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# FUR SALE

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On Manufactured FURS Only.  
Every FUR in the Store GOES.

# FUR-LINED COATS

Large Storm Collar and Revers of Alaska Sable

Lined with Canadian Muskrat, Shell No 1 Quality Broadcloth.

REGULAR PRICE, \$65.00, NOW \$48.75

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BLUE CHEVIOTS AND WORSTEDS are dressy and always right—Lambert has the standard makes in Indigo dyes, at from \$22 to \$25 a suit.

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## Xmas Suggestions

**USEFUL PRESENTS FOR YOUNG AND OLD**  
**HIGH-CLASS MILLINERY AT REDUCED PRICES.**  
Pretty Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, in English Beaver; Silk, Satin, and Velvet. The latest goods.  
Children's Headwear, White Bear Skin Bonnets, Tams and Bussies; also Wool Toggles and Tams.  
New Heatherbloom Underskirts in Navy, Brown, Grey and Black.  
BLACK SILK UNDERSKIRTS  
SILK WAISTS AT HALF PRICE.  
LADIES' AND GIRLS' COATS AT CUT PRICES.  
SEE OUR NEW TAILORED SUITS.

## D. M. SPENCE,

The Leading Millinery Store.

### PHOTOS for Christmas

All photo sittings taken this week will be finished before Christmas. All orders for framing.

D. A. WELSE & CO.

### PLUMBING THOUGHTS

Thought out

- A sudden cold weather snap.
- A water pipe burst—hang.
- A deluge results Tough luck.
- A few hasty explosive remarks!
- A hurry up call for us.
- A repair job quickly done.
- A not excessive bill gladly paid.

## David Hall.

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### Best's



Combination Manicure and Toilet Set in genuine ebony, in fancy shield-shaped hinged box, covered with enameled, real grain black leatherette. Full set of safety razor with safety ribbon in lid, printed in gold. Guaranteed genuine ebony containing 3 pieces: ebony razor, ebony comb and manicure fittings; 4 1-2 inch safety razors; plate mirror; 8 row brush of good quality bristles; large black comb to match, nail file, cuticle pusher, two safety jars and long handle manicure set; set of good quality all sterling silver mounted.

From Best's Gift Store.

### Cook's Cotton Root Compound

The great Urinary Tonic and safe effective remedy for all urinary troubles. Sold in three degrees of strength—No. 1, 2, 3. No. 3 is the strongest. No. 1, 2, 3, the special cases, 50¢ per box. Sold by all druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price. From pamphlet, Address: The

## Here's To The Best

All that's best in drinkables for the holiday season is found at the Thompson Bottling Co.

In Ports, Sherry, Scotch, Brandy, Gin, Champagne, etc. we can please the most fastidious.

We are Agents for Stroh's Bohemian Imported Beer, Pilsener's Berlin Beer, and Fisher's Ale, Porter and Lager in Bottles and Kegs.

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- Design Work Promptly Attended to.

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## A TRUSTY WATCH



## A WALTHAM WATCH

Holiday Sale now on. Discount on all stock from now to Christmas. Get any prices before you buy. Goods can be selected now—hold aside till wanted.

Store Open Every Night

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## Silverwear Skates

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Nickel Plating and Electro Plating of all kinds. Nickel, Copper, Brass, etc.

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## PARTRIDGE & SONS

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## SAVED BY THE COOK CHRISTMAS RUSH ON

### CREW OF STEAMER OTTAWA HAD NARROW ESCAPE

First Call for Breakfast Was Being Given When the Fire Was Discovered—Members of the Crew Lost All Their Effects.

That the crew of the steamer Ottawa burned at the wharf, at Cape Vincent, N.Y., on Wednesday morning, escaped with their lives, is no doubt, due to the alarm, which was given by Miss Maggie Mattie, who was employed on the boat, as a cook, and who is a sister-in-law of Capt. Hudson, who was in command of the vessel. Miss Mattie lives at Clayton.

The first call for breakfast turned out to be an alarm for fire, Miss Mattie was preparing breakfast, so it appears, and was ringing the first bell, when she noticed flames in the fire hole. She at once cried, "fire," and continued to ring the bell, so that everyone on board the vessel, could hear the alarm. The fact, that she had presence of mind, not to get excited, saved the crew.

As soon as the men on the boat heard the cry, they ran to the fire hole, but the fire had made such headway, that they found it impossible to do anything. They just had time enough to get off the vessel in safety.

Miss Mattie was the only person who met with mishap. As soon as she gave the alarm, she went into the kitchen, to get some of her belongings, and came within an ace of being hemmed in there. She was taken out in the nick of time, but not before her face and hair had been scorched. However, her injuries were not of a serious nature.

The flames spread rapidly. Capt. Carnegie and Capt. Hudson occupied rooms near the wheel house. After the alarm, Capt. Carnegie could not see Capt. Hudson, and fearing that he had not heard the warning, Capt. Carnegie went back to his room, but found that Capt. Hudson had gone off the boat. Capt. Carnegie then tried to get off the vessel, but he found every avenue cut off. He made his escape by way of one of the ladders.

The members of the crew had no time to save any of their effects, and lost practically everything. Capt. Hudson is mourning the loss of a valuable gold watch. After the fire was over, he picked up the remains of his timepiece, which were melted into an awful mass. The fire, started in the coal bunkers. The firemen rendered able service, but it is stated that it had such a start, that it was impossible to save the vessel.

The steamer Pierpont is now on the Cape Vincent run, with the veteran Capt. Coleman Hinckley, in charge. The Pierpont went over to the Cape, this morning, leaving in a blinding snow storm, at seven o'clock.

## BUCK-SUDDARD WEDDING.

Miss Mabel Suddard, Division Street, the Bride.

At nine o'clock, Wednesday morning, surrounded only by immediate relatives of both contracting parties, Miss Mabel, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Suddard, Division street, was united in marriage to Howard Benson Buck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benson Buck, Victoria street. The parlor where the ceremony was performed, was tastefully decorated with carnations, ferns and palms. Rev. T. E. Burke, B.D., tied the nuptial knot. The young couple were unattended, save for the presence of little Miss Gladys Potter, niece of the bride, who acted as flower girl.

The bride looked charming in a gown of cream silk mull over taffeta, trimmed with all-over lace and applique, with touches of blue, and carrying a shower bouquet of bridal roses. Immediately after the ceremony the guests retired to the dining-room, where a sumptuous wedding supper was served. The dining-room decorations were carnations, ferns and smilax, which made a good color scheme.

The bride's travelling suit was of dark taupe. With this she wore a black beaver hat. Among the numerous and beautiful presents, which were showered upon the young people was a cheque for a large sum of money. The young people will reside in the city for the present, but will likely move on Mr. Buck's farm near Sydenham in the spring.

## RESIGNED TRUSTEES.

John Stewart, Harrowsmith, has resigned his position as trustee of Sydenham High School. He notified the county clerk and his resignation takes effect from December 10th.

## PRINTING THAT CATCHES THE EYE

Printing that catches the eye and commands attention. The only kind worth while, at the Whig job printing.

Nothing ventured, nothing gained to the promoter's bank account.

## WANT SCHOOL UP FURTHER

Uptown residents are hoping that the board of education will choose a site for the new public school higher up than Division street. They would prefer Alfred street as the place for the school, as one situated there would afford a better site for the school, while a central school would cover the lower Cataract ward section. Besides a better site could be procured on Alfred street, one that would show off the school better than the one proposed on Division street. The upper site would cost probably \$250,000. The option on the Division street site, expires on Christmas day, the 25th, and taken advantage of, for the board will not likely meet again until January. In the meantime, the trustees are considering where it would be best to locate the school, and a month hence will be in a better position to decide.

## Back to Old Ireland.

Rev. T. E. Bourke, B.D., pastor of Brock street Methodist ch., at one o'clock, this morning, for his home in Westport, County Mayo, Ireland. He expected to sail on the steamship "Ben-rivis" of British, from St. John, N.B., Friday, and would arrive at his home on Christmas Eve. Unfortunately, however the "Empress of Britain" suffered a mishap a few days ago, and Mr. Bourke did not know whether he would be able to make connections or not. He expects to sail for home, on Feb. 10th, which will bring him to Kingston, on Feb. 19th.

## 14th Regt. Christmas Souvenir.

The historical booklet of the 14th regiment, of Kingston, makes a Christmas souvenir that would be appreciated by former members and friends of the regiment who are living elsewhere. The publishers have 250 copies on hand and offer them for sale at ten cents each. The booklet may be had at the Whig office business counter and McAuley's bookstore.

Ordinary almonds, 40¢ a lb, but we recommend Jordan almonds, at 50¢ a lb, at Gilbert's.

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SLIPPERS, OVERSHOES, HOCKEY BOOTS, STREET SHOES, SUIT CASES AND BAGS.
- FOR WOMEN**  
HOUSE SLIPPERS, EVENING SHOES, STREET SHOES, OVERSHOES, SUIT CASES, AND TRAVELLING BAGS.
- FOR BOYS AND GIRLS**  
MOCCASINS, OVERSHOES, HOCKEY BOOTS, SNOW SHOES AND SLIPPERS.
- FOR CHILDREN**  
OVERSHOES, SLIPPERS, MOCCASINS, AND FANCY FOOTWEAR AND RUBBER BOOTS, WHITE RUBBERS.
- FOR BABY**  
FANCY RED SLIPPERS, FANCY FOOTWEAR, FANCY MOCCASINS.

This is the Gift Store.

# ..Abernethy's..

## WHIG FOUND HER

### MARION MCLUSKY IS NOW MRS. W. R. ACKLEY.

She Came to Canada Before She Ever Knew She Had a Relative—She Has Been in Canada Over Forty Years.

Mrs. W. R. Ackley, 225 Wellington street, thinks she is the Maria McClusky, whom New York lawyers are seeking as one of heirs of late James Gallett's, Seely's, Palmer's, put up in attractive packages from twenty-five cents up.

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## LETTERS TO EDITOR.

### No Fire Drill at the Collegiate This Year.

Kingston, Dec. 14.—(To the Editor): Is it not very unwise that there has not been one fire drill at the Collegiate this year? And, though the class rooms are crowded, the extra rooms which all, or nearly all, the rooms have, and invariably locked, so rendering them perfectly useless should a panic occur. Certainly all parents and guardians of the boys and girls at the Collegiate should urge the taking up of the fire drill at once, and not wait until some terrible and heart-breaking accident happens.—V.A.R.

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