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MASONIC.

The next Regular Monthly Meetings of the City Lodges will be held in Masonic Hall, King-street as follows:

Minden, No. 255, on MONDAY, Jan. 2, at 7:30 p.m.
Ancient St. John's, No. 2, on THURSDAY, Jan. 6, at 7:30 p.m.
Cataraqui, No. 92, on WEDNESDAY, Jan. 12, at 7:30 p.m.

The Regular Meetings of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry are held in their hall, corner of Brock and Wellington street, as follows: Kingston Lodge of Perfection third Thursday, and Rose of Sharon, Sov. Chap Rose Croix first Wednesday in each month

ROYAL ARCANUM.

THE Regular Meetings of the St. Lawrence Council Royal Arcanum, are held on the first and third Mondays in every month, at 8 p.m., in the Cataraqui O. F. Hall Princess street. Dec, 1

REMINDERS.

MONDAY.

Meeting of Minden lodge.
Meeting of Royal Arcanum.
Wilson Day's theatre company at opera house.

TUESDAY.

Meeting of board of trade.
Wilson Day's theatre company at opera house.

Weather Observations.

January 3.

At sea level.	Barometer.	Temper-ature.	Wind. Velocity.	Weather.
3:00 p.m.	30.037	+3.5	6	Fair.
10:00 p.m.	30.213	-11.2	4	Clear.
7:00 a.m.	30.483	-19.6	3	Clear.

Lowest temperature registered this winter.

The sign before the degrees of temperature denotes below zero.

A. P. KNIGHT, M.D., Observer.

The probabilities for the next twenty-four hours are: Southwest and west winds, partly cloudy or cloudy weather, with high and local snow falls; slowly rising temperature.

Kingston Daily News.

For those who Indulge.

Old Irish whiskey, Scotch whiskey, Canadian whiskey, 5 year old rye, fine ginger wine, old port and sherry wine. Jas. Crawford.

Badly Frozen.

The Bath stage driver had his hands and face badly frozen on his way to the city this morning. He states that the temperature in Bath was 30° below zero.

The Best in Ontario.

A subscriber living in the county of Simcoe, in renewing his subscription to the CHRONICLE AND NEWS writes: "I consider the CHRONICLE in its present shape to be the best paper published in Ontario, and wish you a happy and prosperous new year."

Broke Her Leg.

Mrs. Dandy, mother of Captain Dandy, while going to her home, at the G. T. R. outer station, on Friday last, slipped and fell, breaking one of her legs in two places. The fractures are just above the ankle. Dr. T. M. Fenwick says it will be some time before Mrs. Dandy will be around again.

The Roller Rink.

The attendance at the roller rink on New Year's day was large, and those present seemed to enjoy themselves. In the evening the band of "A" battery was in attendance, and, under the leadership of Trumpet-Major Carey, discoursed sweet music. The band will be present on Tuesday and Saturday evenings of each week.

The Customs Returns.

Import duties received during December, $12,530 70; value of goods imported, $57,575; value of goods exported $32,399. Duties received for the quarter ending 31st December, $36,264 31, an increase over the corresponding period in 1885 of $2,495.73. The duties received during December exceeded those of the same month in 1885 by $3,172 87.

St. James' Church.

On New Year's eve divine service was held at St. James' church. The service was read by the Rev. Mr. McMorine after which the Rev. B. B. Smith delivered a solemn address on the duties and responsibilities of the past year. Owing to the inclemency of the weather, the Rev. Mr. Jones of Barriefield, was prevented from being present. A collection was taken up on behalf of the Shingwauk home.

Entertained Their Friends.

The officers of "A" battery, as heretofore, entertained their friends at dinner in the barracks on New Year's eve, when a large number partook of their hospitality and spent a very pleasant evening. The old year expired while the guests were at the table, and when a cannon at the fort boomed forth announcing that it was 1887 those present arose, sang "Auld lang syne," exchanged greetings and then departed.

An Oyster Supper.

On New Year's eve Mr. W. C. Martin, owner of the opera house, treated his employees to an oyster supper in Mrs. Elmer's restaurant. The spread was got up in good style and a pleasant time was spent. Songs were given by Thomas Maxwell, D. Brannigan, W. Norris and others, while Mr. Martin made a stirring and eloquent speech, wishing those present a happy new year. Mr. Martin's oratorical power surprised those who heard him.

He Drew a Rooster.

One of Whiting's most prominent supporters in the recent election attended the Baptist church on Thursday evening last and drew a large rooster from the Christmas tree. Around the rooster's neck was tied a piece of blue ribbon on which was neatly printed "What's the matter with Metcalfe." He is very anxious to know the perpetrator of the joke in order that he may return the compliment.

A Ruffian at Large.

On Saturday evening about eight o'clock a gentleman entered a house on Barrie street for a few seconds leaving his wife at the door. When he returned he found her in a fainting condition, a drunken soldier having come along and seized hold of her. The fellow went on down the street and entered a second hand shop, where his name was learned by the husband, who said he would see that the ruffian was punished.

Diphtheria in Sydenham.

It is with regret that the sudden death of Willie Mace, only son of W. T. Mace, of Tamworth, by that fell disease diphtheria is chronicled. He was a bright, intelligent boy of fourteen summers and was taken ill while spending his Christmas holidays with his grandmother. The sad event has cast a gloom over the entire village as he was a general favorite with both old and young. Friends extend sympathies to his parents in their sad bereavement.

Watch Night Service.

Watch night service was held in the First methodist church on New Year's eve. The attendance was large. The choir was present and rendered several anthems suitable for the occasion. Addresses were made by the Rev. J. W. Sparling, pastor of the church, and Dr. Hooper of the baptist church. Both spoke of the solemnness of the hour. While the old year was passing away, and the new year coming in, the interval was spent in silent prayer, after which Mr. Sparling asked for a blessing on those present, and hoped that the new year would be a happy one to all.

The World has no Better

Than our old port wine, fine sherry wine, Birnord's ginger wine, raspberry, strawberry syrup, raspberry vinegar, Labatt's London ale. Jas. Crawford.

GOSSIP OF THE STREET.

WHAT OUR REPORTERS FIND TO KEEP THEM BUSY.

Assemblies on New Year's Eve—To Enter the Central New York League—Drowned at Mattawa, etc.

The R.M.C. opens to-morrow.

The public schools will re-open on Friday.

The court of revision meets on Wednesday next.

Lady voters drove to the polls to-day in large numbers.

The stage is running between Cape Vincent and the city.

James Moore, a drunk, was dismissed at the court this morning.

The band of "A" battery played out the old year on Friday night.

Discount off all dress goods over 20 cts. per yard, at Hardy's.

Hosiery and gloves, very cheap, at R. McFaul's.

On New Years' day Mr. T. Doolan entertained a large number of friends.

Wm. McIntyre, of Bromley, aged 19 years, was killed last week by a falling tree.

Prof. Lalonde, the ventriloquist, gave an exhibition in the barracks on Friday night.

The public schools of Watertown, N Y., cost the city the sum of $26,000 for the year 1886.

Commencing to-morrow the K. & P. express will leave at 9 p.m. instead of 8 p.m., as heretofore.

Liberal discount off cloakings, at Hardy's.

There was very little "calling" indulged in on New Year's day. The custom seems to be losing ground.

At the residence of Mr. M. Doran, King street, the thermometer registered 28° below zero this morning.

Kirkpatrick's is the only place in the city where you can buy a good comfortable baby sleigh for $2.

The curling match between the president and secretary of the club did not take place on Saturday as expected.

The 14th P. W. O. R. band as is their usual custom, serenaded many prominent citizens on New Year's morning.

Watertown baseballists are determined to have a winning club next season. They will enter the central New York league.

The thermometer at the residence of Joseph Baker, Cataraqui, registered 31 degrees below zero at five o'clock this morning.

Very few votes were polled in St. Lawrence ward to-day. The aldermen having been elected by acclamation was the cause.

The staff sergeants and sergeants of "A" battery gave an assembly to their friends on Friday evening. An enjoyable time was spent.

Daniel Quinlivan was picked up dead drunk on the street this morning by a constable. He was very nearly frozen to death when discovered.

They have just received a fine assortment of Xmas novelties at the City drug store. Don't neglect to call and examine their stock before purchasing. H. H. Curtis & Co.

Ten per cent. discount off wool goods at Hardy's.

Cloakings, dress goods and wool underwear at reduced prices, at R. McFaul's.

The man Pringle, at Davis' corners, who was stabbed by his wife with a pair of scissors, is slowly improving and the indications are now favorable for his final recovery.

Discount off tweeds and underwear at Hardy's.

Grit papers are the authority for the statement that dominion elections will take place about the last week in January.

Yesterday was what is known as covenant Sunday in the methodist church, and an appropriate service was held in the First methodist church.

The business college evening classes will re-open Thursday 6th inst., at 7 p.m. Subjects taught, book-keeping, writing, arithmetic, shorthand and telegraphy.

Malaga grapes 15c. lb., oranges 25c. per dozen, lemons 25c. per dozen, table apples, wall nuts, almonds, table raisins, dates, figs, etc., at James Crawford's.

The assembly of the true blues in the city hall on Friday evening was well attended. Prof. Byrnes' orchestra furnished the music, and Mr. Thos. Elmer was the director of ceremonies.

Cottons, shirtings and sheetings at mill prices, at R. McFaul's.

Gold spectacles, opera glasses, odor cases in plush, leather and wood. Presents for gentlemen—a nice range of shaving cases, dressing cases, cigar cases, etc. Oil water color paints in boxes at prices never before heard of in Kingston, at Wilson's Pharmacy.

All wool blankets and comforters at wholesale prices, at R. McFaul's.

A young Englishman named Wm. Heeney, lately out from the old country, got the worse of liquor at Mattawa last week, and walking out on the ice was drowned before a rescuing party could reach him.

The best quality of pea coal, $4.50 per ton; grate and egg, $5.75 per ton; number four and stove, $6 per ton. Best quality of smith's coal always on hand at Swift's; no humbugging.

See the fast color unshrinkable dress goods, 15c., at Hardy's.

The congregation of St. Magdalen's church at Napanee has guaranteed a liberal salary for a curate to Archdeacon Jones, and now a committee is in communication with a gentleman in the east with a view to securing him for the position.

The women's Christian temperance union will hold a devotional meeting in connection with the week of prayer on Tuesday (to-morrow) afternoon at three o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. rooms, Clarence street. All ladies are cordially invited to attend. A. McRossie, corresponding secretary.

The death of Angus Heath, of Cornwall, which occurred on Sunday week, following as it did the death of his wife, who died only the Tuesday before, after an illness of three days, is sad in the extreme, as it leaves three orphan children, aged twelve, nine and four years.

The City drug store is the right place to buy your Xmas cards. They are actually giving away a bottle of Mamis' celebrated triple extract perfume with every 50c. worth of cards. Call and be convinced. H. H. Curtis & Co.

Ladies fine kid mitts 50 cents, at R. McFaul's.

All Night in the Ice.

Last Monday afternoon, Frank Seymour and Toby Rowe were returning from Clayton in a boat. At the head of Grindstone island they were caught in drift ice and carried down the Leek island channel. One side of the boat was ripped open, letting the water in so rapidly that constant bailing was necessary to keep it afloat; and this had to be done with a hat. The men were unable to get to shore, and spent the night and next forenoon bailing the boat. On Tuesday they were rescued by William and Orlando Latimer, who went in search of them. They were pretty well exhausted, and their legs and arms were completely encased with ice.

The very best value to be had in Canada in wool dress goods, is at R. McFaul's.

RECEIVING A GIFT.

Thomas Harrold Entertained by Numerous Friends—The Speeches.

Last Thursday night a number of Mr. Thomas Harrold's friends, with Mr. Bateson as chairman, met at the Brunswick house and presented him with an address and handsome signet ring. After justice had been done to the good things provided the following toasts were given: "The queen and royal family," "The army, navy and volunteers," responded to by S. Angrove, who referred to the fenian raid and other times when the volunteers were called out to do duty. They were always ready and willing to respond to the call and defend their country. He wound up by referring to the noble character of Mr. T. Harrold, who is about to leave us. "Dominion and local houses of parliament," responded to by W. McCammon, who referred to the old fire brigade and the members connected with it. Mr. Harrold was a member who was always ready and willing to further the brigade's interests. H. Hunter then sang a song entitled "Laddie Dah." "The mayor and corporation" was toasted, and "The guests" was responded to by Messrs. Alex. Harrold, W. J. Arnield and J. Kelly. "The chairman" was responded to by M. Bateson, referring to Mr. Harrold's ability as a mechanic and wishing him every success in the new home he is going to make for himself in the far west. Mr. Spencer sang, "You've been a friend to me," and Mr. Newton "When I think of the days of my youth" and "Maggie May." Mr. H Hunter sang "Red light," and then the toast of "The ex-fire brigade" was responded to by ex Chief Bateson in an able manner. Mr. Thos. Harold, in replying to the "Guest of the evening" expressed his surprise at the proceedings as he was not aware of what was going to take place. The evening had been a pleasant one, although he felt a sadness at parting with friends. The evening was plesant to him because there were present many dear friends, particulary those of the old fire brigade. He could not express his feelings at parting, but the ring which he had received would bind him to his friends and always cause him to think of them when he was far away from Kingston. He closed by wishing all a happy new year, and every success. After the "host and hostess" had been toasted, Mr and Miss Cox sang a duet, the company "Auld Lang Syne" and "God save the queen" and then the festivities ceased at twelve o'clock.

The address which Mr. Harold received read as follows:—We deeply regret the duty devolving on us this evening, that is, the parting with an old friend. In another way it is a pleasure to acknowledge a friendship with one so highly gifted as you are; but there is a sadness lurking near when we think that we are compelled to part so soon with one so beloved by all. We cannot help taking this opportunity of showing our appreciation of the gentlemanly way you have always conducted yourself towards us and to make our friendship lasting and binding we present you with this signet ring, as a slight token of our esteem and respect for you. In leaving for another land we wish you and your family every happiness and prosperity in life, and hope that as often as you look upon this ring your thoughts will wander back again to the old companions you knew in the limestone city of the east and think of us as being still your friends.

CAUGHT IN TIME.

Fully Equipped to Burglarize and Plunder—A Good Capture.

On Friday James Walsh appeared in the police court on a charge of robbing one Stewart of a watch. The case was adjourned until Tuesday, and Walsh who has only been out of the penitentiary two months was taken to jail. When the watch was stolen there was another party in the company of Walsh, and Detective Craig was detailed to find out who this man was. He captured James Norris on the street, not without a struggle. On the way to the station the prisoner, who is very vicious, made several attempts to draw a knife. When searched on his person was found a full burglar's kit. Several bags covered with coal oil were found in his overcoat pocket, and a long knife, sharpened to such an edge that a man could be shaved with it, was in his hip pocket. He also carried a key factory on a small scale with him, comprising eighteen different keys, and a tweezer for the purpose of opening doors, that had a key in the locks on the inside, from the outside. Further, he had seven breast pins, apparently made out of five dollar gold pieces, but on inspection it was found that the five dollar gold pieces were silver quarters, which had been washed with gold. The work was cleverly done and the pieces had to be closely examined before the deception was discovered. A string of rings of all sizes and kinds completed his outfit. He wore a penitentiary suit and it was found that he had only been liberated from that institution on Thursday morning last, having served three years for burglary. He pleaded not guilty to the charge of larceny at the court this morning, and was remanded to jail until Saturday. He acknowledged having served three years in "state's prison." In the station house he was very saucy and bewailed his hard luck in having been arrested again.

Captain Drury.

In the Montreal *Star* are the cuts of the commanding officers of the Shoeburyness team which visited England last year, and among them is a good one of Captain Drury. Beneath his cut is the following:—Captain Charles William Drury, now of Kingston, is a son of Mr. W. C. Drury, St. John, N. B. He was first connected with the militia as lieutenant in the New Brunswick brigade of garrison artillery, which he joined in 1874. He served as such till 1877, and during that time he attended courses at Woolwich arsenal. He also passed short and long courses with A battery, Kingston, joining this battery of the regiment of Canadian artillery in 1877. He was appointed captain in 1881. He was appointed A.D.C. to his excellency the marquis of Lorne, governor-general of Canada, for the session of 1882-83; served in the North West campaign, 1885, when he commanded the field division of A battery in the action of Fish Creek and Batoche. He was adjutant and second in command of this year's Shoeburyness team.

At the Opera House.

One of the best performances seen here for some time was given by the Wilson Day company on last Friday. The play was the famous society drama "Forget me not," which abounds in the liveliest wit and repartee known to the stage, and gives ample opportunity for good acting. Miss Osborne, as "Stephanie," again gave evidence of being an actress of more than ordinary ability, and her rendition of this difficult role elicited round upon round of applause, her acting throughout being of the most acceptable nature. Her conception was perfect and she displayed more than ordinary ability in the more tragic scenes. Mr. Day, as "Sir Horace Wilby," was all the most exacting critic could desire, as he looked and acted the character to perfection. Little Annie Bird was greeted with thunders of applause, her appearance at all times being the signal for a warm reception. On New Year's day two performances were given. At the matinee "Davy Crockett" was given, and at night "Nobody's child" was put on. At both performances the houses were crowded to the doors, and standing room was at a premium. To night the company play the "Creole," or "Article 47."

All wool cashmere for 25 cents at R. McFaul's.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

FUNERAL SERMON OF THE LATE MR. HALES.

A Large Congregation in the Fourth Methodist Church—The Remarks of the Preacher Regarding Deceased's Life.

The memorial service of the late Mr. Wm. Hales was held in the Fourth methodist church last evening, when the congregation was a very large one, it being necessary to place seats in the aisles. The members of the A. O. U. W. wearing mourning badges, were present in a body. The pulpit, organ and the wall above the choir were draped in mourning, on the former being the words, "In memoriam" in white letters, and on the highest folds was a descending dove, worked in white also. The preacher was the Rev. Mr. Stillwell, who took the 8th verse of the 5th chap. of Amos for his text:—

"Seek Him that maketh the seven stars and Orion, and turneth the shadow of death into the morning, and maketh the day dark with night; that calleth for the waters of the sea, and poureth them out upon the face of the earth: The Lord is His name."

After dealing at length with the text, he spoke of the sadness of some bereavements—the loss of a husband or father—and then pointed out that no human sympathy could reach the depth of the sorrow. The brethren who were present manifested a tender sympathy, but it required a different sympathy to reach the heart, and if the cloud of gloom did not lift during life, it would when the morning broke bye and bye. It was a hard thing to die and to part with dear friends, and it was in death that men realized what frail creatures they were. In death God changed men's countenances and took them away, and he had no doubt that the countenance of the deceased brother had been changed before he was taken. He was glad that deceased was ready to go. He had met him from time to time in meetings, and found him to be a cheerful Christian. He, the preacher, heard him give his last testimony for the Master, and it was to the effect that the last three months were the happiest of his whole life. God had been so good to him of late that he, the deceased, had told his friends in private about it. He, the preacher, had sat beside his sick bed, and when he gave him a drink of water he replied "This is sweet; it reminds me of the stream that makes glad." Deceased was missed in the church. He was such a cheerful Christian that he must have had a real good time on this earth, and there was no doubt that he would have a good time in the next. A cheerful Christian in his family, he had many friends and will be greatly missed at the church gatherings, where he took as much interest in the work as if he were laboring for his own personal benefit. In concluding the sermon the preacher pointed out that it was necessary for sinners to forsake their evil ways before the shadow of death would break into morning.

Personal Mention.

Joseph Laird arrived from Chicago on Thursday last.

W. E. Hart, the mayor of Watertown, is a native of Picton.

Capt. A. Milligan, of the Bismarck, arrived in the city on Saturday.

Miss Nellie Derry left on New Year's day to visit her brother in Oshawa.

Mr. James Norris, of Brockville, an old Kingstonian, spent New Year's in the city.

Charles Eggleton, who is living in Belleville spent New Year's with friends here.

Mrs. Mary Boyle, one of Perth's oldest residents, died last week at the advanced age of 97.

John Pogue, of Kingston, who is a fine vocalist, has joined Rankin & Wilson's minstrels at Rochester.

Thomas Dodds, an old Kingstonian, but now living in Toronto, arrived in the city on New Year's morning.

Ed. Perry left for Toronto to-day to attend the district convention of moulders, which meets to-morrow morning.

The art treasures of Perth, Scotland, are shortly to be augmented by a bust of the late David Kennedy, the vocalist.

Friends of Mr. Ed. Couper gathered around him in the Brunswick house on New Year's eve and spent a pleasant time, prior to his departure for Montreal to-morrow. Mr. Couper represents J. D. Mackenzie & Co. on the road.

Mr. W. J. Belton, the popular teacher of the Douglas public school, Renfrew, for the past year, was banquetted last week before his departure for his home in Lanark county. After the holidays Mr. Belton will attend the medical college at Kingston.

Surprised Again.

On Christmas eve, Mr. George Gruber, of Oberndorffer's cigar factory, was made the recipient of an easy chair by the cigar makers under him. The "outside department," composed of the female employees and smaller boys, not to be outdone by their fellow workers, on Friday presented their foreman with a large hanging lamp. The lamp is of the latest style and very expensive, and is highly prized by Mr. Gruber. The following address accompanied the lamp: "Dear sir,—On the approach of the New Year, we, the employees of the 'outside department,' desire to express our heartfelt good wishes for yourself and your esteemed wife and children for the coming year, and ask you to accept the accompanying testimonial as a slight token of our interest in and esteem for one who has ever had our best interests most warmly at heart. Trusting that the new year may be fraught with the richest blessings for yourself and all dear to you, and wishing you many happy returns of the season, we are, dear sir, yours, Winney Gallagher, Thos. Bryant and Josephine Lalonde." The address was signed on behalf of the outside department.

The Week of Prayer.

The first meeting in connection with the week of prayer will be held in the Fourth methodist church this evening, when addresses will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Houston and the Rev. Dr. Hooper. To-morrow evening the meeting will be held in the First congregational church, and addresses will be delivered by the Revs. J. W. Sparling and J. Mackie on "Humiliation," dwelling on the necessity of it for personal sins, family sins, and national sins; for the spread of unbelief and of atheism in various quarters; for the fearful extent to which "the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eye, and the pride of life" still prevail, for the large amount of intemperance, licentiousness, and all immorality; for the formalism of many and the cold indifference of others; for unseemly divisions and the lack of love among those who are brethren in Christ.

Dyspepsia.

Much will necessarily depend upon the care exercised in the selection of food, which is all important to the dyspeptic. Hamilton's Pills may be used with the greatest benefit in cases where liver and bowel complications are produced by or are the result of dyspepsia. Commence with one pill every second day immediately after dinner, and reduce the dose gradually until one-quarter of a pill only is taken, which will be found sufficient to stimulate the liver and assist in the more perfect assimulation of food in the sotmach. Dyspeptics, try Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut.

Men's kid mitts for 45 cents, at R. McFaul's.

A REMINDER!

If you wish to Save Money, secure some of the Bargains now being offered by Minnes & Burns during their

Grand Sacrifice Sale, which ends This Month.

We will consider it a favor if you will call and examine goods and compare prices. Everything reduced. Goods shown with pleasure

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FEASTING THE NINE.

Nine Hours' Enjoyment with the Graveyard Nine.

The Graveyard nine baseball club held its first annual dinner on New Year's eve. At the sound of the trumpet the friends of the Graveyard nine arose to watch the old year out and the new year in. The vault was decorated with base bats, lacrosses, snow-shoes and toboggans in an attractive manner, while bunting of all colors adorned the ceiling, displaying the emblem of the Graveyard nine in a most ingenious manner. At the back of the platform were the words "Compliments of the season," formed with bronzed and frosted baseballs. Addresses, songs, recitations, feasting and dancing formed the programme of the evening. President Parnell, in his address, thanked the resurrectionists for the hearty response to the trumpet. The number present was most encouraging. He said the nine had not disbanded and gone south for the winter, as "ball players generally do." They had put up a good stove in the vault, and while the neighbors' wood piles lasted they would stay right here. At the close of the baseball season they had formed a band not of hope but of musicians, and the people would soon have the pleasure of hearing a few of their selections. He then called upon the manager to speak. Geet then rolled to the front on baseballs and spoke of ball, ball playing, and the new rules, which he approved of. He said he thought baseball would be more interesting next year than ever both to spectators and players, but as ball playing was now out of season, with the thermometer 22 degrees below zero, he would drop the subject. He then rolled back to the stove with his mitts and overshoes on. The band played "An evening with the nine." Mark then sang an original solo, "From base to base," and being encored he gave his old favorite, "The day I played baseball." The band gave the selection "Now you're off," and sang the chorus. Nustler, Fat, Skee and Bur then sang "McNally's flat." Doc gave a mouth organ solo, accompanied by Dick on the piano, kindly loaned for this occasion. This brought the first part of the programme to a close and an adjournment was made to another room where justice was done to the dinner.

Compared to feasting, song and mirth,
All other joys are but unstable,
The coolest heart that beats on earth
Is melted by a smoking table.

The president occupied the chair with the manager and treasurer as vice-chairmen. When the wants of the innermen had been satisfied, the president proposed "The queen" which was was honored with great enthusiasm. Reminiscences of former dinners were related, which caused great laughter. When Papa gave "Dooleys' party," the manager passed him the cake basket, and the boys threw in the roasted chestnut. After dinner dancing was indulged in till the nine hours were up at 4:30 a.m. when every person skipped and the most pleasant evening of the season was brought to a close. The music for the dance was furnished by the nine's orchestra, and Papa acted as director of ceremonies to the satisfaction of all.

Calls For Opposition.

A writer in the Napanee *Beaver*, in alluding to Kingston petitioning the legislative for permission to re adjust its debt so that arrangements could be made, among other things for giving a bonus to the N & T RR company, to bring that railway to Kingston, says:—"Now it seems very strange, if true, that any members of the government would pledge their support in advance to any scheme of that kind, without knowing what objections might be raised to it; but whether they did or not, I hope the people of Napanee will take the earliest opportunity of informing the government of the great injustice to our town that such legislation would involve, and doing all they can to oppose it. It is well known that the road would never have been built if our town had not first given a large bonus to commence it, nor would it ever have been finished if we had not given a second large bonus for that purpose, both of which were given with the understanding that our town would be the terminus of the road, and the outlet of all the traffic and trade brought in from the back country. I trust, therefore, sir, that our citizens will ask the Ontario government to do us a simple act of justice by refusing the legislation sought, and to bestow on our town and country, at least a small share of the favors that are lavished so freely upon the neighboring towns both east and west of us."

Harrowsmith Happenings.

The methodist Sabbath school Christmas tree was a grand success. The town hall was literally packed with people. The tree was loaded with presents for scholars and friends. The entertainment was all that could be desired. The children sang their pieces splendidly; and the methodist choir, as usual, called forth ejaculations of praise. Miss Griffith retained her celebrity as a singer. At the close of the entertainment Mrs. G. A. Bell was presented by Mr. Philander Meyers on behalf of the parishoners, with a beautiful China tea set, as an Christmas present.—The Sunday school continues to grow in numbers and interest. About $100 have been raised for school purposes alone at this appointment this year since last May.—Elections passed off quietly in this place.—A new store is going up on the back street.—The proprietors of our new tin shop have taken one step in the right direction—putting up a fancy sign. There is another step necessary to success—advertise in THE CHRONICLE AND NEWS.—A large number of our young people attended the Hartington Christmas tree. They are loud in their praises of how the proceedings passed off.—COM.

Opening New Year.

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