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On the Market Square; he is 10 years old, stands 16¼ hands high, 1,620 lbs., bright dapple Bay, with black legs, flowing mane and tail, splendid appearance; a sure foal getter, gentle in single or double harness. ☞ Registered pedigree furnished.

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March 16, 1876.

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WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned until Three O'clock, p.m., on

**Thursday, the Twenty-third day of March, Current,**

at the subscriber's office, for the Mason and Brickwork, Carpenter, Plumber and Tinsmith's, Painters' and Glaziers' work of a Building to be erected on William Street. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the County Registry Office, Kingston.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Kingston, 16th March, 1876.

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**GARDEN SEEDS.**

JUST ARRIVED—a large and varied assortment of GARDEN SEEDS, imported direct from reliable growers both in Europe and America:

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| Cabbage, | Cauliflower, | Celery, |
| Cress, | Cucumber, | Egg Plant, |
| Lettuce, | Melons, | Onion, |
| Parsley, | Peppers, | Radishes, |
| Salsify, | Spinach, | Tomatoes, |

And many other Varieties.

E. H. PARKER & CO.

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March 14.

**CAGES and CARRIAGES**

For Birds and Babies.

*Perambulators,*
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*Bird Nests,*
*Bird Baths,*
*Seed Cups,*
*Gravel Paper,*
*&c., &c.*

—AT—

**HORSEY'S HARDWARE HOUSE**

155 and 156 Princess Street.

March 16, 1876.

**Hardware.**

NAILS, TACKS, PAINTS, PAINT OILS, White Lead and a large assortment of Builders Hardware to be sold very cheap for cash. COAL OIL, 30 cents per gallon, in cans of five gallons.

AT CORBETT & CO'S

March 15, 1876. Hardware House

**Fresh Garden & Flower SEEDS.**

Just received our usual SPRING STOCK OF SEEDS. The following which are generally sown in hot beds or cold frames are now for sale:

Cabage, early and late, all the old and well known varieties, with several new ones.
Cauliflower, ditto.
Cucumber, Early Frame,
Celery
Egg Plant,
Melons, Musk and Water,
Lettuce, Early,
Peppers,
Tomatoes,
Radishes, Early Frame,

Together with a large assortment of Vicks' Flower Seeds, Flowering Roots and Bulbs.

**G. S. HOBART,**

Medical Hall.

March 7.

**LOST,**

BETWEEN Kingston and Wilton, on Thursday afternoon, the 16th, A LADY'S MINK BOA. The finder will be rewarded by returning it to

SIDNEY WARNER, Wilton.

March 17th, 1876.

**G.W. MAXWELL,**

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**WELLINGTON ST.**

ON AND AFTER

**Monday, 20th Inst.,**

**THE STORE**

**WILL BE CLOSED at 6 P.M.,**

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March 17, 1876.

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ALWAYS ON HAND!

As Good and as Cheap as any in the Market

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Tinsmithing, Stove and Plumber DEPOT,

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March 15, 1876.

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—AT—

**TWEDDELL'S.**

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CHOICE assortment of new Spring HATS AND CAPS of the latest styles in Rip Silk, Cloth and Felt,

At Tweddell's.

All Wool Tweed Suits, Goods new and fashionable, made to order for $14.

At Tweddell's.

STAND UP LINEN and PAPER COLLARS any Style you want

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LINEN AND PAPER SHIRT FRONTS—Very cheap,

At Tweddell's.

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MERINO SHIRTS—suitable to play Base Ball in for 50c, the best value ever offered in this city,

At Tweddell's.

HEAVY COTTON SHIRTS and Drawers—for 50c each,

At Tweddell's.

SOCKS from 10c up to 50c,

At Twedvell's.

A NICE LINE OF GREEN KIDS very cheap,

At Tweddell's.

New Styles in Shirts, Ties, Scarfs, Bows Gent's Sets, &c. at TWEDDELL'S.

All Wool Working Pants for $2; Overalls at 75c and $1 at TWEDDELL'S.

Any Line you want in GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS.

JOHN TWEDDELL,
March 6, 1876. *Next to the City Hotel.*

**EXECUTORS' NOTICE.**

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of the late JAMES LINTON are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, as all unpaid accounts will be placed in suit on the 31st May next.

Creditors will please present their accounts without delay.

E. McGREGOR, } Executrix.
J. WILSON, } Executor.

Kingston, March 14.

**FELLOW WORKINGMEN**

**And the Public Generally are Invited Down to**

**DONOGHUE'S**

**Cheap Sale of Groceries**

COME DOWN AT ONCE and come down handsomely; money no object. A slight nominal price has been fixed simply to prevent confusion. Just look at this:

A Car Load Oshawa Flour at $2.20.
15 lbs bright Sugar for one dollar.
13 lbs very bright Sugar do
Crushed Sugar lower than ever.
Good Young Hyson at 30c.
Medium do at 40c.
Choice do at 50c.
Extra Choice Young Hyson at 65c.
Good Japan at 30c.
Medium Japan at 40c.
Choice Japan 50c
Extra Choice at 55c.
Congou and Souchong 30 to 40c.
Oolong 40 to 50c.
Also—250 Pork Barrels at 60c.
*TERMS—Strictly Cash.*
☞ Don't forget the place—

T. J. DONOGHUE'S,
Feb 12, 1876. Ontario Street.

**A. E. SMYTHE,**

SOLICITOR, over E. H. Parker & Co's. Drug Store, Kingston.

March 15, 1876.

**To Lease,**

FOR a term of years, Lot No. 199 Brock Street, opposite the "Golden Lion." Apply to

KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS,
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**REES BROS.**

Having increased facilities for Baking are now prepared to furnish Wholesale or Retail a very superior article in

**Bread,**
**Buns,**
**Biscuit,**
**Cakes,**
**Pastry.**

☞ All orders left at the BAZAAR will have our very best attention.

**REES BROS.,**

159 Princess Street.

March 14.

**FOUND AT LAST.**

We are now making a SODA BISCUIT, equal to any in the market,

Made Every Afternoon.

Where they can be had at either of our stores.
☞ Order and see for yourselves.

**H. & W. J. Crothers.**

*Wellington St. and Market Square.*

March 8, 1876.


**POST-OFFICE GUIDE**

| | Close. | Arrive. |
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| Eastern Mails | 1:00 p.m. | 9 p.m. 7 a.m. 5:00 p.m |
| Western " | 3:20 p.m. | 9 p.m. 7 a.m. 2:20 p.m |

United States Through Mails for Cape Vincent, New York, Boston and Oswego will be closed at 1 p. m.

British Mails per Canadian steamers will be closed every Friday at 12:00 p.m.

Via New York every Monday and Tuesday at 12:30 p. m.


# Daily British Whig.

Saturday, March 18, 1876.


## CITY AND VICINITY

CAPTAIN HOWARD, the Superintendant of the Royal Mail Line, is in the city seeing to the outfit of the steamers for the ensuing summer trade.

PERSONAL.—Sir John Macdonald is still in the city. He will return to Ottawa on Monday.—Mr. G.A. Kirkpatrick, M.P., arrived in the city this morning.

RICHMOND & BOYDEN have just received an immense Stock of Lace Curtains in White, White & Ecru—and Ecru & Blue. See advertisement.

ADDRESS.—To-morrow Rev. F. W. Kirkpatrick will address the Sunday temperance meeting in Victoria Music Hall at 4 o'clock. All are cordially invited. Pledge book ready.

RUMOUR.—The report of a serious stabbing case yesterday is not so. The rumour originated in a quarrel between a couple of intoxicated men. It may properly be styled a case of assault and battery.

THE WOMEN'S DAY.—Yesterday, the 17th was the Irishmen's day. This is the date of the women's celebration—Sheilah's Day. If any in Kingston are observing it, they are very quiet and retired in their movements.

ENCORES.—We are opposed to encores. Besides being a heavy tax upon singers, and prolonging the programme unnecessarily, the best kind of an entertainment becomes weary when lengthened beyond season and the usual time. There should be no encores unless in exceptional cases.

INSPECTION.—Lt.-Col. Worsley, of Kingston, acting D. A. G. of No. 3 Military District, inspected the Belleville Rifles on Wednesday evening. The *Intelligencer* says that Col. Worsley is an officer who thoroughly understands his business, and in his inspection was most thorough and searching. He does not perfunctorily perform his duty either.

THE FIRE.—At 10:45 last night the Fire Brigade were called out by an alarm struck from the corner of Earl and Barrie streets. The fire—such as it was—however, occurred in the kitchen of Spooner's boarding house, at the head of William street. It was not of a significant character, being easily quenched without the aid of the steam engine.

TOUR WEST.—The Tandy Bros. are arranging for a tour west, taking in Hamilton, Toronto, Cobourg, Port Hope, Bowmanville and probably other places. They are announced to sing in the C.M. Church of the latter place on the evening of Tuesday, the 21st. They appear in connection with Miss Barr, of Hamilton, and Miss Stephens, of Cobourg.

PHOTOGRAPHS.—To-day Mr. Barrow placed his collection of photographs, to be sent to the Philadelphia Centennial, in the City Hall, where they were viewed with much admiration by many. The views are exceedingly well taken, considering the season and the time of Mr. Barrow's disposal. They number 44. The larger ones are indeed excellent. They will be shipped next week.

THE "GENEVA."—Several changes are being made in the steamers of Messrs. Folger Bros., the most important being the alterations made on the "Geneva." The bow is being enclosed, and a deck added, by which her forward port will resemble the "Maud." It will add largely to the appearance of the "Geneva," of which it can be said next year, that she is the prettiest as well as the fastest that enters the harbour.

RUNAWAY.—A team of horses from Wilson's livery ran away last evening near 6 o'clock. The race came to a sudden and disastrous end, by the horses dashing through the large glass window of Mr. John Devana, grocer, on King st. making a complete wreck of the window and prancing wildly among sundry articles, eggs and "sich," inside. The runaway will be rather an expensive one.

LEADING MEN.—The *Globe* (weekly) of this week, in its sketches of Canada's leading men, gives a very clear and correct portrait of the Rev. John Potts, of the Metropolitan Church, Toronto, coupled with an interesting review of his early life and subsequent ministerial labours. Rev. Mr. Potts now ranks among the foremost clergymen of the C. M. Church. The sketch of his life will be read with interest by Kingstonians to many of whom he is known.

THE HOLMANS'.—On Tuesday and Wednesday evening next, the Holman Opera Company will appear in the City Hall, producing two Operas in which have acquired a very extended fame, the "Grand Duchess" and the "Bohemian Girl." It can be said of these that they are sparkling plays, bringing out the complete force of the Company, and giving all an opportunity to fill a character for which special talent. Misses Sallie and Julia Holman shine brilliantly in both. Grand Duchess on Tuesday evening.

TOO BAD.—Yesterday afternoon when the City Hall was full of people, including a copious sprinkling of the fair sex, a bevy of lovers were quite huffed consequent upon the remarks of a speaker, who requested them to speak their love language in milder tones, or failing to moderate their "measure of sweetened nectar" to slip out and go home where their cooing would be less subject to interuption. The hint may have been well meant, but it was thought unkind. Why should Mary Jane not laugh when she felt tickled; and why should Sarah not talk to her young man. Isn't this a free country?

## THE WIND UP.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY IN KINGSTON.

At the termination of the parade yesterday the Societies and their friends assembled in the City Hall, where they were addressed by several speakers. The first address was delivered by Mr. T. H. McGuire, the President of the St. Patrick's Society. He prefaced his remarks by reading a friendly greeting from the Irishmen of Ottawa, and the response thereto. He was glad again after the lapse of twelve months to meet his countrymen upon the anniversary of their Patron Saint, and congratulated them upon the good order and strict sobriety which everywhere prevailed during the celebration; not a single event had occurred to mar the harmony of the day, a fact which was highly creditable considering the strong temptation presented in the time-honoured custom of "drowning the shamrock." He complimented them also on their fine appearance—they were a fine body of men, and for physical development and manly beauty could not be equalled by the same number of any other nation. It would be appropriate to take a glance at the history of Irish affairs since last anniversary, and first looking across to that bright little gem that sparkled in the ocean, that dear old land to which the thoughts of her sons ever affectionately reverted, no great changes had taken place, yet the Irish members in the British House of Commons were beginning to command greater attention, and matters relating to the amelioration of Ireland were claiming more serious consideration. There was one consolation, however, that the dark day of Ireland is now a matter of history and one which can never be repeated. There would now be no retrogression; every step in advance would be firmly held, and henceforth on the glorious banner of Old Erin might be inscribed the motto "Excelsior," until Home Rule such as we in Canada possess would no longer be the fond day dream of an enthusiast, but a reality. (Cheers.) Old Erin's sons in America were now so numerous and so warm and devoted in their attachments to their long afflicted parent that any attempt at oppression would be the signal for a million warm hearts to beat, a million swords to fly from their scabbards in defence. In legislating for Ireland in the future it might be necessary to take into account the exiled sons of the men of Limerick—the kindred blood of those who swept everything before them like an avalanche at Fonteroy—the men who fought at Antietam and Gettysburg. Oh no; there was no danger of going back. But he thought that there was no such intention on the part of England—a more liberal spirit was now being manifested, and the future was pregnant with hope and visions of greatness. Coming nearer home he congratulated his countrymen in Canada on enjoying the freest laws of any country in the world—all men here were the same before the law. Irishmen here had an even start in the race of life, and if they did not gain the prize they had no one but themselves to blame. Let them be industrious, sober and united, let them here lay aside the Old Country hostilities and this fair Canada of ours would soon be a great and a mighty nation. In Kingston all classes were on the best terms towards each other. Protestants turned out to-day and looked with kindly eyes and beaming smiles at the processionists as they passed. He could not help averting with sorrow to one great loss which they had sustained during the past year in the death of the lamented Mr. James O'Reilly, whose fine form and manly voice, uttering words of advice, instruction and encouragement, would not soon be forgotten by his countrymen in this city. "He was a man, take him all for all; we may not look upon his like again." (Cries of 'that's so.') Mr. McGuire resumed his seat amid loud and continued cheers. He was followed by Mr. P. Langan, President of the Wolfe Island Society, who delivered a very eloquent and patriotic address which was frequently interrupted by applause. Rev. Mr. Casey was called upon, and was received with the utmost enthusiasm. He expressed himself highpleased with the proceedings, and with the remarks of the previous speakers, and hoped that nothing would occur to mar the good order that so far prevailed. Rev. Mr Twohey being called on, also met with an enthusiastic reception. It was the first time he had addressed a purely Irish meeting on an Irish subject. His remarks were listened to with great attention, and were loudly applauded.

Mr. McGuire then asked for three cheers for Her Gracious Majesty the Queen, which was responded to right heartily, after which the meeting separated.

Mr. McGuire received a greeting from the Ottawa St. P. Society yesterday, to which he responded. The following is a copy of the telegram sent by the Young Irishmen's Catholic Benevolent Society of Toronto to the sister Society of this city and directed to Mr. P. J. Jennings, the Vice-President:

Irishmen of Toronto to Irishmen of Kingston:

Greeting:—May a unity of Irishmen secure for Ireland that independence which justly belongs to her.

R. RYAN, Sec. Cel. Com.

REPLY.

May your sentiments be doublefold. Great day for our Patron Saint. God Save Ireland. Young Irishmen out in full blast. P.J. JENNINGS.

## THE CONCERT.

The concert which took place in the City Hall last evening was a fitting finale to the demonstration of the day, and the St. Patrick's Society had another success to add to the many triumphs of former years. The audience was very large, numbering between seven and eight hundred, many extra seats having to be provided in addition to the ordinary seating capacity of the Hall. The gathering was highly respectable and must have entertained an exalted opinion and estimate of the musicians and their contributions in view of the many encores that were insisted upon. On the platform were arranged the banners which had been carried in procession during the day, and the seats on the dais were occupied by Rev. Fathers Twohey, O'Connor, Corbett and Casey, the Christian Brothers, the vocalists and a number of leading gentlemen. Shortly after eight o'clock the band of "A" Battery played the opening overture—a medley of Irish airs written especially for O'Connell Centennial, the arrangement of which was extremely pretty and the excellence of which was brought out effectively by the band, whose rendition of the selection was nothing short of artistic. Following this came the duet of Messrs. Jas. Harty and C. Kane, "Believe me, if all those endearing young charms." The voices blended timely and melodiously, and an encore was indispensible. Miss M. Cunningham won an affectionate place in the heart of the audience by her sweet singing of "The dear little Shamrock," the touching air and tender wording of which were enhanced by her feeling as well as harmony of voice. She was of course enthusiastically encored and gave "You won't forget your Kathleen," a piece of equal tenderness, and sang with equal effect. Mrs. P. O'Reilly sang thrice, once the soprano solo in the chorus, "Eilleen Allanna," a charming piece; once in a duet with Miss Cummings, "Farewell! Farewell!" and in the cavitini, "Robert le Diable" (Romance,) in all and every instance eliciting the loudest plaudits in acknowledgement of the vocalist's merits and of the pleasure of the audience. Her rich, full, clear voice, of wide compass, always delights. Miss M. A. Cummings, beside taking part with Mrs. P. O'Reilly in the duet song, "Dermot Asthore," one of the most lovely of Irish ballads, into which she imbued a pathos and melody that won universal favor. Miss Cummings possesses a good voice, and in her public appearences strikes a popular chord, and hence her singing is generally very acceptable. She ranks amongst the foremost of the local lady amateurs. Much might be said also complimentary of Miss Norah O'Connor's vocalism, her "Wild Norah's Lament" being rendered with much spirit, though it was apparent she was suffering from nervousness, and consequently under a certain restraint common to persons in their early appearances in public. Yet she sang well; she has the voice, and but requires usage to bring her the confidence necessary to make her a successful as well as popular public singer. She was encored. Mr. W.G. Craig rendered, for the first time to our hearing, "The Ivy Green," which took so well that he was warmly applauded, and responded to an encore. He sang in his usual good style. Mr. C. Kane and Mr. J. Harty in Part II. song "Kathleen Aroon" and "Exile of Erin" and fully estabished their claim to the reception they were accorded. Both were evidently great favorites. Notwithstanding the late hour and length of the programme, Kane was encored. The other singers comprised Messrs. A. Robb and W. Keeley, the humorous "bhoys," whose comicalities always provoke laughter. They made "hits" last night and thoroughly roused the risabilities of the house. Encores in their cases certainly succeeded. The Band of "A" Battery played two more pieces—on the opening of Part II., "Hibernian Bouquet," being like the initial selection, an arrangement of Irish airs. A piano solo was executed by Miss M. Smith in artistic style, and the fantasia (duet) by Misses Strachan and McIntyre displayed the skill and musical culture of the players to the full. The President during the evening made a short address, in the course of which he dwelt upon the result of the day's celebration, the objects and work of the St. Patrick's Society, &c, and thanked the musicians for the manner in which they had assisted in making the Concert a success in point of entertainment. He also thanked the audience for their attendance and liberal support. Mr. Des Rochers acted as musical director and played most of the accompaniments.

## TEMPERANCE.

TOWN HALL, CENTREVILLE.—On Friday evening, in the C. Methodist Church was held a temperance meeting, Rev. Mr. Shortt, W.M., in the chair. At 7:30 o'clock the exercises commenced. The chairman spoke warmly, requested the voters to support the Dunkin by-law at the polls on the 31st inst., convinced it was a necessity to prohibit the sale of the drunkard's drink. Mr. Pike, of Enterprise, spoke over a half an hour. His very excellent remarks on drunkenness and the necessity of the Dunkin Act in Camden Township. As one of the leaders to a prohibitory liquor law, was warmly sympathized with by the audience, loudly applauded on returning to his seat. Mr. Jackson, of Enterprise next took the stand; he gave his reason for being present—always so on the temperance side—he came to support the Dunkin By-law now before the electors, to be decided at the polls on the 31st inst., when he hoped every lover of his country would record his vote in its favor. He said a great many good things. On taking his seat he was applauded.

Mr. Flynn, G. L. Lecturer, was then introduced, and delivered a convincing lecture. He showed the traffic in its wickedness—its expense to the country, and dangerous effects on morality, its opposition to truth and godliness. He enjoined upon all present to be up and doing, to secure a large vote for Dunkin on the 31st at Centreville. The whole of the meeting was one of deep interest. Much good will, it is expected, be the result.

A vote of thanks being tendered to the chair and the speakers, the doxology was sung and the meeting came to a close. A cordial invitation to Mr. Flynn to favor Centreville with another visit—a full Church promised.

On Tuesday evening a large meeting was held in the C. M. Church, Centreville. Rev. Mr. Crowther was chairman, who, after a few spirited remarks, introduced Mr. Thos. Flynn, G. L. L., who spoke in his usually stirring and impressive manner for nearly an hour. Mr. Caton, of Ernesttown, was then introduced, and for another hour kept the audience convulsed with laughter, for though Mr. Caton is a very forcible and earnest speaker, every word conveying a moral, still he possesses the happy faculty of making his remarks pleasing to all.—*Beaver.*

## Royal Titles Bill.

LONDON, March 16.—In the House of Commons to-night, when the motion was made to go into committee on the Royal Titles Bill, the Marquis of Hartington rose and moved in amendment, that while willing to consider a measure enabling the Queen to make an addition to her titles, the House considers it inexpedient to impair the dignity of the Crown by the assumption of the title of Empress. The Marquis speech was conciliatory in tone. He offered the amendment with reluctance. He admitted that it was impossible for the Government to have foreseen the opposition which the measure had provoked. He challenged the Government to show any good reason why the title of Empress was preferable to that of Queen, and he repeated the argument, that the bill was a slight to the other colonies.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Stafford Northcote, defended the title of Empress as accurately representing the relations of the Queen to India.

The debate lasted seven hours, and was excited and acrimonious. Sir. William Harcourt and Messrs Forster and Duff opposed the Bill and Mr. Roebuck and Lord Elcho supported it. Finally, the Marquis of Hartington's amendment was rejected by 200 to 35.

## POLICE COURT.

There are moments and scenes in one's life, which, if personal interests were served, would be screened from view—at least the public view. There are blissful events of which much could be written and yet the theme be far from exhausted, and many of its beauties remain untold; and there are other incidents, rather of the ludicrous nature, when the less said about them the better—thus their memory would be forgotten the sooner, and those who play the parts saved notoriety, no matter how cheaply it is procured. And this leads us to put on record, for the benefit of our readers, the facts of the case in which the Sergeant-Major and his right bower, Tim Lane, and Stacey and Wooton, took a hand yesterday morning. For nothing can occur unless the Sergt.-Major is present, and he has the luck to be always convenient when anything goes amies, and as surely does it follow that he "puts his boot nicely in it." But that isn't saying he wears the biggest shoe. But he didn't get his foot in it this time, though the expression conveys the idea. He got his head in it however. He was on the qui vive. Of course he was *very busy* as usual. He and his companions had stepped out to see the procession, and impress the crowd assembled in the vicinity by the majesty of their bearing. They had been but a few minutes thus arraigned on the sidewalk when they were somewhat startled by the roar of distant thunder—"as it were." Lane and Wooton wheeled about to fly within the solid walls of the City Buildings for protection; but the Sergt.-Major, whose astronomical investigations we have previously alluded to, cast his head back, and, closing the left eye, was about to use his curved hand, through which the better to take meteorological observations of the sky, when plump! he was struck on the face by a falling avalanche, and down he squatted on the sidewalk, imbedded in snow. Beside him sat Tim Lane, similarly situated. Jim Wooton was not knocked down, but a few pounds of wet snow hit him such a slap on the back of the shoulders that his speed down the steps was accelerated, and nothing short of the stone wall would have stopped the momentum, and saved him the unpleasant task this slushy weather of standing on his ear. It was owing to this circumstance that the Sergt.-Major decided to take a back seat for the remainder of the day. He maintained a quiet, somnolent attitude, recalling to mind the poetic verse, slightly modified:

Tell me not in doleful numbers
That life is but an empty dream;
For the soul's not dead that slumbers,
And falling snow is all it seems.

Now to the business of the day. It is said that there is a tide in the affairs of men, which, taken at its flood, leads on to fortune. The tide of Andrew Jackson was taken when he was full enough, but it led him to the station last night at 9:30 o'clock, and he hadn't much of a fortune. He had just seventeen cents—enough for a sugar stick, but not enough for the graduation fees of this Court. $2.

Whilhamena Fanley said she was Irish, and that her mistress and herself had been celebrating her silver wedding, tho' by the same token that was a "moighty quare saying," inasmuch as Whilhamena never was married, and Fanley is her maiden name. Long life to the Fanleys if they are all like this member of the happy clan. P. C. Hinde found her with her back against the fence on Clergy Street singing about flies and onions, or something to that effect.

Whilhamena said he "was another"—she said no such thing.

The P.M.—Well, what under the sun did you say, woman?

Whilhamena—I said this, that—
It is my solid opinion,
That stuffed with sage and ingun,
No bird that flies is half so nice
As a goose with sage and ingun.

The P.M.—Ah, my dear woman, the goose is bothering you but little. It's the bottle your fond of, and I'm certain you won't stuff it with sage. Can't you bridle your passion for drink?

Willie—I'd rather not. Women were never intended to be harnessed, and I'm not that kind of a hair-pin to lead the fashions with a bridle.

The P.M.—Indeed! You wont?

Willie—Not for Joe.

The P.M.—$2 or 60 days.

Henry Bilge "couldna wi'stand a treat ye ken." He took four hot Scotches, and then the police took him, as he was unable to take care of himself. He was pretty well reduced in finances—36c—considerable pocket money, but simply nothing when he came to run the Police Court show.

The P.M.—I suppose you're well fixed?

Henry—Ay, weel fixed, surely.

The P.M.—Plenty of money?

Henry—Thirty sax cents; de'il the baubee mair.

The P.M.—That settles it—15 days.

Henry—I'll gang awa' hame.

The P.M.—In a fortnight or so from now.

Charley Grange is one of those fellows who, when they take a sup too much, are sure to make as much noise as they can by a vigorous use of their lungs and meddling with their hands. He first attracted the police by his unearthly yells, and when called upon he was using his strength in his endeavor to shove the pile of bricks opposite Crother's old stand on King Street out of the way. He was requested to pass in his checks for $2 or 15 days. He passed them in for 15 days.

The docket wound up with one more case of over-indulgence. Tom Patterson, who wanders around the street from dawn almost midnight, off and on, got so far 'on' last night that he had to be placed in warm and secure lodgings. He said he had never been in such a place before, to which the Chief responded that if he got all his deserts he would have been there many times.

Tom, said the P.M., you were most probably in your early days possessed of youth, hope and beauty. Even now you probably hope I'll let you off. You have bartered these for rum. Yet, if you abandon that pernicious fluid there are plenty of chances for you yet. You might go round giving temperance lectures as a reformed drunkard and make enough to be able to afford a quiet drink at home occasionally. As it is, you are only fit for an awful example, which I shall proceed to make of you. Two dollars or two months.

John Redford, drunk, and Edward Kelly and James Young, vagrants, received 30 days each.

TERRIBLE SUFFERING AT SEA.—Further cable despatches given further particulars regarding the disaster to the British ship Great Britain: The Great Britain encountered terrible weather, and became waterlogged on March 3rd. The captain's two sons died of privation. The captain and thirteen men took to the boats, and soon suffered horribly from hunger. Three men died, and the survivors were forced to eat a portion of the remains of their comrades to keep them from starving. On March the 11th they were rescued in the last stage of emaciation.


**F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.**

HAVE RECEIVED A THIRD SUPPLY OF

American White Cottons (37 inches wide) at 10 cents per yard.
American White Pillow Cottons.
American White Sheetings, Plain and Twilled.
American Cotton Feather Tickings.
Also, 150 White Honey Comb Quilts from $1.25.

☞ The Ladies would do well to call and examine the above Goods before purchasing elsewhere, as we have marked them at a very small advance on the cost.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.,
March 13, 1876. Orange Buildings

**CHEAP GOODS ON EXHIBITION**

AT A. ROSS'S.

A Choice Lot of Goods Suitable for Spring Wear in Dress Goods, (three different patterns for one dress.)

PRINTS in all the newest colors, Kid Gloves, Silk Sun Shades, Silk Scarfs, in Ecru and other new Shades, Collars and Cuffs, &c., Gents' Furnishings, consisting of a varied Stock of Plain and Fancy Tweeds. The above having been bought at very low prices will be offered at proportionately low prices at 188 Princess Street.

March 11 1876. A. ROSS.

**COTTONS AND LINENS**

CHEAP AT **WALDRON'S.**

300 PIECES WHITE COTTONS, Horrocks.
300 pieces Grey Cottons, Canadian.
100 pieces White Cottons, American.
Horrocks' Twill Sheetings—2, 2 1-4, 2 1-2 yds wide.
Horrocks' Plain Sheetings—2, 2 1-4, 2 1-2 yds wide.
Plain and Twill Grey Sheetings—2, 2 1-4 yds wide.
Pillow Cottons 20, 45, 48, 54 inches wide,
Pillow Linens and Linen Sheetings,
Bleached and Unbleached Huck Towellings.
Cheap Table Linens and Table Napkins.

All Cottons sold at Montreal Wholesale prices by the piece.

R. WALDRON,
WILSON'S BUILDINGS.

March 9, 1876.

**'PATRICK'S DAY PARADE.**

Now Is the Time to Leave Your Orders for the Celebration of the 17th of Ireland, at the

**NEW YORK CLOTHING STORE!**

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF CLOTHS, TWEEDS, and Worsted Coatings, which for style, durability and cheapness cannot be equalled in the city.
Worsted Coatings in Checks, Diagonals, Diamonds and Figures.
Fine Worsted Trowserings in the latest New York and Paris Styles.
Fine Broad Cloths and Doeskins.
Fine Canadian Tweeds in the Choicest Patterns ever manufactured.
Fine assortment of Scotch Tweed.

We are taking orders rapidly for the above Goods and parties requiring a really first-class Garment or Suit at a moderate price will please call on us.

We have been hard at work all winter manufacturing a choice assortment of Clothing, and parties requiring a Ready-Made Coat, Pants or Vest will find ours equal in many respects to Order Work, and a very large assortment to select from at very low prices.

A Choice assortment of GENTS FURNISHING GOODS, new and cheap.

Just Received: the latest Style of SILK HATS for St Patrick's Day.

Z. PREVOST,

NEW YORK CLOTHING STORE, Brock Street, 4 doors from the Market Square.

SPRING HATS! A New Stock in Felt and Cloth.

**McNAUGHTON & CO.,**

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Now on hand an Immense Stock of

**READY-MADE CLOTHING!**

Men's Working Suits,
Men's Fine Dress Suits,
Boys' Suits,
Children's Suits,
Men's Business Suits,
Men's Fall and Winter Over Coats,
Boys' Overcoats,

In all the latest styles, from the medium grade to the finest imported goods, and all cheaper than ever sold here.

Having had this stock manufactured expressly for our trade, we can give our customers garments made up equal to custom work (in style, fit and workmanship) at lower prices than others charge for the common ready-made clothing. Do not take our word for this, but call and convince yourselves that we advertise facts. If the goods you want are not on hand made up, you can have them made to order in a few hours.

McNaughton & Co.

SPRING HATS! In all Styles and Cheap.

**NOTICE.**

**The Royal Canadian Insurance Company.**

A DIVIDEND OF TEN PER CENT. up to the THIRTY-FIRST OF DECEMBER last, on the Stock of this Company upon which the full Instalments called have been paid up, has been declared and will be payable at the Head Office of the Company, Montreal, and at the Branch Offices on and after 15th February next.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Company's Office, Montreal, on 3rd February next, at 2 p.m.

☞ Transfer Books will be closed until 3rd February next,

C. F. GILDERSLEEVE,
Kingston, Jan 21st, 1876. MANAGER.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL and COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette.* Made simply with Boiling Water or Milk.—Sold only in packets labelled—"JAMES EPPS & Co., Homœopathic Chemists, 48, Threadneedle Street, and 170, Piccadilly, Works, Euston Road and Camden Town, London."

**NOW LADIES!**

IF YOU WANT A

***Child's Carriage***

As we intend SELLING OUT OUR STOCK, call at once if you want a BARGAIN.

**W. W. CHOWN & BRO.**

HARDWARE,

No. 7 Bagot Street.

March 10, 1876.

**For Sale.**

THE PROPERTY OF THE LATE MR. THOMAS PAINTER, consisting of one half of a large semi detached Stone residence, in good order with necessary outbuildings and three Acres of Land of most excellent soil, being clean and in a good state of cultivation. The two acres next the house are laid out as an Orchard, containing a large excellent lot of selected fruit trees, the majority 2 and 3 years planted; two thirds of these two acres is well underdrained. All beautifully situated on the West side of College street, in close proximity to the residences of Dr. Betts and Lady Smith, adjacent also to that of the Hon A Campbell. Title good. For terms, &c., apply to MRS PAINTER, on the premises, on or before 31st March.

March 7, 1876.

**To Let,**

THAT DESIRABLE RESIDENCE, known as Prospect Hill, on Division street, the property of the late P. C. Murdock, and now occupied by Dr. Evans. The lot contains 35 acres of land, a fine stone residence, good gardens, stone barn, out houses and Bakery. Any person renting the premises can prepare the land for spring crop at his convenience. For terms apply to John Brunigan, Kingston, or Mrs. P. Murdock, Prescott.

March 8, 1876.

**FRESH COD**

—AND—

**HADDOCK!**

5 Cents per Pound.

**JOHN O'SHEA,**

Johnson Street, and on the Market.

March 3, 1876

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**CLARK WRIGHT,**

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HAS JUST RECEIVED A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF THE

**LEADING SPRING STYLES!**

—IN—

**Silk and Felt Hats, Cloth Caps,**

INCLUDING

English Fine Round Stiff Felt Hats
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—ALSO—

American Fine Soft and Stiff Felt Hats

Having just received the Blocks, I am prepared to sell and take orders for the latest Spring Styles of

**ENGLISH AND BROADWAY SILK HATS.**

The English Goods are all ordered direct, and the styles can be relied on.

☞ All ordered work done promptly.

**WELLINGTON ST., KINGSTON.**

March 11, 1876.

**For Sale.**

LOTS 3 and 4, on Main and York Streets Picardeville, Kingston. Apply to

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Feb 12 Solicitor

**Boarding.**

TWO GENTLEMEN can be accommodated with comfortable Board at 157 Princess St.

March 13, 1876.