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AT St. Johns, Que., Mr. R. Levi, who has for many years kept store opposite Monnette's hotel, is removing to large and handsome premises corner Richelieu and St. James streets, which will have plate glass windows and handsome fixtures.

A BANQUET to Henry Hogan of the St Lawrence Hall. Glad to hear it. No Boniface ever deserved one better. It was fitting that he who had for generations past been providing banquets for other people should have one himself. We congratulate him on this testimony from his friendly neighbors, and thank the Montrealers for doing what many elsewhere would have gladly assisted to do. No one can be expected to believe it, but the statement is seriously made that Mr. Hogan is 73 years old.

A good indication of confidence in the result is seen in the arrangement just made with the shareholders of the Memramcock Gold Mining Co. by its president, Mr. Neilly. The Sackville, N.B., Post says Mr. N. will put in machinery for reduction by the new electrical process, and receive his pay from the excess of profits above those yielded by the old system, until they shall amount to the cost of the plant (not to exceed \$5,000), at which time it shall become the company's property.

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