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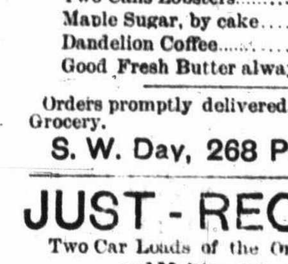

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Minden, No. 253, on Monday, July 2nd, at 7:30 p.m.

Ancient St. John's, No 3, on Thursday, July 5th, at 7:30 p.m.

Cataraqui, No. 92, on Wednesday, July 11th, at 7:30 p.m.

Sons of England.

LEICESTER LODGE, No. 33, of the Sons of England Benevolent Society, will meet in their new Lodge Room, corner Montreal and Princess Sts., over Strachan's Hardware Store, the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month.

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COMMERCIAL MATTERS.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

MONTREAL, July 10.—12 noon.

STOCKS.	ASK'D	OFF'D
Bank of Montreal	217	216½
Ontario Bank	..	122
Bank du Peuple	107	104
Molsons Bank	..	146
Bank of Toronto	212½	209½
Banque Jacques Cartier	86½	80
Merchants Bank	137	135
Union Bank	..	..
Bank of Commerce	117½	117½
Montreal Telegraph Co	87½	87½
N. W. Land Co	55	54
Rich. & Ontario Navigation Co	53½	53
City Passenger RR	..	200
Montreal Gas Co	212	211
Canada Pacific RR	56½	56¼
Canada Cotton Co	35	30
Dundas Cotton Co	40	30
Hochalaga Cotton	120	110

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MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

MONTREAL, July 11.

Flour — Receipts, 250 bbls; sales reported 000. Market quiet, prices nominally unchanged Quotations:—

Patents winter, 4.80 to 4.90; patent spring, 4.70 to 4.80; straight roller, 4.40 to 4.50; extra, 4.10 to 4.25; superfine, 3.00 to 4.00; Ontario Bags, 1.50 to 2.20; City bags, 4.40 to 4.50 for strong bakers. Sales 125 bbls straight roller, 4.50; 250 bbls extra, 4.25.

Grain. Wheat—nominal; red winter 96 to 97¼; white 95 to 97; spring 93 to 94.

Corn—70 to 71c.

Peas—84 to 85c.

Oats—47 to 48c.

Barley—55 to 65c

Rye—50 to 55c.

Oatmeal—5.25 to 5.75.

Cornmeal—3.25 to 3.30.

Pork—18.50 to 19.00.

Lard—9 to 9½.

Bacon—10 to 11.

Hams—11 to 12.

Cheese—9 to 9½.

Butter—Creamery 19 to 20: Townships, 17 to 19; Morrisburg, 12 to 19; Western 15 to 17; Low Grades 00 to 00.

Eggs—firm 14 to 15.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, July 11.

Cotton, quiet; Uplands, 5 9-16; Orleans, 5⅝.

Band in the Park.

By kind permission of the commandant and officers the band of "A" Battery, R.C.A., will play in the city park, this evening (weather permitting), at 7.30 p.m., the following programme:

March—"Frau Frohman" ..... Taylor
Overture—Des Fees aux Roses ..... Marie
Valse—Night and Morn ..... Bucalossi
Selection—German Songs ..... Basquit
Gavotte—Erminie ..... Jakowobski
Fantasia—Concordia ..... Bleyer
Valse—Old Love and New ..... Lowthian
Galop—Matroseu ..... Niebig
Vive La Canadienne, Regimental March, God Save the Queen.

Reception to Rev. Mr. Eldridge.

The reception in the Fourth Methodist church to Rev. G. S. Eldridge, last evening, was very hearty. The edifice was crowded and a very cordial time was spent. The ladies served ice cream and cake, and pleasant addresses were made by Revds. Sparling, Whiting, Timberlake, Eldridge and Bland. Mr. A. Shaw presided. Mr. Laturney presented the financial state of affairs, and $115 was at once raised to meet interest soon due.

How Sherratt Got the Medicine.

Sherratt, whose death was occasioned by drinking a large quantity of bromide on Monday night, was accustomed to using the drug and was quite aware of the amount to be taken. But his condition for several days previous was quite alarming and he undoubtedly drank the medicine while in a delirious condition. His brother-in-law, who was with him, had administered a dose but when his back was turned Sherratt, grabbed the bottle and almost drained it. The circumstances were very painful.

He Abused Her Beau.

BARRY, July 11.—A case of unusual interest was up at the police court, a teacher in the township of Vespra being charged with assaulting a pupil in an unmerciful manner. The young lady had a certain admirer, and to him the boy uttered uncalled-for expressions. The remarks provoked her, and she locked the boy up and flogged him with a beech gad violently. The boy showed the wounds on his back. The teacher pleaded guilty, and the mayor imposed a fine of $10 and costs.

The Gunner Recovering.

Br. Frankem, of "A" battery, who was accidently shot at the butts at Barriefield the other day, is slowly recovering. He is a Canadian, having been born in Sorel, P.Q. When he became of age, he along with several other Canadians, joined the Royal artillery. When the detachment in Canada went to England Frankem accompanied it. On being discharged he returned to Canada and in October last joined "A" battery here.

The Scott Act Cases.

Seven charges were tried in Tichborne on Tuesday of selling liquor. C. N. Purvis, Sharbot Lake, and N. Sly, Tichborne, pleaded guilty; William Flynn, of Parham, was convicted; the case against Henry Swabrick, Parham, was dismissed; and in three cases judgment was reserved for a week.

Plundering of the Insurgents.

LONDON, July 11.—A dispatch from Batavia, Java, says the insurgents have plundered Zibegon and killed the native chiefs and European inhabitants. Advices from Auckland say that the Tobiti natives rejected the friendly overtures of the French, and attacked the launch of war ship Decres whereupon the French shelled the native villages.

Death Statistics for June.

Peritonitis, consumption, cancer, worms, croup, rheumatism, blood-poisoning, drowning, accident by locomotive engine, heart disease, and diphtheria each 1; inflammation of the lungs, bronchitis, infantile debility, each 2; old age 3. The total 20.

13c. For the Finest Hams 13c.

Being out of rolls we will sell until they arrive sugar cured hams 13c. This price will only be until our rolls arrive. Jas. Crawford.

NOTES FROM OTTAWA.

Mr. McLelan Sworn In—Serious Trouble in St Bartholemew's Church.

OTTAWA, July 11.—Hon. A. L. McLelan was sworn in as Lieutenant-Governor of Nova Scotia at three o'clock yesterday afternoon by Mr. J. J. McGee, Deputy-Governor.

It is rumored that delegates from the Australian colonies are on their way here to confer with the Dominion Government with reference to the proposed Pacific cable.

Ald. Askwith, contractor for the Canadian Pacific Railway short line through the State of Maine, says the road will be completed to Mattawaunkeg in about six weeks.

There is trouble in St. Bartholomew Church, New Edinburg, between Rev. Mr. Hannington, the rector, and a portion of the congregation who claim that the rev. gentleman is too high church and is introducing ritualistic practices. This has been specially the case since the advent as curate of Mr. Norvey, a young student of Trinity College, and several of the congregation threaten to resign. A meeting of the congregation will be held on Monday evening to discuss the matter. Those who object to the rector's course propose to move that his salary be reduced by one-half in order to persuade him to resign.

Hon. John Hamilton's will was admitted to probate yesterday. His Ontario estate is put at $60,000.

It is understood that Dr. Tache, who has been Deputy Minister of Agriculture since 1864, has been superannuated on account of ill-health, and that Mr. John Lowe, Secretary of the Department, has been appointed to the position of Deputy Minister.

QUEBEC FINANCES.

The Scheme for the Conversion and Consolidation of the Provincial Debt.

QUEBEC, July 11.—In the Assembly yesterday afternoon Mr. Shehyn brought down a message from the Lieutenant-Governor transmitting resolutions for the conversion and consolidation of the provincial debt.

The resolutions, which are quite lengthy, provide for calling in the whole of the current debentures of the provinces, either by redemption in cash or exchange for new debentures. The Provincial Treasurer is given power to raise by loan a sum equal to the whole amount of the present debt, bearing a rate of interest less than 4 per cent., for the purchase of the present debt, but it is provided that the Treasurer shall fix a date within which the holders of the present debentures shall exchange them for the new issue or be paid in cash, the only alternative being a forced reduction of interest from the present rate to the new one.

This last clause, it is claimed, is illegal, and the bondholders threaten an appeal to the courts to test the legality of the proceeding.

When the resolutions came up last evening they were adopted without amendment and a bill founded thereon read a first time. On the second reading Mr. Desjardins, the financial critic of the Opposition, objected to the clause giving the Government power to effect a forced conversion of the debt and dubbed it equivalent to a repudiation of the financial engagements of the province. He said that the clause was unjust and calculated to injure the credit of Canada.

He moved in amendment that all the negotiations be conducted by the Treasurer without any intermediary, hoping by this to defeat the Government's agreement with the Credit Foncier of Paris.

Mr. Mercier said that the amendment was a ridiculous one, and would, if carried, only lead to the resignation of the Government.

Mr. David moved a sub-amendment expressing confidence in the Government, which was carried after a long debate.

INTERESTING ITEMS BY WIRE.

August 16 will be civic holiday in Oshawa.

It is now stated that there is no lime in the red clay deposit near Milton.

John S. Roberts, father of ex-Mayor Roberts of Stratford, is dead, aged 89.

David Culbert of Southampton, one of the oldest printers of the country, is dead, aged 70.

Joseph Burns, a St. Thomas confectioner, has decamped, leaving his store in possession of his creditors.

Rev. Mr. Matthews, of Quebec has been elected permanent secretary to the Pan-Presbyterian Alliance.

The Dublin Nationalists are organizing a demonstration in honor of Mandeville on the occassion of his funeral.

The London City Council refuses to supply the School Board with any more money, and the result is that work on a large new school has been suspended.

There has been great trouble in the Lutheran Church at Preston between the pastor, Rev. F. Kern, and the trustees, which resulted in the dismissal of the pastor.

In New York during the past week $5,000,000 of the new Dominion Government loan was placed by the Canadian banks having branches there at 1½ to 2½ % for four months, and at 2½ to 3 for six months.

While assisting in the removal of some machinery at Penman's No. 1 mill, Paris, John Beggs was crushed between two heavy machines, with the result that his neck was pierced by a bolt, an arm was broken, and other injujuries were sustained.

The Calm Before the Storm.

WINNIPEG, July 11.—No evening preceding elections has ever before been as quiet here as last night, and comparatively little interest is taken in the fight. Interest centres in North Winnipeg, where it is expected that Treasurer Jones may be defeated, and in Kildonan, where it is reported a number of Norquay's native supporters have been invited to a steamboat excursion from which they won't return until after the polls close.

The Northern Pacific officials have again returned here and had an interview with the Government.

The London Deputation at Montreal.

MONTREAL, July 11.—Mayor Cowan of London, Ont., with Aldermen Vining, Skinner and Boyd are in town. The object of their visit was to wait upon Mr. Hickson of the G. T. R. with a view to induce that gentleman to rebuild the car and locomotive works which four years ago were burned out in London. A basis of agreement was arrived at. Mr. Hickson will meet the deputation in Toronto in about a month and conclude arrangements.

$100 Reward for a Murderer's Arrest.

OTTAWA, July 11.—The Government offer $100 reward for the arrest of Morrison, accused of the murder of Bailiff Wesson at Lake Megantic, June 28.

The Great Seed Man Dying.

ROCHESTER, July 11.—Hiram Sibley is at the point of death.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil.

Is sold all over the world. It is far superior to plain Cod Liver Oil, palatable and easily digested. Dr. Martin Miles Stanton, Bury Bucks, London, England, says: "I have prescribed Scott's Emulsion, and taken it myself. It is palatable, efficient, and can be tolerated by almost anyone, especially where cod liver oil itself cannot be borne." Put up in 50c. and $1 size.

CANADIANS AT WIMBLEDON.

A Good Showing—Parnell on Imperial Federation—The Newfoundland Loan.

LONDON, July 11.—The Canadian team at Wimbledon are meeting with excellent success. Private Duncan, of the Queen's Own Rifles, scored 32 in the first range of the Queen's, and several made 31 and 30. Seven prize winners received £32 in the Alexandra, Gunner Campbell, of the Halifax Garrison Artillery, leading with 61 against three prize men who won £6 each year.

The Privy Council case of the St. Catharines Milling Company v. the Queen was listened for yesterday but not reached. It will stand till Thursday.

Mr. Parnell's interview in the Pall Mall Gazette last night giving a frank adhesion to the principle of Imperial Federation, created much interest in political and colonial circles.

The success of the Newfoundland £235,000 four per cent. loan is considered beyond doubt. The minimum price is 102.

The Canadian Government exhibit at the Royal show in Nottingham, under the direction of Mr. John Dyke, is attracting much attention from the farming classes. There is an unusually large attendance of Canadian pedigree stock buyers, and many purchases for Canada were made at prices much higher than in former years.

Telegraphic communication with Australia and New Zealand is entirely suspended. This interruption has revived interest in the cable via Vancouver to Australia, and pressure is being brought to bear on the Imperial Government to grant the subsidy asked for [illegible] the enterprise.

His Arm Torn Out.

WHITBY, July 11.—A few minutes before the whistle of the Mowat Manufacturing Company's works here blew the noon hour yesterday, Arthur Thompson in handling a machine belt caught his right hand in a rapidly revolving pulley, and before he well knew what had happened the arm was stripped of its flesh and sinews from the shoulder down, the bone broken off below the elbow and the lost member twisted tight about the whirring shaft.

A GOOD SHOWING.

What a Solid Life Insurance Company Has to Show in Results.

The London and Lancashire Life Assurance Company has issued its 25th annual report, embracing also the result of the actuarial valuation for the past five years to 31st December last. The report must be most gratifying to every person connected with the company. Mr. Thomas Mills, the general agent for Kingston and vicinity, desires to call attention to some of the salient features of the report, namely:

The number of policies issued during the year were 1,688 for $2,894,450, yielding a new premium income of $105,130.02; and 307 proposals for $622,764, were declined. Average age of new lives 32½ and under all policies in force 40½ Total premium income for 1887, $698,846.81. The total funds at 31st December last $2,674,161.87 invested in securities which if taken at market value show an improvement of $30,000. The funds have increased $1,172,530 in five years. The company has no contested claims.

Special attention is invited to this fact, that under the "Endowment at 70 plan," policies of four years duration (the term this plan has been in operation) have actually been shortened by the four years bonuses, three years, i.e., the three premiums, 70th, 69th and 68th, have been wiped out so that it stands an endowment at 67 until the next five year division in 1892, when it is hoped the profits will reduce the term from 67 to 63 and so on.

Under the "Deferred Bonus System"—whole life plan, the bonus declared is 4 per cent. on each $1,000, or $40 a year; on 20 year endowments, 30 per cent.; 25 year endowments, 2½ per cent.; 30 year endowments, 30 per cent. In conclusion it may be stated that these are the amounts estimated by the company as set forth in the Book of Instructions to Agents, and upon which the business was gained, and hence it is worthy of special mention.

The Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the British American Hotel—W. M. MacGrathe, Preston, Ont.; H. P. Brunnell, Ottawa; R. Thompson, T. E. Anderson, J. L. Boger, Napanee; D. A. Quinn, H. B. Johnson, New York; A. A. Davis, Toronto; J. M. Hills, Miss Bradge, Chicago; K. N. McDonald, Toronto; H. W. Kibbe, A. M. Weston, J. F. Wolff, E. P. Gironard, Montreal; N. McCallum, Chicago; D. McCallum, D. Masson, Montreal; B. Smith, Washington, D.C.; G. F. Campbell, Newark; W. C. Silverhorn, Wausau, Wis.; J. Tormistal, London; W. M. Kelly, jr., D. J. LeRoy, Toronto; J. L. Gardiner, F. E. Wand, J. Duffy, Montreal.

Sermon at Bath.

Rural Dean Baker, of Bath, announced last Sunday that on the 15th, he would, at the morning service in St. John's church, preach an historical discourse suggested by the occurrence this week of the 12th of July. He expressed the hope that there would be a large attendance, both of the congregation proper and others interested. The collection is in aid of a fund for the reshingling of the church.

The Cost of Cabling.

MONTREAL, July 11.—The cable war is settled, and the conference will form a pool. Hosmer, of the C.P.R., says the companies are in favor of going back to 50c. a word. The twelve cent rate, in operation for two years, only paid working expenses.

The Metis Threaten.

MONTREAL, July 11.—Gabriel Dumont publishes a manifesto from the Metis in which they name him as their chief, and advise him to force the government to fulfill its pledges. Those engaged in the rebellion ask that their properties be restored to them, otherwise trouble may be expected.

Light Summer Coats.

Prevost, at the New York clothing store, has a splendid assortment of lustre and russell cord coats, also linen coats and vests. There is a special lot of silk hair line coats, which is now having a run in New York, to be sold cheap.

Broken Down.

"After suffering with dyspepsia, kidney disease, loss of appetite and pain in the head until discouraged, I heard of Burdock Blood Bitters, took two bottles and am happy to say feel as well as ever." Mrs. Rufus E. Merry, New Albany, N.S.

Betting on the Campaign.

NEW YORK, July 10.—The Harrison-Morton men of Wall street will not consider any betting offers except at 2 to 1. A fund of $50,000 has been raised; $100,000 of democratic money has been put up against it.

Indicted For Conspiracy.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 11.—Frank Hoover, president of the Typographical union, and William B. Hammond, a member of the executive board, have been indicted for conspiracy.

Milk Shake.

Is it genuine? Granulated sugar syrup, pure Ayshire milk, fresh hen fruit and you see it made, at the Bazaar.

THE MINING COMMISSION.

To Start on Its Tour Next week—Toronto Victims of Reckless Drivers.

TORONTO, July 11.—The Mining Commission will start on its travels on or about July 16.

James Mason, the corpulent American, against whom the detectives hold an indictment for the purloinment of $300 from Liquidator Henry Lye at the Union Station on the night of June 30, came up again yesterday. His counsel applied for a remand till July 17, which his Worship allowed.

When the quartette of alleged burglars, Charles Fitzgibbons, Michael O'Neill, Thos. Thornton and Michael Graney, were arraigned for burglarizing the residence of H. Green, Czar-street, FitzGibbons requested the court to alter his plea, as he desired to plead guilty, much to the disgust of his confreres. He was remanded until Friday, and in the meantime it is expected that he will throw some light on a number of things hitherto in the dark.

George Harold, who, when he recovered consciousness, said, he was from Hamilton and was on his way to Montreal, was knocked down and run over by a butcher's Jehu on Queen-street west near Bay, this morning. A number of ugly cuts were stitched up in an adjacent drug store, and he recovered strength enough to proceed on his way.

Mr. H. S. Watkins, of J. McFarlane & Co., is the victim of another reckless driver. In crossing Queen-street east, to catch a street railway car, he was run down by an unknown man, who drove furiously away [illegible] injuries to Mr. Watkins' head are so serious that a consultation was held yesterday.

Billy Price undertook the role of highwayman last night, and from a guileless countryman succeeded in extracting three five cent pieces. There was then a struggle, in which Billy was captured, with the aid of a policeman, and this morning he was sent to the Kingston Penitentiary.

Reuben S. Wilson, of 30 Dovercourt-road, was, on the strength of a despatch from Percy Sherwood, Chief of the Dominion Police, arrested and his place searched to-day. The detectives found Wilson asleep in bed, and in the pocket of his coat they discovered a $5 U. S. silver certificate of the bogus brand. Wilson came from Sarnia about two years ago and works as a carpenter. He is 50 years old and has a large family. He will be sent to Sarnia for trial as a counterfeiter.

Judge Macdougall charged Charles Brown, livery stable proprietor, with demanding a higher rate for the use of one of his hacks than allowed by tariff. His Honor stated that he brought the charge against Mr. Brown because, being a Police Commissioner, complaints had continually reached him of overcharge by livery stable men, and a case having occurred with himself he considered it to be his duty to have it ventilated. Mr. Brown in his own behalf explained to the court that he interpreted the tariff to permit him to charge by the hour. The Magistrate held Mr. Brown's contention erroneous, and fined him $1 and costs or ten days.

The Governor-General will open the Industrial Exhibition here on September 10.

Toward the end of next week Hon. A. M. Ross, Provincial Treasurer, will leave for a month's camping in Muskoka.

The Teachers' Institute in connection with the Chautauqua Assembly at Niagara will be carried on from Aug. 6 to Aug. 13. The proceedings will be conducted by Mr. William Houston, M. A., Provincial Librarian; Mr. W. A. Douglass, B. A., Inspector J. L. Hughes, Mr. W. J. Robertson, M. A., of St. Catharines, and Professor Clark, of Queen's College. The chief subject will be the teaching of English, and Mr. Houston's work will be mainly an expansion of what he has been doing at Teachers' Institutes in various parts of the Province. The week's course will be of great value and interest, and ought to attract a very large attendance of teachers.

Inspector Archibald says that the Bucket Shop Law will be rigidly enforced in this city.

Thomas E. Smith, 170 Sumach-street, a cousin of Jennie Irving, called at police headquarters yesterday and claimed the trunks belonging to the unfortunate girl.

North Toronto residents are setting on foot a project for an electric street railway.

The annual convention of the National Division of Sons of Temperance opened at 10 o'clock this morning in the theater of the Normal School. Over 100 delegates are in attendance from all parts of Canada and the States.

THE ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO.

The Priests Send a Strong Petition to the Holy Office for Reforms.

TORONTO, July 11.—It has just transpired that at the meeting of the priests of this diocese, held here on June 20 last, a memorial was signed in triplicate and sent to the Holy Office praying: (1) for the affirmation of the decrees of the Council of Baltimore in so far as the diocese of Toronto is concerned; (2) for the right to elect their own bishops; (3) for the rule of the canon law. This petition was supported by every priest, with the exception of one of the administrators; (4) the other said under the circumstances he would not sign it, but his sympathy was with it entirely. Father McBride, the late Archbishop's secretary, opposed the petition or part of it, but when he saw the unanimity of his fellows asked for leave to second the motion making the conclusion of the meeting unanimous. The priests of this diocese expect the priests of the diocese of Hamilton to take a similar stand.

PARTY STANDARD BEARERS.

East Elgin Conservatives Will Select a Candidate for the Local on July 17.

AYLMER, July 11.—The Executive Committee of the Conservative Association of East Elgin met here yesterday and decided to hold their convention here on July 17, for the purpose of selecting a candidate for the coming election, to fill the vacancy in the Local House caused by the death of the late Mr. T. M. Nairn.

Nominations in Nicolet.

MONTREAL, July 11.—Nominations took place in Nicolet County yesterday for both the Dominion and Provincial Houses. For the Federal Parliament two Conservatives were nominated, Messrs. Archambault and Boisvert. For the Local the nominations were: Mr. Tourigny (Con.), and Mr. Turcotte (Nat.).

A "Queer" Operator Arrested.

SARNIA, July 11.—W. O. Parsons, a prominent contractor, was arrested at Shedford on a charge of counterfeiting and brought here yesterday. He was remanded by the magistrate for a week. There was found in his house and on his person about $600 in bills and American silver. Parsons is mixed up in the counterfeiting work on which Charles Johnston, now in jail here, is held.

Gen. Sheridan's Condition.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 11.—Gen. Sheridan passed a quiet night and continued comfortable this morning. Hopes are expressed that the favorable conditions may continue and that the work of permanent improvement may be entered upon.