OUR CIVIC GOVERNMENT.

A Gift of Bishop Cleary to the Cfty-Turning an Old Burial Ground Into a Park -The Anti-Coercion Resolutions-The Accounts Ordered to be Paid.

A regular meeting of the city council was held last evening. There were present: The mayor, Alds. Drennan, Downing, Gildersleeve, Hiscock, Hobart, Muckleston, Mc-Guire, McIntyre, Phelan, Redden, Rees, C. Robinson, W. Robinson, Shannon, Smith, Snowden, Thompson, Wilmot, and Wilson. The minutes of the last meeting were read

and found correct. THE COMMUNICATIONS PRESENTED. From W. P. Lett, city clerk of Ottawa,

enclosing a resolution passed by the council of that city, regretting the adoption, by the house of commons, of a resolution respecting a bill now before the imperial parliament for the prevention of crime in Ireland. It was hoped that such a resolution might not prove subversive of the rights and liberties of her majesty's subjects in Canada by inviting improper interference on the part of the legislative bodies throughout the world in the domestic legislation of Canada. No

From James Agnew, city solicitor, drawing the attention of the council to an act to extend the operations of the Land Titles act, and stating that the council might pass a by-law, declaring it expedient that the provisions of the said act be extended. Another document from Mr. Agnew reviewed the recent amendments to the Municipal act, as passed by the local legislature.

From T. W. Nash, secretary of the Kingston & Pembroke railway company, asking that before action be taken in the matter of the car works exemption a deputation from the company be heard.

From the board of trade, urging the council to take early action towards the building of the proposed extension of the N. T. & Q. RR. from Yarker to Kingston. A committee, composed of the following aldermen, was selected to consider the petition: The mayor, Alds. McIntyre, Thompson, Harty, Muckleston and Shannon.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS. Ald. Thompson—The petition of a number of ratepayers, asking that the streets near their premises be watered. - Referred. Ald. C. F. Smith-The petition of J. Jones, asking for permission to erect a venecred building. Referred to the fire, water and gas committee.

Ald. C. F. Smith-The petition of the Holder Brothers, applying for a billiard license. Referred.

Ald. W. Robinson-The petition of J. Waddell, asking for a remission of frontage tax. Referred.

THE OLD BURIAL GROUND. A letter was read from his lordship Bishop Cleary relating to the conversion of the ground off Ordnance street into a park. The bishop stated that after a consultation with the members of his congregation, whose deceased friends were interred in the disused ground, he had decided, with their concurrence, to grant the use of the Catholic portion of the burial ground to the city council for the purpose specified. His congregation joined heartily with him in this act of kindness to the citizens. Nothing was asked by way of return. They de sired it to manifest their good will and friendliness in the matter. As it was absolutely necessary to exhume the remains of the dead and convey them in solemn religious form from the present cemetery, he anticipated a couple of weeks of delay before transferring the ground to the council. In the meantime the deed could be prepared and he would execute it in due time. A committee was appointed to deal with the matter thus : Alds. Thompson, McIntyre, Gildersleeve, Muckleston, Harty, Shannon and Wilmot. Ald. Thompson intimated that the action of the bishop, with reference to the ground, would be greatly appreciated by the citizens. He had no doubt that the Anglican and Scotch bodies, interested in adjacent grounds, would consent to the conversion of their burial grounds into a park. A vote of thanks was unanimously passed to

FINANCES OF THE CITY. The report of the committee on finance, presented by Ald. McIntyre, recommended the payment of the following accounts : Pay list, \$596.13; W. Cockburn & Son, \$34; A. Caldwell & Son, \$89.37; R. W. Martin, \$172.13; P. Lawless, \$2; J. Asselstine, \$17.87; James Reid, \$42; B. Keegan, \$20; P. Lennan, \$30; D. McEwen & Son, \$11. 65; Auditors' salaries, \$300; M. Cummins, \$5 ; C. Biddle, \$33.88 ; expenses of deputation to Ottawa anent dry dock, \$100; James Agnew, \$1.30; John Lemmon, \$30; Mrs. H. Naylor, \$12; Battersea stage driver, \$30 : K. & P.R. Co., \$4.65 ; remissions of taxes, \$5.81; Britton & Whiting, \$22; Mrs. F. Summerville, for injuries received while walking on a defective crossing, \$100. - Report adopted.

Bishop Cleary for the steps he had taken in

the matter.

Messrs. A. McArthur and J. E. Clark, auditors, reported that they had found the city accounts correct. Warrants and receipts were produced for all payments made by the treasurer. The books of the police magistrate, the clerk of the police court, secretary and treasurer of the public school board, and of the treasurer of the high school, were found correct. Statements showing the sources and amount of revenue and ordinary expenditure, the receipts and disbursements, assets and liabilities, and taxes for 1885-86, accompanied the report.

STREETS COMMITTEE'S REPORT. Ald. Thompson submitted the report on streets and improvements, which recommended that Mrs. F. Sommerville receive \$105 as compensation for injuries received through a bad crossing. The report was adopted. The alderman also submitted a by-law with reference to the increasing of the area to be traversed by the watering carts. The bylaw was accepted. Ald. Redden asked if action had been taken regarding the opening up of Sydenham and West streets. The mayor said this matter was under considera-

REACHING THE BY-LAW.

A by law granting the gas works company permission to erect poles for electric light purposes was read a third time and

Ald. Smith submitted a by-law for the government of the weighing of coal-second reading. After a couple of clauses had been read, showing that were it passed, scales, and grounds to locate them on, would have to be purchased, Aid. Redden said he did not approve of it. He thought it should be printed and distributed among the aldermen so that they could carefully consider it. Ald. Thompson also thought the carrying out of the by law would be an expensive undertaking. Ald. Drennan considered that it would be unfair to compel coal dealers to weigh their coal on scales located in different parts of the city. Ald. C. F. Smith pointed out that if the by-law passed a revenue of not less than \$1,200 would be secured by the city. In some respects the by-law was identical with coal by-laws, passed in the cities of Moutreal, Toronto and Hamilton. It was considered that if a bylaw was passed, empowering the city commis-

sioner to deal with the coal matter, it would be a judicious step. After considerable discussion it was agreed to let the reading of Ald. Smith's by law stand until the next meeting. In the meantime it will be printed and distributed among the aldermen. The council adjourned at 10 o'clock.

A BOOM FOR QUEEN'S.

The Mentreal Committee at Work-It Will Help the Jubilee Fund.

The Montreal Herald contains a lengthy editorial on Queen's university, from which

we clip the following paragraph: "It has been conducted on such liberal principles that it has supported students and graduates of every class and creed, and from the character of its work it is now universally recognized as the university of Eastern Ontario.

"At the McGill graduates' dinner the chairman and Sir William Dawson made overtures, half in fun, half in earnest, to Queen's to unite with McGill, and Principal Grant pleasantly responded that he was quite willing, if Kingston were agreed upon as the site. Talk of this kind will, of course, never amount to anything. McGill is surely moored here, and Queen's is on a rock at Kingston. There is room for both, and while there are some advantages in a large city being the site of a university, there are others connected with a small city that a good many people, parents especially, will always appreciate.

"Considering the work done by Queen's, the number of its students, its steady growth and its present modest endowment, to ask for \$250,000 cannot be considered an extravagant demand. Of its success there can be little doubt, judging by the response which Kingston has made. Fifty thousand dollars was estimated as its share, but it is considered certain that seventy or eighty thousand will be contributed by the plucky little

"The Montreal branch of the committee meet this week to arrange for its portion of the work. Montreal will, of course, do its share. Many of our citizens will cheerfully assist Queen's, because of its connections and associations, and the gallant fight it has made with scanty means and the independent stand against over-centralization which it has taken. Others sympathize with it because of the liberal spirit that has always characterized its personnel, and its methods of study, for it is admitted by all that no university has shown itself more responsive to the spirit of the times and been so ready to institute reforms. And a select tew, who rise above local and denominational considerations, will aid, because they believe that the prosperity of the country is determined by the development of the mind of the people generally and the development of a Canadian spirit. They know that a university in the centre of a large population and varied industries, where the desire for education is universal, partly because the soil is not over generous and where little wealth has been accumulated, will reach thousands of young men who would not be drawn to distant cities, and that a commercial capital like Montreal should take a generous interest in the good of the whole country, were it for no other reason than that the whole country pays tribute to it and ministers to its own great-

CARE OF THE PARK.

Plymouth Brethren's Tent-Erected With-

out Authority of the Council. Ald. Redden, chairman of the park committee, said last evening that his attention had been called to a tent which had been erected in the cricket field and located close to shade trees. He wanted to know from whom its owners got authority to erect it. It was a bad idea to have the tent close to young trees. They were in danger of being destroyed. Ald. Hiscock, chairman of the city property committee, said that some Plymouth Brethren asked him if they could put up a tent for religious exercises in the cricket field. He did not see any objection to the request, and referred them to Ald. C. F. Smith. He rose and explained that the mayor had sent the brethren to the city property committee. Ald. Redden contended that the matter should have been dealt with by the committee on parks. No other committee had a right to take the matter off its hands. The mayor said the brethren had promised to protect the property. Ald. Thompson jumped to his feet and very emphatically stated that the park and cricket field had to be protected. They were being beautified, and it was important that the trees in them should be protected. The boulevards should also be cared for. They were at present being destroyed throughout the city by cows and boys. If persons were known to injure the boulevards they should

be punished. Ald. Drennan drew attention to the fact that boys go to the artillery park to play base ball and smoke. At present there was about \$500,000 worth of property in the park, and it should be protected. If the boys were not kept out of the park the citizens would not be allowed the use of it. The police will look after the "kids" in future.

WATERING THE STREETS.

A Suggestion Anent the Big Turn Out of the Military on Sunday Next.

Ald. Drennan, at the council meeting, asked the council to order that the streets be watered on Sunday next. The Governor-General Foot Guards, and the members of the 14th battalion, would march to church, and if the streets were not watered the dust would be very annoying. Ald. Thompson objected. He argued that the soldiers were no better than the citizens and could put up with a little dust just as well. He was not in favor of working horses and men on Sunday. The streets would be watered late on Saturday night and no doubt they would be damp on the following day. Ald. Drennan : "There will be lots of dust on that day if the weather keeps dry." Ald. Shannon thought the streets should be watered on Sunday next as the ladies' dresses should be protected from the dust. Ald. Wilson said that the men and horses should rest on the Sabbath, and Ald. Snowden said it would not look well to see the watering carts out on Sunday. The matter dropped.

By the way the area to be watered in the city this year, as detailed in Ald. Thompson's by-law, is as follows : Ontario street, from William to Place d'Armes; Wellington, from Gore to Queen ; Bagot, from Barrie to Queen; Montreal, from Brock to Queen ; Sy lenham, from West to Colborne Clergy, from Earl to Princess; Barrie, from Murney point to Colborne; Division, from Brock to Queen; Gordon, from Gore to Princess : West, from King to Wellington : Earl, from King to Clergy; William, from water's edge to Sydenham; Johnson, from water's edge to Barrie ; Clarence, from Ontario to Bagot ; Brock, from water's edge to Clergy, and from Barrie to Division; Princess, from water's edge to Alfred; Queen, from King to Barrie; Colborne, from Sy-

denham to Barrie. On the 4th, the marriage of Miss Findley, daughter of R. Findley, of Charleston, to Mr. Shook of Leeds, was celebrated, by Rev. R. A. Jones, Farmersville, The schr. Oliver Mowat cleared for Cleve-

land with ore to day.

IMMORAL LITERATURE.

VISITING DOCTORS ACCUSED OF OFFENSIVE CONDUCT.

Distributing Hand-bills and Pamphlets Whose Reading is Declared to be Corrupting-Can the City do Anything ?-Matter Referred to the City Solicitor.

At the council meeting last evening, the mayor stated that complaints had been made to him about the distribution of immoral hand-bills and pamphlets throughout the city. He had, therefore, instructed the city solicitor to take such proceedings as he might deem advisable to stop the circulation of it. Ald. Thompson asked if the people, who were circulating the slips, had been licensed to practice medicine here. Judge McGuire stated that they could practice as long as they were Canadian graduates in medicine. Of course, if they were not Ca nadians there might be some chance of preventing their operations. It was understood that American medical firms, in order to carry on their operations in Canada, had employed Canadian graduates. Ald. Thompson referred to the extensive circulation o the literature in question. He thought it possible that some of the aldermen might be contaminated by it. Ald. McIntyre: "You refer to your own cide of the house, I suppose." Ald. Thompson continued, stating that in the interests of citizens and their families, the distribution of the literature referred to should be prohibited. Another view of the subject was the protection of the resident doctors. They were reliable men, and their business should be protected from the invasion of strangers. The new doctors at present in the city should have no more right to practice here without paying a license than persons in other lines of business. From the latter a transient traders' tax was exacted. Ald. Redden-"Are lawyers taxed for practicing?" Ald. Thompson-"Lawyers are good men and should be exempted." (Laughter.) Ald. Phelan did not think the law could stop the strangers practising here, but he thought something should be done to prevent the dissemination of the offensive literature which had been floating about the city for days. He found some of it near a public school, and if some action were not taken to stop its circulation the minds of the children would be poisoned by the reading of it. Judge McGuire thought it would be well if the city solicitor's attention were directed to this matter. He might be able to frame a by law that would deal effectually with such medical gentlemen as are visiting the city at present. They cannot, however, be called transient traders when they have a profession. The mayor acted very prudently in notifying the city solicitor of what was going on. Ald. Phalen did not think the city could interfere with doctors coming to the city. Ald. Hobart thought that if a heavy tax were imposed upon them they would keep away. The matter was left to the city solicitor to deal with.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Paragraphs of Interest as Picked Up by Our Busy Reporters on the Street.

Dr. Alice McGillivray has removed across Princess street to Dr. Sparks' stand, No.

A lizard six inches in length came through a water tap in Mr. J. McGowan's residence this morning. Joseph Ament, of Stratford, comes to the

penitentiary for two years for passing counterfeit money. It is likely that the city solicitor will frame a by-law governing the operations of quack doctors who come to the city.

Why will you cough when Shiloh's cure will give immediate relief? Price, 10c., 50c and \$1. W. J. Wilson, agent, Kingston. For the best quality of Scranton stove

coal, also for English (Newcastle) black smith's, coal at lowest rates, go to gas works coal yard. A new time table has gone into use on the Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg railway.

Trains arrive at Cape Vincent at 10:40 a.m. and 6:15 p.m. Dry edgings, \$2.50 per cord ; dry slabs, \$3 per cord ; dry soft wood, dry hard wood, always on hand at Crawford's wood and coal

yard ; office foot of Queen street. Four of the children of Blake Edwards, Storrington, were attacked by diphtheria, and a son of five years died, the others having a narrow escape.

A bull dog, owned by Ald. Drennan, viciously bit P. Noland in the hand yesterday. He has laid his case before the police. The dog will either be muzzled or killed.

Elizabeth Stuart Phelps will have a story in the June Centucy, illustrated by Mary Hallock Foote and I. R. Wiles. It touches the temperance question and is of unusual pathos and strength.

"Mrs. S., have you tried the roll bacon Crawford is selling at 10c. per fb. ? It is lovely." This is the expression of all who buy our rolls or pic-nic hams at 10c. per fb. James Crawford.

The name of the Wellesley house, near Thousand Island Park, has been changed to "Fine View house." Woodward & Green, new proprietors, propose to run the house on strictly temperance principles.

Mrs. Schuyler van Rensselaer will write in the June Century of "Peterborough Cathedral," famous historically (being the resting-place of Mary Stuart) as well as architecturally. Pennell gives a full-page view of the remarkable west front.

Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland has become associated with the historian, Mrs. Martha J. Lamb, in the editorial work of the Magazine of American History. Miss Cleveland is an enthusiast in historical studies. In the June Magazine John G. Bourinot, LL. D., of Ottawa, will conclude his able treatise on "Canada During the Victorian Era."

Visiting the Iron Mine.

This morning the American magnates, interested in mining in this vicinity went out on the K. & P. railway, on a tour of inspection. At 12:50 the following telegram came to hand from our representative with the

"Party arrived here at 12:30 o'clock, after visiting Wilbur mine. The capitalists are greatly impressed with the character of ore. and are enthusiastic over the prospects of using it. They feel satisfied that the money invested by them will bring great interest. The party dine at Renfrew, and returning, visit Calabogie. The fire is still progressing in the woods. We have just come through miles of destroyed timber."

Boulanger's Mobilization Scare.

BERLIN, May 17 .- The reports, that the government intended to mobilize the army, arose from war office arrangements to accelerate the transporation of troops to the frontier, in order to be ready for any contingencies. No special measures have been decided upon. It is calculated that general Boulanger's scheme cannot go into operation until October.

Horsford's Acid Phosphate. IN NERVOUS IRRITABILITY. Dr. B. B. Grover, Rushford, N.Y., says: "I have prescribed it for nervous irritability, with marked results."

VACANCY IN ONTARIO WARD.

Judge McGuire Resigns His Seat-Motion of Regret by the Council. Judge McGuire, who has represented On-

tario ward at the council board, tendered his resignation last evening.

After it had been read Ald. McIntyre moved, seconded by Ald. Shannon, "That this council begs to place on record its regret at hearing of the resignation of Ald. McGuire. He always maintained the reputation of marked ability in the discharge of municipal duties. While the council regrets his departure it warmly congratulates him on his elevation to a judgeship in the North-West Territories, and it is fondly hoped he may enjoy a long and prosperous career in the country to which he is going."

Ald. McIntyre stated that Judge McGuire had been a good representative of the peo-ple, and in the discharge of his duty had given the fullest measure of satisfaction. As an alderman he was always in his place, and his colleagues could bear testimony to the judgment and impartiality that had marked his career. They regretted the severance of the tie that bound him to them in municipal affairs, but they rejoiced that he had been honoured by the government of the day, that it had thought him worthy of the dignified position of judge of the supreme court in the north-west. They all knew he would fill the position with distinction, that he would reflect credit upon the government and the city. There was no fear but that he would discharge his judicial duties capa bly and well. By his exceeding good nature, and by the development of that ability which had marked his career in the city, he would no doubt make his mark in the north-

Ald. Shannon said a few words, and the resolution was unanimously carried.

The necessary steps will now be taken to hold an election for the return of a successor to Judge McGuire, and it is understood that ex-Ald. Eilbeck will be a candidate.

PROHIBITION AND NATICK.

Done Well for the Town and the People-Facts for Commendation.

Contributed by the W.C.T. Near Boston is a town mostly devoted to making shoes. It had the usual proportion of grog-shops and a rather unusual stagnation in business, as evinced by the little demand for real estate and the readiness of almost everybody to sell.

Last spring, after a hard fight, the saloons were voted out, and an economy and order association was organized, and public sentiment aroused in favor of temperance.

Ten months have passed and statistics show a saving of nearly \$4,000 in selectmen's orders as compared with the corresponding ten months under license. Five liquor dealers have left town, forty-four have been convicted under the ordinance, eleven have paid fines amounting to \$750 and costs, two have been sent to the house of correction, and four more are under sentence to go there. During the six last months under license there were 101 drunks before the police courts; during the corresponding time under prohibition there fifty-one, and of these twenty-one came from neighboring towns where liquor is sold Grouping together the drunks, and the assaults growing out of drinking, there was a decrease under non-license of 215 per

During the ten months there was a saving in the poor of \$934.10, one dollar in seven as compared with last year's record for corresponding months. Trade has improved, merchants and grocers reporting that people are buying more goods and those of a better quality. Real estate has taken a boom, capitalists having invested nearly \$100,000 in permanent improvments during the ten months, and transactions in real estate are more active than they have been before for twenty years.

We commend these facts to voters in the thousands of towns which, during the next two months, vote on the question of license. The stock argument in favor of granting licenses is, that its blood money will enrich the town. Keep it before the people that blood money never enriches, that true prosperity comes into a town when the saloons are banis hed from it. - Union Signal.

PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention.

The governor-general leaves Toronto for Ottawa on the 25th. Miss Tilton, Theodore's daughter, who

has studied painting in Paris, is now in Chicago with a married sister. Mrs. Owen Cleary, of Pittsburg, Pa., is visiting friends in the city. She intends re-

maining here for the summer months. O'Brien is accompanied in his travels through Canada by several New York reporters, and by Charles Ryan, correspondent

of the Dublin Freeman's Journal. King Kalakana has twenty dancing girls retained in the royal service. The king will probably not be lonely while his queen is absent.

John M. Miller, one of the Queen's college theological students, detailed for summer work in the North-West, has arrived at Winnipeg. He will be stationed at Red Deer, Alberta.

Lord Salisbury's health is breaking. He looks ill, and has an air of age and debility. It is reported that he is unable to longer stand the strain of the duties of office, and that he desires to retire from the leadership of the government party in favor of Lord

Hartington. Dr. Fulton, professor of surgery in Trinity medical school, Toronto, has died of inflammation of the lungs. He was highly respected as a teacher and practitioner of medicine. He was in Kingston not long since as one of the examiners in connection with the Ontario medical council.

Mrs. Grant has just received from the publisher a check for \$33,384.53, as additional profits on the sale of "General Grant's Memoirs." She has thus received to date a total of \$394,459.53. The financial success of Grent's book is unprecendented in the history of literature.

Misrepresentations

Being very freely made by agents of other companies, as to their comparisons of cash profits with those of the Canada Life, and exceptional selected examples of these being published by them, the following is given by the Canada Life company as a correct statement of all the actual cash profits given by the companies named during the last seven years, taken from the government returns :

Percentage of total cash profits given by each company to the premiums paid to each dur-

The Canada Life claims that these figures

prove the surpassing advantages of that company, and warns the public against relying upon any examples where agents show different results from the above by the use of specially selected exceptional cases, or examples of what their companies formerly did but are not doing now. Assurers joining the Canada Life assur-

ance company at the present time will share

n four years' profits at the division in 1890.

RISEN FROM THE ASHES.

QUEEN ST. CHURCH OPENING IS HAPPILY CONTINUED.

The Festival of Last Evening-The Congregation Complimented Upon its Energy and Success-The Services of the Choir Fully Appreciated.

There were only about two hundred people at the tea meeting in Queenstreet Methodist church last night.

Those who found their way thither had a very enjoyable time. The ladies of the church had prepared for company and were ready to give all-comers a regal reception. Then they turned over the management to their daughters, who, with captivating caps and white aprons, presided over the festivities. The visitors were welcomed in the church, and, after removing wraps, conducted to the lecture room where cake and coffee, tea and taffy, sandwiches and such, ice cream and oranges, and many other delectable things were partaken of. The lecture room was gaily decorated with flags and flowers and really looked charming. Two tables extended the length of the hall, and upon these were heaped the delicacies of the season.

And while the tea was being discussed there was conversation and merriment. "Laugh and grow fat" is an injunction that the Queen street people most righteously follow. Along about 8:30 o'clock the company re-

turned to the audience room, where, for several hours, they were entertained by addresses and music. Rev. R. Whiting occupied the chair. Revs. Messrs. Stilwell, Mavety and Jackson, made remarks, principally of a congratulatory character. They all lauded the energy of the Queen St. church congregation, their liberality and sociability. Rey. Mr. Mavety hoped the present church would not burn down, for he feared that if it did those who attended it would build a larger one and make even the Sydenham St. church people tremble. Of course the Queen St. church people had elements of success, for hadn't they the best church, the best organ, the best Sabbath school superintendent, the best choir and leader, the best pastor and the most capable young man in the province as his aid, and the finest people both in appearance, generosity and good works. Mr. Stilwell was equally as complimentary and Dr. Jackson claimed that the influence of the city churches was greater for constraining men than all the other institutions and organizations.

Rev. Dr. Nelles, the last speaker, made some cheery reference to the church, its pastor and people, and then touched on the home rule question. He claimed that he was a sort of agnostic on that subject. He really didn't know anything beyond the fact that Ireland wanted something and needed something. The members of the British house of commons who studied the questions should know the requirements, but he did not think a man in Canada fully comprehended the whole question. He referred to O'Brien's visit and was cheered when he said the more the queen's representative was maligned the more would the affections of the people go out toward him. The unkindest thing ever done to Ireland was for her representatives to come here and attempt to sully and dishonor the queen's representative in this land. Then the college federation question cropped up and Dr. Nelles gave his old particular views upon it. He did not want conglomeration but competition in educational matters. If federation meant the former it was sure to be a failure. He praised Queen's university, declared that it would never enter confederation, that \$150,000 would be given by Kingstonians before they would let it go, and seeing these things he wished Queen's greater prosperity, greater influence and usefulness. He hoped she would be a strong rival of the federated colleges. The best system of education for Canada was not secular or denominational, but the happy medium between the two.

During the evening there was a sufficiency of good music. Captain Crawford and Mrs. Hawley offered solos, the choir sang effectively, and Mr. Horace Reyner performed several solos on the organ with his now well-recognized ability.

MARINE PARAGRAPHS.

Interesting Items Gathered Along the Harbour-Vessel Movements.

The schr. O.S. Storrs is loading lumber

for Oswego. H. H. Warner's \$50,000 steam yacht Siesta is off for Lake Superior.

The schrs. Acaica, Julia and Katie Eccles, arrived to-day from Toronto. The str. St. Lawrence had a trial trip on Saturday afternoon. She is in splendid

working order. George Hall & Co., having purchased the steamer Stranger, will fit her up for passenger business between Ogdensburg and Alex-

andria Bay. The prop. Nipegon, partly burned at Clayton last fall, having received new upper works and been fashioned into a steambarge at Clayton, is at Ogdensburg, to be

finished and painted. The coal in the sphr. Queen of the Lakes, which was sunk last fall near Presque 'isle, will be sold by auction. The boat will be repaired here. She was owned in Toronto and was insured for \$2,000 against

They Will be Quiet.

total loss.

A prominent Orangeman to-day observed though an anti-O'Brien public meeting, for Wednesday evening, in the City hall, was talked of, it would not be held. The less fuss made about the man's visit the smaller the crowd and the less significant would be the result of his coming.

For the Holiday.

The Park Nine have completed arrangements with the Pastimes, of Ogdensburg, for the opening of their new base ball grounds on Tuesday, May 24th; entrance on Johnston street above Division.

Another Strike Occurs.

A strike occurred at the cotton mill today. Forty carders wanted an increase in their wages. They say they were reduced some months ago, and want to be restored formally to the positions they then occupied.

Police Court-Tuesday. C. Milligan, for drunkenness, was fined \$1 and costs. A wages case was settled out

By the recent changes in the tariff cheap papers for house purposes which come from England have been raised from 50 to 100 per cent. Dear papers have only been increased from 25 to 30 per cent.



Weather Probabilities. Moderate to fresh winds, fair weather with showers in a few places; stationary or a little lower temperature.