

THE 5 P.M. EDITION

HE RECITED DICKENS

FRANK SPEAIGHT'S FINE READING.

A Very Sparse Audience in the City Hall—Swayed the Company By His Excellent Pourtrays.

Kingston's literary patrons were inadequately represented by a very sparse audience which greeted Francis Speaight, as he came upon the platform of the city hall, on Thursday evening. His subject was Charles Dickens "David Copperfield," in six chapters. All the press comment which has appeared fails to convey a tittle of the credit due Mr. Speaight's absolutely unique interpretation of the great author. His elocution is perfect, his impersonations strikingly real, while the attendant mimicry evokes continued and convulsive laughter.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newspapers Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

Blood oranges, 20c. Carzovsky's, 10c. Etzel, Vancouver, U.S. street, has left on a trip to Vancouver, B.C. H. Cunningham, piano tuner from Chieker's, leave orders at McAuley's book store.

The customs records show that George Mills & Co., are the only direct importers in this city of English felt hats and cloth caps.

Deaths of Children. Mary Margaret Woods, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Woods, Bay street, died very suddenly on Thursday afternoon. The child, who was a year and three months old, was only ill a few hours.

Keen Interest Taken. Keen interest is being taken among the members of the R.C.H.A., in the proposed trip to Quebec, in August, for the celebration of the Champlain tercentenary.

Doctors Highly Delighted. They say for fattening and nourishing, nothing exceeds the pure "Societ" Olive Oil, which we import direct from France.

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Splendid chances to buy an auto, a local business, a home and many useful articles offered in to-day's "For Sale" column. Read page three.

MISSIONARY PROBLEMS

Were Discussed at Meeting in St. James'.

The fourth of the Pan-Anglican study classes was held in St. James' school room, on Thursday night, the subject being "Some Missionary Problems," the divisions taken by Miss M. Straulenzie, Miss Mary Rogers, and Mrs. Guy Gansby. The attendance was good.

Miss Straulenzie spoke of the need for more missionaries, with special reference to some parts of Africa, which is not won now by the cross of Christ.

A Delightful Tea. A very delightful tea was given by Lady Cartwright, Wednesday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. J. J. Hartly and her friend, Miss Brownfield, of Kingston.

Wants a Plumbing Expert. City Engineer Craig evidently intends to make the board of works and the city council sit up and take notice. He doesn't propose to have a lot of extra duties imposed upon him.

An Interesting Contest. An interesting contest is promised at the Y.M.C.A., on Monday night, when Nelson McCartney and Russell Edgar will compete in an athletic contest for a medal.

SALE OF THE VESSEL. And Sixty-Five Per Cent to Be Paid Plaintiffs. Sarnia, Ont., March 27.—At a session of the admiralty court, before Judge Hodgins, the Reid Wrecking company appealed for a judgment against the tanker Fred Fabst, which was recently raised at the entrance to Lake Huron.

Had A Cold Dip. Robert Dunlop, carpenter, employed by the M. F. Co., had a cold dip on Wednesday afternoon. He was doing some work around one of the barges, and when stepping across on some thin ice, was thrown into the water.

Making Quite A Stir. There was quite a stir around the different vessels in the harbor this morning. The fine weather was taken advantage of for necessary work, and the ship carpenter was a very busy man.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION

THE BUSINESS TRANSACTED LAST EVENING.

The City Council to Be Asked For \$3,000 More Than Last Year—Free First Form in Collegiate—Fire Protection.

A special meeting of the Board of Education was held last evening. The report of the property committee recommending the city council to comply with the exit by-law was adopted. The cost will be about \$1,000, and the city council will be asked to issue debentures for its payment.

The board adopted the report of the property committee regarding the fitting its new quarters in the building at the corner of Sydenham and Princess streets, to which the board will move on May 1st.

The board adopted the finance committee's report on the estimates for the year. The city council will be asked for \$3,000 more than last year. The board decided in view of the vote of the people in favor of a free first year in the Collegiate Institute, that first year, including commercial work, shall be free from September, 1907.

GETTING SUNDAY DRINKS. Four Bartenders Were Kept Busy Serving. Montreal, March 27.—A sensation was sprung on the public by the liquor license commission when they brought up seven hotelkeepers for selling liquor on Sundays.

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FIRST DIVISION.

Debate on Budget Concluded at Early Hour.

Toronto, March 27.—The debate on the provincial budget concluded, this morning, with the first division of the session, after a brilliant speech by Hon. A. G. MacKay, in which the non-constructive policy of the present government was severely criticized.

Following this line of argument of a boasted surplus, the financial statement should show a deficit of alarming proportions. Mr. MacKay submitted an amendment expressing the regret of the house that the present government should have allowed controllable expenditure to increase during the last three years in a degree disproportionate with the general advance of the province.

Premier Whitney replied in one of his characteristic speeches, and incidentally challenged the statement of the leader of the opposition that the conservative party had pledged themselves that boards of license commissioners should include county judges and county wardens.

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GREAT SALE OF RIBBONS To-Morrow.

One of the best Ribbon Bargains ever brought to Kingston has arrived and will be offered To-morrow. Samples of some of these Ribbons will be shown in windows that you may judge of the values.

3,120 Yards Fancy Ribbons

In French Striped Ribbons, In French Plaid Ribbons, In Dresden Ribbons.

A great variety of new designs, ranging in value from 25c, 30c, 33c, 45c, 50c yard.

Your Choice To-morrow 12 1-2c Yard.

There are also in this lot 250 yards Plain Colored Taffeta Ribbons, worth 20c to 25c. These will be offered at the same time at 12 1/2c yard.

The Fancy Ribbons

Are suitable for Fancy Belts, Hat Trimmings, Children's Sashes, Hair Ribbons.

Sale from 9 to 12 O'clock.

POSITIVELY no telephone order accepted or no orders accepted to place aside.



Dorothy Dodd

New Spring Styles



The Lockett Shoe Store.

McKay Furs advertisement: FURS CLEANED STORED AND INSURED. Telephone wagon to call. 489. John McKay Fur House.

NO REASON WHY. You shouldn't shave yourself. The average man spends thirty or forty cents a week shaving. When we can get you a razor complete for \$1. The Ever-Ready with 12 Blades. Every one guaranteed or your money refunded. W. A. MITCHELL, Hardware. SEE OUR WINDOW.

THE REPAIRING OR RESETTNG. Of valuable rings is necessary after much wear, otherwise a costly jewel is likely to be lost. Our workmen are skilled in the setting of diamonds and other precious stones, and we can promise you first-class work, at reasonable prices. Engraving, designing and manufacturing a special feature of our business.

Spangenberg JEWELLER. Diamond Merchant.

Cook's Cotton Root Compound. The great Uterine Tonic, an only safe efficient Monthly Regulator on which women can depend. Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, 2, 3. For special cases, 50c per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Free pamphlet, address: Cook's Menstrual Compound Co., Toronto, Ont., Canada. (By mail order.)

Pearsall's Millinery. Call in and see the Dressy Hats we are showing this week. The BEAUTY OF STYLE and MATERIAL PERFECT in DESIGN. speak for themselves. We will be pleased to show you them. We advise making your selection early as possible. Pearsall's Millinery 228 Princess St.

LIVINGSTON'S SPECIAL OFFERINGS For Saturday and Saturday Night. First—Old lot Dent's Kid Gloves, worth \$1.25 and 1.50, for 75c. Second—20 dozen Job Neckwear, worth 50c. and 75c., for 25c. Third—To clear odd lines Negligee shirts, regular \$1.00, 1.25 and 1.50, for 79c. Fourth—Regular 35c line Spring and Summer Weight Black Cashmere Sox, 25c, 4 pair for \$1.00. SATURDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHT ONLY. LIVINGSTON'S

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