HONORING POET McLACHLAN.

A Large Audience Listens to Talk About Him and His Poems.

A meeting "in honor of our Canadian poet," Alexander McLachlan, the good old gray Scotchman, was held last night in Association Hall. The ground floor was entirely occupied and the gallery was half filled. Rev. Dr. Grant, Principal of Queen's College, Kingston, was in the chair and among those on the platform with him were Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education; Dr. Clarke, Superintendent of the Insane Asylum; Warden Massie of the Central Prison; Ald. Morrison, Ald. McMillan, Dr. Thorburn, Dr. Geo. Kennedy, secretary of the committee; Robert Jaffray, A. J. Cattanach, A. W. Wright, Alex. Fraser and W. A. Sherwood.

Letters of regret were read from Sir John A. Macdonald, His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, Dr. Wilson, of University College, Rev. John Burton, James Innes, M.P., Guelph; Sir David Macpherson, Hon. Oliver Mowat and Rev. Dr. Dewart, whose letter was a deserved eulogy of Poet McLachlan and a rich review of the question of Canadian literature.

Speeches were made by the chairman, Dr. Clarke, Hon. Mr. Ross, Ald. Morrison and Warden Massie, and each gave extracts from Mr. McLachlan's poems. What was particularly enjoyable was the reading by Miss Alexander of such of the poems as "The Lang Heided Laddie," "Old Hannah" and "Hallowe'en." A vote of thanks was tendered to Principal Grant and at the close of the meeting a goodly number of amounts were handed in toward the testimonial which it is intended shall be presented to Mr. McLachlan.

A MURDER IN PEORIA.

An Official of the Town Charged With Killing His Father-in-Law.

PEORIA, Dec. 8.—A great sensation was caused here last evening by the arrest of Hartman Plaag, the Marshal of South Peoria. He has been indicted for the murder of his father-in-law, John Colditz, on the evening of Jan. 5, 1880. Plaag was lodged in jail without bail. Colditz was found dead with a bullet through his heart, and the instrument with which the deed was committed was found within three feet of him. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict of murder by unknown parties. Plaag's sisters-in-law, Mrs. Becker and Mrs. Weiss, now come forward and swear that Plaag killed his father-in-law, that they witnessed the deed, but were in so much terror of Plaag that they swore falsely at the inquest.

DEAD BENEATH THE WHEELS.

An Employe of the Michigan Car Works Killed at Detroit.

DETROIT, Dec. 8.—Two young men standing on Junction-avenue, near the railway crossing, last evening, while the engine was backing toward the depot to get a passenger train, saw a man roll from under the wheels and signalled the engineer to stop. He did so, and the engineer and fireman, with the two young men, hastened to the body.

Had not the man previous to his rolling from under the wheels. He was quite dead, having been killed almost instantly. Both legs were broken, scalp badly torn and the chest crushed by the wheels. Subsequently it was discovered that the man's name was Jacob Gelinski, employed in the Michigan Car Works.

J. W. Gale & Co. Settle With Their Creditors.

MONTREAL, Dec. 8.—The adjourned meeting of the creditors of J. W. Gale & Co., Toronto, was held to-day, and was largely attended. A. F. Gault, of Gault Bros. & Co., presided, and there were representatives present of Cantlie, Ewan & Co., Copland, McLaren & Co., and other firms largely interested. A statement was submitted by Gale & Co., showing direct and indirect liabilities of $300,000, and assets about $200,000. The English liabilities amount to about £15,000 sterling. Mr. Gale submitted an offer of 85 cents on the dollar at four, eight and twelve months, which was unanimously accepted by the creditors, the chairman remarking that the offer was a most handsome one, and that Mr. Gale had acted in almost honorable and straightforward manner.

Opposed to Internal Revenue.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 8.—In the House of Delegates to-day a joint resolution was adopted by a vote of 90 to 1 directing Virginia's senators and requesting her representatives in Congress to use their best efforts to secure the repeal at an early day of the entire internal revenue system of taxation, and, failing in that, to secure, if possible, the repeal of so much of the system as imposes a tax on tobacco and upon spirits distilled from fruits.

Flour Inspection in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—The Board of Flour Trade in the Produce Exchange to-day adopted an amendment to the rule governing the trade. Hereafter flour which has not been inspected or graded may be examined by the inspector as to soundness and uniformity at the option of the buyer. All flour examined must bear the initials of the inspector. Irregular flour must be branded on each package to distinguish the quality.

Killed by a Cave-in.

HALIFAX, Dec. 8.—Clinton Crawford and Thos. Gutro, workmen in the Springhill mines, were killed this morning by a fall of frozen clay. The mass of clay buried them ten feet down a slope and they died from internal injuries while being carried home. The two men had been warned of the danger and ordered to work at another place.

Suicide of an Anarchist.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Christian Denning, a well-known Anarchist, who has been brooding over the death of Spies and his fellow Anarchists, has committed suicide by hanging.

To Meet in Chicago.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 8.—The Republican National Committee on the third ballot selected Chicago as the place of holding the convention and June 19 as the date.

FOR SWEET CHARITY.

The Orphans' Home Concert at the Pavilion—Amusement Notes.

When it is considered that the promenade concert given in the Pavilion last night in aid of the Protestant Orphans' Home was in the hands of ladies, the immense success which attended it is in no way surprising. All the seats had been removed from the ground floor, and in the centre a circular booth of pink and white bunting erected, from which beautiful baskets of flowers, bouquets and candles were dispensed. This booth was in charge of Mrs. John Cawthra, who was assisted by Miss K. Merritt, Mrs. G. Sprague, Miss Maud Cawthra, Miss Mabel Cawthra, Miss Marjorie Campbell, Mrs. Harcourt Vernon, Mrs. Banks, Miss Heward and Mrs. H. K. Merritt. Under the south gallery an ice-cream booth was presided over by Mrs. Wm. Thomson. Mrs. Thomson had the assistance of Miss Maggie Thomson, Miss Bessie McDonald, Miss Horrocks, Mrs. Douglas, Miss Millen, Miss Carrie Lash and Miss Livingstone. Those who desired tea and cake had only to visit the booth under the north gallery, where Mrs. Higginbottom, in company with Miss Street and Miss Rutherford, were in attendance.

A large proportion of the audience promenaded on the ground floor, visiting the various booths, which were apparently doing an excellent business; and the buttonhole bouquets pinned upon the gentlemen's coats by charming young ladies were things which could not be resisted. The Conservatory was thrown open and the young people repaired thither to chat under the soft light thrown from the large Chinese lanterns. The galleries were full of spectators who enjoyed the scene from that part of the building. Above the din of conversation were to be heard the sweet strains of the Citizens' Band and the proceedings were further varied by vocal numbers by Miss Robinson and Mr. Gamble Geddes. The University Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. Schuch, also contributed to the success of the entertainment. The Orphans' Home is a popular charity with our citizens and the result of the concert last night must have been gratifying to those who had the affair in hand.

Amusement Notes.

"The White Slave" is playing to big business at the Toronto. Houses crowded at every performance. There is a big advance sale for to-morrow's matinee.

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Few comedies have come here better recommended than "Mam'zelle," and this in conjunction with the name of Mr. H. R. Jacobs should serve to crowd the Toronto nightly next week.

F. H. Torrington's Orchestra give the first of their season's concerts in the pavilion next Thursday. They number sixty and will be assisted by first-class soloists. Plan for subscribers open at Nordheimers' this morning and to the public on Monday.

STOCKS STRONG AT HOME.

THOUGH IN NEW YORK THE MARKET IS WEAK AND DECLINING.

London Market Firm but Dull—Grain and Produce Quiet and Unchanged—Cox & Co.'s New York Despatch—On Call at the Local Board—European Reports.

THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 8.

Stocks at home to-day were strong and slightly improved, though in New York the market was weak and continues to decline, while in London stocks are firm. The grain and produce market remains firm and unchanged.

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Toronto.

This morning the local stock market was comparatively dull, though a slight improvement was noticeable, bank shares being strong. The demand is said to come chiefly from the shorts. Montreal advanced ¾ and sold at 204, and Ontario at 103, closing at that bid. Toronto higher, selling at 181. Commerce sold at 111¼ and Federal at 35. Dominion firm, with sales at 209¼ and 208. Hamilton sold at 135 and Standard closed at 139 bid, without sellers. Miscellaneous and loan shares were inactive, British America Assurance being the only stock changing hands, selling at 90. Western Assurance closed firm at 125 bid, and Northwest Land ½ better at 46 bid. Dominion Telegraph 78 bid, and Canada Permanent Loan 205 bid. Building and Loan offered at 104½, without bids. People's Loan 113 bid, and Canadian Savings 108 bid. Other stocks remain unchanged.

In the afternoon the market was irregular and quiet. Commerce declined a point with sales at 110¾, 110½ and 110, while Ontario advanced a point to 109 with sales at that figure. Toronto firmer at 182 and Merchants' weaker at 118¾ bid. Federal easier, selling at 35 and Dominion ½ easier at 208½ bid. British American Assurance sold at 89 and Western Assurance 125 bid. Northwest Land ½ firmer at 47½ bid, others unchanged.

Transactions for to-day were: Morning—Montreal, 5 at 204; Ontario, 20 at 103; Toronto, 19 at 181; Commerce, 75, 20 at 111¼, 25 at 111, 50 at 110¾; Dominion, 30 at 209¼, 20 at 209¾; Hamilton, 2 at 135; British America, 25, 14 at 90. Afternoon—Ontario, 5 at 109; Toronto, 20 at 182; Commerce, 50 at 110¼, 5, 50 at 110¾, 25, 10 at 110; British America, 10 at 89.

Following are the closing prices on the local stock board:

	Sls.	Bys.		Sls.	Bys.
Montreal	204	203½	N. W. Land Co.	50	47¾
Ontario	109¼	108	Can. Per.	203	205
Toronto	182	180	Freehold L.	140	
Merchants'	118	118¼	West. Can.	151	155
Commerce	110¾	110½	Can. L. & N.	134	
Imperial	171	169	B. & L. Assn.	104¼	
Federal	35	34¾	Farmers' L. & S.	115	
Dominion	209¼	208½	People's L. & A.	105	103
Standard	139	137	Loan & Sav.		115
Hamilton		135	Lon. & Ont.		
B. America	89½	89½	Nat. Invest.	95	87
West. Ass'c	125	122	Ont. L. & D.	134	120
Con. Gas	178	174	Onk. Invest.		70
C. Pacific		81	Can. Can. Loan	108	
M. Telegraph		78	B.C.L. & Invest	100	
Union	135	125½	Out. Ind.	92	

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

The New York market was weak again to-day, opening irregular, and after a very slight rally the market was heavy all day, closing on an average of 1 lower than last night. Richmond and Terminal was ¾ lower, the weakness still being attributed to the President's message.

Messrs. Cox & Co. received the following despatch to-day from their agent in New York: There is an uneasy feeling among many of the so-called bulls, and the bears are doing their best to aggravate this sentiment. Quite a number of prominent holders of stocks have sold out, and, following their usual custom, are now talking further reaction, and insist that there can be no protracted upward movement until the market is again lowered to a level which will warrant those who have parted with their stocks again taking hold. The bulls are less "chipper" than they were and at the various uptown resorts last night their plea was, let us wait until we can see what this Congress will do. If it acts at once upon the President's suggestion then we may expect the speculative markets to fairly boom, anyhow there is not going to be any panic no matter what the bears may preach and predict.

The short interest in Reading, St. Paul and U. P. and L. was largely increased, and the traders who were inclined to be particularly bearish completely changed and modified their opinions when they saw how easily they had lost their stocks. The bear talk on the sealers is said to have emanated from inside circles for the purpose of getting nervous holders to part with their stocks. The Mills building people who do a recognized business for the directors' party are very outspoken in their beliefs, but conservative people attach no importance to these utterings. They say that Lackawanna is not a safe stock to fool with, and that a 7 per cent. dividend payer is worth 135 even in a 6 per cent. active money market, particularly as the company is said to be making between 12 and 15 per cent.

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LONDON STOCK MARKET.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—2 p.m.—The stock markets opened dull to-day, but rallied on the receipt of firmer advice from the continent. The markets closed at a further improvement.

EUROPEAN AND MISCELLANEOUS.

The London market to-day showed little activity, and American securities were sparingly dealt in.

The Bank of England rate remains unchanged at 4.

Hudson Bay Company stock was quoted today in London at 22½.

Oil City reports oil to-day at the following quotations: Opening 76½, closing 76, highest 76½, lowest 75½.

London financial quotations to-day were: Morning—Consols, 101 9-16 for money and 101 13-16 for account; U. S. 4's 128; U.S. 4½'s 110; Erie Comp. 30½; Erie 2d's 100½; C.P.R. 56½; N.Y.C. 112½; Ill. Cent. 120. Afternoon—Erie Comp. 30; C.P.R. 57½.

Foreign exchange is quoted by Gzowski & Buchan to-day as follows:

IN NEW YORK.	Posted.	Actual.
Sixty days' sterling	$4.81¼	$4.81¼
Sterling demand	$4.83½	$4.83½ to

TORONTO.	Between Banks. Bid.	Asked.	Counter.
New York Funds	¼ dis	1-16 dis	¼ to ⅜
Sixty days' sterling	9 5-16	9 9-16	9 to 9⅛
Demand do.	9 15-16	9 1-16	9⅝ to 9¾
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Grain and Produce.

Both the grain and produce markets were quiet to-day, prices being steady.

In Chicago the market to-day opened higher all round, followed by further advance and then sold steadily off up till the final close, which prices are lower than last night. Wheat ¼c, corn ⅜c, oats ⅛c, pork 27½c, and lard 12½c all for the May option.

The report of the receipts of hogs to-day from the Chicago stock yards is: Estimated receipts 20,000.

The car lots received at Chicago to-day are: Winter wheat 8, spring wheat 158, corn 170, and oats 81.

On call at the Board of Trade to-day: For No. 1 fall 84c bid. One car of No. 2 fall offered at 85c, with 84½ bid. No. 1 red winter 83 bid. Four cars of No. 2 red winter sold at 85c. No. 2 wheat offered at 83c, with 81½ bid. One car of Manitoba white fife wheat offered at 84c on track, with 82c bid.

LOCAL STREET MARKET.

The local market was quiet to-day with prices stationary. About 300 bushels of wheat offered and sold at 83c to 84½c for fall, 78c to 82c for spring, and 73c to 74c for goose. Barley quiet; 2000 bushels sold at 60c to 73c. Oats steady, with sales of 200 bushels at 38c to 40c. Peas nominal at 59c to 60c. Hay easier, with sales of 50 loads at $9 to $12 for clover, and $12 to $16 for timothy. Straw sold at $12.50 to $13.50 a ton for 12 loads. Dressed hogs quoted at $6.50. Beef $3 to $5 for forequarters, and $5 to $7 for hindquarters. Mutton $6 to $6.50; lamb at $6.50 to $7.50; veal $6.50 to $8.

ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

The retail market remains quiet and with few exceptions prices are unchanged as follows: Beef 12c to 16c; sirloin steak at 18c to 20c; round steak 10c to 14c. Mutton, loin and chops, 12c to 15c; inferior cuts 8c to 10c. Lamb 7c to 9c for front, and 11c to 12c for hindquarters. Veal, best joints 12c to 13c; inferior cuts 6c to 8c. Pork, chops and roasts 10c. Venison, one case $4 to $5; haunches $8 to $10. Butter, lb. rolls 22c to 23, large rolls 20c to 22; inferior 16c to 18c. Lard, tubs 9c to 10c. Cheese 14c to 15. Bacon 10c to 12c. Eggs 20c to 22c. Turkeys 8c to 7c per lb. Chickens, per pair 20c to 28c. Geese 40c to 60c; box lots 5c to 6c per lb. Ducks 35c to 60c. Partridges 50c to 60. Potatoes, per bag 90c to $1. Apples, per barrel $2 to $2.25. Beets, per bush. 60c to 75c. Onions, bushel $1.50 to $1.80. Celery 50c to 60c a doz. Turnips, bag 40c to 50c. Carrots, bag 50c to 60c.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

The followink table shows the fluctuations of the Chicago market to-day:

		Open-ed.	Close-ed.	High-est.	Low-est.
Wheat	Dec.	$ 78	$ 77	$ 78	$ 77
"	Jan.	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝	78⅝
"	Feb.	79¼	79¼	79¼	79¼
"	March	81	80		
"	May	82½	81⅝	82½	82⅜
Corn	Dec.	50¼	49¾	50¼	49¾
"	Jan.	50¼	49¾	50¼	49¾
"	Feb.	50⅝	49⅞	50⅝	49⅞
"	March				
"	May	50⅝	50⅛	50	50⅛
Oats	Dec.				
"	Jan.	30½	30	30½	30
"	Feb.				
"	March				
"	May	33⅝	33⅝	34⅛	33⅝
Pork	Dec.				
"	Jan.	14.40	14.50	14.35½	14.40
"	Feb.	14.50	14.60	14.50	14.60
"	March				
"	May	15.45	15.10	15.45	15.02½
Lard	Dec.	7.32½	7.30	7.35	7.30
"	Jan.	7.40	7.37½	7.40	7.37½
"	Feb.	7.50	7.37½	7.50	7.37½
"	March	7.60	7.45	7.60	7.45
"	May	7.77½	7.65	7.77½	7.65
Short ribs	Dec.				
"	Jan.	7.35	7.40	7.37½	7.37½
"	Feb.	7.32½	7.32½	7.32½	7.30
"	March	7.32½	7.40	7.40	7.32½
"	May	7.92½	7.80	7.92½	7.80

LATER—Leading futures closed: Wheat—Dec. 77c, Jan. 77½c, Feb. 78½c, May 81½c. Corn—Dec. 49½c, Jan. 49½c, Feb. 49½c, May 49½c. Oats—Jan. 30c, May 33½c. Pork—Jan. $14.50, Feb. $14.65, May $15.10. Lard—Jan. $7.37½, Feb. $7.37½, March $7.45, May $7.65. Short ribs—Jan. $7.40, Feb. $7.50, March $7.62½, May $7.80. Cash quotations were: No. 2 spring wheat 77½c to 77¾c, No. 2 red 78½c, No. 3 do 73c, No. 2 oats 30½c, pork $14.25 to $14.50, lard $7.22½, short ribs sides $7.40 to $7.42½, dry salted shoulders $5.90, short clear sides $7.80 to $7.85. Receipts—Flour 36,000 bbls, wheat 53,000 bush, corn 118,000 bush, oats 102,000 bush, rye 4000 bush, barley 69,000 bush, Shipments—Flour 28,000 bbls, wheat 17,000 bush, corn 117,000 bush, oats 116,000 bush, rye 1000 bush, barley 39,000 bush.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Cotton quiet and unchanged. Flour—Receipts 35,000 pkgs, steady; sales 19,000 bbls. Wheat—Receipts 72,000 bush, exports 40,000 bush, sales 15,072,000 bush futures, 96,000 bush spot; spot quiet but stronger, options opened ⅛c to ¼c higher, afterwards declined ⅛c to ¼c, closing weak at near the bottom; No. 2 red Dec. 90½c Jan. 90⅞c to 91c, Feb. 91⅛c to 92c, May 94⅛c to 95c. Corn—Receipts 17,050 bush, exports 200 bush, sales 232,000 bush futures, 88,000 bush spot, opened ⅛c to ¼c higher, closed weak, advance partly lost. No. 2 Dec. 63½c, Jan. 63c to 64½c, Feb. 63c to 64½c, May 63½c to 64½c. Oats—Receipts 92,000 bush, sales 530,000 bush futures, 149,000 bush spot, ⅛c to ¼c higher, closing weak. No. 2 Dec. 33½c to 33¾c, Jan. 33½c to 33¾c, May 35½c to 40½c. No. 2 Sept. 34½c, mixed western 37c to 39½c, white do. 38c to 44c. Coffee fair, fm. firm, 19½c. Sugar firm, standard "A" 6½c to 6 9-16c, cut loaf and crushed 7½c, powdered 7⅛c to 7½c, granulated 6⅞c.

BREESHOM'S REPORT.

Beerbohm reports to-day: Floating cargoes—Wheat quiet and steady, corn nil. Arrivals—Wheat 2, corn 2. Sold—Wheat 3. Waiting orders—Wheat 2, corn 1. Cargoes on passage—Wheat quiet and steady, corn weak.

French country markets firm. Paris—Wheat quiet, flour firm. Liverpool—Wheat and corn firmly held.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool reports to-day: Wheat quiet, poor demand, holders offer freely; corn quiet, poor demand. Prices: Spring wheat 6s 3d to 6s 10d, red winter 6s 3d to 6s 10d, No. 1 Cal. 6s 8d. Corn 5s 2½d. Peas 5s 7d. Pork 60s 3d. Lard 37s 9d. Bacon 35s 6d. Cheese 58s.

OSWEGO BARLEY MARKET.

Oswego reports barley unchanged to-day with the following sales: 10,000 bush. Can. by sample at 87½c, 11,000 Can. by sample at 88c, 7000 Can. by sample at 91c, 10,000 Can. by sample at 95c.

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