

THE FIGHT IN QUEBEC

Premier Will Reply to Lt.-Col. Smart's Aspersions in Westmount To-night

There is still a possibility of Sir Lomer Gouin being the Liberal candidate for St. John's County. He was the Government office this morning but the matter had not been decided yet, and he was not to say what course he would take. The Hon. Mr. Decarie will be the candidate there, so he said this morning.

The Premier, on his return from the Eastern Townships, expressed the utmost optimism as to the Liberal prospects in that part of the province. His reception had been exceedingly encouraging.

The Hon. Mr. Decarie said the campaign was progressing very satisfactorily, as far as the Government was concerned. "We've got to fight and keep our powder dry," he added.

WILL REPLY TO COL. SMART'S ASPERSIONS. Sir Lomer, at Mayor's Rutherford's meeting in Victoria Hall, Westmount, to-night, will reply to Lt.-Col. Smart's aspersions upon the honesty of the government administration. The Premier will speak at a meeting in Outremont. The Hon. Chas. Deville will speak at both meetings, and the Hon. J. Decarie will speak at the latter one.

ST. GEORGE'S LIBERALS WILL MEET TO-NIGHT. The Liberals of St. George division will meet to-night to consider the nomination of a candidate in opposition to Mr. C. E. Gault.

MR. BRUCE ISMAY SAILED TO-DAY ON THE ADRIATIC. Said He Was Worn Out, But Harbors no Resentment Against the American People.

New York, May 2.—Mr. J. Bruce Ismay, president of the International Mercantile Marine, sailed for his home in England to-day on the White Star liner "Adriatic." Mr. Ismay said he was worn out, and that there was nothing to add to his testimony regarding the "Titanic" disaster that he gave before the Senate inquiry committee.

ASKS GRANT TO UNIVERSITY. Principal Peterson Reminds Controllers of Promise of City Council

Dr. William Peterson, Principal of McGill University, waited upon the Board of Control this morning with a request that the city should not over-rely on the making of a grant to McGill and Laval Universities, as promised in a deputation some time ago. The grant has since obtained from the Legislature the power to make such grants, and Dr. Peterson assured the Controllers that the two institutions learning would be deeply grateful for any aid from the city. He said he did not specify any particular amount.

TO ERECT FACTORY. Fireproof Building Will Be Constructed on William Street.

Messrs. J. and J. St. Pierre obtained a permit from the building department of the city to-day to erect an apartment house at the corner of Ford and St. Lawrence streets, at a cost of twenty thousand dollars. A permit was granted to Dr. Douglas Morgan to erect a residence on Cedar Avenue at a cost of twenty-five thousand dollars.

CARTONIST DEAD. New York, May 2.—Mr. Homer Brown, the cartoonist, died to-day of pneumonia. Mr. Brown had been working on the Hearst newspaper in this city.

BATTLESHIP IN COLLISION

'Empress of India' and German Vessel Both Damaged by Impact.

HOLE IN WARSHIP'S SIDE. 'Empress' Was Being Towed in the Channel Near Spithead, When Crash Occurred.

London, May 2.—The British battleship 'Empress of India,' was in collision with a German sailing vessel early to-day at Spithead. The battleship received a gaping hole in her side above the main deck, while the merchantman lost her keel and fore topmast.

SKIPPED FROM QUEBEC

A Couple Who Victimized the W.T.C.U. and Merchants of the Ancient Capital.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. in the city of Quebec have had an unfortunate experience with a couple who swindled some of the leading advertisers of the city. In February last a woman of good address and apparently well recommended, giving her name as Mrs. Connolly, obtained a letter from the local president of the Quebec W. C. T. U., authorizing her to collect advertisements for five dollars each for a W. C. T. U. shopping card.

LUCKY DR. PHELAN. His Amiable Disposition Touched Convicts Who Could Not Kill Him.

Kingston, May 2.—Bonner, one of the desperadoes who attempted to escape from the penitentiary on Monday, stated that it was the intention of his party to kill the first man who entered the isolation building who they were preparing to escape, after getting their guns, as they were determined to take no chances of an alarm being given. Dr. Phelan, a member of the prison, happened to be the first to enter, but Bonner said that he and his companions could not bear to injure him, as he was a kindly man, so they simply put him in the cell and took his uniform.

CHINAMAN IN TERROR

Says Life is Threatened and is Granted Permission to Carry Revolver.

Hoo Yok, a Chinaman, of 338 Craig street, who recently gave testimony in a gambling house in Chinatown, and on whose evidence the raid was made by Inspector O'Keefe, applied before Judge Lanctot to-day in the Arraignment Court. He said his life had been threatened by the Chinamen he prosecuted, and requested permission to carry a revolver. He was given permission.

NEW BATONNIER.

Mr. J. L. Archambault Choice of the Montreal Lawyers.

KAISER A COLONIST. Berlin, May 2.—The Kaiser has shown his faith in the future of the colonies by purchasing for \$24,000 two farms in south-west Africa. The lands will be devoted to wool growing.

ANOTHER DISASTER

Constantinople, May 2.—A small tugboat which was engaged in inspecting the channel buoys in the Dardanelles last night fouled a mine and was blown to pieces. Four officers, two soldiers and the members of the crew of the tug perished.

READY FOR PAVING

Half a Million Dollars Worth of Work Ready for Operations to Commence.

Work has begun on the competition of the operations commenced last autumn on more than half a million dollars worth of pavement. By the next ten days all the contractors will be busy. Mr. George Janin, chief engineer, said that paving has begun on Mount Royal, avenue and Beert and Fulton streets. The frost was still a foot deep in some places, and so excavations could not be commenced everywhere in the city.

STARTING THE CAMPAIGN

Anglican Committee Began Business With Meeting To-day.

That the committee in charge of the coming campaign to raise a quarter of a million dollars for the Diocese of the Anglican church are alive to the task which lies before them is evinced by the fact that, starting this morning with a meeting in the office of Mr. Wilson-Smith, meetings will be held every day to discuss the best means of carrying out the campaign which opens on the thirtieth of May. Sermons will be preached in all the Anglican churches in regard to the campaign on May 13th. The fund of five hundred dollars will be a general or emergency fund, providing for an increase in the salary of the different ministers who are much underpaid. It will also provide a superannuation fund, and a widow and orphan fund. An increase in the Bishop's salary will also be provided for in the fund, as well as an increase in the number of ministers sent to districts which cannot afford to keep them.

DIOCESAN COLLEGE.

Convocation Will Take Place on May 9.

The annual convocation of the 39th session of the Montreal Diocesan Theological College will take place at the college, on the evening of May 9. Bishop Farthing will preside, and the address to the graduating class.

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GIRL MOTHER ABRAIGNED.

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RUSHED A WAY IN FREIGHT TRAIN

When Mississippi Burst, Women and Children Moved Quickly

MILLIONS OF DAMAGE. Feared Fatalities Where Water is So Rapid, Warning May Not Reach the Farmers.

Torras, La., May 2.—Women screaming and men yelling as they hurried into their homes and grabbed their children and valuable in a mad effort to reach places of safety, and the stampeding of animals turned loose by their owners to seek safe places, were some of the chaotic conditions that prevailed in Torras last night when the alarm was sounded that the levee at the junction of the Old Mississippi Rivers had given way to the mighty pressure of the flood waters. Although it had been known that several weak spots had developed where the break occurred, little attention had been paid to this by the citizens of Torras, and they were caught unprepared. Within a few minutes after the break had become known, the town's people were thrown into a panic.

BEFORE THE STREETS WERE ENTIRELY submerged a majority of the inhabitants had reached places of safety. Three hundred women and children were aboard a freight train which had just arrived in Torras. These were taken to a point below here. No loss of life has been reported, but it is feared some fatalities may occur in the interior of the water rushing through the country so rapidly that sufficient warning may not have reached those living in districts remote from the river.

IMMUNE FROM ARREST. Night Workman Tired of Being Locked Up for Nothing.

New York, May 2.—The first passport ever issued by the police department of New York was handed yesterday to a night watchman, an honest mechanic, who has been arrested six times during the past few weeks on the charge of having burglarized tools in his possession. Fisher is a night watchman employed by a company which repairs kitchen utensils in big hotels and restaurants. He receives many emergency calls during the night and has also been arrested for making repairs, he asserts.

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CLERKS ON SUMMER HOURS.

Starting on May 1st the C. P. R. office hours changed to the summer schedule, and clerks starting work at 8 a.m., and finishing at 5 o'clock in the evening. During the winter months the office hours are sixty minutes later.

MAYOR'S SON SHOT.

Quappelle, Sask., May 2.—Last night a son of Mayor Beauchamp, 8 years old, was shot in the head by a stranger who was passing the residence. The boy received a surface wound.

FUNERAL OF MR. H. J. ALLISON AT CHESTERVILLE, ONT., TO-DAY

Casket Was Transferred to Toronto Train at Montreal Junction this Morning, and Accompanied to Chesterville by Minister, Friends and Relatives.

The body of the late Mr. H. J. Allison, one of the Montreal victims of the "Titanic" disaster, which was brought west on the C. P. R. train from Halifax that arrived here this morning, did not come in to the Windsor Station as the train was late, but was transferred to the Toronto train at Montreal Junction, and was taken on to Chesterville, Ont. Mr. Allison's old home, where the funeral service and interment will take place, accompanying the body from Halifax, was Mr. George E. Clarke, the young Montreal broker, who went east from here.

Mr. J. S. Harding, a broker of St. John, N.B., and a friend of the Allison family, also came to Montreal with Mr. Clarke.

The Toronto train arrived at the junction at 8.55 a.m., and did not stop more than three minutes. The casket was waiting on a truck on the platform, and was immediately placed in the express car.

THE PARTY FROM MONTREAL who went with the remains to Chesterville were Mr. G. E. Allison, brother of the deceased, and Messrs. J. McConnell, A. H. Vipond and Joseph Patrick. The latter from Vancouver, all friends of the Allison family.

NAVIGATION OPEN NOW—TWO ALLAN LINERS DUE IN MONTREAL THIS EVENING

Ocean navigation opened on the upper St. Lawrence last evening with the arrival of the Canada Line S.S. "Zieten," which is the first liner to dock here this year. She will be followed by the Allan liner "Frederick," which is due this afternoon. The opening of navigation is two days later than last year, when the Canadian Northern liner "Royal George" arrived on April 23. The "Zieten" was not only the first liner to reach Montreal, but was also first at Quebec, reaching that port on Sunday last.

Several icebergs had been sighted in the Gulf, and much field ice passed through under the river, and those in charge of the work are preparing to give relief to 40,000 people in this vicinity.

Two Allan liners are expected to arrive here within the next twelve hours. The "Pretoria" passed Batiscan at 9.20 a.m. and is due at Montreal at 3.30 this evening, while the "Sicilian" left Quebec at 9 o'clock this morning, and should arrive at Montreal late this evening, but will not dock before 7 a.m. to-morrow. No less than five ocean liners, the "Lake Manitoba," "Englishman," "Montezuma," "Manchester" and "Manchester Trader" are within 150 miles of Quebec, and the "Lake Manitoba," of the Canadian Pacific line, was due at the Ancient Capital before noon.

THE GOVERNMENT buoy steamer "Shamrock" has placed the following can and conical buoys: 74, red buoy, "Poullier Royal"; 80, red buoy, Cap Horseback Shoal; 77, black buoy, "Butte a Cadieux"; 78, red buoy, Cap Charles; 79, black buoy, Cap Charles; 86, red buoy, Cap la Roche, and the following gas buoys: 68, red buoy, "Batture du Chemin"; 78, red buoy, "Batture du Chemin"; 75, Batture du Chemin; 76, red buoy, black buoy, 80, red buoy, Cap la Roche (curve); 82, red buoy, Cap la Roche (Casque d'Évoque); 87, black buoy, Cap la Roche; 108, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 109, red buoy, Cap Lévesque; 110, red buoy, Cap Lévesque; 111, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 112, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 113, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 114, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 115, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 116, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 117, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 118, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 119, black buoy, Cap Lévesque; 120, black buoy, Cap Lévesque.

STREET HAS NO NUMBERS

CONTRACT FOR AUTOBUS LINES. This Can Be Given by City

Mr. John L. Brodie, former mayor of Montreal, said this morning that the City Department had made a report saying that the city is fully empowered by law to give a franchise to a company to operate autobus lines on the streets of the city. This question that came up, whether the Street Railway Company and the Montreal Tramways Company, as well as the licensed cabmen, had a monopoly of the streets of the city. He and his colleagues found that there is no monopoly of transportation privileges in the city, and that if the streets were wide enough the city could give a franchise to other street railway interests to operate a double line of cars parallel with the present system.

AVIATOR INJURED.

Frankfurt-on-the-Main, May 2.—Robert Sommer, while testing a monoplane built by him to-day, tried to glide, and when landing fell and was dangerously injured.

Weekly Calendar

SIR LOMER GOUIN
WILL ADDRESS
A Mass Meeting

IN VICTORIA HALL (WESTMOUNT),

On THURSDAY EVENING, 2nd MAY, at 8 o'clock
And in the Outremont Town Hall the Same Evening.

OTHER SPEAKERS

- MAYOR RUTHERFORD. MR. A. R. McMASTER. MR. R. C. SMITH. MR. W. D. LIGHTHALL. MR. W. H. TRENHOLME. MR. TANNER. LADIES CORDIALLY INVITED.

ST. LAWRENCE DIVISION

FOR

DR. J. T. FINNIE.

Friends and Supporters of DR. FINNIE are requested to meet in Central Committee Rooms, 184 St. Catherine Street West (between Balmoral and Bleury) 2-2.

TO-MORROW (Friday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock.

W. W. Brévis, Henry P. Wall, D. J. Cochrane, J. P. Crowe, J. Armistage Ewing, B. Mercier, John Scanlan, J. C. Walsh, K. C. J. M. M. Duff, Burton Dixon, Joseph A. Corley, Members of Committee.

DICKENS RECITAL

FRANK SPEAIGHT

"ALFRED JINGLE, Esq., of 10 HALL L. HOWERS," arranged from the Pickwick Papers.

VICTORIA HALL, WESTMOUNT.

FRIDAY, MAY 3rd, at 8.15 p.m.

Under the Auspices of the Montreal Dickens Fellowship. Proceeds in aid of the DICKENS COT.

ADMISSION, FIFTY CENTS. TICKETS AT CHAPMAN'S BOOK STORE.

SKETCH CLASS

ANNUAL SKETCH CLASS TO BEAUFRE. From 8rd to 18th June next, under Mr. MAURICE CULLEN, B.C.A. Good heart at reasonable rates. Apply EARLY to J. B. ABBOTT, Sec. Art Gallery, 23 Phillips Square, and 871 Sherbrooke Street.

His Majesty's Theatre

All This Week—Reg. Mat. Sat. The Bubbling Opera Triumph THE SPRING MAID Metropolitan Orchestra, Chorus and Ballet

GET RICH-QUICK WALLINGFORD

Next Week Seats Selling Geo. M. Cohan's Greatest Comedy Success Evenings and Sat. Mat. 25c to \$1.50 Special at WED 25c to \$1.00

TO-NIGHT

Outremont Town Hall SIR LOMER GOUIN, Hon. J. DECARIE, Mayor RUTHERFORD,

And other prominent speakers will address the electors. Come, and bring your friends.

LADIES CORDIALLY INVITED. ART ASSOCIATION.

ON THE 10th MAY INSTANT, THE READING ROOM and GALLERIES WILL CLOSE UNTIL RE-OPENED IN THE NEW BUILDING.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MAILS. To be Closed at this Office During the Week Ending May 3, 1912.

May 3 10.30 a.m. Emp. of Britain, Can. Pacific. 7 3.00 a.m. Olympic, White Star. 3 6.30 p.m. Supplementary.

* Letters may be posted up to 6.00 p.m.; other matter should be posted before 5.00 p.m.

* Letters for the above mails may be posted at Station 'B' to within 15 minutes; and at Station 'C' up to within 30 minutes of the above mentioned hours of closing.

* Matter for Registration close at 5.15 p.m.

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GAS FOR MONTREAL WEST. The gas-by-law, giving the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company an exclusive franchise for twenty-five years, received its third reading at Montreal West. The Council was divided on its merits, the Mayor giving the casting vote in favor of it. A public meeting of the citizens was held on Friday, May 3, at the Town Hall to consider its ratification or otherwise.

DIED ON WAY TO WORK. A verdict of death from natural causes was returned by the coroner's jury this morning in the case of Horace Delorme, whose body was found in a field near his home in Pointe aux Trembles last Tuesday after he had been missing for three weeks. He had been subject to attacks of heart trouble, and it is thought he succumbed to the disease while on his way to work.

ing an alleged purchase of land by the Japanese Government or by a Japanese company. The President replies that he has none. It reminds one of the terrible deductions of Sergeant Buford, from Mr. Pickwick's note to Mrs. Bardell, instructing her to put a warning pan in his bed. What was unnumbered to the United States might not be hidden in this alleged purchase of property by some Japanese on the Mexican coast? It, of course, means the taking over of Mexico as an appanage of Japan and the invasion thence of the United States, with the necessary sequel of the defeat and destruction of the latter country. The Senate apparently thinks that, if Japan or a Japanese company gets a little finger into North America, the United States is done for. They will surely have to elect Mr. Roosevelt now. Seriously, for Japan to get a naval base in Mexico would make her the most vulnerable power in the world.

A NATIONAL IMMORALITY.

Law or no law, the refusal of the Canadian Government to admit into the country the wives of British citizens resident in Canada is, apart from any conceivable results, a miserable blot on the honor of Canada as a British nation, a denial of the most primary of human rights, and a breach of Imperial loyalty. What Imperial mischief might result from such a humiliation heaped upon a proud and self-respecting race to whose native indefeasible loyalty the Empire has owed its salvation, it is not for the most daring statesman to attempt to compute. This exclusion of men's wives is far worse in principle than the exclusion of the men themselves, for God made men and women to dwell together. It is a greater slight upon the race affected and a greater mischief to society. We cannot see how the principle of law can be ignored that a woman's domicile is that of her husband. A law that pretends to assail that principle assails the foundations of society.

But we have only to look beyond our little horizon—for vast as our territory is, our outlook is very parochial—and ask ourselves what may be the effect in Asia of such a British insult to the one race whose British loyalty has been active, and a principle of life transcending all other. We have seen an empire of three hundred millions made up of many peoples and languages transforming itself in a month or two at a word of command from one knee where. We do not regard the same thing as even remotely probable in India, chiefly because we believe the Indian peoples are loyal to the present rule and will be so as long as the British policy is to give India self-government and her people equality of status as rapidly as that shall be at all feasible. But it is evident that all depends on Indian loyalty, and those among us whose boast it is that they think imperially, must realize that loyalty is a sentiment dependent on conditions.

It has to be admitted that there are anomalies in British citizenship. A man can, for instance, be a Canadian citizen without being a British citizen. A large proportion of the new population of the western provinces is in this position. Many a man who has sworn allegiance to the King as a Canadian citizen is an alien American when he gets to England, or when he travels in India or Australia. This is in our opinion, a mischievous condition of things, calling for hasty amendment, if we want our newcomers to have anything like the same pride in their new flag that they had in the old. But even if it should be thought necessary to recognize a sort of minor citizenship whereby a man could be a Canadian or an Indian without having the freedom of the Empire, the major right would surely include men who have fought for the Empire and whose fathers fought for it in the days of its peril.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

The verdict over the body of a man killed by a motor car at the foot of Beaver Hill Hill was 'accidental death.' Was it accidental? We are not raising any personal question, seeing that this car was acting in accordance with admitted and established usage. The witness has many a time said that there would be a death there some day, and fondly added that not till then would there be any adequate regulation of this motor traffic. Here the killing has been done, but we hear nothing of any proposal to make things any safer. The evidence shows that the car was going at very moderate speed. The coroner's jury passes in its verdict of 'accidental death' and we wait for the next. The speed may have been moderate as speeds go there, but it evidently was not controllable. We shall have to alter our verdict, and say not till an alderman or a magistrate gets killed will anything be done to secure a restful use of the streets to the ordinary people who walk. Till then these will be kept on the strain and on the jump. It is admitted that in order to surmount that hill it is necessary to get up a considerable speed, and presumably, an uncontrollable momentum. Certain it is that cars continually rush up there at two or three times the regulation speed. The road being broad and curved so as considerably to reduce the grade makes this a favorite way for these vehicles from the lower to the upper levels. But the very fact that it is curved adds to the danger of it, as neither can the driver see where he is going nor can the pedestrian see what is coming. The LaSalle street crossing is a special danger, and has in this case proved fatal.

People accustomed to the din of carts and carriages and to their comparatively manageable speed, and to the amount of circumspection that horse traffic demands, are not instinctively prepared for conditions in which a noiseless terror springs suddenly out of nowhere. The question that arises is, what sort of regulation will avail to secure the public safety. It seems to be generally admitted that any speed limit that can be adopted as safe is too restrictive to be under all circumstances enforced. There are places where greater speed should be allowed in practice, but this, as we have always said, can only be held absolutely responsible for what his vehicle does, and must be held to have done so wilfully when his machine is so much out of control as to run over somebody. This is the necessary rule of law in the case of persons who do mischief in drink and the principle is equally applicable here. As the pedestrian has a primary right to the streets, and it is the vehicle and not the pedestrian that does the damage, surely it is the driver's business and not the pedestrian's to look out. Here was a man using a recognized crossing run over by a car of whose coming he was of course quite unaware. Speaking generally, to cross a street at an ungovernable speed is criminal. If it be answered that without such speed it would be impossible to get up that hill, the admission opens many questions.

ests that furnish the expenses, which is the greatest possible travesty on popular government. The preference of the Democrats for Mr. Champ Clark, however, admits of no such public-spirited explanation. Mr. Woodrow Wilson, the man against whom they have voted two to one, was known as an enemy of, and in his own State of New Jersey a victor over, machine politics, while Mr. Clark is a party man first, last and all the time. Taking the two phenomena together it would seem as though in these days of noisy publicity oratory and a stirring programme are the first requisites of a presidential candidate. As the primaries advance one cannot but feel that it is less the candidates than the people who are on trial. It is such a test of the direct method of election as will afford a powerful argument for the checks and counter checks devised by the planners of the constitution. It will be impossible now to revert to those, but much might be done towards dethroning the machine and party rule generally, by resorting to the principle of proportional voting. The breaking up of parties, which seems to be in progress, would afford a good occasion for such a reform.

While the vote makes the nomination of Mr. Taft less probable, it strongly emphasizes the probability that should he get the nomination he would be hopelessly beaten for the presidency. While it adds half the state's delegates to the Roosevelt column, it also reveals his weakness. The present indications are that neither stands a good chance against a united Democratic party. The contest has been so extremely bitter and personal that neither Mr. Taft nor Mr. Roosevelt can reasonably hope for the support of the followers of the one of them that is defeated at the convention. The Democrats have for the last sixteen years been in the habit of following a demagogue—so that their choice so far as it has been expressed is not inconsistent, but if they must still follow a demagogue instead of one of the three worthy men of tried record, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Harmon or Mr. Underwood, who are at their service, why not still cling to the one and only 'peerless one' and for a fourth time nominate the man who claims to have initiated all the modern reform proposals? He is at all events respectable and virtuous.

METHODIST CONVOCATION

Bacca-Laureate Sermon Will be Preached by Rev. Dr. S. P. Rose, Toronto.

The annual convocation of the thirty-ninth session of the Wesleyan Theological College will be held in the James Ferrier Hall of the College on Tuesday evening next at eight o'clock. The proceedings in connection with the convocation will be inaugurated on Sunday first in St. James Methodist church, when at the morning service the bacca-laureate sermon will be preached by the Rev. S. P. Rose, D.D., of Toronto. On Monday

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evening Dr. Rose will give an address on 'The message of the foreign field to the Home Church' at the annual meeting of the Students' Missionary Society which will be held in the large hall at the College on Tuesday night at eight o'clock. The address will be in English, and presentation of prizes the principal. The Rev. James Smyth, B.A., LL.D., will preside, and give the address to the graduating class; the Rev. H. A. Young will conduct the opening devotional exercises, and the address of the evening will be given by the Rev. S. P. Rose, D.D., of Toronto.

This session 32 students have been registered at the College, of these one is a graduate in Divinity, twelve are undergraduates in Divinity, thirteen are undergraduates in Arts; twenty-seven are in Probationers' course, two in Elective course, and three in Preliminary course.

ASSOCIATION FOR BLIND PASSES VOTE OF SYMPATHY.

At a meeting of the board of managers of the Montreal Association for the Blind, held on Tuesday, resolutions of sympathy with the relatives of Mr. C. M. Hays and Mr. Markland Molson were unanimously passed. Both these gentlemen were generous subscribers to the School for the Blind-speaking Blind now being erected. Mr. Hays was a member of the advisory board of this institution.

QUEBEC BATTIONNER.

Quebec, May 1.—At the annual meeting of the Bar of the Quebec district held to-day the Hon. L. A. Taschereau was re-elected battionner; Gusebe Boleau, syndic, and Charles Smith, secretary.

BRITISH INQUIRY INTO TITANIC DISASTER OPENED

Will be Conducted Like a Court of Law—Model of the Titanic With Lifeboats on Exhibition.

London, May 2.—Lord Mersey, in his capacity as wreck commissioner, and five assessors who will advise him in his questions on the technicalities of nautical affairs, held this morning the first session of the Board of Trade inquiry into the loss of the 'Titanic.' In point of interest to the public and the importance of its results upon the laws governing the mercantile marine the investigation promises to overshadow all previous tribunals of a similar character. The scene was the armory of the Scottish Rifles, whose broad drill floor with two rows of galleries affords accommodation for several hundred persons. The spacious hall was chosen with a view to seating an expected crush of auditors, but when the inquiry opened not more than one hundred spectators were present, and the majority of these were women. The acoustics of the building proved to be so poor that the early proceedings were inaudible to the audience. As a consequence Lord Mersey recommended that the Board of Trade provide another room.

From the series of twenty-six questions which the Attorney-General announced would be taken up it became evident that the inquiry would cover practically the same ground as the investigation by the committee of the American Senate, but would be conducted more in accordance with the procedure of a court of law, and deal definitely with stated cases. Eight questions Sir Rufus has expected to relate to happenings before the casualty; six to warnings given the 'Titanic,' and the resulting precautions taken on board. One of these is reported to have been announced on Monday evening by P. A. S. Franklin, vice-president of the White Star line, who testified that he did not learn of the vessel's fate until five minutes after the announcement was made. 'I am here to look up the question of two messages said to have been received on Monday morning, the fifth and sixth of these is reported to have been received at the Marconi office, the other at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for tariff reform is generally expected to see the message said to have been received by the Marconi Company.

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BRITISH INQUIRY INTO TITANIC DISASTER OPENED

Will be Conducted Like a Court of Law—Model of the Titanic With Lifeboats on Exhibition.

London, May 2.—Lord Mersey, in his capacity as wreck commissioner, and five assessors who will advise him in his questions on the technicalities of nautical affairs, held this morning the first session of the Board of Trade inquiry into the loss of the 'Titanic.' In point of interest to the public and the importance of its results upon the laws governing the mercantile marine the investigation promises to overshadow all previous tribunals of a similar character. The scene was the armory of the Scottish Rifles, whose broad drill floor with two rows of galleries affords accommodation for several hundred persons. The spacious hall was chosen with a view to seating an expected crush of auditors, but when the inquiry opened not more than one hundred spectators were present, and the majority of these were women. The acoustics of the building proved to be so poor that the early proceedings were inaudible to the audience. As a consequence Lord Mersey recommended that the Board of Trade provide another room.

From the series of twenty-six questions which the Attorney-General announced would be taken up it became evident that the inquiry would cover practically the same ground as the investigation by the committee of the American Senate, but would be conducted more in accordance with the procedure of a court of law, and deal definitely with stated cases. Eight questions Sir Rufus has expected to relate to happenings before the casualty; six to warnings given the 'Titanic,' and the resulting precautions taken on board. One of these is reported to have been announced on Monday evening by P. A. S. Franklin, vice-president of the White Star line, who testified that he did not learn of the vessel's fate until five minutes after the announcement was made. 'I am here to look up the question of two messages said to have been received on Monday morning, the fifth and sixth of these is reported to have been received at the Marconi office, the other at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company for tariff reform is generally expected to see the message said to have been received by the Marconi Company.

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THE PROTECTION PACK IN FULL CRY

The Alternating Current Between Canada and England Galvanizing the Old Bugbear.

London, May 2.—The London newspapers are giving great prominence to the correspondence on reciprocity between President Taft and Mr. Roosevelt in January of last year and the sensation its publication has caused in Canada. The 'Daily Mail' displays the news as its leading feature, with a big lettered heading, reading: 'The plot against Canada; amazing revelation.' In a leading article, headed: 'Mr. Taft's Plot Against Canada,' the 'Daily Mail' speaks of the intensity of feeling which Mr. Taft's remarkable disclosure has aroused in the Dominion, and says that the Canadians, when they consider the question of and that reciprocity with Mr. Taft's British ambassador, supported them in this policy.

'It shows us the danger that our Empire runs while our politicians are neglecting questions of state for questions of party, and the incident should serve to remind the Unionist party, if they need reminding, that this matter of tariff reform is urgent.

TORONTO TRAGEDY.

Girl Ran Away With Restaurant Keeper, Then Killed Herself.

Detroit, May 2.—The body of Miss Anna Hales, aged 13, daughter of Arthur Hales, of Robert Street, Toronto, was found in the morgue here to-day. D. Richards, 33, and married, with whom it is alleged the young woman ran away from Toronto last Sunday, is locked up at headquarters as the man in the case. Richards was a partner in a restaurant on College street, near Spadina avenue, Toronto, and Miss Hales was one of the employees in the place. Forty-eight hours after the disappearance of the couple they were located here, and when Miss Hales learned that her parents were fully cognizant of her position in which she had placed herself, she became despondent, and last yesterday afternoon, while Richards was absent from the Bagley avenue house, swallowed a dose of carbolic acid.

STEAD AND KING LEOPOLD.

(From the London Chronicle.) Mr. W. H. Stead, who has been the most trying experiences of his life an interview he had with King Leopold of Belgium at the time when Gordon was shut up in Khartoum. He went to Brussels and obtained a special interview with the King in order that he should move on behalf of Gordon and claim the Sudan as his reward. Leopold answered that he would not accept the Sudan if it were offered him on a silver salver, but Mr. Stead urged his point and they debated the matter in strenuous fashion for over an hour.

He was exceedingly angry, said Mr. Stead, and raged and fumed in such a fashion that I felt more than once it would have given him great satisfaction to have drawn his sword and thrust it through the vitals of his English visitor. It was a trying ordeal for me. I was glad to learn after that Leopold also felt the strain. Meeting of the British Empire (who had introduced Mr. Stead) some

THE WEATHER

FAIR. Toronto, May 2.—A depression covers the western states, while pressure is comparatively high over the eastern half of the continent. Fair to light rain from Alberta to Superior. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fair.

Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate east and south winds, generally fair. Friday, fresh southeast to south winds, local showers, but mostly fair with a little higher temperature. Ottawa, St. Lawrence, Gulf and Maritime—Fair to-day and on Friday, with much the same temperature. Saskatchewan—Partly fair and cool, local showers. Alberta—Generally fair and cool.

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C. J. BIRNBORE,
Treasurer.

COSTLY EXPROPRIATIONS.

Board of Control Allots \$2,000,000 For Street Widening.

In a report prepared for the Board of Control to-day it was estimated that the cost of expropriations for street widening and extensions this year would approximate two million dollars. The cost is divided as follows:—St. Lawrence Boulevard, \$800,000; St. Joseph's Boulevard, \$750,000; Notre Dame street, \$500,000; St. Vincent street, \$200,000; St. Antoine st., \$200,000; and Gauthier street \$50,000. In the case of the three first named streets the city expects to regain a considerable amount by the sale of the residue of the land not used for street purposes.

BOOSTING A CITY.

The City of New Brunswick, N.J., is planning a week's "Boost New Brunswick Celebration" during which exhibitions of the industrial and commercial welfare of the city will be featured. Prominent speakers will give addresses, and there will be many diversions, the most imposing of which is a pageant reproducing the recent coronation services in England. The celebration will be held from May 26 to June 1.

NOTES AND NOTICES.

Insurance loss \$22,800.00 through "Titanic" disaster by the Canadian Railway Accident Insurance Company. R. J. Levy, Montreal, \$12,600.00; Mark Fortune, Winnipeg, \$10,000.00. Total, \$22,600.00. The fact that two out of the ten Canadians who lost their lives in this great disaster were insured in the Canadian Railway Accident Insurance Company, which is a fair proposition considering that the aforesaid company writes and carries the largest personal accident business in Canada. Office, 4th Floor, Liverpool & London & Globe Bldg., Phone Main 1888.

FAVORS THE AUTOBUS

Board of Trade Considers it a Useful Supplement to Car Service

The question of granting civic charters to autobus lines was discussed yesterday afternoon at the regular weekly meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade. The opinion of the Council, seemed to be general that the autobus lines would form a very necessary adjunct to the street car service. They held that the establishment of such lines should be encouraged. The matter will be further considered at the next meeting.

Arrangements have been made for the reception in the Exchange Hall of the delegation of distinguished Frenchmen, who are to visit Montreal on Saturday, the fourth instant. The visitors will first be received by the Council Chamber by the joint committee of La Chambre de Commerce Francaise de Montreal, of La Chambre de Commerce du District de Montreal and of the Board of Trade. Afterwards the visitors will be received in the Exchange Hall by the general members of these bodies. A special platform will be erected and three visitors will address the gathering, one of them speaking in English.

The Council is in receipt of an invitation from the Board of Trade of Newark, N.J., to attend or send a representative to an industrial exhibition to be held in Newark, N.J., on the 13th to 25th. The Minister of Railways and Canals will be asked to do something to prevent the unwelcome information of the exhibition being spread in the following members were in attendance: Robert W. Reford, president; Humby R. Drummond, first vice-president; R. J. Dale, second vice-president; Jas. Elmsly, A. Hamilton Gault, W. K. Graffey, John A. Gunn, W. W. Hutchison, Vincent A. Ward.

Government Says So and Big Civil Action Follows in Quebec.

Ottawa, May 1.—The Public Works Department has investigated the report from Quebec that the new breakwater there had partly collapsed, necessitating repairs at a probable cost of a million dollars. A special information in that the breakwater is intact and that no extraordinary repairs are necessary.

CLAIMS \$25,000.
Quebec, May 1.—An action for \$25,000 damages was entered to-day against the Quebec "Chronicle," by the Compagnie Generale d'Entreprises (formerly the Etienne Dussault Co.), of Levis. This company built the breakwater and is complaining that the "Chronicle" accused it of certain serious defects in its construction.

AUTOMOBILE ROBBERS
Remainder of Parisian Bandits Prepared for Fight.

Paris, May 1.—According to the "Petit Parisien," Garnier, Valet and several other members of the gang of motor car bandits have taken refuge in a little pavilion near from Paris on the Eastern Railway line. These survivors of the gang are armed, it is stated, and have, in addition to Winchester carbines and Browning automatic pistols, a stock of bombs. The residents of the adjacent villas, the paper says, have been asked to leave, and the authorities, who are determined to capture the bandits without loss of life to the police, if possible, are preparing for a siege.

At Nancy the police to-day arrested a carpenter named Remert and his wife, who harbored the bandits. The police, as well as the other members of the gang, including Bonnot. A search of the carpenter's lodgings brought to light a number of documents, which the police regard as the archives of the gang.

Not the Legion of Honor, as was at first reported, but gold and silver medals have been awarded to persons who distinguished themselves at the siege of the bandits' garage at Choisy le Roi on Sunday.

The fire started in some sheds at the rear of H. Groulx's butcher store at 4.30 from an unknown cause. When seen the blaze had made considerable headway and the fire brigade had a fierce fight before them to save the whole block.

The tenants, mostly women, ran screaming from their homes and became hysterical, while neighbors assisted to get out their belongings and pile them on City Square. The fire brigade asked assistance of Ottawa and the chief and a squad of men went over. Fifty onlookers were also requested to bring out some of the stocks in the stores.

At the conclusion of the fight of the firemen it was found that numbers 77, 79 and 81 Champlain street were gutted, as well as No. 83. Numbers 85, 87 were badly damaged by fire and water, as well as J. Pharaud's general store and a number of wooden sheds in the rear. The insurance on the whole loss is about \$25,000.

OWNER WANTED.
An owner is wanted for a buggy cushion, a rubber mat and an iron weight which were picked up on Guy street and brought to Selkirk's street police station. It is rather strange that so much of the outfit should have become detached, but the constable on the beat could see nothing of the horse and buggy that should belong to the articles found. The constable is greatly puzzled to understand how anyone could lose so much and not notice the loss.

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IN LIGHTER VEIN
HAVING FUN.
(From the "Sandpiper")
The brilliant wit of the Bar looked at the moon-faced farm laborer and winked at his friends and whispered, "Now, we'll have some fun!"
"Have you been married?" he began.
"Ye-ees," stammered the laborer, "once."
"Whom did you marry?"
"A w-woman, sir."
"Come, my good man, of course it was a woman. Did you ever hear of any one marrying a man?"
"Ye-ees, sir, my sister did."

Down the winding country road walked a strange trio—a comely and perfectly composed looking maiden and two men, on each of whose faces one could perceive the influence of jealousy. Their names were Miss Jones, Mr. Brown and Mr. Robinson. Suddenly a severe thunderstorm came on. Lightning flashed, and Mr. Brown remarked that he was frightened. Here was Robinson's chance. "What are you afraid of?" he answered, contemptuously. "I am as cool as can be. 'Why, of course,' answered the astute Brown. "If I were alone I should be the same, but I am afraid for Miss Jones in this lightning. You see she is so attractive. Robinson is still a bachelor, but Brown is not—Glasgow News."

TOMMY AND HIS STUDENTS.
Professor Duncan, of St. Andrew's University, was affectionately called "Tommy." On one occasion a student on the back bench had made himself obnoxious to the professor by interruptions and talk. "Come down to the front bench, Mr.," said Tommy, "for three reasons: First, you'll be nearer the board; secondly, you'll be nearer the fire, and, thirdly, you'll be nearer the door." On another occasion a student called out in regard to the problem being worked on the blackboard: "There's a cipher wanting, sir," on which the professor rejoined "There'll not be a cipher wanting as long as you're here."—Westminster Gazette.

CONTINUALLY GOING!
At a reading lesson on "Cleanliness" in a certain school a short time since a child read: "You may notice how careful engine drivers are to keep their engines clean, and, as our bodies are engines far more beautifully made, it is our duty to keep these wonderful machines in perfect order." The teacher asked how might our bodies be likened to an engine. None of the children could see the similarity, so the teacher, at great length, drew a comparison between them, and finished by saying: "You know that in an engine there are a great many wheels, which are constantly turning. Now, what part of me is continually going? A course, taken at the end of the class held up his hand, and, being asked, answered: "Your tongue, Miss!" Collapse of the

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Coat and Muff Chains, formerly 85c to \$1.00. Sale price 10c.
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The quantity reveals the extent of this sale, the price emphasizes the savings.
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Regular \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Waists

Commencing sharp at 8 a.m., we shall sell 1000 splendid Tailored Waists purchased at much below the usual price from one of the best makers.

They are samples. This means that you will find some of them slightly mussed, but otherwise, they are perfect—guaranteed to fit well, wear well, to be carefully made, and the colors to be absolutely fast.

Some of the waists come in the plain mannish style, with patch pocket, others with Gibson pleats, also some with full tucked fronts.

There are Irish Linen Waists, White Cambric Waists, White Vesting Waists, Cambric Embroidered Waists, and Imported Zephyr Waists with Helio, Blue, Black, and Green stripes. Both soft collars and cuffs, and stiff collars and cuffs in the lot.

The sizes are mostly 36 and 38 bust. There are some waists in 34, 40 and 42 bust.

Here is an opportunity to buy a \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 waist on Friday for... **.89**

Wash Goods Reduced in Price for Friday

GINGHAM, .08

2000 yards Canadian Gingham, in stripes and checks, all colors, dainty patterns and fast colors. These are perfect washing materials suitable for children's wear. Regular value .15; Friday... **.08**

SILK MUSLINS, .15

Oddments and broken ranges of Silk Muslins in dainty colors and patterns. These are taken from our regular stock of Muslins, because there are not all colors in each design; however, there are all colors in the lot. Regular .29 and .39 per yard; Friday... **.15**

200 Pairs of Women's High Grade Boots Regular up to \$4.50; Friday, \$2.95

Odd lines of Boots of well known makers will be placed on sale Friday. Every pair is stylishly made in the best leathers with Goodyear welts. These boots are perfect in fit, finish, and dependable in every way. It is the fact of their being oddments that causes them to be offered at such a low price.

There are Patent Leather Boots, Box Calf Boots, White Buck Skin Boots, White Canvas, Velvet and Suede Boots, with high and low Cuban heels, and all sizes 2 1/2 to 7. Friday per pair... **\$2.95**

Untrimmed Shapes .98

A special purchase of 500 shapes only, offered for sale on Friday at about Half the regular value. They were made by one of the leading New York makers, who allowed us a large discount on the regular value.

There are Mohair shapes in Black, Milan shapes in White, Chip shapes in Black and Burnt colors, Bedford Braid shapes in Black only. They are all the newest styles and of most becoming appearance.

Regular \$1.50, \$2.50 to \$4.50; Friday... **.98**

Tailored Hats \$2.00

All oddments in our Tailored Hats section will be sold on Friday at a very low price. There are several becoming hats made of straw with silk crowns. They are all of attractive, stylish designs, and tastefully trimmed.

Regular values \$4.50 to \$5.00; Friday... **\$2.00**

Stylish Trimmed Hats

We have taken from stock and marked down specially for Friday's selling, 50 beautiful trimmed hats. The reason for the reduction at this season is because we want to make room for our Summer Hats, which are daily arriving from New York, London and Paris.

Regular \$10.00 to \$20.00; Friday each... **\$6.49**

Stock Reducing Sale of Women's Drawers

To-morrow, in our Whitewear Department, we will place on sale a very large assortment of Women's Drawers. They are all made of the highest grade Nainsook, and the trimmings are of the finest embroidery and lace. This is a sale with a reason—merely to reduce our large stock. Both styles and all sizes will be found in this assortment.

Regular up to \$1.75; Friday... **.89**

Sale of Children's Sample Bonnets, Dresses and Coats

Sample Coats, Dresses, and Bonnets, for children from 6 months to 2 years, will be placed on sale at 8 a.m. Friday at... **HALF PRICE** They are the production of a large European manufacturer.

The dresses are well made of Lawn, Cashmere, and Silk, in the latest styles, and the bonnets are beautifully made of embroidery Pique, Silk, and Real Lace. Sizes from 6 months to 2 years. Bonnets, regular .65 to \$5.50; Friday... **.33 to \$2.75**

Coats, regular \$1.95 to \$9.75; Friday... **.98 to \$4.88**
Dresses, regular .75 to \$3.50; Friday... **.38 to \$1.75**

Oxfords & Pumps, Friday \$1.29

150 pairs only, of splendid Oxfords and Tie Pumps in Patent Leather, Patent Leather and dull tops, Dongola Kid and Calf, to be sold on Friday. They are all high class McKay sewn, and in the Blucher style. Sizes 2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2, 4 and a few large sizes. Regular \$3.50 per pair; Friday... **\$1.29**

.25 Underwear

Vests with low neck, short or no sleeves, also with fancy lace yoke. All sizes. Price... **.25**
Extra fine Swiss ribbed vests, low neck, short or no sleeves, also with lace yoke. Price... **.25**
Strong ribbed cotton drawers, Jersey or umbrella knees, lace trimmed. Both styles. Price... **.25**

Summer Dresses, \$2.95

During his last visit to New York, our representative made a fortunate purchase of a large assortment of Women's Dresses at an exceedingly low price.

There is a splendid selection of attractive styles and colors in the lot. These dresses are well made in a good linen finished material that will wash satisfactorily.

Here is an exceptional occasion when you can buy a \$5.00 or \$6.00 Summer Dress for... **\$2.95**

Women's Dresses \$4.95

32 only, Stylish Dresses, in Serge, Panama, Silk, Taffeta, Chiffon, and Mousseline de Soie to be cleared on Friday. They comprise the surplus stock of a reliable maker, and are well made, and offer a wide selection of styles. Almost every garment is entirely different in design, and each one is smart, and effective. Regular \$12.50 to \$18.00 dresses. Friday... **\$4.95**

Women's Coats \$4.95

A splendid offering of 26 only, Women's Coats, made up in very smart designs. There is a large variety of materials, including Tweeds, Serges, Bedford Cords, Cover Cloth, etc., and many colors. Some of the coats come in the hip length styles, others are full length, and in the lot there are a few capes. All one price Friday... **\$4.95**

8 A.M. SPECIALS IN MEN'S LISLE THREAD SOCKS

Regular .19, .25, .35; Friday per pair **.09**

200 pairs of Men's Silk Lisle and Dull Lisle and Fancy Lisle Socks, in plain colors, checks, and stripes, also plain black lisle. Reg. .19, .25, .35. Friday per pair... **.09**

WOMEN'S LISLE AND COTTON STOCKINGS

Regular .25 a pair; Friday 3 pairs for **.50**

300 pairs of fine Lisle Thread Stockings in Black, Tan, and colors, also all Black Cottons, and Black Cotton with natural wool and Balbriggan feet. These are all full-fashioned with double heels and toes. Regular price .25; Friday... **.15** 3 pairs for **.50**

200 Pairs of Women's Spun Silk Lisle Thread and Fancy Cashmere Stockings

Regular .50, .65, .75; Friday 25 per pair

The Blacks include gauze lisle, dull lisle and silk lisle. The colors come in spun silk and fancy cashmere. Regular .50, .65, .75; Friday... **.25**

8 A.M. SPECIAL IN KID GLOVES

Regular \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50; Friday **.37** per pair

350 pairs of Kid Gloves, slightly damaged but neatly repaired by a glove expert, French Kid and Cape Gloves, in Black, White, Tan, Grey, Mode, Green, and Navy. Friday, at 8 a.m., per pair... **.37**

214 pairs of manufacturers' sample Gloves in long lisle and long silks, wrist length, silks and lises, colors of Black, White, Sky, Champagne, Mode and Grey. Worth up to .35 to \$1.00. Friday... **.25, .39 and .50** per pair

THE "MOUNT ROYAL BRAND" SILK GLOVES

Friday per pair **.39**

Wrist length, 2 dome fasteners, strongly made, reinforced double tipped fingers. Colors Tan, Grey, White, Black. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2. A glove well worth .50 a pair. Per pair... **.39**

CLEARANCE OF COLORED SILK UMBRELLAS AT HALF PRICE

24 Umbrellas, all silk, guaranteed waterproof, silk taped edge to match, long handles, straight with mushroom tops. Colors Green, Navy, Myrtle, Wisteria, deep Wine color, Brown and Taupe. Prices—

Regular \$4.25; Friday \$2.12
Regular 4.50; Friday 2.25
Regular 4.85; Friday 2.33
Regular 4.95; Friday 2.45
Regular 5.25; Friday 2.63
Regular 8.50; Friday 4.25

BEAUTIFUL RIBBON

Duchess Satin Wash Ribbon, suitable for Lingerie and Beading purposes. Colors White, Sky, Pink, Mauve.

1/2-inch, 5 yards for... **.12**
1/2-inch, 5 yards for... **.15**
3/4-inch, 3 yards for... **.15**
2-inch, 3 yards for... **.35**

FANCY HAT BAND RIBBON

In stripes, checks, and plaids, Black and White, Navy and White, Pink and White, Tuscan, and White, Sky and White, 2 inches wide. Per yard... **.29, .35, .55**



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THE BIBLE IN BRAZIL. Canadian Missionary Tells of His Experiences.

The Rev. John D. McEwen, a Canadian missionary, who has labored for the last twelve years in the interior of Brazil, is now on a visit to this city.



Canada, with vast water wealth, but, unlike Canada, this wealth is undeveloped. There are 20,000,000 people in Brazil with a mere handful of men to read the Gospel and to teach them to read their Bibles.

SPRING AND SUMMER 1912

WE take pleasure in announcing our CARPET and OILCLOTH opening, to be held Wednesday, May 1st, and the following days, when we will show the very latest styles and patterns in Rugs, Oilcloths and Linoleums, Stair Coverings, Etc.

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remote. It is a country as large as a mission and a school, in which elementary subjects and English are taught. Special emphasis is laid on Bible study.

Mr. McEwen states that the people are awakening to the need of education and religious instruction. It must be remembered that the Roman Catholic Church has been in possession of the country for four hundred years.

Looking to the future, Mr. McEwen has great hopes for the country of Brazil. He will give voice to some of the needs of his adopted country to-night at Point St. Charles Congregational Church, and on Sunday afternoon he will address Mr. McCauley's Men's Own meeting.

We, the citizens of Oruba Grande, having long known the Rev. J. D. McEwen and his work in Brazil (often accompanied by grave difficulties), are glad to give testimony to our esteem for and confidence in him.

THE WITNESS' DAILY PATTERN. The home dressmaker should keep a little catalogue scrap book of the daily pattern cuts.



1,185-1,183-A TASTEFULLY DESIGNED DRESS. Composed of Ladies' Waist, Pattern 9,185, and Ladies' Skirt Pattern 9,183.

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The 'Witness' Fashion Hint



THE BIB APRON. The bib apron of pale blue moire silk gives this charmingly lace dinner gown a quaint effect.

MISS HORNIMAN'S COMPANY. Great Enthusiasm Greeted Them on Their Return to Manchester.

Montrealers will be interested in the account of the first appearance of the Horniman players in their own Manchester after their Montreal visit. The 'Evening Chronicle' reports follows: There was no mistaking the sincerity of the welcome home of Miss Horniman's company at the Gaiety on Saturday night.

STOLE TO MARRY. Female Ticket Agent Told Story of Robbery, Then Confessed. Chicago, May 1.—Mary Reynolds, a ticket agent employed by the Illinois Central Railway, who told the police a story of being held up and robbed of \$150 by two men in the station last night, confessed to-day that she had concocted the story of the robbery, and had given the money to her sweetheart.

MEMORIAL TO QUEEN VICTORIA UNVEILED



The address of Mons. Polncart, the French Premier, at the unveiling of the Queen Victoria Memorial at Nice on April 12 has created a most happy impression throughout France and England.

You cannot afford to do without it—you will tone up your whole system by taking, in the morning,

Hunyadi Janos Water. Natural Laxative. Quickly Relieves CONSTIPATION.

MCGILL EXAMINATIONS

The following results of examinations were announced last night by the Faculty of Applied Science of McGill University: SURVEYING—Second Year. Class I.—Robertson, Coote, Cockfield, Day, Keating, MacLeod, equal; Bone, Laing, equal; Boswell, Jamieson, Winter, equal; Holland, Stewart, Class II.—Heap, Stanley, equal; Garrow, Harty, Scott, A. G., Waldron, equal; Strath, Tyler, equal; Fowler, Jacques, Scott, W. D., equal; Anglin, Cunningham, Hay, equal; Gilbert, Hague, equal; Patterson, A. L.; Gentles, Harkon, Lawrence, McGeekin, Mullin, equal; Pickett, Gilmore, McLennan, W. D., equal; Garrett, Kennedy, H., Allingham, equal; Bailey, Grant, Layne, Paisley, Ferrault, equal; Fricker, Goodman, Hyams, Moffitt, Milne, equal.

MAPPING—Third Year. (Mining Eng. Course). Class I.—Mitchell, Bailly, Class II.—Baker, Clarke, equal; Cameron, Class III.—McEwen, Murray, Routledge, Webb, Crossfield, MacKay, Mathewson, Thompson, G. equal.

ENGLISH—Third Year. (Bachelors Course). Class I.—None. Class II.—Joseph, Hamer, Class III.—Pullen, Cole, Chemistry—Second Year. Class I.—Jamieson; Cockfield and MacLeod; Marshall and Robertson.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING. Third Year—Mechanical Engineering. Class I.—Crawford, Wright, Class II.—Boire, Pickard, Ryan, Class III.—Hamble, Stevenson, Kawasch, Davidson, and Heblen. Municipal Engineering—Third Year. Class I.—Weir; Chave and Jackson; MacRae, Harvey, Mait, Picher, Class II.—Reeder, Dodd, Carson; Hooper and Murray; Hamilton and Lynche; Duffy; Goldie and Irwin and Kirby; Berry, Class III.—Ellisoph, Morrow; Lauder and Spencer; Gratley; McDonald, L. M., and Patterson and Wilson, W. J.; Wilson, C. P., Roche. SUMMER ESSAY—THIRD YEAR. Civil Engineering Course. Class I.—Chave, Sherman, Reeder, Class II.—Weir, Mait, Warwick; Alexander and Dodd; Berry and Carson. Class III.—Irwin, Paterson; Graffey and Jackson and Wilson, W. J.; McDonald, M., and Wilson, C. P., Ellisoph and Roche. MECHANICS OF MACHINES. Second Year. Class I.—McLeod, Hadley, Jamieson, Garrow, Stanley, Bone, Garrett, Laing, Class II.—Cochran, Keating, Foland, Stavert, Hay, Day, Robertson, Winter, Layne, A. L. Patterson, Pickett, W. D. Scott, Strath, Jacques, McMaskin, A. G., Scott, Traversy, Class III.—Boswell, Duggan, Gentles, Lawrence, McFarlane, Bailey, Goodman, Harkon, Page, Carreau, H. Kennedy, Waldron, Gilbert, Guignard, Coke, Heblen, Galt, Otman, Gilmore, Miffen, J. Scott, Connors, Dunn, Ewart, Bull, J. S., Hall, Mullin, Orkin, L'Amie, Macaulay, Scantlebury, Allingham, Fowler, Milne, H. M., Scott, Coal-ruff, Duck, Fineberg, Kipin, Scott, Smith, C. M., Cameron, Ferruson, Heggie, R. W. Hovey, Laddon, Daubney, Kilborn, Weir, Class III.—Fotheringham, Freland, Lindsay, J. E., Roy, Fergie, Laramontagne, Penock, Douglas, Grant,

For May Weddings Sheffield Cutlery. There are many who forget that we carry one of the best makes of Table Cutlery on the market. If for presentation we have it in cases of various assortments. If for one's own use we sell it by half-dozen or dozens, and every piece of it guaranteed as to quality. Henry Birks & Sons Limited Phillips Square

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson. LECTURE ON IRELAND. The Rev. Joseph Sullivan, M.A., will deliver an illustrated lecture on Ireland to-night, at 8:15 o'clock, in the First Presbyterian Church, corner of Prince Arthur and Mance streets.

TO ENTERTAIN FRENCHMEN Delegates From Tercentenary Celebrations at Champlain Will Get Civic Reception

Elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the French delegation attending the Champlain monument ceremonies have been completed by the Franco-Americain Association...

CHINESE LOAN \$300,000,000 Required to Ensure Establishment of Stable Government.

Peking, May 1.—The attention of the legation is centered upon a big loan, which, it is announced, will probably be for \$300,000,000.

The 'Witness' Block ACCOMMODATION for one or two tenants—office or shop.

PLATS TO LET. ESPLANADE AVENUE, 208—SEVEN room middle flat facing mountain, with balcony on Park Avenue.

FARMING SPECIAL C. P. R. Instruction Train to Tour Quebec and New Brunswick.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, through its Industrial Commission, Mr. J. Timmerman, in co-operation with the Provincial Department of Agriculture, will run an agricultural instruction train over lines in the Provinces of Quebec and New Brunswick.

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PROPERTY FOR SALE. PROPERTIES FOR SALE BY J. P. DE CHATEAUVERT.

\$3.00 PER FOOT—Solid Stone House, on lot 42 x 38, on LaSagatou street, near St. Lawrence. Would exchange for another property.

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TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED, PROTESTANT LADY Teacher for English Elementary School, Lake Megantic. Six months' term. Salary \$2000 monthly. Apply, Mr. RIDER, Agnes, P.Q.

TWO TEACHERS WANTED BY THE Disinterested Protestant Board of Education of the Parish of St. Louis de Gonzague, County of Beauharnois, for the year 1912-1913. Salary \$2500. Applications will be received up to the 25th May next, and addressed to the undersigned, Mr. A. S. MARTIN, Secretary, St. Louis de Gonzague, County Beauharnois.

TEACHER WANTED—ONE FEMALE Protestant teacher, holding Model diploma, for the Village School of St. Charles, County of Beauharnois. Salary \$2000 for ten months, to begin first September next. Address, Mr. A. S. MARTIN, Secretary, St. Louis de Gonzague, County Beauharnois.

WANTED, A LADY TEACHER (Protestant), as Principal for the Cote St. Paul Protestant School, for the year 1912-1913. Salary \$2000 for ten months, to begin first September next. Address, Mr. A. S. MARTIN, Secretary, St. Louis de Gonzague, County Beauharnois.

WANTED, A PROTESTANT TEACHER for the Grand Ligne Dissident School, holding Model diploma, in English and French (who can teach English and French preferred), for a term of 10 months, commencing on the 1st of September, 1912. Salary, \$25 per month; board, \$11.00. Apply to J. HORACE LORD, Secretary, Grand Ligne, Que.

QUALIFIED TEACHERS ARE REQUIRED for nine public schools in the Municipality of Bristol, Teachers from Macdonald College preferred. Duties to commence on the 15th August, 1912, and on the 15th June, 1913. Teachers to state salary wanted. Applications to be in the hands of the Secretary-Treasurer on or before the 15th May, 1912. W. M. GRANT, Secretary-Treasurer, Elmide, Que.

WANTED, PROTESTANT TEACHER, with Model School diploma, to teach in the Grand Ligne Dissident School. One teacher with Elementary diploma, to teach 1st and 2nd Elementary classes, in the Grand Ligne Dissident School, on or before the 1st of September, 1912. Salary, \$25 per month; board, \$11.00. Apply to J. HORACE LORD, Secretary, Grand Ligne, Que.

WANTED, PRINCIPAL FOR BULWER Model School (Protestant); term to commence Sept. 1st, 1912. Applicant stating experience and salary expected, to A. E. BRIDGETTE, Secretary-Treasurer.

WANTED, A PROTESTANT TEACHER for the Village School, to teach in the Grand Ligne Dissident School. One teacher with Elementary diploma, to teach 1st and 2nd Elementary classes, in the Grand Ligne Dissident School, on or before the 1st of September, 1912. Salary, \$25 per month; board, \$11.00. Apply to J. HORACE LORD, Secretary, Grand Ligne, Que.

WANTED, A PRINCIPAL FOR ST. Andrew's School, to teach in the Model Grades and first grade Academy to commence Sept. 1st, 1912, for term of one year. Salary, \$25 per month; board, \$11.00. Apply to W. S. TODD, Sec.-Treasurer, St. Andrews East, Que.

FOR SALE. KINDLING WOOD FOR THE MILLION—Kindling wood, 12 ft. long, 4 in. diameter, \$3.25 per cord. 12 ft. long, 3 in. diameter, \$2.00 per cord. J. C. MACDONALD, 402 William Street, Tel. M. 452.

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J. E. A. TEBON, Deputy Prothonotary.

ALLAN Royal Mail

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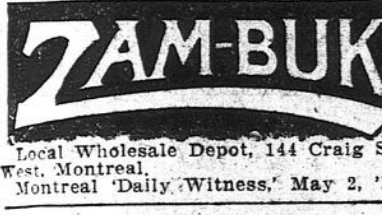
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MAY DAY CELEBRATIONS

Girl Carried the Red Flag in Orderly Parade to Champ-de-Mars

TROUBLE IN NEW YORK

Mob Tore Down the Stars and Stripes and Hoisted Socialist Emblem.

Preceded by a girl in red raiment, and carrying a red flag, the Socialists of Montreal, about seven hundred strong, marched through the streets last night without causing offence or inciting molestation.

HINDU WOMEN REMAIN A WHILE

Application for Habeas Corpus Does the Trick—Legal Fight Coming

Vancouver, B.C., May 1.—Once again the two Hindu women, Karter and Kox Singh, have managed to defeat the immigration authorities and evade deportation on the steamer 'Monteagle,' which sailed to-day.

FREE FIGHT IN NEW YORK

New York, May 2.—The Stars and Stripes were torn down and trampled under foot and a red flag substituted during a May Day meeting at the Hotel Hamilton.

CHATEAU LAUBIER OPENING

Public Dinner and Formalities Abandoned Owing to Death of Mr. Hays.

While no date has yet been fixed for the opening of the Grand Trunk's new hotel at Ottawa the Chateau Laurier, it is expected that it will be ready for occupancy by the end of the month.

Spring Medicine

There is no other season when medicine is so much needed as in the spring. The blood is impure and impoverished—a condition indicated by pimples, boils and other eruptions on the face and body, by dizziness, loss of appetite, lack of strength.

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It purifies and enriches the blood, cures eruptions, builds up the system. Get it today. Sold by all druggists everywhere. 100 Doses \$1.



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TO BE SOLD FOR TAXES

The city treasurer's department has a list of the properties which will be sold for unpaid taxes if a settlement with the city is not soon effected.

APATHETIC BRITISHERS

They Will Not Warm Up to Home Rule, on Either Side.

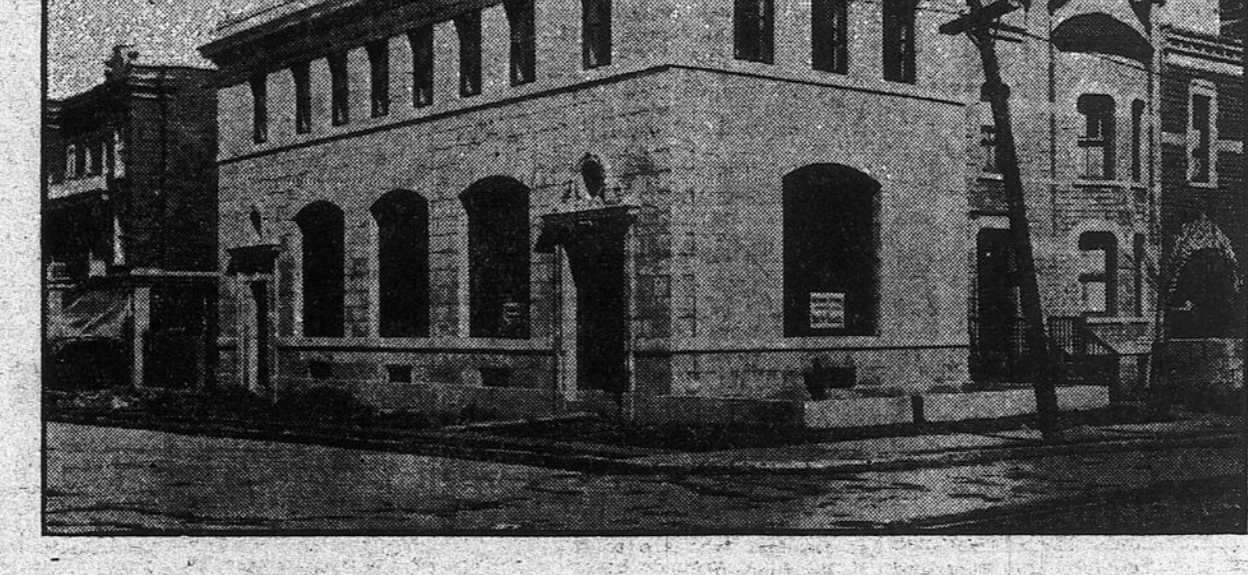
SPEECHES TOO LONG

'You Were Wrong in South Africa; Will You Repeat the Error?' Asks Colonel Seely.

London, May 1.—No great political project was ever debated in the House of Commons with less display of interest on the part of the members and the general public than the Home Rule Bill.

PRICES RISING

Toronto, May 1.—The price of anthracite coal to the domestic consumer in Ontario will be increased by twenty-five cents per ton.



NEW BRANCH OFFICE OF THE BANK OF OTTAWA, CORNER FAIRMOUNT AND PARK AVENUES. It has just been opened for business with Mr. A. W. Laing as the manager.

It is unlikely there will be any immediate increase in prices in Montreal. New York, May 1.—The wholesale and retail price of beef has reached the highest point in twenty years in this city.

BANISH PIMPLES AND ERUPTIONS

IN THE SPRING MOST PEOPLE NEED A TONIC MEDICINE.

One of the surest signs that the blood is out of order is the pimples, unsightly eruptions and eczema that come frequently with the change from winter to spring.

MADRID QUIET

Madrid, May 2.—Twenty thousand persons participated in the working-men's May Day parade. The affair was conducted in an orderly manner under the observation of the police.

STRIKE IN BUFFALO, N.Y.

Buffalo, N.Y., May 2.—A strike of 2,000 members of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners was inaugurated here yesterday.

DICKENS INTERPRETATION

To-morrow evening Mr. Frank Spaight, who comes with the best of recommendations, will give an enter-

CONSERVATIVES LUKEWARM

One reason for this is the present system whereby the House of Lords may prolong legislation over a period of two years, which postpones the critical stage of the measure.

GROWING FREIGHT TRAFFIC

The Grand Trunk freight traffic has increased during 40 days at the rate of 2,241 cars a day.

Is Sickness a Habit?

With many sickness undoubtedly becomes to me extent a habit. I feel that I have a habit of sickness.

Federal House Has Authorized Subsidies of \$3,200 a Mile.

The Federal House has authorized subsidies of \$320 per mile with additional subsidies where the average cost of mileage is more than \$15,000 for a line of railway not exceeding 200 miles from a point at or near Montreal to a point at or near Mile 237 west of Montreal.

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OUTREMONT COUNCIL Abandons Scheme for Extension of the Town Westward.

The Council of Outremont held an important meeting last night, at which contracts were awarded for very extensive public works to be carried out during the summer.

CHEAP TRIPS THIS WEEK-END via Grand Trunk.

The Grand Trunk Railway System announce that cheap week-end fares, for numerous and attractive excursions, will go into effect on Saturday, May 4th, 1912.

CITY HALL ANNEX PLANS

Tenders Will be Called Soon by Controllers to Construct the New Building.

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MACDONALD NEWS

The Hon. J. R. Williams, Director of Education, Jamaica, spent the week end at Macdonald College.

A party of English gentlemen, representing the International Interchange of Students, visited the college on Monday, and had lunch in the dining hall. The party included Mr. P. J. Godbee, Radcliffe on Trent; Mr. H. M. Gell, London; Mr. E. H. Wainwright, Weybridge and Mr. D. B. Haynes, Radcliffe on Trent, England.

Mr. J. L. Hills, Dean of the Faculty of Agriculture of Vermont, Burlington, Vt., accompanied by Mr. L. Hills visited the college on Monday.

Mr. John Fixter, of Ottawa, formerly Farm Superintendent, spent Tuesday here.

Mr. Straight, assistant in horticulture, visited Huntingdon Co., last week

to take part in demonstration orchard work.

Professor Barton, spent a few days at Beechburg, Ont., recently.

The Misses Ewing, Dunlop and Stewart, graduates in Household Science '11, visited old friends here on Friday last.

A special lecture in Forestry by Dr. Sinclair is arranged for to take place on Arbor Day.

The third and last reception of the Macdonald College students took place on Friday evening in the gymnasium of the Women's Residence. The guests were received by Mrs. Muldren, house superintendent and Miss Baker, president of the seniors school of household science. The programme consisted of dancing.

Midsummer Night's Dream was very prettily and effectively staged by the students of Model Class B, and C. School for Teachers in the Assembly Hall on Saturday evening. There was a double cast, which afforded opportunity for a much larger number of students to take part. After the

play the students were entertained by Miss Sinclair under whose direction the play was given.

DEATH OF MR. E. J. MAJOR.
After more than a year of vain fighting to regain his health, Mr. E. J. Major, president of the Major Manufacturing Company at Ste. Agathe des Monts, died at 8.30 yesterday morning. Mr. Major was well-known in Montreal's social and business circles for more than half a century, and his death comes as a great blow to a host of friends. In 1910 Mr. Major visited England for his health, but he soon returned home, and since July of last year his health grew steadily worse, so that he was practically confined to his home in Ste. Agathe des Monts. The late Mr. Major was in his sixty-fifth year. He was the son of the late James F. Major, who had been government inspector of pot and pearl ash before his son succeeded to the position over twenty-five years ago, at his death. The deceased was an enthusiastic sportsman and a member of the Montreal Hunt Club, and had the honor one year of winning the Hunt Club cup on his horse "Hard Times." He was also a member of the St. James and other clubs.

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RELATIVES GIVE UP HOPE

Believed that the Minia Has Secured all the Recoverable Dead.

ANGUISH OF RELATIVES.

Daily Visits to Morgue Drive Suffering Friends to Verge of Madness.

Halifax, May 1.—A general exodus of photographers and reporters from Halifax began to-day. The camera men have succeeded in securing pictures of scenes that have been enacted in connection with the removal of the dead, notwithstanding the rigorous measures taken against them by the police. One representative of a New York paper actually took the morgue ship as she was docking, hiding his plates in the boiler room of the tug he had chartered, when the police came aboard.

The departure of the newspaper men is evidence of the belief that now exists here that the "Minia" has practically secured all the dead that will ever be found. An estimated corpse or two may be discovered, and to-day the White Star officials were asked to notify the captain not to mention such recoveries, unless he can give names, as the mere mention of the finding of bodies would revive hopes of those whose dead are still numbered among the missing.

A more terrible phase of the "Titanic" disaster has been developed here in the undermining of the patience and strength of those relatives who still remain in Halifax, hoping against hope that their quest for the loved ones will be successful. Daily a number of them visit the improvised morgue at the Mayflower Hotel, and gaze upon the slowly diminishing number of dead that remain to be claimed or as yet have not been identified.

The ordeal has reduced strong men to a state of complete prostration and nervousness, but, notwithstanding the pain that their visits give them, many still haunt the rink in the hope that the treatment of the undertakers may make some corpse more recognizable, or that some little belonging will be found to indicate that their dead were among the unidentified buried by the crew of the "Mackay-Bennett."

At the end of each day since the morgue ship arrived they have staggered out from the death hall wrecks in body and mind and have returned to their hotels depressed by an overwhelming dejection.

If the "Minia" does not arrive soon we shall have some of these men going mad, said one of the policemen who guard the rink, after helping a relative to a cab.

A number of bereaved have forced themselves to leave town, and will not return until their relatives have arrived at the "Minia" with her cargo of dead is received.

A description of the agony suffered by relatives on a tour down the long aisles of dead at the Mayflower Rink is given by Mr. R. S. Fortune, of Winnipeg, who came here in an endeavor to find the body of his father, Mr. Mackay-Bennett, who with his son was lost in the "Titanic."

Mr. Fortune said that as he passed through the rink his eye would catch a glimpse of the part of a face and the hair of a body, and he would surmise those of his father or brother. He would hasten to the casket and survey the features, and when he saw the familiar features he would be seized with a sense of disappointment when he found that the resemblance to his father or brother, which had attracted his notice, disappeared upon a closer inspection of the bodies.

Mr. Fortune said that the anguish of his experience was horrible, and he decided to leave town in the interim between now and the arrival of the "Minia" and look no more on the faces of the "Titanic" dead.

Mr. James Baxter, of Montreal, who came here to look for his brother, Quigley, has also left town, and will only return if he secures reliable advice that his brother's remains are on the "Minia."

MACEDONIAN SMUGGLER.

Slipped Through Fingers of Toronto Police Until Caught.

Toronto, May 2.—Charged with a breach of the Immigration laws, James Bucoules, a Macedonian, was arrested in Detroit and brought back to Toronto last night. He is an old time violator of the country laws. Recently he was fined \$400 in Toronto and given a few days to make good the fine. However the minute he was arrested the police he slipped out of town, and the next heard of him was in Chicago. Later he was re-arrested in Detroit.

It is alleged that Bucoules has made a fortune by his manipulation of the immigration laws. According to the police, for some considerable time he has brought crowds of Macedonians into the country from Buffalo by evading the immigration officials and has collected \$25 each from his compatriots as a reward for his services.

SO OPEN-SOULED.

New York, May 2.—A despatch from San Francisco says: Discussing the rumors current as to the probability of his leaving Washington to succeed Sir Edward Grey, Mr. James Bryce said: "That is rumor and nothing more than rumor. I am not going to America and shall end here. I have grown to like the American people. They are so live, so invigorating, so honest, so open-souled."

FEARED DEATH.

Memphis, Tenn., May 1.—That Mrs. Olive D. Corgill shot and killed her husband, Bailey G. Corgill, on Monday night because she feared that Corgill would kill her as well as their children, is asserted in a statement made by J. F. Rees, father of the woman. Mrs. Corgill is under arrest.

'VOTE FOR TAFT' SAYS ROOSEVELT

But His Henchmen Gather Round Him and Refuse

UNPARALLELED SITUATION.

Discrepancy in Make-up of Ballot Militates Against Mr. Taft, Causing More Trouble

Boston, May 1.—The refusal of the Republican delegates at large to accept Col. Roosevelt's cast for President Taft at the Chicago convention, although elected as Roosevelt delegates, has further complicated the situation here, and has caused more trouble to-day. The situation is acknowledged by party leaders of both sides to be without parallel in the political history of the commonwealth.

ASKS FOR RECOUNT.

A somewhat similar situation was created on the Democratic ballot. Speaker Champ Clark, who had no pledged delegates on the ticket, was a 2 to 1 victory over Governor Wilson in the presidential preference contest. At the same time delegates at large pledged to Governor Foss of Massachusetts were elected to attend the Baltimore convention though the name of Governor Foss did not appear in the preference column.

Roosevelt followers have announced their intention of asking a recount in the eighth district, while the Taft men will do likewise in the ninth, on account of the closeness of the vote.

In his request to the delegates at large, Col. Roosevelt declared it to be his wish to abide by the will of the people, and that therefore the delegates, though elected as pledged to him, should vote for Mr. Taft, who always been a Roosevelt man, was elected as a Roosevelt man and expected to continue a Roosevelt supporter.

Both the Roosevelt and Taft headquarters managers remained silent to-night upon the announcement of Col. Roosevelt.

PRIMARY LAW INTERPRETED.

A slightly different interpretation of the primary law in respect of district delegates was brought forward by Judge Riley, chairman of the Democratic State Committee. Judge Riley said that the law requires delegates should vote for the candidate of their party who carried the presidential preference vote of the state, whatever their pledges, unless they were pledged to a candidate who carried the vote of the district given to the opposition candidates who received the presidential preference choice.

MR. TAFT WILL PROTEST.

A contest which the managers of the Taft campaign promise to carry to the very doors of the National Convention, is threatened as a result of the independent candidacy of Frank Sieberlich, of Boston. Mr. Sieberlich was not on the regular list of delegates, but his name entered on the ballot as an independent pledged to Taft. The name was placed immediately above the slate of pledged delegates at large also pledged to President Taft, so that many voters, following down the column crossed the name of Sieberlich as well as the eight others pledged to Taft, thus marking the intention of the voter was shown and all the ballots so marked should be counted, omitting the name on the list of one which received the smallest vote.

GUARDING THE SEALS.

Seattle, Wn., May 2.—The revenue cutter "Wanning," the first of the Behring Sea patrol vessels, sailed from Seattle for the north to-day, and will guard the eastern section of the Alaska peninsula from Unimak Pass to Kodiak Island until the fur seals enter Behring Sea, when the cutter will follow. The "Taberna" will sail in a few days and the "McCulloch" and "Bear" will go later.

SPYING ON FLIES.

Ottawa, May 1.—The boy scouts of Ottawa have divided up the city systematically and are going to do some scouting for spots where flies may breed. The Mayor met them to-night and encouraged the idea, and the civic authorities are to receive the scouts' reports on health danger spots.

CORNWALL WOMAN DEAD.

Cornwall, Ont., May 1.—One of Cornwall's best known citizens passed away to-day in the person of Mrs. A. Pitts McDonald, of Wales, to-day and the late D. D. McDonald, coal merchant, of Cornwall. Her maiden name was Christiana Carpenter.

M. P. FOR TEMISCOUATA.

Quebec, May 1.—The petition against the reelection of Mr. C. A. Gauvin, M.P. for Temiscouata, has been dismissed, the promoters failing to act within the delays specified in the law.

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575 Pieces of 18, 25 and 35 Neckwear in stock on Friday. Stocks and Jabots, made of good quality white net, trimmed with Val lace and assorted color satin bow, regular price 25. White 12 Side Jabots, some embroidered, others made of ivory net, trimmed with Val lace, others again made of fine pleated muslin, trimmed with white tulle lace and small buttons. Reg. price 25 and 35. Embroidered Linen Stocks and Jabots, trimmed with lace; double Jabots made of white tulle and beautifully embroidered with silk. Reg. price 15 and 12. Embroidered Linen Collars, in a large variety of patterns; 4, 14 1/2; reg. price, 25 and 35. Friday, each | .49 | .09 |
| SAMPLE GLOVES.
Ladies' and Children's Fabric Gloves; a miscellaneous collection offered Friday at exactly | WALL PAPER.
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Ladies' Black Kid Gloves, worth up to \$1.25, regular lines, but have slight imperfections; splendid value; mostly all sizes. Friday, per pair | WALL PAPER SALE IN THE BASEMENT.
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| LONG KID GLOVES.
Ladies' 12 Button Length White Glove Mousquetaire Kid Gloves, slightly imperfect; regular price, \$1.50. Price, per pair. | ALSO—
Ladies' Colored Lisle Socks, assorted shades, in Tan and plain effects. Regular .35 value. Friday, three pairs for .55, or single pair | .98 | .19 |
| LADIES' HOSIERY.
Ladies' Fine Black Lisle Thread Hose, with hand-embroidered silk fronts; exceptionally good value, bought at a great reduction in price; all sizes. Three pairs for \$1.00, or single pair | LADIES' VESTS.
Ladies' White Ribbed Cotton Vests, slightly imperfect; regular size, perfect fitting. 12 value. Friday's price, a garment. | .35 | .08 |
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For Girls, 6 to 14 Years. A very important clearance of dresses, formerly selling at from \$1.25 to \$4.50. This lot of dresses includes all our more or less soiled, and muslin stock. Remember, all that these dresses need to make them look like new is a little laundering. The majority of them are in the better qualities and, remember, the previous prices ranged from \$1.25 right up to \$4.50. Friday, each. | NO C.O.D. Exchanges or Refunds.
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IRKUTSK HORROR SEQUEL. St. Petersburg, May 1.—Demonstrations by workmen and students against the shooting down of more than a hundred strikers at the Lena gold fields at Irkutsk on April 17 have resulted in wholesale domiciliary searches and arrests at St. Petersburg.

GUESTS AT 'CHANGE. The following gentlemen were introduced on 'Change yesterday at the Board of Trade—L. McVey and J. R.

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