Local Intelligence.

KNOCKED DOWN.—A man was knocked down and severely stunned by a passing vehicle on Sparks street, near O'Connor' yesterday evening.

FALLING ICE.—Great quantities of thin sheets of ice were falling about in all directions yesterday to the great danger of foot passengers.

SLIPPERY STREETS. — After the heavy rain on Sunday evening, the streets yesterday were in a most dangerous condition, and several slips and bruised noses might be recorded, but nothing o' a very serious character.

WANTED.—Custom Cards, Second-hand or New. Address, 356 P O. Box, Ottawa. 4029mw&sw2

A FALSE REPORT.—It is not true that during the heavy gale which prevailed early yesterday morning, that Tom Collins had his hair blown off his head, and his teeth thrust down his throat. The report was as false as his teeth!

THE LADIES' COLLEGE.—It is said that Mr. Jackson of the Ladies' College will resign on the 1st of February. His successor has not yet been made public, a well known lady preceptress has been mentioned in connection with the position.

THE ALLEGED RAPE CASE.—From enquiries made as to the condition of Miss Mills, last night it seems that the surgeons in attendance, Drs. Grant and Lynn, consider her to be in a most unfavourable state of health. Mrs. Mills is also in a very low state.

FALL IN COAL OIL.—Messrs. C. S. Shaw & Co., advertise the sale of No. 1 quality Coal Oil, at 30 cents per gallon, delivered free of charge. This enterprise will be sure to meet with the appreciation it deserves at the hands of the public these hard times.

A REMOVAL.—The first tenants of the buildings of the new block lately erected by the Rideau Club are Messrs. Scott, Stewart & Gormully, who have rented the first floor as offices. The firm have had their new premises nicely fitted up, and it is to be hoped that they will meet with the success their enterprise merits.

THE CARLETON COUNTY COUNCIL.—The first meeting of the new Council for the County of Carleton will be held to-morrow fortnight, when the election of Warden will take place. There seems likely to be a keen contest for the position, and several names are mentioned in connection with it. However, time will show to whom the post of honour will belong.

OTTAWA WARD.—Mr. C. S. Shaw contests the re-election of Mr. Iliffe, as School Trustee for this ward. As Mr. Shaw is a young and energetic man, no doubt his services at the School Board would give universal satisfaction. In another column will be found his card, in which he positively states his determination to poll the last vote on Wednesday next.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a meeting of the Trades Council, held recently, the following gentlemen were elected office bearers for the ensuing year:—President, T. J. Lacy; Vice President, J. Boleau; Recording Secretary, —— Nelson; Financial Secretary, W. Gauld; Corresponding Secretary, T. P. Carroll; Treasurer, J. Beihler; Trustees, J. McDowell, W. Gauld, and J. Fowler.

GENDREAU'S shaving and haircutting saloon, No 3 Rajotte's Block, Wellington street. Adele M. Gendreau, proprietor. 3943f

ACCIDENTS.—On Saturday afternoon a man resident at the Chaudiere, whose name was not ascertained, slipped and falling over a piece of ice fractured one of his hips badly. Dr. Henderson was called in and attended to the injuries of the sufferer which were very severe. From the slippery state of the sidewalks yesterday, several accidents of minor character occurred through falls.

THE COMMERCIAL.—This popular restaurant has been re-opened under the proprietary of Messrs. G. R. Russell and O'Connell. The bar has been stocked with choice liquors and every requisite to suit connoiseurs, and the arrangements will be carried out in a first-class manner. The billiard hall has also been re-opened, and an efficient marker put in charge, whose visitors may expect every attention.

CORRECTION. — A rather incongruous statement, the result of a printer's error, was made in the TIMES of Saturday morning. In speaking of Mr. McLean's family, at Thurso, and referring particularly to the Messrs. McLean in this city, the word "wine merchant," instead of "hide merchant," was used, which, to say the least, would have been a rather strange occupation for a Minister of the Gospel and a staunch teetotaller to engage in.

SERIOUS ASSAULT.—The other night as John Armstrong, porter in the Italian warehouse, Sparks street, was conveying some goods to Sandy Hill, by way of the Maria street bridge, some roughs jumped on his sleigh and commenced a violent assault on his person. They kicked and bruised him till he became insensible, when they threw him into the sleigh and drove away up to Deep Cut, where they left the horse, sleigh and driver, and then made off. Fortunately the animal had sagacity enough to make its way safely home, when its master was found in a very bad state. He has no idea who the parties were who assaulted him.

ST. GEORGE'S WARD.—The attention of the electors of this Ward is directed to the card of Mr. A. H. Talyor, in another column, who solicits their suffrages for the office of School Trustee for the next two years. Mr. Taylor is a large property holder in the Ward, and has children in attendance at the public schools, a fact which will tend to make him take an interest in the duties pertaining to the position. He can also bring to bear a degree of intelligence, together with past experience in the Board, that is not unfrequently wanting in some members of the present board. The electors should rally early to the polls to-morrow, and give Mr. Taylor a hearty support in the event of there being an election. The nomination begins at nine o'clock at the Engine House, and polling at ten at the same place, there being but one poll in the whole Ward.

THE WESTERN BLOCK EXTENSION.—Yesterday morning a deputation of about 200 men, who had been employed on the Western Block Extension work, accompanied by Mr. D. J. O'Donoghue, M.P.P., visited the Department of Public Works with the intention of seeing the Hon. the Premier for the purpose of asking him to abolish the system of letting sub-contracts on the work. The Premier was not present having left for Pembroke. It was represented that the system of sub contracting left the working men often wanting their wages, and it was suggested that the sole responsibility of paying them should be left with the contractors themselves. Pending the return of the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie, the deputation was informed that no steps would be taken which would be detrimental to the interests of the men. The deputation then withdrew, after returning their thanks for the courteous reception they had met with. The hopes of the carrying out of the objects urged by the men, are cheering.

COAL, WOOD — COAL, WOOD — COAL, WOOD.—Wm. M. Beattie & Co., George street, have for sale the very finest chestnut, egg and stove size in Lackawanna Anthracite Coal, Briar Hill and Black Diamond for grates. All coal delivered at our prices free of cartage, and dry from under cover. Birch, Beech and Maple, sawn or unsawn. 4014ml

YOUNG WOMEN'S TEMPERANCE HOME.

An Institution Worthy of Support.

Yesterday forenoon a TIMES reporter paid a visit to the Young Women's Temperance Home, on Nepean street, between Sally and Bay, with the object of gaining a little information about that Institution, and interesting the benevolent public in its behalf. Our reporter was met at the door by the philanthropic founder of the Home, and conducted over the premises from basement to attic, and though the visit was entirely unexpected, he found the entire building and inmates the very perfection of order and cleanliness, everything being, to use a homely phrase, "like a new-made pin."

As before stated, the premises occupied by the Home consist of a double brick tenement on Nepean street, fronting south, the locality being one of the healthiest and airiest in the whole city. One portion, and that a very small one, is reserved by Mrs. Hardy for her own private use, with a room for her assistant. All the rest of the building is devoted to the use of the inmates, and it is already found that with increasing demands upon its accommodation, the premises are hardly sufficient for the requirements. In addition to two large rooms used as an ironing room, and also, of necessity, as a place of meeting for morning and evening prayer; there is a wash-room, store-room, sewing-room, with several machines, kitchen, and other conveniences, all of which have been fitted up from funds collected by Mrs. Hardy, and accommodation for twenty-four beds. The order and cleanliness which prevails in all these departments is something marvellous, when it is considered that the entire management devolves upon a single person, and that person a lady who must be frequently absent providing the funds necessary to maintaining the institution. [Walking through these rooms, we found six young women busy employed in sewing, either by machine or hand, and Mrs. Hardy informed us that when work from private sources is scarce, there is always some to be found in the various shops of the city. Four others were employed in the washroom, one or two accustomed to that sort of work were doing a little wood-cutting in the yard, a few were at work in the ironing-room, and the balance in the kitchen. In all, 21 young women find a comfortable home, are rescued from a life of shame, misery and vice, when those nearest and dearest to them have turned them adrift into the cold world, and when those who have drawn them from the path of virtue have forsaken them to seek fresh victims, and in return they are asked only to conform to a few necessary rules, to remain six months in the institution, and give their labour in whatever they are capable of doing during that time. These in general have been complied with, but, strange as it may seem, this small restraint has been too much for one or two of the more depraved, the quiet of the Home proved unendurable after a life of wild excitement, and they went back to the life from which they came. But the most cheering reports were given of some who, previously sunk to the lowest depths of degradation, benefitted by the opportunity offered them, and became good and virtuous women, full of gratitude to her who showed them the way and gave them the means, and to Him who enabled them to turn from the fearful path they were treading. A letter from one of this class, whose name was at one time only too well known in Ottawa, was read, in which the writer breathes out her gratitude to her benefactor, and inquires lovingly after some of her late companions, and asks the constant prayers of the Matron for her continuance in the right path.

But we must leave this department of the Home, and turn to what may be designated as one of its most interesting features,

THE BABY DEPARTMENT.

It was not Mrs. Hardy's intention when she founded the Home that it should become a lying-in or foundling hospital, but this branch was thrust upon her before she was aware, and like a true-hearted woman she accepted the responsibility. This unexpected addition greatly increased the expenses of the institution, and of course Mrs. Hardy's exertions had to be doubled in order to meet the emergency. But she did meet it, and there are now fourteen of these little helpless waifs in the Home, from ages ranging from twenty-four hours, when our reporter called, to eleven months. With exception of the latest arrival, all these were visited, and were found as clean, happy and contented, as any that ever graced a baby show. Each had its little history. One pretty little infant was the offspring of a modest young girl, who had been betrayed, and of course abandoned by her betrayer. Her parents, more in love with the world than with their daughter's welfare in this and in the next, refused to take her home, unless he who had betrayed her either promised to marry her or pay a *money compensation*. This statement may seem incredible, but it is nevertheless a fact, and not a singular one either. Another chubby little fellow was born in honourable wedlock, but the heartless father deserted both mother and child, and here again Mrs. Hardy felt compelled to depart from her original intention, freely admitting, on application, the poor deserted ones, and making a precedent for a wider field of philanthropy. Mostly all the children were lying in their cots, and were perfectly quiet and still until their kind matron took them in her motherly arms, and then, indeed, there was a little clamour if they were not allowed to remain there for some time. From the way their large, round eyes pleaded for attention, they looked as if they knew no motherly care, but that of her who seems to have a mother's heart for one and all. In connection with this subject, Mrs. Hardy, in reply to an inquiry, stated that she had no definite idea as to what she would do with so many children, but expressed her confidence that a Heavenly Father would order all well, and bless her efforts in the cause of suffering and depraved humanity. One thing she insists upon, and that is that none of the children shall leave the Home in their present helpless state. Also she insists upon every one who comes to the house having a child shall remain six months and look after it Some of them, however, have been nearly a year in the house.

THE WORK DONE.

Of course all who come have to perform their quota of the work of the establishment, and that the burdens may not fall unequally upon the inmates, they have to take turn about at the various duties to be performed. Only very few of them know anything about domestic work, and this they are taught by Mrs. Hardy personally, and taught too, thoroughly. As before stated, the work done consists of sewing, knitting, washing, ironing, and the domestic duties of the Home, and as the funds will not permit paying for the cutting of the wood, one or two of the women accustomed to such work cut all that is wanted. As coal is used in considerable quantities the work is not, of course, over arduous.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES,

are held every Friday afternoon by the Rev. Mr. Moore, and there is a regular service morning and evening, at which Mrs. Hardy presides. All have to attend, and the attention is markedly devout. They also attend any of the Presbyterian Churches they choose every Sunday forenoon. The daily routine commences every morning at six, and every light has to be extinguished at 10 p.m., if all is well. If there are any cases of sickness, Mrs. Hardy attends to the patient, personally, but any of the inmates are always willing at any hour of the night or day to give what assistance may be needed.

THE SCHOOL.

In addition to all these self-imposed duties, Mrs. Hardy teaches school twice every week, and some of those who entered scarcely able to read or write, have in a short time, become tolerably proficient in the rudimental branches of learning, so that when they leave the Home they are able to keep their benefactor posted in their movements and success. School is also held in the ironing room. A Bible class is taught every Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

FINANCIAL.

The income of the Home consists solely of the earnings of the inmates, the produce of Mrs. Hardy's lectures, and the donations of kind friends. When it is stated that the former only suffices to pay the monthly rent and milk bill, and when it is considered how many mouths have to be filled, and how many little ones have to be clothed, it will be seen how much the institution depends upon a generous public. Mrs. Hardy is very grateful for a number of handsome donations received for the Home, both in money and in food, and clothing, but as these come from a limited few, it is hoped that a wider knowledge of the merits of the institution may bring a considerable increase in these matters. The heaviest items of expenditure are for coals, wood, meat, milk, and strange to say, water, which has all to be bought and carted, there being as yet no water in that section of the city. The rent of the building amounts to $30, and milk costs about $12 per month, indicating that the gross earnings of the Home are about $42 per month, but Mrs. Hardy aims at making it self-sustaining. Through the kindness of Mr. Langton, of the Finance Department, who collected $240 among the Civil Service employees, she has been enabled to pay off a large amount of the debt incidental to the commencement of the Home, and only $180 remains to be paid, which it is expected will be raised about the 1st of February. In addition to the handsome sum which has been collected by Mr. Langton, donations were received from St. Andrew's Church Ladies' Aid Society, $17; St. George's Society, $5, and $3 worth of bread, with several private donations of tea and sugar, poultry, &c., which would occupy too much space to enumerate. Mrs. Hardy expresses the utmost gratitude for all these donations, and takes the greatest delight in all that is done in any way for the benefit of the Home. She expresses her intention, when she sees her way to doing so, to open a

FOUNDLING'S HOME,

of the success of which, in her hands, there need be no question.

In even this lengthy notice, there is not sufficient space to indicate the half of what is being done by this truly benevolent lady for the unfortunate of her sex and it seems, as before stated, incredible that one lady, alone and unaided, could accomplish so much, but Mrs. Hardy firmly believes that "God helps those who help themselves," and it is always to Him she looks first for help.

In conclusion, those of our readers who have the time and means at their disposal ought to visit the institution, so that in seeing they might feel prompted from their abundance to give a little to the needy.

BANK STREET CHURCH.

Annual Meeting of the Congregation.

The annual meeting of this Congregation was held in the basement of the church last evening, Rev. Mr. Moore, Pastor, presiding.

Order was called at 7.30 o'clock, after which singing by the Choir and devotional exercises by Mr. Moore were engaged in. Refreshments, provided by the ladies as usual, were then handed round and cheerfully disposed of, to the apparent satisfaction of all present, the younger members especially. The meeting was again organized for business, and the various reports from Session, Managing Committee, Secretary, Treasurer, and Sabbath School Secretary, etc., read and adopted.

A generally healthy and satisfactory condition of things was reported, forty nine persons having been added to the membership during the year. Notwithstanding the monetary stringency prevailing a special effort had been successfully made to reduce the debt on the church property by $2,000. Mr. Thomas McKay who had contributed $500 of the above amount was the recipient of a hearty vote of thanks from the meeting.

A liberal amount contributed during the year, towards missions, was apportioned, by motion, among the various mission enterprises of the church. Votes of thanks were also tendered to the retiring officers, and some little speeches indulged in by several gentlemen, among whom we noticed Mr. John Hardie, Mr. Hugh Allan, Mr. James Young, Mr. John McKinnon, Mr. James Lang, and several others. A very pleasant meeting was brought to a close about 9:45 by singing the doxology.

THE GALE.

Blowing Great Guns!

The heavy rain of Sunday night, and of early yesterday morning, was succeeded about 3 a.m. by a gale of wind of a fury such as seldom is seen so far inland. The tornado, for such in its violence it may well be termed, does not appear to have done much damage to property in the city, but it had the effect of arousing many people from their peaceful slumbers. One or two people's roofs suffered by the loss of shingles, and a few fences were blown down, but that was all. A gentleman from March Corners informed one of our reporters that the gale prevailed in most unwonted severity in that district, and was accompanied by thunder and lightning equal to a July storm. No damage was done there either, but a considerable amount of alarm was created.

POLICE COURT.

Before M. O'GARA, P. M.

MONDAY, Jan. 10.

Henry Wilson was charged with being a vagrant. He was committed for a week.

Mrs Nicholson, charged with assaulting Mary Higgins with a gaol key, had the case adjourned until to-morrow.

Johanna Purtell, charged with stealing $15 from Mr. Clappy, was remanded until to-morrow.

ANOTHER OUTRAGE CASE.—It seems that outrages on the person are on the increase just now, as there is another reported from Rochesterville. The other night two or three roughs entered a house on Rochester street, and in the absence of the husband attempted to abuse his wife, but she defended herself with such vigour, getting possession of a carving knife for that purpose, that they beat a hasty retreat. She, under the impression that they had taken themselves off, turned into another room to look after the fire, when hearing screams, she returned to find them abusing her eldest daughter, who is still almost an infant. The cowardly ruffians fled a second time, to the relief of the poor woman, who was very much scared. The names of the parties are not given, but at least one of the ruffians was recognized.

OTTAWA UNITED TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.—A meeting of the above Society, the meetings of which are held in the Temperance Hall on Sunday afternoons, was held in that Hall last night for the purpose of hearing the annual reports and electing office-bearers for the ensuing year. The Secretary's report showed that 51 new members had been enrolled during the year, and the funds, as shown by the Treasurer's report, were in a very satisfactory state. The following are the officers elected:—President, J. M. T. Hannum; 1st Vice-President, J. H. Bell, M.A.; 2nd Vice-President, J. B. Halkett; Secretary, D. Donaldson; Treasurer, John Ring; Executive Committee, James Johnson, Wm. Porter, J. P. Taylor, Edward McGillivray, and W. M. Somerville; Stewards, Messrs. Mooney, Spendlow, Rigord, and Wheatly.

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RELIEF OF THE POOR.

Meeting of the Committee.

A meeting of the Poor Relief Committee was held in Mr. Langton's office, in the Eastern Block, on Saturday night Mr. Langton presided. Present: Rev. Mr. Pollard, Rev. Mr. Gordon, Messrs. Keefer, E. Tasse, Iliffe, A. H. Taylor, W. H. Cooper, and Dr. Tasse.

REPORTS.

Reports were received and read from Rev. A. Pallier, of the Parish of St. Joseph; Rev. Mr. Pollard, of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and Rev. Mr. Codd, of the Catholic Apostolic Church, as to the amount of destitution in their congregations.

From the reports received it appeared that there was a great deal of distress at present in the city, much more than in previous years, but not to such an alarming extent as was anticipated.

LETTER FROM THE CITY ENGINEER.

The following letter was received from Mr. Surtees, City Engineer:—

CITY HALL, CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
OTTAWA, January 8, 1876.

John Langton, Esq., Ottawa:—

DEAR SIR,—In reply to a circular received in reference to the relief of the poor of this city, I beg to state that about 225 men are now employed on the drainage works of this city, and about 70 men breaking stone, etc., and that I have made arrangements with the contractors for main drain to employ after the 15th of this month 50 or 60 more men to work on the drain at 80 cents per day, and it is understood that I have to give, after that date orders to any men (not exceeding 50) willing to work, and the contractors will employ them upon receipt of a recommendation from any member of your Committee requiring work for deserving men, I will give the necessary order to contractors for employment. I have stopped the stone crusher from breaking any more stone, so as to employ more men, and propose asking the Corporation to give their consent for me to employ more men at this work. If I get their sanction I will advise you, and if possible employ such men at this work as you may recommend. I am aware of a number of cases of destitution in this city for want of work, and if it is in my power to assist in any way to alleviate the same I will gladly do so.

Yours, very truly,
ROBT. SURTEES,
City Engineer.

A DONATION.

Mr. Keefer attended the meeting, and informed the Committee that he was making a clearance in the road leading to the Beechwood Cemetery, and that he was willing to contribute for charitable purposes the firewood which was being cut, which he estimated at 100 cords or upwards.

The Committee was of opinion that the most advisable system would be that the national societies and other charitable organizations should be authorized to cart away a certain amount each to be distributed by them.

After some remarks from Dr. Tasse and others,

Mr. Langton, Mr. A. H. Taylor, Mr. Meadows and Mr. Waller were appointed a committee as to the distribution.

The committee desired to put on record their great obligation to Mr. Keefer, as the representative of the McKay estate, for his generous and timely offer.

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JAMES I. FELLOWS, Esq.—Dear Sir: Please forward another lot of your Syrup of Hypophosphites.

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Yours truly, W. T. HORNER,
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NOTE—*Eclectric*—Selected and Eclectrized.

A negro's cabin was burned in Sumert, S. C., lately, and his family were within when the fire began. Their escape by the door and single window was cut off, and he broke a hole in the roof through which to descend to their rescue. He could only get one out at a time. His wife and two children were taken out, leaving one child behind. The negro in his last descent had been badly burned by the spreading flames, but he bravely tried again, and was burned to death with the child.

New Advertisements.

LOST—A Silver Watch and Nickle Plated Chain, between Walter Chesterton's Office and Battle Bros., Rideau street. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at THE TIMES Office, or at BATTLE BROS., No. 10, Rideau street. 4041ll

SCOTT, STEWART & GORMULLY,
BARRISTERS, &c.,
Have removed their Law Office to their New Law Chambers, in the building adjoining the Montreal Telegraph Office on Metcalfe street. 4041tf

CAUTION.

J. LITTLEFIELD being no longer in our employment, we hereby caution our customers and the public generally from either buying Coal Oil from him, as coming from us, or paying him any money on our account.
C. S. SHAW & CO.
Ottawa, Jan. 11, 1876. 4041l2

TO THE ELECTORS OF ST. GEORGE'S WARD.

GENTLEMEN:—

I beg to offer myself as a candidate for the representation of St. George's Ward, in the Board of Public School Trustees.
A. H. TAYLOR.
Ottawa, Jan. 11, 1876. 4041d

TO THE ELECTORS OF WELLINGTON WARD.

GENTLEMEN:—

I hereby solicit your suffrages for the position of School Trustee at the ensuing election. If honoured with your confidence I shall endeavour to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability. Polling on Wednesday, 12th inst.
W. H. CLUFF.
Ottawa, Jan. 11, 1876. 4041l2

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders will be received by Mr. P. Brennan, Clarence street, up to 12 o'clock noon, on SATURDAY, the 16th inst., for the construction of a Stone Foundation under the wooden building, situate on the South-east corner of Clarence street and the By Ward Market Square, Ottawa.
W. H. WALLER,
P. BRENNAN
Executors of the Estate of the late Philip Lowry
Ottawa, Jan. 11, 1876. 40 1td

ELECTORS OF OTTAWA WARD.

GENTLEMEN:—

In seeking your vote and influence as Public School Trustee, I may state that among the many puerile and malicious rumours which Mr. Iliffe has painstakingly circulated against me, is one to the effect that I had retired. This is as false as it is despicable. I am a candidate and will go to the polls, no matter what degree of success I may meet with. I am in your hands, gentlemen, and I hope you will return me on Wednesday.
Your humble and obedient servant,
C. S. SHAW.
Ottawa, Jan. 11, 1876. 4041l2

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Sussex street.
Ottawa, Jan. 11, 1876. 4041tf

WANTED—During the Session, ROOMS AND BOARD in a private family, by a single gentleman, near the House of Parliament, if possible. Apply to H., TIMES Office. 0886

THE SESSION OF PARLIAMENT—A gentleman with his wife and child, who will be in attendance at the forthcoming Session of Parliament, desires ROOMS AND BOARD in a private house. Apply to A.B.C., TIMES Office. 403-tf

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CARAQUETTE OYSTERS.

Ten barrels of the above celebrated Oysters just received at
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TENDERS.

Tenders will be received, addressed to the undersigned, until 12 o'clock, p m, on MONDAY, 17th January inst., for the following supplies, required for the County of Carleton General Protestant Hospital, for one year, from the 1st of February next.

FOR GROCERIES,
" BUTCHER'S MEAT,
" BAKER'S BREAD,
" VEGETABLES,
" MILK,
" DRUGS & MEDICINES.

For particulars apply to
WM. COUSENS,
Secretary.
Ottawa, Jan. 8, 1876. 4029

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

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To sell the Chase's New Recipe Book, enlarged to nearly 400 pages. It contains over 2000 tried and proven Recipes, and is suited to all classes and conditions of society. A WONDERFUL BOOK, and a household necessity. It will sell at sight. Greatest inducement ever offered to Book Agents. Sample copies sent by Mail post-paid, for $2. Exclusive Territory given. Agents more than double their money. Address "Manager of the Chase's Steam Printing House, Stillington, Mich. 10-eow 4

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.
Ottawa, 1st January, 1876.
AUTHORISED DISCOUNT on American Invoices until further notice: 11 per cent.
J. JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Customs.

Auction Sales.

BANKRUPT STOCK
OF
DRY GOODS ON SALE BY AUCTION.

In the matter of LAUZON & DUHAMEL, of Ottawa, Insolvents.

Will be sold by Auction, at so much in the dollar, THE STOCK AND FIXTURES of the above named insolvents. The stock valued at seven thousand dollars ($7,000), and the Fixtures at about Four hundred and Ninety dollars ($490), as per Inventory, all of which can be viewed on the premises; also, THE BOOK DEBTS of the above named Insolvents, amounting to Three hundred dollars ($300)

On the same day a quantity of Furniture, Horses, Sleigh, etc., etc., the property of F. D. HAMEL, at his residence at Nepean, at 2 o'clock p.m., also Furniture, the property of A. LAUZON, at his residence on Bank street, at Three o'clock, p.m.

The sale of the stock of Dry Goods and Fixtures, etc., etc., will take place at Ten o'clock, *On Thursday, the Thirteenth day of January*, Instant, at the store lately occupied by the insolvents at No. 230 Wellington street, Ottawa.

Any party purchasing the Stock and Fixtures, etc., en bloc, may have possession of the store until the first day of May next, Free of Rent.

By Order of
PERKINS, LAJOIE & BEAUSOLEIL,
Agents for the Creditors.
DANIEL S. EASTWOOD,
Interim Assignee.
Ottawa, Jan. 8, 1876. 4029d

EXTENSIVE AUCTION SALE
OF
CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S GOODS!
OF OVER
$3,000 WORTH
OF
ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, ITALIAN MARBLE GOODS, FANCY GOODS GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, CHROMOS, ETC., ETC.,

Which he will sell by Public Auction, without reserve, at his Sale rooms, Elgin street, commencing on

Friday Evening, Dec. 17,

At 7:30, and each evening at same hour, until all is sold. The stock which is the finest ever brought to this city, comprises some excellent tea sets of seven pieces, some splendid cruets, water pitchers, salvers, urns, large trays, pickle frames, breakfast cruets, butter coolers, swing kettles, *tete a tete* sets, spoon holders, card receivers, berry dishes, silver bladed knives, napkin rings, silver cups, mugs, etc., 50 doz. plated table and dessert forks, 50 doz. table dessert and tea spoons—finest plate, several dozen magnificent Florentine marble vases, urns, card receivers, etc. A large variety of Dresden china, Bohemian vases, and fancy goods, books, brushes chandeliers, etc. Among other goods will be found a supply of real hair, braids, chignons, switches, fancy door mats, etc., etc.

Sale without any reserve commencing on FRIDAY EVENING, the 14th inst., and every evening at same hour until all is sold. This is a grand Christmas Sale and well worthy of public attention.

N.B.—On SATURDAY EVENING at 7:30, a quantity of Furniture, comprising lounges, fancy tables, bureaus, bedsteads, mattresses, chairs, tables, etc., as well as several hall coal stoves, and one very fine coal cook stove, will sold by auction at the subscriber's rooms.
J. BERMINGHAM,
Auctioneer.
Ottawa, Dec. 16, 1875 4021tf

By Rowe & Erratt,
AUCTIONEERS
GREAT CLEARING
TRADE SALE.
Remember the sale
AT
METCALFE'S Wholesale READY MADE CLOTHING Establishment.
SPARKS STREET.
To-day, at 2 o'clock, and 7 o'clock, p.m.
ROWE & ERRATT,
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LOWRIE RICE,
Livery Stables, Rideau Street, opposite Dalhousie Street.
First-class horses and capital vehicles at a moment's notice, and on reasonable terms.
3950ml

The Victoria Stables
Adjoining the Bank of B. N. America, LYNDON-ST., the best and most convenient Livery stables in the city.
Parties desirous of securing good rigs, prompt attendance, and reasonable rates, will please favor the undersigned with a call.
N.B.—Horses boarded and groomed in the most satisfactory manner. A specialty made of this feature.
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March 11, 1874 2618v

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LIVERY STABLES
W. CHAMPNESS begs to draw the attention of his patrons and the public generally to his extensive
Livery Stables, Carriages,
AND VEHICLES,
which cannot be beaten. Careful and attentive drivers always in attendance when required. Conveyances can be had at all hours by leaving orders at the
Centre Town Livery Stables.
BRITISH LION HOTEL.
Ottawa, July 29, 1875 3905-tf

THE HARBOUR COMMISSIONERS.
OF MONTREAL,
Invite Tenders for the supply of about,
50,000 CUBIC FEET OF SQUARE PINE,
According to specifications to be had at the Office of Mr. Kennedy, Chief Engineer, after the 16th instant.
Tenders to be addressed to the undersigned not later than NOON, the 21th Instant.
The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.
H. H. WHITNEY,
Secretary.
Harbour Commissioners' Office,
Montreal, Dec. 14, 1875. 4012l2

CANNOT BE UNDERSOLD.
JOHN SMITH & Co.,
(LATE METCALFE'S)
Are now prepared to show a very large stock of
OVE COATS,
PEA JACKETS,
And every description of Fall and Winter Clothing.
UNDERCLOTHING,
FLANNEL SHIRTS,
And a Large Assortment of Men's Furnishings.
ORDER DEPARTMENT.
In this Department will be found a very large Stock of
OVER COATINGS,
BROADCLOTHS,
TWEEDS,
VESTINGS,
ETC., ETC.
COMPARE THE PRICES
AT THE
CLOTHING HOUSE,
118 SPARKS STREET.
Ottawa, Oct. 8 1875. 3968

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Patronized by all the World,
Rimmel's Ihang-Ihang, Vanda, Hanna Jockey Club Frangipane, and other perfumes exquisite fragrance.
Rimmel's Lavander Water, distilled from Mitcham Flowers.
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Rimmel's Extract of Lime Juice and Glycerine, the best preparation for the Hair, especially in warm climates.
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Rimmel's Glycerine, Honey, Costume and Floral Crackers, very amusing for Balls and Parties.
Rimmel's Violet, Rose, Leaf, Rice, and other Toilet Powders. A liberal allowance to shippers.
Eugene Rimmel, Perfumer to H. R. H. the Princess of Wales, 96 Strand, 128 Regent Street, and 24 Cornhill, London, 17 Boulevard des Italiens, Paris, and 76 King's Road, Brighton. Sold by all Druggists and Perfumers.

TO CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS.
The undersigned has opened a Stone-cutter's Yard, Corner of King and St. Andrew Street, where building stone and posts of all description will be kept constantly on hand. Orders are respectfully solicited, for all kinds of Stone-cutting.
GUERARD BRO

THE OTTAWA
Agricultural Insurance Company.
Take Notice
That a Special General Meeting
OF THE
Shareholders of the Ottawa Agricultural Insurance Company will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Ottawa, on
TUESDAY, the Eighteenth day of January Inst., at Twelve o'clock, noon, for the purpose of determining whether the
CAPITAL STOCK
Of the said Company shall be INCREASED to an amount not exceeding in the whole
One Million of Dollars,
As provided by the Act incorporating the said Company.
Dated at Ottawa, this 7th day of January, A.D. 1876.
By Order,
JAS. BLACKBURN,
Secretary.
Ottawa, Jan. 8, 1875. 403 1d

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875.

In the matter of JAMES ALFRED GOUIN of Ottawa, Hotel Keeper. An Insolvent.

I, the undersigned, FRANCIS CLEMOW, Official Assignee for the County of Carleton and City of Ottawa, have been appointed Assignee in this matter and Creditors are requested to file their claims before me within one month and to meet at my office, Elgin street, in the City of Ottawa, on the 18th day of JANUARY, 1876, to take into consideration a Deed of Composition and Discharge, deposited with me, the terms of which are the payment of thirty-three cents on the dollar, of the respective Creditors claims against the Insolvent in six equal semi-