

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Card-Magee & Russell. Night School-T. J. Duigan. Watted-Wm. Finley.



The Ottawa Times. Office 28, Sparks Street. TUESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1870.

We are very glad to hear from Mr. J. B. Lewis the City Solicitor, that his Worship the Mayor is doing all he can to assist in bringing to light everything connected with Mr. Preston and the \$2,000 affair.

It is reported that the Suez Canal has fallen under English control and we trust that such is the case. Not only does it appear that all the large enterprises of the present day in order to be successful must be supported by British wealth and energy, but in view of her immense Indian possessions, Great Britain has a far greater interest in the Suez Canal than any other country can have.

There are some strange blunders in the article written by Mr. Gladstone, which lately appeared in the Edinburgh Review. Among other strange prophecies and announcements he says: "While, by the aid of this powerful agent (steam), the ships of both nations may scour the coasts, with favorable weather, from ten to fifteen or sixteen miles a day, the railways which gird the land, to say nothing of the telegraph, may in all weathers carry the armies which are to guard and their material from point to point at twenty, thirty, or forty."

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Latest by Telegraph. BY PEOPLE'S LINE. Ottawa-G. P. Drummond's Exchange Office 19 Sparks Street.

QUEBEC. LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. Quebec, Dec. 5, 1870. On motion of the Hon. Mr. Caron that part of the petition referring to the North Shore Railway, was referred to the Railway Committee.

President Grant's message was communicated to the Senate yesterday. It is very lengthy document. We give such portions of it as possess any interest to the people of this country.

THE STRENGTH OF THE UNION. Soon after the existing war broke out in Europe, the protection of the United States Minister in Paris was invoked in favor of the North Germans domiciled in French territory. Instructions were issued to grant the protection. This has been followed by an extension of American protection to citizens of Saxony, Hesse, and Saxe-Coburg, Gotha, Columbia, Portugal, Uruguay, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Chile, Paraguay, and Peru.

"NEW BROOMS." "The Globe says that Mr. Mackenzie and the members of the present Opposition are exceedingly useful in watching the Government and keeping them from corruption and extravagance. Then by all means let them retain their seats on the Opposition benches. They do not want office for office's sake."

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City Council. At a regular meeting of the City Council held in the City Hall last evening, the entire Board was present. It being announced that the water works question would be ventilated, the gallery was filled with a large and respectable audience who manifested great interest in the evening's proceedings, so much so that they had frequently to be called to order.

MARRIED. On the 3rd inst., in St. George's Church, Guelph, by the Rev. F. Alexander, Robert Berry Coulson, Esq., to Harriet Elizabeth Bryson, both of the town of Guelph.

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LOCAL NEWS. Derlin's Fur Depot. 50 dozen Velvet. 1000 yards of Ribbon.

Navigation on the Upper Ottawa. Mr. McGrover has succeeded in getting the navigation of the Upper Ottawa open.

There was a very early market yesterday. Pork and beef sold at 10c and 12c respectively.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Ottawa Typographical Association, held on Saturday evening last, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the next year.

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