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OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—Premier Davie of British Columbia had interviews with Sir John Thompson and other ministers today. Mr. Davie, among other matters which he is here about, is anxious that the government should take steps towards stamping out tuberculosis in cattle.

The unsuitability of Rimouski as a place of departure for the British mails was exemplified last week. The Mongolian, the outward bound mail steamer, had to wait in mid-stream forty hours before the mail tender could reach her.

Several convictions for the infraction of postal laws by enclosing letters in newspapers and using cancelled stamps have been secured in this district. One of the offenders, singular to say, was a postal officer.

A deputation of Lainghawa Indians saw Hon. Mr. Daly today and urged the abolition of the election of chiefs and a reversion to the old hereditary principle.

Ottawa, Oct. 25.—Memoirs of Sir John A. Macdonald, written by Joseph Pope, will be published on November 20th. A Canadian edition will be issued simultaneously with the London one.

The total losses by fire in this city for nine months ending Sept. 30th was \$400,340.

The congregation of Knox Presbyterian church will make an effort to wipe off the debt on the church property amounting to \$15,000, on the occasion of the jubilee. At a meeting of the congregation last evening, within half an hour nearly \$10,000 was subscribed.

A telegram was received by the minister of marine and fisheries today from Mr. Cormier, government telegraph operator at Esquimaux Point, on the north shore of the St. Lawrence, the most easterly point to which the telegraph system extends. It reads as follows: "Capt Howard below at Tete a La Baleine. All well." This will be satisfactory news to the captain's many friends in all parts of the dominion.

The supreme court will begin the maritime appeals on Monday, November 5th.

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—The Manitoba and Northwest delegation had another interview with the government today. Some of the delegates left for home today and the rest go tomorrow. They decline to make any statement concerning the object of their mission, but say that while not getting all they asked, they are well pleased with the manner they were received by the government.

A company is being formed here to build an electric railway to Brockville, a distance of about one hundred miles. Power is to be used.

A petition was presented to Sir John Thompson today for the commutation of the sentence of Joseph Truskey, who murdered William Lindsay at Sandwich. He is sentenced to term of from one month to December. The plea is temporary insanity.

An order in council has been passed prescribing the regulations governing the drawback of duty paid on spirits used in the manufacture of goods which are subsequently exported.

An order in council has been passed changing the wharfage dues in deals for export placed on the wharfage of goods, wharves, piers and breakwaters, from ten cents per thousand feet, board measure, to ten cents per thousand, deal measure.

William McMillan has been appointed wharfinger at Cribben's wharf, Antigonish harbor.

Ottawa, Oct. 28.—Lt. Governor Mackintosh, who is here for treatment for sciatica, says the territorial fair at Regina next year promises to be a big success. A good site has been secured and the town of Regina has voted ten thousand dollars in addition to the twenty-five thousand granted by the dominion parliament.

Six boys out of a gang of eight arrested for robbing stores were yesterday found guilty and sentenced to terms of from one year to five. They are all under twenty.

Fourteen cars loaded with flour, bran and oatmeal were derailed and burnt on the C. P. R. near Perth on Friday night through the breaking of an axle on one of the cars. Nobody hurt.

Sir John Thompson leaves for New York tomorrow and sails on the Majestic on Wednesday. He will be absent about five weeks.

Alfred Himswothy, the thirteen-year-old son of the secretary of the department of inland revenue, was suffocated in a brain fever into which he accidentally fell yesterday while on a visit to a farm near here.

Ottawa, Oct. 29.—Great satisfaction is felt here at the success of the Canadian loan floated by Hon. Mr. Foster in London today which was subscribed for nearly five times over and will average over ninety-seven and a half.

Sir John Thompson left for England today. All the ministers and a large crowd at the depot gave him a great send off. Lady Thompson accompanied him to New York.

Judge Burbridge, of the exchequer court, today gave judgment in favor of the crown in the case of the Toronto Railway Co., involving the question of the duty on steel rails imported for street railways. It is understood that the case will be appealed.

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QUEBEC.

Montreal, Oct. 24.—The junior bar rejoining in the appointment of Perry Ryan as professor in McGill law faculty, succeeding Judge Archibald, who was made governor some months ago. Mr. Ryan, who is a son of Curran Ryan, formerly editor of the Ottawa Free Press and now of St. John, N. B., was only admitted to the bar a year since, but has already taken a front rank. He is an able and scholarly advocate.

Montreal, Oct. 25.—In September last, one Lapalme took the eighteen-year-old daughter of a neighbor named Lachance to Rouses Point, N. Y., where they were married by a magistrate, and when the couple returned home to have the religious ceremony take place the parish priest stipulated that Lapalme and wife should live apart for eight days. During this period the father-in-law spirited the daughter to Montreal, where she entered a convent, and now the husband sues the wife's father for \$5,000 damages.

Montreal, Oct. 25.—Henry E. Suckling, formerly of Halifax, but of late years connected with several Canadian railways, being assistant treasurer of the Montreal Pacific railway, was appointed treasurer of the Sault Ste. Marie railway company, with headquarters at Minneapolis. He will leave Montreal for his new home three weeks hence.

Quebec, Oct. 26.—The long standing dispute about the will of the late Senator Ross is finally settled. The Morrin college and the High school receive between them \$70,000; the Jeffrey Hale hospital, \$150,000; three Anglican charities, \$40,000; French Mission Presbyterian church in Canada, \$30,000; Women's Christian association, \$10,000; Ladies' Protestant home, \$40,000; and Ladies' City mission, \$50,000. Further, an undertaking has been given to pay over \$5,000 to the Irish Protestant Benevolent society.

Montreal, Oct. 26.—Hon. Mr. Mercier still continues to puzzle the attending physicians. Two days ago he was given a few days to live, yet yesterday he was strong enough to walk around the room. Today he is resting quietly, and seems to suffer little, though the end cannot be very far off.

The detachment of royal marines and blue jackets to reinforce Her Majesty's fleet, consisting of the ship station to the number of 150 with six officers, arrived yesterday afternoon on the Numidian, and marched to the C. P. R. depot, where they took a special train to Vancouver.

Quebec, Oct. 28.—Among the arrivals on the S.S. Vancouver yesterday was Inspector Cleary, of the dominion police, having in charge Captain Percy Neale, ex-sub-collector at St. Mary's, N.W.T. The latter is accused of having absconded with \$6,000, and was arrested in London, Eng., on his arrival. The largest portion of the money was found on his person.

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—The appointment of G. P. Marter, M. L. A., North Toronto, as leader of the conservative opposition is looked upon as wise a step as could be made existing circumstances. He is not a brilliant man, but the party believe they have a safe leader, being a prohibitionist. It is held he will take well with both the police of Scotland yard and the law.

Listowel, Ont., Oct. 25.—There is a growing suspicion that if Chatterlie is the man who murdered Jessie Keith, he is none other than Jack the Ripper, the fellow who committed the horrible and untimely demise of poor Pat Burke for some other people who, no doubt, fancy themselves safe from such a sudden taking off.

Mr. Thompson, of Widemere End, High Wycombe, Bucks, was a healthy enough man up to April, 1888. Then he began to weaken and fall. Why he should be ill he couldn't conjecture, so far as he could remember, he had done nothing to bring it on. He felt surprised, as a man does at receiving an unexpected blow from behind. His hands and feet were cold and clammy, and he bristled with cold sweats.

Dark spots were all the time floating before his eyes, his appetite left him, and when he did eat anything it lay upon him heavy and dull, and seemed to cause gnawing in the stomach.

"After a time," says Mr. Hatt, "I had pain and palpitation at the heart, which I was told was heart disease. At night my heart would throb so hard I could not get to sleep. I would have a muffled drum. After a while the heart trouble got so bad I was afraid to go to bed, and used to sit up nearly all night long. Last week I came so much to myself and nervous that I trembled from head to foot as I went about. I worked a little when I was able, but was always in pain. A doctor for a month or so gave me no relief. I thought I might die any day, for I looked upon my complaint as heart disease. I seemed to be walking in darkness on a narrow footpath between life and death."

"Yet the days, weeks and months dragged by; I could only wait. It was in October, 1888, that I first read of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup. I can't say I had any faith in it, but there was so much reason and sense in the published accounts of what it had done, that I got a bottle from Messrs. Lansdale & Co., Chemists, Queen's Square, and began to use it. Expecting little or nothing, I received much, for in two days I felt the good relief, and after having taken three bottles I found myself in good health; and have been ever since—that is, for six years. You are at liberty to publish this letter if you think it might be useful to others. I shall be glad to answer inquiries. I am a chairmaker by trade, and in the employ of Mr. Gibson, Slater street, High Wycombe. Yours truly (signed) Wm. Hatt."

Well, you say, how does poor Pat Burke's case connect with Mr. Hatt's? The inquest showed that Burke had heart disease, and died of it. When the doctors cut the heart out of his body they could find no sign of disease about it. What killed him so quickly then? Listen and learn. The same set of nerves (the pneumogas-

tric) that move the stomach and lungs. These nerves, poisoned and paralyzed by the acids bred by indigestion and dyspepsia, cease at last to have power over the heart. That's what it collapsed in a minute, and the man died before he had time even to lie down on the ground. What a terrible thing! Yet everybody is liable to a like fate who doesn't watch out against indigestion.

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EQUITY COURT.

In the matter of the Alexander estate on Saturday morning, on the return of a summons calling on defendants to show cause why the order for payment of costs by plaintiff should not be made, Mr. Montgomery appeared to show cause. The affidavits in support of the motion alleged that Mr. Montgomery had not kept faith, as he had agreed that no such order should be made. Mr. Montgomery produced his affidavit that there was no such agreement as that set up by L. A. Curry's affidavit, and offered, without admitting that he was bound to do so, to have the order set aside and the question of costs discussed again. This was agreed to and the question argued.

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MISSIONARY MEETING.

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CAUGHT A LIVE DEER OFF THE HARBOR.

The sch. Porpoise, Capt. Ingersoll, which arrived yesterday from Grand Manan, brought to port a live deer which was picked up about a mile and a half off Mahogany Island. The deer swam across the schooner's bow and Capt. Ingersoll put off in a boat and captured the animal. It is now on board the vessel. The captain stood guard over the deer all night.

Japanese bamboo has been profitably grown in Louisiana.

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