

DATES TO REMEMBER.

OPERA HOUSE, ONE NIGHT ONLY THURSDAY, APRIL 28th, 1887.

Special Engagement of the Famous English Actor, Mr. WILSON BARRETT, Supported by MISS EASTLAKE and the London Princess Theatre Company.

3-COMplete PLAYS IN ONE EVENING-3 The Tragedy of CHATBERTON. The Drama of THE COLOR SARGEANT. The Comedy of a CLERICAL ERROR.

WATER WORKS NOTICE. THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the City of Kingston Water Works Company will be held at the Company's office on MONDAY, 2nd May next.

TO BE RAFFLED ON SATURDAY, THE 21st OF MAY. The Steam Yacht "DAISY," in good running order. Length 31 feet, width 8 feet, engine 6 in. square, boiler upright.

MISCELLANEOUS. G. A. HOLLAND, (Established 1844), Importer and Manufacturer of BASKETS.

CLOTHES BASKETS. WORK BASKETS. TRUNK BASKETS. BABY WILLOW CRADLES. BABY WILLOW CHAIRS. TRAVELLING BASKETS. HAND BASKETS. FLOWER BASKETS. PAPER BASKETS. MARKET BASKETS.

G. A. HOLLAND, 1758 and 1760 Notre Dame St., 35 and 37 St. John Street, Montreal. April 20.



PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN to all whom it may concern, that the Council of the Corporation of the City of Kingston intend passing a By-law after the expiration of one month from and after the date and first publication of this notice.

All persons whose lands are affected and who petition to be heard, will be heard by the said Council either in person or by Counsel or Attorney, before passing the said By-law.

M. FLANAGAN, City Clerk, Kingston, April 20th, 1887.

PAINTING I

JENNIE C. SHAW is prepared to give lessons in FLOWER, LANDSCAPE, MARINE and DECORATIVE PAINTING; also beginners taught Elementary Drawing.

Orders taken for painting on silk, satin, plush, felt, etc., executed at short notice. April 27.

In the Matter of Edward Chatterton, Insolvent. ALL CREDITORS of Edward Chatterton, of the City of Kingston, Builder, are required to send in proof of their claims to the undersigned at said City on or before the 15th DAY OF MAY NEXT.

FRANCIS SCANTLION, Assignee. Kingston, 9th April, 1887.

GEORGE CLIFF, The General Real Estate Agent.

HOUSES TO RENT. TENANTS FOUND Building Lots, Farms, &c., bought and sold on commission.



Winter Exposure Causes Coughs Colds, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Pneumonia, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache and other ailments, for which Benison's Compound is admitted to be the best remedy known.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

THE BRITISH WHIG is published every evening, at 336 King Street, Kingston, Ontario. AT SIX DOLLARS PER YEAR.

ADVERTISEMENTS. For four lines, one or two insertions, \$30 25 For four lines, each subsequent insertion, 10c per line.

THE WEEKLY BRITISH WHIG, 8 pages, 56 columns, is published every Thursday morning at \$1 a year.

THE DAILY WHIG. "Opifer per Orbem Dicor." CRIMINAL LIBEL.

Now that the provincial legislature has amended the law of libel, so far as civil actions are concerned, the efforts of newspaper publishers should, in the opinion of the Toronto News, be directed with renewed energy to securing the needed changes in the criminal law.

LANDSLOWNE'S TENANTS.

The WHIG does not, in its references to the Lansdowne evictions, hold that they should not be criticised, but it does not think there is any warrant for carrying the war against the governor-general is here at present.

MR. JUSTICE MCGUIRE.

It is now in order for the friends of Mr. T. H. McGuire, Q.C., to congratulate him upon his appointment to the position of judge of the supreme court for the district of Saskatchewan, N.W.T.

ment. But Prince Albert, his future home, is growing, the country about is developing, and every day will make him more reconciled to the changed order of events.

Appointments to public office now-a-days, civil or judicial, are influenced by political considerations. The new courts in the North-West Territories having been created by the present government it was only to be expected that it would reward by appointment to the same those who were friendly to it.

Political and legal and other friends will, of course, congratulate Mr. McGuire; but the WHIG congratulates him as a journalist. It may not be generally known, but it is a fact nevertheless, that he has for a couple of years acted as editor of the News and rendered a service the termination of which our contemporary must regret.

SCOTT ACT IN RENFREW.

The Exhibit Given by a Churchman - The Act is a Success.

Canada Citizen. Rev. Jas. Lawson, of Cobden, Renfrew Co., so able an exponent of temperance that he earned the honor of an assault from a local hotel-keeper, writes us an able and exhaustive letter about the working of the Scott act.

"Before the 1st of May, 1885, Cobden was a notorious place for drunkenness. I used to see drunken men reeling on the streets, driving furiously, or too drunk to do either, besides a drunken fight every now and then.

"If it be said there is the same amount of drinking, only it is done more privately, than I reply, even if that were true, I would support the act which keeps liquor and the men who drink it from being such a public nuisance.

"As an instance of the good effect of the act I may state that when the Orange demonstration took place here last July, though it was computed there were from 4,000 to 5,000 people present, there was not a drunken man on the ground, and it was remarked by many that not the sign of liquor was to be found on anyone during the whole day.

"I am glad, therefore, to be able to state that the act is a success in Cobden and if it be not in other places it is the fault of the people and not of the act. It has not restored this part of the world to paradisaical bliss, as some seemed to imagine it would, and are now bitterly disappointed because it is not just like Eden, but it has made about as much difference in the place as the sun does when it rises in all its morning glory and chases away the darkness of the night.

A Splendid Assortment. Z. Prevost has a splendid assortment this season in Scotch tweeds and fancy worsteds, for suitings. They are selling fast.

DRY GOODS.

FIRST OF MAY. MOVING DAY.

LACE CURTAINS! CURTAIN NETS, LAMBREQUINS, WINDOW HOLLANDS AND SHADES,

Carpets, Oil-Cloths, And General House Furnishings Cheap and Good at

HARDY'S, #1 ONE PRICE STORE, 88 Princess Street, Kingston. April 25.

EXCELLED ALL OTHERS. In our Millinery and Corset Display.

Come and pronounce on the Mammoth Assortment of low and medium priced

LADIES' & GIRLS' PARASOLS. We are showing. Prices are Right.

In our Special Departments we give a larger choice and at lower prices than any other house in the city.

B. DORAN & CO., The Big Millinery Room, 126 PRINCESS STREET. April 25.

SALES BY HUTCHESON. IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

I HAVE received instructions from Mrs. DR. SKINNER to sell at her residence, Johnson St., on THURSDAY, APRIL 28th, all of her elegant Household Furniture.

NEW AUCTION ROOMS "GRAND STAND," MARKET SQUARE, KINGSTON, ONT.

DAVY & MARTIN. Have opened an Auction Room in the City Building, where they will thankfully receive for sale all goods entrusted to them.

THE LARDER. CITY FLOUR STORE. CHOICE FAMILY & BAKERS' FLOUR SEED GRAIN, PRESSED HAY, CLOVER AND TIMOTHY SEED.

C. D. FRANKLIN, MARKET SQUARE. Feb. 4.

JUST ARRIVED AT MRS. J. K. OLIVER'S A Fine Supply of FRESH OYSTERS, FRESH BOLOGNA, SAUSAGES, CHICKEN, HAM & TONGUE.

MRS. J. K. OLIVER. California ORANGES, From Riverside, at the BAZAAR.

REES BROS., April 14. Mass. Confectioners.

ALLAN STEAMSHIP LINE. J. P. GILDESLLEEVE, Agent. April 18. 42 CLARENCE STREET

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

ORDER AT ONCE. \$5 Picture For \$1.25. MUNKACSY'S GREAT PICTURE

CHRIST BEFORE PILATE

A perfect copy on steel of Munkacsy's Great Picture, "CHRIST BEFORE PILATE." IT IS A FAITHFUL REPRODUCTION of the Original Picture, which has just been sold for over One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

SIZE 22 x 28 INCHES. PRICE \$1.25. MUNKACSY'S "CHRIST BEFORE PILATE"

Just published a faithful copy of M. DE MUNKACSY'S great picture "CHRIST BEFORE PILATE," which has just been sold for over One Hundred Thousand Dollars, in a fine steel plate engraving, done in line and stipple, measuring 22x28 inches.

J. Henderson & Co., BOOKSELLERS, KINGSTON, ONTARIO. March 29.

SUMMER GAMES.

BASEBALLS, BASEBALL BATS, RUBBER BALLS, LACROSSE STICKS, CROQUET, LAWN TENNIS RACKETS, LAWN TENNIS BALLS, &c.

F. NISBET'S, The Corner Bookstore. April 19.

THE NEW WORK ON Precise Writing and Indexing

SEND \$1.50 AND SECURE A COPY. Address: MCKAY & WOOD, Kingston, Ont.

SECOND-HAND BOOKS. Second-Hand Books bought and sold by A. SIMMONDS, 406, 2. PRINCESS STREET.

MISCELLANEOUS. VICTORIA PAINT SHOP.

INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR. Painting and Decorating.

No Specialties. All first-class work. A full line of Brockett's LIQUID ELASTIC PAINTS, superior to any in the world.

Estimates and designs furnished free. W. J. SAVAGE, April 22. 40 MONTREAL STREET.

THREE DAYS MORE, Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

Great Sale of Boots & Shoes

DICK & SONS, Previous to removal to the store long occupied by the late W. Allen, on Wellington Street, nearly opposite the Seven Cent Store, until their new premises are ready for occupation. Call and get a bargain. B. J. DICK & SON. April 20.