



Razors A Specialty, at 50c up In Cases, \$1.50 up Warranted



For Hockey Skates, Sticks, Pucks, and Gloves; see them at CORBETT'S



Furs Cleaned White or colored Furs dry cleaned look like new. JACKETS COLLARS SOLES MUFFS GAITHERS CAPS TAMS



CHRISTMAS PRICES

Preval in my store just now. Generous reductions in all lines of clothing. Give your boy something substantial - An Overcoat for instance. It won't cost much here.

Sweat-suits, Overcoats, Gents' Furnishings, Underwear, Boots and Shoes

Absolutely the lowest prices in Kingston. Call and see for yourself.

ISAAC ZACKS 271 PRINCESS ST.

A Bonus of \$750.00 (per \$10,000 ASSURED) was added to life and endowment policies for the five years ending 31st December, 1904, and it is noteworthy that this rate of bonus has been maintained unbroken for the long period of 40 YEARS.

ROYAL INSURANCE CO'Y (of Liverpool, ENGLAND.) W. J. B. White, Agent, Kingston

Ladies' Tailoring Finest of Workmanship, Up-to-date Styles, and Good Fit Guaranteed. 236 University Ave.



Yes; We Have a Telephone

What's more, we pay attention to it, and orders for any quantity of coal-eggs, chestnut, stove or furnace-are filled promptly with top grade, easy-burning coal. Glad to have you call, of course, but the phone will bring quick response.

R. CRAWFORD Phone 9 Foot of Queen Street

Do You Suffer?

from HEADACHE LOSS OF SLEEP INDIGESTION FORPID LIVER BILIOUSNESS

BEECHAM'S PILLS

will quickly remove the cause of these distressing complaints and restore healthy action to every organ. You will feel like a new man after taking a few doses of Beecham's Pills. They rid the system of impurities, improve the digestion, banish headache and

Give Positive Relief

in all cases of Biliousness, Constipation, Indigestion and Disordered Liver. The excellent results obtained by the use of Beecham's Pills have proved them worthy of the confidence they enjoy. They have helped thousands and recommend themselves.

Sold Everywhere. In boxes 25 cents.

Coal! Coal!

Scranton Coal

If you want coal that's right, at a price that's right, come right to us.

S. ANGLIN & CO. Corner Bay and Wellington Streets

BRITISH - AMERICAN HOTEL

KINGSTON - ONTARIO Has undergone alterations and is now open to the travelling public.

W. TELFER Proprietor

Gold Cuff Links at \$2.50

No Man's Gift is more appreciated than a Solid Gold pair of Cuff Links.

Our Special Solid Gold Cuff Links at \$2.50 are the best value in the city.

Kinnear & d'Esterre, 100 Princess Street.

NOTICE We Are Agents For

Class Scissors and Pocket Knives. Also Table Cutlery, Carving Knives and Forks and very cheap Hockey Sticks and Skates.

NUGENT & GRAHAM'S KING STREET.

WINDSOR TABLE SALT is the salt of satisfaction for all table and household uses. Absolutely pure, never cakes.

Grand Union Hotel

Rooms from \$1.00 Per Day Up OPPOSITE GRAND CENTRAL STATION NEW YORK

Kingston Business College (LIMITED)

Head of Queen Street, Kingston, Canada, devoted to Higher Commercial and Short-hand Education. All Commercial subjects taught. Individual Instruction. Day and Evening classes. Phone 121. Terms, Rates moderate. Attend the best.

H. F. METCALFE, Prin.

OPERA ORCHESTRA

THE BUSY ONE. Out-of-Town management accepted. Violin, Viola, Cello Instruction. R. H. MERRY. 155 Sydney St. City.

THE WHIG - 73rd YEAR

DAILY BRITISH WHIG, published every evening at 206-210 King Street, Kingston, Ontario, at 50c per year. EDWARDS at 2:00 and 4:00'clock. 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; also improved presses.

The British Whig Publishing Co., Limited EDW. J. B. FENNER, Managing Director.

Daily Whig.

Society Out Of Place.

The retirement of Sir Henry Durand from the British embassy at Washington (not his transfer to some other embassy), has occasioned many rumours that are more or less offensive. Sir Henry has been in the diplomatic service for over thirty years, and the manner in which he has carried himself, with dignity and distinction, is generally admitted. What then has caused his return to England so soon?

There are many explanations, and not one which is esteemed acceptable. It is said that he does not meet the American idea of diplomacy, which idea is exemplified by the appointment sometimes of men to the European embassies who have not been attached to the diplomatic corps. It is reported that he did not reflect the British mind and opinion on the Newfoundland question. It is whispered in some American circles that Durand was not agreeable to the president, that the Austrian and French ambassadors ran in and out of the White House daily without ceremony, and played tennis and rode horseback with Mr. Roosevelt. Durand came and went with the haughtiness of the English nobleman, who reflected in his person some of the greatness of his nation.

Finally, the gossip has it that Lady Susan Twynley, with a social status that has been approved by royalty, talked too much of the Durands and made their stay in Washington intolerable.

All of which may have nothing to do really with the change in the embassy. The world will never know the secret, as it is not in form to depart out the reasons for diplomatic departures to the newspaper press. The one thing known is that the new ambassador, Hon. James Bryce, author of the American Commonwealth, is a great publicist and one who will serve his government and satisfy the American people. True he has not been schooled in diplomacy, but he knows his place in public life and he is perhaps one of the most aggressive representatives of the British government. If Durand's usefulness has been affected by the pests of society they will find in Mr. Bryce one who will end their troubles speedily.

Cost Of The Elections.

Elections everywhere are expensive. In the neighboring state of New York, where on November 4th, the people elected state officials, the expenditure was simply enormous. The law required the candidates to account for all sums expended in excess of \$200, presumably in each constituency, and Mr. Hearst calmly admitted that he had cast about a quarter of a million of dollars away in the fruitless effort to become the governor. What he and others squandered and did not account for would startle the people if the facts were known.

In the old land things are not much better though the idea is being continually advanced that the political depravity of the people has not reached the low water mark of Canada or the United States. The published returns of the last general elections in Britain, giving the expenses of the candidates, is a revelation. Votes, the kingdom over, averaged 4s. 11d., in Scotland, 4s. 6d., and in Ireland, 3s. 8d. They ranged from 8d. each in Leinster for Macdonald, labor candidate, to £13, 8s. 6d. per vote for Spencer Richardson in Seven Oaks.

Even the great Chamberlain, with all his prestige and resources in organization, spent an average of 2s. each for the 7,173 voters which he secured, and his son, Austin Chamberlain, in East Worcester, spent 3s. 7d. for every vote which was counted in his behalf.

And the half has not been told. The published expenses are only those which the candidates are willing to submit for public scrutiny. The legal outlay, is of small moment compared with the illegal outlay, the fortunes that are wasted in corruption as rank as anything of which there is a record. It is said that there is money spent in teas, in charity and in sport, and a good deal more in bribery and downright debauchery. Of all this there is no computation, but it was very bad when the commission in Worcester boldly declared that the constituency was rotten and should be disfranchised.

Election crookedness is the bane of the age, and the patriots are forever bewailing it and, in Canada, longing for the good things politically that they have in England. It is evident that politics are as doubtful as

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS

Change Of Rule. Hamilton Herald. The Windsor Argonauts which paid over a million dollars for forty-six acres of Cobalt lake has bought a whole lot of water. It is the custom of mining syndicates to inject water into their schemes, not to acquire water.

The Tempter At Hand. Toronto Star. The Windsor Record would have the leader of the opposition share in the increase of cabinet salaries in the legislature, which only goes to show that the leader of the opposition must be continually on his guard against the whispers of DeLilah.

A Heresy At Large. London Advertiser. The idea that a party exists to do the chores of a coterie of men who call themselves the party is becoming obsolete. A daily paper is an expensive proposition, and the Hamilton hikers will wish when it comes to putting up the money.

Trick Worth Knowing. Toronto Globe. The conservative never could be made to understand how taxation could be lessened and revenue increased. When the liberal government did the trick under their noses they were still incredulous and have remained so ever since.

Work Of The Press. Ottawa Journal. It exposes evil and suggests the remedy. It advertises good, wherever it finds it and points to the well-doer as an example for all men. It bores and digs for the truth. Of the mass of information which comes to it daily it discards more than it publishes. It steers from error as clear as any merely human agency may. With all its faults it seeks to do right. It is instructive, edifying, entertaining. The habit of thought of cultured peoples have made it one of the first necessities of modern life.

There could be no better adjunct to any educational system than the provision for the intelligent reading of the clean newspaper. And after all is said and done, most newspapers are clean.

President Uses Bad Words. St. John Telegraph. Attention is called to the fact that in being denounced as a liar by President Roosevelt, ex-Ambassador Storor is joined to a large, distinguished, and steadily growing list of public men, at whom Mr. Roosevelt has hurled the accusation of falsehood.

Whitey of Boston, ex-Senator Chandler, Herbert W. Bowen, President G. O. Shields of the League of American Sportsmen, and John F. Wallace, the former chief engineer of the Panama Canal. The results of their controversies with the president are summarized as follows: "It appears that, as classified by the President, Judge Parker was an 'atrocious' liar; Mr. Whitey a 'deliberate' liar; Mr. Chandler a 'deliberate and unqualified' liar; Mr. Bowen a 'disingenuous' liar; Mr. Wallace an 'utter' liar; Mr. Shield an 'inventive' liar; and Mr. Starr a 'peculiarly perfidious' liar."

HAD HAPPY TIME. At a Jolly Christmas Tree Spread in Portsmouth.

On Wednesday night, the Methodist church in Portsmouth, held its annual Christmas tree. The most little edifice was decorated in an artistic manner, quite in harmony with the festive season. The proceedings opened with singing and prayer, led by R. W. Anglin, Rev. Alfred Bright, B.A., assistant pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Peterboro, made a very pleasing and efficient chairman, and briefly addressed the children. The time all too rapidly passed by in listening to the youthful voices articulated in songs, recitations, dialogue and chorus. C. M. Shaw rendered very pleasing selections on the mouth organ.

R. W. Anglin, Queen's, gave a humorous reading, culminating in the beautiful advice of "never pretend to know what you don't know." The Christmas tree was lavishly burdened with handsome gifts. To this centre of attraction the young folk hastened in response to their names. Miss Etta Dennison, the accomplished and unassuming organist, in recognition of her faithful services, was made the worthy recipient of a twenty-dollar gold piece. The pastor, Rev. B. Kyre, was also kindly remembered in being presented with a fur cap and purse.

The proceedings terminated with the singing of the national anthem.

Mrs. Sarah A. Neilson, one of Belleville's oldest citizens, passed away on Christmas. Mrs. Neilson was the widow of the late George Neilson, and the youngest daughter of the late Roswell Leavens. She was born in Belleville, on January 5th, 1823.

Hutch, A Body Builder. When one eats food the nutritive part goes to make up the different tissues of the body. If there is any flaw in the process it will result in disease of some of the organs of the body. The digestion in this way plays a most important part in one's health. Hutch is a splendid digestion and stomach treatment. It is composed of ingredients which are chemically combined to keep the digestion in good working order. Hutch will not allow any clogging or derangement. Hutch is a doctor for ten cents.

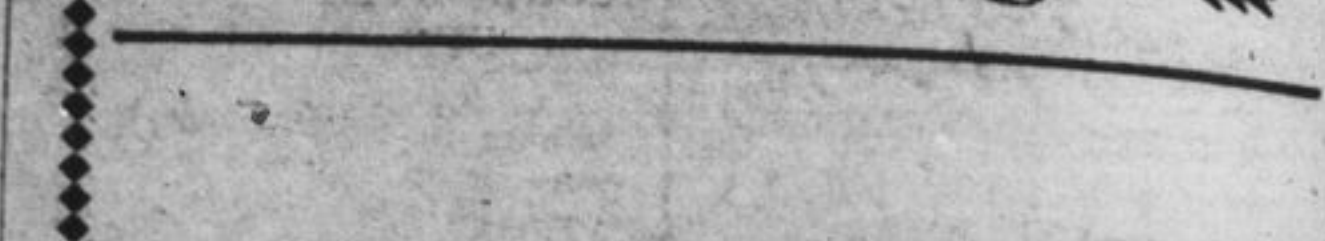
Wood's Phosphodine. The Great English Remedy. Wood's Phosphodine, which acts on the nervous system, makes new cells, and restores vitality. It is a powerful and effective remedy for all cases of nervous debility, neuralgia, brain worry, depression, loss of appetite, indigestion, and all other ailments of the nervous system. It is sold by all druggists or mailed to you on receipt of price. New postage paid. The Wood's Phosphodine Co., Toronto, Ont.

Kingston And Cape Ferry Until further notice steamer will leave for Cape Vincent at 11:30 a.m.

C. F. Draycott, Belleville, has received word that his eldest son, Charles F. Draycott, will soon be discharged from the North-West Mounted Police, with a pension. Trooper Draycott will shortly complete his full term of twenty-one years. He is now at Battleford, Sask., and will remain in the west when discharged.

Swift's Scranton coal ought to be the kind you burn. Is it?

BIBBY'S



Black Suits

No man should be without a Black Suit. It's a wardrobe necessity to any and every man. We have Black Suits in unfinished Worsteds, Cheviots, Vicunas, etc., Cutaway, Sack or Prince Alberts.

No better tailoring and no better fabrics can be put into suits than the makers have put into our lines of Black Suits.

\$12.50, \$15, \$18 and \$20

See the Suits—that's the only way to judge of their worth. However, we want to suggest that you—

Have a care in buying your Black Suit, for there's lots of opportunity to go wrong.

You'll make no mistake if you come here. See our special \$15 Worsteds.

The H. D. Bibby Co.

THE OVERCOAT STORE—78-80-82 PRINCESS STREET

Commission Orders Executed on all Exchanges

BONDS AND STOCKS

Bought and Sold on Commission Investment Securities Both Listed and Unlisted. Information upon Request Members Toronto Stock Exchange

Baillie, Wood & Co. Long Distance Telephone Main 5200-01-02 TORONTO

A Gift Worth While

The money spent for trinkets by the average family at Christmas time would buy an Edison Phonograph. The trinkets last about as long as Christmas does. The Edison Phonograph affords enjoyment day after day and year after year. The trinkets please only the individual recipients, excepting the children. The Edison Phonograph offers a continuous round of pleasure for the whole family.

It is the greatest music-maker of the age. It brings into the home circle all of the world's music, rendering with wonderful faithfulness whatever song, instrumental piece, or orchestral selection is desired.

Make this Christmas the merriest of all by having for its chief feature an

Edison Phonograph

JOHN ROUTLEY, Special Agent, Kingston

403 Stoves

This is the exact number sold by us from January 1st to Christmas, 1906. We want to make it 450 before the end of the year. If you would like to help yourself by helping us, we will make the prices low and the terms easy.

Old Stoves Taken in Exchange

McKelvey & Birch

69 and 71 Brock Street, Kingston

LOTS OF FUN

Tom Smith's Christmas Stockings From 10c. to \$2.00 each

Crackers or Cosaquis—new designs, containing Hats, Caps and Toys, from 15c. to \$2.00 per dozen.

A. J. REES, 166 Princess Street

PERFECTION CREAM



A Surprise in Bibby's

Every box of Mooney's Cream Soles you open find a new delight in the biscuits. When you want to surprise give your appetite a treat

Mooney's Perfection Cream

In Womanly Age and Weakness

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure and Cures while the Patient

The best remedy which physicians prescribe is composed of certain white pills. To this are added remedies which draw out the poisons from the system. The pills are made of the most delicate and purest ingredients. They are made in a well-ventilated factory. Every bottle is guaranteed to be pure and safe. You may not know your troubles, but Dr. Shoop's Night Cure will cure them. You may not know your troubles, but Dr. Shoop's Night Cure will cure them. You may not know your troubles, but Dr. Shoop's Night Cure will cure them.

FOOTWEAR TO REPAIRS

It don't matter where bought, for first-class

A. E. HEWITT 286 PRINCESS STREET THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

New York Chinese Restaurant

33 Princess Street Open from 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

The best place to get Lunch in the city. Meals on shortest notice. English tables a specialty.

H. JERVAIS 220 Front Street West

New England Restaurant

Open from 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

The best place to get Lunch in the city. Meals on shortest notice. English tables a specialty. Phone 412

AUCTION

Book at once with Leading Auctioneer JOHN H. MURPHY

14th Band Orchestras

Made for all Occasions on Military Band Instruction. Violin, Mandolin, Guitar, Banjo, Horn, Water

Wm. Murray, Auctioneer 27 BROCK STREET

New Carriages, Cuts, etc., for sale.

Sale of Horses Every Wednesday

INSURANCE AND

McIntyre & Mc

BARRISTERS MONEY TO LEND KING STREET, KINGSTON

G. A. BATTISTONE

CUSTOMS BROKER Correspondence in Montreal, Paris and other cities. All business received. Office at 67 Clarence Street, Kingston.