

AUSTRIAN'S FREE RIDE

Gained Him Broken Leg and Future Internment

As a result of an attempt to take a free ride in a cab along Sherbrooke street early this morning, Cosimov Musikov, aged 28 years, an Austrian, living at 560 St Denis street, lies in the Western Hospital with a fracture of the right leg. He is also under arrest charged with drunkenness. A moment after William Furlong, a cabman at the stand, entered the cabman's shanty this morning, some one shouted that his horse was running away. Rushing out, Furlong saw his rig travelling rapidly along Sherbrooke street and after a chase in another cab, it was seen that there was a man inside. The intruder tried to jump out, but fell and was run over by the rear wheel. Two policemen from the West St. Catherine street station placed the Austrian under arrest. He was then taken in Furlong's cab to the Western Hospital. As soon as he recovers sufficiently to allow of his removal from the hospital, he will be taken before the court, and will be interned.