

MCLAREN'S GENUINE COOK'S FRIEND BAKING POWDER Has been the favorite with thrifty housekeepers for over thirty years.

THE GOVERNOR GENERAL speaks of the Consequences of the McKinley Bill.

The Central Fair was opened at Ottawa on Tuesday of last week, by the Governor-General, who, in reply to the toast in his honor, among other things said, after congratulating the president and officers of the association for the success which attends the exhibition...

A shooting affray. A shooting affray occurred on Sunday night in the Viger garden, Montreal, a young man named Joseph Roberts, severely wounding another named Andrew McBride by discharging the contents of a revolver into his side.

Public robbers. OTTAWA, September 27.—The Journal says that an organized and well-arranged gang of unknown men is terrorizing the peaceful settlers in a Lochaber township by their daring robberies.

The O. P. R. OTTAWA, September 27.—The management of the Canadian Pacific Railway has undertaken a system of permanent improvements to the road between Ottawa and Newburgh.

Express Companies and the Lottery WASHINGTON, September 26.—The Post Office department has information from its inspectors in New Orleans that the Louisiana Lottery company has stopped the use of the mails and transferred its business to the express companies.

Caught. HALIFAX, N. S., September 25.—A Georgetown dispatch to the Herald gives details of the capture of the American schooner Davy Crockett.

FROM WINNIPEG. WINNIPEG, September 27.—A lively movement in Winnipeg real estate is taking place, sales one day last week ranging between three and four hundred thousand dollars.

AN UGLY RUMOR. VIENNA, September 27.—Polish journals assert that during the recent manoeuvres of the Russian army at Kovno, the Jrasnowsk bridge collapsed and that 600 soldiers belonging to a Prussian regiment, which was crossing the bridge, were thrown into the water and drowned.

An Appeal for Purity. BERLIN, September 27.—The recent scandals involving members of the aristocracy are gravely discussed by the press and are the theme of guarded pulpitations.

The McKinley Bill Passes. WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—In the House Representatives the McKinley bill passed: Yeas 151; nays 79.

SOME CRITICISM. LONDON, September 27.—The Standard says: "The McKinley tariff is much less alarming than it looks."

Lord Aberdeen Speaks. OTTAWA, September 26.—Lord Aberdeen visited the exhibition to-day and in a short speech gave his views on current trade questions.

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RAW FURS. The chief interest now centres in Lampson & Co's great sale of seal skins to be opened in London on October 27th when there will be offered 21,000 Alaska seal skins, 15,000 North West Coast skins and 42,000 Opper Island skins.

HIDES AND SKINS. The market here remains steady for green hides although there has not been any selling during the past week or two.

WOOL. The market continues firm, with sales of Cape at 17 1/2 to 18 1/2c, finer qualities being quoted at 19 1/2 to 20 1/2c.

COAL. The market is firm and prices are sustained all round. The demand continues good and orders have been coming in fairly well.

MONTREAL HORSE EXCHANGE. The receipts of horses at these stables for week ending Sept. 27th, were 68; Left over from previous week, 7; total for week, 73.

MONTREAL STOCK YARDS. The receipts of live stock at these yards for week ending Sept. 27, were as follows:—Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Calves.

IRISH MARRIAGES AND DEATHS. MARRIED. BOYLE-NEESON—Patrick Boyle, son of the late Hugh Boyle, Dunloy, to Mary daughter of the late Daniel Neeson, formerly of Dunane.

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CARSLEY'S COLUMN SPECIAL NOTICES. The Dress Goods Trade is booming at S. Carsley's. Grand Attraction now going on at S. Carsley's Mantle Show-room.

SPECIAL FOR NEXT WEEK. DRESS GOODS, MANTLES, MILLINERY. Cheapest and Largest Assortment in Montreal.

READ BELOW. MANTLE DEPARTMENT. FASHIONABLE JACKET, No. 1. NEW TWEED JACKET, No. 2.

NEW PATTERN. No. 4. NEW ROUGH CHEVIOT JACKET, Plain NEW ROUGH CHEVIOT JACKET, Plain.

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