CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINE CANDIDATES COME UP.

Who Composes the Board of Examiners—The Subjects for Qualification in the Different Grades of the Service.

The preliminary examinations of candidates for entrance to the civil service of of Canada were commenced in Medical Council hall, at Bay and Richmond streets, yesterday morning. Dr. Thorburn of Ottawa, chairman of the board, conducted the examinations, and was assisted by Mr. James Patton, collector of customs. The board is composed of Dr. Thorburn, late principal of the Ottawa collegiate institute; Mr A. D. Decelles, assistant librarian of the house of commons and formerly editor of La Minerve (Montreal), and Mr. Peter LeSueur of Ottawa, who is secretary. The board has power to appoint as many sub-inspectors as is necessary to expedite their business. Mr. Decelles conducted the examinations at Montreal yesterday and Mr LeSueur at Halifax. The examinations will after the present year be commenced on the second Tuesday of June and December in each year, and at such other times as the exigencies of the public service may demand. There are two grades of examinations, the preliminary and qualifying; there is also an examination in optional subjects. Those who pass the preliminary examination are eligible in the civil service in the lower grades, such as third-class clerks, messengers, letter carriers, tide-waiters, lockers, porters, etc., but are eligible for promotion when they have passed the promotion examinations created under the act.

About 160 applications were received for the examinations in this city, but of those only 129 presented themselves yesterday. They came from every direction, east, west, north and south, some as far as 100 miles. They were young and old. The old church building in which the examinations were held presented a bustling appearance from 9 30 a.m. till 4 p.m. The candidates filed in one by one to an ante-room, where Dr. Thorburn heard them go through the prescribed studies.

The qualifying examinations will be held to-day, and those who passed the preliminary examination yesterday are eligible to compete, but not otherwise. The qualifying subjects are penmanship, orthography (by dictation), arithmetic (inclusive of interest, vulgar and decimal fractions), geography (especially of the dominion of Canada), outlines of British, French and Canadian history, English or French grammar, English or French composition, English transcription (copying), French transcription (copying). To entitle a candidate to pass in both the preliminary and qualifying examinations, he must obtain 50 per cent of the total value assigned to the questions, and at least 30 per cent of the value of each subject.

The optional examinations will follow the qualifying examinations, and will be open to those who have passed the latter in the following subjects:

Composition in the English language, by the candidates who have taken composition in French in the qualifying examination; composition in the French language, by the candidates who have taken composition in English in the qualifying examination; translations from English into French or French into English; indexing and precis writing; book keeping by single and double entry; shorthand; telegraphy. In order to receive a special certificate for optional subjects the candidate will have to obtain at least 50 per cent in each subject on which he writes, and he may select one or more or all of the above options, and his proficiency in any one or more shall be recorded in his favor.

Immediately after the close of the examinations or from time to time thereafter, as the examination papers are received at the office of the board in Ottawa, and valued, the board shall make out a list of the candidates who have been found qualified, shall certify the same, and transmit it to the secretary of state, and the list so made out shall distinguish as far as possible what branch of the service each candidate is best fitted for.

The act further prescribes that not later than Jan 31 in each year the board shall make a report of their proceedings during the year end d Dec 31 preceding, to the secretary of state, which report shall include a copy of the examination papers, a statement of all the examinations held, the number of candidates at each and the names of the successful candidates.

MINOR CRIMINALS IN COURT.

The Batch of Misdeers That Faced the Police Magistrate.

Five citizens said they were sorry they were drunk in the police court yesterday. Geo Brown trespassed in the Mail building and was fined $1 and costs. "Sixty days," said the magistrate to Thos O'Brien; he stole a piece of cloth from J J. Fallen of Yonge street and pleaded drunkenness in extenuation. W J McCleary was charged with stealing a pair of boots from John Smith of Yonge street. He will be tried to-day. Wm. Gleason had two charges of jewelry larceny preferred against him and was remanded till Nov. 14. Detective Hodgins, who is out of town, will be a witness against him in one. Chas. McCarthy will be tried to-day on a charge of breaking into Agnes Montgomery's house and stealing pickles and other dainties. John Bell picked up an overcoat and a pair of mitts belonging to John Fee at the Toronto, Grey and Bruce railway yard; sent to jail for 60 days. On a charge of highway robbery preferred against Wm. Hinchey by Wm. Norton, the case was remanded. The alleged offence took place on July 8 at Denison avenue and Queen street, and the amount taken was $5. Wm. Cornell was sent to the central prison for six months for robbing his friend Alex. Preston, both strangers in the city, of $50. They were drunk together in Queen street, and the theft was witnessed by two or three parties. Joseph Hyland and Frank O'Keefe fought in Niagara street last Saturday and were fined $1 and costs. Thomas Kershaw admitted that it was he who fired a pistol on Dundas street on Nov. 2, for which Joseph Entwhistle was arrested; fined $1 and costs. Edward Webb drove his horse at a furious rate and will be called to answer to-day. James Vannche was absent from his cab and was fined $2 The charge of assault preferred against Thomas Scott by Thomas Carlyle was withdrawn. Edward Gordon is a vagrant and fond of the jail. He was sent there for six months.

At the Hotels Yesterday.

J B Plumb, Queens; James Crossen and family, Cobourg, Rossin; A White, general freight agent Midland railway, Queen's; Hon T N Gibbs, Oshawa, G W McMullen, Picton, Rossin; George T Tandy, general freight agent Great Western division Grand Trunk railway, Queen's; R Tooley, M P P East Middlesex, and J Laidlaw M P P South Wellington, Walker house.

AROUND THE WORLD.

Woman's work—An honest man is the noblest pursuit of woman.

Cetywayo is residing as a free man at his former place of detention, near Cape Town, pending his return to Zululand.

Suicide is said to be increasing in Prussia, the figures having risen from 13 per 100,000 population in 1869 to 18 in 1880.

The following sign is on a photograph gallery at Santa Cruz, Cal.: "And God said let there be light and there was light. We will use that light to your advantage."

The state of Pueblo, Mexico, has enacted that all persons engaged in the cultivation of cotton shall be exempt from the payment of taxes or personal contributions for ten years.

The recent fashion among surgeons of employing kangaroo tendons for ligatures is said to be giving way to the superior excellence of the sciatic nerve of the calf as now used for that purpose.

Horseshoes made of three thicknesses of green rawhide compressed in a steel mould are used to some extent in England. They weigh about a quarter as much as an iron shoe and are said to wear longer.

Nine girls of Wheeling took some pictures of actresses in stage costumes to a photographer, and posed as nearly as possible in the same attitudes and raiment. The portraits somehow got into circulation in society and the earnest efforts of the girls' parents have failed to gather the cards in for destruction.

It is a curious coincidence that at Dronfield, England, petty sessions lately, Mr. and Mrs. Candle's domestic differences brought them before the magistrate. Candle complained that she was always nagging him, kept him foodless and had even attacked him with a knife. She went to prison for a month, doubtless to meditate on certain lectures of the future.

Woman's rights are obtaining recognition in Norway. The parliament has just passed a law, which the king has signed, giving women the privilege of attending the universities and applying for degrees in all the arts and sciences; but the right to hold office in the service of the state and of participating in the competitive examinations for such positions is not yet accorded to them.

Popular belief in the wisdom of vaccination has received a severe blow in a part of Germany, where a large number of children, both those vaccinated for the first time and others revaccinated after an interval of twelve years, have fallen dangerously ill, the flesh about the puncture has decaying and sloughing off, and the bodies being covered with sores and boils. It is thought unlikely that a single one of the affected children will recover. Impure vigor appears to have been the cause of this unfortunate result.

One of the most enormous ropes in size and length ever produced in England is that recently manufactured for service in New Zealand, where it is to be employed in hauling up ships when they run aground on the soft mud bottom there, which is occasionally the case. The rope in question is a twenty-nine inch white manila hawser, 120 fathoms long and composed of nine strands of 316 yarns to the strand. Another rope, intended for the same purpose, is a fifteen inch hawser of the same material and length and composed of nine strands of 164 yarns to the strand. As is well known twelve-inch ropes are the large st size ordinarily made.

A Munich inventor has brought forward an improvement in the construction of musical forks which, it is claimed, makes the production of equalizing the strength and niceness of the different octaves. A series of tuning forks are freely suspended over the three highest octaves of the piano, each fork having the exact pitch of the string over which it is suspended. The vibrations of the string are communicated to the fork, which in turn reacts on the string, and thus a full and sustained tone is secured in strong contrast to the usual short and dry tones of this instrument. The chained quality of the higher tones which is thus produced also improves the character of the lower ones.

An immense fortune is waiting for a claimant in India. The person entitled to it is a man named William McCarthy, presumably an Irishman, who sailed from Liverpool for New York about forty years ago. Nothing is at present known of this individual, and advertisement have been inserted in the papers in England and this country. Possibly he may have succeeded in realizing a fortune here by his own industry; possibly he may be in dire destitution; possibly he is dead. Whatever has become of him the fact remains that his uncle Gen William Frederick McCarthy has recently died in India, and in his will left him all his property amounting to over a million of rupees.

Every parish in London seems nowadays to have its exhibition, whether of flowers or of rough art work. The perfection to which outline drawing has been carried in some of the schools is very remarkable. At the Vauxhall exhibition the other day a boy of 14 years of age, son of a cabman, whose drawing of a "Meadow in Surrey" was highly commended, was immediately adopted for artistic education by one of the first English landscape painters, who declares that he will make a Claude Lorraine of him, so exquisitely graduated are the lines of the drawing, and so well do they indicate the shadows thrown by the noonday sun, although expressed by nothing more than simple strokes of black and white.

A Detroit saloon keeper advertises that he has paid $300 for a year's license to sell liquors, but that he means to voluntarily restrict his business within certain moral bounds "To the wife who has a drunkard for a husband," he says in an advertisement, "or a friend who is dissipated, I say emphatically, give me notice of such case, and all such shall be excluded from my place. Let fathers, mothers, sisters do likewise, and their requests shall be regarded. I pay a heavy task for the privilege of selling whisky and other liquors, and I want it distinctly understood that I have no desire to sell to drunkards or minors, or to the poor or destitute. I much prefer that they save their money and put it where it will do the most good to their families."

The great St. Bernard establishment costs between $6000 and $8000 a year to maintain. It accommodates from 16,000 to 20,000 visitors every year, to whom, in accordance with old tradition, no charge is made, but in the hall stands a strong box, into which any one may put what seems to him a proper acknowledgement. It is a painful reflection on human nature that the sum found annually in the strong box barely represents what would be a moderate hotel charge for a thousand guests. In commenting on the miserable meanness, which falls very hardly on an establishment which can very ill afford it, a contributor to the London Graphic observes that the system pursued is quite inconsistent with the conditions of modern travel. Cook's tourists, etc. The monks are robbed and honest people made uncomfortable. Much better charge the rates of a moderate hotel.

MONEY AND TRADE

No American Reports.

In consequence of the elections in New York and other states yesterday was a closed day for trade and finance, consequently no reports have been received.

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Toronto Stock Market.

The feature of yesterday was a noticeable decline in all kinds of shares, with the greatest weakness apparently in Dominion bank. It opened at 198½ and closed with offers at 194. At the two boards 910 shares changed hands. Federal also showed a weakness, closing at 157; 596 shares were turned during the day. Standard is not improving. Nearly all other stocks dropped a point. Money was refused on stocks in every direction. Some brokers were forced to telegraph to Montreal for it, and then they could only get it for three and four days at 5 per cent.

MORNING BOARD.

Montreal 206¾ asked, 206½ bid, sales 50 at 206¾, xd 204 and 203¾, sales 23-25 at 204. Ontario 126 and 125, sales 9 at 126. Toronto 179 and 178½, sales 1 at 181, 10 at 179½. Merchants 127¾ and 127. Commerce 138 and 137¾, sales 10-200 at 138. Imperial 140 and 138, sales 14 at 140. Federal 157½ and 157¼, sales 10 at 157¾, 10-75 at 157½, 10-10-10 at 157¾, xd 155½ and 155¼, sales 50 at 155, 50 at 155¼. Dominion 198½ and 196, sales 20-80-50 at 198½, 20-16 at 197, 20 at 196½, 20, 20 at 196½, 50-30-100-20-32 at 196. Standard 111½-11, trans 50-50 at 111½, 100 at 111¼. Other sales 20 Western Assurance at 165½, 25 N W Land Co 25 at 50, 10 Western Canada 195, 27 at 194. B & L Association 13 at 104½. Farmers and Loan xd 20 at 128.

AFTERNOON BOARD.

Montreal 207¼-206¾, sales 5 at 206¾, 35 at 206¾. Toronto 178¾-178½, sales 10 at 179. Commerce 137¾-137½, sales 20, 20 at 137½, 20 at 137¾. Federal 157-156¾, sales 55-21-50-10-10-60-10-10-10 at 157, xd 154¾-154½, sales 20 at 155, 20 at 154½, 50 at 154¾. 20-25-10 at 154¾. Dominion 194¾ and 194, sales 50 at 196, 100 at 196½, 50 20 at 196¾, 50 at 196, 20 at 195¾, 20 at 196, 20-30 at 194. Standard 111½ and 110½, sales 70-50-20-37-20 at 111½

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Montreal Stock Market.

Closing—Montreal 208 and 207½, sales 5 at 7, 13 at 6¾, 50 at 7½, 25 at 7¾, xd 205 and 204½, sales 50 at 44, 225 at 5, 25 at 5. Ontario 127 and 125. Toronto 179½ and 178¾, sales 50-25 at 179. Merchants 129 and 128, xd 126 and 125, sales 325 at 125¼. Federal, foreenon 159½ and 157, closing 160 and 156. Montreal Telegraph 127¾ and 127¼, sales 22 at 128, 21 at 128½, 34 at 128, 27 at 127¾. St Paul M & M 151½ and 150¾, sales 50 at 151¾, 75 at 151¾, 100 at 151, 50 at 50¾, 25 at 51, 125 at 151. Northwest Loan Co 58 and 56, sales 250 at 57½, 50 at 58. Hudson 37.

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56 YONGE STREET.

Grain and Produce

CALL BOARD—TORONTO, Nov. 7—One car of No. 3 fall wheat was disposed of at 90c; 10,000 bushels of rye sellers year, were good at 60c. One car of rye, on spot, was offered at 62c, with 60½ bid. No. 1 barley was wanted at 78c.

THE STREET MARKET—TORONTO, Nov 7—There was a dull market this morning. Produce from wagons is unchanged in prices. Hay sold at $11 for cow stables and $14 to $16 for timothy. Straw $13.50 to $14 for bundled rye and oat. Hogs sold at $8 25 to $8 75. Poultry is be ing demand ap proaching the holiday on Thursday. Butter and eggs at quotations. The grain market was dull. About 300 bushels wheat sold at 90c to 96c for fall. 76c to 8c for goose. $1 02 for spring. There were 3 00 bushels barley sold at 55c to 70c, the range for the bulk 60c to 70c. Peas, quoted 75c, oats quoted 40c, rye sold at 60.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7—Owing to the elections in the United States the market reports are withdrawn, the telegraphic operators being allowed a holiday. The English reports are also delayed in consequence.

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Dullness of Trade.

The cause of the dullness in the ready-made clothing trade in a number of the city houses is, no doubt, to be attributed to the fact that the public have become convinced of the very low prices at which the new firm of Petley & Petley are selling boys', youths', and men's clothing, and are making their fall and winter purchases at that well-known and popular establishment.

Work Without Hope.

All nature seems at work. Slugs leave their lair—
The bees are stirring—birds are on the wing—
And winter, slumbering in the open air,
Wears on his smiling face a dream of spring!
And I, the while, the sole unhappy thing,
Nor honey make, nor pair, nor build, nor sing:
Yet well I ken the banks where amaranths blow,
Have traced the fount whence streams of nectar flow.

Bloom, O ye amaranths! Bloom for whom ye may;
For me ye bloom not! Glide, rich streams, away!
With lips unbrightened, wreathless brow, I stroll;
And would you know the spell that drowns my soul?
Work without hope draws nectar in a sieve;
And hope without an object cannot live.

—*Coleridge.*

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so go and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents bottle.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

"Brown's Household Panacea," has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures Pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago, and any kind of a pain or ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and Heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixir or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle

READABLE PARAGRAPHS.

—Nervous Neuralgia, of no matter how long standing or how severe, will readily yield to the curative power of Dr. E. C. West's Nerve and Brain Treatment.

Nothing better ever made than those Jersey suits for the boys—last longer, look better and half the price of the old-fashioned suits of tweed. All sizes at White's, 65 King st. west.

A Wise Maxim.

"A stitch in time saves nine," not only in making garments, but also in mending health. If Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam were used in the earlier stages of Colds and Coughs many a "stitch in the side" and many a case of torn lungs might be avoided that neglected rapidly develop into irreparable Consumption.

"Mrs. Langtry is a charming woman, absolutely devoid of dramatic talent," is the verdict of a French critic.

A Michigan man has a headless rooster which is said to be alive and well. His crowing days are over however.

Mr. Christopher Rhode, Mitchell, writes: "I tried a box of Dr. Kellog's Asthma Remedy, and would say to all parties afflicted with asthma that it is the best thing I ever used for it; after inhaling I can go to bed and sleep all night, something I had not done for years before." Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, proprietors.

The mormons continue to send missionaries to Europe and to make converts to their doctrine by the hundred.

So far as heard from only one Michigan man ever lighted a Roman candle to guide him down cellar after potatoes.

A cure for croup. There is no better remedy for croup than Hagyard's Yellow Oil taken internally and applied according to special directions, this is the great household panacea for rheumatism, stiff joints, pain, inflammation, &c.

A politician can't gain popularity by "sugar" any more than he can catch the comet by putting salt on its tail.

There are twenty known cases where men have lost half their brains by accident and yet recovered and had as much sense and sharpness as before.

H. A. McLaughlin, Norland, writes: "I am sold out of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery and Dyspeptic Cure. It sells well, and I find in every instance it has proven satisfactory. I have reason to believe it the best preparation of the kind in the market." It cures Dyspepsia, Biliousness, and Torpidity of the Liver, Constipation, and all diseases arising from Impure Blood, Female Complaints, etc.

In Kent county, Michigan, the other day, workmen cut through a sound cedar limb at a depth of sixty-five feet in solid blue clay while boring a well.

Josiah Snow, Gunning Cove, N.S., writes: "I was completely prostrated with the asthma, but hearing of Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil, I procured a bottle and it done me so much good that I got another, and before it was used I was well. My son was cured of a bad cold by the use of half a bottle. It goes like wild-fire, and makes cures wherever it is used."

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In the treatment of chronic disease with that great system renovator and restorative, Burdock Blood Bitters, there is no uncertainty as to its action. Its curative powers are specially manifest by its marked effect upon the liver, the bowels and the kidneys. Every dose performing its work in a perceptable manner.

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A mountain sheep weighing 200 pounds was recently killed in Arizona.

Mr James J Anslow, Newcastle N B, writes: "Mrs. Anslow was troubled with lung disease and until she took Northrop & Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda had little or no appetite; but after taking a bottle or two she gained appetite and had a relish for her food, which was quite a help to her in keeping up against the disease. As we are out of yours, and cannot procure any here, she is taking another Emulsion; but as we prefer your preparation to any in the market, will you kindly ship me some at once and oblige."

Forty-eight million pounds of tobacco are annually consumed in Virginia's 172 tobacco factories.

W. T. Bray, Pharmacist, Wingham, Ont., writes that the sale of Burdock Blood Bitters has very largely increased in that locality, and adds that he hears very favorable opinions expressed regarding it, and, if time permitted, could send many names of benefited parties.

It is possible that the world owes every man a living, but his best claim for what is due is that he has earned it.

Mr. Wm. Boyd Hill, Cobourg, writes: "Having used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for some years, I have much pleasure in testifying to its efficacy in relieving pains in the back and shoulders. I have also used it in cases of croup in children, and have found it to be all that you claim it to be."

Every man knows what is right, even if, as Swift says, "his understanding at the best is of but middling size."

Keep it in your family. The best remedy for accidents and emergencies, for Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Soreness, Sore Throat, Croup, Rheumatism, Chilblains and Pain or Soreness of all kinds, is that marvellous healing remedy, Hagyard's Yellow Oil.

The smallest hogs in the world are quartered in the Zoological gardens in London. They came from Australia, and are known as the "pigmy hogs." They are well formed and frisky, good natured, and make excellent pets. They are about the size of a wild hare.

Daughters, Wives, Mothers, look to your health! The many painful and weakening diseases from which you suffer, dispairing of a cure, can be remedied by that unfailing regulator and purifying tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters. Ask your druggist for proof.

In 1876 Mr. Gladstone visited the dowager marchioness of Waterford and felled a tree. As a momento, he promised to send Lady Waterford's forester an axe. Six years passed without the axe, and the forester had forgotten all about it. The other day, however, he was cheered by the receipt of a fine American axe and a kindly letter from the premier asking his acceptance of the gift.

Saturday Sale.

W would call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Petley & Petley on the fourth page. This firm are advertising a special sale of overcoats for one day only about one-third less than the usual retail prices. This will no doubt be a fine opportunity for purchasing overcoats for the coming winter season.

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