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POLITICAL HISTORY OF ARGENTEUIL.

In 1867, Hon. J. C. Abbott, Cons., elected by 98 majority; in 1872 by acclamation; in 1874, by a majority of 74. Mr. Abbott was unelected, and L. Cushing, Lib., was elected by 104 majority. Mr. Cushing was unelected and Dr. Christie, Lib., elected by acclamation.

In 1878 Dr. Christie Lib., elected by 49 majority. He was unelected and Mr. Abbott returned by a majority of 67. Mr. Abbott was unelected, but re-elected by a majority of 121.

In 1882, Hon. Mr. Abbott, Cons. elected by acclamation.

In 1887, J. C. Wilson Cons., elected by 210 majority.

In 1891, Dr. Christie, Lib., elected by 202 majority.

In 1896, Dr. T. Christie, Lib., was elected by 75 majority over Harry Abbott, Cons.

In 1900, Dr. T. Christie was elected by 329 majority over W. J. Simpson, Conservative.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. P. Lane of Montreal spent Sunday in Lachute.

Miss Jessie and Dr. Hugh McConnell spent Monday in Montreal.

Mr. J. S. Buchan of Montreal was in town on Wednesday.

Miss Lily Hampton was in Montreal on Sunday and Monday last.

Mr. E. Steyne of Montreal spent Sunday in Lachute.

Dr. Aylen of Grosse Isle was visiting friends in town this week.

Mr. E. H. Wilson returned on Tuesday last from a business trip to New York.

Miss Jessie Hamilton of Grenville was visiting friends in Lachute on Monday.

Miss Aggie Graham of Milan, Que., is the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Calder for a few days.

The Rev. J. H. Brock, was in Lachute on Wednesday to bid good bye to his friends, prior to his return to India.

Mr. George Rennie of Montreal spent Wednesday in Lachute visiting his many friends.

Mr. A. Morrison, of Montreal, organizer of the Royal Arcanum, was in town over Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. G. J. Walker attended a meeting of the Protestant Committee of Public Instruction held at Quebec on Friday last.

Mrs. J. Mitchell returned from Montreal on Monday last, after having passed a successful operation in Dr. Lockhart's Hospital.

A very successful social was held in the Presbyterian church on Friday last under the auspices of the Ladies Aid and the sum of \$26 raised.

The East Settlement folks are announcing a social to be held in Genoa on Thursday, December 11th 1902, to which all are invited: Admission 25 cents.

The Baptist Church have decided to hold their annual Christmas Tree Entertainment on Wednesday, Dec. 24th, to which all are invited. Collection in aid of expenses.

The Ladies of the Methodist church purpose holding an Apron Sale and Social on December 11th in their new School Room. Commencing at 3 o'clock. Refreshment and tea served at 6 o'clock.

The J. C. Wilson Co'y., are seeking incorporation with a capital of one million dollars and headquarters in Montreal, to take over the pulp and paper business now carried on by Messrs. J. C. Wilson & Co., of that city. The applicants are Messrs. W. W. C. Wilson, Frank H. Wilson, Edwin H. Wilson, of Montreal; Chas. McAdam, of Westmount, and Percival J. McIntosh, of New York.

Claudius, the fine Percheron stallion, which Mr. J. E. Arnold of Grenville purchased from Mr. T. Dobble three years ago, died on Sunday last from injuries received by Dandy Fred, the Burke horse, which broke loose in the stable and attacked Claudius. This is a grave loss to Mr. Arnold and to the county, but he intends purchasing another thoroughbred to replace his loss.

The result of the voting of Dec. 4th on the Referendum on the Ontario Liquor act show a majority of ballots cast in favor of prohibition but it is feared this will prove unavailing as the terms of the law under which the Referendum was held require not only a majority of votes, but a total vote in favor of the measure equal to one half of that cast in the general election of 1898.

HOUSE FOR SALE.—Double tenant brick house with kitchen. A never-failing well in kitchen. Stables also to the property. Apply to William Miller, St. Canute.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—1 Gladstone Sleigh, 1 Sofa. For estate late P. Lane Apply to—Wm. Banford.

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LACHUTE - - - QUE.

MR. T. CHRISTIE ELECTED.

The outcome of the contest which has been waged in this county for the past few weeks has resulted in a win for the son of the late Dr. Christie, by a substantial majority. That each side worked hard, has been evidenced for some time and as they both could not win, the conservatives must necessarily fall back with good grace and wish for "better luck next time." They have reason, however, to be encouraged at the returns, though they were not all that could be desired, yet the majority being reduced by some 133 votes is an indication that, had it been any other than a bye election, the results would have been materially favorable to the Conservative party. The majorities of the 1900 and 1902 contests are as follows:

	S.	C.	P.	C.
Lachute West	20	0	35	6
" Centre	0	50	0	30
" East	0	15	0	14
Walker's	0	82	0	89
Armstrong's	0	13	0	32
River Rouge	20	0	19	0
St. Andrews Town	0	28	0	7
Carillon	16	0	15	0
Davidson's	15	0	8	0
Cushing	8	0	0	23
Brownburg	0	45	0	39
Warwick's	0	21	0	8
Staynerville	0	51	0	43
Grenville Village	10	0	0	6
Crook's	51	51	9	0
Calumet	0	12	0	5
McPhee's, Avoca	0	5	3	0
Lost River	0	12	1	0
Shaw's	18	0	17	0
Montclair	22	0	16	0
Louis	3	0	4	0
St. Michel	0	11	Tie	
Laurel	25	0	11	19
Montfort	0	19	Tie	
Corn	38	0	41	0
Millie Isle	32	0	32	0
Morie	8	0	8	0
Howard	0	24	10	0
Arundel	0	70	0	39

Liberal majority in 1900—329.
Liberal majority in bye-election,
1902,—196.

THE CONSERVATIVE PARTY.

There are not wanting at the present moment many signs that the Conservative party of Canada is gaining in public confidence, and in esprit de corps, and this at a time when the party in power is shewing numerous indications of demoralization. His Majesty's Loyal Opposition is decidedly the better for having been forced for a few years out of the enervating atmosphere of power and patronage. The situation is one that is pregnant with opportunities for the Conservative party, but it is also one that presents some peculiar dangers. There is the danger that by indiscreet zeal or lack of vigilance it may lose all that it has gained by its ex-

perience in the cold shades of opposition. During that period its camp followers have to a large extent attached themselves to the enemy, and the party they left is the better for the desertion. The party to day stands for well-defined principles and has no reason to blush for its personnel. At a time like the present the natural temptation is to make compromises for the sake of gaining support. If the party is to retain the position it has gained in public estimation, there must be no compromises with objectionable principles.

It may lose the support of influential people by this attitude. Better to lose it.
It may possibly have to stay in opposition a little longer.
Better to stay in opposition for ten years to come than to abandon the principles it has always professed.

The very worst fault that can characterize a political party is opportunism, which is the negation of all principle, and it is one that has never characterized the Conservative party as a party. In office and in opposition, the party has been faithful to its avowed principles, to British connection, to the policy of protecting Canadian industries and to the maintenance of Canada's present political status.

Political opportunism has been justified by the instinct of self-preservation, and by the misleading maxim that "The Kings Government must be carried on." Self-preservation is not the first law of honour, and it is not indispensable that the Kings Government shall be carried on by any particular set of men.

If the Conservative party can only attain power and patronage at the price of compromise with principle, by all means let it remain in opposition. To be in opposition is not the greatest of evils that can befall a party.

Were the Conservative party to get into power to-morrow as the result of any unworthy compromise, that would be a greater misfortune than being in opposition.

Mr. Borden has the opportunity, and we hope he has the ambition to lead a great party that will stand for something in the public estimation; that will represent well defined principles, about which there can be no shadow of uncertainty; led by men who will command public esteem and confidence. Such a party will not need to scheme its way into power by corruption, by ballot-box frauds or by opportunism. The country will turn to it naturally at the first chance and meanwhile the party will at least preserve its self respect—Star

A FEW POULTRY POINTERS.

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- 2—Bleed thoroughly and pluck clean, leaving on the head and feet, as well as the feathers on wings and tails.
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" - 8.57 p.m.]

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Municipality of Arundel.

By-Law, No. 14.

At an adjourned general session of the Municipal Council of Arundel, convened by special notice issued by the Secretary-Treasurer, and held at the usual place on the 15th day of November 1902, conformity with the provisions of the Municipal Code of the Province of Quebec at which are present, W. D. Graham, A. B. Filion, James Riddle, George Monroie and Rodrick LaTour, forming a quorum of the Council under the presidency of Mr. Mayor W. D. Graham, the other councillors who were absent, viz: Joseph Boyd and Alfred Stanforth having, as verified, received notice of the convening of this Session. It is ordered and determined by by-law of the Council as follows:—

1.—That the construction of a bridge over the River Rouge, within the limits of this Municipality, at or near Huberdeau Crossing and extending from some part of lot No. 17 of the third range on Eastern Shore, to Lot No. 20 of the 3rd range on the Western shore of the said river, is a matter of general interest and necessity to the ratepayers of this Municipality.

2.—That the sum of \$3,500. is hereby voted and granted for the purpose of assisting any incorporated company, or any person, or firm of persons, who may undertake the construction of the said bridge, in conformity with this by-law.

3.—That the said bridge shall be constructed upon the plans and specifications to be provided by the Engineer of the Department of Public Works and Colonization of the Province of Quebec, and at the place to be designated by him, and the construction of the said bridge and all expenditure thereon, shall at all times be subject to the control approval and supervision of the said engineer; and the municipality shall only pay over the said grant, or any part thereof, when the bridge has been finally accepted by the said engineer, or at any time or times previous thereto, when he shall have recommended a part payment thereof;

4.—That any aid to be granted by the Provincial Government, or by any of the departments thereof, shall likewise be applied to the construction of the said bridge;

5.—The sum of \$500.00 provided by certain interested parties shall likewise be used in the construction of the said bridge.

6.—That the incorporated company, or firm of person or persons, who shall undertake the construction of the said bridge shall be named and selected by a resolution of the Municipal Council of Arundel, and shall enter into a written contract, embodying the terms of this by-law;

7.—That the said bridge shall, when constructed, be a free bridge, or that only such tolls shall be collected for passing thereon, as may be approved and sanctioned by the Municipal Council of Arundel, and on such terms and conditions as may be stipulated by the said Council;

8.—That the Municipality of Arundel, through its Municipal Council, shall have the right at any time after the construction of the said bridge, to take over the possession and property thereof, upon payment to the said incorporated company, or firm of person or persons, the amount actually expended by them over and above the grant hereby voted

and the grant or grants by the Provincial Government, or department or departments thereof above referred to, and the amount of the subscription above referred to;

9.—That the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer are hereby authorized to sign all deeds, documents, agreements, obligations, debentures, and promissory notes, necessary for the carrying out of the purposes of this by-law and from time to time, to borrow in the name of the corporation, upon resolution passed by the Municipal Council at any regular or special meeting thereof; such sum or sums as may be required not exceeding the said sum of three thousand five hundred dollars, at a rate not exceeding five per cent per annum;

10.—That for the purpose of the said grant there shall be issued, at the discretion of Municipal Council as evidenced by resolution passed at any ordinary or special meeting thereof, ten debentures of this Municipality one of which shall be payable each year counting from the issue thereof, at the Bank of Montreal in the City of Montreal, each of which shall be for the sum of \$350.00 bearing interest at a rate not greater than 5 p.c. per annum; provided that the said grant is not raised in the manner indicated in Section 9 of this by-law; the said debentures to be signed for and on behalf of the Municipality by the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer;

11.—That tenders for the purchase of the said debenture, if issued, shall be asked by advertisement published in two daily newspapers of the City of Montreal, during one week;

12.—That the Council may accept by resolution, any one of the tenders for said debentures, at any regular or special meeting;

13.—That for the purpose of meeting the capital and interest of any loans made under this by-law, or any of the debentures as they fall due, there shall be an t there is hereby imposed upon the rateable property in said Municipality, according to the valuation roll, and over and above all other rates and assessments a special rate and assessment of five mills in the dollar, which said special rate and assessment shall be levied and collected yearly at the same as the other taxes, and every year until such loans or debentures be fully paid.

14.—The Secretary Treasurer shall each year until the final payment, or redemption of all the said loans or debentures make a special collection roll, apportioning on the taxable property subject thereto, according to their respective values as shown on the valuation roll, the amount of the tax imposed for the redemption or the loan or loans or debentures the interest due thereon in each year and the cost and charges in connection with the passing of this by-law and shall duly collect the same according to law. That the Mayor and the Secretary Treasurer are authorized to act for the Municipality in so far as concerns any details not herein provided for.

15.—That a poll of the electors of the Municipality, who are real estate proprietors shall be held, as by law provided, for the purpose of ratifying this by-law, or annulling the same.

Duly read and passed at Arundel in the Municipality of Arundel on this fifteenth day of November 1902.

(CERTIFIED TRUE COPY).

WM. THOMSON, Sec-Treas.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

Wm. Thomson

OBITUARY.

Copied from The Ocala Evening Star.

The death of Rev. W. W. Jones, which occurred Monday morning, was a surprise and a severe shock to every one. He was a personal friend of old and young. He had been apparently so much better that no one was prepared for his going. Only one daughter, Mrs. Chaffler, her husband and his faithful wife were permitted to be with him at the last. The funeral services, which were obliged to be held Monday evening, were conducted by Dr. Farris. The large attendance of neighbors and friends and beautiful flowers proved the affectionate place he held in our hearts. Of such as he, it is a comfort and blessing to know. He has only gone before. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints."

Mrs. Jones, a native and former resident of this place, is a daughter of the late Thos. Jackson and sister of John Jackson and Mrs. Hugh Fraser, jr., of Lachute.

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 A very enthusiastic political meeting was held in the school house on Monday afternoon, both parties being well represented.
 Leonard Tomalty, son of Mr. James Tomalty, was removed to the Hospital in Montreal on Thursday of last week to be treated by a specialist on a disease of the throat.
 Miss Maggie Stewart left again for Montreal last week after spending a few weeks pleasantly at home.
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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Alex. Forbes of Montreal is spending a short visit in town.

Miss Jessie McAdam spent a few days at home this week.

Miss Titman of Montreal is the guest of her sister Mrs. J. S. Giles.

The Misses Rowards returned from a visit to New York on Thursday last.

The McKimble Brothers, expect to have the rink in shape for skating on Saturday.

Dr. Hugh McConnell has removed his dentistry parlors to his beautiful new residence on Main St. opposite that of Dr. Christie.

The Rev. Mr. Rowworth of Grande Ligne was the guest of Mrs. T. Jousse over Sunday and occupied the pulpit of the Baptist Church at both services.

Owing to the serious indisposition of Rev. W. Ramey the Methodist Church was closed on Sunday evening the morning service being conducted by Rev. Dr. Paterson.

The Baptist Church have decided to hold their annual Christmas Tree Entertainment on Wednesday, Dec. 24th, to which all are invited. Collection in aid of expenses.

Mr. Hubert Kearns has purchased the Victoria Hall from the Sun Life Ins. Co'y. for the sum of \$750.00. It is his intention to put the hall in thorough repair and make it comfortable for any public gatherings concerts etc, which the citizens generally will be much pleased to hear.

Anniversary Missionary Services will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday. The Rev. Thomas Griffith M.A., Ph. A. will preach at both services. Dr. Griffith, at present pastor of Douglas Church, Montreal has won by his eloquence and faithful services a foremost place in the Christian Church in this county. A good attendance is expected.

Mr. A. D. Kennedy represented the Lachute Hockey Club at the meeting in Oshawa on Saturday last and was appointed Secretary of the League for the coming year. The many friends of the Rockland Boys will be sorry to learn they are not in the contest this year but we are assured they will always find a welcome in Lachute if they favor us with an occasional visit. The first game in Lachute will be with Buckingham on January 10th.

LADIES HOCKEY CLUB BANQUET.

On Friday last in the Victoria Hall a most enjoyable evening was spent by the Ladies Hockey Club and their invited guests. The chair was occupied by the ever popular president of the Senior Hockey Club, Mr. A. D. Kennedy, who fulfilled the duties in his usual happy fashion. Toasts were drunk after the supper and were fittingly responded to by Messrs. Truell, Hugman, Heavysege, Joss, and Periard, and Misses McGibbon, Heavysege and Hampton. The dancing of Miss Jennie Winch, the violin duets by Violet Joss and H. Kearns, Jr., were executed in excellent style and Mr. B. Hugman told in verse the story of Pat and the Quaker. The ladies of the Hockey Club deserve congratulations for providing a most enjoyable evening which was closed soon after midnight. It was as good as playing hockey as they are at entertaining, they will surely have a very successful season, 1902-3.

BIRTH.

WADE—At Grenville, Que., on Nov. 28, 1902, a son to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wade.

DEATH.

THOMPSON—At Geneva on Dec. 16 th. Ralph Edward, infant son of William Thompson Aged 8 months and 15 days.

MARRIAGE.

MARSIL-GROULX—At the Roman Catholic church, on December 1st, 1902, George Marsil, Notary Public of Garden, Mich., to Miss Donald Groulx, of this place.

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COUNTY COUNCIL.

The regular quarterly meeting of the above council was held on Wednesday last at which were present Warden Strong, and councillors Dunbar, Smith, Christie, Hodge & Woods, and Sec.-Treas. G. J. Walker.

The valuation roll for the different municipalities in the county made in 1902 were confirmed as they stood.

Resolved, that the furnace placed in Court House by Mr. Dorion of St. Andrews be approved of, and the sec. treas. instructed to pay for same and charge amount to council.

The passing of a by-law to pay the indebtedness due by the council was discussed. The secretary having prepared a draft of one, as requested at last meeting. The same was left over till the next meeting.

The financial statement as read by the Secretary was approved. The Secretary was instructed to advertise for tenders for 35 cords of wood, for use of Court House.

Mr. Calder's offer for caretaking of Court House and heating of room for meetings of County Council was accepted.

DR. STACKHOUSE'S PROPERTY IN RUINS.

One of the most serious conflagrations which has visited Lachute for some time occurred on Wednesday morning, and what was one of the prettiest and most ornamental blocks in town, the property of Dr. Stackhouse, is now a smouldering mass of ruins. Had Mrs. Dr. Stackhouse not awoke when she did, the inmates would have surely been suffocated in their beds. It was shortly after 4 o'clock, when Mrs. Stackhouse was awakened by the heavy smoke and hastily aroused Dr. Arthur, who ran down stairs and encountered the dead body of their little dog lying at the door. Recognizing that life was in danger he first secured a ladder and rescued Mrs. Stackhouse and the servant from their critical situation. Willing hands were soon at work and manfully strove to curb the fire, but it was soon discovered that the house was doomed, and all efforts were then directed toward the adjoining properties. The fire crept into the one occupied by Mr. Hugman, and in a very short time was completely gutted. Fortunately there was little wind or the consequences would have been far more serious. It is not positively known how the fire originated, but it is generally supposed that it was caused by an explosion of

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worked with such energy to control the fire, among the foremost of which figured the old veta, Beers and Carpenter. The loss is estimated at about \$14,000 and is fairly covered by insurance. It is the intention of Dr. Stackhouse to re-build in the spring.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Editor of the Watchman,
Sir:--

I wish to thank, through you, all the friends who gave me such hearty support during the recent contest in Argenteuil. As the Government had decided to win this election at any cost, we could hardly hope to prevent them from doing so, but I believe that with proper work and organization a Conservative can be returned for Argenteuil at the next general election.

Yours Truly,

George A. Perley.

MOUNT MAPLE

Mrs. James Tomalty is visiting in Montreal at present.

Miss Ada Armstrong spent Saturday and Sunday at home with her parents in Lachute.

We regret to say that as yet no very favorable reports of Mr. Lennie Tomalty's illness has reached us, he being still in Montreal undergoing treatment for some trouble in his throat. We hope he will soon be with us again, when all will say with one accord, welcome back, Lennie.

A Christmas Tree is in progress to be held in Mount Maple school, on Monday, December 22nd, the young people are having a merry time getting it up and hope the friends will all come and help to make the evening bright.

The cold weather of this week reminds us of the real old frosty Christmas times in years gone by, some frozen cars and horses have been reported, but all such discomforts are forgotten when the merry chime of the sleigh bells sound and one and all are ready for a drive.

Remember the Bazaar to be held at the Maize on Tuesday, Dec. 16th

A Christmas Tree will be held in the Church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 23rd.

Miss Rita Houghton of Montreal, is the guest of Miss Murdoch.

RIVER ROUGE.

W. G. Rodger and daughter are visiting Mrs. J. Knox, Hawkesbury.

Mr. F. Mitz paid a flying visit to friends in Riviere Rouge.

Miss Jessie Albright is the guest of Mr. H. McQuat.

Miss Emma Burwash spent Saturday and Sunday last with her parents.

Mr. D. Bradley spent Thursday and Friday with his brother.

Miss Hattie Hooker is visiting friends in River Rouge before leaving for California to visit her brother, F. W. Hooker.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC. Municipality of Arundel. By-Law, No. 14.

At an adjourned general session of the Municipal Council of Arundel, convened by special notice issued by the Secretary-Treasurer, and held at the usual place on the 15th day of November 1902, conformity with the provisions of the Municipal Code of the Province of Quebec, at which are present, W. D. Graham, A. B. Filion, James, Riddle, George Moneroff and Rodrick La tour, forming a quorum of the Council under the presidency of Mr. Mayor W. D. Graham, the other councillors who were absent, viz: Joseph Boyd and Alfred Stenstrom having, as verified, received notice of the convening of this Session. It is ordered and determined by by-law of the Council as follows:--

- 1.—That the construction of a bridge over the River Rouge, within the limits of this Municipality, at or near Huberdean Crossing and extending from some part of lot No. 17 of the third range on Eastern Shore, to Lot No. 20 of the 3rd. range on the Western shore of the said river, is a matter of general interest and necessity to the ratepayers of this Municipality.
- 2.—That the sum of \$5,500. is hereby voted and granted for the purpose of assisting any incorporated company, or any person, or firm of persons, who may undertake the construction of the said bridge, in conformity with this by-law.
- 3.—That the said bridge shall be constructed upon the plans and specifications to be provided by the Engineer of the Department of Public Works and Colonization of the Province of Quebec, and at the place to be designated by him, and the construction of the said bridge and all expenditures thereon, shall at all times be subject to the control approval and supervision of the said engineer; and the municipality shall only pay over the said grant, or any part thereof, when the bridge has been finally accepted by the said engineer, or at any time or times previous thereto, when he shall have recommended a part payment thereof;
- 4.—That any aid to be granted by the Provincial Government, or by any of the departments thereof, shall likewise be applied to the construction of the said bridge;
- 5.—The sum of \$500.00 promised by certain interested parties shall likewise be used in the construction of the said bridge.
- 6.—That the incorporated company, or firm of person or persons, who shall undertake the construction of the said bridge shall be named and selected by a resolution of the Municipal Council of Arundel, and shall enter into a written contract, embodying the terms of this by-law;
- 7.—That the said bridge shall, when constructed, be a free bridge, or that only such tolls shall be collected for passing thereon, as may be approved and sanctioned by the Municipal Council of Arundel, and on such terms and conditions as may be stipulated by the said Council;
- 8.—That the Municipality of Arundel, through its Municipal Council, shall have the right at any time after the construction of the said bridge, to take over the possession and property thereof, upon payment to the said incorporated company, or firm of person or persons, the amount actually expended by them over and above the grant hereby voted

and the grant or grants by the Provincial Government, or department or departments thereof above referred to, and the amount of the subscription above referred to;

9.—That the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer are hereby authorized to sign all deeds, documents, agreements, obligations, debentures, and promissory notes, necessary for the carrying out of the purposes of this by-law and from time to time, to borrow in the name of the corporation, upon resolution passed by the Municipal Council at any regular or special meeting thereof; such sum or sums as may be required not exceeding the said sum of three thousand and five hundred dollars, at a rate not exceeding five per cent per annum;

10.—That for the purpose of the said grant there shall be issued, at the discretion of Municipal Council as evidenced by resolution passed at any ordinary or special meeting thereof, ten debentures of this Municipality each of which shall be payable each year commencing from the issue thereof, at the Bank of Montreal in the City of Montreal, each of which shall be for the sum of \$350.00 bearing interest at a rate not greater than 5 p.c. per annum; provided that the said grant is not raised in the manner indicated in Section 9 of this by-law; the said debentures to be signed for and on behalf of the Municipality by the Mayor and Secretary-Treasurer;

11.—That tenders for the purchase of the said debenture, if issued, shall be asked by advertisement published in two daily newspapers of the City of Montreal, during one week;

12.—That the Council may accept by resolution, any one of the tenders for said debentures, at any regular or special meeting;

13.—That for the purpose of meeting the capital and interest of any loans made under this by-law, or any of the debentures as they fall due, there shall be and there is hereby imposed upon the rateable property in said Municipality, according to the valuation roll, and over and above all other rates and assessments a special rate and assessment of five mills in the dollar, which said special rate and assessment shall be levied and collected yearly at the same as the other taxes, and every year until such loans or debentures be fully paid.

14.—The Secretary Treasurer shall each year until the final payment, or redemption of all the said loans or debentures make a special collection roll, apportioning on the taxable properties subject thereto, according to their respective values as shown on the valuation roll, the amount of the tax imposed for the redemption or the loan or loans or debentures the interest due thereon in each year and the cost and charges in connection with the passing of this by-law and shall duly collect the same according to law. That the Mayor and the Secretary Treasurer are authorized to act for the Municipality in so far as concerns any details not herein provided for.

15.—That a poll of the electors of the Municipality, who are real estate proprietors shall be held, as by law provided, for the purpose of ratifying this by-law, or annulling the same.

Duly read and passed at Arundel the Municipality of Arundel on this fifteenth day of November, 1902.

(CERTIFIED TRUE COPY). WM. THOMSON, Sec-Treas.

LOUISA

What is most needed now is traffic, as there is plenty of snow.

Messrs. Hiram Watchorn, and Bert Matthews, paid a visit to Lachute on Saturday.

Mr. C. M. Mathews is home from Montreal on a visit to his parents.

We are looking forward to the tea-meeting to come off in Louisa L. O. Hall at Xmas.

Miss Maudie E. Seale was the welcome guest of Miss Lizzie Matthews on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tomalty were in Lachute on Saturday.

Mr. Jack Stewart passed through here last week, en route to his home in Mount Maple.

Our popular teacher, Miss Jane McVicar, visited at her home on Friday and Saturday.

The young people of Louisa are looking forward with interest to the Bazaar, which they expect to come off shortly in Dalesville.

Mr. David Rowe has again gone in to work in McGibbon's shanty, (Camp No. 1.)

Mr. Jack Watchorn was in Dalesville on Saturday.

Mr. John Shorburn visited Mrs. L. Robinson's the latter part of last week. Mr. P. Cruise and Miss Nellie, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Seale on Saturday.

Mr. Bert. Matthews visited friends in Dunany last week.

Mr. John Boyd has completed his cottage and expects to remain in Louisa for the winter.

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4.40 p.m.—
For St. Jerome, Montreal, Ste. Agathe, Joliette, etc.

6.07 p.m.—
For Stonfield, Hawkesbury, etc.

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7.25 a.m. & 4.40 p.m.—
From Stonfield, etc., etc.

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From Joliette, St. Jerome, Montreal, etc.

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Miss S. Williamson of Montreal is guest at St. Mungo's Manor.

Miss Maude Veitch of Lachute is visiting at Mr. C. C. Cooke's.

Messrs. T. Weir & Sons have placed their tug, the "Maggie May," in winter quarters at Greco's Point.

Mr. Robert Pinkerton is also home, being released from his duties on the Canillon Lock by the close of navigation.

Mr. S. Whelehan of Lachute is spending a couple of weeks very pleasantly with his friends in Cushing.

We are pleased to observe the stalwart and familiar form of Mr. J. O. Noyes, chief engineer of the Str. Harb., once more in our midst, he having arrived last week to spend the winter with his family here as usual.

Miss Hodgson and her pupils of No. 2, School, gave a very enjoyable concert on Friday evening, Nov. 26th, which was attended by a number of the parents and friends of the children.

The young people of Stonefield are practicing for a concert and Xmas Tree to be held in the school-house there in the evening of Friday Dec. 19th. Admission 15c.

Mr. Leslie Hartley has left to spend the winter at Montfort much to the regret of his numerous friends in Cushing. Mr. Chris. Hartley was home last week in order to exercise his right at the poll as one of the free and independent electors of Argenteuil.

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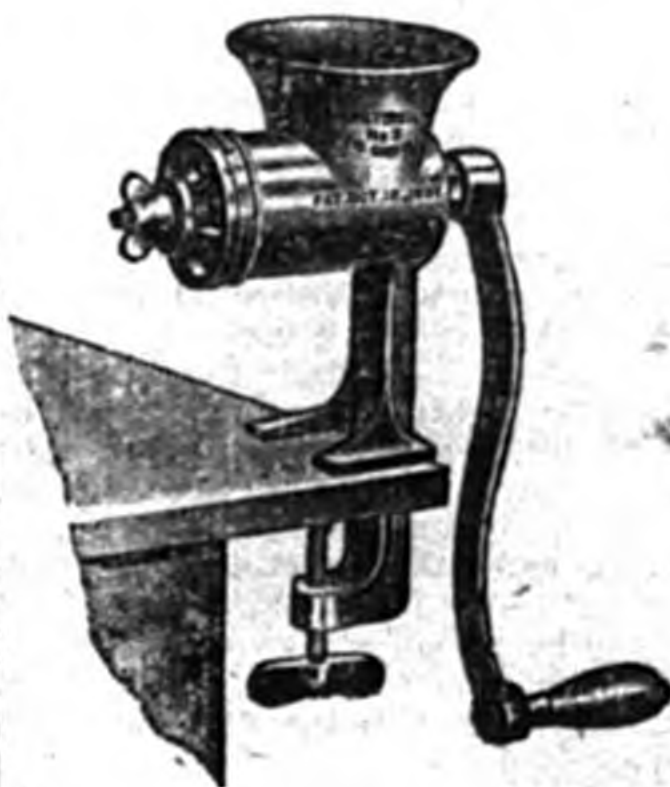
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of Dr. Stackhouse during the fire, are
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of people. If same are not returned
within on week action will be taken.

Ladies Jackets.—The Newest Styles
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LOCAL NEWS

Miss B. Stanforth, of Montreal,
spent yesterday with friends in town

Mr. Jas. T. Griffith returned on
Friday from a business trip in Que-
bec.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard of Browns-
burg left this morning for Halifax,
where they will spend a short holiday

Dr. Stackhouse has opened his
dental office at Mrs. Painter's
rooms recently occupied by Dr.
Alexander.

Mrs. and Miss Hugman were the
guests of Mrs. Raney on Wednesday
last and left for Montreal the follow-
ing day.

Dr. J. M. Harper, Inspector of Su-
perior Schools for the Province of
Quebec paid a visit to Lachute Acad-
emy on Monday and Tuesday last.

The ladies of St. Simeons Church
held a most successful sale of work
in Ralt's Hall yesterday and had the
satisfaction of realizing over \$100, as
the result of their labors.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist
Church held an apron sale on Thurs-
day last at which the sum of \$ 0. w s
was raised towards the new School-room
Fund.

Mr. Omer Paquette wishes to in-
form the public that he has a splendid
play of beautiful persimmons, pipes,
tobaccos, etc., on hand for the Christ-
mas trade.

We are sorry to announce that Dr.
Stephen Stackhouse, of Montreal,
son of Dr. B. S. Stackhouse, was
taken to the hospital Sunday after-
noon suffering from typhoid fever.

The Hockey Club are inviting you
to the first match of the season which
is to take place next Saturday. The
"Westmounts" of Montreal are an
intermediate team and will ensure a
good lively game.

The Baptist Church have decided
to hold their annual Christmas Tree
Entertainment on Wednesday, Dec.
24th, to which all are invited.
Collection in aid of expenses.

CARD OF THANKS.—To all the kind
friends who assisted at the fire, and
for the sympathy extended to me in
my great loss, I feel deeply grateful,
and ask all to accept my sincere
thanks.—Dr. B. S. Stackhouse.

Santa Claus has already made his
appearance in this town to a good
many, and acting under the instruc-
tions of Mr. Ed. Wilson did not forget
the Hockey Club, for they are the
recipients of a substantial present,
consisting of a complete set of sweat-
ers for the Club of which Mr. Wilson
has always been an ardent supporter
and we are sure the members will
greatly appreciate his generosity.

Quite a stir is on foot at present
over the municipal elections and by
present appearances some of the
fighting trim used in the last political
contest will be required. Nomination
papers are already out and largely
signed for Mr. J. E. Valois and Mr.
H. Slater as Mayor, and papers are
also circulated for Messrs. P. Lafleur
G. Hay, H. Ayers and H. Teasler to
replace Messrs. C. Charlebois, W. H.
Garretsee, J. Cruise and J. Gibeault
as councillors. It is early in the day
to surmise, but one thing sure, there
is to be lots of competition.

EAST-END WEDDING

On Wednesday afternoon of this
week at half past four, a very pretty
wedding took place at the home of
Mrs. Forbes, the occasion of the mar-
riage of her daughter, Lillian, to James
W. Gail, brother of the esteemed
Mayor of the town. A few close re-
latives were in attendance. The part
of groomsmen was most admirably sus-
tained by our genial merchant tailor,
Mr. A. D. Kennedy. The bride-maid
was Miss Annie B. Forbes, sister of
the bride. The quartette were in
charming attire and each in gleeful
mood. The presents amply testified to
the popularity of Miss Forbes. The
repart was all that could be desired.
Now for the West End.

BIRTH.

SMITH.—At Lachute, Que. on Tues-
day, Dec. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. S. E.
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Traveler — "You needn't make any extra preparations for my wife. The plaina the things are the better she likes them." Hotelkeeper — "Your wife seems passionately fond of you, sir!"

John — "It's an easy matter for a man to get married. All he has to do is to find a bigger fool than he is." Kate — "Yes, but it is rather difficult for some men to do that, I imagine."

THE STORY OF A PRISONER.

H. S. BARNES, OF RAT PORTAGE, TELLS OF THE TRIALS OF THE EARLY SETTLER

Suffered Terribly From Kidney Complaint, but Was Speedily Relieved and Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Rat Portage, Ont., Dec. 1.—(Special)—Everybody in Rat Portage knows H. S. Barnes, father of a former mayor, and one of the oldest inhabitants of the metropolis of New Ontario. Though seventy-nine years of age, Mr. Barnes looks younger than many men of many fewer years, and is possessed of wonderful vitality and activity.

A pioneer of this district, Mr. Barnes tells many tales of early life in the wilds of New Ontario, but none more interesting than the following:

"I was terribly troubled with Kidney Complaint. I suffered severely with pains across my back, and with a scalding, burning sensation when urinating that was very painful."

"Though I had little faith in proprietary medicines, I had a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills in the house that I had procured for my wife, and commenced taking them with good effect."

"It was not long till my acquaintances started to greet me on the street with 'Hello, Mr. Barnes, how young you are looking.' They were not astray. I felt smart too, and feel younger and in better health than I have been for years. My Kidney Complaint was completely cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills."

The houses in England, if placed in a straight line, would form a street with houses touching one another on both sides, nearly 14,000 miles long.

HOW ADVERTISING GROWS.

N. W. Ayer & Son, the "Keeping Everlastingly At It" Advertising Agents, of Philadelphia, have found it necessary to move into new and larger quarters at 300-308 Chestnut street in that city. This announcement will interest many publishers, because Ayer & Son are so widely known as promoters of newspaper publicity. They began business thirty-three years ago, with two people and an annual business of \$15,000. They now have one hundred and ninety employees, and have for years done the largest advertising business in the world. The difference between then and now is, they say, simply the result of making newspaper and magazine advertising pay their customers.

QUITE PROFESSIONAL.

A good story is told of an eminent K. C. By the way, very many good stories are told about him, but this is a new one.

One morning when he entered his office his clerk rose and said: "Sir a gentleman has just left here who wants you to undertake a case for him."

"Ah! and did you collect the regular retaining fee?"

"I only collected twenty-five guineas, sir."

The regular fee was fifty guineas, and the great advocate said: "But that was unprofessional; yes, very unprofessional."

"But, sir," said the clerk, apologetically, and anxious to exonerate himself from the charge, "I got all he had."

"Ah! said the other, with a different expression, "that was professional; yes, quite professional."

Worms bring to the surface as much as ten tons of soil per acre yearly.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, etc,

Results from common soaps: eczema, coarse hands, ragged clothes, shrunken flannels.

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Ask for the Octagon Bar

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FOR MAINTAINING ROBUST HEALTH IN COLD CLIMATES.

"This bell," said a well-meaning sexton, when showing the belfry of an interesting village church to a party of visitors, "is only rung in case of a fire, a flood, a visit from the lord bishop of the diocese, or any such calamities."

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Gratefully yours, ADELBERT LEFEBVRE, Mair's Mills, June 10th, 1899.

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20 MILLION BOTTLES SOLD EVERY YEAR.



CONQUERS PAIN

BRITONS WED BOER WOMEN.

Britons making South Africa their home are marrying Boer women. Two of these unions have just taken place at Port Elizabeth. The bridegrooms were stalwart members of the South African Constabulary and the brides genuine Boer maidens, who, with their imperfect knowledge of the English language, had some difficulty in getting through the marriage service. But this little hitch was overcome, and the girls looked happy as they drove away in their wedding carts. The vehicles were decorated with yellow ribbon, the ex-Free State color, while the horses were adorned with red, white and blue.

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removes all hard, soft or calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Ring Bone, Sweeney, Stiffles, Sprains, Sore and Swollen Throat, Coughs, etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted the most wonderful Blemish Cure ever known. Sold by all druggists.

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Minard's Liniment Cures Cargel in Cows.

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ST. PHILIPPE, QUE

CUSHING

Rev. Mr. Fraser attended the meeting of the Presbytery in Montreal last week.

Miss H. O'Brien and Miss Whelehan were in Lachute on Monday.

The Ladies Missionary Auxiliary met at Mr. J. B. Cushings on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. E. and Miss Katie Cooke, also Miss Maude Veitch and Mr. H. Canning of Stonfield visited friends at Calumet on Sunday last.

On Monday of last week a disastrous fire broke out in the residence of Mr. John Houle at Cedar Village and before it was got under control a serious amount of damage was done to that valuable property which is we understand entirely unprotected by insurance.

On Monday evening Dec. 22nd. the annual Xmas. Tree will be held in St. Mungo's Church and which promises this year to uphold the well known reputations which these entertainments enjoy. Admission 15 cts. Doors open at 6 P. M. and it is requested that those who have gifts to place on the tree will make an effort to have them in as early as possible thereby avoiding confusion.

Among the other interesting events of the Christmas season is a concert and Xmas Tree which Miss Beatrice Robert and her friends are preparing and which will be held in the school conducted by her near Monal-a P.O., on the evening of Dec. 26th. Admission 10c.

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Our Grocery Department has not been overlooked, for we have received for the holiday trade, some very choice line of Currants, Raisins, Peels, etc. etc.

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POULTRY. We are ready. Prices very high this season. Don't sell at any price offered Bring them to us.

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The following is a report of the standing of the pupils in the various departments of Lachute Academy as shown by the Annual Christmas Examinations.

GRADE III ACADEMY.

Margaret Henyey 89, Alex McPhee 74, Robert Summerby 71, Douglas Graham 68, Sydney MacLennan 63, Nettie Morrin 58, Clifford Halliday 56.

GRADE II ACADEMY.

Gus Caron 87, Jessie Drennan and Douglas Call 84, Frank Boudreau 84, Norman Rodgers 84, Garret Strong 79, Ella Riddell 73, Edith Whitehead 71, Annie Walker 68, Roy Fraser 67, Randa Ferland 2nd 87.

GRADE I ACADEMY.

Mable Christie 104, Katie Campbell 107, Eva Christie 108, Irene Caron 94, Wyman McGibbon 97, L. Martin 87, Edith Walker 87, Alice Kennedy 84, Lorne McCoy 89, Edna Hammond 77, Edwin Baunton 76, Nora LeLievre 73, Charles McGregor 71, Maggie McKee and Minnie Smith 70, Albert Hills 68, Edward Christie 67, Horace Strong 66, Lily Boudreau 64, Ivan Fraser 60, Ada Dewar 59, Gladys McMillan 57, Eva Gilles 57, Unranked—Adele Hill, May McGibbon, Gladys Quat.

GRADE III MODEL.

Katherine McPhee 91, Ella Murdoch 87, Katie MacLennan 84, Katie McGibbon 81, Egbert McQuat 81, Charlie Stewart 83, Della Dewar and Earl Pollock 79, Elsie Woodhouse 77, Ida Manning 74, Lorne Baunton 73, Lillian Westgate 71, Lydia Kearns 67, Mildred McNeils 66, Jessie Quat 64, Florence Cooke 63, Amy Copeland 61, Agnes Strong 59, Jessie Drennan 57, Gordon Drennan 56, Maggie Marshall 51, John Jackson 48, Edith Rodgers 47, Margie Watson 46, Catherine Cooke 44, Ruby Funcheson 42, Jessie Pollock 37, Lily Christie 37, C. Summerby 32, Lily Christie 31, Unranked—Ralph McQuat, Ellen McNaughton.

GRADE II MODEL.

Katie MacLennan 93, Amy Hammond 91, Christina Drennan 90, Annie McArthur 89, Leith Jones 88, Sarah Fraser 83, Linton McLennan 82, John McGibbon 80, Rosa Todd 78, Hugh Kearns 77, Laura LeDuc 76, Melvin McGibbon 74, Musman Galt 70, Linda Graham 63, Unranked—Mary Pailor.

GRADE I MODEL.

Isabel Bell 79, George Bell 74, Maggie Peabody 72, Gordon MacLennan 69, Ruby Lerley 67, Fraser Stewart 63, Agnes Wilson 60, Eugene Jones 60, Annie Miller 60, Austin Riddell 62, Norman Beers 61, Annie McKee 60, Howard Jones 59, May McGibbon 57, Willie Hampson 57, Stewart Dewar 53, Alice Morris 53, David Boyce 52, Stanley Bell 49, Mabel Wilson 47, Eddie Carpenter 46, Eddie Lemay 46, Unranked—Willie Carpenter, Russen McGibbon.

GRADE III ELEMENTARY, Sr.

Margaret Hay 123, Violet Jones 124, Mable Cottle 119, Lily Palmer 117, Herbert Ferland 116, Leith Jones 115, Ruby Hampton and Willie McKimmie 113, Katie Gilles 113, Helen Simon 103, Dora Cooke 107, Louise Hampton and Lorne McArthur 102, Gilbert Demaree 100, Christina Sutherland 100, Lowell Baunton 100, Charlie Jones 99, James O'Brien 98, Justina McKee 95, Sam Watt 90, Unranked—Ora Watt, Maggie Lavelle.

GRADE III ELEMENTARY, Jr.

CLASS A—Edith Fraser 119, Marion Slater 118, Leslie Bailey 107, Winnie Riddell 107, Robbie McGibbon 105, Peter Miller 101, Peter Demaree 95, Clara Osborne 87.

CLASS B—Willis Manning 100, Harlow Gilles 102, Robbie Gilles 102, Harold Quat and Emma McNeill 97, Unranked—Reuben Stym, Sydney Stym, Sarah Lemay.

GRADE II ELEMENTARY, Sr. Div.

John Calder 88, Maggie McGibbon 88, Irene Edmond, Sarah Christie, equal, 83, George Mitchell 83, Walter McArthur 83, Alex McGregor 82, Norman Scott 82, Winnie Baunton 80, Louise Vivarais 79, Louise Vivarais 79, Charlie Palmer 79, Mildred Jones 78, Jennie Scobbe 73, Rose Dymond 70, Isabelle Kearns 67, John McArthur 63, Alfred Beatty 62, Mary Wilson 62, Edith McKee, 59, Jessie McArthur 58.

GRADE II ELEMENTARY, Jr. Div.

Elmer Gilles 90, Harry Jones 89, Lily Beattie 82, Beattie Fraser 80, Beattie McGibbon 80, Reid Gilles 78, Annie Roberts Vera McLennan and Norman Boyce 78, Arthur Drennan 74, Arthur Jones 72, Mabel Johnston 71, Leanne Menzies 70, Aggie McGibbon 70, Pearl Sutherland 69, Jennie Forbes 67, May Oulise 65, Jack McKee 65, Lily Kirkpatrick 63, Nellie Scobbe 62, Douglas McGibbon 60, Willie Calder 62, Versie Hammond 58, Willie Griffith 43.

FIRST PRIMER, Sr. Div.

Amy Brown 63, Robbie Carpenter 66, Jack Scott 65, Willie Cooke 63, Jessie Cooke 61, Fred Pears 59, John Dymond 59, Mary Picard 59, Toyer Carpenter 57, Mabel Cleland 51, David Campbell 47, Maggie Roberts 41, Eleanor McKee 38, Dorothy Mitchell 34.

FIRST PRIMER, Jr. Div.

Eleanor Hay, Versie Riddell, Marjorie Truell, Beattie McCoy, Annie McCoy, Laura McArthur, Edith Stewart, Frances Jones, Elmer Carpenter, equal, 79, Mary McArthur 72, Robert Beers 72, Bradford Manning 68, Alice Kearns 67, Robert Robinson 65, Gilbert Woods 61, Jack Stewart 49, Edith McArthur 40, Edith Palmer 41, Wilma Sutherland 39, Joseph Picard 37, Stuart McFarland 36, Della Wood 34, David Wilson 33, Rudolph Ferland 34, Catherine McGibbon 31, Unranked—Myrtle Bradford, Harold Bradford, Allan McNaughton, Alex McNaughton, Myrtle Steyn.

MILE ISLE.

Mr. Wm. Jordan has returned from Montreal and has gone to work for Mr. Eddie Morrison at Montfort.

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