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## WILL MONTREAL HAVE A CHINATOWN?

### SOME FACTS ABOUT THE CHINESE IN THE CITY.

### Does the Celestial Compete Unfairly With Citizens in the Laundry Business?—Changes Which are Advocated.

Is Montreal destined like several large American cities, notably New York, Boston and San Francisco, to have a Chinese problem upon its hands, which it will have to face and solve? It is not many years ago since the Chinaman was the street of Montreal was a curiosity, but the opening up of the trade relations with the Orient by the Canadian Pacific Transcontinental and Trans-Pacific routes has brought the city much nearer to China than it was ten years ago, and the decade has seen not only our imports and exports increase yearly, but also our population of Chinese increase. The sons of the Celestial Empire have yearly become more numerous, and yearly they have extended their operations, until now some Montreal's are asking themselves if like New York and San Francisco they will not yet have a Chinatown in their midst. Are the Chinaman desirable as citizens? and if so how should they be treated? are matters which cannot fail to be of deep interest to all concerned in the welfare of the city. A few are now competent to speak knowingly of the Chinaman, his good traits and his failings, than is the Rev. D. C. Thompson, of the Presbyterian Church, and who is now his missionary with the Chinese in this city.

The reverend gentleman has lived and worked in the Celestial empire for more than ten years, and while on his furlough here has been commissioned with the work upon which he has been employed for some months. During this time he has made it a point of duty to find out every Chinaman in the city and outskirts, and to advise them on matters spiritual and otherwise and for these reasons, it is patent that he knows whereof he speaks. According to Mr. Thompson, the Chinese population here has been greatly overrated in some quarters. Not from the Water Hippodrome has been ascertained that there are 15 Chinese laundries in the city, limits paying water rates. A few of these laundries employ four or five men, a large number three, but in the great majority there are only two. As some have closed up lately, owing to the severe weather, which the Mongolian does not take kindly to, and as no bad business is reported that have gone away either to China for the New Year's, or to the United States to stay, on account, Mr. Thompson places the number of actual residents engaged in the washing and ironing business at not much more than 300, if they reach that number. A number of Chinamen have taken to going to small towns, where there are no steam laundries, to conduct small stores, and are anxious to go wherever the opportunity offers. Outside of the laundries there are a few engaged in shop business on Henry street and near St. Lawrence Main. There are besides this three boarding houses on Lagauchetiere street, and it is here that the Chinese have found in largest numbers.

The patrons of these houses are large, made up of consumers, who are waiting for an opportunity to get into the States, while the boarding houses of the Chinamen, or are engaged in special lines of business, or waiting for something to turn up." The number of this population varies greatly, and it is said that there are less now than at some other season. It is claimed that it has never surpassed three hundred, and that it does not reach that figure now. Therefore there would not seem to be more than an insignificant Chinese in Montreal at any one time. There is said not to be that number now. Mr. Thompson believes that the only danger which Montreal has to guard against is the formation here of a Chinatown, that is the location together of the Mongolians in one district, where their national habits and customs would be introduced. Scattered as they now are can be no menace to the civilization of the day. The boarding houses, where any large numbers congregate, should, of course, be looked after by the authorities to prevent any infraction of the law. The "Chinamen in Montreal," added Mr. Thompson, "are as a rule good in the laundry. They are quiet, law-abiding, peaceable. In their habits they are clean, and frugal, and they are never known to give offence to any one, nor have they anything to do with the police. There is no vice which gives the authorities less trouble if left alone.

"They cannot afford to have Chinese foot, which would be too costly, and therefore all they do is rent rooms. They are desirable tenants for the class of buildings they rent, and they make it a rigid rule to be quiet and good for the landlord. They are rarely if ever at fault in the payment of their rent and business taxes, which are considerable. A number of them are becoming naturalized, and quite a number attend Sunday attending Sunday school and becoming enlightened in the tenets of Christianity. They help each other along in a friendly way, and rarely have recourse to public charity, though some have been admitted to the hospitals. They have their friends, and, when that they see afterwards, through the assistance of their guilds at home, that their bones are taken back to the native village. These men here are not the sinister outcasts of great cities, but in most cases come from the rural districts. Some are experienced farmers, while others are splendid cooks, and would only be too glad to have that kind of employment. A good Chinaman makes an ideal servant, as is known by all who have visited China and elsewhere where they are so employed. They are clean, honest and most faithful, and do not grumble at the nature of the work they are put to around the house."

Mr. Thompson was asked what he thought of the relative curiosity of Chinamen in Montreal, and why they went away with their money at the end of some years. He said they were the lawful owners of what they make, he said, "and they can dispose of it as they like, as other people do. It is only natural that they should think of their native home. There is a good deal of exaggerated ideas of what Chinamen make in this country. The laundry business is bad, and they feel it like others. There are Chinamen who make more than $10 a week, the majority much less than that, while a large proportion do not make enough to make both ends meet. Some have had to close up because they go, and it depends where they are situated. There are good and ill paying stands. When a Chinaman makes from five hundred dollars he considers he has been doing exceedingly well." Mr. Thompson remarked that besides being a source of revenue by the payment of rents, water, taxes, food, etc., they contributed to the exchequer of the C.P.R. trains and steamers to no mean extent by their extensive travels. The Chinese reputation tax had yielded no less than $625,000 to the Federal revenue since 1886. For these various reasons Mr. Thompson thought that the Chinese were not such a bad lot after all.

It was clear that they competed with certain lines of business, but that was the natural law of business. There was one general reason which could not be overlooked, and that was that if China was anxious to do business with China and the East, it needed to be reciprocal upon broad grounds, and follow the rule of give and take.

Mr. William Henry, manager of the Troy Steam Laundry, in speaking on this question, said: "Our objection to the Chinese population is that they do not take kindly to civilization. The number of Chinamen in Montreal that are engaged in the laundry business have displaced that number of white people. The average white hand man or woman cannot compete in labor with the Chinaman, for the reason that the latter will work twenty hours or more a day if he can. We are getting down to days of ten hours and less and it is the feeling everywhere that the day's work has a tendency to get shorter. There is another argument. These Chinese can live and grow fat upon what other people would starve on. They live huddled together, and they work and sleep in the same quarters, where the soiled clothes is brought in, washed, ironed and laid away.

"Now supposing any of these clothes have the germs of disease, the result can easily be foretold. There is need of licensing the laundries in Montreal, and having a regular system of inspection, as they have in France for this purpose. There is full $1000 capital invested in the steam laundry business in Montreal, and some 600 to 700 hands are employed, and these surely are entitled to protection."

One of the strongest objections raised to the Chinese laundry is that they have the bad custom of mixing up indiscriminately the clothes given to them to be washed with dire consequences, from a hygienic standpoint. At least that is one of the charges which is made against them. Wah Kee Sing, who runs one of the largest of these laundries, and is among one of the most enterprising of the Mongolians, denied the charge when it was stated to him. He admitted, as he has to be, knows, it is a custom to wash each lot by itself for obvious reasons, and chiefly because they do not want to have the clothes mixed up.

### THE MESSIAH.

#### Its 12th Performance by the Montreal Philharmonic Society.

The Montreal Philharmonic Society, stronger than ever, with a programme more considerable and more important than ever, will, according to its traditions, open the season 1895-96 with Handel's "Messiah," to be performed on Friday next in the Windsor Hall. The eagerness of the public to hear the great master's work is most gratifying to the Philharmonic Society, to whose untiring efforts such a result is due. The increasing success of the society is a standing proof of the appreciation and gratitude of the Montreal public. To the annual performance of the Messiah was added, two years ago, that of the Creation, and now we hail the appearance of Elijah, the Mendelssohn artistic trio of the first magnitude.

### RETREAT FOR THE LADIES OF ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. Father Claudet, C.S.S.R., of Brooklyn, N.Y., will open a week's retreat for all the married and single ladies of St. Mary's parish, beginning evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The retreat will be as follows: Mass at 5.30 and 8 o'clock every morning, with short instructions; Way of the Cross, every afternoon at 3 o'clock; Benediction of the Beads, Sermon and Benediction every evening at 7.30. The closing exercises will take place on Sunday, the 22nd. There will be general communion at the 7.30 a.m. Mass, and immediately after the evening sermon a reception of new members into both the Total Abstinence and Children of Mary Sodalities will take place.

### LETTER CARRIERS' ANNUAL MEETING.

Branch No. 10, Federated Association of Letter Carriers, held its annual meeting on Wednesday evening, Mr. W. F. Mitchell, president, in the chair. After the opening, Mr. Thomas Latimer, had presented a satisfactory yearly statement, the following officers were elected: President, Mr. W. F. Mitchell; vice-president, Mr. S. Jacques; treasurer, Mr. Thomas Latimer; secretary, Mr. A. Bucolific; trustees, J. E. Bissonette, J. A. Bowan, J. H. Sweet, Joseph Lee, R. McCuaig, E. N. Baltzer, F. E. German; delegates to convention, W. F. Mitchell and J. A. Boudreau.

A MAN-EATING TREE.

Far in the interior of Madagascar says the New York World, there is a peninsula of the tribe of the Mikodes, a diminutive race of primitive people. These aboriginals never exceed 4 feet 6 inches in height, always go perfectly naked, and have no other religion than the worship of the serpent-tree. Near where the Mikodes live in caverns the serpent-tree, hidden in what appears to be dense impenetrable jungle, lurks in its lair, ready to devour the unfortunate victim, who, if he is banish some evil or court some favor they assemble here, dancing and singing, and around their verdant object of worship.

The trunk of this tree resembles a pineapple in shape, is about eight feet in diameter at the base, and from the top of the cone eight leaves hang to the ground. These are about twelve feet long, three feet wide, very thick and end in sharp points. Stout thorns cover the inner side. The top of the cone is white, round and from afar looks like a small dinner-plate turned down on a stick.

This larger "plate" contains a clear viscous liquid, which, when analyzed, is highly interesting and soporific properties. Just below it extend six green and tairy shoots, about eight feet long and sharp-pointed. Above these, from between the two "plates," six white plume-like tendrils rise vertically about six feet. They are in constant motion, shooting and twisting around with bewildering rapidity. The faint hissing noise they emit, coupled with the illusion that these tendrils are snakes performing a hideous dance.

Wilder and wilder grows the dance of the natives around the tree, wilder and wilder sounds the chant. Finally the savages, with a rush, surround one of the females, who, at the point of their wicked javelins, force her to mount to the top of the tree. There she sits terror-stricken. The mob yells, "Drink! Drink!" In desperation the unfortunate victim at last scoops up some of the fatal liquid with the hollow of her hand, drinks it, and jumps to her feet, shouting and gesticulating wildly among the vicious snaky tendrils.

One of the tendrils coils around her neck—others wind around her arms and legs. The woman gives vent to one shrill shrieks and more demoniacal laughter. While her struggles already grow faint and feeble, the horrified spectator shoots suddenly rise one by one, like a bent bow, and fling the victim from herself with relentless force around her. It is a vivid interpretation of Laocoon's fate, without the beauty of that hero's death.

The woman struggles no longer. Now, almost incredible, the eight monster leaves raise their tips from the ground; viscous liquid flows out and flows into the inclose the victim as in a case of iron; they press closer and closer, until—oh, horror! the serpent tree's store of lethe, mingled with the blood of the human sacrifice, oozes through the interstices.

With a yell of mad delight the savages rush to the tree and lap up every drop of the horrid fluid. The god is appeased. After hideous orgies the participants sink down one by one in raptures and delirium to long insensibility, while the grim tree lurks continues to hold its victim in tight embrace.


James Stewart & Co's Sales.

## TO THE TRADE.

AUCTION SALE OF SOAP.

The undersigned have been instructed by "The Hearle Mfg. Co.," to sell their entire stock of Soaps including such well known brands as:

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—ON—

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SATURDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING

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Sale at 2 and 7 o'clock.

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### AGAIN A RECORD DAY.

#### Street Railway Stock Largely Purchased at High Figures.

Street Railway stock was the feature of the local market yesterday. Before noon over 3100 shares had been sold, the main buyers again being Messrs. L. J. Forget & Company. The first sale was at 221, at which price 200 shares were sold. The stock then went to 221 1-2, and up to 225 1-4, which is 1-4 above the best price ever recorded for this security. The last sales just before the closing at noon was 225. The day's price was 224 3-4 bid and 225 1-2 asked. People's Bank stock was offered at eight, but there were no sales, as only six was bid.

### BRITANNIC LODGE 113 S. O. E. B. S.

The regular meeting of the above lodge was held on Tuesday, December 10, at No. 216 St. James street, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Worthy president, A. Earby; worthy vice-president, Wm. Roberts; chaplain, W. Hewitt (re-elected); secretary, H. Jelly (re-elected); recording secretary, Lieutenant Governor, Hoe, Deseffall; committeemen, H. Thornton, I. Stenhouse, J. Cadman, H. Stewart, H. Johnstone, A. D. Thornton; inside guard, J. Croston; outside guard, S. Diamond; surgeon, Dr. Robert Tafter; trustees, Messrs. W. Lavers, W. Robertson and J. Creighton; auditors, W. George, M. H. Webb and J. Gray; delegates to grand lodge, Messrs. Thomas Deseffall, A. D. Thornton, and John Croston.

### MOUNT ROYAL CEMETERY.

The annual meeting of the Mount Royal Cemetery Co. was held on Thursday at the office of Mr. G. Burnett, the secretary-treasurer. During the year the death rate may, in view of the increased population, be said to have decreased. In 1891 there were 1382 deaths, as against 1376 the year previous. During the year trustees have lost by death two of the oldest and most valued members, Messrs. George Childs and R. W. Shepherd. The receipts for the past year were $66,020.71 and disbursements to November 30, $48,570.09. The balance on hand is $1,551.56. The investments of the trust amount in the aggregate to $65,206.

S. Harris' Sales.

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The Great Sale of FURS Still Continues Every Afternoon at 2 p.m. and Evening at 8 p.m.

This fine stock of Furs were manufactured of the finest skins in the market and consist of

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Private sales till auction hours. Don't miss the auction sale, as this sale will continue for 10 days only at

79 ST. LAWRENCE STREET.

Sales at 2 p. m. and 8 p. m.

S. HARRIS,

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Marcotte Bros.' Sales.

## TRADE SALE.

—ON—

MONDAY, the 16TH INSTANT, at 10 a. m.

The following goods slightly damaged by fire and water, at Messrs. Geo. Childs & Co.'s warehouse, Mc Gill street, will be sold by public auction, at our rooms,

69 ST. JAMES STREET,

In lots for the trade and without reserve: 180 bales of Granulated and Yellow sugars, 40 barrels of Molasses, 100 barrels of Syrup, 10 kegs of Nails, 60 barrels of Fine Salt, 47 barrels of Salmon, 80 barrels of Salt Herrings, 100 half barrels of Dating Soda, 56 bales of Washing Soda, 63 half chests of Japan Tea, 3 cases of Olive Oil, And other goods.

MARCOTTE BROS., Auctioneers.

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## INSOLVENT NOTICE.

In the matter of PREVOST, OUIMET & CO., 1074 St. Lawrence st., Montreal.

The undersigned will attend at No. 62 ST. JAMES STREET, Montreal, on

WEDNESDAY, 18th December, 1895, at 11 o'clock,

the assets of the estate as under:

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| Stock of Dry Goods | $7490.32 |
| Fixtures | 416.58 |
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Store will be open on 13th inst.

Purchaser of stock will have the option of the lease of the store, which is one of the best stands in the city.

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## INSOLVENT NOTICE.

IMPORTANT REAL ESTATE SALE

In re GEO. BOURGOUIN & CO., Insolvents.

The undersigned will sell by Auction, at the offices of Kent & Turcotte, 62 St. James Street, Montreal, on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of January, 1896, at 2 o'clock, the undermentioned Real Estate:

No. 1—Stone-front House of four tenements, bearing civic Nos. 31, 33, 35 and 37 Mountain street, in the City of Montreal, known as subdivisions 8, 10 and 11 of official lot No. 40 on the official plan for said St. Louis Ward, the City of Montreal.

No. 2—Stone-front House of two tenements, bearing civic Nos. 39 and 41 Mountain street, in the City of Montreal, known as subdivisions 9, 10 and 11 of official lot No. 40 on the official plan for said St. Louis Ward, in the City of Montreal.

No. 3—Stone-front House of four tenements, bearing civic Nos. 1, 3, 5 and 7 Rue Elizabeth, in the City of Montreal, known as subdivisions 1 and 2 of official lot No. 613 on the cadastral plan for said St. Louis Ward.

No. 4—Stone-front House of two tenements, bearing civic Nos. 1574 and 1576 Ontario street, in the City of Montreal, known as subdivisions 1 and 2 of official lot No. 613 on the cadastral plan for said St. Louis Ward.

No. 5—Stone-front House of two tenements, bearing civic Nos. 1574 and 1576 Ontario street, in the City of Montreal, known as subdivisions 1 and 2 of official lot No. 613 on the cadastral plan for said St. Louis Ward.

No. 6—Self-contained Stone-front houses, bearing civic Nos. 1572 and 1574 Ontario Street. The lot is known as No. 134A on the official plan for said St. Louis Ward, in the City of Montreal.

No. 7—House of two tenements, bearing civic Nos. 52 and 254 St. Charles Borromee Street, and No. 1 House of two tenements (in rear of above), bearing No. 1 Bourgouin Avenue. The lot is known as No. 135A on the official plan for said St. Lawrence Ward.

No. 8—House of two tenements, bearing civic Nos. 1 and 159 St. Charles Borromee Street, and also No. 1 House of two tenements (in rear of above), bearing No. 2 Bourgouin Avenue. The lot is known as No. 136 on the official plan of said St. Lawrence Ward.

No. 9—Stone-front House of two tenements, bearing civic Nos. 234 and 236 St. Urbain Street. The lot is known as No. 165 on the official plan for said St. Lawrence Ward.

All belonging to Geo. Bourgouin & Co.

No. 10—Lot of land fronting on Rue No. 10 on the official plan for the parish of St. Laurent, in the City of Montreal, being 116 feet front by 75 feet in depth on the northeast side, more or less, bounded in front by the said Rue No. 10, in rear by a lane, in public road, to the north-east by Nos. 11 and 12 to the south-west by Rue Dorion, and to the south by Rue Dorion.

Also a lot of land also forming part of said lot No. 10, containing 19 feet front by 14 feet in depth on the south side, and 180 feet on the south-west side, bounded in front by Rue Dorion, in rear by lots 11 to east by lot No. 11, to the south-west, in rear, by Rue No. 10 and lot No. 9, together with Villas and Outbuildings thereon erected.

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11—A lot of land known as Subdivision 23 of the official No. 34 on the cadastral plan for the parish of St. Laurent.

The above immovables will be sold subject to the hypothecary claims, details of which are set forth in the Schedules of Collocation deposited at the office of the Curator.

KENT & TURCOTTE, Curators,
JAMES STEWART & CO., Auctioneers.

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### CLOSE OF LECTURES.

Lectures closed in the Faculties of Law, Applied Science and Arts, at McGill University yesterday, and examinations will commence with the beginning of the week. The Christmas vacation will begin on Saturday, December 21.


### THE RICHMOND SENSATION.

**His Harness Shop Closed for two Months—The Patient Takes Dodd's Kidney Pills and is Cured.**

Richmond (Special), Dec. 14.—No event has never occurred in this village equal which has made a more profound impression than the cure of a prominent citizen of his harness shop by Mr. J. McCarthy, harness maker.

The cause was the result of a disease said to be incurable, and his neighbors had given up the case as hopeless. The victim himself could feel the overpowering effects of Bright's disease of the kidneys.

So firmly, however, did Mr. McCarthy, in his case, the hopelessness of assume his work, in seemingly full vigor and health, that a surprised neighbor said to a local sensation, and is still the talk of every one hereabouts. The doctors in his village and at Ottawa had told him he put his affairs in order, for that he could not live.

Such was his condition and hopes when he commenced to use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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"Thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills."



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AND A NUMBER OF OTHER ARTICLES As WILL BE SEEN IN CATALOGUE.

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"Catalogue of Furs, Clothing, etc., to be sold by Auction by the Auctioneers, or at J. L. Moss & Co.'s, 1231 Notre Dame street.

CATALOGUE.

| Lot No. of Pledge | Description of Goods | Date of Pledge |
|---|---|---|
| 5 3621 | Gun quilt | Jan. 1, 1894. |
| 5 3622 | Gun quilt | 27. " |
| 5 3632 | Overcoat with cape | 27. " |
| 5 6422 | Two blankets | 27. " |
| 5 6423 | Two blankets | June 30. " |
| 5 6424 | Two blankets | 27. " |
| 5 6425 | Two pillows | 27. " |
| 5 6656 | Silver pitcher, stem winder | 29. " |
| 5 6663 | Two pillows | 27. " |
| 5 6664 | Two sets and pairs of blankets | 27. " |
| 5 6665 | Two pillows | Mar. 29. " |
| 5 3664 | Blanket | 27. " |
| 5 3741 | Coat | 27. " |
| 5 3742 | Coat | 27. " |
| 5 3743 | Coat | 27. " |
| 5 3744 | Dress | 27. " |
| 5 3745 | Dress | 27. " |
| 5 3746 | Dress | 27. " |
| 5 3747 | Coat | 27. " |
| 5 3748 | Linen tablecloth and remnant of dress goods | April 1, 1893 |
| 5 2743 | Blanket | 27. " |
| 5 2618 | 3 pairs of gold spectacles | June 11. " |
| 5 2619 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2620 | Ivy gold, B' Watch, stemwinder, 18 carats | 27. " |
| 5 2621 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2622 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2624 | 12 silver spoons, 12 ounces | 27. " |
| 5 2625 | 12 silver spoons, 12 ounces | 27. " |
| 5 2626 | 12 silver tablespoons, 12 ounces | 27. " |
| 5 2627 | 12 silver spoons, 6 1-2 ounces | 27. " |
| 5 2628 | 12 silver teaspoons, 6 1-2 ounces | 27. " |
| 5 2629 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2635 | Silver desert spoons 3 ounces | 13. " |
| 5 2636 | Silver desert spoons 3 ounces | 13. " |
| | Knives and forks, 12 ounces | 27. " |
| 5 2637 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2638 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2639 | 18k gold H. watch, stemwinder, 18 carats | June 13, 1894 |
| 5 2640 | Two antique vases | 27. " |
| 5 2641 | Two antique vases | 27. " |
| 5 2642 | Ivy gold watch, set with diamond | 15. " |
| 5 2643 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2644 | Dress suit of clothes | 27. " |
| 5 2645 | Dress suit of clothes | 27. " |
| 5 2646 | Dress suit of clothes | 27. " |
| 5 2647 | Fair gold eyeglasses and goldpen | 27. " |
| 5 2648 | Silver watch | 15. " |
| 5 2649 | Fancy clock | 27. " |
| 5 2650 | Silver watch, stem winder | June 15, 1894 |
| 5 2651 | Rolled plate ladle | 27. " |
| 5 2652 | Silver watch, stem winder, 18 carats | 27. " |
| 5 2653 | Ivy gold watch, stemwinder, 18 carats | 27. " |
| 5 2654 | Rolled plate ladle | 27. " |
| 5 2655 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2656 | Dress suit and vest | 27. " |
| 5 2657 | Dress suit and vest | 27. " |
| 5 2658 | Diamond and opal cluster ring | 15. " |
| 5 2659 | Diamond and opal cluster ring | 15. " |
| 5 2660 | Coral brooch, finely carved and set in gold | 27. " |
| 5 2713 | Diamond ring | 27. " |
| 5 2714 | Silver watch, Elgin nat. 4905784 | 27. " |
| 5 2715 | 18k gold H. watch, stemwinder, 18 carats | 27. " |
| 5 2747 | 18k gold H. watch, stemwinder, 18 carats | 27. " |
| 5 2748 | 18k gold H. watch, stemwinder, 18 carats | 27. " |
| 5 2749 | Silver watch, stem winder | 27. " |
| 5 2750 | 18k gold wedding ring, 3 dwt. | 27. " |
| 5 2751 | Silver watch, stem winder, ear rings | 27. " |
| 5 2776 | Gold watch, with coin, 12 dwt. | 27. " |
| 5 2777 | Diamond and ruby scarf pin | 27. " |
| 5 2778 | Diamond and ruby scarf pin | 27. " |
| 5 2779 | Silver watch, stem winder, made by Thos Russell & Son | 27. " |
| 5 2780 | 18k gold H. watch, stem winder, 20 dwt. | 27. " |
| 5 2781 | 18k gold albert and locket, 14 dwt. | 27. " |
| 5 2782 | Silver watch, stem winder, 4905785 | 27. " |
| 5 2806 | Ivy gold watch, 8 dwt. | 27. " |
| 5 2807 | Silver watch, stem winder, 4 ounces | 27. " |
| 5 2811 | Natural fur collar and pair of cuffs | 28. " |
| 5 2812 | Silver watch, stem winder | 28. " |
| 5 2813 | Pair of Lemaire pearl opera glasses | 28. " |
| 5 2816 | 18k gold H. watch, stemwinder, 18 carats | 28. " |
| 5 2817 | Silver watch, stem winder, 5 dwt. | 28. " |
| 5 2818 | Silver watch, stem winder, 20 dwt. | 28. " |
| 5 2819 | Pair of Lemaire pearl opera glasses | 28. " |
| 5 2820 | Opera glass | 28. " |
| 5 2821 | Gent's A Wesson diamond pins received | July 7. " |
| 5 2822 | Diamond satin petticoat | 28. " |
| 5 2823 | Pair of gold eyeglasses | 28. " |
| 5 2824 | 4 1-2 yards of cloth, double width | 28. " |
| 5 2862 | Gent's gold watch, stemwinder, made by W. W. Greener of London | 4. " |
| 5 2867 | One napkin infinitely varied | 4. " |
| 5 2868 | Silver watch, stem winder, 20 dwt. | 4. " |
| 5 2869 | Gent's gold watch, 27 dwt. | 4. " |
| 5 2870 | Gold filled case H. watch, with engraved | 4. " |
| 5 2871 | Silver watch, stem winder, 4 oz. | 4. " |
| 5 2893 | Pair Lemaire pearl opera glasses | 5. " |
| 5 2894 | Silver watch, stem winder | 5. " |
| 5 2895 | Silver watch, stem winder | 5. " |
| 5 2896 | Silver watch, stem winder, 5 dwt. | 5. " |
| 5 2897 | Silver watch, stem winder | 5. " |
| 5 2898 | Silver watch, stem winder, 5 dwt. | 5. " |
| 5 2899 | Silver watch, stem winder | 5. " |
| 5 2900 | Silver watch, stem winder, 5 dwt. | 5. " |
| 5 2901 | Silver watch, stem winder | 5. " |
| 5 2902 | Silver watch, stem winder, 5 dwt. | 5. " |
| 5 2903 | Silver watch, stem winder | 5. " |
| 5 2904 | Silver watch, stem winder | 5. " |
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