# EXCURSION



TUESDAY, JULY 19th.

CHOICE ROUTE

Down Canadian Channel to Thousand Island Park and Alexandria Bay, returning by American Channel.

Over an hour at the Camp Ground ; home at 8:30 p.m.

Tickets-Adults. 35c; children, under 15 years, 25c.

Steamer leaves Folger's wharf at 1:30 p.m. J. A. B. SMITH, Sec'y. July 15.

### "M A U D'S" CHEAP EXCURSION



AMONG THE 1,000 ISLANDS.

To-morrow (Saturday) Afternoon.

Steamer leaves Folger's Wharf at 1:30 p.m. Fare for round trip 25 cents. July 15. F. A. FOLGER.

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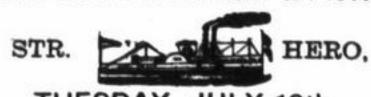
HERO Will make her Weekly Trip to THE ISLANDS,

SATURDAY, JULY 16th,

Leaving Gunn's wharf at 2 p.m. sharp, will proceed for a sail among the islands, calling at 1 000 Island Park both ways, but not at Alexone full hour at the Park and home at 8 p.m. July 14.

### EXCURSION

Lake on the Mountain & Picton



TUESDAY, JULY 19th, Under the auspices of the Canada Methodist Church, Portsmouth.

Boat leaves Gunn's wharf, Kingston, at 11:15 a.m., and Portsmouth at 11:30 a.m. Music on ##Tickets-40c. July 13.

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Leaves Channel Grove, calling at Spoor's, Wolfe Island, every morning at 7:30 a.m., 1 and 5 p.m.; returning leaves Ferry wharf at 11:30 a.m., 2 and 6 p.m. On Sundays the Steamer will leave Channel Grove at 9:45 a.m. and 5 p.m., returning at 2 p.m. Fishing and picnicking parties will be arranged with on board. Special evening trips will be arranged hereafter. \*\*Fare 20c, good to return same day. Telephone Campbell's Mill. July 13.

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### THE DAILY WHIG.

"Opifer per Orbem Dicor."

If coal can be raised 25c per ton in Chica go in this weather what will happen along later in the season when the thermometer drops !-- Chicago Inter-Ocean.

A thought occurs to us. Did the Peter boro Review not intimate that the advance in the original cost of coal was suggested by the action of the Canadian minister in abolishing the duty thereon? And what has the raising of the quotations at Chicago to do with the Canadian tariff? Somebody must have got coal considerations considerably mixed.

We opposed the visit of Mr. O'Brien to Canada on the Lansdowne crusade because we could not see that it would lead to any good. We think as little of the proposed mission of Dr. Macbeth. He is announced to come out on the anti-O'Brien attack. Is he as eager as the man whose work he seeks to undo for notoriety ? If so he has only to send for war correspondent Wall and invite attack. In this country the people are very obliging. They give agitators the sort of reception they are generally looking for.

Sympathy is wasted on Jacob Sharp. He is an old man, fast sinking into the grave, but his failing health is no palliation of his crime. Indeed of all who have been convicted of boodling in connection with the Broad way surface railway he is the greater offender. The briber is certainly a bigger sinner than the bribed, though in Canada as in the United States the punishments are not the same. A good many bribers have escaped their reward, and it was the contemplation of this fact that gave invalid Sharp the nerve he seems to have exercised.

The Yarmouth Times has a cock and bull story which the conservative prints are helping to spread. It is to the effect that the Nova Scotia workers got lots of money from the Ontario corruption fund, that the contests for the liberal seats in the maritine province cost \$80,000, of which sum \$15,000 found scatterment in Cumberland county, and \$5,000 in Colchester and Antigonish. Is there a man in the country who really believes this silly story? The liberals distri buting \$80,000 in Nova Scotia! Why as a party they didn't spend that amount in the whole dominion, for they hadn't it to spend.

The Canadian-American says that the Deering manufacturing company of Chicago would, under a 17 per cent. tariff, send 2,500 of its agricultural machines into Canada. The Hamilton Spectator has been alarmed thereat, and holds that commercial union would crush out the Canadian manufacturers. Would it? Or would a low tariff lead to the ruination of Canadian industries any more now than in 1877? In that year the Americans did not send 2,500 machines into Canada, nor a fraction of that number. Of the 603 entered 65 of them went into Prince Edward Island, 106 into British Columbia, 173 into Manitoba, 3 into New Brunswick, 60 into Nova Scotia, 139 into Quebec, and 29 into Ontario. Such a competition as this the Canadian manufacturers do not dread, in fact they court it. Mr. Frost and Mr. Watson, the well-known agricultural machine makers of Smith's Falls and Ayr, declare that they want reci procity and believe they can undersell the Americans engaged in the same line of business. The anti-commercial unionists must present a stronger case ere they can hope to deeply affect public opinion. The observation of a Chicago machine man, based on a supposition, is of no more account than the croak of a frog in the neighboring millpond.

Commenting upon an article in the WHIG, which said that the Ontario government had too many pets to warrant the impartial distribution of its favours, the Toronto News remarks:

"The Nerce has frequently pointed out tke rank abuses of the patronage system. But to our mind not the least of its evil effects is that editors seem to consider that because they have advocated the cause of one or the other party for some years, they have thereby established a claim to be provided for by the people for the rest of their lives. Instead of serving the people and writing their honest convictions, they pervert truth and degrade the columns they control to further the selfish ends of scheming politicians, in the hope thereby to estabtrarship. That offices frequently go to unworthy and incompetent persons, is only too true. But we do not see that matters would be much improved if the claims of partizan editors were more fully recognized, and a further incentive thereby held out to

journalists to become abject political hacks." Now lest our contemporary may be labouring under an erroneous impression, and may lead others into error, let us state that the WHIG put in no claim for special consideration on behalf of any journalist. The WHIG is no political admirer of the spoils system, but so long as it obtainsand one party cannot abandon it without similar action on the part of the other-the worthiest of political workers should be the first to receive recognition. The WHIO is not wedded to a party and given to the preversion of truth for "the selfish ends of scheming politicians," in the hope thereby to establish the claims of any one to a shrievalty, or a registrurship. It has been liberal in tentiencies from choice, but it

has been as free as any paper to express its opinions of men and measures, and it has been outspoken enough to explode the idea, if it was ever entertained, that any member of its staff is the seeker of office from the government. Assuredly if any personal objects were to be served by a resort to political expedients the Whig could not be accused of seeking them, seeing that its criticisms are not of a sycophantic character It champions the cause of no journalist as a journalist; in the local case to which it indirectly referred, in a recent issue, a jour. nalist was not at all concerned, and therefore the observations of the News are without cause and effect.

### MARINE PARAGRAPHS.

Interesting Items Gathered Along the Harbour-Vessel Movements.

J. G. Campbell has secured an interest in the yacht Gracie.

The schr. Jessie Breck is loading grain at Duluth for Kingston. The schrs, Vienna and Eril Stewart clear-

ed for Oswego. The sceamer Albion and barge Ash are

discharging timber at Garden Island.

The steamer Magnet will leave for Montreal on Monday morning at 4 o'clock a.m.

The schr. E. P. Beals has been chartered in Chicago to carry wheat to Kingston at six cents per bushel.

The Varuna will commence her regular trips to 1000 Island Park on Saturday, and continue to the 3rd of Sept. inclusive.

Breck & Booth have chartered the schr.

Sylvester Neelon, to carry ore from Kingston to Chicago. Freight \$1 per ton free.
The steam yacht "Minnie," from Alex andria, Bay arrived this morning. Mr. Jeff George and Mr. and Mrs. Osborne are

on board. They are going via. the Rideau canal to Montreal. The yacht "Onaganock," built by R. Davis, for Hamilton Fraser, proprietor of Summit Hotel, Port Cockburn, Lake St. Joseph, will be shipped on Monday. She is 55 feet by 10 feet and is one of the best

yachts ever built in Kingston. A pretty yacht and a fast sailor, named "Woodduck," called at Eilbeck's dock today. She is from Picton and had A. Carr, the owner, on board. R. Clapp is master, and his assistant is Harry Clapp. They are en-route to Oswego if the wind is favorable. Arrivals: Prop. St. Magnus, Duluth, 35,000 bush. wheat ; prop. California, Chicago, 7,000 bush. wheat; schr. Albatross, Toledo, 17,148 cubic feet oak; schr. Bavaria, Toledo, 22,603 cubic feet oak and ash; str. D. D. Calvin, Toledo, 31,235 cubic feet pine; schr. Denmark, Toledo, 17,589 cubic feet oak; schr. Norway, Toledo, 19,925 cubic feet oak and whitewood; schr. Prussia, St. Ignace, 23,980 cubic feet, pine; schr. Picton, Cleveland, 311 tons coal. Clearances: Steam-barge, R. Anglin, Cape Vincent, 2,000 ties.

### GAMBLING HELLS OF PARIS.

The Vice Spreading Among the French Women-A Sketch From Life. London Exchange.

. The Paris gambling hells are rather busy, more particularly those in which women play. A police inspector and his men made two swoops on a recent occasion. In one place, in the Rue de la Terrasse, fifteen females were playing with all their might when the agents of the law entered the room and seized a sum of about £250, which was on the table, as well as the roulette and the dice. A less important seizure was effected in a house in the Rue de Jaquemont, where 18 females of the fashionable cocotte type were at the tables. One of them remarked to the police that she wished they had put in an appearance on the night before as they might have hindered her from losing an insignificant matter of £300 or thereabout. In this place about £15 was seized, the women having had time to thrust a good deal of the gold and bank notes into their pockets. The proprietresses of the hells were arrested; the others were allowed to go away. The mania for gambling in hells and on the race courses, which has been developed of late years among the Paris courtesans and according to the best social authorities, is to be traced partly to the decline in their ignoble earnings, and partly to their desire to kill time which hangs heavily on their hands. Far from the dazzling females described by the younger Dumas in the "Lady of the Cameias," who literally flung their gold away to show that they despised it, and, when play ing were absolutely indifferent to their gains or losses, now-a-days the frail denizens of the Quartier Breda and the Quartier de l'Europe play methodically and with a vengeance. In the same way they gamble on the turf, and it is even complained by their admirers that they sink their passion for dress and appear, contrary to all the canons of Parisian millinery, in slovenly waterproofs and ill-fitting boots on the Pelouse of Longchamps or Chantilly, so absorbed are they in their betting speculations.

### AFFAIRS IN HONOLULU.

The King Still Reigns but With a Very De-

cided Limitation of his Authority. NEW YORK, July 14. - A despatch to the Herald, dated Honolulu, July 5th, says : "The condition of affairs here is most extraordinary and contradictory. No one knows what an hour may bring forth, or whether the action of Thursday, June 30th, will end in a guffaw or civil war. The town may be in the hands of the people, but the king is certainly king still though he may not be to-morrow. While the Ihursday demonstration was in progress the king sent a letter to the meeting, asserting his willingness to form a new ministry and accede to any reforms demanded under the constitution and laws of the kingdom. The ministry formed by Mr. Green he immediately accepted, and even with Gibson and Hayzelden arrested, he made no sign. The request that he shall not in future, either directly or indirectly, interfere with the election of representatives, or unduly influence legisla-tion, he declares need not have been made, as it is a fault he has never been guilty of. Only one of the demands he objects to, that for the restitution of \$71,000 said to have been paid to him.

### COLLARED THE COON.

A Case of Which is the Owner-The Cause of the Animal's Arrest.

This morning the police officers captured a strange prisoner, and led it, by a chain, to the station house. It was the raccoon that has done service as an advertisement for Theobald's barber shop. William Purtell, a resident of Williamsville, got his eyes on the coon the other day and declared that it him early in June. Then he took out a search warrant and this morning Officers Aiken and Snodden, went up and captured it. Mr. Theobald was also taken into cus-

The young man arrested is not the owner of the animal, but of the premises; his brother owns the coon. He says he bought it from J. H. Brickwood, who captured it in the woods. The case will be heard tomorrow and the coon will be chained to the magistrate's chair while the facts of its ownership are being determined.

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