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From Montreal	From Ch'town
Tuesday 22nd May	Monday 28th May
Friday 4th June	11th June
15th "	25th "
2nd July	9th July
16th "	23rd "
30th "	6th Aug.
13th Aug.	20th "
27th "	3rd Sept.
10th Sept.	17th "
24th "	1st Oct.
8th Oct.	15th "
22nd "	29th "
5th Nov.	12th Nov.

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Ch'town, May 14th, 1900. Agents.
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The business will be under the management of John C. Murphy, who been in the employ of the deceased for the past ten years, is a master workman, and quite competent to conduct the work.
The patronage of former customers kindly solicited.
JANE MATHESON,
St. Avar's, June 12th, 1900. eol.

McGILL UNIVERSITY, Montreal

SESSION 1900-1901.

Matriculation Examinations, preliminary the various Courses of Study, will be held at Montreal and at local centres on 11th June, and at Montreal in September, as under:
*Faculty of Arts (Men and Women)
*Faculty of Applied Science - Mon. 17th Sept.
*Faculty of Medicine
*Faculty of Law
*Faculty of Comparative Medicine
*Faculty of Veterinary Science, Sat. 22nd Sept.
*In the Faculty of Arts (Revised Curriculum) the courses are open also to PARTIAL STUDENTS without Matriculation.
*In the Faculty of Applied Science the courses in Civil, Mechanical, Electrical and Mining Engineering, Chemistry and Architecture, are also open to PARTIAL STUDENTS without Matriculation.
Examinations for twenty-one first year Entrance Examinations in the Faculty of Arts, ranging from \$90 to \$200, will be held on the 11th September at Montreal, Halifax, St. John's, B. Charlottetown, P. E. I., St. John's Nfld., and other centres.
The Royal Victoria College, the new residential college for women, will be ready to receive students on 17th September.
The McGill Normal School will be re-opened on 1st September.
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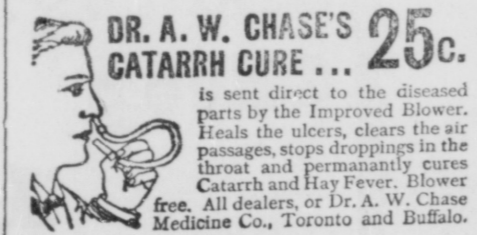
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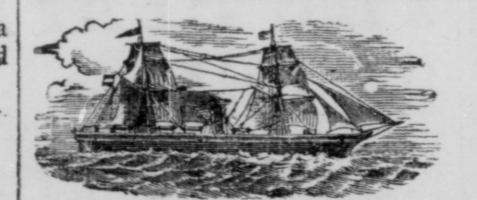
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Ch'town, March 15, 1900.

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PEAKE BROS & CO.
Agents.
Ch'town, July 2nd 1900.

HOW CHINA IS RULED.

The sovereign of China is nominally a despotic ruler, inspired by Heaven to govern the Chinese, and so long as he can hold the throne against intrigues his will is nominally Chinese law. But even less than in the case of most despots is the Chinese sovereign the real ruler, though one of strong, determined character may give a sudden twist or an initiative impulse to the course of government. China's government, in spite of its despotic apex is broadly democratic at its base. The people belong to the soil and the soil to the people. Each family, including the dead with the living, has its share of Chinese soil which is its grave and its altar, and which is secured to it. The civil unit of China is not the individual but the family. Each community is a group of families and each district a group of communities. Official rule begins with the district, 'hsien,' about the size of an English county, and has a magistrate called chi hsien, who fills all the official duties of the district as well as enforces the law. A group of districts forms a 'department,' 'fu,' which is ruled by a 'local governor' called a 'chi fu,' or prefect. It was the chifu of Chifu, in Shantung, who gave assurances to the admiral's at that place that any attempt at insurrection there would be put down by the troops. The trouble is that the chifu military authority and his pledge is not worth much.

The next highest official whose title will become very familiar to readers of the news from China, probably, commands militia, and is generally looked to, therefore, by foreigners to preserve the peace and protect them. This official is called the 'taotai,' or intendant of a 'circuit,' which comprises a group of districts. He is the pivot on which all the business outside of territorial administration turns. The taotai of Chifu, who expressed the friendship of the Chinese Government for the American Government, is an official of some power, therefore, and may be of use if he is sincere. The taotai of Tientsin is an official of high responsibility, Tientsin being an enormous city and the door to Peking. The next highest official is the futai, or governor, of one of the eighteen provinces. Each of these provinces, as each of the districts, departments and prefectures which go to compose it, is autonomous within its own sphere. Each of the provinces has its own army corps, its own civil and military machinery, its judicial and penal system and its governor, who collects and administers the peace of the province and remits the tributes; there is little interference from Peking within the province. In fact, if there is any interference which seems to the Chinese people to infringe upon their rights they resist the officials and cast them out, so that an insurrection easily grows, and a governor of a province generally prefers to have a new official appointed rather than to set the heather on fire. It is for this reason that the punishment of offences against missionaries and teachers in inland provinces is so difficult and slow, and inadequate, or is so misdirected when it arrived. There is still another grade of official called a 'viceroys' by foreigners, who is really a governor-general, and superintends the affairs of two or more provinces, or of one very important province, as in the case of Chihli. There is the viceroyalty of Chihli, held by Li Hung Chang for twenty-four years, the viceroyalty of Kiangnan, including Kiangfu, Nganhwei and Kiangsi, whose capital is Nanking, at present held by

Liu Kun Yih, important because of the great interests of foreigners in the region it comprises, and the viceroyalty of the two Kwangs, whose capital is Kwangtung or Canton, held at present by Li Hung Chang.

This system of federal government with almost complete provincial autonomy, is emphasized by the differences of race and language of the people in different regions of China and by the interests of each, which are kept distinct from those of all others. Thus there is no national unity or patriotism among the people, only a common hatred of the foreigners and of the Manchu dynasty at Peking. Thus it is impossible for the Emperor to raise a great national army with men from each province, though a governor may try, if the people show any willingness to despatch a few troops to a neighboring province in case of need. But there is no army system, no transport arrangements, no military union among the provinces. The sovereign may disgrace governors and other provincial officials, but if the officials find the people unwilling to obey the behests of Peking and it becomes dangerous to attempt to enforce the commands of the Celestial ruler, there is no way in which the Emperor can enforce her will though she has the absolute power of life and death when the people happen to be willing to obey her commands. This lack of cohesion and unity of the provinces accounts for the fact that while one or two provinces of China may be at open war with European powers others are not involved at all, and the provincial governors and foreign diplomats maintain a sort of friendly neutrality.—Witness.

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