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NE ADVERTISEMENTS.

Academy of Music—Madame Albani. Home to Let—F. T. Thomas. Quebec Horticultural Society—F. A. Falkenberg. Notice to Mariners—Owen Armstrong. Academy of Music—An Amateur Theatricals. Good Times Coming—Geo. Romeril. Shirts—L. Morgan. Shirts—L. Morgan. Salamander Wast—Continental Mac'ry Co. Notice—Henry A. Bedard. Ayer's Cherry Pencil—Dr. J. O. Ayer & Co. Libbig Company's Extract of Meat. Compagnie Generale Transatlantique—A. Forget. See last page. Dyer's Jelly of Cumber and Roses.

Kincardine Place for Sale or to Let.

TWO LARGE AND DESIRABLE Double House No. 105, Grande Allee will be sold or leased on particularly favorable terms. Immediate possession on first day. In good order, and heated throughout by hot water, all modern improvements, & od Stabling, &c. A. JOSEPH & SONS. January 18, 1889.

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Mr. W. RUSSELL, - Lessee & Manager.

FAREWELL CANADIAN TOUR

MADAME ALBANI

THE WORLD-RENOWNED Canadian Prima Donna, WILL APPEAR IN—

TWO CONCERTS!

1st on February First.

2nd on February Fourth.

TICKETS now on sale at PRUNEAU & KIROUAC'S, 28, Fabrique Street.

Plan open from Ten o'clock to Four.

January 23, 1889.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Friday, Jan. 25th.

AMATEUR THEATRICALS!

USING THE PATRONAGE OF Lt. Col. Montzambert and Officers "B" Battery.

The following pieces will be performed by Lady and Gentlemen Amateurs:

TRYING IT ON!

THE AREA BELLE!

THE MILLINER'S HOLIDAY!

The Band of "B" Battery will be in attendance.

Doors open at 7:30; Performance at 8.

Box Plan now open at R. Morgan's Music Store.

Admission—Reserved Seats, 75 cents; Gallery, 50 cents.

January 23, 1889. Jan 18-7

Notice to Mariners.

IRISH LIGHTHOUSES,

South-West Coast of Ireland,

COUNTY OF KERRY,

BULL ROCK,

Light and Fog Signal

ESTABLISHED.

DURSBY HEAD LIGHT DISCONTINUED

IRISH LIGHTS OFFICE,

Dublin, 2nd January, 1889.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF IRISH LIGHTS hereby give Notice, that, pursuant to Statute Nos. 7 and 12 of 1874, from this Department, the LIGHT and FOG SIGNAL have been established on the BULL ROCK.

The Light now established is a BRIGHT FLASHING LIGHT OF GREAT POWER, giving ONE FLASH every FIFTEEN SECONDS, and is obscured between the bearing S. 87° W. round Westerly to S. 67° W.

During Thick or Foggy Weather an Explosive FOG SIGNAL is Fired TWICE, in quick succession, every TEN MINUTES.

Latitude, 51° 35' 30" N. Longitude, 10° 18' 5" W. Variation, 24° 10' W.

The LIGHT, which has hitherto been shown from DURSBY HEAD, has been DISCONTINUED.

CAUTION.

Particular attention is directed to Notice No. 5, of 22nd March, 1888, from this Office, cautioning Mariners AGAINST PLACING TOO MUCH RELIANCE ON SOUND SIGNALS.

By order, OWEN ARMSTRONG, Secretary.

The Bearings are Magnetic, and from the Ship. January 23, 1889. 23-13

To Let,

THAT TWO STORY BRICK Dwelling, No. 16, Oliver Street, St. John's Quarter, is to be let on a long lease, or for a term of years, on most favorable terms. For particulars apply to F. T. THOMAS, 91, Dalhousie Street.

January 23, 1889.

SALERMAN.—We wish a few men to sell our goods by sample to the wholesale and retail trade. Largest commission to our line. Exclusive of 50 cents. Terms \$1.00 per day. In next position. No postal notes accepted. Money advanced for wages, advertising, etc. OVERSEA'S MESS'RY CO., Cincinnati, Ohio. January 23, 1889. 19 00

SHIRTS!

REDUCTION-- ON -- SHIRTS!

Regattas \$1 worth \$1.75

Flannels \$1.35 " \$1.85

D. MORGAN TAILOR.

Jan. 23, 1889. ap22-1m

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the name of N. LEMIEUX & NOEL has been dissolved by mutual consent on the 19th of December last.

Quebec, 22nd Jan'y, 1889.

N. LEMIEUX, LAZARE NOEL.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP, the undersigned have to let and now partise ship, and will carry on the same business under the name of "N. LEMIEUX & NOEL," and are authorized to settle all claims and collect all the accounts, note, &c., of the old firm.

LAZARE NOEL, VICTOR LEMIEUX, JOSEPH E. LEMIEUX. Quebec, 22nd Jan'y, 1889. January 23, 1889. C

LIFBIG COMPANY'S EXTRACT OF MEAT

Finest and Cheapest Meat Flavouring Stock for Soups, Made Dishes and Sauces. As Best Tonic, "an invaluable tonic." Annual sale 8,000,000 lbs.

Quebec, 22nd Jan'y, 1889. January 23, 1889. C

Quebec Horticultural Society.

AN MEETING WILL BE HELD AT THE HOUSE, on FRIDAY, 25th inst., at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of Electing a President for the ensuing year, and to discuss matters of interest to the Society.

By order, F. A. FALKENBERG, Sec. Treas. Quebec, 22nd Jan'y, 1889. O

GOOD TIMES COMING!

NEVER MIND THE WEATHER, blow high or low, you will get the Real English Muffins and Crumpets, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at

Geo. ROMERIL'S, No. 14, Patrick Street, Corner St. Augustin Street. Quebec, 22nd Jan'y, 1889. Op

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

"At Home," at Spencer Wood, Thursday Afternoon, the 24th January, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

By order, H. G. SHEPPARD, Capt., A. D. C. Spencer Wood, 21st January, 1889. O

DR. STEWART AND HIS CRITICS.

DENIAL.—We prefer to speak of him as we know him first,—described the critic, as one who had failed in literature and in art. For that the author of "Endymion" was indebted to an earlier author, but long before, and since DENIAL'S time, men who have made their living by their pen have been subjected to the coarse abuse of less successful writers for the press. Plagiarism is a charge which is made against men and women every day. In nine cases out of ten the charge has not been proved. For the privilege of entering upon a personal matter to-day, we must crave the kind indulgence of our readers, who we would fain believe take at least more than a passing interest into the fortunes of one, who has spoken to them in these columns, every day for many years past. A paper published at Summerside, Prince Edward Island, has been engaged during the last couple of months, in the task of vilifying and abusing Dr. STEWART of this city, in whose numerous writings in Britain and America, its editor has chosen to see extraordinary weaknesses in diction, in accuracy and in literary form. The articles were characterized by so much animus, that they were safely allowed to go by their own merit, and Dr. STEWART calmly read them over as they came to him, week by week in carefully marked covers, sent by the gentleman himself, and then as calmly went about his own business, and awaited the next onslaught with the trust, becoming humility. When the critic exhausted Dr. STEWART'S articles in the Encyclopaedia Britannica, which we may remark here, he pronounced to be very bad indeed, he took up his editorial work on the CHRONICLE, and commented severely on the lunatic asylum articles which appeared in our paper. Next, he devoted his attention to a paragraph which appeared in the Toronto Empire,—a paragraph which suggested that Dr. STEWART might, with some propriety, allow himself to be named as a candidate for the new chair of English Literature, to be established at Toronto University. Honors of that sort, however, Dr. STEWART has never claimed or sought, and as a matter of fact, a letter of his has been before Sir DANIEL WILSON, Principal of the College, for several months past, in which he strongly recommends for that appointment, his friend and fellow-worker, Prof. ROBERTS of King's College, Windsor,

NOVA SCOTIA.

The Summerside editor, however, saw in the paragraph a good chance to lay Dr. STEWART, and he did it in his usual manner, and to his entire satisfaction. That his victim felt sufficiently crushed, no one with an atom of sense in his head will doubt for a single moment, particularly when we inform our readers that the Prince Edward Islander's great charge against the Doctor was that he had said in his Encyclopaedia article that "birds are met with," or words to that effect. Criticism as ample and as able, has from time to time appeared in the brightly paper we note here, on Dr. STEWART'S work, but on the 10th of the present month, the editor rather eclipsed himself. He read Dr. STEWART'S chapter on FRONTENAC and his times, in Dr. JUSTIN WINSOR'S valuable Narrative and Critical History of America, and he at once came to the conclusion that the article was a plagiarism from the writings of Dr. FRANCIS PARKMAN, who has treated that brilliant subject in two large volumes. Accordingly he laid out Dr. STEWART in about three columns of his valuable space. To give force to his narrative, he called Dr. STEWART "a literary imposter," "a charlatan," "an impudent fraud," "a copyist," "a pirate" and other equally felicitous things. Then, he sent out to the newspapers, his exposure of Dr. STEWART'S conduct. A copy fell into the hands of the editor of the Canadian, who in the interests of morality, and of literary honesty, promptly furnished it to the reading public, publishing it in the English language. Dr. STEWART then addressed the following letter to Mr. TARTÉ, which was published in Friday's impression of the Canadian:—

To the Editor of the Canadian.

Sir,—I have to thank you for your courtesy in tendering me the use of your columns, to reply to an attack made upon me by the Editor of the Summerside Journal. The article is headed "A Literary Imposter," and the intention of the writer is to convey the impression that my article on Frontenac and his times, in Justin Winsor's History of America, is a gross plagiarism from the works of Dr. Francis Parkman of Boston, which deal with the same subject, and the same subject, viz: "Frontenac and New France under Louis XIV. and La Salle, and the Discovery of the Great West." By the skillful use of the pen, the author has succeeded in giving the impression that I have copied literally Parkman's word for word. As a matter of fact, as anyone may find out for himself by comparing the two works, while our facts are the same, the phrasing is as different as it could be made. When a man writes history he must not falsify the record. His task is first to state the facts, and next to draw conclusions from them. The work I undertook to write for Dr. Winsor was undertaken at the express request of the Parkman family, who is a member of the committee having charge of Winsor's History. Every manuscript is referred to Dr. Parkman and Mr. Adams. My work, far from having been dashed off in a hurry, I needed many weeks of preparation, and I spent my spare time during the space of eleven months. The officers of the Library of Laval University, and of the Archives Department of Quebec will bear testimony to the number of references from time to time, during the year in which I was engaged in preparing my chapter. The Provincial Secretary of the day, not only lent me all the original documents that I needed, many of them bearing the signatures of Frontenac and those associated with him in the government of the country, but he even went out to the home of the Rev. Abbe Bois, of Maskinonge, and secured for me many pages of manuscript relating to our early history. These were all placed at my disposal, and I believe that I made a conscientious use of them. Dr. Parkman had the same data, as well as a number of manuscript volumes which he had obtained in France. I consulted him on almost every point of value, and he constantly gave me notes from his valuable storehouse of facts. The man who would plagiarize an author so well known as Francis Parkman, particularly in a book published in Parkman's own city, and revised by him, would be somewhat of a fool to say the least. Far from robbing Parkman, I have been most careful to credit him with every line taken from him. I have, moreover, directed the attention of the reader, for further details, to the very works which the editor of the Journal has plundered. My work has been in the public for four or five years. The Atlantic Monthly and other leading critical authorities, published on Dr. Parkman's ground, Boston, have reviewed my chapter in very kind terms. I have been engaged in letters and in journalistic work since 1867, and it is the first time that I have been accused of plagiarizing anybody. The charge of plagiarism is easily enough preferred. It is not so easily substantiated. For reasons best known to the editor of the Summerside Journal, he has been engaged in abusing me and my writings, for two or three months. I have paid no attention to what he has said, so long as he confined himself to abuse, and to a critical examination of my style, my English and my accuracy. It is not given to everybody to write as well as, and as I grow older my style may improve, my English may be better chosen and my accuracy may be less liable to error. Plagiarism, however, is a serious charge, and in refutation of that charge I would ask the public to read my forty pages on Frontenac, and Dr. Parkman's eight or nine hundred pages on the same subject, and draw their own inferences. The authorities from which I have drawn my facts are all clearly stated, and not a line has been plagiarized. Into the merits or the demerits of a personal opinion, however, I do not enter, and my public has no need to be concerned with them. I have no enemies seldom amounts to much. I trust I have my share.

I am, Sir, Yours very truly, GEORGE STEWART, JR. Quebec, 17th Jan'y, 1889.

Mr. TARTÉ, however, did not consider that the above explanation met the case squarely, and he asked for more proof. Perhaps, Dr. JUSTIN WINSOR, who edits the History in which Dr. STEWART'S essay appears, may be accounted a fair authority in this case. A letter from him on the subject appears below:—

NARRATIVE AND CRITICAL HISTORY OF AMERICA, JUSTIN WINSOR, EDITOR, Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 18, 1889.

DEAR MR. STEWART,

It has never occurred to me that your paper on FRONTENAC was anywhere a plagiarism from Parkman that is necessary in all historical writings, where there have been anterior writers covering the same field. Every judicious writer of history takes advantage of all that has been written on his subject, and no history worth reading can be written without that liberty being taken, and there is no more commendable example of it than Mr. Parkman himself.

Very truly yours, JUSTIN WINSOR.

But high as Dr. WINSOR is as an authority in literature, and what constitutes plagiarism, the public, and particularly Mr. TARTÉ, who feels warmly on this subject,—may not be entirely satisfied unless Dr. PARKMAN is brought into the witness-box. Well, here is Dr. PARKMAN.

This is what he says:—

MY DEAR MR. STEWART,

I have just got your note of yesterday. I read your paper on FRONTENAC when it first appeared, and it did not occur to me

that there was any plagiarism in it. When facts are printed they become common property, and anybody is perfectly free to re-state them, if he does not borrow the language of the first writer.

Yours very truly, F. PARKMAN.

Perhaps, we may add here the fact that Dr. WINSOR is assisted in the editing of his great work by an advisory committee consisting of Dr. FRANCIS PARKMAN, the Hon. ROBERT C. WINTHROP, Rev. Geo. Ellis, Mr. HENRY W. TORRY and Mr. CHARLES F. ADAMS. Throughout his long essay of forty-three pages, Dr. STEWART quotes Dr. PARKMAN frequently, but he has not improperly taken from that brilliant historian a single line. Full credit is given on every occasion, and in the bibliographical part of the chapter, Dr. STEWART remarks, "It is, however, to an American of Puritan stock that the story we are illustrating owes, for the English reader, certainly, its most conspicuous recital. Two volumes of FRANCIS PARKMAN'S series of France and England in North America concern more especially the period covered by the administrations of FRONTENAC, DE LA BARRÉ and DE-KONVILLE; these are his 'FRONTENAC and New France' under LOUIS XIV., (Boston, 1877), and his 'LA SALLE and the Discovery of the Great West,' (Boston, 1879), but the consideration of the last of these belongs more particularly to another chapter. OF PARKMAN as an historian there has been a wide recognition of a learning that has neglected no resource; a research which has proved fortunate in its results; a judgment which, though Protestant, is fair and liberal; a critical perception, which in the conflict of testimony keeps him accurate and luminous; and a style which has given his narrative the fascinations of a romance."

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WINTER STOCK! COMPRISING Blankets, Flannels, Shawls, Jerseys, Scotch Underwear...

ALL BELOW COST! Expected in 10 days, 300 Pcs. Embroideries 1c. to \$2.68 per yard

COTÉ & FAGUY, Proprietors. January 10, 1889

LEA & PERRINS SAUCE. In consequence of imitations of THE WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE...

CHINIC HARDWARE CO. METHOT BUILDING, LOWER TOWN. Just Received and for Sale Low...

Grand Trunk Railway. WIRE FENCING. VENDERS ARE INVITED FOR THE...

1889-Whittaker's Almanac. JUST RECEIVED OUR USUAL SUPPLY...

Richardson & Ontario Navigation COMPANY. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS...

ON ACCOUNT OF THE FIRE. ALTHOUGH NO DAMAGES HAVE BEEN DONE...

PIANOS and ORGANS. A. LAVIGNE, 55, FABRIQUE STREET.

GREAT SACRIFICE. Any one wishing to invest in a first-class instrument...

A. Lavigne's Music Store, 55, FABRIQUE STREET. January 10, 1889

Compton Ladies' College. An accomplished and experienced French Lady...

For the Christmas Holidays. A FULL LINE OF PERFUMES from the following celebrated makers...

J. E. MORRISON, Chemist and Druggist, 81, BUADE STREET, 31. December 19, 1888

39c; western at 28c to 30c. Pork weak; new mutton at 13 1/2 to 14.00. Lard stronger at 7.45...

ST. LEON is indispensable for Kidney, Liver and Stomach Complaints. GINGRAS, LANGLOIS & CIE.

SHIPPING. OCEAN STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Date, Steamship, Arrived at, From.

Probabilities for the Next 24 Hours for the St. Lawrence, etc. 40c. TOMORROW'S WEATHER...

NOVA SCOTIA-The Mail to "Nova Scotia," Captain Hughes, from Baltimore for Liverpool...

DOMINION-The "Dominion," Capt. Cross, from Portland on January 8 with a shipment of 225 cases of wine...

MONTECAL-This steamer, Capt. Wall, from New Orleans, arrived at Liverpool on Sunday last.

A GOOD CHARTER-Bark "Cyrus," 1000 tons, has been chartered to load sugar at St. Louis for New York at \$9.10, or Montreal at \$11.50.

ESCALONA-London, Jan 21-About 1,000 bales of cotton, 1000 bales of wool, 1000 bales of sugar...

OTAWA-Montreal, Jan 18-Arrived, bark "Octavia," Purdy, Quebec. Sold-Bark "Ingleide," 925 tons register...

SCARCITY OF VESSELS-Lumber ships for all voyages except to China, where there is no demand...

WRECKED-Hull, Jan 20-A cablegram reports the loss of the "Eagle" of this port, at Arcobio, P.R.

THE CUT has been large, but as yet hardly a log has been drawn to the water. Mr. Hals, of Booth & Hals...

GOLD EXCHANGE-New York, January 23, 11.00 a.m. - Western Gold, 1.89; Sterling Exchange, 4 1/2.

LATEST EUROPEAN MARKETS-LIVERPOOL, January 22, 11.30 a.m. - Cotton, steady. American Middling, 5 1/2 to 6.

Montreal Stock Market-January 23. FIRST BOARD. Bank of Montreal, 27 1/2 to 28 1/2; Bank of Commerce, 27 1/2 to 28 1/2...

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET, Jan. 22, 1 p.m. - Stocks dull and strong; American Express, 109; Canadian Pacific, 52...

LATEST PRODUCE MARKETS-New York, Jan 22-Cotton quiet; Upland, 9 1/2 to 10; Orleans, 10 1/2 to 11; Futures steady...

COMPTON LADIES' COLLEGE WILL RE-OPEN after the Christmas Holidays ON Friday, January 19th.

ROUND TOWN. The Latest Local Intelligence. -We regret to learn that there have been several fatal cases of diphtheria at Point Rouge since the winter.

RECORDS OF THE WINTER. -Alfred Simard, for insulating and painting Les Haies, was paid \$15 and costs two months.

RECORDS OF THE WINTER. -Rev. M. Lemieux, late Chaplain of the Ursuline Convent will celebrate the 60th anniversary of his ordination on the 16th March.

NARROW ESCAPE-Five persons in St. Sauveur narrowly escaped death by asphyxiation a couple of days ago. Gas from a coal stove was the cause.

MM FISHER & SHEPHERD-CLOSING SALE. A change in the firm necessitates an early and complete liquidation of the stock of excellent articles sold by this firm...

GENERALATORIAL RECEPTION-Lieutenant-General Rogers held a large dinner at the gubernatorial residence, Spencer Wood, tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

LUMBERING AT LAKE ST. JOHN. -In consequence of the higher prices obtained this winter for logs, nearly all the farmers around Lake St. John are engaged in lumbering...

ST. MATTHEW'S CLUB-The members of this room will give their second concert in their room, at 8 o'clock, to which they cordially invite all their good friends...

POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY. -The prosecution instituted against Christian Charbonneau for selling liquor without license was dismissed.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC-A rich treat is in store for theatre-goers next Friday evening, when several of our lady and gentlemen amateurs will perform a grand concert.

THESE TRADES WERE FRANCHISED-Mr. Arthur B. Rivest, who deals in furs, has secured a franchise to trade in furs in the Province of Quebec...

THE SEATING RING-It is with a great deal of pleasure that we take this opportunity of congratulating the gentlemen of the Quebec Skating Rink on their successful management of the Quebec Skating Rink this season.

MASSON-III. Bro W. H. Hutton 33-2. Past Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

MR. T. A. NASH tells the following stories of the late Lord Westbury, in his recently published biography. When they were expelling him from the Conservative club...

MR. BABOOK, the Ann Arbor bachelor, who was to marry during the next five years, is now a widower. He has been married to a woman who is not so young as he used to be.

OFFICER KELLY who is getting the aftermath of the New Year's dinner, and has taken an hour by mistake, "I take it to be a dinner."

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THE ABOVE NAMED GENTLEMAN, formerly of Birmingham, England, resident in Quebec since 1850. His address is wanted immediately in order to obtain his signature. Apply EDWARD EADEN, Mid and Cumb, Birmingham, England.

WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of February next, At 7 o'clock in the afternoon, THOMAS RICHARDSON, Secretary

Auction Sales. BY F. ALFRED ST. LAURENT. AUCTION SALE OF REAL ESTATE BY F. ALF. ST. LAURENT, THURSDAY, the 24th Instant.

For Sale or to Let. Store to Let. THAT DESIRABLE FIRST-CLASS STORE, with modern improvements...

To Let. SHOP NOW OCCUPIED BY M. J. CHARLEBOIS, N.P. For particulars, apply to J. A. CHARLEBOIS, N.P.

To Let. THAT COMFORTABLE Dwelling No. 10, D'Aurillon Street, now occupied by J. E. Larocque...

To Let. FROM 1st MAY NEXT, THAT convenient Dwelling House No. 24, St. Louis Street, occupied by Miss Butler as a Boarding House.

To Let. THE SHOP AND DWELLING No. 70, St. John Street, recently occupied by Andrew McMillan, a Plumber.

To Let. DWELLING AT PRESENT occupied by the undersigned, corner of St. Dominique and St. Joseph Streets.

To Let. THE RESIDENCE, GARDEN and Premises of the Late HENRI D'ARVILLE, on the Grande Allée.

FOR SALE, THAT VALUABLE FARM AT CHARLEBOIS, on the macadamized road, about three miles from this City...

FOR SALE OR ON FIVE YEARS LEASE, AN IMPROVED FARM WELL SITUATED at a mile's distance from the Parish Church of St. Joseph, L'Assommoir...

FOR SALE OR TO LET, THE RESIDENCE ON THE St. Francois Road, near the Toll-Gate, known as "Le Petit Hameau," with extensive Outbuildings, Stable, Carriage-House, Wood Shed, Ice House, &c.

BLEAK HOUSE FOR SALE. THAT LARGE AND DESIRABLE Double House, beautifully situated on the Grande Allée, with garden, well, and other improvements...

HOUSE FOR SALE. HOUSE No 97 and 101 OF St. Louis Street, and joining the Cour de Brége and King Street, with Battery, Oven, &c.

TO LET. TWO OFFICES IN UNION Bank Building. Immediate possession if required.

WILLIAM THOMAS SHAWMON. THE ABOVE NAMED GENTLEMAN, formerly of Birmingham, England, resident in Quebec since 1850.

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INSOLVENT NOTICE. In the matter of DORVAL and SAMSON, of the Town of L'Assommoir, Hatters and Furriers, Insolvents.

THE UNDERSIGNED HERBY, in pursuance of the Statute in that behalf made, do hereby give notice that the said Sawyer Leather Measuring Machine, especially adapted for measuring areas of surfaces.

