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We would advise customers to order their Coal and have it delivered before the season gets too late, as

The Strike now on at the Springhill Mines may cause a scarcity and be the means of advancing the prices.

G. Lyons & Co.

Sept. 4, 1907.—31

I cannot consent to your letter of credit being used for the purpose of making these advances.

"The situation appears to me to be so serious that I intend reporting to the Treasury Board for action or decision."

"While progress estimates are certified by the inspector he has informed me that he is not certifying on his own knowledge but on the strength of a certificate made by Mr. Ernest Wurtelle, a chartered accountant of Quebec. Mr. Wurtelle may be competent to make a certificate on behalf of the contractor, but as he is not in the employ or under the control of the Government his certificate cannot be accepted. . . . If advances have been made on the strength of these certificates aggregating over \$800,000 I must say that it is not only unbusiness-like but also illegal."

THE AUDITOR CIRCUMVENTED.

The Treasury Board, which is a committee of ministers, got around the Auditor's objections by promising to change the method of inspection, and making the aforesaid new agreement extending the time of delivery, which agreement has also been disregarded, while advance payments have gone on even more generously and recklessly than before.

CHICKEN FINANCE.

The Minister of Agriculture is still showing Canadian farmers how to get rich by fattening poultry. Here is the result of his operations at seven stations last year:

At Andover he paid \$200 salary in four months and \$13 sundry expenses to the superintendent, who fed to his chickens \$45 of provender, and received \$103.25 for chickens sold, making a net loss of \$155.

At Bonville the manager received \$200 salary and \$64 expenses. He bought \$36 worth of provender, paid \$13 for boxes and sold his produce \$38, making a net loss of \$332.

At Bowmanville the man in charge received \$200 for his services, paid \$139 for provisions, \$49 for coal-oil and incubators, over the amount received for eggs, and sold his produce for \$52, making a net loss of \$336.

At Chiconville the expert was satisfied with \$160 for his four months work. Feed cost \$169, and his sales amounted to \$178, leaving \$141 loss. At Holmesville, Ont., the manager received \$200, other expenditure was \$36, and the sales amounted to \$90 leaving a deficit of \$146.

At Vernon River the manager was employed six months at a cost of \$300. His payments for feed were \$141, and the proceeds of his sales \$146 leaving a deficit of \$295.

The Brothers at La Trappe, who probably know more about this business than the Department of Agriculture, were the only managers of the seven who produced a favorable balance. They came out \$46 to the good.

Obituary.

On Friday evening, Nov. 17th, the people of Selkirk were shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Joseph Steele, which had taken place at the home of her brother, Hugh A. McPhee, of that place. Although naturally of a very strong constitution, mentally as well as physically, her death was not altogether a surprise to the community, as she had not been for very long in robust health for two or three years previous to her death, but always bore her sickness with the same patience and Christian fortitude that characterized her every action. For a number of years the late Mrs. Steele had been a resident of St. George's, where she made many friends, but on the death of her husband four years ago she removed to the home of her brother at Selkirk where she resided up to the time of her death. She was visited in her last hours by the Rev. K. J. McPherson, P.P., who administered to her the rites of the Catholic Church of which she had always been a devout member. Her funeral took place at St. Margaret's Cemetery was largely attended, testifying to the esteem in which she was held. She leaves to mourn two brothers and two sisters, besides a large circle of friends and acquaintances. May her soul rest in peace.—Com.

DIED

At Gowan Bros, December 30th, 1907, Charles A. Hickey, in his 77th year. R.I.P. In this city, Thursday morning, January 2nd, 1908, Bertha Constance McKenna, aged 17 years, youngest daughter of Conductor D. McKenna. R.I.P. In this city, January 5th, 1908, Margaret, wife of the late Thomas Whitty, aged 77 years. R.I.P.

The Market Prices.

Butter, (fresh).....	0.25 to 0.26
Butter, (rub).....	0.23 to 0.24
Calf skins.....	0.04 to 0.05
Ducks per pair.....	1.00 to 1.25
Eggs per doz.....	0.25 to 0.26
Fowls.....	0.60 to 0.80
Chickens per lb.....	0.08 to 0.09
Flour (per cwt.).....	0.00 to 0.00
Hides.....	0.04 to 0.05
Hay, per 100 lbs.....	0.70 to 0.85
Mutton, per lb (carcase).....	0.06 to 0.08
Oatmeal (per cwt.).....	0.00 to 0.00
Potatoes.....	0.80 to 0.95
Pork.....	0.04 to 0.07
Sheep per lb.....	0.50 to 0.55
Turnips.....	0.12 to 0.15
Turkeys per lb.....	0.00 to 0.00
Geese per lb.....	0.40 to 0.50
Pilk oats.....	16.00 to 20.00
Pressed hay.....	16.00 to 20.00
Straw.....	30 to 35.00

Muscular Rheumatism.

Mr. H. Wilkinson, Stratford, Ont., says: "It affords me much pleasure to say that I experienced great relief from Muscular Rheumatism by using two boxes of Milburn's Rheumatic Pills." Price 50c a box.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS

Premier Peters is seriously ill at his home. He is likely to be confined to the house for several weeks.

The Governor General of Canada held a levee at his offices on New Year's Day. Over six hundred citizens of Ottawa called to pay their respects to his Excellency.

The St. Vincent, the fifth of the Dreadnought type of battleships, has been commenced at Portsmouth, England. She will be finished in two years.

Mr. Howard Angus Kennedy, correspondent of the London Times, who is touring the Maritime Provinces, arrived here on Saturday and left again on Monday, crossing to the mainland.

Edward Hanlan, former champion oarsman of the world, died at his home in Toronto on Friday night last. The city of Toronto gave him a public funeral. The body lay in state in the City Hall, and the funeral from thence took place yesterday morning.

The Transvaal Government have enforced the provisions of the registration act, requiring all Asiatics in the country to register. Those who refuse to register are given 48 hours to leave the country or suffer arrest. A number have been arrested.

The G.T.R. passenger train from Pennington took a triple somersault down a 35-foot embankment six miles north of Barrie, Ont., on the 1st inst. The train landed right side up at the bottom and all the passengers and crew escaped without even broken bones.

A slight fire in the basement of St. Lawrence Hotel, Montreal, on Sunday night, caused considerable excitement among the 250 guests. Although the fire could have been extinguished by a chemical engine in ten minutes, half the fighting force of the city was called out. The lights went out, and caused confusion among the guests.

A cable message to Halifax from Capt. Anderson of that place, reports that his sailing schooner Baden Powell is a total wreck at Falkland Islands. The crew of twenty men were saved. The vessel registered 94 tons, sailed from Halifax last September and with the ship and catch was insured in Lloyd's.

The St. Lawrence River was open on Thursday last from Montreal to the sea with the exception of a few miles of shallow water in Lake St. Peter. This is the latest date on record. The winter so far has been a very mild one. Montreal harbor was then clear of ice with the exception of a thin sheeting in Wharf Basin.

Much anxiety is expressed by fishermen in Boston over the non-arrival of the fishing schooner Fame of that place, which sailed from Halifax, December 20th, with a crew of amateur-yachtsmen, sent down from Boston to bring the vessel home. As the coast has been swept by severe gales since the vessel left Halifax, it is feared she has met with disaster.

St. John, N. B., advises of the 6th inst. that on Saturday during a terrific gale the thirty-ton fishing schooner Whisper of Dipper Harbor was driven ashore at that place, the skipper and his two sons having a narrow escape. The captain was alone on board at the time, the two sons being out in a boat. They had a hard time making the schooner. The vessel is now on the rocks and full of water.

A serious wreck resulting in the loss of one life and the injuring of thirteen persons occurred on Friday on the C.P.R. between Chatham and Carleton Place. The Limited express which left Vancouver on Tuesday and was due in Montreal Saturday night. The official report shows that half way between Chatham and Carleton a broken eighty-pound rail caused East-bound Express No. 2 to leave the track. The baggage car, containing the car, and large crowd of passengers, and the baggage car, were derailed and turned on their sides and Mrs. B. Slown of Ontario was killed.

New Year's Day was fine and clear, and there was tolerable sleighing in Charlottetown, although the travelling in the country was not good. His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. McKinnon received a large number of callers in the afternoon. Sleigh driving, as usual, was extensively indulged in. Great George Street was the principal thoroughfare, and large crowds lined the street watching the flyers. Calling was going on as in former years; but perhaps not to such an extent. Everything passed off in a most orderly manner.

Rev. Pius A. McDonald was elevated to the holy priesthood by his Lordship Bishop McDonald, in St. Joseph's Convent chapel Sunday morning last. On Monday, Feast of the Epiphany, the newly-ordained priest celebrated his first Mass in his native parish church, St. Joachim's, Vernon River. It was a Solemn High Mass, the celebrant being assisted by Rev. J. J. McDonald and Rev. Dr. McLellan, as deacon and sub-deacon, and Very Rev. Dr. Morrison, as Master of Ceremonies. The sermon on the occasion was preached by Rev. J. J. McDonald. After Mass the young priest was presented with an address and a purse of \$70.00 by his friends and fellow-parishioners of St. Joachim's. Ad multos annos.

On New Year's Day, Feast of the Circumcision, high Mass was celebrated in St. Dunstan's Cathedral, by Rev. Father Gaudet, and the sermon was preached by his Lordship the Bishop. In the course of an excellent address, his Lordship took occasion to thank the parishioners for their generosity in contributing to the building of the Cathedral. Referring to the flight of time and the uncertainty of life, he stated that, during 1907, 93 members of the congregation had been buried in the Cathedral cemetery. Besides these several others, who belonged to the parish had died, and were buried in different country parishes, from which they had originally come; so that the deaths in the Cathedral parish during last year had been over one hundred. His Lordship wished his hearers every prosperity and happiness during the year 1908, and concluded his discourse by bestowing on all present his Episcopal benediction.

LOCAL & OTHER ITEMS

Mr. Lemieux, Laurier's special envoy to Japan, arrived at Vancouver, Monday, on the steamer Empress of China, on his homeward trip.

Word comes from Vancouver that 500 Japanese of that city, who belong to the reserve list of the army have been recalled by the Japanese war office.

Rev. J. A. McDonald, managing editor of the Toronto Globe, has been committed to the High Court for trial on four charges of defamatory libel, the plaintiff being Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, late candidate for Mayor of Toronto.

Rev. John A. McDonald, of Grand River, Lot 14, has sent away for analysis, a sample of ore, supposed to be lead, mixed with silver. It was taken from a ledge near Grand River, where there are large quantities of it.

An inventor exhibited before the Postmaster of Paris and others, on New Year's day, an invention by which he claims to be able to transmit photographs from one place to another without the use of wire or anything else. It is called a telephographic apparatus.

A despatch of the 4th from Edmonton says: A few remains of an unknown man were found south of Lou St. Vincent, Alberta, surrounded by seven timber wolves, all dead, and other indications of a big fight. The man was evidently killed and eaten by wolves.

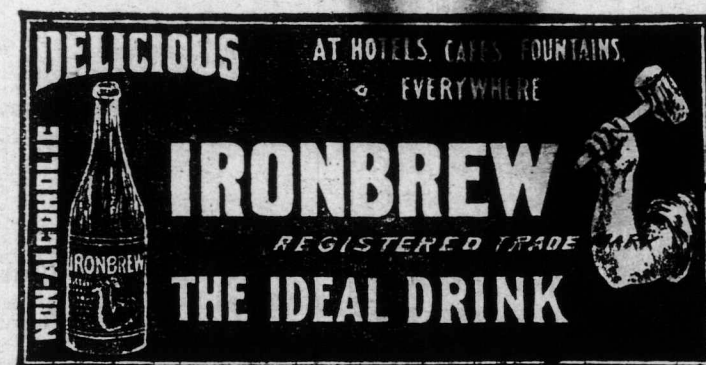
On Monday, Feast of Epiphany, the High Mass in the Cathedral was sung by Rev. J. B. McIntyre, and the sermon was preached by Rev. Joseph A. Gallant. His text was from the Gospel of the day. Vespers, followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, were given in the evening.

Four Dominion Immigration officers and three Provincial Government men made a descent upon the Bulgarian quarter in Eastern Avenue, Toronto, on Thursday, and rounded up thirty-nine foreigners. They were "wanted" for the purpose of being given a free trip back to their native land. The party was sent east.

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LOCAL and OTHER ITEMS.

A squadron of Spanish warships, to cost \$80,000,000, will be constructed on the Clyde, and the contract is to be completed by 1910.

The annual tournament of roses was held at Pasadena, California, New Year's. The floral parade, the great feature of the tournament, was formed into six divisions, headed by the Queen of Roses and her court. Miss May Sutton, the world's tennis champion was queen. The parade extended four miles. Upwards of 70,000 persons lined the route of march.

The Canadian branch of the Royal Mint was declared formally opened at Ottawa on Thursday last by Lord Gray in the presence of Ministers of the Crown, the leading officials of the government, prominent citizens and representatives of the press. From now, the mint will be turning out copper, silver and gold pieces. Those who were present received a cent each as newly struck off. The Marchioness of Grey moved the lever which struck off the cent pieces, and Lord Grey struck off the first fifty cent piece.

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