

Technical and Bibliographic Notes / Notes techniques et bibliographiques

Canadiana.org has attempted to obtain the best copy available for scanning. Features of this copy which may be bibliographically unique, which may alter any of the images in the reproduction, or which may significantly change the usual method of scanning are checked below.

- Coloured covers /
Couverture de couleur
- Covers damaged /
Couverture endommagée
- Covers restored and/or laminated /
Couverture restaurée et/ou pelliculée
- Cover title missing /
Le titre de couverture manque
- Coloured maps /
Cartes géographiques en couleur
- Coloured ink (i.e. other than blue or black) /
Encre de couleur (i.e. autre que bleue ou noire)
- Coloured plates and/or illustrations /
Planches et/ou illustrations en couleur
- Bound with other material /
Relié avec d'autres documents
- Only edition available /
Seule édition disponible
- Tight binding may cause shadows or distortion
along interior margin / La reliure serrée peut
causer de l'ombre ou de la distorsion le long de la
marge intérieure.

- Additional comments /
Commentaires supplémentaires:

Canadiana.org a numérisé le meilleur exemplaire qu'il lui a été possible de se procurer. Les détails de cet exemplaire qui sont peut-être uniques du point de vue bibliographique, qui peuvent modifier une image reproduite, ou qui peuvent exiger une modification dans la méthode normale de numérisation sont indiqués ci-dessous.

- Coloured pages / Pages de couleur
- Pages damaged / Pages endommagées
- Pages restored and/or laminated /
Pages restaurées et/ou pelliculées
- Pages discoloured, stained or foxed /
Pages décolorées, tachetées ou piquées
- Pages detached / Pages détachées
- Showthrough / Transparence
- Quality of print varies /
Qualité inégale de l'impression

- Includes supplementary materials /
Comprend du matériel supplémentaire

- Blank leaves added during restorations may
appear within the text. Whenever possible, these
have been omitted from scanning / Il se peut que
certaines pages blanches ajoutées lors d'une
restauration apparaissent dans le texte, mais,
lorsque cela était possible, ces pages n'ont pas
été numérisées.

FRANK FRENCH'S FATE.

Arrest of Murderer Returned at the Coroner's Inquest—The Evidence Before the Jury—Thos. Osborne, the Murderer, said to have disappeared.

The Coroner's inquest on the body of Frank French, who was murdered on the 12th inst. at East Templeton, took place on the 19th. Mr. H. Palmer, Deputy Coroner, conducted the inquest.

Margaret Osborne, widow of the late Frank French, who was the first witness called, testified as follows: Know the body of Frank French. He was my husband and he was thirty-eight years of age and a native of the County of Down, Ireland.

On the 12th inst. between six and seven o'clock, I was sitting in my own house. I heard a bell ring and I went down to see what it was. I saw a man standing in the front garden.

The first returned a verdict to the effect that he died of a wound inflicted by a revolver fired by Thomas Osborne. On the 19th inst. the jury returned a verdict to the effect that the deceased died of a wound inflicted by a revolver fired by Thomas Osborne.

THE PROPAGANDA PROPERTY. THE PROTESTANT POSITION. The Hon. T. W. Anglin, M.P., has introduced a bill to provide for the disposal of the property of the Italian Government.

THE PROPAGANDA PROPERTY. The Hon. T. W. Anglin, M.P., has introduced a bill to provide for the disposal of the property of the Italian Government. The bill is intended to provide for the disposal of the property of the Italian Government.

THE CHALICE OF OUR LORD.

INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF A MOST PRECIOUS RELIC.

Under the title of "Letters from Spain," a correspondence of some interest is being carried on in the columns of the "Chronicle." Writing from Valencia, he thus describes the El Santo Caliz, or the Sacred Chalice used by our Lord at the Last Supper.

PSALMS. [REVISION.] I. BAR THIS, all ye people, and give ear all ye that dwell in the world, Hop Bitters will make you well and rejoice.

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CASHEL AND THE FRANCHISE BILL. LONDON, May 21. Lord Churchill's course on the Franchise Bill has caused general surprise.

A NEW NOVEL. Rose Publishing Co. of Toronto will publish next week a novel entitled "Professor Curran." The author is the Hon. James S. Huntington, who was lately Postmaster-General.

THE CASAL TOLLS. KRISTON, May 22. This afternoon Sir John Muscard, previous to his departure for Ottawa, was interviewed by a deputation of citizens relative to the abolition of canal tolls.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

THE CHALICE OF OUR LORD.

INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF A MOST PRECIOUS RELIC.

Under the title of "Letters from Spain," a correspondence of some interest is being carried on in the columns of the "Chronicle." Writing from Valencia, he thus describes the El Santo Caliz, or the Sacred Chalice used by our Lord at the Last Supper.

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CASHEL AND THE FRANCHISE BILL. LONDON, May 21. Lord Churchill's course on the Franchise Bill has caused general surprise.

A NEW NOVEL. Rose Publishing Co. of Toronto will publish next week a novel entitled "Professor Curran." The author is the Hon. James S. Huntington, who was lately Postmaster-General.

THE CASAL TOLLS. KRISTON, May 22. This afternoon Sir John Muscard, previous to his departure for Ottawa, was interviewed by a deputation of citizens relative to the abolition of canal tolls.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

WHAT ABOUT SUGAR PRODUCTION AT THE NORTH.

This is a question of prime importance now. The progress and prosperity of a people is in a large measure indicated, if not measured, by the amount of sugar consumed.

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CASHEL AND THE FRANCHISE BILL. LONDON, May 21. Lord Churchill's course on the Franchise Bill has caused general surprise.

A NEW NOVEL. Rose Publishing Co. of Toronto will publish next week a novel entitled "Professor Curran." The author is the Hon. James S. Huntington, who was lately Postmaster-General.

THE CASAL TOLLS. KRISTON, May 22. This afternoon Sir John Muscard, previous to his departure for Ottawa, was interviewed by a deputation of citizens relative to the abolition of canal tolls.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

Is a highly concentrated extract of Sarsaparilla and other blood-purifying roots, combined with Iodide of Potassium and Iron, and is the safest, most reliable, and most economical blood-purifier that can be used.

It invariably expels all blood poisons from the system, enriches and renews the blood, and restores its vitalizing power. It is the best known remedy for Scrofula and all Scrofulous Complaints, Erysipelas, Eczema, Ringworm, Itches, Sores, Galls, Tumors, and Eruptions of the skin, as also for all disorders caused by a thin and impoverished, or corrupted, condition of the blood, such as Thrombosis, Neuralgia, Rheumatic Gout, General Debility, and Scrofulous Catarrh.

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CASHEL AND THE FRANCHISE BILL. LONDON, May 21. Lord Churchill's course on the Franchise Bill has caused general surprise.

A NEW NOVEL. Rose Publishing Co. of Toronto will publish next week a novel entitled "Professor Curran." The author is the Hon. James S. Huntington, who was lately Postmaster-General.

THE CASAL TOLLS. KRISTON, May 22. This afternoon Sir John Muscard, previous to his departure for Ottawa, was interviewed by a deputation of citizens relative to the abolition of canal tolls.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

Is a highly concentrated extract of Sarsaparilla and other blood-purifying roots, combined with Iodide of Potassium and Iron, and is the safest, most reliable, and most economical blood-purifier that can be used.

It invariably expels all blood poisons from the system, enriches and renews the blood, and restores its vitalizing power. It is the best known remedy for Scrofula and all Scrofulous Complaints, Erysipelas, Eczema, Ringworm, Itches, Sores, Galls, Tumors, and Eruptions of the skin, as also for all disorders caused by a thin and impoverished, or corrupted, condition of the blood, such as Thrombosis, Neuralgia, Rheumatic Gout, General Debility, and Scrofulous Catarrh.

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CASHEL AND THE FRANCHISE BILL. LONDON, May 21. Lord Churchill's course on the Franchise Bill has caused general surprise.

A NEW NOVEL. Rose Publishing Co. of Toronto will publish next week a novel entitled "Professor Curran." The author is the Hon. James S. Huntington, who was lately Postmaster-General.

THE CASAL TOLLS. KRISTON, May 22. This afternoon Sir John Muscard, previous to his departure for Ottawa, was interviewed by a deputation of citizens relative to the abolition of canal tolls.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

RECONSTRUCTING A FACE. EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS IN THE TRANSPLANTATION OF FLESH—A GIRL'S PATIENCE. Bertha Kistler, who for sixteen months has been under treatment by Dr. George T. Shady, visiting surgeon of the Presbyterian Hospital, had the distinction yesterday of being the first patient to undergo a successful operation of facial reconstruction.

THE TRUE WITNESS

IS PRINTED AND PUBLISHED BY The Post Printing & Publishing Co. AT THEIR OFFICES: 761 CRAIG ST., Montreal, Canada.

Subscription, per annum \$1.50 If paid strictly in advance \$1.00

TO ADVERTISERS: A limited number of advertisements of approved character will be inserted in THE TRUE WITNESS at 15 cents per line (agate), first insertion, 10 cents per line each subsequent insertion. Special Notices 20c per line.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS: Subscribers in the country should always give the name of their Post Office. Those who remove should give a name of the old as well as the new Post Office.

The Post Printing & Publishing Co. MONTREAL, CANADA.

MONDAY, MAY 28, 1884.

CATHOLIC CALENDAR.

Friday, 29th, Octave of the Ascension. Thursday, 30th, St. Felix, Pope and Martyr. Wednesday, 31st, St. Anne, B. M. V. Virgin.

TO OUR FRIENDS.

We take pleasure in presenting THE TRUE WITNESS this week in a complete new dress from the celebrated type foundry of Miller & Richard. The paper is also printed on new and improved presses recently purchased.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Catholic Union and Times of Buffalo, has entered on its thirteenth year under the most favorable auspices.

The Irish Parliamentary Fund intended for payment of members who cannot afford to give time and service for Ireland without compensation for loss of professional income, is growing in favor, and is being well supported in the Irish counties and in many of the United States.

Desertions in the British army are becoming quite common. There were no less than 3,717 during last year. The rising generation does not seem to take kindly to military service as evidenced by the fact that desertion is prevalent almost exclusively among the very young soldiers.

The Lord Chancellor of Ireland lately addressed letters to four Ulster magistrates—Colonel Waring, D.L., Sir William Miller, Mr. McClintock, and Mr. Black—severely reprimanding those Orange worthies for the part they took in promoting the disturbance in the recent Orange and National riots at Londonderry.

A British Parliamentary return just issued shows the number of electors in Great Britain

upon the register now in force. The total is 2,660,444 in England and Wales, 331,264 in Scotland, and 230,156 in Ireland. These figures plainly show the unfairness and inequality of the existing franchise which obtains in the United Kingdom.

We published in our issue of last week a letter from a reliable correspondent, who enters an indignant protest against the conduct of the Canadian Pacific Railway management and of the contractors, in compelling the laborers employed in the construction of the road to work on the Lord's Day.

As a consequence of our article in this Quebec correspondence published a statement, alleged to have been made by the Hon. Mr. Lynch in the course of a debate, and which reflected severely upon our Jewish fellow-citizens. The following are the words which our contemporary's reporter put in the mouth of the Hon. gentleman and at which the Jews generally took umbrage.

When the extension of the Franchise Bill was considered by the House of Commons on Tuesday, Lord Randolph Churchill, who aspires to the Conservative leadership, bitterly reproached the noble pig-heads of his party for the narrow-mindedness of their views on Ireland.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Daily Witness, from time to time, gives vent to some very queer things about Catholics. Thus, for instance, in yesterday's issue, it tells its unsophisticated readers that "schism is rapidly developing in the Roman Catholic Church of this Province, for which the Ultramontanes may thank themselves exclusively."

to the thought. After making this false statement, the Witness produces the following labored absurdities; they are so comically ludicrous that we quote them in full.

"The mass of the people have been anxiously trying to bring their Romish profession, if not into harmony, at least into possible co-existence with the ideas which the ordinary intelligence of the age forces upon them. They wish to carry on a free, popular government, to read current literature, to develop commerce and still be 'Catholics.' If the Jesuit press would let them alone, they might go on trying this incongruous experiment for a century or two.

An intelligent or fair-minded man would scarcely believe that a paper religiously and temperately inclined could fabricate such false and intemperate statements unless he saw a need for them; but there they are in black and white, pure and unadulterated from the columns of the pious journal. It takes a great brain and a big head to originate the idea that the Catholic people are anxiously trying to bring their 'Romish' profession, if not into harmony, at least into possible co-existence with something or other.

THE INDEPENDENT PRESS.

There seems to be at present an epidemic extending from Niagara to Ottawa of journals professing independent views and cutting away from party lines. The latest comes in the journalistic firmament are the Echo, of Niagara, and the Sun, of Ottawa. The latter, edited by Mr. Carroll Ryan, one of the most pungent and forcible writers in Canada, comes out in its first issue like Minerva from the front of Jove, perfect in matter and make up.

Mr. Carroll Ryan can put more concentrated fire into smaller compass than any writer on this continent, and possesses all the qualities of a Libanese, Paul de Cassagne and Rochefort, and we betide the upholders of wrongs which he sets about to reform. The Echo of Niagara comes out on rose-tinted paper and assumes to be an impartial judge and critic, following with watchful eye the politics and movements of the two great parties which at present divide the political allegiance of the people of Canada.

LAND-GRABBERS IN AMERICA.

The aristocratic and land-lord class in Great Britain, regarding their domain as neither improvable nor remote, and taking a keen look into futurity, have for some time past been quietly absorbing the fair fields and virgin forests of the new world. Millions of acres have been purchased by these foreign lords at immigrant prices, and are held not for the mere pride of possession, but in the calcula-

tion of profit. These vast tracts of land are let out to people who are willing to become tenants. According to an authority on the subject the tenant system prevails to such an extent that there are now two hundred thousand more tenant farms in the United States than in Great Britain. The system of free grants has been systematically abused on an astounding scale.

These land-grabbers have become so audacious and so emboldened by the ease with which they were allowed to carry on their depredations, that they have actually enclosed millions upon millions of acres without the shadow of legal title, caring nothing for the obstruction of public travel and intercourse. Commenting on this state of things the Christian Union says: "Some of these squatters are wealthy corporations, several of them are foreign corporations. The Arkansas Valley Cattle Company have thus fenced in a million acres; the Prairie Cattle Company (Scottish) upwards of a million acres. Among the absentee landlords who have thus taken possession of our public domain is one Marquis. In Kansas entire counties are reported to be fenced in. In Wyoming one hundred and twenty-five corporations are numbered among the intruders.

SIR RICHARD AND CANADIAN INDEPENDENCE.

Canada has just taken another step towards independence. A mass meeting of the citizens of Toronto was called by the leaders of the Liberal party to discuss the public administration and the general political standing of the Dominion. The meeting was largely attended and great enthusiasm marked the proceedings. The speaker of the occasion was Sir Richard Cartwright. His speech was a masterpiece of political criticism of the administration of Canadian affairs from an opposition point of view. It was comprehensive, well thought out and well delivered. This effort of Sir Richard is destined to mark an era in the history of the Liberal party and we may say, of the Dominion.

of the century. We have got to make up our minds to pass from the colonial state to something higher sooner or later. Those who will contend that we should remain a mere colony, have a rather narrow conception of our duties and our aspirations as an intelligent and as a free people, and of our possibilities as a growing country, rich and prosperous. The opinion is fast prevailing that the present system of colonial tutelage must give way to independence.

As to annexation, Sir Richard declared himself strongly opposed. In his eyes such a combination would be an ignominious surrender of our individuality and nationality. It would be one form of national suicide. However great the people of the United States and however excellent their institutions, there is enough vitality and strength in Canada to ensure more than the mere merging of our national existence in that of the American Republic. "I am not in favor," said Sir Richard, "of our being better governed than I am, that it would be for our material advantage of berthing our birthright for a mass of potage. Whatever the history of the United States may be, it is one which we have no part in; and I believe it is true of nations as it is of individuals, that neither men nor nations live by bread alone, nor by mere material considerations; and therefore, though I cannot ignore the fact that there are among us some who, under the pressure of misfortune, may desire to seek that refuge, I can only say that I should regard it as a distinct lowering of our position, as much so as if one of you owning a small farm were to sell it to a richer neighbor and agree to become a tenant of the land which you formerly held and controlled."

"There can be no doubt whatever," he said, "that as we grow and our country becomes more consolidated, our people will naturally aspire to a more independent form of existence than we now have; and 'for myself,' Sir Richard added, 'I have begun to think that this is a question which may well be faced and may well be discussed.' This patriotic utterance of the Knight of Napanee will find a responsive echo in the heart of the Canadian people. It is the safest plank that any political party could incorporate into their platform. By right of initiation it belongs to the Liberals; but if the party, as a whole, hesitate or delay to adopt it, they will eternally regret their timid hesitancy and procrastination. Sir John will hoist the standard of independence before they know it, just as he did the flag of the National Policy, when he was not afraid to proclaim from every housetop and hustling, 'If the N. P. will hurt England, why, so much the worse for British connection, but we must look out for Canada first, last, and always.' As it was then so will it be again.

FREE CANALS AND THE GRAIN TRADE.

Free Canals are the necessity of the hour, and the sooner the Dominion Government returns a favorable answer to the petition of the Montreal Board of Trade and the Corn Exchange for the abolition of tolls on our artificial waterways, the better for the business interests of the country. Sir John A. Macdonald evidently is not fully alive to the facts of the situation, or he would be more in haste to lay the question before his Cabinet and let them settle it at once. The whole carrying trade of the Dominion is going to the dogs. Sir John does not seem to realize it. He does not see our steamship companies making preparations to send their steamers to Philadelphia, others to New York, and more of them to the dry docks, all owing to the dullness of trade and the want of freight along our canals. Besides the larger ocean vessels, there are numerous tugs and barges lying idle for the same reason—nothing for them to do or to carry. Since the abolition of the tolls on the American canals and the inauguration of cheap rates on the railways, Canada has not only been unable to compete, but it has lost about fifty per cent. of its grain trade to the United States. Ten years ago more flour passed over Canadian routes in one season than will now be carried in two. In 1873 the aggregate exports of grain and flour over the St. Lawrence route was 17,360,570 bushels, while last year they were only 11,079,293. From present indications these figures will be almost diminished by half for 1884. This is not very promising. The statistics show, on the other hand, that the increase in the exports from American ports, during the same period of ten years, ran from 71,913,879 bushels in 1873 to 139,403,470 bushels in 1883. But it will be advanced that grain does not depend upon the canals for cheap transportation but upon the railways, and that consequently the maintenance or the abolition of the tolls could not effect any material change in the amount of freight to Downing Street are not destined to be maintained to the end of time, nor even to the end

lowing table, giving the amount of grain carried over both water and rail for the past five years:—

Table with 4 columns: BY WATER (Bushels, p.c.), BY RAIL (Bushels, p.c.), and Total. Rows for years 1879, 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883.

These figures make it clear that the railways enter for very little into the question of the present collapse of the grain carrying trade of the country.

Freight is not proud and will always travel by the cheapest routes, and nothing can be much cheaper than free waterways. If freedom from tolls were added to the other advantages of our Canadian waterways, western freight would irresistibly be directed towards them. In an interview with Captain Gaskin, agent of the Montreal Transportation Company, Sir John Macdonald expressed a fear that if the abolition of the tolls were granted it would lead to nothing, as the steamships would increase their ocean rates as they did when the canal tolls were reduced before, by which action on their part the effect of the reduction was destroyed. We don't think that the steamship companies would be guilty of such suicidal policy again. The tolls are to be abolished more for their benefit than for that of anybody else, and if they are ready to annul the effect of the abolition, why so much the worse for themselves. In any case, the Government might provide against any increase in steamship rates consequent on the abolition of canal tolls. There is, however, but little fear of the companies repeating their error in this regard, for, as Captain Gaskin pointed out, there is too much steamship competition at present to admit of such steps being repeated. In this agitation for free canals it must not be considered that Montreal alone is interested. The question is one of much wider importance and significance, and it is one of national moment to local interest. Montreal alone will not suffer from a decrease or extinction of the grain trade, but the whole country along the St. Lawrence route. The following incident will be proof sufficient of this contention. Yesterday afternoon a deputation of the citizens of Kingston waited upon the Premier previous to his departure for the capital and laid before him their position as affected by the present stagnation, or rather blockade, in the grain trade. They discussed the question from a local standpoint, stating that about 10,000 vessels visited the city annually; that they caused to be spent about half a million dollars; that a large number of people depended for a living upon the forwarding companies; that if the tolls were not taken off vessels would not come to this port; that the forwarding companies would have to lay up their boats, and that these results would be disastrous. It is clear from this that the country at large is interested in having free canals—a free route through Canadian territory to the Atlantic. The Government should neither hesitate nor delay in granting it.

THE ONTARIO MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

We invite the attention of our readers to a perusal of the fourteenth annual statement of the Ontario Mutual Life, which we publish this week, and from which all well-wishers of this popular Company will be pleased to learn that another year's prosperous business has been experienced, notwithstanding the depression which existed in most branches of trade during the Company's fiscal year, ending Dec. 31st, 1883.

It will be observed that the number of policies now in force is 5,241, covering assurance to the amount of \$6,572,719.71, and that, after making provision for all liabilities in the Actuaries' table of mortality, and 4 per cent. interest—a standard higher, we believe, than that of any other Canadian company—there remains a net surplus to the credit of its policy-holders, of no less a sum than \$43,711.65.

The growth of this company from its establishment in 1870 up to the present time has been of the most satisfactory character, showing that its affairs have been uniformly conducted with the greatest prudence and economy, while its management has been, at all times, marked by a degree of vigor and progressiveness, which has not only deserved, but commanded success, alike creditable to its founders, its board of directors, its officers, and its staff of agents.

Starting without any capital and depending on the excellence of its plans alone, the company has, within the comparatively brief period of fourteen years, attained dimensions which entitle it to take its place among the best, largest, and most successful life companies of Canada; and this is due, in a great measure, to the promptitude with which the company has always paid its death losses on the completion of the claim papers, and without availing itself, in any case, since its organization, of the sixty or ninety days of grace which most companies take in the settlement of their losses. We have much pleasure in recommending The Ontario Mutual Life as a company thoroughly honest, financially sound, honorable in its dealings, and every way worthy of the patronage of intending insurers.

THE BIRTH-RATE OF THE DOMINION.

The most interesting chapter in the second volume of the Dominion census for 1881, which has been issued only quite recently, is undoubtedly that which deals with the birth rate among our diversified and scattered population. The statistics of the natural increase of the Canadian people are based on the returns obtained for the twelve months ending April 1st, 1881. They are in the main satisfactory and promising, giving Canada a medium place between the heaviest and lightest-

Allan Line.

Under Contract with the Government of Canada and Newfoundland for the conveyance of the CANADIAN and UNITED STATES Mails.

1884—Winter Arrangements—1884

Table listing ship names, destinations, and dates for the Allan Line.

THE STEAMERS OF THE ALLAN LINE... Sailing from Liverpool every THURSDAY, and from Halifax every SATURDAY.

FROM HALIFAX: Caspian... Saturday, Mar. 29; Sardinian... Saturday, Apr. 5; Polynesian... Saturday, Apr. 12.

FROM BALTIMORE: Sardinian... Tuesday, April 8; Caspian... Tuesday, April 22.

GLASGOW LINE: During the season of Winter Navigation, a steamer will be despatched each week from Glasgow for Portland or Boston.

FROM BOSTON: Prussian... Saturday, Mar. 29; Waldensian... Tuesday, April 3; Grecian... Saturday, April 12.

THROUGH BILLS OF LADING: granted at Liverpool and Glasgow, and at Continental Ports to all points in the United States and Canada.

Via Boston, Portland or Halifax: Connections by the Intercolonial and Grand Trunk Railways via Halifax and by the Central Vermont and Grand Trunk Railways.

For Freight, passage or other information apply to John M. Currie, 21 Rue Quai d'Orleans, Paris.

DR. KANNON: C.M.M.D., M.C.I.S. Late of Children's Hospital, New York, and St. Peter's Hospital, Albany, etc.

DR. J. L. LEPROHON: OFFICE AND RESIDENCE 257 ST. ANTOINE STREET. February 2nd, 1884.

206 THE SCIENCE OF LIFE BY MAIL POST-PAID. KNOW THYSELF. A Great Medical Work on Earhood.

Exhausted Vitality, Nervous and Physical Debility, Premature Decline in Man, Errors of Youth, and the untold miseries resulting from indigestion or excesses. A book for every man, young, middle-aged and old.

It is a member of society to whom this book will be useful, whether youth, parent, guardian, instructor or clergyman.

A PERFECTLY RELIABLE ARTICLE OF HOUSEHOLD USE IS THE COOK'S FRIEND BAKING POWDER.

It is a preparation of PURE and HEALTHY ingredients, used for the purpose of RAISING and SHORTENING, calculated to do the BEST WORK AT LEAST possible COST.

HEALTH FOR ALL HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. This Great Remedy is sold in all the principal cities of the world.

FOR THE CURE OF Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, Old Wounds, Sores and Ulcers! It is an infallible remedy.

DESTRUCTOR OF HAIR! ALEX. ROSS' DEPILATORY Removes hair from the face, neck and arms without injury.

THE NUTMEG CARD CO. CLINTON, Conn., send 50 nice Chromo Cards with name on for 10 cents.

MEENEY & COMPANY WEST TROY, N. Y., BELLS favorably known to the public since 1840.

BUCKEYE BELL FOUNDRY. Bells of all sizes, cast in the best manner.

MEENEY BELL COMPANY. The Best Grade of Chu ch Bells. Greatest Experience. Largest Trade.

MESHANE BELL FOUNDRY. Manufacture these celebrated Bells and Chimes for Churches, Towers, etc.

LSL CAPITAL PRIZE, - \$150,000. We do hereby certify that the drawings made for the Louisiana State Lottery Company...

UNPRECEDENTED ATTRACTION! OVER HALF A MILLION DISTRIBUTED. Louisiana State Lottery Company.

Extraordinary Semi-Annual Drawing IN THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC, NEW ORLEANS, TUESDAY, JUNE 17, 1884.

Table of prizes for the Louisiana State Lottery Company drawing.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES: 1 GRAND PRIZE OF \$150,000; 2 GRAND PRIZES OF \$25,000; 4 GRAND PRIZES OF \$10,000.

POSTAL NOTES and ordinary letters by Mail or Express at the rate of 50 cents per 100 lbs.

NOTICE: The Canada Advertising Agency, No. 24 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. Boucher, Manager.

CONJUNCTION: A Bill will be presented to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec at its next Session.

IRON LEVIES: A New Discovery. For several years we have furnished the Dominion of America with an excellent metal color for buttons.

MR. BLAKE'S GREAT SPEECH: ORANGE INCORPORATION BILL. 24 PAGE PAMPHLET. PRICE, 5 CENTS.

MR. BLAKE'S GREAT SPEECH: PRINTING & PUBLISHING COMPANY. MONTREAL.

JACOBS OIL THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY FOR PAIN. Cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Headache, Toothache.

THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY FOR PAIN. Cures Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Headache, Toothache.

GOING WEST. ONLY LINE RUNNING TWO THROUGH TRAINS DAILY FROM CHICAGO, PEORIA & ST. LOUIS.

TOURISTS AND HEALTH-SEEKERS should not forget the fact that Round Trip Tickets are sold at reduced rates.

CITY OF MEXICO, HOME-SEEKERS. Could also mention that this line has been selected by the Government.

MONARCH HORSE HOE AND CULTIVATOR COMBINED. For Hoed and Working Potatoes, Corn, Onions, Beets, Cabbage, Turnips, etc.

WILL CURE OR RELIEVE: BILIOUSNESS, DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, NAUSEA, ERYTHELEMA, SALT RHEUM, HEARTBURN, HEADACHE, OF THE SKIN.

MONARCH HORSE HOE: An immense saving of labor and money. No guarantee a boy can outhoe and hoe and hit potatoes, corn, etc.

WAGYARDS' PECTORAL PAIN-SAM: AN ELEGANT AND REFRESHING FRUIT LOZANGE for Cough, Hoarseness, Headache, Indigestion, etc.

WAGYARDS' PECTORAL PAIN-SAM: A WHOLESOME CURATIVE. NEEDED IN Every Family.

WAGYARDS' PECTORAL PAIN-SAM: AN ELEGANT AND REFRESHING FRUIT LOZANGE for Cough, Hoarseness, Headache, Indigestion, etc.

WAGYARDS' PECTORAL PAIN-SAM: A WHOLESOME CURATIVE. NEEDED IN Every Family.

WAGYARDS' PECTORAL PAIN-SAM: AN ELEGANT AND REFRESHING FRUIT LOZANGE for Cough, Hoarseness, Headache, Indigestion, etc.

WAGYARDS' PECTORAL PAIN-SAM: A WHOLESOME CURATIVE. NEEDED IN Every Family.

WAGYARDS' PECTORAL PAIN-SAM: AN ELEGANT AND REFRESHING FRUIT LOZANGE for Cough, Hoarseness, Headache, Indigestion, etc.

CURE FOR HYDROPHOBIA. M. PASTEUR'S WONDERFUL DISCOVERY OF THE EFFICIENCY OF INOCULATION—EXPERIMENTS WITH ANIMALS.

PARIS, May 21.—M. Louis Pasteur, the celebrated French chemist, claims to have made a discovery of the most vital importance.

After the late, as is well known, has been more or less effective, but from to-day anybody bitten by a mad dog has only to present himself at the laboratory of the Ecole Normale.

Then with the virus already weakened in intensity taken from this monkey I inoculated a second monkey.

Then with the virus from the first rabbit I inoculated a second rabbit, and there was another increase in the intensity of the virus.

But my discovery does not end here. I took two dogs and inoculated them both with virus taken directly from a dog that had just died of acute hydrophobia.

M. Pasteur, whose researches in the zoon theory are known to, and keenly watched by, scientific men, followed with interest by the public throughout the world.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

THE DOGS. The dogs used by M. Pasteur are provided from the Paris pound, or *fourrière*, in the Rue de Poissy, and cost him two francs a head.

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND. IS A POSITIVE CURE. For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

For all of these Painful Complaints and Weaknesses so common to our best FEMALE POPULATION. IS A POSITIVE CURE.

ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

Report of the For Pupils of the College...

To His Excellency, the Right Hon. Father Tugnon...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ONTARIO MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the company...

The volume of new business is again in excess...

Our cash income for the year is composed...

The surplus to the credit of our policy holders...

We continue our comparative statement...

The annual report shows that the gross...

The company has completed its four...

At the meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

MURDER IN TORONTO.

Toronto, May 27.—A murder was perpetrated...

The fourteenth annual meeting of the company...

The volume of new business is again in excess...

Our cash income for the year is composed...

The surplus to the credit of our policy holders...

We continue our comparative statement...

The annual report shows that the gross...

The company has completed its four...

At the meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

RESULT OF AN IMPORTANT LAW SUIT.

London, May 27. Special Cable. In the suit...

The volume of new business is again in excess...

Our cash income for the year is composed...

The surplus to the credit of our policy holders...

We continue our comparative statement...

The annual report shows that the gross...

The company has completed its four...

At the meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

CITY BREADSTUFFS, DAIRY PRODUCTS AND PROVISIONS.

The flour market is remarkable for its dullness...

The volume of new business is again in excess...

Our cash income for the year is composed...

The surplus to the credit of our policy holders...

We continue our comparative statement...

The annual report shows that the gross...

The company has completed its four...

At the meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

OUR HABITS AND OUR CLIMATE.

All persons leading a sedentary and inactive life...

The volume of new business is again in excess...

Our cash income for the year is composed...

The surplus to the credit of our policy holders...

We continue our comparative statement...

The annual report shows that the gross...

The company has completed its four...

At the meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

At a meeting of the Board of Directors...

BRADLAUGH AND PEN ION BRANDS. A letter, May 27. In reply to a letter...

WEEKLY REVIEW WHOLESALE MARKETS. There are very few encouraging signs to be noted...

WEEKLY REVIEW WHOLESALE MARKETS. There are very few encouraging signs to be noted...

WEEKLY REVIEW WHOLESALE MARKETS. There are very few encouraging signs to be noted...

WEEKLY REVIEW WHOLESALE MARKETS. There are very few encouraging signs to be noted...

WEEKLY REVIEW WHOLESALE MARKETS. There are very few encouraging signs to be noted...

WANTED A CATHOLIC MAN. In which he resides, an acute eye...

THE VERY BEST NEEDLES, PINS, CROCHET HOOKS. THE VERY BEST TAPES, PRESSING BINDINGS, FLANNEL LININGS...

THE VERY BEST LIXEN BUTTONS, PEARL BUTTONS, WAIVE CLOTHS. THE VERY BEST SPOON BUCKS, DRESS SPEELS, WAIVE CLOTHS...

THE LONDON MARKET. Wheat, spring, 2 1/2 to 2 3/4; winter, 2 1/4 to 2 1/2...

THE CATTLE MARKET. The market for live stock of British origin is reported very quiet...

CATARRH. ANS DEPARTMENT OF THE THROAT, causing Inflammation of the Throat...

WITH FIVE DOLLARS YOU CAN BUY A WHOLE IMPERIAL AUSTRIAN VIENNA CITY GOVERNMENT BOND...

MADE PIANOFORTES. Tone, Touch, Workmanship, Durability. WILLIAM INGRAM & CO.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL. Some Very Ross, of the City and District of Montreal...