

**CITY BASEBALL NEWS**

**LOCAL BASEBALL WILL SOON COMMENCE.**

The Bowlers are Awaiting Warmer Weather—W. Bearance Will be One of the Locomotive Works' Baseball Stars.

A business meeting of the executive of the City Baseball League met in the College Inn cigar store, last evening, for the purpose of transacting routine business. It was agreed that the age limit be eighteen years, and that a player must be under nineteen on April 1st. Any junior teams who wish to enter the junior series may secure any information from Secretary Trotter. All applications for entrance to the City League must be in the hands of the secretary on the evening of April 26th, when a meeting will be held to draw up the schedule. Messrs. Thompson and Fitzgerald were appointed to look after the diamond this season.



BERNARD O. TIERNEY, President of the City Baseball League.

Waiting for Weather. A few days ago, Queen's College campus was covered with snow. Yesterday afternoon, students were playing football on the campus. The top baseball leagues opened on Wednesday, and it will not be long

now before the local leagues get into working order.

Just as soon as possible, lawn bowling will be put into full swing, on Queen's campus. The members of the local club are looking forward to the warm weather for this popular sport. Last year, the club had one of the most successful seasons, and this year even greater things are expected. Last year there was talk of the local members taking part in some of the outside tournaments and this will likely be done.

**Practising Baseball.**

The weather is now warm enough for playing baseball, and the cricket field is besieged with boys pursuing the game from morning till night. The older boys are out in the evening practising. Baseball seems to be almost as much favored a sport as hockey. During the past two or three years it has increased by leaps and bounds, in the favor of the people of this city.

**Athletics to Hold Together.**

It is said that the Athletics, who were refused permission to enter the senior City Baseball League, will hold together, even though they have lost their manager, and will challenge other teams to exhibition games. They will have to go some to keep the interest stimulated, as exhibition games cannot be played every week.

**Athletic Meeting To-night.**

It is expected that there will be a large attendance from the various Sunday schools at the meeting of the Amateur Athletic Association, which will be held in the Y.M.C.A. parlors, this evening. There is a large volume of important business to be gone through and it is requested that all representatives be prompt.

**Will be in Line-up.**

In the list of players which the Locomotive Works have entered in the Mercantile Baseball League, and mentioned yesterday, the scribe failed to include "Billy" Bearance. The latter has been doing some strenuous physical training for several months, and his friends expect him to be one of the brightest of diamond stars.

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**IN MARINE CIRCLES**

**OPENING NAVIGATION IS NEAR AT HAND.**

Steamer Wolfe Islander and Tug Frontenac Breaking Ice Around Garden Island—Notes of the Vessels Gathered Around the Harbor.

The opening of navigation is near at hand. In a day, or so, it is expected that all the ice will be out of the harbor.

The steamer Wolfe Islander will be able to come across from the island in a short time. With the tug Frontenac, the veteran ice-breaker was, yesterday afternoon, engaged in breaking ice around Garden Island, and it is stated, made very good progress.

W. J. Douglass, manager of the Thousand Islands Steamboat company, has returned from Duluth, where he has been for a week, looking after the repairs to the steamer Newday, which was recently purchased by the company, and which will be used on the Cape Vincent route. Work is progressing nicely on the vessel, and when completed, it will be looking spic and span, and will be a valuable addition to the fleet of this company.

It was announced, to-day, that a deal had been made whereby the steamer Cardinal and her barge would be taken for the steamer Holcomb. The Holcomb is at present in Davis' dry dock, and will be taken over at once by Capt. Charles Staley.

There is a great deal of open water in the harbor, at Montreal. The ice is moving out very quickly.

Capt. James Dix has left for Sarnia, to join the steamer Ames.

The remainder of the crews of the Garden Island vessels, went over to the island to-day. Some of the vessels of the island fleet expect to get away on Saturday.

Capt. Israel Daoust, of the barge Dumore, has arrived in the city, also Capt. Alexander Hebert, of the barge Melrose. The crew for these two barges have also reached the city.

Capt. Robert Carnegie was able to be out, to-day, after his illness.

The work of inspecting the vessels of the Montreal Transportation company will be commenced in a day or so. Last year, at this time, all the vessels had been inspected, but owing to the late spring, all this work has been delayed.

A large party went over to Garden Island, this morning, with ice boats. The Welland canal is beginning to show activity. The big grain carriers, Iroquois, Neopawa, Rosedale and Empress of Fort William, which have been tied up at Lock 24, at Thorold all winter, are manned with their crews, ready to pull out and start back to Fort William as soon as the canal opens, which will be some time between Saturday and Monday. Other boats are waiting at the upper end of the canal to come through and there will be a big rush for the first few days when the canal opens.

It has been announced that some of the large navigation companies will do away with pursers on their boats this year. It has been found that in a great many cases pursers do not attend to their duties properly. They do not check freight and often leave it to the deck hands to pay out money and get receipts. The heads of the companies thought if the deck hands did nearly all the work, it was simply a waste of money to employ pursers.

Havel Lewers, advertising agent for the Grand Opera House, will be baggageman on the steamer City of Ottawa this year.

Walter Gravelle, who has been attending Queen's this winter, has been appointed purser on the steamer Bickerdike for the coming season.

**Buckley Hats.**

The hats with a genuine guarantee sold only at Campbell Bros., Kingston's exclusive hat and fur store.

**Maple Syrup Sold.**

Maple syrup was sold on the market, Thursday morning, in large quantities. The prevailing prices were \$1 to \$1.10 a gallon. The syrup was of first-class quality, and ready sales were made.

Your bright good morning may lead the other fellow to say the same.

**FEAST OF THE PASSOVER.**

Observed by Local Hebrews Commencing Wednesday Evening.

The feast of the Passover commenced last evening at 6.30 o'clock, and is being observed by all the Hebrew residents of the city. In connection with the observation of this and other feasts a special holy wine is used, which is either imported from Jerusalem or made by the Jews in their homes. The use of this wine has in some places caused friction with the license department of the government, and in Toronto Rabbi S. Jacobs has taken the precaution this year to obtain from the government special permission to use the wine in the religious services, providing it shall not be sold in the city restaurants. The wine is also used in the devotional services in the homes of the Jews on all holidays and Sabbaths.

The feast of the Passover will continue for some seven or eight days, during which time only unleavened bread will be eaten and the passover wine drunk, in commemoration of the flight of Israel from Egypt, and the unleavened bread, baked in the sun, on which they subsisted.

**STILL GOING WESTWARD.**

Railways Handling Large Number Settlers.

The rush to the west is being continued, but, according to the report in railway circles, it is but the beginning to a heavier rush which will take place in the course of a few weeks.

The rush from Kingston will be quite heavy, just after Easter, as a great many students will be returning home.

"We expect very heavy traffic for Easter," one railway official stated to the Whig, yesterday afternoon, when asked about the business. He added that the traffic to the west had been very heavy for the past few weeks.

Of the people going west, the majority are settlers, and are taking along all their effects.

**Making Maple Syrup.**

A number of well-known Kingstonsians have just returned from Glenburnie, where they gave a number of fine demonstrations on the making of maple sugar before some of the stalwarts of that district. The demonstrations were held in George Draper's bush, and among those present were William Blacklock and James Hickey. The Kingstonsians succeeded in pointing out the many strong points in the work, and were able to convince their friends from the country that they were well posted in the business.

**Examination Results.**

Queen's students may have the Whig containing the examination results, mailed to their address anywhere in the United States or Canada, by leaving their order at the Whig office. Rate, 3c. each, including postage anywhere. To make sure of getting a copy you should order now.

**Case Was Withdrawn.**

In the police court, on Thursday morning, the plaintiff in the case of the resident of York street, who was charged with allowing his hen to run at large, withdrew the charge. The case had been adjourned in order to secure further evidence.

**Scott's High Grade Hats**

Are sold in Kingston only at Campbell Bros., the leaders in men's hats.

**Still No Trace.**

In spite of the search which is being made, no trace can be found of William Ryan, the Odessa youth who skipped away from his home a few days ago. It is believed he is working in some other city or town.

**Easter Post Cards.**

Beautiful selection, lowest prices in city. Kingston News Co., opposite Y.M.C.A.

**Maple Syrup Sold.**

On Wednesday, at the residence of the bride's mother, in Westport, Miss Birdie Frayne, second youngest daughter of Mrs. G. F. Reynolds, was united in marriage to Dr. J. Mason Smith, of Beaverton.

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**SCOUT IN THE ICE**

TRYING TO GET UP RIVER TO KINGSTON.

Is Now Below Gananoque—Gananoque Business Men Petition Against Granting of Shop Liquor Licenses.

Gananoque, April 13.—The government supply boat Scout, which has been working her way up towards Kingston, was in sight of Gananoque yesterday afternoon, but could not make the port. She got up to within a short distance of the Jack Straw light, about two and a half miles from the town wharf. She was watched for some time by a large crowd.

The D. F. Jones company is erecting a large warehouse near the town wharf. The work is being pushed as fast as it can be ready for the opening of navigation.

St. John's church started its annual Easter devotional services, yesterday. Rev. J. P. Kehoe and Rev. Father Heintze were assisted by several priests from nearby parishes, including Rev. Father Callimane, of Trevelyan; Rev. Father Traynor, Brewer's Mills; Rev. Father Spratt, Wolfe Island; Rev. Father Halligan, Trenton, and others.

A petition has been circulated and largely signed by the manufacturers, merchants and professional men of the town, requesting the board of license commissioners for this district, not to grant the shop-licenses to Messrs. Hale and McParland, of this town, as the license fee for hotels has been increased from \$350 to \$500 for this year and this will not touch the shop licenses.

Miss Essie De Long held a piano recital for her pupils at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine, Pine street, on Tuesday evening.

George Kidd, accompanied by his wife and family, and a carload of settlers' effects, left, on Tuesday, for the western provinces.

E. Shurtliff Charles, ill for the past month, is able to be around once more. David Wilson, Brock street, is very ill.

Miss Janet Crouch has returned from Toronto, where she had had been in attendance at the normal school. Miss Crouch has made application for a situation on the local staff and has also an offer from Midland. Mrs. Bell, who has been spending the winter here with relatives, has returned to her home in Brockville.

W. E. Rees, Market street, in company with his mother, who has been visiting here for some time past, left, to-day, for the latter's home in Cleveland, Ohio. Miss N. R. Kane, Garden street, left, to-day, to spend the holiday season at Sharbot Lake, the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Joseph C. Cornell. James Bowman, who went west a few weeks ago, with J. Hoggan, has returned to town.

**The Government Test Of ICE CREAM**

The Government Bulletin No. 218, just issued, shows that

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**STOPPED JUST IN TIME.**

Sydenham Stage Horses Started to Run Away.

What might have been a serious accident occurred Wednesday afternoon, just as the Sydenham stage was leaving town. The three horse team had been drawn up in front of George Thompson's bottling works, to get a keg, and the horses were left untied. A lady was the only occupant of the stage and she was sitting inside. The horses became frightened and started off up the street. But for the presence of mind and bravery of a young man who was passing, the runaway might have resulted fatally. The horses had hardly got the heavy stage under way when the young man rushed out in front of the team and grabbed the middle horse by the bridle. Two men from each side of the street grabbed the outside horses and the three succeeded in getting the outfit stopped. The lady was badly frightened.

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**May Swear Out Warrant.**

Merchants who were stung by S. Sims, late of the Bijou theatre, are putting their heads together to devise some means whereby they may bring him back to the city or make him pay those he left in the hole. There is some talk of a fund being raised to pursue him till he is run down. All that is needed is to swear out a warrant for his arrest on a charge of fraud, and the police will get on his track. The police cannot take action until a warrant is sworn out for his arrest. The amounts which he owed in most cases were small, although he owed large bills to two or three men.

**Literary Note.**

Among English novelists of the present day John Galsworthy has taken his place as distinguished for a literary style which preserves the best traditions and an extremely modern view of character and situation. Both in plays and novels he has conspicuously pushed to the front, in "Scrivener's Magazine" May will appear a beautiful one-act play entitled "The Little Dream", though written in prose it is full of poetic qualities.

Plants in bloom. "Purdy."