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QUEBEC LEGISLATURE.

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QUEBEC, Jan. 17.—The Speaker took the chair at three o'clock. Several petitions were laid on the table, the greatest number concerning the laboring class.

Quits a discussion arose on the motion of Hon. Mr. Rhodes on the second reading of the resolution adopted in committee on Wednesday last, said motion being as follows: That a colonization society may be formed in any place approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, in addition to those allowed by law in each of the cities and towns of Montreal, Quebec, Three Rivers, St. Hyacinthe, Sherbrooke, Hull, Chicoutimi and Rimouski.

Hon. Mr. Rhodes said that this resolution was only to allow the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council when he may think proper to increase the number of colonization societies.

Hon. Mr. Tallon asked for information on the present state of the colonization societies.

Hon. Mr. Rhodes said that it was impossible just now to give the required information; he would have to consult the documents of his department.

Hon. Mr. Mercier remarked that the information required by the leader of the Opposition was very useful, but could have no effect on the question now before the House.

Article 1725 of the consolidated statute allows the formation of colonization societies in Montreal, Quebec, Three Rivers, Rimouski, Chicoutimi, Hull and Sherbrooke. All we want now is to add a clause which will give power to the Lieutenant-Governor to organize colonization societies in other places than the interest of organization requires it.

Mr. Nantel asked if townships or parts of townships had been conceded to colonization societies.

Mr. Mercier said that under his Government no township or parts of townships had ever been conceded to colonization societies.

Mr. Nantel said that until now the clergy directed colonization, and if he understood the question now before the House other societies would be organized without the ecclesiastical authority.

Mr. Picard said the Colonization Society formed by Lord Darnley in 1832 was a failure. Several thousand acres of land had been conceded to them.

Mr. Mercier replied that the society of which Mr. Picard had just spoken received its concession under the Chapeau administration, and the lands had been sold by letters patent for speculative purposes and not under the present law.

Mr. Picard objected on the grounds that colonization would be taken out of the hands of the clergy.

The resolution was adopted and a bill based on that resolution was presented and read for the first time.

Another discussion arose on the resolution of the Hon. Mr. Rhodes, but the resolution was finally adopted, and a bill based thereon was read a first time.

Hon. Mr. Turcot proposed the second reading of the resolution relating to district magistrates. He said that until next session the law would only be put in force as far as the district of Montreal was concerned.

A vote was taken on the second reading of that resolution, which was carried on a strict party vote.

The bill to amend the Election Act was reported in committee. After several amendments had been made the house took recess at 6 o'clock.

The speaker took the chair at 8 o'clock. Several bills were reported in committee but none of much importance, and the house adjourned at 11 o'clock.

QUEBEC, January 20.—The Speaker took the chair at 3 o'clock. The following bills were introduced: To amend articles 1119 and 1140 of the Code of Civil Procedure of Lower Canada—Mr. Casgrain.

To amend the Quebec Controversial Elections Act—Mr. David.

To amend 49 Victoria, chap. 36, relating to the Pharmaceutical Association of the Province of Quebec—Mr. Lafontaine.

amounts:—Belanger, \$300; Fitzpatrick, \$773; Desmarais, \$762.

Hon. Mr. Rhodes informed Mr. Blanchet that the Government had not bought Mr. Ritchie's farm at St. Anne de la Perade.

Hon. Mr. Gagnon stated that the Government had bought 500 copies of "La Verite sur la Question Metisse," at \$1 a copy.

Hon. Mr. Sheehy stated that the Department of Crown Lands had at the sale of timber on the 8th instant received 10 per cent, which amounted to \$11,280 the balance to be paid June 15th.

Mr. Blanchet moved for copies of all documents in connection with the distribution of the share of the Roman Catholics in the settlement of the Jesuits' estates, and all correspondence exchanged between the Government and the Protestant committee of the Council of Public Instruction with reference to the sum of \$60,000 respecting the settlement of the Jesuits' estates.

Mr. Mercier asked that the motions be incorporated into one, and the words "or any other person" inserted after the words "public instruction." The return could then be made in one document. This was agreed to.

Mr. Tallon moved for a statement of the sums advanced by the Government to various newspapers. Carried without discussion.

Mr. Desjardins moved for documents having reference to the mission of the Hon. Messrs. Sheehy and Gagnon to Europe upon the subject of the conversion of the public debt. Carried.

THE PAY OF JURYMEN.

Mr. Lemieux moved for the correspondence respecting juries in criminal matters. He said that the present remuneration of jurymen was ridiculously low, and should be at least \$1.50 per day.

Mr. Mercier said that jurymen were at present treated shamefully, both as regards remuneration and general treatment. They ought to get at least \$1.50 a day. As to their treatment while they were looked up to it was more like outcasts. They received poor food and had to lie on mattresses on the floor.

They were citizens taken from their business and associated with the judge. The judge was not looked up to till he had rendered his decision, and why should a juror be? Let them raise the qualification as high as they liked, but treat the jurymen properly. He held that a man who could not read and write was not qualified for a juror. He advocated paying grand juries as well, as they were taken from their business too.

Mr. Hall moved for the correspondence between the Government and the Montreal Board of Trade respecting the tax on associations, more especially respecting trade sales. He said that any tax on trade was a serious question, and in this case there had been a serious question against Montreal. The tax on trade sales was very heavy, and there were very few of such sales last year in Montreal, while there was a decided increase in Ontario.

Mr. Sheehy said that he had received the memorial referred to, and would bring down it and all other papers. The Quebec Board of Trade was opposed to the abolition of the tax, and he intended to take further information. He was informed that such a tax existed in Ontario. The motion was carried.

Being 6 o'clock the Speaker left the chair. RESPECTING PUBLIC LANDS.

After recess, Mr. Flynn moved the second reading of the bill to amend articles 67, 68 and 69 of the Code of Civil Procedure. The bill passed on the third reading.

Mr. David moved the second reading of the bill to amend article 5623 of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec, relating to masters and servants. The bill provided that a plaintiff could not proceed by warrant without first swearing that to the best of his belief the defendant was going to leave such city, town, or village, and would thus deprive plaintiff of his recourse. The bill would apply to cities.

Mr. David moved the second reading of the bill to amend article 557 of the Code of Civil Procedure, relating to summary matters as contained in article 597 of the revised statutes of the province of Quebec. The bill was referred to the committee on legislation.

Mr. David's bill to amend article 556 of the Code of Civil Procedure, concerning seizures of movables, as contained in article 5917 of the revised statutes of the province of Quebec and amended by act 55 Vic., chap. 50, was referred to the committee on legislation. He explained that the object of the bill was to exempt from seizure sawing machines, houses, carriages, etc., by which people made their living.

Mr. Gagnon moved a concurrence in the amendments made in committee to the bill to provide for the immediate operation of the act of this province, 52 Vic., chap. 4, entitled "An act to amend the Quebec elections act by extending the franchise, and to amend the municipal code respecting the preparation of the valuation roll." Adopted.

Mr. Mercier moved the second reading of the amendments made in committee to amend the Quebec election act. Before proceeding to the third reading he wished to make a few remarks upon what had been said of this bill by the journalists of Montreal, and especially an English journalist who made it appear that this was the anti-Christ of corruption. They did not seem to understand the measure. Quebec journalists seemed to understand it much better. It was an exact copy of the law passed in Ontario in 1877, chap. 10, sec. 159, 47 Vic. It appeared as if he wanted new legislation to favor corruption. The law might be defeated, but he wanted fair play. He should not be accused of introducing new legislation which had been in force since 1877. The bill then passed its third reading.

Mr. Mercier moved the second reading of the bill to amend title 3 of the revised statutes of the Province of Quebec, respecting the Executive Council. The object of the bill is to enable the Government to appoint any minister without portfolio to the head of a department for an indefinite time. Mr. Flynn opposed it strongly and moved the six months' limit. The motion was lost on a straight party vote of 23 to 11, and the bill passed its third reading.

Mr. Sheehy's bill to amend the Quebec License Law passed its third reading, and the House adjourned at 11.15.

Cardinal Newman's Idea of a Gentleman.

"The true gentleman carefully avoids whatever may cause a jar or jolt in the minds of those with whom he is cast; all clashing of opinion, or collision of feeling, all restraint, or suspicion or gloom, or resentment; his great concern being to make everyone at his ease and at home. He has his eyes on all his company; he is tender towards the bashful, gentle towards the distant, and merciful towards the abused; he can recollect to whom he is speaking; he guards against unreasonable situations or topics which may irritate; he is seldom prominent in conversation, and never wearisome. He makes light of favors while he receives them, and seems to be receiving when he is in error. He never speaks of himself except with compunction; never defends himself by a mere retort; he has no ears for flattery or gossip; he scrupulously in imputing motives to those who interfere with him; and

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The Ubiquitous Celt. An Irishman, James McCarthy, holds an important position in the service of the King of Siam, says the Providence Visitor. The fact has been brought to light by McCarthy sending a subscription of \$50 to the Irish tenants' defence fund. It is England's boast that the sun never sets on her empire. Ireland can advance the counter claim that there is no part of the British dominions in which the sons of the Gael cannot be found to enter a forcible and tangible protest against the folly of Balfourism after the manner of the Siamese Mao, who in his letter to the treasurer of the tenants' defence fund says: "I am as warm a Nationalist as if Bantry and not Bankok were my home."

HAD THE DESIRED EFFECT! CARROLLTON, GREEN CO., ILL., Nov. '88. I highly recommend Dr. King's Nerve Tonic to anybody that has suffered from headache as my son did for 5 years, because 2 bottles of the medicine cured him. M. McTigue.

It was proposed to hold a great demonstration at Madrid on Sunday to express sympathy with Portugal, but the Government has forbidden it lest it should encourage the Republicans.

COMMERCIAL.

MONTREAL MARKET QUOTATIONS.

FLOUR, GRAIN.

FLOUR.—Outside of a small local business there is virtually nothing doing in flour, and as one or two shippers are still at sea, the market is quiet. Flour is not expected to arrive from the cloud which at present environs it. Prices here continue to give millers great dissatisfaction, and still they bowl in their flour from West of Toronto faster than it is wanted. The sale is reported of a car of straight rollers at \$1.40, and one car at \$1.45. In city strong bakers' flour is selling at \$1.07, but we know of sales of round lots at 10c less money.

Patent winter, \$5.00 to \$5.25; Patent spring \$5.00 to \$5.20; Straight roller, \$4.40 to \$4.60; Extra, \$4.00 to \$4.20; Superfine, \$3.10 to \$3.90; City Strong Bakers, \$4.80 to \$4.90; Strong Bakers, \$4.60 to \$4.80; Ontario bakers, extra, \$1.30 to \$2.00.

OATMEAL.—The market is quiet although there is a little more enquiry. Ordinary standard \$3.60 to \$3.70, and extra at \$1.70 to \$1.75. Granulated is quoted at \$3.50 to \$4 in round lots, and in bags at \$1.80 to \$1.90. Rolled oats range all from \$3.80 to \$4.25 per bush, and at \$1.80 to \$1.90 in bags. Pearl barley \$6 to \$6.30 per bush, and pot barley at \$4 to \$4.50. Split peas \$3.70 to \$4.10.

BROOKWHEAT FLOUR.—R and lots have sold at \$1.75 per 100 lbs, and we quote \$1.75 to \$1.90 at quantity.

MILL FEES.—Sales have been made during the week at \$13 to \$13.25 in our lots for good coarse bran, and we give the range at from \$12.75 to \$13.25. Shorts are quoted at \$14 to \$16 and middie at \$21 to \$22.

WHEAT.—Receipts during the week were 18,695 bushels against 64,175 bushels the week previous. Further sales of No. 1 Manitoba wheat have been made at \$1.05 and No. 2 at \$1.02 to \$1.03 on the line Montreal freights, in all about 13,000 bushels. The market however is said to be scarcely as firm.

BARLEY.—Receipts during the week were 2,850 bush, against 2,150 for the week previous. The market is easy at 30c to 40c in bond, and at 48c to 50c duty paid in our lots for No. 3 to 2.

PEAS.—Receipts during the week 15,605 bushels against 17,476 bushels for the week previous. In this market we quote 58c per 60 lbs in car lots on track, and was of Toronto at 65c per 60 lbs.

QATS.—Receipts during the past week were 22,034 bush, against 27,462 bush, for the week previous. Sales are reported in this market at 30c to 31c per 32 lbs, and along the line at 29c per 34 lbs.

RYE.—Receipts during the week were 600 bush, against 2,700 bush for the week previous. The market is quiet at 48c to 53c. Feed barley has sold at 40c to 42c.

BOOKWHEAT.—The market is quiet at 40c to 48c.

MALT.—The market is unchanged at 80c to 85c per bushel in small lots, large quantities at 70c to 72c.

SEEDS.—American timothy seed is selling here at \$1.00 to \$1.70 per bush. Red clover American at \$3.75 to \$4 per bushel. Alsike scarce, and prices nominal.

SKINS. Extra size or quality are worth more; damaged or upprime skins proportionately lower.

Table listing various skins and their prices: Beaver, per lb. \$4.00 to \$5.00; Bear, per skin. 12.00 to 15.00; Bear cub, per skin. 5.00 to 6.00; Fisher. 4.00 to 6.00; Fox, red. 1.20 to 1.40; Fox, cross. 2.00 to 4.00; Lynx. 3.00 to 4.00; Marten. 0.80 to 1.00; Mink, dark. 1.00 to 1.25; Mink, light. 0.15 to 0.20; Otter. 10.00 to 12.00; Raccoon. 0.50 to 0.80; Skunk. average 0.40 to 0.50.

HIDES AND SKINS.

In this branch of the trade there has been no new features. The demand has continued slow from tanners, which is no doubt due to the fact that even at the present low range of prices for hides, they are making little if any money on the leather they are manufacturing, consequently they are holding off to a great extent, and only taking sufficient stock to keep their warehouses running. The market has been dull but steady, with no changes in price to note. Sales reported were two cars of packers' skins for prompt delivery at 10c, and one car of western bull at 5c. We quote prices here as follows: No. 1 Cowhides at 5 1/2 to 5 3/4; No. 2 do at 5; No. 1 Hamilton at 5 1/2 to 5 3/4; No. 2 do at 4 1/2 to 4 3/4. Western buff and upper No. 1 at 5 1/2 to 6c No. 2 do at 4 1/2 to 5c, heavy steers at 9c to 10c and North West dry hides at 9c to 10c. The feeling in local green hides has been steady, and values are unchanged. The receipts have been small and business quiet. We quote 3c, 3c and 2c for Nos. 1, 2 and 3, tanners paying 1c more. There has been no change in lamb skins prices having ruled steady at 90c to 85c each. Calfskins are dull at 5c to dealers and 6c to tanners.

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