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The Daily News.

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 30.

HAGGIS HOT.—The great Reform party of Ontario is to have a regular guzzle in the Music Hall, Toronto, on Wednesday, January 8th 1873. Some of our contemporaries are rather amused at the idea of canny Scotchmen thus throwing away their filthy lucre for the mere form of the thing, but the dinner is to have a deeper meaning. Learned disquisitions will be given by Premier Mowat, on the sins and the shortcomings of the old family compact. George Brown is to give the history of the Secularization of the clergy reserves; and the Double Shuffle, as illustrated by recent Cabinet changes in Ontario. Mr McKenzie will give his experience in Cabinet making and speech-making, and a disquisition on the unity of party as deduced from the time of the apostles. Mr Blake will explain how he is to remain a private man, until he can shake off the incubus of Brown and McKenzie, while Messrs. Scott and Crooks will discourse learnedly on the great question "How I became a Grit," with copious reference to the ill deeds of their ancestors political. Ner must we forget to add that several members will explain how they became good Grits on the basis of a railway subsidy, and in no other way. It would be tiresome to enumerate all the orators from Mowat downwards and upwards, but it is certainly a new idea to make the session of a Provincial Parliament open with a dinner. Many of the members we know will need such a stimulant, but the whole thing is in the worst possible taste, and should by no means be allowed to pass without the sharpest censure. If the dinner had taken place last November all would have been well; but instead, the triumph of a party is postponed until the celebration of it will rankle in men's minds during a time when all should be working for the common good. If it were a Parliamentary dinner, irrespective of party, we could well understand its being held on such a night, but for one political party to arrange for a triumphant glorification over their opponents on the eve of the assembly of Parliament, will not fail to cause harsh feelings which would be better allowed to slumber at such a time. We believe the precedent, like too many others on the Grit side, is a bad one, and we hope that no other political party will ever so far forget itself as to celebrate its triumph in the face of the work of a session.

RECONSTRUCTED.—The late lamented A. Ward at one time undertook to reconstruct his better half, the historic Betsy I., but found to his amazement and chagrin that the tables were turned so completely upon him that he was compelled to beat a hasty retreat under the persuasive arguments of the broom-stick plied by the nimble hands of his dearly beloved. The lesson taught had a salutory influence on the great comic, *so he says*, and its moral should not be lost.

The organ of the great Reform party has attempted the same good office for the Dominion Ministry, and assures its readers that the whole concern at Ottawa is *in extremis*. In fact a perusal of its article would lead any unsophisticated person not cognizant of the facts to the inevitable conclusion that the condition of the Cabinet is even worse than the case of the inconsolable Mrs. Gummidge. What do we find. Sir George E. Cartier gone irrevocably, Mr Langevin utterly uncapable of succeeding him, Mr Howe disgusted, Sir Francis Hincks reluctant, and Sir John utterly looking in policy or prestige. Such is the lamentable condition of our Dominion affairs, and all because they will not yield to the inevitable and take the advice of the organ and retire into merited obscurity. It really seems as if everything were going to the dogs, and that no help can be given to anybody by anybody.

Now we have been watching the course of events pretty closely, and we must say our sight has not yet been blessed with a view of so much terror and confusion in ministerial circles. True, we have heard periodically that this that and the other Minister was going out, but somehow he never goes. Mr Howe was to have been made a Lieut.-Governor of Nova Scotia long ago. Mr Hincks was to retire from the cares of office and become a president of the Metropolitan Bank, which he did not do. Mr Langevin was to have assumed the leadership of the French Canadians which he did not because his leader was yet able to discharge his functions. We might go on for some time in this way, but it is useless to specify. The followers of the organ must be kept in tune, and the inimitable Bob Acres must keep whistling to keep their courage up lest like ancient Pistol it ooze from their finger ends.

But the most astonishing fact of all is disclosed to to their admiring gaze in the latest move of the kaleidscope. It appears the Premier's right hand has lost its cunning, and that he is now a hopeless wreck. He is physically, morally, intellectually and politically done Brown, and the only thing left for him is to shuffle off the political coil, and end his days in recuperating himself. Such is the pleasing picture drawn of a man who more than any other has had to meet and face difficulties which would have used up any other public man in the Dominion. See what the organ says of him, and then judge, ye unprejudiced, if he is not a fit subject for an asylum for the incurable.

But John A. has to do something. He must "make an effort," as Mrs. Chick would say. It is, we all know, a terrible thing to the Premier to have to rouse himself. He was always an idle man, given to procrastination, nor was he ever, in the face of an emergency, a brave one. How he may tide over or shuffle out of a difficulty has been his great object of study; not how he might fairly meet and overcome it. And if he had ever possessed moral strength of purpose it is gone now. Reconstruction in face of a crisis demands *prestige*, courage and a policy. John A. has lost prestige; he never possessed courage; and no one ever yet discovered that his many expedients concealed what was worthy to be called a policy. If he looks for support without the prestige of success and power, people may well ask why they should join *him?* If he lacks courage himself, how is he to inspire others with the heart to run the risk of keeping him company? If he has no policy, but is all at sea as to the future, anyone with a rag of political reputation left would ask whereunto such an alliance was leading them.

That is the pleasing picture drawn, and if the shades are somewhat dark, it is only because the bitter hatred which painted them is glad when it can hold up such a nauseous caricature, and cry aloud to every follower, "that is the man whom the Tories delight to honour."

But it will avail little. Sir John A. Macdonald is not yet so bad as the maligners would wish, and if it be any consolation for them to know it, they will find that he has yet courage to plan, influence to direct, and justice enough to ensure the confidence of the new legislature. He will meet the House with an undivided ministry, and with a policy which will command the votes of a good working majority, and the future as the past will show that the efforts of polititical quacks will result only in their own utter confusion and defeat.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.—We were greatly amused a few days since on reading the utterances of the organ of the Reform Association. It will be remembered that immediately after the election for the House of Commons last July a branch of the Reform Association was established in Rideau Ward, which has had regular and frequent meetings since; the avowed object being to defeat the aldermen for that ward, and especially Mr McIntyre who had taken an active part in the election of the Premier. This was long previous to the *Mail* saying anything on the subject of politics at the Municipal elections. Now the organ finds that "the utter want of influence of Sir John's special organ was never better shown than by the failure to introduce party politics into municipal elections," and we are told that "the cry has met with little or no response"—We quite agree with our contemporary that the efforts of the *Whig* and the Kingston Reform Association to introduce politics into the municipal elections has met with little or no response. We have given the facts connected with Rideau Ward—facts patent to every one, as they were published in the Grit organ at that time, and we might go over nearly every other Ward in the same way. We might mention how a "ward politician" was endeavouring to manipulate a Grit candidate for Cataraqui Ward. We might also state that one of the Alderman mentioned to us a few evenings since, that he had been asked to run on the Grit ticket for our own ward, (he did not say by whom, but we can really understand it to be one of the emissaries of the local Reform Association,) and so on, showing clearly that the onus of introducing politics into municipal elections so far at least as Kingston is concerned, must be borne by the local Reform Association and the Grits. Knowing all these things one cannot refrain from smiling, to read that "the attempt of the Tories to manage the elections in the interest of their party have fallen still born" when the above facts are taken into consideration, and also another well known circumstance that the conservatives have at the present time no organization of any description in the city the hardihood of the assertion is somewhat extraordinary even for the *Whig*. Further, when the elections are concluded, we fancy we shall have little difficulty in shewing, that the friends of Sir John Macdonald without any organization have carried all before them. Out of the six Aldermen already elected by acclamation, five are supporters of Sir John, while each of the five wards in which there are contests will return at least two supporters of Sir John to one oppositionist, and may even do better. Thus when the elections are over there will be at least 15 Aldermen of Sir John's supporters to six of his opponents, a matter which may well be regarded with feelings of pride by the Premier and the Conservative party. Favourable as this looks, however, we know well that if the Conservatives carried politics into the municipal elections in Kingston they could sweep the decks. The Grits are blustering already in the expectation of gaining one of the three seats in Rideau Ward, but every one knows that if the Conservatives in that ward were as united as they ought to be, Mr Robinson's chances would even be less than they are. Mr Briggs, very proper ideas as to the duties of alderman and electors may be a source of weakness to him in some quarters, yet we can hardly think that the electors would wish to exchange a man of his position, respectability and usefulness for a man like Mr Robinson, who would not have a ghost of a chance in any other ward in the city, and who has no claim upon the electors of Rideau Ward. As to the other Grit candidates in that ward it is scarcely worth while noticing them. Mr Laws want of qualification should prevent him receiving a single vote. It is said he wanted to retire, but "the man who gets his back up" would not permit him, but what good it will do him to stand is somewhat difficult to percieve, the electors will not wish to throw away their votes on a man who has not the slightest chance of being elected, and who would very speedily be turned out if he did. As to Mr Carson he is a very respectable young man, who has unfortunately for himself got into bad company, his chances of being permitted to remain at home to look after his pigeons and poultry are excellent, and we hope to hear of him taking a good many prizes at the next exhibition to compensate him for the certain defeat which awaits him next week. The organ represents Mr Robinson as a much abused individual last year. One of the most serious charges made against him was in connection with the appointment of Mr Peter O'Reilly as Clerk of the County Court and the stories told by Mr Robinson to Mr Mudie and Mr Isaac H. Price which we have never yet heard contradicted. Probably the electors have forgotten that circumstance, if so, so much the better for him.

Rev. J. K. McMorine, of Almonte, received a liberal Christmas present from his congregation at Almonte and Clayton. Mr McMorine is very much respected by the members of the church at Almonte and all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance.

LADIES READ THIS.—140 different styles of dress goods at a reduction of 25 per cent—F. X. Cousineau & Co.

A sermon will be preached in St. Paul's Church next Sunday evening by the Rev. Mr Mulock specially adapted to young men.

The *Canada Gazette* announces that the enrolment of the Militia for 1873 in nine military districts including Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick will take place on Monday, the 20th of January next. In consequence of the organization in Manitoba and British Columbia being incomplete, the enrolment of the Militia in those provinces will not be taken until further orders.

KINGSTON LODGE, No. 59, I.O.O.F.—At a regular communication of Kingston Lodge, No. 59, I.O.O.F., held on Friday evening in the Odd Fellow's Hall, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term, viz.:—Bro. W. D. Gordon, N.G., Bro. George Lee, V.G., Bro. J. B. McIver, Secretary, Bro. G. W. Andrews, Treasurer. The officers will be installed next Friday evening by Bro. Dr Fowler, D.D.G.M.

ALBION LODGE, HARROWSMITH.—On St. John's Day the installation of officers of Albion Lodge, Harrowsmith, took place at high noon. Bro. N. F. Dupuis, the immediate past master, performed the ceremony of installation. The following are the new officers:

Alfred Knight, W.M.
Joseph Purdy, S.W.
Joseph Watson, J.W.
Edwin Shibley, Treas.
James Cooke, Sec.
Richard Parker, Tyler.

Dr. McCammon is out as School Trustee for Rideau Ward. The Doctor will make a valuable addition to the Board of School Trustees.

MASONIC BALL.—A Masonic ball, to come off in the latter end of next month, is spoken of in Masonic circles. It is intended to be got up on a grand scale.

WHAT NEXT?—Sir John Macdonald gets the credit of taking from the *Globe* all its shorthand reporters just at the commencement of the session in the Local House, the last having been sent to Lindsay to start a paper in the interest of the Dominion Government.

PROMOTED.—We are pleased to learn that Col. French, Inspector of the Artillery of the Dominion, has received his Captaincy in the Royal Artillery. Col. French is a very meritorious and efficient officer, and his promotion will be welcome news to his numerous friends in this city and elsewhere.

We regret to hear of the death of Miss Shaw, eldest daughter of John Shaw, Esq., which took place at her father's residence, Rideau street, this morning. Miss Shaw had been ailing for a length of time of consumption, so that her death, sudden as it occurred at the last, was not altogether unexpected. When in good health Miss Shaw, as a member of the W. M. Church, was untiring in her efforts to promote the well-being of all with whom she came in contact either in the class, the school, or the church. She was a faithful and devoted servant of Christ, who has now entered into rest, lamented by a large circle of friends and acquaintances, who, however do not mourn as those who have no hope.

READING.—The next musical and literary entertainment will be given in the city hall on Friday evening in aid of the St. Paul's Church Sunday School. The programme is published and appears to be one of great merit. The lady singers are Miss Henderson, Miss Hardy, Miss Bates, Mrs Grylls, and the Misses Christie. The gentlemen include the Tandy Bros., Mr Walkem, Mr Harry Tandy and Mr Keeley. The readers are Mr McIntyre and Mr Macdonnell, In addition, Mr Joseph Sutherland, who has just arrived from New York, has kindly consented to play a piano solo. We hope to see a crowded house on the occasion.

The Governors of the Kingston General Hospital gratefully acknowledge the receipt of $100 from Messrs Calvin and Breck, being amount of their annual gift to the charity.

A TRUE STATEMENT.—5,000 yards Wincey reduced from 15 to 10 cts. at F. X. Cousineau & Cos.

REMINDERS.

Public School Accounts not to be presented later than tomorrow.

Concert in St Georges Hall tomorrow evening.

Interim Sessions.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR JUDGE BURROWES.

Monday morning, Dec. 29.

The time of the court was occupied to-day by an interesting case of larceny, the Queen against Miss Mary G. Brown. The prisoner was accused of stealing $37 on Christmas Day, the property of Professor T. H. Smith. The fair prisoner is a young lady of prepossessing appearance, attractive in manner and of varied accomplishments. She is a teacher of music, French dancing, and upholds the dignity of *belles lettres* generally. The evidence against her was that of Mrs Smith, who testified to having counted the money on Christmas afternoon, and deposited it in a trunk in her residence where the accused has been boarding some time. The next morning $37 were missed, and Detective McCauley placed in the track of the prisoner, against whom certain suspicious circumstances pointed, Mrs Smith, Detective McCauley and Mr Thompson, accountant of the Merchant's Bank testified to certain confessions made by the accused, but those having been made under inducements held out by the prosecutor, were rejected by the learned Judge as inadmissible. There being no legal evidence, the fair accused was acquitted; bowing gracefully she retired from the court room. Mr A. S. Kirkpatrick, County Attorney for the Crown; Mr John McIntyre defended the accused.

Farewell to Fred.

Captain Swales, the genial and generous host of the old British American Hotel, invited a large number of the gentlemen of the city to meet at his hostelry to "pick a bone" and say adieu to his brother "Fred," who is about entering into partnership in another line of business after travelling a short time in the sunny South. About sixty gentlemen accepted the Captain's invitation, and on Saturday evening presented themselves in force to do honour to Mr Frederick Swales, who by his extreme courtesy, kindness and attention, has won golden opinions from every one, having the good fortune to be acquainted with him or doing business at the hotel. A slight damper was thrown on the party at the outset by the illness of Captain Swales, who had taken a severe cold and was unable to be present. However, he sent a note, delegating his position and authority to His Worship the Mayor S. T. Drennan, Esq., and it will ready be be, lieved that in His Worship's hands he was worthily represented. The supper was laid out on a single table running the entire length of the dining hall, and comprised every delicacy of the season, brought together regardless of expense, and the wines being of the choicest vintage. The Mayor occupied the chair, and Mr Frederick Swales the vice-chair. It is unnecessary to say that substantial justice was done to the good things so lavishly provided, and that there was excellent work performed upon the occasion, does not admit of a doubt. After the usual loyal toasts had been honoured the health of Captain and Mrs Swales was proposed and toasted with great enthusiasm, the Mayor responding, after which Mr Frederick Swales' good health was drunk with great cordiality and every demonstration of rejoicing. Mr Swales, with much feeling, thanked the company for the hearty manner in which they had drank his health and accorded him their best wishes for his prosperity. The position he had occupied with his brother in the hotel was one of much difficulty and trouble, and that he had secured the approbation of so large and influential a body of gentlemen as those he saw present was something to be proud of, and evinced unmistakably that his efforts to do his duty had not been altogether unsuccessful. As they were aware he was about to make a change in his mode of life, and take some fresh responsibilities upon him, and as he expected to be absent from the city for a short time, he trusted on his return that he would find them all looking as well as they did upon the present occasion (great applause.) The toast of the Mayor and Corporation, proposed by Mr Swales, followed, and gave an opportunity for several of the Aldermen to air their views on things municipal and otherwise, as the Mayor kindly made way for them; Alderman Harty, Alderman Sullivan, Alderman Allen, and the "next" Alderman McIntyre, all responded in suitable terms to the toast: "Our wives and sweethearts" drew out the younger gentlemen upon the subject of their position, which was admitted on all hands to be somewhat dreary, now at the end of a leap year and "nary" an offer. Mr Pense gallantly admitted he liked the ladies all so well that he was unable to single out one from the rest. Mr James Johnston endeavoured to extract consolation from the fact that matters were no worse. Mr Swales confessed that he was going to "cut and run," and Mr Macfie was disposed to be satisfied with his lot, and so on. "The Press" was kindly remembered and duly honoured, Mr Shannon responding for the NEWS and Mr Pense for the *Whig*. The health of the Mayor was proposed by Colonel Phillips in glowing terms and enthusiastically honoured by the company. As it was approaching 12 o'clock, the Mayor gave the last toast "happy to meet, sorry to part, and happy to meet again," and the party separated after singing "Auld lang syne." Mr Robb, Mr Greenfield, and Mr Wm. Murray contributed several songs to the evening's entertainment. As we have remarked the supper was in every way worthy of the fame of the best days of the British American Hotel, and the attendance was of course excellent. Every one appeared to enjoy himself to the utmost, and to have left at home for the time being everything likely to retard or interfere with the pleasure and gaiety of the evening.

It is at present doubtful whether C. J. Brydges intends leaving the G.T.R., but the "oldest inhabitant" positively affirms that this is going to be the coldest winter on record and that at the present, reduced prices. F. X. Cousineau & Co., are selling the cheapest dry goods in the Dominion.

MATRIMONIAL.—In another column will be found the marriage of Archibald McFall, Esq., well known to many of our readers as the keeper of one of the best hotels in the North of Ireland. Mr McFall is very popular, and an esteemed correspondent informs us that on the night of the marriage a splendid ball was given in his honour, tar barrels were burned, and every sign of general rejoicing indulged in. The bride and groom were the recipients of numerous valuable presents from their friends. As an old acquaintance of both, the bride especially, we from our western home heartily tender them our warmest congratulations and kindest wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

Presentation Supper and Ball.

It is our privilage to again record one o those social entertainment which have so frequently occured in Kingston of late. The one we now speak of should probably be classed among the public gatherings, as the number who participated therein would guarantee. The affair took place at the Boot and Shoe Manufactory of Geo. Offerd & Co., which was handsomely decorated for the occasion. The sewing girls connected with the establishment invited the mechanics and other male members in the employ of the firm to witness the presentation to their forewoman, Miss. F. Duggan, of a beautiful work-box, accompanied by a short but very expressive address, which explains itself:

Dear Madame,—We the undersigned girls employed in this factory, feeling desirous of showing the respect and kindly feeling entertained by us for you, our zealous and amiable forewoman wish to present you, as some slight evidence of the same, with this work-box which although of no great value in itself, may serve in the future as a reminiscence of the very many happy days we have spent together, and also of the kindly feeling existing between us.

(Signed by All).

Mr James Gallaway, Jun., responded for Miss Duggan. Mr W. Parsons, the foreman was also presented by the same parties with a handsome gold pen, to which Mr Parsons made a suitable reply. But the most interesting part of the programme is yet to come. The whole company consisting of about seventy couples, were then generously invited by Mr George Offerd to the upper flat of the building where they were entertained to a magnificent oyster supper prepared by Mr Swanston, who did credit to himself and the event by the excellence of the repast. After supper the tables were cleared away, and those not wishing to remain having departed, dancing commenced and continued until 3 o'clock in the morning when all quietly dispersed. This is a step in the right direction, and we are right to note instances of this kind, elieving that it tends to a mutual sympathy of feeling, between employer and employees. Messrs. Geo. Offerd and Co's., factory is now an established and flourishing Institution. A difficulty was experienced in procuring a sufficient supply of skilled mechanics, still the quality and quantity of goods manufactured favourably compares with any in the Dominion. The machinery in use in the factory is of the most improved pattern.

EXCISION OF ELBOW JOINT.—A highly respectable young woman from the County of Renfrew was brought to this city by our old friend Dr. Chanonhouse, of Eganville, on Saturday. Her arm was perfectly useless from the effects of a long standing dislocation of the elbow joint. Dr. Chanonhouse had examined her case, and proposed to herself and friends an operation as the only means of restoring motion, but preferring the skilful assistance of Dr. Horatio Yates, therefore, brought her to this city. Dr. Yates, with his usual kindness, admitted her into the Hospital, and as Dr. Chanonhouse was obliged to leave for home by this morning's train, the operation was performed yesterday (Sunday) by Dr. Horatio Yates, assisted by Drs. Chanonhouse, Fowler, O. Yates, Dupuis and Saunders, in prepresence of a large number of students, an incision being made down on the joint, the ends of the bones exposed and sawn away, so that motion could be obtained, and the parts adjusted for the formation of an new joint. The operation was neatly performed, and the probability is that the girl will recover with a useful limb. The above case was an interesting one to all who were present. We believe there are now several bad cases in the hospital from the County of Renfrew, and it would be very praiseworthy for the County Council to grant an annual sum in aid of the hospital, as the governors find it very difficult to provide for the numerous patients seeking admission since the withdrawal of the Government grant.

TEA-MEETING AT MURVALE.—The anniversary tea-meeting in the W. M. Church, Murvale, was held on Christmas evening. Notwithstanding the severity of the weather the church was filled with a highly respectable audience. Although they had to regret the absence of the expected Chairman, Dr. Lavell of Kingston. G. A. Kirkpatrick, M. P., and others, as speakers, the evening passed away very pleasantly and profitably. After partaking of the good things provided, Sidney Warner, Esq., Wilton, was called upon to preside ever the meeting. The audience was then addressed by Rev. Worden, E. S. Rupert, J. C. Ash, and H. McKim. Choice music was discoursed by the choir. Financially the meeting was also a success, $208 being the sum realized. The following resolution was then put and unanimously adopted, "That while this audience sincerely regret the absence of Dr. Lavell and G. A. Kirkpatrick, M.P., that a fine of $10 be imposed on each for non-attendance, to be collected without cost." Persons were then authorized to wait upon the above named gentlemen and receive the same.

239 Wincey skirts—47½ each—F. X. Cousineau & Co.

L.O.L., No. 451.—At the monthly meeting of L.O.L., No. 451, held in the Orange Hall, Harrowsmith, in December, the following brethren were chosen as officers for the ensuing year:

Bro. John Patterson, W.M., re-elected.
" James Jemison, D.M.
" George Matthews, Sec., re-elected.
" John Cowdy, Treasurer, "
" William A. Deeks, Chaplain.
" John Irish, D. of C.
" Barnabas Wood, Tyier.

Committee—Bros. James Bradford, James Hart, Robert Freeman, John Hughes, Joseph Smith.

The grand assembly to-morrow evening at the City Hall promises to be one of the events of the season. The Garrison Artillery Quadrille Band, under Mr Rackett, will furnish the music, and the refreshments will be provided by Mr Swanston, who is an excellent caterer. Mr Wm. Perry will be the director of ceremonies, so that all who go may be sure of having a good time.

Dr. Maclean of Ann Harbour Michigan is in town for the holidays, we are glad to see him looking so well.

MARRIED.

On Christmas Day, 1872, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Geo. Lees B.A., Mr John Reyner, eldest son of Mr Joseph Reyner, of Kingston, to Sarah Jane eldest daughter of Mr John Graham, of Portsmouth.

At St. John the Evangelist Church, Montreal, on St. Stephen's Day, Dec. 26th, by the Rev. E. Wood, M.A., by the Rev. Augustus Prime, to H. L., daughter of the late J. M. Haskell, Esq., of Liverpool, England.

On the 20th November, at St. Swithin's Church, Magherafelt, County Londonderry, Ireland, by the Rev. James Hogan, Assisted by the Rev. James Hogan, jr., and the Rev. H. Colthurst, Archibald McFall, Esq., to Isabella widow of the late Alexander Morrison, Esq., eldest daughter of Thomas Milling, Esq., of Maghera.

DIED.

In this city on the morning of the 30th inst., Caroline M. eldest daughter of John Shaw Esquire.

The funeral will leave her fathers residence Rideau street on Wednesday January 1, 1873 at 10 a.m., proceeding to the Sydenham street W. M. Church and from thence to the place of interment. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

NEW YEAR'S GIFTS

JUST RECEIVED THIS DAY, Per Express:

Electro Plated.

Biscuit Boxes.

Cruet Stands.

Cake Baskets.

Card Receivers.

Also Pure Nickel Silver, and Nickel Silver Plated.

SPOONS AND FORKS

"Warranted durable as Silver throughout and cleans in the same way resists acids and improves by using.

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RIDEAU STREET, Ottawa.

December 27.

Post Office Notice.

WEDNESDAY next (New Year's Day). this Office will be open only from 7.30 A.M. until 10 A.M.

The usual Daily Mails will be closed at 8.30 A.M.

The Night Mails will be closed as usual at 9 P.M.

R. DEACON.

Post Office, Kingston; Dec. 30, 1872.

THOUGH LAST NOT LEAST

ABOUT noon on Saturday a gentleman might be seen alighting from a well-appointed rig at

MORRISON'S;

His well-set dark eyes looked anxiously and inquiringly around as he entered Morrison's well stocked Store, and he spoke thus:—"Mr Morrison, I believe you keep the best Goods in your line in this city." "Korrect," says Merrison, "Have you got Patent Flour," says he. "I used to have," says Morrison, and Morrison went on telling about some of the fine things in stock, viz:—

One Case Patent Self-Raising Flour.

300 lbs. Scotch Brose Meal.

50 Sugar-Cured Hams.

M. MORRISON,

46 PRINCESS STREET,

Kingston, Dec. 30th, 1872.

BUFFALO ROBES

THE Sales of Buffalo Robes will be continued on TUESDAY (To-morrow) Dec. 31st; also on Thursday and Saturday, and by private sale, until all are disposed of.

Sale at ten o'clock.

WM. MURRAY, Auctioneer.

Kingston, Dec. 20, 1872.

Keys Lost.

LOST on Saturday a BUNCH OF KEYS. The finder will be rewarded by returning them to the DAILY NEWS Office.

The Annual Meeting of the County of Frontenac Agricultural Society.

FOR the election of officers and the transaction of general business, will be held at the office of the undersigned, on Wednesday, the 15th January, 1873, at 2 o'clock P.M.

ISAAC SIMPSON, Secretary and Treasurer.

P. S.—All members and others are respectfully invited to attend.

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS hereby given, that a Meeting of the BOARD OF AUDIT for the County of Frontenac will be held at the Court House, in the city of Kingston, on

Friday, the 3rd of January instant, at 10 o'clock a.m.

For the purpose of auditing accounts and demands preferred against said county.

By order.

ALEX. S. KIRKPATRICK, Clerk of the Peace, County of Frontenac.

Kingston, Dec. 30th, 1872.

EXPECTED THIS DAY

—AT—

E. STACEY'S

Cheap Book Store,

The superb Double Part of

The Young Ladies Journal,

Forming the Xmas Part of 1872 and the New Year's Part of 1873.

Also the Grand Xmas Number of

BOW BELLS.

An immense assortment of

Sunday School Books,

Sunday School Libraries and Rewards,

At a Great Reduction.

The Balance of Work Boxes,

Writing Desks,

Stationery Cases,

Albums,

and Fancy Goods,

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AT E. STACEY'S,

Stationer's Hall,

KING STREET.

Dec. 30th, 1872.

Opposition the Life of Trade.

AT this joyous time of Christmas I avail myself of the opportunity to return thanks to the public, and particularly to my customers, who have kindly favoured me with their patronage again on my resumption of business, after being burnt out last summer. I trust, as heretofore, by attention to the wants of my numerous customers and the public, to continue to merit a share of their patronage. I have added the manufacturing of Biscuits of all kinds to my former business of Bread Baking. I understand the business; I engage good workmen; I use none but the best brands of Flour and other requisite material; I sell at a living profit; and from the large and increasing trade I am doing, I can safely conclude that it is healthy to keep down monopoly, that opposition is the life of trade, and that the public are well pleased with CARNOVSKY'S BISCUIT AND BREAD.

☞ Wedding Cakes made at the shortest notice, and Choice Pastry for Tea Parties can be supplied at the lowest rates. Be sure and call before purchasing elsewhere.

R. CARNOVSKY, Williamsville Bakery.

Dec. 30.

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C. L. BOSSE, Montreal.

Dec. 30.

The Maple Leaf Quadrille Club

WILL HOLD A

GRAND SOCIAL ASSEMBLY

ON

TUESDAY EVENING (New Year's Eve), December 31st, 1872,

AT THE CITY HALL.

THE splendid Quadrille Band of the Garrison Battery, under the leadership of Mr Rackett, will furnish the Music.

The Committee will endeavour to make this Assembly the best of the season.

Tickets 50 cents a couple, to be had from the Committee.

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Dec. 30.

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EXCELSIOR TAP, for drawing Champagne and other Liquors from the bottle without drawing the cork.

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