

villain. He was arrested by Sergeant Hogue and sub-Constable Brouil, and on being brought to the Central Station was recognized by the little girl. The prisoner gave his name as Aleck Groan, of Harwood, and had been engaged for a few days to take care of some buildings belonging to Mr. Wood.

The auction to be held by David Fraser at Alloway's to-day will commence at ten minutes past two o'clock. As there are only thirteen horses to be disposed of, the sale will not last more than forty minutes. Purchasers will please be prompt in attendance. In the list is one fast trotting, mid-dling sized bay horse not previously advertised.

PROTESTANT HOUSE OF INDUSTRY AND REFUGE.—Statement for week ending 24th Oct., 1874:—Number of permanent inmates—Males, 40; females, 27; total, 67; temporary males 7; females, 1; total, 75. Number of nights' lodgings given in night refuge, males, Protestants, 169; Catholics, 37—206; females, 57; total, 263. Number of quarts of soup and extra meals distributed, night refuge poor, 581; out door poor, 87; total, 668.

PLOUGHING MATCH.—The annual ploughing match under the direction of the County of Hochelaga Agricultural Society will take place on the farm of Mrs. Astoria Ferguson at Cote St Leonard, parish of Long Point, to-morrow (Wednesday). The directors have offered special prizes for competition between ploughmen of the counties of Hochelaga and Jacques Cartier, and other prizes open to qualified ploughmen in the County of Hochelaga.

NEARLY SUFFOCATED.—Yesterday, while some scientific experiments were being performed before a class in McGill College, some of the gas which had been generated penetrated into a room where one of the students was sitting. He was at once overcome by it, and had it not been for the presence of some of the medical students, who rendered what assistance was necessary, the result might have proved fatal.

INSURANCE. The American press despatches published by us yesterday morning contained a notice that the Unity Mutual Life Insurance Company of Boston is in trouble. We have been requested to explain that it is the Unity, and not the Union Mutual of Maine. The explanation is considered necessary from the fact that the Union Mutual, of Maine, which is said to be one of the soundest and best of American life companies, is doing a large business in Canada.

Unreserved closing sale of the Sheffield Silverware, Bronzes, Clocks, Vases, Ivory Table Cutlery Sets, Dish Covers, Cabinets, &c.—The balance of this fine consignment will be closed out to-morrow, Tuesday, commencing at 10 o'clock in the morning, at H. J. Shaw's stores, Craig street. As the agent will be leaving on Wednesday, those who have purchased will please call at once for their purchases. We hope to see a large audience to-morrow morning, as the goods are really very fine.

COOL BURGESS AND PROF. LOGRENIA.—The first entertainment of the troupe attracted a large audience at the Mechanics' Hall last night. The conjuring tricks were novel, and excited much surprise and amusement. The trained birds performed several wonderful feats, firing off cannon, &c., and the learned cat repeated the performance. Cool Burgess was, as usual, very funny in his Ethiopian specialties. A number of valuable presents are distributed every night. Another performance is given this evening, with change of programme.

FIRE.—At 20 minutes to 1 o'clock this morning, the alarm was sounded from box 35; the reels were promptly on the spot; the flames had broken out in a bay loft situated between German and Desmarais streets, and as the buildings are closely packed in that vicinity a disastrous fire might have occurred had it not been for the promptitude with which the brigade were on the spot. No origin can be ascribed to the fire. It had hardly been extinguished when the cry "Box No. 13, boys!" resounded, and away the men dashed to E. Butterick & Co's store, where the flames had broken out at the rear, on Little St. James Street, in that portion of the building occupied by Evans, Mercer & Co. as a glass warehouse. The fire was, however, promptly subdued. At this early hour of the morning it is difficult to get further particulars.

OTTAWA STREET METHODIST CHURCH MISSIONARY ANNIVERSARY.—A missionary tea-meeting will be held in the Lecture Room of this church Tuesday, October 27th. Tea served from 5.30 to 7.30 p.m. Tickets 25c. A public meeting in the body of the church the same evening, free to all. Chair to be taken at eight o'clock. Addresses by Revs. J. B. Stephenson, M. A. of London, Eng., W. B. Affleck, Superintendent United Kingdom Alliance, of York, Eng., and J. Nicholls, of Durham, England. Collection in aid of mission funds. Music by the choir. All are cordially invited.

CITY MORTALITY.—There were 18 interments in the city cemeteries during the week ending the 24th inst. Children under 1 year, 6; from 1 to 5 years, 4; from 5 to 12 years, 3; married males, 4; bachelors, 1; married females, 2. From St. Ann's Ward, 6; St. Antoine, 2; St. Lawrence, 3; St. James, 1; St. Mary's, 1; East, 1; outside city limits, 8; English Hospital, 1. Born in England, 1; Ireland, 1; Scotland, 1; British Canadians, 11; French Canadians, 1; other countries, 3. Died of croup, 1; consumption, 1; small-pox, 3; scarlet fever, 2; infantile debility, 3; albuminuria, 1; congestion of lungs, 3; still-born, 1; hydrocephalus, 1; accidental, 1; infantile epilepsy, 1.

THEATRE ROYAL.—Last night Messrs. Howard and Carle's troupe performed "The Black Crook" to a crowded audience. It is seldom that the Montreal public can enjoy such a combination as is comprised in this entertainment. Admirers of the "light fantastic toe" are gratified by a dancer like Miss Emma Carle, supported by no ordinary corps de ballet; to those who appreciate the painful antics of novices in the graceful art of skating, Anetin and Hess give more than satisfaction, as was testified by loud and repeated applause; enthusiastic gymnasts must envy the feats of the Snow Brothers, who are not less skilful in the trifling of their dogs and in their jugglery with the "wonderful hats." To those who appreciate pantomime show, the Carles and Miss Ione Lang are able to give ample satisfaction; the latter actress was ordered and sang "Baden-Baden Spa," after singing in imitation of the "Great Vauco," "Sold, sold, everywhere." Miss Fanny Burt as "Stalacta," Miss Grey as "Bodolphe," Messrs John Davies as "Hertzog," and Charles Carle as "Gleppo," divided the favors of a pleased audience. We have only to add that the scenery, properties and effects of light, combine to render the performance most enjoyable; the scenes of fairy-land especially confounding one of pantomime time. An excellent orchestra plays a selection of the popular airs of the day. The troupe cannot fail to attract large audiences during its stay in this city.

FOOT BALL.

Ontario vs. Quebec.

This match has been looked forward to as the event of the season in its own particular class, and it certainly was, if one may judge by the great interest shown by old and young of both sexes. No match or sport of any kind during the season has caused more excitement among sporting circles, where a good deal of speculation has been going on as to the result.

On the grounds the Ontario men were the favorites, and they certainly maintained their right to that title. Shortly after 2.30 the ball was kicked off by the Ontario, and a rush made to carry it through, which however failed, but from the first it was seen that they were the heavier men, as whenever it came to a scrimmage they generally managed to push through their opponents. The first three "touch downs" were taken by the Upper Canadian, from which there were no goals scored. Things were beginning to look decidedly blue for the Quebecers when the tide of fortune turned, some very weak play being done by the Westerners, during which Campbell secured the ball, and by a magnificent run landed it safely behind the goal for a touch down, and from which a goal was well got for Quebec. The tables were now completely turned against Ontario, for, by the Rugby rules, their touch downs counted as nothing when a game had been scored by the other side. The ball was again "kicked off." This time both sides played with an energy that only football can excite, and after a few desperate struggles the wild howling of the men from the West intimated to the onlookers that they had not fought in vain. This game was gallantly won by Rockwood, thus placing both sides on an equality. If it was possible to play with more determination than before, it was done when the ball was again set in motion. Some of the tumbles were really alarming, and had they been received at any other time than during the excitement of a game of football would have sent the individuals who received them off grumbling. "Never say die" must have been the motto of both sides, for we saw several unfortunates whose teeth jangled almost audibly as they went flying past after the ball. The Ontario were again successful, managing to secure two more touch-downs, but, fortunately for Quebec, did not score a goal of either. Time being called, the game was brought to a close, and decided, by the umpire, "a draw" in accordance with the Rugby Rules.

We venture to make a comment upon the

ruling or rather rule (the umpire being perfectly correct in his decision) As well as we recollect, the rule lays down that "touch downs" shall not count if a "goal" has been scored; this is as it should be, if one side has one "goal" to none or a majority of "goals," but in such a case as the present, we think that the rule should be extended, so that when the clubs stand really in the same position as when no "goals" have been made, the "touch downs" should count. During the game the Victoria Cornet Band played several fine selections. We feel sure that all the spectators went home well satisfied with the afternoon's sport, and no doubt wishing for another hour of tumbles and broken heads.

SUPERIOR COURT—JUDGMENTS.

October, 26th, 1874.

- Ansell vs. Bernier.—Judgment for plaintiff.
Boyce vs. Rollin, et vir.—Judgment for plaintiff.
Cushling vs. Couin et al.—Action dismissed.
Corlatino vs. Mayhew.—Judgment for plaintiff.
Dansereau vs. Dansereau.—Demurrer dismissed.
Desjardins vs. Charlton.—Judgment for plaintiff.
For vs. Miller.—Motion granted.
Graham vs. Howard.—Judgment for plaintiff.
Holden vs. Ryan.—Do.
Joly vs. Larose.—Do.
Lafleur vs. Dufresne.—Do.
Lane vs. Granger.—Do.
Lord vs. Stanton et al.—Do.
Lafayette vs. Charlton.—Action dismissed.
McNevin vs. Guilmet.—Judgment for plaintiff.
Pariseau vs. De Mailpay et al.—Judgment for plaintiff.
Palement vs. Guilbault.—Action dismissed without costs.
Roy vs. Trudel.—Demurrer dismissed.
Renshaw vs. Costigan.—Action dismissed.
Simpson et al vs. Almour.—Judgment for plaintiff.
Sharpley vs. Haynes.—Do.
Scripture vs. Rylor.—Do.
Turnbull vs. Allard.—Do.
Tyre vs. Van Alstyne.—Do.
Thibandean vs. Trahan.—Do.
Thompson vs. Trahan.—Do.

POLICE COURT—YESTERDAY.

SELLING LIQUOR TO INDIANS, ETC.

Pierre Saketowane was fined \$100 distress and three days' imprisonment in the Common Jail, for selling liquor to Indians. Benjamin Carignan was charged with a similar offence. His case was postponed to Thursday next. Alphonse Leduc, Tanneries West, and John O'Connell, Commissioners street, were each fined \$50 and costs or three months for selling liquor without license. The case of Sarah Wilson who keeps a grocery on the corner of St George and Craig streets, charged with selling less than three half pints at a time, was postponed to Thursday.

MISTRESS AND MAID.

Bridget Morris, spinster, appeared against Widow Davis, her quondam mistress, charging her with an assault. The prosecutrix bore two ugly looking wounds on her head, which it is said were inflicted with a jug. For the defence it was argued that Bridget was intoxicated and abusive, and had even said to the defendant she "might get a revolver stuck in her head like McGee." Nevertheless defendant was fined \$15 or one month for the assault.

ASSAULT CASES.

Ferdinand Gagnon brought a complaint of assault against Louis Chatelle, who, however was not in court.

Mr St Pierre, who represented him, stated that his client was ill, but would appear in court to-morrow morning.

The Magistrate ordered the case to be taken up.

After the evidence for the prosecution had been gone through, Mr St Pierre again protested against the unusual proceeding of passing judgment on an absent man without hearing a word in defence, saying that in the court the Magistrate was arbiter and his client a victim, and that in this fashion one did not always get justice.

The Magistrate thereupon adjourned the case till this morning, in order to hear the defence.

Joseph Charbonneau and Francois Charbonneau were fined \$10 or one month each for assaulting Joseph Bennett.

The case of Sylvester Yale vs. Narcisse Lemay, for assault and battery, was dismissed.

STALKING.

John Olsen, Charles Hensen and Mathias Newman, absent from ship Hooding without leave, were fined \$8 each.

STEARING.

James McGuire was fined \$6 or one month for stealing a box of nails from W Mooney manufacturer.

Elie Champagne, joiner, St Andre street brought up for stealing turnips from a field of Amherst street, was discharged, as there was no evidence.

BIBES.

O'BRIEN.—On Monday evening, the 26th inst at 7 o'clock, suddenly, Sophia Bagmet wife of Philip O'Brien, merchant tailor, 91 Vire street aged 87 years.

Funeral will take place at 7.30 to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, from her husband's residence, to St. Patrick's Church, thence to the B. O. cemetery.

DEAD.—In this city, on the 24th inst., Jessie Pickin, wife of George Bond, aged 29 years.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully requested to attend the funeral, from her late residence, 435 St. George street, on Monday the 27th inst., at 2.30 p.m.

ANDERSON.—In this city, on Saturday, the 24th inst., Dr. J. O. Anderson, eldest son of Rev. O. non Anderson, Pastor of St. Paul.

The funeral will take place from his father's residence, No. 40 Victoria street, at 10.30 o'clock on Tuesday morning, to Christ Church Cathedral. The remains will be afterwards removed to St. Paul for interment. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend without further notice.

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