

**DISTRICT DRIFT.**

Confounded and Confused! It's a Noisy, Hesitating Form.

The ice harvest has begun at Napanee. American horse buyers are operating around Lyndhurst.

Mr. Thorne, Historian of Pictou, starts for London in a few days.

The ice on the Nepean river and bay is perfectly safe for driving.

The ice in Pictou harbour is free & to 10 feet.

The Napanee brick factory paid out £10,000 last year at \$12,000.

There are now over fifty pupils attending the Ontario Normal School at Cobourg.

The ice is no longer safe between Amherst Island and the mainland.

The family of ex-Mayor Henry, of Napanee, have been added to our list.

Mr. V. F. and George Wilcox, have been loaned auditors for Napanee.

Mr. J. W. Manning has been appointed Clerk of the Division Court in Almonte.

Mr. G. M. Elliott and T. M. Henry, are candidates for Napanee school trustees.

About forty car loads of barley have been shipped from Napanee.

The admittance of sixteen pupils to the Gananoque High School has been confirmed.

Mr. R. S. Robins, barrister, of Pictou, has shortly for Manitoba to speculate in land.

The Amherst Islanders are endeavouring to have a daily mail and a more orderly system.

Mr. L. Spofford, of Pictou, has lost two children by diphtheria, and two others have died with it.

The Rev. J. Osborne, of Lyndhurst, is asking tenders for the erection of a new church.

The Leson and Addison Insurance Company was never in a more flourishing condition.

The Napanee cement works sent 100 barrels of hydraulic cement to Cornwall on Tuesday.

The Napanee Reform Association will have a grand banquet and caucus on the 5th of February.

There is enough of snow, there will be a big business done at Bell Rock in the next few weeks.

Mr. J. E. Hulbeck, Agent.

No. 181, Ontario Street, Kingston.

December 1.

Prices Reduced During the Holidays.

FOR CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS GIFTS

In China, Groceries, Beers and Beer Lamps, Candles and Oil Lamps, Cutlery and Plateware, - TO -

ROBERTSON BROS.'

NEW CROCKERY STORE.

We have just received a quantity of fancy glass.

In the usual variety of patterns.

Also a large selection of Pictures, China and Porcelain.

Wine, Beer, Wine, Vases, Fancy Glass, Plates, Goblets, Glasses, Plates, etc.

December 12.

ESTHETIC Xmas CARDS

The Latest and the Best!

Marcus Ward's Cards

JUST ARRIVED THIS DAY AT

McAuley's Bookstore

THE ONLY PLACE you can see them in the city.

THOMAS McAULEY,

The Cheap Bookseller and Stationer,

KING STREET.

December 21.

N. MCNEIL,

Practical Plumber & Steam Fitter

HAVING commenced business the last August

in the City of Kingston, we are now

fully equipped to supply all kinds of

work required in buildings or dwellings

All work done to the leading mercantile rates.

OLD ESTABLISHED

Kingston Plumbing Works,

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The New Argonaut Base Burner

is the latest and best working Stove in the Market. Come and see us at HAMER'S NEW STORE.

The best American Light Oil for sale cheap at JOHN HAMER'S,

Grocery and Fattener and Cooks Stores,

No. 200, good 2,000 ft. Fathoms Platform Store, December 21.

COAL DEPOT.

JAMES SWIFT,

C. S. and Retail Dealer in all descriptions of

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