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Cottages will be scarce this year. You had better secure one now.

JUNE TO SEPTEMBER

Are pleasant months to spend in the country or near the water.

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FOR VICTORIA DAY

THE CEREMONIES AND EVENTS ARRANGED

To Take Place Here To-Morrow. Military Review and Street Parade—At Least Five Thousand Visitors Expected.

Kingston will observe the 24th of May with the usual ceremonies and events.

All in readiness for the celebration. From the first go-off of the small boys' firecrackers until the final of the citizens' fireworks display in the evening, the celebration promises to be a huge success.

The official programme is as follows:

10.30 a.m.—Military review on Barrisfield common.

10.30 a.m.—Motor boat race, class "A."

10.45 a.m.—Motor boat race, class "B."

1.30 p.m.—Baseball match, Young Irishmen vs. Triple Link Club, at fair grounds.

2 p.m.—Horse races, three events; polo; pony races; mounted military sports, four events, half section jumping, midday alarm, bareback wrestling.

2.30 p.m.—14th Regiment band concert, Macdonald Park.

The track at the fair grounds is in first class condition.

The baseball diamond has just been rolled and is in good shape.

All the officials for the day have been appointed.

The boys were laid out yesterday for the motor boat races and the course has been a trifle changed.

From starting point, foot of Brook street, along shore to Lake Ontario Park, return and over the same course the second time. This is for the benefit of the people who can thus see the progress of the race to better advantage.

One very novel feature will be the polo pony races, two quarter-mile heats.

Fanana Hats. Several shipments of men's straw and Panama hats from New York and Baltimore, were passed through the customs yesterday by George Mills & Co., the well-known "hat specialists" and introducers of men's stylish head-wear.

Was Very Ill. Yesterday, while at work for the first time, the Locomotive Works, an emigrant of foreign extraction was completely overcome, falling over his work in a faint.

William Swain, piano tuner. Orders received at McAuley's Book Store.

House-Clean Your System

Keep it Pure and Clean if You Desire Good Health.

The inside of your body requires attention just the same as the outside.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Production of "What Happened to Jones"

A small audience witnessed the production of "What Happened to Jones" a new written a decade ago and which has lasted all, view of its impossible situations.

As the bishop, Richard Milton, treated the character with rather too much levity, not "wearing" enough piety.

W. J. Kane made a magnificent Irish politician, with a voice as big as his huge frame, and Edith M. Cooke as the Dutch servant was more than good.

Negro Minstrel To-Night. In addition to procuring the cream of negro talent, Richards & Pringle's famous Georgia Minstrel introduce a sensational offering in March Craig, "The Human Enigma"; Kirk & Cooper, the "Musical Photographers"; Clarence Powell, the singing comedian; James Crosby, and his famous song and dance, "The Baby's Old Men"; and three Tonys in acrobatic features.

The vocal part of the programme is claimed to be exceptionally strong, while the musical numbers will excel anything attempted by minstrel shows.

"Gaiety Girls," Victoria Day. The New London Gaiety Girls company will appear at the Grand on Thursday, May 24th, matinee and night, and from all accounts it is safe to predict that the introduction will be mutually agreeable.

Pat White, the famous mimic and entertainer; Ferguson & Watson, in their funny sketch entitled "A Certain Party"; the two ginger girls, Adams & Swinburne; Bisset & Scott, America's premier soft shoe dancers; Grace Dean, comedienne; Jack Strouse, the wonderful boy tenor, and handsome Nellie Grant as "Baby Marion." The special feature of the performance is the chorus and show girls.

Earthquake and Fire Pictures. A vivid, life-like and thoroughly truthful reproduction of the greatest catastrophe of modern times, the destruction by earthquake and fire of San Francisco, is to be exhibited at the Grand on Friday and Saturday, May 25th and 26th, and Saturday matinee.

The moving picture is a nerve thrilling detail of the story of the destructive forces of earth which laid low the beautiful city of the Golden Gate.

SAW THE REGIMENT. The 14th Regiment in its weekly parade and drill on the cricket field, Tuesday night, made a splendid showing, in fact about the best of the season.

There was a big turnout, each company being well represented. Hundreds of citizens watched the drill on the field. Something seemed wrong with the lights, it being nearly nine o'clock before they shone forth on the soldier boys did their marching in the dark.

At least a few of the lights do not illuminate the field with any degree of brilliancy. Reflectors at the back of the arc lights would add materially. The small boys, those Richardson youths against whom the week previous many complaints were registered, for disorderly conduct and boisterousness, were present in squads and regiments, but behaved themselves in better form and the soldier boys had no more to say than the commands. The presence of several constables probably had the desired effect. But the crowd was fooled. It had been expected that the 14th had would give a few selections, but immediately following the regiment marched up Barrie street, proceeding to the armories.

Will Name Be Changed? "Citizen" asks: "Is the Frontenac Historical Society taking any decided action in an endeavor to have the name 'City Park' changed to 'La Salle', as suggested by W. S. Ellis, at the C.I.S. meeting last Friday night?"

The suggestion seems a good one, particularly, as in no way does Kingston commemorate one most prominently connected with the city's early history.

Mechanics, Farmers, Sportsmen. To heal and soften the skin and remove grease, oil and rust stains, paint and earth; etc. use The "Albert Toilet Soap Co., Manufacturers.

Insurance Payments. The following are the sums of life insurance paid out in Kingston and district during 1903: Kingston, \$49,471; Brighton, \$3,900; Brockville, \$19,585; Calabogie, \$3,875; Campbellford, \$2,950; Gananoque, \$3,506; Morrisburg, \$2,826; Napanee, \$5,708; Smith's Falls, \$5,190.

"Bibby's" To-Night "Bibby's." Come here, sir, and we'll show you the handsome spring shirts that you don't find in other stores.

The Norwebb Case. Yesterday, the finding of the court-martial in the case of Pay-Sergt. Norwebb, of "A" Battery, was promulgated in battery orders as follows:

The board found Norwebb guilty of absence without leave, and not guilty of desertion, for which he is reduced to the ranks. The sum of \$15.45 is to be deducted from his pay for certain articles of kit supposed to be missing.

Look Your Prettiest. On the holiday, you can do it if you wear any of our fine hats.

Yachting Caps. In our own exclusive shapes. George Mills & Co. Specialists.

IN TASTEFUL THINGS

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT IN ONTARIO'S A FAILURE.

Motto For City Council Should Be: Few Other Useful Hints Given For Civic Beautification.

Unquestionably in the matters of taste and initiative municipal government in Ontario is a failure.

The summer will be well on ere the gunnaries in the park will be repaired, or some of them replaced.

Should not the commissioners have had yards inspected ere this, and should not the city council have cleared up a dozen unsightly nuisances on the streets by at once trimmed straight, an inexpensive but telling job?

Should not some of the unsightly collections of refuse bordering the railway track into town be declared nuisances, and the necessary authority to regulate storage of such refuse, be granted?

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The Whig will not be issued on Thursday.

Henry Cunningham, tuner from Chertokers, at McAuley's book store.

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THE COBBLER'S INTENT. Going to Raise Price of Shoe-Mending.

Hereafter, to the oft-heard street phrase, "Don't walk so much, you'll wear out your shoes," one will be apt to give second thought, if as is threatened, the local shoemakers advise their price for cobbling.

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DEATH SEEMED NEAR.

Three Doctors Baffled But Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Came to the Rescue.

Just a few months ago the home of James Beers, of Emerson, N.B., was filled with sorrow. It seemed that death would claim the life of her bright little girl. Today this gloom is changed to joy.

The doctors were baffled—they could do nothing but water. Then dropsy set in. She would swell so that her clothes were much too marked on her. Her legs and feet were nearly twice their natural size.

Battery blood is the cause of over half the sickness which prevails today. I cannot speak too highly in favor of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for I feel they saved my little girl's life.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make this rich red blood that is why they cure anemia, indigestion, loss of appetite, rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous troubles, heart palpitation and all the ailments peculiar to growing girls and women.

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Newly Paragraphs Picked Up By Reporters on Their Rounds.

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STREET NUMBERING

IS VERY IRREGULAR IN THIS CITY.

Confusion Often Arises—The Numbering on Many Streets is Not Continuous As it Should Be.

A stranger in Kingston finds the numbering of the streets his greatest trial. He may in many instances wander hopelessly and return to his commencement point as wise as when he started on his journey.

Bagoz street proves one of the avenues which turn many a one's hair white when he goes to find a certain residence, etc.

Throughout the town, however, the terraces prove the worst offenders. For example, take, say "Brown's Terrace," Dash street, on the fourth block, we find the residences bear the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, etc., to the length of the row of buildings.

Street numbering introduces subject of naming. All the streets, more or less, bear their titles on at least two of the street corners, at least numbering of the principal streets.

Your Overworked Back. Often gets lame and weak. Hurts to stoop over—causes sharp, shooting pains.

Why not cure yourself once and for all? Just rub on Nervine—rub it in good and deep. Surprising how fast the trouble clears up.

Bertram Masud, who has been in town several days, has returned to Toronto.

The court-house lawn has been cut three times in May. You can't keep grass in lawn grass so well. Sold only at Gibson's Red Cross drug store. Buy no other.

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