a later date.

There was a lively discussion upon the adoption of the report of the Laymen's Association, which referred to a number of questions. The Wesleyan College at Montreal was alluded to and the work of Dr. Shaw, its Principal, endorsed. The officers elected—President, J. Cunningham; Vice-President, H. W. Meeks, Secretary, J. H. Carson; Executive, H. W. Shaw, J. Killian, J. W. Knapp, A. Van Camp. After remarks by Rev. Dr. Shaw, Rev. Mr. Thomas and others, it was decided to proceed with the regular order of business.

The Conference then held a Memorial Service, Rev. Mr. Timberlake, President, in the chair. The names of the clergy who had died during the period since last conference, were read, and addresses were delivered by Rev. H. C. Warren and C. A. Hopewell.

In the evening, at 8 o'clock, the Educational Anniversary was held, Rev. Dr. Shaw presiding. He gave a brief review of the Educational work being done by the Methodists throughout Canada. There were 11 colleges in connection with the Methodist Church in Canada with over 3,000 students in attendance. Speaking in particular of the Montreal Wesleyan College he stated that it had had its ups and downs, but had survived. Dr. Shaw stated that he would carry the burden involved in the Principality of the college until he felt God called him to lay it down, when he would do so. He had labored through the past decades as faithfully as possible, and it was his intention to carry it on for a short period further if he could do so peacefully.

A most interesting address was given by Mr. J. H. Putnam, Principal of Ottawa Normal School, who spoke on ideals and concentration as factors in national education. National progress, remarked the speaker, depended upon education. He recapitulated the progress being made throughout the Dominion and stated that even in Quebec, where changes are supposed to be made slowly, the people, both Catholic and Protestant, were arousing themselves. "I have no use," said Mr. Putnam, "for any education which does not affect conduct." He urged his hearers to throw their weight on the side of higher ideals in education and to crush out the mercenary question of dollars and cents. It was only the man of high ideals who could grasp the truth, and the poet was the better prophet than the scientist. The priest who did not interest himself in politics, and especially educational politics, was cutting himself off from a chance to promote his people's good. Methodist ministers, he thought, took too little interest in political affairs and educational matters suffered as a result.

Rev. J. W. Graham, General Superintendent of Education, was the next speaker. He took as a topic for his address higher education as one of the greatest assets of our national wealth. Starting out with a graphic reference to the extent of the wealth and the numberless industries of the Dominion the speaker dressed him the fact that the resources of the country were not the chief interest, but rather the men who were developing these resources, and impressed the importance of an educated population.

IN HER NATIVE CITY. Miss Bertha Roy, the piano virtuoso who will give a great concert in the Auditorium on Thursday, arrived in Quebec yesterday. This daughter of Quebec, who left the city at the age of ten years, is now a young lady of prepossessing appearance. She renewed her acquaintanceship yesterday with the city where she was born and received her first encouragement in the musical art. The place of her birth at the corner of Oliver and St. Genevieve streets she intends to visit soon. Mr. Chamberland, the Montreal Violinist, will arrive to-morrow.

THE QUEBEC BANK

Annual Meeting of Shareholders, Held Monday, the 1st June, 1908.

Proceedings of the Ninetieth Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Quebec Bank, held in the Banking House, on Monday, the 1st of June, 1908.

Present:—Messrs. W. A. Marsh, Vesey Boswell, John Shaw, John T. Ross, A. E. Scott, Gaspard LeMoine, H. B. Patton, G. G. Stuart, K.C., Andrew C. Joseph, Thomas McDougall, Archibald Laurie, and others.

On motion of John Shaw, Esq., seconded by A. E. Scott, Esq., the chair was taken by John T. Ross, Esq., and Mr. R. C. Patton was requested to act as Secretary of the meeting.—Carried.

The Directors of The Quebec Bank beg to lay before its Shareholders the Balance Sheet of the Bank and its Profit and Loss Account, according to

GENERAL STATEMENT 15th MAY, 1908.

Table with columns for LIABILITIES and ASSETS. Includes items like Capital Stock, Reserves, Deposits, and Bonds.

Specie..... \$ 371,142.78 Dominion Notes..... 618,657.50 Deposit with the Dominion Government for security of Note Circulation..... 59,600.00

Time Loans on Bonds and Stocks..... \$ 358,447.99 Notes and Bills Discounted Current..... 10,035,911.09

Bank Premises and Furniture..... \$10,497,647.13

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Table showing Profit and Loss Account for 15th May 1908. Includes Balance at credit of Profit and Loss Account, Profits for the year ended 15th May 1908, and Dividend 1 1/2 per cent.

Moved by John T. Ross, Esq., seconded by Gaspard LeMoine, Esq., that the report and Statements now read be adopted and published for the information of the Shareholders.—Carried.

The General Manager explained that whilst Mr. John Breakey appreciates the support given to him by the Shareholders of the Bank during the time that he has been its President, still he wishes to say that he does not present himself for re-election to the Board this year, because, for personal reasons, he finds it necessary to

HELD CROWD AT BAY

Fight Between Rival Gangs of Italian Laborers Results in Death.

Fresport, La., June 1.—One man is dead and another is dying, and a third is under arrest as a result of a fight between rival gangs of Italian laborers employed by a dredging company at Long Beach late last night.

RETURNING OFFICERS.

The returning officers for Quebec and Lewis are as follows:—Quebec Centre:—Marcel Chabot. Quebec West:—A. Romillard. Quebec East:—Chas. Langelier. St. Saviour:—Notary Cantin. Lewis:—Arthur Carrier.

BASEBALL GOODS.

A full assortment in the way of baseballs, gloves, mits, masks, bats, shoe plates, body protectors, etc., at Chinie's, sat, tu, thur, sat.

EASTERN TOWNSHIPS BANK

Quarterly Dividend No. 102

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend at the rate of eight per cent. per annum upon the Paid-up Capital Stock of this Bank has been declared for the quarter ending June 30, 1908, and that the same will be payable at the Head Office and Branches on and after Thursday the 2nd day of July next.

AUCTION SALE

By Marceau & Son Tuesday, the 2nd June, At their Auction Room at 2 o'clock P.M.

A great lot of Furniture such as Bed Room Suits, Iron Bedsteads, Refrigerator, Parlor Suit, Tables, Chairs, Carpet Square, all new Oil Cloth, Linoleum, Lace Curtains and a great number of other kind of furniture to long to enumerate.

MARCEAU & SON, Auctioneers.

Province of Quebec, Superior Court. District of Chicoutimi, No. 2203. Dame M. P. Amelia Bailly, of St. Francois de Sales, wife common as to property of Joseph Maltais, cheesemonger, vs Plaintiff; The said Joseph Maltais, Defendant; A suit for separation of property has, this day, been instituted in this court. Chicoutimi, 7th May, 1908. ARMAND BOILY, Attorney for Plaintiff. may 29xlm.

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The subscriber who is the representative in this city of four well-known manufacturing firms, is prepared to take and promptly fill orders for their various brands of goods, viz. Dominion Bridge Co., Ltd. Canadian Iron & Foundry Co., Ltd. The James Robertson Co., Ltd. The Magnesite Mfg & Trading Co., London, England.

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The Conservative Central Committee Rooms, 30 Fabrique street, (L'Evenement Building), will be open the whole day and during the evening until the 5th of June next.

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Children's Lace Ankle and Plain Thread Hose, sizes 6 1/2 to 8, colors, White, Black, Tan, Pink and Sky, from 30c to 38c.

Ladies' Fine Hosiery
Lace Ankle and Plain Hose, in Black, Tan, White, Pink, Sky, Nile, Mauve and Red, special lines, 35c and 38c a pair, sizes 8 1/2 to 9 1/2.

Ladies' English Aprons and Overalls, from 19c to \$1.50.
Ladies' Fine White Linen and Cotton Waists.
Parisian P. C. Corsets, 22 styles; New Veilings, New Neckwear, Wash Belts, Merry Widow Belts, New Handbags and Purses, Fancy Hat Pins, Hair Combs and Ornaments, Hair Nets, front 4 for 25c, 10c each; Allover, regular 35c Nets, for 25c; Hair Pads, etc.

And 20 Per Cent Off Regular Prices.
PLEASE NOTE.—This sale is for a short time only, and we cannot allow the discount when it is over. SPOT CASH ONLY. No goods sent on approval during sale. Wools, Patterns and Threads excepted

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BIRTH
NEILAN.—On June 1, 1908, a son to Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Neilan (prematurely).
MURPHY.—At No. 12 Laporte street, on the first June, Mrs. James J. Murphy, a daughter.

MARRIED
BENDERSON-LEARNMOUTH.—On June 1st, 1908, at the bride's parents, by the Rev. G. H. Williams, Florence Isabel, eldest daughter of A. J. Learnmouth, to Gilbert H. Benderson.

DIED
DION.—On the 1st instant, Parnelia Sylvestre, beloved wife of Aurelien V. Dion, of the Dominion Customs. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning, at 9 o'clock.

GRIFFARD.—In this city, on the 30th May, 1908, aged 76 years, 4 months and 20 days, Louis Griffard, formerly sacristan of St. Patrick's Church, and husband of the late Lucie Billedeau.

view Advertisements.
Magi Caledonia Water—M. Timmons & Son.
Healthful Diet for Small Breeds—Spratt's Puppy Biscuits.
Investments—O. P. Rator.
Sailings—Steamer Champion.
North Shore Mail Service—Holiday Bros.
Insurance Brokers—Bellean & Hallie.
Public Notices—John Sharples.
Feed and Grain—William Carrier & Fils.
Faust—Theatre Populaire.
Eastern Townships Bank—J. Mackinnon.
Committee Rooms—Quebec West.
Committee Rooms—Quebec Centre.
Auction Sale—Marceau & Son.

BENNETT'S CHANGE OF PROGRAMME Monday, Wednesday and Friday Moving Pictures and Illustrated Songs.
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The following committee rooms are now opened in the interest of the Conservative Candidate Mr. W. J. Breen:
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546 Champlain Street.
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75 Little Champlain Street.
85 St. Paul Street.
Benderson Street, Palais.
10 Conroy Street.
59 Scott Street.

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H. E. Lavigne's Liberal Committee Rooms.
1.—Central Committee, Lavigne & Hutchison's Hall, corner St. John and Stanislas streets—Telephone 891.
2.—At Loyola Poulain's, corner St. Patrick Street and Cote Ste. Genevieve.
3.—At Mr. Larouchelle's, corner Ste. Marie and St. Oliver Streets.
4.—At Mr. Beland's, corner St. Oliver and Sutherland Streets.
5.—At Louis Lemelin's, Mount Pleasant Village.
June 2x1.f.

FAST AUTOMOBILE SPEED. PUBLIC NOTICE.
Upon satisfactory evidence being supplied, the Municipality of St. Colombe de Sillery will take proceedings against any Automobile exceeding within the Municipality the speed limit fixed according to law.
JOHN SHARPLES, Mayor.
T. H. McNEIL, Sec'y Treas.
June 2x1u-2x1x1m.

IN AND ABOUT TOWN

AN OFFICIAL VISIT CITIZEN'S BANQUET
Paid by Rebekah President At the Chateau Frontenac to Local Lodge Last Evening.

Mrs. E. N. C. Streeter, of Granby, the President of the Rebekah Assembly, I.O.O.F., of the Province of Quebec, paid an official visit last evening to Iona Rebekah Lodge, and received a cordial welcome from the members of the order in this city.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. W. Jordan, N. G. of Iona Lodge, and during the proceedings a number of new members were received. Mrs. Streeter made a most interesting address, in which she spoke of the splendid progress being made by this branch of the order, instancing in proof of this the institution of two new lodges during the year, one in Waterloo and one in Montreal.

At the conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Streeter was entertained at a very pleasant banquet, which was greatly enjoyed by everybody. Mrs. Streeter is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Walling, Maple Avenue, during her stay in Quebec.

Drink Beaupt Lager it is the best.
POLICE COURT.
In the Police Court yesterday, a grocer, for selling liquor without a license, was fined \$50 and costs. A young man convicted of assault was fined \$8 and costs. A young man accused of theft was remanded until today.

The best of Ceylon is in her teas. Nowhere else do they grow to such perfection. The best of Ceylon's teas are in "Salada."

RECORDER'S COURT.
Eight prisoners, charged with drunkenness, appeared before the Recorder yesterday. Five were fined \$5 and costs each; a man who added a row to his drunkenness was fined \$15 and costs or a month and a half in jail. A boy who collected a crowd on a corner was fined \$5 and costs, and a man for simple drunk was fined \$2 and costs.

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NOTICE TO MERCHANTS.
Having purchased the schooner Leopold, and will run it on the same line as run in the past, I will carry freight down at a very reasonable price. I will be in Quebec on the 3rd of June.
CAPT. H. CARRE.
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IMPORTANT JUDGMENT.
Hon. Justice McCorkill, in the Superior Court yesterday afternoon, gave a lengthy judgment in the case of Monaghan vs. The Q. R. L. & P. Co., and Monaghan vs. local policemen, granting the complainant \$350 and costs in the first instance and \$150 and costs in the second instance, a total of \$500 and costs.

The case has been pending for some time. Plaintiff alleged he was wrongly ejected from an electric car. The Q. R. L. & P. Co. are to appeal against the decision. Mr. Monaghan was represented by Hon. E. J. Flynn and Mr. Galpinait.

QUEBEC BATTLEFIELDS ASSOCIATION.
Mrs. Montefiore Joseph, Treasurer of the Ladies' Auxiliary, Quebec Battlefields, acknowledges with thanks the following additional donations:—Amount previously acknowledged, \$2,141.43. Employees Beauport Brewing Co.—N. E. Rousseau, John Spaulinger, 50c; Alph. Laberge, 25c; J. O. Matte, L. Bergeron, H. Gagne, T. Rochette, A. Lachance, J. E. L'Heureux, Jacob Karl, Geo. Belanger, Jos. Boucher, J. B. Gagne, Joseph B. Bombardier, Elie Desjardins, Geo. Bolduc, Simon J. Cte, Nap. Lapointe, Isid. Poitras, P. Masson, Hector Giroux, Elz. Belanger, N. Turgeon, C. Vincolette, H. Bls-kburn, Elie Noel, Jos. Chalifour, Alb. Laberge, Phil. Giroux, Isid. Giroux, E. Blouin, 10c. Total, \$4.05. Collected by Mrs. Colin Sewell—John Darlington, \$10. Collected by Mme. Fremont—Pupils of the Ursulines of Quebec, \$31.60. Total, \$2,187.08.

A NOVEL SIGHT.
Many ladies witnessed the demonstration at the Quebec Gas Company's office, corner Glacie and St. John streets, yesterday, and if the attendance continues as it has done, it will be classed as a successful undertaking of this new every progressive company. From 2.30 to 6 o'clock a steady stream of ladies kept plying the demonstrator, Mrs. Frechette was questioned on bread and biscuit making, and many were astonished at the ease with which things are baked in a gas stove. One lady was heard to say: "I always imagined that bread-making was a task but it appears to be such fun that I am going to do it myself after this." As a result of yesterday's demonstration our reporter is informed that seven gas stoves and three hot plates were marked on the company's sale list, at which rate the demonstration has proved itself a good thing. To-day the specialties to be shown will be cakes and jams, although the demonstrator will follow any suggestions ladies have to offer.

ACTION FOR LIBEL
Taken by Candidate in Quebec County Against Local Paper.

Mr. J. E. Bedard, K.C., independent candidate in Quebec County, has given instructions to his firm to take action this morning against The Daily Telegraph, for libel. For sometime past the English Liberal organ of this city has continually been making charges of a serious nature against Mr. Bedard and the latter is bound to get to the bottom of the whole affair.

LOUIS FRECHETTE
Career of the Deceased Canadian Poet Laureate.

The late Louis Honore Frechette, LL.D., C.M.G., was in his 68th year, having been born at Levis on November 16, 1839. He was educated at the Quebec Seminary and at Nicolet. As a young man he studied law, and was called to the bar in 1864. In the following year he went to Chicago, where he made his first literary venture as a newspaper writer.

Returning to this Province in 1871, Mr. Frechette entered the practice of law at Quebec, and at the same time took a lively interest in political affairs. In 1874 he was returned to the House of Commons for Levis as a supporter of the Mackenzie-Dorion administration. When the Liberal party was defeated in 1878, Mr. Frechette shared their downfall, and was again defeated at the polls in 1882. Since that date Dr. Frechette devoted himself almost entirely to literary and journalistic work, during 1884 and 1885 editing La Patrie. He also contributed to the old L'Opinion Publique, as well as to such English publications as the Forum, Harper's, and the Arena.

Dr. Frechette's distinction as a poet was so universally recognized that he was generally known as the Canadian poet laureate.
Dr. Frechette in addition to his works in French also wrote some interesting contributions in English, a series of articles on French-Canadian folk lore, which he recently contributed to the Canadian Magazine, having attracted much attention.

It is, however, by his poetical works that Dr. Frechette will be best remembered, his charming verse delighting many thousands of readers. Besides the volumes already mentioned, he published "Mes Legeres," "La Voix d'un Exilé," "Pele Mele," "La Legendre d'un Peuple," and a number of other works, as well as several prose and dramatic works, which did not, however, find such favor as his verse.
For a number of years past Dr. Frechette had relaxed his literary activities and led a quiet, retired life, spending his days in tranquil happiness with his wife, who was always his devoted companion.

Dr. Frechette was one of the founders of the Canadian Society of Arts, in 1893, and became its first president. For many years he took a lively interest in this society. Politically Dr. Frechette was a strong Liberal, and, since his experiences in the United States, he became a confirmed believer in annexation to that country as the inevitable destiny of Canada, which had a good deal to do with his defeats at the polls.

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CANDIDATES IN QUEBEC DISTRICT.

Table listing candidates in Quebec District, categorized by Government and Opposition, including names like D. J. Godbout, V. Gosselin, Hon. A. Turgeon, etc.

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PERSONAL

Mr. Gordon Grant, Ottawa, is in town and is a guest at the Clarendon Hotel.
 Rev. F. O. Read and Mrs. Read, of Merrickville, are the guests of Mrs. F. Ruthman, 386 St. Valier street.
 Geo. S. Whyte, of Rangoon, Burma, is a guest at the Burlington Rooms.
 Mr. Jack Cummings, of the Dominion Express Co., Montreal, is in the city on a short visit.
 T. McConkey, Halifax, arrived in town and registered at the Clarendon Hotel.
 Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, Chief Justice of Canada, arrived in town last night to be present at the banquet to be tendered to Mr. J. G. Scott at the Chateau this evening.
 Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Taylor, Rev. F. G. Lett and Rev. Wm. Timberlake, president of the Methodist Conference, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lindsay, 630 St. John street.
 The marriage is announced to take place in St. Patrick's Church, on Tuesday, June 16th, of Miss Florence Tower, daughter of S. Tower, to Thos. J. (Widdie) Aubin, son of the late W. Aubin, merchant of Sillery.
 Arrivals at the Clarendon Hotel:—T. E. Jones, New York; R. F. Mant, Three Rivers; G. E. McCormick, Ottawa; J. McInnis, Geo. R. Fielding, Montreal; P. Darcy, La Tuque; H. Glendonning, Montreal; A. Dick, La Tuque; R. Shmidt, La Tuque.
 Arrivals at the King Edward Hotel:—A. J. Palmer, Ottawa; A. T. Tache, Montreal; V. Vezina, Sherbrooke; H. Vesnetie, Westbrooke; J. T. Papiusau, Milwaukee; H. J. Freeman, A. P. Masly, M. Jontaff, A. P. Mitchell, Montreal; Wm. Taylor, Manchester, N.Y.; H. Smeay, England; F. Borregton, Waterloo; V. P. Auger, Washington.
 Arrivals at the Henchy House:—J. E. Gauthier, J. E. V. Linecutt, St. Theodores; P. E. Wilson, St. Placide; H. Boissert, Biconcourt; L. Tacordene, Conrode Done, Montreal; J. P. Martin, Malbaie; E. Lery Rice, Toronto; J. J. Enright, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Higgins, Montreal; G. J. Campbell, D. J. Cummings, Ottawa; S. Sillery, Brockville; M. B. Baphart, Starstand; W. E. Reynolds, Kempville; J. R. Andrews, Bishop's Crossing.
 Arrivals at the Clarendon Hotel:—Rev. E. Giles, Miss Giles, Miss S. Giles, Lincoln, England; Rev. L. C. Soworbut, River du Loup; Jos. Allen, C. D. Cowles, New York; W. Hill, Montreal; J. E. Roberts and wife, Albany, N.Y.; E. E. Hawkins, J. A. Froeland, St. Malachie; R. W. McCarthy, Toronto; C. F. K. Bibble, Hervey Junction; H. Vohl, Hervey Junction; J. H. Halliday, Ste. Perpetue; J. R. E. Poirier, Montreal; T. McConkey, Halifax; A. P. Lattenaude, Montreal; T. Parent, Three Rivers; R. O. Cox, West Toronto; F. G. Smith, C. A. Miller, Montreal; G. Grant, Ottawa.

ELEGY ON THE DEATH OF LIBERAL GRAFTERS.

(By Emerald).
 The grafters all must go,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Whether they like or no,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 The grafters all must go,
 All honest men say so,
 We're sick almost to death,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 We'll smite them high and low,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 We're sick almost to death,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 And daily do we fret,
 To be ruled by such a set,
 But they'll get the run, you bet,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 On the eighth day of this June,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 We'll change the grafters' tune,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 That day we'll show to Gouin,
 His corpse of rule and ruin,
 And perdition it will strew in,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Since the rule of E. J. Flynn,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 We've had only shame and sin,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 But we'll end the grafters' game,
 And their rule of years of shame,
 And honest government proclaim,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 On June the eighth they'll hear,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 What will make them quake with fear,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Shouts of joy from far and near,
 That from grafters rule we're clear,
 Now an honest course we'll steer,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 The boys of Quebec West,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Will hearken to my request,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 The boys of Quebec West,
 Will do their level best,
 To give J. C. K. a rest,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 All honest men, I ween,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Whether Red, Blue or Green,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Will in union now be seen,
 And, standing behind the screen,
 Mark their ballots for W. J. Breen,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Let us build a bonfire high,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Till the blazes reach the sky,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Let us raise a whillaloo,
 Will be heard in Timbuctoo,
 For the Devil has his due,
 Says the Shan Van Vocht,
 Quebec, June 1, 1908.

BAZAAR POSTPONED.
 The bazaar in aid of the funds of the Battlefields Association will not take place until October next. This was the decision of the Executive of the Ladies' Committee who had been in charge of the project, at the recent general meeting of this Executive. Elaborate preparations had been effected for the success of the bazaar, and while it has been postponed until after the holidays, it is a matter for congratulation that the bazaar at that time will be much more elaborate affair and will appeal in every way to the tastes and desires of the most fastidious.

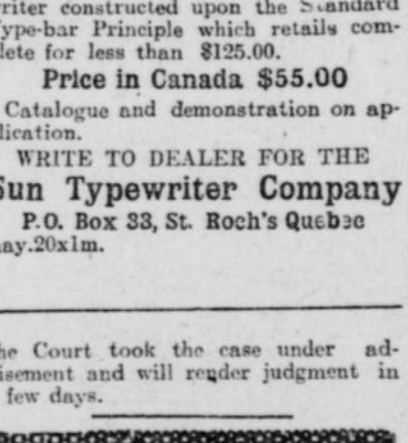
OTTAWA-TROLD CASE
 Evidence All In—Case Taken Under Advisement by the Court.

The investigation into the cause of the collision between the steamers Ottawa and Trolld was concluded yesterday afternoon, when the counsel on both sides addressed the Court.
 The taking of evidence was resumed at 10.30 a.m., when the first witness called was John T. Llewellyn, fourth officer of the Ottawa, who deposed that he holds a master's certificate. He was on the bridge at the time of the collision. His duty was to superintend the steering of the vessel and the watch. He heard a whistle on the port bow at 9.20 p.m. It was a long blast, and he answered it. Then there was another long blast, and subsequently two short blasts. We answered them with one long blast. We then saw the other vessel about a ship's length off. She was about two points on her port bow. We were steering south 38 east. We kept that course. We understood that the short blasts were that the Trolld was going to port.
 To Mr. Meredith—Our course was by the standard compass. Witness relieved the third officer. The weather was clear at 8.00 p.m. Our ship steers very good. She keeps her course while she is moving. From eight o'clock up to time of collision there was no change of course. Near nine o'clock the weather became hazy and witness sent for the captain. The lookout was doubled during the haze could see a vessel about a mile and a half away. Saw no vessel then. Saw one at 8.00 p.m. going down the river. The fog set in at 9.10, and engines were put slow. The fog signal was kept going. The Ottawa's whistle is exceptionally good. The engines were stopped at 9.20, when we got a long blast on our port bow. When we got the second long blast from the other ship our engines were reversed. We got short blasts from the other vessel. She came in sight shortly afterwards. Witness described what took place up to time of collision. At time of collision the Ottawa was going about a knot and a half. The other ship was going fast. Our ship's stern is intact.
 To Mr. Pentland—Was five weeks on the Ottawa. When witness went on bridge the ship was going 15 knots. Her speed is 16 knots. Engines going slow, which means about six knots an hour. Could not say how long the Ottawa would stop from slow.
 To Mr. Meredith—At the time of the collision the Ottawa was almost stopped. Saw the other vessel's lights about 15 seconds before the collision.
 Richard Napier, quartermaster of the Ottawa, deposed he was one voyage on the Ottawa, but was in the Line 3 1/2 years. The Ottawa steers very well, better than other ships he was on. She was steering south 42 east by the magnetic compass. The officer on the bridge gives the course to steer. The collision threw our ship three degrees to the south. The compass is lighted by electricity.
 To Mr. Pentland—The blow of the collision sent the Ottawa three degrees off her course.
 Hancou Tudor, chief engineer of the Ottawa, was on the vessel three years, went into engine room when he heard the signal to stop. (He read from the log the movements of the engines). Remained in engine room until 10 minutes after the collision. There were two other engineers in the room. At slow the speed of the engines from 20 to 3 revolutions a minute.
 To Mr. Pentland—When witness went into the engine room the engines were going from 20 to 23 revolutions a minute.
 To the Court—The steering gear and whistle were in good condition.
 To Mr. Meredith—Saw the Trolld's stem in the Ottawa's bow. It was at an angle of 45 degrees.
 Patrick P. O'Brien, A.B., was on the lookout on the Ottawa. Went on at 8.50 p.m. Had twenty years' experience. He reported a vessel on the port bow. He gave the different reports he made to the bridge, and they were answered from there.
 To Mr. Pentland—Kept a sharp lookout. Saw no other vessel than the one that struck us. Heard a whistle about 50 minutes before the collision. The man on the fore-castle head also reported it.
 To the Court—He only heard one whistle from the other ship. His ship was whistling all the time.
 John Lane, A.B., was on the lookout on the Ottawa. He was formerly on the White Star Line. He reported a long blast from a whistle to the bridge. The bridge answered. Saw a green light on the other ship.
 To the Court—Only saw a green light.
 His duty was to report all signals or vessels. Only heard one signal from the other vessel. Heard fog signal about 1 1/2 minutes before seeing the green light. Collision occurred about 15 seconds afterwards.
 To the Court—After seeing green light heard two short blasts from the other vessel.
 John Davis, lump trimmer on the Ottawa, deposed that he put up the lights before sunset. They were all burning brightly after the collision.
 To Mr. Pentland—Of the mast lights one is one the foretopgallant stay, the other at the foretopgallant.
 Captain Evans, recalled, said in answer to Mr. Meredith that his ship kept her course when the currents do not affect her. About six minutes after the collision her course was south 35 east. On returning to Quebec he took the exact opposite to one going slow. The Trolld struck us at an angle of 45 or 50 degrees. Our stern shows no marks. (Witness pointed out the ship's course on a chart). He also read the report of the collision from the official log.
 This closed the evidence and the Court took recess until 2.00 p.m.
 When the Court re-assembled Messrs. Meredith and Cook addressed it on behalf of the Ottawa, and Mr. Pentland replied on behalf of the Trolld.
 On the conclusion of the addresses

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To the Editor of the Chronicle.
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 Yours,
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To the Editor of the Chronicle.
 Dear Sir,—The daily appearance in the various city papers of letters on every possible subject which can affect the Tercentenary celebrations, in June and July, prompts me to say that no one has apparently thought of how unsafe the streets will be for children during the crowds and processions. Owing to the desire to see the gay doings many little ones will be tempted to stray from home; others even too small to be left alone will be shut up in close rooms while their elders enjoy the sights; many will wander in the wake of cavalcades and cars.
 Cannot a movement be started, even in a small way, towards play grounds for Quebec, especially in the lower and more crowded parts of the city? There must be yards or vacant lots in Sous-le-Cap, St. Roch's or St. Sauveur where the mothers, one at a time, might take turns at minding the children of many others for a few hours. If it is done elsewhere why not here also?
 O. R. A.

COMPANY WILL RESUME BUSINESS
 New York, June 1.—The Williamsburg Trust Co., of Brooklyn, which has been in the hands of a receiver since last fall, will be permitted to resume business on Monday next under an order granted by Justice Kelly to-day. It was stipulated that the Trust Company must pay off all depositors on demand. This has been agreed to.

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