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Mr. Herbert Took \$10,000 of the Bank's Funds to Speculate With and Lost It,

Montreal, Dec. 18 .- (Special.) - Startling evidence came out at the trial of Accountant Lemieux of the defunct Ville Marie Bank. The ex-president, Mr. W. Weir, Bank. The ex-president, Mr. W. Well, was sworn and said that on the 30th of August, 1898, an amaunt of \$21,040 had been taken from reserve and placed in the tell-taken from reserve above to supply a A. Stewart, W. Bell, Dr. Fraleigh (new A. Stewart, W. Bell, Dr. Fraleigh (new analdstee). er's cash. This had been done to supply a shortage which had been found in the inside vault. Mr. Lemieux had admitted the shortage, but covered it with notes to the satisfaction of the directors.

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James W. Mallon, J. J. Ward, A. Asher (new candidates). er's cash. This had been done to supply a

Herbert Took \$10,000 and Lost It. At the afternoon's investigation Mr. Weir further stated that since the bank suspended it transpired that in August, 1897, Herbert had taken \$10,000 out of the funds of the bank and had lost the same in speculation.

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ALDERMANIC CANDIDATES.

fore Nomination Day. The following is the state of the alder nanic field at the present moment. Doubtless other new men will come forward on or before nomination day:
WARIS 1—James Frame, Joseph Russell,
H. R. Frankland, W. T. Stewart (stting)

John Knox Leslie, George Chesman (new candidates).

WARD 2—John Hallam (mayorally candidate), Daniel Lamb, F. S. Spence, Thomas Davies (sitting aldermen).

E. S. Cox, George Anderson (new candidates).
WARD 3-O. B. Sheppard, Bernard Saun-ders, R. J. Score, N. L. Steiner (sitting ad-dermen). Mr. Steiner will not seek re-

John F. Loudon, George McMurrich (new candidates).

WARD 4—William Burns, James Crane,
Edward Hanlan and W. P. Hubbard (stiting aldermen).

S. W. Burns, Thomas Urquhart (new
candidates).

WARD 5—A. R. Denison, F. H. Woods,
John Dunn, R. H. Graham (sitting alder-

shortage which had been done to supply a shortage which had been found in the inside vault. Mr. Lemieux had admitted the shortage, but covered it with notes to the satisfaction of the directors.

To the court: Before the safe had been examined Lemieux had not spoken of the shortage. He had admitted it afterwards. Often Lent His Key.

To Mr. Fitzpatrick: The \$25,040 had been taken from the vault, of which the withough Mr. Weir had offered say when away visiting bruth and the same the had been the bank had closed. I can leurs notes to cover the shortage of at the time. They had not been careful up to the time the bank had closed. Examined Teller's Cash.

On the 26th of September, 1898, Mr. Weir had again examined the teller's 2ash. The teller was Mr. Herbert, Mr. Weir had again examined the teller's 2ash. The teller was Mr. Herbert, Mr. Weir had again examined the teller's 2ash. The teller was Mr. Herbert, Mr. Weir had again examined the teller's 2ash. The teller was Mr. Herbert, Mr. Weir had again examined the teller's 2ash. The teller was Mr. Herbert, Mr. Weir had again examined the closed asked him to wait until the following day. Mr. Weir, however, had said that was against the rules. Scissor, 828,500,549,000 had disapproper to have done. Lemieux had not then waited for the cash to be counted to the counted the back in time to balance his books at the end of the month. In about a week it was discovered that Mr. Lemieux had gone to New York. Witness had gone to New York. Witness had gone to New York and seen Lemieux, had few the days before, and witness knew the end of the month. In about a week it was discovered that Mr. Lemieux had gone to New York witness had gone to New York. Witness had gone to New York witness had gone to New York witness had gone to New York. Witness had gone to New York and seen Lemieux had gone to New York witness had gone to New York witness had gone to New York witness had gone to New York and see

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