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TOGO WILL WORRY ROJESTVENSKY

Big Battleship Will Be Reserved for Supreme Effort.

ADMIRAL AVELLAN'S VIEW

Russian Fleet Will Give Battle to the Enemy at the Earliest Opportunity.

Special Cable from a Montreal Star Correspondent.

Tokio, May 25.—Officers of the ministry of Marine inform a Star correspondent that the first clash between Japanese and Russian ships is likely to occur almost immediately. Japanese light craft are scouting off the south coast of Formosa. Togo awaits the proper moment for decisive measures farther north. The mixed fleet of the Mikado fairly swarms in the zone of probable action. No Japanese sailors believe Rojestvensky has more than the slightest chance of victory.

Togo will keep his battleships, on which Japan's naval supremacy depends, out of danger till the supreme moment. He will harass the Russians by means of his torpedo boats and improvised cruisers until they fall an easy prey to his battleships and regular cruisers.

RUMORS ABOUT ROJESTVENSKY.

Special Cable from a Montreal Star Correspondence.

St. Petersburg, May 25.—Rumors of Rojestvensky's death are flying through the city to-day. The Slovo, Grand Duke Alexander's semi-official newspaper, says: "We will soon weep for the loss of Russia's noble admiral is the latest sacrifice to a useless cause. Let us give up Manchuria. We have enough cemeteries at home. Let our sacrifices be made to redeem our native land, not an unknown "esert."

RUSSIANS STEAMING NORTH.

St. Petersburg, May 25.—Admiral Avellan, head of the Russian Admiralty department, confirms the despatch saying Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky is steaming north to give battle to Admiral Togo. He considers it possible that news to the effect that the two fleets have met may be received any day.

Admiral Avellan reaffirms the official denial of the report that Rojestvensky has broken down and asked to be relieved. Avellan says Rojestvensky sent detailed reports of the condition of his own health and of the health of the crews of his ships. The constant tension and hard work of the past months have been a great strain on the Admiral's health.

"Even before he left," said Avellan, "Rojestvensky was a sufferer from kidney trouble, but his health is no worse. Admiral Voelkersam, in command of a squadron of the Russian fleet, has suffered from the long stay in the tropics. The appointment of Vice-Admiral Birileff as successor to Vice-Admiral Skrydloff at Vladivostok, will in no wise affect Rojestvensky's status. The latter's mission as chief of the fleet is to take it to Vladivostok. There will be no anagonism when he gets there."

"Do you anticipate a sea fight soon?' the admiral was asked. He replied:

"Certainly. The Japanese cannot afford to allow Rojestvensky to reach Vladivostok without an encagement. I personally expect it to take place in the near future, though I admit the admiralty knows nothing of Rojestvensky's strategy or plans the Emperor having accorded him complete freedom of action."

In response to a suggestion that Togo might intentionally allow Rojestvensky to get to Vladivostok, contenting himself with torpedo attacks while the Russians are on their way there, and then try to bottle Rojestvensky up in Vladivostok, Admiral Avellan smiled and said:

"The story of Port Arthur will not be repeated. Rojestvensky will try to wrest the mastery of the sea from Togo. There are many ways of compelling Togo to accept battle. Rojestvensky will only have to bombard one of the coast cities to force Togo to appear in its defence."

AN UNCONFIRMED RUMOR.

Manila, May 25.—There is an unconfirmed rumor that the Russian and Japanese fleets have met south of Formosa, and that the Japanese were defeated.

WARSAW DISTURBANCES.

Warsaw, Russian Poland, May 25.—Jewish disorders here last night arose from an attempt of the Jewish Socialist organization called the Bund to purge the Hebrew district of Warsaw of all disreputable persons. The Bundites, with the view of expelling their undersirable co-religionists commenced to wreck disorderly houses, cafes and other resorts. The fighting spread to the surrounding streets, continued until midnight and recommenced this morning. Occasional clashes are still occurring. The Bundites have been permitted to carry on the work of destruction without any interference on the part of the authorities. Not a single policeman was visible. Occasionally a patrol of gendarmes dispersed the crowds which, however, were immediately permitted to gather again. There has been considerable bloodshed and many injured students have been taken to the hospitals. Fourteen of those wounded last night are reported to be dying.

CELEBRATED IN NEW YORK.

British Schools Club Remember Our Imperial Holiday.

Special to The Montreal Star.

New York, May 25.—Empire Day was celebrated at Delmonicos last night by the members of the British Schools and Universities Club. Arthur H. Judge, president of the club, presided. At the table with him were Sir Percy Sanderson, British Consul-General; Dr. J. A. Irwin, and Rev. D. Parker Morgan, former presidents of the club; H. Clive Bayley, British Consul; John Foord, former editor of the London Times and Captain Porter, of the Etruria. In proposing the health of King Edward, the toast master referred to him as "the Welder of nations, as a man who travels fearlessly through Ireland, Prance, Spain or wherever he will." President Roosevelt was spoken of as being "unafraid of trusts, Senate and the wild bears of the Rocky Mountains." Dr. Judge was wildly cheered. John Foord responded to the toast, "Great Britain's ally in the Far East." Sir Percy Sanderson responded to that of "His Majesty's representatives." Several other addresses were made.

RUSSIAN PRINCE WAS ASSASSINATED

Governor of Baku Killed by a Bomb Yesterday.

RESULT OF AN OLD FEUD

Americans for a Long Time Have Been Trying to Get Upper Hand in Province.

Special Cable From a Montreal Star Correspondent.

May 25.—Word has been received here that the Governor of Baku, Prince Nakachidze, was assassinated at 3 p.m. yesterday, by a bomb thrown at his carriage.

The lieutenant who was accompanying the Governor, and a bystander, were killed and the coachman is said to have been fatally injured.

Prince Nakachidze, uncle of the assassinated Governor of Baku, said to a Star correspondent to-day: "My nephew, the Governor of Baku, was a victim of the historical feud with the Armenians. Two per cent. of the population of Baku is Armenian. The newcomers have monopolized Georgia, the world's oldest Christian kingdom. The Georgians are farmers. The Armenians are business men. In the course of a few decades all the land and money of the Georgians has been acquired by the Armenians. Their intrigues with Russia caused Georgia to lose its independence. Being wealthy they wanted to make the Caucasus an Armenian kingdom and began intriguing with England. The Governor naturally opposed the separatists. The movement was therefore killed. The recent riots in Baku took place because Christians and Mohammedans alike were tired of the Armenian yoke. The people of the Caucasus want home rule, not Armenian despotism. Count Veronez, of Dashkonf, Viceroy of the Caucasus, has received unlimited powers to deal with the situation."

OCEAN YACHT RACE CLOSE.

Schooners Atlantic and Hamburg Believed to Be Leading the Others.

(See also page 12.)

New York, May 25.—A two-masted schooner yacht, hull down to the northward, so far away that her identity could not be established, was sighted at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of May 21 about 830 miles, east of Sandy Hook lightship, by the British steamer Haversham Grange, which arrived today from Barry. The exact location of the yacht was latitude 40.24, longitude 55.42. When sighted by the Haversham Grange she had two gaff top sails of equal height and an immense spinnaker set. The spinnaker had a peculiar, square head with triangle top added. Some time after she came into sight of the steamer a squall swept down upon her and she took in the topsails. They were re-set as soon as the squall passed, however, and with the fair wind which prevailed she continued due east at great speed. It is believed from the description given above that the unknown yacht sighted was the German schooner Hamburg, which had not been sighted since May 18, when the steam yacht Onelda reported her 132 miles from Sandy Hook and leading the Atlantic, and it was supposed, all the others. If it was the Hamburg the race between the German schooner and the probable American leader is very close, for at 7 a.m. on the day this unknown was sighted, the Atlantic was reported by the steamer Bremen to be about 20 miles west and an equal distance north of the position of the supposed Hamburg ten hours later. This would give the Atlantic a lead of approximately eight hours over the swift German craft.

THE MARK BOAT COALING.

Falmouth, England, May 25.—The German cruiser Pfeil is coaling here, preparatory to taking up a position off the Lizard as markboat at the finish line in the International yacht race.

PRAISE FOR EARL GREY.

The New York Times Eulogizes the Governor-General.

Special to the Montreal Star.

New York, May 25.—The "Times" says: "When Lord Grey came over to Canada to assume the highly important duties of Governor-General he was obliged to abandon temporarily work of peculiar interest, with which his name has been associated in a manner extremely creditable to him, that of president of the Public House Trust. It is not too much to say that in this he demonstrated his possession of qualities as valuable and rare as those demanded by his more conspicuous post. New difficulties undoubtedly were with him in Canada, of which he has already had a taste, but his sound judgment, tact, unselfish devotion to duty, and his high standard of public service, shown in the supervision of trust, can be relied on to pull him through."

MONEY POSTED FOR MATCH.

Towns and Stansbury to Row Again—Towns Invited to Vancouver.

London, May 25.—Towns, in writing to a London friend, says that money has been posted for a race with Stansbury. Towns says he has received an invitation to visit Vancouver, but nothing definite had been settled at the time of writing. Referring to the proposed match with Durnan, of Toronto, Towns says the first overtures for a race came from Durnan.

TO RESTRAIN EMIGRATION.

Budapest, May 25.—A bill providing for the restriction of emigration was introduced in the Diet to-day. It proposed to prohibit steamship companies from employing emigration agents, to limit their advertisements, to abolish emigration agencies and to punish those who hold out inducements to emigrate.

TRAVEL IN COMFORT.

The easy-runing and palatial steamers "Quebec" and "Montreal" are now giving a superior service between Montreal and Quebec daily; the "Montreal" from this city on the odd dates this month, and the "Quebec" on the even dates. Single fare, $3.50; Return, $5.75. Saturday to Monday excursions, $3.50. Reductions for Commercial Travellers. C. E. Dolan, City Passenger Agent, 128 St James street. Telephone, Main 1781. 123z3

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Mr. Geo. S. Lyon Will Enter for the Open Championship—Thoroughbred Cattle for Canada.

Canadian Associated Press.

London, May 25.—Mr. Bruce Walker, the Canadian Government agent at Glasgow, speaking to the Canadian Associated Press, said that there has been a great boom in emigration from Scotland this week. The Ionian Allan liner takes out 640 second class passengers, the largest number of second class passengers that ever left this side. The third class section of the Ionian has been turned into second class.

Mr. Walker hopes in a few days to occupy new office quarters directly opposite the old ones on St. Enoch Square. The position and appearance when the offices are completed will equal the London Canadian offices.

MR. LYON'S PLAN.

Mr. Geo. S. Lyon, the Canadian golfer, is remaining at Prestwich until the close of the meeting. He then goes to St. Andrew's, where he will enter for the open championship.

THOROUGHBREDS FOR CANADA.

A large number of thoroughbred cattle are being shipped this week for Biddeford, P. E. I.

TWO MORE BODIES FOUND.

The River Continues to Yield Its Gruesome Spring Crop.

The officials of the morgue have had a busy time to-day taking bodies of unknown people out of the river.

The first gruesome discovery was made at 5 a.m., when the body of a very much decomposed unknown man was found floating in the river at the wharf of the Thomson Steamship Line. When examined by the morgue keepers, nothing whatever was found in his pockets by which he could be identified. He is believed to have been in the water since last autumn.

The next call was sent in to the morgue at nine o'clock, when the body of another unknown man was found floating in the river at the wharf of the Thompson Line, in exactly the same spot as where the body of the first man was picked up. The discovery was also made by the same persons, who were not only frightened, but very much shocked when they came across the second corpse. There was nothing found on his person by which he could be identified. Thirty cents was all that was found in his pockets. Coroner McMahon will do his best to have the bodies identified, and has ordered the medical experts to make the autopsies to ascertain the cause of death.

Damages for Broken Spine.

Martial Lefrancois, laborer, through his attorney, Mr. Z. Renaud, is proceeding against the Dominion Bridge Company in an action for $10,000 damages for a broken spine. While at work for the company on April 17 last, at the corner of Berri and Commissioners streets, he alleges that the derrick with which he was hoisting iron beams was faulty and broke, the iron falling on his head and back, causing a fracture of the spine.

Regatta Postponed.

The regatta which was to have been held at Dixie yesterday afternoon had to be postponed in consequence of the high wind and the water being too rough for shells and canoes. An open air concert was given by a brass band and in the evening the Country Club gave a dance, which was a brilliant and enjoyable one.

Four Years in Penitentiary.

Joseph Valois, a confirmed thief, was to-day sentenced to four years in the penitentiary. He was found guilty of burglary by Judge Sicotte, who decided on a good long sentence as the best cure for Valois's weakness.



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Second cabin—Mrs. W. Amos, Aurora; Mr. R. Anderson, Orillia; Mrs. Burnett, Miss Burnett, Montreal; Mr. D. J. Campbell, Toronto; Miss M. Cromarby, Miss Cruikshanks, Montreal; Mrs. Fettigren, Glasgow, Scot.; Miss Annie Gordon, Miss Mary Gordon, Dundas; Miss Annie MacLaren, Chicago; Mrs. F. Proctor, Miss Emma Proctor, Master S. Proctor, Hamilton; Mr. P. T. Rutherford, Mr. S. Rutherford, Toronto; Mrs. D. B. Scott, Miss Annie Scott, Master Davis Scott, Chicago; Mr. C. Williamson, Mr. George Young, Toronto.

The Allan line steamship Orcadian, from Glasgow, arrived at Quebec at 2 a.m. to-day, and is due here at 2 p.m. to-morrow.



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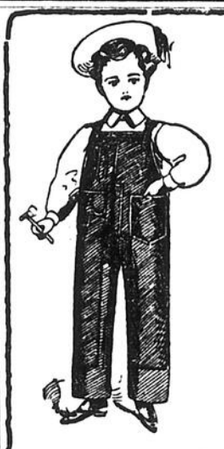
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CAPITALS DEFEATED THE CAUGHNAWAGAS.

Capitals Had a Number of New Men on Their Team Yesterday Afternoon.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, May 25.—Before a crowd numbering about 2,500 people the Capitals defeated the Caughnawaga Indians at Varsity oval yesterday by nine goals to one. They completely outclassed the braves, who, while they were very speedy and quite expert stickhandlers, showed little knowledge of the fine points of lacrosse as played in senior company. The Indians' defence, which was pressed closely throughout, played well, and indeed, considering the monopolyse of the ball which the Capital home had, the wonder is the score was not larger. Joe Deer, J. Jacobs and Norton were very conspicuous on this end of the team. The Indian field also played well, Dominique Daillebout standing out prominently.

When it came to scoring, however, they were not in it. The ball was passed in and around the flags, he majority of the shots being long ones, however, scored on a very pretty shot. The weakness of the Indian home enabled the Caps to show up in stellar form. The whole team played well, showing remarkably good form for the time of year. The passing and catching was very fair, but owing to lack of practice home play was not well worked up. McDonald in goal, was in splendid form, and Broderick filled Ralph's position satisfactorily. His work, however, was made easy by the good playing of Robertson and Shea. In the field Pringle, Ashfield, Allen and Brownridge did the best work. Brownridge, who is a newcomer to Ottawa from the C.L.A., made a very favorable impression and will probably catch a place on the team. He is light, but very fast, catches cleanly and passes accurately. Stewart, a junior, did good work at outside home. Allen and Eastwood were seemingly expected to do the bulk of the scoring and were fed well for that purpose. Both, however, were closely checked; and Allen, particularly, received rough usage from the big Indian defence. Considering the practices the home team showed up very well and will give the Shamrocks a hard game on Saturday. The line up was as follows:

Ottawa.		Caughnawaga.
McDonald	Goal	Joe Deer
Broderick	Point	Joe Jacobs
Robertson	Cover	J. Norton
Shea	Defence	Joe Cross-the-River
Pringle	Defence	A. Leaf
Butterworth	Defence	P. Zacharie
Ashfield	Centre	Kirby
Brownridge	Home	Daillebout
Gleeson	Home	Montoux
Allen	Home	Twoax
Stewart	Outside	P. Jacobs
Eastwood	Inside	J. Martin

Referee—D. Reynolds.
Umpires—D. Mulligan and J. Daillebout.
Timekeepers — W. Foran and Chief Kocka.

SCORING SUMMARY.

Stewart, 10 minutes; Allen, 8 minutes; Eastwood, 10 minutes; Eastwood, 2 minutes; Stewart, 2 minutes; Ashfield, 2 minutes; Eastwood, 1 minute 20 secs.; Allen, 7 minutes; Butterworth, 12 minutes 45 seconds.

NATIONALS WHITEWASHED THE CORNWALL TEAM.

The Cornwall Team Was Made Up Almost Entirely of Junior Players.

The Cornwall Lacrosse Club brought a team composed almost entirely of new men, to the National Grounds yesterday.

It seemed to be the intention to try them out, and tried out they were.

The Nationals played tag with them. They outran and outplayed them, and a great trouble of the visiting team was that they seemd to lack sufficient acquaintance with one another on the field.

The Nationals, for a team that had to be almost built up again from the few remains of last year's team, showed up in first class form.

They gave a fine exhibition, but it must not be forgotten that in doing so they had a very weak opposition to overcome. Still Cornwall looks as if it might improve quickly and greatly within the next few days, Saturday's being practically their first earnest match, and their appearance denoting considerable strength and swiftness to be developed.

It was the first demonstration of the double referee system, but little could be judged from it, as both teams were unusually gentle in their work. It simply looked as if there was a referee and a field captain again.

Considering that it was only an exhibition match and that there were two baseball games going on, besides innumerable out of town excursions, there was quite a crowd in attendance, some two thousand people yelling and shouting as if the championship were at stake.

The following was the line up:

National.		Cornwall.
L'Heureux	Goal	Hunter
Cattarinich	Point	Cummings
Decarie	Cover	Craig
Blanchard	Defence	Lightbody
Clement	Defence	Roach
Lachapelle	Defence	B. McCourt
Lavole	Centre	Montgomery
Dulude	Home	McAteer
Bourgon	Home	L. McCourt
Perrier	Home	R. Degan
Richard	Outside	Lapointe
Lamoureux	Inside	Lalonde

Referees — C. Chitty and Harry Smith.
Umpires—J. Desmond and R. Deschand.
Timekeepers — H. Lacoste and H. Liddell.

SHAMROCK-OTTAWA MATCH TO BE PLAYED SATURDAY.

The Shamrock senior team will not be as strong on Saturday as it sometimes has been in the past, but for that very reason the opening match of the lacrosse season on Saturday ought to be a much more interesting one than it otherwise would have been.

Under the circumstances, the teams will be much more evenly matched.

Shamrocks will be without the services of Robinson, who goes to Montreal; Paddy Brennan, who is going to be married, and perhaps Hoobin.

Capitals will probably have the same team that played against the Caughnawaga Indians yesterday.

It will be the first real trial of the double referee system.

THE GOLFERS ON CONTINUES TO WRITE FOR STAR ABOUT EXPERIENCE

The Manchel Correspondence of The Star a number of swick, May 12.—Since liery workers, w ve been gradu ly their former homes. ame, and it ave fully to triumph with Covered

A CANADIA Voyage. I hav ood got

The papers gene d, but hope to be rid of it fact that the Emi days. I have had several ated in Canada, an editorial to the championship course, PRIVY COUN ginning to know it fairly

In the case of s a course you must know Company vs to play without getting in blind bunkers. I went over to Troon yesterday, and had a round. I had arranged to play a four-ball match with some members of the Troon Club, but on my arrival there found a telegram from the gentleman who had arranged the match, regretting they could not come. However, Col. Taylor, a member of the club, kindly offered to play me a match over the course in order that I might see what it was like. I went around in 80, which was not very good, but gave me a good idea of what could be done. The course is a very fine one, but not quite so difficult as Prestwick, although the greens, to my mind, are better, being larger than those at the championship course. Some of the holes at Troon are equally as good, if not better, than those at Prestwick, notably the 6th, 8th, 10th, and 15th. These are excellent holes, and require very skilful play, or you are in trouble. One thing which strikes one as peculiar here is that not one of the caddies or players can tell you the length of any hole on the course, but will say, if you ask the distance, "Oh, it is only a drive and a brassie," or "a drive, brassie and iron," or "an iron." It is always a certain number of strokes, with certain clubs.

INVITED TO MATCH.

Well, when I got back to my hotel at night I found an invitation to play a four-ball match again to-day at Troon, I accepted and we had three rounds, one this morning. Mr. McNeil and I versus Mr. Watney and the Troon pro., Willie Fernie. My partner is a scratch player at Prestwick, while Fernie's partner is a member of a golf club near London. Both are entered for the championship. My partner and I won by 4 and 2. We played a return match in the afternoon and we were this time beaten by 4 and 3. I went around in the morning in 76, the best score by 4 strokes, and in the afternoon in 80, one stroke more than Mr. Watney, who got 79. As Mr. McNeil had to leave for home, Fernie said he would play the best ball of Watney and myself for a Haskell each. We played our third round of the day, and won by 4 and 3, and then played the bye for another Haskell each, and again we won by 1 hole. I went the round this time in 75 to Fernie's 79, making very few mistakes, and when you consider there was a very high wind, it was really a good performance. It was, without doubt, the best golf I played since my arrival here. I was driving a long ball to-day, and the pro. says there are few who can keep up with me at the long game.

MAXWELL THE FAVORITE.

I have not seen any of the leading players as yet, but they will be here early next week, so I hope to have a game with some of them. Maxwell seems to be the favorite here, with John Ball, Jr., as second choice, but these are only two out of 150 entries, pen. ere may be several dark so it is hard to say what might happen. However, I am looking forward to a very pleasant week, and hope to see some good golf. I have entered for the championship, and have also entered for the open event, which starts on Monday, and I hope to be able to qualify for the championship proper. I have been practising with my driver and brassie, and have been getting very fair results with them, but my iron play is very poor, and I am afraid it will let me down badly in the championship. I have been practising with my mashie, and have been getting the ball up to the hole very nicely, but I have been using my putter very badly, and have been missing short putts which I should have holed with ease. I have been using a new putter to-day, and have been putting much better. I have been using a Haskell ball, and find it a very good ball, but not quite so long as the Colonel. I have been using a Colonel ball, and find it a very good ball, but not quite so long as the Colonel. I have been using a Colonel ball, and find it a very good ball, but not quite so long as the Colonel.

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horses and I sincerely hope so. More anon!

I enclose card of my score at Troon to-day as follows:

Yards:	370	360	300	410	240	410	115	340	380
Out	4	4	4	5	4	4	2	5	4 —36
Yards:	400	450	290	260	410	220	270	210	350
In	5	5	4	4	5	3	5	3	5 —39

Total 75

Yours faithfully,
GEO. S. LYON.

MONTREAL GOLF CLUB TWO DOWN AT QUEBEC.

Course Was in Splendid Condition and Play of a High Order.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Quebec, May 25.—By the very narrow margin of two points, the Quebec Golf Club defeated the Royal Montreal Golf Club on the local links yesterday in the semi-annual single match. The course was in splendid condition, and the play throughout of a high order. King's weather favored the golfers and a large number of people were on the links. The results were as follows:

	Quebec.	Montreal.
H. S. McGreevy vs. G. W. Macdougall	0	0
R. Meiklin vs. C. A. Bogert	2	0
Canon Von Iland vs. F. W. Ashe	2	0
E. L. Garneau vs. F. N. Southam	0	3
A. Brodie vs. W. L. Maltby	0	3
W. C. J. Hall vs. A. A. Wilson	3	0
Rev. Wylie Clarke vs. A. McKim	0	2
C. B. Beamish vs. C. B. Robbin	0	0
G. B. S. Young vs. W. A. Bog	1	0
E. Wurtele vs. A. Hodgson	0	1
W. S. Champion vs. W. Hodgson	0	0
A. Laurie vs. O. N. Evans	3	0
H. Kennedy (Capt.) vs. Dr. Ruttan (Capt.)	0	0
C. F. McGill vs. E. A. Whitehead, Jr.	0	2
A. Boulton vs. B. M. Humbie	0	3
A. Deschambault vs. A. Walcot	0	0
vs. Allan Mackenzie	3	0
G. H. Balfour vs. J. Turnbull	2	0
Totals	16	14

At the conclusion of the match, about 1.30 p.m., the visitors were entertained at luncheon at the Garrison Club.

VICTORIA PLAYERS WERE DEFEATED BY OTTAWA CLUB

Ottawa, May 25.—The Victoria Golf Country Club, of Montreal, were defeated by the Ottawa Golf Club yesterday, nine points to seven. The teams played 19 men a side, each win counting a point. Following were the results:

	Ottawa.	Victoria.
H. H. Hansard vs. J. Hutchison	0	1
A. G. Palmer vs. James Hill	0	1
George T. Smith vs. J. Morgan	0	1
T. Mackarell vs. J. Williscroft	0	1
Roberts-Allan vs. W. Burnett	0	1
J. A. D. Holbrook vs. Rev. J. R. Dobson	1	0
A. B. Broderick vs. R. Blair	1	0
P. D. Ross vs. S. Munro	0	1
A. Simpson vs. C. Hutchison	1	0
E. C. Grant vs. T. Wall	1	0
H. S. Southam vs. G. H. Williams	1	0
J. A. Jackson vs. P. O. Sankey	0	0
Geo. F. Henderson vs. J. H. McLure	0	0
W. M. Southam vs. F. J. Lafferty	1	0
J. S. Ewart vs. C. E. Walsh	0	0
J. A. Machado vs. Charles Alves	1	0
C. E. Reade vs. E. H. MacLea	1	0
A. Kohl vs. J. E. McMullen	0	1
Lieut.-Col. Irwin vs. Charles Stansfield	1	0
Totals	9	7

Royal Montreal vs. Westmount.

The annual match between the Westmount and the Royal Montreal Golf Clubs was played yesterday on the links at Dixie, resulting in a decisive victory for the older club. The point system of scoring was used, Royal Montreal scoring 27 points to 9 for Westmount. A more enjoyable day for the game could not have been devised, and the links were in almost ideal condition. The players were as follows:

	Royal Montreal.	Westmount.
Harold Sims vs. H. E. Walker	3	0
E. A. McNutt vs. Stuart McDougall	3	0
T. S. Gillespie vs. J. S. Lewis	0	0
W. I. Fenwick vs. E. E. Howard		0
vs. W. S. Arnold		0
Henry Joseph vs. W. H. Butters	1	0
Homer Taylor vs. A. H. Grier	0	2
Duncan McPherson vs. W. Walker	1	0
R. A. Dunton vs. C. T. Hare	0	1
E. G. Rykert vs. F. W. Dawson	0	3
A. F. Riddell vs. Donald Fraser	0	3
H. H. Vaughan vs. S. C. Wilson	1	0
R. W. Macdougall vs. F. A. Stoner	3	0
Harold Eadie vs. C. H. Binks	2	0
W. Lemesurier vs. N. A. Gault	3	0
David Kinghorn vs. F. Gurd	2	0
Total	27	9

Highland Park Stake Events.

Detroit, Mich., May 25.—Six stakes will be raced for at Highland Park during the meeting June 15 to July 15, the lowest being for $1,200. All have filled well. The best one is the Frontier stakes, $2,500, for 3-year-olds, at a mile and an eighth, for which, among others, George Hendrie has nominated Nat B., The Gleam, Rebounner and King of Troy. Dyment has entered Tongorder.

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SIXTH MONTREAL KENNEL SHOW A GREAT SUCCESS OPENING DAY

Four Hundred Beautiful Dogs Have Turned the Victoria Rink Into a Canine Bedlam—Judging Businesslike.

Four hundred dogs barked and yelped welcome to visitors to the Victoria Rink yesterday, and at times almost yelped themselves and some of their lady admirers into hysterics.

The occasion was the opening of the sixth annual Montreal Bench Show, which brought together as fine a collection of animals as has ever been seen in Canada.

There was hardly a breed known to civilization that was not represented, including the hang-dog looking, but apparently very affectionate, Griffon-Korthal dogs from France; but, strange to say, there was only one Russian wolfhound in the show, the one belonging to Major Percy Simpson.

These Griffon-Korthal dogs, by the way, are not half as ugly as their photographs made them out to be. They have a stiff steel gray coloured coat, with maroon markings. The dogs are impervious to the effects of cold or water, and are said to be the greatest pointers on earth, having a greater sense of smell than any other hunting dog.

Everything went in a business-like way yesterday. Mr. Munroe going through his work of judging the various exhibits with a promptness that was enjoyable after the delays that have characterized shows in the past.

Mr. Innes has proved himself to be a most accomplished superintendent, and although tired, he was jubilant over the fact that notwithstanding it being Victoria Day, the number of paid admissions were much greater than at any previous first day.

This evening the toys and collies will be judged. The former will be judged by Mrs. J. A. P[illegible] and Miss Homes-Orr.

The awards made were:

AIREDALE TERRIERS.

Puppies, dogs—Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; Colne Donald Dhue, J. A. Laurin, 2; Sandy, C. S. Virtue, 3; Bentham Gaster, A. F. Hickey, R.

Novice dogs—Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; Prince Royal II., A. F. Stonor, 2; Fitz, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, 3; Newholme Crack, A. T. Hickey, R.; Toffee, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, V.H.C.; Gasconv, A. R. Binks, H.C.; Marshall Tinner, A. F. Hickey, H.C.

Limit, dogs—Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; Prince Royal II., A. F. Stonor, 2; Bonzer, Drumclamph Kennels, 3; Fitz, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, R.; Toffee, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, V.H.C.; Gasconv, A. R. Binks, H.C.

Open, dogs—Colne Tyke, A. F. Stonor, 1; Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 2; Prince Royal, A. F. Stonor, 3; Bonzer, Drumclamph Kennels, R.; Toffee, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, V.H.C.; Newholme Crack, A. F. Hickey, H.C.

Winners, dogs—Colne Tyke, A. F. Stonor, 1; Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, reserve.

Puppies, bitches — Colne Mistress Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; Colne Lowland Lass, A. F. Stonor, 2; Lady Tease, W. S. Small, 3.

Novice, bitches — Colne Lowland Lass, A. F. Stonor, 1; Drumclamph Fury, Drumclamph Kennels, 2; Colne Maud Marion, J. A. Laurin, 3.

Limit, bitches—Colne Consort, J. A. Laurin, 1; Drumclamph Fury, Drumclamph Kennels, 2.

Open, bitches — Colne Nut Brown Maiden, J. A. Laurin, 1.

Winners, bitches—Colne Consort, J. A. Laurin, 1; Colne Nut Brown Maiden, reserve.

Local puppies, dogs—Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; Wallace, And. Wallace, 2; Colne Sir Baldwin, J. A. Laurin, 3; Sandy, C. S. Virtue, R.

Local, novice, dogs—Colne Master Briar, Jos. A. Laurin, 1; Wallace, And. Wallace, 2. Colne Joan d'Arc, J. A. Laurin, 3; Tim, H. Robertson, R.; Toffee, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, V.H.C.; Fitz, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, V.H.C.

Local, limit, dogs — Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; La Tosca, J. A. Laurin, 2; Bonzer, Drumclamph Kennels, 3; Fitz, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, R.; Toffee, Mrs. R. Hamilton Gault, V.H.C.

Local, open, dogs — Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; Tim, H. Robertson, 2; Toffee, rMs. A. Hamilton Gault, 3. Kruger, Samuel Mann, R.

Local, puppies, bitches—Colne Braeberry, J. A. Laurin, 1; Lady Tease, W. S. Small, 2.

Local, novice, bitches—Colne Sweet Marie, J. A. Laurin, 1; Drumclamph Fury, Drumclamph Kennels, 2.

Local, limit, bitches—Drumclamph Fury, Drumclamph Kennels, 1; Colne Mistress, J. A. Laurin, 2.

Local, open, bitches—Colne Naughty Clara, J. A. Laurin, 1.

Open, dog, bred by exhibitor — Colne Master Briar, J. A. Laurin, 1; Colne Flyaway, J. A. Laurin, 2; Toffee, Mrs. A. Hamilton Gault, 3.

Open bitches, bred by exhibitor — Colne, Joe. A. Laurin, 1.

Green class, dogs—Tim, H. Robertson, 1; Sandy, C. S. Virtue, 2; Victor, E. Lloyd, 3.

Green class, bitches—Lady Tease, W. S. Small.

ENGLISH SETTERS.

Novice, dogs—SirRodger, J. F. Campbell, 1; Doc Parkin, H. C. Young, 2. Lieutenant Hobson, N. A. Meyer, 3.

Limit, dogs—Rodfield Thiers, Hibbard and Westover, 1; Rex F., John F. Campbell, 2; Max F., Dr. Geo. Hall, 3.

Open, dogs — Rodfield Thiers, Hibbard and Westover, 1; Sutton Roy, H. H. Wooten, 2; Rex F., J. F. Campbell, 3; Max E., Dr. Geo. Hall, R.

Winners — Rodfield Thiers, Hibbard and Westover, 1; Sir Rodger, J. F. Campbell, reserve.

Novice, bitches—Winona, J. F. Campbell, 1; Wig and Gown, A. W. Westover, 2.

Limit, bitches—Winona, J. F. Campbell, 1; Sutton Bess, R. F. Lindsay, 2.

Open, bitches — Winona, John F. Campbell, 1; Kate Montez, H. H. Wooten, 2; Sutton Bess, R. F. Lindsay, 3.

Winners, Winona, J. F. Campbell, 1; Kate Montez, H. H. Wooten, reserve.

Local, open, dogs—Rex F., J. F. Campbell, 1.

Open, dogs. American bred—Rex F., J. F. Campbell, 1; Max F., Dr. G. Hall, 2.

Open, bitches, American bred—Winona, J. F. Campbell, 1.

Open, bitches, bred by exhibitor—Wig and Gown, H. W. Westover.

Green class, dogs—Doc Parkins, H. C. Young, 1.

IRISH SETTERS.

Puppies, dogs—St. Olave II., T. W. Kermode, 1.

Novice, dogs—Royal Monk, R. E. MacDougall, 1; Rip, Capt. H. Mandeville, 2; Paddy, St. Elmo, 3; Tonnerre, Mrs. A. Trudeau, reserve.

Limit, dogs—Royal Monk, R. E. MacDougall, 1; Ch. Royal Grand, J. F. Campbell, 2; Rip, Capt. H. Mandeville, 3; Paddy, St. Elmo, E. A. Evans, R.; Tonnerre, Mrs. A. Trudeau, V.H.C.

Winners, dogs—Royal Monk, R. E. MacDougall, 1; Ch. Royal Grand, J. F. Campbell, V.H.C.

Novice, bitches—Venus, A. Trudeau, 1; Radiant Dainty, T. A. Reeb, 2; Lilley Skit, G. P. Lilley, 3.

Limit bitches—Venus, A. Trudeau, 1; Lilley Radiant Dainty, T. A. Reeb, 2; Lilley Skit, G. P. Lilley, 3.

Open, bitches—Red Feather, Reg. D., H. H. Wooten, 1; Venus, A. Trudeau, 2; Radiant Dainty, T. A. Reeb, 3.

Winners, bitches—Red Feather, Reg. D., H. Venus, A. Trudeau, V.H.C.

Local, open, dogs—Royal Monk, R. E. MacDougall, 1; Ch. Royal Grand, J. F. Campbell, 2.

Local, open bitches—Radiant Beauty, T. A. Reeb, 1; Lilley Skit, Geo. P. Lilley, 2.

Novice, dog, American bred—Royal Monk, R. E. MacDougall, 1.

Open, dogs, American bred —Royal Monk, R. E. MacDougall, 1.

Novice, bitches, American bred—Radiant Dainty, T. A. Reeb, 1; Lilley Skit, G. P. Lilley, 2.

Open, bitches, American bred — Radiant Dainty, T. A. Reeb, 1; Lilley Skit, G. P. Lilley, 2.

Open, bitches, bred by exhibitor—Lilley Skit, G. P. Lilley, 1.

Green class, dogs—Royal Monk, R. E. MacDougall, 1.

Green class, bitches—Lilley Skit, G. P. Lilley, 1.

FOX TERRIERS.

Fox terrier, smooth, puppy dogs—Lynden, Nora E. Lindsay, 1; Kim, H. M. McCallum, 2; Colla Jim, E. Egloff, 3; Colla Sports, E. Egloff, reserve; Bonze, J. A. Rice, highly commended.

Novice, dogs—Kim, H. M. McCallum, 1; Ben Bolt, Hazel Kellie, 2; Colla Jim, Ed. Egloff, 3.

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Green class, dogs—Lynden, Nora E. Lindsay, 1; Kim, H. M. McCallum, 2; Bonze, J. A. Rice, highly commended.

Novice, dogs—Kim, H. M. McCallum, 1; Ben Bolt, Hazel Kellie, 2; Colla Jim, Ed. Egloff, 3.

Limit, dogs—Colla Jim, Ed. Egloff, 1; General Lee, J. Fenwick, 2; Bonas, C. A. Richardson, 3.

Open, dogs—Colla Jim, Ed. Egloff, 1; General Lee, J. Fenwick, 2; Bonas, C. A. Richardson, 3.

Puppies, bitches — Colla Nancy, Ed. Egloff, 1; Brightlight, S. G. Harfield, 2.

Novice, bitches—Camelot, Miss Eadie, 1; Spendthrift, Hazel Kellie, 2; Colla Nancy, E. Egloff, 3.

Limit, bitches—Colla Minnehaha, Ed. Egloff, 1.

Open, bitches—Colla Minnehaha, E. Egloff, 1.

The winners of this class were: Camelot, Miss Eadie, 1; Colla Minnehaha, Ed. Egloff, reserve.

Local, puppy, dogs—Lynden, Nora E. Lindsay, 1; Kim, H. M. McCallum, 2; Sport, Mrs. H. Roach, 3; Booze, A. I. Rice, highly commended.

Local, novice, dogs—Kim, H. M. McCallum, 1; Colla Jim, Ed. Egloff, 2; Ben Bolt, Hazel Kellie, 3; Jack, A. C. Renwick, reserve; Barney, A. T. Lucas, highly commended.

Local, limit, dogs—Colla Jim, E. Egloff, 1; General Lee, J. Fenwick, 2; Bonas, C. A. Richardson, 3; Barney, A. T. Lucas, reserve.

Local, open, dogs—Colla Jim, E. Egloff, 1, General Lee, J. Fenwick, 2; Bonas, C. A. Richardson, 3;

LORD MINTO SPOKE AT CANADA CLUB

He Declares Empire Has Grown Much in Last Six Years.

MONUMENT TO COLONIALS

Prince Henry of Prussia Said to Be Coming to Visit This Country.

Canadian Associated Press.

London, May 25. Lord Minto, speaking at a dinner tendered him by the Canada Club, stated that he was Governor-General of Canada in an epoch-making time, especially in 1899. The Empire in 1898 was very crude compared with 1905. Canada's sons had as an outcome rushed to arms out of British sentiment. He had that afternoon assisted at the unveiling of a memorial to the colonial troops fallen in the late war, which he described as the official seal to a magnificent page of imperial history. His period of office had seen great prosperity and development of wealth, with it a feeling of power and ambition of nationality linked with imperial feeling. He hardly knew whether the people of Great Britain grasped it all. He hoped Great Britain would always hold out the hand of friendship, and the little differences between them would never become the plaything of party politics. In conclusion he said in the future the Dominion would always hold a warm place in his heart.

Mr. Lyttleton, Colonial Secretary, in giving the toast of the Dominion, described the Canadian Government as singularly free from corruption, and mentioned recent speeches of Sir Wilfrid Laurier as equal to anything in the oratory of the home Parliament. In evolution the Dominion could proceed along two lines. She could concentrate and centralize by federation and work out her destiny in partnership with the motherland, or she might be one of an aggregate of independent nations, owing allegiance to one sovereign. In either case she would attain a great place in the world.

Lord Strathcona, in replying, said Canada would greatly appreciate it if postage on newspapers to Canada were reduced in rate. He hoped the Postal convention would be a step towards union with Newfoundland and Canada. He ventured to say the Canadian people were anxious for closer union with the Mother Country and were prepared to give an even more substantial preference than now.

UNVEILING OF ST. PAUL'S

The Prince of Wales yesterday afternoon, at St. Paul's Cathedral, unveiled the memorial to Colonial soldiers fallen during the South African war. Besides Lord and Lady Strathcona, there were present Hon. A. J. Balfour, Hon. Jos. Chamberlain, Hon. Alfred Lyttelton, the Earl and Countess Minto, the Earl and Countess Roberts, Generals Baden-Powell and Methuen, and others. Canon Scott Holland, in a short address, said the Colonies had come to Great Britain's aid in a time of black, dismal dread, when disaster followed disaster, when the rest of the world had given a verdict against us, and seen in what befell us moral judgment for our sides.

WILL VISIT CANADA.

The Canadian Associated Press understands that later on in the year Prince Henry, of Prussia, accompanied by the Kaiser's second son, with a large fleet, will tour round the world, visiting Canada amongst other places on the way.

SAYS EMIGRANTS ARE RETURNING.

The Manchester Courier states that a number of artisans, including cutlery workers, who recently emigrated to Canada, are returning to their former homes.

A CANADIAN CREATION.

The papers generally emphasize the fact that the Empire Day first originated in Canada. The Times devotes an editorial to the subject.

PRIVY COUNCIL JUDGMENT.

In the case of the Imperial Book Company vs. Adam and Charles Black, and the Clark Company, Limited, the Privy Council has dismissed the petition with costs.

DEATH OF WILLIAM ZIEGLER.

The Promoter of Arctic Explorations Has Passed Away.

New York, May 25. William Ziegler, the capitalist and promoter of Arctic explorations, died yesterday at his country home, near Norton, Conn. He was unconscious all the previous night. The funeral will be held Saturday at noon. Mr. Ziegler had been an invalid since a runaway accident, in which he was injured, last October. He sustained internal hurts and was so severely shocked that the physicians were able to do little more than relieve his sufferings.

Mr. Ziegler was born in Beaver county, Penn., September 1, 1843. He was educated in the public schools of Iowa and later learned the printer's trade in the office of the Muscatine Journal. He went into the baking powder business in 1870 and made a large fortune. During the latter years of his life he operated in Brooklyn and other Long Island real estate to the extent of millions of dollars. He led the fight against the purchase by the city of Brooklyn of the Long Island Water Supply Company, the prevention of this purchase resulting in a large saving to the city.

To Increase Russia's Revenue.

St. Petersburg, May 25.—The commission appointed under the presidency of M. Kutler, assistant minister of the interior, to decide upon measures to adopt in order to increase the revenues of the Empire, has determined to recommend increased taxation to the amount necessary to meet the additional expenses on account of the war and is considering the question of an income tax, from which the commission desires to raise $25,000,000.

Duke Sails to Arctic Regions.

Bergen, Norway, May 25.—The steamer Belgica, with the Duke of Orleans on board, sailed from Tromsoe on her way to the Arctic regions where, it is said, the Duke will attempt to communicate with the Ziegler expedition headed by Anthony Fiala, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

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As Result Case is Put Over Till Autumn.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 25, owing to the continued illness of a juror, the trial of Alonzo J. Whiteman, charged with defrauding the Fidelity Trust Company of Buffalo of $750 on an alleged raised cheque, which was cashed on July 5 last, has been put over for the term. Assistant District-Attorney Ryan announced that U. S. Grant Faling, the sick juror in the Whiteman case, had appeared in his office bearing an anonymous letter which he said he had received Tuesday afternoon. The letter had been delivered by a special delivery messenger and was addressed to Mrs. Faling. Upon opening the letter she found two bills of the $20 denomination and one $10 bill. The only contents of the letter are being kept secret, but Mr. Ryan was induced to say:

"The letter received by Mrs. Faling said that if Mr. Faling would not appear in court he would be richer by $50, the money enclosed.

"If he did not appear to-day or for several days, he would receive $150 from the same source. Faling brought the letter to me yesterday morning."

Justice Childs, it is said, knew of the receipt of the letter and its contents when he put the case over to the September term.

TEN MILLION DOLLAR SCHEME

American Presbyterians Will Provide Annuities for Aged Ministers.

Winona, May 25.—The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Chuch yesterday discussed and approved recommendations in the reports of the committees on foreign missions and on Sabbath School work, appointed a committee to investigate and report on the feasibility of the plan of Justice John M. Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court, for the election of a central Presbyterian cathedral at Washington, and endorsed the collection of a permanent fund of $10,000,000 the income from which is to be expended in annuities for aged preachers of the Presbyterian Church. The committee now has a permanent fund of nearly $1,650,000. The remainder is to be raised by collections, gifts and an insurance scheme by which a preacher may, by paying about $24 a year for 30 years, draw an annuity of $500.

Before the 30 years have elapsed, it is estimated the permanent fund will be sufficient to increase the annuity to $10,000,000. One of the speakers declared that gifts of any size would be received from any person who has a legal right to the money which he gives.

Italy's Agricultural Conference.

Rome, May 25.—Active preparations are in progress for the inauguration of the International Conference on Agriculture, which will begin May 28, in this city, in the presence of King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena. The King has appointed the Italian delegates to the conference. They include Foreign Minister Tittoni, Minister of the Treasury Carano, Minister of Agriculture Ravab, Senators Fina and Malvano, and Deputies Luzzatti, Chimirri, Cappelle and Ottavo. The delegates had a conference with David Lubin, of California, who suggested the idea to His Majesty.

Seddon on Tariff Questions.

Wellington, New Zealand, May 25.—In a speech at Dunedin, Prime Minister Seddon said that since the preferential tariffs had been adopted between the colonies and the mother country, the imports from Great Britain to New Zealand had slightly increased, American imports, which previous to that time had been largely on the increase, were now stationary.

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Two Dismissed Philadelphia Officials Reinstated by Courts.

Philadelphia, May 25.—The gas lease fight was carried into the courts yesterday, and in consequence, the two directors appointed by Mayor Weaver, Tuesday evening, are out of office, the directors who were dismissed have positions. Late in the day, Mayor Weaver, accompanied by former Judge Jas. Gay Gordon, went to New York to consult with Elihu Root. The leaders of the Republican organization announce that their lines remain unbroken, that the gas lease will be passed over the mayor's veto next week, and that the lease will be put into operation.

Mr. Weaver said, last night:—"I am still the mayor of the city, and I mean to exercise all the rights of my office. The injunction cannot prevent me from doing my duty."

As an evidence of this view the Mayor takes of the situation, he ordered that the matters pertaining to the two departments requiring immediate action be brought to his notice at once, thereby assuming personal charge of these branches of the city government pending the outcome of the legal complications.

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The Transfer Books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of May next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Banking House, in the City of Montreal, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of June next. The Chair will be taken at 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board.

THOS. FYSHE,
General Manager.
Montreal, 25th April, 1905. 105 4 1aw

MGR. SBARETTI'S REPORTS.

The Vatican Approves of His Action in Manitoba Boundary Case.

Rome, May 25.—The Vatican has received another full report from Mgr. Sbarretti, the Apostolic Delegate at Ottawa, concerning his action in the case of the Manitoba boundary extension. The Vatican authorities have written to Mgr. Sbarretti, approving his attitude.

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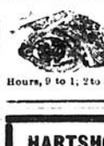
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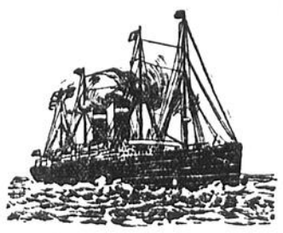
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THURSDAY, MAY 25, 1905.

THE REFORM COUNCIL AND FIRE RISKS.

There was a natural expectation when we were informed that a great victory for civic reform had been won, that the people would be able to learn that a Reform Council was in power without reading the label on the can. A Reform Council is a nice name for a collection of aldermen, but if it doesn't reform things, it is about as unsatisfactory as the "hot pies" which the pie-woman sold stone-cold and then explained that "hot pies" was only the name of them." We expect to feel the effects of a Reform Administration at the City Hall either in the cost of our living or in the better-ed services it supplies.

Now, a fire insurance man pointed out to the Star the other day that, since the alleged Reform Council came into office, fire insurance rates in this city have been advanced all the way from twenty-five to thirty-three and a third per cent. Yet one of the purposes of the election of a Reform Council was to reduce the already too high fire insurance rates. And the City Council is the only body that can reduce them. Fire insurance rates depend upon the amount of risk that there exists in the matter of fire, and this risk depends almost wholly upon the civic provisions for fighting fire.

The fire insurance people long ago gave the local situation a thorough expert examination, and made certain definite recommendations to the Council. How these recommendations have been treated, the simple fact that the fire insurance people have felt it necessary to raise the rates so greatly, makes very clear to our cost. Fire insurance companies want business, and they would just as soon have business in Montreal—risk for risk—as elsewhere. If the increase in rates were not justified by conditions, some companies would refuse to make the increase, and thus get all the business. When they all agree to go up in this manner, it is a most crushing condemnation in this respect of the inactivity of the Reform Council.

Now, it is only fair to say that the Reform Council has been better than its predecessors. It has not been as extravagant. It has got along creditably on a meagre revenue. It has shown a real ingenuity in the allotment of taxation. Criticism it has earned, and it has not enjoyed; still, it will not do to forget that it is a long way better than Councils we have met—and paid the bills for.

But it cannot itself feel easy under this increase in fire insurance rates. It is by such tests that the busy citizen is apt to judge it. He will forget the reckless days of the past — the burden of which we are still carrying in our enormous interest charges; and he will remember only that his insurance rates have gone up instead of coming down. The Reform Council should take a few days off and "reform" the fire insurance rates.

WHEN THE COLONIES MADE HISTORY.

Lord Minto, speaking at the Canada Club dinner last night in London, dwelt upon the fact that the Empire had taken a great step forward during his term of office as Governor-General of Canada. We are, perhaps, too close to the event to quite appreciate its significance, but when the future student of history comes to look back over the development of the vast British aggregation, there will be few single strides forward to which he will attach greater significance than the voluntary action of the British colonies in sending contingents to the South African war.

It was the first unmistakable notice served on the world that the British Empire is "one and indivisable," even when the test is a readiness to die for the flag. We may have known it ourselves before. We did know it. But the watching Governments of rival powers would have been justified in doubting it. They, possibly, expected no such support from their own colonies. They had not forgotten that the first British Colony to grow to a stature in which it could bear arms, bore them in rebellion against the Mother Country, and that the British Government thought itself driven to hire foreigners to try to put down that rebellion. Consequently, they might easily have been skeptical over all these professions of devotion from the larger colonies to-day.

But the sailing of the colonial contingents for Cape Town dispelled that skepticism as a rising wind dispels a fog. "The whelps of the Lion—they answered him!" From that day, the British colonies were not to be thought of as possible rebels, but as certain allies. British troops would never have to be diverted to keep the colonies quiet; but British troops would come from the colonies to fight the battles of the common Empire. At a stroke, the white population of the British nation—in the eyes of the war offices of Europe—was increased by the millions of Canada, Australia and the Cape, to say nothing of the lesser colonies. That was the teaching of this single event, and it would be hard to find in English history many other events half so significant.

One of these days, the British Government will play another card which will open the eyes of the "conscript nations" of the Continent. They will march some Indians regiments on a field of battle. They have already given the hint by bringing these Indian troops to Egypt. But the South African war, because it was fought amidst a large black population, was honorably kept "a sahibs' war"—a white war. If Britain should become involved in a great European struggle, however, it might not feel the necessity of keeping its splendid Indian army idle on the other side of the world. The Government which challenges the British people to a death struggle, must calculate upon meeting some surprises before it is permitted to "stable its horses in Westminster Abbey."

PARLIAMENT AND ANANIAS.

It will not be entirely a novelty for members of the Dominion Parliament to hear themselves compared to one Ananias. In the rude shock of political discussion, extreme partisans have permitted themselves to go that far on occasion, though it has been generally felt in the sober after-thought that such excesses passion that someone had ground for a libel suit. But happily a dead man cannot sue.

However, this comparison has usually rested upon some criticism of an honorable member's veracity. But this is not the only claim to notoriety possessed by Ananias. A greater claim lay in the effect of his famous departure from truth. At that time, the early churches were "of one heart and one soul. . . and they had all things common." Now Ananias was not enthusiastic over this system apparently. For when he sold his possessions to lay the price at the Apostles' feet, he "kept back part of the price"; and it was this constructive falsehood for which he was struck dead. That is, he discouraged the communal system.

Now on Tuesday the Doukhobor colony in the Northwest came under discussion in the Dominion Parliament, and it was brought out again that these strange people live in a communal system. All the earnings and receipts of the Doukhobors living in a village community go into a common fund for the benefit of all the members of the community. This is precisely the system of the early church which Ananias so effectively discouraged. And on Tuesday the members of Parliament on both sides agreed that the communal system of the Doukhobors should be discouraged. They may be right—though it is difficult to see what business it is of anybody else's—but they must not be offended if their action reminds Sunday school scholars of the policy pursued with such fatal results by one Ananias.

The Marquis of Queensberry has asked permission to carry a revolver and rifle as protection against the awful automobilist. Obviously he finds the Queensberry rules ineffective. It is difficult to reach the "solar plexus" of an automoble in full action; but he evidently imagines that a rifle bullet might bring it down. If this fails, he might try a perfumery spray.

THIS DATE 30 YEARS AGO.

The Soldene English Opera Company commence their engagement at the Theatre Royal on Monday next. The sale of seats begins to-morrow. The Toronto press speak in most favorable terms of the troupe.

MISS EMILY SOLDENE had a fine stage presence, and in addition a musical mezzo-soprano voice, which she used to good effect. She also was a clever actress. Her last appearance in this city was about fifteen years ago.

The quarterly meeting of the Teachers' Association in the Normal School, Belmont street, was held last evening. Dr. Baker Edwards delivered a lecture on "Microscopic Battery."

THE late Dr. Edwards was for a long period the public analyst, and was recognized by the medical profession as a gentleman of superior attainments. He died in the nineties.

The exhumation of remains was going on at the old Protestant cemetery, Chenneville street, to-day. Splendid weather for the propagation of disease.

THE cemetery mentioned above is now Dufferin Square. There was very strong feeling evinced by Protestants generally against the desecration by the city fathers and the then cemetery trustees.

It is said that Mr. A. W. Ogilvie will probably be the Conservative candidate for Montreal Centre.

THE late Senator Ogilvie was the founder of the Glenora Mills, and was for years very prominent in the grain and flour trade. He was elected at the general election for the Legislative Assembly, and sat until 1878, declining re-nomination. He was called to the Senate on December 24, 1881. He passed away over ten years ago.

Views of the World's Press.

Profitless Prophecy.

Prophecy is dying out as a profession, save in the meteorological departments of various civilized governments.—Straits Times.

Salvation Bridge.

Even the gay social world begins to appreciate the significence of the Salvation Army joke. At a recent bridge party the stakes were so arranged that a percentage was given to the Army.—Town and Country, New York.

Mr. Carnegie's Benefaction.

We welcome very much this last use to which Mr. Carnegie has turned his wealth. Indeed we envy America, for nothing is more regrettable than the lack of present-day financial support given to our own Oxford and Cambridge.—Westminster Gazette.

A Bad Labor Law.

The contract labor law naturally deters emigrants from choosing this country as their new home, and helps to deepen the impression of Australia as a country given over to a rule of faddy experimentalism and jealous exclusiveness.—Telegraph, Sydney.

The Passing Party-Man.

Nothing is more significant than the decay of the party-man. He is a shadow of his former self, and bids fair to become as one crying in the wilderness. The present generation of voters—and especially of commercial voters—possesses an enquiring disposition.—Magazine of Commerce.

A Dangerous Topic.

India is a most dangerous subject, perhaps the most dangerous of all subjects, alike for the journalist and for the Parliamentarian. To come back after a residence in India and succeed either in the press or in the House of Commons is one of the rarest things in the world.—British Weekly.

John Bull's Likes.

John Bull dislikes and suspects subtle shades of character in politics or any other form of fiction. He prefers the libelled vice and the ticketed virtue marked in plain figures. For him a Gladstone or a Chamberlain is either an archangel or an archfiend.—Booklovers' Magazine.

Oriental Ingenuity.

A new way of abstracting even large bales of boxes when cargo is sent up to Tien Tsin by train has been discovered. One end of a strong rope is tied around a tree, and the other end, to which an anchor is attached, is thrown among the things on an open truck to take its chances of a haul.—Post, Hong Kong.

Briton vs. Boer.

Lord Milner does not believe that the threats of the past few months will be carried out, and that the Boer leaders will boycott the new constitution. In that event, however, there would be nothing for it but to go on with the game until the fit of political sulks gave way to wiser counsels.—Cape Times.

Buying a Happy Hereafter.

To celebrate the casting of a huge brass bell for the use of Burmese devotees a grand festival took place at the Ngadatgyee Pagoda, Rangoon. On this occasion it is usual for Burmese young people to take off the jewellery on their persons and throw it into the crucible, with the hope of obtaining merit in the next life.—Pioneer, Allahabad.

An Obsolete Slander.

Englishwomen have of late years entirely reformed their footwear, and removed the reproach with which they have been assailed for nearly a century by the satirists and caricaturists of the continent—particularly French critics—that Englishwomen had the largest feet and wore the clumsiest boots and shoes in existence.—Gentlewoman.

No More Temptations.

France, as an ally, has undoubtedly gone beyond its duties; the more so as the Russian fleet had already previously enjoyed French hospitality for a protracted period in the waters of Madagascar. The incident is happily at an end; but it is fortunate that no more French possessions exist along the route to be followed by the Baltic fleet.—Il Messaffero, Rome.

Chinese Agitation.

Chinese statesmen have become imbued with the idea that Japan intends to hand over Port Arthur to Great Britain, and this prospect is said to be causing them much concern. We do not see why it should. If they could sleep without nightmares when Russia was in possession, their national conscience should be impervious to fear connected with other Powers.—Japan Mail.

A Million for a Tomb.

The Empress Dowager of China is feeling the weight of her years, and is anxious to have her last resting-place made ready before she is "invited to become a guest of Heaven." Something like one million pounds has already been spent on the proposed mausoleum, west of Pekin, designated "the Happy Land of a Myriad Years."—North China Herald, Shanghai.

Flashes of Thought.

Something in the division on the autonomy bill tells us that the poor downtrodden minority has a few friends left. —Toronto World.

Real estate is becoming so valuable in Goderich it's a wonder we can afford to mix so much of it with our drinks.—Goderich Signal.

"Do not lead a double life," says Ella Wheeler Wilcox. Still, she would hardly expect us to lead an Equitable life.—New York American.

Professor Osler declares that the most dangerous foe to medical science is Apathy. Gee whiz, everybody else thinks it's Opathy.—San Francisco Bulletin.

The April death rate in Chicago was the lowest on record, with one exception. The strikers are trying to even things up a little for May.—Boston Transcript.

Senator Choquette may not want to "pull down the Union Jack," but his brand of race and creed politics will pull down Sir Wilfrid Laurier's majority.—Toronto Telegram.

Andrew Carnegie's various benefactions now amount to the prodigious sum of $113,000,000; and yet the poor man is as much in danger of dying rich as ever. This is a hard world for Andrew.—Portland Argus.

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THE PASSING HOUR

Think of the heart-breaking grief of the Quebec Legislature should it suddenly think of something it forgot to tax.

It is not known yet whether Toronto observed the holiday or kept right on throwing fits over the school question.

Rich young Mr. Vanderbilt has taken up a fad that will not be very popular in society. He has gone to work.

Mrs. Chadwick declares that she only borrowed $500,000. She feels perhaps that she was a little careless in not making it a round million.

Prof's new dry-dock is still something of a dream, and just at present is only far enough advanced to dock airships.

WEATHER.

The weather bureau knows no law;
And know you sadly note,
(9 a.m.)
The man, he wears a hat of straw
(3 p.m.)
And now an overcoat.

Anyway, no wonder Rojestvensky has broken down. Think of the strain he was under the time he defeated the fishing smacks in the North Sea.

TIP FOR FRANCE.

(Galveston News.)

If France is neutral, let her quit winking at the Bear.

Judging by the Hon. Dan Gallery's recent excursion into the realms of oratory, credit is due that gentleman for the completion of our new dry-dock which hasn't been started yet.

TOGO VS. ROJESTVENSKY.



We are waiting for the battle in the far Pacifice Ocean,
Which is billed to be the greatest that the world has ever known,
When the Russian Rojestvensky really gets himself in motion,
And when Togo, from Missouri, how it's done is being shown.
We have waited for that battle, straining all the while our waiter,
We have sat around and listened at the cable for the score;
We have worn holes in our garments waiting for the contest greater
Than the greatest, and the chances are that we can wait some more.

It is like a night school training in the gentle art of waiting,
For it seems almost since childhood that the battle imminent
Would be pulled off every moment, ending thus the far debating,
And that hot, impatient Togo would sail out on trouble bent.
Every morning comes the rumor that there'll soon be something doing—
Unconfirmed, but quite suggestive of a fierce and noisy fray—
Of one running like the dickens and the other swift pursuing.
Shall we still be waiting, waiting on the busy judgment day?

Tom Lawson says he has lost $1,000,000. But what does he care when that peerless nerve of his in still in good trim?

Many persons who do not claim prophetic gifts feel able to foretell what is going to happen to Linevitch and Rojestvensky.

Judging by the accounts of the water in Wall Street stocks, that thoroughfare



is almost as moist as an early spring scene on Craig street.

Philadelphia calls its aldermen "thieves" right out in the open. Other cities may have similar opinions towards their aldermen, but are less demonstrative.

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THE POOR MAN.

On wealth I have no corner, gee!
I own no bonds nor stocks;
No mines nor lands belong to me
Nor any tainted rocks.
No merchant prince or king am I,
No magnate, goodness knows;
But no man snarls as I pass by,
"Ah, there the rascal goes."

I do not hand a college out
At least three times a day;
Nor do I scatter books about
Nor organs give away
To every church from Cork to Fez—
I found no homes, gee whiz!
But no one points to me and says,
"Ah, there the rascal is."

To money have is doubtless fine,
But friends are something, too;
I'll take good-fellowship for mine
Nor care what others do.
And when I rest beneath the clay,
A tablet at my head,
I hope that none will dare to say,
"I'm glad the rascal's dead."

Another horror of war is shown by the Russian report that champagne has doubled in price at Harbin.

The man who has invented a wreckless train does not have to have it operated by reckless trainmen.

Although he is a landholder in our West Premier Balfour will hardly tear himself away from the golf links long enough to get excited over the School Question.

The British Way.

It has been said that the English are a masterful race, and nowhere do they show more than in the determination to carry their own amusements with them into whatever country they may chance to go. Our colonists in South Africa wanted to have some fishing, and so they started a Transvaal Trout Acclimatization Society, and no doubt in the near future trout-fishing will be one of the regular amusements of South Africa.—Country Life.

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MONTREAL WON IN THE MORNING, BUT LOST IN THE AFTERNOON

McPherson Had Locals Guessing After the Opening Innings in His Game—Record Crowds Were in Attendance.

Although the majority of Mr. Bannon's Mastodonic Marvels probably haven't got the faintest idea what the 24th of May is all about, they nevertheless celebrated it yesterday in a manner fairly creditable to an aggregation anchored in the dizzy heights of the last place.

In the after breakfast serenade at 10.30 they performed many elastic movements that were full of merit, winning hands down and sending two of Mr. Burnham's curve artists into dry dock for light repairs.

At the post meridian matinee they disappointed an appreciative throng by failing to connect with the shots hurled by Hoot Mon McPherson of Aberdeen, Scotland.

Morning score: Bannon's Prize Packages, 6; Burnham's Pinsel Wonders, 0.

Afternoon—Burnham's Man Eaters, 6; Bannon's Frayed Edges, 2.

There was an outpouring of fans that fractured the record in two places.

A yelling band of Zulus, to the number of 3,000 collected in the morning, while in the afternoon 6,000 more dignified onlookers watched Mr. Bannon's craft go down with all on board.

Every seat was taken, the boxes were all filled, long suffering rooters stood two and three deep at the back, while out in right field a fair sized overflow decorated the sward and utterly destroyed our promising crop of dandelions.

Mr. Kreitner, the owner of the Montreal Club, was here for the occasion and as he watched the healthy stream of good, hard-earned coin flowing into the box office, and heard the pleasing metallic clink of the silver 25 and 50's going into his savings bank, joy filled his expansive chest and with his hands in his trousers pockets and a look of contentment, he opined that this is pretty fine weather we're havin'.

Mr. Burnham Was There.

Mr. Burnham, of Newark, who, if anyone handed him $1,000,000, would kick because it wasn't $1,000,025, loosened up with a half hearted smile, and passed around a couple of big blonde explosive Havanas just to demonstrate that he was not the champion tight wad.

And upon the occasion of the presentation, Mr. Burnham electrified a small circle of hoofers with his priceless views on the ball club.

Mr. Burnham deftly unstrewed his pearly fingers and grasped a bag of peanuts the latter representing the ball, showed how to heave the damp sphere.

Mr. Burnham made many motions and led his audience to imagine that he had struck out 19 men.

The hearers, all of whom were innocent newspapermen and believe everything they hear, deported and marvelled muchly at Mr. Burnham's surpassing knowledge on spit-balls, politics and the weather.

The morning crowd gathered early and made twice as much noise as the 6,000 in the afternoon.

Tin horns, firecrackers and megaphones were the artificial means used to produce excitement, and as Mr. Bannon's trained experts forged to the front everybody cut loose.

Mr. O'Hagan, the most popular ball player in captivity, was there as per usual.

"O-Hay-gan, O-Hay-gan, O-Hay-gan!"

The old familiar war cry rolled across the field time and again, and the classic gentleman, who was the target of the appreciative demonstration, held his hand over his beating heart and bowed low to the frenzied throng.

Two New Men.

To celebrate the festive occasion, Grandpa Bannon put two new men on his pay roll.

Aubrey decorated the shortstop territory, while Charlie Kuhns held down the grazing pasture in right field.

Aubrey is still a little under the weather, having been sick early in the year, and he uncorked a couple of errors that put the afternoon contest on the rocks.

Kuhns didn't have much to do but performed with satisfaction.

Prof Moriarty twirled for Mr. Burnham and was gle.

The local workers landed on his curves for many a dull thud and in the end the Newark strategy board took him out and sent in a fat, prosperous looking south paw, who figured on the score card under the name of Skopec.

Mr. Skopec is a graduate of the National League, and is supposed to have a reputation.

Mr. Bannon's slugging department failed to notice the change in any way and kept right on hammering the ball.

In fact, they took hold of Mr. Skopec's fair, young reputation, wiped their feet on it, and blew holes through it.

Mr. Burnham viewed the drama from the Club House bench and wept.

Mr. Shea Departs.

Our tried and true friend, Mr. Shea, also viewed the field of strife from the same elevation, the result of a sky blue argument with the umpire.

Mr. Shea did not catch in the morning game, so, having lots of time on his hands, he honored the coaching line with his presence, tastefully arrayed in a gray tight fitting dicky bird jacket.

Mr. Shea evidently considered his views on the game extremely valuable, as he gave voice to them in loud, sonorous tones.

Every once and awhile he would vary the monotony a little by calling the public's attention to the striking resemblance between Umpire Moran's eye and a fried egg.

While appreciating the compliments very much, Mr. Moran decided to dispense with Mr. Shea's valuable services, and after a particularly stirring debate he shut off the oratory by ejecting the breezy little talker from the scene of action.

Many a hardy cheer cleaved the air as Mr. Shea started on his masterly retreat across the field.

Ball Took Curves.

There was one incident in the morning game that the fans will probably not see again.

Mike Joyce was at the bat. He dumped the ball down for a sacrifice and lit out for first.

The ball rolled down inside the third base line and then went out about a foot and a half over the chalk mark.

"Foul," yelled Moran, and Joyce slowed up to come back.

Suddenly the ball was seen to waver in its course, and it struck a little mound.

Frantic yells to Joyce to keep on running.

Mike cut loose again and to the amazement of the multitude the sphere rolled right in on the fair ground and hit the bag at third base.

Mr. Burnham's employes tore their hair all over the place and shouted out that the ball was hypnotized and that they were being robbed.

When a team is playing in that kind of luck it can't lose and this broke up the game.

Raub followed with a smash to left field that went through Mr. Jones' athletic limbs, while Jimmy Miller swiped the ball on the trade mark and got two cushions.

The two factors that cut most ice in the victory were Raub's timely swats with his trusty willow and Mr. McCarthy's artistic pitching.

The P.M. Tragedy.

Having already described the peanut consuming gathering at the horrible



The glad smile from Mr. Kreitner in the morning.

affair in the afternoon, we will ignore the grand stand end of the matter and hand out instead a few emotional comments on the contest in the yard below.

In the first place, Laroy lacked the ginger he has shown in previous games. In the second place, Audrey collapsed at two critical stages of the drama, in the third place our trusty sluggers couldn't connect with the benders dished out by Andrew Carnegie's right hand man, McPherson.

In the first innings it looked as if Mr. Bannon's world-beaters would slaughter McPherson and send him back to Newark in the ambulance.

Messrs. Miller, Bannon and Lachance all hit safely and the score boy climbed up his little ladder and chalked us up with two runs.

Then somebody turned out the lights.

Scotty McPherson steadied down and delivered the goods done up in neat packages for the holiday trade.

We couldn't touch Scotty.

For seven long tear-swept innings



In the afternoon the local performers took to the toboggan.

Mr. Bannon's trapeze and slack wire artists couldn't make anything that even looked like a hit, and when in the ninth Lachance drove the ball safely the crowd was amazed and forgot to cheer.

Laroy didn't go in very much for his spit-ball specialty and seemed slow and out of shape.

And observing this the expert critics in the press box got their massive intellects together and concluded that the Hon. James Bannon is a little shy on some of the fine points of the game and should work his good pitchers like Laroy more often than in the past.

Some very robust swatting was done by the friend of our youth, Mr. O'Hagan, while other gentlemen who couldn't hit a balloon in the morning braced up and performed gracefully. Why is this thus?

Mr. Bannon's aspiring athletes are still in last place but the thirst for higher altitudes sizzles in their sporting blood.

In honor of the holiday there were only 26 peanuts in the bags as against 28 ordinary days.

Morning Game.

The score:

NEWARK.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Swander, c.f.	5	0	0	1	0	0	
Murphy, r.f.	5	0	2	0	0	0	
Jones, l.f.	5	1	2	1	0	1	
Cockman, 3b.	4	1	2	2	3	0	
Gatins, s.s.	4	1	1	2	0	0	
O'Hagan, 1b.	3	0	1	10	1	0	
Mahling, 2b.	4	0	1	1	3	1	
Latimer, c.	4	0	1	7	2	0	
Moriarity, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0	
Skopec, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0	
*Connor	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	37	3	10	24	11	2	

*Batted in ninth for Skopec.

MONTREAL.

	A.	B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Miller, 2b.	4	0	2	4	2	0	
Bannon, c.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0	
Kuhns, r.f.	3	0	0	0	0	0	
Lachance, 1b.	5	0	0	13	0	2	
Dyer, 3b.	4	1	1	1	4	1	
Aubrey, s.s.	3	1	2	1	1	0	
Joyce, l.f.	5	2	2	3	0	0	
Raub, c.	5	2	3	5	1	0	
McCarthy, p.	3	0	1	0	4	0	
Totals	35	6	12	27	12	3	

Score by innings:

Newark	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0—3
Montreal	0 0 0 2 1 0 3 0 *—6

SUMMARY.

Two base hits, Gatins, Dyer, Miller; sacrifice hits, Moriarity, Bannon, O'Hagan; stolen bases, O'Hagan, Raub (2); double play, Miller to Lachance; struck out by Moriarity, 2; by Skopec, 4; by McCarthy 5; base on balls, off Moriarity, 4 off Skopec, 3; hit by pitched ball, by Skopec, Dyer; innings pitched, by Moriarity 4 2-3; by Skopec, 3 1-3; hits off Moriarity, 8; off Skopec 4, balk, Moriarity, left on bases, Newark, 9, Montreal, 14. Umpire, Moran.

Afternoon Game.

The score

MONTREAL.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Miller, 2b.	4	1	1	1	5	0	
Bannon, c.f.	2	1	1	1	0	0	
Kuhns, r.f.	2	0	0	0	0	1	
Lachance, 1b.	4	0	2	12	1	1	
Dyer, 3b.	4	0	0	0	2	0	
Aubrey, s.s.	3	0	0	1	5	2	
Joyce, l.f.	2	0	0	3	0	0	
Gibson, c.	2	0	0	7	1	0	
Leroy, p.	3	0	0	2	3	0	
Totals	26	2	4	27	17	4	

NEWARK.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Swander, c.f.	4	1	1	2	0	0	
Murphy, r.f.	4	0	0	0	0	0	
Jones, l.f.	4	0	0	3	0	0	
Cockman, 3b.	4	1	1	1	6	1	
Gatins, s.s.	4	1	0	2	5	0	
O'Hagan, 1b.	4	2	2	13	1	0	
Mahling, 2b.	3	0	1	3	3	0	
Shea, c.	4	0	1	3	0	0	
McPherson, p.	3	1	0	0	2	0	
Totals	34	6	6	27	17	1	

Score by innings—

Montreal	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Newark	0 0 2 1 0 0 0 3 0—6

SUMMARY.

Two-base hit, Swander; sacrifice hits, Shea and Kuhns 2; stolen bases, Cockman, Gatins and Aubrey; double plays, McPherson to Gatins to O'Hagan, Mahling to O'Hagan, Gatins to Mahling to O'Hagan, Aubrey to Miller to Lachance; bases on balls, off McPherson 5, off Leroy 3, struck out, by McPherson 1, by Leroy 7; passed balls, Gibson 2; left on bases, Newark 4, Montreal 3. Umpire, Moran.

Eastern League Games.

	R	H	E.
At Rochester—			
Rochester	0 1 3 1 0 0 0 0 0—5	8	1
Providence	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1	4	4

Batteries—Shultz and Steelman; Cronin and Thomas. Umpire, Egan. Attendance, 1050.

At Buffalo—			
Buffalo	0 0 1 0 4 0 0 0 0—5	11	3
Jersey City	2 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—4	9	3

Batteries—Kissinger and McManus; Landaman and Vandergrift. Umpire, Zimmer. Attendance 3625.

At Toronto (morning)—			
Toronto	0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 5—5	7	5
Baltimore	3 2 0 0 0 5 0 0 0—10	15	2

Batteries—Falkenburg, Magee and Toft; McNeil, Mason and Byers. Umpire, Hassett.

At Toronto—			
Toronto	0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0—2	9	3
Baltimore	0 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 4—7	7	2

Batteries—Applegate and Fuller; McNeil and Byers. Umpire, Hassett.

EASTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Buffalo	15	7	.682
Baltimore	13	11	.542
Toronto	11	10	.524
Newark	13	12	.520
Providence	12	13	.480
Rochester	10	12	.456
Jersey City	10	14	.417
Montreal	9	14	.391

REDS DEFEAT THE GIANTS.

But it Took Ten Innings to Bring in Winning Run.

At New York—			
New York	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0—3	4	3
Cincinnati	0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1 1—4	3	9

Batteries—Wiltse and Bowerman; Harper, Ewing and Schlei. Umpire, Bausewine. Attendance, 9000.

At Brooklyn—			
Brooklyn	1 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 *—3	7	0
St Louis	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1	7	0

Batteries—Scanlon and Bergen; Egan and Warner. Umpires, Klem and Emslie. Attendance, 1730.

At Philadelphia—			
Chicago	0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2	4	2
Philadelphia	0 0 1 2 2 1 0 0 *—6	8	1

Batteries—Weimer and Kling; Duggleby and Abbott. Umpire, Johnstone. Attendance, 2791.

At Boston—			
Pittsburg	1 3 0 4 0 3 0 0 0—11	17	1
Boston	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1	4	1

Batteries—Leever and Peitz, Volze, Harley and Moran. Umpire, O'Day. Attendance, 3200.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
New York	25	7	.781
Pittsburg	19	14	.576
Philadelphia	16	14	.533
Chicago	17	17	.500
Cincinnati	14	17	.452
Brooklyn	14	22	.389
St Louis	12	19	.387
Boston	12	19	.387

CHICAGO NOW IN THE LEAD.

Boston Beaten by Browns, Retains Hold on Last Place.

At Detroit—			
Detroit	4 0 0 0 0 2 4 2 *—12	14	3
New York	0 0 0 1 3 2 0 0 0—6	9	1

Batteries—Kitson, Mullen and Sullivan and Drill; Powell, Putmann, Hogg, Griffith, Kleinow and McGuire. Umpire, Kelly. Attendance, 2500.

At St. Louis—			
St Louis	3 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 *—5	7	3
Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3	6	5

Batteries—Petty and Sugden, Tannehill, Criger and McGovern. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 2400.

At Cleveland—			
Cleveland	1 0 0 0 2 0 1 1 0 0 0 1—6	14	3
Phila.	0 2 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—5	9	2

Batteries—Rhoades and Bemis; Henley and Schreck. Umpires, McCarthy and Sheridan. Attendance, 2880.

At Chicago—			
Chicago	0 0 0 0 2 1 0 4 *—7	12	5
Washington	0 0 2 0 0 1 0 1 0—4	7	1

Batteries—Smith and McFarland; Jacobsen and Heyden. Umpire, O'Loughlin. 3870.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Chicago	17	11	.607
Cleveland	15	11	.577
Philadelphia	15	13	.536
Detroit	15	13	.536
St Louis	14	16	.467
Washington	14	17	.452
New York	13	17	.433
Boston	12	17	.414

DOHENY INCURABLE LUNATIC.

Man Who Was Once Great on the Diamond Called on by Sebring.

Philadelphia, May 25.—Jim Sebring, of the Reds, took advantage of a few days in New England to pay two visits. At Worcester he was the guest of Pat. Hurley, to whom Pittsburg farmed him out and later on he ran to Danvers to the asylum, where his old associate, Ed. Doheny, is confined—a mental wreck.

It was in Cincinnati that Doheny's breakdown occurred. Haunted by the fear that he was tracked by detectives, he jumped the Pirates there, and that was the beginning of the end. Doheny belongs to the violent class of insane, and when Sebring called he was permitted to see his old comrade, but not before a couple of guards were announced for an emergency call. The southpaw's face lighted with intelligence as his eyes fell upon Sebring, and he greeted him with: "Hello, there, Jim; how's the folks?"

"Did you know I'd left the Pittsburg Club and gone to Cincinnati?" Sebring asked the crazed pitcher.

"So they ran you out of there just as they did me!" ejaculated Doheny. In a moment the mood of the madman changed. "They threw it into me good," he growled. Turning to Sebring he cried, fiercely: "And you were one of those who gave it to me, too!"

The transition from a moment of sanity to the real darkness of blinded intellect was startling. Saddened in spirit, Sebring left the old pitcher, to whom life is now mere existence without the faculty of understanding. It was an experience that was pitiful. Doheny will never recover. Danvers, a tomb for the living, will hold him until the end.

Pardee, one of Newark's winning pitchers, has gone home sick.

Moncton was defeated twice yesterday by Fredericton, the scores being 8 to 7 and 13 to 0.

Messrs. Kreitner and Pierce left for Buffalo last evening. They were well satisfied with the holiday crowds.

Yeager is being badly bumped by the Detroit papers. As a third baseman he is looked upon as a joke.

Garry Herrmann has wired Joe Kelley of Cincinnati, to have his men play ball and keep away from the umpires. Good advice.

BRAIN FAG IN SPRING

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The White Muslins Advertised at 12½c, 15c and 18c.

Best Values Yet Offered This Season.

—About 100 pieces in the lot. Judging from to-day's sales, the whole lot will be disposed of by Saturday. They are the most desirable fabrics for Ladies' Blouses one could wish for, and the prices we are selling these muslins at are insignificant, not to say ridiculous—12 1-2c, 15c and 18c.

Fine Embroideries at 33 1-3 Off.

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TWO VERY SPECIAL LINES

At 49c—Of White Lawn, front trimmed with wide insertion of white Maltese lace; the new sleeve; a stylish and perfect fitting blouse; full range of sizes, 32 to 44. Price just 49c.

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White Pique Coats and Capes for Infants.

—These are samples, more or less mussed; in sizes for first age up to three years of age; Prices in the regular way would range from $1.75 to $6.00, but in this case they start at 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and run up to $2.25.

Dresses for Girls of 6 to 12 Years of Age

—These small dresses are made of wash fabrics, such as gingham, zephir, duck, pique, linen and printed muslins; last season's broken lines; former prices ranging from $2.00 to $4.50. They are marked down now at less than half price—95c and up to $2.00.

DUPUIS FRERES,

The Big East End Departmental Store - 1571 to 1589 St. Catherine St., City.

At St. John, N.B., yesterday, St. John lost two games to Portland in the Provincial League series, the scores being 4 to 2 and 8 to 5.

Sebring has jumped Cincinnati and Jack Barry has been signed to cover the first bag. Barry was once upon a time in the Dooly camp.

Hammond was presented with the tin can by Manager Bannon yesterday for a holiday present. He will try to catch on with another team.

Ban Johnson told Clevelanders that he is the Nationals' official hoodoo. He has seen them play three games this year and every one was bad.

The man who doesn't jaw the umpire usually gets along a little better than the one who believes all of the clan belong in the penitentiary.

Walter Clarkson has been farmed to Jersey City by the Highlanders. This is one of the youngsters that Clark Griffith has developed(?). Griffith is a wonder.

Umpire Connolly says that Willie Keeler strikes at less bad balls than any man in the league. One reason for this is that he also strikes at few highballs.

Although Myron Grimshaw is six inches taller than Hobe Ferris, the Boston first baseman weighs one pound less than the chunky second baseman, who tops the beam at 174.

The Waverley Baseball Club would like to meet any club with players under sixteen years of age, game to take place Wednesday a.m. or p.m. Call at 165b Waverley street Tuesday p.m. or Wednesday a.m.

General "Hi Hi" Dixwell, the famous Boston fan, says he has paid $1,280 to see 2,256 games in twenty years. He has given over $3,000 worth of presents to ball players. Most of the money was spent in diamond studs and cigars.

Dan. Shay has been signed to a two-years' contract by the St. Louis National League Club. Before he came East to join the Cardinals he admitted that he had had trouble with Charlie Nichols, recently supplanted as manager of the team by Jimmy Burke.

A friendly game of baseball was played on Fletcher's field between the Charron's and the Arcola's, the score being 9 to 4 in favor of the former. Any team whose members are under 20 years of age, wishing to play the Charrons will please correspond with A. Laporte, 25 Paris St., Point St. Charles.

Dilation of the Stomach

The gravity of enlargement of the stomach cannot be overestimated. One of the principal causes that produce this distressed condition is inordinate eating and drinking. Weakness of the muscles that propel the food to the intestines is also a factor in allowing the food to accumulate in the stomach, and thus stretching it to enormous size. Constipation and inactivity of the liver is also a prominent cause.

In this condition you usually find a coated tongue, thirst, loss of appetite, emaciation, oppression at the pit of the stomach, belching of fetid gas and vomiting of sour liquid, varying in amount. Weakness, paleness and want of energy are usually present.

Now, to overcome this distressing and dangerous enlargement of the stomach and all its symptoms, take Smith's Pineapple and Butternut Pills today. They will give tone to the weak propelling muscles of the stomach and intestines. They produce a natural movement of the contents of the bowels and avoid the formation of gas, which if retained produces symptoms of self-poisoning. Food long retained in the stomach and matter in the bowels show all the signs of putrefaction, when examined after the stomach pump is used, viz: sour odor, bacteria, yeast, saccharine and organic acid, which are deleterious to the entire system.

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APPEAL MADE TO PRESIDENT.

National Government Asked to Investigate Equitable Company.

Washington, May 25.—An effort was made yesterday to induce President Roosevelt to take an active interest in the complications which have arisen in the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. Clarence Whitman, president of the Merchants' Association, of New York, had a conference with the President on the subject. Details of the conference were not obtainable, but it is known that Mr. Whitman urged the President to take up the subject with a view either to ordering a Government investigation or to making recommendations to Congress on the subject of insurance legislation.

What, if any, action may be taken by the Government, at the instance of the President, cannot be indicated at this time. It is understood, however, not to be unlikely the President may discuss the subject and make some recommendations regarding it in a message to Congress.

GOVERNMENT MAY CONSENT.

New York, May 25.—Wm. F. King, formerly president of the New York Merchants' Association, has received a reply from President Roosevelt, to Mr. King's suggestion that a national commission be named to investigate the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. Mr. King regards the reply as favorable. One paragraph from the President's letter was as follows: "The Department (of Commerce and Labor) is now carefully going into the matter, to see whether the Government has any power or not."

NEW TREASURY LORD.

London, May 25.—Lord Edmund Bernard Talbot, member of Parliament for Chichester, Sussex, has been appointed junior lord of the Treasury, to replace Gerald Loder, who, following his appointment to the office, was defeated for re-election at Brighton by E. Villiers, the Liberal candidate. Since the defeat of Mr. Loder the post has been left vacant.

Lord Edmund Bernard Talbot was born in 1855 and is the heir of the Duke of Norfolk. His family name was Howard but he assumed the name of Talbot in accordance with the will of the 17th Earl of Shrewsbury in 1876. He entered politics in 1880 when he contested Burnley, and later contested the Brightside Division of Sheffield in 1883 and 1886. In 1894 he was elected in the Conservative interest as member of the House of Commons for Chichester, Sussex, the seat which he at present holds. He is well-known in military circles, and won a D. S. O. in South Africa.

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An Accident at Thetford Mines.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Quebec, May 25. — Frank Morin, a young man employed by the American Asbestos Company near Thetford Mines, had both legs broken yesterday by a quantity of rock and earth falling on him. Before he was extricated by his fellow workmen it was feared he had been killed. He was brought to town and placed in the hospital.

Priests in Conference at Ottawa.

Ottawa, May 25 — The Irish priests of the archdiocese of Ottawa were in session yesterday at the residence of Chancellor Sloan, Murray street, when about 25 were in attendance. It was the semi-annual conference, at which the heads of parishes meet to discuss theological matters and other things pertaining to doctrine and ritual. In the absence of His Grace Archbishop Duhamel, Very Rev. Canon Sloan, the chancellor, presided.

At Rochester, N.Y., on Wednesday, the Very Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, rector of St. Patrick's Cathedral and vicar-general of the diocese of Rochester, was consecrated in St. Patrick's Cathedral as titular Bishop of Berenice and coadjutor, with right of succession to Bishop McQuade, the venerable bishop of Rochester.

Baby Carriage Taken at Kingston.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Kingston, May 25. — The police are looking for a woman who wheeled away a baby carriage from in front of a Princess street dry goods store. The owner, Mrs. Truesdell, of Sydenham street, taking precautions after the Toronto horror, had carried her baby into the store. When she came out the carriage was gone. She complained to a policeman, who set out to investigate. Fifteen minutes later Mrs. Truesdell saw a woman wheeling the carriage up Princess street and took it from her, but neglected to have the woman seized or followed.

Welsh Workmen for Canada.

Toronto, Ont., May 24. — Two hundred practical plate and sheet iron workers are to be brought to Canada from South Wales to work in the plant which is being established at Morrisburg by the Canadian Tin Plate and Sheet Steel Company. The intention is that these men shall teach the other hands employed there.

Boys, How's Your Muscle?

Try "Swiss Food" for breakfast for a while. As wholesome as delicious, and fine for the muscle.

Special Notice.

Piano Bargains.

A 7 1-4 octave upright mahogany piano by Heintzman & Co., 3 pedals and magnificent tone, used only a few times at concerts, $290.00; a very fine upright Empire piano, in a handsome walnut case, 3 pedals, nearly new, $245.00; 7 1-4 octave upright Bell piano in ebonized case, excellent tone, $225.00; 7 1-4 octave square Steinway piano, good tone, $180.00; very good 7 1-4 octave Chickering grand piano, in a very handsome case, suitable for a hall, $175.00. Easy terms of payment. C. W. Lindsay, Limited, 2366 St. Catherine street. 121 2 eod

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Ayer's Hair Vigor. Ask your neighbors about it. One will say, "It restored color to my gray hair." Another, "Checked my falling hair." Another, "A splendid dressing." J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Zutoo CURES HEADACHE

Mr. Anson A. Gard, of Ottawa, the distinguished litterateur, who wrote "The Wandering Yankee," says, that Zutoo cures his headaches so completely that he don't mind having them any more.

10c. and 25c. at dealers or by mail. B. N. Robinson & Co., Coaticook, Q.

MR. JANIN MAKES REPORT ON PUMPS

Water Committee Hears Exhaustive Review of the Existing Situation.

LATEST OFFER OF POWER CO.

One the Whole, the Superintendent Does Not Favor Its Acceptance —His Reasons.

When the Water Committee meets this afternoon a report will be submitted by Superintendent Janin on the question as to whether or not it would be cheaper for the city to have all its pumping done by electricity or by hydraulic power as at present.

The report of the expert being made is a recent offer of the Light, Heat & Power Co. to do all the city's pumping by electricity for figures that have already been quoted.

The City Council thought the offer so important that it was sent to the superintendent of the Water Department for report.

The last offer of the company is to pump the city's water at $7.00 a million gallons.

The report, which, on the whole, is not favorable to the offer of the company on the grounds of economy, continues:

"Looking into the future and comparing electric pumping with other known means of power, the City Council would have to take account of the project, which I had the honor to submit to it of developing our own water power by the widening of the aqueduct; by this project and including the payment of all interest charges on the cost we could do our own pumping, up to 50 million gallons daily for less than $6.00 per million gallons, then without taking into account that even were electric pumping adopted the widening of the aqueduct must needs be carried out sooner or later, to provide wholesome water in sufficient quantity to supply the pumps. Among the other advantages of carrying out this project would be that the city would have absolute control of its own motive power with nothing to fear from the fluctuation of the price of electric power in the future."

In conclusion the report says that a slight difference in price between electric and hydraulic or steam-pumping, should not sway the aldermen in the choice of either system, it having to be remembered by Council that if the Aqueduct were widened the corporation would be able to furnish water at a very low rate. Finally, it is urged that the installation of even a municipal electric plant would be more in the interests of the city than the offer of the Light, Heat and Power Company.

SEEKING CHILD'S RELEASE.

The Joseph Havron Habeas Corpus Case in Court.

The habeas corpus case in which Joseph Havron is seeking to recover possession of his little daughter, sent by the Recorder to spend a year in the establishment kept by the Good Shepherd Sisters at St. Martin, is being argued to-day before Mr. Justice Davidson.

The child was brought to court to-day by one of the sisters from the institution on Sherbrooke street. The petitioner and Mrs. Havron were in court, and the little one greeted them with pleasure, and played with the baby which the mother carried in her arms.

Mr. J. L. Archambault, K.C., appeared for the city and declared that the city had no objection whatever to letting the father have the child.

Mr. Justice Davidson remarked that while the city might have no object in detaining the child, it was for the lawyers in the case to produce affidavits showing the facts, to establish that he had a right to interfere by habeas corpus in the matter, and to show that the father and mother were fit and proper persons to have charge of a child. If the court had no right to grant a writ of habeas corpus, it might be necessary to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in council to obtain the release of the child.

Mr. Dion, for the petitioner, and Mr. Archambault, K.C., for the city, accordingly appeared before the judge at the afternoon sitting with the affidavits and other papers to establish the position of affairs and argue the rights of the parties.

ALARMING MIGRATION.

Wholesale Rush of American Farmers to Canada.

Mr. Mart Adson of Duluth, Minn., who is the general agent for the Duluth and South Shore Railway, was in the city to-day. The emigration of farmers from the North-Western States, he says, has reached alarming proportions. These people are forsaking farms valued on the average at fifty dollars an acre to take up unimproved land that sells at from six to twelve dollars an acre. As the farms in the Saskatchewan Valley, to which most of the Americans are going, are considered exceptionally fine, the American farmers are likely to make money in the end.

WORTHY WEDDING GIFTS

¶ In the presenting of a Wedding Gift there is a certain satisfaction in knowing that one is giving something really good.

It may have been but a simple and inexpensive piece of silver, yet the knowledge that it is of the highest quality in finish and workmanship, and that it is "Sterling" gives it a charm and appreciation regardless of what it cost.

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NO OFFICIAL ACTION TAKEN

Directors, However, Firmly Convinced That City's Proposition Will Be Turned Down.

There will be no contract between the city of Montreal and the Gas Co., according to the officers and directors of the company, though as yet none of them are prepared to make a formal statement on the subject.

At the general offices of the Montreal Light Heat and Power Company to-day it was said that no meeting of directors had been called as yet, so nothing could be said officially. The holidays and the fact that some of the directors were out of the city, had prevented a meeting being called.

Every officer and director of the company interviewed, however, were firm in their conviction that the Gas Company would have none of the proposed agreements. Among the directors who ventured a few remarks on the subject was Mr. Rodolphe Forget. He said that for his part he did not care to trouble trouble until trouble troubled him. Some years from now would be time enough for them to begin to negotiate for an extension of franchise or whatever was necessary in order that they might continue business.

The idea of a corporation selling out without getting the benefit of its good will was rank idiocy, and would not be tolerated in any business venture. There was not a newspaper, a bank, nor a manufacturing establishment of any kind that did not place at least some value upon its good will.

It is expected that a meeting of the board of directors of the company will be held within a day or two, at which time the offers of the city will be formally declined.

THE RAILWAYS AND HOLIDAYS

All Lines Did a Fine Business in Victoria Day Excursionists.

Both the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Grand Trunk Railway did an immense business yesterday, though it is not certain that the volume of travel was greater than on Victoria Day last year.

However, that may be, all the trains leaving the city on Tuesday evening and yesterday morning were crowded to their capacity.

In honor of the day, the Bonaventure station was gaily decorated with flags and streamers of bunting. The entire exterior of the station was a mass of color.

Most of the local travel on the Canadian Pacific Railway was along the line as far as Hudson Heights, which overlook the Lake of the Two Mountains, and is the resort and very popular with a large number of citizens.

The Grand Trunk Railway, as usual, did a tremendous business all along Lake St. Louis as far as Vaudreuil, although it, in common with the Canadian Pacific Railway, did a not inconsiderable business to more distant points within easy reach of the city.

Following the usual policy, neither of the railways ran any special excursions, contenting themselves with the regulation reduction in rates to all points over their systems.

Both the Terminal Railway and the Montreal Park and Island did big businesses. The former took large crowds to the pretty park which it has established at Bout de l'Ile, while the latter was largely patronized en route to Lachine and Cartierville.

Saturday's Star.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

As is usual at this season of the year the demand for advertising space in the Star of Saturdays especially is embarrassing in its proportions, taxing the utmost facilities of the staff and plant to handle. The publishers will duly appreciate the co-operation of advertisers generally in dealing with these conditions, by preparing their advertising copy early and sending it in at least one full day ahead of the day of publication. This will assist in the better preparation and distribution, as well as afford the advertiser some surety of insertion which cannot be extended if the copy is held back to the last hour.

HON. H. R. EMMERSON.

Talks of Land to Be Expropriated for G. T. R. Terminus.

Hon. Henry R. Emmerson, the minister of the G. T. P., which asked for the day in the city. After lunching with Sir Montague Allan, he accompanied that gentleman in an inspection of the turbiner Virginian.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier occupied Mr. Emmerson's car last night, and returned to Ottawa on the morning train. Mr. Emmerson will leave for the capital to-morrow morning.

Speaking to a Star reporter this morning at the Windsor, Mr. Emmerson said that it was true that the Grand Trunk Pacific had applied for the expropriation of Kai Wan Island for its western terminal.

"The Railway Act," said Mr. Emmerson, "does not permit a company to expropriate any more land than is absolutely essential for the establisament of its terminals. Hence the application of the C. P. R., which asked for the entire island, will be submitted to the Railway Commission to determine just how much shall be granted. In this way we will avoid any land being held by the company for speculative purposes. A similar plan will be followed in respect to the lands required by the company at Fort William."

Mr. Frank W. Morse, the general manager of the company, was absent from the city to-day, having accompanied the delegates to the International Railway Congress on their way to New York, so that no additional light could be obtained as regards the company's plans.

CITY ESTIMATES FOR MAY.

The Finance Committee meets to-day to vote the May estimates for permanent works. It is understood that the major part of the sum at the disposal of the Finance Committee will be given to the Road Committee in order that the streets of the city may be put in a better condition than they have been in for many years past.

A POLICE RAID ON ST. JAMES STREET

Alleged Lottery Agency Seized and Cab Load of Papers Taken.

SOME OF SECURITIES FOUND

The Detectives Looking for E. H. Horner on a Charge of Selling Lottery Tickets.

Chief Carpenter's men are this afternoon looking for E.H.Horner, the old man who has a score of indictments against him in New York, who has been through the courts here many times and is now wanted on the charge of selling lottery tickets.

At 130 Detectives Cowan and Sloan raided the offices of Horner at room 108 Temple building, St. James street. They got a cab load of documents pertaining, it is claimed, to all sorts of lottery and bond issues of foreign countries, the lottery tickets being chiefly of Perdu, Mexico. Among the concerns in which he has been dealing are Konig Sachsische Landis Lottery, of Leipsic, International Investment Company of Canada, the Credit Foncier Egyptien 250 franc bonds of 1886, Empire Ottoman Railway bonds, railway 400 franc bonds of 1870, Italian 100 frcs gold bonds 1870.



E. H. HORNER, WHOSE OFFICE WAS RAIDED BY POLICE TO-DAY.

Horner's alleged scheme in connection with the bonds was to get five dollars in advance and five dollars each week for forty-nine weeks for the Credit Foncier Egyptian bonds and others aggregating 1,250 francs.

Horner has been here for the past twelve years and he has been under police surveillance ever since. He is wanted in New York city, but the District Attorney does not care to go to the expense of extradition. He says that he will be quite satisfied if Horner stays away from the country.

SMALL CANNON EXPLODED.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Sherbrooke, May 25.—Carnie Kellar, 12 years old, son of J. H. Kellar, former principal of the Sherbrooke High School, was the victim of a bad accident yesterday. With other boys he was firing a small brass cannon. The full charge of the powder went into his face mangling it in a terrible manner. For several hours he was unconscious. He will probably recover but will be badly disfigured.

MONTREAL BASEBALL CLUB, OF BUFFALO, INCORPORATED.

Albany, N.Y., May 25.—The Montreal Baseball and Amusement Company, of Buffalo, was incorporated today for the purpose of owning and managing the baseball team representing Montreal in the Eastern League. The capital is $10,000. The directors are Robert F. Schelling, John Kreitner and William W. Pierce, of Buffalo.

The Maisonneuve Injunction.

P. Boulliane, who, through his attorneys, Messrs. Leflamme and Mitchell, had applied to the Superior Court for an injunction to restrain the town of Maisonneuve and the Montreal Street Railway from carrying out By-law No. 110, adopted by the Town Council some months ago, giving the Montreal Street Railway Company exclusive privileges in the town, has withdrawn his application for an injunction.

He reserves his right, however, to proceed by action at law to have the by-law declared null and void.

Canadian Northern Extension.

Mr. R. H. Bell, of this city, the travelling freight and passenger agent of the Canadian Northern, announces the extension of the company's lines west of the elbow of the North Saskatchewan River to North Battleford. About June 1st, he says, a through passenger service will be established between Winnipeg and North Battleford, and to encourage settlement, the company will, at the outset, offer reduced one-way Settlers' and homeseekers' fares and nominal freight rates on settlers' effects.

Canadian Club of New York.

Special to The Montreal Star.

New York, May 25.—The Canadian Club of New York, held its annual dinner at the Hotel Astor last night. The members did much waving of intertwined American and British flags, and heard oratory touching on every subject pertaining to Great Britain and America.

Dr. Neil MacPhatter, president of the club, was toast master, and Dr. E. R. L. Gould led off the speech-making. Dr. Gould spoke on "The City of Our Adoption."

Ex-Senator Walter C. Burton took issue with Dr. Gould on partisan politics, which, he said, has its use. Rev. Robert MacArthur talked of British and American imperialism.

Ottawa, Ont., May 25.—Hon. Chas. Fitzpatrick who has been unwell for some days, has recovered and is attending the regular Cabinet meeting to-day.

CONTROL IS NOW IN CANADIAN HANDS

Announcement Made at Annual Meeting of Canadian Colored Cotton Co.

PROSPECTS FOR NEXT 6 MTS.

Mr. David Morrice, the President, Explains Conditions at Present Obtaining in Cotton Industry.

At the annual meeting of the Canadian Colored Cotton Company, Ltd., held to-day in the Bell Telephone building, it was announced that the control of the corporation, which has long been held in the United States was now transferred to Montreal and was absolutely in the hands of the directors.

This, it appears, has been accomplished mainly through Mr. T. D. King, of Boston, a director of the company. At the meeting he announced that he considered it far better to have the control of a Canadian enterprise in the hands of Canadians, and that as soon as he had been free to act this had been accomplished.

Mr. David Morrice, president, presided at the meeting, and in his remarks he dwelt upon several important matters pertaining to the present and future welfare of the company. The management had entered upon a campaign of concentration. In order to accomplish this, one of the old mills had been disposed of and the plant of the Cornwall Woollen Mills, a defunct corporation, had been acquired. For this property $50,000 had been expended and the sum of $18,000 had been received back by the company for the sale of certain portions of the plant, etc., which was of no use to them in their business. An old mill situated at a point had been disposed of for the sum of $30,000. Another mill would likely be disposed of. This would give them three mills at Cornwall, one at Hamilton and one at St. Croix. These had also been radical changes in the management, whereby managers had been dispensed with and a saving accomplished.

A serious feature of the trade year had been the decline of raw cottons which created a shrinkage of values. In order to counteract this, the company had written off no less than $90,000 which represented the depreciation of manufactured goods and raw materials on hand. They had, Mr. Morrice stated, kept their stocks as low as possible during the time of high cotton values, but they had, nevertheless suffered, by reason of the fact that raw cotton went as high as 13 1-2 cents per pound and then down to 8 1-4.

The profits for the year amounted to $201,000, and for this sum the bond interest paid amounting to $111,000. The sum of $90,000 had been carried to the profit and loss account which now amounted to $1,231,000. The total assets were $8,693,000, and the open accounts payable are $561,000. Other assets include stocks of goods, goods in the process of manufacture, unexpired insurance, etc. These various items total up to $1,741,000.

Mr. Morrice said that while he could not say much for the first six months of the business year he had great hopes for the last six. With good weather they should have an excellent demand for their goods. They badly needed an increase in the tariff. The United States were shipping in large quantities of heavy fabrics, while the preference which Great Britain was enjoying was given that country a decided advantage in fine goods in the Canadian market. They had asked a small increase in the tariff, five per cent., and they hoped that it would in time be granted, for it was required very badly.

Mr. T. D. King, in a short address, expressed satisfaction in having the control of the company in the hands of Canadians, and he also complimented the management very highly. The old board of directors was re-elected.

Escaped from Verdun.

Twelve days ago there escaped from the Verdun Asylum, a patient named R. V. Zoederflicht, who, in spite of all efforts, has not yet been found. He is a man of near 40, of stoutish build, with round face and rather sharp nose. Height 5 ft. 8 in., weight 150. There is a large scar over the right eyebrow, and a small one under it. The left eyelid is drooping, at times almost quite closed. His complexion and hair are light, small light moustache, and no beard. He wore a dark suit of clothes with a white thread running through it, a soft dark gray felt hat, and black boots with very pointed toes. All clothing was marked R. von Zoederflicht, A 2.

He had 6 vaccination marks on the left arm. He speaks French, German, and English, the last with a marked German accent. The chief peculiarity about him is that, while rational on many points, he has delusions of grandeur that is, his conversation is full of references to his great wealth, to his connection by marriage with the Royal Family, and so on. Any information as to his whereabouts would be greatly appreciated by those specially interested in him, and may be sent to the Verdun Insane Hospital.

MONTREAL COTTON, DOMINION TEXTILE

The Offer Made to the Montreals to Sell Out.

HOW THE FIGURES WORK OUT

Textiles Have Only Got Eight Thousand Out of Thirty Thousand Shares So Far.

According to the offer which the Dominion Textile Company has made to the shareholders of the Montreal Cotton Company, the capital stock of the merged concern will be $3,750,000. This proposed capitalization would be taken up as follows:—$3,000,000 in 6 per cent. second mortgage bonds, of the Dominion Textile Company, and $750,000 of 7 per cent. non-sumulative preference stock. This would be on a basis of $125 for each of the present shares of the Montreal Cotton Company.

At a recent special meeting of the directors of the Montreal Cotton Company, it was shown that a majority of the board are strongly against recommending to the shareholders the acceptance of this offer, they being of the opinion that they should have at least $150 for their stock.

If exchanged at $125 it would work out as follows, as regards interest:—

$3,000,000	6 per cent. mortgage bonds	$180,000
750,000	7 per cent. non-cumulative preference	52,500
$3,750,000		$232,500

Up to the present, it is said that the Textile people have secured about 8,000 shares of Montreal Cotton stock out of a total of 30,000 shares, and they are finding it difficult to get control of further stock.

The profits of the Montreal Cotton Company for various years back are as follows:

1897	$139,000
1898	181,000
1902	378,000
1903	469,000

The company's sales for five years are as follow:

1898	$1,216,000
1897	1,436,000
1901	1,812,000
1902	2,072,000
1903	2,600,000

The main argument used by the merging faction is that the company is now only working a portion of its looms and that the profits are comparatively small, and, on the other hand, the stockholders contend that within the next six months they should be able to operate all their 4,500 looms, and that in this event they should be able to sell three million dollars' worth of goods.

CALM IS MOMENTARY.

Trouble Will Break Out Soon in the Interior of Russia.

Special Cable from a Montreal Star correspondent.

Moscow, May 25.—Unconfirmed information from the interior shows that the apparent calm is only momentary and deceptive. Fundamental changes are taking place in the interior life of the remotest provinces. The police and civil tyrants are comparatively subdued. This in itself does not indicate a surrender, but a deliberate policy on the part of the Government for mistaking the people. Nevertheless, the old despotism is passing away and can never be re-established. "The Government pretends to be yielding," said a noble landowner to a Star correspondent to-day. "Once the war is over, however," he adds, "Liberals would be crushed though it should be necessary to declare the whole country in a state of siege." Doubtless this would be attempted, but the agents of the proposed revival will encounter a nation organized for promoting constitutionalism.

WANTED TO BORROW

Readers will readily find those who have money to lend or mortgage or other investment offering good security by placing a small 'Want' ad in the "Wanted to Borrow" column in the classified page of

The Montreal Star

RONALD HOWARD DROWNED.

Ottawa Bank Clerk Loses His Life in Lake Deschenes.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, May 25. — There can no longer be any doubt that Ronald Howard, cashier of the Ottawa branch of the Bank of Ottawa, was drowned in Lake Deschenes yesterday. Deceased was 23 years of age, and a son of H. F. Howard, a druggist at Aylmer. He started in a sailing canoe at 11 a.m. to join his father at Shurley's Bay. About 4 p.m. the canoe was found right side up, but partly filled with water. Howard's hat and coat were in the canoe. The body has not yet been recovered.

ONTARIO HOUSE PROROGUES.

Lieut.-Governor Gives Assent to 134 Bills Passed During Session.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Toronto, Ont., May 25. — In proroguing the Legislature this afternoon His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor gave his assent to 134 bills, the total number passed during the session. The ceremonies were wholly formal, and the Speech from the Throne expressed the opinion that the legislation would prove beneficial. Special reference is made to their Excellencies the Earl and Countess Grey, and the interest they manifested in the affairs of the provinces of the Dominion.

NO DELAY ABOUT THIS !

Philadelphia, May 25. — Mayor Weaver has taken forcible possession of the offices of the Director of Public Safety and Director of Public Works. Neither Director Smith nor Director Costello offered serious resistance. Four detectives are now on guard at the offices.

STRIKE SITUATION IS THREATENING

Rioting Has Been Renewed and Troops May Be Summoned.

A NEW TROUBLE BREWING

Strike of Street Car Men May Be Added to Chicago's Difficulties.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Chicago, Ills., May 25. — The strike swept like a firebrand to-day among the lumber teamsters, hitting the Chicago hardwood exchange. It ran through the lumber district, inciting riots there and in other parts of the city and causing a critical situation that presaged the call for troops before sundown.

Despite the prospects of getting one thousand new policemen and 200 more deputy sheriffs, the authorities were staggered at the outlook. They confessed themselves powerless to afford further protection to life and property and admitted that murder, fire and mob law might prevail unless prevented by the State militia.

Already three riots have occurred to-day, in addition to countless smaller affrays. Policemen were rushed to the lumber yards, but their forces were all too insufficient. To make matters worse, the lumber dealers, determined to transact their business, sent out 134 loaded waggons with non-union drivers, each waggon requiring two policemen. The most demonstrative riot of the day took place in the freight yards of the Adams Express Company.

ANOTHER STRIKE THREATENS.

The officers of the Union and Consolidated Traction Companies have called a meeting to consider a demand for a new scale made by the executive board of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes. The present wage scale expires on May 31st. Upon the outcome of the meeting the officials of the union declare depends the action of the 4,500 men employed on the north and west side street car lines of the Union and Consolidated Traction Companies.

PRESIDENT SHEA UNREPENTANT

Before leaving for Judge Kohlsaat's court, where he was instructed to appear to answer a charge of contempt of court, President Shea conferred with several labor representatives and outlined plans for the carrying on of the strike to-day and to-morrow. Later he remarked laconically "I have only one conference on to-day. That one is with Judge Kohlsaat."

Referring to the defiance of court, Mr. Shea said: "I am in contempt of court. They will put me in gaol. They may never let me out. If they keep me in gaol until I lose my contempt, I don't know how many years I may have to serve. The whole proceeding is worthy of contempt. It was the most outrageous thing in the name of justice I have ever seen anywhere. It did not resemble a court in any way."

NO CHANCE FOR CONCESSIONS.

New York, May 25.—That the express companies will not recede from the position they have taken in connection with the teamsters' strike in Chicago was the statement made to-day by United States Senator Thomas C. Platt, President of the United States Express Company. The Senator explained at length the attitude of the affected companies and gave his views of the reasons for and the righteousness of that attitude and concluded with the positive statement that the strike drivers in Chicago would not be re-employed.

"The waggon men in Chicago left the express company's service at the demand of the Teamsters' Union," said the Senator, "and in so doing they not only violated the union contract with the express company, but, what is of more importance, they violated their signed agreements with the express company to obey its rules and regulations. Their action materially affected the ability of the express company to discharge its public duties and caused serious loss and damage. Such men cannot, in the very nature of things, be taken back into the express companies' service nor is it at all probable for the express companies to discharge their public duties by employing any man in their places who would act in the same manner.

"The express companies cannot by virtue of their public character take part in disagreements in other lines of labor any more than the police force of a city, or the firemen of a city, or the soldiers of the United States army could take part in or be influenced by quarrels or disagreements in the labor world. The express companies must maintain a purely neutral attitude in all such matters and discharge their public duties without fear or favor."

MEMBER OF GANG OF THIEVES

New Charge Laid Against Murderess of Murray Baby.

Toronto, Ont., May 25. — According to the confession made by Ethel Titus, a ten-year-old girl arrested for bicycle stealing, Josephine Carr, the murderess of the Murray baby, was a meber of a band of young girls who lived about the neighborhood of lower Jarvis street, and who make a practice of stealing bicycles and baby carriages. Josephine Carr, the Titus girl says, over a week ago wanted the latter to go in with her in stealing a baby carriage with a live baby in it. The Titus girl refused. She confessed that there were six or seven little girls who were engaged in this particular kind of theft, and gave the police information where four stolen wheels could be recovered.

HARMONY, NOT WAR.

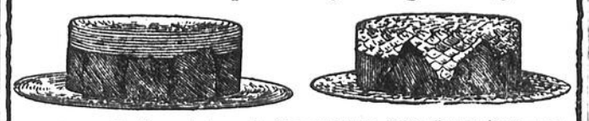
Wall Street Unduly Excited Over the Harriman-Hill-Morgan Situation.

Wall Street traders generally look on the dark side of things, and the withdrawal of the Harriman interests from the Northern Pacific, therefore, caused evil forebodings among the speculative element regarding the North-Western railway situation, which, however, failed to receive any sympathy from the conservative banking element.

The Morgan-Hill interests are in absolute control of the Northern Pacific Company, and for a long time past it has been a foregone conclusion that directors representing the Morgan-Hill party would be elected in place of the Harriman interests. Moreover, it was decided under the various decisions in the Northern Securities case that representatives of the Union Pacific, a competing road, ought not to hold positions as directors of the Northern Pacific. According to the belief of well-known railway men and Wall Street bankers who are identified with the large railway systems of the country, the prospects for harmony down to the minutest detail among the various companies in the matter of preserving a community of interest for the upbuilding of the American transportation business have never been brighter than they are at present.

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SOLICITOR-GENERAL SPOKE AT BOSTON

Hon. Mr. Lemieux and Col. Hughes Guests of Honor.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Boston, Mass., May 25.—Victoria Day was fittingly observed last evening by three hundred members of four united British societies with a banquet. The Victorian Club, the Canadian Club, the Scot's Charitable Society, and the British Charitable Society were the participating organizations.

The guests included Hon. Rodolph Lemieux, Solicitor-General of Canada; Eki Hioki, first secretary of the Japanese legation, Washington, and Lieut.-Colonel Samuel Hughes, M.P., Canada.

Hon. Rodolph Lemieux said, in part: "We see American capitalists to-day invading Canada, coining money out of our mines, and out of our forests, but if the Americans cross the imaginary frontier to help us in developing our natural resources, Canadians come in larger numbers to the Republic to help capital in maintaining the American industrial supremacy. Such is the position to-day—a healthy competition in trade, in which you do yourselves the pleasure to pay heavy duties to get our goods, and an interchange of men from both sides of the line, but let me say at once that annexation is nothing but the whim of a visionary mind. We want to share in the commercial activity of this continent. Our farmers, miners and lumbermen want access to this market. They are willing to meet the Americans half way. We all understand that commercial hostility is not commercial rivalry, but in such matters the golden opportunity will always pass unheeded if the principles of equity and fair play are not adhered to by the contracting parties.

NO NEWS OF NAVAL FIGHT.

Russian Admiralty Does Not Credit the Story of Fight.

St. Petersburg, May 25.—5.25 p.m.—The Admiralty has no information confirmatory of the Manila report of the defeat of Admiral Togo south of Formosa. While it is considered possible that there may have been a brush between scouts, the idea of an open battle with Togo is not credited in the best informed naval circles where the opinion is expressed that Admiral Togo would not dare to risk bringing his battleship division so far south to meet Admiral Rojestvensky. It is believed that Togo will try to keep in touch with the Russians by means of fast cruisers and await his approach off the Japanese coast. According to the Admiralty's calculations, Rojestvensky should now be far out in the Pacific almost a thousand miles north east of the place where the battle is reported to have occurred.

The evening papers here got out extras on the report of Rojestvensky's victory and the news boys crying the tidings on the Nevski prospects were almost mobbed by the people in their eagerness to learn the details.

CLOSING PRICES.

Prices Held Steady.

Late in the afternoon the stock market just about held its own. Canadian Pacific was off considerably from the morning's high level, selling as low as 142⅝, but it recovered later to 143¾. Union Pacific just before the close worked up a fraction to 118⅞. Steel pfd was 92¾, and St Paul 172. There was no fresh news.

Afternoon trading was quiet locally, in fact, many of the brokers left for the country on the early trains.

Coal pfd. sold at 115, and the bonds 95 to 95¾. Detroit Ry. was off about 1 per cent from the best figures of the morning. Lake of the Woods sold at 112.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Afternoon Transactions.

Detroit—10 at 88¾, 25 at 88½.
Power—25 at 93¾, 25 at 93¾.
Textile—D 150 at 89.
Scotia—25 at 203½, 25 at 203.
Coal bonds $4000 at 94½, $1000 at 95.
Mackay—6 at 79¾, 50 at 79.
Coal pref—25 at 115.
Steel—50 at 20¼, 25 at 20¾, 25 at 20¾, 25 at 20¾.
Steel pfd—25 at 61½.
Lake Woods pfd—25 at 112.
Steel bonds $2,000 at 80½.
Coal—50 at 75.

Reported for the Star by Gordon Strathy & Co., stock brokers, 9 St. Sacrament st.

Stock	May 25 Closing	May 25 Noon	May 25 2.30	May 25 Close
Canadian Pacific	144¼	144	142¾	143¾
Do do new				
Rlw. St Paul's Soo				
Montreal St. Ry	216	214	215½	214
Do do new				
Toronto St. Ry	105½	105¾	105¾	105
Halifax St. Ry	103	104	104½	104
Detroit United Ry	88¾	88½	88¼	88
Winnipeg Ry				
Twin City Transit	112	109¾	110	109¾
West Ind. Elec				
Toledo Electric	24¼	22¾	24	23¾
R & O Nav. Co	78	77	78	77
Mont'l Telegraph				
Bell Telephone				
Light H & P	80½	80¾	80¾	80¾
Mackay Com				
Do Pref				
Dom. Steel	20½	20¾	20	19¾
Do do Pref	64	64¾	63¾	64
Montreal Steel				
Nova Scotia Steel	60½	60		
Ogilvie Milling				
Dominion Coal Co	76	75	76½	76

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Supplied by J. S. Bache and Co, C. D. Monk, Manager, 29 Hospital st.

May 25

Stocks	Opening.	High up to 2.30	Low up to 2.30	Close
Amalgamated Copper	80¾	80⅝	78½	79⅞
American Locomotive	43¾	43⅝	46¾	43⅝
Do do pref	110	110	110	110
Am. Sugar & Ref	143	143¾	132¾	143¾
Do do				
Am Smlts & Ref Co	111¾	112¾	109¾	109¾
Am Car Foundry	44½	44¾	43⅝	43⅝
Anaconda mn Co	104	104½	104	104
Atchison, Top & S Fe	80¾	80¾	79¾	79¾
Do do pref	101½	101½	101½	101½
Baltimore & Ohio	109	109	107¾	107¾
Do do Pref			90¾	90¾
Brooklyn Rapid T	59¾	59¾	58¾	58¾
Brd & Atlan com			32¾	
Canadian Pacific	143¾	144¾	141¾	143¾
Canadian Southern	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Ches & Ohio	48½	48½	48½	48½
Chic & N W	212¾	213¾	211¾	211¾
C Mil & St Paul	173¾	174¾	172	172¾
Colorado Southern	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Do pref	56	56	55¾	55¾
Cons. Gas NY	188½	188½	187¾	187¾
Col Fuel & Iron	43¾	42	40¾	40
Corn Products				
Do Pref				
Detroit United Ry	88½	88½	88½	88½
Del & Lack and West				
Dela & Hudson	182	182	182	182
Denver & Rio G com		27¾	27¾	27¾
Do do pref				
Duluth S Shore & Atl	13½	12¾	12¾	12¾
Do Do pref				
Great Northern pref	284	285	284	285
General Electric				
Jersey Central	193	193	193	193
Iowa Cen. Com	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Do do pref				
Kan. & Texas com	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Do Do Pref				
Louisville & Nash	144¾	144	142¾	142¾
Manhattan Elevtd				
Missouri Pacific	97¾	97¾	96¾	96¾
Minn St. P. & St. M.	144½	145	144¾	144¾
Do Do pref				
Metropolitan St. Ry	116	116¾	116	116¾
N.Y Central & Hud	143¾	144½	142¾	142¾
N.Y. Railroad	41	41	40¾	40¾
Do do pref	88	88	87¾	87¾
N Y Ontario & West	43¾	43¾	42¾	42¾
Northern Securities				
Nor & Western com	68¾	68¾	67¾	67¾
Pacific Mail	35¾	35¾	35	35
Penn R R xd	134¾	134¾	132¾	132¾
Pressed Steel com	34	34	33¾	33¾
Do do pfd	91	91	91	91
Peoples' Gas	101	101¾	101	101
Phila & Read	96½	96¾	95¾	95¾
Do do 1 pref				
Do do 11 pref	88½	88½	88½	88½
Pullman		217	217	217
Rock Island certs	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
Southern Ry com	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Do pfd xd	115¾	115¾	115¾	115¾
Southern Pacific	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾
Tenn. Coal & Iron	77	77	76¾	76¾
Texas Pacific	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
Twin City	112	112¾	112	112¾
U S Leather com				
Do do pref				
U S steel com	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
Do do pref	94¾	95	94¾	95
U. S. Rubber com	35¾	36¾	35¾	36¾
Do pfd				
Union Pac. com	121	121¾	118¾	118¾
Do do pref				
Wabash	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do pref	39	39	39	39
West. Union Tel		94		
Wis. Cen com	22¾	23	22¾	23
Do pref	47¾	47¾	47¾	47¾

CHICAGO CLOSING PRICES.

J. S. Bache and Co., 29 Hospital street, report the closing prices to-day as follows:

May 25, 1905

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Close.
Wheat, May	107	107	106	106
" July	91¾	92¾	90¾	90¾
Corn, May	65¾	65	63	63
" July	49¾	50¼	49¾	49¾-50
Oats, May	34¼	34¾	34	34¾
" July	30¾-⅝	30⅞	30⅝	30⅝
Pork, May	1245			1242
" July	1252	1256	1250	1255
Lard, May			

STOCKS HAVE HAD VERY GOOD RISE

A Recovery To-day Followed Yesterday's Strong Upward Move.

A BETTER FEELING LOCALLY

Power, Detroit, Steel, and Cotton Were the Features of the Montreal Market.

Wall Street had a little lee on yesterday, and the market this morning showed a disposition to carry the lee away along still further.

As the market stands now it is well above the low figures reached in the depression a few days ago. Canadian Pacific, for instance, sold as high as 146¾ as against 141¼ on Tuesday. Other stocks have shown gains that equal this although in some cases the recovery has been less pronounced.

Lawson's failure to put off his widely advertised crisis is considered to be in other nail in the coffin of that excessively enterprising trader. He was out with another manifesto this morning that the market gracefully ignored.

The views of the Wall Street traders as a rule were not very bullish, the idea being that the market is going to be very irregular, with no pronounced tendency either one way or the other.

A faint glimmer of life was developed in the Montreal market. Steel, Detroit and Power being the features.

There seems to be steady absorption of Steel right along, and we understand that one or two big holders are increasing their line of stock whenever it takes a dip. The public seems to be many less bullish on Steel, but is not trading, and will not likely do so until the general market begins to show more life.

There is, as a matter of fact, little inducement to buy Montreal stocks when the market is dull, as it means a very tedious wait, with many well satisfied if they get their money back after months sometimes extending over a month or two.

Power opened strong, sold off and then recovered a little. There was no news in connection with the stock, apart from what has already been given out.

Detroit and Twins seem to be moving under the influence of outside buying, while both properties have a good many local friends, they do not appear to be doing a great deal at the moment.

Montreal Cotton sold at 114 to 115, but the stock market movement in this stock has ceased to be significant, as there is little to be picked up in the open market, and what stock there is changing hands is being transferred privately.

The excellent state of the Manitoba wheat crop at the present time is by far the most important factor in the business outlook. "The wheat crop is certainly in good shape," says the Winnipeg Commercial, "and when it is pointed out that there are about 4,250,000 acres under crop, between Manitoba and the Territories, it will be seen that with an average yield per acre the west is likely to harvest the largest crop in its history. It is not too much to say that we should have seventy-five or eighty million bushels of wheat this year. This excellent prospect gives business men in every department an assurance of which they stand much in need."

Twin City for the four months shows net earnings of $700,347 against $684,011 last year and $636,000 the year previous. The four months' surplus is $311,047 against $308,241 last year and $323,274 in 1903. The falling off is due to the heavy charges this year.

Sales of the Canadian group to noon on Wall Street, together with the highest and lowest prices, were as follows:

Sales		High.	Low
3,400	Canadian Pacific	145¾	141¾
100	Toledo	32¾	32¾
100	Detroit	53½	53½
500	Twin City	112¼	110¾
100	Duluth	12½	12½
500	Soo	115	114½

Detroit United earnings for the two weeks ending May 14 were $180,789, an increase of 29,448, or 12.7 per cent.

Toledo was a shade firmer and sold up to 34.

Northern Securities opened higher at 166 to 166½, went up to 167½, and were quoted at 12.30 at 167.

Sales to noon in Wall Street to-day were 360,000 shares. Total sales yesterday, 947,000 shares.

MORNING TRANSACTIONS.

Canadian Pacific—25 at 145¾, 26 at 145¾, 75 at 145¾, 50 at 145¾.
Toronto Railway—25 at 105¾.
Power—25 at 89¾, 25 at 89¾, 50 at 89, 125 at 89¼, 25 at 89¾.
Detroit—65 at 88½, 175 at 89, 25 at 88¾, 25 at 89.
Iron—10 at 20¼, 25 at 20½, 100 at 20¾, 75 at 20½.
Iron bonds—$1000 at 84.
Toledo—25 at 33¾, 25 at 34.
Textile pref.—Fractions, $10 at 85.
Textile bonds—$3,34 at 87½.
Textile pref.—5 at 87, 10 at 85.
Coal pref.—25 at 115.
Montreal Cotton—25 at 115, 25 at 114.
Mackay—50 at 39½.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Reported for the Star by Gordon Strathy & Co., stock brokers, 9 St. Sacrament st.:

Stocks.	May 25.		May 24	
12.30	Ask	Bid	Ask	Bid
Canadian Pacific	14¾	144½	145	144¾
Mines & St Paul	...	172	...	...
Montreal St. Ry	216	214	220	215
Toronto St. Ry	105¼	105	105½	105
Twin City El Ry	112	110	113	110
Detroit do	88¾	88½	89¾	88¾
Halifax do	106	104	107	104½
Toledo do	34	33¾	34¼	33¾
St. John do	...	...	...	...
Winnipeg do	...	...	...	...
Min & St. Paul	...	...	...	...
West India	...	...	60	50
Sao Paulo Tramway	...	...	...	...
Mackay Common	39½	39	...	...
Mackay pref	73	72½	...	72¾
R & O Nav. Co	76	75	74	73¾
Mont L H & Power	89½	89¾	90	89¾
Dom Iron Com	20¾	20¼	20¾	20¼
Do Pref	69	68¾	70	69¼
Dom Coal Com	77½	75	77¼	76
Do do pref	...	116	...	...
Nova Scotia Steel	82	80½	84½	80¾
do do pfd	...	...	...	...
Montreal Telegraph	...	160	...	...
Ogilvie Milling Pf	137	...	137½	130
Bell Telephone Co	150	140	...	...
Lake of Woods pfd xd	...	...	...	111
Do do Com	102	96	...	...
Laurentide Paper	110	...	...	...
Intercolonial Coal	101	...	103	...
Do do pf	...	...	...	...
Montreal Steel Work	...	...	...	...
Do Pref	...	...	...	...
COTTONS				
Montreal	114¾	113	...	...
Dom. Textile pfd	87	85½	...	85½
Can. Col. Cotton	...	25	...	...
BANKS				
Montreal xd	255	...	255	253
Molsons	230	...	229	227
Merchants xd	...	...	170	165
Union xd	146	...	...	...
BONDS				
Heat and Power	105	102½	105	102½
Winnipeg Elec	110	...	110	108
Dom Iron and Steel	84	83½	84	83½
Montreal St Ry	105	...	...	...
Dom. Textile	88	87	88½	87¾
Dom. Coal	...	...	...	...

LONDON CLOSING.

The following quotations were received over L. J. Forget and Co.'s London cable:

	May 22.	May 23.	May 25.
G.T.R. first	108	108	107½
G.T.R. second	97¾	98	97½
G.T.R. third	48¾	48¾	47¾
Canadian Pacific	148¾	146¾	146½
Hudson Bay	69¾	69½	69¾
Anaconda	5¼	5¼	5¼

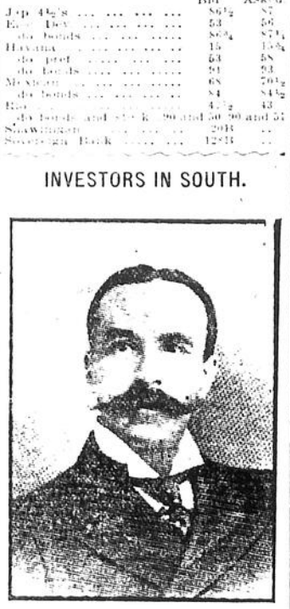
Consols for money, 90 3-16; do for account, 90¼; Anaconda, 5¼; Atchison, 82; do. pref., 104; B. and O., 111; C.P.R., 149½; C. and O., 50; Chicago Great-Western, 19¾; Chicago, Mil and St. Paul, 178¼; De Beers, 17¾; Erie 41¾; do first pref., 79½; do second pref., 68; Illinois Central, 164; L. and N., 148; N. Y. C., 144½; Ontario and Western, 51¾; Penn., 68¾; Rand Mines, 9⅞; Reading, 46¾; do first pref., 46; do second pref., 44; Southern Railway, 20¾; do pref., 98; Southern Pacific, 63¼; Union Pacific, 124¼; U. P. pref., 93; U. S. Steel, 28½; do pref., 93⅝.

LOCAL "CURB" PRICES.

Price changes on the curb are not important. The sales were: $20,000 Mexican bonds, 84; 60 shares Rio, 41; $20,000 Electrical Development, 86⅝; 100 shares Mexican, 69. Bid and asked prices:

	Bid	Asked
Dom 4½'s	86½	87
Elec Dev	53	56
do bonds	86¾	87¼
Havana	15	15⅜
do pref	53	58
do bonds	81	83
Mexican	68	70½
do bonds	84	84½
Rio	41½	43
do bonds and stock	90 and 50	90 and 55
Shawinigan	208	...
Sovereign Bank	124¾	...

INVESTORS IN SOUTH.



MR. EDWIN HANSON,

One of the many Montrealers who is interested in Southern enterprises. Mr. Hanson has just been elected President of the Havana Central Railway.

IS SPENDING $150,000.

Granby Co. Expects to Have An Output of 25,000,000 Pounds.

With six furnaces in operation, the Granby company is now handling about second tons of ore per month at its smelter at Grand Forks, and about 1,000,000 pounds of copper per month. Its costs are between 9 and 10 cents per lb. of refined copper laid down in New York, so that the Granby is now outputting about 1,500,000 lbs. of refined copper per month and is netting between $60,000 and $75,000 per month.

General Superintendent Hedges has recently installed at the Granby smelter a automatic charging apparatus of his own invention, which is effecting a saving of about 15 cents per ton, or at the rate of between $300,000 and $400,000 per annum with the present output.

The installation of two additional furnaces will be made some time in July, and should increase the smelter capacity 35 per cent., and per cent of the treatment of from 500 to 2,000 tons per day, which will give the Granby Company a refined copper output of between 22,000,000 and 25,000,000 lbs. per annum.

These smelter improvements will cost between $175,000 and $175,000.

GOSSIP ON "DETROIT."

In view of the fact that Detroit Railway has been one of the few stocks to show any life in the local market of late, fresh details of that property may prove of interest. A Montreal broker writes as follows:

"Detroit United Railway owns probably the largest and most comprehensive system of street railways in the world, the total mileage owned by the company exceeding 540 miles. It has been the policy of the company to extend the system so as to reach all the important towns and cities surrounding the city, and while for a time, this policy made heavy inroads on the earnings of the city system, the company is now reaping its reward, as can be seen by a glance at the gross earnings, which show annual increase of 10 per cent compounded.

"The gross earnings for 1904 amounted to over four and a half millions. The gross increase for the first four months of this year amounted to $166,950, at which rate the gross earnings for the year would exceed $5,000,000. The net increase for the first three months amounted to $115,110, or nearly 1 per cent on the capital stock, at which rate the net earnings for the year would exceed 8 per cent. The company is at present paying 4 per cent on its capital stock. The city of Detroit is becoming one of the most important manufacturing cities of the United States, and it is increasing rapidly in population."

GRANBY CONSOLIDATED.

In Boston to-day 100 shares of Granby sold at 5⅜ and 100 at 5¾. The quotations at one o'clock were 5⅜ bid and 5⅞ asked.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Supplied by J. S. Bache and Co. C. D. Monk, Manager, 29 Hospital st.

Stocks.	May 25 Op'g.	2.30	May 23 Op'g.	Close.
Amalgamated Copper	80¾	78¾	78¾	75
American Locomotive	48¾	46¾	47¾	44
Do do pref	110	110	110	110
Am Smelting & Ref Co	133	130¾	133¾	130½
Do do pref	...	...	...	...
Am Smlg & Ref Co	111¾	109¾	111¾	107
Am Car & Foundry	34¾	32¾	33¾	32¾
Anaconda Min Co	104	102¾	...	...
Top & St Fe xd	80¾	79¾	79½	78
Do do pref	103¾	101¾	...	...
Baltimore & Ohio	109	107¾	107¾	105¾
Do do pref	96¾	96¾	...	...
Brooklyn Rapid T	59¾	58¾	61	58
Chic & Alton Com	...	...	81	81
Canadian Pac	145¾	144¾	142½	141¾
Canadian South'n	69¾	69¾	...	...
Chesapeake & Ohio	47¾	47¾	46	46¼
Chic & N W	212	211¾	205	207¾
C Mil & St. Paul	173¾	172¾	169¾	170
Colorado Southern	28¾	26¾	25¾	26
Do 1pf	56	55¾	54	54
Cons Gas N Y	188½	187¾	187	187
Col Fuel & Iron	41¾	40¾	39¾	39½
Corn Products	...	...	11¾	11¾
Do do pref	...	...	...	...
Detroit Unit. Ry	88½	88½	...	88½
Del & Lack & West	...	...	...	...
Dela & Hudson	182	180¾	179¾	181
Denver & Rio	...	...	27¾	27½
Do do pref	...	...	84	84
Duluth, S S & Atl	12½	12½	12	12¼
Do do pref	...	...	22¾	22½
G Northern Ry pfd	284	287	265½	268¾
General Electric	...	...	168¾	169¾
Jersey Central	193	193	190	190
Iowa Cen Com	24¾	23¾	...	...
Do do pref	...	...	...	...
Kan & Tex Coal com	25¾	25¾	24¾	24¾
Do do pref	...	...	56¾	56¾
Louisville & Nashv	143¾	142¾	56¾	140¾
Manhattan Elev xd	...	...	140¾	...
Missouri Pacific	97¾	96¾	94¾	95½
Minn St P & S M	114¾	114¾	112	112
Do do pref	...	...	153½	153½
Metropolitan Trac	116	115¾	115¾	114¾
N.Y. Central & Hud	140¾	139¾	136¾	137¾
Erie Railroad	41	39¾	41¾	37¾
Do do 1 pref	75	74¾	75¾	74¾
Do do 2 pref	66¾	66	67	65¾
N Y Ontario & West	48¾	48¾	44¾	45¾
Nor. & Western com	78¾	78¾	76	76½
Pacific Mail	37¾	37¾	37¼	37
Penn R R	134¾	133¾	131¾	132¾
Pressed Steel com	37	37	35¾	35¾
Do do pfd	91	91	91	91
Peoples Gas	101	101	99	99¾
Pulla & Read	90¾	89¾	87¾	90¾
Do 1 pfd	...	...	90	90
Do 11 pfd	86½	86½	...	...
Pullman	232	232	...	...
Rock Island certs	27¾	26¾	25¾	25¾
Southern Ry com	29¾	29	28	28
Do pfd	95¾	95¾	95¾	95¾
Southern Pacific	61¾	60¾	59	59¾
Tenn Coal & Iron	77	74¾	73¾	74¾
Texas Pacific	31¾	31¾	30¾	30¾
Twin City	114	112¾	109¾	110
U. S. Leather Co	...	...	10¾	10¾
Do do pref	...	...	...	...
U. S. Steel com	27½	26¾	25¾	25¾
U. S. Steel pfd	94¾	93¾	91¾	91¾
U. S Rubber com	35¾	34¾	35¾	35¾
Do do pref	...	...	105¾	105¾
Union Pacific, com	124	119¾	115¾	115¾
do pref	...	...	...	...
Wabash	19½	18¾	17¾	17½
Do pref	39	39	37	37½
West Union Tel	...	...	92¾	92¾
Wis. Central	23¾	23¾	23¼	23¼
Do do pref.	47¾	47¾	50	50

FIGHT FOR CONTROL OF THE COTTON CO.

Some Montreal Co. Interests Are Making a Strong Stand.

BUT LARGE HOLDERS AGREE

Good Many Have Been Satisfied With the Terms Offered by the Textile Company.

The fight for control of the Montreal Cotton Company promises to be exceedingly keen.

It is understood that several of the biggest holders, as pointed out in the Star some time ago, have gone over to the Textile Company, but some of the remaining Montreal Company shareholders are not satisfied with the price offered.

The Textile interests claim that their offer of 100 of 6 per cent. bonds and 25 of 7 per cent. stock is an exceedingly good one and naturally point to the fact that the big holders of the Montreal Company were well satisfied to turn over their stock on that basis.

Mr. S. H. Ewing, the president of the Montreal Company, is openly opposed to the Montreal shareholders selling out, and with him are several of the directors.

One shareholder, who is not disposed to sell his stock, pointed out this morning that the Montreal Company was in a strong position, and the deal should be figured out in this manner:

PRESENT STATUS MONTREAL COTTON CO.

Capital stock common	$3,000,000
Surplus, about	2,100,000
Total 170 p.c.	$5,100,000
Earnings 1904—	
Dividend	$ 270,000
Forward	32,500
	$ 302,500

PROPOSED STATUS IN MERGER.

Bonds, 100, 6 per cent.	$3,000,000
Pref. stock, 25, 7 per cent.	750,000
Total, 125 p.c.	$3,750,000
Interest and dividends on bonds and stock	$ 232,500

The change entails a loss of surplus of $1,350,000

According to the calculation, the loss of revenue will be $70,000.

On the other hand, however, it will be observed that this is figured on the Montreal Company paying its old 9 per cent dividend, whereas the present payment is only 7 per cent.

The events of the next few days will be watched with interest.

A SUIT FOR $125,000.

Metropolitan Stock Exchange is Defendant in a Big Case.

The Metropolitan Stock Exchange, which has branches in Montreal, is being sued in Boston for $125,000. John E. Cotter, a Boston politician, claims that he lost that amount in stock transactions.

J. J. Quinlan, one of the defendants, says that the claim is an absurd one, and that Cotter is seeking newspaper notoriety. The case is creating a great deal of interest in Boston, where both me nare well known.

RICH ENGLISH HOLDERS.

Many Persons With Titles in Northern Securities Co.

Some time ago the Star published a list of Canadian and United States holders of Northern Securities. It will be remembered that Mr. James J. Hill heads the list with 362,870 shares, while Lord Strathcona and the Lord Mount Stephen trust are not far behind. Many members of the nobility of England, France and Germany are also stockholders, among them the following:

Duke of Argyll, 150; Countess de Gabriac, 3,000; Comte de la Sizeranne, 2,000; Margaret Joan, Comtesse de Dezarz, 578; Sir Henry Peter, 1,670; Comtesse de Narbonne Larat, 750; Marchioness of Bristol, 400; Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava, 159; Hon. Charles Ellis, 6,613; Sir William J. Farrar, 5,620; Marog Harlach, 850; Lord Hobhouse, 260; Charles, Earl of Leitrim, 108; Earl Roberts, 2,340; Admiral Sir Henry F. Stephenson, K.C.B., 395; Right Hon. William Earl of Waldegrave, 1,150; Princess Victor of Hohenlohe and Langeburg, 40; Catharine, Marchioness of Bath, 140; Lady W. A. H. C. Burghclere, 728; Duchess of Connaught, 1,287; Duke of Connaught, 5,731; Marquis and Marquise de Chasseloup Laubat, 1,000; Elphinstone, 11,151; Marquis of Lansdowne, 5,580; Blanche Adeloza, Countess of Rosslyn, 1,800; Right Hon. Nathaniel Mayer, Baron Rothschild, 20,000; Earl of Sandwich, 315; Mildred, Countess of Lichfield, 609; Lord Seymour, Count Gliechen and Lord Mount Stephen, 648; the Hon. Reginald Le Norman Brabazon, Lord Ardee and the Hon. Giles Stephen, H. Fox-Strangways, Lord Stavordale, 531; Duchess of Buckingham and Chandos, 50, and the Earl of Leven and Melville, 9,641.

TOLEDO DOING WELL.

At 33 the Stock is on a 6 Per Cent. Investment Basis.

The earnings of Toledo Railways and Light are making a highly satisfactory showing at the present time. This statement is borne out by the financial results for April, and it is expected that the earnings for May will run considerably ahead of the same month last year.

The first dividend of 1 per cent. on the stock, which was paid May 1, was, according to official statements, at the rate of 2 per cent. yearly. The stock, therefore, which is selling around 33, yields over 6 per cent., assuming that the stock is on a 2 per cent. basis.—Wall Street Journal.

INVESTMENT RETURNS.

Investment returns on Wall Street stocks compiled by E. and C. Randolph:

	Prices.	Div.	Yield.
American Sugar	133	7	5.26
Atchison com.	80	4	5.00
Am. Smelter com.	111	7	4.50
do pfd.	118	7	5.93
Baltimore and Ohio	109	4	3.66
Amalgamated Copper	80	4	5.00
Consolidated Gas	188	8	4.25
Detroit United	88	4	4.54
Louis. and Nash.	143	6	4.19
Missouri Pac.	97	5	5.15
Manhattan Ry.	163	6	3.68
Metropolitan	115	7	6.08
N.Y. Central	140	8	5.57
Pennsylvania Ry.	134	6	4.47
St. Paul	174	7	4.02
U.S. Steel pfd.	94	7	7.44
Union Pacific	120	4	3.33
Western Union	93	5	5.37

Investment returns on Montreal stocks compiled as follows by Oswald Bros.:

	Closing Prices.	Divi-dends.	Retu's P.C.
Canadian Pacific	145	6	4.13
Minn., St. Paul and Soo com.	113	4	3.53
Montreal Street Ry.	215	10	4.65
Toronto Ry.	105	5	4.76
Twin City Ry.	111	5	4.50
Detroit Ry.	89	4	4.49
Halifax Ry.	105	5	4.76
Montreal Power	89	4	4.49
N.S. Steel pfd.	112	8	7.14
Dominion Coal pfd.	115	7	6.08
Montreal Telegraph	160	8	5.
Bell Telephone	150	8	5.33
Mackay pfd.	73	4	5.47
Ogilvies pfd. xd.	136	7	5.14
Montreal Cotton	114	7	6.14
Dom. Textile Co. pfd.	86	7	8.13
Bank of Montreal xd.	254	10	3.93
Merchants Bank	170	7	4.11

Bank Failure at Canton, Ohio.

Canton, Ohio, May 25.—The Canton State Bank, with individual deposits of more than $600,000, closed its doors. The directors state that the bank will not be able to resume business. The failure was brought about by heavy loans to W. L. Davis, vice-president of the bank, by the cashier, Corwin B. Batchell, without the consent of the other directors of the bank. According to a statement made by counsel for the directors more than $400,000 has been given to Davis, for which no adequate security has been furnished to the bank. Davis has deeded the bank property, valued at $200,000. The city of Canton has $76,000 on deposit in the bank. The Canton Y.M.C.A. and many school teachers were also depositors.



Announcement was made from an official source that a final settlement of all the difficulties growing out of the old corner in Northern Pacific Railway Company stock has been reached, and that henceforth there would be harmony between the Hill and Harriman forces.

There have been rumors of a hitch in the re-organization plans of the Montreal and Boston Co.

Leading interests in the re-organization say that any set-backs are unimportant and that the re-organization as the Dominion Copper Co. will go through as originally outlined. The proposed issue of $700,000 bonds has all been underwritten.

Havana Electric earnings for the week ending May 22 were $42,500 (Spanish silver) against $29,758 last year, an increase of $12,742. Total April earnings were $155,784 against $139,505, an increase of $16,279.

The earnings of the Toronto Railway keep up at an exceedingly good clip, the increases last week being very close to $1000 a day. The record is as follows:

		Inc.
Sunday	$4,131	*$126
Monday	7,040	945
Tuesday	7,177	1,263
Wednesday	7,345	966
Thursday	6,972	882
Friday	7,592	1,013
Saturday	9,683	432
Total	$49,681	$5,083

*Decrease.

Mr. Duncan, the manager of the Dominion Coal Company, has returned to Sydney.

The Detroit United Railway Company's report of passenger earnings for the two weeks ending May 14th, 1905 1905. $180,789. 1904. $160,340.17, gain, $20,448.84, equal to 12.7 per cent.

Twin City earnings for the second week of May were $84,884, compared with $78,702 last year. Gross for April, $365,213, against $337,402 last year.

WALL STREET STRONG.

Railway Peace Rumors Had a Very Good Effect.

Special from the Montreal Star's Correspondent in Wall Street.

New York, May 25—The market opened strong and active, the buying movement was stimulated by rather indefinite reports of a final solution of various railway complications in the Northwest, and also by Washington advices that some compromise measure agreeable to railways had been decided upon as a result of the investigation held by the Senate Committee.

Further strengthening influence was derived from the strength shown by U.S. stocks in the London market, where, in some instances, advances of upward of 1 point were recorded. Foreign houses were again buyers on a considerable scale. In local dealings a good deal of the market's strength was apparently due to continued short covering.

Sales of Canadian Pacific to noon were 3400 shares. Twin City and "Soo" attracted a little attention.

OPINIONS ON MARKET.

Not Much Confidence Expressed by Brokers in Higher Prices.

Toronto wire—General Electric was again a weak spot in the Toronto market. The stock will be all right at the end of this month. There has been some disposition to realize before the allotment of new stock.

J. S. Bache.—On this advance there is likely to be much profit taking and further short selling. London bought about 10,000 Union Pacific in the first hour. Traders bought O. and W. There seemed to be very little stock in the market.

E. & C. Randolph.—The short interest is undoubtedly very large, and it looks as if it was being driven to cover. As soon as support from this party falls, I think prices will sag off again.

N. P. Bryant.—With low point of the iron trade hesitancy apparently reached with railway earnings good, money easy and several great questions clearing, the situation seems to warrant purchases of stocks on all reactionary periods.

Laidlaw & Co.—Sentiment appears to be bullish, but demand for stock seems to fall short after shorts stop buying.

MARKET'S GOOD POINTS.

Henry Clews Points to Iron Trade and Big R. R. Earnings.

"The U. S. iron trade," says Henry Clews, "is still running at high water mark. In March and April the production of pig iron was going along at the rate of 24,000,000 tons per year, the largest actual output of any previous year being 18,700,000 tons in 1903. Bank clearings are still showing large gains over last year in all principal cities, but the increases run in the neighborhood of about 25 per cent. over last year, which compares with increases of about 50 per cent. a few weeks ago. This diminished activity is largely the result of lessened speculation and the fact that many important financial deals have since been completed. Railroad earnings continue large, and generally average between 8 and 10 per cent. ahead of last year. These figures probably represent the real gain of business over last year more correctly than any other.

"Easy conditions exist in the money market and promise to continue until crop demands assert themselves in the autumn."

BANK OF ENGLAND.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve, increased	£ 914,000
Circulation, increased	56,000
Bullion, increased	970,747
Other securities, decreased	1,546,000
Other deposits, decreased	1,370,000
Public deposits, increased	736,000
Notes reserve, increased	911,000
Government securities unchanged.	

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 52.15 per cent., as compared with 49.80 per cent. last week.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Montreal Exchange rates: New York funds, 3-64 to 1-32 between banks; sterling, 60 days, 9 3-32 to 9¼; do. demand, 9 9-16; do. cables, 9⅝; Paris, francs, short, 5.16¾.

Call money in Montreal is steady at 4 to 4½ per cent.

Money on call in New York is steady at 2½ per cent.

SALES IN TORONTO.

Sales: Hamilton, 20 at 217; Toronto Electric Light, 50 at 146; Dominion Telegraph, 50 at 120½; Mackay com., 25 at 39; Mackay pfd., 5 at 72¾; Ontario, 10 at 132; Can. Gen. Elec. com., 124 at 169; pfd., 5 at 109; Toronto Railway, 35 at 105¼; Nova Scotia, 50 at 61; Twin City, 50 at 111½; Dominion Coal, 100 a. 75; Sao Paulo, 155 at 127 half, 8; Dominion Steel, 119 at 120¼ half; Canada Permanent, 320 at 129.

BREAK OF 8C IN PRICE OF MAY CORN

Wheat Markets Were Generally Higher Than Yesterday.

CONFLICTING CROP REPORTS

Rains In Southern Russia—Local Markets for Country Produce are Upside Down.

From the Special Correspondent of The Montreal Star on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Ill., May 25.—May wheat sold from 107 to 106, and July from 91¾ to 90⅝ to 91⅝, compared with closing yesterday of 105¾ and 90⅜ respectively.

There was a big market in wheat, which was attended by great excitement as the price shot upward, only to sell off and advance again. Crop news, as for several days past, was again conflicting in character, the Price Current probably leaning more to the bull side than any other of the trade publications to send out a resume of the crop situation. The Northwestern Miller was decidedly bearish, showing conditions in the southwest as promising a bumper crop. Rains in the south of Russia and poor demand for cargoes was against the price of wheat.

The bulls in May corn let the price down from 68 to 60 on profit-taking.

Chicago, May 25.—After touching 68 cents, a new high record mark for last year's crop, corn for May delivery broke 8 cents a bushel here to-day. The slump was due to selling by smaller longs who were anxious to secure tempting profits occurring from efforts of several prominent traders to "corner" the market. The highest point of the day was reached on initial transactions, opening quotations being up 1 to 1½ cents, at 67⅛ to 68 cts. Before the end of the first half hour the price yielded to profit-taking, selling off to 61 cents. Later the price dropped precipitatedly to 60 cents a bushel.

Winnipeg, May 25. The inspection of wheat was as follows:

	Cars.
No. 1 hard	2
No. 1 northern	14
No. 2 northern	14
No. 3 northern	9
Other grades	9
No grade	3
Total	39
Last year	96

Overcast in England; forecast, unsettled.

France, cloudy and fair; forecast, unsettled and hot.

Chicago—Weather map shows very low temperatures in N.W., 36 to 38, with heavy frost at Williston and very heavy rains in Mo. and Kas. Arkansas and Okla have had considerable rain, and scattered light showers have prevailed over middle west and Ohio Valley.

The Liverpool spot wheat market was steady to-day, the closing being 7s 2d to 7s 2½d for No. 1 Man., and 6s 6½d to 6s 7½d for No. 3 nor. Man.

The option market was firmer, July closing 1d up, at 6s 10d, and Sept. closing 1⅜d up, at 6s 8½d.

Antwerp was ⅛ up, at 18, for Bahia Blanca.

Paris was 20 down on May, at 24 45.

Chicago was firmer on wheat this morning, May being ⅜c up at noon, compared with last night, at 1.06½. July being ⅞c up, at 91¼. May corn was 6½c lower, at 60, which was 8c below the opening. July being steady at 49¼. May oats were steady at 31⅜c, July being ⅛c up, at 30½.

Duluth was 1⅞c up on July, at 1.12¼.

Minneapolis was 1⅜c up on July, at 1.10¾, and ⅝c up on Sept., at 85⅝.

Winnipeg was 1c up on May, at 93¼. July being 1⅛c up, at 94½.

LOCAL MARKET.—Receipts reported on the Board of Trade to-day amounted to about 15,000 bushels. Trade continues dull, and holders are demanding 44⅛c on store for No. 3 in car lots, and 45½c for No. 2.

FLOUR.—Owing to the advance in the price of wheat, one of the large Manitoba milling companies to-day announced an advance in the price of flour, to $5.30 and $5.60. Prices for Manitoba flour are now $5.10 to $5.30 per barrel for strong bakers', and $5.40 to $5.60 for patents. Ontario flour is $5.50 to $5.60 for winter wheat patents per bbl., and $5.15 to $5.25 for straight rollers, while bags are $2.45 to $2.55.

MILLFEED — The market is dull but steady. Stocks are still light, however; prices show little change, $18 to $19 per ton for Manitoba bran in bags, and $20 to $21 for shorts. Ontario bran, in bulk, is $18.50 to $19, and shorts, $20 to $21 per ton, moullie being $24 to $28 per ton.

One Mill Advances Flour.

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. to-day advanced their prices on flour as follows: Ogilvie's Royal Household, $5.60; Ogilvie's Glenora Patent, $5.30.

EGGS ARE STILL FIRMER.

An Extraordinary Situation—Cheese Easy—Butter Firm.

Picton, Ont., May 25.—At the cheese board yesterday, 16 factories boarded 1195 colored and 140 white. The highest bid was 9 7-16c, at which all was sold. Buyers present were: Baillie, Sexsmith, McCaw, Trumpour and Benson.

New York, May 25.—Butter firm. Receipts, 5850 packages. Street price, extra creamery, 22½c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 20 to 22½c. Cheese quiet and unchanged; receipts, 2814 packages.

EGGS.—This market is the despair of the whole trade. Every one has been astray this season in predicting lower prices. Never before has the local market been in such a condition. In the face of receipts of 50 per cent. more than a year ago, and very much less pickling, prices have been advancing just at the time when they are usually declining, and again to-day a further advance is to be noted. It would be an easy matter to sell any quantity of eggs, wholesale, at 16c, today, and holders are trying to get 16 1-2c for them. This is for eggs just as they arrive from the country. In smaller lots they are selling at 17c to 17 1-2c. The cost of the eggs is now fully 15c in the country, on the average, some being bought at less and a few at more. The demand seems to be insatiable. Every dealer has sold more eggs than ever before at this time of the year. It looks as though not only had the population increased greatly, but the consumption per head also. This latter is probably due to the fine quality of the stock, so far, and the high prices of meats. Select eggs are actually quoted at 19c in one or two case lots, an unheard of price at this time of year.

Receipts reported on the Board of Trade the past two days amount to a total of 3692 cases.

BUTTER.—The market showed very little change this morning, but there was no evidence of easiness to be seen. It begins to look as though merchants were making up their minds that, owing to the increased consumption which has been indicated in the course of the markets this spring it will be difficult to depress prices permanently until receipts become considerably larger than they have been so far. During the past two days receipts reported on the Board of Trade amounted to 6,181 packages, which is very fair. But there was lots of demand for everything arriving and the market took receipts without weakening. It has been said during the past few days that some of the merchants have been storing away butter. When the quality of the goods is considered, it seems difficult to believe that any one would do such a thing, particularly when by waiting another week choice creamery, of good keeping quality, could be obtained.

To-day finest creamery is held at around 19c, some a shade more and some a shade less, while good to fine ranged from 18 1-2c to 18 3-4c.

CHEESE.—The market is rather easier. Purchases of Ontarios were made in the country yesterday at 9 7-16c, this being about the average of the cost in the country at present. One might go out on this market and get a fair quantity of finest Ontario cheese at 9.5-8c to 9.3-4, without much trouble, while Quebecs could be obtained at about 9 1-2. There is little or no demand from the other side at present prices, and it is thought that the shipments will be very light this week. The market has every appearance of being supported by manipulation, possibly for the purpose of running off stock in h

SKY ROCKET CAUSED BAD FIRE IN LONDON

Fell in Lumber Yards With Very Disastrous Results.

SEVERAL BUILDINGS BURNED

Much Lumber, Two Factories and Other Places of Business Were Wiped Out.

Special to The Montreal Star.

London, Ont., May 25.—A boy and a rocket are held responsible for the most serious fire which London has known since the Masonic Temple block was destroyed in 1899.

The conflagration broke out about three o'clock this morning and burned until noon. In its sweep it carried away the splendid big mill of the Dyment and Baker Lumber Company, together with all the machinery and about one million feet of lumber, which was piled in the company's yard on the northeast corner of Bathurst and Wellington streets, causing a total loss to the company of not less than $50,000 and probably $60,000.

The large moulding shop of the London Machine Tool Company was destroyed with a loss of $12,000.

The hardwood lumber yard of Tambling and Jones, in which was stored $3,000 worth of quartered oak, fine birch and other woods, which cost in the neighborhood of $85 a thousand, was cleaned out.

Three freight cars of the Michigan Central, valued at $2,000 and three carloads of agricultural implements, consigned to the Deering Harvester Company of the city, valued at $8,000, were also burnned.

H. Bonser, a wood turner who occupied part of the south end of Diment and Baker's mill, lost $500 worth of tools. He has no insurance.

Besides these losses the Michigan Central roadbed has suffered severely for a couple of hundred feet, where the cars were burned. The rails are warped.

Mr. George Heard, whose residence is immediately next to the mill where the fire broke out, will suffer profitably to the extent of $100 through water, which was poured into his house to save it from the flames. All losses are covered by insurance.

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WANTED— YOUNG GIRL ABOUT 15 OR 16, to assist in light housework in small family; must have references. Apply to 377 St. Antoine st.

WANTED — FIRST CLASS CHAMBERmaid; must be well recommended. Stanley Hotel.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL 12 TO 16 years old to assist landlady in English family; no children; must sleep at home. 753 City Hall avenue.

WANTED — FIRST CLASS PAINTERS at once, first class carriage painters or men who have done painting and decorating on passenger coaches. Apply to Rhodes, Curry and Co., Ltd., Amherst, N. S. 123 3

WANTED — BOSS CARDER. THOroughly experienced in Canadian wools for tweeds, costumes, blankets, yarns, etc. Must be good mixer and color blender. Able to handle help and a worker. Apply, stating experience, references and wages required to Oxford Manufacturing Co., Limited, Oxford, Nova Scotia. 123 6

WANTED — A BRIGHT MAN AS MANUfacturing chemist. A young man, and one who can take an interest in the company preferred. Address with full information The F. F. Dalley Co., Limited, Hamilton, Ont.

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT, NO cooking, one flat. Apply 637 St. Urbain st.

WANTED — PLAIN AND FANCY ironers, starchers and markers. American Steam Laundry, 41 Beaver Hall Hill.

WANTED—FIRST CLASS FUR CUTter for Winnipeg; good wages to right man. Apply 543 St. Urbain st., between 7 and 8 p.m.

WANTED—MAN WITH A1 REFERence as night clerk in hotel; one used to bar and office work. Apply O 4655, Star office.

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WANTED—OFFICE BOY. APPLY ON Friday at room 26, Nordheimer Bldg.

WANTED AN INTELLIGENT MAN (must be able to read and write) as assistant storeman, some experience in packing necessary. Apply Thos. Robertson & Co., Ltd., 642 Craig st., Montreal.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED DINING-room girl. Also lunch-counter girl. G.T.R. Refreshment Rooms.

WANTED—GOOD BUSH MEN TO peel hemlock tan bark and saw logging, wages paid according to experience, from $24 to $32 per month and board. Canada Labor Supply Co., 518 St. James st. Main 3708.

WANTED—AT ONCE, STENOGRAPHer for two hours a day. Dominion Employment Agency, 155 St. James st. Main 1475.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED MAN to do the selling and the purchasing of lumber; must speak French and English. Address P. O. Box 421, Montreal.

WANTED — A YOUNG GIRL AS NURSE, one willing to go to seaside for summer months. Apply with references, 19 Seymour avenue. 123 2

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT FOR small family; highest wages paid. Apply with references, 19 Seymour avenue. 123 2

Office Boy

Wanted. Must be smart and intelligent and write good hand. Apply Advertising Department, Star office. 123 3

WANTED — SMART, INTELLIGENT young man, with some experience, as assistant shipper for heavy hardware store. Apply, stating experience and enclosing copies of references to R 4750, Star Office. 123 3

WANTED — INTELLIGENT YOUNG man as junior invoice clerk; must be a good writer and quick and accurate at figures, with experience in the work. Apply stating where last employed and how long, and enclosing copies of references to R 4761, Star Office. 123 3

WANTED — A COOK FOR A FAMILY of three; no washing. Apply at 4 Cathcart st., before 11 a.m. 123 2

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL SERvant; no children, four in family; no washing. Apply at once to 12 Lorne Crescent. City. 122 2

WANTED — GOOD SCRIPT ENGRAVer, copper plate, a good position for a first class man. Apply R 4761, Star Office.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CIGAR traveller for Lower Provinces, Toronto and West; references required. Address P. O. Box 1056. 122 2

WANTED — EXPERIENCED TABLEgirl to go to the seaside. Apply at 95 Redpath st., between 8 and 9 p.m. 123 2

WANTED — A PARISIAN OR SWISS French maid; references required. Highest wages. Address K 6849, Star Branch Office. 123 3

WANTED — LINEMEN, FOUR GOOD men for transmission line. Apply Ross and Holgate, 80 St. Francois Xavier st.

WANTED — MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSman for smelter plant, good work for capable man. Apply Ross and Holgate, 80 St. Francois Xavier st.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED CHAMbermaid. Apply Vancouver Hotel, 117 Windsor st.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WITH SOME experience in making candy, also young girls for factory. Walker's, 47 University st.

WANTED

Two smart boys for steamship office, $15 per month to start.

Also clerk, one with knowledge of stenography preferred, $40 per month. Apply O. 4690, STAR OFFICE.

WANTED — AT ONCE FOR THE CITY, a first class general servant; good references required. Apply 11 Simpson st. 123 3

WANTED — A GOOD LAUNDRESS TO take a family's washings, no collars or cuffs. 748 Sherbrooke st.

WANTED — FIVE EXPERIENCED TALented amateurs, ladies and gentlemen for dramatic company. Address K 6827, Star Branch Office.

WANTED — 2 ONLY BRIGHT, ACTIVE and intelligent men. Good pay and first class prospects for the men who can fill the bill. Apply M. C. Hutchins, 71a St. James st., Montreal. 123 2

WANTED — TWO STRONG BOYS TO wash bottles. Apply 19 Aylmer st.

WANTED — LAUNDRY FOREMAN FOR Montreal Steam Laundry.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY A TABLEmaid willing to go to the country for summer. Apply 303 Peel st. 123 2

WANTED — BELL BOYS AT ONCE. Apply to the Porter, Bath Hotel.

WANTED — WAITRESSES AND PANtry girls; good wages. 2252 St. Catherine st., in rear of hat store. 123 2

WANTED — CATTLEMEN FOR BRITish ports, weekly; free passage and returns. Apply or enclose stamp for particulars, Canadian Agency, 152 1-2 St. Antoine st., Montreal, authorized agents. 123 3

HORSES, CARRIAGES, ETC.

FOR SALE — HORSE, HARNESS AND rubber tired top buggy; all in good order. To be seen at 7 Hermine st.

WANTED — HORSES TO GRAZE. FOR particulars apply Wildig, Canal Road, Cote St. Paul.

FOR SALE — MAGNIFICENT BAY mare, red-brown, 940 lbs., guaranteed sound. Can be driven safely by lady. 3601 Notre Dame st., St. Henri.

FOR SALE — CHESTNUT GELDING, 6 years old, 16 hands, city broken, double and single harness; no fault. Apply to stable 289 Stanley st., Montreal.

FOR SALE— A HANDSOME RUNABOUT, made by Smith and Murphy, Richmond, Virginia, cost $250; will sell for $130 cash; can be seen at Michael Stafford's Boarding Stables, 50 Drummond st., or enquire at 56 Drummond st.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

WARRANTS AN INVESTIGATION.— Recently patented in Canada and U. S., an automatic freight elevator for handling any kind of merchandise from ships, railway cars and drays, to deliver goods on any floor in building direct; no hand trucking or extra handling. Will sell patent right of Canada, or will let reliable firm handle on a royalty. O 4698, Star office.

FOR SALE — HOTEL IN A GOOD, central commercial place, selling account giving up business, terms cash. For full particulars address L 4529, Star Office. 123 3

I WANT TEN INVESTORS OF ABOUT two thousand each, to come in on the ground floor. Prefer men of large business capacity and experience. Payments may be spread over a year. All other stock will be sold at par. This is a gilt-edge industrial proposition for manufacturing a staple article in large demand. Splendid dividends assured. Stock company has now been running eight months. Require a capable vice-president to act as president, and two directors. Must have a strong board. Have salaried positions for a few qualified investors. R 4754, Star Office. 123 1

SUMMER BOARD WANTED.

WANTED — GOOD SUMMER BOARD IN the country for a family where there is boating, would prefer where no other boarders are kept. Give price for adult per week. Address K 6825, Star Branch Office. 123 3

SITUATIONS WANTED.

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WANTED — ENGLISH WOMAN, YOUNG, seeks daily employment, good plain cook or tablemaid, etc, 200 St. Antoine st., Montreal.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED COOK RESsires position where kitchenmaid is kept, private house or summer resort. Address K 6781, Star Branch Office. 123 2

WANTED — POSITION BY CAPABLE woman, all round cook, cafe or hotel. Good on short orders. 5 Balmoral st.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, EXPERIENCed stenographer, wants position. Address K 6793, Star Branch Office. 123 2

WANTED — POSITION IN CAFE OR restaurant by respectable woman, first class on pastry and short orders. K 6792, Star Branch Office.

WANTED — BY RESPECTABLE GIRL, age 20, nurse to young child and assist with light housework, would go to country; good reference. Address K 6791, Star Branch Office. 123 2

WANTED — BY MIDDL

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WANTED — PRACTICAL JOB DYER and cleaner, must thoroughly understand both branches and furnish references. Good pay to the right man. Apply B 2810, Star Office. 97 26

WANTED — $3 PER DAY TO INDUSTRIOUS men in every locality, introducing our goods and distributing our advertising matter; steady employment to reliable men! no experience needed, write at once for particulars. Bradley-Garretson Company, Limited, Brantford. 102 26

WANTED — YOUNG WOMEN TO ENter training school for nurses. Address Matron, The Jordan Hospital, Plymouth, Mass., U.S.A. 116 12

WANTED — GENTLEWOMAN WISHES position as housekeeper, useful companion or home helper, thoroughly domesticated, useful age 50, excellent references. E. Margerison, Hollymoorside, Chesterfield, England. 120 6

WANTED — EXPERIENCED NURSE TO take charge of baby eight months old Apply stating references, to H, Post office Box A., St. John, New Brunswick 120 3

WANTED — FARM HANDS, SWEDES, Austrians, Germans, carpenters and others. Dominion Employment Agency, 155 St. James st. 120 6

WANTED FIRST-CLASS PRESS FEEDers for cylinder and Platen presses Apply Manager Printing Dept., Morton, Phillips and Co., 253 St. Nicholas Street. 121 3

WANTED EXPERIENCED TYPEwriter, to commence the 1st of June. Apply 74 McTavish st. 121 3

WANTED — FIRST CLASS STENOgrapher for railway office. In addition to being good shorthand writer must also write good long hand. Only young men need apply. Address H 6616, Star Branch Office. 121 4

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT, having good references, for a family of two; no washing or ironing, good wages to competent girl. Apply 444 Prince Albert avenue, Westmount. 121 3

WANTED — AT ONCE FOR TWO OR three weeks, also a good plain cook, also for steady engagement, a smart boy or girl to answer door bell and be generally useful. 92 Union avenue 121 6

WANTED — MEN AND WOMEN LEARN barber trade; catalogues mailed free; shave, 2 to 15, hair cut 15 to 25. Montreal Barber College, 294 Craig st. 121 5

WANTED — A YOUNG MAN FOR INvoicing and typewriter, must understand it thoroughly and be quick at figures. Apply at once to The Standard Shirt Mfg. Co. 121 3

WANTED — SICK NURSE REQUIRES engagement as companion to invalid lady or gentleman, French and English, good testimonials. K 4154, Star Office. 121 3

SMART BOY

Wanted a smart, bright boy to work around an office and go messages; good pay to the right boy. Apply Star Branch Office, corner Peel and St. Catherine sts. 122 3

WANTED — OPERATORS IN UNDERskirt department. Apply at once to John P. Black and Co., Ltd., 153 Vitre st. 121 3

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT FOR family of three, good general servant, no washing or ironing. Apply at No. 336 Wood avenue. 122 4

WANTED — YOUNG LADY FOR OFFICE, with some experience on typewriter, must write good hand. Apply L 4559, Star Office. 122 2

WANTED — A THOROUGHLY EXPERIenced woman for office work, speaking and writing both languages. Apply The Canada Finance Co., 103 St. Francois Xavier, st. 122 3

WANTED — SMART YOUNG MAN AS auctioneer's clerk, must be rapid writer and correct at figures. Apply M 4573, Star Office. 122 2

WANTED — YOUR SPARE TIME AND leisure moments can be turned into money. Send stamp for particulars, North American Realty Co., 513 Columbus avenue, New York City. 122 6

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL SERvant for a small family. Apply in evening 1484 Park avenue. 122 3

WANTED— STEADY MAN TO RECEIVE and check goods and take charge of stock room, willing to learn die machine cutting. Must have good references. Apply Tooke Bros., Ltd., 402 St. Elizabeth ave., St Henry. 122 3

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, A HOUSEgehlemaid to go to the country. Apply to Mrs. Marler, 288 Peel st. 122 2

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT, good pay. Apply 98 University st. 121 3

WANTED — AT ONCE A GOOD SERvant girl for general housework; good wages, comfortable home. Apply at once 427 Argyle ave., Westmount. 121 3

WANTED — SITUATIONS AND OPENings in Winnipeg and the Canadian North-West can be found by advertising in, and replying to, advertisements in the Free Press, Winnipeg. It contains every day almost two columns of "Situations Vacant" advertisements. Sample copy free. Address Free Press, Winnipeg. 69 156eod

WANTED — CIGAR MAKERS APprentices. Wanted at once cigar makers apprentices. Apply No. 29 St. Peter st. 119 3eod

WANTED — WASHING AND IRONING by the day, house cleaning. Address 2, in rear of 38 Alexander st. 121 3 3aw

WANTED — $5.00 PER DAY SELLING "Auto-Spray." Best compressed-air hand sprayer made. Absolute necessity for every farm and garden. Secure territory immediately. Write for particulars and sample macoline. Cavers Bros., Galt, Ont. 18 78eod

WANTED SALESMAN TO REPRESENT a successful business enterprise, composed of prominent Pittsburgers. An energetic, ambitious man can make a large amount of money. Address Geo. Hale, Bessemer Building, Pittsburg, Pa. 119 3eod

WANTED — $3 A DAY SURE. SEND US your address and we will show you how to make $2 a day absolutely sure; we furnish the work and teach you free; you work in the locality where you live. Send us your address and we will explain the business fully; remember we guarantee a clear profit of $3 for every day's work; absolutely sure; don't fail to write to-day. Imperial Silverware Co., Box 702, Windsor, Ont. 370 156eod

WANTED — MEN HAVING LARGE ACquaintance, foremen in factories and men of influence employed in the large city stores, etc., can easily make $25 a week extra money by representing a prominent Montreal Company in their spare time; it will pay to investigate this. Address S 2812, Star Office. 114 5 3aw

WANTED — PROFITABLE EMPLOYment, full time or part. Prompt pay. Hardy stock delivered early. Write for our liberal terms. Brown Brothers Co., Nurserymen, Ltd., Brown Nurseries, Ontario. 103 26eod

WANTED — ENERGETIC MEN OF good character to sell for the Fonthill Nurseries. Previous experience not essential. Steady work. Liberal pay. Handsome outfit free. Apply at once, Stone & Wellington, Toronto. 98 eod tf

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL TO TAKE care of baby. Call 132 Tupper st.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY A YOUNG girl for light housework; must sleep at home. 53 St. Mark st.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN WITH BUSIness experience and knowledge of bookkeeping, to take charge of books, collection of accounts and to act as secretary-treasurer in a going concern, doing a profitable business; must be prepared to invest from 5 to 10 thousand. Address J 6750, Star Branch Office. 123 2eod

WANTED — A BOY FOR GORDON pressed, experienced. Apply 4 Donegana st., off Windsor st.

WANTED — A YOUNG GIRL FOR BINDery. Apply 4 Donegana st., off Windsor street.

WANTED — ALL INTELLIGENT, RELIable men, seeking pleasant employment on salary or commission are advised to write now to G. Marshall and Co., Tea Importers, London, Ont.

WANTED — A GIRL FOR ICE CREAM parlour. Apply 2216 St. Catherine st. G. Nicholas and Co.

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WANTED — LADIES AND GENTLEmen to buy our ready made or made to order clothing on easy terms, at same prices as they would pay cash. American Outfitters, 246 St. Lawrence st. 120 35

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade. Eight weeks average time required. Wages Saturdays while learning $10 to $15 weekly guaranteed when through. Illustrated catalogues mailed free. Moler's Barber College, 131 Prince st., New York City. 121 6

WANTED — A NURSE GIRL FOR THE the country. H 4377, Star Office. 121 4

WANTED — TENDERS FOR THE REmoval of sand. St. James's Club 121 4

WANTED — JUNIOR DRUG CLERK, with two or three years' experience and speaking French and English; references required. Ramsay's Pharmacy, Lachine 121 4

ACTIVE AGENTS WANTED

CANADIAN CASUALTY AND BOILER INSURANCE COMPANY.

ANSON H. CAMPBELL, General Agent, 65, Liverpool & London & Globe Building, Montreal.

WANTED — A YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST with light housework, must have references. Apply 418 Wood ave.

WANTED — A COOK TO GO TO COcoana the 18th of June. Apply Mrs. Frank Caverhill, the Windsor Hotel.

WANTED — A GENERAL SERVANT for family of three. Apply No. 9 Lincoln avenue.

WANTED — TWO YOUNG GIRLS WANTed at once to serve ice cream at Boston Ice Cream Parlour, No. 58 St. Lawrence Main. Good wages be paid in regular job.

WANTED — A GENERAL SERVANT, three in family, no children 122 Stanley st.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY AN UPper housemaid for the country; must be willing to assist laundress; city references required. Apply at 1129 Sherbrooke st.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED CLUB waiter. Apply Montreal Club, 4 Hospital st.

WANTED — YOUTH FOR FACTORY. Good wages. Apply to R. A. Somers, 95 King st. 123 2

WANTED — A GENERAL SERVANT AT once, family three, good wages, must understand plain cooking. Apply 142 Bishop street. 123 2

WANTED — FIRST CLASS LADY WAITresses, also a good scrubbing woman, best salary paid in the city. Apply at St. James Hotel 123 2

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL SERvant, one willing to go to the country. Apply with references to 144 Bishop st. 123 3

WANTED — A SMART MESSAGE BOY Good salary. 111 Bleury st.

WANTED — A GOOD GENERAL SERvant with references. Apply 879 Park avenue, corner St. Viateur, Annex.

WANTED — IMPROVERS, WITH SOME experience in shop work. Hill Electric Switch Co., 1320 St. Lawrence st. 122 3

WANTED — A SMART GIRL FROM 18 to 22, to attend door and phone and make herself generally useful at 68 Beaver Hall Hill.

WANTED — BRIGHT YOUTH, 15 TO 17 years old, for office work, good prospects. N 4622, Star Office. 123 2

WANTED — WELL EDUCATED YOUNG lady as teacher. Apply in person, Moon's Syllabic Shorthand and Business College, Karn Hall, 2262 St. Catherine st. 123 3

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED — POSITION AS STENOgrapher, having had no experience; salary no object to start with. Apply (Miss) I. M. Wilson, Coaticook, Que. 112 15

WANTED — FINE ACCORDEON PLEATing done in a short time, work guaranteed, material prepared without charge. Address 382 Craig st., in front Viger square. 118 6

WANTED — A PARTNERSHIP IN A first class hotel, restaurant or boarding house, by a thoroughly experienced chef, proficient in all branches, having capital and portable kitchen utensils, both steam and electric power and holding four years' first class Montreal references. Address E 6450, Star Branch Office. 119 6

WANTED — MRS. BULLOCK, SHORThand Institute, 16 Osborne. Open all summer, day and evening tuition. 119 6

WANTED — POSITION AS STENOgrapher, having had no experience; salary no object to start with. Apply (Miss) I. M. Wilson, Coaticook, Que. 111 15

WANTED — HOUSE PAINTING, DEcorating, plastering, tinting and paper hanging, glazing, charges very low. Address W. E. David, 616a Dorchester st 123 6

WANTED — F. H. CLARKE & SONS, the practical landscape gardeners, gardens laid out and taken care of and grass cut by week, month or season, at lowest possible terms, also light and heavy carting of all descriptions. Ask for our price before going elsewhere and be convinced that we are the cheapest first class gardeners in the city. Grading and sodding our specialty. 385 Victoria avenue, Bell Tel. Mouna 1079. 120 6

WANTED — PAINTING, PAPER HANGing, decorating, white washing, plastering, etc. Apply B. Wasserman, 303 Cadieux.

WANTED — PAINTING, DECORATING, paper hanging, whitewash and plastering; charges moderate. Drop card to M. Labis, 141 St. Lawrence. Telephone E. 2884. 120 6

WANTED — BOOKKEEPING, SHORThand, typewriting, in evenings. English, French and German translations, by well educated reliable man, having typewriter of his own. Address D 4152, Star Office. 120 6

WANTED— A SITUATION WANTED BY a Chinese cook and also by dish washer. Apply 34 Burnside Place. 120 6

WANTED — JOBBING JEWELLER AND engraver, 13 years experience in United States; excellent references. Address F. M. Leitheiser, P. O. Box 321, New Brunswick, N. J. 120 4

WANTED — CHEF AND WIFE, WITHout encumbrance, seek place in private family of management of hotel; best references. Write M 3567, Star Office. 118 6

WANTED — A SITUATION AS HOUSEmaid or general servant; no washing. City references. Address J 6717, Star Branch Office. 121 3

WANTED — TRAVELLER WANTS SIDE lines, blouses, overalls, or lines of dry goods, east or west of Toronto. Box 79, Star Office, Ottawa. 121 3

WANTED — LADY DESIRES POSITION of companion to elderly lady. Address "L., Hospice St. Antoine," Longueuil, Q. 121 5

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, 19, WANTS position as driver of automobile; one year's experience in London, England, city or country; not particular. Apply by letter or person, H. T., 98 St. Famille st. 122 4

WANTED— BY A CLERGYMAN'S daughter, position as mother's help, the care of a child or invalid, or as useful companion; experienced good mender and sewer. Address J 6769, Star Branch office. 122 4

WANTED — PLACES FOR SWEDES, Austrians, Italians, etc., on public works, railways, etc. Dominion Employment Agency, 155 St. James st. Main 1475. 120 6

WANTED — SITUATION IN CANADA, country girl, early riser, cook, wash, iron, waits, understands housework; abstainer; good character; 1½ year. Agency, 71 Fortune Gate Road, Harlesden, London. 121 13

WANTED — BY CHINESE SITUATION as good cook in family or boarding house. Apply 56 Jurors st. 121 4

WANTED — EXPERIENCED TRAVELler, with horse and rig, wants situation, city or country, speaking both languages; A1 references. Address P. O. Box 2386, city. 121 3

WANTED — POSITION BY CHINESE boy cook in family or restaurant Address 205 Cadieux st.

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WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST class Chinese cook, for family; wages $6 and $10 week. Address 55 Windsor st. 121 3

WANTED — LUMBERMAN, POSITION wanted as business assistant by bookkeeper and general office man, with practical experience, from stump to sorting shed, wishes a position where ability would ensure promotion and permanency; age 31, references. Address E 4206, Star Office 121 5

WANTED — W. BALL, JUST COME from England, want a place as coachman or groom, well experienced, willing to do anything. 519 St. James st. 121 4

WANTED — YOUNG LADY STENOgraphic wants position, recent graduate, capable, aims to satisfy. Please write or call, using address M. I. V., 407 Aqueduct st. 121 2eod

WANTED — A GOOD SEAMSTRESS wants work at her own home, or would go out in families. Apply Seamstress, No. 1729a Ontario st. 123 2

WANTED — BLACKSMITH, MACHINE forger and toolsmith. Address O. D. D., 25 Garnier st.

WANTED — A POSITION AS NURSE TO one child, willing to go to country or seaside; best of references. Address B., 627 Wellington st.

WANTED — WHO GIVES A CHANCE TO an ambitious young man who wants to see himself hustling again. The same is German American, well educated, acquainted with bookkeeping, accurate and quick with figures, handy with machinery, and has 1st class references. Address N 4610, Star Office.

WANTED — HOUSE PAINTING, DEcorating, plastering, tinting and paper hanging, glazing, charges very low. Address W. E. David, 616a Dorchester st 123 6

BUSINESS CHANCES.

GENERAL STORE BUSINESS PROPOSItion. I offer for sale my business at Battleford, Saskatchewan. This well known business has been operated profitably for over twenty years; my sole reason for disposing of it is to enable me to devote my whole time and attention to the development of my Saskatoon business. Amount of stock around $30,000. The price of stock is cost laid down at Battleford, the real estate connected with the running of the store at valuation as in my books. If purchaser prefers an arrangement could be made for renting the premises. Terms half cash, balance spring, say about nine months, secured notes, with eight per cent. interest. This is an opportunity that seldom occurs of securing a going concern of a profitable nature. Principals only dealt with. Intending purchasers producing credentials of their bona fides and ability to carry out the financial obligation will be given access to books. References any wholesale firm in Winnipeg. Bradstreet's or Dun's agencies. James Wink skill, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. 118 18

A LARGE MANUFACTURING BUSINESS in active operation for the last thirty years, can be purchased for cash payment of $75,000 and balance arranged for on easy payments. Present sales amount to $600,000 per annum. Heirs of the estate prefer making sale on easy terms of payment rather than continue in business. This is an exceptional opportunity. Address Box 104, Montreal Star, Toronto 120 6

FOR SALE — A FIRST CLASS DINING room centrally located, near Grand Trunk and Windsor stations, will be sold at a bargain to prompt purchaser, a gold mine to right party, good reasons for selling. Apply to 461 St. James st. 121 7

Saw Mills and Lumber Lands FOR SALE.

The Drummond Lumber Company are going out of business, and offer their saw mills at Daveluyville and wood lands on the Becancour River for sale. A good chance to get an old established business at a bargain. For full particulars address the manager of the company, Jos. Patrick, Daveluyville, Que. 121 2 eod

BIGGEST OPPORTUNITY EVER OFFERed to a gentleman understanding photography, having his own outfit, a few hundred dollars and time to himself; good chance for a delicate person to be at seaside for summer months, doing remunerative business in something new, a London craze; sure $1000 net in two months. Address at once F 4251, Star Office. 120 3 3aw

HOTEL-RESTAURANT FOR SALE.

Between $10,000 and $15,000 yearly profits, very heart of city. Owner going to Europe. Address: Pelissier, Wilson & St. Pierre, Main 2173. 117 5eod

WANTED — PARTNER, WITH $4000 TO invest in business to manufacture an article in constant demand and earns good profit. Apply L 4530, Star Office.

FOR SALE — $4000 FACTORY, IN running order, big daily demand for goods, party meaning business can make good returns if proper attention given; other lines could be added. N 4601, Star Office. 123 3

FOR SALE — SMALL MILK ROUND, horse, rig and sleigh. Apply 74 Sebastopol st., Pt. St. Charles.

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JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. Bell Tel. Main 1404. Merchants Tel. 95. For sale licensed restaurant, St. James st., near Star Office, very moderate price. Also two others in the centre of the city, to be sold at a sacrifice. 123 2eod

JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. For sale a cigar store, St. Catherine st. west a real bargain, $300, easy terms. Also cigar and tobacco stores, barber shops and grocery stores, in all parts of the city. 123 2eod

JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. For sale licensed restaurant, Maisonneuve, $3500; another in St. Henry, $4500; another in St. Cunegonde, $2500; another in Mile End, $5000. All on easy terms. Headquarters for bargains in the hotel line. 123 2eod

JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. Readers of the Star, strangers who are looking for investment will do well to call upon us. Our long experience in the line of business chances, we think, can be of some advantage to you. 123 2eod

JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. For sale: Great opportunity, long established foundry, situated at Maisonneuve, with real estate, including machinery, all in perfect running order, at a sacrifice, $25,000 cash; will lease the property if the buyer would prefer. 123 2eod

JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. For sale: Great opportunity, cigar store near Post Office, extra location, first class clientele; sublets part of store for full amount of rent. Price $2200; easy terms. A true bargain. 123 2eod

JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. For sale boarding house, Main street, 14 rooms, all furnished, with modern conveniences, 14 boarders; rent $40; five years' lease, clears $100 a month. Price $1200. Rare opportunity for quick buyer. 123 2eod

JOHNSON & DUCLOS, 62 ST. JAMES ST. For sale steam laundry, central location, with all modern machinery and conveniences, doing first class business; low rent, $15, with stable and yard; will sell at a sacrifice, leaving city. Worth while investigating. 123 2eod

PUPILS WANTED.

WANTED — VOICE PLACING, SINGING, and tone building Corey's Studio Karn Hall, 2262 St. Catherine st. 121 5

WANTED — SHORTHAND (ISAAC PITman), touch typewriting, advantages of individual instruction combined with practical business training, open all summer, day and evening. W. Harries's Academy and Commercial Institute, 2749 St. Catherine st.

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE — FURNITURE, CARPETS, refrigerators, hall stoves, kitchen ranges, office furniture, for cash or credit. H. A. Wilder and Co., 208 St. James, 2415 St. Catherine, 2030 Notre Dame st. 227 tf

FOR SALE — ON EASY TERMS, AT cash prices, all kinds household furniture, stoves, carpets, oilcloths, refrigerators, go-carts, etc. Goods kept until wanted. Universal Furniture Co., 543 Craig st. 76 52

FOR SALE — IF YOU WANT AN UP TO date ready made, or made to order suit, or ladies' costume, or skirt waist suit, on easy terms, go to American Outfitters, 246 St. Lawrence st. 76 52

FOR SALE — BEFORE BUYING YOUR stoves, don't fail to pay us a visit. It is all to your advantage. New stoves from $11 up; 250 secondhand stoves, which must be sold to make room for others, price $1 up, steel stoves a specialty, sole manufacturers in Montreal of the celebrated Granite stove. J. & P. Dasignon, 1064 Ontario st., opposite Church of the Sacred Heart. 89 41f

FOR SALE — ON EASY PAYMENTS furniture, carpets, stoves, go-carts, etc., etc. The J. S. Prince Co., 33 St. Lawrence st. 190 312

FOR SALE — 2 AND 3 PLY READYroofing, tarred felt, coal tar, roofing pitch, asphalt cement, shingle varnish, etc. We don't belong to any combine, therefore we can sell cheaper. The National Coal Tar Co., 21 Wellington st. Main 2992. 103 32

FRAMES

and mirrors repaired promptly and at reasonable rates. Malone Moulding & Framing Co., 48 Beaver Hall Hill. 116 37

FOR SALE — ONE SET OF THE "LIBrary of Oratory," in perfect order, half morocco binding, at half price, to quick cash buyer. Address M 3611, Star Office. 118 6

FOR SALE — NEW MODEL, NO. 44, Massey, $47. Comfort tires $2 each. New rear wheel, with new Morrow brake, four dollars. Bicycle Munson, Toronto. 119 26

FOR SALE — ONE NINE-FILE LETTER cabinet Globe-Wernicke make, good as new. Apply A. W. Robinson, 14 Phillips square 121 4

FOR SALE — BY AUCTION ON FRIday morning, at Fraser Bros' Auctioneers, 453 St. James st., a lot of printers' ladders, scaffolds, ropes, pulleys, etc. 122 2

FOR SALE — FULL SIZED ENGLISH billiard table, made by Burroughs & Watts, London England, complete, with ivory balls, Pyramid life pool marking board, cues, etc., etc., all in first class order, owner making picture gallery out of billiard room; cheap to prompt purchaser. Apply to D. Nightingale, 1742 Notre Dame street 122 3

FOR SALE — AN OTTO 10 HORSE GAS engine, remodelled. Address 10 St Peter st. 122 4

FOR SALE — INCUBATORS YOU CAN buy Chatham incubators, fanning mills by yearly payments. Write for catalogue free. Cote and Co., 7 St. Peter st., Montreal 109 15eod

FOR SALE — AT OUR NEW TAILORING parlours in Mechanics' Hall Building, the choicest of seasonable goods, inspection invited. Hugh Ross, Merchant Tailor, 204 St. James st.

FOR SALE — BELL UPRIGHT PIANO, full compass, 4 pedals and various instrumental attachments, very little used. Price only $240, on easy terms of payment. Call or write, Layton Bros., 144 Peel st. 123 2eod

FOR SALE — UP-TO-DATE PIANO, CABinet Grand, 3 pedals, full compass, only used a few months, cost $450, will be sold at a great bargain. For full particulars address J 6760, Star Branch Office. 123 2eod

FOR SALE — 14K SOLID GOLD HUNTing case watch, P. S. Bartlet movement, cost $75, for $30. Also gold filled watch. Apply 188 Elgin st. 123 3

FOR SALE

An Astronomical Telescope. Also 14k gold Repeater Watch. Apply 601 Craig St. 123 2eod

Automobile

Large side entrance touring automobile, painted green, with 15 horse power motor climber in front, sliding gears, three speeds forward and reverse, honeycomb radiator, cooled by a high speed fan, full equipment lamps horn, spare parts, etc., etc. Guaranteed for three months. Apply to 59 Alexander st., Montreal. 123 6

MISCELLANEOUS.

DOCTOR DE SALES PREVOST, SPEcialist, Paris, eyes, ears, nose, throat. Consultations 1 to 4. Free consultations for poor Tuesday, Friday, 10 to noon. 402 Sherbrooke st 120 2 2aw

TOM HOP LEE LAUNDRY HAS MOVED from 2406 St. Catherine st., to 3513 St. Catherine st., first class Chinese Laundry. 103 26

A NEW FIRST CLASS CHINESE RESTaurant will be opened by Wing Hing at 818 Dorchester street, opposite St. James Club House on May 20th, dining rooms open day and night. Moderate prices. A cordial invitation extended to all. 115 12

NOTICE — APPLICATION HAS BEEN made to the Corporation of the City of Montreal for leave to erect addition to stable at No. 45 Latour st., Dominion Express Co. 122 2

CALIFORNIA CHINESE CAFE, 196 Bleury st., Montreal, open May 25th, day and night, 1st class meals and chop suey at all hours. Sun Chong, Prop. 121 12eod

TO PHOTOGRAPHERS. — HIGH GRADE water colors and pastels. Specialty: coloured bromides. Have an attractive sample made. Don't have your prints spoiled by amateurs. Call at studio, room 12, 1613 Notre Dame st., one block east of Main, 9 to 12 a.m., 2 to 6 p.m. 119 3eod

I, EMERY CARBONNEAU, WILL NOT BE responsible for any debts contracted in my name without a written order, signed by me, after this notice. Montreal, May 18th, 22 Grant lane. 117 3 1aw

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED — IN THE HIGH SCHOOL OF Quebec a Science Master, University graduate preferred; salary $300 per annum; duties to begin September next. Applications with testimonials, etc., will be received until June 8th, by the undersigned. T. Ainslie Young, Sec.-Treas., High School of Quebec. 116 10

WANTED — TEN PROTESTANT teachers for elementary schools in Municipality of Eaton, commencing first September; salary $18 to $22, according to qualification. Apply before 9th June. A. F. Swan, Secretary-Treasurer, Birchton, P. Q. 119 4 3aw

LOST.

LOST — WILL THE PERSON THAT picked up the pocketbook at the corner of Bleury and St. Catherine sts. on Saturday afternoon, kindly return to the girl that sells the papers on the corner. 121 4

LOST — ON SUNDAY GOLD ARROW brooch, set with pearls and diamonds. Return and receive reward. 269 University street. 121 2eod

LOST — AT THE WESTMOUNT GUN Club Grounds, 24th May, roll of bills, containing $66, five, tens and one. Finder write O 4658, Star Office. Liberal reward.

LOST — WEDNESDAY, MAY 24TH, DIAmond ring, three stones, from 35 Dufresne st., St. Catherine to 83 Iberville st. Finder rewarded at 38 Dufresne st.

FOUND.

FOUND — A SKIFF FLOATING IN RIVer. Owner can have same by paying expenses. Apply 26 Congregation st. 121 3

FOUND — ANY CABMAN WHO LOST A blanket can enquire at No. 1 Chesterfield ave. 122 2

ROOMS TO LET.

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ROOM — NICELY FURNISHED, SUITable for gentlemen, Auer light. 74 Anderson st. 118 5

PRACTICE ROOMS and SMALL HALL (seating capacity about one hundred). With use of Grand Piano. Post and st. Catherine Sts. Will rent EVENINGS and SUNDAYS. Very moderate terms. H, 9500 Star Branch Office. 06 107

ROOM — EVERY COMFORT, IN A first class house, few doors off Sherbrooke st. Transients accommodated. 48 Durocher st. 118 6

ROOMS — TO LET TWO BEAUTIFULLY furnished rooms, electric light; gentlemen only. 17 St. Mark st. 119 6

ROOM — TO LET LARGE DOUBLE front room, also a back parlour. Apply 55 Union avenue 119 7

ROOMS — UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR the summer months at Mount Royal Vale, suitable for light housekeeping; no children, terms moderate. Address F 6512, Star Branch Office. 119 6

ROOMS — BATH FLAT, PARLOUR flat, furnished or unfurnished; breakfast if desired, enamel bath, hot water; refined family. 893 Palace st. 119 5

ROOMS — DOUBLE AND TWO SINGLE rooms, well furnished, Auer light, private family, breakfast if required. Telephone East 680. 24 St. Famille st. 119 6

ROOMS — GOOD CHANCE FOR BOARDers Walshe's, 172 St. Lawrence. Terms $3.50 to $4; central locality; double and single rooms. Good accommodation. 119 6

ROOM — DOUBLE FRONT, SUITABLE for two gentlemen; also single room, light, first floor, right hand bell. 20 Drummond st. 120 6

ROOMS — TWO LARGE ROOMS, NEWLY furnished, with board, in private English family, above St. Catherine, electric light and phone. Particulars H 6630, Star Branch Office. 120 6

ROOMS — WELL FURNISHED ROOMS with or without board. Mrs. J. Dixon Stowell, 725 Sherbrooke st. Tel. Up 3245. 120 6

ROOMS — TWO DOUBLE FURNISHED front rooms, private family, first and second floor. 432 West Notre Dame. 120 6

ROOMS — BRIGHT ROOMS, WITH PRIvate English family, on the lake front at Dixie, four minutes from station. H 4385, Star Office. 121 3

ROOMS — LARGE DOUBLE ROOMS, very well furnished, all modern conveniences, central locality; terms moderate. Phone Uptown 3349. 121 3

ROOM — LARGE ROOM, NEAR C. P. and G. T stations, for one or two gentlemen 132 Cathedral st. 121 3

ROOM — FURNISHED FRONT ROOM TO let, suitable for ladies, with all conveniences, rent $7. 93 Mansfield st. 121 3

ROOMS — A SPLENDID DOUBLE PARlour, with boudoir, newly furnished, everything first class; modern house. 376 Lagauchetiere st., second door from St. Denis st. 121 4

ROOMS — TO LET TWO LARGE double rooms on bathroom flat, and one single room on third flat, newly furnished, all modern conveniences. 95 University st. 121 4

ROOM — AT 52 VICTORIA ST., FIRST class house, Auer light, hot water, phone, private family. 121 6

ROOM — LARGE FRONT PARLOUR, AS bedroom, newly furnished, modern in every respect, comfort assured. Address 79 Drummond st. 121 5

ROOMS — FURNISHED OR UNFURnished rooms to let on bath flat, 84 Richmond square. 121 3

ROOMS — TO LET, FURNISHED OR UNfurnished. Apply 4117 St. Catherine st., Mrs. Ashley. 121 3

ROOMS — NICELY FURNISHED, ON bathroom flat, all modern conveniences; gentlemen only. 22 University st. 121 3

ROOM — TO LET NICE LARGE ROOM, hot water. Apply 1787 Ontario st. 121 3

ROOMS — FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, bright front room, on bath flat, also single room, Auer light, for gentlemen. 93 University st. 121 3

ROOMS — ONE LARGE DOUBLE PARlour and boudoir, furnished or unfurnished, in a small private family, very nice locality, Esplanade avenue, facing the mountain, one minute from Park avenue cars. All modern improvements. M 4559, Star Office. 122 4

ROOMS — IN A LARGE, WELL FURnished house, good family; no children. 21 St. Famille st., near Sherbrooke st. 122 5

ROOMS — TO LET THREE LARGE AND well furnished rooms at No. 20 St. Lawrence st., Longueuil 122 3

ROOMS — FURNISHED, SUITABLE FOR married couple or one or two gentlemen. Apply 760 Palace st. 122 4

ROOM —VERY LARGE FRONT ROOM, newly furnished, every convenience, electric light, central locality; rent moderate. Apply 25a Belmont st. 122 3

ROOMS — TWO FURNISHED FRONT rooms in strictly private home; good neighbourhood, close in. Gentlemen only. Breakfast if desired. H 4355, Star Office. 121 2eod

ROOMS—TO LET ONE LARGE DOUBLE room, furnished, on middle flat, and one small single room, furnished, on bathroom flat; board if desired; private family; gentlemen only. 13 Shuter st. 121 2eod

ROOMS — COMFORTABLY FURNISHED room for gentlemen only. No. 1 McGill College avenue. 121 2eod

ROOM — FURNISHED ROOM, 136 METcalfe st. 121 2eod

ROOMS — LARGE PARLOUR BEDROOM piano, Auer light and telephone, well furnished; also double bedroom. 18 Hanover street. 121 2eod

ROOMS — TWO COMFORTABLY FURnished rooms, sitting room and double bedroom, folding doors; piano if desired. $10 a month each. 82 University st. 121 2eod

ROOM — A COMFORTABLE, BED-SITting room, with or without housekeeping privileges, in a quiet refined house; off Mackay st. 19 Overdale avenue. Tel. Up 3144. 121 3 eod

ROOM— FURNISHED ROOM IN STRICTly private family, suitable for a young lady or gentleman. 42 Torrance st.

ROOM — FURNISHED ROOM ON BATHroom flat, suitable for one or two gentlemen. Address 440 St. Antoine st. 122 2

ROOMS — BEAUTIFUL, DOUBLE AND single rooms, nicely furnished, house all newly papered, etc., Auer light, telephone, hot water heating, wardrobe, private family; no children; on Mackay st., near St. Catherine st. Apply at S 3814, Star Office. 123 3

ROOM — COMFORTABLY FURNISHED room for gentleman. Phone, gas. 408 Burnside Place, off Guy st., near LaCorona Hotel 123 2

ROOMS — ON MANCE STREET, NEAR Sherbrooke, double or single, furnished or unfurnished, on bath flat, double parlours, separate or together, on first floor, electric light, hot water, shower bath, use of piano. Particulars at 18 Union avenue. 123 3

ROOM — LARGE FRONT ROOM, WITHout board, for ladies employed during day; private family. 22 City Councillors st.

ROOMS — SINGLE AND DOUBLE, bath floor, newly furnished, modern, kitchen privileges, home comforts; ladies only. 477 Guy st., above St. Catherine.

ROOMS — FIVE BRIGHT, SUNNY rooms, bathroom flat, furnished or unfurnished, good locality, Westmount, very convenient to cars, rent low for summer. N 4615, Star Office. 123 3

ROOM — 31 CHURCH, BRIGHT BEDroom (single), all modern conveniences; terms moderate. 123 2eod

ROOM— TO LET — FURNISHED FRONT room on, bath flat, for gentleman, in private English family. 113 1-2 Bleury st.

ROOM — TO LET LARGE ROOM ON bathroom flat, wardrobe, with sitting room if required, private family, no children, no boarders, near Windsor and Grand Trunk stations. Moderate terms. Apply at No. 161 Versailles st. 123 2eod

ROOMS — TO LET, DOUBLE AND SINgle, furnished or unfurnished, hot water heated, newly decorated. 6 Kinkora avenue off Mackay st. 123 3

SUMMER BOARD.

BOARD—A HOUSE, GOOD VIEW OF Island Lake, open 1st of May; good board; free boat, good fishing. Francis Chartier, Lake Charlebois, St. Marguerite. 113 10

BOARD — REMEMBER BROME LAKE and its surroundings and the new addition to the Lake View House, which will be ready for guests the first of July. Railway service twice a day. 113 15

BOARD — SUPERIOR ACCOMMODAtion, Villa des Cedres, on Lake St. Francis, terms moderate. Address H. Laliumiere, Port Lewis, Que. 115 26

BOARD — FIRST CLASS ACCOMMODAtion at L. Grondines' Hotel, Belmont Ste. Agathe des Monts, Que., near beautiful lake. 115 20

BOARD — WANTED SUMMER BOARDers at Beachville Farm, first class board and rooms, boating, fishing, close to church and Post Office. Address James Armstrong, Lakefield, Que. 119 5

BOARD — WANTED IN A VERY DESIRable farm house one or two boarders for the summer, $7 per week. D 6401, Star Branch Office. 118 6

BOARD — AT LAKESIDE, THE "AVEnue House" is now open and can accommodate a few more guests, every convenience, first class board, close to Lake and Station For terms, etc., apply to W. E. Holder, Lakeside. 120 6

BOARD — THE BELLEVUE HOUSE, Carillon, is now open and under entirely new management, one minute's walk from landing, bus meets all boats and trains. Meals ready on arrival; prompt service, electric light, every convenience; full particulars on applying to Mrs. D. Randall. 120 26

BOARD — A LIMITED NUMBER OF summer boarders can be accommodated at "Maple Cottage" about June 15th For terms, etc., address Mrs. M. Geer, Knowlton, Que. 116 15

ROOMS—AND FIRST CLASS BOARD AT "Chateau Latour, Stoney Point, second house west of Park and Island Railway Terminus, quiet and fine situation, on water front. Call or write Mrs. J. Clifford, Summerlea. 121 6

BOARD — MONTFORT HOTEL, FINEST hotel in Laurentian Mountains, situated on lake side, in chain of lakes, on Great Northern Railroad, 1

International Railway Delegates Entertained in Montreal Last Night

Notable Speeches by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. H. R. Emmerson, C. M. Hays, Sir Chas. Rivers-Wilson and Others—Great Railway Development in Canada—Representative Railway Men From All Over the World.

The foreign delegates to the International Railway Congress, held recently in Washington, have visited Montreal and taken their departure.

They reached the city yesterday afternoon about six o'clock, having taken the day-light trip over the Grand Trunk Railway as far as the Lachine wharf, whence they were conveyed through the rapids in a special steamer.

From Washington the delegates travelled in three luxurbously appointed trains. They numbered fully two hundred.

On arrival at the wharf, carriages were in waiting to convey the visitors to some of the principal points of interest and to give them a drive through Mount Royal Park.

At the Windsor Hotel, accommodation had been reserved for the delegates, and there, later in the evening, a complimentary banquet was tendered them by the representatives of the Canadian railways, who are members of the American section of the International Railway Congress.

The toast list was a very lengthy one, speeches being delivered in either French or English by the following-named gentlemen: Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk Railway, who presided, Hon. H. R. Emmerson, Minister of Railways, Mayor Laporte, Chas. M. Hays, second vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk; M. Ernest Gerard, chief of Cabinet, Belgian Minister of Railways; Rodolph Fane-De-Salis, director of North Staffordshire Railway, of England; M. Ernest Sauvage, chief engineer of the Western Railway, of France; T. H. Rendall, chief goods manager, Great Western Railway, of England; Lieut.-Col. R. Gardiner, R.E., chairman of Madras Railway, India; and M. Emile Hurteau, member Permanent Commission, France.

The toast to the King was the first one honored and this was proposed by Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, who alluded to the enthusiasm with which Victoria Day had everywhere been celebrated throughout Canada.

He also, in apt words, referred to the kingly qualities exhibited by King Edward, some of which had won for him the affection of many foreign countries.

HON. H. R. EMMERSON.

"The International Railway Congress," was proposed by the Hon. Henry R. Emmerson, who, after welcoming the delegates to Canada in behalf of the Government, dwelt at some length with the progress of railroading in Canada.

"The progress of the railways of Canada may, perhaps, be of some interest to you," he said. "It is written in the story of our confederation in 1867, when these Provinces—the British Provinces of North America were confederated into one Dominion. We had at that time 2,278 miles of railway. Midway in the life of this young nation, in the year 1886, we had acquired a railway mileage of some 11,793 miles (Applause.) In 1904, the last year of which we have accurate statistics we had acquired 19,431 miles of railway. (Applause.) This is the growth of 37 years. In addition to that—in addition to the mileage actually constructed, and contracts which have been entered into involving the construction of about 2,500 miles of railway, without taking into consideration or taking into account the great Transcontinental railway project, in which you, Mr. Chairman, have had such a very large measure of interest, and in which you are so prominent—including that great transcontinental track, there are to-day under course of construction or under contract for construction in Canada, 5,600 miles of Railway. (Applause.) When completed this will give us some 25,000 or 26,000 miles of railway in Canada. (Applause.)"

Turning to a consideration of the National Transcontinental Railway, Mr. Emmerson continued:

"For upwards of a year, many surveying parties have been in the field, and a vast amount of information has already been obtained. It was, for example, a question in the minds of many as to whether or not a line could be run between Quebec and Moncton that would be practicable with respect to gradients and curvatures. There need no longer be any doubt on that score. The surveyors have found an excellent route with a maximum grade of four tenths of one per cent. east bound, and six-tenths of one per cent. west bound. The maximum curve will not exceed six degrees.

"When I tell you that the gradients of the Intercolonial are in many places more than one per cent. you will realize the benefits that can be secured to the transportation facilities of Canada by the construction of this new transcontinental line with its magnificent gradients and curves. To realize what this result means to Canada it is only necessary to make a few comparisons from the operating standpoint between the continental and the transcontinental railway. The same power which now hauls 660 tons on the Intercolonial Railway—which is the Government railway of Canada,—will, over the new line, haul 1,260 tons, east bound, and 990 tons west bound.

Every practical railway man present here now knows what that means in its relation to the cost of operation. While it costs the Intercolonial 73 cents per ton between the Quebec Bridge and Moncton, it will cost the Grand Trunk Pacific only 43 cents per ton. (Hear, hear.)

This comparison is based on the assumption that the cost of operation will be the same in both cases; but as a matter of fact under the circumstances affecting the new line, the actual cost will be lower.

Carrying the comparison a step further, it will be seen that ten loaded trains travelling daily in both directions over the new railway between what is known as the Quebec Bridge and Moncton will be run at an annual saving of $2,157,544, as against the cost between these same points over the Intercolonial Railway.

To the ordinary railway man that shows very pointedly the advantages which will be derived to the people of Canada by reason of minimizing the cost of transportation over a line such as the proposed transcontinental railway in comparison with the lines which already exist.

This saving to which I have referred if capitalized at 4 per cent gives the large sum of $53,938,613. In other words, ten trains loaded at their maximum capacity on the transcontinental railway will accomplish what it now requires 34 trains to do on the Intercolonial Railway. (Hear hear.)

Other exceedingly important facts have been ascertained as the result of the explorations made by the surveying parties; for example, it has been ascertained that immense areas of country which are well adapted for settlement and for industrial enterprises, will be traversed by the railway. This is true of both central New Brunswick and of the districts east of Quebec and between that historic city and the new and flourishing city of Winnipeg—the Chicago of Western Canada." (Applause.)

Mr. Emmerson concluded by a brief reference to the principle of state ownership of railways as it has resulted in Canada. "The experiment has been costly and not wholly satisfactory," he said. "The Intercolonial," he added, "could not, in any strict sense, be compared to the state railways of other countries."

MR. T. H. RENDALL.

Mr. T. H. Rendall, chief goods manager, Great Western Railway of England, who responded to the toast of the International Railway Congress, said that "in England when a railway is required the practice is to promote a bill in Parliament, and the next preliminary is to show that a railway is actually required. To that end public evidence has to be given that there is traffic waiting to be moved, and the invariable preamble of the British Railway Act is that 'Whereas it would be to the public benefit.' In Canada and in the United States, we find that the reverse of this state of affairs is the case. The railway is pushed out into the wilderness, into the prairie in advance of civilization. We congratulate many of the gentlemen who are our hosts this evening that the part they are taking in pushing this great continental railway—the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway to completion." (Hear, hear, and enthusiastic applause.)

VISITING DELEGATES

"The Dominion of Canada" was proposed by two distinguished delegates to the International Congress, Messrs. Ernest Sauvage and Mr. Rodolphe Fane-de-Salis. The latter said, in part: "But, gentlemen, there is one thing I should like to mention about the railways, and that is to hint at a difficulty we in England have had with our railway development, that is, a little too much Government interference. Of course as railways have become more and more important in the development of a country, they must be regulated by the Government of that country in the interest of the traders and the country itself, but there is such a thing as so regulating the railways that the traders and not the railway will be the sufferers, and it is to be hoped that, guided by our experience, your statesmen will steer that middle course which, while giving satisfaction to the railway interests of the country will ensure the advantages and rights to the trading public." (Hear, hear.)

SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

Sir Wilfrid, in responding, said, in part: "I deem it a very high privilege that this opportunity is given me of extending my share in earnestly welcoming the distinguished visitors to Canada from all parts of the civilized world, who have honored us with their presence here to-night. Every Canadian will feel proud to know that the International Railway Congress found it possible and advisable to interrupt their labors to pay a short visit to this metropolitan city of our young Dominion of Canada.

"Sir, of all the inventions which have marked the prolific nineteenth century, perhaps there is none which have been so important in result and so truly contributing to the best interests of civilization as the invention by that great man, Stephenson, of the railway.

"The difficulties of locomotion condemned man to remain forever, unless he was very much favored by circumstances—to condemn him, I say, to remain and pass all his life on the spot on which he was born. We know that ignorance has always bred prejudice, and that the want of knowledge from nation to nation has bred prejudice, but I think I can say that the inauguration of railways has changed the face of the earth, and gradually they are accomplishing their mission. Now it is possible for men to know one another, and for nations to become acquainted with one another, and I may say that, thanks to you railway gentlemen, it is now possible to visit other nations of the earth, and now railway locomotion has come to this degree that in their daily race with the sun, railway managers have had to change their time-tables and to retard the hours in their daily circle around the globe.

We cannot hope that you should come from England, from the United States, from Germany, from France, and that you can learn everything in this new country of ours in the way of railway construction. We can be at best but your imitators; we cannot hope to be initiators. We are, as you know, the youngest in the race. We are only a young nation, and I may say truly that we are the youngest of all the civilized nations of the earth. Still we are ambitious, and although we cannot teach you anything, I may say that I may claim for this young nation, and for the people of Canada, that there is no nation on the face of the earth which has done as much, man for man, for railway development, as this young nation of Canada. Perhaps we have not done it for choice; perhaps we have been driven to it from necessity, but whatever may be the cause, it has been accomplished. Our confederation, from the very circumstances in which we are situated, would have remained a union on paper, and on paper alone, but for our development. The magnitude of our territory, and the smallness of our population would have made our union but a rope of sand if it had not been supplemented by the steel and iron rails and ties which have strengthened the scattered elements of our country and made of them, as they are to-day, a compact whole; but, sir, no private enterprise, no private energy, no private capital would have been adequate for the work had not the Canadian people put their hands in their pockets, and put it deep in order to help private enterprise and private energy. (Applause.)

THE PIONEER OF RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.

Sir, you know better than any one because you belong to the great corporation which is known on this continent as the Grand Trunk Railway Company, that it has been the pioneer of railway construction in this country—that the Grand Trunk Railway Company has been the pioneer railway which has contributed to make Canada what it is to-day. Some fifty years ago it was thought advisable, and it was a very wise step in the policy of the Grand Trunk, in 1852, and some thirty years afterwards, the Canadian Government helping the construction of another railway—the Canadian Pacific Railway, and I am proud to say that it has been the lot of the Government with which I am associated to launch forth another railway which shall extend, in a few years, from the Atlantic to the Pacific. We are just on the eve of this construction, and it is to the credit of the Grand Trunk Company that its name shall be associated with this new enterprise.

I have only one regret to express to you on this occasion, and that is that your visit with us should be so short. Gentlemen, you have only seen the fringe of our country. You have not seen it at all, because, let me tell you, that Canada is almost as large, if not fully as large, as the United States. We have been overshadowed by our big neighbor. They were the first in the race. They have covered the world with their splendor, but in this young country we are full of ambition and we hope to share their prosperity in this new country, which we are now inaugurating.

I am not satisfied at all, I may say, gentlemen—I am not satisfied at all with the visit you have paid to this country. You entered Canada yesterday at the Niagara Falls and to-day you are in Montreal. You have seen only the one-hundredth part of our great country you have seen only the fertile valley of the St. Lawrence from Niagara Falls to Montreal but you have not seen Quebec—the old capital of Canada—you have not seen Ottawa, the new capital of Canada. You have not seen the prairies nor the region of Lake Superior, nor the Rocky Mountains, nor the Pacific nor British Columbia.

I am not satisfied with this visit of yours, but I hope you will come again, and when shall you come again? In this, let me take some exception to the remarks made to you by my friend the first Magistrate of the city of Montreal. He has invited you to come and see Montreal. My heart is full of sympathy for the great city of Montreal, but even the Mayor of Montreal will not find fault with me if I say that there is a city far dearer to me than Montreal, and that is the old city of Quebec, which I have the honor to represent in the Parliament of Canada—the old city of Quebec which has been the cradle of French and British civilization upon this continent. I invite you, gentlemen, to visit not only Montreal, but Quebec, and when, not to-day, not to-morrow even, but in a few years—six or seven years at most, we shall inaugurate the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, extending from the shores of the great Pacific Ocean in British Columbia, then, gentlemen, it will be time for you to come and I invite you to come then, and we shall have three trains, four trains, or ten trains even, to take you from Quebec across to the shores of the Pacific Ocean. (Great applause.)

Lieut.-Col. Gardiner, chairman of the Madras railway, proposed the toast of "The Railways of Canada," to which Mr. Charles M. Hays responded. Mr. Hays said: "It is a great privilege and pleasure to me to-night to welcome you to Canada on behalf of our railways, and I can only join with my colleagues in the expression of regret that your stay here is so brief. Canada may not have quite so many miles of railway to the square mile of territory as the country to the south of us, but she has some characteristics in her railway system that I think may be of interest to you.

Canada was the first country to have a transcontinental railway from the Atlantic to the Pacific, which was owned by one company, owning its own posts and taking the traffic all the way across the country in its own cars.

The country to the south of us never extended its transcontinental lines further to the east than the Mississippi river, or the lakes on the north, but Canada is the only country on this side of the Atlantic with 1,500 miles of Government owned railway, built, I may say, incidentally, not for the purpose of dividends so far as we have been able to discover (laughter), but for the purpose of connecting the eastern provinces with those of the West.

Canada is, to-day, launching another enterprise which will be part private enterprise and part government-owned, and operated by private enterprise so that you see that Canada has three systems, it has the private corporation, it has the Government corporation, and it has the joint corporation.

"I don't know of any other country that presents these three comparisons. I am not asking for a vote to-night on which is the best of the three systems. I have my own opinions and



ODD FELLOWS' MONUMENT IN MOUNT ROYAL CEMETERY
Unveiled Yesterday. See page 11.

ed, at sixty thousand dollars per mile, you will readily understand we cannot be charging very excessive rates to earn interest on that amount, but Canadian railways are built on the same pattern as those of the country to the south of us, and it is that feature of the case, gentlemen, that seems to me to make it difficult to attempt to make any comparison between the railways on this side of the Atlantic and the other. The conditions are so dissimilar; the methods of operation must necessarily differ to quite as wide an extent. Our business may be described more properly as a wholesale business. We move large quantities of coarse commodities, grain and live stock long distances at very low rates; on the other side you move small quantities short distances and at high rates of speed. The same characteristics of operation that make our business fairly profitable on this side do not apply with any degree of appropriateness, whatever, to the railways in Great Britain or the continent. Therefore, I never view the railways of England or the continent with any degree of criticism whatever. In fact, my visits over there have invariably produced a feeling of admiration in many directions. What is done is done satisfactorily—it is done well, and it is done in such a way as is best under the circumstances and conditions of the surroundings, and I think with the modern spirit which characterizes railway men I may say the same thing with regard to conditions on this side of the Atlantic.

CONTROL OF RAILWAYS.

Canada at the time it passed the Act incorporating the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway also passed an Act known as the Railway Act of 1903, which carried with it broader powers and a wider range of control of railways, possibly than any other Act that has ever been passed by any other country. I assume we may take that as an indication of the progressiveness of Canada, and as indicating her desire to be right to the front in the foremost movement in the control and regulation of railways as well as in their development, but it is possible to give with one hand, and take back with the other, and the development of this railway policy is one that the railways of Canada are watching with the greatest degree of interest. Fortunately the commission is presided over by a most able and competent jurist, aided by men who have been brought up in the daily operation of railway traffic and transportation, and we hope that their assistance and their direction will so interpret the law and its application to railways as to result in no injury; but there is a feature of the rate making power that I think is lost sight of by the public generally in discussing this question, and that is this, who gets the benefit of a reduced rate in force upon a railway either by legislation, by order of commission, or if made voluntarily, does the consumer get it? I have yet to observe that to be the fact. The manufacturer or industry that comes on the country to the south of us. That is the first point of importance.

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THOSE WHO WERE PRESENT.

The banquet was presided over by Sir C. Rivers-Wilson, G.C.V.O., C.B. At the presiding officer's table were the following-named—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. H. R. Emmerson, M. Emile Heurteau, M. Ernest Gerard, Chas. M. Hays, His Worship Mayor Laporte, Lieut.-Col. R. Gardiner, T. H. Rendell, Sir H. Montagu Allan, Collingwood Schrieber, Rodolph Fane-de-Salis, Ernest Sauvage, Wm. I. Gear, H. A. A. Brault, Jas. Ross, Andrew A. Allan, Ven. Archdeacon Ker, Jas. S. Brierley, Richard White, Norman Wright, W. A. Ritchie, I. J. Tarte, J. W. Burdick, A. A. Heard, W. E. Davis, Thos. Henry, Cy. Warman, R. S. Logan, J. G. Scott.

The side tables were presided over by the following-named: John Torrance, Frank W. Morse, T. H. Fitzhugh, Hugh A. Allan, Jno. W. Loud, F. H. McGuigan.

The delegates left the Bonaventure station this morning, shortly after nine o'clock en route for New York. They went, as they came, in a magnificent train of twenty-six cars, running in three sections.



THE UNVEILING OF ODDFELLOWS' MONUMENT.—THE GATHERING IN MOUNT ROYAL CEMETERY VICTORIA DAY. —See Page 11.

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Entertainment in Maisonneuve.

A very successful concert was held in the Opera house, Maisonneuve, last night under the auspices of the Presbyterian Young Men's Association. The hall was filled. Mr. E. Scruton opened the entertainment with a brief address. Those who took part were: Misses Lewis, Brush, L. George, Gillis, G. Pratt, K. George, and Appleton, Mesdames Lenny, and G. Smith, and Messrs. E. Rogers, Pennington, and A. W. Gwan.

Prizes for Tussock Moth Eggs.

At the annual meeting of the Natural History Society, which will be held on Monday evening next, the various bounties and prizes for the collection of eggs of the Tussock Moth will be awarded, and all those who have delivered collections of eggs to the society are requested to be present to receive their awards.

Appointment for Montreal Student.

Dr. Simon S. Sperber, for some years a student at Bishop's College, has just been appointed clerical assistant at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburg. Dr. Sperber is a son of Mr. David Sperber J.P., of this city.

To Endow Children's Cot.

The concert given Monday evening by St. Stephen's, to endow a cot in the Children's Memorial Hospital, was a success financially and socially.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Levis, R. Russell, Hamilton; J. D. Bastien and wife, St. Johns; J. Wall, Bouthierville, St. John.

At the Hall—M. O'Day, Swanton; Chas. Dion, Three Rivers; R. C. McDougall, Lancaster; J. Hunter, Cornwall; G. French, Brockville; F. F. Costello, D. McPhee, Alexander; F. Girard, Toronto; W. H. Rogers, Milwaukee.

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At the Windsor—T. S. Addington and wife, Chicago; W. W. Butler, New York; F. A. Doughton, Massena; L. Weissenbruck, Brussels; Mr. and Mrs. H. Rowling, Syracuse, N.Y.; J. R. Hay, Edmonton; Count and Countess Holmstein, Germany; E. F. Mason and wife, W. S. Fallis, New Glasgow; P. C. Jacobs, Chicago; J. E. Horne, Lawrence.

LAST NIGHT'S ARRIVALS.

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At the Place Viger—Messrs. W. Stevens, St. George Peerless, J. K. Boswell, A. de L. Panet and J. H. Bottere, Quebec; Martin Adson, Duluth, Mich.; Arthur E. Deef, Marquette, Mich.; G. W. S. Holman, Levis; J. Judson Poe, J. E. Way and F. H. Wickens, New York; Frank Creelman and J. Houlston, Ottawa; W. Jenkins, Toronto.

Students Clean Stockholm Streets.

Stockholm, Sweden, May 25. — Students of the high schools are cleaning the city's streets in place of the regular street cleaners, who have struck for improved conditions. Plenty of volunteers seem ready to assist the municipal authorities, and it is said that in the event of a continuance of the strike military officials and civil officers intend to form a street cleaning brigade, and take turns in attending to the sanitary necessities of Stockholm.

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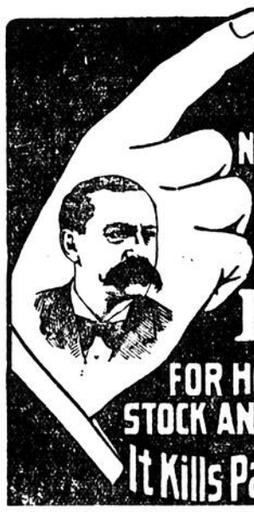
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HOW VICTORIA DAY WAS CELEBRATED

Decoration of Graves by Veterans and Daughters of Empire.

YACHTING AND OTHER SPORTS

The Day Was Essentially One of Excursions and Picnics to Mountain and Lake.

Montreal celebrated Victoria Day yesterday in pleasant individual fashion. There were no commemorative orations, or military parades. The pyrotechnic displays were limited to those arranged by indulgent parent for the spectacle-loving small boy.

It was probably not the boy who had spent his day on the Mountain or the Island picnicing, but some boys filled with energy as nightfall came, set off firecrackers so strenuously that between dusk and midnight the fire department was obliged to answer ten alarms. No damage resulted, however, and the small boy had the added exhilaration of watching the spirited fire-horses gallop by.

In the military cemetery on St. Helen's Island the veterans decorated the graves of their brother soldiers in the forenoon, while at Papineau Road cemetery the Daughters of the Empire performed a similar service for the bodies of the Imperial soldiers buried there when Montreal was still a garrisoned town.

At Mount Royal Cemetery a monument was unveiled to the memory of Oddfellows who have died.

Matches played on the different grounds of the city's athletic associations drew large crowds of enthusiasts. Baseball, lacrosse, cricket, lawn bowling and tennis drew everywhere their particular devotees. Out on the green stretches of golf links belonging to the various clubs "ye ancient and royal game" held the interest of the players and onlookers. This tendency of the modern citizen to get back whenever he can to the country airs and fields, was strongly emphasized yesterday.

Picnic parties were everywhere in evidence—on street cars, mountain and lakeside. From the first radiant group of mortals old and young laden with baskets and cameras, waiting at the street corner for a suburban car—all through the day they were visible. And as evening came, tired, dusty, but not unhappy, the picnickers filled the cars to overflowing on their return home.

On the outlying lakes and rivers the bright water was dotted everywhere with sails of pleasure craft and broken by the dip of many paddles. At Dorval the Yacht Club held its opening races, attracting a large number of people. At St. Hilaire, the Entomological Society and kindred souls from the Natural History Society, searched for beetles and fresh air and fun—and found them all.

Excursions by boats and trains were crowded with pleasure-seekers, who love crowds, while the Montrealer who stayed at home, but craved excitement, wended his way to Victoria Rink, and long before he reached the Rink, knew by the hub-hub of howls that the dogs in the Kennel Show were loudly demanding admiration for themselves.

On the Harbor Front.

The ships in the harbor, to the number of twenty or more, were bright with hunting yesterday in honor of Victoria Day. The vessels almost without exception flew long rows of signal flags from their mastheads, and on board the steamships the day and the King were toasted.

At the Catholic Sailors' Club, the day was celebrated by a concert which was largely attended. Mr. John Brady presided, and those who took part included Miss Maggie Walker, Miss Collins, Mr. Marning, Messrs. Short, Jones, Welch, and Griffith. R. M. S. Virginian, William Frampton, S. S. Manxman; Mr. Hurly, S. S. Canada; Hughes, Firth and Murray, S. S. Lake Erie, and James Hughes, R. M. S. Virginian. Miss Lynch was accompanist.

The Old Military Cemetery.

The high walls of the old military cemetery on the Papineau Road, yesterday forenoon, shut out from passers-by a patriotic and pretty scene inside. About the base of the old granite obelisk erected years ago to the memory of General Durban, loyal Daughters of the Empire, having decorated the graves of the soldiers, reassembled for the memorial service conducted by Rev. Canon Renaud.

The high wind kept the inspiriting colors of the Union Jack waving over each old gray stone and chained enclosure, as the Canon read the beautiful words of the service for the dead, reminding his hearers that the Lord gives and takes away, that man, born of woman, has but a short time to live; that in the midst of life we are in death. The brilliant sunshine and the fluttering flags contrasted finely with the solemn words and the reverent group in the old grave yard. Private Hart, an Imperial veteran, close upon ninety years, assisted at the service in memory of his comrades.

Rev. Mr. Almond, rector of Trinity Church, who was chaplain with the Royal Canadian Regiment in South Africa delivered an address at the close of the service. He eulogized the aim of the Daughters of the Empire—to help in welding together the Empire, and keeping fresh the impulse of patriotism. He reminded his hearers that while they were decorating the graves of the British soldiers buried here, the Prince of Wales was unveiling a monument to the memory of the soldiers who fell in South Africa.

Chamberlain was the banner-bearer of the Empire, inculcating a broad spirit of Imperialism; and in every such celebration as that of yesterday, the women of the Empire were also sowing seeds of Imperialism. Rev. Mr. Almond recalled scenes of bravery and of privations cheerfully borne by the troops in South Africa, and paid a tribute to the tenderness and bravery underlying the rough exterior of the soldier.

The speaker urged the Daughters of the Empire to obtain records of this old cemetery and so preserve its history. He congratulated the Order upon founding a cot for soldiers in the General Hospital, and suggested that a work in the spirit of their organization would be to help deserving South African veterans obtain employment. Canon Renaud, who at the time of the war had volunteered as chaplain, also spoke briefly of the need of helping these veterans.

At the conclusion of the address the assemblage dispersed and many sauntered through the old place, studying the names of the dead who sleep there. The cemetery is now in quite a presentable condition, although three years ago it was so neglected that it was used as a dumping ground. The Daughters of the Empire spent considerable money in having the graveyard cleaned, and the tombstones straightened; they then had the Government erect a high fence around it. Some of the inscriptions have become so weatherbeaten and illegible that only re-cutting will save them for the future.

One stone enumerates the death of Lieut. Lloyd, R.N., who died, in 1847, of typhus fever, contracted in voluntary attendance at the immigrant sheds during the fever epidemic. Another was erected to Lieut. Weir, who was shot by Nelson's Guards, at the outbreak of the rising in 1837. The inscription reads that he was "barbarously murdered at St. Denis, Lower Canada, on November 23, 1837." There are many other inscriptions of interest in the old burying place.

At St. Helen's Island.

In the military cemetery on St. Helen's Island the graves of the dead soldiers were decorated by the British Army and Navy and South African Veterans. At 9.30 a.m., about sixty veterans, headed by their band, marched to the ferry and crossed to the island. Arrived at the cemetery the veterans placed flowers on the graves of their brethren.

The commemorative address was delivered by Lieut.-Col. Rev. H. Jekill, 11th Regiment Argenteuil Rangers, who is perhaps the only clergyman in Canada now in command of a regiment of active militia. The day was, he said, particularly appropriate for decorating these graves. Everywhere about them nature gave evidences in plants and budding trees of the year's resurrection, while the day given over to the memory of the late Queen recalled the greatness of the Empire, the incidents of its growth and its future needs.

The speaker then sketched the type of man necessary to build up the Empire and its parts, so that it might attain the greatness and accomplish the mission designed for it by the Creator. Just as nature about them evidenced the resurrection of plant-life, a day would come when the bodies resting in the graves would rise to immortality. Even now the influence exerted by them when living was operating in the world to-day. A thought that should impress all present, continued the speaker, with the power of their influence, proving themselves not alone good soldiers of the Empire, but of the Kingdom of God.

The veterans, at the conclusion of the address, returned to the Drill Hall. The National Anthem was sung there with enthusiasm and they dispersed.

The Oddfellows' Monument.

A simple though impressive ceremony took place yesterday in Mount Royal cemetery, when the Oddfellows unveiled a monument to their departed brethren. Delegates came from different sections of Quebec, while the Ontario lodges were represented by Bro. W. S. Hoyle, M.L.A., of Cannington, Ont., who delivered the address of the day.

The delegates and local brethren wore their insignia and regalia of office and marched from the cemetery gates, where the gathering took place, to the lot in rear of the fireman's lot, where the new monument had been erected. It is made of grey granite, with a triple plinth, die and cap, and bears the simple inscription, "Erected by the I. O. O. F., of Montreal." Above this are carved the three links of the order, and the all seeing eye, and at the apex is the hour-glass, supporting the globe, all of which are emblems of the order.

The ceremony itself was quite simple, a few prayers were recited, a couple of hymns sung, then the monument was unveiled and a short address pronounced. Yet the members of the order and the large concourse of the general public witnessing the ceremony were much impressed by this evidence of brotherly love manifested for the departed brethren.

The proceedings opened with a short address by District Deputy Grand Master Gliday, who explained the object of the gathering, which was to dedicate the lot and unveil the monument erected as a tribute to their dead brethren.

Bro. D. J. Dickson, chairman of the cemetery lot committee, formally presented the monument, which was accepted, after which the dedicatory prayer for the lot was read off by Grand Chaplain Finlayson. This was followed by the singing of the hymn, "Blest be the tie that binds."

Grand Master Williams then called on the president of Rebekah Assembly to perform the ceremony of unveiling the monument. Grand Secretary Potter read the acts and a further invocation was pronounced by the Grand Chaplain. The Grand Master added a few words, urging the brethren on such an impressive occasion to renew their vows to practise conscientiously the lessons of their order. "To visit the sick, to relieve the distressed, to bury the dead, and to educate the orphan." Let them not forget, moreover, that besides these good works of charity, the Oddfellows had high and important lessons to inculcate, which, attentively listened to and practised by all, would elevate the character of man and hasten the coming of the promised day of universal peace and love. "Nearer, my God, to Thee," was then sung, followed by the pronouncing of the benediction.

Grand Master Williams congratulated the brethren on the way they had turned out to take part in the ceremony which marked the success of their efforts. He introduced Bro. W. H. Hoyle, who heartily congratulated the Montreal brethren on their action and declared that they had demonstrated their attachment to their principles of Oddfellows. They had been happy in the choice of a day for the initiation of the monument, for Victoria Day was celebrated to honor the memory of the good Queen, whose life commended itself to all because she was in every respect a good Christian woman. The speaker went on to speak of the upbuilding of a great Canadian nation. Tolerance of the views of the different elements of the population was the touchstone which would bring this about.

As Oddfellows, adhering to these principles, they were not only doing a duty to their order, but were becoming a patent factor in increasing and developing the national life of the Dominion. Only God knew what they, as members of the order to which they belonged, were accomplishing in the dissemination of the great principles which entered into society, and the building up of a national life upon broader principles, which ultimately redound to the honor and glory of this country.

"God Save the King," was then sung, and the ceremony was a thing of the past.

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Academy of Music.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer" will be the attraction at the Academy of Music next week. Critics everywhere have sung its praises as the purest, sweetest, and most wholesome of rural dramas, and then, too, there is more comedy in it than other plays of its class. In fact, it is built largely on comedy lines. The serious part of it is the story of a blind country girl. No small amount of credit for the sympathy that goes out to the blind girl, Alice Pettengill, in her affliction, is said to be due to the careful portrayal of the part by Miss Helain Hadley. She makes Alice a reality, not a stage creation set up to be analyzed for its dramatic strength or weakness.

Theatre Francais.

The rehearsals of the new Paul Cazeneuve company, which opens the Francais next Monday, May 29, in French stock for the summer season, are making excellent progress. The opening piece, "Les 5 cents de Baptiste," is a stirring spectacular drama from the Theatre du Chatelet, Paris, now presented in Canada for the first time. It is said to be full of that charm of language and felicity of situation for which the French playwright has always been famed. The play will have an elaborate stage setting, not often attempted. One of the chief attractions will be the music hall scene, with specialties, and the Japanese fete. The matinee prices will be only 10, 15 and 25 cents. The box office will open on Thursday for sale of seats.

Theatre Royal.

"A Man's Enemy," a melodrama on the drink question, which has had phenomenal success both in England and America, will be the bill presented by the Una Clayton stock company at the Royal next week, commencing with a Monday matinee, May 29th. It will be produced with some novel scenic and mechanical effects. One of the scenes is a masquerade on the grounds outside an English hotel. The grounds are lighted by lanterns and fantastic electrical effects, and the characters appear in fancy costume. Another scene is the struggle of the hero, Harry Stanton, with the man who has brought about his ruin. This play is interesting and dramatic. The various members of the company have good parts. Amongst the vaudeville features a double singing and dancing act by Miss Clayton and Mr. Irving Walton will be seen.

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Special Notice.

New Millinery Galleries.

On the 1st September, 1905, there will be opened at the store of W. Henry Bell, the high class Furnisher and Decorator, 2336 and 2338 St. Catherine street, new and magnificent millinery galleries, which will be conducted under the name of Bell & Bartelle, Millinery and Costume Department.

Mr. Bartelle, who has severed his connection with the John Murphy Co., Ltd., leaves shortly for Paris, where he will superintend the creations of the Fall Stock, which will be ready to be shown by 1st September of the present year in these galleries, which are being built. 121 2 eod



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The quantity of material required for the medium size is 10 yards 21, 9 yards 27 or 5 1-4 yards 44 inches wide.

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IN HONOR OF QUEEN AND EMPIRE

Twenty-Fourth of May Widely and Enthusiastically Observed.

TWO FATAL ACCIDENTS

Celebration Was General in Mother Country—King Edward Reviewed Troops at Aldershot.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Halifax, N. S., May 25.—Three accidents, resulting in the death of two persons and the possible fatal injury of a third, marred the celebration of Victoria Day in the vicinity of this city. Chester B. Archibald, of Bedford, aged eighteen years, was drowned in Sandy Lake, after his companion, Benjamin Wills, had made a gallant effort to save him. The youths went in swimming, having rowed out to the middle of the lake. The boat drifted away with the wind and Archibald took a cramp and sank before he could reach shore.

Little Eddie Patterson, the five-year-old son of Alex. Patterson, of Dartmouth, fell off Young's wharf, at Mill Cove, struck a log, and was either killed by the impact or drowned. On McNab's Island a shooting accident occurred, which may result in the death of young Alfred Blake, son of Sergt.-Major Blake, of the 5th Royal Garrison Regiment. A shot-gun in the hands, it is said, of a drunken military man was discharged and the contents lodged in the abdomen of young Blake, and in the wrist of his companion, a son of Color-Sergeant Ferguson, of the same regiment. The latter, however, was not seriously injured. The soldier did not know the boys were in range. He was arrested by the military authorities.

AERONAUT HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Kingston, May 25.—The balloon ascension at the Exhibition grounds yesterday afternoon, by William Allen, of Rochester, N.Y., nearly ended in a fatality. When the balloon had risen up twenty-five feet the three thousand spectators were horrified to behold the young aeronaut lose his grasp of the parachute bar and fall to the ground. Allen had been swung horizontally on leaving the ground, and it was in this position that his hands slipped from the bar. He turned over once and then came heavily down, striking fortunately on soft ground on his right shoulder and side. He lay stunned for a short time, but recovered sufficiently to step into a carriage. A large crowd had surrounded him as he lay prostrate, and it took a number of artillerymen on horseback to make a clearing. Allen was taken to the General Hospital, where it was found that no bones were broken. His injuries consisted of a bruised shoulder and a cut eye. The balloon, it seems, caught fire when almost inflated. Allen shouted to those holding the ropes to let go. They did so, but evidently the balloon rose more quickly than the aeronaut expected.

QUIET DAY IN QUEBEC.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Quebec, May 25.—Victoria Day was quietly observed here. A large number of those who were fortunate enough to enjoy a holiday went out of the city. Others visited the new Richelieu Company's steamer or went to see the golf match between Montreal and Quebec on the Core fields.

GAMES AT HUNTINGDON.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Huntingdon, Que., May 25.—Victoria Day was kept as a general holiday. Flags were displayed on all the public buildings and on most of the private residences. In the afternoon a grand celebration was held on the Fair grounds under the auspices of the Huntingdon Amateur Athletic Association. A baseball match between the Victorias of Valleyfield and the home team resulted in a score in favor of the visitors of 25 to 8. Then followed a lacrosse match between the Athenaeums of Montreal and Huntingdon. The score stood Huntingdon 3, Athenaeums 2 goals. The ladies of St. John's Church furnished the refreshments on the grounds. In the evening the ladies of the Methodist Church held a lawn social at the parsonage.

AT SYDNEY, N.S.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Sydney, N.S., May 25.—Victoria Day was enthusiastically celebrated in this city. The principal features of the programme were a five mile run which was won by J. A. Gillis, of North Sydney, in 59 minutes and 27 1-2 seconds, and the opening of the meet of the Cape Breton Trotting Association, which was attended by over 2,000 people.

THE QUEEN CITY.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto, Ont., May 25.—Delightful sunshine, unclouded sky and a breeze sufficiently cool to make pleasant walking boating or other exercises made weather conditions for the celebration of Victoria Day yesterday perfect. Early in the morning citizens began crowding the city lines which run to the depot and the wharves, and in the early afternoon the crowds began making for the island, the Woodbine, Riverdale Park, High Park, Munro Park and other resorts on the city car lines and on the suburban roads, whilst enormous crowds left the city by rail and boat. Probably the largest number of people brought into Toronto on any 24th came in yesterday by boat and rail. The island was as usual the most attractive spot, and it was estimated that 34,000 people were carried to Hanlon's point and Centre Island. In addition between eight and ten thousand people went out to Niagara, Hamilton and other places by boat.

DROPPED DEAD AT PICNIC.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Berlin, Ont., May 25.—The seventeen year old daughter of Geo. Hertfelder, of Berlin, dropped dead on the picnic grounds near Bloomingdale, yesterday.

IN FEDERAL CAPITAL.

Ottawa, May 25.—Victoria Day in Ottawa was greeted with the first real summer weather of the season, and as a consequence the holiday was thoroughly enjoyed. There was a general observance, and while there was no celebration, steamers, street cars and other means of conveyance to park and country were liberally patronized. There was the usual display of bunting, and Victoria Day again proved itself to be one of the most pleasant holidays of the season.

Rev. Father Burke, of Alberton, P. E. I., sent the following message of greeting to the Press gallery: "The island glories in the Empire's glory, but must have the tunnel to live."

MILITARY DAY IN HAMILTON.

Hamilton, Ont., May 25.—The military organisations of this city were favored with perfect weather for the visit of the 48th Highlanders, with Lieut.-Col. Macdonald commanding, for the celebration of Victoria Day. The crack Toronto regiment, about 500 strong, were met at the station by several Hamilton officers, and after marching to the armories were joined by the corps of the local brigade. The troops were brigaded there under Lieut.-Col. Davidson, of Toronto, the senior officer. The brigade marched through the city to Victoria Park, where a large space was roped off and a large crowd witnessed the ceremonial exercises. The programme opened with the firing of a general salute after which they advanced and were reviewed by Lieut.-Col. Bertram (R.O.), formerly of the 77th Regiment. This was followed by the march past in column and quarter column of the whole brigade. The detachment of the 91st Highlanders, which exhibited at Madison Square Garden, New York, a couple of weeks ago, then presented their drill, which was followed by battalion work by the Thirteenth Regiment, and the 49th Highlanders concluded the manoeuvres by trooping the colors. At the conclusion of the demonstration the 48th marched to the Market Hall, where arms were stacked and the local regiments went to the Drill Hall, where they were dismissed and spent the rest of the day as they pleased. The officers were entertained during the day and a banquet was held in the evening. There was also a combined band concert between the 91st and 48th Highlanders' bands in the Drill Hall, which was largely attended.

HORSE SHOW AT BRANTFORD.

Brantford, Ont., May 25.—The Royal Grenadiers, of Toronto, spent Victoria Day in the city. They were met at the station by the band of the Dufferin Rifles and a large crowd of citizens, and proceeded to Agricultural Park, where they encamped. There was a large parade of the Grenadiers and Dufferin Rifles. The chief attraction of the day was the Horse Show. There are a great many visitors in the city, and about 10,000 attended the Horse Show and military parade at the grounds this afternoon. The Grenadiers returned to Toronto last night.

CENTRE OF THE EMPIRE.

King Edward Reviewed the Troops at Aldershot.

London, May 25.—Empire Day (the anniversary of the birth of the late Queen Victoria), was more widely observed this year in London and the provinces than heretofore. Flags were displayed everywhere and there was special commorative services in the schools. The most prominent feature was a big review of troops at Aldershot by King Edward, while the leading event in London was the unveiling in St. Paul's Cathedral by the Prince of Wales of the sculptured memorial designed and executed by Princess Louise (Duchess of Argyle), "To the 4,000 brave sons of Britain over the seas who laid down their lives for the Mother Coupiry in the South African War."

Telegrams from South Africa, Australia and other Colonies generally indicate a widespread observance of the holiday.

The house and barns of Jas. Grant, a wealthy farmer, living just outside of Brockville, caught fire on Wednesday and burned to the ground.

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Brilliant Victoria Day Scene at Woodbine Racing Tracks.

Vice-Royalty Graced the Occasion, and Society People From All Over Canada Were in Attendance—Wealth and Fashion Out in Force—Some of the Gowns Described.

Special Staff Correspondence.

Toronto, May 25.—The presence of the Vice-Regal party again added to the glory of the spring meeting at the Woodbine on Wednesday.

Preceded by the Master of the Hunt and some of the members wearing pink, Their Excellencies' carriage, with its gay liveried and white-wigged postillions, footman and coachman, dashed along the course from "Glen Stuart," and pulled up before the judges' stand. There the Governor-General and the Countess Grey alighted, and to the strains of the National Anthem, loudly played by the band on the lawn, passed through the throng to the Vice-Regal box in the centre of the members' stand.

Assuredly the meetings of the Ontario Jockey Club are unique. At no other race course in America could the scene of yesterday be duplicated. Considered from every point of view there is nothing of its sort in the country to compare with it. Its brilliancy is unparalleled; its beauty undeniable. Nowhere else in Canada does one see the same assemblage of wealth and fashion to the same extent; and at no other event of the year can be seen the beauty and aristocracy of the Dominion so generally represented. Held in the open amid the most picturesque surroundings, the spring meeting of the Ontario Jockey Club presents a scene that is unsurpassed in brilliancy in Canada. Everything that wealth, fashion and good taste can contrive are combined to add to its success. On a warm summer day such as yesterday, with the bluest of blue skies above, and the sun smiling down, the chrysalis of fashion becomes a butterfly, and in all her lightest and most becoming raiment makes a picture not easily forgotten. Under such circumstances the lawns, the stands and boxes are but a bewildering blaze of color; a blending of tints that fade into each other with exquisite shadings, until no one tone is distinguishable. Closer viewed the scene breaks into its integral parts—beautiful women exquisitely gowned—men in pink—men in tweeds; society at its best, and good to look upon.

A GREAT SOCIAL FUNCTION.

Nowhere in America does a meeting so resemble that of an English race course for nowhere else does a meeting partake more of the nature of a social function. Patronized by Vice-Royalty, it brings together from all parts of Canada some of her best known men and loveliest women. On a big day at the Woodbine one can meet within a dozen yards of each other representatives of a dozen cities, and of as many professions. To attend the Woodbine is to do the socially expected; to miss it is to miss one of the best opportunities of judging Canadian society at play on its favorite grounds.

Quite apart from its social and racing attractions the Woodbine is a most delightful place most pleasantly laid out. The members' enclosure with its trim green lawns, and big flower decked stands, would seem amply spacious, and yet it is often so crowded that progress is not only difficult, but at times impossible. The decorations of flowering plants and drooping vines contrast prettily with the whiteness of the members' stand, with its many boxes filled with gay parties. To the right of the inclosure is the paddock, with its array of horses and jockeys and trainers, while beyond it is the club house around which, on big days of the meet, are hundreds of carriages, automobiles and cabs. To the left of the members' enclosure is the huge grand stand, on which, yesterday, there was no available seat. Facing the enclosure, and beyond the course, lie the gray blue waters of the lake, here and there a sun lit sail gleaming in the distance. Picturesque in every detail the scene itself on a bright day, leaves nothing to be desired.

VISITORS' DAY.

So large was the attendance of strangers at the Woodbine on Wednesday that it might well be called Visitors' day. Out of town people were to be recognized on every hand. Montrealers and Quebecers were present in numbers, while familiar faces were there from Hamilton, Kingston, Winnipeg, and Ottawa. It was practically an all-Canadian gathering, and greetings between friends were to be heard on every side.

The Vice-Regal box, with its drapings and flowers, was the centre of attraction between races early in the afternoon, but as the shadows lengthened, Her Excellency found it chilly and for the rest of the afternoon held a little court seated on one of the wide benches near the railings dividing the lawn from the track. Lady Evelyn Grey, Mrs. Hanbury Williams, and Mrs. Sladen were with Her Excellency. Lord Grey, who was attended by Lord Bury, Col. Hanbury Williams, Capt. Newton and Capt. Trotter spent some time in the paddock also on the lawn, chatting with friends, throughout the entire afternoon, and apparently taking much interest in the proceedings, and his surroundings. Lady Evelyn Grey, who seemed most enthusiastic, viewed the races from the Vice-Regal box, and in the intervals strolling about the lawn. The announcement that Their Excellencies would arrive at the Woodbine in state, doubtless influenced a great many to attend, anxious not to miss the picturesque scene. Others were present for many reasons ranging from a love of racing to a desire to see and be seen. But whatever the cause the crowd was tremendous, being only slightly smaller than that of Saturday when the people were turned away for lack of accommodation. As a result the lawn at times was impassible, even while the stands were crowded. During the progress of a race the stands and boxes resembled nothing so much as a huge hanging flower garden, with lovely women in lieu of blossoms.

CHEERED THEIR EXCELLENCIES.

The interest in the various events was keen, hat pools and small bets adding to the afternoon's enjoyment. The vice-regal party delayed their departure until after the sixth race, leaving in state as they came, their withdrawal being the signal for hearty cheering for Lord and Lady Grey. Undoubtedly the presence of their Excellencies added a certain cachet to the event, but the racing at Woodbine is so well established in public favor that a fine day always ensures a large crowd.

The magnificent gowns, for which visitors to the Woodbine are famous, were as much in evidence as ever, and yesterday, while watching the throng wandering about the lawn, sitting on the steps and many benches, or having tea in the marquee, it was impossible in the large number of women present to find one who did not appear perfectly gowned. Many of the dresses defied mere verbal description, relying for effect on color combinations that had to be seen to be appreciated. White was greatly in evidence, and was to be seen in every shade from dead white to deepest cream. Unfortunately, the general sartorial effect was somewhat marred, as the strong breeze which blew up from the lake and swept across the lawns, made the wearing of wraps a necessity, and many delightful gowns disappeared entirely under the long folds of a cloak.

SOME OF THE GOWNS WORN.

Her Excellency Lady Grey was gowned in a yellow and brown shot taffeta, trimmed with scrolls of the silk, and handsome lace. Her coat was of gray cloth, with lace applique, and touches of amethyst velvet. She also wore a hat of fine black braid, with black feathers, and a corsage bouquet of deep red carnations.

Lady Evelyn Grey was gowned in a rather vivid shade of Nile green taffeta, the skirt trimmed with a band of lace, a fichu of the silk crossing a bodice of white lace, with belt of pink Dresden silk. Her hat was of green foliage and pink roses.

Miss Mortimer Clark was gowned in cream point d'esprit and lace, with a small blue toque.

Miss Alice Shaughnessy (Montreal) wore a gown of deep rose chiffon, with small black hat, with white plume.

Mrs. Beattie (Montreal) was in a cream colienne gown, with lace garniture, a cream broadcloth coat, and cream hat, with pink roses.

Miss Melvin Jones (Toronto) wore a shrimp pink silk gown, heavily embroidered in silk, and a white hat, with roses.

Mrs. Armand Lavergne (Ottawa) had on a cream lace gown, with Dresden silk coatee, and a Tuscan straw hat, with roses.

Mrs. F. O. Lewis (Montreal) wore a pale pink cloth gown with applique of pink roses and foliage in natural tints, and a white mohair hat with garniture of pink roses and pink plumes.

Mrs. Clarence McCuaig (Montreal) was gowned in pale grey silk, with black chip hat with white feather.

Miss Lola Powell (Ottawa) wore a gown of pale leaf green panne satin, with pink tulle picture hat.

Lady Kirkpatrick had on a gown of black silk with insertions of black lace, mounted over white silk, and a black hat.

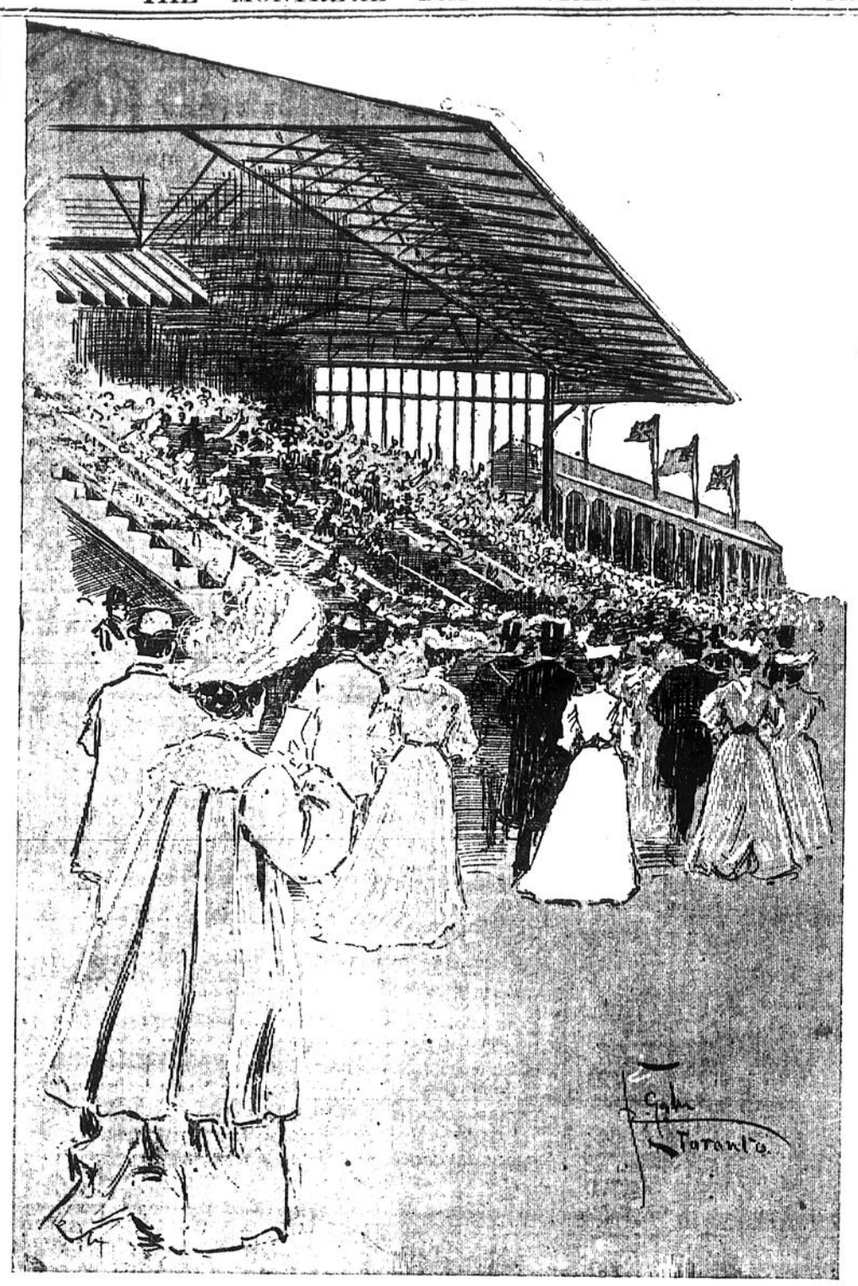
Mrs. Beckett (England) wore black silk crepe with cream lace, and a black hat.

Mrs. Hendrie (Hamilton) had on a gown of amethyst silk with light straw hat trimmed in tints to match the gown.

Miss Phyllis Hendrie (Hamilton) wore a white eyelet embroidery gown mounted over pale blue, and a white Charlotte Corday hat with pink roses.

Mrs. G. W. Cook (Montreal) had on an embroidered white gown and white lingerie hat with pink roses.

Among Montrealers present were Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Owens, Mr. S. A. Finley, Mr. M. Burke, Mr. G. W. Cook, Mr. F. O. Lewis, Mr. F. Shorey, Mr. Clarence McCuaig and Mr. S. Lichtenheim.



VICTORIA DAY AT THE WOODBINE TRACK.—THE MEMBERS' STAND, AS SEEN FROM THE PADDOCK.

GREAT PROSPECTS FOR WEST.

$300,000,000 Being Spent in Railway Development.

The ex-premier of Manitoba, Mr. Thos. Greenway, M.P., of Winnipeg, is at present in Montreal and is staying at the Windsor.

In an interview yesterday he alluded to the enormous growth, which has characterized the West in the past few years, and to the gigantic strides which it is expected that part of the Dominion will make in the immediate future.

"Within the next five years the Grand Trunk Pacific will spend $150,000,000; the Canadian Pacific in order to better its position will spend about $100,000,000 and the Canadian Northern in the neighborhood of $50,000,000 and the most of this in the West."

Mr. Greenway commented on the fact that the expenditure of such an enormous sum as $300,000,000 in a country of but 6,000,000 people could be possible, and on the fact that this sum is bound to tend to make Winnipeg one of the greatest cities of the Dominion, as great as Montreal in population.

Mr. Greenway thought that the boundaries of the province would be increased towards the north.

A Five-Footed Frog.

Henry Lachapelle, a twelve year old boy, who resides at Verdun, went frogging yesterday in a small creek near his father's residence, with the result that he fished out a curiosity in the shape of a five footed frog.

The frog, a moderate sized specimen of the kind, has three well developed front feet and legs, two springing out on one side from the same shoulder.

Fire in a Brick Yard.

Twenty-five cords of wood was burned yesterday afternoon as the result of sparks from the lime-kiln of Oliver Limoges, corner Papineau avenue and Sherbrooke street. The wood was adjoining the kiln and the fire brigade had to be called out to prevent the blaze from spreading.

Leg Crushed by Steel Rail.

L. Mundi, 19 years of age, living at 759 Notre Dame street, had his leg severely crushed by a heavy steel rail falling on it whilst he was at work on the tracks of the Montreal Street Railway yesterday. He had to be taken to the Notre Dame Hospital.

An Accidental Death.

A verdict of excusable homicide was returned yesterday by the coroner's jury in the case of Marie Louise Boucher, the seven-year-old child who was run over and killed on Tuesday afternoon on Grand Trunk street by the firemen of No. 15 station.

Removed to Peterborough.

Mr. Harry Grubbe, of the Bank of Toronto, has been removed to Peterborough, and will leave the city on Saturday to enter on his new duties there.

CADETS PARADE. — The Mount St. Louis Cadets will parade at 3.15 on Saturday afternoon next, on the Champ de Mars, for their annual inspection.

FULL OF PLEURISY.

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DROWNED IN LAKE ST. LOUIS

Tragic End of Holiday Yachting Excursion on Lake St. Louis.

MERVYN JEFFERY DROWNED

He Slipped Overboard While Sailing His Yacht on the Lake and Went Down.

A merry party, consisting of three young ladies, with Messrs. Sayre, Tait and Mervy and Charlie Jeffery, left Dorval yesterday morning on the yacht Millie for Ile Perrot. The high wind prevailing, however, induced them to run into Pointe Claire, and leaving the yacht there, they went to the Grove for lunch. After lunch they went to the shore to see that the yacht was all right. It had been decided that they should go to Beaconsfield for dinner. Charlie Jeffery and the young ladies started to walk to the golf links, and the others said they would follow within a few minutes. They changed their minds and decided that they would sail to Beaconsfield and order dinner for the whole party. It was on this trip that a fatal accident occurred.

When they started to sail up from the Grove they put three reefs in their mainsail. There was a strong wind blowing. When they were sailing in toward the Grove, just as they were passing Pointe Claire, they were keeled over by two or three extra strong puffs of wind. Jeffery said to Sayre: "Hike out further," as he himself got out on the side of the boat. Eugene Tait, son of Sir Melbourne Tait was forward, holding the gib sheet, and as the boat heeled, he heard Sayre say, "She is going over," and immediately after that he heard Jeffery's voice calling to him from the water, some few yards astern, "Let her go." Then the boat turned over on her side. Jeffery called to Tait to throw him a rope, and Tait threw him a paddle, and Jeffery, who was a very strong swimmer, swam towards the paddle. In the meantime Tait tried to find the main sheet, but in doing so fell off between the boat and the main boom. When he had recovered himself he gathered up the main sheet ready to throw to Jeffery, but the latter had disappeared.

The Millie was making good weather, and it seems that Jeffery must have overbalanced himself and fallen off backwards just after speaking to Sayre, and the loss of his weight made it impossible for the other two to hold the boat up.

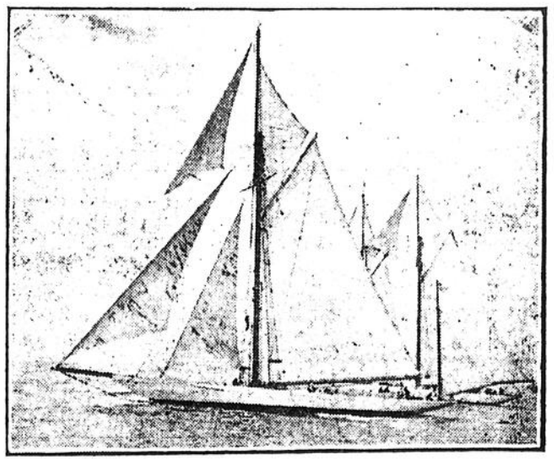
Although a very strong swimmer Jeffery had on two sweaters, a coat and an oilskin. This, together with a heavy pair of walking boots, made it impossible for him to keep afloat in the ice-cold water. Mr. Jeffery was a careful and experienced sailor, and he seems to have taken every precaution to avoid accidents, both the jib sheet and main sheet being held free, and up to the last he was giving his instructions in the usual manner. Tait and Sayre held on to the yacht until she drifted ashore.

The deceased was regarded as among the most skilful yachtsmen on the lake. His yacht was one built for Rev. Mr. Kittson. It had been in trial races for the Seawanhaka defenders, and had won prizes in other races. Mr. Jeffery had assisted in rescuing others from the lake in time of accident, and about two years ago sailed out alone in his yacht and rescued a large party whose boat had capsized. He was with the firm of Lyman, Knox and Co., Montreal, and was held in high esteem.

It is only about a year ago that Mr. Jeffery's father was drowned in Lake St. Louis. He was fishing off the bank on the point where his house is at Dixie, when it is supposed he was seized with a fit, to which he was subject, and fell into the deep creek which washes in there.

Mr. Merveyn Jeffery was a son of the late H. J. Jeffery, and a grandson of W. H. Jeffery, one of Quebec's oldest citizens. He was about 27 years of age and occupied a prominent position with Lyman Sons and Company. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. H. J. Jeffery and two brothers and a sister younger than himself, residing at Dorval.

Experts from Lachine are dragging for the body throughout the bay where the accident occurred.



THE START OF THE OCEAN RACE,—showing Ailsa and Hildegarde with Ailsa in the rear.

New York, May 25.—A three-masted schooner yacht which was believed to be the trans-Atlantic racer Atlantic, was sighted by the White Star Line steamer Armenian, Captain Kelk, which arrived yesterday from Liverpool. When sighted the yacht was approximately 940 miles distant from Sandy Hook and in latitude 41.03, longitude 54.11 west, at 3.30 p.m. on Sunday, May 21. This is at a point farther east than the Atlantic has yet been reported. Observers on board the Armenian could only make out that the speedy racer was a three-masted schooner yacht, as she was seven miles from the Armenian, and her signals could not be read. Before a strong south-west wind the yacht was bowling along at a fast clip, carrying all upper and lower sails and presenting a beautiful marine picture.

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Funeral of Late W. J. Haddlesey.

The funeral of the late W. J. Haddlesey, formerly of Haddlesey and Traynor, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., took place at 9 a.m. yesterday from the residence of his brother-in-law, Wm. Odell, 298 Laval avenue, to St. Agnes's Church, and thence to the Cote des Neiges Cemetery. The deceased leaves a widow and one son, aged 6 years; mother, three sisters and two brothers. The chief mourners were: Frank and James, brothers; Moise Mercier, Wm. Odell, M. Gleason and Eugene McCarthy, brothers-in-laws; Lt. Tom Holland, Frank and John Haddlesey, James McDevitt, uncles; Hugh, Henry, James, Edward and Walter McDevitt, T. J. Holland and M. Healy, cousins. Among those noticed in the cortege were: Messrs. James Quinn, John Quinn, John O'Leary, M. Healy, P. Tansey, John Conroy, John Moore, Assistant Chief E. Jackson, Capt. Doolan, Michael Hughes, Thos. McCall, John Jones, W. H. Turner, J. H. Maiden, J. H. Mellson, E. McGrail, Michael Downs, Robert Odell, James Odell, S. E. Walsh, F. Ferron, J. P. Kavanagh, J. J. McEntee, Prof. J. I. McCaffrey, James Blanchfield, W. H. Griffin and many others.

Committed Suicide with Jack-knife.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Woodstock, N.B., May 25. — At Cogswell settlement, near Centreville, a man named William Kilpatrick, a bachelor, deliberately cut his throat with a jack-knife, after which he stuck the knife in the stump of a tree. He was about sixty years of age. He left a note saying that he was tired of living, and owed it to the world and himself that he should get out of it at once. Some years ago a brother did a similar act. An inquest was held, and the verdict returned of suicide while temporarily insane.

Japan is not yet exhausted, either in fighting or in finance. A fifth domestic loan which has been put on the market will be placed at a premium. The patriotic Japanese mean to sustain the credit of their country both in bonds and in battle.—Troy Times.

Special Notice.

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MONTREAL PLAYERS DEFEATED QUEBEC BUT M'GILL LOST AT OTTAWA

QUEBEC TEAM MADE A VERY POOR START

And Had to Follow on at Completion of the Opening Inning at Westmount.

In an all-day match at the M. A. A. A. grounds yesterday, Montreal defeated Quebec by 97 runs. Quebec faced today in their first innings and had to follow on. The scores were:

MONTREAL.

First Innings.

Flak, Dr., c A. F. Godwin, bld. Logan	2
Frew, bld. Logan	1
Smith, E. C., bld. Logan	65
Plumptre, Rov., not out	71
Foster, bld. C. Godwin	2
Moberly, bld. F. Godwin	0
Leupold, bld. Logan	1
Motherwell, bld. Logan	0
Hammond, bld. F. Godwin	2
Ferrabee, c. F. Godwin, bld. Logan	0
Smith, A., c. Gillespie, bld. Logan	7
Extras	3
Total	154

QUEBEC.

First innings.

MacIntyre, A. E., c. E. C. Smith, bld. Ferrabee	5
Odgen, S., c. E. C. Smith, bld. Ferrabee	2
Logan, M., c. E. C. Smith, bld. Ferrabee	5
Godwin, F., c. Leupold, bld. Ferrabee	0
Mather, bld. Ferrabee	6
Walkice, l.b.w., bld. Motherwell	8
Paul, H., c. E. C. Smith, bld. Ferrabee	1
Godwin, C. B., St. Frew, bld. Motherwell	14
Jones, St., Frew, bld. Ferrabee	6
Roland, bld. Motherwell	0
Gillespie, not out	0
Extras	10
Totals	57

QUEBEC.

Second Innings.

MacIntyre, A. E., run out	3
Godwin, C. B., bld. Ferrabee	11
Ogden, S., bld. Ferrabee	1
Godwin, F. R., bld. Leupold	9
Logan, M., l.b.w., bld. Hammond	15
Walker, bld. Motherwell	48
Jones, bld. Motherwell	27
Mather, J., run out	1
Paul, bld. Foster	1
Rawland, not out	9
Gillespie, did not bat	0
Extras	10
Total for 9 wickets	135

M'GILL LOST MATCH IN FIRST INNING.

Saunders Played Well and Made a Splendid Thirty-three—Ottawa Bowlers Too Good.

Ottawa, May 25. — The Ottawa cricketers defeated McGill yesterday on the Rideau Hall grounds by 23 runs on the first innings. McGill was only able to score 89 runs against the attack of Bristow and Johnston. Saunders played a perfect and stylish innings of 33. The scores:

McGill First Inning.

A. King, b Johnson	17
Hainsworth (sub.), b Bristow	7
Saunders, st. Ackland, b Bristow	33
Richards, ct Gray, b Bristow	3
Davis, b Johnson	2
A. R. Oughtred, b Bristow	0
Jones, b Johnson	9
Roffey, b Bristow	3
C. King, b Bristow	3
Clarke, b Johnson	3
N. Oughtred, not out	2
Byes, etc.	7
Total	89

Ottawa—First Inning.

A. G. Lewis, ct Richard, b Richards	18
M. G. Bristow, b Davis	16
F. Pereira, b Hainsworth	3
A. W. Powell, b Richards	11
H. Ackland, ct Saunders, b Richards	9
W. Johnson, b Richards	0
A. Gray, b King	35
D. C. Campbell, b Davis	9
V. H. Steele, ct Hainsworth, b Hainsworth	3
T. Rankin, ct Roffey, b King	2
H. Chrysler, not out	0
Byes, etc.	6
Total	112

McGill—Second Innings.

Jones, b Johnson	11
A. C. King, ct Chrysler, b Bristow	1
Roffey, ct and b Bristow	1
F. C. King, lbw, b Bristow	0
Richards, ct Bristow, b Rankin	21
Hainsworth, not out	81
Saunders, not out	17
Davis, did not bat	..
N. Oughtred, did not bat	..
Clarke, did not bat	..
A. R. Oughtred, did not bat	..
Byes, etc.	4
Total	136

Tecumsehs Won Opening Match.

Toronto, May 25.—Tecumsehs won from the Chippewas yesterday afternoon before 2,000 people at the Island oval, by a score of 5 to 3.

NEW C.A.A.U. RULE FOR FOOTBALL

Mail Vote Approves of Proposed Change for Their Benefit.

Association foot ball players ought to be happy. The official announcement is made to-day by Captain Gorman, president of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, that the Union has approved of the proposition which will alter the rules in such a way that the men who in Great Britain played against professionals are recognized as Canadian Amateurs.

A mail vote was taken on the question and the result was announced today.

The new rule approved of is as follows:

"That amateur athletes shall not lose their amateur status by competed-competed against a person who has competed against professionals in cricket matches, or in ordinary club football matches under sanction of the National Football Associations or National Rugby Unions of England, Scotland, Ireland or Wales, either in competition or for which no prizes are given."

Physical Culture Exhibition.

The Westmount Gymnasium was filled on Monday evening by the parents and friends of the members of Miss Morris' class. At the annual exhibition of work of the young people. The pupils went through a long programme in a manner which elicited well merited applause from their admiring friends. The work done by the Lilliputians and juniors reflected great credit on the tiny athletes. The senior work was excellent, especially the extension bar and club exercise. The instructor received handsome bouquets of flowers from the different classes. Ex-Mayor Cross presided, and in a few well chosen words congratulated Miss Morris and pupils on the excellent character of the exercises and the successful results of the winter's work. The medals won at the recent competition, when Dr. F. W. Harvey, director of physical work at McGill University, and Dr. H. J. Stuart Nichol acted as judges were then awarded. The following are the names of those winning:

LILLIPUTIANS.

Crichton Class, Empress, Rita McKenzie.

Westmount Class, Empress, Elizabeth Tudor.

JUNIOR.

Crichton, Empress, Gladys Miller.

Westmount, Empress, Myrtle Ahier.

Margaret Harrisson.

St. Lambert, Empress, Lilly Horsefall; Queen, Miriam Dix.

INTERMEDIATE.

Laura Rodgers.

SENIOR.

Westmount, 1st honor, Edyth Findlay; 2nd, Elyza Marcuse.

St. Lambert, 1st honor, Charlotte Robertson; 2nd honor, Nelly Horsefall; 3rd honor, Myrtle Corner.

BOYS' CLASS.

Crichton, 1st, Guyton D'Ivry.

Westmount, 1st, Calvin Carson.

St. Lambert, 1st, Howard Powell.

The following ladies contributed medals: Mrs. C. Wilson; Mrs. H. E. Tudor, Mrs. W. B. Powell, and Mrs. T. Rodgers.

The Windsor Annex.

A committee of the Windsor Hotel Company has been appointed to visit the United States and inspect the latest and most modern structures of that country. The above action is taken in view of the early construction of the Windsor Annex.

The committee, which will leave for New York on Tuesday, will be composed of Messrs. W. C. McIntyre, J. P. Dawes, Henry Joseph and F. L. Wanklyn.

Blazing Oil.

Last night the grocery store of Lessard and Bourdon, 384 Panet street was badly damaged by fire. The blaze was caused by a match falling into a barrel of coal oil. The damage to the store and stock is estimated at $800.

Fell Down Mountain Side.

While picking flowers on the Mountain yesterday, Gordon Mitchell, 15 years of age, whose parents live at 225 Congregation street, Point St. Charles, missed his footing and fell down the side of the mountain, near the Incline Railway. When examined by the physicians of the Royal Victoria Hospital, it was found that he was only suffering from painful bruises and contusions. No bones were broken. After medical treatment he went home.

MARINE NEWS.

Port of Montreal.

Arrived.

Steamship Lord Lansdowne (Br.), Webb, 1795, in ballast, from Cardiff, to load general cargo on return, R. Reford and Co., Jacques Cartier pier.

Sailed.

Steamship Sicilian (Br.), Fairfull, passengers and general cargo, for Glasgow.

Steamship Britannic (Nor.), Olsen, light, for Sydney.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Lord Lansdowne (Br.), Webb, 1795, R. Reford and Co., Jacques Cartier pier.

Smyrna (Nor.), Eriksen, 1921, Dominion Coal Co., Hochelaga.

Harald (Nor.), Berg, 1921, Dominion Coal Co., Windmill Point.

Englishman (Br.), Ingram, 4708, Dominion line, Dominion line wharf.

Rathlin Head (Br.), Smith, 4368, McLean, Kennedy and Co., Head Line wharf.

Milwaukee (Br.), Moore, 4784, C. P. Atlantic line, King Edward pier.

Turret Bell (Br.), Marcussen, 1376, Inverness Railway and Coal Co., foot of Desery street.

Fashoda (Br.), Gray, 1782, McLean, Kennedy and Co., Hochelaga.

Virginian (Br.), Vipond, 6844, H. and A. Allan, Allan line wharf.

Canada (Br.), Jones, 5701, Dominion line, Dominion line wharf.

Iona (Br.), Cummings, 2085, R. Reford and Co., Thomson line wharf.

Pomeranian (Br.), Harrison, 2700, H. and A. Allan, Allan line wharf.

Havso (Nor.), Dedekan, 1215, Intercolonial Coal Mining Company; Windmill Point.

Minnie Maud (Br.), Robert, 85, J. G. Brock and Co.

White Cloud (Br.), Mabe, 99, J. G. Brock and Co.

Manxman (Br.), 3122, Christie, Dominion line, St. Lawrence Sugar Refinery wharf, later moving up to Hamburg-American line wharf.

Escalona (Br.), Ritchie, 1175, R. Reford and Co., Jacques Cartier pier.

Birmingham (Br.), Jenkins, 2612, Furness, Withy and Company; Jacques Cartier pier.

Naparima (Br.), Fyfe, 1042, McLean, Kennedy and Co., St. Lawrence Sugar Refinery wharf.

The Gulf Report.

Quebec, May 25 — Weather unsettled, with variable winds.

River du Loup—In, 7.30 a.m., steamer Druid.

Father Point—Manchester Importer in, midnight, Wyandotte out, 4.15 a.m.; Devona in, 4.23 a.m.; Bellona out, 6 a.m.; Montcalm out, 6.50 a.m.; Mystic in, 7.20 a.m.

Little Metis—In, 5.30 a.m., Mystic.

Matane—Out, yesterday, 5 p.m., Savoy.

Martin River—In, 8.30 a.m., Wobun; in yesterday, 5.30 p.m., 2-masted steamer; in, 8 p.m., one Dominion steamer.

Cape Magdalen—In, 4 a.m., Wobun.

Fame Point—In, 4.30 a.m., Restigouche; in, 7.30 a.m., Tancred; out, 4.30 a.m., Kensington; out, yesterday, 7 p.m., Cape Breton, out, 7.30 p.m., Campana and Sverre.

S. W. Point—U.S. Packet in, 5 a.m.

Low Point—In, 5 a.m., Peter Jebsen, Scottish Hero; in yesterday, 4.30 p.m., Troid; in 7.30 p.m., Bonavista.

Cape Ray—Out, 8.30 a.m., steamer.

Ocean Steamships.

Hungarian, at London, from Montreal, May 24.

Armenian, at New York, from Liverpool, May 24.

Majestic, at Queenstown, from Montreal, May 24.

Kaiser Wilhelm II., at Bremen, from New York, May 24.

Patricia, at Dover, from New York, May 24.

Athenian, from Hong Kong, for Vancouver, May 24.

Lake Erie Outward.

The C. P. R. Atlantic liner Lake Erie, which sailed to-day for Liverpool, had the following first-class passengers booked:

Miss Beveridge, Miss Butler, Prof. G. H. Chandler, Mrs. Chandler, Mr. C. C. G. Douglas, Mr. Angus Edge, Mrs. Edge, Miss Etches, Miss — Etches, Mrs. Graham and child, Mrs. J. C. Mack, Miss G. N. Mack, Miss Jessie J. Patterson, Mrs. Arthur Piers, Miss Piers, Miss Isabel Piers, Mrs. R. R. Stevenson.

McLeod Still Missing.

When the Allan liner Sicilian pulled out from her wharf yesterday morning, a close watch was kept on the water around her dock, in the hope that the body of one of her stewards, Bruce McLeod, who is believed to have been drowned, might be raised to the surface by the agitation. Nothing was found, however, to indicate that McLeod had been drowned in the vicinity of the steamship. He left her to go ashore on Thursday last, and has not been seen since.

NOTES.

The Allan liner Sicilian arrived at Quebec at 1.40 yesterday afternoon.

The Devona passed Fame Point at noon yesterday and is expected here Saturday.

The Donaldson liner Lakonia, from Glasgow, passed Father Point at 3.10 a.m. yesterday.

The Allan liner Ontarian, from Montreal for London, passed Cape Race at 2 p.m. Tuesday.

The Donaldson liner Athenia sailed for Glasgow to-day with passengers and a general cargo.

The Allan liner Orcadian, from Glasgow, passed Father Point at 11 o'clock yesterday morning.

The Furness liner Wyandotte, outward from Montreal for South Africa, passed Quebec at 2 p.m. yesterday.

The steamship Southwark, from Liverpool with passengers and a general cargo, is expected here on Sunday.

The steamship Kensington, from Montreal for Liverpool, passed Father Point at 3.30 yesterday afternoon.

The Allan R.M.S. Tunisian passed Cape Race at 4 o'clock in the morning, and is expected here Saturday evening.

The Manchester Merchant arrived at Charlottetown at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, and will sail for Chicoutimi and Quebec.

The Manchester Importer, for Montreal, passed Martin River at 1 p.m. yesterday, and is expected to arrive here Monday, after unloading part cargo at Quebec.

The Allan turbiner Virginian will take a long list of passengers, many of them leaving to spend the summer abroad. The Virginian sails at daylight Friday. Beside her first-class passengers, she has many second and about 300 third.

Father Point, Que., May 25 — SS. Manchester Importer, Manchester line, from Manchester, inward, midnight.

SS. Devona, Thomson line, from Newcastle, inward, 4.35 a.m.

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SUNG ON VICTORIA DAY

Three New Fellows Elected to the Society—Lecture on the Antarctic.

Ottawa, May 25. — At the Royal Society yesterday, Mr. C. C. James, Ontario Minister of Agriculture; Dr. A. Doughty, Dominion archivist, and Major Wood, of Quebec, were elected fellows. A select audience heard Capt. Ford, of the Royal navy, lecture on the search for the South Pole. The lecture was illustrated with limelight views and dealt with the Antarctic expedition which left New Zealand in 1901, and returned in 1904. Last evening, in the assembly hall of the Normal School, the members of the society and friends were the guests of President Suite, and were charmed with the singing of the songs of the old regime. The feature of the programme was "Dieu Protege le Roi," a translation of "God Save the King," by Mr. Sulte, effectively rendered by the singers."

The new version is as follows:

"DIEU PROTEGE LE ROI."

Dieu protege le Roi;
En lui nous avons foi,
Vive le Roi!

Qu'il soit victorieux;
Et que son peuple heureux;
Le comble de ses voeux,
Vive le Roi!

Qu'il regne de long jours;
Que son nom soit toujoura
Notre secours.

Protecteur de la loi;
Et defenseur du droit;
Notre espoir est en toi;
Vive le Roi.

The Cattle Embargo.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star:

Sir,—The question of the removal of the embargo on Canadian cattle entering British ports is being brought to the front again.

The cables have told of a conference to be held in London on Thursday of next week, of representatives of the English and Scottish agricultural associations, municipal and harbor boards, and chambers of commerce, at which a resolution calling for the removal of restrictions upon the importation of Canadian cattle will be discussed.

It must seem very strange to the layman on the subject that the demand for the removal of the embargo does not come from the Canadians, but from the English and Scotch graziers, and practically from this class alone. Canada may protest at the unjustness of the restriction, but opinion is divided here as to the practical benefit of its removal. Before the embargo the English and Scotch graziers used to receive from Canada large numbers of "store" cattle (yearlings and two year olds), feed and dispose of them as beef cattle to great advantage. If, as it is reported, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, leader of the Liberal party in England, has promised to remove the embargo, if elected, and that the Irish people are now supporting the removal, the question becomes most imporant.

At the outset it may be said that the removal would be an injury to the cattle industry in the North-West, while the best farmers in the east don't want to ship these "stores," preferring to keep, feed and fatten them themselves for beef cattle.

In 1892 pleuro-pneumonia was said to exist in Canada and on that account the cattle were only permitted to enter British ports on condition of being slaughtered within ten days after arrival. Canadian cattle dropped in prices in the English market, and Canadians commenced a vigorous movement to have the embargo removed, almost entirely for the reason given as to its imposition.

In 1896 the British Parliament passed an Act practically making the embargo permanent. Canadians still kept up an agitation against the Act. An immense number of tests were made and over a million of Canadian cattle slaughtered, and no trace of any infectious disease was found. The English authorities admitted that there was no disease, but for general reasons thought best to maintain the Act as it was. This practically satisfied Canada that the fight was useless, and any further agitation over the matter subsided.

In the North-West the cattle, after 1892, began to improve in quality owing to good breeding and prices grew better. When shipped to England animals did not come into competition with the "stores" animals previously shipped from Canada, fed and put on the British market.

After the embargo large numbers of these "stores" (dogies) were shipped from Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec to the North-West, bought by the ranchers and grazed on the ranges until ready for shipment as grass fed beef. There is a great demand for these dogies in the North-West, and there is ample room for thousands more to occupy the ranges where they can be grazed. At the present time and for years past the general impression is that cattle in the North-West are not multiplying themselves as fast as they should. They are increasing rapidly, but the ranges could receive more for the benefit of the rancher himself.

The dogie trade in the North-West Territories last year was very bad. Very few of this class of animal was brought in from Manitoba, Ontario or Quebec. The prices shippers asked were high, while beef was low, and the North-West rancher did not care to take the risk of buying. Many Mexican dogies had been brought in as an experiment and this curtailed the demand. These may be some of the reasons for the Manitoba Cattle Breeders' Association, at a meting in Winnipeg, passing a resolution in favor of the removal of the embargo. Naturally the farmers of that province have, for the reasons above given, many animals on their hands.

In the East, since the cattle embargo, the proper and scientific farmer still keeps his "stores," feeds and fattens them himself, and sells them as beef, getting all the benefit for himself. The other, sometimes needing it, still sells his "stores," but to the local dealer, or ships them to the North-West.

On the other side of the water the English and Scotch graziers at first received their supply of "stores" from Ireland. Soon, however, the Irishman saw the result, and turned round, fed, fattened, and sold his "stores" as beef. The supply thus falling off the Scotch and English graziers are now "squealing."

The whole situation is as follows:

1. The whole of the agitation for the removal of the embargo now practically comes from the other side of the water.

2. Is it not better for Canada to have the Canadian farmer feed and finish these "stores" cattle himself, and if he cannot do so as a general policy, is it not better for the country to send them to the North-West for grazing there, and also to keep them from competition with our cattle in the English market after they have been fed over there.

ONE INTERESTED.

Calgary.

Birds' Nesting in Westmount.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star.

Sir,—I beg to call the attention of the authorities to the wanton destruction of bird's nests, in Westmount, by the boys of Clairmont, Sherbrooke and Somerville avenues in particular. Every year this has been going on, but this year this cruel practice is worse than in any previous year. I am sure, if the parents of these boys knew of their depredations that they would put a stop to it. As I well know there is a penalty of a twenty dollar fine for this offence. Every bird-loving citizen in Westmount should put forth an effort to have this outrageous conduct by the boys promptly stopped.

WESTMOUNT CITIZEN.

Welcome Reception.

Rev. and Mrs. Chas. G. Beck, the newly elected pastor of the English Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, were tendered a warm welcome reception last evening at the home of Miss Haezlin, 40 McGill College ave. by the congregation under the management of the Women's Missionary Society. A musical and literary programme was rendered. Mrs. Helmer welcomed the pastor and wife on behalf of the Church Council. Walter Petersen spoke for the Lutheran League. Mrs. Bieber represented the Missionary Society, and Rev. M. J. Bieber the Lutheran Church, to which addresses pastor Beck fittingly responded. The house was crowded. Ten new members swelled the membership of this young society to 38, and a pleasant social time was enjoyed. Mrs. Heimer, President of the society presented Rev. and Mrs. Bieber with a well filled purse, the gift of the society, with kind words of appreciation, regrets at their departure and "God Speed" in their great work of organizing English Lutheran Churches in other cities. Rev. Mr. Bieber expressed his deep appreciation of the gift, the great regret at leaving the city, the many friends he had made, and especially the earnest, active young congregation, founded by him.

BISHOP'S COLLEGE — The name of Mr. F. A. Norton, of Bishop's College, who won the senior anatomy prize, was accidentally omitted in the results published yesterday.



AT THE DOG SHOW.—Lady Eleanor, A. K. C. R. 77098, Boston Terrier, owned by F. W. Gardiner, Lyn, Ont. —See Page 2

PERSONALS.

Dr. Chipman is at Niagara.

Mr. Maurice Burke is in Toronto.

Mr. Frank Botterell was in Kingston this week.

Mrs. R. W. Reford, entertained at dinner on Tuesday.

Mrs. George Caverhill sails next week for Europe.

Mrs. Prefontaine is the guest of Mrs. Chauvin, in Aylmer.

Mrs. W. Wall, St. Denis street, has returned from Prescott.

Mr. S. Lichtenhein returned this morning from Toronto.

Mr. S. Arnold Finley was at the King Edward, Toronto, yesterday.

Mr. and Miss Cramp, of 62 McTavish street, have left town for Saratoga.

Mr. Duncan McCormick, K.C., is confined to the house by a sprained ankle.

Mrs. Amil and her little daughter have returned to Ottawa from Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Orr Lewis, who are in Toronto for Race week are guests at the King Edward.

Miss Emily Campbell, who has been visiting her father in town, sails for England early in June.

A very enjoyable children's gardenparty was given by Miss Martin, Durocher street, yesterday.

Mrs. A. G. Ross, Rosemount ave. Westmount, has taken a cottage at Metis for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Moat of England, who are at the Windsor will remain ten days longer in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCuaig who are at the King Edward, Toronto, return to town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hosmer entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Forest and Stream, Dorval.

Miss Mary Shurtieff, who has been visiting relatives in Westmount, has returned home to Compton.

Miss Lucy Knowles, nurse in training at the Children's Hospital, Boston, is spending a vacation in town.

Miss Lemesurier who has been the guest of Mrs. Kohr, rince of Wales Terrace, has returned to Brooklyn.

Mr. C. Arthur Jaques and family have moved to their summer residence, Victoria Park, St. Lambert.

The marriage of Miss Jessie Thom to Mr. Frederick G. Donaldson is announced to take place early in June.

Miss Ruth McFarlane, who spent the week end at Carleton Place, is now at the Russell, Ottawa. She will sail in June for England, to spend the summer.

Mrs. A. W. Ogilvie sails by the Virginian to-morrow for England. She will be accompanied as far as Quebec by her daughter, Mrs. Playfair of Midland Ont.

Mrs. David Seath has returned to town from a visit of several weeks to her sister, Mrs. E. R. Woodrow, Columbus, Ohio.

The marriage of Miss Louise Le Vasseur to Mr. George Gilman Parker will take place quietly at Trinity Church, on June 14th.

Miss Lawrence, Miss McCutcheon and Miss Sutcliffe sail on The Canada, on Saturday, May 27th, to spend the summer with friends in the Old Country.

The debutantes at the Royal Military College June ball, in Kingston will be Miss Arra Drury, Miss Elsie Pense, Miss Dorothy Brownfield, Miss Vera Mundell, Miss Portia MacKenzie, Miss Irene Swift, Miss Etta Ward, Miss Kathleen White and Miss Margaret Muir, of Hamilton.

Hon. W. A. Wier, K.C., and family have returned from Quebec.

Sir Charles and Lady Rivers Wilson are guests at "Ravenscrag."

Miss Shaughnessy, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Mackenzie, of "Benvenuto," Toronto.

Mr. R. Hal Bethune, Mountain St. has left to spend part of the summer in England. Mrs. Bethune and her little son leave next week for Montebello.

The following Montrealers are registered to-day at Toronto hotels.—King Edward Hotel—George A. Childs, L. A. Payette, J. Ernest Miller, Thomas Harling, W. H. Forsythe, J. Whiteside, W. E. Foster, A. T. Shorby, Dr. Mackenzie Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Birks, George H. Ham, Miss Savage. Queen's Hotel.—P. MacPherson, John A. Wright, S. P. Howard, Rossin House—C. M. Woodburn.

The marriage of Miss Eleonore A. Baker, daughter of Mr. B. Baker, to Mr. Edwin J. Smith, of Toronto, (formerly of Montreal) took place on Wednesday, May 24th 1905, in Zion Church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. A. B. Hubly, the rector of. St Bartholomew's R. E. church. The bride wore white silk and carried a bouquet of violets and lilies. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have left for the West, and will reside in Toronto.

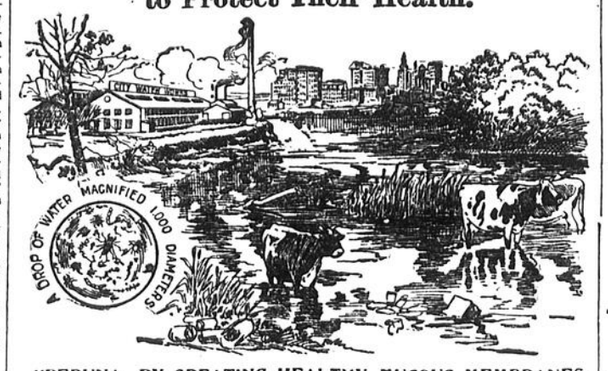
The marriage of Miss Nora Molleur, only daughter of Mr. A. F. Molleur of Montreal formerly of Grande Ligne, to Mr. J. O. Lefebvre took place quietly yesterday at the home of the bride, Cathcart St. Rev. J. L. Marin officiating. The bride who was gowned in white was attended by the groom's sister, Miss M. Lefebvre, and the bride's brother, Mr. C. Molleur was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Lefebvre will return to town from their honeymoon before leaving to reside in Winnipeg.

Among those invited to attend a luncheon given on the Virginian yesterday by Mr. H. A. Allan and Mr. A. A. Allan were Sir George and Lady Drummond, Sir Thomas and Lady Shaughnessy, Judge and Mrs. Killam (Winnipeg), Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Mackenzie, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gordon, Dr. and Mrs. Yates, Mrs. Frank Caverhill, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Kidd, Sir Montagu and Lady Allan, Mrs. Hugh A. Allan, and Mrs. A. A. Allan, Sir Charles and Lady Rivers-Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. James Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. L. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Meredith, Mr. C. M. Hays and the Misses Hays, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Angus, and Mr. and Miss Stikeman.

The marriage took place recently in the Philippines of Dr. Robert Ulric Patterson, of the McGill Medical class of 1898, later house surgeon of the Montreal General Hospital, and resident superintendent of the Montreal Maternity Hospital. On returning home to Baltimore, Marvland, Dr. Patterson entered the Medical Corps of the U. S. Army, as an honor graduate from the Army Medical School in Washington, D.C. He is a grandson of the late Mr. Wm. J. Patterson, secretary of the Montreal Board of Trade, and on his mother's side, a grandson of the late Mrs. Eleanor H. Lay, of Montreal. His marriage took place in Trinity Episcopal church, Zamboanga, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, to Miss Eda Beryl Loraine Day, the only daughter of Mr. Loren L. Day, of Dayton, State of Washington. The Rev. Irving Spencer officiated. The bride was attended by Miss Eleanor Greene, daughter of Major Greene, U.S. Signal Corps. The best man was Lieut. Benjamin D. Foulois, 17th U.S. Infantry. Capt. Halstead Dorey, A.D.C., and Lieut. William T. Davies, asst. surg., U.S.A., officiated as ushers. Only a few intimate friends of the groom and the bride's family were present at the church, but a largely attended reception followed at Major Francis Greene's residence. Dr. and Mrs. Patterson left on the coast guard steamer Bustian for Iolo, Dapitan, Cebu and Manila. After a brief stay in Manila, Dr. and Mrs. Patterson left for a month's honeymoon in Japan, whence they sail this month for the United States, as Dr. Patterson has been ordered back home after three years' continuous service in the archipelago.

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YAMAGATA, BONE-BREAKER.

Talks About Jiu-Jitsu and Gives Exhibition of the Gentle Art.

Yamagata, the Jiu Jitsu man from Japan, the Cambridge professor of that particular art, is in town.

He is a pretty stocky chap, of pretty good dimensions for a Jap, and it is really interesting to watch the artistic and inconsequential way in which he chokes people with the lappels of their coats, or locks their jaws by poking his finger into the neck under the ear, when they try to bite him.

"It is not wrestling," he admits, "It is an art of self-defence. I have taught it to the Police in Japan, and to the Military, and my appearance in Montreal will be my first appearance in a public contest.

The Japanese who wrestled in New York with Bothner was one of my pupils.

Yamagata says that the right way to pronounce the name of the bone-breaking game is" Jou Jits."

The match in which he indulges tomorrow night will not be decided by putting one of the wrestlers' shoulders on the mat, but by one of the contestants crying "Hold! enough!" and begging for mercy.

Another Floating Body Found.

The river has delivered up another victim. The body of a man was found floating in the canal off the Montreal Rolling Mills Company, St. Cunegonde, yesterday morning. The remains were taken to the morgne and have been identified as those of Donat Lemieux, aged 19, who had been missing from his boarding house, 3248 Notre Dame street for over a week. The deceased belonged to St. Isidore, Que., where he leaves a widowed mother, and was employed by the City Ice Company. He left his boarding place the night of May 13, in spite of his landlady's efforts to keep him in the house, as she thought he was not in a condition to go out. It is surmised that he fell into the canal.

Coroner McMahon held an inquest into the cause of his death to-day, and the jury, after having heard the evidence, returned a verdict of accidental drowning.

Dr. C. A. Dugas, medical expert, who made the post-mortem examination, stated that no marks of violence were found on the body. His clothing was in perfect order and the cause of death was drowning.

Sent to Reformatory.

A fifteen-year-old boy named Joseph Blouin was tried before Judge Sicotte a few days ago, on a charge of stealing a horse. The boy's record was bad and the judge, therefore, gave him three years in the Reformatory at Sherbrooke.

Accused of Burglary.

Detectives have been watching the premises of W. G. McGuire and Company, 1699 Notre Dame street, for some time, owing to reports of petty thefts during the night time. Last night they arrested John McCabe, an employe of the firm, while he was in the building. Near him was a pile of copper pipe, apparently all ready for removal. He was arrested and charged with burglary. To-day he was brought before Judge Lafontaine and pleaded not guilty.

Taken Back to Quebec.

Alexander S. Tobin, who is wanted in Quebec on a charge of theft, was arrested here yesterday by Chief McCaskill, of the Provincial force. An officer came from Quebec and Walsh returned with him for trial.

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WEALTHY MAN SUICIDES.

He Was Suspected of Having Killed a Legislator.

Savanna, Ill., May 25.—Bothwell Pulford, reputed to be the wealthiest citizen of Savanna, committed suicide to-day, a few minutes after being questioned regarding the whereabouts of a revolver with which he was suspected of having slain Attorney Daniel S. Perry, a former leading member of the Illinois Legislature. Pulford had denied any knowledge of the killing of Perry, but became agitated when questioned concerning the revolver. The story has been widely circulated that Perry was killed as a result of attention paid by him to a married woman. Pulford, on arriving at his store to-day, found a newspaper man waiting for him with queries as to the revolver. As soon as the interviewer had left, Pulford hurried home, and, going to the hay loft of his barn, shot himself dead.

Captain Sentenced for Forgery.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Sydney, N.S., May 25.—Hugh McLeod, of River Hibbert, N.S., captain of a small coaster, was sentenced to two years in Dorchester Penitentiary to-day for forgery. He pleaded guilty to the charge. McLeod forged the name of Captain Edward Berg, of the Norwegian steamer Krold, in an endorsement of a cheque made payable to Capt. Berg, and of which he had illegally obtained possession.

Sault Ste. Marie 100-Lb. Rails.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., May 25. — The Algoma steel plant has finished an order for 80-pound rails for the Canadian Pacific Railway, and is now engaged in turning out 100-pound rails for use on the Michigan Central lines in Canada. These are the first 100-pound rails made by the Algoma Company, and are the heaviest in use on any railroad.

New Commissioner of Yukon.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, May 25.—Mr. McInnes, the new commissioner of the Yukon, probably will be sworn in to-day or on Friday. He leaves for the west on Saturday.

GOING TO EUROPE.—Mr. Geo. Hope, of Adam Hope & Co., Hamilton, is in the city to-day, and will leave by the Victorian to-morrow morning for a three months' trip to Europe.

THE FRESH AIR FUND.

Tenders Wanted.

The Fresh Air Fund Committee invite Tenders for the following supplies for the Home at Chambly Canton for the current season: Salt and fresh meats, potatoes, bread, butter, milk, general groceries and other supplies.

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Ottawa, May 25. — The Board of Customs has promulgated the following tariff rulings: Advertising pamphlets, viz., "The S.W.P." and the "Chameleon," 15 cents per lb.; gold anodes, viz., gold and platinum plates, electrically welded together for use in gold plating, 10 per cent. Bemis transplanter, an implement for transplanting tobacco and other plants, 25 per cent.; hub-blocks, rough turned (not being rough hewn or sawn), 25 per cent.; Byrrh wine, $1.50 per gallon; chilled iron or steel shot, when to be used for other purposes than polishing glass or granite, 20 per cent.

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BIRTHS.

CHIPCHASE—On the 25th, the wife of E. Chipchase, of a son.

GENEREUX—On Monday, May 22nd instant, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Genereux, druggist, 1047 St. Catherine st.

SCOTT—At 58 Bourbonniere ave., Maisonneuve, on May 22, to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Scott, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

ALEXANDER-CRAWLEY—On the 24th May, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, by the Rev. E. Bottot, S.J., Elizabeth Mary, daughter of the late John Crawley, of London, England, to Richard C. F., son of Finlow Alexander, of Montreal.

GRAHAM-KYLE—On May 23rd, by the Rev. J. W. Graham, Carrie Graham, eldest daughter of Frank Graham, Esq., to Robt. A. Kyle, third son of James Kyle, Esq.

SMITH-BAKER—On Wednesday, May 24th, in Zion Church, Montreal, by the Rev. A. B. Hubly, Edwin James Smith of Toronto, to Eleonore Amelia Baker, daughter of Mr. R. Baker.

TURNER-BRADFIELD—At 13 Rosemount ave., on May 24th, by the Rev J. L. Gilmour, Tye Bradfield, daughter of the late H. A. Bradfield, to George Turner, of Brockville.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

ANDRIEN—In this city, on May 24th, '05 John E. Andrien, eldest son of the late Henry J. Andrien. Funeral from his mother's residence, 2065 St. Catherine st., on Saturday, May 27th, at 7.30 a.m. to St. Patrick's Church, and from thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please attend. (Kingston and Buffalo, ar

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RUSSIAN CAVALRY MAKE ATTACKS

No Very Heavy Fighting Yet Reported From Manchuria.

GENERAL KAULBARS ILL

Railway Line to Vladivostok Has Not Been Cut by the Japanese.

Tokio, May 25—Imperial Army Headquarters made the following announcement: "On the afternoon of May 21, a battalion of Russian infantry and six squadrons of cavalry attacked the northern height of Chin Yangpao, 10 miles north of Weeyuanpaoshen, but were repulsed.

"On the morning of May 22, a battalion of Russian infantry, and three troops of cavalry, advanced along the Kirin-Tsuiu roads toward Chien Chenzi and one company of infantry gained the western height near the village, but were repulsed then.

"The Russian cavalry on the right bank of the Liao River, commenced a retreat on the morning of May 22, and at 5 o'clock in the afternoon the enemy had reached a point south of Talun which lies seventeen miles west of Fakumen."

KAULBARS IS ILL.

Odessa, May 25—According to advices received here General Kaulbars, commander of the Second Manchurian Army, will return to Odessa, owing to the fact that his health is shattered.

NO SERIOUS FIGHTING.

Chaochavadze, Manchuria, May 25—The Japanese began an advance near Shahedze. At the same time the Russians advanced and seized Shachezai and Syroshizhon, in the centre, the Japanese retiring to the further banks of the Kouche and Gottz rivers. There has been no serious fighting yet. The Russians are making daily reconnaissances.

London, May 25—A despatch from St. Petersburg to the Times says the general staff denies the reports sent by Russian correspondents that Changtufu had been captured.

THE BALTIC FLEET.

London, May 25—A despatch from Tokio to the Telegraph says part of the battle fleet is near Tourane Bay, and more than a dozen transports are near Saigon, French Indo-China. The number of French troops at Tonquin and Saigon has been raised to 20,000. Since the beginning of the Russo-Japanese war and four new forts have been erected at Saigon.

THE LINE NOT CUT.

St. Petersburg, May 25—Replies received from Harbin say that both the railway and the telegraph lines to Vladivostok were working and the Associated Press was authorized to deny the report of the fortress's isolation.

FATHER GAPON'S STATEMENT.

Emancipation of People Warrants Use of All Measures.

Paris, May 24—The Journal today republishes a statement recently made by former Father Gapon, but the place and circumstances of the statement are not disclosed, owing to the desire not to put the Russian police on Gapon's track. The statement says in part:—

"The most important effect of the events of January 22nd has been to unify the various elements of the revolutionary movement. The chiefs of the two great revolutionary parties with whom I conferred, recognize the complete change in the plans wrought by the events of January 22nd. Before that time the Social Democrats and other revolutionary organs in Russia did not recognize openly the right to propagate the cause by the use of force, which was usually called by them terrorism, but which I call upholding the rights of the people. But the Social Democracy and the other groups now join in recognizing that the emancipation of the people warrants the use of any and all measures of force against the autocracy. I have conferred with the heads of many groups who are seeking to co-ordinate methods with the view of provoking an uprising of the people."

The statement expresses scepticism regarding the Government's reforms, and says the return of Russia's defeated army will add an enormous body of malcontents to the ranks of those already disaffected. While confident of the success of the revolutionary movement, Gapon says internal dissidences and quarrels between the revolutionary forces have delayed carrying out their plans.

"This," the former priest continues, "has so far prevented the formation of a central committee whose sole purpose will be to direct an uprising of the people, but we are working towards the formation of this committee. My special end is to see the committee realized, and it will be the embryo of the future provisory government. We have already created a system of correspondence between the groups for the purpose of bringing about complete organization. Unless the revolutionists themselves succeed in forming a systematic organization, I fear we shall witness a period of veritable anarchy and chaos in Russia. It is the day after a revolution which is to be most dreaded—when the people are unrestrained by any organization. If the revolutionary parties had been properly organized to strike a united blow January 22, we would have been spared the months of this desperate struggle and it is because we wish to avert bloodshed that we organize now towards securing a prompt and orderly realization of the end We consider to be inevitable."

The floods resulting from the continuous rains are causing incalculable damage and distress in the province of Vicenza, Italy. Seven hundred persons are homeless.

KINDLY RECEIVED BY MR. ROOSEVELT

Canadian Members of Waterways Commission Reach Washington.

THE FIRST MEETING TO-DAY

Americans are Not Prepared to Discuss Navigation of the St. John River.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, Ont., May 25—The Canadian members of the International Waterways Commission, W. F. King and Louis Coste, of Ottawa, and J. P. Maybee, of Toronto, arrived in Washington yesterday. Their coming was rather unexpected although to-day had been fixed for the meeting, owing it appears to red tape in the official communications between Canada and the United States. The acceptance of the Canadian section to a joint meeting reached the British Embassy for transmission to Col. Ernst, chairman of the American section, only yesterday morning. Having not heard from Canada, Col. Ernst had telegraphed his American colleagues that the meeting had been postponed sine die. The Canadian commissioners soon after arrival called upon Mr. Oberne the Charge de Affairs of the British embassy in the absence abroad of Sir Mortimer Durand. Mr. Oberne duly notified Col. Ernst, who wired his colleagues to be here to-day, when the proposed meeting will take place.

President Roosevelt, in receiving the Canadian section at noon at the White House, expressed his opinion that red tape was rather bothersome. Canada, he declared, should have a representative of her own here at the British Embassy. The President treated the Canadian delegates with the utmost courtesy and cordiality. The meetings of to-day will be of great importance. The Canadian members have come to Washington with instructions to take up the questions pertaining to navigation on the St. John River, but on this point the United States government is not agreed with the authorities of the Dominion and the outcome probably will be that the American members will refuse to discuss the St. John River. The American commissioners are Col. O. H. Ernst, of the Corps of Engineers of the United States Army, Geo. Clinton, Barrister, of Buffalo, and Professor Williams, of Cornell University.

WOULD HIT CHAS. M. HAYS.

American's View of Enforcement of Canada's Alien Labor Laws.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Toledo, Ohio, May 25—Speaking of the proposed enforcement of the Alien Labor Laws, by the Canadian Government, General Manager Russel Harding, of the Pere Marquette Railway, said: "I do not see how the Canadian Government can enforce these laws, as their enforcement would mean the deportation of a majority of the leading railway officials in Canada's most of them are Americans. Why Charles M. Hays, the mainstay of the Grand Trunk. And, perhaps, the greatest railway man in the world would come under the ban and would have to cross the border.

"It seems to me that the cause of the trouble was the hiring of American aliens by the Grand Trunk with the money loaned by the Government, but if Canadians could have filled the bill they would have been hired. That is all there is to it."

FIRE AT CARLETON PLACE.

Five Dwellings and Two Stores Were Destroyed.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Carleton Place, Ont., May 25—Fire broke out last evening in the back of the building of Messrs. Abraham & Aboud, general merchants and dealers in fancy goods. The wind was blowing a heavy gale from the south-west, and in a few minutes the flames spread both ways, destroying the dwellings of John Bradford, W. J. Porter, Frank Nagle, Albert Saunders and John Eastwood, the grocery of Edward Ross, and the general store of Messrs. Abraham & Aboud, with other dwellings above the store. The last named firm had only recently purchased the building and spent considerable on improvements, and their loss is very heavy. Most of the stock was recovered from both stores, although much was so damaged as to make it a total loss. The bulk of the furniture was removed from the dwellings. The total loss is estimated at from $15,000 to $20,000, and is fairly covered by insurance. The town fire brigade did excellent work, as did the C. P. R. brigade.

HAVE THROWN UP SPONGE.

Proprietors of Floating Pool Room Have Given In.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Windsor, Ont., May 25—After spending nearly $2000, the promoters of the floating poolroom have thrown up the sponge, and the Badger State has been taken back from Canadian waters to Detroit. Opposition from every side discouraged the promoters of the scheme, who, after carefully reviewing the preparations made by the United States federal authorities and the Canadian authorities to put the pool-room out of business, decided it best to abandon the project. It is reported that a coterie of Detroit men are now planning to establish a pool-room on Fighting Island, which is in Canadian waters.

J. McMILLAN, OF ST. JOHN, DEAD.

Well Known Resident of That City Passes Away.

Special to The Montreal Star.

St. John, N.B., May 25—John McMillan, head of the firm of J. & A. McMillan, publishers, booksellers and stationers, died at 3 o'clock this morning. He had been ill for some time. The house of which Mr. McMillan was head commenced business in 1822, being established by his grandfather, John McMillan, who came from Ireland. Deceased was born in 1833, and entered the business in 1866, prior to which he served a time in the American navy. He was a very prominent citizen and took much interest in public affairs. In 1894 he was appointed registrar of probates of St. John city and county, and held the office at the time of his death.

Dr. Sprule Will Not Resign.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, May 25—There is no truth in the report that Dr. Sproule, M.P., intend to resign his position as Grand Master of the Orange Order of British America. Dr. Sproule himself is the authority for this statement. He says he has no desire to hold on to the office permanently, but will accept a further term if the Order wishes.

Rev. T. B. Kilpatrick, D.D., of Manitoba College, announces that he will accept the chair of systematic theology in Knox College, Toronto, and will be prepared to enter upon the work in October.

At Vienna, on Wednesday, Sacco, the "hunger artist," began a 21-day fast in a cafe on the Prater. He is confined in a small cabinet, with cemented glass sides. He depends for sustenance upon a small flask filled with some secret preparation which is unedible and undrinkable, and only breathable.

The Weather to-morrow will probably be Fine and Warm.

The Haycock & Dudgeon Store

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Hour Items from Here and There

If you appreciate these offerings as they deserve, one hour will be much too long a time to expect a share in them. However, come and try.

8 to 9 a.m. Flake Zephyrs
Six hundred yards of pretty Flake Zephyrs in light blue, light green, pink and grey; regular 12c value; one hour Friday—not more than 12 yards to one person 5c

10 to 11 a.m. Black Muslins
400 yards of Black Lace Stripe Muslin, a perfect black and excellent quality; regular price 18c; one hour Friday not over 12 yards to one person 7½c

9 to 10 a.m. Colored Shirts
Boys' Shirts, soft or stiff bosoms; sizes 13 and 13½, also Men's Shirts in all sizes some soft fronts, some stiff; one hour Friday HALF PRICE

10.30 to 11.30 Black Silk
A beautiful quality of all-silk Satin Mervelleux, in black, for shirt waist suits, fancy dresses or handsome blouses, regularly $1.35; one hour Friday not over 15 yards to one person 67½c

Laces and Embroideries Half Price and Less

Pretty Hamburg Edgings and Insertions, in Swiss muslin, lawn and nainsook, from the narrowest widths to those of 14 inches. Embroideries worth up to 25c a yard, divided into three lots at
5c, 7½c and 10c.

A huge assortment of Laces, too numerous in widths and designs to give any fair conception by printers' ink, will be displayed on the ground floor Friday and Saturday, all plainly marked at
5c, 10c and 15c.

HALF PRICE REMNANT SALE.

Prints, Muslins, Galateas, Colored Wool Dress Goods, Black Wool Dress Goods, Silks, Linings, Skirtings, Embroideries, Laces, Ribbons, Flannels, Flannelettes, etc.

Lengths and regular price plainly marked on each piece. Half price deducted from the bill.

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Bleached and Unbleached Table Damasks, slightly soiled, otherwise quite perfect, at very generous reductions from regular prices.
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White and Colored Muslin and Print Shirt Waists, worth up to $4.50; For 50c and 75c each

300 White and Colored Summer Shirt Waists, slightly soiled through handling to be sold on Friday at prices that would not pay for the material to make them. These Shirt Waists are made in a large variety of styles, made by Canada's largest and best manufacturer, which is a guarantee of fit and finish We have divided them into two lots to sell on Friday at
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Made up in a large variety of styles and colors, well finished and perfect fitting; just the thing for school or country wear; worth up to $2.45, to clear at, each ..... 75c.

Another Sale of Ladies' Wrappers at 59c
These Wrappers are made of dark and light colored print and gingham, nicely trimmed with self frills and braid, finished at bottom with deep flounce, waist lined with cambric; worth up to $1.75, to clear at, each 59c

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BREACH OF PROMISE CASE.

Quarter of Million Dollars Demanded from a Millionaire.

New York, May 25.—Damages aggregating a quarter of a million of dollars as compensation for alleged breach of promise are asked by Mrs. Katherine Poillon, in a suit against W. Gould Brokaw, the millionaire club-man, which was begun in the Supreme Court here yesterday. A packet containing more than 200 letters, alleged by the plaintiff to have been written by Brokaw, will figure in the case. The authenticity of the letters, upon which the suit largely is based, is denied by Brokaw's counsel. Mrs. Poillon came here from Troy, N.Y., a few years ago after being divorced from her first husband, Joseph P. Smith, to whom she was married in 1897, while she was still a student in a seminary.

A Paris despatch says that the doctors appointed to inquire into the mental health of the Countess Montignoso, formerly Crown Princess Louise of Saxony, have made a favorable report as to her condition.

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The Late F. B. Wade.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, May 25.—The remains of the late Mr. F. B. Wade will be conveyed to Bridgewater, N.S., on Friday for interment.

Sunday School Union Meeting.

Toronto, May 25. — Hon. John J. Maclaren, justice of Ontario Court of Appeal, will be made president of the International Sunday School Union, which meets in Toronto June 23 to 27.

Weather: Fair and Warm.

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Remnants of Wash Fabrics, Sateen, Zephyr, Prints, etc. Useful lengths for children's dresses, blouses, etc., etc. Choice of any length for 50c
Other Remnants of Wash Goods, Zephyrs, Muslins, English Prints, etc. About 300 lengths, worth from $1.50 to $2.00. On sale at, each 75c

Sale of Lace Friday

The section to the right of the main entrance, ground floor, will contain an extensive display of the undermentioned underpriced lots

Lot No. 1—1 to 2 inches wide Torchon Lace and Insertion, 2 inches wide Valenciennes, Fancy Cotton Lace for trimming dresses and blouses, regular price, 5c to 15c per yard. Sale price 2½c
Lot No. 2—1 to 3 inches wide Torchon Lace and Insertion, 50 new designs to select from; 5 inches wide Ecru Insertion; 1 to 2 inches wide round mesh English Valenciennes, 3 to 6 inches wide Black Guipure Lace, regular price of the above, 7c to 35c per yard. Sale price 5c
Lot No. 3—3 to 5 inches wide White Cotton Cluny Insertion; regular price, 20c, 25c and 35c yard. Sale price 7c
Lot No. 4—1 to 2 inches real Linen Torchon Lace and Insertion; worth up to 20c per yard. Sale price 10c
Lot No. 5—4 to 7 inches wide Black Guipure Edgings, also Colored Silk Lace, worth up to 69c per yard. Sale price 10c
Lot No. 6—1 to 2¼ inches wide White and Cream Silk Cluny Insertion, also Black Silk Chantilly Lace and Insertion, worth up to 50c per yard. Sale price 15c

Ladies' 39c Silk Gloves, 32c.
Ladies' heavy Pure Silk Gloves, double finger tips; colors, White, cream and black; regular price 39c. Friday 32c

Ladies' Silk String Ties, 15c.
Silk String Ties, 47 inches long, 1 inch wide; colors, Cardinal, white and black. Special Friday at 15c

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17 lbs. Granulated Sugar	98c	24 lbs. Strathcona Flour	75c
3 lbs. Cut Loaf Sugar	25c	7 lbs. Rolled Oats	25c
Strathcona Coffee, 1 lb. tin	27c	7 bars Strathcona Soap	25c
5 lbs. Pure Ceylon Tea	$1.00	Pure Fruit Jam, 5 lb pails	45c
5 O'Clock Tea Blend, 3 lbs for	$1.00	3 pkgs. Corn Starch	20c
Lipton's Mixed Pickles, 25c, for	20c	3 pkgs. Custard Powders	25c
Lipton's Walnut Pickles, 25c, for	20c	3 bars Pure Castile Soap	25c
Maple Syrup, tin	10c	1 tin Corn, Peas and Tomatoes	30c
Shredded Cocoanut, lb	17c	3 tins Enameline	20c
5 lbs. Prunes	25c	Strathcona Brand Hams, lb	16 1-2c
Breakfast Bacon (Pea Meal)	16 1-2c		

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25c STAMPED LINEN CENTREPIECES 15c
Stamped White Linen Centrepieces, with buttonhole borders, conventional, floral, eyelet embroidery designs, and shell patterns to insert net. Size 18 inches. Regular 25c. Friday 15c

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BOYS' $1.25 WASH SUITS 49c
125 Boys' Summer Wash Suits, in White Duck and Linen finish, sailor blouse with plain knee pants. Sizes to fit from 3 to 8 years. Regular price $1.00 and $1.25. To clear on Friday at, per suit 49c

MEN'S NEGLIGEE SHIRTS 69c
Men's Fancy Negligee Shirts, detached cuffs, in light, dark and medium shades. Sizes 14 to 17. Regular $1.00 value. Your choice Friday at 69c

$2.00 OXFORD SHOES FOR $1.25.
Ladies' Good Dongola Kid Oxford Low Shoes, patent and kid tips, extension edge soles, medium Cuban and military heels. Hands one $1.75 and $2.00 Shoes. Friday $1.25

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DEATHS REPORTED.

Toronto Junction. — Mrs. Elizabeth Backus died of old age, at the age of 86.

Hamilton, Ont. — Miss Elizabeth McDermid Hamilton, daughter of James Hamilton, died yesterday, after a lengthy illness.

Toronto, Ont. — Joshua Gamble, for many years in the woollen business, is dead.

Toronto, Ont. — Mr. J. Hanbury Finch, for the past fifteen years accountant for the Toronto Lithographing Company, is dead.

Stratford, Ont. — Robert Roberts, an old Grand Trunk conductor, for nearly fifty years in the employ of the company, is dead, aged 69.

Dorchester, N. B.—Rev. J. C. Steadman, one of the oldest Baptist ministers in the Maritime Provinces, died at his son's residence, Sackville, after an illness lasting many months.

Winnipeg, Man.—Alfred Hutchings, one of the pioneer settlers of Edmonton, died at the Edmonton General Hospital. He was one of the first white settlers in the Edmonton district, and with his brother, T. C. Hutchings, of Edmonton, might be considered the men who first proved that Edmonton was successful for farming.

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All notices of Births, Marriages, and Deaths must be endorsed with the names and addresses of the persons sending same.

BIRTHS.

CHIPCHASE—On the 25th, the wife of E. Chipchase, of a son.

GENEREUX—On Monday, May 22nd instant, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Genereux, druggist, 1047 St. Catherine st.

SCOTT—At 58 Bourbonnière ave., Maisonneuve, on May 22, to Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Scott, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

ALEXANDER-CRAWLEY—On the 24th May, at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, by the Rev. E. Rottot, S.J., Elizabeth Mary, daughter of the late John Crawley, of London, England, to Richard C. F., son of Finlow Alexander, of Montreal.

GRAHAM-KYLE—On May 23rd, by the Rev. J. W. Graham, Carrie Graham, eldest daughter of Frank Graham, Esq., to Robt. A. Kyle, third son of James Kyle, Esq.

SMITH-BAKER—On Wednesday, May 24th, in Zion Church, Montreal, by the Rev. A. B. Hubly, Edwin James Smith, of Toronto, to Eleonore Amelia Baker, daughter of Mr. B. Baker.

TURNER-BRADFIELD—At 13 Rosemount ave., on May 24th, by the Rev. J. L. Gilmour, Tye Bradfield, daughter of the late H. A. Bradfield, to George Turner, of Brockville.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

ANDRIEN—In this city on May 24th, '05, John E. Andrien, eldest son of the late Henry J. Andrien. Funeral from his mother's residence, 2065 St. Catherine st., on Saturday, May 27th, at 7.30 a.m., to St. Patrick's Church, and from thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please attend. (Kingston and Buffalo and Kansas City papers please copy.)

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LEVAC—In this city, on the 24th inst., at the age of 1 year and 14 days, Joseph Zephirin Levac, son of Joseph Levac, died at the General Hospital of the Grey Nuns. Funeral private.

McLAREN—On the morning of the 23rd May, 1905, Helen Taylor Walker, relict of the late John C. McLaren, in her 85th year. Interred Mount Royal.

NOVELL—In this city, on the 24th inst., Wm. Novell, widower of the late Margaret Kelly, at the Montreal General Hospital. Funeral on Saturday morning, at 9 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please attend. (Toronto and New York papers please copy.)

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PARE—Accidentally, at 622 St. Antoine st., St. Henri, on May 22nd, Anthime Pare, grocer, aged 28. Funeral from his father's residence, 115 Duvernay st., Ste. Cunegonde, on Friday, 26th, at 8 a.m. Friends and relations please accept this intimation.

PULS—In this city, on May 24th, Otto Puls, aged 39, native of Hamburg. Funeral private on Thursday, May 25th.

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SHEELY—On the 25th inst., John William, infant son of W. J. Sheely and the late Doris Helen Sheely, nee Haggerty. Funeral private.

WATSON—On May 24th, Wm. Watson, beloved son of John Watson, late with the H. R. Ives Co. Funeral from 321 Chambord st., on Friday, at 2.30, May 26, '05.

DEATHS OUTSIDE THE CITY.

CONNOLLY — Suddenly, at Golden Grove, N.B., on May 14th, Thomas, son of the late Dennis Connolly, in the 37th year of his age.*

LeBLANC — Suddenly, in London, Eng., May 2nd, Mrs. Georgina LeBlanc, widow of the late Frederic LeBlanc, and daughter of the late Dr. Godfrey Jacobs, Lunenburg.*

McDONALD — At Pictou, N.S., on May 5th, John C. McDonald, aged 32 years.*

McKENZIE — At Truro, N.S., May 14th, Miss Gertrude Eileen McKenzie, aged 15 years and 2 months.*

MACNISH — At Cornwall, Ont., on May 11th Rev. Neil MacNish, B.D., LL.D., aged 66 years.*

McGILLIVRAY — Suddenly, near Quigley's Corners, Glengarry, Ont., on May 7th, Archibald McGillivray.*

ROBERTSON — At Cornwall Centre, Ont., on May 7th, David Robertson, aged 74 years.*

SHEETS — At Cornwall, Ont., on May 10th, M. O. Sheets, barrister, aged 42 years.*

SCRIBNER — In St. John, N.B., on May 15th, Hortense Emma, widow of Dingee Scribner, and youngest daughter of the late George M. Burns, aged 62 years.*

IN MEMORIAM.

McCONNELL—In loving memory of our dear father, who departed this life May 25, '04. Not forgotten by his children. R. I. P.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of Patrick McNeice, who died on May 26, 1903. Anniversary service will be held at St. Ann's Church on Friday morning at 7 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM.

In loving memory of Ethel Maud Morrison, beloved wife of A. G. Smeardon, who died at Hawkesbury, May 24, 1904.

When the holy angels meet us
As we go to join their band,
Shall we know the friends that greet us
In the glorious spirit land?
Shall we see the same eyes shining
On us as in days of yore?
Shall we feel their dear arms twining
Fondly round us as before;
Shall we know each other there?

Oly Smoke Halbert

sweat you ad enough lady charlotte gelatine.

PIGMIES COME TO ENGLAND.

Bringing with him six pigmies from the Ituri Forest, generally known as the Stanley Forest (Congo Free State), Colonel Harrison, the well-known explorer, has arrived in England. The little people, four of whom are men and two women, are all between eighteen and thirty-four years of age, and their height is from three feet eight inches to four feet six inches.

They came of their own free will, and will proceed to London. Colonel Harrison has promised to send them back if they wish it, but he thinks they will probably prefer to stay in England. The pigmies are still fairly numerous, and live on the outskirts of the great forest, rarely penetrating into its interior, except for purposes of concealment.

The Colonel found them quite friendly when he had once gained their confidence, but a week before he left they attacked a caravan belonging to the Congo Government, killing seventeen porters and escaping into the depths of the forest.

The little men are of a warlike disposition, and dwell in small villages, each ruled by an independent chief. Their houses consist of erections of sticks covered with leaves. The pigmies wear hardly any clothing.

Some of them have hair on the breast and legs, but the large majority are free from it. The maximum age they attain is forty years.

Most of them appear quite intelligent, and one woman is remarkable for her good figure. Their distinguishing features are thick lips and noses, while their complexion is sallow.

Colonel Harrison spent three weeks with the natives hunting okapi, but owing to the denseness of the forest it was impossible to shoot any specimens of the rare animal. Two skins, however, were procured from the natives, both badly cut. Even in the forest the okapi is now becoming rare. The explorer, who was away for three months, succeeded in bringing back with him a small black-haired monkey of exceedingly rare type, called the colopus.

Special Sale of LADIES' WAISTS At Half Price. 1st Floor.

THE S. CARSLEY CO. LIMITED.

Hotel and Boarding House Proprietors should visit the Carpet Sale—Second Floor. MAY 25, 1905.

A MAKER'S STOCK of LADIES' FINE WHITEWEAR



To be Offered on Friday at Astonishingly Low Prices

This sale will contain some of the finest whitewear values ever offered in this city. We have purchased a manufacturer's entire stock—under no other conditions would he allow us such flattering discounts.

We need not say much about the Quality of the undergarments provided for this event. It fully comes up to the high Carsley standard, faultlessly fashioned wear, made by one of the best makers in the country.

Sold at Less Than Cost Prices.

The most particular home sewer will find difficulty in producing equally good garments—even then she will find it will cost her more than to purchase at Carsley's low prices.

Special Inducements for June Brides.

Particularly will this sale offer special inducements to those preparing trousseaux for June weddings. The fine sheer qualities of materials used, the dainty styles and exquisite finish make every piece more than worthy.

The saving on a purchase of this kind will be very considerable indeed.

Sale begins on Friday morning at 8 a. m. sharp. You are cordially invited to come and inspect the really remarkable values. Some values:

Corset Covers

Ladies' Fine White Cambric Corset Covers, full front, trimmed lace and ribbon beading in various pretty shades. Special sale price 24c

Fine Cambric Drawers

Ladies' Fine White Cambric drawers, made Umbrella style, trimmed wide frill of embroidery and clusters of tucks, a very special value. Sale price 36c

Ladies' Chemises

Ladies' Fine White Cambric Chemises, made extra full, handsomely trimmed at neck and arms with lace and ribbon beading, full size. Sale price. 63c

Ladies' Night Dresses

Ladies' Night Dresses, made of fine white cambric, yoke of embroidery insertion, trimmed fine tucks, and Hamburg embroidery trimming, cut extra full. Sale price ... 67c

White Under Skirts

Ladies' Fine White Cambric Underskirts, made with wide lawn flounce, also trimmed with two rows of fine lace insertion, perfect fitting, a special value at 82c

Towels and Towelling

Pure Linen Oatmeal Towelling, with red border, 18 in. wide. Special 7½c

Pure Linen Oatmeal Towels, with border, size 23 by 45 inches. Regular value 16c. Special Friday price 12½c

65c Men's Shirts 43c

Men's Fine Colored Shirts, soft fronts, blue and pink stripes, warranted fast colors, body well cut and extra full, sizes 14 1-2 to 18. Regular value 65c. Special on Friday at 43c

10c Cottons for 8 1-2c

36 in. White Cotton, extra quality, smooth finish, free from dressing. Regularly sold at 10c. Friday 8½c

15c Pillow Cases 11½c

Ready Made Pillow Cases, sizes 36 by 44 in., extra well finished and ready for use. Regular value 15c. On Friday 11½c

Men's Pants $1.35

75 pairs of Men's Stylish Pants, made of good quality all-wool tweed, in five various patterns. The cut and fit is excellent, while special attention has been paid to finish. Regularly sold at $2.00. Special on Friday $1.35

35c Boys' Belts 19c

10 doz Boys' Patent Leather Buster Brown Belts, in black, brown and red, two heavy buckles, with dip in front, sizes 30 to 34. Regularly sold at 35c. Friday 19c

Summer Corsets 25c

Ladies' Summer Corsets, of strong white net, well boned, medium or short waist, sizes 18 to 30, a serviceable corset for hot weather wear. Regular 35c. Friday .. 25c

Lace Curtains 60c

40 pairs Fine White Nottingham Lace Curtains, choice of two fine centre designs, fine embroidered borders, size 50 in. by 3 yards long. Regular value 80c; for. 60c

Friday's Cut Medicine List

	Reg.	Fri.
Blaud's Iron Pills	50c	18c
Abbey's Salts	25c	15c
Ayer's Cathartic Pills	25c	16½c
Paine's Celery Compound	$1.00	62½c
Wyeth's Beef, Iron and Wine	$1.00	61c
Kola, Celery, Pepsin ..	$1.00	60c
Castoria	35c	18c
Wood's Sarsaparilla	$1.00	63c

Boys' Suits 84c

Boys' Blouse Suits, of navy all-wool blue serge, trimmed red, yellow and self braid, silk cord and whistle, pants lined throughout. Regular value $1.00. Friday. 84c

Chiffon Jabots 39c

Dainty Neckwear, made of fine silk chiffon, trimmed narrow lace and heavy lace applique, two rows of ribbons, in various colors on band. Length about 10 1-2 inches. Regularly sold at 65c. On Friday. 39c

Ladies' Handkfs 4½c

90 doz. Ladies' Fine Lawn Handkerchiefs, embroidered or lace edges, hemstitched or scalloped, an immense assortment, no two alike, the finest value we have yet offered. Special price each, 4½c; or one dozen in box, all different 50c

SPECIAL SALE OF BOOTS
SALE OF A MANUFACTURER'S SAMPLE LINE

BOYS BLACK BUFF LACED BOOTS, strong, heavy soles, made over full, well fitting last, sizes 1 to 5. Regular value is $1.35. Special sale price 99c

LADIES' JULIET SLIPPERS, of fine black dongola kid, flexible hand turned soles, stylish model, sizes 4, 4 1-2, 5, 5 1-2, 6, 6 1-2, and 7; also a very special line of Black Buckskin SHppers, of fine dongola kid, sizes 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7. Regular values are from $1.25 to $1.50. Sale price 99c

LADIES' CONGRESS BOOTS, of fine dongola kid, with hand turned soles and common sense heels, in sizes 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 only. Regular value $1.50. On Friday $1.19

THE PARISIAN "SEMI-MARQUIS" HAT
REGULARLY SOLD AT $2.25 FOR 99c



We need hardly tell you how popular this style is this season. It has created a furore in Paris, and daily achieves yet greater popularity in New York and London, a smart, distinctive style, that goes well with any costume, in various shades. The Carsley Store is the first to produce this Hat at such a popular price. You will pay nearly three times as much for the same style anywhere else. Made of fancy straw, it is trimmed with velvet to match and two smart ornaments, in the following color combinations: Brown, brown and champagne, black, black and champagne, navy, navy and champagne, etc. Regular value $2.25. On Friday .. 99c

$4.50 to $10.00 LADIES' STYLISH CAPES FOR 98c AND $1.98

No detriment to the wear of these handsome garments if we tell you they are not absolutely the latest styles. Ladies will find them remarkably serviceable for seaside and country. Immense range of cloths and colorings to choose from, some silk lined, others reversible cloth, etc. Ladies will find many bargains among these attractive lots. The regular values of these useful garments range from $4.50 to $10. Special prices on Friday .... 98c and $1.98

$3.00 WHITE SILK WAISTS $2.10

These elegant creations will serve for the most particular occasions of the summer season, made of sheer, filmy Japanese silk, by a prominent manufacturer, and his reputation is a guarantee for the splendid workmanship and dashing style that makes these garments so attractive. They come in the most up-to-date of styles, with new loose sleeves, allover tucked front and back, tucked waist band and fancy collar, all sizes, a garment that would be cheap at $3.00. Special Friday price .. $2.10

FRIDAY'S SPECIAL CARPET OFFERS

700 Samples of Good Quality Ingrain Carpet, each one 36 in. by 40 in., finished ends, reversible. By sewing together a strikingly handsome Carpet may be made for bedrooms. Regular value from 50c to 85c. Special price 19c

25 Tapestry Carpet Squares, splendid new patterns, handsome color combinations, size 3 1-2 by 4 yards. You would pay $9.00 elsewhere. On Friday $7.75

200 yds. of Handsome Velvet Pile Stair Carpet, in various colorings. This is part of an immense purchase we recently made, so we are able to offer at less than factory prices. Regular value is $1.25. Special price on Friday 65c

40c DRESS GOODS FOR 19c

This is a gathering up of broken lines of some of the season's most popular fabrics; all are suitable for summer wear and will make up into very handsome creations. A large variety of weaves is included in this group, amongst which are tartan plaids, regular 30c; Tweed Suiting, a 40c material; Alpaca Mohair, worth 28c; French Challies, worth 40c; Black Mohair, with lace effect, regular 33c; Voile in fine bluet shade, generally sold at 35c. To be cleared on Friday at the uniform price of 19c

TWO WASH FABRIC SPECIALS

FRENCH ORGANDIE MUSLIN, in a great variety of patterns, white and colored grounds, a charming fabric for summer Shirt Waist Suits and Waists. Regularly sold at 25c and 35c. Special price, a yard, on Friday 12½c

FANCY DRESS MUSLIN, in pretty color combinations, in pink and white, green and white, blue and white, etc., stripe, floral and Dresden effects, a fabric that is regularly sold at 12 1-2c a yard. Special Friday price 6½c

SPECIAL PRICES ON PURE GROCERIES

	Reg.	Fri.		Reg.	Fri.
Windsor Salt, 3 bags	15c	10c	Pure Maple Syrup, per lb.	12½c	10c
Gold Dust Cornmeal, 7 lbs.	35c	20c	Apples, 1 gal. tin	20c	17c
Rolled Oats, 7 lbs..	30c	23c	Carsley's Soap Powder 8 pkgs	40c	25c
Finest Cooking Figs, lb. .	12½c	10c	Upton's Marmalade, 7 lb's.	65c	55c
Pure Maple Syrup, gal..	$1.50	$1.20	Cooking Raisins, 3 lbs ..	30c	23c
Hungarian Flour, 24 lbs..	90c	75c	Quaker Oats	30c	25c
Finest Japan Tea, 5 lb. caddie	$2.25	$1.75	S. W. Biscuits	15c	12½c

FINEST CREAMERY BUTTER, per lb.... .. .. 25c

GRANULATED SUGAR, 17 lbs. 25c

CARSLEY'S CELEBRATED MOUNTAIN GROWN COFFEE, per lb. 45c (5 lbs. or more, per lb, 40c.)

Flannel Specials

English Cashmere Flannelettes, with fancy silk stripes, suitable for summer shirt waists, 30 in. wide Regular 25c. Friday .. 19c

All-Wool French Blouse Flannels, with plain dots, 27 inches wide. Worth 40c. Friday.. 30c

Unbleached Sheeting

Plain Unbleached Sheeting, two yards wide. Regular value 18c. On Friday 15c

Good Checked Apron Gingham, 36 inches wide. Regular value 11 1-2c. Friday 8½c

75c Night Shirts 50c

Men's White Twilled Cotton Night Shirts, extra good quality, collar and side pocket, full, well cut body. Regularly sold at 75c. Special on Friday 50c

White Quilts 99c

2 cases of Heavy White Honeycomb Quilts, floral centre designs and pearl edge finish, suitable for large size double bed. Regularly sold at $1.25. On Friday 99c

Water Colors $2.65

Only 25 genuine Water Colors, various subjects, mostly landscapes, framed in 21-2 in. gilt moulding, gilt mat, would make splendid wedding presents. Reg. $4.50. Special on Friday $2.65

Men's Straw Hats 29c

250 Men's Straw Sailor Hats, black band, leather sweat band, lined, the latest shape, all sizes, very remarkable value. On Friday special at.. .. .. 29c

$2.25 Watches $1.49

Ladies' Watches, in solid silver cases, open face, nicely engraved, fitted with fine Swiss movement, excellent time-keepers. Regularly sold at $2.25. Friday . $1.49

Ladies' Gloves 69c

Ladies' Fine French Kid Gloves, soft, pliant skins, well cut and perfect fitting, silk points, in black, white, tan, brown, beaver and gray. Regular $1.00. Friday . 69c

For the Toilet Table

	Reg.	Fri.
Ayer's Hair Vigor	$1.00	64c
Brighton's Hair Restorer	$1.00	85c
Coke Dandruff Cure	$1.00	75c
Florida Water	50c	34c
Violet Witch Hazel	25c	14c
Honey and Almond Cream	50c	39c
Toilet Powder	5c	1½c
Hair Brushes	19c	17½c

Sporting Goods

Boys' Bamboo Fishing Rods, with line, hook, sinker and winder, complete. Regular value 12c. Special Friday 8½c

Hardwood Croquet Sets, comprising 4 balls, with mallets, hoops, put up in a strong box. Regular 75c. Friday 69c

$1.50 Pickle Jars 99c

Pickle Jars, of fine crystal glass on heavy silver plated stand, nicely engraved, with fork, an acceptable wedding present. Regular value is $1.50. Friday 99c

Ladies' Hosiery

Ladies' Cream Elastic Ribbed Cotton Vests, low neck, no sleeves. Regular value 8c. Special Friday price 5½c

Ladies' Plain Tan Cotton Hose. Regular price 10c. On Friday 5c

FRIDAY'S SPECIALS in GLASS AND CHINA



Fine Crystal Glass Berry Bowls, of heavy imitation cut glass, handsome design. Regular value is 15c. Special offer on Friday 9c

Crystal Berry Dishes to match, 2 1-2 inches in diameter. Regular 4c. Friday 2c

2,000 Crystal Glass Bon-Bon and Celery Dishes, oval shape, of very heavy imitation cut glass. Regularly sold at 12c. Special on Friday 7c

200 Crystal Glass Bowls, with foot, for fruit or preserves, good pattern. Worth 25c. Special on Friday 19c

250 Toilet Sets, comprising Ewer, Basin, Chamber, Soap Dish and Mug, in best English semi-porcelain, handsomely decorated in ruby, green and blue. Worth $2.00. Friday.... .. .. $1.49

150 Decorated China Cream Jugs, in pink, blue and green, good shape. Worth 15c; for 9c

THESE FROM THE HARDWARE STORE



Step-Ladders, you will find them the most satisfactory and reliable kind you have ever seen, made of selected hardwood, all parts securely bolted, not nailed. They are built to wear, and are good for many years' service, smooth finish. Regular value 14c. Special Friday price, a step .. 9½c



The Desideratum Refrigerator, of kiln dried hardwood, golden oak finish, lining of galvanized iron, removable shelf, cleanable flues. Regular value $7.50. On Friday.. $5.49

300 White Enamel Coffee Pots, quart size. Regular 45c. Special on Friday 15c

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HAMILTON'S
Friday Bargain Day

A Dress Goods Bargain Tops This Bargain List

Because it is the biggest and best value in fine all wool Dress Goods we have been able to place before you this season.

42 to 46 inch wide summer weight fine all wool SATIN CLOTHS, HAIR CORD VOILES, ARMURES, BASKET CLOTH, SICILIANS, etc.—all this season's importations—all the new shades and colors that are fashionable this season. Materials that are worth up to 75c yard. Friday, yard..... 29c

For the Early Shoppers from 8 to 9 a.m.

2 Cases Mill Ends Bleached Sheetings, both plain and twilled, 2 and 2¼ yards wide, all useful lengths, cut off the web. These qualities of sheetings would cost you from 25c to 30c yd. Friday morning for the hour only.... 12½c Yard

BLACK MOHAIR SICILIAN Dress Goods, 56 inches wide, bright Silk finish, worth 75c. Friday 49c

27 inch JAPANESE SILKS, in black and white only, and Black Taffeta Silks, regular width, worth 45c. Friday 29c

A JOB IN WASH GOODS. Canvas Cloths, Flake Voiles, Etamines, Zephyrs and Chambrays, worth up to 25 cents. Friday 10c

FANCY DRESS MUSLINS, White, black and colored grounds, with pretty printed designs, fast colors, worth 15c. Friday 7 1-2c

LADIES' VESTS, cream and white ribbed, summer weight, ribbon trimmed. Special for Friday, at.. 12 1-2c

MEN'S and BOYS' SHIRTS, Percales, Madras, Zephyrs and Cambric, soft and hard fronts all sizes, worth up to $1.00. Friday 59c

LADIES' HOSE, "Samples," fancy stripes and spots, drop stitch, plain blacks, all Hermsdorf dyed, worth up to 40c. Friday.. ... ... 25c

BLOUSE MATTINGS, White mercerized Basket Cloth and Blouse Mattings, for Summer Waists, 25c. Friday. 15c

2000 yards of Fancy Chiffons, Nets and Veilings, all colors and all kinds, comprising: fancies, plain and accordion pleated; worth up to 50c yard; your choice while they last, yard 5c

Odd Lines of Ladies' Print, Lawn and Muslin Waists, Light and dark shades, also white. Waists worth up to 75c among them; Friday, each ... 39c

Babies' Bibs, white muslin quilted and oilcloth ones for table. 10c. Friday 5c

Babies' Muslin Trimmed Lace Bonnets, 29c, for 10c

Another Notable Hat Offering

A bigger and better lot than last Friday's, and you know what a sensation they created. There's 61 dozen in all,

Ladies' and Misses' Chip, 29c

Tuscan and Fancy Straw Hats 39c

The season's newest and most popular styles and shapes; Hats in the lot that exclusive milliners will charge you $3 for; your choice on Friday, in 4 big lots, at 59c

Come early while the assortment is complete. 79c

$2.50 Shirt Waist Suits for $1.50

Latest styles, made of madras and percale, white grounds with spotted designs; all sizes. We have but 40 of these suits to sell on Friday at this exceptionally low price, therefore we'd advise you coming early.

2,500 Yards of

Torchon Laces and Insertions

On Sale Friday at 1-2 and 1-3 Their Value.

Fully 35 different patterns to choose from; assorted widths; laces that are suitable either for muslin dress trimming or ladies' and children's underwear; Laces and Insertions that you cannot duplicate outside of this store less than from 5c to 7 1-2c; your choice Friday at ..... 2½¢ YARD

500 pieces of Silk and Satin Ribbons, from 1 1-2 to 3 inches wide, mostly all colors to choose from; Ribbons worth up to 25c yard, Friday ... 5c

Ladies' Linen and Men's Lawn Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, some with lace borders, worth up to 10c, Friday, each 5c

Ladies' "sample" Fabric Gloves and Mitts, in all sizes, styles and colors; worth up to 35c, Friday, per pair 12½c

Extra Special—From 8 to 9 a.m.

That is if they last that long. We have only 15 dozen of them in all.

Ladies' Damaged Kid Gloves

Mostly all sizes and colors, all more or less imperfect; while they last, pair 19c

All-Day Bargains. They're good ones.

Brown Windsor Toilet Soap, for, per cake 1c
Nail Brushes, worth 5c, for, each 1½c
Safety Pins, 5c papers, for 2½c
Mending Wool in balls, 5c, for.... 3½c
Crepe Paper, 7½c rolls, for 3½c
Ladies' Satin Belt Hose Supporters, 35c, for 25c

Friday's Attractive Values in Housefurnishings on "Third Floor"

Sample Pairs of Fine NOTTINGHAM and SWISS CURTAINS. Friday at special reduced prices.

$12.00 Curtains for.. .. ... $9.50
9.00 Curtains for.. .. ... 7.00

Lower priced ones in proportion.

50 Pairs NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, size 1 1-2 x 3 1-2, new designs, culbert edges, $1.25 pair. Friday..... ... 99c

GOOD FLOOR OILCLOTHS, in 1 1-2, 2 and 2 1-2 yard widths. Friday, per square yard, 20c, 22c, 24c.

ENGLISH FLOOR OILCLOTHS, 4 yards wide, new designs. Friday, per square yard, 28c, 35c, 45c, 55c.

SCOTCH LINOLEUMS, extra heavy quality, 4 yards wide, very durable, per square yard, 45c, 55c, 75c.

JAPANESE FLOOR MATTINGS, 36 in. wide, especially suitable for seaside or country residences. Prices range from 9c to 33c per yard.

Special quotations for complete pieces of 40 yards.

COCOA FIBRE DOOR MATS, 45c, 58c, 65c and 85c each.

SPOT AND SPRIG CURTAIN MUSLINS,

18 inches wide, finished with 2 inch frill, regular value 10c. Friday, yd.... 5c
"Limit 15 yards to customer."

CAMBRIC COVERED CUSHION FORMS,

Filled Vegetable Down:

Size 20 x 20 inches..... ... 39c
Size 22 x 22 inches..... ... 49c
Size 24 x 24 inches..... ... 59c

Bargain Prices on Summer Needs in the Basement Friday

25c Wire Window Screens, hardwood, oil finish, extends to 30 inches. Friday, each 15c

$1.75 Coal Oil Stoves, 2 burners, large top fitted with tin kettle. Friday, each 99c

$1.25 Curtain Stretchers, extend to 6 x 12 feet, complete, with pins. Friday, each..... 88c

95c Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, 3 irons, stand and handle, polished. Friday set... ... ... 57c

15c Wire Screening, for windows, 18 inches wide, painted green. Friday, per yard..... 10c

25 Cent Gas Stoves, small portable one-burner size, ready to connect. Friday, each 10c

25c Wash Boards, well made, full size, zinc covered front. Friday, each... ... ... 15c

35c Watering Cans, made of good heavy tin, holds one gallon water. Friday, each 25c

GROCERY VALUES THAT SHREWD, ECONOMICAL HOUSEWIVES WILL APPRECIATE

Fowler's Sugar Cured Boneless Bacon, half or whole sides, per lb... 15c
10 lbs. best Rolled Oats for..... 25c
3 lbs. Cleaned Currants for 20c
8 lbs. White Beans for 25c

Fancy Eastern Townships Creamery Butter, per lb. 21c
5 lbs. Genuine Patna Rice for 25c
2 lbs. Square Blue for 25c
2½ lbs. Earle brand Flour for.... 75c

19 lbs. Fine White Granulated Sugar for 99c
1 bottle Malt Vinegar for 15c
2 tins Sweet Wrinkle Peas for.... 15c
3 pkgs. Quaker Oats for 25c

THE HAMILTON CO'Y, St. Catherine and Peel Streets

Auction Sale

THE PEOPLES AUCTIONEERS ....OF....

New and Second Hand Furniture

75 Bales of Beautiful New Carpets in Squares of various sizes and qualities, a great variety of House Furnishings, etc., at our rooms, 241 and 243 St. James street, will be held on

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, MAY 26th,

Consisting of:

Pianos, drawing room suites, easy and odd chairs, oak and hardwood bedroom sets, springs, hair and wool mattresses, comforters, sideboards, tables and dining chairs, large lot of carpets, Scotch linoleum, English oilcloth, and a great variety of house furnishings, etc.

Sale at 2.30 o'clock.

RAE & DONNELLY, Auctioneers.

INSOLVENT NOTICE

In re LI'SSIER & DUROCHER, Valleyfield, P. Q.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned till SATURDAY, 3rd June, 1905, at noon, for the purchase en bloc or separately of the assets as under:

Winter vehicles	$301.00
Summer vehicles	283.00
	$584.00
Carriagemakers' supplies	$1855.85
Blacksmith shop	110.93
Fixtures	23.00
Rolling stock	35.75
6 Hearses and Ambulance	3600.00
Coffins and Undertakers' supplies	606.81
	$6816.34
Book debts, per list	751.01

No tender necessarily accepted.

Inventory can be seen at our office.

KENT & TURCOTTE, 97 St. James Street, Montreal.

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Ames-Holden Co. Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Ames, Holden Company, of Montreal, Limited, was held to-day at the company's office in this city. The reports of the past year's business from factories and branches were most satisfactory, and the usual dividend was paid.

The following officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year: J. C. Holden, president; James Redmond, vice-president and general manager; W. A. Matley, secretary; R. C. Holden, treasurer; H. B. Ames, A. L. Johnson, A. B. Erskine, A. R. Holden, A. C. Flumerfelt, Charles Bonick, W. M. Angus.

THE FLIRTATIOUS MOTHER.

The mother who is as "young as her daughter," who flirts, however innocently, who dresses rather more youthfully than her girls, who is not willing—nay, even eager—to stand aside at all times and give them place, never does make them feel what "mother" really means, nor can she herself ever enjoy the delight that it is to be really "mother."—Lady's Pictorial.

Don't Forget to Visit 'THE WIGWAM'

The Largest Curio and Souvenir Store in the city!

138 PEEL STREET,

First block north of Windsor Hotel, opposite Dominion Square.

Names Once Familiar Here.

To the Editor of the Montreal Star.

Sir,—Allusion is made in the columns of the Star to the names of two gentlemen who purchased sundry articles at auction seventy-seven years ago, but many of their names are now never mentioned in the city. One of them, Sheriff Boston, had a handsome residence on the right hand side going westward on Craig street, between St. George and Cote street, but it was demolished, like many other noted buildings of former days to be replaced by more modern ones. The Sheriff had an only son who attended Trinity Church Sunday-school and was a classmate of the undersigned. The church was then situated on St. Paul street, opposite the present Bonsecour Market, which formerly extended downwards from Nelson's Monument. On Notre was a military guard-house, and a little eastward where the City Hall now stands was the Governor's garden, which made that part of the city very attractive for evening promenades of the elite of the city. The Sheriff's only son did not long survive his father. I have no recollection of Mr. Plenderleah; he must have shortly afterwards left the city, leaving no trace behind him.

An association is being formed in the city amongst members of the Church of England for the better observing of the Christian religion. A similar one was organized in Dublin in 1796, for the same purpose. Among other reasons given for its formation were promoting honesty, industry, and discouraging idleness, and denouncing intemperance, dissipation and ruinous extravagance in the upper classes of the community, also to refrain from profane swearing and cursing, and to guard against the horrid crime of perjury.

JOHN SHINNIETE.

WESTMOUNT SEASON OPENED.

Match Between President and Vice-President's Rinks.

The Westmount Bowling Club inaugurated the season yesterday with a match of four rinks a side, representing the president and vice-president. Below are the details of the match:

President.	Vice-President
J. Jepncott	A. J. McLaren
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H. Mason	R. Thomson
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W. H. Trenholm	J. H. Chapman
F. H. Scott	J. H. Adam
T. H. Christmas	J. W. Wilson
A. J. Williamson	Jas. Wilson
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Total.....67	96

ATE GOVERNMENT SEEDS.

Even the thriftiest member of Congress no longer sells his supply of seeds from the Department of Agriculture to dealers, and once more the farmers and truck gardeners get a share and experiment with strange plantings. The city representative has no easy task in arranging for the distribution of his allowance, as he cannot take the trouble to learn who among his constituents has a garden. To a German supporter Representative Ryan, of New York, sent a supply of flower bulbs—tulip, crocus and the like—and the result was a sudden sickness in the family. The recipient supposed the bulbs were Bermuda onions, and they served his table as soup, with nearly fatal results.

ECONOMIC FRIDAY.

People are already talking of sultry weather, therefore it behooves every thoughtful shopper to follow carefully the advertisements of Messrs. Jas. A. Ogilvy & Sons, St. Catherine street west, corner of Mountain street, and more especially that of to-day's issue of the Star on page 11. Those who shop in the early forenoon will certainly derive much benefit from the many saving opportunities offered.

Special Notice.

Choice assortment celebrated Morris Pianos at Leach's, 2440 St. Catherine street. Sold cash or $7 monthly.

THE WEATHER



The admirable weather of yesterday give place to-day to a somewhat less excellent brand.

While the day opened up beautifully, for the most part the sky was overcast, indicating the approach of the showers and thunderstorms which are promised for to-morrow.

In the meantime, the temperature has gone up several degrees, there being a touch of sultriness in the atmosphere.

Montreal Weather Statistics.

Readings by the Optical and Engineer's Supply Company's standard barometer:

At noon yesterday, 29.98; at 8 a.m. to-day, 29.92; 11 a.m. to-day, 29.90.

Temperature—To-day, maximum 73, minimum 43; yesterday, maximum 59, minimum 45.

Sun rose this morning at 4.19, will set this evening at 7.35.

Maximum and Minimum Temperatures.

Edmonton, 62, 30. Calgary, 58, 32. Winnipeg, 56, 32. Port Arthur, 74, 32. Parry Sound, 70, 50. Toronto, 68, 42. Ottawa, 72, 48. Quebec, 70, 48. Halifax, 62, 40.

The Next Twenty-Four Hours.

Fresh south-west to south winds; fine and warm to-day.

Showers and local thunderstorms on Friday.

WINNERS IN THE BALL COMPETITION

The two lucky people who win the season's baseball passes in the Montreal Star's Baseball Competition are, Mr. James Chalmers, 99 Plymouth Grove, and Miss Minnie O'Neil, 71 Staynor street. Both the lady and gentleman figured out that the percentage was 391.

The gentleman's coupon was actually the first that came in, in a batch of over twenty, the first batch which he sent in.

The lady's coupon came in on the 16th of May.

The fortunate ones may obtain their books by calling on the Sporting Editor of the Star to-morrow or after.

Byers Makes Course Record.

Stapleton, S.I., May 24.—Out of 82 entries, a field of 69 players started in the seventh annual tournament for the Metropolitan golf championship on the Oxhall Club links yesterday. The preliminary round, which consisted of 36 holes, medal play, occupied the entire day. Sixty-seven men covered the full course, and the medal honor for the lowest score was awarded to E. M. Byers, of the Allegheny Country Club, of Pittsburg, who is entered from the St. Andrew's Club in the Metropolitan district. Just a year ago Byers took part in the British Amateur Championship, which was won by Walter J. Travis, but he lasted only to the third round. Yesterday, however, the Pittsburg man played a brilliant game. In the morning round he went over the 18-hole course in 77, and barring two chances, lost in putting on the 16th and 17th greens, his afternoon effort was without fault, his card showing a 75. This establishes an amateur competitive record for the re-arranged course.

Walter J. Travis, of Garden City, and Archie Graham, of New Jersey, tied with totals of 157, each doing 78 and 79 in the morning and afternoon rounds. Travis played his normal game, but in the opinion of many onlookers, he would have done better with shorter clubs, as he was evidently handicapped by the excessive length of his shafts.

Graham, was superb in his long game. He drove straight and backed up his work with consistent putting, although he just missed a put of a few inches on the home green for a 77 in the morning round. Thirty-two qualified for the first round of match play, for the principal prize, and the defeated sixteen to-day will play for a minor trophy. The third and fourth sixteens will continue for two other cups.

Following are the scores of the ten leaders:

Championship Cup, qualifying round, 36 holes, medal play.

E. M. Byers, Pittsburg	77	75—	152
Walter J. Travis, Garden City	78	79—	157
Archie Graham, Paterson	78	79—	157
Arlen M. Robbins, Garden City	82	80—	162
J. D. Travers, Glen Cove	78	85	163
C. W. O'Connor, Orange	80	84	164
Harold Wilcox, Mondelair	83	82	165
Howard J. Gee, Princeton	78	87	165
Dwight Partridge, Garden City	83	82	165
Chas. H. Zeeley, Stamford	79	87	166

On the Beaconsfield Links.

Yesterday practically formed the season's opening at the Beaconsfield Golf links.

The promise of a fine day and clear playing weather resulted in the turnout of an exceptionally large number of members, who rendezvoused at the club-house at an early hour.

The course, which is one of the finest on the island, has greatly improved since last year, and many were the expressions of appreciation both from visitors and members at the excellent shape to which they had been brought. Aside from the handicap matches being competed for, there were many independent games played, and altogether the course presented a most animated appearance both morning and afternoon.

With the completion of their fine new club-house which will be ready for occupation by Saturday next, the club will be in a position to claim rank among the finest country clubs in Canada.

A very pleasant feature has been the arrangements made by the committee for the furnishing of lunches and light refreshments to the members at the old building, pending the completion of their new club-house.

Altogether the Beaconsfield links give promise of becoming exceedingly popular, and the various committees are certainly to be congratulated for the aggressive and energetic manner in which they have carried out the work.

"Model"—Not "Normal."

The Star of May 23rd, in its report of Empire Day in the schools, ascribed to McGill Normal school a programme which was carried out by the pupils of the McGill Normal school, conducted by the teachers of that institution. The pupils of the Model school also, the Star is informed, "constructed" the flags exhibited on the walls of the Assembly Hall

STRIKE TIES UP LUMBERTOWN

It Is Expected That Building Trades Will Be Affected.

SWEARING-IN DEPUTIES

Sentries Guard Armories and 50,000 Rounds of Ammunition Have Been Given Out.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Chicago, Ill., May 25.—Almost all the teamsters employed in the great lumber district along the river are out of work because they refused to deliver lumber to strike affected firms. Lumber town is tied up, and within forty-eight hours it is expected that the planing mills and box factories will be forced to shut down. The strike is expected to spread to mills controlled by the Wood Industries Association, and this will compel 1,200 drivers "to throw down their reins. Within ten days, it is believed, all buildings in the course of construction will be on the affected list. The strike is seriously affecting the entire business of the city.

"Ninety-eight per cent. of the lumber business in the city is now crippled," declared Secretary Hooper, of the Lumbermen's Association. "It is only a matter of a short time when that per cent. of the building operations of the city will cease. We are now calling on the Employers' Association for teamsters, and until we get them the building business will necessarily suffer."

NEGOTIATIONS ARE OFF.

Final rejection of union teamsters' demands, especially those of the express drivers, was officially announced yesterday by the employers, thus annulling any present settlement of the teamsters strike. The employers demand unconditional surrender. Neither side in the strike made a direct step towards peace to-day, and each was apparently waiting for the next move of the other. The employers sent their goods all over the city under police protection, without encountering violence.

PREPARING FOR RIOTING.

Unable to meet the demands for police protection, Mayor Dunne to-day issued a call for 1,000 able-bodied citizens to report at Chief O'Neill's office and be sworn in as policemen to do strike duty.

Sheriff Barrett continued to swear in deputies. The number of deputies sworn in since the beginning of the strike now numbers 4,000, one-fourth of whom are active deputies assigned to protect non-union drivers and waggons. Armed sentries guard the various armories located in the city. Fifty thousand rounds of ammunition have been distributed among the four regiments in the city and the naval militia.



WILLIAM ZIEGLER,

Of New York, who died yesterday—He had fitted out at his own expense several Arctic expeditions, one of which is now in the far north.

JAMES FITCH THOMSON DEAD.

Had Just Succeeded in Making a Fortune in New York.

Special to The Montreal Star.

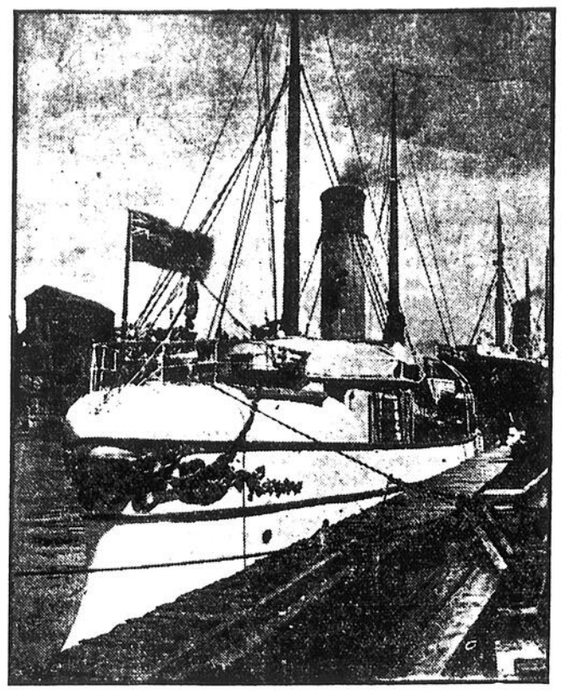
New York, May 25.—James Fitch Thomson, a promoter, well known in business and musical circles in Toronto and Philadelphia, died yesterday in Bellevue Hospital of typhoid fever, aged 45 years. Mr. Thomson was a real estate dealer in Toronto until twelve years ago, when he removed to Philadelphia, where he tried unsuccessfully to regain his footing. He came to New York three years ago, and for a time devoted himself to organizing the Canadian de Forest Wireless Telegraph Company.

When the company became involved in legal complications a few months ago, he undertook to organize the American Dry Yeast Company, capitalized at $10,000,000, for the manufacture of a dessicated yeast. In this he was very successful, and, according to John H. Hazelton, of Hazelton Bros., counsel for the Yeast Company, his profits from promoting the company promised to reach at least a million dollars. Miss Edna Allis Little, of 24 West 64th street, called at Bellevue Hospital last Thursday, and saying she was the sick man's fiancee, asked to be married to Mr. Thomson before the latter died. The request was refused because Mr. Thomson was delirious.

A daughter of Mr. Thomson by a former marriage is Miss Audrey Thomson, an actress, who was a member of Otis Skinner's company last year. She lives with her mother, who was formerly Miss Agnes Corlett, of Toronto, and who obtained a divorce from Mr. Thomson some time ago in Philadelphia.

Killed by Dynamite Explosion.

Gravenhurst, Ont., May 25.—Hugh MacDonald, working on the James Bay Railway near Torrance, was instantly killed yesterday by the premature discharge of a fuse while loading a hole with dynamite for blasting. Mr. MacDonald came from Point Tupper, Cape Breton, and was 23 years of age.



THE CANADIAN CRUISER PETREL ON HER WAY FROM THE GREAT LAKES TO THE PICTOU DISTRICT.

COMMITTEE ON TELEPHONES.

Two Employes of Bell Company Give Evidence at Ottawa.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Ottawa, Ont., May 25.—Mr. Dunstan, district manager of the Bell Telephone Company at Toronto was the first witness before the Special Telephone Committee this morning. He explained that the contract with the city had expired in 1896 and had not been renewed. The contract had been burdensome. The company was still willing to negotiate if the committee would change its point of view and he himself had so informed every successive mayor since 1896. There were now 13,500 'phones in Toronto and business was rapidly increasing. The number of cases per 'phone was 50 per cent. larger now than in 1896.

There had been no trouble in the city of Toronto as to rates because the company had always been willing to put their poles wherever they were least objectionable. Their policy also had been to put the wires underground as fast as possible.

Mr. Dunstan contended that as the number of 'phones increased, the flat rate must also increase, but the true measure of cost was the amount paid per call and if looked at in this way it would be found that the service was getting cheaper.

Mr. L. B. McFarlane, general superintendent of the Bell Company, said that he had been with the company since 1890. He denied the statement of a former witness that the Bell Company had neglected development of business in small towns and villages and rural districts. Such business had been developed as fast as capital and circumstances allowed. The trouble frequently was that the people were not ready for it.

They had no conception of value, and when they could be persuaded to take a 'phone they wanted it for little or nothing. The original intention of the company had been to serve all of the British North America but the capital for so large a business was not been procurable.

Mr. McFarlane gave in detail what the company is doing in the way of rural service. In Ontario and Quebec it has 2,000 rural subscribers and 2,500 miles of rural lines.

Mr. McFarlane denied that the Bell Company had ever taken over a farmers' line without giving proper compensation. He criticized the manner in which independent rural lines are built. The construction is of the cheapest possible character. These lines may work all right for a while, but eventually they come to grief through lack of money for repairs and maintenance.

In Ontario, Quebec and Manitoba there is an average of one telephone to each 1,250 population.

The Bell Company would be injured by being compelled to give connections to small companies. It would mean that the property of the Bell Company would be taken and used by small companies without any adequate compensation.

JAMAICA AND UNCLE SAM.

A Kingston Paper Openly Advocates Annexation.

Special to The Montreal Star.

New York, May 25.—The Herald's Kingston, Jamaica correspondent says: "Once again the question of annexation to the United States has been raised by the inhabitants of the British West Indian Islands. This has arisen through the refusal of the British Treasury to continue the grant of $50,000 a year given to the Imperial Department of Agriculture in the West Indies. Commenting on the subject the Jamaica Daily Telegraph says: 'The policy of extravagance (for the adoption of which Mr. Chamberlain was mainly responsible) has brought trouble on the head of His Majesty's present Government and the result is that efforts are now being made by that Government to cut down expenditure wherever possible. What is to be the ultimate fate of the British possession in this part of the world? With the indifference of the English on one hand and the increasing trade relations between the East Indies and the United States on the other, it is not difficult to furnish an answer to the question. Sooner or later the West Indian Islands are bound to become incorporated in the great American republic."

FEDERAL CABINET CHANGES.

Reports Pointing to a Change in the Justice Department.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Brandon, Man., May 25.—Hon. Clifford Sifton arrived here on Monday night, and spent yesterday with his friends. Last night he addressed the local Liberals in their committee rooms. The ex-Minister is here to warn his followers to be vigilant regarding the registration of Liberals on June 10. Prominent local members of the Liberal party say that Hon. Mr. Sifton will re-enter the Cabinet, probably as Minister of Justice.

Ottawa, May 25.—Mr. Fitzpatrick's health is still poor, and his physicians it is said, are urging him to give up active work for a time.

UNIVERSITY SPORTS AT FREDERICTON A SUCCESS.

Special to The Montreal Star.

Fredericton, N.B., May 25.—Glorious weather and a good crowd helped to make the University of New Brunswick sports held in the college field yesterday as successful as any that have ever been held. Three records were broken. The 220 yards dash, hurdle race and high school broad jump, while the record for the 100 yard dash was tied. The winners and scores of the different events were as follows:

Standing broad jump, Barker, 10 ft. 2 3-4 inches; 100 yards dash, Thorne, 10 1-5 secs.; hammer throw, Barker, 94 feet 7 1-2 inches; running broad jump, Squires, 20 feet 10 inches; 220 yards dash, Squires, 24 4-5 seconds; pole vault, Squires, 9 feet 7 3-4 inches; half mile run, Belyea, 2 mins. 19 1-2 seconds; putting 16 pound shot, Barker, 33 feet, 8 1-2 inches; hop, step and jump, Barker, 41 feet 8 inches; high school 220 yards, Bemasconie (Rothesay) 26 1-2 seconds; quarter mile run, Squires, 56 1-2 seconds; running high jump, Barker, 5 feet 5 inches; high school broad jump, Carson (Rothesay), 20 feet 2 1-4 ins.; 120 yards hurdle, Wood, 18 1-2 secs. mile run, Belyea, 5 mins 16 3-4 seconds.

The championship belt was won by Fred. C. Squires, with a score of 21 points.

MEDALS FOR THREE GERMANS

Presented by United States to Three of Kaiser's Bluejackets.

Berlin, May 25.—Three gold medals given by President Roosevelt to three German bluejackets who saved the lives of several sailors of the United States ironclad Monadnock in Chinese waters, were transmitted by Ambassador Tower to the Foreign Office today, from which office they will be sent to the marine ministry. The American Government enquired two months ago of the German Government if medals for this act of heroism would be received, and their official acceptance followed.

The medals referred to were awarded to Paul Sinkwitz, Herman Schutt and Albert Schuster of the German gunboat Vorwaerts, for gallant conduct in rescuing from drowning at Shanghai two American sailors, Thos. Nolan, chief water tender, and Jeremiah Quill, water tender, of the crew of the Monadnock.

RAILWAY STATION COLLAPSED

Eleven People Were Injured at Cranbrook, British Columbia.

Vancouver, B.C., May 25.—The Canadian Pacific Railway station at Cranbrook collapsed yesterday while undergoing repairs, and eleven men were injured. Four of the injured may die, and five others are severely injured.

FRENCH DAMAGES RE NEWFOUNDLAND

France Is Asking $1,825,000 for Her Fishery Rights.

PRESENT VALUE EXCEEDED

The Amount Demanded Includes Over Million for Sentimental and Political Loss.

Special Cable from our London Correspondent.

London, May 25.—I understand that France asks $1,825,000 in lieu of her claims on the west shore of Newfoundland. If the claims were assessed actuarially on their present value to their French owners, they would not probably be worth $250,000. On this basis one and a half millions roughly represents France's estimate of the sentimental and political value of her Newfoundland rights. An amicable agreement is expected on some such basis.

WINDERMERE.



THE LATE MR. THOMAS MACKIE,

Formerly Member of Parliament for North Renfrew.

GOOD FOR CANADA'S WEST!

British Horticulturists Sending to Manitoba for Seed Potatoes.

Special By Cable from our London Correspondent.

London, May 25.—The president of the British Horticultural Society is securing supplies of the Beauty of Hebron and Early Rose potatoes from Manitoba for planting here, in order to improve the British yields. Tests recently made prove that Manitoba seed potatoes thrive astonishingly well in English soil. It is intended to sow larger areas.

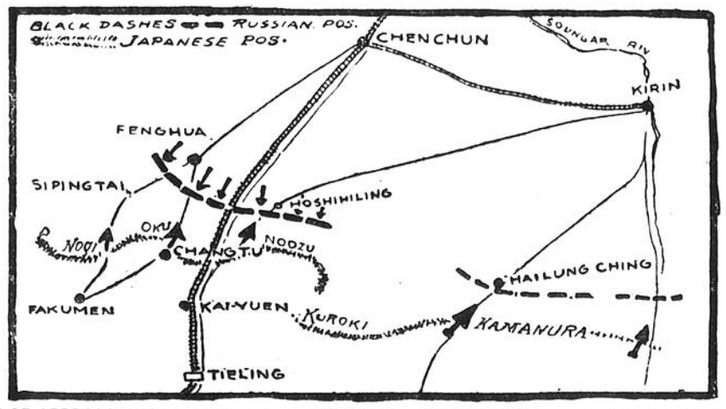
WINDERMERE.

INFORMAL PROTEST MADE.

Against Law Which Resulted in Imprisonement of Canadian Sealers.

Special By Cable from our London Correspondent.

London, May 25.—The hard case of the Canadian schooner, Agnes Donahue



SCENE OF APPROACHING BATTLE IN MANCHURIA.—The forces under Field Marshal Oyama and General Linevitch are facing one another along a front extending forty-two miles.

MEDICAL MEN MEET.

Annual Meeting of the Canadian Medical Association.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, May 25.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Medical Association opened here this morning with a large attendance. Dr. Roddick, of Montreal, the president, delivered his address. Dr. Bell, of Ottawa, read a paper on "Medical Education," and Dr. Hingston, of Montreal, one on "Medical Legislation." Dr. Wilson, of Hamilton, read a paper on "Tuberculosis," and Dr. Bell, of Ottawa, one on "Typhoid Fever." Dr. Hingston, of Montreal, read a paper on "Medical Legislation." Dr. Wilson, of Hamilton, read a paper on "Tuberculosis," and Dr. Bell, of Ottawa, one on "Typhoid Fever."

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS.

Two Persons Killed and Several Injured in Collisions.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Ottawa, May 25.—Two persons were killed and several injured in railway accidents in Ontario yesterday. Two freight trains collided on the Grand Trunk near Bowmanville, and a passenger train was derailed near Port Hope.

THE VIRGINIAN OUTWARD.

Allan Liner is Taking Out a Large Number of Passengers.

The Allan Line Steamship Virginian, sailing for Liverpool to-morrow morning, takes out a large list of saloon passengers, in fact the largest so far this season. They are as follows:

Mr. K. J. Allardice, Aberdeen, Scotland; Mrs. H. B. Ames, Montreal, Que.; Mr. H. G. Annable, London, England; Miss P. Atkinson, Haileybury, Ont.

Mr. A. Ernest Beer, London, Eng., Mrs. Beer, London, Eng.; Mr. C. E. Benedict, Montreal, Que.; Mrs. Benedict, Montreal, Que.; Col. Browne, Mrs. Browne, Miss Browne, Miss Browne, Mr. A. T. Bryant, London, Eng.

Mr. Edmund C. Coe, Miss Alice Stanley Coe, New York, N.Y.; Mr. A. E. Collas, Halifax, N. S.; Mr. S. G. Courteen, Mrs. Courteen, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. K. L. Cochrane, New York, N.Y.; Mr. G. B. Crook, London, Eng.

Count Dalme, Paris, France; Mrs. Devaney and child, Miss Ida Homer Dickson, Toronto, Ont.; Mr. Dobson, Mrs. Dobson, Winnipeg, Man.; Mr. W. J. Dott, Liverpool, Eng.; Mrs. C. A. Duclos, Montreal, Que.; Dr. Dwight, Toronto, Ont.; Mrs. Dwyer, Halifax, N. S.

Mr. Flint, London, Eng.; Mr. W. B. Fordham, Liverpool, Eng.

Miss H. Gaviller, Hamilton, Ont.; Miss Louie Gemmill, Ottawa, Ont.

Rev. Newman Hall, Mrs. Hall and Master Hall, Wellington, N.Z.; Mrs. J. Hay, Miss J. Hay and Miss K. Hay, Sydney, Australia; Mr. Geo. J. Hitchen, Toronto, Ont.; Mr. George Hope, Hamilton, Ont.; Miss A. J. Hosey, Toronto, Ont.; Lieut. Hope, London, Eng.

Mrs. R. J. Inglis, Montreal, Que.

Mr. J. H. Johnston, Gaspe, Que.

Rev. Canon Keating, Liverpool, England; Rev. C. B. Kenrick and Mrs. Kenrick, Toronto, Ont.; Mrs. M. Knapp, Montreal, Que.; Mr. A. F. Knox and Mrs. Knox, Liverpool, Eng.

Mr. E. A. Ladd, Chazy, N. Y., Mr. K. Herbert Lapage, London, Eng.; Mrs. Law and Miss Law, Montreal, Que.; Mr. G. Llewellyn Lloyd and Mrs. Lloyd, St. Stephen, N.B.; Mr. S. Lucas, London, Eng.

Mrs. S. A. McMurtry, Montreal, Que.; Mrs. E. M. March, Kingston, Ont.; Mr. J. L. Marler, Mrs. Marler, Miss Marler and Mr. L. Marler, Montreal, Que.; Mr. Mayhew, Sydney, N.S.; Mr. H. Hoyce Millar, Halifax, N.S.; Mr. William Millar, Liverpool, Eng.; Miss F. B. Morgan, Hamilton, Ont.; Mr. M. Morton and Mrs. Morton, Vancouver, B.C.

Mr. J. R. Neale, London, Eng.

Mrs. A. W. Ogilvie, Montreal, Que.; Mr. Paul G. Owen, Quebec, Que.

Mr. J. E. Palmes, London, Eng. Rev. R. J. Patten, Liverpool, Eng.; Miss Elizabeth Park, New York, N.Y. Mr. G. A. Powell, Toronto, Ont.; Mr. Prince, London, Eng.

Mr. John M. Reid, Montreal, Que.; Mr. D. H. W. Ritchie, Calcutta, India; Mr. W. H. Robinson, Mrs. Robinson, Mr. W. Wynne Robinson, Mr. F. Reginald Robinson, Granby, Que.; Dr. G. S. Ryerson, Mr. Eric Ryerson, Toronto, Ont.

Mr. F. G. Sanderson, St. Marys, Ont.; Rev. James S. Scotland, Newport-on-Tay, Scotland; Mr. W. C. Scott, Miss Isabelle Scott, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. F. V. Shand, Halifax, N.S.; Mr. Sidney Smith, Montreal, Que.; Mrs. W. B. Smith, Granby, Que.; Mr. F. M. Smith, Mrs. Smith, Boston, Mass.; Mr. Joseph Stacy, Nelson, B.C.

Miss Thoday, Ottawa, Ont.; Mr. W. L. Thom, Montreal, Que.; Mrs. Thomas, Toronto, Ont.; Rev. T. F. Brownbell Twemlow, Liverpool, Eng.

Mr. A. M. Vineberg, Montreal, Quebec.

Mr. J. H. C. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson, Sherbrooke, Que.

Col. Yale, London, Eng.; Mr. Edward Youngheart, Mrs. Youngheart, Montreal, Que.

Death of Rev. I. J. Christie.

Ottawa, Ont., May 25.—Rev. I. J. Christie, a well-known Anglican clergyman, is dead here, aged 75 years. He was born in Scotland, and on crossing the ocean settled in Newfoundland as a young man, engaging in mercantile pursuits. He subsequently became a clerk in the Bank of Montreal and was stationed at Peterboro and Kingston. Entering the ministry, he was rector at several parishes, retiring three years ago, after a five years' incumbency at Hintonburg. He will be buried at Kingston.

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We've told you now, and we want you to get some of them. First come first served, and all to be sold to-morrow. Don't fail to see them and you'll be sure to buy. Just the thing for warm weather wear, and they cannot be detected from a soft Negligee Shirt.
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A Plea for School Lacrosse.

The following letter explains itself:

To the Sports Editor of the Star.

Sir,—Why has it become so necessary for many of the senior lacrosse teams of Canada to import players each season? This question should be foremost in the minds of all true Canadians interested in perpetuating a distinctly Canadian national sport for the northern half of the American continent. We find that each season, more especially in Eastern Canada, the "Lacrosse tourists," as they are called by the newspapers, show an increasing number. Several instances could be quoted of clubs which last year experienced the many vicissitudes, such as financial embarrassment, tarnishing the good names of the home-bred exponents, etc., which is the heritage of those who import players wholesale.

The reason for this condition of affairs should not be hard to fathom, for any who make a study of the national games of other countries.

Why is every American an enthusiastic follower of baseball? Why are all Englishmen and Australians solidly united in support of cricket?

Only one answer can be given to these questions, viz.: the training of the youth at the public schools and colleges, where, under the watchful eyes of their tutors and coaches, the boys are not only instructed in the finer points of their national game, but given sound and wholesome advice as to gentlemanly conduct towards each other as well as to all officials in control of the sports.

This phase of Canadian nationality has been sadly neglected. In fact, in many cities and towns of the Maritime provinces, Ontario and the middle west, a foreigner, judging by sport alone, cannot tell whether he is in Canada or the United States. For instance, owing solely to this neglect of the small boy, Toronto with her 250,000 (?) inhabitants, has been unable to capture the championship of Canada in lacrosse for a decade or two. It might even be a safe assertion to say that it is many years since Toronto has had a wholly home-bred lacrosse team. If the national game had been fostered by the schools, and the principal promoters of the game had seen that this was done, such a discreditable state of affairs would never have come to pass, and cities like Montreal and Toronto would now have half a dozen teams equal to the Shamrocks as scientific exponents of the national game.

The force of this argument is well exemplified in Australia, a country less populous than Canada, but which year after year competes successfully in cricket with the pick of Great Britain. Their patriotism is extended to cover sport, which is proper. Their love of athletics has induced a small minority to take hold of lacrosse, with the result that there are nearly a hundred teams playing Canada's game in the antipodes during the winter season. The game attracts as devotees young men of the highest character who, if necessary, assist in defraying travelling expenses for inter-state competitions from their own private funds.

A copy of the Sydney Weekly Mail, last year, exhibited how thoroughly national the old game of cricket is with the Australians. Two pages of pictures show ragged urchins using sticks topped with empty tomato cans for wickets. Others have other substitutes, and some bathers are shown playing the game on the sands of the beach in bathing costume. Even the "black-fellows" are playing cricket on the domain, or public playground. This same example of devotion to the national sport can be seen in England only the other day when the Australian cricketers were coming from practice at Lord's cricket ground, they stopped to watch a professional coaching a 13-year-old boy. Such remarkable ability did the youth display that the Australians remained half an hour, and one of them bowled part of the time for him. Out in South Africa Lord Milner recently found time to patronize a cricket match, Fathers vs. Sons. Up in Manchester, the home of lacrosse in England, I read of a father and son playing on the same lacrosse team.

This is the sporting spirit we should see in Canada if the school authorities did their duty. A good start has been made in Winnipeg and Vancouver in this direction. It must be a great source of satisfaction to the few old-time lacrosse enthusiasts in the latter city to see the success which has crowned the efforts of the schools, junior and intermediate leagues in two short seasons work. At the beginning of last season (1904) there were twenty-three regularly organized lacrosse teams in Vancouver, seven of them school teams, playing a scheduled list of matches. It would have excellent results if the school boards throughout the Dominion emulated those of the two western cities in furthering school lacrosse. It should be the duty of the newspapers, the moulders of public opinion, to take cognisance of this phase of nationality and see that lacrosse is made the national sport of the Dominion in reality rather than in name. They could assist it wonderfully by offering prizes for school lacrosse championships and requisitioning the assistance of many of the good old "has-been's" who would be only too glad to render their services in so laudable an enterprise.

A few words from Dr. Beers, the well-known father of the game may not be amiss in closing. He says: "It may seem frivolous at first consideration, to associate this feeling of nationality with a field game, but history proves it to be a strong and important influence. Cricket and curling have their national and nationalizing influences on their respective admirers, and so may lacrosse. Whatever tends to cultivate this nationality is no frivolous influence, even should it be a boyish sport.

"If the Republic of Greece was indebted to the Olympian games; if England has cause to bless the name of cricket, so may Canada be proud of lacrosse. It has reared a young manhood throughout the Dominion to active, healthy exercise; it has originated a popular feeling in favor of physical exercise and has, perhaps, done more than anything else to invoke the sentiment of patriotism among young men in Canada; and if this sentiment is desirable abroad, surely it is at home."

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Earl Grey Gave Luncheon.

Special to the Montreal Star.

Toronto Ont., May 25.—The luncheon given by His Excellency the Governor-General yesterday afternoon at McConkey's to the Veterans of Toronto, was attended by about 55 old campaigners. Earl Grey unfortunately was unable to be present owing to pressure of business but his place was taken by his aides Capt. Newton and Capt. Trotter.

Had His Leg Broken.

J. B. Gravel, 25 years of age, a resident of Ste. Julie, Que., was knocked down and run over by a horse attached to a cab, on Notre Dame street, today. When examined by the surgeons of the Notre Dame Hospital it was found that he had received a fracture of one of his legs. He was also suffering from bruises and lacerations.

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