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**ST. JOHN STAR.**

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The average daily circulation of the

Star for May was 5,511.

**NO EXCUSE.**

Liberal journals are trying to divert

attention from the revelation of the

government's scheme to make the mil-

litia a cog of the machine by

fixing upon that part of Lord Dundon-

ald's statement in which he declares

that the speech which caused all the

trouble was made deliberately and with

a full idea of what would follow its

publication. How can the government

be censured, they ask, for doing just

what Lord Dundonald expected it to

do; what he felt would be the

inevitable consequence of his action?

Undoubtedly, Lord Dundonald knew

when he made that memorable speech

that he was signing his own dis-

charge papers. But that was because

he knew the ministers with whom he

had to deal. He knew their lack of

sympathy with the plans for the im-

provement of the militia; knew their

hatred of anything imperialistic; knew

that they cared for nothing save them-

selves and the advantage of their party;

knew that they were determined to

work the militia, primarily for petty

political purposes and knew that any

exposure of or protest against their

methods would bring swift vengeance.

If the abuses which forced him to pro-

test had been the work of one member

of a patriotic cabinet he might have

expected that the majority opinion

would condemn and cause the end of

those abuses by the discharge of the

man to blame. But knowing the com-

plexity of all in the political sine of

each he had no hope in this direction.

He expected and was willing to be de-

ceived of his office in the hope that

deprivation would awaken the people

to a sense of the danger under which

they lay.

But does the fact that the cabinet

did as any other body of similarly cor-

rupt politicians would have done under

the same circumstances, exonerate

them from their criminal juggling with

the country's safety and their insolent

and treacherous treatment of the one

patriot who had the courage to expose

them?

**THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.**

Though there will be the usual hur-

rah at the Republican convention now

in session at Chicago, the proceedings

are purely formal. Everything is al-

ready cut and dried by the few leaders

who have the making of a president

and politics and all the convention has

to do is to endorse their decisions and

work up a little enthusiasm as a start-

er for the open work of the campaign.

Mr. Roosevelt will undoubtedly be the

presidential candidate. He has earned

the honor and the last hope of the mal-

**ROYAL SOCIETY IN SESSION.**

A Stirring and Impressive Address

by its President, Col. Denison,

Last Night.

The council meeting of the Royal

Society was held in the High School

yesterday afternoon at 2.30. Col. Den-

ison occupied the chair and Dr. Dawson

acted as secretary. The annual report

was drawn up and the council ad-

joined.

At 3.30 the public meeting in the ex-

hibition hall was called to order by

the president. The minutes of the pre-

vious meeting were unanimously ap-

proved. Dr. Dawson, the secretary of

the society, read the annual report of

the council. The society was shown to

be in a financial straits, with a bal-

ance of over \$1,100 on hand. Refer-

ence was made to the losses which the

society had suffered during the pre-

vious year, and to the election of Mr.

Roy as fellow and M. Brunette of

Paris, editor of Des Mondes, corre-

sponding member.

Those present were: L'Abbe Bouras,

dean of the faculty of arts, Laval

University, Montreal; Le Pere Char-

land, Lewiston, Me.; Dr. Edward Roy,

Levi; Benjamin Suite, Ottawa; Hon.

Pascal Poirer, Quebec; Mar. Paquet,

Laval University; Rev. Dr. Bryce,

Winnipeg; Dr. Clark, Toronto; Dr.

Dawson, Ottawa; Wm. D. Lighthall,

Montreal; W. D. Lesueur, Ottawa;

Geo. Murray, Montreal; Rev. Dr.

Clarke Murray, Montreal; Dr. Ellis,

Toronto; Sir Sanford Fleming, Mont-

real; Dr. Alex. Johnston, Montreal;

Thomas Macfarlane, Montreal; Prof.

McLeod of McGill; Dr. Barclay of U.

N. B.; Dr. Bell, Ottawa; Dr. Fletcher,

Ottawa; Prof. Fowler of Queen's Un-

iversity, Kingston; Sir James Grant,

Laval University; Rev. Dr. G. U. Hay

and Dr. Geo. Mathew; H. S. Poole,

Halifax; Prof. Prince, Ottawa.

At the conclusion of the general meet-

ing the different sections held their

meetings in the rooms of the High

school building and completed their

organization.

Section I, French literature, at one

took up its programme of readings and

addresses. The English section was

addressed by W. D. Lighthall, who in

his address, Rev. Dr. Withrow read

a paper on the Jesuit Missions of Can-

ada. After some little discussion the

section adjourned to today's meet-

ing at 10 o'clock. A cordial invitation is

extended to the public to be present at

these and all other meetings of the

society. The department of mathematics

and physical sciences will hold its first

meeting this morning at 10 o'clock.

Varying announcements were made

before the geological and biological

section of the society by H. S. Poole,

St. James and Dr. Bell.

The feature of the evening was Col.

Denison's stirring and impressive lec-

ture on "The Influence of the Loyalists

on Canadian History." After a brief

discussion of the causes of the Ameri-

can Revolution, he endeavored to show

the character and ability of the picked

few who, with the motto "Fear God, Honor

**LOCAL NEWS.**

The stores of W. H. Thorne & Co.

Limited, will not open on Friday, the

24th inst., till 2 o'clock p. m., remain-

ing open till ten o'clock p. m.

At a meeting of No. 2 Salvage Corps

held at their room last night, O. A.

Mabee was elected marshal. Beyond

this only routine business was trans-

acted.

The members of A. O. H. met last

night for drill at their room on King

street. Every effort is being made to

make Sunday's turnout a success.

A meeting of the Teamsters' Union

was held last night. Three new mem-

bers were initiated. A deputation from

the Bakers' Union, urging the team-

sters to buy only bread bearing the

union label, was heard.

W. S. Fisher, who has just returned

from Saskatoon, reports business good

with the Enterprise Foundry Co., and

that they are now installing a new

plant for the manufacture of steel

ranges, a line for which there exists a

growing demand.

Cian Mackenzie held an open night

last evening. A good musical pro-

gramme was rendered, in which ap-

peared many Scotch songs highly ap-

preciated by the audience. Mr. Mur-

doch presided. Rev. Dr. Bryce, chap-

lain of St. Andrew's, Ottawa, gave

an address on Scotland and Scotch-

men. He spoke very highly of the

good qualities displayed by the Scot-

and of the beauties of his native land.

The evening closed with the dancing

of Scotch reels.