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CANNON IN AGRICULTURE.

A report from the United States consul at Lyons, France, states that an internanional congress will be held there in November to discuss the usefulness of cannon in agricultural work. It is stated that success has attended the experiment of firing cannon at approaching hall storms to prevent their ravages upon French vineyards, and there is a theory that the firing of cannon may be useful in preventing damage by frost. It is said that cannon fired horizontally over vineyards in one place at sunrise saved that particular strip of vineyard from injuy, because the smoke from the cannon spread over an area five hundred feet A report from the United States con sun's rays, following a night of frost The vineyards on either side of this particular strip were damaged. From be made very useful in times of peace

MONTREAL WANTS TOURISTS.

city of Montreal has what is called The Montreal Business Men's League, a membership of 289. Subscriptions to toward the work of the league. The executive committee includes a num ber of leading business men. The chief purpose of the league is to attract to of tourists and travel and this involves widely as possible. From 50,000 to 100,-000 ilustrated books on Montreal will probably be distributed. But the work does not stop at that point. Assumthe city should be made as attractive as possible, the organization aims to the city council the necessity of an im squares and other public places in the phasis of the condition of the streets, and declare that much of the usefulness of the organization will be destroyed if the present unsatisfactory condition of the streets is allowed to held on Tuesday afternoon resolution were adopted calling upon the city ouncil to take immediate action to improve the condition of the city streets.

The city of Winnipeg has a novel sect in its midst. Their belief is founded on the text "The Lord will provide, and & party of thirty-five live togeth these are women. They arrived in Winnipeg last March from Tacoma er oute to Shiloh, Maine, where they have a college, but they decided to res a while in their present abode. Mr. Glason, the leader of the little band asserts that he has been living for six ears, without in any way looking ou for the morrow, and has never yet been literal text without any modification seems to them to be quite solid enough for a foundation upon which to build the great common family of the enspeculative mental activity to decide just what such a future would be, but no doubt there are many to whom the idea of no work will strongly appeal. Even in St. John converts to this faith might be found, but when Mr. Glason's haps, he will occasionally miss a meal

The article quoted in today's Star from a Boer paper published in Pretoria is quite remarkable in the collection of denunciatory adjectives and phrases applied to the people of Canada. The article is dated at Montreal, and would, therefore, seem to have been written by a Canadian who sent it away to South Africa to a Boer paper for publication. Evidently the writer is a friend of Mr. Bourassa. It is a great pity he did not sign his name. There would be a very general desire to see the man who would write such a letter to such a paper. The article quoted in today's Sta

The general assembly of the Pres-byterian church in Canada will meet in Ottawa on June 12. The most im-portant matter to be discussed will be the proposal to appoint an executive committee to act for the general as-sembly during the intervals between its meetings. This question has been discussed before, and at the last general assembly a committee was appointed to consider the matter and report this year.

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Varm Discussion of the Car leton Lighting Question.

Mr. Myers' Report - Ald. Baxter Christie, Waring and McGoldrick Make Some Observations.

The board of safety met this morning in reference to the Carleton Electric Light company. There were present Ald. Seaton, McMulkin, Baxter Waring, Millidge, Hilyard, Colwell Macrae and Director Wisely and Chief

will run 90 are and 1,800 incandescent lamps.

With the exception of a commutator on one exciters, which is nearly worn out, and will require renewing abortly, and considerable vibration to the large engine, which can easily be remedied by screwing up the settings and foundation timbers, i find the plant in very good condition, and after careful examination of the dynamos, engines, boilers, machinery, fixtures, etc., making due allowance for wear and tear, depreciation, etc., attach herewith a schedule not valuation, which is a fair estimate, and what the different items enumerated are worth in their presum state.

I am not in a position to estimate the value of the buildings, co. but presume a price has already been agreed upon for the green and the state of th

l reserve water tank.

2 idlers.

Leather belting (double).

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2 45 brush are light machines.

1,000 light brush alternating dynamo and exciter.

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2 witch boards, with volt meters, a ers and transformers.

2 wall regulators.

Foundations for dynamos and setting same.

Valuation of buildings, etc., 10 be added to the above figures.

The valuation of Messrs. Waring and Wisely of the building was \$3,500. This would make the total \$21,621. This is about \$500 above that of Messrs. Waring and Wisely's total valuation.

Ald. Baxter said that from these reports the conclusion was fair that the company's offer was a good one. This would be the best opportunity to commence the system of commercial lighting. He mered that the board recommend the cancil to purchase at the company's offer of \$21,050, conditional on the guara "ees of the company being carried out, to running expenses and revenue.

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Ald. Hilyard was of the opinion that within eighteen months it would be necessary to expend five or six thousand dollars. He did not believe it would be wise to go ahead without further information.

formation.
Ald. Seaton said that he had a largely signed petition from Carleton askins that the city take over the plant.
Ald. McMulkin said that the valuation to his mind, on parts of the machinery is too high. He cited several quotations of a New York firm, Rossiter & McGown, on dynamos which were considerably less than the valuation reported. He also believed that the

THE COUNCIL MEETS.

Common Council met immediate or the adjournment of the boarwis. There were present Mayor I. Ald. Macrae, Baxter, Waring III. And Macrae, Baxter, Waring III. American Mediate Mediate Colwell, Hilyard, McGold-Maxwell, Robinson and the Research

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Men's Blue Cheviot, Grey and Brown Victors, and Grey Checked Suits, well trimmed, worth \$4.00; sold for \$2.25.

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BISHOP SWEENY'S WILL.

sides the amount mentioned in the pertition, by advice of Mr. Carleton, K. C., (who appeared for the corporation of the Bishop of St. John and the executors), the contention being that this money belonged to the corporation of the Bishop of St. John and not to Bishop Sweeny personally.

Bishop Casey was stood aside until the bank book would be examined and evidence given of the way in which the money was deposited. The other witnesses of the will, viz., Rev. Father McMurray and Patrick Gleeson, were examined and testified to the due execution of the will. The hearing occupied yesterday afternoon and will be continued on Saturday morning.

From the cross-examination it developed that the contention which the counsel for Mrs. Travers intends to make, is that, by the will, the bishop devised only property which he held in trust for the church and that there is an intestacy as to the bulk of his individual property, which consists of a brick building on Union street and certain monies and other personal property. Dr. Pugsley said he would contend that it the effect of the will was to pass the bishop's individual property, it was inoperative in this respect because, by the statute creating the corporation, its power to hold real estate is limited to property yielding \$4.000 per annum, and it would be state is limited to property yielding \$4.000 per annum, and it would be the acceptant to prove that the property direct the content of the Bishop of the Bi

Rev. Dr. Pailey has been appointed professor of New Testament Greek and church history at Mt. Allison. The board of regents has accepted Gov. McCleian's offer of \$5,000 towards a manuel training school. Rev. Dr. Brecken has retired from the University staft. It has been decided not to add a wing to the Ladles' College building this year.

HAMPTON PATRIOTIC CONCERT.

Mrs. Travers' Counsel Seeks to Prove the Late Prelate Had Private Means. Yesterday, before Jucge Trueman, in the probate court, the will of the late Bishop Sweeny was being proved in solemn form. Bishop Casey, who was the first witness, testified to the execution of the will. He said that he was called to Bishop Sweeny's room by him, and in the presence of Father McMurray and P. Gleeson, Bishop Sweeny said to witness that the document was called to Bishop Sweeny's room by him, and in the presence of Father McMurray and P. Gleeson, Bishop Sweeny said to witness that the document was his last will and testament and he leaves everything to his successor. At that time the present bishop was priest at the cathedral.

Bishop Casey was cross-examined by Dr. Pugsley, counsel for Mrs. Boyle Travers, sister and next of kin to the deceased, with regard to the property left by the late bishop.

He stated that he understood there were a humber of houses belonging to the corporation, some of which may have stood in his personal name, but he was unable to state definitely as to this. His lordship also stated that, besides the amount mentioned in the petition, by advice of Mr. Carleton, K. C., (who appeared for the corporation of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. John and the execution of the Bishop of St. Jo

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At the Treasury Board yesterday it was decided not to refund to J. W. Montgomery the eight dollars personal taxes of W. Watson, who was placed in part charge of Mr. Montgomery's store, paid by him to prevent the authorities seizing the goods. Bustin & Porter threatened to bring action for damages on behalf of John Wilson, who claimed that he was deprived of his right to vote at the civic election. It, was explained that there were two John Wilsons on the list. The taxes of one were paid Mr. Wilson visited the hall and after it was found his taxes were paid was asked to go to the dominon clerk's office, where it could be found what ward he votes in. He refused.

MARINE MATTERS.