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**THE VOTE OF THE PEOPLE**

To be Taken on May 28th on Two Exemption By-Laws-- Two Smelters Will Establish Here.

On May 28th, the qualified ratepayers will vote on two exemption by-laws, respecting the establishment here of two industries, one for the smelting of lead and the other for the smelting of zinc. For the past two months, the board of trade has been working on the two propositions, and after much labor, has been able to present the matter before the city council in definite form.

The Stanley Smelting company, of New York, is the interested concern in the lead smelter proposition, and Messrs. John Gray and William Wright Haldy, of Guelph, both lately from Wales, are at the head of the company interested in the zinc smelter. The land that will furnish the site for these two smelters is in North Frontenac.

The by-laws and agreements were considered last evening at a special meeting of the city council, at which were present: Mayor Mowat and Alds. Angrove, Carson, Chown, Craig, Douglas, Free, Gaskin, Graham, Hanley, Henderson, Kent, McCann, Millan, Nickle, Kigney, Robertson and Taylor.

Both by-laws received a second reading by the council, and went through without any opposition. All that the city is asked for is a grant of some of the smelter site lots before Cataragui bridge, and freedom from taxation (except school tax), for ten years. No direct money-bonus is asked.

The lead smelter company agree, in consideration of the above mentioned concessions, to establish here a smelter whose buildings will cost \$40,000; complete the plant in twelve months, employ not less than fifty men whose wages shall total at least \$700 per month for at least forty weeks in the year, except in case of accident to the plant or the mine; the company to have the privilege of buying the site for \$2,000 inside of ten years, after which time the site to become the property of the company without cost, if it carries out the agreement; the city to consent to the laying down of a single track railway siding across Cataragui street, and along Orchard street to the site of the company to deposit with the city treasurer \$300 to guarantee the expense of the by-law should it fail to carry.

The agreement with Messrs Gray and Haldy about the zinc smelter site is similar to the above, the only difference being that the latter agree to erect buildings to cost \$100,000. The lead company are to get lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, at the lower end,

**MARINE NEWS.**

The schooner Dundee cleared for Pictou to-day and will undergo repairs there.

The schooner Maggie L. has arrived from bay ports with grain for Richardson's.

The schooner Clara Youell cleared for Oswego, to-day, for coal for Crawford's.

The steamer City of New York has arrived from Charlotte, with soft coal for the penitentiary.

The steamer Alexandria arrived at Edgewater at seven o'clock, last night, from Pictou, on her way to Montreal.

M. T. Co.'s steamer Cataract is expected to-day from Toledo, with 42,000 bushels of corn; tug. Glide steamed from Montreal with three light barges, and will clear for Montreal with three grain-laden barges.

On April 12th, the Deseronto Tribune published an article stating that the wreck of the Dobie was a menace to navigation in Deseronto harbor. The department of marine and fisheries has written to the editor stating that tenders were invited for the removal of the Dobie last season. When a wreck occurs and the department notified the owners of the vessel are called upon to remove it, but if they neglect or refuse to do so it is necessary to get an order-in-council to have the work done and charge the cost to the owners. It is expected that arrangements for the removal of the Dobie will be made shortly.

**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.**

**The Lord's Day Advocate Called to Time.**  
Kingston, April 29.—(To the Editor): In a monthly pamphlet called "The Lord's Day Advocate," for April, there appears the following item regarding Kingston:  
"The post office was recently opened for box-holders from 12 to 2:30 on the Lord's day by permission of the post-master-general. The one principal purpose that this serves is to enable patrons of the Saturday evening and Sunday newspapers from Toronto, Montreal and the United States to get copies to them on the Lord's day. It requires the post office employees to do the distributing on Sunday morning and it is to them a serious hardship."  
It is too bad that a religious paper should contain such a misrepresentation of the facts. The Kingston post-master has made it clear that the clerks have no extra working hours of the lobby being open on Sunday. Their work would be just the same whether it was open or not. The Lord's Day Advocate should be careful in future to print the real truth.—CITIZEN.

**Poor Quality Of Limestone.**  
Kingston, April 30.—(To the Editor): In the face of all that has been said and written about road making, a recent act would be amusing, if it were not such a serious matter. Let someone who knows something of macadam go to Bagot street, north of Princess street, and examine the broken stone spread on the road. It is a mass of three-foot bed and has no more resistance to any crushing, or pressure than so much old broken glass bottles, and should never be used in Kingston, where the whole road is good stone for road purposes, readily gotten. On the west side of Montreal street, towards the depot, are quantities of stone lying on top of the three-foot bed that would stand six times the wear on the road, and if either the engineer or the chairman of streets knew his business he would not use any blue limestone for macadam when he can get the other. But, not being satisfied with the poor stone out of the three-foot bed, they are mixing a yellow rotten bed with it that is practically no better than so much old broken brick, and will resist the crushing process even less. A sample of the two kinds of stone used in the road was left at the Whig office.—TAXPAYER.

**Editor's Note.**—The city owns its own quarry, and whatever stone it produces has to be used.

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**LAD RESCUED**

**Brave Act of an Eleven-Year Old Boy.**  
Jumped Into the Ice Water and Helped Arrive—Accident Occurred at Swing Bridge.

Playing around the wet pier at the swing bridge, late yesterday afternoon, nearly resulted in the death by drowning of a ten-year-old lad named Gaudier. The boy, who had been throwing loose stones at objects in the water, stooped to get a handful of broken stones and slipping on the wet pier fell backward into the water. The shock of coming into contact with the icy water was too much for the boy, and though he can swim he was too numb to use his arms and legs successfully and but for the timely intervention of another small boy, named John Gallagher, he would certainly have been drowned. Young Gallagher removed his coat and plunged into the water to the unfortunate lad's assistance, and held his head above water until John Murray, Berriedale, who was nearby, arrived and pulled them both out. Both boys were completely exhausted by their adventure and were taken into the bridge house, where they soon recovered and left for their homes.

Young John Gallagher is a youth, about eleven years of age, and his action in plunging into the icy water to rescue a boy who was all but a stranger to him, is very commendable. He did not consider his own risk, but jumped in, and at the risk of his life he in all probability saved the life of his small companion. Both boys are around again, this morning, little the worse for their adventure.

**Money Subscribed.**

The Elks have subscribed among themselves the money necessary for the purchase of the old bank of Montreal building, and will take it over as soon as the bank authorities are ready to make the transfer. They hope to very soon be established in these fine quarters.

**Suffered A Bad Fracture.**

Charles, the eight-year-old son of C. Walker, of the Grand Opera House saloon, met with a painful accident on Saturday last which resulted in a compound fracture of his left arm. The lad had the misfortune to fall from a hay loft to the ground. His arm was broken in three places.

**All Parents Invited.**

A general invitation is extended to all fathers and mothers, whether Anglican or no, to come to the closing exercises of the "Ladies' Union," in St. George's hall, on Wednesday evening, at eight o'clock. Dean Farthing will then give an address to parents, and there will be a musical programme.

**These Painful Ailments.**

Rheumatism, neuralgia, locomotor ataxia, etc., are due to morbid, poisoned conditions of the blood. The poisons must be neutralized and expelled and the blood enriched in order to cure. Dr. Tomie Pills do the things necessary to cure and to cure thoroughly.

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**"The Bells."**

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**A Serious Accusation.**

A resident has been charged by Richardson Bros. of unlawfully disposing of a number of doors supposed to have been taken from the Richardson Bros. which is owned by Richardson Bros. and also of selling a quantity of brick from the estate. The party claims that the doors sold came from the old opera house, and an inspection of the tannery property shows that the doors are missing and that the brick disposed of was sold on the authority of John McLeod. A police court case was opened and a satisfactory answer is not received from Mr. McLeod.

**AT POLICE COURT.**

**An Aged Man Before the Magistrate.**  
George McBride, an old man, who had been near paraplegic, was arraigned in the police court, this morning, on a charge of raising a disturbance at the Hotel Dieu. He is very feeble, and has been confined to the hospital. Last night he made himself very disagreeable to the hospital authorities, and the police were notified. Samuel Arnie went to the Hotel Dieu, and brought McBride to the station.

In the police court, this morning, the accused was represented until the afternoon, in order that the court might be able to secure more information about him.

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**SPORTING NOTES.**

**Interesting Items on Various Sporting Topics.**  
The lacrosse season will open at the coast on May 15th, when the two Vancouver teams clash.

On Monday the Ottawa Capitals defeated the combined lacrosse teams of Oxford and Cambridge, by 7 to 4. Buffalo expects to have a strong lacrosse team this year, and already arrangements are being made for matches with some of the Canadian teams.

The Hamilton lacrosse team has arranged matches with teams from Rochester and Chicago. The Rochester team will play in Hamilton on Dominion day and the Chicago team on August 24th.

The lacrosse match at Lord's ground Saturday between the Capitals, of Ottawa, and the Duke of Argyll's team, was attended by about 5,000 spectators. The Capitals won by ten games to eight.

The first boxing contest to be given in Chicago for two years took place at the Chicago Athletic Association, Saturday. Jimmy Gardner, of Lowell, Mass., got the decision over Jack Root, of Chicago, in a six-round bout. Gardner landed at will on the Chicago man.

The autograph feuds are after the Indian runner, Longshot. Ever since he has returned to Toronto his mail has been heavy, and nearly every letter was from some one asking for his autograph. The letters are nearly all from the fair sex. Tom's religiously replies to them all, but says if his mail increases any more he will get a rubber stamp made.

At Pittsburgh, Pa., two indoor world's swimming records were broken at the Sportsman's show, by C. M. Daniels, of the New York Athletic Club. In the 110-yard race he covered the distance in one minute and six seconds, which is four seconds better than the previous world's record. He also swam fifty yards on his back in thirty-five seconds. The former record for the world was thirty-eight seconds. Both races were in competition.

On Friday night Daniels broke the indoor record for fifty yards, covering the distance in 24 1/2 seconds. He held the previous record of twenty-seven seconds.

The feature of the Franco-British exhibition to be held in connection with the Olympic games next year will be the enormous Stadium which will be erected for the games. Plans are now completed and will shortly be sanctioned at the meeting of the games committee at The Hague. The Stadium will be an imposing structure, and capable of holding the immense number of 367,000 people at the same time. A running track will be in the enclosure with three laps to the mile, and outside of this track will be an up-to-date cycle track. On one side of the grounds a swimming bath will be built 110 yards in length. Already twenty nations have promised their assistance in the games, and will shortly settle all the details. It is confidently expected that the exhibition and the games fully ten million people will pass through the turnstiles during the fortnight. There should be no difficulty about this number, because the Stadium will be erected in a fairly central part of the west end in a fairly central part of the Bush, which is well supplied with good train, bus and tube services.

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