

PONTON WILL STAND HIS TRIAL

Mackie and Holden Also Committed at Napanee To-day by Magistrate Daly.

PONTON IS ALLOWED BAIL

Counsel for the Crown and Defence Delivered Lengthy Addresses.

MR. PORTER SPOKE FIVE HOURS.

Napanee, August 12.—(Special.)—Mr. W. T. Warner, Napanee dealer, was the first witness called by Mr. Porter yesterday as an expert to swear that a Yale-lock key could not be made from the impression on paper found in Ponton's drawer. It was an utter impossibility.

Mr. Oser—Do you not know that a large amount of crime is committed from such impressions; that the United States express robbery at Susquehanna was made possible just by a Yale-lock key being traced on a piece of paper? Waller—"I do not know."

F. William Smith, Napanee, a jeweller, was also called as an expert, and shared the opinion of the former witness.

Mr. Oser—"In all these questions it is merely a matter of having an accurate pattern and of a skillful man following it accurately."

Smith—"That is so."

James Mackie, sr., father of the prisoner Mackie, did not think he had ever seen Pare to his knowledge, and he did not know of any men having ever been secreted in his house, to his knowledge.

Mr. Wilson—"What does your son Robert do for a living?" Mackie—"Well, I would call him a sort of speculator."

Mr. Wilson—"Explain yourself." Mackie—"He is one of those ready to buy a basket of chickens or a ton of butter if it comes his way."

Mr. Wilson—"Does he make much money, and how?" Mackie—"I don't know; he never asks me for any."

Mr. Wilson—"Is he accustomed to attend the races?" Mackie—"I know he is fond of a horse, and I have heard of him going there."

Mr. Oser drew from the witness that he was in New York for the first time last April, in which point Pare's story is corroborated. He thought his son Robert might be termed a "sport," and he attended the races frequently.

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MINISTERS START FOR OLD QUEBEC.

The British Commissioners Making Ready for the Opening of the Conference.

THE PRELIMINARY PLANS

Revenue for the Interior Department Shows that the Yukon is Self-Sustaining.

NEW HOMESTEAD TAKEN UP.

Ottawa, Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The British commissioners to the Quebec conference will have an informal conference at Quebec on Friday.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier leaves Arthabaska for the Ancient Capital this morning. Sir Richard Cartwright will set out from Kingston to-day for Quebec, stopping at Montreal upon the way.

The participation of Newfoundland in the conference, which has been agreed to because of the close mutuality of interests in the fisheries and trade questions, will be confined to these subjects, and any terms arrived at as between Canada and the United States will be accepted by that colony.

Newfoundland will be unable to secure, nor is likely she will claim, any special privileges in regard to trade or the supply of bait to fishermen that are not possessed by Canada.

The commissioners, Senators Fairbanks and Gray, General Foster, Mr. Kasson, Mr. Coolidge and Mr. Dingley will be accompanied by Messrs. Chandler P. Anderson and Charles Henry Butler, who are officials connected with the commission.

The probable length of the conference is as yet a matter of the merest speculation, as until a basis of procedure is arrived at it will be difficult to say when the conference will be terminated.

Interior Revenue. The revenue of the Interior Department from the Yukon during the fiscal year 1897-8 amounted to \$42,243.

Several Papers Read and Services Held at a Convention in Bedford.

Bedford, August 18.—(Special.)—The president, Mr. C. P. England, of Dunham, presided at the Epworth League convention, which opened in the Methodist Church yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Oser's Address. When Mr. B. B. Oser rose to address the court for the prosecution, there was a perceptible stir in the room.

Mr. Oser contended that the case was one in which the prisoners should be committed to a higher court, where the Crown would be able to present its case.

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CONDUCTED BY REV. ISAAC NELSON

The evening service was a very largely attended and enthusiastic one, the delegates from the different places entering readily into the discussions of the subjects introduced.

CAPT. LESLIE APPOINTED.

A Former Member of the Victoria Rifle Association, Appointed to the Camp to Major-General Hutton.

SHERBROOKE JEWELLERS.

An Association for the Protection of the Retail Dealers Has Been Organized.

Sherbrooke, Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The first meeting which marks the basis of the Eastern Township Jewellers' Association, was held at the Grand Central Hotel in this city last night.

The Carlsley Stables. The Growth of the Big Department Store Necessitates More Room for Delivery Horses.

With the exceedingly rapid growth of the S. Carlsley Company's business, the delivery department also grew apace, until the teams and carriages were too numerous for the stables and sheds of the firm.

Canada's Mineral Wealth. Ottawa, Aug. 18.—Mr. John Krug of Hamburg, Germany, has just visited the asbestos mine of Mr. J. W. Wurtle in Lower Township, and purchased 50 tons of the mineral.

TONGARIRO IN PORT. She Lies Below Jacques Cartier Square, Where She May Be Seen.

Major Walsh Coming Out. Ottawa, August 18.—A letter has been received at the Department of the Interior from Major Walsh, administrator of the Tongariro (Great Mountain) mine.

CHICAGO MARKETS. CHICAGO MARKETS. SH. SFR.

The Quebec Conference. Ottawa, August 18.—Although the Quebec Conference is not to open till next Wednesday, the commissioners from both countries will gather in the ancient capital a few days in advance.

Colored Masons Elect Officers. Chatham, Ont., Aug. 18.—The delegates to the Grand Lodge, A.F. and A.M., colored, has closed its session here.

Rev. Dr. Sutherland, of Toronto, secretary of the Methodist Missionary Board, has received a letter from Rev. Dr. Hart, who is stationed at Kai Ting, West China, in which it is stated that all is going on well in the work in preparing.

SONG SONG WAS HIS ODD NAME.

Which the Same He Rose to Explain About the Game at Charley San's.

IN THE POLICE COURT.

How a Chinese Gambling House is Run in Montreal and Some of its Rules.

SUNG, AN ODD CHINAMAN.

The adjourned enquete in the case of Charley Sun, charged with keeping a gambling house at 579 Laquehuette Street, was continued before Magistrate Lafontaine yesterday.

When he alighted in Montreal he found himself out of employment. He lived for some time in the neighborhood of the so-called gambling places.

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MORE GOLD FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Two Steamers Arrive Down With Gold and Big Drafts on Board.

ABOUT THE NEW DIGGINGS

Already the Location Has Been Staked Out, But the Stampede Keeps Up.

THEY ARE IN A FINE COUNTRY.

Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 18.—The C.P.N. Company's steamer Danube arrived from St. Michaels yesterday afternoon with 100 passengers and \$50,000 in gold, besides which the passengers had drafts amounting to \$300,000.

Two of the last to reach the coast, L. McKinnon, of Juneau, and C. A. Pauley, of Skagway, are both directly connected with the discovery of the new diggings.

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THE S. CARSLY CO. LIMITED. Notre Dame St. Montreal's Greatest Store. August 18th, 1898.

FRIDAY'S SPECIAL OFFERINGS.

When the gong strikes at 8 o'clock on Friday morning there'll be a rush for many of the rare values offered here. It's absolutely necessary to come early at the big bargains go first as a matter of course. The Persistent Growth of our Friday Special Offerings is due to the offering of Staple Dry Goods and House Furnishings at such prices as these.

Special Clearing Sale of LADIES' CLOTH JACKETS, At Less Than the Cost of Material.

To-morrow will bring about a Ladies' Jacket incident of more than ordinary interest. It will be the clearing out of Every Lady's Jacket in stock that is not absolutely up-to-date in style and cut. Many of these garments are quite in harmony with present fashions, only lacking in some trifling minor detail; there's one sure fact, that every jacket possesses a degree of usefulness worth many times the prices marked. These garments will be laid out on special tables and divided into three different lots as follows:

NO. 1 LOT. At 99 CENTS EACH. At \$1.99 EACH. About \$2.99 EACH. Over About 130 Ladies' 75 Ladies' Jackets in Box Cloth Jackets in Serge, Tweed and Box Cloth, some are richly trimmed with silk and velvet, handsomely trimmed with silk and velvet, some are silk lined, with inlaid collar and cuffs. These garments were originally priced at \$8.50 to \$8.00. No matter about the loss, they're ordered to quit.

NO. 2 LOT. At \$1.99 EACH. About \$2.99 EACH. Over About 100 Ladies' Fine Cloth Jackets in Serge, Fancy Tweed, Box and Amazon Cloth are among the lot. Many of them are lined with check and fancy shot silk, richly braided and ornamented with pearl buttons. Each of the firm's orders worth four times the price charged to-morrow. \$2.99.

NO. 3 LOT. At \$2.99 EACH. About \$4.99 EACH. Over About 100 Ladies' Fine Cloth Jackets in Serge, Fancy Tweed, Box and Amazon Cloth are among the lot. Many of them are lined with check and fancy shot silk, richly braided and ornamented with pearl buttons. Each of the firm's orders worth four times the price charged to-morrow. \$2.99.

Great Doings in Ladies' Shirt Waists. The Biggest Bargains ever heard of will be the general topic of conversation at The Big Store to-morrow.

Ladies' neat Shirt Waists, worth 55 cents. Ladies' Shirt Waists, worth 65 cents. Ladies' Stylish Shirt Waists, worth 75 cents. Ladies' pretty Shirt Waists, worth 85 cents. Ladies' beautiful made, \$1.10. To-morrow, 60 cents.

Bargains in Summer Dress Goods. You'll be delighted with these goods when you see them and surprised at the littleness of the prices.

Three Bargains in Dainty Muslins. These three bargains will be the talk of the city to-morrow.

Ladies' Vest Values. Here's two bargains that it will be necessary for you to come early.

Cuts in Cutlery. It's easy to judge from these prices that there's been a keen cut made in cutlery prices for Friday.

In the Grocery Store. Special Bargains in pure, sweet and wholesome Groceries. Price surprises amaze you.

Fancy Tables. Here's a table bargain that will bring the life out of ordinary furniture men. 75 Fancy Hardwood Bottom Tables, shaped legs, lower shelf, size 16 by 16 inches, worth \$1.00; to-morrow 70 cents.

Bamboo Stands. 37 only - Bamboo Stands, fitted with Jardiniere and three hanging pots, like cut; will be sold on Friday at \$1.79. Hanging Fern Pots, with brass chain, 11c. Elegant Jardiniere, 7c. Fern Pots and Pedestals, 2c. Pots and Pedestals in art colors, 2 7/8 in. high, \$2.20. Pots and Pedestals from 24c. to \$45 each.

Boys' Pants. Boys strong Blue and White striped Coats pants, knee length. Regular 35 cents a pair; here to-morrow 22 cents.

Hundreds of other Bargains Offered Friday throughout the store

THE S. CARSLY CO. LIMITED 1765 to 1783 Notre Dame St. 184 to 194 St. James St. MONTREAL

DAILY HINTS TO HOUSEKEEPERS. FRIDAY-AUGUST 19.

The food tide of summer is upon the North. Nature, at the height and fullness of her beauty has fallen asleep among her powers.

FRUIT. Wheat and Meal. Fruit. Corn Oysters, Raised Muffins. Coffee.

DINNER. Swiss White Sauce Braised Beef's Tongue, Plum Jelly, Browned Cones of Potato, Corn on Cob, Shrimp Salad, Lettuce, Beans, Jelly, Float, Chocolate Cake, Coffee.

SUPPER. Stewed Potatoes, Baked Apples with Chopped Raisins, Fried Potatoes, Cookies, Tea.

Corn Oysters - One pint buttered corn, one-half cup milk and flour, one teaspoon salt, one-half cup milk, one-half cup butter, one-half cup oysters, one-half cup milk, one-half cup butter, one-half cup oysters, one-half cup milk, one-half cup butter.

SHRIMP SALAD - Buy the canned; open an hour before using. Break up a quart of the best whole. Pour over a quart of two table-spoons vinegar, one of oil, a little salt and pepper.

APPLE JELLY - Best quality of six or eight pounds of apples, one quart sugar; add by degrees six table-spoons of apple jelly. Best all together until almost solid. Set on ice and serve with cream.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS. Announcements under this head 25c each insertion.

MACKENZIE - On August 16, to Mr. and Mrs. James Mackenzie, a son.

COULTON - At Montreal, N.B., August 13, to the wife of R. L. Coulton, a daughter, Ernest H. Coulton, a son.

FULLERTON - At Albert, N.B., August 3rd, to the wife of R. L. Fullerton, a daughter, Ernest H. Fullerton, a son.

HEALY - At Richmond, on August 13th, 1898, to the wife of J. M. Healy, a daughter, Madeline Jean Madeline, a daughter.

MITCHELL - At Halifax, August 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mitchell, a son.

SIMPSON - At Springdale, N.S., on August 3, to the wife of H. H. Simpson, a son.

WBATHERS - At Springhill, August 10th, to the wife of J. W. Wathers, a son.

MICHELL - At Springhill, N.S., August 10th, to the wife of Frederick J. Michell, a daughter.

MEAD - At Toronto, on August 12th, the wife of Wm. Mead, of a son.

BYLON - At Smith's Falls, Ont., on the 21st of August, the wife of Walter Hyslop, of a son.

SMITH - At Smith's Falls, Ont., on the 4th of August, the wife of D. A. M. Smith, of a daughter.

SEYMOUR - At Smith's Falls, Ont., on August 7th, Mrs. Alfred Seymour, of a son.

DEGROFF - At Smith's Falls, Ont., on the 2nd of August, the wife of George Degroff, of a daughter.

DEYER - At Smith's Falls, Ont., on the 2nd of August, the wife of Frank Deyers, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES. LAYTON-TOWER - At the residence of the bride's father, Hillside, N.B., August 13th, by Rev. J. M. Layton, A. Layton, a son.

COFFIN - At Andover, N.B., on August 13th, by Rev. J. M. Coffin, A. Coffin, a son.

MONROE - At Andover, N.B., on August 13th, by Rev. J. M. Monroe, A. Monroe, a son.

SOANES-HEALY - At Trinity Church, Toronto, on Monday, August 15th, by Rev. T. R. O'Meara, of Rev. Archdeacon Hoakes, of Westboro, Pa., united in holy matrimony, Miss Agnes Curran, of St. Matthew's Church, Halifax, to Jennie L. eldest daughter of S. H. Hoakes, of Toronto.

TARRANT-ROY - At Toronto, by Rev. Wm. Tarrant, Roy, youngest daughter of Warren Roy, Stanley Morton Tarrant, Kingston.

WARRIS-BADEAU - At Pickering, Ont., August 10th, in the R. C. Church, by Rev. Father Gallagher, Mr. Nicholas John Morrissey, of Manning, Mich. U.S.A., to Miss Hilda, daughter of the late Joseph Warriss, of Pickering, Ontario.

ARGUE-BIRNIE - At Collingwood, Ont., on August 9th, by Rev. H. T. Ferguson, Mr. William Henry Birnie, of Collingwood, to Miss Hattie, daughter of Mr. Horatio M. Birnie, of Collingwood, Ontario.

BRADLEY-SMISER - At Chesherville, Ont., on the 9th inst., Miss P. Smiser to Mr. Bradley Smiser, 34 years of age.

CLEARY-CURRAN - At Chesherville, Ont., on the 9th inst., Miss Agnes Curran to Mr. James Cleary, of Alexandria, by the Rev. Dean O'Connor.

WBERSORVILLE - On Wednesday, August 17, at the residence of the groom, by Rev. Wm. Finlay, B.D., of Beebe Plain, assisted by Rev. J. E. Marr, of Stanstead, Wolfred Ross, of St. Mary's, Ottawa, and the Rev. Dean O'Connor.

PISET - At Quebec, on the 15th August, 1898, at the age of 72 years, 10 months and a half, Louis Joseph Piset, Esq., Esq., a devoted Prothonotary of the Superior Court of the District of Quebec.

ULLEY - In this city, on the 17th inst., Mary Jane Ulley, widow of J. J. Ulley, aged 48 years and 7 months. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 p.m. Service at St. James Methodist Church, 154 Craig Street, on Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 p.m. Burial in Mount Royal Cemetery.

STUART - At 480 Guy Street, on the morning of the 17th inst., 1898, Margaret Stuart, nee Smith, aged 64 years, departed this life at 2 p.m. to Mount Royal Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

RAMSAY - On the 15th inst., at the residence of the late Daniel Ramsay, aged 81 years and 9 months.

COFFIN - At the residence of Mrs. P. G. Coffin, on the 15th August, Martha Hammarsmith, infant daughter of the Rev. J. M. Coffin, aged 11 months.

MACLEAN - At the family residence, Finch, Ont., on August 15th, Alex. R. MacLean, in the 81st year of his age.

MEARTHUR - At Cheshville, Ont., on August 15th, at the residence of the late Daniel Mearthur, in the 81st year of his age, the deceased was born in Glasgow, Scotland.

MCFARLANE - At Dorer, N.B., August 13th, of cancer of the stomach, Arthur McFarlane, aged 70 years.

BATES - At St. John, N.B., on August 14th, of cancer of the stomach, Mrs. Mary Bates, aged 70 years.

BOYLE - At Mac's Bay, N.B., on August 15, after a short illness, Teresa S. Boyle, third daughter of Thomas and Margaret Boyle, in the 20th year of her age.

CORCORAN - At St. John, N.B., on Monday, 15th inst., of cholera infantum, Mary Corcoran, aged 2 years, daughter of James L. Corcoran, of St. John, N.B.

ROWAN - At St. John, N.B., on August 13, of cholera infantum, Margaret Armstrong, aged 1 year, daughter of John and Sarah Rowan.

ACKROY - At St. John, N.B., on August 13, of cholera infantum, William Ackroy, aged 1 year, son of John and Sarah Ackroy.

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consummate as this bit of casuistry, it is surprising that the Americans managed to get through the war so soon. What is more probable is that his spy service was of a piece with his logic and candor, and so failed. The facts of the case are simple enough. Lieut. Carranza and Senor du Bose accompanied the Spanish Ambassador to Montreal. When he departed they remained. They did not stay for pleasure but to serve their country. They did so, not effectively, perhaps, but they best of their ability. Being outwitted by the American secret service, their business was exposed and was held by the Cabinets of Great Britain and Canada to be a violation of the neutrality law. They were required to leave Canada. Then, instead of accepting the penalty of their misfortune or carelessness and going quietly away without their expulsion being brought to the notice of the public, they waited until the patience of Sir Wilfrid Laurier was exhausted.

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CLUB INTENDS TO SUE THE GAZETTE.

There was No Leakage in the Funds of the Club Letellier, as Reported.

HOW THE ERROR WAS MADE

Every Charge Answered by the Men Who Were Responsible for the Accounts.

HEAVY DAMAGES ARE CLAIMED

The treasurer of Club Letellier made a statement at a meeting of the club last night which is reported in this morning's Gazette, and which is likely to lead to much trouble for somebody, including a heavy damages against the Gazette.

The statement was to the effect that "somehow" a check for \$300 was brought to light. The treasurer stated that an enquiry had been held as to the financial administration of the preceding officers of the club. Great errors, to say the least, had been discovered. The Gazette article is headed, "Found a Deficit."

The report says: "For instance, the books showed that \$742.80 was paid the Windsor Hotel Company for the annual banquet last year, whilst the latter receipt only acknowledges \$177. Seventy-five dollars was charged for the printing of the menu cards of that banquet, which had been actually given to the club; \$10 also appeared for a banquet presented to Mrs. Marchand, but no such banquet had ever been ordered. The club had been debited with \$8 for a check that Mr. Valiquette had donated to the president, etc. Mr. L. J. Tarte had subscribed \$10 to the club, and that was not credited to the association. In a word, there was a deficit of \$191.20 in the books of the administration."

In a word, there is no deficit. The difference in the Windsor bill is \$55, which was paid for wine, and so shown in the club's accounts, and on the books of the Windsor.

The cheque for \$75 for printing menus was signed by Mr. O. G. Mundy, treasurer, made payable to the Benallack Lithographing Company, endorsed by them, and cashed at the bank at once afterwards. This cheque I saw this morning.

The \$10 bouquet was ordered for Madame Marchand, but at the last moment the Premier wired that they could not be present.

The \$8 for a dash was spent as charged, but the check was changed for \$10. Mr. L. J. Tarte states that he did not pay a \$10 subscription to the club.

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Ex-President Bouchard and Ex-Treasurer Mundy, who had charge of the affairs of the club at the time of this alleged leakage of money, were seen this morning at the Windsor Hotel. They stated that they had seen their attorneys, and sent for a large sum would at once be ordered against the Gazette and any other paper which published the libel.

A DOCTOR SUICIDES.

He Left a Note Saying That His Enemies Were Too Numerous for Him.

Hamilton, Ont., Aug. 18.—(Special.)—When Bailiff Hunter went to Dr. Hillier's residence to collect rent yesterday morning he was horrified to find the doctor dead. The body was nude and lying on the bed in an upstairs room. There were several tumblers and vials on the table. It is reported that he found the following note in an empty pill box, labelled "quarter grain morphine" on the dresser: "Hamilton, Aug. 4, 1898. To those interested: I tire of the struggle, those enemies, without cause, are too numerous, powerful, and withal too insidious for me. I have always tried to do my duty, but obstacles are irresistible. In death I shall at least find peace and rest. I welcome it as a boon and refuge. My personal effects should be sufficient after payment of rent, to give me decent sepulchre. I would prefer to be buried in Hamilton cemetery, and that the funeral should be private."

It is not known just when the deceased committed suicide. It is believed he ended his life with morphine. The body was bloated and was almost unrecognizable. The doctor was last seen alive on Wednesday, when he went into a drug store to telephone up town. The police found four dollars in his pockets.

DR. JOHNSTON CHOSEN.

West Lambton Will Have a Worthy Successor to Judge Lister in the Federal Parliament.

Sarnia, Aug. 18.—(Special.)—The Liberals of West Lambton chose a standard bearer worthy to succeed in parliament. A more representative convention could not be imagined. Dr. T. G. Johnson, mayor of Sarnia, and president of the West Lambton Association, was selected to lead the Liberal forces at the bye-election. Every division of the riding was represented, and from all sections came the reports that the Liberals are certain of victory should there be a contest. Dr. Johnson is an unusually strong candidate of great personal popularity and an active worker in the Reform party of twenty years standing. The clashing in which he is held by his fellow citizens is shown by the fact that they elected him mayor for the past two years.

Fire-Fighters Gather.

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THIS LAGER WAS INTOXICATING.

Judge Desnoyers Reaffirms His Opinion That Two Per Cent. of Alcohol MAKES AN INTOXICANT.

HOW THE LICENSED VICTUALLERS ARE ENDEAVORING TO STAMP OUT ILLEGAL SELLING.

The Licensed Victuallers' Association, it is said, endeavored, on many occasions, to ferret out such places, which, they say, do a tremendous business, to the detriment of licensed saloons, the proprietors of which have to pay a heavy license fee.

THE DODGE RESTAURANTS HAVE

Judge Desnoyers, in the Police Court yesterday afternoon, condemned Philip Murphy, of Commois Street, to a fine of \$50 and costs or three months' imprisonment, for selling liquor without a license.

For a long time complaints have been made to the Revenue Department that many restaurants were selling beer and ale under the name of non-alcoholic lager. The Licensed Victuallers' Association, it is said, endeavored, on many occasions, to ferret out such places, which, they say, do a tremendous business, to the detriment of licensed saloons, the proprietors of which have to pay a heavy license fee.

About a fortnight ago Philip Murphy was charged with selling liquor without a license. His premises were searched and there were found four kegs and 31 bottles of beer, labeled "Reinhardt's non-alcoholic lager." The accused appeared in the Police Court and claimed that the lager was really non-alcoholic. Several similar cases have already been disposed of, but some doubt seemed to exist as to what per centage of alcohol made a beverage "intoxicating."

Judge Desnoyers some months ago rendered judgment in a case similar to this one, condemning a man for selling without a license lager which contained only two per cent. of alcohol. An appeal was taken from the decision, but Judge Langer, of the Superior Court, maintained the judgment. The bottles found at Murphy's place were given over to Dr. Prevost, Government analyst, and Prof. Priest of L'Ecole Polytechnique. Five bottles of the stuff, taken indiscriminately, were analyzed.

The lager in one bottle contained 2 1/2 per cent. of alcohol, whilst the four other bottles contained 4 1/2 per cent. of alcohol each, which certainly rendered the lager an alcoholic beverage.

Murphy was not represented in court yesterday afternoon, and was not present himself. Judge Desnoyers remarked that it would be difficult to make any defense. He decided to fine Murphy \$50 and costs.

AMONG THE SHIPS.

In and Out of Montreal. Arrived—August 18. Steamship Andoni, Parry, Glasgow, Elder, Deimster & Co., general. Steamship Kastalia, Web, Glasgow, R. Reford & Co., general. Steamship Fram, Hummel, Pictou, International Coal Co., coal. Steamship Jewia, Frost, Sydney, Kingman & Co., coal.

Cleared—August 17 and 18. Steamship Turret Age, Hayton, Sydney, Kingman & Co., light. Steamship Turret Bay, Blenkarn, Sydney, Kingman & Co., light. Steamship Laurentian, Main, Liverpool, H. & A. Allan, general. Steamship Scotia, McKie, Glasgow, R. Reford & Co., general. Steamship Montcalm, Morgan, Bristol, Elder, Dempster & Co. Steamship Bengore Head, Brennan, Dublin, McLean, Kennedy & Co. Ship Mary L. Burrill, Rice, Buenos Ayres, Anderson, McKenzie & Co., lumber.

Vessels in Port.

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General Notes.

The Thomson Line S.S. Iona, from Newcastle on the 8th inst., passed Martin River inwards to-day at 5:15 a.m. The Davidson Line S.S. Comcordia, from Montreal on the 4th, arrived at Glasgow on the 17th inst., and landed her shipment of live stock (222 cattle and 80 sheep) in good condition, except six cattle which died en route.

The steamship Bengore Head, Capt. Brennan, will sail to-morrow morning at daylight for Dublin, with a full general cargo. She would have got away this morning, but had to wait for part of her consignment of deals.

The Allan Line steamship Siberian arrived at Halifax at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, and is due in Montreal at 3 p.m. to-day.

The steamship Assyrian, from London, arrived at Quebec at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, and is due in Montreal at 3 p.m. to-day.

The Allan Line steamship Sarnian passed Father Point outwards at 3:45 p.m. on Wednesday. The Allan Line steamship Laurentian left at 6:40 this morning for Liverpool. The Elder, Dempster Co. has a new ship which was just launched at a few days ago. She is to be called the Mount Royal, and will sail to this port. No particulars have been received as yet, but it is understood she is about the size of the Milwaukee.

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By the United States Government, For the Promotion of Immigration. COMMISSIONER IS HERE.

Mr. T. V. Powderley Gives The Herald New Light on the Alien Labor Law.

DECREASE IN U. S. IMMIGRATION

"T. V. Powderley, Washington." There is nothing about the signature to indicate to the stranger to American affairs that its owner is a man of prominence. It was among the many on the Windsor Hotel register this morning. Room No. 152 was set opposite the name, and a Herald reporter set up his card.

"Gentlemen" used his room, sir," said the boy when he came down, "but he's in the hotel somewhere." "I had never seen the gentleman before, it was easy to pick him out of the half-hundred guests and friends chatting in the rotunda.

Terence V. Powderley was until July, 1897, at the very head of the labor organizations of America. Whether or not the position did not carry a sufficiently large financial consideration is not generally known, but there was general surprise when Mr. Powderley accepted the position of United States Commissioner-General of Immigration and was sworn into office on August 3rd of last year.

It does not follow, of course, that Mr. Powderley has entirely given up his interest in the organization of labor, but naturally that immense amount of work which was his portion now falls on other shoulders. He said this morning: "I shall always give as much attention as I possibly can to the great cause of labor in America. It deserves attention. There is no doubt as to the progress of the work. It is making headway in every State.

"As commissioner you can speak of the effect of the war on immigration? "The effect has been very marked. The falling off has been even greater than we might have expected. Of course, the summer time is not the season chosen by the big majority of immigrants, but putting that aside the decrease is tremendous.

During the past year there has been no reports of the American Alien labor law having been put into force as far as Canadians are concerned and this formed the topic of the next few minutes conversation.

"It never will be while I am in my present position," said the commissioner. "As a matter of fact that law never was intended to apply to Canada and when border officers took it upon themselves to stop Canadians on their way to the United States it was a complete surprise to the framers of the law. At the time the necessity for such a law forced itself upon me there was a strike in a prominent glass factory. The struggle from a labor standpoint was just one and when the proprietors made contracts by the whole with Belgian workmen and poured them in upon us you will admit it was time to legislate against such methods. John S. McLennan, of St. Catherine's, Ontario, a clever man, and the secretary-general of the Knights of Labor, was on the committee which afterwards became law. Do you think that he or any of us dreamed that we were enacting a law which would legislate against many of our bright young Canadians seeking a home, if they should think fit, in the United States? Certainly not."

"But law is law" I suggested, "and the fact remained that the bright young Canadians were turned back." "Yes, but by over jealous officials. You have not known such a case since my appointment."

"What class of people are settling in the States?" "I am sorry to say that we are not getting as many people of the British Isles and Germany as we could wish for. They are most desirable citizens. Scandinavians are not so numerous. We are, however, at present getting many settlers from Italy, particularly the south."

Immigrant Station Suggested. Mr. Powderley is here with Mr. O. L. Spaulding, secretary of the Treasury. They are on an annual tour of inspection of the immigrant stations of the American Government, and have just left Boston, Halifax, St. John, etc.

Mr. Powderley stated that it was their intention, while in this city, to look closely into the question of making Montreal an immigrant station. This, of course, will only be with the approval of the Canadian Government, but as it has already agreed to other ports being so named there is little doubt that Mr. Powderley thinks of obtaining permission.

The gentlemen will pay a visit to the Custom House this afternoon.

Fleming, of Chatham, are visiting in Montreal. Mr. C. Crookall, of the Bank of Montreal, is in Kingston, Ont., visiting Hon. Senator Sullivan. Dr. Coyle, of the Health Department, has left for Carleton, where he will spend his vacation. Ald. McPhee, of Chatham, Ont., has taken on a position on the business staff of The Herald. Sheriff Campbell, wife and child, of Macleod, N.W.T., are guests at the St. Lawrence Hall. Miss Sadie Hayden, of Quebec, is in town, the guest of Miss Katie O'Halloran, Chaboulet square. Messrs. A. G. Beebe, of Chicago, and J. M. Robb, of St. Paul, Minn., are registered at the Belmont. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cain, of Hanover street, have taken up their summer residence at Laprairie. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph, of Dorchester House, are registered at Mrs. Terra, here returned from Bluff Point. Miss Maude L. Egan, of Boston, Mass., is on a visit to her aunt, Mrs. B. F. Corcoran, Lagache street. Mrs. James Kyle and daughter, Gwendoline, of Montreal, are the guests of Mrs. W. Montgomery, at Brockville, Ont. Dr. Campbell, of St. Gabriel's, who has been holidaying at Clifton Springs and Ithaca, N.Y., is returned to the city. Messrs. Chas. H. Watson of Toronto, and F. W. Schub and P. Brown, of London, Ont., are registered at the Queen's. Mr. and Mrs. F. Johnson, of Derby, and Mr. F. Jackson, of Henley, are among the English arrivals at the St. Lawrence Hall. Sheriff Gemmill, Miss Gemmill and Miss

PERSONALS.

Misses Gallagher and Caen, and Mr. Chapman, of Woodstock, N.B., are at the Carlskale. Mr. W. E. Phillips, manager and lessee of the Theatre Francais, has returned from New York. Sheriff Gemmill, Miss Gemmill and Miss

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A few of the 65c line left, in small sizes only, which will now be offered at ..52c.. JUST RECEIVED Another shipment of WHITE MUSLIN WAISTS from New York. Prices from \$1.25 to \$4.50. HENRY MORGAN & CO. MONTREAL. BEAUTIFUL TEETH, SWEET BREATH. By Using Chapman's Floral Carbolic Tooth Wash.

Mrs. Morgan, of Montreal, and Miss Hamilton, of Toronto, are visiting. Misses Deacon, at Hillcrest, Brockville, Ont. Public School Inspector Carlyle, of Woodstock, Ont., with Mrs. Carlyle, are among the tourists at present in the city. Alderman Kinsella and Mrs. Kinsella have returned to town from Old Orchard Beach, where they have spent the last month. Mrs. H. J. Wilson, of Boston, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. O'Halloran, Chaboulet square, leaves for home in a few days. Mr. Will Hill, who has been staying with Mr. T. Ludington, St. Louis square, left this morning per steamship Laurentian for a trip to the Old Country. Mr. James A. Ogilvy, Jr., of the firm of Ogilvy & Sons, dry goods merchants, has returned to the city from a business trip to the Old Country. Mr. James A. Ogilvy, Jr., of the firm of Ogilvy & Sons, dry goods merchants, has returned to the city from a business trip to the Old Country. Mr. James A. Ogilvy, Jr., of the firm of Ogilvy & Sons, dry goods merchants, has returned to the city from a business trip to the Old Country.

TRUTH WILL PREVAIL. We Advertised a Special in Autumn Dress Tweeds in Tuesday night's papers. The price was low, the quality high, and shoppers, knowing they would find them as represented, have purchased liberally. To those who missed seeing our adv. on Tuesday we repeat the offer. 2,000 Yards of All Wool, not Union Goods, remember. Autumn Dress Tweeds in lovely Two-Toned Effects, in Dark Greys, Greens, Purple, Heather and other New Shades. A manufacturer's clearing lot. A regular 65c line to be cleared at 29c. Yard. THE WIDTH, FORTY-TWO INCHES. Samples Sent to Mail Order Shoppers. JAMES A. OGILVY & SONS, The Largest Exclusive Dry Goods House in the Dominion Mountain and St. Catherine Sts., Montreal.

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THE WINNIPEG REGATTA.

Big Trotting Meets Arranged for Longueuil and Richmond at an Early Date.

SARATOGA AND WINDSOR RACING.

New York, August 17.—The following letter is published in the Herald...

It is unfortunate that the blow should have fallen at a time when he was about to engage in an important contest...

Robert Fitzsimmons empowers me to say that if he can do anything to assist Corbett in the present affair, he will gladly offer his best efforts...

Buffalo, August 17.—The following despatch was received from Kid McCoy...

Corbett ready to forfeit. Asbury Park, N.J., Aug. 17.—George Conscience, Corbett's manager, said to-night...

McCoy leaves it to Corbett. Saratoga, August 17.—"Kid" McCoy telegraphed the following to "Jim" Corbett...

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WALL STREET WAS EASIER.

Yesterday Wall Street was strong and the local market, more so.

The trading on the local market this morning was very well distributed and in almost all the leaders the feeling was a good deal firmer.

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THAT \$2,000,000 MINING DEAL.

Mr. Blackstock, of the Syndicate That Made It, Is in the City.

Centre Star Is Going to Be Vigorously Developed, as Was War Eagle.

THE PROFITS ON THE LATTER.

The sale of the Centre Star mine for \$2,000,000 to the Goodham-Blackstock Syndicate, the largest mining transaction in years, has been the talk of the street.

This morning Mr. Blackstock was in the city, and spoke freely of the transaction and the possibilities of mining in the Kootenay.

Mr. Blackstock stated that it was the intention to do with Centre Star what has been done to War Eagle—develop it vigorously.

That the tonnage will be available for War Eagle now with only a second-rate day, and when the improvements now in progress are completed the mine will be able to ship 300 tons.

daily. I do not say that we will ship 300 tons, but that we will ship an extraordinary amount.

It will give some idea of the value of the Kootenay mines as a source of labor to the miners and Revenue to Railways.

to know that the War Eagle accounts of last month before we began the shipment of 200 tons daily showed that the output of the mine was about 100 tons.

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ALASKA-YUKON-KLONDIKE.

Mr. Charles McArthur asked the Secretary of State for the Colonies whether, under the new Canadian preferential tariff, refined sugar manufactured wholly from raw sugar produced in the British colonies might be imported into Canada.

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MEDICAL MEN DOWN TO WORK.

The Second Session of the Canadian Association is Now Under Way.

THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Dr. Beausoleil Was Complimented on His Remarks Made Before Yesterday's Gathering.

SOME OF THOSE PRESENT.

Quebec, Aug. 18.—(Special)—The second session of the Canadian Medical Association meeting was held yesterday afternoon at Laval University, when Dr. S. C. Parke, vice-president of the association and President of Quebec, presided.

In the absence of Mayor Parent, Ald. Foley, pro-mayor, read an address of welcome on behalf of the citizens, and was followed by Dr. S. C. Parke and Mr. Ahern.

The members and their lady friends were then photographed in a group, and the museum of Laval University was afterwards visited.

Before the return of the members to the Convention Hall, Dr. Thorburn, of Toronto, was called to the chair, and Dr. Beausoleil, the president of the association, read his annual address, remarking that as this was considered a French-Canadian town, and a great number of those present were English-speaking members, he considered it only right and courteous to read the address in English.

Dr. Roddick, M. P., followed, remarking that he was delighted to hear the president's remarks respecting the question of reciprocity of registration, and hoped that the matter would soon be settled. It afforded him great pleasure in proposing a vote of thanks to the president, Dr. Millen, of Hamilton, Ont., seconded the motion, which was put by the chairman, and unanimously carried.

The secretary then read out the names of over twenty-five physicians who wished to be elected members of the association, and several guests of the association, including Drs. Foster, Valentine and Gibney, were invited to take seats on the platform.

Papers Were Read. The ladies having withdrawn, the president announced that several members would proceed with the reading of papers.

Dr. Fred C. Valentine, of New York, then gave some interesting demonstrations of genito-urinary ailments required by the general practitioner. Dr. Thorburn, of Toronto, followed, and read a paper on "The Physician and Life Insurance," which was listened to with the greatest attention.

The president congratulated Dr. Thorburn on his valuable paper, referring to the importance thereof, and called upon members to discuss the question. Dr. Mullin, of Hamilton, approved of the paper entirely, and the following members took part in the discussion: Dr. W. A. Dickson, Dr. Gauthier and Dr. Valentine.

Those in Attendance. Among the visiting brethren attending the convention are: Dr. MacNeill, Prince Edward Island; Dr. Maxwell, St. Estaches, Montreal; Dr. H. Cholette, J. Justine de Newton; J. G. Adams, Montreal; Ernest Laplace, Philadelphia; J. Thorburn, Toronto; John McNeill, Hamilton; W. W. Dickson, Pembroke; H. B. Small, Ottawa; C. M. Smith, Orangeville; C. O'Reilly, C. R. Dickson, Toronto; James Bell, Montreal; Dr. Nelson, Director-general of medical staff, Kiosk, Ottawa; Thomas D. Reed, Montreal; W. J. Gibson, Belleville, Ont.; J. Wyatt Johnston, F. C. Seddick, Montreal; P. S. Shaw, Toronto; W. S. Muir, Toronto; N. S. W. A. Young, Toronto; James N. McCullum, Toronto; J. S. Ryerson, Toronto; N. Worthington, Sherbrooke; J. A. Williams, Ingersoll; A. G. Nichol, Montreal; P. G. Gibney, New York.

A special room has been placed at the disposal of the association for the discussion of the case.

HERALD BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS.

THE LAST OF THE SEASON.

Grand Saturday Excursion

AUGUST 20th.

Steamer "Chateauguay" will leave No. 1 Basin foot of McGill Street, at 2 p. m., passing round the Chateauguay Islands through Lake St. Louis to Beauport. Parties can take 8 p. m. train connecting with boat at Beauport. Returning by N. Y. C. R. arriving in Montreal at 10 p. m. Round Trip 65c.

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play of surgical instruments, pharmaceutical preparations, etc., and the exhibit was a very interesting one. The following firms being represented: Mr. J. H. Chapman, of Montreal, a large and interesting exhibit of surgical instruments; Parks, Davis & Co., of Montreal, pharmaceuticals and chemists; of Detroit, Mich., represented by Mr. W. J. Wright, of Montreal, a large number of various pills and other medicines; Leeming, Hill & Co., of Montreal, Canadian agents for Sealing & Johnston, of New York, sanitary goods.

SIX PEOPLE KILLED.

A Bad Railway Accident on Vancouver Island.

Train Broke Through the Span of a Bridge and the Occupants Fell 120 Feet.

Vancouver, Aug. 18.—(Special)—News of a terrible railway accident on the upper part of Vancouver Island was received here from Union yesterday afternoon. The details are meagre up to the line of writing, but it is definitely known that six people were killed outright and a number seriously injured. The accident occurred on the Union Colliery Coal Railway. A span of the Treat River bridge gave way when the first loaded train of twenty cars crossed at 3 a. m., plunging them and their human freight 120 feet into the river. Ten people were aboard at the time. Six of these were killed, three seriously injured, and one escaped without injury. The following are the killed:—Alfred Walker, engineer; Alex. Malado, brakeman; Wm. Work, train hand; two boys, names unknown; Richard Nightingale, Nanaimo, who was working under the bridge at the time of the accident, was instantly killed, being pinned down in the shallow water by the train. Hugh Grant, workman, had his leg broken and was otherwise badly injured. The three passengers from Victoria—Mrs. Grant, Miss Horne and Miss Grieve—were seriously injured.

A Murderer Cheats the Gallows.

Nanaimo, Aug. 17.—(Special)—The convicted Stickeen murderer, committed suicide by taking strychnine while in the condemned cell on Saturday. On Friday evening, after being informed by the sheriff that the sentence of the law would be carried out at the day and hour appointed, he was visited by his wife. At his request she was permitted to purchase his trousers, and bring it to the jail, meat pie being the chief item of the spread. On Saturday morning he was unaccountably killed by strychnine poison, taken between eight o'clock Friday night and four o'clock Saturday morning. His crime was that of murdering his partners, Burns and Hendrick, with whom he was journeying to the Upper Yukon, by the Stickeen route. Robbery was the purpose of the murder, which was committed with an axe while the victims were sleeping.

PONTON WILL STAND HIS TRIAL.

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sermonized by the defence counsel. Coming to evidence now that of the information, Mr. Oster said it was not known there was a robbery in the Dominion Bank on the night of August 27th last year, that Pare and Holden were in the vicinity for months, and that stolen property was found on them. Were they alone?

Robert Mackie was found associated with them in the neighborhood of Nanaimo. There was a prior attempt on the bank proved, and corresponding with it Holden and Mackie were found together late at night, with a rig breaking down and stopping at an Indian camp. There was the testimony of Miss French, who saw tools on Mackie's bed, and who wrote a letter for him addressed to Durand in the bank. This letter was to the effect that two girls would call on the effect of the trial, and that they were to get into the hands of skilled criminals, who would not allow him to draw back from the fact that he had taken one false step tending towards crime. Was this the unfortunate position of Ponton? Was there a traitor in the bank? Was it possible that a man could know the facts here did, the fluctuations of cash, the amount of signed and unsigned notes, the information from within? This was a traitor in the bank? Was it possible that a man could know the facts here did, the fluctuations of cash, the amount of signed and unsigned notes, the information from within? This was a traitor in the bank?

Magistrate Daly, at the outset of his remarks, considered it very unfortunate that the community should be trying and deciding this case before it had come before a judge and jury. Mr. Daly said he would be remiss in his duty if he did not return the prisoners for trial before the forthcoming assizes. He had no hesitation in believing in the guilt of Holden and Mackie, and would commit them to gaol, but Ponton he would admit to bail.

Struck With a Stone.

Last night a man under the influence of liquor on St. Urbain street threw a large stone at two lads. The stone struck an officer of the R. & O. steamer Hamilton named Wheeler, felling him to the ground. He moaned piteously and was unable to rise for several minutes. If the stone had struck an inch higher the result would have been fatal. There was no policeman in sight, and the culprit got away.

NEWS NOTES.

When the steamer Caspian was leaving Kingston on Tuesday she collided with the Algonquin. The wind was blowing a gale and the Algonquin was blowing across against the Caspian, moored at the dock. Ten feet above the Caspian's guard on the starboard side was stove in, but the damage is very slight.

Joseph Cote, of Quebec, narrowly escaped drowning in the Jacques Cartier train on Tuesday afternoon. The train was on the bridge over the St. Lawrence river, and was sinking for the third time when he was thrown overboard. Eliasim Huff, one of the oldest and best known residents of Napanee, Ont., died yesterday suddenly.

White, of O'Leary, Pictou, has been awarded the contract of building a steamer for the Department of Marine and Fisheries, to be used in the P. E. I. and eastern New Brunswick maritime service—principally for delivering lighthouse supplies and in the protection of the fisheries.

An elderly man named Newell attempted to commit suicide at Halifax by placing his head on the end rails of the tram company's track in front of a fast approaching car. He was rescued by a man named Mr. James Bryson, Cameron street, who was on duty at the time.

An attempt was made to rob the post-office at Gaitaneau Point, near Ottawa, on Tuesday night. The burglars were scared away by the furious barking of dogs which awakened a neighbor.

Alger, Smith and Co., of which the United States Secretary of War is the head, are going to log West Algoma this winter. It is expected that they will cut from ten to twenty millions.

At the sale of the insolvent estate of the Caspasia Pulp and Lumber Company at Quebec, the lots were bought by Mr. McLellan, St. John N.B., for \$21,500, of which the first lot, comprising the mills, etc., brought \$15,000.

Alexander McMartin, an old and respected resident of Morrisburg, Ont., died Monday morning, at the advanced age of 78 years.

A reward of \$500 is now offered for the arrest of the peep-log tramp who shot Constable Twobler at London.

In conformity with the law passed April 7th, 1907, M. Faure, the President of France, has decreed that after September 1st of the present year a bounty shall be granted on refined French niter and coal niter, intended for export, as follows: Per 100 kilos, first grade, 2.42 francs; second grade, 2.77; and third grade, 3.11 francs.

A despatch from Paris says eight deaths from stroke occurred in that city yesterday.

The North-West Review of Winnipeg says: "Though we should have preferred to remain silent on the school question as negotiations are pending, we deem it our duty to state that we have already our statement in several newspapers later than that the school difficulty is settled. On the contrary no definite arrangement has as yet been arrived at."

Dr. Robert E. McKee, representative in yesterday afternoon as president of the cabinet, took the fourth seat in the new Cabinet to be filled.

The West Lambert Reform Association held a convention at Sarnia yesterday for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the vacancy caused by the elevation of the late member, J. F. Lester, to the court of Appeals. Many names were before the convention, but all were withdrawn excepting those of Dr. Harvey, of Wyoming, and Dr. T. G. Johnston, of Sarnia. The latter was the choice of the convention.

M. Cambon, the French ambassador at Washington, and First Secretary Thiebaut, of the French legation, were in conference at the White House yesterday morning, with President McKinley and Acting Secretary of State Moore. The object of the conference was a direct exchange of messages, the friendly nature of which was announced by President McKinley and President Faure, of France, over the new cable from Brest to Cape Cod.

Sir John Winter, the Colonial Premier, who is the Newfoundland commissioner to the Quebec convention, will not leave for Quebec until Sunday next, his detention being occasioned by the short time available for the preparation of the colonist's case since his return to London.

There was another great fire on Monday night at Nijm Novgorod, Russia. The city workhouse was destroyed, the inmates jumping from the windows, many being killed and many more injured. Thirteen bodies burned to a crisp have already been found in the ruins, and many of the inmates are still unaccounted for.

The Workers' Industrial League of Ottawa have protested against the action of the Allied Trades and Labor Association in refusing the League a place in the Labor Day parade.

The trouble between the Ottawa Electric Railway and the Union still continues. Yesterday four conductors of the Railway Company, all members of the Union, were notified that their services would no longer be required.

Eight harvesters' excursion trains passed Carleton Place, Ont., yesterday loaded with men on their way to the western wheatfields.

Ernest M. Reinhardt and John Maines, two Toronto boys, were pluckily saved from drowning in the bay on Tuesday.

Eight deaths from stroke occurred in Paris, France, on Tuesday.

Count Herbert Bismarck's only son is dangerously ill, and Dr. Schweneger has been summoned to attend him.

A great manufactory of military equipments at Lyons, France, has been destroyed by fire.

Every kind of book and job printing done at the office of The Herald, 603 Craig street, or 141 St. James street, in the best style at the lowest rates.

W. D. & H. O. WILLS, Bristol, Eng. Their entire better makes of tobacco, such as "Captain Navy Cut," "Gold Flake Honey Dew," "Traveller," "Bristol Bird's-Eye," and others always to be had at E. A. Gertie's agent, 2235 St. Catherine street, Queen's Block.

GOOD WILL SOAP

NONE BETTER—FEW AS GOOD—ALWAYS THESE QUALITY.

JOHN BULL'S \$1.00 Shirt

Is superior to all others, because it is not factory made, but put together by thoroughly experienced workers. They are perfect fitting and the material is the best that money can buy.

JOHN BULL, Shirt-Tailor, 2381 St. Catherine Street.

EDDIE MUNROE DROWNED

A Nine Year Old Boy Loses His Life Near Victoria Bridge About Four O'clock Yesterday.

Little Eddie Munroe, nine years of age, was drowned near Victoria Bridge about four o'clock yesterday afternoon. The boy's parents lived at 19 Ann Street. With three or four other boys he had been playing at the river's edge, jumping from one stone to another. He unfortunately missed his footing at a spot where the water was deep, and before his young companions could offer help he was drowned. Goussier McMahon was informed of the occurrence. He disposed of the case as an accidental drowning.

Tested by Time.—In his justly celebrated Pills Dr. Parneke has given to the world one of the most unique medicines offered to the public in late years. Prepared to meet the want for a pill which could be taken without nausea and then would purge without pain, it has met all requirements in that direction, and it is in general use not only because of these two qualities, but because it is known to possess alternative and curative powers which place it on the front rank of medicines.

A Life Saver.—Mr. James Bryson, Cameron street, who was on duty at the time, stated: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs and was given up by the physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on his advice I procured the medicine, and lo! the next morning I was up. I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was reduced to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

Plaster Days of the Past. Previous to the introduction of Griffith's Mental Liment, belladonna, menthol and piperony plaster extensively used. For pains in any part of the body Griffith's Mental Liment is superior to plasters of any kind, and it is immediately effective in the painful parts, relieving in a few minutes. Sold by all druggists, 25 cents.

Corns Removed in Three Days. That's what Dr. Russell's Corn Cure will do; you apply the Corn Cure exactly as directed for from three to five days, and it will do the rest. At the end of that time the corn can be easily lifted out and all without the least pain. Try it. All druggists, 25 cents.

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EMPIRE STATE LOTS.

The American Line steamboat Empire State was in getting down last night, and on account of the darkness she stopped at Lachine. The passengers came on by train to catch the Richelieu and Ontario boat for Quebec and the Saguenay. Upward bound passengers were sent to Lachine, where they boarded the Empire State, which left dock there at 9.30 p. m.

SAVOY HOTEL.

Nos. 10, 12, 14 and 16 Victoria Street. Conducted entirely on the European plan. The best furnished bedrooms in the city, \$1 to \$2 per day. All meals a la carte. Dining rooms open nightly until one o'clock for theatre parties. Private rooms reserved for parties of four or more on order by telephone 4776.

A special rate will be given for permanent guests.

Sir Louis H. Davies went on a harbor inspection trip on the steamer Lansdowne at Halifax yesterday afternoon, accompanied by members of the Board of Trade and officials of the Marine and Fisheries Department.

The body of the man found floating in the canal at Ottawa on Tuesday has been identified as that of Thomas Thorne, of that city. He was 43 years of age.

Another hold-up on the Richmond road near Ottawa, at the point of a revolver, is reported. H. E. Byers was robbed of his gold watch and \$2 and J. Martin of \$5. Although the New York and London papers searched their victims, their miscel \$150 which Mr. Byers had in the inside pocket of his vest.

Warrants for the Common Stock Dividend will be mailed on or about 1st October, to Shareholders of record at the closing of the books in New York and London respectively. The Preference Stock Dividend will be paid on Saturday, 1st October, to Shareholders of record at the closing of the books, and warrants will be posted from the Company's London Office.

By order of the Board. CHARLES DRINKWATER, Secretary.

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WET WEATHER COMFORT...

Are we now showing a fine line of the latest styles in Waterproofs, at very moderate prices. Rain-shedding Umbrellas of all kinds, at very reasonable prices.

Munroe Bros.,

2246 St. Catherine Street.

Assaulted His Wife.

Jerry Griffin, 603 Notre Dame street, was obliged to give security to the amount of \$400 that he would keep the peace for one year towards his wife.

Knee Fractured by Coal Cart.

Xavier Desjardine, 13 Ferry Crossing street, was run over by a coal cart on Notre Dame street at noon today. His left knee was fractured. He was taken to the Notre Dame Hospital in the ambulance.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company.

The undermentioned Dividends have been declared for the half year ended June 30th, 1908:

On the Preference Stock, Two Per Cent. The Common Stock Transfer Books will close in London at 3 p. m., on Friday, 25th August, and in Montreal and New York on Friday, 26th September.

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