# -KINGSTON,-

June 30th and July 1st.

\$2,000 Secured for Public \$2,000

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FIRST DAI	-
Ringing of Bells at	6 a.m.
Bont Races	10 a.m.
International Baseball Tournament in Cricket Field. \$150 to 1st, \$100 to 2nd Grand Procession of all the Militia Re- giments in camp, Trades' Societies	11 a.m
City Council and Citizens at To wind up in Cricket Field at	1:30 p.m.
Singing of national anthem and other patriotic songs by children of city;	Contract of the Contract of th
Oration by John McIntyre, Q.C.; Reading of Miss Machar's Prize Ju-	
biles Poem at	3 p.m.
Music by Military Bands in City Park Magnificent Display of Fireworks in	4 p.m.

### SECOND DAY.

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Cricket Field and general illumina-

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Ringing of Bells at	6 a.m
the Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry Regiments in camp, together with "A" Battery, R. M. C. Cadets and	10 a m
14th P.W.O. Rifles at	10 a.m.
Royal Jubilee Salute of 50 Guns at	12 noon.
International Baseball Tournament (continuation of) in Cataraqui Driv- ving Park at	2 p.m.
Bicycle Races and Athletic Sports in	
City Park at	2 p.m.
Trotting and Running Races in Cata-	2 p.m.
raqui Driving Park at	3 p.m.
Military Bands in City Park at	
of Physiognoscospocraphists and G Illumination of City at 8 p.m.	eneral
For full particulars of sports in par	k, route

for full particulars of sports in park, route of procession, etc., see hand bills. S. S. PHIPPEN, F.C. IRELAND, JOHN CARSON, Treasurer. Secretary. June 27.

### MARTIN'S - OPERA - HOUSE, THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY, June 30th, July 1st, July 2nd.

Matinees—Dominion Day and Saturday. Wh

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A BEVY OF EQUINE ANGELS THE YOUNGEST, THE HANDSOMEST, THE MOST INTELLIGENT. EVERY HORSE A PICTURE.

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## Notice of Change of Location.

AT their meeting yesterday afternoon the Children of Mary's Society agreed to hold the Strawberry Festival, in aid of the poor visited by them, in the Roller Rink, Johnson Street, instead of in the Regiopolis Grounds as announced previously. We beg the attention of intending patrons of this charitable work to this alteration, especially as the tickets have been already printed with the Regiopolis Grounds as the place of holding the entertainment upon them. Date Wednesday evening, 29th inst.

June 27.

### NOTICE.

WE, the undersigned Dry Goods Merchants of the City of Kingston will close our respective places of business on Friday, July 1st:

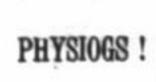
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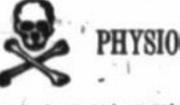
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GRAND OPENING OF THE

Metropolitan Bowling Alley, Wellington Street, ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29th.

The above premises have been thoroughly remodelled and refitted with new alleys, new balls, pins, etc., and every arrangement made for the comfort and pleasure of our patrons. We are determined to make the Metropolitan the favorite and popular resort for all who want to enjoy this healthful and exciting recreation. Come and take part in the grand games on the June 28. PETER DEVLIN.





PARTIES wishing to turn out or get rigs to take part in the Procession will apply at Wells' Livery for information. S. S. PHIPPEN, H. P. WELLS,

Chairman. June 28.

**HEADQUARTERS** 14th P. W. O. RIFLES.

Regimental Orders

THE Battalion will par-de at the Drill Shed in review order, for inspection. at 8:30 a.m. on FRIDAY, JULY let. Every officer, non-commissioned officer, and man must be present.

JAMES GALLOWAY, JR., Captain and Adjutant.

### MORE BARGAINS THIS WEEK AT THE STAR CLOTHING HOUSE **GSPRINCESS STREET, 2 doors below**

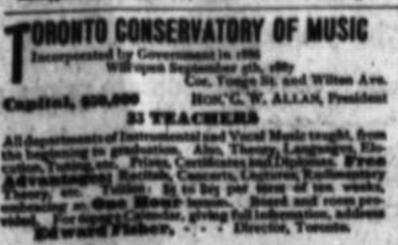
Wellington Street, In Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps. Another Rig Cut in Boys' Jerseys and Blue Flannel Suits. Big Bargains in Trunks and Valises. This line especially must be sold at any price to make room for other goods. As Remember if you want Big Bargains call at the "STAR," 33 Princess Street.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a Dividend of three per cent. upon the capital stock of this declared, and that the same will be payable at the Society's office on and after Tuesday, the 5th day of July, 1887.

Kingston, June 24th, 1887. Manager



### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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

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### THE DAILY WHIG.

"Opifer per Orbem Dicor,"

THE SPOILS SYSTEM. The practice of offering the proceeds of the sale of goods, to the informers and customs' officials, in the case of under-valuation and irregularity of entry, is not conducive to that purity of service which is expected of representatives of the crown. The enquiry into the Ayer case proves, as the Star has pointed out, the inherent viciousness of the spoils system. It has been shown that the influence of that system is very demoralizing, that the prospect of obtaining a share of the seizure puts temptations in the way of the custom house officers which they are not able to resist, that not only espionage is resorted to in order to secure the coveted prize, but deceit, trickery and falsehood.

We do not remember an instance in which an official was so severely reprimanded as was Mr. O'Mara during the giving of his evidence, and by no less a personage than Chief Justice Ritchie. At one time he so annoyed the judge, alleging that he had acted wrongly in the interest of his employer, that his lordship remarked: "Do not libel the crown by calling yourself an employee of it. I shall consider it my duty, when I return to Ottawa, to report you as unfit to hold any position in her majesty's service." Again when he said he had written a misleading letter to the defendant's counsel, but not a falsehood, the chief justice said : "I have never seen a man in the public service conduct himself as you do, sir. Is not a misleading letter a falsehood? Was it not a lie to write what is there? I am sure that the crown must be ashamed of such an officer." The whole evidence of this man, and of others, showed how eager they were to win rewards for special scrvice, even to the entering into improper relations with a former employee of the defendants, who recently came from San Francisco to testify, and about the arrival of whom and the possession of certain of Ayer & Co.'s books an attempt was made to keep the facts "in the shade."

The Whig's idea is that public servants should not be rewarded for any service of the kind in which the Montreal customs officials have engaged. They should be capable men, and paid a salary sufficient in itself to justify the honest and faithful discharge of duty. There is reason to believe, as the Star alleges, that "the spoils system, besides transforming the zealous discharge of the legitimate duty of officers of the crown into an exciting hunt after plunder, is the cause of great annoyance and loss to the mercantile community."

The Montreal press and people have cried out against such work on the part of the custom house staff as the evidence in the Ayer case has revealed, and now that Chief Justice Ritchie has declared his disgust with the same perhaps the minister of customs will see that there is an end to it.

### WATER WORKS AWARD.

Judging the state of some men's minds by their remarks it is quite evident that they regard the course followed by the arbitrators in the water works case as a peculiar one. Yet it is not such, but the only proper course sanctioned alike by usage and by law. There is a regular routine to follow in the submitting of awards of any kind. They are sealed up, the amount of the fees written on the enclosure, and it is intimated that on the payment of these the contents will be surrendered for inspection by the parties interested therein. Notices, too, are sent out to the principals in the arbitration, to the effect that th, award has been made and will be delivered up on compliance with the usual conditions. Sometimes the award is placed in a bank, or some other convenient institution, but generally it is left in the hands of the chairman of the court. This has been the procedure in the water work

And now that the award has been made, what of it? Must the water works company abide by its terms and submit to a sale? And must the city proceed to a purchase? The law which made the company consent to an arbitration in regard to the value of its works can, we presume, make the company consent to a sale for the sum at which its plant, system and franchise has been valued by the court. The fulfillment of the law on the other side provides for the intervention of the people. The works, if accepted at all, must be purchased in their name, and the council has not the power to act for them under the circumstances. Hence a by-law will have to be prepared and duly advertised, announcing all the facts, and the date upon which a vote on the question will be taken, and how and where the registration of that vote will be effected.

When the council selects the polling booths and appoints the returning officers to see that there is a fair and correct expression of public opinion it has done its whole duty in the premises. The adoption or rejection of the scheme remains with the electorsthe property holders-and the responsibility is one which they cannot discharge without serious considération.

This point should be impressed upon the council and people-that every move made in connection with the case is expensive,

and that in view of this fact the expression of public opinion should be as full as possible. The mayor should make it a charge upon the aldermen, that they request the people to exercise their judgment for or against the water works scheme so that it cannot be said afterwards that the vote was incomplete and not indicative of the actual state of the public mind. In undertaking the cost of a ballot care should be taken that the people use it and show their appreciation of it.

Of course we do not for a moment suppose that the people will refuse to purchase the water works at the valuation placed upon it by the city's representatives. Even had the award called for a larger sum its expenditure would have been justified in the city's interest. The WHIG counsels the acceptance of the award with all the speed that the council can act and the people vote upon

### AT ITS OWN FIGURES.

The Price the City Must Pay for the Present Water Works System.

This morning the award in the arbitration case, as to the price the city must pay for the water works system, was made public, and pleased some and surprised others. The price, \$120,000, was the amount that the counsel, on behalf of the city, told the arbitration was worth trators that the system was worth.

The arbitrators, after relating the circumstances under which they were called together, made the following declaration:

"Now know ye we, the said arbitrators, having taken upon ourselves the burthen of the said arbitration, and having heard and fully considered the allegations of the said parties by their respective counsel, and the evidence adduced before us by the said parties, and the counsel aforesaid having notified us that the said parties required us to determine and fix the price for the works only of the company, we do hereby make and publish our award in writing, of and concerning the matters referred to us as aforesaid, and we determine and fix \$120,000 as the price to be paid by the corporation of the city of Kingston to the City of Kingston water works company, for the works of the said company, such works being the property hereinafter mentioned, that is to say, the real estate, with all appurtenances, including boilers, engines, pumps, and all other fittings and connections, as well as all other machinery, and also the wharves and the filter, and all suction pipes, and the vault and its appurtenances, all pipes of every description as now laid, with all their valves. stop-cocks, and other connections, and all meters in use, all meters, tools, pipes, and all brass work, and all other stock on hand, all furniture, the horizontal engine not in use, and two boilers not in use.

"We further order and award that each party shall pay one half of the arbitrators' fees and other costs of the award, and if one party pays the whole thereof the other shall forthwith repay the half thereof to the party so paying the whole, and that as to all other costs each party shall bear and pay its own costs of, and incidental to, said arbitration

"In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals, and we publish this our award on the 24th day of June, 1887. "THOMAS C. KEEFER,

"GEORGE M. CLARK, "W. H. WILKISON. "Signed and sealed by the said arbitrators in my presence on this 24th June, 1886.

"A. FERGUSON, Barrister-at-Law, "Ottawa. The city officials are in exuberant spirits over the decision. In the city solicitor's

office a war dance was performed by Messrs. Agnew, Whiting, and Irving. There is a feeling throughout the city that the council should at once proceed to secure

the works. Mr. Wilson, manager of the Water Works company, was satisfied that the franchise had been ignored by, or not taken into the calculations of, the arbitrators. It was estimated to be worth \$8,000 a year for fifteen years, and there might be another arbitration in regard to the value of it.

### SENDING OUT IMPURE MILK.

Mr. Whitton Warns Patrons Against Sending it to the Cheese Factories.

James Whitton, who has been in the service of the Eastern Dairyman's association, instructing cheesemakers in the manufacture of a fine article of cheese, has begun an onslaught on patrons who send impure milk to the factory. In a circular just published he says : "I find that by testing your milk it is not coming to the factory as it should to insure a fine quality of cheese. I have been inscructed to notify every one who is not sending pure unadulterated and sweet milk. Great care should be taken to clean and scald your pails and cans. The cans should be scoured with salt quite often, and both the pails and cans well aired, and the animal heat should be taken out by taking proper care of your milk by airing or bailing with a dipper until cool, and see that all utensils in connection with your dairy are well scoured and scalded, and well aired also. See that your cows get nothing but pure wholesome water. Sorry to have to call your attention to this matter, but as I am paid by the association to do this work I would be neglecting my duty not to do so. Hope I will not have to call your attention to this matter the next time I will visit your factory, but if I should find there is no improvement I most decidedly shall take steps to find out the cause."

### ST. MARY'S OF THE LAKE.

The Winners of Medals and Prizes-The Pupils Are Wished Success.

The names of the pupils who were awarded medals of excellence in this institution this year are as follows : Miss Swift, Kingston, amiability; the Misses Harper, Jersey City, N.S., plain sewing and knitting; Misses Short and Redmond, Portsmouth,

punctuality and application.

Misses Harper and Swift have first places
on the roll of honor for vocal and instrumental music, oil painting, pencil drawing, English, French and book-keeping. Misses Short, Redmond and Koen, honorable mention for English, French and book-keeping.
The exhibition of plain sewing, knitting,

fancy work, pencil drawing, oil painting on hammered brass placques and porcelain re-flected the highest credit on the pupils, and evinced careful teaching. We congratulate the young ladies of this

charming retreat on their success in the attainment of virtue and science, wish them an enjoyable vacation, and bid them welcome to Kingston at the re-opening of the classes on the 1st of September. St. Mary's of the Lake is situated in

beautiful and healthful locality, surrounded by picturesque scenery of land and lake, and is certainly a delightful place for an educational institution.

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take part in the procession will apply at

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But like to the Crofters' thatched hat of That the soft summer breeze may creep thro' any day,

Is the welcome Straw Hat, because lighter And cheaper; it costs but a quarter in

And GALLOWAY'S is the place to get it. The above soliloquy forced itself upon me in consequence of the return of spring wea ther, and as others sing it let them remember that GALLOWAY sang it first, and

# give him a call at

April 23rd.



PROCLAMATION—QUEEN'S JUBILEE.

THE Leading Sport for the boys at the present time is to go to R. SPENCER'S and get a Nobby Fitting Suit at Greatly Reduced Prices. Large assortment to choose from. Perfect Fit guaranteed.

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Market Square (on a Saturday) from City Hal

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City Buildings.
New Queen Street Methodist Church.
Rockwood Asylum.
Court House.
Queen's University.
Roman Catholic Church.
Royal Military College.
Fort Henry Fort Henry.
Tete de Pont Barrack Gate.
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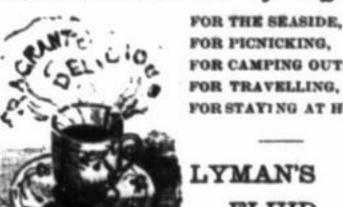
The Corner Bookstore. June 25.

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