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AN IMPERTINENT QUESTION.

During the University investigation last week counsel for the students interrogated one of the professors as to whether he was a sceptic or not. We are sorry the professor in question did not assert his rights and refuse to answer the question. The commissioners should have interfered and protected the witness from this attempt to restore the Inquisition. It was the students who prompted their counsel to ask the question. They thought they would score a point by charging some of the professors of the college with being unorthodox in their religious belief, and they commissioned their counsel to resort to the Inquisition to prove it. We are sorry, we say, that Professor Wright admitted the propriety of the question by answering it. This is just another instance of the effrontery of the few meddlesome students who are responsible for most of the trouble at University College. What may be the religious views of the professors is no concern of the students or of anyone else. The University is a State institution, and, as such, the professors are not, and must not be made, amenable to religious tests. Knox College can prescribe whatever religious test it desires, and the students of that college would be justified in making the professors toe the mark and answer their catechism. University College, being a State institution, is altogether different. As long as the professors refrain from inculcating any religious or sceptical doctrines upon the students they cannot be cross-questioned as to their views. When they were appointed to office their religious opinions were not made part of the contract of their engagement. The fact that the students are trying to introduce religious medievalism into the University shows how badly they require to be disciplined.

A SPECIFIC DUTY ON BICYCLES.

Since The World recommended the imposition of a specific duty and a high ad valorem duty upon bicycles imported into this country, several papers have discussed the matter, and most of them are favorable to giving the new industry every possible chance to establish itself in Canada. The suggestions of The World to impose a specific duty of at least $25 on every bicycle has been generally approved of by those who admit the efficacy of protection. The News last night, however, objects to such a specific duty on the ground that it means a tax of 50 per cent. on low-priced wheels and 25 per cent. on higher grades. This, we take it, is the very reason why a specific duty of $25 should be levied. If we in Canada cannot make the highest grade of wheels, as some claim, we can at least make those of a poorer grade, and for this very reason we should be allowed the whole Canadian market in this line. We do not admit, however, that only the poorer class of wheels can be made in Canada. The wheels turned out by some of the Canadian manufacturers this year are just as good in every respect as those made by the best manufacturers in other countries. We are pleased to see that the Canadian people are beginning to appreciate the Canadian wheel. Some of our own wheels are bought in preference to crack American and English wheels.

In 1890 there were seventeen manufacturers of bicycles in the United States, and they turned out in the neighborhood of 40,000 wheels in the year. In 1895 the manufacturers had increased to 126 in number, and their output is estimated at 500,000 machines. These figures give us an idea of the way in which this industry is galloping ahead in Canada as well as in the United States. If we only will allow Canadian manufacturers to have the benefit of the whole Canadian market, we will soon see our manufactories increase tenfold in number and the output become correspondingly large. We trust during the present session of the Dominion Parliament that both a specific and an ad valorem duty sufficient to secure for our own manufacturers the Canadian market will be imposed upon finished bicycles.

PROPOSED STREET PAVEMENTS.

The City Engineer submits a report of the streets that require repaving. The aggregate is a little over ten miles. Asphalt and brick are recommended in the majority of cases. Cedar block is advised in streets where the traffic is light and where the property will not stand a more expensive pavement. The citizens on the streets interested ought to do their best to get the work done during the present year, when things are dull. A special effort should be made to use asphalt and brick wherever possible. If brick or asphalt cannot be used, macadam in its improved methods is preferable to wood. While the tracks are now being laid on Avenue-road the ratepayers ought to get together and decide to have the rest of the street paved concurrently with the laying of the tracks. No other pavement than asphalt or brick will do justice to this fine street. The former is the one that should be adopted.

WATER FOR THE ISLAND.

In his report on the Island water supply, Engineer Keating appears to think the Island residents are the only people to be considered, and that they should be responsible for the total charges connected with the installation and maintenance of the proposed system. This is an unfair way of looking at the matter. Every citizen of Toronto who visits the Island is as much interested in having a good water supply over there as are the Islanders themselves. They are even more interested. They have no control over what water is provided for them, while the Islanders are generally able to get the best that is to be had. Even this, however, is unfit for drinking. Nine-tenths of the water that is consumed on the Island is taken from within 10 yards of the shore line. As a matter of course, this water is always more or less contaminated by the refuse, dead fish, etc., that accumulates at the water's edge. On Queen's Birthday there will be probably 30,000 people on the Island, and the average for the season will be somewhere in the neighborhood of 10,000. As a matter of fact, there are five times as many visitors daily on the Island as there are permanent residents. The city must provide water for these visitors, and relieve them from the disagreeable alternative of either drinking contaminated water, or purchasing doubtful decoctions at five cents a glass. The Engineer ought to call off his communication with the Island residents. They will all take the water as soon as it is provided, But it may be difficult to get them to guarantee the cost. This is altogether too limited a way of looking at the matter. Won't it pay the city to spend $15,000 to provide water for the multitudes who are continually on the Island during the hot weather? The subject does not need discussion. It is self-evident.

"Down in Dixie" To-Night.

A vivid portrayal of life in the seductive south, united to a melodramatic story full of thrilling incidents, is comprised in the new play entitled "Down in Dixie," by Scott Marble, which Thos. H. Davis and William T. Keogh are producing with a remarkable show of scenery and other accessories. "Down in Dixie" begins a week's engagement at the Toronto Opera House to-night. The usual Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday matinees will be given.

Bronze Statues at the Academy.

Bronze statuary will be introduced at the Academy with the Paris Gaiety Girls all this week. This is decidedly quite a novel mode of introducing living pictures. The pictures shown are the same that caused the sensation in New York two weeks ago.

There will be matinees Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Ramsay at Massey Hall To-Night.

W. E. Ramsay's entertainment in Massey Hall to-night promises to be a great success. The sale of seats has been large and the popular artist is assured of a crowded house. Mr. Ramsay will introduce several new songs, which will be heard in Toronto for the first time.

The Yaw Concert.

At the close of the sale of seats at Gourlay, Winter & Leeming's on Saturday, there were hardly a dozen 75 cent, and less than 30 $2 seats left for Miss Yaw's concert to-morrow night in Massey Hall. Those wishing good locations in the remaining sections of teh house should secure them early, as they will doubtless be marked off very rapidly this morning.

Toronto Orchestral School.

Don't forget the Orchestral School concert to-night. Every possible arrangement has been made to give the people a splendid night's entertainment, and it should be well patronized. A large orchestra and a drawing lot of artists will appear, and with a mandolin and guitar club of young ladies should make this concert a decided success. Plan will be open to-day at Nordheimers' and at the Pavilion to-night.

There is danger in neglecting a cold. Many who have died of consumption dated their troubles from exposure, followed by a cold which settled on their lungs, and in a short time they were beyond the skill of the best physician. Had they used Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup before it was too late, their lives would have been spared. This medicine has no equal for curing coughs, colds and all affections of the throat and lungs.

St. Michael's Hospital.

Editor World: I see the new wing of St. Michael's Hospital is being completed very slowly, probably for lack of funds. Here is an opportunity for some wealthy Catholic to step in and give the final stroke to a deserving charity.

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A Conspiracy to Kill Li Hung.

Washington, April 21.—Reliable advices from Tokyo, Japan, declare that the attempted assassination of Li Hung Chang was not the act of a madman, as published in Japanese newspapers, but was the result of a widespread and premeditated conspiracy, the publication of which was suppressed by the Government.

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Local Jottings.

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Gabriel Hart, an inmate of the Central Prison, died Friday.

John Third, aged 23, was digging a well on Mrs. McKay's farm at Todmorden on Friday, when it caved in. He was dead when extricated.

John King of Mount Albert, convicted of indecent assault, received a second instalment of 15 lashes at the Central Prison Saturday.

Coals dropping from a stove caused damage to the extent of $45 at 179 Strachan-avenue at about 1 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

There is a good deal of sand on the Island sidewalks, making the walking very fatiguing. A gang of men should be sent over to clean it off at once, as the number of visitors to the Island is increasing daily.

The minstrel entertainment of the St. Alphonsus Club in the Grand this evening should be largely attended. The performance will be the best ever given in this city by an amateur organizztion.

Some boys are amusing themselves by lighting bonfires in the vicinity of Huntly-street bridge, and in consequence the Rose-avenue section of the fire brigade have had several runs during the past couple of days.

On aturday night some curtains in t. Patrick's Hall caught fire from a gas jet The firemen arrived in time to prevent a serious blaze. Damage $10.

The members of the Batoche Column meet to-morrow night at 8 o'clock, at the Armouries, to complete arrangements for their annual celebration in May. All members are expected to be present.

Rev. Mr. Harrison, being seriously ill, the services in St. Mathias' Church were conducted yesterday by Rev. Prof. Huntingforth as the 8 o'clock celebration, Rev. Dean Rigby conducted the midday services and Rev. Prof. Bedford Jones evening song. There was a large congregation at each service.

The Hon. J. M. Gibson, Provincial Secretary, has written to the promoters of the proposed Hospital for Consumptives, that the Government will place the new hospital on the list of those receiving public aid during the continuance of the patients in the province. It has not yet been decided whether aid will be given for the maintenance of patients in the branch institution located outside of the province. The matter is still under consideration.

FRANKLAND LOSES THE SUIT

COURT HOLDS THAT HE WAS DOING THE TOMLINS A GOOD TURN.

But as This Good Turn Resulted in an Injustice to the Creditors of the Tomlins Mr. Justice Street Decides That the Sale Was Fraudulent and Assesses Costs Against the Defendants.

Robert Davies against Benjamin Tomlin, Mrs. Tomlin and H. R. Frankland, on trial at Osgoode Hall the last three days of last week, is another case arising out of the fatal mortgage covenant. In October, 1890, at the height of the boom, William Davies lent Mr. Tomlin $5000 on mortgage of one and a half acres of land and a brick house in Pape-avenue, about half a mile north of Danforth-avenue. According to the plaintiff's estimate, the house is too good for the locality and the property is unsaleable, or will not realize half the amount loaned.

In October last Robert Davies sued Mr. Tomlin on the covenant, and on Nov. 7 recovered judgment for over $6000. In the month of June previously Mr. Tomlin had conveyed to his wife certain other property in consideration of $1000, which amount Mrs. Tomlin had received in 1888 under her mother's will, and it was alleged had loaned to her husband

Mr. Frankland Appears in the Case.

On Nov 5 (two days before the plaintiff's judgment) Mrs. Tomlin sold the property to H. R. Frankland for $1500. Robert Davies then brought this action and impeached the conveyance to Mrs. Tomlin and the subsequent sale by her to Mr. Frankland.

Mr. C. H. Ritchie, Q.C., and Mr. Ludwig were counsel for Mr. Davies; Mr. Edward Meek for Mr. and Mrs. Tomlin and Mr. T. H. Bull for Mr. Frankland.

Mr. Davies in his evidence stated he had known Tomlin for a number of years when he was an hotelkeeper, and had made the $5000 loan to him without a valuation, not treating it as a regular matter of business. Only one instalment of interest on the mortgage had been paid to him, though he had frequently applied for payment. In July last he noticed a Division Court judgment against Tomlin, and after seeing him about it decided to sue on his mortgage. The house is now rented at $10 a month.

Tomlin's Evidence.

Benjamin Tomlin said he was formerly, from 1873, an hotelkeeper on the Don Flats. His hotel had been expropriated for about $13,000 for the Don improvements. His wife had managed the hotel, while he was engaged as a contractor. In January, 1889, he bought some land at the corner of Broadview and Allen-avenues from William Barrett and shortly afterwards erected two brick stores on it. The property in Pape-avenue had been bought from the Helliwell estate in 1887 and a house built on it. He considered there was a margin of $4000 on this property. He had at one time been offered $10,000 ($8000 in cash). He had treated the $1000 of his wife's money as a loan which he had to invest for her, and the Broadview-avenue property was built immediately afterwards, and he always considered he had to make it over to her (subject to the existing $3500 mortgage), when she asked for it. Mrs. Tomlin confirmed her husband's evidence and detailed the circumstances of the sale to Mr. Frankland.

H. R. Frankland's Testimony.

H. R. Frankland said he was first applied to by Mr. Tomlin on the morning of Nov. 5 to buy the property. He did not want it, but after a short discussion agreed to assume the existing mortgages and pay $1500, if the papers were all right. He went direct to Mr. Greer's office and the transaction was closed that afternoon about 4 o'clock. He saw nothing suspicious about it. He gave a cheque for interest on one of the mortgages, and another cheque to Mrs. Tomlin for the balance, $1302.80. On the following morning he borrowed $1200 from John Hallam and deposited it, and Mrs. Tomlin then cashed the cheque. After she had paid the taxes and made some other payments, he asked if she intended to use all that was left. If not he would like to borrow it until after Christmas, and pay 6 per cent. interest. Mrs. Tomlin said she would think about it. In the same afternoon he called at her store and she let him have $860, for which he gave an I.O.U. He repaid John Hallam the $1200 the same day.

Paid the Money Back With the Same Bills.

The teller from the Dominion Bank proved that Mrs. Tomlin was paid in $50 bills of that bank. Mr. John Hallam, jr., proved that the $1200 had been repaid in 24 $50 Dominion Bank bills, and Mr. Kelso, from the Ontario Bank (Mr. Hallam's bank), was called on the same point.

Thomas Bryce, Miss Mills (Mr. Frankland's bookkeeper), A. W. Ballantyne and John Kemp were also examined.

Upon the question of the value of the Pape-avenue property, J. W. Whitney, George A. Case, Melfort Boulton, Frank Cayley, Benjamin Brock, William Brand, Ald. Blong and T. P. Whitlam gave evidence.

John Greer was examined after the counsel for all the parties had waived professional privilege. The witness stated he acted for Tomlin in October last, and put in the appearance for him. On Nov. 3, he saw Mr. Tomlin. He then heard for the first time that the Broadview-avenue property and the chattels had been made over to Mrs. Tomlin in June previously. She is very conscientious, and her claim seemed a genuine one. He advised that, although morally she had a good right to the property, it could, he thought, be successfully attacked by Mr. Davies, unless she could sell it and get her money back. Mr. Frankland saw him on the morning of the 5th, and told him he had agreed to buy and to lease back to Mrs. Tomlin. The titles were searched, statements got from the mortgagees, executions searched, conveyances and lease drawn and executed and registered that day, and Mr. Frankland's cheques drawn and handed over. Mr. Greer knew nothing at the time of the loan by Mrs. Tomlin to Mr. Frankland. When he heard of it he was angry, and declined to act any further.

Justice Street's Ruling

Mr. Justice Street, in giving judgment, held that the property in Pape-avenue was unsaleable, or, in any event, that Mr. Davies was unsecured to the extent of $3000. Tomlin had had $922 of his wife's money. It was not necessary to consider if the conveyance to her in 1890 was a gift or not. In June, 1894, Tomlin was insolvent, and the transfers to his wife of the Broadview-avenue property and the chattels were made as a protection against creditors. In October Davies sued, and on Nov. 3 Tomlin was advised by his solicitor that the transfer made to the wife in June previously could be successfully attacked unless the property could be sold in the meantime. Frankland's name was mentioned as likely to assist, and he was seen by Tomlin on the morning of the 5th. Frankland owned a quantity of land and did not want more, but after a very short conversation he agreed to purchase and to assume the mortgages and to lease back to Mrs. Tomlin. Frankland saw Mr. Greer and told him he had agreed to buy. They went into a calculation, and $40 a month was agreed on as the rent. Mr. Greer knew the title, and that expedition was needful, and the whole matter was closed that afternoon. Mrs. Tomlin received $1302.80 and the cheque for the interest on the existing mortgage. On the following morning Frankland borrowed $1200 from Mr. Hallam, and deposited it at the bank, and the cheque to Mrs. Tomlin was paid in 26 $50 bills of the Dominion Bank. Two of them went to the tax collector and the $85 loan repaid to Mr. Frankland. During the day a portion, if not the whole, of the money must have been repaid to Frankland, as he went to Mr. Hallam and repaid him in 24 $50 bills. At least 19 of the bills were the identical bills received from the Dominion Bank, and it is a great coincidence that the other 5 were also $50 Dominion Bank bills. Mr. Frankland cannot account for them. I think the whole $1200 came from Mrs. Tomlin.

Where Is the I O U?

An I.O.U. was given by Mr. Frankland, but it has disappeared. A little later he gave to the daughter a note for $860. This has been deposited in court. It is not in a negotiable form, and Mr. Frankland has since paid the amount of it into court. Frankland was unable to recollect transactions of three or four days ago, and I was obliged to point out to him the doubt this threw on his other evidence, and this made him brush up his memory. I think this is the explanation of the transaction: Frankland was willing to do the Tomlins a good turn. He didn't want the property, and couldn't buy it—certainly not at the full value—but was willing to help, and probably did not know he was doing anything improper. He made the advance to protect the property, and designedly abstained from enquiring. I can't understand any other reason. On the authorities Frankland was affected with notice of the defects in Tomlin's title. The conveyance to Mrs. Tomlin was a preference, and the case would have been clear but for Frankland's interposition, and I think he must be imputed with notice as though he had been present.

It must be declared that the conveyances to Mrs. Tomlin and Mr. Frankland are fraudulent against creditors, the property must be sold, and out of the proceeds Frankland is to be allowed the interest and taxes he has paid. Costs are allowed against all three defendants, and are to be paid out of the $860 in court, and the balance is to be repaid to Frankland.

A stay was allowed on application by Mr. Meek.

SUICIDE IS A SIN.

The Tendency of the Times to Commit the Crime of Saul Characterized as Dishonest and Cowardly.

The Rev. Joseph Ordery, pastor of Berkeley-street Methodist Church, preached to a large and attentive congregation last evening on "The Suicide Mania." Taking his text from II. Samuel, xxxi., 4: "Therefore Saul took a sword and fell upon it," the rev. gentleman related earnestly and eloquently the long course of indifference to God's commands which terminated in the disastrous defeat and self-inflicted death of the Israelitish king upon Mount Gilboa. He continued: "To the man who would put an end to his life I would say, 'You have no right to do so; it is dishonest; every man has a work to do in the world, and why shirk yours? It is cowardly; you have committed a wrong and would escape the penalty. It is a crime; for God has written that no murderer shall enter heaven.'

The Tendency of the Times.

"The crime of Saul is the tendency of the times. Young men who quickly empty their cup of pleasure grow weary of life. Nothing will exhaust life like dissipated pleasures. There are those who soil their hands and burden their consciences with other people's money. There are those whose ambition has been disappointed; they have not accomplished what they hoped to accomplish; or it may be through unrequited love; and then to escape disgrace or get out of their trouble, in moments of depression, they take their own life.

A Daily Occurrence.

"It is something almost appalling today; it greets you almost every morning as you open the newspaper. Some young man who ought to have lived a noble life, or who ought to have been a source of pride to his friends, has swept himself into eternity. The secret of it all is the violation of this divine law, which says: 'Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all things shall be added unto you.' Men to-day do the reverse, and say: 'Get all the other things first, and then get the Kingdom of God.' God's law stands clear, and no man will ever reach success in this world who does not first seek the Kingdom of God and his righteousness. If I had to mention the names of many who have gone into eternity by their own hands, you would agree that most of them might have been honored and beloved to-day by following this law."

BATTLE OF THE PAVEMENTS.

Board of Works to Decide For Thirty Streets—Down-Draft Furnaces.

To the Committee on Works, which meets this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the City Engineer recommends that permission be granted to the Grand Trunk Railway Company to extend their siding on the Esplanade for the purpose of giving additional accommodation to the Toronto Railway Company for delivery of coal into their power house, on condition that an agreement satisfactory to the City Solicitor and Engineer be signed.

There is no objection to giving the Wheelmen's Association permission to construct a six-foot cinder path on the Lake Shore-road, entirely at their own expense, under the direction and supervision of the Works Department.

The Engineer gives a list of streets on which pavements ought to be re-constructed as soon as practicable this year, as they are in a very dangerous condition. The cost of each pavement is given, and it is for the committee to decide to-day whether such pavements shall be brick, asphalt or cedar block.

The Engineer reports adversely on the proposition that the two plumbing inspectors of the board attend to all repairs necessary to plumbing work on the city buildings.

A letter is subjoined from the Hawley Down-Draft Furnace Company of Chicago offering to pump the city water for the next five years, "at your present cost (for fuel), paying the city of Toronto $25,000 in money and $750 in furnaces for the privilege, which, together with cost of boiler and masonry repairs, will amount to about $40,000."

The property-owners at the Island are being communicated with on the question of a water supply.

WILDCATS CAPTURED.

An East Luther Farmer Traps Two in the Marsh.

Orangeville Advertiser.

Wildcats have been creating havoc for some months past in the vicinity of the great marsh in East Luther. The depredations of two of them were very suddenly stopped on Wednesday night of last week, when a neighboring farmer placed a couple of traps on the carcass of a dead horse, and some hours later found them occupied by two large wildcats, a male and a female. The male was of extraordinary size, measuring about 5 1-2 feet from tip to tip, but was so ferocious that he could not be taken alive. The other was secured in a box, and was uninjured, except where the jaws of the trap had closed on her leg.

Tobacco Habit Cured in One Week. Years ago this would have been pronounced a miracle; now it is an everyday experience. Think of a tobacco slave of 30 or 40 years being cured of the tobacco habit in a week. Dr. Price's Tobac-Cure is guaranteed to cure this habit in every form. No Cure, No Pay, $1 a box. Agent, George Bingham.

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Gymnasium Shoes, rubber soles, 30c, retail price 75c.

Hog Grain Lace Boots, razor toes, dude tips, latest American style, $2.50, retail price $3.50.

French Calf Hand-sewed Lace Boots, special, $1, retail price $3.

Tan Calf Lace Boots, $1.25, retail price $2

American Satin Calf Lace Boots, razor toes, Chicago wing tips, $1.50, retail price $2.50.

Calf Lace Boots, hand-sewed, $1.25, retail price $2.25.

Cordovan Lace Boots, whole fox, oak soles, solid leather, 65c, retail price $1.25.

BOYS' DEPARTMENT

Cordovan Oxford Shoes, 11 to 13, 55c, retail price 85c.

Casco Calf Lace Boots, hand-made, 11 to 13, 80c, retail price 85c.

Casco Calf Lace Boots, hand-made, 1 to 6, 60c, retail price $1.

MISSES' DEPARTMENT

Angola Kid Buttoned Boots, spring heels, 55c, retail price $1.60.

Dongola Kid Buttoned Boots, spring heels, 55c, retail price $1.

American Oil Goat Buttoned Boots, spring heels, 60c, retail price $1.

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT

Enamel Tie Shoes, 30c, retail price 55c.

American Kid Buttoned Boots, spring heels, patent tips, 60c, retail price $1.

American Kid Buttoned Boots, spring heels, plain, 55c, retail price 85c.

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In June the Accused G.T.R. Conductors Will Be Tried Again.

Montreal, April 20.—The case of the three Grand Trunk conductors, Defries, Mulligan and Tamblyn, whose trial on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the company by knocking down fares has been proceeding before the Court of Queen's Bench in this city for the last eight days, ended Saturday night in a disagreement of the jury, eleven being for acquittal and one for conviction. Judge Wurtele announced that the case would be tried at the June term, bail being accepted for the accused.

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DIVIDENDS.

Farmers' Loan & Savings Co.

DIVIDEND NO. 46.

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum has this day been declared on the paid-up capital stock of this company, for the half year ending 30th inst., and that the same will be payable at the office of the company, 17 Toronto-street, Toronto, on and after

WEDNESDAY, 15TH MAY NEXT.

The transfer books will be closed from 1st to 14th May, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
GEO. S. C. BETHUNE, Manager.
Toronto, 11th April, 1895.

FREEHOLD LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY.

DIVIDEND NO. 71.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital stock of the company has been declared for the current half year, payable on and after the first day of June, next, at the office of the company, corner of Victoria and Adelaide-streets, Toronto. The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st May, inclusive.

Notice is hereby given that the general annual meeting of the company will be held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, June the 4th, at the office of the company, for the purpose of receiving the annual report, the election of directors, etc.

By order of the Board,
S. C. WOOD, Managing Director.
Toronto, 17th April, 1895. 51

THE DOMINION BANK

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of Three per cent. upon the capital stock of this institution has this day been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at the Banking House in this city, on and after Wednesday, the first day of May next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 30th of April next, both days inclusive.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House in this City, on Wednesday, the 29th day of May next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board,
R. H. BETHUNE,
General Manager.
Toronto, March, 1895. 41

BANK OF MONTREAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend of Five per cent. for the current half year, (making a total distribution for the year of Ten per cent.), upon the paid-up capital stock of this institution, has been declared, and that the same will be payable at its Banking House in this city, and at its branches, on and after Saturday, the first day of June next.

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st of May next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Banking House of the Institution on Monday, the Third day of June next. The chair to be taken at One o'clock.

By order of the board,
E. S. CLOUSTON, General Manager.
Montreal, 19th April, 1895. 13

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The Consumers' Gas Company of Toronto, Ont., will receive tenders until noon on Monday, 29th April next, for the supply of thirty thousand tons (of 2000 lbs.) of Youghiogheny or Westmoreland lump gas coal.

The coal to be screened over a one and one-half inch screen; the coal to be delivered in about equal monthly quantities between May 15 and Dec. 15, next.

Tenders will be received for delivery on the cars at the Suspension or International Bridges, or by vessel at the wharf at Toronto, ex harbor dues.

The kind of coal offered must be specified.

Payments to be accepted at the Gas Company's weights.

Payments to be made at Toronto one month after delivery. Contractors to prepay all railway charges to the Bridges.

Tenders to state specifically what difference, if any, will be made in the price provided the company only accepts a portion of the above quantities.

Tenders to be addressed to the President.

Security to be given for the fulfilment of the contract if required.

No tender necessarily accepted.

W. H. PEARSON,
Gen. Mgr. and Secretary.
Toronto, April 16, 1895. 124

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Dyspepsia and Indigestion.—C. W. Snow & Co., Syracuse, N.Y., writes: "Please send us ten gross of Pills. We are selling more of Parmalee's Pills than any other Pill we keep. They have a great reputation for the cure of Dyspepsia and Liver Compl