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PREFERENTIAL TRADE DISCUSSED.

Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. McNeill Denounce the Liberals' Failure to Secure It.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER AND MR. MULOCK REPLY THAT IT WOULD INVOLVE FREE TRADE WITHIN THE EMPIRE, AND THAT CANADA IS NOT READY FOR FREE TRADE.

(Special Staff Correspondence.)

OTTAWA, July 20.—Preferential trade was the subject of a long and interesting debate in the House yesterday. The question was brought up by Sir Charles Tupper on a resolution affirming that it was the duty of the Government to take immediate steps to secure a preference for Canadian goods in the British markets. In an able and moderate speech the leader of the Opposition reviewed the whole question and appealed to the Government, even at this late date, to take advantage of the advances made by the imperial statesmen along the lines of an Imperial zollverein within the Empire to bring the question in a practical form before the people of the Empire. Sir Wilfrid Laurier admitted that it was the duty of the Government to make an effort to secure preferential trade, but opposed the motion on the ground that the facts reported in it that the Imperial statesmen had made advances to Canada on the subject as stated were incorrect. He reviewed at great length the utterances of Hon. Joseph Chamberlain to show that the condition imposed upon the offer of preferential trade made by him was free trade with the Empire, a condition which Canada could not at present accept. He concluded with a statement of the position of the Government on the question.

The Postmaster-General read a letter he had received from the Duke of Devonshire denying the statements made in the English and Canadian press that he had offered the Colonies preferential trade in an address delivered by him to the Colonial Premiers in Liverpool during the Jubilee.

From now on until the end of the session, the House will hold morning sessions, as the motion of the Premier to that effect was adopted by the House yesterday. The Privileges and Elections Committee also obtained permission to sit while the House is in session.

THE ATLIN ALIEN ACT

Col. Prior wanted to know if it was the intention of the Government to disallow the act to amend the Placer Mining Act, which prohibits the employment of Chinese and Japanese labour, passed by the British Columbia Legislature at its last session.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the Government had not yet received a report from the Minister of Justice respecting the statutes enacted by the British Columbia Legislature at its last session, and until that report was made no action would be taken.

PROROGATION PROSPECTS.

The House Will Sit Thrice Daily to Hurry Up the Business of Parliament.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier moved that for the remainder of the session the House should meet at 11 o'clock in the morning and that in addition to the usual intermission at six o'clock there should also be an intermission each day from 1 to 3 o'clock, and that the House should also meet on Saturdays at 11, as on other days. In proposing this resolution, the Premier said he thought it would meet with the approval of both sides of the House. He desired to state, however, the public business the Government expected yet to bring down this session. There would be a number of railway subsidy resolutions which he expected would be given to the House before the end of the week. There would also be a bill to amend the Chinese Immigration Act, which he thought would meet the views of the members from British Columbia. In addition there would be several departmental bills which he did not expect would cause much discussion.

Sir Charles Tupper wanted to know if there were to be any more supplementary estimates.

The Finance Minister said he did not think so, but there might be some omissions which would necessitate further supplementary estimates, which, however, would be for a very small amount.

Mr. Britton wanted to know if the Government intended to go on with the bill to amend the Criminal Code from the Senate.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was not prepared to give an answer, as to what the intentions of the Government were with regard to that bill.

Mr. Tisdale pressed the Government to allow the bill to stand over until next session, as it was a most important bill and contained amendments to the Criminal Code which would cause a great deal of discussion and which could not be adequately considered at this late period of the session.

Mr. Charlton trusted the Government would go on with the consideration of the bill this session. The fact that it was an important bill, in his opinion, was a strong argument in favour of its being dealt with at once.

Sir Charles Tupper thought the consideration of the bill should be deferred until next session, as it contained important provisions respecting the criminal law which could not receive due consideration at this late period of the session.

Mr. Ellis wanted to know whether it was the intention that the House should sit on Saturday evening?

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said the motion which had just been adopted permitted the House to sit on Saturday evening, but in that matter the Government would be guided by the wishes of the members.

Col. Domville wanted to know if it was the intention of the Government to go on with the resolution given notice of by Mr. Flint, the member for Yarmouth, on the subject of temperance? If this was not the intention, the resolution should be dropped from the order paper.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier replied that it was not the intention of the Government to take up the resolution, and permit a discussion upon it.

On motion of Mr. Fortin, chairman of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, it was decided to hold meetings of that committee during the time the House was in session.

PREFERENTIAL TRADE.

Sir Charles Tupper Discusses the Government's Failure to Act.

Sir Charles Tupper, on the motion to go into supply, said he desired to propose a motion in reference to preferential trade, given notice of earlier in the session by Mr. McNeill. He had modified the terms of that resolution, however, in a manner which he thought would enable the Government to accept it. His object in proposing this resolution was not from any political consideration, but to strengthen the hands of the Government in dealing with a question of such great importance to Canada and to the Empire that he considered it far above any political consideration. In 1891 the British Empire League had been formed by members of both branches of the British Parliament, who recognized that the adoption of preferential trade would result in the most tremendous advantage to both the Mother Country and her colonies. The principle involved was that Great Britain on the one hand should admit to her markets the products of her colonies on more advantageous terms than the products of foreign countries, and that the colonies on the other hand should do the same with regard to the products of the Mother Country. The great and insuperable obstacles in the way of the adoption of that policy, was the German and Belgian treaties, which Lord Salisbury referred to as "those unlucky treaties." There were, as Lord Salisbury had said, grave difficulties in the way of their abrogation, and in spite of the fact that the question of preferential trade was one of the most important that could engage the attention of the statesmen of the Empire these treaties could not be abrogated until such time as public opinion in Great Britain demanded their denunciation. Following this expression of opinion by Lord Salisbury came the Colonial Conference held at Ottawa, at which representatives from Australia, South Africa and Canada, presided over by a British peer appointed by the parent Government, met, discussed this question and adopted an important resolution, the primary object of which was to induce the British Government to denounce the German and Belgian treaties which were a bar to the adoption of preferential trade within the Empire.

To this principle of preferential trade, Sir Charles said, the Premier had given his assent during the election campaign of 1891 when that policy had been a plank in the Conservative platform. Again when in 1896 he (Sir Charles) had brought the question up before the conference of the Chambers of Commerce of the Empire in London the Liberal press in Canada had expressed its entire approval of the principle in endorsing the resolution adopted by the Toronto Board of Trade, laying down a basis on which the scheme of preferential trade within the Empire could be worked out.

THE PREMIER CRITICIZED.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier had returned from England after the Jubilee, his course on this important question while in England had been subjected to severe criticism by those who thought that he had not made as good use of the splendid opportunity afforded him of advancing the cause of preferential trade as he might have done. The First Minister had replied to those criticisms in a speech made at a banquet tendered him upon his return in Toronto. In that speech he had, after defending the course he had pursued on this question while in England, in answer to the charge that he had refused to accept an offer of preferential trade for Canada, that he would have been an idiot had he refused any such offer had such been made by the Imperial Government. He (Sir Wilfrid) had maintained that the reason he had not pressed for a preferential trade arrangement for Canada was because he realized that the first essential step in that direction was the denunciation of the German and Belgian treaties and that if he had tried to secure both he would have jeopardized the chances of securing either. Sir Charles agreed that the first step towards preferential trade was the denunciation of the German and Belgian treaties, but he differed from the Premier in the view that it was necessary to separate these two questions in order to secure their acceptance by the British Government.

His reason for believing that if Sir Wilfrid Laurier had made the request for the denunciation of the treaties and preferential trade for Canada as well, he would have succeeded, was because the United Empire Trade League had long before put its demand for preferential trade fairly upon the basis of the denunciation of those treaties as a first essential, and the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, had considered that request, understanding that such was the basis of their demand. He thought it was a source of deep regret that Sir Wilfrid, who had represented Canada at the jubilee, had not availed himself of the happy occasion to secure the adoption by the British Government of this policy of preferential trade. The Premier had not, he contended, adopted the course on that occasion which Parliament had been led to expect he would. He quoted from the language used by the Secretary of State for the Colonies in addressing the assemblage of Colonial Premiers who visited the jubilee and from the address of welcome delivered by the Duke of Devonshire in welcoming them to Liverpool, to show that there was a disposition among British statesmen at that time, if pressed by the representatives of the colonies, to grant the policy of preferential trade. In fact, the remarks of the Duke of Devonshire, an ardent free trader, had subjected him to attacks from Cobdenite newspapers, who charged that he had forsaken his free trade principles in order to propitiate the representatives of the colonies. He also referred to the opinion expressed by the London Times that the action of Canada in voluntarily reducing its tariff on British goods and the hope of a speedy federation of the Australian colonies had brought about a change in public opinion in England which demanded the immediate denunciation of the German and Belgian treaties and the serious consideration of the question of the adoption of the principle of preferential trade within the Empire. Continuing, Sir Charles quoted from the speech delivered by the First Minister on his return from England, in which, referring to the denunciation of these treaties by the Imperial Government, he had said the way was now clear for Canada and the other British colonies to secure preferential trade within the Empire. The resolution which he proposed to move simply affirmed the advisability of such a policy being adopted, and, therefore, he saw no reason why, inasmuch as it was not in any sense a political question, or one over which there should be any controversy, the Government should not willingly accept it.

BRITAIN'S FISCAL POLICY.

One of the difficulties which had been urged against efforts being made by Canada to secure the adoption of this policy by the Mother Country was that it was no use trying to interfere with the fiscal policy of Great Britain as the doctrine of free trade was so firmly established in the mind of the British public that no Imperial Government would dare to change it by imposing even the smallest duties against the rest of the world in order to give the products of her colonies a preference in her markets. He did not think there was any ground for such hopelessness. Lord Salisbury had declared that the adoption of a policy of preferential trade between Great Britain and her colonies, even if it did involve the imposition of small customs duties against the rest of the world, was no infraction of the principles of free trade. Another evidence that the adoption of this policy was not as hopeless as some maintained was to be found in the adoption of the principles of countervailing duties with regard to India by the Mother Country in spite of the most vigorous opposition of free traders of the Cobden school, who denounced those duties as a serious infraction of the principles of free trade. In this discussion it had been pointed out in support of the adoption of countervailing duties for India, that such European countries as France and Germany by a similar system of countervailing duties were enabled to send their goods even into England itself where they entered into competition with the goods of British manufacture. Lord Farrar, who was the acknowledged leader of the Cobdenites in England, denounced these duties as an abandonment of the principles of free trade and yet an amendment proposed against the adoption of these duties had been voted down in the British House of Commons by a majority of one hundred and forty-one. This, Sir Charles said, showed that there was a strong undercurrent of change in public opinion in Great Britain on this question of preferential trade within the Empire and a disposition to discard the dogmas which had for so long been unalterable in framing the fiscal policy of England.

In further evidence of this change in sentiment in England, he quoted the London Times, commenting upon a demand made by the Chancellor of the Exchequer for more revenue, expressing an opinion in favour of the imposition of a small duty on corn in order to meet the necessities of the revenue.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S VIEWS.

He went on to say that the Colonial Secretary (Mr. Chamberlain), though much discouraged by the lack of that support from the colonies which he had a right to expect during the Jubilee, had shown by the language used by him in a speech delivered in February or last year that he had not by any means abandoned hope of the adoption of a policy of preferential trade within the Empire. Again, speaking at Liverpool in January of the present year, Mr. Chamberlain pointed out that Canada, Australia and South Africa, with a combined population of 13,000,000, had purchased as much British goods as the three greatest nations in Europe, Russia, France and Germany, with a combined population of 220,000,000. In the same speech, Mr. Chamberlain had pointed out that while the exports of British goods to the United States between the years 1889 and 1898 had fallen off by $68,000,000 the imports of goods from the United States to Great Britain during the same period had increased by $331,500,000. In view of these facts, Sir Charles continued, it was becoming a burning question in Great Britain as to whether it was wise for the Mother Country to buy so largely from countries which imposed high customs barriers to British goods the class of products which could be purchased from her own colonies from whom Great Britain could by a policy of preferential trade secure some adequate return.

He also pointed out that the policy of Germany in subsidizing steamship lines to Australia and other British colonies, which enabled German manufacturers on account of cheap transportation facilities to undersell British manufacturers in those colonial markets, had been a powerful factor in inducing the Imperial Government to grant financial aid to lines of steamship and telegraph communication between her own shores and the outlying portions of the Empire. Canada, he said, had profited by this to the extent of securing a subsidy for her fast Atlantic steamship line, the steamship lines on the Pacific, and he was glad to see that recently the Imperial Government, though it had hesitated a moment, was now prepared to grant a subsidy to the Pacific Cable between Canada and Australia on the lines recommended by the commission.

In conclusion, Sir Charles commented upon the unsatisfactory result of the trade policy of the Canadian Government in reducing trade with Great Britain, and said that the imposition of a small tax on breadstuffs from foreign countries by the Mother Country would not only relieve Great Britain from the dependence she now was compelled to place on the United States and Russia for her food supply in case of war, but would transfer that trade to Canada, with the result that the great plains of the North-West would be populated with an enormous population, and the granaries of Canada would supply the demand for food products in Great Britain. For these reasons he thought the House would recognize that this question was one of vaster importance to Canada, and to the Empire than any other question which could engage the attention of Parliament.

THE RESOLUTION.

He concluded by moving the following motion:

That in March, 1896, the Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, suggested that duties favouring the Colonies should be imposed by the United Kingdom upon her imported foreign produce, provided the Colonies would in return make large preferential concessions in favour of the United Kingdom, and he asked the Colonies to better the offer they had previously made.

That in June, 1896, Mr. Chamberlain said that he found the germs of a satisfactory proposal for such preferential trade within the Empire in a resolution passed that year by the Toronto Board of Trade.

That on the 13th of June, 1897, in the presence of the Prime Minister of Canada, the Duke of Devonshire, a former leader of the Liberal party in England, said (while declaring himself still to be a free trader) that "virtues were given to free trade which it did not possess, and results were predicted which have not followed;" that "its speedy universal adoption all over the world was prophesied, and that prophecy has been falsified;" that "the thick and thin admirers and believers in the Manchester School seek to persuade us that although that prophecy has not been fulfilled, it was the best thing for us that we should be the only free trading country in the world;" that "very few disciples of free trade of 50 years ago would have believed for a moment, that at this time France and Germany would have been carrying on enormous trade under strictly protective conditions;" that "the world has not become the commercial paradise that was predicted in the early days of free trade opinion;" that "we have since learned by painful experience that no old or new markets are being thrown open to us by the influence of free trade alone;" that if we want to provide for the increasing commerce which is necessary for the support of our increasing population, we must find these markets for ourselves;" and that "Colonial expansion and consolidation are essential to the maintenance of our continued prosperity."

That the speech in which the Duke of Devonshire gave utterance to these views, was regarded in England as a foreshadowing of the adoption by Lord Salisbury's Government of the proposal above referred to, made by Mr. Chamberlain in March, 1896.

That in his interview with the Colonial Premiers during the Jubilee celebration of 1897, the Colonial Secretary said: "In the meantime, however, I may say that I note a resolution which appears to have been passed unanimously at the meeting of the Premiers in Hobart, in which the desire was expressed for closer commercial arrangements with the Empire, and I think it was suggested that a commission of inquiry should be created in order to see in what way practical effect might be given to the aspiration. If that be the case, and if it were thought that the present time you were not prepared to go beyond inquiry, if it were the wish of the other colonies, of Canada and of the South African colonies, to join in such an inquiry, Her Majesty's Government would be delighted to make arrangements for the purpose, and to accept any suggestions as to the form of the reference and the character and constitution of the commission, and would very gladly take part in it."

That in March, 1899, Mr. Chamberlain once more returned to the subject of this great British policy, and said "he thought he had already convinced the colonies that the Imperial authorities were ready to meet them more than half way in any proposal they make for closer union"; that the Imperial authorities "would not be deterred either by economic pedantries or by fears" from giving favourable consideration to any such proposals, and that he "did not think the English people would keep a strict account of profit and loss, or would seek to be assured of present pecuniary gain, but would look, and look wisely, to the future for their reward."

That in the opinion of this House, it is the duty of the Government (in response to these repeated advances by the Imperial authorities) made any attempt to secure for the produce of Canada that preferential treatment in the markets of the United Kingdom, which would be of such inestimable value to the farmers and other producers of Canada competing against foreign rivals in the markets of the United Kingdom, would set in motion a great tide of immigration to our shores, people the vast wheat areas of the Canadian North-West, enhance farm values in the older provinces, promote the unity of our Empire, and speedily deliver it from dependence upon a foreign food supply.

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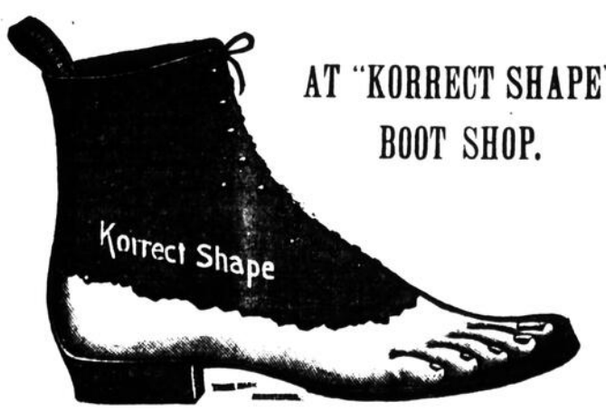

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MONTREAL ON TOP.

The Champions Split Even With the Hartford Team Yesterday Afternoon.

SHOULD HAVE WON BOTH GAMES

First Game Was Won by the Champions Rather Handily, Second Lost Easily.

RESULTS OF OTHER GAMES.

Worcester Won One and Lost One, Toronto Won Two, Rochester Also Won.

Barnie's bunch departed last night after dropping two of the three games played. As a result of yesterday's work Montreal remains on top with Worcester a pretty close second.

Yesterday the champions and the Indians split even on the double header. Montreal won the first game rather handily and lost the second one by a narrow margin.

Worcester also split even in their double header, while Toronto won two games.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Montreal	37	28	.569
Worcester	38	29	.567
Rochester	37	30	.552
Toronto	37	30	.552
Springfield	33	31	.516
Providence	33	39	.458
Hartford	30	38	.441
Syracuse	21	41	.339

HARTFORD'S FAREWELL — Congratulations From Mascot Harry.

THEY SPLIT EVEN.

Yesterday's Work on the Baseball Park.

Montreal managed to lower the colours of Barnie's Indians in the first game yesterday by superior stick work; the second they lost through inability to locate Mr. Esper's benders when any old kind of a hit would have tied the score and perhaps have put them in the lead. Schiebeck's heavy stick work was the feature of the game. He put the ball over the fence for two home runs, with men on the bases. Mr. Hodson, who occupied the slab on these occasions, looked very sad-eyed.

The work of Felix for the home team was up to his usual standard. The Indians made eight hits, but Harry kept them pretty well scattered. Errors were largely responsible for the Hartford's four runs, and the score will show who the offenders were.

IN THE SECOND GAME

Esper pitched great ball for Hartford and the Dooleyites found it difficult to locate the sphere. In the eighth inning Mr. O'Loughlin came in for a roast from the crowd, but this only shows that the Montreal public do not know the details of the game. Dooley was on third and Henry at second, with George Bannon at the bat. Bannon hit a low pitched ball which struck him on the foot and rolled back to the stand. Dooley and Henry came home. O'Loughlin ordered them back, and then fans howled. Give Bannon his base, they demanded; but O'Loughlin knew his business, he has read the rules carefully. It is to the effect that a ball struck at which hits the batsman is a strike and no bases can be run. The ball would probably have been a passed one had Bannon let it alone and the score would have been tied.

THE FIRST GAME.

In the first game Hartford scored in the first on a base on balls, a long fly and out and a double steal, and in the second on a single, sacrifice and Johnson's error.

In the third Montreal got two on Felix's single and Schiebeck's home run. The ball struck the top of the fence and bounded

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off on the right side. If a Hartford man had made the hit the right side would have been the inside.

Hartford got another in the sixth on Cavelle's double and a wide throw by Schiebeck.

Montreal won the game in the seventh. A double by Dooley and an out and a passed ball gave Montreal one run. A base on balls, Felix's single and Schiebeck's second hit over the fence gave Montreal three more.

In the eighth the champions added three more. Johnson singled and Dooley was passed. They worked a double steal and scored on Henry's hit for two bags. Henry scored on Felix's single.

Hartford made one in the ninth on Gatins's single, an out, Dooley's error and another out. Score.

MONTREAL.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Schiebeck, ss	5	2	2	2	3	2
T. Bannon, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Shearon, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Johnson, 2b	4	1	2	0	4	1
Dooley, 1b	3	2	1	10	0	1
Henry, 3b	4	1	2	1	1	0
G. Bannon, cf	3	0	0	5	0	0
Jacklitz, c	3	1	0	4	2	0
Felix, p	4	2	3	1	3	0
Total	33	9	10	27	13	4

HARTFORD.

	AB.	R.	1B.	PO.	A.	E.
Wilson, rf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Shindle, 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0
Massey, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Lippert, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Cavelle, cf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Gatins, ss	4	2	3	2	2	0
Stuart, 2b	3	0	0	4	2	0
Urquhart, c	4	0	2	4	1	0
Hodson, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Total	34	4	8	24	7	0

By innings:
Hartford ..... 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—4
Montreal ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 4 3 x—9

SUMMARY.

Sacrifice hit, Stuart. Stolen bases, T. Bannon, Johnson, Dooley, G. Bannon, Felix. Two base hits, Dooley, Henry, Cavelle. Home runs, Schiebeck (2). Double play, Felix to Dooley. Bases on balls, off Felix, 2; off Hodson, 4. Struck out, by Felix, 3; Hodson, 3. Passed balls, Jacklitz, Urquhart. Left on base, Montreal, 2; Hartford, 6. Time, 1.45. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

THE SECOND GAME.

Hartford scored first in the second game. It was in the third, when, with two out, singles by Esper, Wilson and Shindle, were good for a run. Montreal tied in its half on a base on balls to Jacklitz, a stolen base, an out, and Tommy Bannon's single.

Hartford's second run was made in the fifth on Stuart's three-bagger, a fly that George Bannon misjudged, and Urquhart's long fly that Tommy Bannon picked off the fence.

The Indians' third and winning run came in the next inning. "Shy" couldn't get Shindles' grounder to first in time. Mas-

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sey drew a pass. "Shy" captured Lippert's liner with one hand and caught Massey off first, a rattling fine play. Cavelle singled, and Shindle scored.

Montreal got one in the seventh on Jacklitz's single and Schiebeck's two-bagger.

The fielding in this game was fast. Schiebeck and George Bannon in particular distinguishing themselves. The score:

HARTFORD.

	AB.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Wilson, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Shindle, 3b	4	1	2	1	3	0
Massey, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Lippert, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Cavelle, cf	4	0	2	6	0	0
Gatins, ss	4	0	0	1	3	1
Stuart, 2b	4	1	1	3	0	0
Urquhart, c	3	0	0	2	2	0
Esper, p	3	1	1	1	4	0
Total	33	3	7	27	12	1

MONTREAL.

	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Schiebeck, ss	5	0	1	3	9	1
T. Bannon, lf	4	0	2	3	0	0
Shearon, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Johnson, 2b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Dooley, 1b	2	0	0	14	0	0
Henry, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0
G. Bannon, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Jacklitz, c	3	2	1	3	1	0
Souders, p	4	0	1	0	1	0
Total	34	2	6	27	14	1

Score by innings—
Hartford ..... 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0 0—3
Montreal ..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0—2

SUMMARY.

Stolen bases, T. Bannon, Jacklitz, Shindle. Two base hit, Schiebeck. Three base hits, Cavelle, Stuart. Double play, Schiebeck to Dooley. Bases on balls, off Esper, 3; off Souders, 1. Struck out, by Souders, 3; Esper, 1. Passed ball, Urquhart. Left on bases, Hartford, 4; Montreal, 5. Time, 1.40. Umpire, O'Loughlin. Attendance, 1,800.

HARTFORD'S FAREWELL—A Nice Curve.

THE OTHER GAMES.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 20.—The Bronchos were not in it at any stage of the game with the Grays yesterday and the latter won as they pleased. Evans was a puzzle and only in one inning was he touched up to any extent. Bowen was hit freely after the third and Morse, who was put in in the ninth was easy. The features of the game were the catching of Leahy and the fielding of Walters. Attendance, 300.

R.H.E.
Providence ..... 0 0 1 4 0 2 1 0 4—12 17 4
Rochester ..... 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 3 0—5 9 2
Batteries—Evans and Leahy; Bowen Morse and Smink.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., July 20.—The Stars and Worcester split even yesterday. In the first game Miller was hit hard at all times and his support was poor. Keenan was found in only one inning. The Stars with any kind of base running would have won by a larger score. In the second game, Worcester had but one hit until two were out in the ninth inning. Then three hits were made in a row and Ladd hit out a liner to Stroh, which he muffed, letting in the runs that won the game.

First game—
R.H.E.
Syracuse ..... 0 0 1 0 4 0 1 0 0—6 14 2
Worcester ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 0—4 8 6
Batteries—Keenan and O'Neill; Miller and Branefield.

Second game—
R.H.E.
Syracuse ..... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2 9 1
Worcester ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3 4 1
Batteries—Kimble and O'Neill; Horton and Yeager.

TORONTO, Ont., July 20.—Bannon won the first game with Springfield yesterday with his home run in the eighth, when Butler was on base and the score tied. It was a fine game all the way through, full of excitement, there being some sharp fielding.

In the second game it looked blue up to the sixth, the locals getting but one hit off Baker, off Hardy the Ponies got seven hits in the five innings he pitched. In the sixth, Toronto got seven hits in succession and in the next Grey's home run over the fence brought in Bannon. On a three-bagger and two singles two more runs came in. In the ninth, the visitors found Alloway and with the aid of a couple of errors scored six runs. Score:

HARTFORD'S FAREWELL — Waiting Until the Trouble Was Settled.

First game—
R.H.E.
Toronto ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2 x—4 6 3
Springfield ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0—2 9 2
Batteries—Suthoff and Butler; Pappalau and Phelps.

Second game—
R.H.E.
Toronto ..... 0 0 0 0 0 7 3 3 x—13 13 5
Springfield ..... 0 1 2 0 1 0 0 2 6—12 13 3
Batteries—Hardy, Alloway and Rothfuss; Baker and Phelps. Attendance, 2,000.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York—
R. H. E.
New York ..... 0 0 3 0 0 2 0 0 x—5 7 0
Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 8 2
Batteries—Carrick and Warner; Taylor, Donohue, Nichols and Chance.

At Washington—First game—
R. H. E.
Washington ..... 0 4 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—7 7 3
Cleveland ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 2—4 8 3
Batteries —McFarlan and Kittredge; Hughey and Schreckongost.

Second game—
R. H. E.
Washington ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 6 x—6 8 3
Cleveland ..... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2 6 0
Batteries—Carsey and Duncan; Schmidt and Schreckongost.

At Brooklyn—
R. H. E.
Pittsburg ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1 8 5
Brooklyn ..... 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 x—4 10 1
Batteries —Tannehill and Bowerman; Dunn and McGuire.

At Boston—
R. H. E.
Boston ..... 0 1 3 2 2 0 0 0 x—8 11 1
St. Louis ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1 7 4
Batteries—Nichols and Bergen; Sudhoff, Donlin and Criger.

At Philadelphia—
R.H.E.
Louisville ..... 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 0—3 8 1
Philadelphia ..... 2 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 x—5 10 3
Batteries—Dowling and Powers; Platt and Douglass.

At Baltimore —
R. H. E.
Baltimore ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 6 1
Cincinnati ..... 2 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 x—5 7 1
Batteries —McGinnity and Robinson;

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club.	Won.	Lost.	Per Cent.
Brooklyn	54	25	.684
Philadelphia	48	28	.632
Boston	49	29	.628
Chicago	44	31	.587
St. Louis	45	33	.577
Baltimore	43	33	.566
Cincinnati	38	38	.500
Pittsburg	36	41	.468
New York	34	43	.442
Louisville	31	45	.408
Washington	28	53	.350
Cleveland	14	66	.175

GROUNDERS.

Yesterday's Canadian League results:

At London—Guelph, 3, 4, 3; London, 7, 8, 4. Batteries—Damoth and Lafleur; Seivers and Lohman. Umpire, Popkay.

At Woodstock—Woodstock, 5, 6, 4; Hamilton, 3, 7, 4. Batteries—Norcom and Reid; Dean and Conwell. Umpire, Patton.

Western League results:

At Milwaukee—Detroit, 9; Milwaukee, 7.

At Kansas City—Indianapolis, 11; Kansas City, 3.

Any teams wishing to play the Victoria nine can address Jacob Skarupsky, 115 St. Dominique street.

THE CRICKET CREASE.

CHICAGO CRICKETERS.

What the Canadians are Doing in the Windy City.

(Special to the Star.)

CHICAGO, July 20.—Chicago is a big town, and it is chuck full of cricket players, some of whom can be put down with the would-be class, in other words some one has told them that they are cricket players. They were outplayed by the Canadians in two games at Parkside. The first match ended in a victory for the visitors by 28 runs. A return match was played in the afternoon, the Canadians winning easily by 111 runs and four wickets. Chicago scored 63 runs, the visiting batsmen won in fine form, Laing, after getting set, gave the best exhibition seen in Chicago this year. The small boys called him a "peach." He twice lifted the ball out of the grounds and his driving along the ground was hard and clean. It was fully expected that he would reach the coveted century, but he stopped into drive and was stumped, though there seemed to be some doubt whether the wicket keeper handled the ball. His score contained two fours ... nineteen ... threes.

TALK OF SHAMROCK.

Nothing Else Is Spoken of in Yachting Circles but Her Last Trial With Britannia.

YANKEES A LITTLE SHY OF HER.

John R. Spears, the Naval Writer, Has Some Good Words for the Lipton Boat.

PELLETIER NOT TO SAIL.

He Will Not Be in Command of the Briar at Any Rate, Although It Was Thought so.

(Special to the Star.)

CHICAGO, July 20.

THERE was some expectation on the part of some who had heard the rumour that Vincent Pelletier had been brought to Chicago to sail a yacht, that he might possibly be the coming skipper of the Briar, but this is not the case, as George R. Peare, her owner, will be her skipper and the crew will be made up of only four men when she races, although she is entitled to six by the terms of the deed of gift. With Skipper Peare, aft will be Edward Younglove, while before the mast will be Edward Hamblen, who was quarter-master aboard the Defender in her race with Valkyrie III., and B. P. MacDonald. The Briar is 43 1-2 feet over all with a load water line of 28 feet and beam of 8 feet 5 inches, her draft is 18 inches and she will carry 1,406 square feet of canvas.

SHAMROCK EXPECTATIONS.

What a Naval Expert Thinks.

John R. Spears, historian of the U. S. Navy, writing in the New York World, says: The account of the trial race between the British cup challenger Shamrock and her running mate the Britannia, is exceedingly satisfactory from more than one point of view.

It is an inspiring story for one thing, but more than that, it proves that the Shamrock has not yet shown enough superiority over the faithful old Britannia to make her equal to our cup defender, the Columbia.

Here was a race with what we would call a fine breeze of wind off Sandy Hook. It was just the kind of a wind that Shamrock may expect to find here. And there is no doubt that Shamrock sailed well in it —better than any other yacht they have seen at Cowes. A speed of 11 1-2 knots, however, if it were actually made, is not at all fearsome to us, while the difference between the time of the two racers was altogether too small.

Shamrock must beat Britannia by at least 20 minutes over a 30-mile course if she is to equal our Columbia, but in a race where both boats had equal chances she won by 7 minutes and 13 seconds, corrected time, or 13 minutes 13 seconds, actual time, in 40 miles.

It is true that the Columbia has but five minutes' superiority at best over Defender, but it is certain that Defender is 15 minutes better than Britannia.

In fact, if Shamrock's actual gain of 13 minutes 13 seconds be cut down to a 30-mile course, her superiority would be less than nine minutes.

On the other hand it will be observed that the Shamrock was not raced at her best. It is reasonably certain that she might have done several minutes better; but what is more disquieting still is the statement that in a thrash of eight miles to windward the Shamrock gained six minutes. That is a big gain.

Nevertheless, it is not enough to assure her the cup. The first Valkyrie beat us by two minutes in the thrash of fifteen miles to windward in some such a breeze as that in 1893, but she didn't get the cup.

The reason Valkyrie failed in 1893 was that she was slower off the wind. It seems likely that Shamrock is relatively slower off the wind than expected, even after allowance is made for her smaller sail area.

The reader who finds any comfort in the awkwardness shown by Shamrock's crew in handing sail should let it go at once. It is a good British crew, with good British officers in command. There will be no friction when Shamrock reaches America, and we shall be happy if we find our crew in as good accord at that time as hers will be.

Another point is the reference to the draught of the Shamrock made by her skipper. She did not dare venture where there is said to be much more than twenty feet of water. No one need be surprised if she comes drawing twenty-one feet, or even more, and with but eighty tons of lead on her keel to the ninety on Columbia.

On the whole, the report of this trial race gives assurance that we are to have a magnificent fighter in the Shamrock, and if one may venture to prophesy on such knowledge as we now have, it should be said that we shall not win by three straight races, as we did in 1893, but that we shall win, nevertheless, by a comforting margin."

SHAMROCK SPAR CONSTRUCTION

The London correspondent of the New York Times cables: A friend who was on board Britannia telegraphed me to-night: "Shamrock is a real flier and good at all points. She gave Britannia the start and beat her by six minutes in a dead beat to windward of eight miles. She gained ten minutes in straight run of fourteen miles. In a light breeze she played with Britannia. In an eight-mile run home she gained three minutes. If desirable, she could have won by thirty minutes."

The man who sent this is an experienced hand, but perhaps he is enthusiastic, still his opinion is entitled to respect.

It will be remembered that every detail connected with the building of Shamrock was shrouded in mystery. This was not so in the case of any other yacht designed for the purpose of recapturing the America's cup. Shamrock was put together in a building especially erected, and absolutely closed to the public. It was locked at night, and with a special key in the possession of one man.

None but Sir Thomas Lipton and a few friends saw the launching. The yacht took the water in petticoats, so that the few spectators who could not be shut out saw nothing, even of her outlines. The sails were made in a special building, and at the close of the day every scrap was picked up, put into bags, and burned. The sails were packed in bags, which were sealed until morning.

It was hinted more than once that a new kind of material was to be used in Shamrock. Nothing more than this was made public. The spars were made at Glasgow and shipped thence.

But why were they made in Glasgow?

It is in connection with the mast and boom that

THE SUPPOSED NEW MATERIAL

plays the principal part. It has been said that the mast and boom were to be of steel, lighter though perhaps not so elastic, as wood.

Here enters the new material. A short time ago a syndicate was formed for the purpose of exploiting a new invention. To-day I met one of the original directors. He had, he considered, been ousted unjustly from his position. He spoke of this without intending to reveal what was possibly a secret, but when he said that the invention had been taken advantage of by Sir Thomas Lipton his revelation became more interesting than he was aware. He described the new invention or material as about a quarter of the weight of steel and much stronger.

"Why," he said waxing enthusiastic, "you could make no impression on it with an axe, and the only shipment made was for Glasgow and, I believe, for Sir Thomas Lipton's yacht."

He mentioned the name of the syndicate, which is a limited company. I called upon the manager. I said I had heard that he owned an invention which for certain purposes would supersede steel. He admitted this, and gave me the following explanation:

"We have acquired patents for manufacturing a tubing from wood fibre, whereby the natural fibre and grain of various woods are utilized to construct tubes and cylinders of any size and shape so as to obtain strength and lightness and cheapness in production. This accomplished, we use thin sheets of natural wood of veneer grain, the outermost and innermost layers running parallel to the longitude of the tube, while the intervening layers are placed with the grain crossways, spirally, diagonally, and in transverse order. These several layers are cemented with special material impervious to moisture, and molded by means of mandrels of the required size and shape."

"What do you propose to do with the invention?"

"It will revolutionize and practically control the cycle trade of the world," he said.

There were cycles made of the material on the premises. He lifted one with his finger.

"What else is it useful for?" I asked.

"It will," he replied, "be the only material

USED FOR YACHTS' MASTS."

Had he made any? He refused to say yes or no, but admitted that he had shipped a lot of the material to Glasgow. Then he grew enthusiastic and said:

"Owing to the peculiar construction of the compound tubing, the strength of the natural grain and the fibres of the various woods are preserved and utilized in a compound manner, while the tendency to split or snap is entirely obviated, thus making the tubing practically unbreakable. It is one-fourth the weight of steel tubing, yet of the same diameter. The strength and cheapness of the material and the simplicity of its construction render its manufacture inexpensive, and adapted to the masts of ships, the construction of boats, and larger vessels, cycles, poles, shafts, and all articles requiring strength and lightness.

"By the use of paint the exterior tubing is protected from atmospheric change and moisture, while the use of an insoluble damp and steam proof cement render the tubing impervious to the attacks of heat, moisture and insects."

HAS DEFENDER DONE HER BEST

Many of Her Admirers Hold That Properly Sparred and Sailed She is Faster Than Columbia.

BRISTOL, R. I., July 20.—Defender left Bristol early, accompanied by the little schooner Caroline, her tender, and went down to Newport to await the Columbia, with which she is to have three races within the next nine days. The old cup champion looked fit to battle again for the America's Cup, her main boom and mainsail having been repaired and some of her other sails put into the best possible racing trim.

While there is no lack of confidence here in the latest Herreshoff creation, all the workmen who have watched Defender's work since she was launched four years ago are firm in the belief that the cup would be safe if its defense should devolve upon her. One of the expert riggers declared that she could stand as heavy spars as the Columbia carries and probably get five or six minutes more speed over a thirty-mile course.

In some quarters it is believed she has been held back in all trials with Columbia in order to please the yacht's owners — certainly she is not up to the form some of her friends are convinced she would show if properly sparred and canvassed.

Columbia remained quietly at her moorings under bare poles, all her working sails having been stripped from her spars and taken into the new loft to be recut for the Newport races. Work on the steel mast is being pushed. As it is desired to have it stepped in time for the second race with the Defender next Tuesday. In the meantime Columbia will be forced to use her Oregon pine spar and be handicapped to that extent.

Workmen unshipped Columbia's bowsprit and took it into the south shop to be refitted. In her first trial spin this bowsprit gave some trouble by slipping inboard, and this defect is to be remedied so far as possible. In all probability, however, a new bowsprit will be provided before the next trial off Sandy Hook. By that time also Hathaway expects to have her racing sails in readiness.

NEW SAILS FOR COLUMBIA.

Stripped of All Her Canvas and May Break in Another Suit Before Friday.

BRISTOL, July 20.—The yacht Columbia was stripped of her sails and she was anchored off the Herreshoff shops without a bit of canvas aboard. All the sails were sent ashore to the sail loft, where they will be refitted. It may be that another suit of canvas will be broken in before the first trial race with Defender off Newport next Friday.

Mr. Iselin and Designer Herreshoff went aboard the new boat this afternoon, and after a careful inspection above and below decks decided upon the changes to be made before the series of contests with the old cup champion. It was determined that the Oregon pine mast should stay where it was until the Newport races end. The new steel spar is ready, but will not be stepped until the Columbia returns to Bristol.

The steam tender St. Michaels left for a trip to Newport for supplies this morning. She returned and anchored this afternoon. The crew of the Columbia say they have set the big spinnaker in one minute and four seconds, and can do it in faster time if necessary. They now feel that they have been sufficiently drilled to hold their own against the Scandinavian sailors on board the Defender.

THE GRAND TRUNK RACES.

The fifth series of the regular weekly four-oared races of the Grand Trunk Rowing Club were held last evening. Only two crews were entered, but the race was quite an interesting one, Harrison's crew defeating Laing's by about two boat lengths. Both crews got away well together at the start, and were on even terms for about three-quarters of the way towards the town. Harrison's boat was the first around the buoy, and held the lead to the finish. The following were the crews:

C. McLean, bow; P. Thomas, No. 2; A. Monteath, No. 3; W. Harrison, stroke.

G. Crutchlow, bow; H. Veary, No. 2; C. Marshall, No. 3; W. Laing, stroke.

THE BRITANNIA IN DRYDOCK AND SAILING.

ON TRACK AND TURF.

The Leather Medal Presented to Jockey Tod Sloan in England After He Struck a Waiter With a Champagne Bottle.

BRIGHTON BEACH RACES.

NEW YORK, July 20. — There was a chapter of accidents in the first race at Brighton Beach yesterday. Just before the start Orthos ran away and broke his leg. Then Lady Harriett was left at the post at the start. Then Lamity stumbled and threw his jockey, McCue, injuring him severely about the head, and this was followed by The Dauphin throwing Crowhurst without injury to the jockey, and then running away. He got out of the inclosure, and when last seen was on his way to Sheepshead Bay along the boulevard, at full speed. Decide, one of the outsiders, took the lead in the stretch and lasted long enough to win. The finish in the second race was the prettiest of the year. Four two-year-olds finished heads apart in a hot drive, Kitchener, the favourite, getting the decision.

First race, 5 furlongs, selling—Decide, 98, Clarke, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, won by two lengths; Peace, 84, R. Lewis, 16 to 5 and even, second by a neck; Belle of Holmdel, 96, Moody, 9 to 2 and 8 to 5, third. Time, 1.01 2-5.

Second race, 5 furlongs — Kitchener, 114, Spencer, 4 to 1 and 4 to 5, won by a head; Frelinguysen, 107, Wilson, 6 to 1 and 8 to 5, second by a a head; Belle of Orleans, 109, Moody, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1.02 3-5.

Third race, one mile and a quarter—Money Prince, 112, Taral, 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, won by a head; Decanter, 112, O'Leary, 11 to 5 and 7 to 10, second; Knight of the Garter, 116, Mitchell, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, third. Time, 2.05 4-5.

Fourth race, one mile—Sir Hubert, 121, Spencer, 3 to 1 and even, won by two lengths; Dr. Parker, 121, O'Leary, 12 to 1 and 4 to 1, 2nd; Formero, 126, Taral, 6 to 1 and 8 to 5, 3rd. Time, 1.42 2-5.

Fifth race, 1 1-16 miles—Grey Bold, 101, O'Connor, even and 2 to 5, won by 1 1-2 lengths; Blue Away, 108, Keenan, 20 to 1 and 8 to 1, 2nd; Flax Spinner, 108, Clawson, 3 to 1 and even, 3rd. Time, 1.48 1-5.

Sixth race, steeplechase, about two miles—Preconic, 146, Cochrane, 2 to 5 and out, won by a length; Sir Play, 146, Callahan, 15 to 1 and 5 to 2, 2nd; Nestor, 146, ——, 3rd. Time, 4.30 4-5.

GET-A-WAY DAY AT ERIE.

BUFFALO, N.Y., July 20.—Get-away day at Fort Erie brought a large crowd. Eloim, the favourite, won the Niagara stakes of $1,000 by a neck, from Hie Away, a second choice. The long shot players had a good day, only one favourite getting the money. Bob Leach was the surprise of the day, winning the second race at 15 to 1. The summaries:

First race, one mile—Little Sallie, 103, Roland, 3 to 1 and even, won by a neck; Taranto, 109, Bergen, 50 to 1 and 15 to 1, 2nd by a neck; Tony Honig, 110, H. Lewis, 8 to 1, 3rd. Time, 1.44.

Second race, 5 1-2 furlongs—Bob Leach, 102, Bergen, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won by a length; Gomore, 105, Ross, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, 2nd by one length; Mamie Callan, 100, Songer, 3 to 1, 3rd. Time, 1.09 3-4.

Third race, 1 1-16 miles—Beau Ideal, 105. E. Ross, even and 2 to 5, won by two lengths; Jessamine Porter, 103, Ohoat, 10 to 1 and 3 to 1, 2nd by two lengths; Col Frank Waters, 108, Rigby, 4 to 1, 3rd. Time, 1.49 1-4.

Fourth race, 5-8 mile, Niagara stake $1000—Eloim, 113, F. Ross, 7 to 10 and out, won by a neck; Hie Away, 109, H. Lewis, 6 to 5 and 2 to 5, 2 by 1 length; Owensboro, 113, Dugan, 6 to 1, 3. Time, 1.03 1-2.

Fifth race, 3-4 mile—Tillie W., 105, Rigby, 3 to 1 and even, won by a neck; Annie Laurette, 98, Boland, 8 to 1 and 3 to 1, 2 by 3 lengths; Damocles, 109, H. Lewis, even, 3. Time 1.15 1-2.

Sixth race, one mile—Eunomia, 105, Boland, 7 to 1 and 5 to 1, won by two lengths; Lady of the West, 103, Landry, 4 to 1 and 7 to 5, 2 by 2 lengths; Sallie Lamar, 105, Rigby, 5 to 1, 3. Time, 1.42.

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RESULTS OF QUEBEC RACES.

QUEBEC, July 20.—A good programme was carried out at Savard Park yesterday afternoon. Three event were pulled off, the free-for-all being specially interesting. Old man Taylor, the veteran driver from Vermont, though in the neighbourhood of 90 years of age, handled his own horse and showed up well.

2.35 class; purse $150—
Sorrel George, T. Vincent, St. Jerome 1 2 1 1
Railway Queen, A. Langevin, Montreal 2 1 2 2
Oiseau Rouge, Max Clement, Quebec 3 3 4 3
Lina Bell, Cromwell stables, Quebec 4 4 3 4
Aluminium, N. Z. Belanger, Quebec ..... 5 5 dr

Free-for-all; purse $225—
Amelia, F. Poirier, Montreal 3 3 1 1 1
Lady O., O. Marchand, Quebec 2 1 2 2 2
Jimmy Mack, A. A. Cantin, Quebec 1 7 4 6 6
Robert B., C. Taylor, White River Junction 4 2 3 3 3
Ada Hardy, M. Wheeler, White River Junction 5 4 6 4 5
Henderson, W. J. Longham Ottawa 6 6 7 5 4
Poucette, A. Teteault ..... 7 5 5 dr

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES.

DETROIT, Mich., July 20.—The feature of the day at the Blue Ribbon trotting meet was the Merchants and Manufacturers' stake of $10,000. It was unfinished after four heats had been trotted in fast time. The summaries:

2.27 class pacing, purse $1,200—

Harry O., b.k.g., Bogash, won second and third heats and race; Sphinx second; Orin B., third. Best time, 2.10 3-4.

2.20 class trotting, purse $1,200—

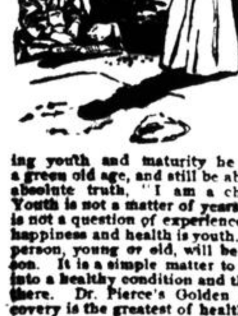
Owyhee, b.h., McHenry, won second and third heat and race; Dorothy S., second; Palm Leaf third. Best time, 2.13.

The Merchants and Manufacturers' stake of $10,000, for 2.24 class trotters—Kingmond won first heat; Success the second; The Queen the third; and Royal Baron, the fourth. Best time, 2.10 1-2.

2.07 class pacing, purse $2,000, unfinished—Egozen won the first heat; Sherman Clay, second and third; and Pearl Onward, 4th. Best time, 2.07 1-2.

For Other Sporting See Page Ten.

George Francis Train, the famous sage of Madison Square, who has for thirty years declined the companionship of any one but children, says, "I am a child myself."



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THE PURE MILK AGITATION.

Winnipeg Wants the Provincial Government to Have Compulsory Inspection of Cows so as to Guard Against Tuberculosis.

Dr. Laberge, City Medical Health Officer, has information to hand showing that the city of Winnipeg is making efforts which at the present time are being made in many cities in Europe to get a pure milk supply. The information in question shows that Winnipeg also recognizes that if the milk supply is to be pure cows must be tended, fed and inspected with special care. Tests for tuberculosis must be constantly made. The fact that this dread disease is easily communicated to human beings is dwelt upon at much length and with marked earnestness.

What Winnipeg is now urging is that the Provincial Government shall have rigid compulsory inspection of cows; that the Government distribute information to farmers as to what is meant by cleanliness and ventilation of cow-houses, and distribute information as to the general care and feeding of cows. A dairy school is also asked. A special grade of milk for children is also agitated for.

VALUABLE INFORMATION.

In order to get all the information possible on tuberculosis in cattle, Winnipeg has been in communication with Mr. Wm. Wagner, honorary president of the Manitoba Dairy Association, and from him has received the following valuable information:

"Tuberculosis is a slow, lingering, chronic disease, leading to sickness, originated by the bacillus tuberculosis appearing particularly in horned cattle . . . see Robert Koch—and this synopsis is supported by Sir William Broadbent at a meeting of scientific men at Marlborough House, presided over by His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales. Sir William Broadbent, referring to consumption, congratulates Great Britain that this sickness has decreased 50 per cent. during the last half century, and, continuing, says: 'The single sad exception to this statement is that, tubes mesenterica, the disease of the bowels in children, traceable to tuberculosis conveyed by milk, has increased, and, again, phthisic, with all its forms of tuberculous disease, is the work of a microbe-tubercuh bacillus, discovered by Koch. This living organization is present in countless millions in diseases of the lungs, intestines or bones. By its multiplication it blocks up the minute blood vessels, chokes the air vessels and destroys structures, and by a poison or toxine, which it forms, it gives rise to febrile disturbances, nocturnal perspirations and waste. It is by the transmission of these bacilli that tuberculosis diseases are spread. Another way by which the bacilli are disseminated is by milk. Cows unfortunately are very subject to tuberculoses, and sooner or later the bacilli finds its way to the milk.

FARMERS SHOULD KILL DISEASED ANIMALS.

"We have seen from Dr. Patterson's exposure of the mismanagement of our Winnipeg General Hospital on behalf of the executive chief officers, how contagious diseases are carried from one room to the other, and we may come to the conclusion that in time, the cows formerly healthy, may on a subsequent examination, be found to be diseased, and so it might be money in the pocket of the milkman to at once kill the animal as soon as it was found to be diseased."

QUESTION OF COMPENSATION.

As the question of compensation to a farmer, when he destroys an animal suffering with tuberculosis, is the most difficult that has to be met with, Mr. Wagner has the following to say about it, in regard to Manitoba:

"The milk vendors have been told by the council the law will not permit the city to give compensation to them. What is to be done then? Let us see what is done in Prussia. The farmers send milk into the cities, the milk vendors have an association, which, like a mutual life or fire assurance, in cases of loss by epidemic or other misfortune, pay to the member of the association a certain amount agreed upon which is willingly subscribed by the members and does not amount to much per head.

"Now our city council will ask the Legislature to pass their meat inspection bill to classify the slaughtered meats . . . Cows with tuberculosis, in its first stage, according to Dr. Churchman, often achieves a total cure in modern treatment. We have before us the following problems:

"1. The majority of inhabitants wants pure milk.

"2. If the test proves a cow to be diseased by tuberculosis it ought to be either destroyed of quarantined, since neither the council or government can pay for the loss.

"3. How would be this compromise. The city erects a sanitarian say for 50 to 100 cows and feeds them for the abattoir, charging each cow with her food, and when killed for the shamble deduct the price of food from the selling price, this balance to be given to the owner of the cows.

"4. The milkmen, as I have stated before, join together, cows, before insured to be tested, price for each cow established, and when by any misfortune a cow has to be killed, the original price so insured given to the loser and the amount collected amongst all partners.

MILK FOR CHILDREN.

The question of milk for children is touched upon and it is shown that in Germany special steps are taken to procure children's milk. The animals, from which milk for children is used, is drawn from cows which are kept in a stable specially ventilated and kept clean; the beasts, too, are fed on special food. "How shall we, then, procure this kind of milk? Is it to be got from our private milkmen with a couple of cows? I must say not, because such men can never bestow the attention and work on their cows which is necessary to keep them in the proper state of health. Such animals too, should be tested weekly for tuberculosis. On the other hand if the proprietors, say of fifty young cattle, would join together and erect special buildings for their herds, have these herds specially fed, inspected and tended, a safe milk supply for children would be the result. The increased profit which would come to the vendors would more than pay them for these efforts.

A MODEL DAIRY.

Mr. Wagner now describes a model dairy association in Wurtemburg, which was started as long ago as 1875. The stable is described as follows: "The stable is two stories in height, to the upper story leads a gangway, 17 1/2 degrees inclination, on which, the cows can easily ascend and descend. Ventilation and cleanliness are perfection itself. The city veterinary surgeon accompanied by a chemist, inspect it biweekly; milk is sent out in glass bottles with an explanation how to use it. Besides this a milk waggon goes round selling from the waggon warm milk twice a day; the price is double that of the ordinary milk sellers.

The whole consists of:

1. The stable proper, two stories high.
2. An addition connected with the stable containing a drinking hall and over it rooms for the attendants.
3. House for the keep of the fodder necessary.
4. On the gable of the cow stable is one for the horses and necessary attendants.

The cows for this stable are young, and before installed have to go through a strict examination by the city officials. Feed is dry rice, flour, barley, oatmeal and meadow hay.

This establishment has of late received the patronage of the local benevolent societies by which the poorer people get this milk at the same price as the ordinary milk vendors sell it at.

WHAT WINNIPEG SHOULD DO.

What the Provincial Government should do is to extend the compulsory inspection of milk producing and other animals and to facilitate the better information of what is meant by cleanliness and ventilation of stables properly taken care of the cows, feeding, etc. Erect an institution on a proper place where pure water can be had, connect it with the dairy school and after a while rent it to a company always subject to the social control of the dairy inspection and other officials.

"The Provincial Government, as stated, should extend the compulsory inspection of cows and facilitate better information as to what is meant by cleanliness and ventilation of cow stables. An institution should be erected where animals could be specially tended and inspected, and connected with it a dairy school.

AN APPEAL TO MILKMEN.

In conclusion Mr. Wagner writes as follows:

"We have seen that, according to Sir William Broadbent, the cause of tuberculosis in cows originates in first, dirty stables; second, unwholesome food, and third, overstraining of the function of cows by continuing milking too close to calving time. Now, as a general rule we do not find that the rural dairymen are likely to sin against these fundamental rules. The farmer wants the manure for his crops and has ample straw for bedding, he never forces an abnormal yield of milk by giving extra food, lastly, as a rule, he gives his cows from two to three months rest, since he not only wants milk but also strong healthy calves. Yet it would be a great satisfaction to know how to stand as regards the health of our herds. A statement was made by the Honourable, the Premier of Manitoba to the effect that he has to test his cattle, since he sold most of these to the south. Now, then, when our neighbours test our cattle, why should we make an exception with theirs?

"In conclusion, I would make an earnest appeal to milkmen to fall in with the purer milk movement and the sanitary improvements attendant upon it. At the first start it may cost you something in loss of cattle and inaugural improvement, but in the future you will benefit a hundred per cent. more than you lose. Your cattle will be healthier and you will not lose so many by sickness or be compelled to trade them away at a loss. Your animals will be in better condition and more valuable if you should have occasion to sell, the loss from the tuberculine test of the inspection, will grow less with each succeeding year as the disease is gradually lessened by the extirpation process, and finally with improved building, healthy cattle and the confidence of your customers, you will achieve a success which can never be given, so long as the present slovenly, dirty regime continues. Be advised and act at once, for the first milkman that takes the hint and adjusts his surroundings to the requirements of the present day, is the man who is going to be the first and most prosperous of his fellows."

COURT PRIDE OF THE EAST, C.O.F.

The members of Court Pride of the East No. 19, Canadian Order of Foresters, are eagerly looking forward to the annual excursion and picnic which will take place at Cartierville on Saturday. A splendid programme of races and games has been prepared, and first-class music will be provided for the dancing. Excellent transportation facilities have been provided, a special Park & Island car will leave the corner of Park and Mount Royal Avenues at 8 a.m., and arrangements have also been made by which the special rate tickets for the outing will be good for any car during the day.

BARBERS MIRROR EXEMPT.

Judge Purcell has held in a case of seizure that a barber's mirror forms part of his implements of trade, and is exempt from seizure. Floor coverings are also excluded.

The point was raised in the case of C. F. Bouthillier against R. Parades, a barber. The defendant had pleaded that he could not carry on his business without his mirror. Mr. J. T. Fontaine, president of the Barbers' Association, thought that mirrors were really a luxury. The court also included the basin and floor coverings.

Dr. Coderre's RED PILLS For Pale and Weak Women.

TUBERCULOSIS IN IRELAND.

The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland presided recently at a conference of the Royal Academy of Medicine, held in Dublin, on the prevention of tuberculosis. There was a large and influential attendance at the conference. On the motion of the Registrar-General, the conference resolved upon the formation of a Dublin branch of the National Society for the prevention of consumption and other forms of tuberculosis. His Excellency, who supported the resolution, referred to the practical interest which the Queen and the Prince of Wales took in this movement, and said that as Her Majesty's representative in Ireland, he felt it both a duty and a pleasure to promote, so far as lay in his power, the activity and efficiency of the campaign against tuberculosis.

LAVAL'S POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL.

The new Polytechnic school of Laval will be established in the buildings on Dubord street lately occupied and owned by Lieut.-Gov. Jette, and Hon. A. Desjardins, bearing Nos. 71, 73 and 75 of street, near St. Denis street, these properties having been acquired for the purpose. Laval has, for the acquiring of these properties, exchanged the vacant lot they bought some time ago, and situated in the rear of St. James square on St. Denis street, just opposite St. James Church, on which an apartment house in the Parisian style will, it is said, be erected.

SERVICE DISCONTINUED—The Grand Trunk announces the discontinuance of the train service between this city and St. Laurent after Saturday next. Holders of commutation tickets between these points can obtain the refund by applying at the city ticket office, 137 St. James street.

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Jean Seitz, of Manheim, Still in Gaol.

THE EXTRADITION COMMISSIONER HAS NO JURISDICTON IN TORONTO.

Mr. Justice Wurtele yesterday afternoon as stated, granted the writ of habeas corpus applied for by Jean Seitz, of Manheim, Germany, arrested in Toronto on a warrant issued at the instance of the German Consul by Extradition Commissioner Lafontaine on the charge of embezzling 9,000 marks from his partner, Esslinger, and ordered that he be liberated. Seitz was immediately after arrested on a new warrant issued by Magistrate Lafontaine, the charge this time being of defrauding his partner of the above amount. Seitz was driven back to the gaol where he awaits the result of further proceedings. After relating the facts of the case as already given, His Honour proceeded to deal with the legal objections raised on behalf of Seitz in support of his application, and which, summarized, are that the Extradition Commissioner had no jurisdiction in Toronto; that there was no evidence to show that the crime of embezzlement had been committed, and that the prisoner's identity had not been sufficiently established. After defining the law on extradition and the fact, that, by the treaty with Germany, embezzlement and larceny are extraditable offences, His Honour held that the crime charged against the prisoner came within the purview of the treaty. His Honour was satisfied that the documents were all legal, and that the Commissioner's decision on points of fact were founded on the evidence submitted. After defining the authority and power of the Commissioner under the law, His Honour held that the jurisdiction of an Extradition Commissioner was limited to the province for which he was appointed. In this case, Mr. Lafontaine only had power to act in this province, and the prisoner's arrest in Toronto is illegal and irregular, and the endorsement of the warrant by a police magistrate in Toronto could not give it any legal effect. Proceeding further, His Honour added:

"It is true that section 7 of the Extradition Act provides that a warrant can be executed in any part of Canada, but this section would appear to have been taken from the Imperial Extradition Act, which gives to police magistrates an extended jurisdiction in extradition matters, and applies to such magistrate with extended jurisdiction. This section of our act is not, therefore, applicable generally in the Dominion, where the jurisdiction of the judge or commissioner is restricted. It has, however, its application where the complaint alleges that the fugitive criminal is in the province, and when he flies into another province after the issue of the warrant. In such case the fugitive criminal may be pursued into any adjoining or some other province, and be arrested under the warrant, without it being necessary to obtain any endorsement on it.

"It seems reasonable and right that the jurisdiction of the judges and commissioners in extradition matters should be restricted, for if a fugitive criminal could be arrested in Toronto on a warrant issued in Montreal, he could also be arrested either at Halifax, on the eastern limits of the Dominion, or at Victoria, near its western limits, and this would involve great inconvenience and heavy expenses, which it would appear to be the policy of the act to avoid.

"The judicial act of the commissioner in granting and issuing his warrant in the present case being irregular and illegal, it follows that the arrest and all the subsequent proceedings were also irregular and illegal; and, therefore, the warrant of committal is bad and the prisoner is entitled to be discharged.

"I, therefore, maintain the writ of habeas corpus, and I order the prisoner, Jean Seitz, to be discharged from imprisonment and detention in the present matter."

Mr. W. J. White, Q.C., represented the accused, and Mr. E. Guerin appeared for the prosecution.

EDUCATIONAL ACT.

The New School Laws Concisely Edited by Dr. Stanley R. Weir.

Those who wish to become conversant with the new Educational Act of the Province of Quebec, which came in force on July 1, could not do better than consult the pages of a neatly bound book which has been published by His Honour, Dr. R. Stanley Weir, Recorder of Montreal. Dr. Weir, in his introductory remarks expresses the hope that the book will be of use to the teacher, legislator, the advocate, and to the general reader. Of this there can be no doubt. The volume contains an accurate text of the new law and citations from relevant jurisprudence of the courts. The regulations of the Council of Public Instruction are given. The work is carefully and concisely indexed and all information about education in the province much more easily got at than by recourse to cumbersome legal books. The publication should be a distinct boon to all classes. The book is from the press of C. Theoret, St. James Street.

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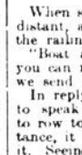

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THE LUST OF HATE.

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CHAPTER XI.—(Continued.)

She turned her head as I spoke, and looked steadily in the direction I pointed for nearly a minute. Then, with a little sigh, she fell upon the gunwale in a dead faint. I sprang to her assistance, and, kneeling at her feet, chafed her hands and called her by name, and implored her to speak to me. But, in spite of my exertions, she did not open her eyes. When a quarter of an hour had elapsed, and she was still insensible, I began to wonder what I should do. To remain attending to her might mean that we should miss our deliverer. In that case we should both die. At any cost, and now more than ever, I knew I must attract the steamer's attention. She was not more than a mile behind us by this time, and, if I could only make her see us, she would be alongside in a few minutes.

For his reason I tore off my coat, and, attaching it to an oar, began to wave it frantically above my head. Next moment a long whistle came across the waves to me. It was a signal that our boat had been observed, and never did a sound seem more musical to a human ear. On hearing it I stood up again, and, shading my eyes with my hands, watched her approach, my heart beating like a piston-rod. Closer and closer she came, until I could easily read the name, King of Carthage, upon her bows.

CHAPTER XII

When she was less than a hundred yards distant, an officer on the bridge came to the railings, and hailed us.

"Boat ahoy!" he cried. "Do you think you can manage to pull alongside? or shall we send assistance to you?"

In reply—for I could not trust my voice to speak—I got out my oars, and began to row towards her. Short as was the distance, it took me some time to accomplish it. Seeing this, the same officer again hailed me, and bade me make fast the line that was about to be thrown to me. The words were hardly out of his mouth before the line in question came whistling about my ears. I seized it as a drowning man is said to clutch at a straw, and clambering forward, secured it to the ring in the bows. When that was done I heard an order given, and willing hands pulled us quickly alongside.

By the time we reached it the gangway had been lowered, and a couple of men were standing at the foot of it ready to receive us. I remember leaning over to fend her off, and I also have a good recollection of seeing one of the men—the ship's doctor afterwards discovered him to be—step into the boat.

"Can you walk up the steps yourself, or would you like to be carried?" he asked, as I sank down on the thwart again.

"Carry the lady," I answered huskily. "I can manage to get up myself. Take her quickly, or she will die."

I saw him pick Miss Maybourne up, and, assisted by the quartermaster who had accompanied him, carry her up the ladder. I attempted to follow, only to discover how weak I was. By the exercise of sheer will, however, I managed to scramble up, holding on to the rail and so gained the deck. Even after all this lapse of time I can distinctly see the crowd of eager faces pressed round the top of the ladder to catch a glimpse of us, and I can hear again the murmurs of sympathy that went up as we made our appearance. After that all seems a blank, and I can only believe what I am told—namely, that I looked round me in a dazed sort of fashion, and then fell in a dead faint upon the deck.

When I recovered consciousness again, I had to think for a moment before I could understand what had happened. I found myself in a handsomely furnished cabin that I had never seen before. For an instant I imagined myself back again on the ill-fated Fiji Princess. Then a tall, red-bearded man—the same who had carried Miss Maybourne up from the boat—entered and came toward me. Through the door, which he had left open, I could see the awning-covered promenade-deck outside. As soon as I saw him I tried to sit up on the velvet-cushioned locker upon which I had been placed, but he bade me be content to lie still for a little while.

"You will be far better where you are," he said. "What you want is rest and quiet. Take a few sips of this, and then lie down again and try to get to sleep. You have some arrears to make up in that line, or I'm mistaken."

He handed me a glass from a tray above my couch, and held it for me while I drank. When I had finished I laid myself down again, and instead of obeying him, began to question him as to where I was. But once more I was forestalled, this time by the entrance of a steward carrying a bowl of broth on a tray.

"You see we're determined, one way or another, to close your mouth," he said, with a laugh. "But this stuff is too hot for you at present. We'll put it down here to cool, and, in the meantime, I'll answer not more than half a dozen questions. Fire away, if you feel inclined."

I took him at his word, and put the one question of all others I was longing to have answered.

"How is the lady who was rescued with me?"

"Doing as well as can be expected, poor soul," he replied. "She's being well looked after, so you need not be anxious about her. You must have had a terrible time in that boat, to judge from the effects produced. Now, what is the next question?"

"I want to know what ship this is, and how far we were from the Salvages when you picked us up?"

"The vessel is the King of Carthage—Captain Blockman in command. I'm afraid I can't answer your last question offhand, for the reason that, being the doctor, I have nothing to do with the navigation of the ship, but I'll soon find out for you."

He left the cabin and went to the foot of the ladder that led to the bridge. I heard him call the officer of the watch and say something to him. Presently he returned.

"The Salvages lie about seventy miles due nor'-nor'-east of our present position," he said.

"Nor'-nor'-east?" I cried. "Then I was even further out in my calculations than I expected."

"Why do you ask about the Salvages?"

"Because it was on a rock off those islands that our ship, the Fiji Princess, was lost. We put off from the island to try and catch a sealing vessel that came in sight yesterday morning. A dense fog came on, however, and during the time it lasted we lost both the ship we went out to stop and also our island. Ever since then we have been drifting without food or water."

"You have, indeed, had a terrible experience. But you've a splendid constitution, and you'll soon get over the effects of it. And now tell me, were no others saved from the wreck?"

"As far as we could tell, with the exception of our three selves, not a single soul."

"You say 'three selves,' but we only rescued the lady and yourself. What, then, became of the third?"

"The third was a child about eight years old. The poor little thing must have been hurt internally when we were sucked under by the sinking ship, and her condition was, probably, not improved by the long exposure we had to endure on the bottom of the boat from which you rescued us. She scarcely recovered consciousness, and died on the island a short time before we left it in our attempt to catch the vessel I spoke of just now."

"I never heard a sadder case," said the doctor. "You are indeed to be pitied. I wonder the lady, your companion, came through it alive. By the way, the skipper was asking me just now if I knew your names."

"The lady is Miss Maybourne, whose father is a well-known man at the Cape, I believe."

"Surely not Cornelius Maybourne, the mining man?"

"Yes, she is his daughter. He will be in a terrible state when the Fiji Princess is reported missing."

"I expect he will; but, fortunately, we shall be in Capetown almost as soon as she would have been, and he will find that his daughter, thanks to your care, is safe and sound. Now I am not going to let you talk any more. First, take as much of this broth as you can manage, and then lie down and try to get to sleep again. As I said just now, I prophesy that in a few days you'll be up and about, feeling no ill effects from your terrible adventure."

I obeyed him, and drank the broth. When I had done so I lay down again, and in a very short time was once more in the Land of Nod. When I opened my eyes again the cabin was almost dark. The doctor was still in attendance, and, as soon as he saw that I was awake, asked me if I would like to get up for a little while. I answered that I should be only too glad to do so; and when he had helped me to dress I took possession of a chair on the promenade deck outside. It was just dinner-time in the saloon, and by the orders of the captain, who came personally to enquire how I was, I was served with a meal on deck. Nothing could have exceeded the kindness and thoughtfulness of the officers and passengers. The latter, though anxious to hear our story from my own lips, refrained from bothering me with questions; and, thinking quiet would conduce to my recovery, allowed me to have the use of that end of the deck unmolested. As soon as I could do so, I enquired once more after Miss Maybourne, and was relieved to hear that she was making most satisfactory progress towards recovery. After dinner the captain came up, and, seating himself in a chair beside me, asked a few questions concerning the foundering of the Fiji Princess, which information, I presumed, he required for his log.

"You have placed Mr. Maybourne very deeply in your debt," he said, after a little further conversation, "and I don't doubt but there will be many who will envy your good fortune in having done so signal a service to his daughter. By the way, you have not told us your own name."

My heart gave a great jump, and for the moment I seemed to feel myself blushing to the roots of my hair. After the great kindness I had already received from everyone on board the vessel, it seemed worse than ungrateful to deceive them. But I dared not tell the truth. For all I know to the contrary, my name might have been proclaimed everywhere in England before this time.

"My name is Wrexford," I said, feeling about as guilty as a man could well do.

"Any relation to the Wrexfords of Shrewsbury?" asked the captain, with mild curiosity.

"Not that I am aware of," I answered. "I have been living out of England for many years, and have no knowledge of my relations."

"It's not a common name," continued the skipper, "that is way I ask. Sir George Wrexford is one of our directors, and a splendid fellow. I thought it was just possible that you might be some connection of his. Now, if you will excuse me, I'll be off. Take my advice and turn in early. I'm sorry to say we're carrying our full complement of passengers, so that I cannot give you a proper berth; but I've ordered a bed to be made up for you in my chart-room, where you have been all day to-day. If you can manage to make yourself comfortable there it is quite at your service."

"It is very kind of you to put yourself to so much inconvenience," I answered. "I fear by the time we reach Capetown I shall have caused you a considerable amount of trouble."

"Not at all! Not at all!" the hospitable skipper replied, as he rose to go. "I'm only too glad to have picked you up. It's our duty to do what we can for each other, for we none of us know when we may be placed in a similar plight ourselves."

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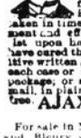

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CIRCULATION
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FOR WEEK ENDING
July 15th, 1899.

Monday	50,366
Tuesday	50,302
Wednesday	50,326
Thursday	50,306
Friday	50,343
Saturday	54,864
	306,507

Present Average:

DAILY, for week ending July 15th. **51,084**

WEEKLY STAR Last Week..... **103,891**

Average Circulation of the STAR Last Week. **154,975**

From the above figures are excluded several thousand subscriptions regarded as more or less ephemeral.

THURSDAY, JULY 20, 1899.

THE STAR AT SUMMER RESORTS.

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

THREE-CORNERED DIFFICULTIES

The promptitude with which the Government arranged with the Grand Trunk Railway to amend the traffic agreement to meet the objections of the Senate was a surprise to the people of Canada. When the objection was first raised by the Senate that ninety-nine years was too long a term to bind the Intercolonial Railway to hand over all its freight for the West to the Grand Trunk Railway and its American connections, Liberal newspapers all over the country expressed great indignation at Senate obstruction. The Toronto Globe said

> People do not usually make bargains unless they see some benefit to accrue therefrom. The Government has made the best bargain it could with all the parties, and pledges itself to show that the public interest has been subserved by the actual results which will flow from it.

But a few days afterward it was announced that Mr. Blair had induced the Grand Trunk to agree to an amendment by which the Government would have power to end the traffic agreement at any time after a year's notice. Then the Toronto Globe published a long article from its Ottawa correspondent praising Mr. Blair for the new arrangement and concluding with the following statement:

> Mr. Blair's policy has been to "go slow" and the result shows that he has been the victor in what was a three-cornered difficulty.

In fact Mr. Blair went so "slow" that the country would have been tied down to the Grand Trunk and its American railway connections for four generations if the Senate had not obstructed the arrangement. But even a year's notice was considered too long by the Senate in view of the fact that new conditions and opportunities might suddenly arise, and finally it was agreed that six months' notice on the part of the Government would be sufficient to terminate the arrangement. No one can deny that the amended agreement is better than the original one. Even the Liberals admit it, and they are pretending that Mr. Blair deserves the credit for inducing the Grand Trunk Railway Company to come to terms although he made no effort to get a better agreement until he found that what had passed through the House of Commons could not get through the Senate. But how would it be under similar circumstances if Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Senate reform scheme were carried out. The Government would simply call the Senate into the House of Commons and get the party majority to vote down all objections. Mr. Blair would have no more three-cornered difficulties. He would be able to arrange matters with railway companies and contractors to suit himself.

THE PROGRESS OF CANADA.

The London Times' Dominion Day editorial on Canada should give rise to a thrill of pride in the breast of every patriotic son of the Empire in this section of the Queen's Dominion. In the light of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's declaration that an act of his government had made Canada a nation the Times's utterance affords food for reflection.

"The Dominion of Canada," says the Times, "has acquired so great a place in the Empire and in the world that it needs something of an effort to remember her youth. On Saturday her sons, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, were keeping her thirty-second birthday, while those at home, in the capital of the mother country, a distinguished company met to celebrate the auspicious occasion. The colonies which the British North America Act knit together by indissoluble bonds had a long, eventful, and glorious history before they agreed to unite their fortunes for better or for worse. But while nothing can be more romantic or more interesting than much of the annals of the Canadian communities before they joined together to form one people, it must be acknowledged that in 1867 their past had been checkered and their prospects seemed overcast. The heroic enterprises of the early explorers and of the first settlers, so well told by Mr Parkman, the Canadian historian, and the glorious exploits of the great soldiers who fought out upon the shores of the St. Lawrence the quarrel handed down to two great nations from the days of the Plantagenets, form a brilliant page in the story of the New World. But until the colonies were federated neither the political nor the economic condition of the country could be regarded as satisfactory. Much, no doubt, has been already accomplished. The germs of the present greatness and prosperity of the Dominion existed, and their existence may have been to some extent divined by men of exceptional foresight and sagacity. But there was at least a doubt whether those germs would ever be peacefully developed. The danger that the forces since happily combined to foster that development might be turned against each other in a lamentable strife seemed very grave. The results of that strife to Canada, whatever its immediate issue, were only too certain.

"By an act of profound political wisdom all obstacles to the growth, the prosperity, and the harmony of the colonies were for ever removed.

"Since the creation of the Dominion their history has been an almost continuous record of moral and material progress.

"Hardly any people in the world has accomplished so much as Canada in the generation that has gone by since the colonies became a nation and set themselves to the task of making the most of the splendid inheritance they thenceforth held as their common country.

"The growth of Canada has been not merely continuous; it has also been progressive. She is greater, wealthier and more united now than at any previous period, and to her future there is no visible limit."

ORE FOR THE IRON FURNACES.

During the discussion upon the iron and steel bounties in Parliament, there was some difference of opinion as to whether iron made with foreign ore should receive any bounty, while some of the members were in favour of giving a preference to Newfoundland ore over foreign ore. The plan adopted is to give a bounty on all iron made in Canada, but to make it higher when exclusively Canadian ore is used, on the ground that this will encourage the development of Canadian mines, while enabling the manufacturers to use foreign ore for admixture with Canadian ores until our own mines are developed. There is no doubt that Canada has ample supplies of iron ore, but it takes time to make explorations, develop the mines and provide means of transportation. Most of the outside iron ore used will come from Newfoundland and will be used for admixture with Canadian ores in Cape Breton and Pictou county, N.S. Newfoundland can scarcely be regarded as a foreign country, and anything that binds it closer to Canada will be an advantage to both countries. However, it is to be hoped that long before the term for which bounties are to be given expires Newfoundland will be a province of the Dominion.

The furnaces at Radnor, Que., are not only Canadian ore, but the Ontario furnaces at Hamilton, Deseronto, Belleville and Midland may need to import American ore from the south shore of Lake Superior until the deposits on the north shore of Lake Superior in Canadian territory are developed. These Canadian ores are said by experts to be equal in quality and quantity to those on the south shore of the lake, from which the great iron works of the United States get most of their supplies, but at present there is no means of transportation. Ontario iron manufacturers are strongly advocating the immediate construction of the Algoma Central Railway, which will run close to the Canadian iron deposits and bring the ore to a lake port, where it can easily be shipped to the Canadian furnaces. There is reason to believe that the construction of this railway will make Ontario iron manufacturers entirely independent of American ore.

AN INNOCENT SHEET.

The London Advertiser is one of those innocent newspapers which fail to see anything discreditable in that famous West Elgin telegram either to the sender, Mr. Preston, or the receiver, Mr. Macnish. "It is just such a telegram," it says, "as any man in a jubilant mood would dash off." In the light of later revelations this shows a moral obtuseness on the part of the Advertiser that is simply out of sight. If there is nothing wrong in a man who has defrauded a constituency and stolen a seat through the devious devices of "the machine," then, we will freely admit, the immaculate Preston was perfectly justified in expressing his warm desire to hug it after it had done its dirty work. But we fancy this master mechanic was in a more jubilant mood after dashing off that notorious congratulatory dispatch to a brother conspirator than he is now after having dashed off himself to Finland in the Government service.

The journal, whether it be one of the loud professions of the Advertiser or not, which sees nothing discreditable in a request to "hug the machine," would possibly see as little harm in that other memorable invitation to "Come along, John, and help us put down bribery and corruption; we have lots of money."

It would see only glory in the battle cry to make a "Big Push."

It would justify the attempt once made to "mesmerize the electors."

It would testify that, very properly, "elections are not made by prayers."

It would believe that the Lincoln Liberal candidate's memoranda, in which the outlay for purchasing votes was put down as "missionary expenses," showed a highly creditable anxiety to spread the gospel.

It would agree that the Liberal injunction to "poll the vote," to run in personators, and pluggers in order to realize Sir Wilfrid's ideal of an honest expression of the public will, was the Liberal conception of "elevating the standard of public morality."

It would see in every wearer of a title a "Democrat to the hilt," if he was a Liberal.

It would applaud Mr. Blair's peculiar recourse to the "resources of civilization" as an embodiment of that particular plank in the Ottawa platform which denounced bribery and corruption.

It would see no crime in Mr. Hardy's threat of "cold justice" being done a constituency which did not return a Liberal member.

It would gladly rejoice in the fulfilment of the promise of Mr. Tarte to "Wait until you see us next year," as a full and honest determination to carry out that other Ottawa platform plank which pledged the party to retrenchment and economy.

It would see in the slogan "a Brockville man is good enough for Brockville," the quintessence of a broader national spirit than has ever been.

It would see in "the whole army of workers" who stole ballots and plugged votes and personated scores of electors, who committed crimes on a gigantic scale that was hitherto unknown, a band of honest and earnest patriots animated only by a desire for their country's zeal.

It would hold that "pigs' feet and beer" are more potent and more laudable arguments in its own town than appeals to men's reason and principles.

It would see no guile in a systematic organized body of Government employes invading a constituency to debauch it and thwart the public will.

A paper that would do these things would, too, insist—as the Advertiser does—that the Liberal leaders have practiced economy when they have indulged in reckless extravagances, that they are emblems of purity when they are merely sign-posts of scandals and deals, that they are redeeming their pledges when they are deliberately breaking them, and that the machine itself is the grandest type of Liberal statesmanship.

The Advertiser evidently has queer ideas of the high standard of morality it professes, and of what constitutes purity, decency and honesty in politics. It is a remarkable specimen of a blunted or disordered intellect. It is a Grit organ that condones in a political ally what it execrates in a political opponent.

TWO EVILS.

Almost simultaneously with the appearance in Canada of the machine that can be hugged is the bug that kisses. They are both ill-omened to the Dominion. The kissing bug which shows a preference for assuding the lips of human beings appears to carry death in its sting. The machine that is to be hugged as no less fatal to the morals of the country. It debauches the region in which it operates, it thwarts the will of the people, it lies and perjures and steals and outrages the public conscience. The Provincial and Federal Governments are not responsible for the existence of the kissing bug, but they are the makers and owners and workers of the deadlier machine, which can only be exterminated by the deposition of the culprits who operate it and benefit by its fatal machinations.

It is reported that the McKinley Administration desires to bring about the annexation of Cuba before another Presidential election as it is considered that this would greatly improve the Republican chances of victory. Mr. McKinley is said to favour a Cuban plebiscite on the question and it has been suggested by a critic that it might be easy to win Cuba by election frauds, corruption and chicanery. If the Americans propose to conduct the campaign on that basis the easiest working plan would be to divide the island into electoral districts and take a vote in each on a different day. This would enable them to work the "machine" in the same way that the Canadian Liberals do in bye-elections. Indeed Canada might lend them Preston's "threshing machine" for the occasion.

Free trade as we have it in Canada under a Free Trade Government is not putting a stop to smuggling. In fact, according to the reports of the Government officials, the practical free traders whose dislike of customs duties is so ingrained that they evade them altogether, were never so busy. Fred L. J. Jones, inspector of customs, is authority for the statement that certain portions of the Maritime Provinces are pocket editions of St. Pierre, Miquelon, which is noted the world over for being the smugglers' paradise.

THIS DATE 30 YEARS AGO.

(From the Star Files for July, 1869.)

James Brown Macdonald died.

Yellow fever breaks out in Boston.

English Workman's picnic to Beauharnois.

Mr. Newton G. Flannigan and Miss Mary Annie Blair married.

Benjamin Sult, the well known Canadian litterateur, is in the city.

Deadlock in the British Parliament between the Lords and the Commons over the Irish Church bill.

At Quebec the recorder fines a velocipede rider one dollar and costs for having obstructed the street.

Advertised for sale, Lord Moak's state carriage, cost £600 in Dublin; also his brougham, which cost £500. The two to be sold for $300.

It is announced that the Hon. John Rose has entered the banking firm of Morton, Bliss & Co., thereupon retiring from the Canadian Government.

DEWEY AT TRIESTE.

TRIESTE, Austria, July 20.—The United States cruiser Olympia with Admiral Dewey on board arrived here this morning. The principal paper, Il Picola, has a flattering article welcoming the Admiral to Austria

MR. ALGER STEPS OUT

The Secretary of War Relieves Mr. McKinley's Embarrassment

And Resigns His Portfolio—A More Vigourous Policy Coming.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20. Secretary Alger yesterday tendered to the President his resignation of the War portfolio.

The resignation will become effective on August 1, though it was tendered "At the pleasure of the President."

Notwithstanding the reports that Mr. Alger would not long continue at the head of the War Department, his actual resignation came suddenly and unexpectedly. That it would come before the end of the year was generally believed, but so little was it expected at this time that some of the Cabinet officers, when the news first became public, were inclined to regard the announcement as premature.

Formal acceptance of the resignation will be made by the President in a letter to be written within the next day or two. No official statement as to the cause of the resignation was procurable either from the President or Secretary Alger, neither of whom would talk on the subject; nor was the letter of resignation obtainable.

The belief had prevailed in Washington for some time that Secretary Alger would resign from the Cabinet, but the date generally set for it was toward the close of the year when he had submitted his annual report in which he intended to sum up what had been accomplished during his brief, but eventful direction of the War Department. Its tender then was re-

GENERAL RUSSELL A. ALGER.

garded as almost a foregone conclusion in view of Mr. Alger's announcement about a month ago that he had concluded to enter into competition for the vacancy in the United States Senate to be caused by the expiration of the term of Senator McMillan, a strong supporter of the Administration and that he had enlisted in his active support Governor Pingree, to whom had been attributed free criticisms of the policy that was supposed to be cherished by the President toward the Filipinos.

At one time since then there was ground for the belief that a rupture might be avoided, but this belief ceased to be held when the news spread that Vice-President Hobart and Secretary Alger were in conference at Normanhurst. It was largely, at least, as a result of this conference that Secretary Alger decided to leave the Cabinet at this time.

There has been no disclosure of what passed by the seaside, but it is significant that the return of the Secretary to Washington was followed by prompt action. He arrived in Washington Tuesday night, too late to make any official calls. Almost before the executive mansion was opened yesterday a.m., he called at the White House and visiting the President in his office, announced that he had concluded to resign his office. What passed on that point between himself and the President is only of the matter of surmise, for neither have anything to say on this point.

The Secretary returned to his office, wrote out his formal letter of resignation and personally carried it over to the White House. His call on this occasion was brief, and when he returned to the War Department he closed the door of his office to most of the many callers who were in waiting.

ENGLISH OPINION.

LONDON, July 20.—The Standard this morning, in an editorial article regarding the resignation of Secretary of War Alger, says:

"President McKinley's prompt acceptance of Mr. Alger's resignation is equivalent to an admission that the war has been badly managed. It is significant that the resignation followed so quickly on the Manila correspondent's round robin. Mr. Alger's name is the great bête noir in the McKinley Administration. It has given the enemies of the Imperialist policy the most effective weapon that could have been given, and President McKinley can arrest it from them only by the appointment of a successor whose past commands confidence."

The Times describes the resignation as "a decided victory for public opinion, and public morals, over political organizations. By resigning, Secretary Alger has practically allowed judgment to go against him by default, and has relieved the McKinley Administration from a responsibility that was assuming serious proportions. It is the first and most essential step toward the purification of the Republican party, and, indeed, of the whole political system of the United States. It is for the citizens of the United States to take care that the removal of a superficial symptom does not divert their attention from the root of the mischief."

The Daily News has a similar editorial. It says:

"He might have defied public opinion to the last, but that McKinley means to stand for a second term, and has to keep on his good behaviour with the electorate."

The papers generally regard the resignation as a prelude to a vigorous policy in the Philippines and the recall of General Otis.

RAILWAY ADVERTISING.

The Big Roads Prefer Newspapers to Fake Mediums.

(Special to the Star.)

CHICAGO, July 20—A special meeting of the executive committee of the Western Passenger Association will be held to-day. Among the propositions which will be discussed is one to establish a "Bureau of Advertising." Its main object will be to prevent the roads from wasting money on "fake" advertising schemes. The advertising accounts of a good many railroads are a good deal larger than they should be. George H. Daniels, the veteran General Passenger Agent of the New York Central railroad, says that the only first class advertising medium is the daily newspaper. He speaks from experience.

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FIREMEN'S TOURNAMENTS

Brought to a Successful Close at Brockville and St. Mary's.

(Special to the Star.)

BROCKVILLE, Ont., July 20.—The big international firemen's tournament is a thing of the past. It was brought to a successful close yesterday with one of the finest afternoon's sport ever held in Brockville. The attendance of visitors far exceeded the first day, numbering in the thousands. The Trenton Fire Brigade again covered themselves with glory by carrying off first prize in the hook and ladder race against five competitors. The consolation hose reel race went to Clayton in the fast time of 47 seconds. In the bicycle races Armstrong of Iroquois captured the mile amateur event. Harman Carman downed Harley Davidson in the mile professional, which was run off in heats. The last heat of this race proved disastrous to the competitors. Shortly after the start a horse and buggy went on the track unnoticed, and as the bunch came up to pass the animal took fright and bolted across the strip. Carman succeeded in getting past safely. Davidson, and Daley, of Theresa, following closely behind Carman were not so fortunate, and in order to avert a collision plunged into the ditch, tumbling head over heels. Both were badly shaken up, especially Davidson, who will be unable to ride for some days, no bones were broken, but his injuries were of a painful internal nature. The judges awarded the prizes on the results of the other two heats.

During the morning a magnificent street parade, in which all the visiting fire companies and bands participated, took place through the principal streets to the delight of thousands of spectators. Nearly all the companies left for their homes by the early trains and boats. Trenton, Perth and Carleton Place remained over until today. The following is a summary of the events:

Hook and ladder race—Trenton, first time, 1.01; Sackett's Harbour, second, time, 1.03 3.5; Clayton, third, time 1.04 3.5.

Consolation Hose Reel race—Clayton, first, time 47 secs.; Dexter, second, time, 48 4-5; Watertown, third, time, 49.

Tug of war—Awarded to Carleton Place by Watertown defaulting.

One mile bicycle race, professional—1st heat: Carman, Morrisburg, 1; Davidson, Brantford, 2; Daley, Dexter, 3. Time, 2.49 2-5.

Second heat—Carman, 1; Davidson, 2; Daley, 3. Time, 2.31.

One-mile amateur bicycle race—First heat: Armstrong, Iroquois, 1; Washburn, Smith's Falls, 2; McBernie, Smith's Falls, 3. Time, 2.33.

Second heat—Armstrong, 1; Washburn, 2; McBernie, 3. Time, 2.31 1-5.

Foot race, half mile—S. D. Hoy, Prescott, first; C. Coleman, Trenton, second. Time, 2.08 1-2.

220-yard dash—Bretch, Theresa, first; Mayhew, Trenton, second.

The special prizes were awarded as follows—Company travelling the longest distance, Bowmanville.

Largest company in line—Sackett's Harbour.

Best appearing company—Ocean Waves, of Carleton Place.

Neatest uniform—Bowmanville.

ST. MARY'S, Ont., July 20.—An immense crowd visited the old stone town today on the occasion of the firemen's tournament, band competition and reunion of old St. Mary's boys. The trades procession in the forenoon was the largest, best and most representative ever seen here.

The hose reel race was won by Seaforth, in 62 1-2 seconds; Stratford, G.T.R., was second, in 64 seconds, and Stratford City, third, in 64 1-2 seconds. In the band competition there were bands from Detroit and Marine City, Mich., besides many Ontario bands. The first prize went to the 33rd battalion band of Seaforth; the second to the 28th battalion band of Stratford, and the third to Ingersoll.

MANITOBA AND NORHTWESTERN

WINNIPEG, Man., July 20.—Premier Greenway introduced a bill which passed its second reading in the Legislature on Wednesday, authorizing an agreement with the Manitoba & Northwestern Railway Company, by which the Manitoba Government takes over half a million acres of land as security for monies advanced to the company. The land will be sold to actual settlers only; and is selected out of 2,700,000 acres, mostly in Manitoba. The Premier says the land will be placed on the market next May or June. The Opposition opposed the bill, which passed by 24 to 7.

CORNWALL STREET RAILWAY.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, July 20.—In the Divisional Court yesterday Chief Justice Meredith and Justice Rose gave judgment in the case of Kirkpatrick vs. Cornwall Electric Street Railway Company, an appeal by defendants from judgment of Chief Justice Armour in favour of plaintiff in a mortgage action for foreclosure and payment of $100,000. They held that the mortgage was valid, but that that part of the judgment directing payment of principal, interest and costs, must be struck out.

FOND OF MATRIMONY.

(Special to the Star.)

NIAGARA, Ont., July 20.—A wedding in every way unique has just been celebrated here, the parties united being Martin Lyons, aged 90, and Mrs. Mary McGinlay, aged 80. Mr. Lyons is Mrs. McGinlay's sixth husband. He is an old soldier, having been formerly connected with the Royal Canadian Regiment. He was discharged in 1851, and draws a pension. He had been married once before. All of his wife's previous husbands were also soldiers.

EXPORT FREIGHT RATES.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The Interstate Commerce Commission will hold a meeting at Chicago on August 7, to confer on the export problem in freight-traffic tariffs. Recent press reports announce a great improvement in the export tariff, effective on August 1, but the tariff schedules have not yet been filed with the Commission. The President of the trunk lines comprising the Western territory will hold a session on August 8 to consider the general situation.

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MINES AND MINING.

Flattering Reports Are Received from the New Virtue Property.

TWO GIANT COMPANIES FORMED IN PARRY SOUND COUNTRY.

The Republic Looking to Improved Transportation and Milling Facilities.

The Payne and Republic mines have paid their regular monthly dividends and the War Eagle has declared its August dividend of 1½ per cent, payable on August 15, to shareholders of record of August 1.

Flattering reports have come in concerning the Cumberland mine, the new property of the Virtue Gold Mining Company. At a meeting of the Company at the office of Mr. C. E. Gault yesterday afternoon, a report was read from Mr. E. S. Thurston, a New York mining engineer who had been sent to Silver City to report upon the Cumberland mine, which had recently been acquired by Mr. Gault and his friends constituting the Virtue Company. Mr. Francis Jenkins, the company's own engineer, had reported most favourably as to the value of the Cumberland. It was desired, however, to have this report confirmed and Mr. Thurston went West to see the mine. After the meeting was over yesterday Mr. Gault announced that the second report had not only confirmed the first, but had placed the Cumberland in even a better light. A rapid increase in the price of the stock is now looked for.

The Board of Directors of the Republic Consolidated Gold Mining Company announce that the present policy of the Company is to conserve the large and rich ore bodies now blocked out in the various levels of the mine, until improved transportation and milling facilities enable them to mine and extract the gold at greatly reduced cost.

Mr. R. G. Edwards Leckie, an experienced Engineer, is now in charge of the mine, and immediate changes are being made with a view to more economical working.

At present only sufficient ore to pay the monthly dividend is being milled. The development work is being vigourously prosecuted, and the ore reserves are constantly increasing. Apart from the proceeds of the ore now being milled, the Company has a cash reserve equal to six months dividend.

TWO GIANT COMPANIES.

TORONTO, July 20.—Robert Forbes, of Duluth, vice-president, and general manager, and S. F. Pierce, of St. Paul, Director of the Parry Sound Copper Mining Company, have arrived here from the Parry Sound Country. In an interview Mr. Forbes said: Within four months we have purchased 65,000 acres of mining lands in the Parry Sound District. We have now eleven crews of men at work and have organized two companies, the capital of which aggregates $10,000,000 and have located the veins on the Magowan property for which an offer of $1,000,000 has been made and refused. The Magowan and several other properties belong to the Parry Sound Company, but the Imperial Company which is composed to a great extent of Canadians, controls a number of claims which are exceedingly rich in copper."

Mr. Forbes added that the company intended building a railway up to Loring by way of Burk's Falls and Sailsburg where it has properties and would also establish a smelter if a capacity of 250 tons was attained.

It would also establish a copper wire factory at Parry Sound.

RAILWAY EXTENSION TO GRAND FORKS.

GRAND FORKS, B.C., July 20.— The members of the Canadian Mining Institute on their western tour will visit the Boundary country. The party is expected to exceed two hundred and fifty. The original intention was simply to visit Rossland and the Slocan Camps, but it has been decided to include the Boundary camps in the trip. Mr. Bell added that the programme had been changed, because the C. P. R. assured him of the extension of its line to this section before the delegates left the east. The Board of Trade of Grand Forks purposes tendering the visitors a reception and banquet.

F. W. Peters, Assistant General Freight Agent of the C. P. R., for the Kootenays in the Boundary country is here for a few days. He expressed himself as delighted at the rapid progress made in extending the line west from Robson. The rails have been laid to a point seven miles west of Gladstone, about twenty miles from Grand Forks. Cascade will be reached on August 1. Mr. Peters stated that he expected to see trains running into Grand Forks by the fifteenth of August. This city, he added, has been chosen as the station whence all bonded freight destined for Republic, will be transhipped. The United States Treasury Department has consented to locate one of its officers here to facilitate the delivery of bonded goods. Mr. Peters further stated that in the month or two which would intervene before the railway is extended across the summit, this city will also be the distributing point for all freight destined for Greenwood, Eholt, Midway and other westerly Boundary towns.

A. J. McMillan, of Rossland, managing director of the British Columbia Rossland and Slocan syndicate, of London, England, which took over the Snoshoe property in Greenwood Camp, is in town. He is accompanied by J. W. Astley, consulting engineer. Mr. McMillan reports that the property is being developed on an extensive scale. A forty horse power boiler, engine and hoist were installed this week. The shaft is now down 180 feet, and in addition there are a number of cross-cut drifts and open cuts. The C. P. R. spur line now under construction in Greenwood Camp, crosses the claim, which is a gold-copper proposition.

A local company has been incorporated under the Rivers and Streams Act for the purpose of engaging in the boomage and milling business on the North fork of Kettle River. The incorporators, who are backed by eastern capital, include Richard Armstrong, Chas. Cummings, E. Spraggett and H. S. Cayley. They intend to clear the river of all obstructions for a distance of sixty miles north of Grand Forks, in order to facilitate floating down saw logs. A dam will be built above the city. The proposed improvements, which will cost about thirty-five thousand dollars, will have the effect of concentrating at Grand Forks a large saw mill industry, which promises to give employment to hundreds of men for many years to come.

Work on the Pathfinder mine on the north fork of Kettle River is progressing satisfactorily. No. 1 shaft has been sunk along the foot wall to a depth of 100 feet and a cross-cut a distance of about 23 feet. This cross-cut shows about 12 feet of ore of good shipping grade. The exact extent of the vein has not yet been determined, as the cross-cut has not been extended to the hanging wall.

FARNHAM'S BAD ROADS.

(Special to the Star.)

FARNHAM, July 20.—The Town Council is threatened with lawsuit over the fact that the Council passed a by-law authorizing the expenditure of six thousand dollars for a new town hall and did not submit it to the ratepayers. It is contended also that so expensive a building is not required, and that a better disposal of part of the money would be to spend it on the streets. The bad state of Farnham's streets is well-known to all this section.

MORE SMALLPOX AT TORONTO.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, July 20.—Another case of smallpox was discovered here yesterday. The patient is the 12-months' old daughter of Mrs. Thornton, who is at present confined in the isolated hospital suffering from the same dread disease. The disease as yet is in a very mild form. Mrs. Thornton is reported to be improving.

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THE PREMIER'S REPLY.

He Could Not Accept Preferential Trade Because it Involved Free Trade.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier had no fault to find with the manner in which Sir Charles had discussed the question. On the contrary, he approved of the spirit of moderation in which he had approached the discussion of this important question. It was unfortunate that the discussion of the question had been left until such a late period in the session when the members were not in the mood to discuss any question that it was not absolutely necessary to discuss. The motion stated that it was the duty of the Government to obtain for the products of Canada preferential treatment in the markets of Great Britain. In that he entirely concurred, but that statement in the motion was based upon a recital of facts which he could not accept, as they were wholly inaccurate. If, as the resolution recited, the Imperial Government had made advances to Canada and the other colonies those advances ought to be embodied in a State paper. It was not the practice, he said, for the British Government on an important question of this kind to make advances by supporting like a blushing maiden. The only State paper in which this question was discussed giving an idea of the views of the Imperial Government on the subject was the despatch of Lord Ripon in reply to the resolutions passed by the Colonial Conference.

Sir Charles Tupper: That is ancient history!

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: It is only four years old, and I am prepared to show there has been practically no change in the views held by the Imperial Government since that despatch was written. That despatch intimated that, while the British Government was not disposed to consider the proposal made in the bastard resolution adopted by the Colonial Conference which proposed protective duties on the one hand and free trade on the other, it was prepared to consider a proposal for free trade within the Empire. The position of the British Government was that while all were citizens within the Empire one part could not be taxed for the benefit of the other. He denied that any advances had been made to Canada on the question of preferential trade such as were indicated in the resolution in the language used by the Duke of Devonshire in his address at Liverpool. Mr. McNeill, who had prepared this resolution, had, even in quoting a part of the remarks of the Duke of Devonshire on that occasion, given the lie to the charges made at the time in the Opposition press that in that speech the Duke of Devonshire had offered Canada preferential trade and that he (Sir Wilfrid) had refused the offer. He read from a report of the remarks made on that occasion by the Duke of Devonshire in the Liverpool newspapers to show that in the first part of his remarks His Grace had expressed the opinion that free trade was still the wisest policy for Great Britain. The reading of the whole speech gave an altogether different impression of the views expressed by the Duke of Devonshire than the few isolated sentences quoted by Mr. McNeill in framing the resolution.

He also accused Mr. McNeill of having incorrectly summarized the quotations he had used in the resolution from the speech of Hon. Joseph Chamberlain. It was true that Mr. Chamberlain had laid down a plan by which preferential trade could be secured, but the conditions of that plan were that there should be free trade within the Empire and the wiping out of all customs duties by the colonies which partook of the nature of protection. He quoted extensively from the reports of Mr. Chamberlain's speeches to prove this contention and asked the Opposition if they were willing to accept preferential trade on the basis which Mr. Chamberlain was prepared to give it. In referring to the proposal made in the resolutions adopted by the Colonial Conference, Mr. Chamberlain had asked that the colonies should

BETTER HIS OFFER,

and indicated in what direction the offer should be bettered. He quoted from Mr. Chamberlain's speech to show that the betterment he had in mind was that the colonies should accept an Imperial zollverein with the removal of the customs duties, except on a few articles such as tobacco, spirits and sugar. He asked Mr. McNeill if he was prepared to accept preferential trade on the basis of an Imperial zollverein, with the removal of customs duties. The Government, he said, had been taunted with its failure to remove customs duties from the Canadian tariff, though reductions had been made. The time had not come, in his opinion, when Canada could afford to wipe out its customs duties, even to accept Mr. Chamberlain's proposal for preferential trade. So long as that was the case the Government could not say that it was ready to enter an Imperial Zollverein, with the removal of all customs duties except those on tobacco, spirits and sugar and a few other products, as Mr. Chamberlain suggested.

Sir Charles Tupper: Mr. Chamberlain did not make any such suggestion.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier: What, then, does his language mean? And, again, in this very same speech, Mr. Chamberlain gave as the reason why the feature of customs duties should be removed from the existing tariffs that it would be manifest to those in the Mother Country who was to give to the colonies a preference based on the cessation of duties, while the colonies in return gave a preference to the Mother Country on the cost of goods, plus a customs duty. But this was not the first resolution that Mr. McNeill had presented to Parliament on this subject. He had drop ped a resolution in 1896, in which the proposal was made that the Mother Country should, by the imposition of a small customs duty on articles which the colonies had to export themselves, give the

PREFERENCE TO COLONIAL IMPORTS,

as against foreign imports. That resolution had come up in the House only a few days before Mr Chamberlain had made a speech before the Canadian Club in London, and he had in that speech dealt with the proposal contained in that resolution and said that the objection to it was that it would increase the cost of living in England, as well as the cost of production. There was in the proposition contained in the resolution, Mr Chamberlain had said, no adequate quid pro quo to the Mother Country for the concession asked by Canada, and Great Britain would not be warranted in reversing its whole fiscal system to grant the request of Canada, and he declared that if the colonies wished a preference in British markets they would have to make a better offer. But Mr Chamberlain had gone further in that speech and had indicated in what way the offer made should be altered.

He had clearly and frankly pointed out that an Imperial zollverein under which the colonies would abolish protection was the only offer that could be favourably considered by the Imperial Government. If the Opposition were ready to accept the conditions imposed in the offer of Mr Chamberlain, let them say so and the Government would know where they stood on this question. It was true, as stated in the resolution, that Mr. Chamberlain in his speech before the Chambers of Commerce in London in June, 1896, had said that he saw in the resolution adopted by the Toronto Board of Trade a germ of the idea of a practical scheme for preferential trade, but that germ had never lived, for the resolution containing it had been so amended before it passed the Chambers of Commerce that the germ contained in the original resolution was killed and the resolution that was finally adopted recommended only that an Imperial conference should be held to discuss the question of preferential trade. The doctrine laid down by Mr. Chamberlain was that he was ready to make a

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with the colonies, that he was ready to depart from the orthodox principles of free trade to the extent that he would limit the application of free trade within the Empire, even if Great Britain had to impose customs duties against foreign nations. Sir Wilfrid had not such a pedantic admiration for free trade that he would, if sufficient advantage was offered to him, not consider a deviation from the strict doctrine. Mr. Cobden had taken the same view, and had compromised his principles in making the French treaty, and it could not be expected that his disciples would be more orthodox than the apostle of free trade himself. The object of the Government therefore was to secure free trade within the Empire. The question was simply, was the Opposition prepared to obtain revenue by dispensing with the taxation on British goods, and, if so, how would they replace it? There was in Mr. Chamberlain's language a grand and noble idea and he did not despair to see it realized in our own time.

Mr. Chamberlain's idea was that it was possible, consistent with the principles of free trade, to adopt them within the British Empire. The principle of free trade had made immense strides in Europe during the last fifty years. There was to-day free trade among 36,000,000 Frenchmen, among 40,000,000 Germans and among 75,000,000 Americans, and who would say that the time might not come when there would be free trade among 300,000,000 British subjects all over the world. That was the idea which, though it was not possible of realization at the present time, was worth clinging to. The Government had already moved forward towards that idea when it had given a preference in its tariff in favour of British goods, when it made a reduction two years ago of 25 per cent on British goods. The Government was thus preparing the way, and the step which it had taken was not the last step and it would be followed by another at the proper time. And if ever there was to be freedom of trade within the British Empire history would attest that the first step taken towards securing that blessing was taken two years ago when this Parliament reduced the duty on British goods by twenty-five per cent.

MR. M'NEILL'S SPEECH.

The Member for North Bruce Effectively Answers the Premier.

Mr. McNeill expressed regret that the Premier had not seen his way to join hands in promoting this great Imperial policy of preferential trade. He was glad, however, that during the past four years a great deal of what had been in dispute between the two parties in the House had been removed. It was no longer a cause for despair to those who favoured this policy that the United Kingdom was four thousand miles away and the United States, because they were close at hand, must be regarded as the natural market for Canada. For many years the Liberal party had held to that view, but now it was recognized that the market Canada had to cultivate was the markets of the Mother Land. Another question which it was now no longer necessary to argue was that of the unity of the Empire. There was a time when the espousal of that cause brought a member of the Canadian Parliament into ridicule, but now all favoured that cause. There was now no false policy of continental free trade in any form to combat, as that had been also discarded by the Liberal party along with their other anti-Imperial arguments. He had been a member of the House, when, instead of wearing the garments of the Conservative party, as they now did, the Liberal party masqueraded in the patched up garments of unrestricted reciprocity and he would never forget the pity and the shame of it.

SIR RICHARD'S LOYALTY.

The Minister Declares That England Owes Canada More Than Canada Owes England.

At this point Mr McNeill remembered the day when a prominent member of the House had said of England that Canada owed her little or nothing, unless it was Christian forgiveness for the mismanagement of her affairs.

Sir Richard Cartwright — A most proper statement.

Mr. McNeil: The hon. gentleman has the audacity to repeat the statement.

Sir Richard Cartwright—England owes Canada much more than Canada owes her.

Mr. McNeill exclaimed: "The hon. gentleman says we owe nothing to the Mother Country that sent tens of thousands of her sons to shed their blood in the cause."

Sir Richard Cartwright again called out: "Yes."

Mr. McNeill, continuing, said: "We owe nothing to the Mother Country who, at the very moment the hon. member was making such a statment, was crouching in guard of the portals of Canada, and the people were singing: 'Confound your Yankee politics,' and 'God Save the Queen.'"

"At this juncture the Prime Minister leaned over and spoke to Sir Richard Cartwright with the result that that hon. gentleman remained silent from that point on.

During a long eulogistic reference by Mr McNeill as to what England had done for the Dominion, the Minister of Trade and Commerce remained silent. The Liberal party, Mr. McNeill said, had done some things which went for the unity of the Empire, and among others he commended the Postmaster-General for his efforts in securing Imperial penny postage which, despite the efforts of Mr. Henniker Heaton, might not have been extended to Canada for many years had it not been for the energy displayed by the Postmaster-General. The Liberals, he said, also deserved some credit for the denunciation of the Belgian and German treaties, although not so much as they claimed. The abrogation of those treaties, he said, should have been followed up by Canada adopting a vigourous preferential trade policy and the Government had not done that. So far as the preference given Great Britain in the present tariff was concerned, he said the Government by its many mistakes showed that it had simply fallen into the position it occupied to-day and prevented from making more serious blunders by Mr. Chamberlain. The

ONLY TRADE ADVANTAGE

which had resulted from the whole sorry business had gone to the allies of the Government in the United States. He referred to the fact that while in the present tariff the Government had pretended to reduce the tariff on goods from the Mother Country they had really increased it by the simple process of raising the duties under the general tariff and then making the twenty-five per cent. reduction on British goods, while it was lowered on twenty-five lines of goods mainly imported from the United States. This tariff seemed to him to be more like the work of Yankee tricksters than British statesmen.

He recounted the various efforts made by him in the past to draw an expression of opinion from the Canadian Parliament in favour of preferential trade, and showed that in those efforts he had always received a cordial support from the Conservative side of the House, and had met with opposition from the Liberal side. The United States, he pointed out, were the natural rivals of Canada in the British markets, and while the Liberal party was expending its efforts trying vainly to secure trade concessions from the United States, that nation was quietly getting its hold on the more extensive and more valuable market in Great Britain. He believed that if Canada could, by a preference in the markets of Great Britain, secure a foothold, then it would soon be found that the products of the Canadian farmer were better than those now supplied by farmers of the United States. The rest of Canada securing that vast trade would be a great appreciation in the value of Canadian farm lands, and Canada would at once became the Mecca of desirable settlers, and in a few years the boundless prairies of the North-West would be peopled with a revenue producing population ready to take up arms in defence of the Empire, and supply her troops with all the food products required in the event of an European war. For many years the tide of emigration had been going to the Western States, but the inauguration of this policy would change all that. He next dealt with the statement made when this question was brought up that it was useless to try and induce Great Britain to impose a duty against the rest of the world to give her colonies a preference. Despite all that had been said to the contrary, by British statesmen, that view was still maintained.

It had been impossible to answer those who held that view that in adopting this policy the Mother Country would not only bring prosperity to her colonies, but that she would find the most profitable market for her own goods. This policy which had been so long described as the policy of dreamers was now the policy of that eminent and practical statesman Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, who had declared that an Imperial zollverein might be formed, not as the Premier had stated, on the basis of free trade within the Empire, but upon the basis of a revenue tariff. He quoted from the speeches of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in London during the Jubilee to show that he had understood that such was the proposal made by Mr. Chamberlain. The importance of this difference, he pointed out, was augmented by the fact that Mr. Chamberlain had then stated that proposals, with the end he mentioned in view, would have first to come from the colonies, and that when they did come they would be received in no huckstering spirit. The promise made by the Premier to appoint a commission to enquire into the question, he said, should be carried out. The course taken by the Premier on this question, Mr. McNeill said, was practically a blow at preferential trade and a blow unexpected by Mr. Chamberlain, who had explained what the Imperial Government was willing to do in the speech made by him before the Canadian Club in London. Despite the extraordinary course taken by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mr. Chamberlain showed by his remarks at the Colonial Premiers' Conference that he had not abandoned the stand he had first taken when he told the Premier of Canada that if the colonies desired it they could have an Imperial commission to enquire into the question which had been asked for. Again at Liverpool last year Mr. Chamberlain had told the colonies in language that could not be misunderstood that the Imperial Government was prepared to meet them half way in any proposal that might be made, and that no economic considerations would be allowed to interefere in the carrying out of this important policy, that the question of profit and loss would be waived, the home Government looking to the future rather than the present.

In view of this frank declaration of the Secretary of State for the Colonies that the Imperial Government was sincerely anxious to promote preferential trade, he thought it was the duty of the Canadian Government to take Mr. Chamberlain at his word and accept his proposal for a Commission of enquiry and assure the Imperial Government that Canada was ready to meet them half way. If that course had been taken by the Canadian Government some substantial progress would have been made and arrangements would in all likelihood have been reached which would have placed Canadian farmers and manufacturers in a position superior to their foreign rivals in the markets of Great Britain. It was evident from the course that had been followed that the Canadian Government had been hostile to this policy and it was owing to its action that no progress had been made in that direction. The policy of the Government on this important question had been remorselessly inconsistent and as a result the Canadian farmer had been deprived of a market in Great Britain for the benefit of their rivals in the United States. Like a flock of sheep the people of Canada had been sold by the Premier in this matter. He desired that Canada should always live at peace and amity with her neighbours to the south and he considered that the best method of doing that was for Canada to secure an independent market for her produce in the Mother Country. Any Canadian Government which refused this boon to Canada in order to curry favour with a foreign power was adopting a policy which he regarded as unworthy of the traditions and dignity of the people of this British Empire. It was this Government, declared Mr. McNeill, which was blocking the preferential trade movement. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had tried to strike down that movement in England, but he had been unable to do so. The man did not live who could do that, because it was a policy which appealed to a people with Imperial aspirations. The man, the Government, or the party that sought to thwart it would in the end be destroyed by it and while the present Government had dammed the stream for the present, that stream was fast swelling into a mighty river that would pursue its triumphant course in spite of all opposition and sweep away all miserable barriers that sought to stop its course.

THE POSTMASTER-GENERAL.

Mr. Mulock Reads a Letter of Denial From the Duke of Devonshire.

Mr. Mulock took issue with Sir Charles Tupper and Mr. McNeill in the statement that the Duke of Devonshire in his speech at Liverpool welcoming the Colonial premiers, had offered preferential trade to the colonies.

Sir Charles Tupper said that both the Duke of Devonshire and Mr. Chamberlain had made absolute offers of preferential trade to the colonies.

Mr. Mulock said that in order to ascertain the views of the Duke of Devonshire on this question and to settle the question as to what he had said in his speech at Liverpool, he had written the following letter to him on the first of April last:

My Lord Duke,—I enclose a copy of the Mail and Empire, of Toronto, of the date of 23rd February, 1899, upon page 7 of which you will obsegve a report of a speech of Sir Charles Tupper, delivered at Toronto the previous evening, wherein Sir Charles is reported as having spoken as follows: "During the campaign of 1896 Sir Wilfrid had gone from hustings to hustings saying that he was as much in favour of preferential trade as Sir Charles Tupper. He had given his solemn pledge that if placed in power he would send a commission to England to negotiate with Lord Salisbury for preferential trade. He became Premier and went to England in the midst of all the glory of a great jubilee, at the time when everything was favourable to such a policy. He was met almost on landing by the Duke of Devonshire, who made a speech offering the great boon in unmistakable terms. In proof of this latter fact, the morning after, every Cobdenite, every ultra free trade journal in England denounced the Duke of Devonshire for having gone over to the other side, and for having adopted imperialistic views. The speeches of other colonial Premiers, delivered at the same time almost showed what the trend of the offer was."

"But," asked Sir Charles, "what did this man (Sir Wilfrid Laurier) do? Why, he turned his back on his solemn pledge and declined the boon."

I take the liberty of enquiring whether you made Sir Wilfrid such an offer as is stated by Sir Charles, or an offer to give to Canada a preference in the market of Great Britain, and if so, would you have the goodness to state the particulars of such an offer. Sir Charles states the occasion of the offer being made as almost at the time of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's landing in England, and I presume Sir Charles Tupper's statement is based upon some public utterance of Your Grace about that time. If on any public occasion during Sir Wilfrid Laurier's visit to England in 1897 Your Grace made any public deliverance upon this subject, might I ask if your remarks were accurately published in the British press, and if so, where I could procure authentic copies of any papers containing copies of your speeches upon the subject. If not too much trouble I should be most grateful if Your Grace could cause to be sent to me copies of any public journals containing speeches of Your Grace's, having any reference to any offer made to Sir Wilfrid with reference to preferential trade in favour of Canada in the markets of Great Britain.

When in England last summer I observed an article in Britannia, referring to statements published in the Toronto Mail and Empire to the effect that Your Grace had made an offer of preferential trade to Canada and that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had refused it, and Britannia challenged the correctness of the Mail and Empire.

I would be glad to be permitted to make public use of Your Grace's reply.

The Duke replied as follows, under date of May 2nd:

While I congratulated Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Dominion of Canada on the offer which had been made to admit British goods at reduced rates, as compared with those of the goods of other nations, as an important step in the direction of Imperial unity, I had no authority to offer and did not offer Canada a preference in British markets.

This letter from the Duke of Devonshire, Mr. Mulock said, put an end to the unfounded statement so often made that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had been offered and refused preferential trade while in England. It is evident, he said, from the utterances of Mr. Chamberlain quoted by the First Minister in this debate that it was impossible for Canada or any of the other colonies to secure preferential trade except in the shape of an Imperial zollverein on the basis of free trade within the Empire. The declaration of the Duke of Devonshire showed that at least a portion of the motion was a misstatement of the facts.

Sir Charles Tuper said that he had based his resolutions on the reports of the speech made by the Duke of Devonshire in the Liverpool newspapers and the Duke admitted that reports to that effect had appeared in the English newspapers.

The debate was continued by Messrs. Moore, Sproule and McMillan.

Mr. Davin moved the adjournment of the debate and the House adjourned at 12.45 o'clock.

NOTES OF THE SESSION.

It is understood that Mr. Flint's prohibition resolution will be moved on either Monday or Tuesday of next week.

Hon. G. E. Foster returned from British Columbia last evening. He is looking exceedingly well and states that he had a very successful trip.

On the trip up from San Francisco to Victoria, B.C., the steamer Umatilla lost one of her steerage passengers, a man named Turner. He had acted strangely all the way up, and on Sunday afternoon he jumped overboard and was drowned. He was about 45 years old.

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The Venezuelan arbitration commission will meet again on Friday.

Mr. J. G Selby has been elected president of the Missisquoi Horticultural and Fruit Growers' Association, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Hon. Thos. Wood. The twenty-first annual exhibition of the association will be held on Wednesday and Thursday, September 21st and 22nd, in the Dunham Town Hall.

The Newfoundland Legislature closed on Wednesday. The Governor, Sir Henry Edward McCallum, in his speech closing the session, observed that the termination of the French share modus vivendi at the close of this year, without any demand by the Imperial Government for its re-enactment, indicated the likelihood of an early peaceful solution of the whole difficulty.

A COLONIZATION JOURNAL.

Le Pionnier, hitherto published at Sherbrooke, will shortly be published in this city by Mr. J. A. Chicoyne, M.L.A., its present owner and editor, who will have associated with him Mr. J. Amedee Denault. Le Pionnier will drop politics and devote itself exclusively to colonization, benevolent associations public instruction and labour questions.

Judgment was given at Osgoode Hall yesterday by Registrar McAndrew, refusing change of venue from Cornwall to Welland in the suit brought by Vipond, Peterson and Co., of Montreal, to recover $1,800 for alleged breach of contract in the shipment of apples by farmer Taylor, of Niagara.

The French Government has decided to discontinue the fights between lions and bulls.

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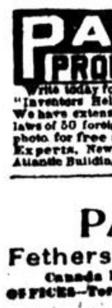
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BAILIFF'S SALE — PROVINCE OF QUEbec, District of Montreal, No. 15775. Circuit Court. J. Beaulieu, Plaintiff, vs. N. Malouin dit Rinfret, Defendant. On the twenty-ninth day of July, 1899, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of said Defendant, No. 198 Dufresne street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold, by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture, etc. Conditions cash. T. LAFORTUNE, B.S.C. Montreal, July 20th, 1899. 168 1

BAILIFF SALE — PROVINCE OF QUEbec, District of Montreal, No. 2449. Superior Court. R. Valliquette, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Dube, Defendant. On the 29th day of July, 1899, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of said Defendant, No. 176 St. Charles street, in the City of Montreal, will be sold, by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of furniture, etc. Conditions cash. CHS. CHALES, B.S.C. Montreal, 20th July, 1899. 168 1

A meeting was held at Bond Street Congregational Church, Toronto, Wednesday night to bid good bye to Dr. Massey, of Belleville, Robert Moffatt and Miss Melville, who are going out to the Chisamba mission of the Congregational Church, West Africa.

THE GROCER'S DAY

Spent With His Friends on the Banks of the Richelieu.

The Picnic Was the Nineteenth Annual Success—The Games.

As a rule the grocer is a hard-working individual, there isn't much leisure during the days of the week, so that when the grocer takes a holiday and shuts up shop for a day,—well, somebody is going to have a particularly pleasant time.

Many people had pleasant times yesterday.

The occasion was the nineteenth annual picnic of the Montreal Grocers' Association, and Iberville was the objective point of two special trainloads of excursionists, which left Windsor Street Station in the morning. It was anything but an ideal day for an outing, the sky looked dull and heavy and rain threatened, so that this probably kept a number of people away, but the weather man was kind, kept the rain away, and in the afternoon induced old Sol to make his appearance.

The grounds at Iberville make as pretty a spot as one would choose to spend a day and their situation on the banks of the Richelieu would be difficult to surpass. Given a nice day, a pleasant spot and jolly companions, one has the requisite requirements for an enjoyable holiday, and as all these were to be had yesterday everybody made the most of them.

It was a big, happy family that left Montreal for Iberville, and their interests were looked after carefully by the genial "Harry" Ibbotson.

WELCOMED BY THE MAYOR.

On arriving at Iberville, the officers of the Association were met by Mr. Nadeau, the Mayor of Iberville, who welcomed them and exchanged greetings with many friends among the grocers. The local band was present and headed the excursionists to the grounds, and afterwards discoursed a nice programme of music. When the grounds were reached the games were immediately commenced and this took up a couple of hours. The races were thoroughly contested and the pleasant feelings that existed between the many competitors was an excellent indication of the good time that everybody was having.

When the games were over an adjournment was made to the big dining pavilion, where a sumptuous repast was served by that excellent provider, "Charley" McCarrey. It is needless to remark that all the good things were done full justice. After the substantial portion had been gotten through the lighter feats were commenced.

Mr. John Seaman, the president of the association, arose, and in a few well chosen remarks, thanked everyone for their attendance, and then proposed the toast of "The Queen." This was most loyally drunk. The president then proposed "The Mayor of Iberville," and it was received with great acclaim. Mr. Nadeau made a pleasant reply and it was announced that he was a rather jolly good fellow.

Mr. J. P. Dixon, the treasurer, read letters of regret at inability to be present, but wishing the gathering all success, from Hon. Mr. Fynn, S. Demers, ex-president of the association; Laporte, Martin & Co., Lomer Gouin, Mayor Prefontaine, etc.

"The Mayor and City Council of Montreal" was happily proposed by Mr. A. D. Fraser, and acknowledged in short, but aptly-phrased speeches, by Ald. Turner, ex-Ald. Gauthier, and ex-Ald. Connaughton.

Mr. Jas. S. McCarrey, who is well-known through his delineation of Dr. Drummond's poems and his character work, gave several selections from the doctor's works, and so well were they rendered that Mr. McCarrey had to respond several times.

The toast of "Our Guests" was responded to by Messrs. Ethier, Caput, Rickard and Duckworth. Other toasts were: "The Press," "The Commercial Travellers' Association," submitted by Mr. V. Raby, and acknowledged by Mr. Crepeau; "The President of the Montreal Grocers' Association," given by the Mayor of Iberville, and "The Ladies," proposed by Mr. J. O. Levesque.

THE GAMES.

The several sporting events resulted as under, the judges being Messrs. A. W. Osgood, H. Laporte, J. A. Vaillancourt, W. K. Masterman, J. E. Quintal, R. C. Barry, W. H. Dunn, Albert Hebert, Wm. Meldrum, L. E. Geoffrion, Chas. Langlois, James Knox, H. M. Childs, L. N. St. Arnaud, W. Duckworth.

Quoits—1, H. McPhee; 2, T. McHugh; 3, C. H. Cottingham; 4, B. Connoughton.

One hundred yards' race—1, B. Pomroy; 2, D. Brown; 3, F. Elliott.

One hundred yards' race, open to drivers and storemen, retail grocers only—1, R. Barry; 2, E. Williams; 3, M. Haugh.

Seventy-five yards' race, open to sons of grocers or their employes, 10 years or under — 1, E. W. Farrell; 2, Alexander O'Brien; 3, P. Camston; 4, John Broden.

Seventy-five yards' race, open to daughters of grocers, and their employes, 12 years or under — 1, Josephine Fitzgerald; 2, Nellie Ryan; 3, Josephine Lavallee.

Running hop, step and leap—1, Joseph Cowan; 2, T. Corbett; 3, E. P. Lalonde.

Two hundred yards' race, open to city travellers, wholesale trade only—1, A. E. Landry; 2, W. E. Sullivan; 3, C. A. Corrigan.

Half-mile race, open to bread and biscuit drivers only—1, M. McConomy; 2, J. Brunet; 3, A. Goyer.

Quarter-mile race, open to ale and ginger ale drivers—1, A. McIntee; 2, M. Fortier; 3, E. Racine.

Quarter-mile race, open to all travellers connected with trade excepting those entering No. 7 event — 1, R. Carrington; 2, J. McConomy; 3, D. M. Cowan.

Two hundred yards' race, open to bookkeepers and salesmen of the wholesale fruit and provision business—1, S. Brown; 2, T. A. Vincent; 3, J. Trepanier.

75 yards' race, open to young ladies, daughters of grocers and their employes—1, Annie Broden; 2, E. Carrignan; 3, W. Derepentigny.

Fat man's race, 100 yards, open to bona fide grocers, wholesale and retail, 200 lbs. or over—1, J. U. Archambault; 2, E. Beaudoin; 3, C. Creely.

Quarter-mile race, open to members of Grocery Clerks' Association—1, E. Turgeon; 2, J. C. Marchand; 3, O. Bergeron.

100 yards' race, open to all bona fide retail grocers—1, J. A. Dore; 2, E. P. Lalonde; 3, P. Brophy.

100 yards' race, open to bona fide grocers, members of committee, exclusive of chairmen—1, P. Brophy; 2, C. Levesque; 3, E. Beaudoin.

100 yards' race, open to chairmen of committees—1, J. C. Dixon; 2, A. W. Farrell; 3, P. O'Brien.

150 yards' race, open to young men, sons of grocers, or their employes, under 18 years of age—1, M. O'Brien; 2, L. Bishop; 3, F. Williams.

75 yards' race, open to boys under 15 years—1, A. O'Brien; 2, J. Broden; 3, L. Ledoux.

Potato race, open to all connected with trade, wholesale and retail—1, J. Hutton; 2, J. Brunet; 3, J. Broden.

Quarter-mile, consolation race, open to all competitors who have not already won a prize—1, T. Corbett; 2, J. Hutton; 3, L. Everitts.

Special race—1, P. O'Brien; 2, T. Collins; 3, E. Farrell.

Best bouquet of wild flowers gathered by a lady at the picnic—Catherine Gleeson, 168 Ottawa street.

These prizes will be distributed next Thursday in the Monument National.

TO-DAY'S PARLIAMENT.

The Debate Upon Preferential Trade Continued This Morning.

Mr. Davin Punctures Mr. Mulock's Letter to the Duke of Devonshire.

(See also pages one and five.)

(Special Staff Correspondence.)

OTTAWA, July 20.—There was a small attendance of members at the first morning session of the House to-day. The Premier and the Finance Minister alone occupied the front benches on the Government side and Mr. Foster, who has just returned from British Columbia, was the sole occupant of the front row on the Opposition side.

The routine proceedings were quickly over, and, the orders of the day being called, Mr. Davin resumed the debate on Sir Charles Tupper's resolution respecting preferential trade. He reviewed the history of the movement in England and quoted the utterances of Sir Wilfrid Laurier while leader of the Opposition in favour of mutual preferential trade. He accused the Postmaster-General of being guilty of a grave indiscretion in writing the letter he had to the Duke of Devonshire, and said that if Mr. Mulock had read the reply he had received he would have hesitated before reading to the House a letter which, in addition to being a gentle manly snub, conveyed the very opposite opinion of the views of the Duke of Devonshire to the interpretation placed upon the letter by the Postmaster-General. He quoted the speech of Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, the language of the English press and the views expressed, even by the Duke of Devonshire at the time Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in England, on the subject of preferential trade, to show that the statesmen of Great Britain were prepared to favourably consider proposals from the colonies looking to preferential trade, but that proposals should come from the colonials. This was the reason why the Duke of Devonshire in his letter to the Postmaster-General stated that he had not offered, nor had he power to make an offer, of preferential trade to the colonies. Mr. Davin quoted copiously from the speeches made by Imperial statesmen and the colonial Premiers while in England during the Jubilee to show that the Imperial Government expected the colonies to make proposals looking towards preferential trade along the lines laid down in the utterances of Hon. Joseph Chamberlain. It was recognized that the Canadian Premier had in his utterances struck a deadly blow at the whole scheme of preferential trade as it had then been proposed and discussed. The language used by other colonial Premiers in commenting upon the utterances of the Canadian Premier showed their amazement at the stand taken by Sir Wilfrid Laurier just as the subsequent remarks of the Colonial Secretary and other Imperial statesmen contained guarded expression of their surprise and disappointment.

MR. BELL, OF P.E.I.

said the growth of a broad Imperial sentiment in Canada was due first to the introduction of more rapid means of communication and transportation, to the position of splendid isolation of the Mother Country and her ability to defend herself from any attack from the great nations of the world, and lastly and most important the unsolicited offer of preferential concession by Canada to the Mother Country which had appealed to the hearts of the people of the Motherland and set the example to the other colonies to follow suit. Preferential trade which involved the adoption of customs duties by Great Britain such as was proposed by the Conservative party in Canada he though had been shown to be untenable and not acceptable to the people of Great Britain. The reason why the Mother Country insisted that any offer of preferential trade should emanate from the colonies was because Great Britain did not desire to assume the position of dictating to the colonies. This was the policy of the British Government and was evidence to him that the Duke of Devonshire had never made an offer of preferential trade to the colonies, but held the view that any such offers should come from the colonies. He did not think it was fair for Canada as an integral part of the British Empire to make a proposition of preferential trade which involved the imposition of a customs duty upon the people of the Mother Country, because the adoption of such a policy meant an increase of taxation upon the poorer classes in England and such was not a policy in the interest of the Empire. England had prospered greatly under a policy of free trade which had removed the burden of taxation from the shoulders of her poorer classes. The change of her fiscal policy involved in the acceptance of such a proposition would not only be detrimental to the interests of the Empire but would involve difficulties which meant jeopardizing the existence not only of Great Britain, but of the whole Empire.

DEWEY FOR PRESIDENT.

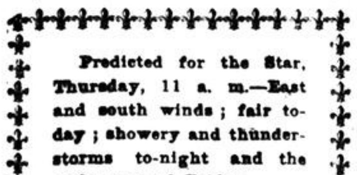
An Endeavour to Secure His Consent to be Nominated by Democrats.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Oliver H. P. Belmont, of New York, was asked last night if William C. Whitney's sudden departure for Europe was in the nature of a mission. He said he understood Mr. Whitney meant to see Admiral Dewey and persuade the seaman to let his name be presented to the national convention as a candidate for the nomination.

"Not that I believe that Mr. Whitney will succeed in his object," continued Mr. Belmont. "I do not think the Admiral would consent to become a candidate."

"Do you think that if the Admiral were brought to consent, he could beat Mr. Bryan in the convention?"

"Candidly," replied Mr. Belmont, "I do not think he could. Mr. Bryan, so far as I can fathom, seems the well-nigh unanimous choice of the whole party. Assuredly he is the natural and logical candidate, and to-day he is invincible."



Predicted for the Star, Thursday, 11 a. m.—East and south winds; fair to-day; showery and thunderstorms to-night and the early part of Friday.

Maximum and minimum temperatures during the past twenty-four hours: Kamloops, 86, 60; Qu'Appell, 74, 50; Winnipeg, 86, 58; Parry Sound, 62, 46; Toronto, 70, 52; Ottawa, 84, 40; Montreal, 82, 52; Quebec, 82, 62; Halifax, 74, 50.

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Readings by Harrison & Co.'s Standard Instruments.

	Thermometer.	Barometer
Midnight	54°	29.98
6 a. m.	56°	29.98
Noon	66°	29.98

ODDFELLOWS' RELIEF.

Annual Meeting of the Association at Kingston.

THE REPORTS ENCOURAGING — DELEGATES FROM ALL PARTS PRESENT.

(Special to the Star.)

KINGSTON, July 20.—The annual meeting of the Odfellows' Relief Association of Canada opened yesterday in the Whig Building. Dr. Fife Fowler, president of the Association, occupied the chair. A large representation of delegates were present from all parts of Canada. The delegates from the Province of Quebec were: Lyon Silverman, P.G.M.; J. A. Finlayson, P.G.M.; D. J. Dickson, P. G. M.; T. J. Potter, Grand Secretary, of Montreal, James A. Robb, of Valleyfield and Andrew Philps, of Huntingdon.

The directors' report showed that there had been a very material gain in membership and funds during the year. The reserve fund is now $151,000; the surplus for the year is $23,474.97; the total assets, including the reserve fund, is $174,651.40. The expenditure in mortuary benefits amounted to $82,000, and in disability benefits to $2,000. The fire of the Oddfellows' Hall was referred to, and the loss which it entailed. This loss, however, was very largely covered by insurance. Aggressive work was advised in various directions, including the organization of a local board in the Maritime Provinces, and the enlargement of the powers or functions possessed by the local board in Manitoba. The Association had purchased the site of the Oddfellows' Hall, and the salvage upon it, and proposed to erect a building for the permanent offices of the Association.

The secretary reported that the membership of the Association on June 30, was 10,819. The death rate for the year was 6.13 per 1,000, a few points higher than in the year before, in consequence of the ten fatal accidents that had occurred. The average age of the new members is 30.94, and the average age of the entire membership, 37.23. The average age of the deceased members was 41.58, and the average duration of membership, 8 years and 3 months.

The treasurer's statement indicated that the revenue of the year amounted to $139,-247.83, and the expenditure for all purposes, including mortuary and disability benefits, to $115,822.86. Of the income for management expenses there is a surplus of $200.

The Superintendent of Agencies reported prosperity all along the lines, as a result probably of the better times. The increase from the Rebekah branch was not what was expected.

NOTES OF THE NEWS.

The Indian Government has annexed Nushki, Belochistan, paying an annual rental for the territory to the Khan of Kelat.

At a Liberal convention held at Dauphin, Man., T. A. Burrows, M.L.A., was re-nominated as candidate for the Local Legislature.

During the month of June 10,000 tons of coal and 2,000 tons of coke were shipped from Fernie by the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company.

James Bartell, motorman, and J. Murphy, conductor, were badly injured in a street car collision Wednesday afternoon at London, Ont.

The maturity of the crops in Cuba is much delayed by the lack of rain in the usual quantities. Tobacco is a drug on the market, however.

The committee in charge of the Canadian Press Association's trip to British Columbia have decided to change the date of starting from August 1 to August 8.

An order has been received by the National Electric Company of Milford, Conn., for fifty complete sets of electric bells and fire alarm boxes for Windsor Castle.

The accident to the Empress of Germany on Tuesday last was more serious than at first stated. One of the bones in the lower part of Her Majesty's leg was broken.

Notwithstanding the fever epidemic only sixteen deaths from all causes were reported in Santiago de Cuba last week. No new cases of yellow fever have been reported in five days.

Miss Annie Sills, the young lady drowned in Muskoka, with her nurse, Miss Phillips, as reported in Wednesday's Star, was the daughter of Mr. F. G. Sills, ex-M.L.A., of Belleville, Ont.

General Wood expects that business will soon show great improvement in Santiago de Cuba, and says that good reports as to the state of affairs at various points in the province have been received.

The district Sunday school convention of the Methodist Church will be held at Dunham on Tuesday, August 22, afternoon and evening. The financial meeting of the district will be held in the forenoon.

Mrs. Isaac Birrollo, of Blossburg, Pa., died Tuesday from the effects of burns. Her husband set fire to her clothes two weeks ago, and then held her hands behind her back. He is under arrest.

A statement prepared at the War Department, Washington, shows that of 56 officers and 1,316 enlisted men of the Second Oregon Regiment, only 49 were killed in battle or died of disease in the Philippines.

Mount Aetna is in eruption once more, and the crater is vomiting forth volumes of smoke and sand. An earthquake was felt at Rome yesterday. In the villags of Rocca di Papa a part of the church was demolished.

Much surprise is expressed at Emperor William's decision not to attend the opening of the Dortmund-Ems canal and not to pay his promised visit to Herr Krupp at Essen. The reason for his sudden change of plans is not known.

The remains of the late Czarewitch, escorted by Grand Duke Nicholas Michaelovitch and other dignitaries, were on Wednesday transferred to a church five miles from Abbas Tuman, whence the cortege will start on the journey to Matoum.

Hundreds of Spanish labourers employed by the naval constructors at Gibraltar are on strike, and threaten riots. The labourers are prevented from entering the town but the Spanish lines are in possession of the mob. The military are under arms.

THE BROOKLYN STRIKE.

More Cars Running To-day — All Quiet on New York Side of the Bridge.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The condition of the strike in Brooklyn presents no important change. More cars were running and the lines were more freely patronized. The motormen and conductors express themselves unwilling to run out to the suburbs unless accompanied by police. The police are becoming weary of the continued strain.

The trolley wires in many parts of the city are strewn with tin cans, old coats and baskets. Several effigies of Rossiter also decorate the wires, also placards inscribed "Down with combinations." No disturbance beyond one or two minor assaults occurred during the night.

In all the big car sheds over the city as well as those of the Second avenue, large numbers of policemen slept last night in order to be prepared for outbreaks when early cars were started this morning.

The day opened in quiet fashion so far as the railroad strike in Manhattan borough was concerned. Almost without exception the cars started from the barns on schedule time, and at six o'clock there seemed to be no indication of trouble. When the first cars started two policemen were on each car.

CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES.

(Special to the Star.)

LONDON, Ont., July 20. — It is understood the Street Car Company have issued a writ against the Globe Casket Company, of this city, claiming heavy damages. The car company has lately settled several claims for damages preferred by passengers who have been hit by missiles, and as the car company claims that some of the stones were thrown by Casket Company employes, the latter company is asked to pay.

CARTWRIGHT AND CORRUPTION.

Sir Richard Cartwright in 1894, denouncing the Conservatives as Corruptionists, Wasters and Spendthrifts; for raising thirty millions by taxation from five millions of Canadians:

MARCH 28, 1894.—"Sir, Canaaa had no business, and never had, to spend thirty-six or thirty-seven millions a year. It is a monstrous thing properly understood and wholly apart from the amount of real taxation paid by us that an expenditure of thirty-six or thirty-seven millions should be saadled on five millions oj people in the position of the people oj Canada."

Sir Richard's attitude when the Liberals' fifty-two million estimate was being brought down was sketched by the Star artist, and will appear in due course.

Finance and Commerce

TO-DAY'S SALES.

Canadian Pacific, 50 at 97, 450 at 97.
Bell Telephone, 1 at 183.
Gas, 25 at 201.
Toronto Rails, 12 at 115, 2 at 115 1-4, 15 at 115 1-2.
Twin City, 23 at 66 3-4.
Montreal Cotton, 30 at 160.
War Eagle, 1,500 at $3.64.
Republic, 500 at $1.20, 250 at $1.21.
Montreal & London, 1,000 at 44c.
Virtue, 2,500 at 49c.
Coloured Cotton Bonds, 2,000 at 101.
Bank of Montreal, 40 at 260.
Bank of B. N. A., 4 at 121.
Ottawa Bank, 1 at 205.
Bank of Toronto, 2 at 241.
Bank of Commerce, 3 at 149.
Union Bank, 20 at 120.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

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

Close.	July 20. Ask.	July 20. Bid	July 19. Ask.	July 19. Bid
STOCKS.				
Canadian Pacific	97⅛	97	97½	97
Duluth S.S. & A. Com.	4⅛	3½	5	2½
do. do. Pref.	11	9	11	
Commercial Cable	187½	184⅛	187½	184
Rich. & Ont. Nav. Co	110½	109¾	110½	109⅞
Montreal St. Rail'y. xd	326	322	326	322
Do do New	324	320	324	320
Halifax Elec. Rail	110	105	110	105
Toronto St. Railway	115⅛	115⅛	115⅜	115⅛
Cornwall Electric Rail				
St. John do do				
London do do				
Montreal Gas Co.	201	200⅜	201½	200
Royal Electric	184	182⅜	184½	181
Montreal Teleg'ph	172	171	172	171
Heat & Light, Halifax	25		25	18
Bell Telephone Co.	190	183	190	182
do. do New				
Dominion Coal, Com	54	51	53	50
do. do. Pref.				
Montreal Cotton	162	158	162	158
Can. Col. Cot. Mills Co.	72½		75	65
Merchants Cotton Co.				
Dom. Cot. Mills Co.			110	108
War Eagle			$3.70	$3.64
Payne Mining	$1.35	$1.32	$1.36	$1.31
Virtue Mining			49c	47½c
Montreal-London	47c	44c	48c	44c
Cariboo McKinney				
Twin City, Common	67⅛	66⅜	68	66⅜
Do Pref	140		140	
Republic	$1.23	$1.20½	$1.24½	$1.20
BANKS.				
Montreal		250		256
Ontario				129
British N. America				
Molsons		201		201
Toronto				
Jacques Cartier		113		
Merchants	172	170	171	169⅞
Merchants of Halifax		180		180
Nova Scotia	220		220	
Eastern Townships		155		155
Quebec	130	125	130	125
Nationale				
Union				
Commerce	151½	151	152	150
Dominion				
Hamilton				
Ville Marie				
Imperial				230
Hochelaga				
Windsor Hotel				
Intercolonial Coal				
Do. Pref.				
North West Land				
Canada Paper				
Loan & Mortgage Com				
Diamond Glass Co.				
West. Loan & Trust Co.				
BONDS.				
Land Grant Bonds		111		111
Cable Coupon "	104	103	104½	103
" Reg'd "				
Heat & Light "	99		90	
Halifax R'y "	107			
Col. Cotton "		100⅜		101
Dominion Coal "				
Bell Telephone		115		115

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

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

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	July 20 Op'g.	July 20 Close.	July 19 Op'g.	July 19 Close
Amer. Cotton Oil Co.	42	41½	41⅝	41½
Do do Pref.				
Amer. Tobacco Co.	98	97½	97½	97½
Do do Pref.	145	145		
Am. Sugar Refin Co.	157¼	157⅝	157	156⅞
Do do Pref				
Amer. Spirits Mfg. Co.			6½	6½
Do do Pref				
A. Top. & St. Fe all pd.			19⅛	19⅛
Do do Pref	60⅝	61⅛	60⅞	60¾
Baltimore & Ohio			47⅛	47
Bay State Gas				
Canadian Pacific				
Canada Southern				53⅛
Ches. & Ohio			27½	27½
Chic. Burl. & Quincy	135¼	135⅞	135½	135
Chicago Gas	116⅜	117⅛		116⅝
Chic. & N. W.				
Chic. R. I. & Pac	117⅛	117⅜	116½	116⅞
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	130⅞	131⅜	130⅝	130⅝
Consolidated Gas N.Y.	175	176		177½
Cleveland C. C. & St. L.				57½
Delaware, Lack. West.	168⅝	168⅝		
Delaware & Hudson				121¼
Denver & R. Grand pf.	75	75	75⅜	75⅜
Duluth S Shore & Atl.				
Do do pref.				
General Electric				119
Hocking Valley				
Jersey Central	116	116		
Laclede Gas Co				
Lake Erie & Western				
Do do pref				
Lake Shore				
Louisville & Nashville	72⅜	72⅜	71⅞	72
Manhattan Elevated	117⅜	117⅜	117⅜	117⅜
Missouri Pacific	46⅞	47⅜	47⅜	46⅝
Michigan Central				
National Lead Co			11	29⅛
Do do pref			50⅛	
North American			77¼	11
Nor. Pacific com. new	50	50		50
Do do pref	77	77		77
N. Y. Central & Hud	138	138	138½	138⅛
N.Y. Lake Erie & West				
Do do II pref				
Do do I pref				
N.Y. Ontario & West			26	25⅞
N.Y. Chic. & St. L. com				
N.Y. Sus & West pref.				
Omaha, com				
Pacific Mail	47⅜	47⅛		47⅜
Phil. & Read, all paid	21	21	21	21
Pullman				160
Southern Ry com	11⅛	11⅛		
Do pref	51	51		51⅛
Stand. Rope & Twine				
Tenn. Coal & Iron			69⅜	68⅜
Texas Pacific	22⅜	22⅜	22	21⅞
U.S. Leather Co	6⅜	6⅞		6⅛
Do do pref	72⅜	73	71⅞	72⅛
U.S. Rubber Com			50	49⅛
Do pref				
Union Pacific Rcts	43	43⅛	42⅜	42⅜
Do Pref	77	76⅜	76⅜	76⅛
Wabash				
Do pref				21½
Western Union Tel				89⅜
Wheeling & L. Erie				
Do do pref				
Metropolitan Trac.	222	210	219¼	220⅜
Brooklyn Rpd. Transit	113⅛		113	112⅜
Federal Steel	57⅜	57⅜	59	57⅛
Federal Steel pref.	80⅜	80½	81	80
Anaconda	56	56⅛	55⅞	55½
A. S. W.	55⅜	55⅜	55½	55⅝

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

Specially reported for the Star by R. Meredith and Company, Mining Brokers, 51 St. Francois Xavier street.

July 20, 1899.

Par Value of Shares.		Sellers.	Buyers.
$1.00	Payne	1.36	1.33
1.00	War Eagle	3.67½	3.60
1.00	Republic	1.21	1.19
1.00	Virtue	50	47½
.24	Montreal, London	48	43
1.00	Big Three	15	14½
1.00	Brandon & Golden Crown	28	27
1.00	California	11½	11
.10	Can. Gold Fields Syn	8	7
1.00	Cariboo Hydraulic	1.45	1.40
1.00	City of Paris	68	
1.00	Evening Star	11	9
.25	Fern	32½	25
1.00	Gold Hills Developing	6½	3½
1.00	Iron Colt	11½	9½
1.00	Iron Mask		65
1.00	Knob Hill	95	85
1.00	Monte Cristo	7½	6
.25	Montreal Gold Fields	15	12
1.00	Noble Five	25	18
1.00	Novelty	4	2
1.00	Old Ironsides	1.07	1.00
1.00	Virginia	24	15
1.00	Rambler Cariboo	27½	25
1.00	Bullion	60	50
.10	Summit	4	2
1.00	St. Elmo	6	3
1.00	Burley	11½	5
1.00	Decca	31	27
1.00	Morrison	14	12
1.00	Golden Star	42	39½
1.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1.00	[illegible]	18	15

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

NEW YORK, July 20. — Cotton, futures opened steady at the decline. July, 5.58; August, 5.57; September, 5.61; October, 5.74; November, 5.78; December, 5.81; January, 5.86; February, 5.89 bid; March, 5.97; April, 5.99 bid; May, 6.04.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Liverpool Declines Again, But Chicago Shows an Improvement.

Crop Reports from European Countries —Wheat and Oats Dull and Easy Locally.

Wheat suffered another decline to-day. The weakness in the American markets yesterday, and the favourable weather throughout the United Kingdom and general stagnation, were the depressing features in the market to-day. The opening was ¼ down, on September option, at 5s 8¼d, and ½d down, on January, at 5s 10.1. A further decline took place during the day and at closing July was ½d down, from last night's price, at 5s 6d. September declined ¼ further at 5s 8¼d while January held steady at the opening price, 5s 10d.

The Chicago market showed considerable improvement this morning and at one o'clock Sept wheat was ⅝c up, at 71c.

Berlin closed 1 lower, at 1.02¾ while Buda Pesth was 1⅛ lower, at 90¾.

Closing reports from London quote a dull, easy market both for wheat and maize off coast or on passage. Canadian mixed oats, August, were quoted at 14s 1½d.

The Price Current in its weekly crop summary says. All crop features are maintained in favourableness with corn further assured in promise. Harvest returns maintained but do not essentially charge the yield calculations.

The weather in Great Britain is sultry and crop reports are generally favourable. In Gloucestershire, the wheat ears are ripe. Weather in Germany is brilliant and in France fine. The Paris market was weak to-day on big foreign re sales and deliveries. Closing reports were 25 down for July, at 20.15; and .25 down for December at 20.75. Wheat imported into France for home consumption during June amounted to only 5,500,000 compared with 12,584,000 in June 1898.

The latest official report from Austra-Hungary, dated July 1, is somewhat better than the previous report. Harvesting had begun and the wheat crop was estimated at 133,000,000 bushels against 128,-000,000 bushels, and rye 43,000,000 bushels, about the same as last year.

Foreign crop reports estimate the Russian wheat shortage 85 to 120 million short of last year. Austria-Hungary good for wheat and rye in all except one province. Roumania and Bulgaria slightly below average on wheat, rye and corn, and in France the wheat crop is estimated at 352,000,000 bushels.

Some of the recent estimates make the French wheat crop 311,000,000 bushels, while the consumption is placed at 342,000,-000 bushels and has averaged about 348,-000,000 bushels for the past five years.

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.—There was a very limited amount of trading done this morning, with foreign markets. Manitoba wheat suffered in the general decline, and purchases of No. 1 hard, afloat, Fort William, were made at 69½ this morning. Peas were sold at 75 cents in store, but ther was no export demand. Oats were nominally 32c, afloat, for export but sales were made for local account at 34c, store.

FLOUR. —There is not much activity in the market.

Quotations in store are: Winter wheat patents, $3.75 to $4; straight rollers, $3.40 to $3.60; straight rollers, in bags, $1.65 to $1.70; Manitoba patents, $4 to $4.30; strong bakers, $3.70 to $3.90.

FEED. —Bran continues in active demand, but other lines are almost too scarce for business.

Quotations are: Ontario white winter wheat bran, $12 to $13 in bulk; shorts, $14 to $16 according to quality in bulk; Manitoba bran, $12 to $13 in bags; shorts, $15 in bags; middlings, $18 in bulk; moulie, $17.50 to $25 in bulk; cornmeal feed, in bags, 95c to $1.

HAY. — The situation is unchanged. Quotations are: No. 1, $7.50; No. 2, $5.50 to $6; delivered alongside steamer, 50c more. Choice hay will bring about 50c more than No. 1.

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COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Butter and Cheese Remain Firm and in Active Demand.

New Potatoes Are Offered More Freely —Other Lines Are Unchanged.

CHEESE. — Receipts reported on the Board of Trade this morning were 17,547 cases. Country cheese boards are strong as ever, generally speaking, though one or two failed to realize as high prices as a week ago. There is an active demand and a firm market. Finest westerns are changing hands at 8¾c, and as high as 9c is being asked. Quebecs are quoted at different prices, but a fair range would be from 8½ to 8¾c, the latter being perhaps a little difficult to obtain.

BUTTER.—Receipts reported on the Board of Trade this morning were 3,980 packages. The market remains firm, and there is a very active trade going on. Fancy boxes sold at 18¼c this morning, and tubs are pretty much on a par. Fine quality is worth 17¾c to 18c, and under grades sell down almost to 17c. The quality is held to be better than usual, for this season of the year.

EGGS. — Receipts reported on the Board of Trade this morning amounted to 429 cases. Trade opened up rather briskly after the grocers' holiday yesterday, and all qualities were in demand. A lot of about 300 cases has just been received from the west, upon which there has been a loss of half a cent a dozen, it is said. They cost 12½c in the west, and were sold here at the same figure.

Selected eggs are selling at 13 1-2c to 14 1-2c; best westerns are 12c to 12 1-2c; and No. 2 candled, 10c to about 11c; P. E. I. are quoted at 11c, and candled stock rather higher.

POTATOES.—Offerings were fairly liberal this morning, and there was a good trade done. In round lots, new stock, which is the only kind for which there is any enquiry, sold at $1.50 a barrel, while jobbing lots realized $1.75.

MAPLE PRODUCTS—There is nothing going on in the market. Demand is principally from hotels, and only one or two dealers have any stocks. Prices are steady at 6 1-2c to 7c a pound in wood, 90c to $1 an imperial gallon tin; 75 to 80c a wine gallon tin. Fine sugar is worth 8 1-2 a lb.

HONEY—The market is unchanged. White clover, in comb, 8c to 9c in round lots; smaller lots, 9 1-2c to 10c; white extracted honey, 5 1-2c to 6c a pound in tins; buckwheat honey, in comb, 5 1-2c to 7c, and extracted, 4c to 5c, as to quality.

BEANS — Demand is light and steady at 80c to $1 a bushel.

ASHES — For first sort potash, $3.75 to $3.80 is offered, and second sorts are nominal at $3.60; first pearls, nominal at $5.25 to $5.50.

COUNTRY CHEESE BOARDS.

Summary of Transactions During the Past Eight Days.

As the following table covers more than a week's transactions, yesterday's prices may be compared with those paid a week ago upon the same boards:

Date July. Place.	Cheese Boarded.	Cheese Sold.	Price.
11. Ingersoll	600	170	8½
11. Campbellford	1861	735	8 9-16
11. Campbellford		40	8 7-16
11. Campbellford		255	8½
12. Woodstock	1932 w & c	670	8 7-16
12. Ingersoll	Sales		8⅜—5-16
12. Napanee	1250 w & c	1250	8¾
12. Picton	985	885	8¾
12. Stirling	908 w	908 w	8 9-16
12. Tweed	860 w	720	8 9-16
13. Brockville	1955 w	285 c.	8¾
13. Brockville	2715 c.	1385 c.	8 13-16
13. Brockville		175 w.	8 13-16
13. Brockville		200 c.	8⅞
13. Brockville		2625 w. c.	8¾
13. Kingston	230 w.	600 c.	8⅝
13. Kingston	1000 c	bal. bid	8 9-16
13. Chesterville	225 w.	some	
13. Chesterville	335 c.	on curb	8¾
13. Madoc	915 w.	700	8¾
13. Madoc		25	8 11-16
14. Perth	814 w	750	8½
14. Ottawa	2124 w. & c.		8⅝
14. Brantford	2308	150	8 7-16
14. Brantford		1530	8½
14. Brighton	765 w. & c.	200	8 9-16
14. Winchester	340 c.	50 c.	8¾
14. Winchester	205 w.	115 w.	8¾
14. South Finch	1519 w. & c.	bid	8⅝
14. Iroquois	683 c	32 c	8⅝
14. Iroquois	116 w.	26 w.	8⅝
14. Kemptville	864 w. & c.	864	8¾
15. Belleville	1377 w.	150	8 9-16
15. Belleville		820	8⅝
15. Ogdensburg	1516	1516	8½
15. Canton			8½
15. Canton	butter	300	17⅞
15. Watertown		7000	8⅜-⅝
15. Cowansville	1143	684	8⅝
15. Cowansville		323	8 11-16
15. Cowansville		78	8¾
15. Cornwall	1296 w	125	8½
15. Cornwall	99 c.	30	8 9-16
15. Cornwall		1185	8⅝
15. Cornwall		55	8 11-16
15. London	335 c.	118	8½
15. London	409 w.	386	8 9-16
15. London		230	8⅝
17. Utica		582c	8⅛
17. Utica		708c	8⅛
17. Utica		100c	8⅜
17. Utica		4250c	9
17. Utica		222w	8
17. Utica		780w	8⅛
17. Utica		800w	8⅛
17. Utica	butter	325	17
17. Little Falls		460	7⅞
17. Little Falls		5525	8
17. Little Falls		585	8⅛
17. Little Falls		150	8⅛
17. Little Falls	private	140	
17. Little Falls	butter	35	16 to 17
18. Ingersoll	490	160	8½
18. Campbellford	1410	665	8 9-16
18. Campbellford		105	8½
19. Napanee	1445 w. & c	all	8 11-16
19. Peterboro	5600	1800	8⅝
19. Peterboro		1200	8⅝
19. Peterboro		100	8⅝ ¾
19. Brockville	2497c	90c	8 13-16
19. Brockville	1867 w.	1495 c.	8⅞
19. Brockville		995 w.	8⅞
19. Brockville	balance on curb		8⅞
19. Tweed	700	700	8¾
19. Picton	1235 c.	625	8⅞
19. Sterling	800 w	800 w.	8¾

TORONTO GRAIN MARKETS.

TORONTO, Ont., July 20.—Wheat easier. No. 2 red winter sold at 67c; spring quoted at 68 1-2c east. Man. easier at 70c to 71c for No. 1 hard afloat, Fort William, and 79c west.

Flour—Dull. Cars of straight roller in barrels quoted at $3.15, Toronto freights.

Mill feed—Good demand, and market steady. Cars of shorts quoted at $14 to $14.50; and bran at $11 to $11.50 west.

Rye — Quoted at 48c to 50c on a 10c freight to Montreal, September and October.

Corn—Dull at 35c for Canada yellow, west, and 41 1-2c for No. 2 American, Toronto and west.

Oats—Easier; white sold at 30 1-2c east and at 28 1-2c west.

Oatmeal—Easier at $3.80 for cars of bags and $3.90 for barrels here.

Peas—Nominal at 67c bid for export, but 2 cents more might be paid for home milling. They are quoted at 65c on a 10c freight to Montreal, September and October.

MANITOBA WHEAT.

(Special to the Star.)

WINNIPEG, July 20.—Wheat, Brandon freight rate, 59 1-2; Fort William, 70 3-4.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Small Supply and Brisk Demand at the Eastern Abattoir This Morning.

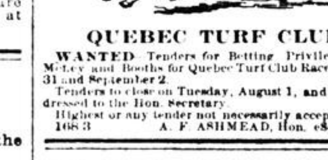
The offerings of cattle at the Eastern Abattoir this morning were about 275 head, and as the demand was brisk, the butchers bought all there was to get, and the drovers and farmers received about what they thought they ought to get. There were a few cattle of the choice variety which brought 5 cents per pound, but the bulk of the business in butchers' choice was done on the basis of 4½ to 4¾ cents per pound, while the cheapest for young bulls was 2½ cents per pound.

In the small meats the supply was fair, and there was practically no change in the quotations. Butchers are still buying their mutton for 3 to 3½ cents per pound live weight, and some expert sheep were in the market to-day, which were said to be worth from 3⅜ to 3¾ cents per pound. Spring lambs ranged from $3 to $4.

Calves continued to sell all the way from $2.50 to $8.

FRUIT AUCTION SALES.

One of the real quick, strong, lively sales, the best, perhaps, of the season, was held at the Montreal Fruit Auction Company's Auditorium yesterday by Potter & Morin. The bidding was eager, boisterous and booming all through. The California Bartlett pears and the Rodi oranges meeting with competition that shows plainly the active development of Montreal as a fruit market equal to any. The "Earl" Company car of pears, 600 boxes, went off with a bang in about ten minutes, in lots of ten and over at $3.20. The fine car of mixed fruit for the same company, sold to good competition. Bartlett pears $3.25 to $3.05; Crawford peaches, $1.50; plums, $1.30; nectarines, $1.25; imperial peaches, $1.06; a car of melons brought 12 1-2c; $1.25 to $1.40 has been paid for car load lots of bananas. There will be a sale this afternoon, when Mr. Potter will knock off come six car loads.



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Allan, Robert A., Montreal	2
Anderson, Mrs. A. E., Westmount	1
B.	
Barlow, Fred., Montreal	3
Barrett, Mrs. M. A. E., Montreal	31
Barrett, Capt. Reginald, Liverpool, E.	25
Belque, F. L., Q.C., Montreal	230
Bell, Miss Mary, Montreal	10
Boswell, A. W., Quebec	10
Brock, A. E., Assistant Manager, and R. H. Fulton, Acct., in trust, Montreal	150
Browne, Wm. H., Montreal	15
Brunet, A., Montreal	50
Buchanan, Mrs. M. J., Montreal	13
Burkitt, Rev. James, London, S. E. Eng	10
Burnett, G. F., Montreal	25
Burnett & Co., Montreal	100
Burns, John A., Montreal	25
C.	
Caverhill, Mrs. E. M., Montreal	125
Caverhill, George, Montreal	305
Chevrefils, Rev. G., St. Anne de Bellevue, Que.	6
Clare, Wm. Henry, Montreal	10
Clark, A. C., Montreal	125
Clerk, Mrs. Harriet B., Montreal	31
Collis, Wm. Henry, Liverpool, Eng.	2
Cowans, Robert, Montreal	25
Cross, Executors late Hon. A., Montreal	31
Cross, Selkirk (in trust), Montreal	8
D.	
Date, John, Montreal	40
Davies, J. Try, Montreal	11
DeMartigny, Chas. L., Montreal	7
Denison, Rev. Wm. Henry, Bedford, Eng	4
Dickson, Robt. A., Montreal	1
Dickson, Wm. Brown—Robt. D. Anderson and R. A. Allan, trustees, Montreal	6
Donnelly, Miss Elizabeth C., Montreal	5
Donnelly, Miss Elizabeth C., in trust, Montreal	20
Dufort, Mrs. Celanire, Montreal	10
E.	
Ellis, A. E., mgr. in trust, Montreal	25
F.	
Faithfull, Rev. R. Colquhoun, Market Deeping, Eng	3
Farley, Mrs. Elizabeth, Belleville, Ont.	9
Farley, Mrs. M., Quebec	22
Ferguson, A. J., in trust for Mrs. Emma F. Briggs, Montreal	2
Finlay, David, Sorel, Que.	7
Finley, Samuel, Montreal	100
Finley, Mrs. Thora D., Montreal	25
Forget, L. J. and Co., Montreal	4432
Forget, L. J., Montreal	75
Forget, Rudolph, Montreal	50
Fraser, Miss Jane, Quebec	5
G.	
Galibert, Paul, Montreal	100
Gauthier, Thomas, Montreal	165
Gentle, Mrs. A. H., curatrix, Montreal	20
Gilmour, W. J., Brockville, Ont.	7
Gilmour, executors late J. D., Quebec	15
Goldstein, A., Montreal	50
Green, Miss Caroline Susanna, Hitchin, Herts, Eng	18
H.	
Hall, Rev. Henry Arthur, Reigate, Surrey, Eng	15
Handyside, Charles, Montreal	31
Hanson, Edwin, Montreal	28
Hansons and Ferguson, Montreal	356
Hawthorne, J. A., Montreal	7
Harris, Robt., Montreal	5
Henderson, David, Midlothian, Scot.	10
Hickson, Lady Catherine, Montreal	50
Hickson, James Claud, Montreal	5
Hobbs, Edward, London, E. C. Eng	10
Holt, H. S., Montreal	71
Howard, Mrs. Gertrude E., Montreal	50
Howard and Co., Montreal	10
Hudson, G. A., Montreal	2
Hummel, James, London, E. C., Eng.	40
J.	
Johnson, Lady Mary Louisa, Montreal	3
K.	
Kains, Arch., asst. mgr., and F. L. Crawford, accountant, in trust, Montreal	185
Kane, Mrs. Henriette, Montreal	20
Kennedy, F., mgr., in trust, Montreal	250
Kent, Miss Annie, Turcot, Que.	6
Kessen, R. B., mgr., in trust, Montreal	50
Kingan, Mrs. Isabella, Dumfries, Scotland	10
L.	
Lake, Percy G. B., Winnipeg, Man.	20
Laurie, Duncan, Quebec, Que.	40
Laurie, W. P., Quebec, Que.	33
Leney, Mrs. Lucinda, Montreal	1
Lindsay, James, Montreal	8
Lockerby, Mrs. Sarah A. C., Montreal	59
Louson, John J., Montreal	5
Low, Alexander Graham, London, W. Eng	9
Low, James Chabot, London, W. Eng.	8
Low, Charles Watson, London, W. Eng	8
M.	
Major, Miss Charlotte E. S., Montreal	15
Major, George W., Montreal	236
Martin, George, Montreal	50
Meeker, J. R., Montreal	25
Meredith, J. S., mgr., in trust, Montreal	704
Meredith, Chas. & Co., Montreal	108
Moat, R. & Co., Montreal	218
Moffatt, Miss M. A., Montreal	1
Molson, John Thomas, Montreal	6
Montreal City and District Savings Bank, Montreal	459
Moore, Mrs. H. E. E., London, Eng.	34
Moore-Brabazon, Lieut.-Col. John Arthur Henry, London S. W., Eng.	16
Morrice, David, Montreal	39
Morrison, John, Montreal	25
Murray, estate late Alex., Montreal	25
Mc.	
Macdonald, Mrs. Charlotte G., Windsor, N.S.	13
Macdonell, A. R., Montreal	370
Macdonell, Mrs. H. M. R., Montreal	400
Macdonell, W. R., London, Eng.	15
Macdougall Bros., Montreal	147
Mackenzie, Wm., Montreal	75
Maclennan, D. B., Cornwall, Ont.	3
Macpherson, A. F., Montreal	1
Macpherson, Mrs. Ida Brown, Montreal	50
McDonald, John, Montreal	70
McDougall, John, Montreal	9
McIntyre, John M., Montreal	187
McIntyre, Mrs. J. A. C., Montreal	16
McKeon, H. J., Montreal	50
McLachlan, Claude, Arnprior, Ont.	86
McLaren, Henry, Hamilton, Ont.	34
McLennan, Hugh, Montreal	200
McLeod, Mrs. M. E. M., Montreal	36
McLimont, Miss Christina, Quebec, Que.	10
McLimont, Miss Helena, Quebec, Que.	7
McLimont, Robt., Quebec, Que.	24
McLimont, Miss Sarah E. (in usufruct), Quebec, Que.	44
McMillan, Duncan, Grenville, Que.	25
McMillan, Mrs. Jane L., Brockville, Ont.	4
McMurtry, Mrs. Sarah Jane, Port Hope, Ont.	15
McSweeney, Daniel, Montreal	17
N.	
Nash, F. & Co., Montreal	50
Nichols & Marler, Montreal	45
P.	
Patton, Mrs. Louisa C., Quebec, P.Q.	20
Pearce Serecold, Geo., London, S. W., Eng	5
Peck, James H., Montreal	27
Perodeau, N., Montreal	1
Peterson, Mrs. Lisa Gibb, Montreal	48
Picken, John B. & Co., Montreal	50
Pottenger, John, Hamilton, Ont.	10
Pottenger, Mrs. Jane J., Hamilton, Ont	10
Purser, Samuel, Port Hope, Ont.	80
R.	
Rainville, H. B., Montreal	675
Ransom, H. H., Westmount	75
Reeve, Robert Fraser, Lethbridge, N. W. T.	30
Reinhardt, Henry, Montreal	1
Richardson, Mrs. Catherine, Quebec, P.Q.	13
Riddell, A. F. & Co., Montreal	42
Robertson, Estate late Andw., Montreal	63
Ross, Frank W., Quebec, P.Q.	200
Ross, John T., Quebec, P.Q.	150
Ross, John T., Trustee, Quebec, P.Q.	64
Ross, J. T. & Jas. G. Scott, Trustees, Quebec, P.Q.	80
Ross, Mrs. Isabella, Quebec, P.Q.	95
Ross, Miss Daisy B., Paris, France	10
Rowe, Mrs. Katherine A., South Wales, Eng	10
Russell, Mrs. Harriet, Arnprior, Ont.	39
Rutter, John, Middlesex, Eng.	5
S.	
Scott, Henry C., Montreal	100
Scott, James Stuart, Montreal	2
Shaw, Estate late Samuel J., Quebec, P.Q.	10
Smith, Sir Donald, Montreal	250
Smith, George F. C., Montreal	40
Smith, R. Wilson, Meldrum & Co., Montreal	25
Spackman, L. McI., in Trust, Montreal	12
Stewart, Mrs. Anna Agnes, Dunfries, Scotland	20
Stirling, Mrs. Frances M., Toronto, Ontario	24
Strathy, E. W., in trust, Montreal	31
Strathy, Fred. R. Lee, M. D., Harborne near Birmingham, Eng.	6
Strathy, J. Alex. L., Montreal	21
Strathy, Estate late James B., Kingston, Ontario	180
Strathy, Gordon & Co., Montreal	64
Stuart, Rev. James, Somerset, Eng.	5
T.	
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Welford, Fred. Robert, London, W. Eng	10
Wilson, James, Montreal	150
Wood, John Turner, Wigan, Eng.	10
Woodhead, Mrs. Jessie Leith, Quebec, P.Q.	2
Wallis, Herbert, Montreal	25
Wanless, Mrs. Harriet, St. Catharines, Ontario	1
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Dominion	Aug. 12, 9 a.m.	Aug. 12, 6 p.m.
Cambroman	Aug. 19, 9 a.m.	Aug. 19, 6 p.m.

From Liverpool.	Steamer.	From Boston.
July 20	New England	Aug. 2, 7 a.m.

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THE BISLEY MEETING.

Canadians are Still Putting on Good Scores.

ONE OF THEM A LIKELY WINNER OF THE VOLUNTEER AGGREGATE.

(Special to the Star).

BISLEY CAMP, July 20. — Yesterday opened hot at the ranges, but about ten o'clock the almost breathless air was stirred by a breeze, which freshened in a short while enough to make the marksmen aware of the fact that they were not shooting in a dead calm. However, almost any kind of a breeze would have been welcome as long as it took the place of the stifling hot air of the Commons.

The Premier competition was at last brought to a close yesterday. It was won by a Canadian Lieut., J. W. Gilchrist, 1st B.F.A. and private A. R. Fleming, Brandon Infantry Company were tied with two others, Wayne and Pattison, and on the shoot off Gilchrist won, and thus becomes the owner of a Premier-Helical Bicycle, valued at £21. In this contest Fleming secured second place, his prize being £10.

Shooting in the St. George's Challenge vase competition began yesterday morning. This competition which is open only to volunteers and retired volunteers, is seven shots at 500 yards and the same number at 600 yards. Staff Sergt. A. Graham, of the 48th Highlanders of Toronto, Canada, came through in the first stage of the competition with flying colours, having made 34 at 500 yards and 34 at 600 yards. This first stage includes the aggregate of seven shots at 500 and 600 yards and the first one hundred are entitled to fire in the second stage, which will be on Saturday. Graham is the only Canadian entitled to shoot in the final. Corporal Ommundsen, of the Royal Scots, leads with a score of 70, the highest possible at both ranges.

The Canadians were well to the front in the Duke of Cambridge competition, though no possibles were made as there are ten shots at 900 yards. Bertram and Rennie each tallied 43 out of the possible 50. Wilson came next with 41. Lieut. R. A. Robertson, 13th battalion 39, Lieut. A. Robertson, 77th batt., 38; Mr. Bayles, 28, and Ross, 15. Lieut. John Buckley, 32nd battalion later in the day headed the Canadian Riflemen with a score of 44 out of a possible 50. Surgeon Lieut. Bertram the next highest scoring Canadian 43, with Buckley receives £2.

The Gregory competition was concluded yesterday, Captain A. D. Cartwright, of the Royal Grenadiers being third, with a score of 33 out of a possible 35. His prize is £3. Surgeon Lieut. Bertram scored 32 and Pte. W. D. Heller, chalked up 31 both the last mentioned shots receive £1.

Sergt. C. R. Crowe, 1st Battery of Field Artillery, stood close to the front in the Secretary of State for War's competition coming third and winning £6. Lieut. Blair, 78th Battalion, was twenty-fourth, getting £2.

In the Martin's Challenge Cup competition, Sergt. Major Huggins, 13th Battalion, landed in twelfth place, and won £4. Lieut. R. A. Robertson, of the same battalion, was seventeenth, and, with Captain Cartwright, 10th Royal Grenadiers, eighteenth; and Pte. Simpson, 10th Royal Grenadiers, thirty-first, got £3 each. Lieut. A. Robertson, 77th Battalion, and Captain Wetmore, 74th Battalion, 110th, each took £2.

Lieut. A. Robertson, 77th Battalion, won 20 shillings in series four of the Scurry event. Captain Wilson, 33rd Battalion, also got a place amongst the prize winners, securing ten shillings. The shooting was at 600 yards.

Surgeon-Lieut. Bertram, 77th Battalion, looks the probable winner in the Volunteer aggregate, which is awarded to competitors in the Martin's cup, Queen's prize, first stage, and St. George's first stage, whose respective scores make the highest aggregate. Eighty prizes are offered, the first being a challenge cup and £15. The scores of the Canadians are as follows:

Sergt. Bartram, 77th Batt.	196
Lieut. Blair, 79th Batt.	187
Sergt. Crowe, 1st B. F. A.	189
Pte. Fleming, B. T. Co.	187
Sergt.-Major Huggins, 10th R.G.	193
Lieut. R. A. Robertson, 13th Batt.	184
Capt. Wetmore, 74th Batt.	188

Pte. Simpson, 10th Royal Grenadiers, made a possible in the Ladies' competition at 600 yards.

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INTERNATIONAL ARBITRATION.

The Weaker States of Europe Protest Against the Adopted Plan.

THE HAGUE, July 20.—The third committee of the international conference met on Wednesday, N. Bourgeois, of France, presiding. At the opening of the sitting the Roumanian, Grecian and Servian delegates jointly moved the total suppression of the five articles relating to international courts of enquiry.

M. Beldiman, the Roumanian deputy, was their spokesman, and addressed the committee for an hour. He claimed that the proposition for a court of enquiry was not contained in Count Moravieff's circular and was contrary to the principle of national sovereignty. Roumania, he said, would gladly pledge herself to the rest of the arbitration scheme, but it was impossible to fulfill these and other obligations.

Chevalier Descamp, the Belgian delegate, and Prof. Maartens, Russia, defended the articles, which were finally passed on first reading, the three protesting states recording their objection.

In the interval between the meeting of the third committee and that of the drafting committee, which was held later, strong efforts were made to effect a compromise as regards the motion for the suppression of the five articles relating to international courts of enquiry, as the Roumanian delegates had made certain remarks not palatable to the delegates of the powers.

At the meeting of the drafting committee Prof. Maartens demolished all of M. Beldiman's arguments. He said that, as everything had been done to protect the weaker states against the stronger, the former thus obtaining a shield—the commission of inquiry proving this—he was willing to make some further concessions in the way of making the matter more optional. These concessions were accepted by the smaller powers and the proposal passed its second reading. The arbitration scheme will probably be passed entirely.

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THE PENDER MONOPOLY

Has Another Scheme to Try to Kill the Pacific Cable.

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DRY GOODS UNDERVALUATION.

TORONTO, July 20.—The suit for damages which has been brought against John Macdonald and E. A. Wills, chairman and secretary respectively of the dry goods section of the Board of Trade, by Levison Bros. & Co., of New York, came up for discussion at the meeting of the dry goods section on Wednesday. The action is based on a statement issued by the dry goods section upon the matter of the undervaluation of dry goods imported into Canada, certain portions of which statement are taken by Levison Bros. to refer to them. The dry goods section decided to defend the case and instructed lawyers to make an appearance in the case.

A MYSTERIOUS EPIDEMIC.

STOCKHOLM, July 20.—A mysterious epidemic which has been prevailing recently among the cattle on the Island of Gothland, has spread to the human beings in the district, and a large number of patients have been admitted to the hospitals. Some of the cases are extremely difficult to diagnose. Cattle are dying by hundreds throughout the island as a result of the epidemic.

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Grand Officers Pay an Official Visit to the Lodge at Terrebonne.

(Special to the Star.)

TERREBONNE, July 20.—The members of Terrebonne Lodge, No. 54, Ancient Order of United Workmen, were favoured with an official visit from Bro. A. W. Blouin, Grand Master Workman of the Grand Lodge of Quebec and Maritime Provinces, on Tuesday. Bro. Blouin, who was accompanied by Bro. Gaspard Lefebvre, Grand Receiver, and Bro. A. T. Patterson, Grand Recorder, was met upon the arrival of the afternoon train from Montreal and escorted to Leclair's Hotel. After supper, the Grand Lodge officers visited the lodge-room, where, under the presidency of Bro. Bernardin, Master Workman, quite a number of brethren had assembled, and from whom they received a right royal welcome. Terrebonne Lodge, although one of the younger lodges, is making rapid progress, and not only did the Grand Lodge officers have the privilege of seeing four new candidates initiated but already six more have been accepted for the next meeting. During the evening the Grand Master Workman delivered an eloquent address upon matters of interest to the order, and alluded to its cosmopolitan character, remarking that the French-Canadian brethren, though comparatively small in numbers, had received equal honours with their English brethren. He also impressed upon them the fact that the affairs of the Grand Lodge were managed by officers who, with the exception of one paid official, received no remuneration whatsoever. Bros. G. Lefebvre and A. T. Patterson followed in a similar strain, the former, as provincial organizer of the degree of honour (ladies' degree), remarking en passant upon the bright prospects for the formation of two ladies' lodges in Montreal, and which he trusted would soon extend to other parts of the Grand Lodge jurisdiction.

At the close of the meeting the Grand Lodge officers were entertained by the officers and members of Terrebonne Lodge at Bernardin's Hotel, and a most enjoyable social evening was spent. The musical and elocutionary efforts of the local brethren were much appreciated. The Grand Lodge officers previous to returning to Montreal expressed themselves as eminently satisfied with the present condition and future prospects of Terrebonne Lodge.

PRESBYTERIAN FINANCES.

TORONTO, July 20.—Dr. Warden states that the clergy of the Presbyterian Church are responding with the utmost liberality to the call for $1000,000 to the Century Million Dollar Fund of the Church. It is only a few days since the appeal to the clergy was made, but already $10,265 have been received. The largest subscriptions to date are $5,000 from Dr. Warden himself; $1,000 from a college professor; $750 from Rev. Dr. Robertson; $600 from Rev. W. G. Wallace, Toronto.

CLERICALS IN CONTROL.

BERLIN, July 20.—The elections for the Bavarian Chamber have proved a great Clerical triumph. The Clericals gained ten seats, and the Liberals lost 22 owing to the compromise effected between the Clericals and the Socialists at the expense of the Liberals. The Clericals now have an absolute majority in the Chamber.

Misses Theresa and Gertrude Warnock, of Ottawa, nieces of Mr. James Warnock, have received word from Londonderry, Ireland, by the death of their uncle, Mr. Joseph Warnock, of that place. By his death the two young ladies receive £25,000 each.

Assistant Secretary Spalding, of the U. S. Treasury Department, has decided that Nova Scotia brook trout should not be classified in the assessment of customs duties as fresh water fish, because of their migratory character, and are dutiable at three-quarters of a cent a pound.

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THE DEATH OF JOSEPH MIREAULT.

His Skull Was Crushed by a Fall While Being Removed by Police from a Mentana Street House.

JOSEPH MIREAULT.

The death of Joseph Mireault, of Mentana street, yesterday, is exciting interest. Joseph Mireault, foreman at Strachan's soap factory, fell down the steps at 43A Mentana street and died from the injuries received. Onlookers say he was handled roughly when aid was called to eject him from a house which, it seems, the unfortunate man, who was intoxicated, mistakenly supposed was his own.

Mr. J. R. Perreault, professor at Montcalm school, and who occupies the lower tenement where this most extraordinary affair happened, was witness of it and relates his story as follows:

"It was about six o'clock yesterday afternoon when I was disturbed in the reading of the newspaper by the gong of the patrol, in which were two policemen. It stopped right in front of my residence, 41 Mentana, a little above Cherrier street. I went immediately outside, and I saw a crowd looking at the second flat, No. 43A, where Mrs. Kelly lives. Two policemen had gone up, and I saw there was some trouble going on. Finally, a lady appeared at the window and gave a key to one of the constables.

AN EYE WITNESS TALKS.

"The door was opened and I saw a man well dressed, of about 45 years, who seemed to be intoxicated. One of the policemen walked down the stairs whilst the other grabbed the individual by his coat and tried to pull him out of the portico. Not being successful in this, he went in, and took him by the shoulders, lifted him up and then carried him to the first outside platform of the steps, near the entrance door. Naturally my interest was concentrated on the intoxicated man. But I can swear to the following, that is, that I saw two arms push the individual, and as a result the latter went head first down the stairs, falling with his head on the stone step and then roll over on the sidewalk. The man, as stated, went head first, fell on the back of his head, his body having made a complete somersault. The crowd then thought the poor man was dead. A citizen helped the policemen to put what appeared to be a corpse in the patrol waggon, which started in a southerly direction. I do not know the victim."

HOW HE CAME THERE.

From an investigation made by the Star reporter, it appears that Mr. David Mireault, who resides with his wife at No. 163 Mentana street, left his work early yesterday afternoon, at the Strachan soap factory, corner St. Timothee and Notre Dame streets, where he has been employed for twenty-five years, and met some friends a little before supper, with whom he had some drinks. At about five o'clock he decided to go home, and was met at the corner of Sherbrooke and Amherst streets by a young man, Mr. Joseph Morache, who, seeing the intoxicated man, thought to do a good action in offering his services to bring him home. Consequently, Mireault having stated he lived on Mentana street, he brought him on Cherrier street and took Mentana on the right side.

THOUGHT HE WAS HOME.

After a little walk, Mireault looked suddenly at a certain house and sat down on the stairs, saying that it was home. As the crowd was gathering, the young man advised Mireault to walk up and step into his residence. This was done. Morache rang the bell, the door was opened by a lady, and the intoxicated man threw himself between the two doors. Mrs. Kelly, the occupant of the house, after enquiring what was the matter, protested and declared that she did not know the man, and that she did not wish to have him sleeping in her portico. Mr. Morache, after having tried vainly to pull the man back, thought the only thing to do was to call the police.

This statement is corroborated by Mr. Morache himself, who resides at 550 Drolet street, and who was seen this morning by a reporter.

WAS PUSHED BY THE OFFICER.

Mr. Joseph Vandelac, who lives right opposite the stairs where the affair happened, No. 42 Mentana street, declared that he positively saw the intoxicated man pushed down the stairs. This statement is corroborated by Mr. Auguste Vandelac, father of Joseph and Mrs. Vandelac, his wife, who all were present when the event took place.

ANOTHER WITNESS AGREES.

Mr. Brazeau, grain and wood dealer, No. 94 Mentana street, although not residing very close to the scene of the accident, was a witness of the whole affair. He saw the patrol waggon passing in front of his door and ran to see what was going on. He says that if he were brought to court, and he is far from desiring it, he would be obliged, from what he has seen, to swear that Mireault was pushed down the stairs, and that as a consequence Mireault's head struck against the stone step.

Mr. Jos. Mentana, who resides at No. 20A Mentana street, was also a witness of the accident and corroborated fully the details given by the above parties.

WHAT THE POLICE SAY.

Enquiry was also made at the police station, No. 14, and the following statement given for publication.

"The patrol waggon was called at about 5.20 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at No. 43A Montana. Lieut. Lafleche was on duty. Constables Guerin and Viau were despatched with the patrol waggon. Guerin and Viau went up the stairs, and, as the door was locked, the lady of the house gave the key to Constable Guerin, who opened the door with it. Then Constable Viau took the intoxicated man by the arms, as he was lying down on the portico. In bringing him down the stairs, Mireault wanted to escape, lost his equilibrium, and fell down the stairs."

CONSTANCE'S OWNERS HERE.

They Had an Interview With Mr. Duggan This Morning.

THEIR BOAT WILL BE HERE TO-MORROW—THEY ARE VERY ENTHUSIASTIC.

Hon. Regis H. Post and Mr. Edwin M. Post, two of the owners of the Constance, which has been selected by the Seawanhaka Committee to bring back, if possible, the Seawanhaka International Challenge Cup, which has been here for the last two years, to New York, have arrived in Montreal. The third owner, Mr. E. R. Thomas, son of General Thomas, will not be able to come here. The first named Mr. Post, is a member of the New York State Assembly, the other gentleman is a son-in-law of Mr. Bruce Price, the well known architect. They are both delightful men to meet, and more than enthusiastic over the coming races. They took the 12.10 train to Dominion station to get acquainted with Mr. Duggan. They are anxious to get a look at the boat which will be pitted against the Constance. They are stopping at the Windsor Hotel, and will stay there during their sojourn in Montreal. On Tuesday a number of their friends will join them, including their wives, Mr. Bruce Price and his wife, Mr. J. B. MacDonald, the owner of the boat Algonquin, which in the trial races came next best, and who is a good sportsman enough to come here and by his presence cheer on the crew of the Constance. A large number of Seawanhaka members will also come to Montreal. Both gentlemen, who are here for the first time, are already highly pleased with what they have seen of the city, and expect to have a most pleasant stay. There is little doubt but their presence here will go a great way towards entirely effacing the remains of the somewhat strained feeling between the Seawanhaka and Royal St. Lawrence yachtsmen, which was the result of the misunderstanding of last year.

Their boat is expected to-morrow, and she will be taken off at Dominion, lifted into the water

BY THE BIG CRANE

at the bridge works and towed to Dorval, where she will be rigged as soon as possible. The Messrs. Post have brought their own riggers with them. These, together with the two owners, will form the crew till Mr. Crane and his crew arrive. The two Messrs. Post will sail the boat till then, and the Crane crew is expected on Wednesday, to sail her during the races. That crew will consist of Mr. Clinton H. Crane, Harry Crane, Sherman Hoyt, and Mr. J. B. Thomas, jr. In speaking of the speed of his boat, Hon. Regis H. Post said: "Although she was selected, we really have no idea of how fast the Constance is, because we had no opportunity of comparing her with any of last year's boats. The weather was pretty rough during the trial races, and we have a great deal of confidence in her."

The Constance costs a good deal more money than the Glencairn III.

(Special to the Star.)

NEW YORK, July 20.—The one-rater Constance left for Montreal on Tuesday. The crew will arrive there two days before the race, probably on Monday next.

DEAD IN THE WOODS.

The body of Mrs. E. Rintou, a widow, about fifty years of age, residing alone at No. 207 Frontenac street, was found in the woods between Montreal and Cote St. Michel at an early hour this morning, by persons passing by. The Coroner was notified, and he sent for the body, which was taken to the morgue. Mrs. Rintou was in poor circumstances, according to the news gathered in the immediate neighbourhood of her home, and she often hired as a washerwoman. It is presumed that she had gone berry-picking in the woods when she was suddenly taken sick and died. The Coroner will hold an inquest.

THE BYE-ELECTIONS.

One of the Deputy Returning Officers in West Huron

TELLS THE COMMITTEE HOW HE 'MONKEYED' WITH BALLOTS.

(Special Staff Correspondence.)

OTTAWA, July 20.—In the Privileges and Elections Committee this morning, the examination of Mr. Donald Cummings, returning officer, was continued. He deposed that Michael Tobin kept the poll book except during the dinner hour when John Lawson kept it, and as to certain witnesses having voted, he went to the returning officer's house to get the ballot box and was given his instructions and sworn in. Dancy's appointment as agent was produced from the package made up by witness but he swore that he never saw it before and could not account for its getting in the envelope unless it was lying on the table. Dancy said he had it, but witness never asked for it even.

Cross-examination failed to elicit anything new. Mr. Powell produced the ballots and witness said he gave up using a pen because it perforated the ballot. The Holmes ballots were marked 301 to 368 and those for McLean 401 to 430. Each ballot was identified. All the McLean ballots, he swore, were initialled in pencil. Witness fenced a good deal when asked if there was one of the McLean ballots which he would swear was initialled in ink and went over them again carefully, finding two that "might possibly be pen." Finally he swore that there was not one which he would swear was marked in ink. He continued that the ballots marked in ink were the Holmes ballots. Fourteen were marked in ink, with a straight line to the right of the word Holmes whilst the other 84 all had a jagged line on the right of the name. The balance of the stubs also had a jagged line. All the McLean ballots had the jagged line.

Mr. Powell asked if it did not strike him as a peculiar thing that out of all the ballots only 14 marked for Holmes and initialed in ink should differ from the others.

Sir Louis Davies objected, but Mr. Powell insisted, and witness said it was, but could not account for it. He swore that the 14 ballots were on different paper to the others. It was whiter and heavier. On the check opposite Holmes' name on each of the 14 there was an ingrain mark not on the 84.

There was no question the initials were in his handwriting, but he could not account for the difference between the 14 and the other ballots. He did not number the counterfoil when he tore the ballots off. The letter "C" in the witness's initials on some of the 14 ballots was made differently to what it was in any of the 84 ballots. The crosses oposite the name in the 14 were uniform, nearly in the centre of the disk as if made by one person; in the others they were of various sizes. After much talk witness swore that he believed the 14 were not ballots given him by the returning officer, but he could give no idea of how the change was made between his receiving them and their being produced in court. He was satisfied that the 14 ballots never came out of the book. He had no other source of getting ballots, but could not account for his initials being on the back of them.

All the 84 genuine ballots were initialed so that in order to see his initials he must see how the ballot was marked. Some of the 14 bogus ballots were not so marked. Neither Joseph Thompson nor Mr. Brooman objected to witness "monkeying" with the ballots, after they had voted. He did not know a man he met at Sands when he went to get the ballot box. The committee adjourned until Saturday morning.

A TRAGEDY AT OKA.

ST. EUSTACHE, Que., July 20.—A tragedy took place here last night which has set the whole neighbourhood in a state of excitement. Isaie Lamoureux, a man aged 62, was killed by a rifle shot at Calumet Point and his nephew was seriously wounded as the result of a charivari there.

LATE MR. GEOFFRION

His Body Brought to the City This Morning From Dorion.

Many Floral Tributes Reach the Town Residence of the Deceased.

The remains of the Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, were transferred from Dorion to the family residence on Dorchester street shortly after nine o'clock this morning.

The body was conveyed to the city in a special train, placed at the disposal of the family by Mr. Wm. Wainwright, assistant general manager, who was for many years a very intimate friend of the deceased. On the train were Madame Geoffrion, the Misses Geoffrion, Mr. and Mrs. Aime Geoffrion, son and daughter-in-law, respectively, of deceased; Messrs. Joseph Aime and Victor Geoffrion, brothers; Judge Dorion and Messrs. Henri Dorion, Victor Cusson and Achille Cusson. Among those at the Bonaventure station to receive the body were Drs. R. Trestler and C. F. Trestler, Messrs. J. B. C. Trestler, F. H. Roy, Charles Archer, D. Thibaudeau and L. C. W. Dorion.

Out of respect to the deceased the G. T. R. stations between Vaudreuil and this city were draped in yellow and black, as was also the funeral train. At Vaudreuil the display of mourning emblems was very extensive and included a large inscription embracing the words "Adieu Geoffrion."

On the arrival of the cortege at the town residence of the deceased, the remains were removed to the drawing-room where they were laid in state. From ten o'clock until one two sisters from the Grey Nunnery kept watch over the body, when they were relieved by others from the same institution. Very little mourning is visible about the mortuary chamber, the only trappings visible being those covering the dais on which the casket is resting.

During the morning a large number of floral tributes were received by the family from the many friends of the deceased, among the number being a large anchor from the Harbour Commissioners; a star from Dr. and Mrs. eLdue; a pillow from the members of the Bar of Montreal; cut flowers from Mr. Arthur Boyer, a cross from Messrs. F. G. M. Deschenes and Jules Tessier, an anchor from Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Faucher; a cross from Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Hughes; an anchor from Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Beique, a cross from Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cusson, a star from Mr. and Mrs. D. Laviolette, an anchor from Mr. F.X. Roy, a wreath from Mr. and Mrs. Henri Archambault, an anchor from Mr. T. Bosquet, a pillow from Judge Choquet and Messrs. Alphonse Boyer, H. Hamilton, G. Boivin, and N. E. Hamilton; an anchor from Mr. and Mrs. C. A. de L. Harwood, a cross from Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Perrault, a pillow from the Hon. J. Israel Tarte, a wreath from Mr. Christopher Carter, a cross from Senator and Miss J. R. Thibaudeau, a cross from Mr. and Mrs. D. Brodeur, an anchor from Mr. and Mrs. N. Perodeau.

During the morning the following message was received from Spencerwood: "Accept profound sympathies of Lieutenant-Governor and Madame and the Misses Jette."

Telegrams of condolence are being received every hour, among the latest being one from the Hon. Mr. Tarte, who is at present in England.

The funeral will take place to-morrow morning to Notre Dame Church, the cortege leaving the house at 9 o'clock.

VILLAGE OF DORION.

The Council of the Village of Dorion held a special meeting, the Mayor, Dr. A. Brodeur; Councillors Mireault, N. E. Hamilton, Laporte, Victor Valois, and Watt being present, and adopted resolutions of condolence with the family of the late Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, a former councillor, and one of the founders of the village. The resolutions were forwarded to Councillor Aime Geoffrion, son of the deceased.

Resolutions of sympathy with the family of the deceased have also been adopted by the Council of Chambly Canton, the Council of Chambly Basin, the East End Liberal Club, and the Liberal Club of St. Gabriel.

QUEBEC DELEGATES.

Premier Marchand, Mr. Justice Langelier, Hon. Chas. Langelier, Hon. Adelard Turgeon and Hon. S. N. Parent, Mayor of the city, are among those coming up from Quebec to attend the funeral.

PREMIER TO ATTEND.

OTTAWA, July 20.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and some of his colleagues together with a number of the Quebec members, leave to-night to attend the funeral of the late Hon. C. A. Geoffrion to-morrow.

THE MAYOR OF QUEBEC.

Madame Geoffrion has received the following message from the Hon. S. N. Parent, Mayor of Quebec:

"The immense misfortune which has befallen you is felt by the whole country and by the many friends of your regretted husband. Those of Quebec join me in tendering you their heartfelt sympathies. I will attend the funeral."

The Governor-General will be represented at the funeral by Capt. Lascelles, A.D.C.

MOURNED BY THE BAR.

Geoffrion Was Its Most Brilliant Member.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT THE MEETING OF THE LEARNED PROFESSION.

The Bar of Montreal held a special meeting this morning to adopt resolutions on the occasion of the death of the late Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, Q. C., M. P., ex-batonnier of the district and province. It was the largest meeting of the kind held for a long time past. Mr. J. A. C. Madore, Q. C., M. P., presided and among those present were: Messrs. C. B. Carter, Q. C., L. H. Archambault, Q. C., W. J. White, Q. C., L. J. Ethier, Q. C., P. J. Coyle, Q. C., Gustave Lamothe, Q. C., T. P. Butler, Q. C., C. A. Cornellier, Q. C., E. N. St. Jean, George G. Foster, Q.C., P. J. Cooke, Q. C., T. Brosseau, Q. C., A. McGoun, Q. C., W. A. Weir, Q. C., M. L. A., F. E. Gilman, Q. C., N. W. Trenholme, Q. C., F. Lyman, Q. C., J. C. Walsh, secretary; Victor Cusson, C. J. Fleet, Q. C., Lomer Gouin, M. L. A., Louis Armstrong, F. W. Hibbard, W. Mercier, Q. C., L. W. Sicotte, jr., L. J. Beckett, J. P. Sexton, M. B. Bethune, Chas. L. Champagne, H. Hutchins, Chas. Archer, J. A. Plante, M. L. A., A. W. Wilson, Selkirk Cross, Q. C., Ph. Roy, R. C. Smith, Q. C., Ed. Guerin, Q. C., J. L. Morris, Q. C., F. de S. Bastien, Q. C., and many others.

THE BATONNIER'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Madore, Q. C., batonnier, opened the meeting by stating that it was his painful duty to announce to them officially the death of the most distinguished of the members of the bar, of the advocate par excellence of the Province of Quebec—Geoffrion was dead. For all who have known him these words say what terrible gap has been dug at the head of our ranks and what irreparable loss our profession has just made. As certain men are born poets, Geoffrion was born a lawyer. No man was better endowed from a judicial point of view, ever figured on the list of the bar of the Province of Quebec. His personal individualities were admirably seconded by an immense love of work and by Providence who at an early age, fortunately placed him in contact with the illustrious magistrate whose son-in-law he became: Sir Antoinet Aime Dorion. This fortunate combination of circumstances were bound to produce the perfect lawyer and this Geoffrion was. Heaven has taken him away, prematurely, for justice, his fellow citizens, and the affection of his family and his friends and especially from the Bar for which he was a protector and a model.

How often did he not serve the interests of the profession, reminding the sitting magistracy of the fact that the standing magistracy also has rights which they were bound to respect. The eldest among us will regret the sincere friend and the model which he was for us all; the youngest will regret the protection and the benevolent counsellor which they always found in him. It is not my part in these considerations to speak of Geoffrion otherwise than as a lawyer. It does not belong to me to speak of him as a politician; let it suffice for me to say that the political role of Geoffrion was sufficient to render illustrious any ordinary man, and if we mourn the lawyer it is that his career at the Bar was so brilliant that the lawyer eclipsed the politician. At the age at which Geoffrion has died, we could have expected and hoped that he would have been long preserved to us; heaven has not willed it, but let us hope that we will not lose him altogether; his example will remain with us. He will no longer be our confrere but he will remain our model. If he is no longer the shield of our profession let his remembrance live with us in the esprit de corps and fraternity of which he was the incarnation, and let our union and our entente for the future be a compensation if possible for the loss which we have sustained."

THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

It was then moved by L. H. Archambault, Q.C.; J. Cassie Hatton, Q.C.; L. J. Ethier, Q.C.; P. H. Roy, Q.C.; N. W. Trenholme, Q.C.; seconded by C. B. Carter, Q.C.; T. P. Batler, Q.C.; Lomer Gouin and F. L. Beique:

That it is with the most profound regret and the deepest sorrow that the members of the Bar of Montreal have learned of the death, on Tuesday morning, of the Hon. Christophe Alphonse Geoffrion, advocate, Queen's Counsel, and one of the former batonniers of the Bar of Montreal and of the Bar of the province of Quebec, and one of the members of the Privy Council of the Dominion of Canada. In losing the Hon. Mr. Geoffrion, the Bar in the province of Quebec loses the most eminent of its jurisconsults and the Dominion of Canada one of its most distinguished sons. The transcendent talents of the Hon. Mr. Geoffrion, his extensive knowledge, the uprightness of his character, the sincerity of his convictions, his high and bright intelligence and his profound integrity, had for several years past placed him at the head of the Bar of this province, on which he threw such great lustre and of which he will remain a light;

The greatness of his loss will be deeply felt not only by his conferes and friends, but by all who have had the advantage of knowing him and of appreciating his excellent heart and his brilliant qualities.

The Hon. Mr. Geoffrion has always been for each of his conferes of the Bar of Montreal, young and old, a most affable companion, a most sincere friend, and one of the most enlightened of counsellors."

Moved by W. A. Weir, Q.C., F. S. Lyman, Q.C., P. J. Coyle, Q.C., seconded by Gustave Lamothe, Q.C., L. A. Lavallee, Q.C., and C. A. Cornellier, Q.C., that out of respect to the memory of the late Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, Q.C., the council and members of the Bar of Montreal attend the funeral in a body.

Moved by W. J. White, Q.C., A. McGoun, Geo. G. Foster, C. J. Fleet, seconded by T. Brosseau, Q.C., E. N. St. Jean, J. P. Cook, Q.C., R. G. De Lorimier, that the members of the Bar of Montreal tender to Madame Geoffrion and the members of the family their profound sympathy for the irreparable loss which they have sustained.

Moved by Ed. Guerin, R. C. Smith, A. W. Gromer, Q.C., seconded by Chas. Archer, A. E. Merrill, J. A. Ouimet, J. A. Drouin, that copies of these resolutions be forwarded to Madame Geoffrion and the press.

The other speakers were Messrs. L. H. Archambault, Q.C., Syndic, C. B. Carter, Q.C., N. W. Trenholme, Q.C., Ph. Roy, Q.C., A. R. Hall, Wm. White, Q.C., and C. A. Cornellier, Q.C., who all eulogized the deceased.

MR. CARTER'S TRIBUTE.

Mr. C. B. Carter, Q.C., in seconding the resolution, said:

"In rising to second the resolution which has just been proposed, I assure you no one regrets more than I do the occasion which calls us together.

"In the death of the Hon. Mr. Geoffrion, the Bar has lost its most brilliant member, and it will be hard to replace him. To know him was to love him; he was always ready to assist his conferes with his advice and services.

"We commenced our studies in 1863, and were classmates in the Faculty of Law of McGill University. We graduated together in 1866, and were frequently engaged in contests, sometimes together, sometimes opposed to each other, but we always remained the best of friends.

"His distinguished career at the Bar is now at an end. Never more will his voice be heard within these walls, it is silenced in the majesty of death. His memory will live with us forever.

"We join Madame Geoffrion and her family in their great sorrow. May God give them strength to bear up in their trial."

THE QUEEN'S PRIZE.

A Canadian Stands Second at the End of the Second Stage.

HIS LAST TWO SHOTS LOST HIM THE SILVER MEDAL.

BISLEY, July 20.—Colour-Sergt. Matthews, of the Civil Service, won the silver medal and the silver badge for the highest aggregate in the first and second stages of the competition for the Queen's Prize, having scored 218 out of a possible 230 points. The Canadian Surgeon-Lieut. Bertram, 77th Battalion, Dundas, Ont., tied for second place, his score being 216. The score of the other Canadians competing in this event were as follows:

Crowe	212
Fleming	209
Huggins	204
Wetmore	199

Bertram's last two shots were an outer and a magpie.

STRIKE AT SYDNEY.

The Drivers of the Dominion Coal Company Go Out for Higher Wages.

(Special to the Star.)

SYDNEY, C.B., July 20.—The Dominion Coal Company is having its troubles. To-day the mine at Dominion No. 1, is idle on account of a strike, the first in Cape Breton since the one at Lingan several years ago. The dissatisfaction came mainly from the drivers. They held a meeting last night, and decided on demanding an advance of 15 cents. This was refused, and this morning they went out on strike. They threaten the road-makers and others with violence if they persist in going to work while they are out. The drivers are determined to fight the matter out, and are receiving encouragement from some of the miners.

Secretary Alger will turn the War Department over to Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn on Monday next.

DEATHS.

McGOLDRICK — In this city, on the 20th inst., at his residence, 149 St. Antoine street, Patrick McGoldrick, native of the parish of Drumragh, County Tyrone, Ireland, aged 74. Funeral notice hereafter.

NELSON—At Ste. Agathe, on Thursday, July 20, J. Nelson, secretary Intercolonial Coal Mining Co. Funeral Friday morning from the Place Viger Station to Mount Royal Cemetery on arrival of the 9.30 train from Ste. Agathe.

TRADE OPPORTUNITY

A Deputation From Cardiff Addresses the Board of Trade.

Interesting Information About that City.

At 12.30 o'clock this afternoon, there was a special meeting called in the Exchange Hall, Board of Trade, in order that a deputation of gentlemen from Cardiff, Wales, might have the opportunity of meeting the members of the Board and addressing them upon the advantages of Cardiff as a port of entry for Canadian goods.

The deputation consisted of Lieut.-Col. Guthrie, ex-president of Cardiff Chamber of Commerce; J. M. Jennings, president of the Cardiff Importers; W. Morgan and W. S. Beaumont, leading importers of that town, and Roger Price, goods manager of the Cardiff docks.

Within the past year or two Cardiff has begun to look alive for its importing trade. With this in view a direct service of freight steamers, known as the Lord Line, began plying between Cardiff and Montreal, with the Messrs. Reford & Co., of this city, as the Montreal agents.

Mr. Alexander McFee, president of the Corn Exchange Association, presided, and there were a good number of members present, who gave the visitors a cordial reception. Lt.-Col. Guthrie, who represents the Lord Line at Cardiff, was the first speaker. He said that for a great many years the port of Cardiff had depended entirely on its coal trade, which was something enormous, and that the citizens had been content with importing their goods via Liverpool, London, and other English ports. Now, however, they were reaching out and they hoped in time to build up a very large importing business of their own.

OPPORTUNITY FOR TRADE.

Cardiff, Lieut.-Col. Guthrie stated, had a population of 140,000 people, while with the suburbs the population totalled up to 230,000. Within thirty miles of Cardiff there was a population of 1,500,000, and this district had to be supplied with just such goods as Canada exported. Two years ago the exports from Cardiff amounted to 17,000,000 tons, and this year it would run up to 20,000,000 tons. This would make their exports the largest of any port on the world. It was, of course, mainly composed of coal, and the products of coal such as patent fuel and the like.

The next speaker introduced was Mr. J. M. Jennings, who, by the way, is a member of a firm which has been doing a lumber and grain business for a hundred years, and early in the century his firm traded between Cardiff and Quebec. In fact he brought over with him a number of documents relating to trade in the early half of the century; among them being an invoice of cargo from the good barque Marquis of Bute, Captain Frazer. The cargo consisted of 1,199 barrels of flour and was shipped from the port of Quebec in June, 1841. The flour was invoiced at 30 shillings a barrel, and was besides subject to a duty. The Marquis of Bute was a barque of something less than 600 tons, but this was a cracking big ship in those days, and her cargo of 1,199 barrels was regarded as very creditable indeed. Mr. Jennings went on to state that the present

IMPORTS OF CARDIFF.

amounted to between three and four million pounds sterling per year and that this amount was double what it was a few years ago. A great deal of this import was lumber, and to-day the port ranked second to London as a lumber importing point.

Up to within a very short time the citizens of Cardiff had paid no attention to railway rates to points in their territory for the very reason that the imports did not go through the port of Cardiff, but through Liverpool, London and other English ports.

The improvement in the navigating facilities of the River Severn to a point almost into Birmingham had been the means of bringing about lower railway rates. Another advantage of Cardiff was that steamships could enter at any and all times, no matter what the state of the tide might be, and this was a decided advantage over such ports as Bristol.

Mr. Jennings was of the opinion that a large cattle trade should be developed between Cardiff and Montreal. The trade between their port and South America in frozen meats had been wonderfully developed within the past few years. The population of the district needed a large amount for their own consumption as did also the ships crews in the coal trade with Cardiff. He was sure that the Canadians could dispose of large quantities at regular intervals. The grain and flour trade could also be developed.

CARDIFF'S DOCKS.

Mr. Roger Price then explained the dock system which is elaborate and complete. He was followed by Mr. Beaumont, and he in turn by Mr. Morgan.

Mr. Robert Reford, the Canadian agents of the Lord Line, then addressed his fellow members. He said that the Lord Line was owned by Thos. Dickson & Sons, of Belfast, and they were known in the shipping world as an exceptionally strong firm, and now they had determined to inaugurate a trade between Cardiff and Montreal, they would be sure to carry it through successfully. Mr. Reford had told them of the difficulties which lay in their way in developing a trade between the two ports, and he had told them that it would require at least three steamships. They had given him four. While the business was not as yet on a paying basis, they all had every hope of its developing very largely.

Mr. W. W. Ogilvie followed, thanking the deputation on behalf of the Corn Exchange Association. After a few words from Mr. McFee the meeting came to a close.

The members of the deputation who came over on the Lord Line steamship Lord Antrim, arrived in the city yesterday. This evening they will leave for Ottawa. From there they will proceed to Toronto and Niagara Falls, returning to Cardiff on the Lord Antrim on her next trip out.

SENIOR LACROSSE LEAGUE.

Business to be Transacted To-night by the Club Representatives.

To-night's meeting of the Senior Lacrosse League promises to furnish some exciting gossip for the enthusiasts. The meeting, as outlined in the Star last week, has been called to discuss the protests entered by the Cornwall Club against the Nationals, and that of the Nationals against Capital. A gentleman who is to act at the meeting gave it as his opinion this morning that the National protest would carry, but that the Cornwall one would not stand. In the case of the Nationals there was a clear case of overstepping the bounds of authority on the part of the referee, but in the Cornwall protest there is really very little tangible matter to work on, and it is hardly likely that the delegates will find any ground for ordering the match played over.

Toronto makes mention of bringing up the question of referees, but Chairman Lunny said this morning that he could not permit any such matter to be brought before the meeting. The meeting has been called merely to consider protests, and cannot do any other business. However, it is probable that some mention may be made, and it is likely that some of the clubs who have been causing a great deal of trouble by their failure to agree on officials will come in for criticism.

DEATH OF MR. W. J. NELSON.

The death is announced at Ste. Agathe of Mr. W. J. Nelson, secretary of the Intercolonial Coal Mining Co. The deceased has been in failing health for a year past, having never fully recovered from a very acute attack of pleurisy from which he suffered last August. About a month ago he went to Ste. Agathe in the hope that the mountain air would benefit him. His condition, however, continued to grow worse instead of better, until death intervened yesterday afternoon. The funeral takes place to-morrow morning at 9.30 o'clock, on the arrival of the C. P. R. express.

QUEENSTOWN MAILS.

Elder, Dempster Company Have Been Given the Contract

Negotiations Have Been in Progress For Some Time.

This morning final arrangements were concluded, by which the Elder, Dempster steamship line receives the contract for the carriage of Canadian mails to Great Britain.

The contract was entirely unsought for by the Elder, Dempster firm. Some time ago the Government sent for a representative of the firm, and asked him to make an offer for the continuation of the service as at present constituted between Montreal and Liverpool. This was declined on the ground that it would be impossible to disarrange the business of the line for that length of time, and that the fleet of the company was already busily engaged. This was perhaps out of consideration for the lines at present engaged in carrying the mails, with whom it is understood the Elder, Dempster line has always been on the most friendly terms. Subsequently an offer was made by the Elder, Dempster people, on the lines stated below, and this offer was accepted by the Government, word to that effect arriving this morning.

The service, which goes into force immediately, involves several important changes. Queenstown will be substituted for Moville on the other side. Beginning next week the steamships of the Elder, Dempster line will leave Bristol every Monday, calling at Queenstown on Tuesdays for the mails.

The sailings from this side will be from Montreal and Quebec on Thursdays. The mails will be taken aboard at Rimouski on Fridays.

The fleet employed in carrying the mails will be modern ships, all of 8,000 tons, and constructed during the past two years. The twin screw steamers Monteagle and Montfort, and the Monterey, Montrose and one other vessel have been selected for the work.

The mails by this service, it will be noted, are despatched between the White Star line's sailing from New York on Wednesday and the Cunard line's sailing from the same port on Saturday. It is anticipated by the Elder, Dempster firm that mail matter posted on Friday will, by their service, be delivered on the other side on Monday, or in other words just as soon as mail by the Cunard line posted from New York on Saturday. The firm proposes to make their service of great practical use to the business community of Montreal.

The following great fleet of modern steamships, owned by Elder, Dempster and Co., is at present engaged in the Anglo-American trade: the Etolia, Lycia, Memnon, Merrimac, Montrose, Lokoja, Milwaukee, Monarch, Montcalm, Montclair, Monteagle, Montenegro, Monterey, Montfort, Montpelier, Mount Royal, Yola, and Monmouth, eighteen ships in all.

The firm of Elder, Dempster & Co., which will now handle the Canadian mails, is one of the greatest and most widely known shipping firms in the world to-day. They have ninety large steamships engaged in different parts of the world. The firm was founded in 1832, and one of their vessels sailing in that year was the first steamship to come across the Bay of Biscay. The African business of the Elder, Dempster Co., is perhaps the greatest of the firm's enterprises. It was inaugurated in 1832 by the late Mr. MacGregor Laird, the great African traveller, in 1852 the South African Steamship Company was established by Royal charter. Since 1852 Messrs. Elder, Dempster & Co. have maintained an uninterrupted mail service connecting England with the West Coast of Africa. The firm also by special arrangement with the King of Holland has a line running between Antwerp and the Congo. Messrs. Elder, Dempster & Co. by their enterprise have already opened up a large and growing trade between Bristol and the St. Lawrence.

THE NORWEGIAN ASHORE.

(Special to the Star.)

HALIFAX, N.S., July 20.—The Norwegian of the Allan line, is reported ashore on the coast of Newfoundland. No details are to hand. She left Boston on the 16th inst., for Glasgow.

CLOSING PRICES.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

CLOSE

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

	July 20 Op'g	July 20 Close	July 19 Op'g	July 19 Close
Amer. Cotton Oil Co.	42	42	41⅝	41½
Do do Pref.				
Amer. Tobacco Co.	98	97	97½	97½
Do do Pref.	145			
Amer. Sugar Refin Co.	157⅝	157¾	157	156⅞
Do do Pref.				
Amer. Spirits Mfg. Co.			6½	6½
Do do Pref.				
A. Top & St. Fe, all pd.		19⅝	19¼	19¼
Do do Pref.	60¾	61½	60⅝	60¾
Baltimore & Ohio			47⅛	47
Bay State Gas				
Cadianan Pacific				
Canada Southern		53⅛		53⅛
Ches. & Ohio		28⅛	27½	27½
Chic. Burl. & Quincy	135¼	136¼	135½	135
Chicago Gas	116⅝	117⅛		116⅝
Chic. & N. W.				
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	117¼	118⅛	116½	116⅞
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	130⅞	131½	130⅝	130⅝
Consolidated Gas N. Y.	175	178		177½
Cleveland C. C. & St. L.		58½		57½
Delaware, Lack West.	168⅞	168⅞		
Delaware & Hudson.		122⅛		121¾
Denver & R. Grand pt.	75	75	75⅛	75⅛
Duluth S. Shore & Atl.				
Do do do pref.				
General Electric		119½		119
Hocking Valley				
Jersey Central xd.	116	116		
Laclede Gas Co.				
Lake Erie & Western.				
Do do pref.				
Lake Shore				
Louisville & Nashville	72⅝	72⅝	71⅞	72
Manhattan Elevated.	117⅝	118	117¼	117⅛
Missouri Pacific	46⅞	48	47⅛	49½
Michigan Central.				
National Lead Co.			11	29½
Do do pref.			50⅛	
North American			77⅛	11
Nor. Pacific com. new	50	50⅛		50
Do do pref.	77	77		77
N. Y. Central & Hud.	138	139	138⅛	138⅛
N. Y. Lake Erie & West				
Do do II pref.				
Do do I pref.		39½		
N. Y. Ontario & West.		26	26	25⅞
N. Y. Chic. & St. L. com				
N. Y. Sus & West pref.				
Omaha, com				
Pacific Mail	47¼	47⅝		47⅝
Phil. & Read, all paid	21	21	21	21
Pullman				100
Southern Ry. com.	11⅛	11⅛		
Do pref.	51	51⅛		51⅛
Stand. Rope & Twine				
Tenn. Coal & Iron		69½	69½	68½
Texas Pacific	22¼	22⅝	22	21⅝
U. S. Leather Co.	6⅝	6⅝		6¼
U. S. pref.	72⅝	73	71⅞	72½
U. S. Rubber Com.		49½	50	49½
Do pref.				
Union Pacific Rcts.	43	43⅛	42⅝	42⅝
Do Pref.	77	77⅛	76⅝	76⅝
Wabash				
Do pref.		22⅛		21½
Western Union Tel.		89½		89⅛
Wheeling & Lake Erie				
Do do pref.				
Metropolitan Trac.	222	211½	219½	220¾
Brooklyn Rapid Trans.	113⅛	113⅞	118	112⅝
Federal Steel	57⅝	57¾	59	57⅛
Federal Steel pref.	80½	80⅛	81	80
Anaconda	56	56⅝	55⅞	55½
A. S. W.	55⅝	56⅛	55½	56⅝

TORONTO MINING STOCKS.

(Special to the Star.)

TORONTO, July 20.—Sales on the Toronto Mining Exchange this morning were
Golden Star—1,000 at 39.
Waterloo—1,500 at 8½.
Knob Hill—500 at 93.
Noble Five—500 at 20.
Rambler-Cariboo—500 at 25¾.
Van Anda—4,000 at 10¼, 500 at 10½, 500 at 10¼, 500 at 10½, 1,000 at 10½, 5,000 at 10¼, 6,000 at 1¼.
Golden Star—500 at 39, 500 at 39¼.

Sales on the Standard Mining Exchange were:
Empress—500 at 4½.
Golden Star—1,000 at 39, 500 at 39¼, 1,500 at 39, 500 at 39¼, 3,500 at 39¼, 2,500 at 39¾.
Evening Star—500 at 9¾, 500 at 9½.
Heather Belle—5,000 at 2.
Jo 41—1,000 at 7¾, 1,000 at 7¾.
Princess Maude—1,000 at 5.
Van Anda—1,000 at 10½, 500 at 11, 5,000 at 11½, 5,000 at 10½, 1,000 at 11.

The attendance at the fourth biennial international convention of the Epworth League, which opened at Indianapolis today, will be in the neighbourhood of from 10,000 to 12,000.

ON THE SOFT SIDE.

The Inclination Was That Way In the Stock Market To-day

Feeling Abroad is Improving With Consols on the Rise.

To-day's business on the Stock Exchange was of such a limited character that it cannot be said to indicate much, but if it indicated anything it was a tendency on the part of the market to be soft. While there is still considerable interest in Royal Electric affairs on the street it was not sufficiently acute to induce any trading in the stock. With that element removed from the transactions, they fell back to the commonplace midsummer dullness, which has been characteristic of the market for the greater part of the present month.

Canadian Pacific was traded in to the extent of 500 shares at 97, with the London price at 99⅝ to 99¾. Gas sold at 201 and Twin City at 66¾ and Montreal Cotton at 160. The mines attracted more attention to-day than for some days. War Eagle selling at $3.64. Republic at $1.20. Montreal and London at 44 cents and Virtue at 49 cents. The bank stocks were more in evidence than usual in the trading, six different securities being in the record of transactions. Bank of Montreal was the most notable, selling up to 260.

The bank clearings for the past week show the remarkable increase of $4,150,000 over the same period last year, when the clearings showed a total slightly lower than in 1897. Following are the figures for the past week and the comparative figures of the three previous years:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Total for week ending July 20, 1899	$15,656,070	$2,355,474
Corresponding week, 1898	11,496,344	1,980,855
Corresponding week, 1897	12,084,921	1,853,872
Corresponding week, 1896	10,987,734	1,297,263

The Dominion Cotton Company has declared the quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent. payable on Sept. 1. The transfer books will be closed from Aug. 21 to 31, inclusive.

Montreal 3½ per cents sold at 106⅛ in New York yesterday. The two lots of 1000 and 6000 were sold.

L. J. Forget and Co.'s London cable to-day quoted Grand Trunk first 82, second 54⅛, third 22⅝, Canadian Pacific 99⅝, Hudson Bay £22, Anaconda £11⅛.

FIRM WHEAT MARKET.

Mainly Due to Fears of Hot Winds and Rust.

MONTREAL WAS IN THE PROFIT TAKING LINE THIS MORNING.

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

CHICAGO, July 20.—The firmness of wheat was largely due to fears of hot winds and rust in the North-West. Sept. sold at 70⅝ to 71⅝. It is a fact frequently noted by the Star correspondent that the North-Western wheat crop is in a position to be very easily injured by unfavourable weather. If we get hot, moist weather, rust is certain, owing to the excessively rank growth of the stalk, while with hot dry weather the plant will soon feel the drought, because frequent rains have kept the roots high in the ground. Up to the present time the weather in that section has been very favourable. Montreal took some profits in wheat, and added to her line of ribs on the low point.

CHICAGO CLOSING PRICES.

J. S. Bache & Co., 16 St. Sacrament st., report the closing prices to-day as follows:

July 20th.		Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat	July	69⅝	70	69⅝	70
	Sept.	70½	71⅝	70⅛	71
Corn	July	32⅛	32½	32⅛	32½
	Sept.	32⅛	32¼	31⅞	32⅛
Oats	July	24¼	24½	24¼	24⅜
	Sept.	19¾-⅞	20	19¾	19⅞-3
Pork	July				
	Sept.	910	917	910	915-17
Lard	July				
	Sept.	552	557	552	555 B
Short ribs	July				
	Sept.	517	522	517	520 B

A DOWNWARD TREND.

Stocks Took a Drop at the Opening.

LATER IN THE DAY, HOWEVER, PRICES IMPROVED SOMEWHAT.

(From the Star's Special Correspondent in Wall Street.)

NEW YORK, July 20.—There was very little activity during the early trading in to-day's security market. New York Air Brake made a few characteristic moves. The opening quotation was four points below yesterday's final figure. The next showed an additional decline of seven points. The downward trend was continued until the stock sold at 190 a net loss of 22 points. In the Railway share list the Granger Stocks were bought to some extent and scored gains of ¼ to ¾. Missouri Pacific was another firm spot and was moved up about a point. Metropolitan Street Railway was fairly quiet, but steady in tone. The Industrial shares were firm. Continental Tobacco which was the weak feature during the late trading yesterday was quite strong to-day and on a fair amount of buying rose 1¼ points. Consolidated Gas was an exception and on free selling fell off five points to 172½, but a rally followed and most of the loss was made up. After the first hour the movement of prices was very narrow but the tone continued firm. In the afternoon there was little or no change in the general market. New York Air Brake rallied ten points to 200. There was good buying of "Panhandle" which carried the price up 3½ points to 56½. Chesapeake and Ohio also developed noteworthy strength and rose one point.

MONTREAL MINING EXCHANGE.

Business on the Mining Exchange was fair this morning. Virtue sold at 48c, one cent lower than the Stock Exchange and Republic at $1.21. Golden Star was at 40 the other prices being practically unchanged:

MORNING SALES.

Republic, 3000 at 121, 100 at 120.
Virtue, 3000 at 48.
Big Three, 2500 at 14 half.
Brandon Golden Crown, 300 at 27.
California, 1000 at 11 half.
Slocan Sovereign, 1000 at 28.
Golden Star, 500 at 40

Mount Moriah Lodge, No. 38,

A. F. & A. M., G. R. Q.

FUNERAL EMERGENT.

Brethren are requested to attend the funeral of our late Bro. W. J. Nelson, to take place To-morrow Morning from Place Viger Station on arrival of 9.30 train from St. Agathe. Brethren of sister lodges invited to attend. No Regalia. By order of W. M.

166 1 G. W. HARDISTY, Sec'y.

BAILIFF'S SALE — PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, District of Montreal. No. 7062. Circuit Court. E. Champagne, Plaintiff, vs J. H. O'Connor, Defendant. On the 29th of July, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, at the domicile of the said Defendant, No. 2237 St. Catherine st., in the City of Montreal, will be sold, by authority of Justice, all the goods and chattels of the said Defendant, seized in this cause, consisting of household furniture. Terms cash. L. GRAVEL, B.S.C. Montreal, 20th July, 1899. 168 1

PERSONAL — WILL THE LADY WHO called at W. H. Leach's piano parlors, 2440 St. Catherine street, last Friday, please call again, as a large sized Heintzman upright piano has been received in part payment for a new Heintzman Morris upright piano and can be purchased for $150 cash. 169 1

JOHN MURPHY & CO.

Record-breakers for July Buyers

READY-TO-WEAR SPECIALS.

A fine range of drill and duck skirts, coloured stripes and spots, regular price $1.65, for 98c.

White pique skirts, latest style, reg. price $1.35, for 79.

White duck skirts, regular price $1.35, for 89c.

A very fine quality pique skirts, with blue and pink folds, regular price $2.45, for $1.79.

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skirts, full width, all sizes, regular price $1.65, for $1.39.

A handsome crash skirt with overskirt, trimmed with braid, regular price $2.50 for $1.69.

All linen and pique costumes, reduced 25 per cent.

Print wrappers good quality fast colours well made, regular price $1.10, for 89c.

A large assortment of fine percale blouses, regular price 75c and $1.00 for 39c.

All our best makes in perfect fitting American blouses, reduced 25 per cent. $2.13 per cent. and 50 per cent.

Come early and secure first choice summer print underskirts.

Well made skirt in blue, red and black mixtures, regular price 75c, to clear at 47c.

ALL PARASOLS REDUCED.

Reductions from 33⅓ to 50 per cent. fine silk or satin parasols for $1.25.

SUMMER CAPES.

In fancy Black lace and Chiffon, all reduced 33 1-3 per cent.

GOLF CAPES.

In fancy plaid, all marked cheap, one special lot, in reversible tweed, and cloth with lining, worth from $2.50 to $10.00. Your choice $2.98.

Just a few left of those fine trimmed cloth capes, to clear at $1.85.

MILLINERY ALL REDUCED.

Fine imported Pattern Hats, trimmed, at HALF PRICE.

English straw sailor hats, to clear at 25c.

WATERPROOF COSTUMES.

Skirt and Cape, the latest ...ry at 25 per cent. discount.

SHAWLS.

Plain and fancy coloured Cashmere Shawls, to clear at Half price.

All wool Cashmere Shawls, full size only 75c.

WOOL WRAP SHAWLS.

For travelling at Half price.

BATHING SUITS AND BATHING CAPES.

A full assortment marked cheap.

WASH GOODS.

LOT NO. 1.

10,000 pieces and about 75 patterns to select from, these goods are from 30 to 40c yard. Your choice while they last 12½c yd.

LOT. NO. 2.

20,000 pieces and about 150 Patterns to select from. These goods are good value at 25c to 30c yard. To clear at 10c.

MANCHESTER DEPT.

Just received another case sheeting Twills 2-4 plain, 54, 9-4 and 10-4 in lengths.

40 pieces Victoria Lawn, good value at 18c, will clear the lot 11c.

JEWELLERY DEPT.

50c, 75c and $1.00 articles for 5 cts. ea.

On Special Table Blouse Sets, Brooches, Pins, Cuff Links, Cuff Studs, etc., etc. These goods came in our possession for almost nothing, and this is about as near as we can get to give them away—$1.00 for 5c each.

PERFUME DEPT.

This will give you an idea of the way we sell perfumes and toilet waters. Murray and Lanman's Florida Water, Jockey ... **37c**

GLOVE DEPT.

100 pairs only Ladies' Black Lisle Thread Gloves, value 30c 12½c pr and 35c. Sale price

Ladies' and Children's Silk Half-Mitts half price, 30c for 15c pair.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

200 only Men's Sample Linen Collars, English make, all styles, values 20c, 25c and 30c each, for ... **5c ea.**

30 doz. Men's Pure Linen Mourning Handkerchiefs, bought to sell at 25c each. Special at this sale ... **11c ea.**

1,000 Men's and Boys' White Dress Shirts, with four-ply fronts, the $1.00 kind, at this sale for ... **68c**

60 only Men's London made, fancy Summer Vests, ranging up to $2.75 each, at this sale ... **$1.47**

HALF PRICE.

Men's White Flannel Tennis Suits.
Men's Tweed Coats and Vests.
A few Men's Rain Coats.

HOSIERY DEPT.

Ladies' and Children's Cotton and Wool Vests, assorted colours and sizes, regular value, 30c to 40c, for here ... **18c ea**

Men's Merino and Balbriggan Shirts and Pants, in all sizes, value 75c. At this sale ... **35c**

BOUND BOOKS.

2,500 Cloth Bound Books, such works as Scott's Dickens' Thackeray, etc. These books we bought at a mere fraction of their regular value, which is 50c and 60c each, at this sale, this price ... **15c ea**

125 only Children's Silver Plated Mugs, gold lined and finely chased. Value 50c, here ... **25c**

THE GREAT BASKET SALE.

Is now in full swing. Hundreds of ladies are taking advantage of this opportunity to buy baskets at half-price.

CLUB BAGS AND VALISES.

Tourist Bags, Kit Bags, Gladstone Bags, etc., at lowest prices.

50 only Club Bags, linen lined, with brass trimmings, the $1.25 kind, for ... **79c**

FANCY GOODS AND NOTIONS.

75 Dozen Ladies' and Children's Lace Collars, all assorted, worth $1.00 and $1.50, for 50c and 75c.

VERY SPECIAL.

25 Dozen Ladies' Lace Boleros; to be cleared at half price.

25 Dozen Ladies' Stock Collars, with Bow attached, worth 20c, for 10c each.

75 Dozen Ladies' Leather Belts, assorted colours, worth 25c and 35c each, for 10c each.

22 Dozen "Infants' Bibs," worth 20c, for 9c each.

10 Dozen Striped Satin Stock Collars, worth 20c, for 10c each.

EXTRA SPECIAL.

2,000 Remnants Black Satin Ribbon, in 18 yard lengths, worth 20c for 12c, 30c for 16c, and $1.10 for 36c a Remnant.

75 Dozen Good Strong Hair Brushes, pure bristles, worth 45c, for 25c ea.

50 Dozen Very Fine Bristle Hair Brushes, worth 75c, for 49c each.

25 Dozen Needle Books, worth 50c each, for 25c.

50 Dozen Swiftsure Dress Suspenders, worth 25c, for 12c each.

50 Dozen Dress Shields, worth 30c pair, for 15c.

25 Dozen Dress Shields, worth 25c pair, for 10c.

TOILET SOAPS.

20 Cases Olive Oil Soap, worth 40c dozen, for 20c.

2,000 Boxes Wool Soap, for toilet and bath, only 15c.

JULY BARGAINS

IN BASEMENT.

PORCELAIN LINED PRESERVING KETTLES.

All 1st quality; no flaws; best porcelain lining. In our July Sale, prices are:

4 quart size, 19c each.
6 quart size, 23c each.
8 quart size, 30c each.
10 quart size, 40c each.
14 quart size, 53c each.

PURITAN WICKLESS BLUE FLAME STOVES; no smoke, no smell, no danger; only 3 simple parts to burner; cheaper than gas, coal or wood. We will sell 1 only 2-burner stoves on Friday and Saturday, worth $5.00 each, for $6.35 each. Call and see this stove in operation.

SCREEN DOORS; all sizes, made very strong; worth 80c and 85c; in this sale, only 69c each.

100 ENAMEL TEAPOTS, guaranteed first quality; 2 quart size, worth 50c, in this sale, only 33c each.

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TECHNICAL TRAINING.

Agitation in Its Favour Promoted by Labour Bodies.

A Circular Setting Forth Their Views —Plan of the Campaign.

At a meeting, held last evening, of the Municipal Legislative Committee of the Central Trades and Labour Council, the following important communication was received from the Allied Trades and Labour Association of Ottawa. It was unanimously deemed advisable to circulate the same among the different organizations of this city and recommend that they act according to the document received, inasmuch as it is clearly shown to be to the benefit of organized labour and will without a doubt prove of great interest to the working classes throughout the Dominion:

Fellow Workers.—The Trades and Labour Congress of the Dominion of Canada, at its third annual meeting twelve years ago, discussed the question of Technical Education, and a motion was carried recommending that in every province in which there is a State-supported and State-controlled system of public education, provision should be made for industrial training. Since that time the Dominion Congress, Trades and Labour Councils and labour organizations in general have been carrying on a determined, though in some cases intermittent, agitation in favour of Technical Schools. The result has been the enactment of some provincial acts which provide that under certain circumstances provincial aid shall be given to municipalities in which schools are established. The question is, however, one of greater national than provincial importance. It is generally admitted that if we are to hold our own in the great industrial warfare now in progress, we must be equipped with the necessary means of training our native population to enter into the

ARTS AND MANUFACTURES.

Ours cannot be called a manufacturing country, and without the establishment of schools of technology and industrial art, we cannot hope to enter the world's market with our products or even retain our home market. Canada pays millions every year to the superior artisans of other countries, every cent of which represents a foreign tax voluntarily paid by the consumer of ignorance and want of skill at home. It need not be pointed out that the greater part of this money would go to Canadian artisans did they possess the requisite skill and knowledge to successfully compete with the artisans of other countries in which technical education is provided by the State. The Dominion Government has for several years spent vast sums in disseminating knowledge pertaining to agriculture and dairying, knowledge obtained by experiments at farm and dairy stations, wholly maintained by the State. The Geological Survey in the same manner annually issues and reports upon the mineral resources of the country.

What ... the Federal Government is doing for farmers, for dairymen, for those interested in mining industries, should be done for the artisan and the manufacturer. What experimental farms do for agriculture, what the Survey can do for dairying, what the Geological Survey does for mining, technical education can and does. Kind words do not the arts and manufactures. Realizing this and that without them the development of Canada's vast natural resources cannot be undertaken, the Boards of Trade throughout the country are taking up the matter, and it is probable that in the very near future a convention of representatives of the several Boards of Trade will be held.

Should the result of this convention be a decision to approach the Dominion Government with some definite scheme for the establishment

OF TECHNICAL SCHOOLS,

maintained wholly or in part by the State, it is of the utmost importance that the labour organizations of Canada should co-operate with these Boards of Trade and press upon the Government the necessity for immediate action.

A copy of this letter has been sent to the Executive Committee of the Dominion Trades and Labour Congress, with the request that the matter be brought before the various unions affiliated with that body; as it may in the meantime be necessary to take prompt and effective measures for bringing the matter before the public we venture to suggest:

(1) That your Executive Committee immediately communicate with the local Board of Trade and impress upon its members the national need of Technical Education.

(2) That in the local press and in labour papers in every way in your power deal with exhaustively from every point of view Disarm adverse criticism by anticipating it.

(3) That a convention should be called consisting of at least one delegate from each of every central labour organization in Canada for the purpose of discussing the best means of attaining our object.

(4) That in the event of your not favouring the calling of such a convention, or your being unable to send a delegate, that at the next meeting of your Trades and Labour Council strong resolutions be passed supporting Technical Schools, and that local unions affiliated with your Council be asked to do likewise. The final disposition of these resolutions to depend upon what action it may be decided to take.

(5) That no effort be spared to interest aldermen, ... Parliament, of both political parties and influential men and women of every class in the scheme.

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"I regard the cure as a remarkable testimony to the virtues of Doan's Kidney Pills, and am only too glad to recommend them to all sufferers from kidney trouble in any form."

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Sizes range from 26 to 34, regular price $3.00, choice for $1.50.

Boys' Bleached and Unbleached Linen Crash Norfolk Coats and Pants, sizes range from 30 to 32 only, regular price for Coats $2.75 and $3.75, now $1.38, $1.88; for Pants $1.50 and $1.75, now 75c, 88c.

Children's two piece Scotch Tweed Suits, Children's two piece Scotch Tweed Suits, sizes range from 22 to 24, or from 4 years to 6 years, regular prices from $4.50 to $7.00, now being offered choice for $3.00.

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WORLD WHEEL MEET.

At a Meeting of the Board of Control Last Night Everything Looked Favourable.

SEATS TO BE SOLD TUESDAY.

Goodson, the Australian, Has Left the Windsor Hotel to Live Near the Track for Better Practice.

LORD MINTO AT OPENING.

The World's Meet Buttons so Popular That First Supply Is Nearly Exhausted.

THE Board of Control held their regular meeting last evening in room 21, Windsor Hotel, and went through a large amount of routine and other business. Everything promised well. All the arrangements that could be made up to the time have been made, and Messrs. E. J. Sheppard and Louis Rubenstein, who were seated opposite one another, looked very well satisfied with the progress of things.

Mr. Goodson, the Australian fast man, has left his luxurious quarters in the Windsor and has taken up his home in the rural municipality of Verdun, so as to be near the track, and so as to be able to practice daily.

There is no doubt but Lord Minto and the Countess of Minto will grace the opening of the race with their presence. There will be a most elaborate affair, and all that will be necessary with the present arrangements, is fine weather to make it one of the most imposing events in the history of wheeling.

The sale of reserved seats will commence Tuesday of next week. The plans will be on view at the Star Branch Office, No. 1, uptown, and in some convenient downtown place, which will be announced on Saturday. No speculation in tickets will be allowed, but those want good seats better comeearly.

The Board of Control wants it known that no one has been authorized as yet to solicit advertisements for the "official programme of the meet." Several men are going about pretending to be thus authorized, but unless they show proper credentials they have no connection with the Board of Control or the Meet whatever. To make certain, prospective advertisers in the "official programme" can call up telephone No. "Up 2317."

BICYCLE TRUST HAS NEW BIRTH

NEW YORK, July 20.—After a session at the Waldorf-Astoria that extended from early morning until late this afternoon, bicycle manufacturers have completed the formation of a trust. Although known as the American Cycle Company, and consisting the same members as the old organization, it is practically a new combination, on a different basis than the original $80,000,000 trust which proved too unwieldy and impracticable in its former project.

The new trust is capitalized at $40,000,000. It comprises forty-five concerns, controlling fifty-six plants. The members will be paid 110 per cent. of the original appraisement for their plants. Of this amount 30 per cent is cash, 30 per cent. preferred stock and 50 per cent. common stock. The capital consists of $10,000,000 debenture gold bonds, 5 per cent. twenty years; $10,000,000 in 7 per cent. preferred stock, cumulative as to dividends and preferred as to assets, and $20,000,000 in common stock. The debenture bonds, if called in before due, are payable at 1.05. Those in the trust are privileged to subscribe to them at 92 1-2. Nearly the entire allotment has been already spoken for.

The hitch in the consummation of the trust was due to financial matters. The discussion to-day, when all the concerns in the trust were represented, was confined almost entirely to this subject. It is said that four of the large makers objected to the arrangements of payment submitted by the banking representatives of J. P. Morgan, Higginson & Co., and the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, and endeavoured to alter the plans so that they would receive cash entirely for their plants. One manufacturer said after the meeting that until 5 o'clock he was not a member of the combination.

It is not intended to limit the combination to those firms now in. After the details of organization have been carried out, other plants on which the option to August 1 is held will be admitted to membership. These number about 125.

Another meeting of the members of the trust will take place to-day and sessions will continue until officers and directors have been chosen and the plans agreed on. At a sealed meeting some time ago, A. G. Spalding was the choice for president and he will probably get that position.

The headquarters of the American Bicycle Company will be this city.

A POINT ENTERTAINMENT.

The Point St. Charles boys gave a very enjoyable entertainment on the occasion of the formal opening of their rooms at the Queen's Park track, last night. About two hundred members were in attendance. One of the features of the evening was the presentation by Mr. Michael O'Brien, vice-president of the P. A. A. A., of a gold chain and locket to the three members of the Point Bicycle Club—W. Tait, J. F. Allcock and G. M. Miller—who won the interclub road race on Saturday last, for the P. A. A. A. The concert consisted of the usual piano solos, singing and dancing, and speeches were made by Mr. George Tait, president of the P. A. A. A.; Mr. C. J. Ogilvie, president Point Bicycle Club; Mr. C. H. Hazlehurst, treasurer Queen's Park; and Mr. M. O'Brien. Refreshments were served during intermission.

The room occupied by the Point boys is the south-west corner, facing the Lachine road.

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AMONG THE ATHLETES.

BROCKVILLE CONTESTS.

Results of Games at the International Tournament.

(Special to the Star.)

BROCKVILLE, July 20.—The first day of the International Firemen's tournament passed off with a marked degree of success. The weather remained fine throughout and the town was fairly thronged with visitors from all parts.

An exciting afternoon's sport was held at the Brockville Driving Park, where hundreds of people had gathered.

The first event was a hose reel race, in which nine companies competed. The distance was 300 yards. Run 200 yards, attach the hose to a hydrant, run another hundred, break the coupling and attach a branch. The Toronto fire ladies proved themselves easy victors in the fast time of 46 4-5 seconds, Sackett's Harbour was second, in 52 seconds, and Clayton third. The winners broke the Canadian record.

The two-mile amateur bicycle race was won by Armstrong, of Iroquois, against a field of eight starters.

Summary

Armstrong (Iroquois).. 1
Samways (Perth).. 2
Barry (Brockville).. 3
Time—5.50.

Three started in the three-mile professional—Harley Davidson, of Brantford; Carman, of Morrisburg, and Brownlee, of Ogdensburg. The race was won by Brownlee, and he dropped out on the third mile.

Davidson won by a wheel from Carman. Time, 7.49.

The other races resulted as follows:

100 yards dash—C. Bretch, Theresa, N. Y., 1st; G. Mayhew, Trenton, 2nd. Time, 11 seconds. Eleven ran.

One mile—S. D. Hoy, Prescott, 1st; W. Bang, Trenton, 2nd. Time, 4.56 3-5. Bang fainted a few feet over the line but soon revived. Seven started but all dropped out before the second round except Hoy and Bang. The pace was too killing.

The fancy drill contest did not fill and was therefore cancelled.

At 7.30 in the evening a grand war canoe race was held on the river. There were three entries—Brockville Rowing Club, Brockville Rowing Club, and Brockville Bohemians. The Vaudreuil men were never in it from start to finish. The other two crews made a beautiful race, their short, quick stroke being in marked contrast to the Eastern men, who paddled long, steady strokes. The Brockville crews were even till 200 yards from the finish; then the Bohemians drew away and won by three lengths by a length and a half. The Vaudreuil men were fifteen lengths behind. Distance of the race, one mile with turn.

Another feature of the evening's tournament was a boxing match between Barker, of Brockville, and Blakeley, of Ogdensburg. It was arranged to last for ten rounds, but in the fifth one of Blakely's seconds jumped into the ring to separate a clinch, and the referee awarded the fight to Barker. Honours up to that time were even.

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GOSSIP.

At the Queen's Club, London, yesterday, J. T. Rooke and J. T. Harrington, both of Harvard, competed for the honour of being the partner of C. D. Daly (Harvard) at the broad jump in the athletic games on Saturday between teams representing Yale and Harvard and Oxford and Cambridge, respectively. Rooke covered 22 feet 2 inches, and thus secured the place.

Yankee Sam, the thoroughbred running horse, purchased by J. McOuillagh, of Ottawa, at Toronto recently, was seized yesterday by customs authorities for undervaluation. The horse started at the Mid-Air meeting.

THE LACROSSE FIELD.

SHERBROOKE AND TORONTO.

These Two Teams Will Play Here Saturday.

One of the arrangements made when Sherbrooke was admitted to the Senior Lacrosse League was that the match between the Eastern Townships team and Toronto should be played in Montreal, instead of in Sherbrooke. This match is scheduled for next Saturday afternoon, and on that day these two teams will meet on the Shamrock grounds.

This ought to be an attractive affair, and it is quite likely that there will be a big turn out of those enthusiasts to see the game. Sherbrooke feels pretty confident that they can give the Western aggregation quite a lively run, and they think that they may be able to get the better of the argument. Now Sherbrooke is quite young in the Senior business, and it takes a little time to get on to all that can be learned. But they are improving every day and their victory over Quebec shows that they may prove formidable opponents after this.

Toronto feels rather sore over their trip to Cornwall, and consequently they will be on their mettle when they are here on Saturday. They have to keep right on winning to figure out on the top of the list and they are not going to take any chances even with Sherbrooke.

There is no other important athletic event scheduled for Saturday, so that there will probably be a large attendance at the S. A. A. A. grounds.

TORONTO DELEGATES COMING.

TORONTO, July 20. — At a special meeting of the Toronto Lacrosse Club, it was decided to send one of the executive committee to Montreal to-day to Senior League meeting on Thursday night. The Toronto Club members have decided views on the matter of referees, and their representative at the league meeting will have full instructions to deal with it. The idea of the local team is to have official referees appointed for each city, men thoroughly conversant with the game in all its intricacies. There would then be none of the unseemly squabbles that now attend the appointing of these men before each game, and instances like that by which the Toronto Lacrosse Club was put to the expense of $75 in bringing officials from Montreal for the Quebec game here on Dominion Day could not possibly take place. All the other clubs in the big league have large-sized kicks coming regarding referees and their doings, and it is hoped that the league executive will take some definite action in the matter on the lines suggested by the local club.

CARDIFF DEPUTATION.

A Number of Merchants From That Port Come to Canada to Look Into Trade Prospects.

A deputation of Cardiff merchants invited to visit this port by the Lord Steamship Line arrived in Montreal yesterday by the Lord Antrim, having experienced rather a boisterous passage. The deputation consisted of Henry Cox, Guthrie, ex-president of Cardiff Chamber of Commerce; J. M. Jennings, president of the Cardiff Importers; W. Morgan and W. S. Beaumont, leading importers of that town, and Roger Price, goods manager of the Cardiff docks.

It is expected that the visit may be instrumental in largely increasing the trade between Cardiff and the St. Lawrence. The visitors express themselves as delighted with all they have seen of Montreal and the great trade facilities. They will visit the principal cities in the Dominion and the United States before returning.

THE CONTRACTS AWARDED.

At a meeting of the Standard Light and Power Company yesterday several contracts were awarded for machinery for the new power-house on Chenneville street, now in the course of erection. The contract for engines went to the Westinghouse Company, of Pittsburg; the rotary converters to the Canada Electric Company, of Peterborough, and the boilers to Messrs. Babcock and Wilcox. The meeting also approved of a loan of $75,000, which is to meet the above outlay, the loan being taken by three of the Ottawa shareholders of the company. The paying off of the purchase price of the Temple Electric Company, in place of the annuity, was approved of.

Mr. W. McLea Walbank, president of the company, presided.

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CANADIAN TOBACCO.

Production for the Past Year Reached 2,418,890 Pounds.

The Canadian tobacco production for the year ending June 30th, reached a total of 2,418,890 lbs., representing an increase in the consumption of this class of tobacco of 530,931 pounds over the previous year when the duty paid product was 1,887,959 pounds, says the Canadian Cigar and Tobacco Journal. In the fiscal year of 1897 the consumption was only 726,081 pounds, so that the present mile is over three times as great as it was two years ago. Whether this trade has as yet reached its limit is a matter of some speculation, but certainly it has made remarkably good strides under the impetus of its increased protection.

THE LICENSES FOR LOTTERIES.

Actions for the recovery of the $1000 license imposed by the new city charter have been taken out by the city in the Recorder's Court against the following lotteries: La Societe des Arts du Canada; La Societe Artistique Canadienne and La Societe des Ecoles Gratuites. The cases were fixed for hearing to-day before Recorder Pelletier.

BARBERS' EXAMINATIONS.

The Barbers' License Board of Examiners are extremely busy at the present time, and are extremely well satisfied with the number of applications that are steadily pouring in. They open their offices in Ste. Cunegonde on the 31st. inst., in St. Henri on the second and third of August, in Cote St. Louis on the third and fourth, when they proceed to Quebec. All barbers are invited to procure their licenses before the examiners leave Montreal, as they intend doing the province while away, and may not return by the expiration of the ninety days allotted to the barbers to secure them.

All notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths must be endorsed with the names and addresses of the persons sending same.

BIRTHS.

BILL—At Lachute Mills, Que., July 17th, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Saml. Bill, of Vancouver, B.C.

GARDNER — At 487 St. Urbain street, on 12th July, 1899, the wife of F. H. Gardner, of a daughter. 167 2

MATHEWSON — At 33 Arlington avenue, Westmount, on the 19th July, 1899, the wife of J. A. Mathewson, jr., of a son. 168 2

RANKIN — At 23 DeMontigny lane, Hochelaga, on July 10th inst., the wife of Walter Rankin, of a son.

BAGSHAWE — On the 4th inst., at Vancouver, the wife of E. C. B. Bagshawe, of a daughter.*

CHAPPELL—At Tokio, Japan, on May 28th, to the wife of Rev. Benjamin Chappell, M. A., a daughter.*

COPP—At New Horton, A. Co., N. B., on June 29th, to the wife of Sandford Copp, a son.*

COUSENS—At Ottawa, July 9th inst., the wife of W. Carden Cousens, of a daughter.*

KENNEDY—At Farnham, on Monday, July 17th, 1899. The wife of S. E. Kennedy, C. P. R. Engineer, of a son. 166 2

GRIMES — At Toronto, July 13th, the wife of John Grimes, of a daughter.*

HUME — On July 7, at London, the wife of E. Hume, of a son.*

LATIMER — On July 10, at Winnipeg, the wife of J. A. Latimer, of a daughter.*

MILLS — On July 11th, at Toronto, the wife of Wm. L. Mills, of a son.*

POWELL — At Toronto, on July 13, the wife of Arthur H. H. Powell, of a son.*

VIBERT — On July 12, a daughter to Mr. and Mr. Jos. Vibert.*

MARRIAGES.

ROBERTSON - MORISON — At the residence of the bride's mother 4477 Western avenue, Westmount, on the 19th July, 1899, by the Rev. Dr. Ker, William Robertson to Jessie, daughter of the late Malcom Morison

WALKER-BOIRE—On July 18, 1899, at the Bishop's Palace, by the Rev. Mr. Beaudet, Arthur Glassford Walker, of Montreal, to Alexandra, eldest daughter of H. W. Boire, Esq., manager of the Hochelaga Bank, here.

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FAIRWEATHER-SMITH — In St. John, N.B., on July 11th, A. Fairweather to Annie E., eldest daughter of James Smith, all of Hampton, Kings Co.*

GOWLER-BAMFORD — On July 11th, at Toronto, Abraham Gowler to Margaret E. Bamford.*

HENDERSON-HALL — In St. John, N.B., on July 11th, George R. Henderson to Matilda M., Hall, all of Hampton, Kings County.*

LANGILLE-COOK — At Riversdale, N.S., July 3, A. C. Langille, of Bridgewater, to Genetta L. Cook, of Upper Branch.*

McEVOY-SALES — On the 13th inst., at Ottawa, Mr. P. McEvoy to Florence E., second daughter of William Sales.*

SMITH-GALE — On July 5th, at London, J. Gordon Smith to Emily Mabel Gale.*

TI'ETS-HIRTLE — At New Canada, N. S., July 3, Henry Tufts, of Northfield, Queen's, to Matilda Hirtle, of New Canada.*

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

FRANCIS—At Chicago, on the 19th inst., Frederick Francis, in his 85th year. Funeral from Bonaventure Station on arrival of the Western train at 7.20 a.m. Saturday 22nd inst., to Mount Royal Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. 168 2

GAULD—At 641 St. Urbain street, on the 18th inst., John Edward Fraser, age 5 months and one day. Infant son of Eva H. and W. F. Gauld.

GEOFFRION — At Dorion, July 18th, Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, in the 56th year of his age. The remains will be removed to his residence in Montreal, 912 Dorchester street, on Thursday morning. The funeral will take place on Friday, leaving his house at 9 a.m. for Notre Dame Church. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend. 167 2

HAZEN—At 320 Mance street, July 19th, 1899, Charlotte Tupper, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hazen, aged 5 days. N. Fredericton, N. B. papers please copy.

KEILY—On July 19th, at No. 210 Chatham street, Michael Patrick, beloved son of Dennis Keily and Margaret McMorrow, aged 1 year and 6 months. Funeral on Friday morning, at 8 o'clock to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

MENARD—In this city, on the 19th inst., M. J. Elosilde Sicotte, beloved wife of P. B. Menard, grocer, aged 40 years 5 months and 5 days. Funeral Friday at 8 o'clock, leaving 61A Richmond street, Point St. Charles, at 7.30 a.m. Friends and acquaintances please attend.

PARDELLIAN—In this city, on July 19, Ruby Isabel, youngest daughter of G. H. Pardellian, aged 2 years 2 months 9 days. The funeral took place from her father's residence, 146 Lusignan street, Thursday, July 20th, at 2.30 p.m.

PICHE—Suddenly on the 18th of July, at Acton Vale, Miss Eva Piche, aged 20, eldest daughter of Mr. Gustave Piche, formerly hardware merchant of Montreal. Funeral from her father's residence, No. 465 Dorchester street, to St. Louis Church, on Friday, the 21st inst., at 7.45 a.m. precisely. Friends are invited to attend without further notice.

VALLIERES— In this city, on the 18th inst., at the age of 65 years, Adelaide Livernoge, beloved wife of Olivier Valliéres, gentleman, ex-hotel keeper. Funeral from her son-in-law, Capt. Ed. Dallaire's residence, 109A Common st., on Friday, the 21st inst., at 8 a.m., to St. Jean Baptiste Church, thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend without further notice. 167 2

WILDE—In this city, on the 18th inst., Sarah King, wife of W. Wilde, aged 47. Funeral took place this morning, from her son-in-law's residence, 737 St. Urbain street. Quebec and Toronto papers please copy.

DEATHS OUTSIDE THE CITY.

CAIRNS — At Athelstan, Que., on the 16th inst., Thomas Cairns, aged 67 years. Funeral from his late residence, on Friday, the 21st inst., at one o'clock p.m., thence to the Huntingdon Protestant Cemetery.

McNEE — At San Francisco, Cal., on the 10th inst., Alexander McNee, aged 65 years, formerly of Huntingdon, Que.

BARTON — At Keith, July 1st, Gwendoline Barton, adopted daughter of M. F. McLeod, aged 4 years.*

DONATI — At St. Roch, July 13, Mrs. Joseph Donati, aged 53 years and 8 months.*

GRIFFIN — At Galt, on July 7th, Helen Mabel Griffin, aged 28 years.*

HEISLER—At Lunenburg, on July 9th, Mary Heisler, aged 46 years.*

HUTCHINSON—At Toronto, on July 12th, Sarah H., wife of James Hutchinson, in her 52nd year.*

IRVINE — At Brockville, July 7th, Gerrard Irvine, aged 51 years.*

LEONARD—In St. John, N.B., July 11th, Mary, widow of the late Robert J. Leonard.*

MAHEAUX — At St. Sauveur, July 8, Nicholas Maheaux, aged 74 years and 8 months.*

McLAUGHLIN—At Yarmouth, on July 9, Mrs. James McLaughlin, aged 59 years.*

MILLS—On July 12, at Toronto, John A. Mills, in his 59th year.*

NICOL—At Quebec, Narcisse Veniere Nicol, aged 78 years.*

PHILLIPS—At St. John, N.B., on July 12, Andrew Phillips.*

QUINLAN—At Barrie, William Quinlan, aged 32 years.*

ROBINSON—At Beaverton, on July 13, Winifred Robinson.*

ROBSON — At Mount Forest, on July 11, Thomas Robson, of Vanneck, Ont., aged 75 years.*

ROGER — At "Cordach," Peterborough, on July 11, Rachel Helen Roger.*

SCOTT — At Alexandria, Minnesota, on July 8, Thomas Scott, aged 87 years, father of Wm. G. Scott, of Winnipeg.*

SUMNER — At London, July 11th, Clara, wife of C. R. Sumner, in her 39th year.*

WALLER—On July 7, at Bartonville, Ada S. Waller, aged 21 years.*

Wheelmen in Trouble

when they can't get lady charlotte gaiters. 168 red

For additional Births, Marriages and Deaths, see pages 7 and 10.

THE S. CARSLEY Co. LIMITED

Notre Dame Street. Montreal's Greatest Store July 20th, 1899.

Friday's Special Offerings.

The management have just put the finishing touches to what they expect will be the biggest Friday sale ever planned, no time or consideration given to profits. Reduction has followed reduction until every semblance of profit has disappeared. When this happens its the best time to buy.

A MIDSUMMER SALE OF Ladies' High Class Outing Skirts.

This enormous purchase was made from the celebrated firm of Ladies' Skirt Makers,

ROBERT C. WILKINS

Ladies' Expert Skirt Manufacturers, Montreal

This Sale which is of stupendous importance to every lady in or out of the city will be the chief attractions at The Big Store's Friday Special Offerings.

Very rarely does goods of such a high standard of quality as these are find their way into the market at such phenomenally low prices.

The Skirts need no praise, they are well known and speak their own merits in no uncertain terms. You know these High Class Skirts, strongly, stylishly, tailor-made, they are different from other Skirts, the difference is in the FIT, WEAR, APPEARANCE and MATERIAL, BEST of ENGLISH PIQUE and BEST of IRISH LINEN CRASH.

R. C. WILKINS' TICKETS

ON NEARLY EVERY GARMENT.

Attention is called to the fact that the makers' tickets with the wholesale price marked in plain figures is on almost every garment and The Big Store offers them at

THE SAME PRICES AS R. C. WILKINS SOLD THEM AT TO THE TRADE.

The entire Costume Salon has been given over to the sale of these beautiful Outing Skirts, extra assistants in attendance. LADIES REMEMBER that you are buying these Skirts at the same prices as the maker sold them at to the Trade, WHICH MEANS A SAVING OF 33 1-3 PER CENT.

Outing Skirt Sale.

Ladies' Tailor made Crash Outing Skirts, lap seams, full width and 6 inch hem. Regular $2.25. Special Sale Price **$1.17**

Ladies' White English Pique Skirts, medium cord, plain tailor made, lap seams and deep hem. Regular $2.25 kind. Special Sale Price **$1.35**

Ladies' Extra Quality Linen Crash Outing Skirts, in panel or apron front styles, also deep hem and double stitched seams. Regular $2.50. Special Sale Price **$1.44**

Outing Skirt Sale.

Ladies' Extra Quality White English Pique Skirts, three different cords, made apron or panel styles. Regular $4.50 goods. Special Sale Price.... **$2.45**

Ladies' Stylish Combination Pique Skirts, made from two different sized Pique cords, apron or panel fronts. Regular $4.50. Sale Price.... **$2.45**

Ladies' Tailor made English Pique Skirts, box seams, six inch hem, medium or heavy cords. Regular $4.50 skirts. Special Sale Price **$2.45**

120 Ladies' Crash Linen Skirts, sale price . . . 29c

135 Ladies' Basket Crash Linen Skirts, sale price . . 59c

130 Ladies' White English Duck Skirts, trimmed bands of colored material 76c

5000 Pretty Shirt Waists

Biggest Shirt Waist Event this Season

DAINTY SHIRT WAISTS

A choice Lot of Ladies' splendid Shirt Waists in Grass Cloth, Percale and Cambric in fancy stylish designs, fitted with white collar and cuffs, new yoke back, excellent value at 60c each. Special Friday's price 29c

Smart Shirt Waists.

Ladies' Fine Cambric Shirt Waists in pretty stripe effects of blue, pink and mauve, with self turn-down collar, full front and yoke back, self cuffs. Special value at 85c. Thursday 65c

Pretty Silks-A Bargain $4.25 Silk Waists $1.99

Despite the fact that Silks have advanced nearly 50 per cent. The Big Store's prices remain the same.

Never before have we shown such a splendid collection of Shirt Waist Beauty in Silk as will be displayed To-morrow.

55 pieces Silks in Checked and Figured styles, special for lining, cheap at 30c a yard. Friday . . 12½c

COLORED SATINS, all shades, lights and darks, specially good quality, usual 35c kind, Friday . . . 18c

62 pieces Summer Silks in dainty stripe and figured patterns, special for Shirt Waists or Summer Dresses. Usual 55c a yard, Friday 36c

About 420 Elegant New Silk Shirt Waists in beautiful rich designs and exquisite colorings, cut with yoke back and new pouch front, special finish and splendid value at $4.25, Friday, **$1.99**

Special Wrapper Bargains!

STYLISH GOODS--AT HALF PRICE.

Hundreds of Ladies' Stylish Wrappers will have first showing at To-morrow's Great Bargain offerings. We've only space to tell you about these two specials:

175 only Ladies' Fine Muslin Wrappers in Green, Blue and Pink effects, stylishly made, fitted lined waist, trimmed with Valenciennes Lace, fancy epaulettes and full plaited back, regular price $2.25. Special Friday Price $1.19

68 Fancy Percale Wrappers in Pink, Blue and Mauve with contrasting coloured cambric fronts, dainty embroidery trimmed epaulettes and lined waist, full back, regular price $1.90. Special Friday Price $1.00

Fancy Muslins

200 Pieces Fancy Dress Crinkle Muslins, 28 inches wide, in a collection of beautiful designs and dainty color-tones, regular 18c and 21c goods, Friday 8½c

FANCY SILKETTE MUSLINS, for summer Dresses, black foundations, with fancy coloured stripes, 3 inches apart, splendid silk effect, regular 20c a yard material, Friday 8c

FANCY PRINTED MUSLINS, A splendid variety of designs and colors, 28 inches wide, elegant fabrics for shirt waist, beautifully cool material, worth 15c a yard, Friday . . 8c yard.

Dress Goods Sale

These special lots selected for Friday offerings.

30 PIECES Fancy Dress Goods in a good selection of patterns and colors, double width goods, regular 15c materials, Friday 7c

28 PIECES Colored Dress Materials, in dainty stripes and checks, suitable for summer wear, usual 25c a yard goods, Friday 10c

35 PIECES New Dress Materials in a splendid collection of fancy patterns and choice colorings, easily worth 25c to 35c a yard, Friday 12½c

MOIRE LININGS, 25 pieces Black Moire Linings will go on sale Friday morning, the regular 14c a yard kind, Friday 6½c

Cameras--Reduced

10 only No. 2 Eureka Cameras, takes picture 2½ by 3½ inch, for glass plates, leather covered. Friday price, **$3.99**

Stanley Plates, 4 by 5 inches, 65c doz.
Bull's Eye Films, 2½ by 3½ Inch. 69c

Ladies' Vests and Hose

There is decided economy buying Hosiery etc., at these specially reduced prices.

1200 Ladies' Summer Vests, Elastic Ribbed, no sleeves, regular 10c goods. Friday 4c

780 Ladies' White Ribbed Vests with crochet yoke and neck, half sleeves, worth 18c, each. Friday . . 11c

300 Dozen Summer light-weight Hose. Friday price . . 5c

120 dozen Ladies' Summer Hose, black feet and coloured tops. Friday price 9c

Boys' Summer Pants.

Splendidly cool for the hot days and remarkably cheap.

220 pairs Boys' Linen Crash Pants, strong and well made; usual 30c a pair, Friday 17c pair

190 pairs Boys' Striped Summer Pants, good and strong; usual 35c a pair, Friday.... 23c

800 Boys' Straw Hats; regular 12c, Friday . . 10c

Flannels Reduced.

These Special Values in Flannels for Friday only.

130 pieces Heavy Gray Flannel in light or dark shades, plain or twill weave, Special Friday Price 9c

FLANNELETTE, 310 pieces Fancy Flannelettes in neatly assorted patterns, 5½c usual 8c kind, 32 inches wide, Friday 5½c

30,000 Remnant Sale To-morrow.

Thousand Sold Last Friday.

Thousands of Ladies crowded round the great Remnant tables last Friday. In every department sales ran high for these tempting bargains in good useful and reliable goods, all priced to make this the greatest Remnant Sale The Big Store has ever had.

THE S. CARSLEY Co. LIMITED

1765 to 1783 Notre Dame St. - 184 to 194 St. James St., Montreal.

FIFTY CENTS

Has the Purchasing Power of a

DOLLAR

AT OGILVY'S GREAT ANNUAL JULY SALE.

A Few Examples:

Dress Goods

Discounts from 25 to 75 per cent. off Fashionable Dress Goods. $1.10 Colored Grenadine, for 65c yd. 80c Colored Grenadine, for 49c yd. $1.00 Grenadines, for 25c yard.

Gent's Neckwear

Gent's Band Bows, a large variety to clear at 10c each, were 25c. Gent's Berkeley Ties, 15c, usual price 25c. Gent's All Silk Ties 25c, were 50c.

Gent's Shirts

White Unlaundried Shirts, our own special make, quality and fit guaranteed, 50c each, all sizes. Laundried, 75c.

Gent's Neglige Shirts, soft fronts, separate collars, 75c, regular value $1.00 and $1.25.

Boys' Odd Tweed Suits

to be cleared at 25 to 50 per cent off.

Ladies' Neckwear

Ladies' Washing Print String Ties, 25c dozen.

Ladies' all Silk String Ties 25c each.

Ladies' White P.K. Ascots 25c ea.

Ladies' all Silks Ascots 50c.

Ladies' Black and White Satin Bows, 25c.

Ladies' Blouses

Special reductions with 10 per cent. discount off every Blouse in stock.

Leather Belts

Ladies' Leather Belts 20 per cent. off.

Ladies' Parasols

25 per cent. off all our Parasols without exception.

Boys' Straw Hats

All sizes and qualities half price.

Ladies' Jackets and Capes, HALF PRICE.

Linens

71 inch Bleached Damask, $1.30 quality for 90c yard. Table Cloths, 3 yards long, $2.25 and $2.75 each.

Millinery

Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats and Children's Millinery all Half Price.

White Piques

and Bedford Cords, a new shipment placed in stock and already selling freely

Wash Fabrics

Of all descriptions, Ginghams, Muslins, etc. Half price.

Boys' Wash Suits

Fine assortment of Boys' Summer Wash Suits, 20 per cent. off.

Weldon's Patterns for July. Write for Our New Illustrated Catalogue.

OGILVY'S,

St. Catherine and Mountain Sts.

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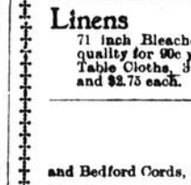
CARSLEY'S EXTRA.

In Montreal's Greatest Grocery!!

This Great Pure Food Mart draws thousands of patrons, first because nothing but purity is sold here; second, that prices are lower than what is often charged for impure, adulterated goods. Test us with these price examples.

	Regular.	Friday.		Regular.	Friday.
White Beans	5c	2c	Vinegar C. & B.'s	20c	16c
Windsor Table Salt	5c	2½c	Maple Syrup quarts	35c	28c
Finest Rolled Oats	3½c.	2½c	7 lb. Pail Preserves	48c	40c
Concentrated Lye	5c	2½c	Finest Creamery Butter	25c	19c
Laundry Soap	5c	3½c	Best Rio Coffee	25c	15c
Sardines in Oil	6c	4c	25 lbs. Best Pastry Flour	70c	58c
Baked Beans, 3 lbs.	10c	8½c	Good Dairy Butter	20c	16½c
Kippered Herrings	15c	18c	5 lb. Tins Fine Honey	50c	38c
Herrings in Tomatoes	15c	13c	Shredded Wheat Biscuits	15c	12½c
Imported Pickles	25c	20c	English Cured Ham	15c	13½c

Two Thousand Jardinieres!!



Twenty cases of Jardinieres arrived yesterday, and owing to their late arrival they will be offered at exceptionally low prices to-morrow.

JARDINIERES in pretty art colors and new designs. Sale Price 31c

JARDINIERES in Porcelain China, very choice decorations. Sale price . . 99c

JARDINIERES in Winton China, very handsome designs and colorings. Sale price . . $1.10

JARDINIERES, a very elegant lot in Fancy Majolica Ware, large sizes and elegant decorations, regular value $6.50. Sale price $2.90

FRUIT JARS.

Are you ready for the preserving season, get a supply of these Jars before the prices advance.

5000 Glass Fruit Jars at special July Sale Price 43c doz.

5000 Jelly Glasses with covers . . 27c doz.

Lemonade Sets

Another lot of these pretty Lemonade Sets just received. About

300 Crystal Glass Lemonade Sets, consisting of 4 tumblers and glass pitcher, regular value 35c. Friday 17c the set

Useful Home Needs!!!

Preserving Kettles.

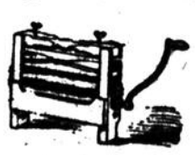
800 Best quality Cast Iron Preserving Kettles, porcelain lined.

3 Quarts	19c
4 Quarts	25c
6 Quarts	35c
8 Quarts	43c
10 Quarts	46c

To 24 quarts.

THE S. CARSLEY CO., LIMITED.

Clothes Wringers



80 Only "Princess" Clothes Wringers with solid white rubber rollers, vulcanized to the shafts. These Wringers have steel ball bearings same as are used on high grade bicycles with an extension handle which makes them very easy running, regular value $4.75, Friday's special . . $3.59

Clothes Baskets

550 Heavy Split Willow Oval Clothes Baskets, regular value 40c, Friday . . 27c

365 Fancy Waste Paper Baskets at . . . . . 25c each

Garden Sets

300 Children's Garden Sets, comprising one rake, hoe and spade, regular value 15c. Friday . . . 8½c

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1765 to 1783 Notre Dame Street, 184 to 194 St. James Street, Montreal.

FROST IN THE TOWNSHIPS.

(Special to the Star.)

COWANSVILLE, July 20. — There was a slight frost last night, but reports from outside say that the crops were not affected, except in a few cases, and not seriously even in these.

Signor Scostantini, Under Secretary of Public Instruction in Italy, died on Wednesday of heart disease.

THEIR WAGES ADVANCED.

(Special to the Star.)

HAMILTON, Ont., July 20.—The Gurney-Tilden Co. and D. Moore & Co. have granted to their stove mounters an increase of 10 per cent in their wages. Other foundries may do likewise.

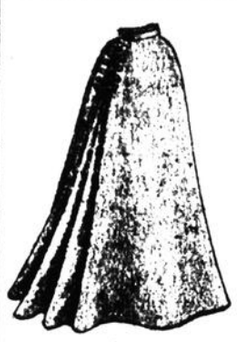
The International bridge connecting Queenston, Ontario, and Lewiston, N.Y., will be opened on Friday next.

To supply the wants of our Lakeshore Customers, we are obliged to make two trips a week—every Wednesday and Saturday a.m. During the months of July and August this store closes Saturdays at 1 o'clock.

HAMILTON'S

Friday Bargain Day.

This is the time of all times to get your Summer comforts or necessaries at little cost. The whole page would hardly convey an adequate idea of the bargains we offer to-morrow. You must come and see the goods to appreciate the values.



It's an ill wind that blows nobody good. A late shipment of Ladies' Irish Linen Crash Skirts is in your favor, had they come to hand earlier, we would have sold them readily at 75c, coming late we offer them to-morrow at **39c**

French Coutille Corsets at 75c is considered very cheap. You can imagine what a bargain we offer when we place them on sale to-morrow at . . . **29c**

We haven't all sizes. We have 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29. If your size is amongst this lot come early and get one.

The profit of 500 doz. Ladies' Shirt Waists will be sacrificed here on Friday, when we offer the balance of our $1.00 Waists 50 dozen is what we have left, at **29c**

Get here early for choice.

No wonder we sold 90 dozen $1.75 and $2.00 Wrappers last Friday for 95c. We have about 30 dozen left Come early and get one to-morrow at. . . . **69c**

72 Factory Samples of Ladies' fine grade Night Gowns, elegantly trimmed in lace and embroidery, "slightly crushed," but then they're worth $2.50, and we'll sell them at. **$1.00**

Too many Boys' Summer Blouses on hand, that accounts for us offering you fine English Percale and Dimity Blouses, worth from 75c to $2.25 **59c 89c** and **$1.05** in 3 lots at. . . . . .

For country or seaside wear you want an All-wool Skirt that will not shrink or fade, we have them worth $4.00, that you can have your choice of at . . **$2.25**

To-morrow's Great Clearance Sale of Summer Millinery.

You Will be Astonished at the Great Money-saving This Sale Means.

Odd lines and broken assortments of Ladies' Dress Shapes and Sailors, regular 75c to 95c values, closing out to-morrow at **10c**

A small lot of Ladies' and Children's Sailors in all the latest shapes and colors; former values, $1.25; To-morrow, **25c**

Odd lines of Fancy Braids and Gimps, for Dress Trimmings, values up to 25c. Friday **5c**

French Artificial Flowers, beautiful creations, "samples" a little mussed, values up to 30c. Friday . . . **5c**

Friday's Silk, Dress Goods and Wash Fabric Bargains.

Unquestionably the greatest values of the year. Can you resist such extraordinary offerings as these?

FRENCH BROCHE BLOUSE SILKS, regular 35c value. Clearing at . **12½c**

KNICKERBOCKER CHECK DRESS GOODS, double fold, 25c; for . . . **7½c**

BLACK FIGURED DRESS GOODS, light weight, a 40c value; for . . . **19c**

FANCY CASHMERE FLANNELETTES, for Ladies' and Children's wear, 15c; for **8c**

PURE LINEN GLASS TOWELING, check red and blue, 8c. Friday . . **5c**

PURE LINEN SKIRTING CRASH for Ladies' Skirts and Suits, 15c. Friday **9c**

FAST COLOR ENGLISH PRINTS, pretty patterns, 7c. Friday . . . **3½c**

ODD LINES PERCALES, GINGHAMS AND CREPONS, 10c, 12 1-2c and 15c values. Friday **5c**

HIGH GRADE FRENCH SILKS, slightly damaged, 90c to $1.75. Friday **65c**

ODD LINES OF PLAIN AND FANCY DRESS GOODS, 25c and 35c values. Friday **12½c**

ENGLISH SILESIA LININGS, all shades, 15c. Friday **8½c**

GOOD GREY FAMILY SHEETING, at less than mill prices, 15c. Friday **10c**

EMBROIDERED EDGE PILLOW COTTON, regular 15c. Friday . **8½c**

MILL ENDS WHITE PIQUE, 4 to 6 yd. lengths, 25c; for . . . **12½c**

BEST ENGLISH DUCK SUITINGS, pink with white spot, only 15c. Friday **7½c**

ODD LINES OF DIMITIES AND ORGANDIES, pretty colorings, 10c to 15c. Friday **7½c**

We would call your particular attention to the line of Fine French Organdie Muslins we offer to-morrow at 12 1-2c, half their value.

The reason we sell more Patent Medicines than any other store in the city, is simply because we sell them cheaper. See:

	Elsewhere.	Here.		Elsewhere.	Here.
Liquid Bug Poison	25c.	19c	Seidlitz Powders, just and full weight	25c.	15c
Liquid Extract of Malt	25c.	19c	Beef Iron and Wine in Pints	$1.00	50c
Liquid Corn Cure	25c.	15c	Sarsaparilla	1.00	50c
Diamond Brand Vaseline	10c.	5c	Headache Wafers	25c	15c
Shoo-Fly Poison Paper	5c.	2c	Tanglefoot Poison Paper	5c	2c
Witch Hazel distilled	25c.	18c	Perry Davis' Pain Killer	25c	16c
Paine's Celery Compound	$1.00.	65c	Ayer's Sarsaparilla	$1.00	55c

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS are presented in concise form for quick and comprehensive reading. The prices will interest you.

2½c a yard for white Crochet Laces, regular 5c, 6c and 7c values.

19c each for men's Unlaundered Shirts, all sizes up to 17 1-2c, worth 29c.

29c each for Children's School Umbrellas fast black coverings, solid frame, worth 50c.

25c a pair for Ladies' Kid Gloves, fitting Taffeta Silk Gloves with 3 lock fastener, embroidered backs, worth 40c.

2½c each for Ladies' 4 ply collars, sizes 12, 12 1-2, 13, 13 1-2c, 10c values.

5c a pair for Ladies' Cotton Hose in Black and Tan, regular 12 1-2c.

12½c for Ladies Ribbed Vests, shaped, short sleeves, worth 18c.

5c each for Ladies' fine Irish Lawn, hemstitched and fine drawn work Handkerchiefs, regular 10c.

FRIDAY'S WONDERFUL VALUES IN HOUSEFURNISHINGS.

50 pairs only of Nottingham Lace Curtains, 2 1-2 yds. long; Friday **40c** pair

100 only Real Opaque Window Shades, size 36x72, with spring roller; Friday . . **23c** each

Beautiful patterns in Silver and Gilt effect Wall Paper, 6c, 8c and 10c; Friday **4c**

10 pieces only, reversible double width Cretonnes, 40 in. wide; Friday **14½c** yard

Folding Reclining Chairs, hardwood frame, carpet covered; Friday..... **$1.99 each**

A1 quality Imported English Oilcloth, pretty patterns, per sq. yd; Friday **25c**

See our Special Table of Granite, Tin and Woodenware at 5c.

1000 different articles Mugs, Saucepans, Plates, Jelly Moulds, Soup Ladles, Brushes, Knives, Bowls, Soap Dishes, etc., etc., all 10c, 12 1-2c and 15c values.

No. 7, 8 and 9 Steel Fry Pans, 25c. Friday **12½c**

Steel Enamel Saucepans, 30c. Friday **15c**

Coal Oil Stove and Kettles, 90c. Friday **49c**

Steel Enamel Pudding Dishes, 25c. Friday **15c**

3 CRATES OF CHINA—Tea, Dinner and Soup Plates, also Cups and Saucers, handsomely decorated in mauve with gold edge, worth $2.00. Friday **95c** doz.

Whittemore's Gilt Edge Shoe Dressing and Paste, regular 25c. Friday . . **17c**

350 pairs Ladies' Fine Kid Shoes, Kid lined new toe, patent tip, $1.50 to $1.75 value. Friday **99c**

The Best Groceries at Wholesale Prices for Friday Only.

Windsor Salt in bags, Friday	2½c	Brown Windsor Soap, 8 cakes for	5c
Pure Ground Coffee per lb.	15c	Tomatoes, 1898 pack, 3 tins for	25c
6 lb. pail of Jams	87c	Best Canadian Cheese per lb.	10c
25 lbs. Best Pastry Flour	80c	Best Creamery Butter per lb.	19½
22 lbs. Redpath Granulated Sugar	99c	Best Dairy Butter per lb.	17c
Tomato Catsup	11c	7 bars Laundry Soap for	25c
Corn Starch	7½c	Patterson's Sauce	7½

Mail Orders Filled Promptly and Satisfactorily.

HAMILTON'S St. Catherine and Peel Streets and Dominion Square

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Of good quality, when rightly purchased are a good investment—are a pleasure in possessing.

We aim at keeping nothing but the best quality of Diamonds in stock, and buying direct from Amsterdam our prices are the lowest.

If you contemplate buying Diamonds consult us before purchasing and save money.

R. A. Dickson & Co.,

JEWELLERS,

2261 ST. CATHERINE ST.

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SKIN DISEASES Any case cured in a few days by **Dr. Rameau's Antiseptic Pomade.** We can show hundreds of testimonials from well known people and of recent and old cases. Sold by Druggists. By mail $1.00. J. E. W. LECOURS, Chemist, 370 Craig Street, Montreal.

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SKIPPERS DISAPPOINTED.

The Shamrock Not What They Would Like Before the Wind.

WOULD HAVE BEATEN THE BRITANNIA 30 MINUTES YESTERDAY.

(Special to the Star.)

SOUTHAMPTON, July 20.—Skippers Archie Hogarth and Thomas Wring, of the Shamrock, favoured the New York World correspondent with their impressions of yesterday's trial race as follows. "We substituted jackyards for jib headers yesterday. Although it made a sensible difference before the wind, we still think the running is the weak point of the Shamrock. Both yachts manoeuvred for the start, the Shamrock coming round on the Britannias weather bow going on the starboard tack. The Britannia had to wear away. We stayed getting the best of the start by one length. It was dead run then for the Guernard Ledge with spinnakers to port. When the wind gradually came more abeam we did not appear to go along quite as well as expected. Rounding the mark boat, 5 miles away we were five minutes ahead. While wind was true we were fast dropping the Britannia. We now met a strong wind setting eastward. Neither yacht made much headway. Between the mark boat and Cowes we never broke tack, but the Britannia broke twice. At the Northern shore we were about 6 minutes ahead when the wind took us again, and from that point it was a dead beat down the Solent. In a club topsail breeze we certainly outpointed and outstepped the Britannia in rare style on the different boards going down, and when we rounded the East Stourbridge buoy we were 10 minutes ahead. We were still gaining rapidly and at the Spit we reckoned ourselves more than 15 minutes ahead when the Britannia signalled she was retiring. It is a fair estimate to say if we had completed the course we would have beaten her by 30 minutes. When we downed out stay sail and threw round getting the Britannia's signal we touched the edge of a sand bank off Horse Foot fort, but were towed off in a few minutes. No damage was done. We merely grazed the edge of the bank and had not been keel on the other side the Shamrock would have got off herself, the water being perfectly smooth.

"We again say, no matter what others may think, we are disappointed in the Shamrock when it comes to running before the wind, seeing we had our club topsail up, but as the Shamrock did not have as big sails she will lose in America excuses must be made. Still the Shamrock is far and away the fastest boat ever seen in these waters, but of course we know we have to meet a very much speedier boat than the Britannia at New York."

THE DESIGNER PLEASED.

LONDON, July 20.—Mr. William Fife jr., the naval architect and designer of the Shamrock, challenger for the America's cup, in a letter to his father expresses great satisfaction with the result of the Shamrock's trials in the races of Tuesday and Wednesday last. Mr. Fife says that the yacht steered as easily as a rowboat and is undeniably very speedy, but he adds that whether she is speedy enough to win the cup is another matter.

BARR WILL SAIL COLUMBIA.

BRISTOL, July 20.—In spite of all the criticism of Captain Barr of the Columbia and his crew, there is every reason to believe the Columbia will be manned and officered in the International races as she is at present. It would be a serious question now to inaugurate a change. Weeks of study of Columbia under sail on the part of Barr would be thrown to the winds. Mr. Iselin was interviewed about the Barr matter yesterday. He was disinclined to talk about it at first and said no, but upon being pressed declared the criticism to be an outrage.

W. J. McKinley has been nominated as the Liberal candidate for Springfield, Man., for the Legislature.

The members of the National Editorial Association, of the United States, were warmly welcomed at Calgary, N.W.T., today.

A fire, the origin of which is unknown, destroyed a large eight story grain elevator and two grain storehouses and contents in Brooklyn last night. They were the property of the Brooklyn Wharf and Warehouse Company. The loss is estimated at $300,000, well insured.

Advices received at Victoria, B.C., indicate that the perennial outbreaks in China against the foreign element are again taking place. A despatch from Foo Chow to a Yokohama paper says the gentry of Kleming have issued a proclamation ordering the destruction of all foreigners.

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REDISTRIBUTION BILL

Debate Upon Its Constitutionality Continued in the Senate.

Division Upon Sir Mackenzie Bowell's Motion Possible To-Night.

(Special Staff Correspondence.)

OTTAWA, July 20.—The whole session of the Senate yesterday was taken up with the Redistribution bill, the debate being continued by Hon. Messrs. Ferguson, Power, Lougheed, Dandurand and Landry. It is understood that the vote will be taken today.

Hon. D. Ferguson held that the Senate had an undoubted right to reject a measure dealing with the Lower House. The Senate was called upon to consider this bill under most peculiar circumstances. In another place there was under consideration a measure aimed at the independence the liberty and the inordinate honour and dignity of the Senate. With one hand the Government brought down this most extraordinary measure, with the other the threat contained in the other measure. They could find no parallel for this in constitutional history. One objection to the present bill was that it was not general in its character. The bill only dealt with Western Ontario, Prince Edward Island, the city and county of St. John, N.B., and a few scattered constituencies in Quebec. He quoted Mr. Laurier's motion of 1891 to refer the question to a committee of both parties. Why was that not tried now?

Hon. David Mills said they tried it then, and it was refused. The Conservative Government refused them any voice in the matter.

Hon. D. Ferguson quoted the English precedent of 1884-5 when the redistribution bill was drafted by a joint committee. He accused Mr. Mills of being actuated by a spirit of vengeance, as regarded Bothwell.

Hon. David Mills said in 1882 he proposed to do away with Bothwell.

Hon. D. Ferguson read Mr. Mills' speech and motion to the effect that Kent and Lambton should be the constituencies, leaving Bothwell with about 21,000.

Hon. D. Mills said he did not propose that Bothwell should be anything but a part of Lambton and Kent.

Then Mr. Ferguson came to the judicial division of constituencies by independent authority. In 1892 Mr. Laurier condemned the principle; now it was partially adopted. When it came to New Brunswick, Mr. Blair thought he could divide the city and county of St. John better than the judges. In Prince Edward Island they made double constituencies and said they should not be divided. He took the ground that a redistribution bill at this time was unconstitutional.

Hon. Mr. Power replied that the Senate had no right to interfere with Prince Edward Island, and the effect of the proposed changes, which he claimed were entirely for the purposes of party gain. Mr. Greenshields, a particular friend of the Government, had said that if the Senate defeated this bill they took their life in their hand. That would form very excellent ground for throwing out the bill.

Hon. L. Power quoted Sir John Thompson as being in favour of the view that Parliament could at any time readjust its constituencies. Sir Mackenzie Bowell's amendment did not attack the principle of the bill, but was rather aimed at its constitutionality. He dealt at length with the clauses of the British North America Act to prove that a redistribution bill was in order at any time. There was nothing to prevent their passing the bill. This was domestic legislation for the Commons, and having regard to Parliamentary etiquette they should be careful not to interfere. It was not like a franchise bill. They should not trouble their heads about other measures. Their business was to deal with measures as they came; to deal with them as an independent House. They should not reject it unless they were persuaded it was a thoroughly evil measure.

No one thought this a highly objectionable measure. If this bill had any fault it was that it did not go far enough as far as Ontario was concerned. It should have thoroughly undone the work of 1882. If the measure, a fair and reasonable one, were not passed, then after the next decennial census, if the Government were still in power, it would probably have a majority in both Houses and the measure to be introduced would be different. His regard for the Senate made him regret that the majority of the Senate should think they must always fly in face of the majority of the other House.

Hon. Mr. Lougheed claimed that no one reading the Confederation Act could argue that it ever contemplated the upheaval of the constituencies every session.

Hon. Mr. Dandurand discussed the legal aspect of the measure.

He contended that the bill was perfectly constitutional, and even argued that the representation of the provinces might be altered at any time provided the proportional representation of the provinces was not disturbed.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked if he understood Mr. Dandurand to argue that they might give Quebec 75 members at any time.

Hon. Mr. Dandurand—Certainly, provided it is still the unit. He continued to argue that Parliament could make what changes it liked provided the proportionate representation were not interfered. Under the claim of correcting clerical errors, Parliament could each year alter county boundaries so as to transform the face of the province. In 1893 they had a bill altering the boundaries of two counties in Quebec. The Conservatives had a pretension that it was bad policy to alter the boundaries more than once in ten years. He was with them, but to-day, animated by justice, the Government brought down a bill to undo wrongs done in 1882 and 1892. One parish had been taken from the county of Bagot and thrown into the Liberal county of Rouville; what was the result? The Tory candidate for Bagot was returned by acclamation, and in Rouville the Liberal was returned by so great a majority that the Tory candidate lost his deposit. Quebec in 1892 had quite a taste of gerrymander. When the bill was brought down Sir John Thompson relented, and instead of gerrymandering Vercheres and Chambly he let them alone. He took St. John and Iberville, Liberal counties, and united them. No one grumbled. True they lost one member, but county lines were respected. Only one injustice was done, when St. Pie was taken from Bagot to make it sure for Mr. Dupont. That was put right by this bill.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell asked suppose Parliament should decide to increase the representation of the Province of Quebec by ten members eight years after the decennial census, upon what basis would he construct the calculation of population by which the other provinces' representation should be adjusted.

Hon. Mr. Dandurand saw the difficulty, but supposed they presumed a population and increase relatively.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell said they could not suppose a population. They would have to come back to the census taken eight years previously and that was to his mind the best argument that only after a decennial census could the re-adjustment be made.

Hon. Mr. Dandurand said they could take the same ratio as before the representation of Quebec was altered.

Hon. Mr. Landry moved the adjournment of the debate, but Hon. Mr. Mills refused, hinting at an agreement with Sir Mackenzie Bowell.

Sir Mackenzie—Mr. Mills wanted everyone to speak that evening so that he could move the adjournment and close the debate to-day, as several members wanted to attend Mr. Geoffrion's funeral to-morrow. He could not, however, bind himself that no one would follow the Minister of Justice.

The debate was continued by Hon. Mr. Landry, who replied to Mr. Dandurand.

Hon. D. Mills adjourned the debate.

Owing to a clerical error in yesterday's Senate report, Sir Mackenzie Bowell is represented as having referred to Separate Dawes' attacks on the judiciary of Prince Edward Island, instead of the judiciary of New Brunswick.

Mid-Summer Shoe Sale

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Ladies' dongola kid oxfords and one strap Slippers, turn soles, will go at 75c

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A tableful of Ladies' tan oxford low Shoes, turn soles, two kinds, reduced to $1.25 pair

Ladies' tan kid lace Boot, McKay soles, modified bull dog toe, vesting top, cheap at $2.00, on sale for $1.49

Ladies' $3.00 tan or black Bicycle Boots, canvas tops, corrugated soles, [new style] to clear at $2.00

SPECIAL.—Ladies' $4.00 tan calf button Boots, Goodyear welt soles, for Friday and Saturday, only $1.97

Misses' tan pebble button boots, spring heels, were $1.50, sizes 11 to 2, to clear at $1.00

Girls' tan strap Slippers, spring heels, sizes 8 to 10 1-2, cheap at 80c, will go at 60c

A tableful of children's button Boots and Slippers, sizes 1 to 6, good value at 50c, rush out price 25c

Boys' Casco calf lace Boots, extension soles, whole fox, three different styles, sizes 1 to 5, reduced to $1.25

Youths' ditto, sizes 11 to 13, $1.00

The balance of our Men's white canvas oxfords and lace Boots, to clear at $1.25

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THE NEW PRESIDENT.

Mr. Rodolphe Forget Selected by Royal Electric Directors.

Two of the Directors Persist in Resigning.

At the meeting of the directors of the Royal Electric Company, yesterday afternoon, Mr. Rodolphe Forget was elected President and Lieut.-Col. J. A. L. Strathy, Vice-President, thus filling the positions which have heretofore been occupied by Hon. Mr. Thibaudeau and Mr. David Morrice.

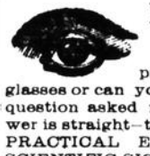
Mr. Forget's election to the Presidency came somewhat as a surprise to a number of people on the "Street," who were of the opinion that the junior member of the Forget brokerage firm desired nothing more than a seat on the directorate.

As a matter of fact, Mr. Forget was very loth to take over the work and responsibilities of the office, owing to the amount of business which he already has on hand. He fully recognized the fact that the presidency of a company, such as the Royal Electric, if properly looked after, is no sinecure, particularly for a very busy man. It was found, however, that Mr. Forget was about the only man whom the directors could agree upon, and it was with the idea of making the body unanimous that he finally agreed to accept.

The election of Mr. Forget, who is known as one of the most wide-awake and progressive business men in the city, has an air of business about it which is generally pleasing to the shareholders of the company, and to the public in general. As already mentioned, Mr. Rodolphe Forget is the junior member of the firm of L. J. Forget & Co., stock brokers. He is a director in the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company, and for the last few years has been an acknowledged power in the "Street."

Lieut.-Col. Strathy, the new vice-president, has been identified in the Royal Electric Company for a number of years, and has been a prominent member of the directorate.

Messrs. David Morrice and F. L. Beique, both persisted in their determination to resign, in spite of their unanimous election to the board. This leaves two vacancies on the Board of Directors, which, it is thought, will be filled before long. Among those spoken of for the vacancies are Lieut.-Col. Fred Henshaw, who is at present a director in the Montreal Street Railway and in the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company, and Mr. K. W. Blackwell, of the Canada Switch and Spring Company.



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THE GALLIA'S CREW.

They Claim Damages for Delay in Sailing.

Captain Refuses to Furnish Written Guarantee.

Thirty-two seafaring men lined up in a long row opposite the shipping master's office yesterday afternoon attracted considerable attention. It was a matter of wages that was troubling the mariners and they formed the crew of the steamship Gallia lately seized by H. & A. Allan. The men have been very uneasy for some time and have sent frequent deputations up to see Mr. Cunningham. A group from the ship conferred with him this morning and then went to see a lawyer.

The facts are as follows. Thirty-two men shipped on the Gallia from the port of Montreal on the 13th inst., upon the understanding that the vessel was expected to sail on last Sunday morning the 16th of July. The ship was to have subsequently finished loading her cargo at Quebec. The understanding was that the men should get paid at the rate of a month's pay for the run across. The men have been greatly inconvenienced by the delay in the ship's sailing, and this is their ground of complaint at the shipping office. Yesterday, however, Captain Stewart, of the Gallia, agreed to pay the crew one day's pay and board for every day that the ship was detained in port. This arrangement was to be in operation from Monday last. It was upon the understanding that the men worked while aboard the ship. The crew, however, declined to accept this offer unless the Captain furnished a written guarantee. Captain Stewart refused to give them this and so the matter rests. The Gallia is still tied up pending instructions from her owners Messrs. D. & C. McIver, of Liverpool.

RESCUER DROWNED.

James Simington Met His Death in the Canal at St. Henri,

While Trying to Save a Companion Who Had Fallen Into the Water.

The home of Mr. John Mortimer Simington, of the Grand Trunk Railroad, Selby street, Westmount, is in mourning to-day over the accidental death by drowning yesterday of James, their 8-year-old son, in the canal, near Ward's mill.

The little fellow had accompanied a playfellow of about the same age, named Arthur Greig, and the latter's father, Mr. A. Greig, a milkman, No. 61 Selby street, Westmount. While waiting for the latter to discharge some business, the two boys went to the canal, where they were soon playing on a boom covered with slush and slime, which was chained to the wharf. After running backward and forward on the boom a couple of times, one of the boys young Greig, slipped into the water, and his companion, young Simington, fell in after him while trying to save him. His strength was unequal to the double task of getting his companion and himself out of the water, and while young Greig was rescued in time, he met his death, life having departed but one minute before he was taken out of the water.

It was reported that when the accident occurred an unknown man was sitting on a pile of boarding, not twenty feet away from where the boys fell in. They shouted to him for help, when he deliberately walked away, instead of throwing them a board, or attempting to rescue them by descending on the boom, which would have been an easy matter.

The body was taken to Mr. Simington's home. The coroner being informed of the circumstances, did not deem an inquest necessary.

THE GULF.

QUEBEC, Que., July 20.—Weather conditions: Cloudy; wind strong, westerly.

River du Loup—Out at 6.30 a.m., City of London.

Father Point—In yesterday at 10 p.m. Iona.

Matane—In at 7 a.m., steamer and Turret.

Martin River—In at 4.30 a.m., steamer.

Cape Magdalen—In yesterday at 3.30 p.m., steamer; at 6 p.m., Turret Bay.

Fame Point—In at 7.30 a.m., Roseneath.

Cape Rosier—Out yesterday at 9.30 p.m., Campana.

Low Point—Out at 6 a.m., Turret court and Smyrna.

LACHINE TOWN COUNCIL.

The Town Council of Lachine met last evening and adopted a by-law organizing a system of sewerage for the town and ordering the construction of the drains according to the plans already passed by the Council. After coming to an arrangement with the Grand Trunk Railway, near whose property the sewers will have to pass, a date will be fixed for the voting on the by-law by the ratepayers, which must be within one month after its adoption by the Council.

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Ladies' plain White Lawn Handkerchiefs, worth 5c, for

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Clearing Sale

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ABSOLUTE SILK CLEARANCE.

BARGAIN NO. 1—1500 yards of the most desirable and seasonable fabrics, comprising the latest, choicest and scarcest materials worth 35c. Clearing Sale Price 15c

BARGAIN NO. 2—Evening Silks in handsome stripes and brocades worth 75c. Clearing Sale Price 19c

BARGAIN NO. 3—Coloured Taffeta Silks, in Nile Greens, Light Blues, Burnt Orange, Salmon, Pink, Olive Greens, Reseda Greens, &c., a sensational bargain worth 75c. Clearing Sale Price 29c

BLACK DRESS GOODS OUTGOING.

Black Silk and Wool Brocaded Crepon, worth 90c, clearing sale price, 49c

Black Wool and Mohair Brocaded Bengaline, worth 89c, clearing sale price 49c

Black Mohair and Silk Grenadine, worth $1.25, clearing sale price 69c

Very Special.

Linenette black, pink, brown, gray, pale blue, navy and white, worth 10c, special 5c

Fancy Striped Sateen for skirts and linings, worth 40c, special 18c

Dress Shields, only 5c

1 lot Irish Lace, butter, cream and white, worth 10c, for 3½c

RIBBON RIDDANCE.

Plaited Ribbon, Cardinal, Heliotrope, Drab, Cream, Gray, White, Pink, Rose, Navy, Cadet Blue, Nile Green, worth 38c. Clearing Sale price. 5c.

Dotted and Striped Taffeta Ribbon, White, Cream, Rose, Royal Blue, Gray, Bluet, Nile, Drab, worth 40c, Clearing Sale price. 15c.

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Hundreds of dozens in the choicest Fabrics and styles of the season, Percales, black and white Lawn, fancy Muslins, Colored Lawns, Dimities, Checked Zephir, etc., all perfect fitting and exquisitely laundered, marked at prices which enable you to secure two to five Waists for almost the price usually paid for one. On sale as follows:

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Lot No. 2—Ladies' Waists, worth 60c, special 28c

Lot No. 3—Ladies' Waists, worth $1.25, special 75c

Lot No. 4—Ladies' Waists, worth $1.75, special 99c

Lot No. 5—Ladies' Waists, worth $2.85, special $1.25

Lot No. 6—Ladies' Waists, worth $3.15, special $1.60

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Table Linens, 58 inches wide, full bleached Irish Satin damask, regular 75c quality, to close out at 49c.

58 inches wide, best unbleached Satin finish Barnsley, regular 35c quality, to close out at 19c.

60 inches wide, half bleached extra heavy Scotch damask, regular 70c quality, to close out at 43c.

70 inches wide, high bleached Satin Damask, Irish goods, regular $1.00 quality, to close out at 65c

Napkins, ¾ size, fine Satin Damask, all linen, Irish Goods, regular $1.90 quality, to close out at doz. $1.20

Napkins, 3-4 size, extra fine and heavy, full bleached Scotch Linen Napkins, regular $2.75 quality, to close out at $1.75

Towels, all Linen, knotted Fringed, Satin Damask Towels, regular 15c quality, to close out at 9c

Towels—A big lot of extra quality Huck Towels, regular 12c quality, to close out at 8c

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Remnants of Organdie Muslin, Lappet Lace, Dimity and Grenadines, worth from 15c to 40c. Clearing Sale Price 5½c

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Striped White Muslin, worth 15c. Clearing Sale Price 8c

Figured Striped Lawn, worth 15c. Clearing Sale Price 5½c

Checked Zephyr Gingham, worth 20c, clearing sale price 9c

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Final clearing, as always we take the loss now.

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The wind-up of the season. Cost not considered. Nothing reserved. "Close out," that's the order.

Imported French Flowers, worth 35c to 75c, for 5c

Imported French Flowers, worth 75c to $1.00, for 15c

Imported French Flowers, worth 75c to 90c, for 25c

Straw Sailors, worth 90c . . . for 15c.

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SHIPPING NEWS.

PORT OF MONTREAL.

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Steamship Lord Antrim, 1954, Munster, Cardiff, July 4, R. Reford & Co., general.

Steamship Cape Breton, 1109, Reid, Sydney, July 15, Kingman & Co., coal.

Steamship Turret Bell, 1276, Nesbitt, Sydney, July 15, Kingman & Co., coal.

CLEARED.

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

Steamship Turret Bell, 1276, Nesbitt, Sydney, Kingman & Co., light.

VESSELS IN PORT.

Steamships.

Gallia, 2600, Stewart, McLean, Kennedy & Co.

Dromore, 1974, Phalen, W. Johnston & Co.

Scotsman, 3867 Skrimshire, D. Torrance & Co.

Mount Royal, 4569, Morgan, Elder, Dempster & Co.

Morven, 2360, Norrie, McLean, Kennedy & Co.

Wilster, 1232, Fookes, McLean, Kennedy & Co.

Ceylon, 1443, Hansen, Kingman & Co.

Lord Antrim, 1954, R. Reford & Co.

Cape Breton, 1109, Reid, Kingman & Co.

Turret Bell, 1276, Nesbitt, Kingman & Co.

Barque.

Culdoon, 372, Richter, Petersen, Tate & Co.

Barquentine.

Stranger, 591, Liekbie, Anderson, McKenzie & Co.

PASSENGER STEAMSHIP SAILINGS

MONTREAL TO LIVERPOOL.

Scotsman, July 22, D. Torrance & Co.

Lake Superior, July 26, Elder, Dempster & Co.

Tainui, July 27, H. & A. Allan.

Lake Huron, August 2, Elder, Dempster & Co.

Parisian, August 3, H. & A. Allan.

Vancouver, August 5, D. Torrance & Co.

Lake Ontario, August 9, Elder, Dempster & Co.

Laurentian, August 10, H. & A. Allan.

Dominion, August 12, D. Torrance & Co.

Californian, August, 7, H. & A. Allan.

Cambroman, August 19, D. Torrance & Co.

Tainui, August 24, H. & A. Allan.

Scotsman, August 28, D. Torrance & Co.

Lake Superior, August 30, Elder Dempster & Co.

OTHER STEAMSHIP SAILINGS.

Ismore for Liverpool, July 20.

Georgian, for Liverpool, July 20.

Amaranthia, for Glasgow, July 20.

Mount Royal, for London, July 22.

BUOYS BALIZED AND NUMBERED.

The following telegram has been received by the secretary of the Harbour Commissioners from the Buoy Engineer: "Every black spar buoy from Batiscan to Three Rivers has been balized, also red spar buoy at Point Citrouille. Becancour iron buoy numbered. Will balize Lake St. Peter to-morrow."

SCHOONER WRECKED.

CANSO, N.S., July 20.—The schooner Hattie E. Worcester of Gloucester was wrecked on Sable Island on Monday night last. Two of the crew, James L. McDonald, of Montague, P. E. I., and Henry Jodery, of Digby, arrived here in a dory today and report that the vessel left the fishing grounds Straits of Belle Isle, Monday, the 10th instant, for Gloucester with a fare of 60,000 pounds of halibut. The schooner was under command of Captain Crowell and carried a crew of 18 men. It is believed that most of the members were natives of the Provinces. The schooner was of 117 tons register and was built ten years ago in Essex, Mass. She was valued at $9000, and was protected by an insurance of $7500.

ARRIVING BY LAKE SUPERIOR.

The Lake Superior, of the Elder, Dempster and Co. steamship line, is due in port this evening, with the following saloon passengers: Mr. Cecil F. Guest, Mr. R. B. Harris, Mr. J. Howard, Mr. Howard, Mr. Hearn, sr., Mr. Hearn, jr., Montreal; Rev. S. H. Mallinson, Mrs. Mallinson, Grenville; Miss McDougall, Hamilton; Mr. D. K. McLaren, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Samuels, London.

THE CATHOLIC SAILORS' CLUB.

The concert which took place at the Catholic Sailors' Club last evening was much enjoyed by all present. Dr. Kennedy was chairman, and among those present were Mr. J. Hamilton Ferns, president of the Irish Protestant Benevolent Society, and the Rev. Mr. McKillican. Those who took part in making the evening an enjoyable one were Mrs. Tigh, Miss Marrow, Miss Ina Read, Miss Bangster, and Messrs. Moulson, Kennedy, Brennan, Miller, Baxter and Hill.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

ARRIVED.

Trave, at New York, from Bremen, July 20.

Majestic at New York, from Liverpool, July 19.

Teutonic at Queenstown, from New York, July 19.

Mongolia at New York, from Glasgow, July 19.

Patria at Cherbourg, from New York, July 19.

Nocmadl at Liverpool, for New York, July 19.

Delmar at Hull, from New York, July 19.

Cheronea at Barry, from St. John, N. B., July 19.

Lahn at Southampton, from Newport, July 19.

SAILED.

Simoneide from Sunderland, for Quebec, July 19.

Silverton, from Liverpool, for Philadelphia, July 19.

Darmiel, from Manchester, for Quebec, July 19.

STEAMERS DUE AT NEW YORK.

Thursday.

Trave, from Bremen, July 11.

Palatia, from Hamburg, July 10.

Adria, from Antwerp, July 8.

Friday.

Lucania, from Liverpool, July 15.

Fuerst Bismarck, from Hamburg, July 13.

Barbaroesa, from Bremen, July 10.

Saturday.

Peninsular, from Lisbon, July 6.

SAILING DATES OF STEAMERS.

Mongolian, from New York for Glasgow, July 21.

Bretagne, from New York for Havre, July 22.

Umbria, from New York for Liverpool July 22.

Amsterdam, from New York for Rotterdam, July 22.

Pennsylvania, from New York for Hamburg, July 22.

Majestic, from New York for Liverpool, July 26.

F. Bismarck, from New York for Hamburg, July 27.

Mesaba, from New York, for London, July 20.

Steamship Prince Edward, Captain Lockhart, while lying at the end of Long wharf Boston, early Wednesday morning, narrowly escaped sinking by her after compartment filling with water. The Prince Edward arrived Tuesday afternoon from St. John, N. B., with a small cargo The water entered through open port holes the vessel having listed while taking coal. Tugs pumped her out.

The Dominion Steamship Company has just announced the appointment of Captain Robert Roberts to the position of shore captain at Boston. Captain Roberts was recently in command of the Irishman, from Liverpool, running to Boston. He is well known as the commanding officer of the Roman at the time that she towed into Halifax, N.S., the French Line steamer La Champagne with hundreds of persons on board.

NOTES.

The Allan line steamer Mongolian, from Glasgow, arrived at Sandy Hook Bar at 9.40 yesterday morning.

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