

### REMINDERS.

**SATURDAY.**  
STR. HERO down the river at 2 p.m.  
THE MAUD among the islands at 1:30 p.m.  
TENDERS received by W. Newlands, Jr., till 6 p.m.

### MARRIED.

TAFT-THOMPSON.—At Roblin's Mills, July 17th, James A. Taft, to Emma A. Thompson; all of Rosmore.

### LOST.

OUTSIDE the Custom House, a GOLD BAND RING, with a diamond star. The finder will be suitably rewarded upon leaving it at the Custom House.

### WANTED.

DRY GOODS SALESMEN. J. C. HARDY & Co.  
A NURSE GIRL. Apply at No. 7 Wellington Street.  
A YOUNG LADY CASHIER at MURRAY & TAYLOR'S.  
A YOUNG GIRL as housemaid. Apply to MRS. HENDERSON, 117 Earl Street.

### TO-LET.

A FURNISHED HOUSE, on Wolfe Island for the summer season on the water's edge. For further particulars apply to PATRICK TROY, Wolfe Island.  
THAT COMMODOUS DWELLING, No. 202 William St., between Clergy and Barrie Sts.; rent moderate; possession immediately. Apply to ISAAC NOBLE.

### FOR SALE.

A SMALL STRAM LAUNCH, 22x5 feet; Shipman coal oil engine; new; all complete; will be sold cheap for cash. Address A. C. KNAPP, Boatbuilder, Kingston.

DOUBLE HOUSE AND TWO LOTS on Beverly Street; garden well stocked; with choice fruit trees; twenty feet frontage on West Street, and the Upper Lot runs through to West Street. The BUILDINGS on the property are almost new, and the garden is planted with the choicest fruits. For terms apply to THOS. MOORE.

### SPECIAL MENTION.

FIRST-CLASS DAY BOARD can be had in good locality. 303 Princess Street, Kingston.

GO TO W. REEVES, King St., to buy your Ties. He has 800 dozens to choose from. Good Ties, 2 for 5 cents.

FOUND AT LAST—A remedy warranted to cure hard and soft Corns, Bunions, Callouses &c. Hanson's Magic Corn Salve, in boxes, 15c at Wade's Drug Store.

TO PORK PACKERS—Highest Cash Price paid for pork blade bones, tankage, and fertilizing materials delivered at our works, Hamilton. ROWLIN & Co., Fertilizers, Hamilton.

BUTCHERS AND SAUSAGE MAKERS—prime new small or any sizes; by the lb. 50c. per lb.; kgs. 100 lbs. 20c. per lb.; half kgs. 10c. per lb.; prime new English sheep casings, kgs. 50 large bundles, \$32; smaller quantities 65c. per bundle. ROWLIN & Co., Hamilton.

MRS. W. L. BAXTER and daughter have returned to Kingston and are prepared to give instruction on the Pianoforte. Miss Maud Baxter will give lessons at the pupils' residence or her own if preferred. Apply to 1021 Queen Street.

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.—Grasp a Bottle of the DIAMOND COUGH REMEDY. The first dose frequently stops a cough. Composed of Wild Cherry, Horchound, Eucalyptus and other valuable ingredients. Pleasant to take. In bottles, 25c. and 50c., at WADE'S DRUG STORE.

WADE'S MANDRAKE LIVER PILLS are purely a vegetable Cathartic, being entirely free from Calomel or any Metallic substance. In case of Liver Complaints, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headache, &c., they give universal satisfaction. They are Sugar-coated. One is a dose. In Bottles 25c. at WADE'S DRUG STORE.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

SCHOOL FOR THE VIOLIN.  
The Violin is and must ever remain the Most Fascinating Instrument in the World.

THE KINGSTON CONSERVATORY for the Violin is now open to all who want a Classical training on this lovely instrument. Private tuition at residence if required. An efficient Orchestra can be engaged on short notice and at reasonable terms. Apply D. REILLY, Music Instructor, 49 PRINCESS STREET, KINGSTON, July 23.

THE BEST PLACE IN THE CITY  
—TO GET—  
SUITED  
Thoroughly is at  
P. B. KENNEDY'S,  
THE PRACTICAL TAILOR AND CUTTER.

### BOARD OF THANKS.

I DESIRE to thank Chief Youden and his brave fire brigade and my friends for the valuable services they rendered at the fire last night, when my barn and shed were burned.  
J. J. MALONEY.  
Kingston, July 28th, 1887.

### PUMPS. PUMPS.

All orders for Pumps or Repairs promptly attended to.  
J. BROKENSHIRE,  
No. 65, Ontario St., Kingston.

### STRAYED

ON July 15th, from the premises of Peter Lamouroux, Barriefield, a BROWN COW, with white spots on hind legs and a hump back. The finder will please bring her to Peter Lamouroux, Second Hand Dealer, Princess St., July 27.

J. H. CLARKE, M.D., D.D.S., L.D.S.,  
DENTIST. Graduate of New York College of Dentistry. Office—Wellington Street, between Princess and Beesk Streets. Particular attention given to preservation of the natural teeth.

### R. GAGE,

ARCHITECT. OFFICE—Montreal Street.

### GENERAL TICKET AGENCY.

For cheap tickets to all points, and information pertaining to all Routes, apply to  
F. A. FOLGER, - General Ticket Agent,  
Ferry Wharf, Foot of Brock Street,  
KINGSTON, ONT.

THE THOUSAND ISLAND ROUTE BY  
Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg Rtr.  
To Utica, Albany, New York, Philadel'a.

Washington, Baltimore and all Points in North ern New York, via G.T.R. and N.Y.C. Rys.  
T. HANLEY, Gen. Ticket Agent.

### MILL WOOD.

Now that the warm weather has come citizens can get MILL WOOD at the Rathbun Co's yard for \$1.50 per cord, before it is piled and it soon dries fit for use. Carted to any part of the city for 25 cents per load.

FOOT OF QUEEN STREET, KINGSTON.  
"British Whig's" telephone is number 128

### LATEST TELEGRAPHIC FLASHES.

Cast Upon the Street.  
BRUSSELS, July 29.—A fire at Liedekerke, in Brabant, yesterday, destroyed 33 houses, depriving 200 persons of their homes.

Drowned in a Squall.  
LONDON, July 28.—Two pleasure yachts, both well laden with people, were capsized in a squall off Yarmouth to-day. Ten persons were drowned.

A Waste of Naptha.  
ST. PETERSBURG, July 29.—The fire in the naphtha storehouses at Balachna has at last been extinguished. One million pounds of naphtha were burned.

The New Spirit Monopoly.  
BERLIN, July 29.—Pursuant to the new spirit monopoly law the government has purchased alcohol sufficient for the whole country for one year's consumption.

Death Following an Explosion.  
HOUSTON, Texas, July 29.—By a boiler explosion the Houston lumber company's mills yesterday A. G. Wells and Andrew Henry were killed and Frank Wilson fatally injured. A man and two boys are missing.

A Circus Rider's Death.  
WAPPETON, Dak., July 28.—Mlle. Viola, a four day horse equestrian of Barrett's circus, fell from her horse here on Monday night and suffered severe injuries. It is said that, being unbraided for carelessness by the manager, she committed suicide by taking poison.

Ravages of Small Pox.  
HAVANA, July 29.—A letter from Santiago, says, small pox is still raging in that city; neither rank, sex nor age escapes the scourge. The number of persons thus far attacked reaches nearly a thousand, the number of deaths daily averaging about fourteen.

A New Irish Society.  
CHICAGO, July 28.—At a large meeting of prominent local Irishmen last night a new association was formed to be known as the anti-Coercion association. A plan of organization and government was adopted. Resolutions were adopted denouncing the coercion law and calling for its repeal.

A Very Young Incendiary.  
LEXINGTON, July 29.—D. D. Bell, an eight year old colored boy, confessed to having set fire to a number of buildings recently burned in this city. He says he knows he cannot be punished for it by law on account of his age, and plays the incendiary for his own amusement. He is in custody and the authorities are afraid to turn him loose.

A Steamship in Danger.  
LONDON, July 29.—While the steamer Traave, which arrived at Bremen, July 22nd from New York, was discharging on Monday night she keeled over. Two ports leading to the engine room were open and through these water entered the cabin. At 3:30 in the morning it was discovered that there were several feet of water in the cabin. Several hours pumping averted danger to the steamer.

The Plunge of a Train.  
DUBUQUE, New Mexico, July 29.—An accident occurred on the Atlantic & Pacific railway on Wednesday evening as a westbound freight was approaching Franco station. The trains plunged at full speed into an arroyo, the bridge over which had been burned. The fireman was instantly killed, and the engineer and brakeman fatally injured. The wrecked cars caught fire and burned; loss \$90,000.

Wind and Water.  
CINCINNATI, July 28.—A cyclone and water spout destroyed the grand stand of the Latonia race track.

FOURTH WORTH, Texas, July 28.—Yesterday a cyclone passed over the town of Anson, going in a south-westerly direction. Many stores and houses were badly damaged, but there were no casualties. Nearly all the houses in Haskell were demolished and several people injured; damage to crops great.

A Weak German Wall.  
BERLIN, July 29.—The Post, replying to an article on Russian finances, declares that the German onslaught against Russian securities was caused by the ukase of March 26th, which shook the foundations of Germany's confidence in the security of property, real and personal, in Russia. Public discussion says the paper has disclosed the questionable character of Russian credit. Had the ukase not been issued Russia might possibly still enjoy the blind and undeserved confidence of German investors.

The Dead Alive.  
HASTINGS, Neb., July 28.—James McConley received, on Sunday last, the body of his only son, Hugh McConley, who, it was reported, had been killed in the St. Thomas accident two weeks ago. The body was followed to the grave by the sorrowing father, who has been at the point of death since through grief. Yesterday he was astonished to see his son walk into the house alive and well, and then the discovery was made that the body shipped here and buried was that of a young man whose parents live in Canada.

The Mand's own trip, her popular weekly event, to-morrow

### A VERY LIVELY BLAZE.

DAMAGE DONE BY FIRE ON QUEEN STREET LAST NIGHT.

A High Wind Made the Outlook Bad—The Flames Burst Out Quickly Alarming Everybody—The Firemen Work Energetically to Save Much Adjacent Property.

At 8:30 last evening the members of the fire department were called into service. A blaze broke out in Catarqui ward in sheds, owned by ex-Ald. John Maloney, and situated in the rear of his residence on Queen street.

The wind was high and everybody was confident that if the fire got much headway it would prove most destructive of property. When the engine reached the corner of Queen and Wellington streets she was attached to a hydrant, and in a very short time three streams were being thrown upon the flames, which were fast consuming the buildings in which they had commenced. Fanned by gusts of wind the flames did serious damage and threatened to spread to Mr. Maloney's stone residence and the frame buildings near it, owned by Mrs. Thomas Dunn. Furniture was quickly removed from the threatened buildings and scattered about the streets. The sheds owned by Mr. McCutcheon, who lives above Mr. Maloney, and the roof on the east side of Maloney's residence, ignited, and the spectators were sure the fire would do dreadful work before it was controlled.

The firemen worked steadily, and held the flames down so that the buildings which it was predicted would be consumed were saved. By 9:30 nothing could be seen but a black smoke rising from the ruins of Maloney's sheds and part of McCutcheon's out buildings that were burned, but the loss will not be great. The damage to the roof of Maloney's house was slight. A frame house which was owned by Mrs. Dunn, which stands between her residence and Maloney's, was occupied by Mrs. Blair and Mr. Leadbeater. The people were very much frightened that their effects were going to be destroyed. The water was played on the portion of the house occupied by Mr. Leadbeater, and considerable damage was done to his effects by water.

Windows were smashed in the building, and other injuries done. Mr. Maloney is the heaviest loser. All his carts, buggies and harness, stored in the sheds, were destroyed. They were not insured. Fortunately his horses were not locked up for the night. His residence and furniture is insured for \$3,000. Mr. Leadbeater's furniture is protected by \$400 insurance; Mr. McCutcheon's sheds are insured for \$200; and Mrs. Dunn's buildings are also insured. The firemen deserve credit for the heroic way they behaved themselves. They proved to the bystanders that they compose an efficient corps, in command of an excellent chief.

Careful enquiry proved futile in discovering the origin of the fire. A popular belief is that it was started by lightning.

### PRIZES FOR THE RACES.

Final Arrangements Completed in Connection With the Regatta.

Last evening a meeting of the local yachtsmen occurred at Carruthers' Bros. office, at which the programme for the regatta of the Lake Yacht racing association, on August 8th, was decided on.

The prizes will be: Class A, \$75 and \$40; first class, \$75, \$40 and \$20; second class, \$75, \$40 and \$20. There will be no entrance fee, but 10 per cent. from the prize money will be deducted. Three boats must start in each class or no race for money. Four boats must enter before a third prize can be given. There will be no third class this year.

Entries are to be made in writing to James Galloway, jr., secretary, on or before Saturday, Aug. 6th. The boats will be numbered, the figure being conspicuously displayed from the peak of the mainsail.

The officers of the regatta are: Commodore—J. B. Carruthers. Vice Commodore—C. Hamilton. Rear Commodore—J. Stewart. Judges—Dr. Clark and C. Hamilton. Referee—A. Horn. Secretary—J. Galloway, jr.

Sailing Committee—Messrs. Major Wilson, W. H. McNece, C. F. Gildersleeve, Dr. Garrett, G. S. Oldrieve, J. B. Walkem, Lieut.-Col. Fairtlough, Dr. Curtis, J. C. Wood, John Strange, Lieut. Rivers, T. McK. Robertson.

The Oswego yacht club have published the programme for their regatta on Aug. 4th. The races will be sailed over a direct to windward and leeward course. Prizes: Class A, \$75 and \$40; first class, \$75, \$40 and \$20; second class, \$75, \$40 and \$20. Ten per cent. deducted from winnings.

### SHOT THROUGH THE HEART.

A Quarrel Results in a Sensational Murder—Death is Instantaneous.

VICTORIA, July 29.—Last evening about 8 o'clock while John Kelle, James Lotteridge and George Stevens, escaped from Central prison, Toronto, were hauling a seine at Nettle's Point, about two miles below the International bridge, Niagara river, Peter Nettle, owner of the fishing ground, came along carrying a double-barrelled gun. He had been shooting black birds on his farm. Some angry words passed between Nettle and the party, especially Stevens, about a gun which had been stolen. Stevens approached Nettle in a threatening manner, carrying a large stone in his hand. Nettle warned him to keep back or he would shoot. Stevens still advanced within a rod, when Nettle fired both barrels, the first taking effect in the right breast, going through the right lung, the second barrel followed quickly, going through the heart. Death was instantaneous. Nettle immediately went to Fort Erie and gave himself up.

### SUFFOCATED BY SMOKE.

Unconscious Persons Taken From a Chicago Building—Thrilling Scene.

CHICAGO, July 29.—At 2:30 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the bakery of Chris Heffen, Archer avenue. The firemen and police hurried into the building and soon began bearing out unconscious bodies until eleven people had been removed. Maria Trugo, aged two years, was dead. The four surviving Trugo children were almost suffocated. Nelson Trugo attempted to lower his wife and two year old baby out of the second story window, and Captain Cowan attempted to rescue them, but a sudden outburst of smoke enveloped them; the captain, woman and child fell in the flames below. The captain is terrible burned and is thought to be fatally injured. The mother died a few minutes later.

### THE PITH OF THE NEWS.

The Spice of the Morning Papers and the Very Latest Telegrams

War against the bucket-shops has commenced in Montreal.

Prince Ferdinand has finally decided to go to Bulgaria at an early date.

The Allan line is likely to continue the transportation of the Canadian mails.

The Canadian cricketers won the match at Derby by an innings and twenty runs.

By the capsizing of two pleasure yachts off Yarmouth, England, ten were drowned.

Mr. Morley will withdraw his amendment to the Land bill in favor of a revision of rents.

The Salvation army is meeting with considerable opposition in some of the towns west of Winnipeg.

Eleven new cases of yellow fever were reported in New York yesterday, and two deaths.

In a conflict on the Turco-Grecian frontier, two Turkish soldiers and ten brigands were killed.

The New York state canal convention at Rochester passed a resolution strongly favoring reciprocity.

A C.P.R. engine and some freight cars went into a lake near Rat Portage through a break in the embankment.

A train on the Pennsylvania road struck a covered wagon at Ridgewood, Pa., killing four and fatally wounding one.

Boydton & Smith, manufacturers of ladies' suits, New York, have assigned. Liabilities, \$86,600; assets, \$37,000.

Turkish troops had a two hours' fight with brigands near Katerina. Ten brigands and two Turks were killed.

The Western New York association has decided to advance the price of anthracite coal on Aug. 1st, 25c. a ton.

The Toronto Globe votes to introduce the lash as punishment for men guilty of criminality towards young girls.

The Shah of Persia will start in April next upon a six months' tour of the industrial centres of Europe.

George Stevens, a hard character, was shot on Wednesday near the International bridge, on the Canadian side. The murderer was Peter Nettle.

In New York Attorney General O'Brien served a complaint to oust Tom C. Platt, as quarantine commissioner and to fine him \$2,000 for holding the office illegally.

The queen has refused to accept the resignation of Lord Charles Beresford as junior lord of the admiralty.

The ameer has ordered the enlistment of one in every twenty men to form a corps for service in Afghan Turkestan.

George Bidwell, sentenced to life imprisonment for forging Bank of England notes, has been released from confinement in London, Eng., on the ground of ill-health.

It is asserted that the proclamation of the Irish National league will not be promulgated by the Dublin Castle government until after the adjournment of parliament.

John Bright advises the electors of the Brigetown division of Glasgow to vote for Evelyn Ashley, conservative, who is running against Sir George Trevelyan.

Baden Powell, M.P., has secured a large number of signatures of members belonging to both parties to a memorial in favor of a subsidy for the Canadian Pacific mail service.

S. N. Brooks, of Hyde, England, yesterday visited his condemned son in the city gaol, St. Louis. Maxwell almost collapsed at the sight of his father. The execution is set for Aug. 26th.

M. de Casagagne has replied to Mr. Laur's letter denouncing him as a coward, and refusing to fight till furnished with proofs of M. Laur's assertions, without which he will treat him with contempt.

A young man named Liberty, from St. Thomas, a student at Ontario business college, Belleville, died of fever Wednesday. He had been in rather poor health before he took ill with fever, and when the crisis came could not rally.

### THE POOR LITTLE BABIES.

ALL BUT 4 PER CENT. OF MONTREAL'S FOUNDLINGS DIED

Baby Farming in its Most Horrible Form—Starved to Death and Eaten by Flies—Heartless and Cruel Keepers of the Little Unfortunates.

MONTREAL, July 27.—Recent exposures in this city regarding the treatment of foundlings show that 96 per cent. of the children die. The children are left at a certain place and from there "farmed out" to poor people in the city and suburbs, who are paid 10 cents a day per head to care for them. These people take almost no care of the infants and simply starve them to death.

A correspondent got a list of some of the people who have charge of the babies, and recently made a tour of inspection. They had learned that a visit had been paid to them, and most of them had made some preparations for it. The house of Mrs. Dagenal, a professional "baby farmer," at Sault au Recollet, was the first visited.

At the door of the house lay three little children each with bare legs, breast and arms, with a frousy bodice around the middle and a piece of dark cloth around the loins, each covered from head to foot with large black flies, which preyed voraciously upon the soft flesh, each exposed to the pitiless heat of the sun, which poured down upon them in untempered severity. The house was small and contained three apartments. In the kitchen were a stove, a table and a "settie bed" and three rude square boxes upon rockers for the use of the children. The three children who had been upon the veranda were placed in two of these cradles. In the third was a fourth child, but it was so small and was so completely covered with flies that it was not easily recognizable as human.

It was a shocking spectacle of neglect and misery. The little things were breathing heavily. It moaned feebly now and then and wearily opened two intensely blue eyes, in which there was unutterable appeal. An india-rubber nipple, attached to a bottle containing what looked like sour, curdled milk, had been thrust into its mouth, and at this it sucked now and then, but was too feeble to draw the fluid from the bottle.

Its arms were hardly larger than a pipe-stem, its legs no thicker than a grown man's finger. Its skin hung in loose folds upon the mannikin frame and its face had the look of age stamped upon it. The flies devoured every feature. An intolerable effluvia, heavy and sickening, exhaled from the dirty clothes in the cradle. Of the four children one will probably survive, but they were all wasted, they all suffered from neglect, they were all dirty, they all clutched at the india-rubber nipple, which, when the children are numerous, is not even attached to a milk bottle.

At another place a child lay dying, starved to death. The third house had six children, all of them marked for death. They were covered with flies. One woman said that she had had twenty-four children in her house in three years, and that all of them had died.

In every place visited similar scenes met the eye, and the women who had charge of the unfortunates seemed utterly heartless and cruel.

### INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up by Our Reporters in Their Rambles.

Read James Campbell's advertisement in another column.

J. C. Hardy & Co. want a first class dry-goods salesman.

Fifteen cars, laden with ore, arrive over the K. & P. R. daily.

Rain fell in torrents at Channel Grove yesterday afternoon and evening.

Breck & Booth's is the cheapest place for pine blocks, bunchwood, hard or soft wood, cut or un-cut.

G. Robinson shipped a covered phaeton to Mr. Arthur McBride, who lives at New Westminster, B. C.

Pure healthy and reliable Labbatt's London ale and porter, Montreal ginger ale.—James Crawford.

The Presbyterians of Morristown and Oswegatchie, in New York, have an excursion to Kingston on Aug. 31st.

A popular boat, a popular route, and the cheapest trip given on the continent, is that of the Mand on the river to-morrow.

A baseball match, to be played by nines selected from the O.Y.B. and True Blues societies, will occur in the cricket field on August 12th.

Four live minks were on exhibition in King's drug store to-day. They were trapped by a farmer near Battersea. They are great pets.

For the best quality of Scranton stove coal, also for English (Newcastle) blacksmith's, coal at lowest rates, go to gas works coal yard.

The steamer Hero went to Napanee to-day to take the scholars of the Methodist churches there to Massasaqua point, where they picnic.

Yesterday the Sabbath school scholars of the Sydenham street Methodist church picniced at Channel Grove. They had a very good time.

The Mand's own excursion amongst the beautiful islands of the St. Lawrence occurs to-morrow afternoon. The fare is low and all should go on it.

The beauties of the river will be seen by the Hero's passengers on Saturday, and the islands in all their midsummer splendor and gaiety.

Andy Henderson, a diamond dealer purchased two horses, "Jem Nelles," and "Mary Queen," from J. E. Jones yesterday, on private terms.

You cannot indulge in too many of the delightful excursions down the river, for the season will soon end. Take the Mand to-morrow afternoon.