

## MAY LOSE THE ISLET SEA

Good Chance of the Independent  
Candidate Scoring Over the

Government Nominee.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—A despatch from Quebec says: Great interest is manifested here in the result of to-morrow's voting in L'Islet. Should Mr. Caron, the Independent Liberal candidate, succeed in uniting the Conservative vote and in taking a hundred or so Liberal votes, he would be elected. In such a case, the next provincial elections are run, on very close issues. In this country and the societies are usually very small. The Social is evidently very appreciative as to the result and is daily appealing as very strong ally to the Liberals of the region.

show an example of party discipline and to treat Mr. Caron as a Liberal in revolt against his leaders. Hon. Mr. Bernier is in the county working with Mr. Carboneau and addressing meetings with Dr. Beland, M.P., of Beauce. Hon. Jules Tessier, M.P. of Saguenay and a number of lesser Liberal lights are also working in the county for the government candidate.

lantic express from Ottawa struck and killed a team of horses at the Cote St. Paul crossing to-day shortly before 1 o'clock. The driver, Hormisdas Landry, son of St. Dorothe, who was returning home with a load of manure, only noticed the approaching express when it was within a few yards of the crossing. Dropping the lines, he made a leap for life, and landed safely on the side of the road, just as the engine crashed into the horses and elephants, smashing the latter into many pieces. The horses were terribly cut and bruised, one of them being completely cut in two. When the alarm was given by Mr. A. Lemay of No. 2 Police Station St. Henri, and many others rushed to the scene.

anything. The team of horses was valued at \$300.

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**ANOTHER NARROW ESCAPE.**

Farmer Tumore, living at Brindale, had a narrow escape from death last night. He was driving from Toronto Junction to his home, when he was run into by a C.P.R. train at the crossing between Lambton and Ixellington. His two horses were killed, and his wagon smashed to pieces. He was thrown out, but not hurt.

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**NAPANEE WILL BE INTERESTED.**

Jack Roach, implicated in Famous Bank Robbery, is Dead.

Winnipeg, Jan. 14.—Jack Roach, a Napanee Bank robbery fame, died at the Royal Victoria Hospital in this city, death being due to apoplexy. He was buried this afternoon in Cote des Neiges Cemetery. On Saturday he was brought from St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary to the Royal Victoria Hospital, reaching the latter institution about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. His condition then was very serious, and it was decided that he would have to undergo an operation. This was not as successful as was

**RECIPROCITY WITH CANADA.**

will secure 3000 signatures of the most prominent merchants, manufacturers, bankers and professional men in Chicago. A single agent on Saturday secured the signatures of several leading business firms.

**A Pretty Warm Pace,**

The fur business in this burg of ours is setting a mighty hot pace for the rest of the country. There's tall prices for such goods as Dineen is the chief "smasher." Look on the second page of this paper for some of the what he has done for the goods.

are positively new—all positively perfect and of solid quality.

**FAIR AND MILD.**

(Meteorological Office, Toronto, Jan. 14.—(8 p.m.)—Conditions remain about the same as they were last night, except that the temperature has risen a good deal in the Lake Region. The very mild weather continues in the Northwest Territories.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 49—46; Kamloops, 44—34; Calgary, 1—10; St. Appelle, 10—32; Winnipeg, 2—16; Port Arthur, 6—18; Parry Sound, 10 below—28; Toronto, 14—31; Ottawa, 2 below—10.

**Probabilities.**

**Lower Lakes—For the most part fair and mild.**

Georgian Bay—Cloudy to partly cloudy; a few local snowdrifts; steady breeze; higher temperature.

Ottawa Valley, Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Cloudy to partly cloudy; higher temperature; a few light local snowfalls.

Gulf—Fair and moderately cold.

Maritime—Moderate west and southwest winds; fair and moderately cold to-day; higher temperature on Thursday.

**Lake Superior—Cloudy to partly cloudy; moderately cold; local snow flurries.**

For the rest, stationary or higher temperature.

Jan. 14	At.	From
Empress of India	Yokohama	Vancouver
Manitoba	New York	London
Farisuke	New York	Bremen
Kaiser W. der G.	New York	Bremen
Southwest	New York	Amoy
Astoria	Glasgow	Philadelphia
Noordland	Philadelphia	Liverpool