NO CORRESPONDENTS.

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The Daily News.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 20.

The President having vetoed the bill restricting Chinese immigration for twenty years, another bill, whose operations are to extend over five years, has been passed through Congress by a vote of 201 to 37. Whether this new bill will also be vetoed by the President is the question which is being discussed in Washington.

There is a rumour that the minority who are opposed to the Girouard Bill, which has now passed both houses of Parliament, will petition the Governor General to veto it, and, in case of failure there, will carry their petition to the foot of the throne. This would be a very unwise thing to do however strong the belief of the dissentients may be that the bill is both unscriptural in its objects and impolitic from a social standpoint. The people of Canada, by their representatives, have decided that marriage with a deceased wife's sister shall be allowed, and they have done so after full and abundant consideration; consequently there is nothing left but, for those who disapprove of such marriages, to avoid entering into them.

The Ford brothers who killed Jesse James two weeks ago were tried on Monday in St Joseph, pleaded guilty, and were sentenced to be hanged on the 18th of May, but a full pardon was immediately accorded them by Governor Crittenden. The trial was merely a farce, the prisoners treating it with the utmost unconcern, thoroughly conscious that they had nothing to fear. Such a state of affairs is deeply disgraceful to a civilized country. Missouri seems to be given up to lawlessness; wild desperadoes, who outdo the "bold Turpin" in the nonchalence with which they put bullets into the nobs of travellers, being permitted to pursue their pastime in comparative freedom. The lesson taught by the Ford-James episode is that the authorities, being unable to deal with a determined highwayman by legitimate means, employ another such character to murder the first one. The effect this will have in suppressing violence and outrage may be imagined. The rest of the James gang will have vengeance on the Fords, who will meet them, no doubt, by organizing a hostile force, and the law will be vindicated through their conflicts.

At William's College the other day a young gentleman named Gunn, who had won valedictory honours, declined them on the ground that the system of competitive examination and marking in vogue at the college was not only unfair to the majority of students and misleading to the public, but also that it was detrimental to the interests of education in general. A prize or a first position is supposed to denote the possessor as the cleverest and best learned in his class, but this is very far from being the case in the majority of instances. The thoroughness of previous training, age and physical strength are elements which deeply affect the result of competition; and a machine like memory is a far greater advantage than original thought, taste, imagination, tact or practical talent. So much for the significance of competitive examination and placing; but of more importance is their effect upon the character of the competitors. As they confer the prize upon the man who makes the most marks they hold out every temptation to young men to devote themselves entirely to making marks to the disregard of a thorough conscientious insight into the real nature and principles of the studies in which they engage. They teach young men to pride themselves upon successful rivalry instead of planting themselves upon the work's worth, as Walter Savage Landor is said to have persistently done, and in this manner they conflict with the idea of duty while ministering to selfishness, envy, and vanity. They benefit neither the one who wins the prize from inferior motives, nor the numbers whom he has beaten. The first named is frequently found to fall behind in the race of life, having consumed his energy and ambition in the struggle for a paltry college bauble; whereas the latter as often feel pangs of disappointment and resentment at the want of recognition of the worth of whose possession they are conscious.

The eloquent and exhaustive speech in which Sir Charles Tupper reported to Parliament the progress made in the construction of the C.P.R. shows that both the Government and the syndicate are pushing forward the work of construction with energy and rapidity. Of the 433 miles of road from Prince Arthur's Landing to Winnipeg the track is laid on 401, leaving only 32 to be built. The expenditure so far on this branch has been but $13,224,900, and the balance, $1,000,000, will probably not be exceeded. 160 miles are in operation west of Winnipeg, in addition to which 89 miles of the Winnipeg and Pembina Mountain branch have also been graded. By August next 971 miles west of Lake Superior will be in operation, and in six years the whole line from the Pacific to Montreal will be completed and running. The stream of immigration pouring into the country is very large, the number of passengers over the Winnipeg and Emerson section of the road varying from 300 to 1,000 per day, exclusive of children under ten years of age; altogether 24,000 have gone in since the beginning of the year. The receipts at the customs house are also a good indication of the manner in which the country is being filled up, and these have increased from $196,000 in nine months of the year 1880-1 to $583,000 in a corresponding period of 1881-2. The superior administrative ability of the present Government compared with that of its predecessor is proven by the fact that from what has already been done on the Government parts of the road it is evident that the estimates will be discounted by about four million dollars, whereas under Mr Mackenzie's administration the estimates were exceeded by over eleven millions. The good faith of the company and the fairness of their freight charges is apparent when it is learned that these are less than those formerly charged by the Government, and less than the rates on the Intercolonial, P.E.I.; Toronto, Grey & Bruce; Canada Central, Grand Trunk, Union Pacific, Northern Pacific, and many other leading lines. Seventeen cents for a hundred pounds for a distance from 20 to 25 miles is so cheap that we shall never again hear any complaints about the grinding monopoly robbing the farmers of the North-West. The facts brought forward by Sir C. Tupper sweep away at one stroke the ocean of chaff contained in that "quaint and curious volume of forgotten lore," the anti-syndicate resolutions of last session and Grit speeches thereon. The company employed by the Government is rapidly constructing a good road, opening up and developing the North-West, and performing their services for shippers at cheap rates contrary to the prophecies of those who, having failed in their endeavours to carry a great work through, find their only satisfaction in systematic detraction.

The Loss of the Rogers.

Washington, April 20.—Most of the officers of the navy here think that the destruction of the steamer Rogers is due to the explosing of a spirit lamp. It is thought that the fire spread very rapidly and that there was a lack of water. It is supposed that the vessel was burned in the latter part of December or early in January. It is believed that the natives can supply the crew with abundant food and warm shelter, and that the entire party is safe. It will probably require ten or twenty days to equip the steamer Iroquois which will be sent after the wrecked men. The sledge Drury, of Gilder, who brought the news to the New York Herald correspondent, is regarded as remarkable. Lieut. Schwatka suggests that as the Rogers was formerly a whaler she was saturated with oil. He says a whaler of the North Star is already on the way with provisions, and will probably reach the party first.

The Indians.

Wilcox, Arizona, April 20.—Besides the Chief of Police, an Indian policeman was killed at San Carlos agency by renegade Indians. Chief Loco, with thirty Warm Spring Indians, left the reservation, also with Chief Shreve with four bucks, thirty squaws and children. It is thought that the Warm Springs were induced to go on the war path by the renegades. The report of the massacre of eight men on Eagle Creek lacks confirmation. It is believed that all the available troops are already in the field to head off hostilities and protect the settlement. The Chiricauhaus also threaten to break out.

The Terrible Cyclone.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 20.—Last evening the tornado swept up Chestnut Ridge Mountains, Westmoreland county, levelling acres of timber land. In the afternoon the house of Wm. Wirgrover was razed to the ground. His wife was killed and seven children injured, three fatally. Jerry Stauffer's child was fatally injured by the falling of the building. Josh Glasburner's house was blown down and his family of five injured. One child was killed. The roof of the house was carried two miles. Three persons in Jacob Miller's family were injured by the falling of the house. One was killed.

Mr Britton's Previous Contests.

To the Editor of THE DAILY NEWS.

SIR,—You say in last evening's issue, in speaking of the nomination for Addington: "Mr Britton is ambitious of parliamentary honours, having made several unsuccessful attempts hitherto to enter the House of Commons." You will, perhaps, hardly believe it, but it is nevertheless perfectly true, that I have never made even one attempt to enter the House of Commons. In case you desire to be at all accurate, I may mention that in 1864, on nomination day, one week before the first day of polling, I was put in nomination and ran for the Legislative Council.

In 1868 my friends persuaded me to run against Mr Calvin for the Local House.

Yours truly,

B. M. BRITTON.

Kingston, April 20, 1882.

A Timely Warning.

"A recent painful case of death caused by a hypodermic injection of morphia," says the London Lancet, "directs attention afresh to the dangers of resorting to this most perilous mode of administering drugs designed to relieve pain. The public should be warned against the practice of employing remedies hypodermically. So formidable a 'remedy' should on no account be used except under medical advice, and when deemed necessary it ought to be given by practitioners. We have repeatedly urged the profession to discountenance the recourse to injections under the skin, which is becoming general. It is a practice or extreme hazard, and we are of opinion that surgical instrument makers should refuse to sell the requisite apparatus to lay persons, and that medical men should forbid their use."

Jesse James' Brother.

Since the death of Jesse James made the whereabouts of his brother Frank a matter of considerable interest to persons who have cause to fear his vengeance, individuals have been popping up all over the region distinguished by his operations to announce through white lips and chattering teeth their convictions that they have recently entertained the devil unawares. One of the aspirants to this kind of notoriety is a Nashville barber, who is certain that he dyed the desperado's hair a fine brick red about two weeks ago. He was surprised that a man should wish his hair to assume a colour which most people prefer elsewhere than on their heads, but noticing that his customer was equipped like an arsenal he did not venture to push his inquiries. A photograph has now convinced him that his discretion was judicial.

An Egg Story.

An Aurora despatch says a curiosity in the line of eggs was brought in on Monday morning by Chauncey King. It consisted of a genuine pair of Siamese eggs. Each egg was distinctly separate and well formed, excepting the absence of the hard outside coating. A hollow neck about half an inch long united the two. In one was the yolk only, while the other contained exclusively the white. The two were laid in perfect shape and without breaking. A double yolk in a single case is common, but the curiosity of two distinct eggs peculiarly connected by a natural tube is exceedingly peculiar and rare.

The police constables wish to return thanks to Mrs Dr. Neish for a donation to their library.

"I was entirely cured of rheumatism by St. Jacobs Oil," says Col. C. W. Herbert, of the Forest Park Restaurant, St. Louis, Mo.

Newton & Thompson's factory at Brandon, Manitoba, was burned to day; loss, $20,000.

MELANCHOLY SUICIDE.

Mr Alexander Fisher, Manager of the Ontario Bank, Takes His own Life.

Toronto, April 20.—Yesterday afternoon Mr Alex. Fisher, local manager of the Ontario Bank, committed suicide in a stable in rear of his residence in the bank building by shooting himself in the mouth with a revolver. Mr Fisher was at his post in the bank at the customary hour in the morning, and nothing unusual in his appearance or actions was noticed. He left in a little time. Some hours elapsing without his again coming into the office, fears were aroused and a search was instituted, it being known that the old gentleman was subject to epilepsy, and had frequently taken fits while away by himself. The search resulted in finding the body of the unfortunate gentleman lying in a corner of the stable, a pistol clutched in the right hand, and blood oozing from the mouth, at which he had evidently placed the weapon in discharging it. A coroner, Dr. la Hooke, was notified, but on enquiring into the circumstances surrounding the sad occurrence he deemed it unnecessary to hold an inquest. What motive could have prompted the rash act can only be said to have been continued ill-health, Mr Fisher having for the last two years been a victim of epilepsy, a disease which has the effect of weakening the mental powers, and frequently superinducing a suicidal mania. The deceased gentleman, who was sixty-five years of age, has been for about twenty years a resident of this city, in which he was held in universal esteem. His melancholy end is the subject of general regret.

DESPATCHES IN BRIEF.

Landram will be executed at New York to-morrow.

The Sillery ice bridge near Quebec has given away.

The Montreal Coopers Union has raised the tariff for piece work.

No change will be made in the British Mission for some time at least.

Charles T. Ashare & Co, general merchants, London, Eng., have failed.

The S.S. Circassian has cleared from Portland for Liverpool via Halifax.

C. C. Warren & Co., teas and coffees, Toledo, have failed. Liabilities $89,000.

The Montreal stock market was higher this morning. Bank of Montreal sold at 213.

The steamship Renper whose loss is reported was valued with her cargo at $100,000.

A number of the Montreal police will resign unless their pay is advanced by the council.

Weaver, Ware & Co., cabinet managers of Providence have suspended. Liabilities $75,000.

Small-pox is increasing at Cincinnati at an alarming rate, 30 to 40 cases are reported daily.

A widow named Augre was found murdered in her bed at St. Sauveur, Que., this morning.

The ice at St. Nicholas Que., is moving up and down with the tide. It is snowing there now.

The St. Lawrence Engine Works, of Sorel, Que., were totally destroyed by fire this morning.

Policeman Weir, of London, was attacked and severely beaten this morning by three young men.

The annual convention of the Association of American Railway Superintendents began yesterday in New York.

James Fisher, of Leesport, Pa., has become violently insane after six years efforts to memorise the Bible.

The damage done by the steamer Carollton on Tuesday night is about $25,000. One hundred persons were lost.

The total loss by the tornado at Brownsville, Mo., was $125,000. Subscriptions are being taken up for the sufferers.

A mortgage of $10,000,000 upon the Midland Railroad of North Carolina, in favour of the American Loan and Trust Co., of Boston is recorded.

Ex-Secretary and Mrs Hunt last evening gave a reception to Secretary and Mrs Chandler. The President and other prominent persons were present.

The Red River at St Vincent, Minn., is 40 feet above low water and is still rising. Redwing's Elevator is in a critical condition. The Draw Bridge at Emerson which cost $70,000 is swept away.

Advices from Juro City, Ala., state that conditions favour a rush of miners the coming summer. Lawlessness and bloodshed are anticipated unless some form of government is introduced to the territory.

It is reported in New York that a steamship company yesterday agreed to pay shippers a bonus of 1½c. a bushel for the delivery of 16,000 bushels of grain for Liverpool. This is the first instance for many years of a premium being offered to carry freight on the ocean.

In New York on Tuesday a stranger called at the residence of Deputy Collector of City Revenue Holmes and said that he was sent to repair furniture. The man was shown to Holmes bed room and left alone. He then broke open the safe and escaped with $5,400 R.R. bonds.

The seventh annual convention of the Emerald Beneficial Association closed in Toronto yesterday. J. F. Heitzman, Hamilton, was elected President, and Daniel Normial, Oshawa, Vice-President. The banquet last night was attended by two hundred. The next convention will be held at Oshawa and the annual parade in Barrie.

Trial of Maclean.

London April the 19.—At Reading to-day Lord Chief Justice Coleridge charged the grand jury in the case of Maclean, who attempted to shoot Queen Victoria at Windsor. Chief Justice Coleridge said such cases in England have been rare, but the law bearing on the case, though over 500 years old, was undoubted. The facts as narrated in the disposition of the witnesses clearly supported the charge. The grand jury returned a true bill for high treason against the prisoner, who was placed in the dock. He looked pale and haggard, and pleaded not guilty. The Attorney-General opened the case for the prosecution and said it was a very aggravated one. The jury had a grave responsibility in determining the condition of the prisoner's mind at the time he committed the crime. Mr Montagu Williams, in opening for the prisoner, made insanity the ground of the defence, and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty on the ground of insanity. The superintendents of the Salisbury and Broadmoor asylums testified that they believed Maclean incapable of appreciating the consequences of his acts.

McLean will be detained in custody during Her Majesty's pleasure. The deliberations of the jury occupied but five minutes.

The Alexandra leaves Picton on Saturday for Trenton, commencing her trips between that port and Montreal on Monday following. The Alexandra makes a better appearance this season than she has for years.

CAPITAL POINTS.

A Budget of Interesting News.

Ottawa, April 20.—The Banking and Commerce Committee met this morning and passed the following bills to extend and amend acts relating to the Canada Landed Credit Company.—To incorporate the Canada Qu'Appelle Lands Company. The bill to incorporate the Brant Loan and Savings Company was withdrawn.

The House sat till a quarter past four this morning and passed the balance of the Public Works items chargeable to income.

This afternoon according to arrangement, Mr Costigan will move his Irish sympathy resolutions. The debate will not be very extended.

Commander Cheyne, R.N., F. R. G. S. has returned to the Capital after a brief visit to Toronto, and is now awaiting the conclusion of definite arrangements for a special exploration under his direction of the Hudson Bay, which is to be taken into consideration by the Government before the closing of session.

Sir Charles Tupper has given notice of a resolution to grant under certain conditions a subsidy of $150,000 per annum for twenty-five years to the Chignecto Ship Railway.

Mr N. F. Davin has taken his departure for Toronto.

Hon. Mr Church is in the city.

Mr Burbridge, the new Deputy Minister of Justice, is expected to arrive here to-morrow.

Another large number of passengers went westward by Taylor's excursion bound for the Northwest. The train consisted of six cars.

The St. Sauveur Murder.

Quebec, April 20.—In the St. Sauveur murder trial now going on here, one of the parties first arrested on suspicion, J. B. Laprise, was called into the witness box and said: While under arrest and in gaol I had a conversation with the prisoners. Said Pierre Robert to his brother: "Joseph, you know I am innocent, why keep me here." Joseph replied, "If I declare myself guilty now I shall be hung as Genest is dead. If I was sure I was going to be hung I should poison myself." Bezeau, the other prisoner, who is also his brother-in-law said, "Since you have begun the story I will finish it. I was with Marcoux when Geneat came up. Joseph went up to him and struck him. He then came back to me and said, 'Bezeau, I have done to Geneat what I did to the others but he has fallen.'" The case for the Crown is now closed, and the defence is going on this morning.

Irish Affairs.

London, April 20.—A bailiff in the employ of Lord Leconfield has been found dead with his skull fractured. He recently served writs upon some tenants.

Mr Parnell has notified the Governor of Kilmainham gaol that he will be absent another week on account of urgent family affairs.

The suspects in Naas gaol raised a disturbance yesterday, alleging that fever was imported into the prison with the suspects recently brought from Clonmel. The police and military compelled them to return to their cells.

The Dundas Tragedy.

Hamilton, April 20.—The adjourned inquest on the body of Joseph H. Poole was held last night in the Town Hall, Dundas. The only new fact brought forward was that William Johnston, father of John Johnston, who was Poole's chief companion, sold a bag of rags to Wm. Grubb, and the bag of rags contained a dark lantern rolled up in a horse blanket. There was also an old grey coat in the bag with faint stains of what Dr. Parks testified was blood. The jury returned a verdict of murder.

Hon. F. Langelier has purchased the material with which l'Electeur is printed in conjunction with a young gentleman engaged as editorial writer on the paper in order to prevent its falling into the hands of the enemy. The sale was forced by a rumour that the proprietor of the said printing material was about selling it to Mr Senecal.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 20.

Cotton—Moderate: Enquiry freely supplied; Uplands, 6 11 16, Orleans, 6¾.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET.

Liverpool, April 20, 11:30 a m.

Flour, 10s 0d to 12s 0d. Spring wheat, 9s 1d to 10s 3d; red winter, 9s 10d to 10s 8d; white western, 9s 10d to 10s 5d; club, 10s 5d to 10s 7d. Corn, new, 6s 11½d; old, 7s 1d. Oats, 6s 0d. Barley, 5s 3d. Peas, 6s 0d to 7s 3d. Pork, 82s 6d. Lard, 56s 6d. Bacon, 51s 0d to 52s 0d. Beef, 00s 0d. Tallow, 40s 6d. Cheese, 65s 6d.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, April 20, noon.

Wheat—1.31½ for May; 1.33½ for June; 1.30½ for July; 1.27½ for year; 1.19½ to 1.19½ for August.

Corn—55½c for August, 56½c for year; 55½c for June; 80½c for July; 76½c for cash; rejected, 75c.

Pork—18.27½ for May; 18.45 for June; 18.65 for July.

Lard—11.45 for June; 11.87½ for July.

OSWEGO MARKET.

Oswego, April 20, 1 p m.

Wheat—Dull; white state, 1.41; red state, 1.45.

Corn—Unchanged; No. 2 Chicago, 87c.

Oats—Scarce; No. 1 state, 58c.

Barley—Quiet; No. 1 Canada held at 1.11, No. 1 Canada at 1.13; No. 1 bright Canada at 1.14.

Rye—Quiet; Canada nominally at 85c in bond.

Canal freights—Wheat and peas, 4½c; corn and rye, 4½c; barley, 4c; oats, 3½c to New York; lumber, 1.75 to Albany; 2.50 to New York.

Lake receipts—Barley, 31,000 bush; rye, 19,000 bush; malt, 11,000 bush; lumber, 2,142,000 feet.

Sales in Albany yesterday: 5,000 bushels Bay of Quinte barley on private terms, prices irregular; rye, 1.01 paid for lots in store.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

New York, April 20, 1 p m.

Stocks—Irregular.

Cotton—Unchanged.

Flour—Stronger; receipts, 10,000 bbls; sales, 13,000 bbls; at 4.85 to 5.10 for superior state and western; 5.00 to 8.50 for common to choice extra state; 4.85 to 8.75 for do western.

Rye Flour—Firm; 4 65 to 6.25.

Wheat—Higher and unsettled; receipts, 27,000 bush; sales, 140,000 bush No. 2 red for May at 1 49½ to 1 50½; 160,000 bush do for June at 1.49½ to 1.50½; 496,000 bush do for July at 1.33½ to 1.34½; 200,000 bush do for August at 1.24½ to 1.25½.

Rye—Firm, at 90c to 96c.

Corn—Better; receipts, 16,000 bush; sales, 270,000 bush, at 85c to 92c for cash, 85½c to 92c for new.

Barley—Weak.

Oats—Better; receipts, 78,000 bushels; sales, 120,000 bush, at 58c to 60c for mixed; 59c to 65c for white.

Pork—Firm; 18.25.

Lard—Firm, 11.55.

Butter—15c to 54c.

Cheese—9c to 13½c.

MONTREAL GRAIN AND PRODUCE MARKET.

Montreal, April 20.

Flour—Receipts, 1,700 bbls; sales, 2,500 bbls. The market is more active, at full rates.

Quotations are: Superiors, 6.50 to 6.60; extras 6.35 to 6.40; fancy, 6.00 to 0.00; spring extras, 6.10 to 6.20; superfine, 5.75 to 5.90; strong bakers, 6.50 to 8.00; fine, 5.10 to 5.25; middlings, 4.25 to 4.50; pollards, 3.50 to 4.00; Ontario bags, 3.00 to 3.00; city do, 3.90 to 4.00.

Wheat—White winter, 1.41; red winter, 1.48 to 1.50.

Corn—85c to 90c.

Peas—99c to 1.00.

Oats—42c to 43½c.

Barley—65c to 75c.

Rye—85c to 90c.

Meals—Oatmeal, 5.10 to 5.15; cornmeal, 3.75 to 4.00.

Butter—Western, 15c to 18c; Brockville and Morrisburg (new), 23c to 25c; Eastern Townships (new), 25c to 28c.

Cheese—11c to 13c.

Pork—21.00 to 22.00.

Lard—14c to 15c.

Bacon—13c to 14c.

Hams—13c to 14c.

Ashes—Pots, 5.10 to 5.20; pearls, nominal.

KINGSTON, APRIL 20TH, 1882.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, April 20.

Bank of Montreal—213 asked; 212¾ offered. Sales—50 at 213½; 5 at 213½; 856 at 213.

Merchants' Bank—125½ asked; 124½ offered. Sales—80 at 124¾.

Bank of Commerce—146 asked; 145½ offered. Sales—25 at 145½; 25 at 146.

Ontario Bank—68 asked; 67½ offered. Sales—54 at 68½; 503 at 68½; 171 at 67; 75 at 67½; 125 at 67½.

Bank of Toronto—177½ asked; 174 offered.

Molson's Bank—126 asked; 125½ offered.

Banque Du Peuple—92 asked; 90½ offered.

Banque Jacques Cartier—122 asked; 120 offered.

Quebec Bank—108 offered.

Montreal Telegraph Co—130½ asked; 130 offered. Sales—340 at 130½; 200 at 130½; 150 at 130.

Montreal Gas Company—166 asked; 165½ offered. Sales—8 at 165½.

City Passenger Ry—148 asked; 147 offered.

Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co—62 asked; 61½ offered. Sales—20 at 62.

Canada Cotton Co—150 asked; 145 offered.

Dundas Cotton Co—126½ asked; 124 offered.

Federal Bank—175 asked; 170 offered.

Ontario Investment Co—135 asked; 133½ offered.

BIRTH.

In Kingston, on the 20th instant, the wife of Mr Archibald Strachan of a son.

FOR SALE.—A FIRST-CLASS ENGINE, 14 horse power, AND BOILER in good order. Apply to

W. M. DRENNAN, Administrator.

April 20.

OPERA HOUSE!

MONDAY, April 24th!

"THE HOME OF LAUGHTER."

Engagement of the Most Mirthful of the Great Comedians, Mr

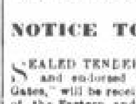
GUS WILLIAMS.

"He cannot try to speak with gravity,
But one perceives he wags an idle tongue;
He cannot try to look demure, but spite
Of all he does, he shows a laughter's cheek;
He cannot e'en essay to walk sedate,
But in his very gait one sees a jest."

MR. WILLIAMS in his play of OUR GERMAN SENATOR, supported by a Genuinely Brilliant Comedy Company, under the management of MR. JOHN RICKABY.

Prices—75, 50 and 25 cents. Seats secured at the Opera House without extra charge.

April 20.



OTTAWA RIVER.

Grenville & St. Anne Canals.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Timber for Lock Gates," will be received at this office until the arrival of the Eastern and Western mails, on THURSDAY, the 11th day of May next, for the furnishing and delivering, on or before the 3rd day of October, 1882, of Oak and Pine Timber, sawn to the dimensions required for the construction of Lock Gates for the new Locks at Greece's Point, Grenville Canal, and the new Lock at St. Anne, Ottawa River.

The timber must be of the qualities described, and of the dimensions stated on a printed bill, which will be supplied on application, personally or by letter, at this office, where forms of Tender can also be obtained.

No payment will be made on the timber until it has been delivered at the place required on the respective canals, nor until it has been examined and approved by an officer detailed to that service.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that an accepted bank cheque for the sum of $250 must accompany each tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines to enter into a contract for supplying the timber at the rates and on the terms stated in the offer submitted.

The cheque thus sent in will be returned to the respective parties whose tenders are not accepted.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, 15th April, 1882.

THE CITY HAT STORE

(Hyman's Old Stand).

HAVE RECEIVED

45 Dozen Men's and Boy's Hats,

AND ARE PREPARED TO SHOW

SOMETHING VERY NOBBY

—IN—

SOFTS AND STIFFS!

Call and inspect these Goods if you want the latest styles at low prices.

JAMES GALLOWAY, Next to Orange Hall Buildings.

April 19.

Queen's University.

Programme of Closing Ceremonies.

SUNDAY, April 23rd. 3 p.m. — Baccalaureate Sermon.

TUESDAY, 25th. 8 p.m.—Lecture by the Principal on "Our Political Duties."

WEDNESDAY, 26th. 3 p.m.—Convocation for the Distribution of Prizes; the Laureation of Graduates in Arts and Medicine; Addresses.

Admission to the Convocation on Wednesday will be by the front door only. Children will not be admitted unless accompanied by their parents.

J. B. MOWAT, Registrar.

April 18.

LOST.—On the 14th instant, at Cotton Mills or round thereto, A CIRCULAR GOLD BROOCH, black enamel, star and pearl centre. Reward to person delivering at residence COLONEL HEWETT, Emily Street, or DAILY NEWS Office.

April 15.

WE SHALL CONTINUE OUR SALE

—OF—

BOOKS, STATIONERY and FANCY GOODS!

—AT—

STACEY & WALPOLE'S OLD STAND

—AT—

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April 20.

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April 20.

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Balbriggan Hose, Plain and with Clox, from 20c to 70 cents.
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April 17.

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New Silk Warp Paramattas.

New Black Silks.

New Trimming Silks at 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 75c.
New Gros Grain Silks, 75c, 90c, $1, $1.25.
Ponsons' Black Silks, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2.
Heavy Cashmere Silks, $1.75, $2, $2.50, $2.75.

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New Lace Mitts for Ladies.
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English Prints, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 11c, 12c, 13c.
Our 10 cent Prints are best value yet.
See our New Cambric Shirtings, 10c, 12c, 15c.
See our New Bordered Prints.
Our New Æsthetic Cambrics, 12½c, 15c, 17c.

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January 7.

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August 24.

REMINDERS.

THIS EVENING.

Emergent meeting Ancient St. John's Lodge at 7.30 p m.

TO-MORROW.

Spring Assizes.

Tenders received by M. Flanagan to 12 m. for Tolls of Markets Nos. 1 and 2.

TO GAS CONSUMERS.—Remember to pay your Gas account by the 20th and save the discount.

The Daily News.

LEWIS W. SHANNON, Proprietor.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 20.

A NICE choice of new styles in baby carriages, and a very large selection of baskets at the fancy goods store of S. Burgess & Son.

STARVING HIMSELF.—Lee, the man accused of the murder of Maggie Howie, at Napanee, is attempting to starve himself to death. He has resolutely refused food for four days.

QUIET TIMES.—This morning, as well as yesterday morning, there was a blank at the Police Court, which speaks well for the morality of the city. Not even a drunk in two days is more than an ordinary occurrence.

TENDERS FOR TOLLS.—Tenders will be received by Mr M. Flanagan, City Clerk, till noon to-morrow for the sale of tolls of markets Nos. 1 and 2. The new lease will commence on the first Monday in May.

FOR TORONTO.—This afternoon Hannah Dine and Margaret Dougherty left for the Mercer Institute, Toronto. Margaret will give Mrs O'Reilly a great deal of trouble, as she is one of the most troublesome women that ever came under the notice of the Kingston police.

CARPET BOOM!—Richmond & Boyden report quite a boom in the carpet line, as they are kept busily engaged selling and cutting them up, not only for residents but for customers as well, as the people are finding out that as good a selection can be made from their stock as even in Toronto or Montreal.

PROBABILITIES for the next twenty four hours: Lower Lakes—Westerly, veering to northwesterly winds, decreasing in force tonight; cooler, cloudy to fair weather, with showers in some localities. St Lawrence—Winds gradually shifting to westward, cloudy, cool weather, with rain, partially clearing to-night.

THE WEEKLY.—The CHRONICLE & NEWS, the weekly edition of the NEWS was published from this office this morning. It contains a budget of interesting local, district and telegraphic news, correct market reports and carefully selected reprint. On sale at the Bookstores or at the office in wrappers for mailing. Price 5 cents.

A SMALL FIRE.—At noon to-day a fire was discovered burning in the end of a shed in rear of Mr J. McDermott's carriage factory. It was extinguished, however, with a few pails of water. It is supposed that the fire caught from a spark blown from a fire in the yard, which was being used in putting a tyre on a wheel. The engine and reel responded promptly, but their services were not required.

The Canadian Monthly has of late been notable for the number of really excellent articles on distinctively Canadian subjects, by leading Canadians. In the April number "Patriotism" [illegible] understood to be that able writer, Mr Thomas Hodgins, concludes an admirable paper on "The Northern and Western Boundaries of Ontario," which has already been referred to at length in our editorial columns. Honorable Ex Speaker Cockburn writes on "The Power of Disallowance and its National Importance"—a most timely topic, after the notable discussion which closed in the Commons on Saturday morning. "Ellerslie Grange" is a pretty little story. Mrs Col Clarke, of Elora, has a chatty contribution in her "Peep at Convent Life and Education." There are memorial verses to Longfellow and Wordsworth by two rising Canadian poets. The Young People's Department, the a fine and other characteristics of the magazine are well maintained. Toronto: Rose Belford Publishing Co.

THE ADDINGTON ELECTION.

It appears from a communication in another column that we were in error in saying that Mr Britton had hitherto attempted to enter the House of Commons. That gentleman's efforts have been more modest than was indicated, he having run for the Legislative Council in 1864 and for the local legislature in 1868. In the former case a majority of 1,310 decided to prefer Sir Alexander Campbell, as he is styled now, and in the latter a majority of 237 was recorded against him. Mr Britton must pardon us for not being exactly informed concerning his political career, it is worthy a more intimate acquaintance. However, we have no fear of being "in at the death," when the third and last chapter will be added to the record, conveying a lesson of similar sadness to that contained in the former two.

Vankoughnet's Trial Postponed.

The Court opened this morning at 10 o'clock. It was intended to proceed with the Vankoughnet trial, but Mr Henderson, Q.C., said he was not prepared to proceed, as the most important witnesses were not present. The names of the witnesses were called, and only a few answered their names. The Judge stated that as several of those who had been subpoenaed to give evidence and who did not file an appearance would be arrested and placed in gaol to await their being called. It was then decided to postpone the trial till to-morrow morning. Witnesses will take note of the Judge's remarks.

The first case called was that of Isaac Henry Radford vs. the Merchants' Bank of Canada. E. H. Smythe for plaintiff, B. M. Britton for defendants. An action on warranty of horse power.

When the case was about half through the Judge remembered that he was a stock holder of the bank in question, and he regretted that he had taken up the case. Dr. Smythe was willing that the Judge should try the case, but Mr Britton, Q.C. objected, citing the case of a Church Society v. Bolton in support of his objection. The Judge then refused to proceed further, and traversed the case till next Assizes, costs to abide the event.

TRUE BILL.

The Grand Jury last night found a true bill against Mills, charged with assaulting the police. This case was going on this afternoon when we went to press.

Regarding the Brown Freeman case, the latter being charged with embezzlement, it is said that it has fallen through, Brown having left the city. Freeman is therefore exonerated.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Scraps from our Reporter's Note-book.

The shoemakers have an orator who would shine in the Council.

Mr McCutcheon sold his bay horse this morning to the Americans for $145. He thinks he made a good sale.

"I've been heron bad things about you," said one big bird to another. "Let's stork about something else," was the response.

Two of the shoemakers at the meeting last night stated that they had been on strikes for five and eleven weeks respectively.

A timber dealer, who assisted a friend to put down a new carpet, received the bill for the carpet from the merchant. He intends to stick to his legitimate business in the future.

Mr Robert Poole, proprietor of the Poole's Summer Resort and Thousand Island Boarding House, near Grenadier Island, on the St Lawrence, will shortly issue an attractive circular.

Sergeant Thompson of the Montreal Engineers who received special mention at Major Walker's last inspection of the Engineers, has been presented with a gold chain by the men and officers of the corps.

DID NOT FIND THE BODY.

Mr Joseph Lachance returned from Gananoque this morning, where he went to search for the body of his stepson, Thomas McLennan. The water in the vicinity of the drowning was very rough, which rendered it impossible to grapple with success, so the work had to be abandoned until calm weather sets in, when search will again be made for the body. It appears that on Sunday morning last McLennan and Jas. Baldwin left Gananoque for Clayton (where the former has a sister living) in a skiff, rigged as a sail boat. When they reached Hemlock Island they landed, fearing to go further, the wind blew so hard. They waited at the house of Mr Robertson for about two hours when they decided to return to Gananoque. They were warned not to start out again, but they did not consider there was much danger is going back. They left the island, and had only gone about a mile when the boat upset, and both were drowned. Baldwin leaves a wife, but no children. McLennan was a single man. Last winter he worked for the Messrs McEwen, machinists, Queen street. On Tuesday morning Mrs Lachance (McLennan's mother) being under the impression that something was wrong at her daughter's house, Gananoque, left for that place. She had been gone but half an hour when the telegram announcing the accident was received.

PERSONAL.

Mr J. Bullough, of England, is registered at the British American Hotel.

Gen. Burt, who has been lying ill at Saratoga for some time, continues to fail.

Mr Peter Gray, of Chicago, formerly of this city, is in town visiting friends.

Joseffy, the celebrated pianist, has decided to remain in America for another season.

Mr David Downs, Inspector of the London and Lancashire Insurance Company, is in town.

Mr James Agnew, City Solicitor, is mentioned in connection with the vacant position of Crown Attorney.

Jay Gould proposes to spend $35,000 in re-decorating the Grand Opera House, New York, for manager Henry E. Abbey.

Dr. Dawson, Montreal, son of Principal Dawson, has been appointed surgeon in connection with the Langdon & Shepard contract on the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Rev. Mr Scringer, of Montreal, having been obliged to retire from his charge on account of ill health, was presented with $450 last night. He is leaving for the south of France.

Mr F. Dobbs is registered at the Windsor. He has just arrived from England with two friends named Mr Hay and Mr C. R. Laffery, who will proceed with him to Manitoba.

Ald. Booth, of Toronto, formerly secretary of the Manufacturer's Association, was in the city to-day making arrangements for supplying certain machinery to the Carcoal and Iron Company. Mr Booth is one of the most extensive copper manufacturers in Ontario.

THE SHOEMAKERS.

The Shoemakers in Council—They Refuse the Bosses' Offer and Decide to Strike—Bursts of Oratory.

Last evening the journeymen shoemakers of Kingston assembled in St. Patrick's Hall for the purpose of taking final action as regards the scale of wages proposed by their employers. There were about thirty persons present, and the meeting was conducted in the most orderly manner. The men were all dressed in their best, and looked as if they had prepared themselves for church rather than for a trades' meeting. On the whole, they presented a most respectable appearance.

The chairman, after declaring the meeting opened, read the scale of prices demanded by the men and that offered by the bosses, and pointed out the difference between them. The two scales are as follows:—

MEN'S DEMANDS.

Knee boots, single sole, $2; do., double sole, $2.25; Wellington, single sole, $1.90; gaiters, $1.65; Balmorals, $1.65; shoes, $1.60; turns, patent leather, $1.25; fancy slippers, 75c.

Shop work, a reduction of 10c. all around.

Extras—Cork sole, $1; double deckers, $1; spur boxes, 50c; nail bottom, 25c; slip sole, 20c; block box, 10c; covered box, 20c.

Women's work all round, $1.25; with stitch, $1.50; fancy turns, all round, 65c; extra slips, 10c.

Misses—A reduction of 10c all round on women's.

Calf pegged boots—Patch bottom, $1.25; slipped, $1.10; single, $1.10; shop patch bottom, $1.10; slip and single, $1.

Kip pegged boots—Taps or slips, $1; Balmorals or gaiters, custom, 90c; do., shop, 80c; shoes, custom, 75c; do., shop, 65c; women's bals, custom or shop, 65c; knee boots, patches or slip $1.25; Cobourgs, do., 75c; extra mock stitch, 5c; three-sole, on any boot, 10c.

Boys calf boots, custom, 90c; do., gaiters, Balmorals or shoes, 65c; do., kip boots, 80c; stock less all round of 10c.

Fitting—Knee boot, tongues, 90c; river boot, do., 50c; calf do., custom, 45c; do., shop, 40c; kip, shop, 35c; footings, 30c; Cobourgs, 25c; shooting boots, flat seam, 90c; patent rand, boots, $2; boys' kip, 35c; do., calf, 40c.

Repairing—Men's pegged soles, 30c; do., sewed, 35c; heeling, 12½c; vamping, half soles and heeling, 70c; women's pegged half soles, 20c; do., heeling, 10c; do., sewed half soles, 25c; (including welts, 60c.); women's, patches, all round, 5c; toe caps, 15c; tips, 3c.

BOSSES OFFER.

Napoleon boots, sprigged soles, $2.15; do., single sole, $2; Wellingtons, single, $1.75; gaiters, single, $1.60; balmorals, single, $1.60; turns, patent leather, $1.15; shoes, single, $1.55; fancy slippers, 75c.

Shop Work—Wellingtons, single, $1.60; gaiters and balmorals, single, $1.50; shoes, single, $1.45.

Extras—Cork soles, $1; double deckers, $1; spur boxes, 50c; sprigged bottoms, 15c; slip soles and block box toe, 10c; covered box toe, 20c.

Ladies—Women's work, all round, $1.15; misses, from 12s to 2s, $1; from 5s to 11s, 85c; women's fancy turns, all round, 60c. Extras, with stitch, 25c; slips, 5c.

Men's Pegged Calf—Napoleons, double, $1.25; Wellingtons, patch sole, $1.15; do., single or slip, 85c; gaiters or balmorals, single or slip, custom, 80c; do., shop, 70c; shoes, single or slip, custom, 70c; do., shop, 60c.

Kip Work—Wellingtons, patch or slip, custom, 95c; do., shop, 80c. Extras—River boots, three soles, hand pricked and stitched, $1.40.

Women's Pegged—Balmorals, single or slip, 60c; shoes, do., 60c.

Men's Pegged—Cobourgs, slip sole, 65c; shoes, do., 60c.

Boys Pegged—Calf, custom, 80c; gaiters, balmorals and shoes, 65c.

Fitting—Napoleon, 85c; river boots, 50c; calf boots, custom, 45c; do., shop, 40c; kip boots, custom, 40c; do., shop, 35c; footings, calf or kip, 30c; cobourgs, 20c; water tight boots, all hand work, 90c; patent rising boots, hand, $2; boys' kip, 30c; do., calf, 35c.

REPAIRING.

Men's half soles, sewed 30c; do., pegged, 25c; vamping, half soling and heeling, pegged, 65c; heeling, 10c; welting men's, 25c.

Women's half soles, pegged or sewed, 20c; heeling, 8c; welting, 15c; patches, 5c; toe caps, 15c; tips, 3c.

AN ORATOR.

The speaker of the evening was quite a young man. He spoke clearly and distinctly, and his words aroused great enthusiasm among his hearers. He thought the men should not accept the offer of the bosses for two reasons. In the first place they are offering less for some work than it was ever made for before, and why should the men accept a reduction? In the second place there is only a difference of about 5c all round, and the bosses could better afford to come up that much than the men to go down to the same extent, but if the men were to give in the employers would have it to say that they were triumphant. If the bosses offer were accepted the work would be done less than in any other city. At Winnipeg $2.50 and $2.75 was being given for sewed work. Notwithstanding that shoemakers had to serve an apprenticeship they did not get as much wages as a labouring man. Take the labourer, who is employed by the Corporation, he gets 90c and $1 per day. Any man could do as much work in an hour as these labourers do in a day. Therefore the shoemaker had to work a whole day (from 10 to 12 hours) for very little more than the other got for a four hour's work. (Loud cheers.) Shoemakers were freemen and had rights the same as other freemen. The great aim of a mechanic was to give his family a good education, but the shoemaker could not do under the existing scale of wages; in fact it is impossible to live properly upon them (Cheers.) Those present were descendants, so to speak, of the great St Crispin, and should show that they were not alone worthy but determined to walk in the footsteps of their forefathers. There was not the least doubt that if they were unanimous they would be successful in their demand for wages.

Another man said the increase was very low, and it should have been given without a murmur. The list of wages presented by the bosses was lower even in some respects than what they were working for before. It would be out of the question altogether to accept it. Many of the men, if they went to work under the bosses' list, would make less wages than they are now making.

Another stated that already the bosses are booking on 50 cents per pair on the boots, and giving as a reason for doing so, the increase of wages. Still they only offer the men 5 cents of an increase.

The chairman said that Messrs Moore & O'Connor had signed the bill, and had stated that they could make good profits at the rates named in it.

A motion was then moved and seconded, that the bosses' bill be not accepted. It was carried unanimously.

A discussion took place whether to appoint a deputation to wait on the bosses immediately, or wait till the morning. Some objected to having anything more to say to the bosses. They thought the latter should come and see them.

Finally three men were appointed to go and see the committee of the bosses—Messrs Allen, Adams and R. Sutherland—and bring them to the meeting to hear the result. They left the room shortly after nine o'clock on their mission. They returned in about twenty minutes. When they entered the room the men were somewhat excited and awaited the report with seeming anxiety. The report was to the effect that Mr Adams had gone home, that Mr Allen could not come, and that Mr R. Sutherland did not care to come alone.

THE FINAL ACTION.

It was then moved and seconded, that the following committee wait on the bosses in the morning to see if they will give the increase asked for: Messrs Sissons, Hackett, Volume, Darragh, Herriman, and R. O'Connell. If the bosses do not accede, the men who have no work out are to strike at once; those who have work out are to finish it before striking, and those who are working on time to finish their week.

This motion was passed unanimously.

The chairman then gave the men advice to conduct themselves in a gentlemanly manner. The committee would meet to-morrow at Mr King's to report progress. The men could call there on their road home to dinner when they would be informed what to do.

The meeting then adjourned.

ACCEPTED THE TERMS.

This morning the bosses held a meeting and decided to give the men what they asked for. A committee of the men then presented the bill for signature, and it was signed by all the employers. Thus the excitement ends.

MARINE NEWS.

The Amerma is now making trips between Deseronto and Ogdensburg.

The cautionary warning No. 2 has been ordered up on Georgian Bay and Lake Huron.

The Bismark will leave on Saturday for Bay City for timber. She will bring it to Garden Island.

It is expected that the Chicora will commence her summer trips from Toronto to Niagara on the 25th prox.

The Maud will make her first trip to the Cape on Monday next. She looks quite spruce in her new coat of paint.

The steamer Enterprise and her consort proceeded up the new Welland Canal this morning. The first of the season.

The tugs Bonar and Sherwood were to have towed a large dock from Deseronto to Oswego to-day, for the Messrs Rathbun.

Quinn Bros., the submarine divers have, been awarded the contract of taking the pig iron out of the sunken schooner Clayton Belle.

The boiler of the yacht Nautilus purchased by the Marquis of Lorne, having been found unsafe, a new one is being put in by his order.

The propellors Cuba, Armenia and City of Montreal, will form a line this season between Toronto and Ogdensburg and points on the St Lawrence.

The White Oak did the round trip between Kingston and Oswego in thirty hours, and then she waited three hours in Oswego doing nothing. She is loading ore for Fair Haven.

The tug Admiral Porter was launched last evening at Power's shipyard, after having received a large amount of repairs. Details appeared in the NEWS some days ago. She looks well.

The three steamships which the Wrecking Company have received the contract for raising are the Ottawa, Moravian, and the Lartington. The latter is sunk near the Island of Anticosti.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—Civil Service Gazette.—Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in Packets and Tins (½lb. and lb.) labelled—"JAMES EPPS & Co., Homœopathic Chemists, London, Eng." Also makers of Epps's Chocolate Essence for afternoon use.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.—The sudden changes, frequent fogs, and pervading dampness sorely impede the vital functions and conduce to ill health. The remedy for these disasters lies in some purifying medicine, like these Pills, which is competent to grapple with the mischief at its source, and stamp it out without fretting the nerves or weakening the system. Holloway's Pills extract from the blood all noxious matters, regulate the action of every disordered organ, stimulate the liver and kidneys, and relax the bowels. In curing chest complaints these Pills are remarkably effective, especially when aided by friction of the Ointment on its walls. This double treatment will ensure a certain, steady, and beneficient progress, and sound health will soon be re-established.

Dollars, which might otherwise be thrown away by resorting to ineffectual medicines, are saved by purchasing that inexpensive specific for bodily pain and remedy for affections of the throat, lungs, stomach, liver and bowels, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, which does not deteriorate, and is thorough and pure.

Thomas Myers, Bracebridge, writes: "Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is the best medicine I sell. It always gives satisfaction, and in cases of coughs, colds, sore throat, &c., immediate relief has been received by those who use it."

It is thought that a revenue cutter will be sent to the relief of the crew of the Rogers, on account of the expense of fitting out the Iroquois.

A FORGER NABBED.

A Young Englishman in the Toils—He Forges a Cheque in Belleville.

On last Thursday the Chief of Police received a telegram from Belleville giving the description and name (George Wilson) of a man and requesting that he be arrested for forgery. The telegram was handed over to Detective Sullivan, who was detailed to work up the case. He was not long in finding a man that answered the description, but refrained from arresting him till he was satisfied that he was the person wanted, the while keeping him under surveillance. This morning he made the arrest in one of the hotels. The prisoner had registered as "A. Leslan." He was brought to the station house, and on being questioned stated that he had been in Belleville about three weeks ago, but since then he had been at Oswego. He was told that he would be detained till he was identified by some one at Belleville, so he mentioned the name of Mrs Campbell Wallbridge, but that lady, on being telegraphed to, knew nothing about the man. The Chief then telegraphed the authorities at Belleville to come down. This afternoon Mr Geo. MacKey, proprietor of the Dominion Hotel, arrived, and when he entered the station Wilson was sitting on the chair. "I see they have got you" remarked the former, but Wilson looked up in pretended blank amazement and let on that he never saw Mr MacKey before. The sham lasted for a moment, however, as he saw the game was up. He was then placed in the cells.

THE FORGERY.

Mr Mackey states that Wilson came to his hotel on Good Friday, and remained there till the morning of the 14th. On the evening of the 13th he presented a cheque for $17.50 on the Bank of Commerce—signed by Messrs. Flint & Holton, sash and blind manufacturers—to Mr Mackey and asked him to cash it. The latter did so, but when he presented it at the Bank the next morning he discovered it to be a forgery. Wilson was missing at this time. Mr Mackey states that Wilson is a bad man.

HIS TRAPS.

When Wilson was searched a number of traps were found on his person. Among them were a spurious American dollar, about twelve cents in money, some type, a dozen revolver cartridges, a note book and some cards. In his notebook was a description of his travels and the country in general. There was also a letter signed "Iroquois" which was evidently written for some newspaper. There were two, one of them containing the name of H. P. Zimmerman, Secretary Y M C A, Michigan City, Illinois; another Levi Master, pastor M E Church, Albion, Michigan; another T. S. Bornell, Superintendent, Y M C.A., Chicago, Ill. There were also two photographs, one of them being of a clergyman, taken in Tavistock. Wilson is about five feet high, rather stout, and is well dressed. He is just the type of a man that would be successful in making an easy living, being very courteous and agreeable. When asked to disgorge, he replied, "With the greatest of pleasure." He will be taken back to Belleville, where he will be attended to. He told Mr Mackey that he came from Trenton.

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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Stodart Piano, Carpets, &c.

I HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS to sell at the residence of the

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All of the Furniture, &c., contained therein, consisting of one Stodart Piano, Centre, Side and other Tables, Easy Chairs, Carpets, Curtains, Poles, Sofas, Lounges, Chairs, Pictures, Writing Desk, Extension Dining Table, Clocks, Book cases, Card Tables, Bedsteads, Washstands, Bureaus, Iron Bedsteads, Spring Beds, Hair Mattresses, Toilet Sets, Refrigerator, Fine Hall Coal Stove, Coal Cook Stove, Hall Oilcloth, Glassware, Crockery, &c., with a lot of other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale at 10.30 o'clock a.m. Terms cash.

Goods will be delivered on day of sale.

J. E. HUTCHESON, Auctioneer.

April 20.

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Extra Quality of Gent's Umbrellas.

April 12.

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VALUABLE BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE ON Cataraqui and Orchard Streets (opposite the Cotton Mill); also on Cataraqui and Grove Streets. No money required down.

Apply at the Kingston Foundry.

DAVIDSON, DORAN & CO.

April 18.

A RARE CHANCE.

A VALUABLE PROPERTY ON THE corner of Bay and Bondhead streets, opposite Methodist Chapel, for sale cheap, and on easy terms. The owner, Mrs O'Donnell, has gone to reside in the United States and desires to sell at once.

For particulars apply to

T. H. McGUIRE, Barrister.

April 18.

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Much cheaper and better than anywhere else.

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Lime Juice Cordial, quarts and pints.
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FOR PUDDINGS AND PIES.

4 pounds Fresh Stewing Figs for 25 cents; 4 pounds Fresh Stewing Prunes for 25 cents; 3½ pounds Dried Stewing Apples for 25 cents.

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Pure Tea from the Districts of Assam, Darjeeling and Kangra Valley, British India. Its first appearance in this Market. Also, 100 half chests Choice English Breakfast Black Tea. These Teas are the finest ever brought to this city. For sale at the

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100 Barrels Heavy Mess Pork,
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500 Bags Spring Extra Flour,
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Kingston, April 18.

Kingston & Pembroke Railway Co.

NOTICE is hereby given that the fifth call (10 per cent.) on the new issue of capital stock of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway will be payable on or before the 12th day of May, 1882, at the office of the Company in Kingston.

By order,

GEO. OSBORNE, Secretary and Treasurer.

April 14.

REMOVAL.

THE ONTARIO

Building & Savings' Society

HAVE REMOVED THEIR OFFICE TO THE GROUND FLOOR OF

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On the North Side of Clarence Street, a few doors above King Street, and nearly opposite the Custom House.

JAMES McARTHUR, Manager.

November 17.

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April 18.