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MASS MEETING
HAROWSMITH
Wednesday, June 7
At ten o'clock a.m., to consider the appropriation of Toll Roads in Frontenac and the establishment of a County Road System.

Members of the several Municipal Councils in the County are specially requested to attend.
The meeting will be addressed by A. W. Campbell, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, and others.
Every person interested in better roads should be present.
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Office, 97 Clarence Street, Kingston.
Florence Kinton, a former staff captain in the Salvation Army, died in Huntville on Saturday.
The floating soap "Fairy" sold at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

THE WHIG—72nd YEAR
DAILY BRITISH WHIG, published every evening at 7:30 P.M. King Street, Kingston, Ontario, at 50¢ per year. Advertisements at 25¢ per line.
WEEKLY BRITISH WHIG, 12 pages and over, published in parts on Monday and Thursday mornings at \$1 a year. Attached is one of the best Job Printing offices in Canada; rapid, stylish and cheap work; nice improved presses.
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THE DAILY WHIG.
"Opter per Orbem Decor."
Familiar Figure Gone.
Hon. William McDougall is dead. He was not known to the young men of the day, but those who are familiar with political events twenty-five years will remember him as an active force in political life.
He was a man of great ability, but his was not the power that was practical. He was not able to adapt himself to circumstances, or to follow a given line and wait for the recognition. In other words, he could not labour and rest for results.
So he was changeable in his ways, his manners, and his party affiliations. The term "Wandering Willie" was applied to him in a good-natured sense and as descriptive of his wobbling. The most notable event in his career was his attempt to govern the North-West when a government was very crude. He was refused the honors that were his guest, and he felt it very keenly.
His last appearance in political controversy was during the national policy campaign of 1877 and 1878. He was the ally then of Sir John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper. He was a fluent and eloquent speaker, but he did not command the regard of the people, and he seemed to realize it. With the return of the conservatives to power he did not receive any appointment. Whatever he felt he said nothing, and in the succeeding years devoted himself exclusively to the practice of law.
If there is any lesson in his life it is the unprofitableness of politics. Mr. McDougall gave his best years and best mind to the service of the people, and he got scant satisfaction and reward. Had he put the same vigour and attention into law he would have been a richer and a happier man.

A Great Naval Battle.
The naval triumph of the Japanese has been established by their complete defeat of the Rojestsvenky fleet. It appears to have been a great battle, the greatest in a century, and the most decisive in its results. In the consolidation of the Russian fleet, in the contention with which it moved, in the deliberation with which its movements were planned, there was the evidence of great expectation when the opposing fleets came together.
The whereabouts of Togo had become a mystery. So long delayed was the collision that some people were disposed to think that the Russians would reach Vladivostok and effect a meeting with the vessels there. There was much talk of Rojestsvenky. There was a purpose in this. It was to mislead. But Togo was not depending upon false reports. He had been kept fully informed of what was going on, and while the Russian ships were alleged to have gone to sea, he knew that they had entered the straits of Korea, and prepared to give them battle. The choice of position favored the Japanese. The situation meant that the Russians could not, as when off Port Arthur, play peek-a-boo. They had to fight and with disastrous results.
The fleets were fairly matched. On paper there was a preponderance in favour of the Russians. Had the fourth Baltic squadron under Nebogoff joined Rojestsvenky this preponderance, it has been remarked, would have been real. The Russians had seven battleships, two armoured cruisers, and six protected cruisers. Togo had five battleships, eight armoured cruisers, and thirteen protected cruisers, besides a large number of destroyers and torpedo boats. In the number of guns the fleets were about equal, though the Japanese guns were superior, and they were handled with trained men, as many as 40,000 marines and gunners.
It will be some days before the particulars of the battle will be available. It was apparently long drawn out. It began on Saturday and continued until dark. It was resumed on Sunday and lasted all day. The fleets had it hot for a time, but as the Russians, in fighting power they seem to have retreated and were pressed by the Japanese, whose vessels were the faster and terrible damage and loss of life followed. Togo had the chance of his life at this time. The Russian fleet might disperse and sail away, but without a shelter, such as the Port Arthur fleet had, it was bound to suffer severely.
Well, what of all this carnage? Will it lead to any good? Will it impress the nobility in Russia, the war lords, and reduce them to reason. They appear to have staked their all upon this naval event. Had Rojestsvenky succeeded the fortunes of war might have been changed, Japan might have been cut off from the base of supplies. Her army, in the field, might have been isolated. Her prestige might have

Editorial notes.
The Philadelphia people, before God and man, pledged themselves to knock out the gas works grafters, and they have succeeded.
Admiral Togo will go on record as the greatest naval hero and strategist of the age. There is only one greater in history, our own Nelson.
The Tories continue to pick out places for Mr. Sifton. The latest is that he is to go back into the government and become minister of justice.
Peterboro's cereal mill is closing down—cause, a difference with regard to freight rates. The railway commission is expected to remove the trouble.
St. Thomas street car railway is in distress, and its affairs are being considered in secret. When public affairs are discussed behind doors look out for trouble.
SPIRIT OF THE PRESS.
Not For Two Seats.
Toronto Globe.
Not even for two seats on the throne will this Justice Taschereau act again as deputy governor-general.
Heat In London.
Montreal Herald.
The campaign in London started in with a \$75,000 fire on the 24th, but it will be a lot hotter before June 1st.
Feathers Prohibited.
Kansas City, Mo., Star.
Under the new Missouri game law, which will go into effect in June, the wearing of the feathers of any wild birds on women's hats is forbidden.
The Only Exception.
Toronto Star.
While not anxious to retire from the grand mastership of the Orange order, Dr. Sproule would cheerfully abandon the office if Henri Bourassa could see his way clear to accepting it.
Cause Of Illness.
Montreal Herald.
Mr. Fitzpatrick is said to be ill since he made his last statement on the autonomy bill, and perhaps it is nature that he should suffer when all the rest of the bodies has seemingly been struck dumb by it.

PAY FIFTY MILLIONS
Whole City Could be Tracked for That Amount.
Chicago, May 30.—Mayor Dunne says that Chicago will not pay more than \$50,000,000 for the traction properties. His figures were based, he said, upon a report made by experts.
"I expect to make public the entire report soon," he said, "but for the present I have turned it over to these experts for verification." The mayor gave his opinion of the value of the street railway lines and their probable cost to the city since his election and his figures are much lower than those given in his campaign, when he estimated the price to be paid at \$77,000,000.
"The whole city can be gridironed with tracks, not only the Union Traction and its consolidated lines and the Chicago City Railway company, but also all the street railway lines within the city limits, for \$50,000,000, with the most modern appliances, the best tracks, the most comfortable cars, and all other mechanical improvements, to rehabilitate the lines," the mayor said.
"Will this price include the money to be paid for the watered stock of the companies?" he was asked.
"When we go into the street railway business we are not going into the stock and bond business," the mayor replied. "We are going to get rails and power-houses, and not stocks and bonds."
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Very Best.
"I have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and want to say it is the best cough medicine I have ever taken," says George L. Chubb, a merchant of Harlan, Mich. There is no question about its being the best, as it will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other treatment. It should always be kept in the house ready for instant use, for a cold can be cured in much less time when promptly treated. For sale by all druggists.
Will Quit His Church.
St. Thomas, May 30.—Rev. James Stevens, who a short time ago was asked by the London presbytery to resign the pastorate of Knox church at Dutton, owing to trouble with two of the elders, at the close of an exceedingly warm sermon on Sunday evening, declared that he was not only leaving with Knox church, Dutton, but with Presbyterianism in general.

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MILLIONS IN TAX ARREARS
Must Now Be Paid By Decision Of Court.
New York, May 30.—Unpaid taxes amounting to almost eighteen million dollars, in the Greater New York, are made payable by the decision of the supreme court of the United States, upholding the state tax on corporation franchises. Among the companies affected and the sums due from them under the law are the following: The Manhattan Elevated railway company, \$4,221,351; Consolidated Gas company, \$1,489,966; Metropolitan Traction system, \$6,025,154; Brooklyn Rapid Transit company, \$2,222,658; Brooklyn Union Gas company, \$931,968; and the New York & Harlem railway company, \$984,034.
Of ready made clothing and gent's furnishings is astonishing the public with the greatest bargains ever offered in the city of Kingston. If you are in need of the above goods and want to save money, go to Provost's, Brock street, near the market square.
The French fishing schooner, Cousine Bonnie, has been lost off the Grand Banks and nearly 200 lives have been lost.
Ice cream made from pure cream at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store Fourtain.

WEDDED AT WESTPORT.
Two Popular Young People Joined in Wedlock.
One of the most fashionable weddings that has ever taken place in Westport, was celebrated May 25th, at high noon, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, when two popular young people were joined in wedlock by Rev. Gossopfield. The contracting parties were: E. A. Ward Whitworth, junior member of the firm of Whaley & Whitworth, merchant, tailors, and Miss Macie M. McQuinn, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, and formerly of Utica, N.Y. A. Mulock acted as best man, while Miss Cassie Stinson was bridesmaid. Miss Winnie Wing made a handsome flower girl. The bride looked exquisite, handsomely attired in white St. Louis silk, trimmed with embroidered chiffon and tulle, wearing a bridal veil of point lace with orange blossoms in her hair and carrying a bouquet of white roses and ferns.
The bridesmaid looked lovely in a dress of cream voile over white silk with chiffon trimming, wearing a picture hat, and carrying a bouquet of cream roses and ferns. The flower girl was sweetly attired in a dress of white silk.
The drawing-room was handsomely decorated with pink roses and ferns. Prof. Meyers played the wedding march from Lisbergin, on the entrance of the bridal party.
After the ceremony the guests, to the number of about fifty, retired to the dining room, which was profusely decorated, where a sumptuous repast was served. The customary toasts being given, the company adjourned in order to allow Mr. and Mrs. Whitworth to catch the train for Brockville. They will spend a week at Montreal and other eastern points.
The bride's travelling suit was pearl grey with hat to match. The groom's present to the bride was a cross-set with pearls and also one to the bridesmaid.
Mr. Whitworth is one of Westport's most popular young men. The bride, while not so widely known, has made a host of friends who wish her all happiness.

NEARING COMPLETION.
New Canning Factory at Bloomfield Nearly Ready.
Picton, May 30.—A large number of town people and the Citizens' band went to Bloomfield, yesterday, to attend the Foresters' walk. The exterior of the main building of the Farm-canning factory is almost completed. The schooner will be in readiness for the opening of the season. With three factories running in Bloomfield this season the "help question" will be complex. Mr. Gossopfield, Montreal, is in Bloomfield for the summer and will have charge of the boarding-house in connection with the Bloomfield Packing company. This boarding-house, erected and maintained by the company, is rather an original plan, attracting outside help during rush season.
T. Owens and E. Pearce, Bloomfield, are in Rochester, N.Y., on business connected with the Bloomfield Packing company. Stanley, Craig, Kingston, is visiting in town. Russell Widdifield has been accepted as junior clerk in the Metropolitan Bank, and John Bolton has been promoted to be ledger-keeper. Mrs. Bell and Miss Glass, Belleville, were guests, last week, of Mrs. Hepburn, at the Tecumseh house. A. McCuaig, of the inland revenue, Belleville, was the guest of Mrs. W. G. Tyner, last week.
The schooner W. G. Sufle cleared from port on Thursday. The schooner Madcap unloaded bricks for the Metropolitan Bank and cleared Saturday. The sloop Gull cleared, Saturday, having unloaded lumber for Lake & Killop. The schooner Granger arrived in port, Sunday, and is unloading grain for Baker & Hyatt.

Special Clothing Made-to-Order.
Provost's, Brock street, has a large assortment of the latest patterns for his order work. Black and blue chevilles, Venetian empires, worsteds, tweeds, etc. All imported goods at prices to defy competition. Also a special line of painting, first class workmanship guaranteed and A1 fit.
A Vessel Ashore.
Special to the Whig.
Halifax, N.S. May 30.—It is reported that the steamer Propatia, from Halifax for North Sydney, is ashore near Louisbourg. All hands were saved.

The Truth Will Out.
That is why Putnam's Corn Extractor has sold an enormous sale; it's good for a sure cure—and better than any substitute. Insist on having Putnam's only.
High class candies, McConkey's and Huylers, at Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.
The University of Ottawa has appointed Sir James Grant their representative to the medical council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario.
The Ottawa Jewellery Manufacturing company's store was robbed of \$1,000 worth of watches, rings and plate.

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