The Times

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Wants.

BOARD in a private family wanted by a Barrister, engaged all day, would like to have advantage of ladies' society and use of piano. Address "ALPHA," this Office. 3852

BOARDERS WANTED.—A few gentlemen can be accommodated with first class rooms and board, by applying at No. 4 McCormick's Block O'Connor St., or at NOONAN'S RESTAURANT, Sparks St. 45-3t

WANTED.—Good Strawsewers immediately, to whom the highest wages will be paid at LITTMAN & JACOBS, 58 Sparks Street. 4i-6

WANTED.—A family's washing, apply to Mrs. MANSER, Stapleton's Cottages, Gloucester Street, Sandy Hill. N. B.—Lace Curtains a Speciality. 42-71

WANTED.—Two unfurnished rooms, a office and bedroom, on or near Rideau Street—as far out as possible, a separate entrance preferred. Apply by postal card to M. S. H., P. O. Box C., Ottawa. 3831

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Ottawa, 29th May, 1875. 6in.

Houses to Let.

ROOMS TO LET, large and airy, in the house lately occupied by Hon. Mr. Huntington, corner of O'Connor and Maria sts. Apply on the premises. 3846

ROOMS TO LET, with or without board, at Mrs. McIntyre's, Wellington Street, building lately occupied by the Ladies' College. May 5. 3836

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Jan. 22, 1875. MRS. FORGIE. 37-9-5m

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A Comfortable Cottage,
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Not five minutes walk from the Parliament Buildings.
Apply to M. B., TIMES OFFICE.
Ottawa, May 10, 1875 3839

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Court House Avenue,
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Omnibus to and from the Cars and Boats free. 3784

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F. MEINDL has opened out, as a Merchant Tailor and Outfitter, on Elgin st., opposite the Post Office. First class goods always on hand and satisfaction guaranteed. 3836-1m

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SOLICITORS OF
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Provincial Land Surveyor and Draughtsman.
Successor to W. R. Thistle & Co.
Office, as formerly, over Mann's Hardware Store. 3819-tf

In retiring from the practice of my profession, I have left with my former Assistant, Mr. A. F. COTTON, my Plans and Records of Surveys in Ottawa and vicinity, and have much pleasure in recommending him as my successor.
3819 W. R. THISTLE.

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More Accomodations.
The Rideau Club having given up a part of the premises, the large room formerly occupied by them as a reading room, has been converted into a dining room, and will be open to the public in connection with the Queen Restaurant.
Mr. Kavanagh is now ready to take in a number of Boarders on reasonable terms.
Gentlemen wishing to give Dinners Lunches Suppers, &c., will now find at the Queen's, the most ample accomodation.

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Oct. 20, 1874. 3880-3awky.

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Bankers and Stock Brokers, Montreal.
Negotiate sales of Property and Patents, and organize Companies. Money invested in first-class securities to pay 7 and 8 per cent. interest. Stocks purchased and carried on a margin of 10 per cent. interest at lowest current rates.
Dec. 3, 1874. 2709y3awk

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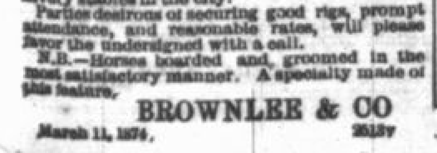

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Parties desirous of securing good rigs, prompt attendance, and reasonable rates, will please favor the undersigned with a call.
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O'CONNOR & O'DOHERTY,
Barristers, Attorneys, Solicitors, Conveyancers, &c.,
Mosgrove's Building Rideau-st., Ottawa.
HON. JOHN O'CONNOR, Q.C. G. J. O'DOHERTY,
Dec. 4, 1874.

SCOTT, STEWART & GORMULLY,
Barristers, Solicitors, Attorneys and Conveyancers, &c.,
Bell's Block, Elgin-st.
HONBLE. R. W. SCOTT, Q. C.
McLEOD STEWART. J. J. GORMULLY.
Oct. 17, 1874.

O'CONNOR & HOGG,
Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors, Conveyancers, &c.,
OTTAWA, ONT.
DANIEL O'CONNOR. | W. D. HOGG.
Sept. 9, 1874. 3867

WALKER, CASSELS & PENNOCK,
Barristers, Solicitors, Attorneys, Conveyancers, Notaries, &c., &c.,
Office—Bell's Block, opposite Russell House.
W. H. WALKER. | R. CASSELS, Jr. | P. PENNOCK.
July 21, 1874. 3825.

J. W. W. WARD,
Barrister, Attorney, Solicitors, &c.,
Office—Over Mr. B. Huckell's Flour Store, corner of Sussex and York-streets, Ottawa. 2830y

TAILLON & CHRYSLER,
Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Notaries, &c.
Office—Hardy's Block, Rideau Street.
G. TAILLON. | F. H. CHRYSLER.
June 3, 1873.

PINHEY, CHRISTIE & HILL,
Barristers, Attorneys, Solicitors, Conveyancers, &c.,
(Of the late firm of Lewis & Pinhey.)
OFFICES—Elgin Street, Ottawa.
C. H. PINHEY. A. J. CHRISTIE. | H. P. HILL.
Feb. 5, 1874. 484-3m

W. MARSHAL MATHESON,
Barrister, Attorney, Notary, &c.
Office—Master in Chancery Chambers, Co House, Ottawa, Canada.

L. W. P. COUTLEE, B.C.L.,
Barrister, Advocate, &c. for the Province of Quebec.
Barrister Attorney, Solicitor in Chancery, &c., for the Province of Ontario.
Main Street, Hull, P. Q. 3226-6m

C. V. H. FERLAND,
Advocate.
Temporary Office at Dr. Jos. Beaudin's, Main Street, Hull,
Hull, March 9, 1874. 2512y

O. ARCHAMBAULT,
Notary Public and Advocate,
Has opened an office in the Village of Hull Province of Quebec, for the transaction of all Notarial and Legal business, either in the Province of Quebec or Ontario. Special care given to the collection of accounts in both Provinces.
Hull, Oct. 28, 1874. 2464

THOMAS P. FORAN,
Advocate, Solicitor, &c.
No. 12 St. James Street, . . MONTREAL.
Sept. 9, 1873. 2862-3m

Medical Cards.

DR. TUPPER may be consulted professionally at his residence, Metcalfe Street, house formerly occupied by the Hon. F. Mitchell. 3817-1y

DR. LOGAN,
Homoeopathic Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur.
Residence—Albert Street. Office hours from 8 to 11 a. m., and 2 to 4 p. m. Special attention given to diseased and displacements of the uterus. 1753

DR. J. P. LYNN,
May be consulted at his Office, corner of O'Connor and Albert-sts.
Ottawa, Oct. 24 1874. 2461.

DR. BURROWS, C.M.L.C.P.S.L.C., M.C.P.S.O.,
Graduate McGill University, Montreal. Surgeon Northumberland and Durham Cavalry. Late Associate Coroner N. and D.
Office and Residence:—Corner of Hugh and Sparks sts. 2058-6m

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OTTAWA, ONT.
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DR. J. D. R. MACDONELL,
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JUST RECEIVED AND OPENED OUT,
50 Cases of
Boots, Shoes,
RUBBERS, &c.,
Which will be sold CHEAP for Cash only.
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March 10, 1875. 3780

SEASONABLE.
Childrens' Rubbers at 35 cts.
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Ladies' Long Rubber Boots, at $1.50.
And other goods at proportionately low prices, at
Lamb's Clearing Sale,
A large lot of slippers, at cost and under, all kinds of Leather
BOOTS & SHOES
At a shade over first cost, at Lamb's Clearing Sale. In fact you can save lots of money by buying your feet wear at Lamb's Clearing Sale which will be opened to the public only a short time, as the stock is fast disappearing. A good opportunity for buying out a good and well established business. Personal application to
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28 Sussex-st.
March 10, 1875. 3780

Auction Sales.

BY J. BERMINGHAM.

Unreserved clearing sale every evening at 7:30, in the store lately occupied by the Insolvent, T. E. Moore, Robinson's Block, Sparks street. Great bargains in fancy goods, writing desks, work boxes, chromos and musical instruments. Go and share of them.
J. BERMINGHAM.
Auctioneer.

TWO DAYS'
AUCTION SALE,

MOST IMPORTANT AND EXTENSIVE CATALOGUE AUCTION SALE OF EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, SPLENDID PIER GLASSES, RICH SILVER-WARE, SUPERB CHRYSTAL CHANDELIERS, OIL PAINTINGS, CHROMOS, DRESDEN, BOHEMIAN, SWISS, AND OTHER VALUABLE VASES. CHINA TEA SETTS, DINNER AND DESSERT SETTS, CUT GLASS WARE. AN EDUCATED GREY AFRICAN PARROT, WITH CAGE VALUABLE ORNAMENTS, &c.

The Subscriber is honoured with instructions from R. KIMBER, ESQ., late gentleman usher of the Black Rod, to sell at his residence, East end of the Parliament House, for two days, commencing at 10:30 a. m., on

TUESDAY, 1st JUNE,

All his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and effects, consisting, in part, of an Extension Dining Table, eighteen feet long; two Sideboards, Cretone Window Hangings, with rich cornice; splendid Crystal Chandeliers, Oil Paintings, Chromos, Dining Table Mirrors, silver plated; silver plated Epergnes, Tea Setts, Coffee Setts, Large trays, Salvers, Cake Baskets, Table spoons, Dessert spoons, Table Forks, Desset Forks, Side Dishes, Plated Dish Covers, Silver Wire Dish Covers, Dinner Service, China Tea and Coffee Setts in pink and gold, and white and gold, MAPLE LEAF PATTERN DESSERT SETT, consisting of eight fruit stands, twenty-three plates, and one sugar stand made expressly for the use of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, with crest; blue and white Toilet Sett made for the Prince of Wales, with motto; One highly educated African parrot with cage pair of ring Doves and cages; China and cut glass wines, decanters and tumblers, &c., &c.

SPLENDID PIER GLASS, ABOUT FIVE FEET SIX BY FOUR FEET,
Manufactured at St. Gobein; cost $150.

SUPERB CRYSTAL SIX-LIGHT CHANDELIER; TWO MAGNIFICENT DRESDEN CHINA VASES, BLUE & GOLD, COST $200.

Five black walnut brackets, with rare and valuable shells; one bronze eight day clock; plain busts of Her Majesty's and Prince Albert; lounges in crimson covers; ottoman in crimson; cover; finely upholstered double sofa in crimson repp, with cushions to match; ornamental gilt table, handsome fire screens, card tables, drawing room chairs in crimson, whatnots, paintings, ornaments, Brussels carpets, statuary, &c.
Large and small iron bed steads, spring and other mattresses, feather beds, bolsters, pillows, wardrobes, bureaus, work tables, dressing tables, and the furniture of several bed rooms.
Hall table, hall chairs, hall pictures, garden vases, garden iron chairs, and numerous other art cles.
For particulars see catalogues, which will be ready for distribution,

ON SATURDAY, THE 29TH INST.,
And can be had at the office of the Auctioneer.

The first day will be given to the sale of the hall, dining room and drawing room furniture. The second day, Wednesday, June 2nd, will be given to the bed room furniture and effects, and culinary utensils.
J. BERMINGHAM,
Auctioneer.
May 26, 1875. 3853

BY J. BERMINGHAM.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the covenant contained in a Mortgage made by A. E. Gendrean to C. F. Dorion, there will be sold under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in said Mortgage,

On SATURDAY, 29th INST.,

At Eleven o'clock, at the saleroom of J. Bermingham, Elgin Street, in the City of Ottawa, by Public Auction, the following goods and chattels, viz:—one large mirror, with marble stand, five other mirrors, one marble top washstand with silver taps and piping, four sets of barbers drawers, with top glass cases, four barbers chairs, two sofas, one very fine coal stove, cisterns, pumps, eight day clock, oil cloth, glass cases, glass partitions, shaving mugs, brushes, combs, as well as a large quantity of perfumery, hair restorer, hair brushes, and fancy goods, all well suited for family use, or a first-class hair dressing saloon. Sale positive, and at eleven o'clock on Saturday, 29th inst.
Terms Cash.
J. BERMINGHAM,
Auctioneer.
WM. MOSGROVE,
Vendor's Solicitor.
Ottawa, May 26th, 1875. 58

IMPORTANT TO
LUMBER MERCHAHTS

Auction Sale Of
Valuable Timber Limits.

The Executors of the estate of the late John Shedden, will offer for sale by Public Auction at the Auction Rooms of F. W. Coate, & Co., in the city of Toronto, on

THURSDAY, 29th DAY OF JULY.

Next, at Two O'Clock in the afternoon, the following Five Townships of Timber Limits situated in the districts of Algoma, on North Shore of Lake Huron, viz:—

Nos. 100, 101, 105, 106 and 135.

Each Township consisting of about thirty-six square miles. These limits are most advantageously situated on the main stream of Spanish and on Serpent River, and the whole area is timbered with a good quality of white pine, mixed with birch and maple.
For plan of the limits with report of Mr. Gaviller, the Surveyor (who recently explored the entire area) and for other particulars apply to
MORRIS, HARRIS & McBRIDE,
Solicitors, Jordan street, Toronto.
Or
JOSEPH HICKSON, or THOMAS SYMINGTON, Montreal, Executors of the Estate. 3851

PERSONS having books in their possession belonging to the Young Men's Christian Association, are requested to SEND them to their rooms, corner Sparks and O'Connor Streets.
C. E. CHUBBUCK,
Librarian.
Ottawa, May 22nd, 1875.

GRAY'S SYRUP OF RED SPRUCE GUM for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Loss of Voice, Bronchical and Throat Affection. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold at all Drug Stores. KERRY WATSON & CO., Chemists, Wholesale Druggists, [Trade Mark secured] Montreal.

SALE THIS MORNING,
AT 11 O'CLOCK,
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THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY,
June 3rd, 4th & 5th.
MRS. D.
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—OF THE—
Grand Opera House,
TORONTO.
With her talented company and the greatest living comedian of the day
J. L. TOOLE
Will appear as above announced. For particulars see Programmes and Posters. 3852-2in

OTTAWA CHORAL UNION.

1875. SEASON. 1875.

The Second Concert, consisting of
1st.—Selections from the "Messiah,"
—AND—
2nd.—The Cantata "The May Queen,"
By the late Sir Wm. Sterndale Bennett, will take place in
Gowan's Opera House,
—ON—
MONDAY, 31st MAY.
Tickets, (non-subscribers.)
Floor of Hall - - - - $1 00
Balcony - - - - 50
Gallery - - - - 25
The plan of the Hall will be open to the public at Messrs. Gowan's Store, on and after Thursday, the 27th inst.
Books of the words of the "May Queen, &c.," may be had at the Music Stores, price, 10c.
Concert to commence at eight o'clock.

Grocers.

Alph. J. Steers & Co.,
—WHOLESALE—
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
—DEALERS IN—
GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, ETC., ETC.,
RUSSELL HOUSE BLOCK,
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OTTAWA, ONT.
Liberal advances made on consignments.
References.
J. H. SEMPLE, Importer, &c., 53 St. Peter St, Montreal.
JAS. HARTY & Co. Merchants, Kingston.
J. J. CAMPBELL, Esq., Messrs. Campbell & Cassells, Bankers, 56 Kings St., East, Toronto.

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Baskerville & Bros.,
No. 36, Rideau St., Ottawa,
Are offering General Groceries, Wines and Liquors at unusually LOW PRICES, to make room for their Spring Stock.
3 lbs. of sound Tea for $1.60, value warranted, also, a reduction on Sugar, taking 1 lb. or upwards, a reduction on No. 1 Labrador Herrings, from 50 cts. to $1.00, according to quantity, or No. 1 Labrador Herring, reduced to $4.25 per bbl., dry Cod-fish, Coarse Salt in large bags, Fine Salt, 280 lbs. per bag, Good Western Apples and Onions, also on hand, all of which are selling at a reduction for CASH.
TOBACCOS, PICKLES, BALL BLUE STARCH, RICE, RAISINS,
CURRANTS, NUTS, CIGARS, PAILS and BROOMS, also,
HIGH WINES,
PROOF AND RYE,
From Gooderham and Worts Celebrated Distillery, SOLD LOW.
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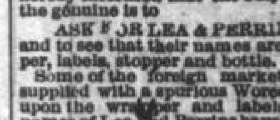

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The success of this most delicious and unrivaled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to
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Sole Agents for Ottawa and District
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ASSETS OVER - - - - $10,000,000
DEPOSIT AT OTTAWA, - - - - 100,000
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Address with references and experience, M any—
SIMPSON & BETHUNE,
Managers for Canada
Montreal
Ottawa Jan. 28. 3759-1m

APPOINTMENT AND PROMOTION.

MR. W. R. Billings, one of the assistants to the Chief Architect of the Department of Public Works, has been promoted to be Inspector of Works at the various immigrant buildings, marine hospitals, &c., in the Province of Ontario and Quebec and in the Maritime Provinces. The promotion is a just recognition of the ability and assiduity so long displayed by Mr. Billings in the Department, and will be most favourably received in this locality where his family so long settled are highly and universally esteemed. Mr. John Bowers, lately employed as Inspector of Works on the Parliamentary Library, and whose ability and experience are well known, has been entrusted with the supervision of works at the various penitentiaries in the above named Provinces.

TELEGRAPHIC.

FOREIGN.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Earthquakes in Baroussa.

LONDON, May 28.—The *Herald* says that a series of earthquakes have occurred at the beginning of May, in the Province of Baroussa Assim. Six hundred houses were destroyed. The accounts so far received show that 150 lives were lost and that 187 individuals were injured. The total number killed is still unknown.

Boynton's Attempt to Swim across the Channel.

Boynton started early this morning to swim from Cape Gresne, in his life saving suit. He is now near Folkeston, crossing the channel successfully. There is every likelihood of his accomplishing the feat

GERMANY.

Dissolution of the Press Bureau.

BERLIN, May 28.—Bismarck has dissolved the German Press Bureau.

AMERICAN.

NEW YORK.

A Terrible Calamity.

NEW YORK, May 28.—A special from Holyoke, Mass., gives the latest details of an appaling church accident which occurred last night at 10 o'clock. Thirty six dead bodies are in Mowatt's stores, and twelve in the school house, and twelve at another house. The work of recovering bodies from the ruins is progressing all night. At midnight fifty-one bodies, mostly women and children, had been recovered. Rev. A. B. Dufresne escaped through a side door. The scenes in the church were horrible and baffle description. A corner of the gallery fell in, and was filled full, and was found full of mangled and dismembered bodies. It is probable the exact number of the lost will not be known for some days. It is estimated seventy-five persons perished. The following is a list of the killed as far as recognized: Mrs. Burgess, Justin Brissen, Miss Coache, Roselline Des Jardins, Mrs. Des Jardins and four children, Selin and Mary Dancette, Francis Deory, Mrs. Lafrance, Mrs. Lavina, Mrs. Morin, Isa Morino, Fabou Moreau, Ela Munier, Alsen Newton, P. Paquette and child, and Mr. Robert, added to the list of forty injured already published, and which includes Chief Mullin of the Fire Department and Chas. Dufresne, brother of the pastor. Six of the injured are dying. Nellie Lapicore and her mother and a child named Bridget are missing, and supposed to be in the ruins. Amajority of the dead are still unidentified.

Press Excursion.

The press excusion from this city to Boston and return back, on the steamer *City of Bristol*, returned this morning. Most of the journals in Philadelphia, New York and New England were represented. Resolutions commending the accommodations of the company, and thanking the officers for their courtesy, were unanimously adopted by the excursionists.

Comments of the Times.

The *Times*, commenting on the wheat trade says: the accumulation of the extraordinary stock of five millions of bushels of wheat in Chicago is, we believe, an unexampled phenomena in the history of the grain trade in this country, now that bread has at length been reached, in the figures at which wheat has been held in the interior, there ought to be a brisk renewal in the shipping from this and other ports, and prices ought to reach what may be called their nominal equilebrum.

The War in Spain.

A dispatch from St. Jean Delus to the *Standard* states that the Carlist battery at Mount Tico had fired on the Spanish squadron and the Admiral commanding was killed and four of his officers wounded.

French Affairs.

A Paris correspondent of the *Times* says that Minister Buffet will not make the system of election a Cabinet question.

Illness of two Prominent Men.

Fletcher Harper, the only surviving member of the original firm of Harper Bros. is lying dangerously ill of dyptheria. Col. B. W. Blanchard, a prominent Railway man is very ill at the Brunswick hotel, suffering from paralysis.

Scene at the Stock Exchange.

The New York Exchange was the scene of great excitement and a further heavy decline in values attended, with an enormous business, the pressure to sell was very great and at intervals the market was on the verge of panic. This continued depression in railway and miscellaneous shares is the result of a combination of causes. The long war between the Trunk line has done much to undermine confidence in the value of Railroad stocks. Lake Shore steadily declined and reached 59$\frac{1}{2}$, the lowest quotation since the panic of '73. The decline in the general market to-day carried down two firms. Washburn & Co., and Solomon, whose chief workings are in stocks. There was some recovery in the evening but there is considerable anxiety as to the future.

Comments on the Holyoke Disaster.

The evening *Express*, commenting on the Holyoke disaster, says the too frequent use of lights in churches ought to be discontinued and chiefly moveable lights. It is in Roman Catholic and Ritualistic Churches that candles are used, and such a calamity as this at mass ought to be a life long warning, and argues strongly against their use.

A Ten Years' Confinement.

Jas. Duffy, on trial for an attempt to shoot Deputy Comptroller Earl, was to day found guilty and sentenced to ten years' confinement.

Burglary.

Burglars entered the carriage factory of J. Curley on Slate street last night, and a clerk named W. Kelly who had visited the establishment to see if things were all right was knocked senseless by one of them. On recovering consciousness the burglars forced him to open the safe. They took what money there was in the cash box and made off, only getting thereby $30.

CHICAGO.

The Farner Case.

CHICAGO, May 28.—The final motion in the great Farner case will be made to-day if the case sit for trial. The parties are all apparently seeking to delay the trial as long as they can, in order to allow public sentiment to become a little quieter.

Conclusion of Cases.

The Aldermanic contempt case and *Times* libel suits will conclude, it is thought, before night.

Decoration Day.

Arrangements for decoration day are quite finished and if the weather is favourable there will be a general observance of the day. There will be no parade through the streets, but military organizations will go direct to the various cemeteries where the ceremonies will occur.

DENVER.

The Vice President.

DENVER, Col., May 28.—The Hon. H. Wilson, the Vice President of the United States, who has been passing several days in this city and vicinity, and had a very warm reception. He had many calls and visited the public institutions and made excursions to various points in the territory. He left for Cheyenne yesterday and will return east by the Western Pacific, stopping at Omaha and other points before reaching Chicago.

Sojourners in the Territory.

Gen. Logan and Hon. Mr. Bangs, of Chicago are amongst the sojourners of this territory just now.

DES MOINES.

Robbery of a Clergyman.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 28.—Advices were received here last evening of the robbery of the Rev. A. Smith, of Council Bluffs, by a highwayman, in the southwestern district of Cass county, on Tuesday evening. He was driving in a buggy when a robber halted his horse, fired a revolver and demanded his money. The reverend gentleman resisted, when he was attacked with a knife and cut, and was finally knocked senseless and robbed of $570 which he had collected for his church debt.

Arrival of the Vice President.

Vice President Wilson arrived here from the West to-day.

BOSTON.

Arrival of Abraham Jackson.

BOSTON, May 28.—Abraham Jackson, the lawyer against whom there are grave charges of forgery and defalcation to the extent of nearly $80,000, arrived here this evening, in charge of a detective. He exhibits no sign of insanity, and denies his guilt.

In Search of a Lost Vessel.

The revenue cutter *Gallatea* left here to-day in search of the ship *R. M. Helen* of Boston, which is thought to have been lost.

HARTFORD

Sad Accident.

HARTFORD CON., May 28.—H. D. Cameron, a member of the Trinity College Crew, in company with Mr. Hooker the captain, while rowing this evening in a double shell were run into by a tow boat. Cameron, who could not swim, was drowned. The body has not been recovered. Cameron was a member of the class 76, and a resident of Brooklyn, N. Y.

WINONA.

Brewery Burned.

WINONA, Minn., May 28.—The Brewery of S. Becker, on the east side of Sugar Loaf, about two miles east of here, was destroyed by fire Wednesday night. Three men engaged in the brewery were obliged to jump out of the upper windows to effect an escape. Loss $13,000; insurance $8,000.

RICHMOND.

Election Returns.

RICHMOND, Va., May 28.—Reports from the municipal and county elections held yesterday, show Conservative victory with large gains. The election was general throughout the State, with the exception of this district and Petersburg, which, according to the new charter, are held the same time as the State election, in November.

CINCINNATI.

The Lieut.-Governor Caned.

CINCINNATI, May 28.—The *Commercial* has the following from Detroit: "On Monday Holt, the Lieut.-Governor of the State was, severely caned by Mr. Trott, a leading citizen of Muskegon, for an alleged insult offered to his wife. Holt was considerably cut by the cane. Trott afterwards got a pistol and was with some difficulty restrained from shooting Holt.

DUBUQUE.

Crop Prospects.

DUBUQUE, Ia., May 28.—The continued drouth is broken. Rain in abundance has fallen, and everything looks well. The chinch bugs make their appearance in wheat fields throughout this county and the adjoining one, but no one can tell the extent of the damage resulting from the ravages of these insects.

CANADIAN.

Custom Receipts—Movement of Vessels Conservative Candidate for Joliette County—Arrival of Hon. Mr. Mackenzie—Celebration of the Anniversary of Tom Moore—Sentenced for Theft—Rumours Contradicted—Release of Phillips—Appearance of the "Herald"—Bonds Floated—Stock Market.

MONTREAL, May 28.—Custom receipts to-day were $16,640.12.

Arrived, schooner *Mary Ann*, from Cape Chatts. Cleared, the propeller *City of St. Catherines*, the steamship *Ephinstone* for London, the schooner *P. Fortin* for Cape Canso.

Dr. Lavallo, M. P. P., will again be the Conservative candidate at the Local elections for the County of Joliette.

Hon. Mr. Mackenzie and Mrs. Mackenzie, who will shortly leave for England, arrived in town yesterday, and became the guests of Mr. Thos. Workman. During the afternoon a number of merchants and bankers entertained the Premier at dinner at St. James' Club, Hon Mr. McDonald, Hon. Mr. Huntington and Hon. Mr. Holton being also present. The Hon. Mr. Mackenzie the Premier this morning, accompanied by the Harbour Commissioners, visited the harbour and inspected the works now being proceeded with. The tug *John Young* was placed at his disposal, when a tour round the harbour was made. The Premier expressed himself satisfied with the improvements going on.

The members of the Irish Literary Society will celebrate the anniversary of Tom Moore by an entertainment, to be given this evening in the Mechanics' Hall. The Rev. Father Murphy will deliver an address.

Judge Conosol this morning sentenced young Nooman, a clerk, for theft of goods valued at $740, including silks, satins, &c., from Messrs. Maoler, his employers, to three years imprisonment in the St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary.

Vague rumours floating in the commercial atmosphere of the city to-day in regard to some houses of very old and high standing being in financial difficulties, are without foundation.

The case of Sutherland *vs.* Phillips, who has been held for several months in prison, was to-day settled and an order for the discharge of Phillips was made. All suits pending between these parties are withdrawn.

The *Herald* this morning appears as a forty column paper, a size which it will maintain in the future. Some change is also made in the make-up, which improves the appearance of the paper.

It is rumoured that Sir Hugh Allan has been successful in negotiating the bonds of the Milwaukee & Detroit Railway Company.

The Stock Market this morning was weak, especially Telegraph. Sales 6 Jacques Cartier at 94, closing sellers at 94; 45 Royal Canadian at 94$\frac{1}{4}$, and 40 at 94$\frac{1}{4}$, closing at 94$\frac{1}{4}$, to 95; 15 Telegraph at 60, and 18 at 159, closing at 159 to 160; Montreal 183$\frac{1}{2}$ to 184; Molson's 114 to 115; Merchant's 111$\frac{1}{2}$ to 112$\frac{1}{4}$; Commerce 134$\frac{1}{2}$ to 135. Sales at the afternoon board—10 Montreal at 183$\frac{3}{4}$; 50 Merchant's at 112$\frac{3}{4}$; 5 at 112$\frac{1}{4}$, closing at 112$\frac{1}{2}$, and 128 Telegraph at 159$\frac{1}{2}$.

HAMILTON.

A Case of Suicide—Death from Lock-Jaw.

HAMILTON, May 28.—Mr. Charles Gray, residing at Wellington Street North, who for many years was known to our citizens as a merchant on John street, and for many years has been suffering severely from a complication of diseases. No hope of his recovery having been held by the physicians in attendance; yesterday between three and four o'clock he requested his son to get him a glass of water, and while away he took a pistol from a drawer, where he had seen his brother secrete it, and holding it to his left temple discharged its contents into his brain. Mr. Gray was in a very melancholy state of mind for a considerable period. Death ensued instantly. He leaves a wife and eight children well provided for. There is no doubt but the rash act was committed by Mr. Gray while labouring under a fit of temporary insanity produced by bodily affliction.

On Tuesday, the 18th inst., a youth named Albert Henry Harrison, while at work on the addition to the wool warehouse of Mr. Harvey, on Rebecca street, trod on a nail which ran under his right toe. On Wednesday morning he attempted to go to work as usual, but finding that his foot pained him severely, he returned home and soon afterwards complained of a pain in his jaw. His parents thinking he had caught cold applied simple remedies, but he gradually became worse and Dr. MacKelcan was called in and did all in his power to alleviate his sufferings but without avail. He died in the utmost agony of lockjaw yesterday morning at his residence, Bay Street North.

KINGSTON.

Y. M. C. Association Concert—Confirmation Services—The Fire Fiend—Spelling Mania.

KINGSTON, May 28.—The Y. M. C. A. Concert last evening was a grand success.

The Bishop of Ontario will administer the rite of confirmation at St. George's Cathedral on the 20th June.

About half past two o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a frame house owned by Mr. Spankie, Williamsville, which resulted in the destruction of two adjoining frame houses. It is supposed the fire was the work of an incendiary. When the engine arrived no water could be obtained. One house was insured for $500 and an other for $900.

The return spelling match between the pupils of the Collegiate Institute and the Y. M. C. Association will take place on next Thursday evening in the City Hall.

TORONTO.

Indignation Meeting of Merchants.—The Welland Election Trial.

TORONTO, May 28.—At a meeting of merchants held to-day in Yonge street, great indignation was expressed expressed at the conduct of the engineer in not hurrying the construction of a sewer. Legal advice is to be taken.

Judge Gwynne this morning gave judgment on the Welland election trail, and declared the election null and void on the grounds of treating by Boardman, agent of Currie, who on the day of the election kept an open tavern. As he has not been disqualified he will run again with strong chances of going in.

LONDON.

Lecture on Prohibition—Committed for Trial—Coloured Man Sentenced.

LONDON, May 28.—The Rev. J. W. Manning lectures on prohibition in the Congregational Church to-night under the auspices of the Young Mens' Christian Association.

Witcher, who stabbed Mr. Golder on the evening of the 24th, has been committed for trial by the police magistrate.

A coloured man named Pasey was sentenced to two months' imprisonment in jail by the magistrate this morning for obtaining a money letter addressed to his father out of the post office under false pretenses.

Weather warm and mild.

PRESCOTT.

Grand Celebration on Dominion Day.

PRESCOTT, May 28.—A meeting was held here last evening at which it was decided to have a grand celebration on Dominion Day. One thousand dollars will be offered for lacrosse, base ball, quoiting, boat racing, &c. The Committee guarantee the best days sport ever witnessed in Central Canada.

BOWMANVILLE.

By-Law Defeated.

BOWMANVILLE, May 28.—To day a by-law was voted upon as submitted by the town council for the purpose of purchasing a Silsby Steam Fire Engine at a cost of $5000. Very little interest was manifested and but few votes were cast. At the close of the poll the majority against the by-law was found to be sixty votes.

A trial of skill between two contortionists—William Gaylord and a Japanese named Tomey—occurred in St. Louis. The wager was $1,000, and the decision was to be based upon "grace, skill, and difficult work." Tomey stood on a high and unstable pile of tubs, slowly bent backward until the top of his head touched the level of his feet, and rose again to an erect posture without a losing his balance. Gaylord bent his body backward, in a hoop, until his feet were caught under his chin, and in that posture trotted around on his hands. The stake was awarded to Gaylord.

THE TORIES AND THE CATHOLICS

From the Kingston News

The Toronto *Mail* calls upon the Catholics of Ontario to withdraw their support from Mr. Mackenzie and transfer it to Sir John Macdonald, because they have not been fairly dealt with by the leaders of the Liberal Party. Such appeals to selfish and sectarian interests are most unpatriotic, and calculated to prevent the country being knitted together as a homogeneous whole, but patriotism is a secondary consideration to party in the organ's estimation. And they are as dishonest as they are unpatriotic. It is not true that the Liberal party has used the Catholics of Ontario unfairly. No instance can be pointed to where a man's Catholicism was a drawback in the estimation of the party. They stand, in regard to it on the same footing as the rest of the community, no better, no worse; and that is their just position. When a Catholic has shown himself fitted for office it has been gladly bestowed upon him, not because he was a Catholic, but because he was duly qualified. Mr. Fraser is a Catholic and a member of a Liberal Ministry in Protestant Ontario. Mr. R. W. Scott is a Catholic and a member of a Liberal Ministry at Ottawa. Mr. D. A. Macdonald is a Catholic and was appointed Governor of Protestant Ontario by a Liberal Ministry. Is there not in these instances a rebuttal of the charge of illiberality towards the Catholics? But, it is answered, these are not *Irish* Roman Catholics. The complainants shift ground, protesting in one breath that the Liberal Party deals unfairly with Catholics on account of their religion, and abandon that ground the next breath, and charge that they are unfair to them in the matter of race. Well, who is to blame that Messrs. Fraser, Scott and Macdonald are not of pure Irish blood? Is Mr. Mowat and Mr. Mackenzie? Where are the Irish Catholics on whom it is contended that Cabinet offices should be bestowed? Let those who complain bring their candidates to the front. If they are good men justice will be done them quite independent of their race or religion. If there are none to choose from, what can the Liberal leader do? They cannot manufacture Irish Catholics warranted to fill Cabinet offices.

If any section of the Ontario people has gained by the burial of the old-time sectarian feuds which used to rend this country, it is the Roman Catholics. They are in a ministry here, and have everything to gain by not exciting sectarian animosities, and he is a wicked enemy of them and the Province who would seek to play upon their religious feelings for political friends. There is every disposition in the Liberal party to treat them fairly, and even generously, as fellow citizens, not as a religious sect only, religion having no State standing in this country, where there is no Church Establishment, thanks to the Liberal Party. If Catholics, as a sect, demanded Catholic representation, why not Methodists, Baptists or Presbyterians? But if a Catholic is properly qualified for office, apart from his religion, his religion should be no more a drawback, than it is in the case of a Methodist. That is Liberal doctrine, acted upon by the Liberal Party, and any departure from it is dangerous to the Catholic minority, who have everything to lose by exciting religious jealousies and hostilities.

It must be very mortifying to self respecting Catholics to be told by Sir John's organ that they should leave Mr. Mackenzie because the plunder is not fairly distributed, and go over to the Tory camp in the hope of better pay, as if they were so many hireling Hessians with no political souls but only anxious to share in the loot. They are addressed by the organ as if void of all principle, and as if they could change their political coats without doing hurt to their self-respect, if indeed it admits they have any. This mode of regarding them as a sort of political ballast to be shifted according to the rolling of the ship of state is anything but complimentary to the Catholics. It is not only impudent, but it is insincere. The very organ that is now weeping over the "wrongs" of Irish Catholics on the 21st of September last got astride of the Protestant horse and declared that "Mr. Fraser's presence in the Cabinet was dangerous to the liberties of the people of Ontario," and that it was alarmed at the fact that through his influence "priests for the first time in the history of the province were allowed to issue marriage licences." Let our Catholic friends study those insults a moment, and then tell us what they think of the honesty and sincerity of the organ in now wringing its hands over their "wrongs," which it artfully manufactures for the occasion.

Fishery Regulations for New Brunswick.

From the Montreal Herald.

The Hon. Peter Mitchell having written to the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to complain of the new regulations of the fisheries of New Brunswick, including a $1 per 200 lbs for bass, Mr. Smith has replied, remarking that Mr. Mitchell does not object to the general scope of the regulations, (Mr. Mitchell admits their necessity, but thinks some unnecessarily stringent,) but merely complains of the tax. As to that he reminds Mr. Mitchell that every holder of exclusive fishing privileges in Ontario and Quebec pays a tax, and that Mr. Mitchell had himself, as shown by Orders in Council of 22nd December, 1869, and 27th January, 1870, intended gradually to make the same principle everywhere applicable. The regulations do not interfere with the rights of riparian proprietors, because the Fisheries Act of 1868 licenses them, and prior occupancy will be considered in granting the licenses. Moreover, on the Miramichi and Restigouche rivers nets have been taxed for many years, and the present tax upon the actual catch, merely takes the place of the net tax, which is abolished. As to the present tax, if it should prove somewhat higher than the net tax, the $1 on 200 lbs of fish has existed for years on the Quebec side of the boundary formed by the Restigouche and Bay of Chaleurs, and it was imposed by Mr. Mitchell. Why, asks Mr. Smith, are Quebecers to pay a license tax on one side of a river, and New Brunswickers, on the other side, to pay none? Whatever his Provincial sympathies, he must, as a Minister, deal on equal terms with the people of all the Provinces, and not allow New Brunswickers to escape what Quebecers pay. Even in New Brunswick, however, the present tax was in force last year on the Restigouche river, and was paid without complaint, so that it might be reasonably thought as proper in other parts of New Brunswick. The Government was indeed laying out a considerable sum of money in improving the fisheries; had breeding establishments already on the Restigouche and Miramichi, and would have others. It was therefore, only reasonable that fishermen should pay some part of the cost, since their catch was greatly increased, as was admitted, owing to this cause, so that between the two districts of Restigouche and Northumberland the quantity of salmon caught in 1874 had been 2,046,298 lbs. against 724,760 in 1872,—nearly trebled in three years. Finally, if there are any special reasons for exemption owing to contracts having been made, or if there should be any depression of the fishing industry, Mr. Smith says the Government will, no doubt, favourable consider such circumstances.