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Ladies' Corner.

Two events of the week—the bazaar and the exhibition—are entitled to special notice, but before mentioning them a few words in this "city of churches," referring to all the churches in general and one in particular, will perhaps be a more appropriate commencement of this column.

No doubt much has already been written about them, and they are so familiar to all that they need no stranger's pen to describe them. But there is one point which seems to have escaped the notice of those who are most intimately concerned, the people who frequent these churches—and that point is Ventilation, or rather the gross neglect of it.

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Whole pages could be filled merely giving simple facts to prove the vital importance of having churches and all places of public assembly thoroughly well-ventilated, and showing beyond a doubt serious evils attendant upon breathing impure air—throat affections, consumption, diphtheria, blood-poisoning and innumerable maladies, frequently begin through this alone.

At the present day, when this question of ventilation is so thoroughly understood, one is naturally astonished at its being so grossly neglected, but probably it arises from the fact that the people employed to clean and keep the church in order and attend to opening and shutting of doors, etc., do not understand the least thing about the matter—they are uneducated, therefore it would be unreasonable to expect them to do so.

Best Body Brussels Carpets.

Since my announcement of best, choice, five-frame Body Brussels at special prices, salesmen have been booking large and numerous orders, measurers, cutters and fitters overrun with pressing demands upon their taxed energies, and the tout ensemble presents an assurance of the purchasing capacity of the public when prices reach a point below the standard.

THOMAS LIGGETT, 1884 NOTRE DAME STREET.

impure. Moreover, these unmanageable morsels of humanity are positively ingenious in their inventions and methods of making bad air more and more foetid and injurious. Their cunning devices to prevent the unwholesome air escaping (because of its warmth)—or fresh air from entering, is truly marvellous, and they become positively eloquent when describing their method of keeping the church warm.

These employes are very calculating too, for though in some churches they graciously condescend, after some resistance, and manifest disapproval, to open the windows on a hot July day, yet they do not at all approve of doing so, because it means two journeys round the church, one to open the windows, and the inevitable closing. Fastening back doors which face each other is a proceeding they abhor, because additional dust it is feared will drift in (while animalcules float out).

All that can be said, in conclusion, is, that if the principal resident priests of each of these churches heard the repeated and innumerable complaints that are continually being made, they would certainly give instruction for the proper ventilation of the churches. Wandering if our non-Catholic brethren excelled us on this point (no difficult matter just now) I visited two or three Protestant churches during the week. They had been closed since Sunday. The air was heavy, oppressive and objectionable, to use no stronger language—and St. George's Church would be much improved, like many of our own, if a cyclone could be deoeyed in for a few hours to run riot through its sacred aisles, for the benefit of the pious frequenters of this church.

THE BAZAAR.

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Apart from the very beautiful and choice articles for sale, or to be railed, there are many ingenious devices for affording amusement and adding to the revenues. A gipsy tent wherein harmless fortunes are told by a strictly conscientious and highly enlightened gipsy. A target, the centre of attraction of small boys, who, while trying their skill in shooting affords as much amusement to lookers-on as to themselves by the very wide range they take, as though all their efforts were devoted to avoiding the mark. Probably if they reversed matters and tried to aim at the farthest point of limit they would then accidentally hit the mark. As the bazaar will continue open until Saturday, and it has cost much time, trouble and anxious forethought to the managers and stallholders, it is very much to be desired that all who possibly can will attend regularly for the remaining few days, for on this depends the crowning success of the undertaking, which has cost unwearied efforts from many, and this great work deserves the co-operation of all faithful Catholics.

THE HUNT BREAKFAST

which was held at the kennels last Saturday was the opening one of the season, and very largely attended by the elite of Montreal. The weather could not have been more favorable and a truly festive scene presented itself. Notwithstanding the autumnal month, summer costumes were decidedly in vogue, light grey predominating. A very pretty toilette of light check twent with white velvet vest attracted one's attention for its unique style, which added to its grace and attractiveness of the pretty wearer.

Tan colored gloves, which are now on the decline, were on this occasion superseded by nudged black kid—which is now considered the very latest style. It was noticed that least half a dozen well-known members of the Hunt had discarded the usual "pink" coat, and it was generally surmised that as the hunting costume has partly undergone a revolution, these men could not take kindly to the new costume, which apparently affords ease and comfort, but is decidedly unbecoming, therefore distasteful to some of the hunt-men. "Boys will be boys," you know.

The Lady Mayress entered the breakfast-room leaning on the arm of the popular Master of the Hunt, Mr. Montague Allan, and Mrs. C. Eucharist followed with the veteran ex-Minister, Mr. John Crawford. After the delicious and a pleasant interchange of salutations, the guests followed in carriages to the first cover, but great was their disappointment, after waiting an hour in the sun, to be able to catch only a glimpse in the distance of the huntmen and the hounds.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

I beg to acknowledge with sincere thanks having received three prettily embroidered linen mats for the Cathedral Bazaar, from some kind subscriber in Marysville.

ADELPHI.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES

Some Extra Money Required for Divers Purposes.—A New Regiment.

OTTAWA, September 16.—The supplementary estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30 next were brought down this evening by Hon. Mr. Foster. Then total \$919,693.10, of which \$774,015.30 is chargeable to consolidated fund, \$143,148.15 to capital account and \$2,531.65 to territorial account. The name of Sir John Macdonald occurs three times. Parliament is to vote \$7,000 to pay the expenses of the state funeral, \$1,000 as the ex-Premier's sessional indemnity, and \$533.41, the balance of his salary for June as Minister of Railway and Canals.

Lieut. A. R. Gordon, N.A., has been appointed nautical adviser of the Marine department and commander of the fisheries protection service, at a salary of \$2,400.

Three thousand dollars is asked for repairs to the St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary, in the Protestant chapel of which institution an organ is to be placed at a cost of \$400, while the salary of the Rev. James Fulton is to be raised to \$300.

Harbors and rivers in Quebec are to receive \$2,650; \$3,000 is asked for repairs to the Government wharf at LaChapelle, \$5,000 for rebuilding part of lock 7, Chambly canal, and \$2,000 for repairs to Cornwall canal locks.

The Montreal Custom house and Post office need \$2,500 and \$3,000 respectively for repairs, while \$4,000 is wanted for the West Farman office.

The organizers of the killed battalion in Toronto will be made happy by a vote of \$5,000. The members of Parliament, on the other hand, will be disappointed to find no provision for increased indemnity, but the heavy expense of the session, the cost of the investigating committees, reaches \$20,000. Under the heading of arts and agriculture \$5,000 as a gratuity to Mr. Adam Brown, the Canadian commissioner to the Jamaica exhibition at Sherbrooke, and \$10,000 to pay the Haza National for six stallions at the experimental farms.

These returning officers for the general elections who have not yet been paid will require \$200. The scientists have asked \$20,000 with which to erect a building at Toronto for the meteorological service and \$2,000 to provide for the expenses in connection with the determination of the longitude of Montreal.

The Behring sea dispute is responsible for \$7,000, \$3,000 being needed to pay the cost of enquiry by Sir George Baden Powell and Dr. G. M. Dawson, the British experts, into the seal fishery in Behring sea, and the balance to provide for printing a complete record of the correspondence on the Behring sea and Newfoundland fishery disputes.

Arbitrations and royal commissions call for nearly \$20,000. Ten thousand is provided to defray the cost of the arbitration of the disputed account between the Dominion and the provinces of Ontario and Quebec; \$4,000 is asked for the prohibition commission and \$2,500 for the Civil service and Mounted Police commissions. For the trans-Atlantic mail service \$700 is asked.

A Ship Lost.

The steamship "Montezuma" from Montreal for Dundee, is a total wreck on the coast of Newfoundland. This startling news was received in the city on Friday evening and created quite a sensation among vessel men, as owing to the inexperience of the reports received it was thought that some lives had been lost. The first intimation of the wreck of the "Montezuma" came from a cattle breeder on board the steamer "Joseph Hyland." He telegraphed from St. Mary's, Newfoundland, as follows: "Montezuma," a total wreck, lost all cattle, myself and men safe. Leave for St. John's tonight. How are we to get in here? This message was received by Mr. John Crowe, who had the most of the cattle on the "Montezuma," and it contained the first news of the disaster. The steamship "Montezuma," Captain J. Rowell, left here on July 10. Her cargo was as follows: 50,000 bushels of rye, for Norris and Carleton Place; 24,000 bushels of rye for Cape and Brant; 8,150 bushels of rye for R. Peckley; 100 cattle for John Crowe and 64 cattle for G. Gagliardi. The cattle were for Dundee and the grain was for Hamburg. How the steamship was wrecked, whether she ran ashore or sank in mid-ocean, is not definitely known, but the probabilities are that she has got on the rocks in St. Mary's Bay. St. Mary's Bay is one of the most dangerous spots on the coast of Newfoundland, and many a good ship has left her bones to bleach on the shore. It is at the south-east point of the island, just between Cape St. Mary and Cape Race. Vessels passing Cape St. Mary in thick weather are liable to mistake it for Cape Race, and steering northward find themselves on shore in St. Mary's Bay.

The French Army.

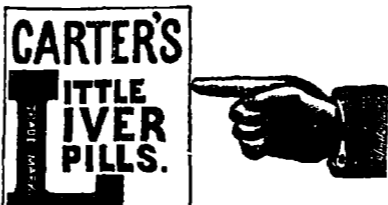
PARIS, Sept. 17.—At Vitry-Le-Francois to-day President Carnot and his Cabinet reviewed the French army, consisting of 10,000 men, which have been taking part in extensive manoeuvres since September 3 under the command of Gen. Saurier. There was an enormous crowd present, and the most fervent enthusiasm was manifested.

The review concluded with a grand charge up to the grand stand occupied by the president of the whole entire massed force of cavalry—16,000 men—who thundered along in grand style, and then poigned in sharply and presented swords and a roar of enthusiastic approval from the crowds who witnessed the manoeuvre.

Irish Emigration.

LONDON, September 21.—The organs friendly to the British Government are denouncing any large Irish emigration scheme planned in connection with Hon. Horace Plunkett's visit to Canada. Mr. Plunkett is a member of the Conservative District Board, organized under Mr. Balfour's Land Purchase Act, and is merely taking advantage of his visit to Canada to see the prospects of success in Canada of those from the congested districts of Ireland whom the Board may desire to assist to emigrate. No definite emigration scheme is in view at present,

but I believe Mr. Plunkett is being made to understand that Canada does not favor indiscriminate emigration. If the Board intends to use its emigration powers it had better, authorities say, do its work thoroughly on the colonization plan of the Scotch Crofters' Board.



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PROVINCIAL NOTES.

More cottages are being put up in St. Johns to accommodate the increasing number of employes of the Standard Drain Pipe company.

A little girl at Ormstown, daughter of a poor man named Leclere, died after a short illness, caused by her swallowing the stone of a plum.

Death has again entered the ranks of the few surviving veterans of the volunteers of '37-'38. Alexander McDowell, of Hemmingford, a member of Captain Shields' company, and a participant in the engagement which took place at Odelltown on the 7th November, 1838, died after a short illness, on Sunday morning.

Mr. Thomas McGarvey, of Godmanchester, had his wheat thrashed, 21 acres, and realized 113 bushels. On the same amount of land last year he had 22 bushels. Wheat, which is not largely cultivated about Ormstown, has, where sown, shown remarkable results. Simon Rennie threshed 70 bushels from about two acres.

The by-law of the village of Roxton Falls granting a bonus of \$25,000 for the establishment of a hosiery and underwear factory has been carried unanimously, 58 voting in favor and one against. Mr. Terrasoude Renard, a French capitalist who has lately come to this country, is to be the recipient of the bonus. The bonus is to be paid in instalments of \$3,000 per annum for the first three years, and \$2,000 per annum for the last eight years. The payment of the subvention is made dependent on the operation of the factory and the employment of 100 hands the first year and 150 hands the second and subsequent years. In addition the municipality is to provide the site of the proposed factory at a cost not to exceed \$1,850. It is a condition of the by-law that the factory shall be erected and equipped with the proper plant ready to go into operation the 1st of October, 1892.

Mr. Justice Lynch recently rendered an elaborate judgment in the case of Lepine vs. Laurent, collector of Provincial revenue, in which he held that the provincial legislature had the right to prohibit the sale of liquors, and to delegate that right to municipalities and chartered corporations. In the present instance Mr. Lepine, trader at Magog, took a writ of mandamus against the Collector of Provincial revenue to compel that official to grant a wholesale license, making a legal tender of the Government fees. Last year Magog received its charter from the Quebec Legislature, by which it was empowered to make a by-law to prohibit within its limits the sale by wholesale. Hence the present difficulty. Judge Lynch held that the prohibiting clause in the charter was *inter vivos* of the Quebec Legislature, and dismissed the writ of mandamus.

COMMERCIAL.

GRAIN.—The market is quiet and inactive. We quote: Peas 80c to 82c in store; 81c to 83c afloat. Oats, Manitoba 55c to 56c; Upper Canada, 55c to 56c; Corn, 62c to 67c duty paid; Barley, feeding, 50c; Rye nominal at 90c to 95c.

FLOUR.—There is greater activity than there was last week. We quote: Patent spring, \$5.00 to \$5.00; patent winter, \$5.25 to \$5.00; straight roller, \$4.00 to \$5.10; extra, \$4.50 to \$4.70; superfine, \$4.10 to \$4.25; city strong bakers, \$5.25 to \$4.00; strong bakers' (Man.), \$5.00 to \$5.00.

MEALS.—We quote: Oatmeal, standard (per bag) \$2.50 for all grades; gold dust cornmeal, \$1.50.

HOG PRODUCTS.—The market continues steady and prices are firm. We quote: Canadian choice family pork, \$16 to \$16.50; Chicago short cut mess, \$17 to \$17.50; Chicago extra clear mess, \$17 to \$17.50; Chicago new mess pork, \$15.50 to \$16; American old mess, \$14 to \$15; plate beef, \$15 to \$15.15; city cured hams, 11c to 11c; bacon, 10c to 11c; lard, in pails, \$1.50 to \$1.60.

CHEESE.—We quote: 10c to 10c for finest and 9c to 9c for the 10 mediums bringing from \$2 to \$2.50; while the lower grades cost from 80c to 85c.

BUTTER.—There is no material change to record. We quote: Creameries, 15c to 15c; Townships, 15c to 15c; Western dairy, 15c to 15c. Some small lots of extra creamery have been taken at over 20c.

EGGS.—The market is unchanged and the supply is abundant. We quote: 11c to 12c for fresh and 10c for candled stock.

FARMERS' MARKETS.

GRAIN.—Oats sold at from 80c to 90c per bag; peas, 90c to \$1 per bushel; buckwheat, 65c to 75c do; beans, \$1 00 to \$2 00 do.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, 50c to 45c per bag; turnips, 25c to 40c do; carrots, 50c per bushel; cabbages 12c to 25c per dozen; cauliflowers, 20c to 60c do; celery, 15c to 25c do; cucumbers, 20c per bush; onions, 75c per bush.

DAIRY PRODUCE.—Tab butter from 15c to 20c per lb; prints, 20c to 25c; packed eggs, 14c to 20c per dozen; fresh, 25c to 30c.

Poultry.—Fowl, 50c to 80c per pair; turkeys, 60c to \$1 25 each; young ducks, 75c to \$1 00 per pair; spring chickens, alive, 35c to 60c per pair.

HAY AND STRAW.—Hay, \$7 50 to \$9 00 per 100 bundles of 15 lbs; pressed hay, 50c to 70c per 100 lbs; straw, \$1 00 to \$5 00 per 100 bundles of 12 lbs each.

Live Stock.

The receipts of Live Stock at the Montreal Stock Yards for week ending Sept. 19 were as follows:

Table with columns: Cattle, Sheep, Lambs, Hogs. Rows: Left over from previous week, Total for week, Left on hand.

Fair receipts of cattle for week at these yards. Some enquiry and a fair trade done in export cattle though no improvement in values. For butchers the offerings were not too large, but trade was quiet and prices fair only. Sheep trade continues dull. Large supply of hogs, no change in values, best quotations 5.00 calves plentiful.

We quote the following as being fair values:—Cattle export, 4c to 4c; cattle, butchers good, 3c to 4c; cattle, butchers med., 3c to 3c; cattle, butchers culls, 3c; sheep, 3c to 3c; hogs \$5.50 to \$6.00; Calves, \$8 to \$8.

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