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ENTERPRISING FIRM

THE H. D. BIBBY COMPANY ADD NEW DEPARTMENT.

Old Victoria Hall in Their Building Has Been Fitted Up—Trunks, Valises, Suitcases, and Boys' Clothing are Shown in the Firm's New Department.

With the rapid growth of the dominion, the cities were bound to increase in size and wealth. Some of the centres of population may have been a little reluctant to make the start ahead, but, once made, the development of such cities is pretty certain to be steady and permanent. Kingston appears to be in the latter class. The boom is on now, however, and the expansion during the next five years will be something to talk about. The first class to feel the effects of industrial good times is the manufacturer. The increased demand taxes their resources, and as new markets are opened up the manufacturer is forced to enlarge his plant. Perhaps the next class affected is the retailer. He, too, has felt the effect of "good times." Every retailer at the convention here this week fairly radiated prosperity. He had no hard luck story to tell. Everything was booming—trade was good—money plentiful. All he asked was a few years more of life to "finish the game," so to speak. Everywhere, he would tell you, there were abundant signs of prosperity. It was safe to discount the future by enlarging the store and increasing the stock. This is being done to-day all over Canada.

What is true of the country in general, in this respect, is true of Kingston in particular. The retailer's volume of trade is steadily growing, and the business is expanding and developing in order to take care of it. One notable instance might be cited. A few years ago the H. D. Bibby Co., clothing and furnishes, entered their premises on Kingston street, and removed to the Victoria Hall property on Princess street, occupying the entire first floor of one of Kingston's largest blocks. Recently they found themselves again cramped for room. They wished to add a few new lines, but had not the available space. It became necessary to secure use of the second floor in the building. This has now been remodelled, a new electric lighting system installed and in every way made modern and business-like. On this floor an entirely new line of trunks, valises, suitcases, handbags, etc., is shown. The boys' clothing department is also located on the second floor. The range of goods is most complete, and the one who failed to find what he is looking for there didn't know what he wanted

when he started out. The fittings are very elaborate, and this new department is well worth a visit from every citizen. To find a large, handsome and prosperous clothing and furnishing business, it is not necessary to seek the large cities. The local prices are also just as reasonable, and in many cases, in fact, are lower. The H. D. Bibby Co. is a credit to Kingston, and this evidence of its present prosperity and progress will be good news to all classes of the community.

FOR ANOTHER YEAR.
Earl Grey Will Be Still Our Executive Head.



EARL GREY.

Special to the Whig.
Ottawa, June 23.—Hon. Clifford Sifton, in an interview at Liverpool, said it was practically certain that Earl Grey would return to Canada to take up his regular duties for another year.

R.M.C. ENTRANCE.

List of Ontario Students Who Passed Examinations.

Ottawa, June 23.—The following Ontario students were successful candidates at the recent examination for entrance to the Royal Military College: William McFarquhar, Clinton; Clarence Cockburn, Hamilton; Henri Lotbiniere, Greenwood, Lakefield; Kenneth McCuaig, Brockville; James Turner, London; Stanley Lovelace, St. Catharines; Walter Lawson, Toronto; G. George Magnum, Toronto; George Hay, Hamilton; Francis Gibson, Toronto; Douglas Storms, Hamilton; Richard Crawford, Tilbury; Henry Butler, Kingston; Edward Armour, Toronto; George Blackstock, Toronto; Jean Cantin, St. Joseph.

PRINTING BUREAU FRAUDS.

It Really Looks Much Like a Case of Graft.



HON. CHARLES MURPHY.
Hon. Charles Murphy, secretary of state, says there are no further developments in the situation at the government printing bureau. "I expect to be at it all summer," he added. There is a strong suspicion of graft on the one hand, while on the other is a policy of extravagance. It is said, for instance, that over 50,000 worth of carbon paper has been bought at one time. Departments are stacked up with supplies far above any present or immediate future requirements.

HANGED HERSELF.

Mrs. Micks Used Chain and Husband's Suspenders.
New Lowell, Ont., June 23.—Mrs. John Micks got up early and went out to the stable, where she had prepared beforehand a chain and a pair of her husband's suspenders. These she tied together, got some boxes and put one on top of the other till she could reach the top of the door sill. She then tied the suspenders around her neck and fastened the chain to the door sill, and jumped off the boxes. She was dead when found.

Baseball Records.

Even league—Baltimore, 7; Toronto, 1.
American league—Chicago, 4; Cleveland, 2; St. Louis, 8; Detroit, 1; New York, 2; Philadelphia, 1; Boston, 2; Washington, 1.
National league—Pittsburgh, 6; Chicago, 5; Boston, 6; Philadelphia, 4; Cincinnati, 4; St. Louis, 2.

Plea For Kiss Costs Job.

St. Louis, June 23.—Patrolman Agnew of the Carondelet district was dismissed from the force by the police board, which found him guilty of attempting to exact a kiss from Miss Amelia Schellman after he had routed three "mashers."

To Pay Invalid Pensions.

Melbourne, June 23.—The government will pay invalid pensions from 17th, reducing the minimum age of women recipients from 65 to 60.

The Austrian Lloyd steamer Trieste,

with a crew of eighty-five, and a passenger list of thirty-four, is three days overdue. It is believed that she has encountered the terrific typhoon that has been raging for a number of days and the grave fear is felt that she may have foundered.

The Duke of Sutherland has arrived at Montreal. Think what a deaf and dumb woman misses.

CALLED AN AUTOCRAT

MINISTER OF EDUCATION IS EXCEEDING POWERS.

The Legislature Has Given Boards of Examiners Discretionary Powers He Would Now Take Away.

Kingston, June 23.—(To the Editor.) The minister of Education has issued orders to the effect that the boards of examiners are to be dissolved and the entrance boards must examine the papers closely. These orders are by no means binding on the local boards, as the school act distinctly leaves them discretionary powers to consider special cases where candidates have made their totals, but who have accidentally failed in some one subject.

Now there is one other point which, as an educator, and one in constant touch with students from the primary grade to the entrance class, I desire to bring to the attention of the public. The arithmetic paper of this year is admittedly too difficult for the majority of first form students in our high schools and colleges. The examiners, who set such absurd problems, are evidently men who never taught lower school work (fortunately for the pupils) and who are too discreet to have their names appear on the papers as a few years ago, but prefer, for fear of public censure to hide themselves behind the minister. It is the duty of the teachers of the province to assert themselves and if necessary to show by their ballots in the next election their disapproval of such unfair methods.—ONE IN CLOSE TOUCH WITH PRIMARY EDUCATION.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Torrance has taken Archdeacon Carey's house on Brock street.

The little daughter of Capt. Tulloch, 139 Colborne street, is better this morning.

Miss M. Bradshaw returned to Watertown, today, after visiting friends in Yarker.

Miss A. M. Macfar has been elected an honorary member of the Canadian Women's Press Club.

Mrs. Victor Stroud and her sister, Miss Margaret Turner, left for Toronto at noon, Saturday.

Col. Sam Hughes, camp commandant, left on Friday for Ottawa after which he will return to his home in Lindsay.

James T. Sutherland arrived from the west, this morning, and will spend a while with his family at their summer cottage at Stella.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. Payne, Portsmouth, are pleased to hear that their little son, Ward, is improving in the general hospital.

K. Hartman, of Dundas, who graduated at the Royal Military College this week, intends entering Queen's Medical College next fall.

A. B. Klugh, M.A., son of A. Klugh, Wellington street, has been appointed assistant professor at Queen's University of animal biology and botany.

Child Instructor in English and History, at Toronto University, will be O. J. Stevenson, B.A., recently associate professor of education at Queen's. The appointments carries with it the lectureship in methods in the faculty of education.

Mississippi News Budget.

Mississippi, June 24.—The village was shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. John Thurston. The Sons of Temperance held their annual festival on the 17th of June. A large crowd was present to witness the baseball game played between the Elphinstone and Lanark nines. The score was twenty-two to one in favor of Lanark. A splendid programme was enjoyed. Rev. B. H. Somerville, L. G. Cameron, J. Barr attended the lawn social given by Miss Level for her friend, Miss Eva Cameron, of Flower Station. Joseph Rhodes spent Saturday and Sunday last with friends at Bollingbrook. I. Allen's mill is in working order again. K. Card is at the lever. A. C. Fraser has accepted the position as sacristan with Allan Bros. Alan C. Rhodes is here again after spending some time at Lavant. Visitors: Miss E. S. McAllister, Tichborne, at James Hannah's; Mrs. E. B. Walker and little daughter, Reta, at James Hannah's; Mrs. Dora Durrick, Flower Station, visiting friends here; Rev. R. H. Somerville and Miss E. Cameron, at I. Allan's; W. J. Crawford, at William Scott's; Miss Annie Kevelle, Flower, at Alexander Pertram's; J. Berry, at James Hannah's; T. Riddle, at William Kirkham's; J. Barr, at W. Steele's; Richard Cameron spent Sunday at Snow Road; Miss guest of Miss Alva Wood; Mrs. Mannion, Toronto, visiting her brother here.

Lake Ontario Park.

An entire change of people and different style of acts are booked for Lake Ontario Park for next week. The programme consists of one of the greatest double-headed artists in the world. He is without doubt a wonder in his line as he draws and finishes very pretty marine and landscape pictures in colors in about three minutes. It will be worth your while to see this wonderful artist. He draws two comic pictures at one time, one with each hand, of various nationalities. All his rapid double-headed drawings and paintings are accompanied by musical numbers, after which comedy monologue is given upon each and every illustration. All his pictures are given out during the performance. Another feature will be John and Eva Brady, in a summer act. This together with 3,000 feet of new moving pictures, which include the king's funeral. Also the latest illustrated songs, which should please the patrons of this popular resort.

Kingston is the coolest place in the province. Please remember that in Toronto, Montreal and Ottawa the temperature has been from eight to ten degrees higher than in the Limestone City.

S. A. Knolly's excursion, Monday evening, 7.45, one hour in Gananoque. Refreshments.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newspapers Picked Up By Reporters On Their Rounds.

Summer cottages to rent at McCann's.
Local Livingston's add., men's suits, hats, etc.

William Swaine, piano tuner. Orders received at McAuley's, Phone 778.
The Portsmouth public school promotion list will be published on Monday.

It is a pretty safe bet that the new Cataract bridge will not be built at Belle's Island.

Friday was a very busy day with the railways, carrying the soldiers home from camp.

H. Cunningham, piano tuner from Chikering's. Leave orders at McAuley's bookstall.

Remember our prompt delivery for drugs and ice cream, from Gibson's Red Cross Drug Store.

The fire brigade has had very quiet times lately, it being four weeks, Friday last, since a call has received.

Do the unmodified motor boats in the harbor not come under the noise by-law? Here is a chance for Harbourmaster McCann to make an example of some one.

The engine on the Bay of Quinte railway train, on Friday morning, blew out a cylinder, and as a result the train was three hours late in reaching Kingston.

A strawberry social will be held in Brock Street Methodist church, Tuesday evening, June 28th. Good programme. Admission 15c; including strawberries and cake.

The Army Reserve Corps boys were busy to-day bringing their stuff over to the city from camp. The mail boxes, so kindly loaned by Postmaster Stewart were returned in good order.

A meeting of the executive of the Mercantile League was called for Friday evening, but very little business of importance was transacted, owing to the small attendance. Another meeting will be held early next week.

In deciding upon macadam roads for Princess street, the city council has put Kingston back thirty years," was the remark made this morning by a business man who had just returned home and learned of the council's action, which disgusted him.

The road in front of the court house has been in such poor condition, that drivers of vehicles have gradually worked their way onto the grass plot which extended out from the trees along the cricket field. This old boulevard has been cut in pieces.

Greatest sale of corsets ever offered in Kingston, now going on; your choice three kinds, with hose supporters, for 50c; ventilated corsets, with hose supporters, 50c; three kinds, worth \$1, with strong hose supporters, 75c; three kinds, worth \$1.25, for \$1; special corset for stout figures, \$1.25. Dutton's, 209 Princess street.

Scores of parents have asked the Whig to urge the education departments to change the time of the examinations to a cooler time of the year.

The Whig has advocated this on many previous occasions. December, or Easter should be made the testing time. It is criminal to make excited children work in the midst of such heat as we are having.

EXAMINED ON AFFIDAVIT.

Affirmed That Old Man Was Insane When Married.

Dr. Edward Ryan, superintendent of Rockwood asylum, who recently examined an old man named Michael Fraser of Midland, Ont., married some time ago to a daughter of a Presbyterian clergyman, and who declared that he was insane when he wedded, was examined on Friday, at the court house, in regard to his finding. Heirs of Fraser are trying to set aside the marriage so as to enjoy the sum of one hundred thousand dollars that the old gentleman is worth. Fraser is the survivor of seven brothers, and is the only one of them who married. He is over eighty years of age, and his wife is thirty. J. L. Whiting, K. C., acted for the wife and W. F. Nickle, K. C., for the old man's next of kin. Four medical experts have been examined in regard to the condition of Fraser. Two say he was insane when he married, and two say he was not. So there you are.

ATTACKED BY A BULL.

Fourteen-Year-Old Lad in the General Hospital.

James Lowe, a fourteen-year-old lad, and a home boy in the general hospital, suffering from injuries, received from being attacked by a bull. He entered the hospital, on Friday night, but it is not thought that his case will be of a serious nature.

The lad lives with a farmer named Craig, in Pittsburg township, and while out in the field, was engaged in taking some cattle through to pasture, when the bull ran against him. The animal was not angry at all, but appeared to strike the boy merely by accident. Had the bull been angry, there is no doubt, but what the lad would have been gored to death. The horns pierced into his side, and three or four stitches were required to close up the wound. He is getting along nicely.

Looking Over Plant.

James M. Smith, of Collingwood, was in the city to-day looking over the Kingston Shipbuilding company's plant. He makes regular visits to see how things are running. So far this season, things have been very quiet in marine circles all over, but more activity is expected ere long.

Grocers' Picnic.

At a meeting of the Retail Grocers' Association, held in the Y.M.C.A., on Friday night, the matter of holding a picnic, was left over for another meeting, to be held on July 4th. The president, W. H. Dyle, occupied the chair, at the meeting.

Makes light of your disappointments, and lighter of your successes. They are to be used, not dashed. Well! Many a conscience that works well at the second person notch gets out of gear at the first person singular. Make your work helpful to others if you want it to be helpful to you.

To-Night, 7.30 to 10 O'clock

Our After Supper Sale

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100 White Crochet Quilts

Full size. A splendid wearing quilt for summer use. Easily washed and with properly hemmed ends. These are usually sold from \$1.25 to 1.35.

Yours To-Night 95c.
Positively not more than two to one customer and no telephone orders accepted for them.

100 White Embroidered Laundry Bags

29 inches long by 17 inches wide (double) with draw string. Some embroidered in blue, some embroidered in red.
VERY SPECIAL TO-NIGHT 12c EACH.

150 Remnants of Linen Crash Towelling

A very durable make, easily washed and full 18 inches wide, 2 1/2 yards long.
Special To-Night 15c Piece of 2 1/2 Yards.



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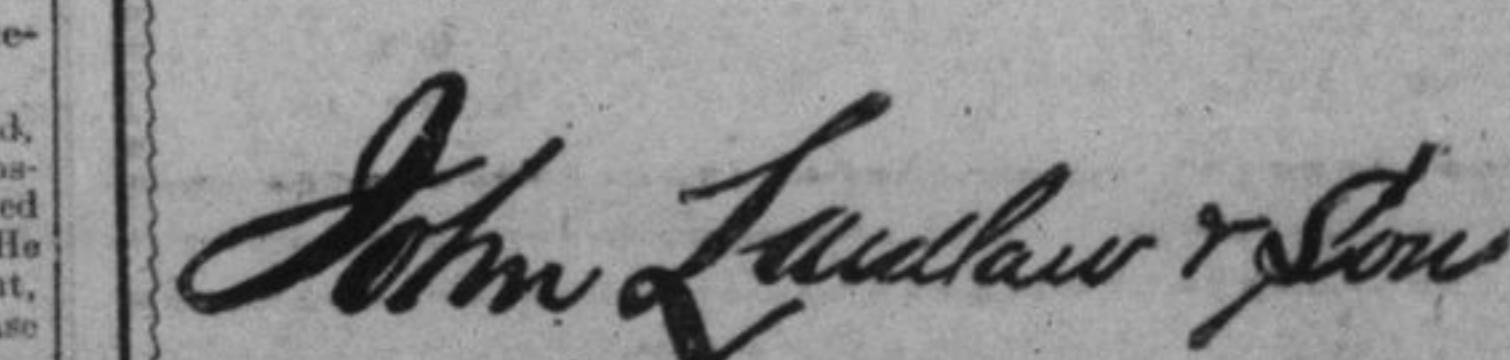
UNDERVERSTS, 10c, 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c, 39c, 49c up. Long or short sleeves, no sleeves, high or low neck, in a great variety of makes; also Drawers to match several of these makes.

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We have almost anything required in Summer Underwear.
Thin Cotton, all sizes.
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All sizes, 40c and 50c.



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TO-NIGHT, 7.30 O'CLOCK.

LADIES' LONG LISLE GLOVES

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For 39c Pair.
White and Black.

Ladies' Summer Undervests

Swiss Elastic Ribbed. Short and No Sleeves. Regular 18c, 20c, for
12 1/2c Each

To-Night We Offer Ladies' White Muslin Blouses

Regular \$1 quality,
For 48c Each
Limit to each customer.

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