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March 18, 1876.

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Don't Forget That

J. M. MACKAY & CO.

Give More Dry Goods for ONE DOLLAR than any other House gives for $3.

Read this List over and call around and carry away some of the following goods:

14 yards Good Wide Dress Goods	$1.00
18 do do do	1.00
10 do do do	1.00
10 do Good Winceys	1.00
12 do Superior Print	1.00
10 do Yard Wide English Print	1.00
8 Pairs Good Hose	1.00

Our 25c Black Lustre is the talk of everybody. Grey Cotton we make a speciality.

14 yards Extra Canadian Grey Cotton	$1.00
11 do do do	1.00
14 do White Cotton	1.00
10 do 37 inch do	1.00
10 do Extra Sheeting	1.00
10 do Feather Ticking	1.00
15 do Twilled Flannel	1.00

This List we would like the workingmen to read over:

3 Good Oxford Shirts	$1.00
3 do do	1.00
1 do White	1.00
2½ do Tweed	1.00

TO-NIGHT we make Gents' furnishings a speciality, Ties, Shirts, Collars at your own prices

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Sign of Red, White and Blue Flag.

March 18, 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 Brannigan, Kingston, or Mrs. P. Murdock, Prescott.

March 8, 1876.

For Sale,

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

KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS.

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Hardware.

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

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NEW GOODS

—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

At Tweddell's.

TURN DOWN LINEN and Paper Collars, any Style you want

At Tweddell's.

LINEN AND PAPER SHIRT FRONTS—Very cheap,

At Tweddell's.

LINEN and PAPER CUFFS,

At Tweddell's.

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.

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

A. E. SMYTHE,

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

March 15, 1876.

W. C. MUIR,

DENTIST, successor to the late J. L. Macdonald. OFFICE: at the old place, 156 Princess Street.

March 14, 1876.

To Lease,

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

KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS, Solicitors.

Feb 12

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.

MACHINE,

Engine and Boiler Works,

QUEEN ST., KINGSTON.

THE undersigned in returning thanks to their numerous customers for past favors, would respectfully inform them and the public in general that they are still at the Old Stand with increased facilities for doing work; having added to their Stock some new Tools, would desire a continuance of custom.

All Kinds of Engines, Boilers, Saw or Grist Mill Work

Done on the shortest notice, at prices which defy competition. Special attention paid to ALL KINDS OF REPAIRS.

STEAM FITTING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

ALSO FOR SALE:—One new 10 Horse Power Engine; One new 2 Horse Power Engine, with 4 h. p. Vertical Boiler; three of those Vertical Cheese Factory Boilers on hand for sale cheap for cash,

—AT—

D. McEWEN & SON'S.

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OPPOSITE THE VICTORIA FOUNDRY

March 14, 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.

POST-OFFICE GUIDE

	Close.		Arrive.	
Eastern Mails	4.00 p.m.	9 p.m.	7 a.m.	5.00 p.m
Western "	3.30 p.m.	9 p.m.	7 a.m.	2.25 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.

Tuesday, March 21, 1876.

CITY AND VICINITY

VENNOR smiles again to-day. Vive la Vannor. "The most snow will fall towards the end of the season."

THE BAND.—It will not play this evening, the Hall being engaged for the Holmans.

GONE.—The eastern bound train yesterday afternoon bore away Sir John Macdonald and Messrs. S. Shibley and G. A. Kirkpatrick to the capital.

THE local events of the week seem to be the Holman Opera and the sun's eclipse. The latter will come off on Friday afternoon without regard to weather or audience.

CRANMER was burnt 320 years ago today. And every snow shoveller this morning thought he had just as hot and as tough a time as Cranmer or any other martyr.

MISSIONARY.—Rev. J. Fraser Campbell addressed a meeting in the Convocation Hall of Queen's College last evening on missionary matters. The meeting was limited in number, consequent upon the stormy nature of the weather.

SNOW SHOVELLING.—The noble army of snow shovellers had a heavy job on hand this morning, the heaviest this winter. It gave the genteel dry goods clerks a little needful muscular exercise, and a hearty appetite for dinner.

THE TRAINS.—Both the Express trains running east and west were detained considerably by the heavy snow of last night. The midnight and the morning trains crossed this morning at Gananoque. The mails by the steamship Circassian reached here and were distributed this morning.

WOLFE ISLAND.—Several new buildings are about to be commenced in the village of Marysville, on Wolfe Island. This indicates progress and prosperity, especially so when considered with the fact that farm property in that municipality is rising in value, and is now one of the most profitable investments going.

THE RAILWAY.—The two engines of the Kingston & Pembroke Railway are being renovated at the Grand Trunk Depot and put in shape for the resumption of business on the line as soon as the snow takes its departure. The road, if all goes well, will do a good business during the ensuing summer.

TEMPTING.—L. H. Daniels, the hotel man of Prescott, has engaged the Holmans for an entertainment there one night. And Daniels is making the affair doubly attractive by announcing that the holder of every reserve seat ticket will be entitled to participate in an oyster supper after the performance. Yum! Yum! That's business.

BUSINESS.—The farmers of this immediate neighborhood have been doing an immense trade in cordwood. For several days many have been marketing the fuel in the morning, returning home and before nightfall culling sufficient for next day's drawing. In this way they have been making money "while the sun shone" so to speak.

THEFT.—Yesterday Ellen Dwyre made all the fuss she could by bringing an action against Mr. Reid, confectioner, for non-payment of wages. Ellen was the faulty one to-day, she being charged by Mr. Reid of theft—stealing on the 9th inst. some silver spoons, lace veil, blankets, shawl, &c., all of which articles were found in her possession. To this offence she consented to be tried summarily, and, being convicted, got six months in the County Gaol.

THE MILITARY COLLEGE.—The important announcement of a holding of a second series of examinations for admission of candidates to the Military College here, is ordered by the Militia Department into two newspapers in Ontario, THREE in Quebec and FOUR in the Lower Provinces. The rule of division or proportion here displayed is one not laid down in Sangster's Elementary, but perhaps the Department has rated the Provinces by their intelligence. In such case, the big province, Ontario, must be flattered to think that her people are so well informed on public affairs that two papers are able to complete their enlightenment.

FURNITURE SALES.—To parties desiring to dispose of their furniture this spring, Mr. J. E. Hutcheson begs respectfully to offer his services, having a thorough knowledge of the value of household effects, &c., and a large acquaintance with the public. He has conducted most of the important sales which has taken place in the city during the past three years, and has always been fortunate in securing large and respectable audiences. He will continue to do his utmost to secure success in every sale he undertakes. Terms liberal. Rooms Brock street.—*Adv.*

"LE GRAND DUCHESS."—Such is the name of the piece to be played by the Holmans' to-night by request. It is one of the best in the Company's repertoire. An American exchange thus speaks of it: In the title role Miss Sallie has no superior on the operatic stage. She has sung the part so often, and has entered so perfectly into the spirit and expression of its author, that she really is a grand duchess indeed. This, the best opera bouffe, is given in English, with all the numbers, action and *mise en scene* of the original, and to participate in the enjoyment of seeing and hearing it is to mark the event in memory's calender with a red line.

AMERICAN CHEESE MARKET.

An exchange says:—A general view of the trade leads to encouraging conclusions for factorymen. The steady exportation of the past six weeks has produced a normal and firm demand. It is probable that the interval between the present time and the general resumption of manufacture will witness a renewed advance. Advices from London announce that the stock in store was small. Reports both private and general agree in the estimate that the number of boxes now held in New York does not exceed 100,000. The supply in the interior is light. The prospects are much fairer than they were last March. A slight lessening of both the home and foreign demand during the past week is reported from all points. Quotations remain unchanged. But it is known that there must be a steady demand from abroad, and the depression will doubtless be but temporary. The demand at Boston continues moderate but steady, a few sales of choice factory being made at 14c. Prices range in the interior markets, so far as the sales are reported, at from 12c to 13½ cents.

INDIAN PROPHECY.—An old Indian in Montreal prophesied that there would be a big snow storm before the 17th of March. It came as he predicted, and now considerable reliance is placed upon his further prediction that navigation will not be open until may. Here are his own words, given in the *Gazette*:—

"Well, what about navigation, old sage—when will we have ships in the harbor?" "Plenty fire-ship, big smoke; big stick and white wings come first May. Little ship, big wheel, plenty smoke, plenty fuss come few days sooner. White paper man satisfy?" Oh, yes, old man. I suppose there is no use grumblig about matters. If your prophesy should come true about St. Patrick's Day, don't go near the procession; that's all right; you might get lost in the snow."

HARPER.—*Harper's Magazine* for April is out. Among the notable features are a series of papers of "Old Philadelphia," by Mrs. Rebecca Harding Davis', S. S. Conant writes Centennial paper on the "Progress of the Fine Arts" giving 16 portraits of American artists; Mr. Lossing starts a series on the Romance of the Hudson, with penal views from the pencil of Dr. Parsons himself; Dr. Osgood contributes an illustrated paper on "St. Johnland." In this part of George Eliot's novel the hero appears. A Southern story by Miss Woolson is spoken of as the strongest she has yet written. The poetry is up to the usual standard.

TRAPPED.—A young business man had succeeded in making a sober man of a friend of his. The latter, when tipsy the other day, bargained for the purchase of a piece of property, which bargain he regretted and attempted to repudiate when he came to his sober senses. The holder of the property would only consent to release him on one condition—that he should sign the total abstinence pledge, breaking which will annul the subsequent agreement and place him again in the power of the real estate man.

A BUGABOO.—A young man who had been dozing and dreaming in his arm chair until all the members of his household had retired, thought he heard burglars in the cellar kitchen. He sneaked down the stairs and cautiously approached the pantry whence the rattle of the plunderer emitted. Just as he was about to fling the boot jack into the closet, out hopped his father with a lamp in one hand and a hunk of bread in the other. The old man was hungry and stole below for "grub," but he had no idea he was being hunted for a burglar.

THE STREET RAILWAY.—The Company who are to construct the Street Railway in the Spring are moving in the matter. There will be a meeting of the shareholders for the election of Directors in Toronto on Wednesday, the 5th of April. Next winter probably, at this time, we shall be riding on the cars, and hear the refrain which dingled so musically in Mark Twain's ears:

A blue trip slip for a three cent fare,
A pink trip slip for a six cent fare;
Punch in the presence of the passenjaires.

THE INSOLVENCY ACT.—The amendments which the Hon. Mr. Blake is proposing by a new bill to make in the Insolvency Laws, are necessary to ensure the proper working of this law. They were first suggested by Mr. C. V. Price of this city, and endorsed by the official assignees of nearly all of the other counties in Ontario, backed by the legal profession.

THE ROADS.—The roads are blockaded for the time being. The snow fall of last evening was the deepest of the season, but it was very light and anything but comfort. There will be a partial suspension of business for a couple of days, until the roads are broken. In the event of a thaw following, Oh what slush!

ROUGH USAGE.—Leap Year weather is not over with yet, the abrupt changes from mild and winning weather to cold and furious storms still continuing. How fortunate that the ladies only get control every fourth year, the Gananoque *Reporter* man remarks courageously, though he is married.

ST. GEORGE'S HARMONICS.—Last week there was a revival in the attendance and interest taken in this Association. The programme of to-morrow evening will fully sustain the success of last week, judging by the names.

PRISONERS.—Deputy Sheriff King, of Simcoe, arrived this morning with three prisoners for the Kingston Penitentiary—Samuel Reid, Carroll and Derbyshire, sentenced to terms of five, four and three years respectively.

SNOW-BALLING.—The lads had a regular filled day of it snow-balling. In one case—where a youth was attacking a bevy of girls—Grey made an arrest, and the boy was lodged for a time in the station house.

THIS was a day of snow slides. Towards noon the snow fell in cart loads from many buildings, and of course pedestrians had to suffer in numerous cases.

WITHDRAWN.—The Yateman farm which was to have been sold to-day under mortgage, has been withdrawn from the field by an arrangement between the parties.

LOCAL HISTORY.

FORT FRONTENAC.—The Cape Vincent *Eagle* publishes a correspondence between Mr. E. H. Platt of that village and Mr. Francis Parkman, author of the "Discovery of the West." The former raises anew the question as to whether those alleged 150 years old ruins at the head of Carleton Island, were the site of the Old Fort Frontenac or whether this historic city of Kingston really was. He hangs his doubt on a peg of Parkman's that the Old Fort was situated on the "northern shore of the outlet of Lake Ontario." He seems to think that the American Channel is the outlet the river being there four miles wide and marked as the Channel in old French maps; that the Canadian passage is a side rivulet,—pretty nice rivulet it is too and that Kingston harbor is a mere bay where the St. Lawrence begins to lose itself among the islands. But to call an island in the centre of a river southward of another island a part of the northern shore is a stretch of imagination as well as of reason and geography. Mr. Parkman replies, from his home in Boston, giving Kingston the historic credit due her, and setting Mr. Platt's new ambition over the side show of Carleton Island at rest, we hope:—

"The answer to your inquiry about Fort Frontenac, or Cataraqui, as it was also called, is very simple. Its site is no more doubtful than that of Ticonderoga or Crown Point. There are numerous French maps, both manuscript and printed, in which it is laid down, and several plans of it at different periods, from that of Denevoille in 1685 to that made during the war of 1775. Many of these maps are in my possession. I have also the title deeds of the neighbouring lands, and of the place itself, in La Salle's time and subsequently. These are perfectly distinct and explicit.

The Fort was so important in the 17th and 18th centuries that there are few places in Canada concerning which information is more complete. I have visited and carefully examined the locality. Cataraqui bridge, at Kingston, still preserves the Indian name of the Fort, which stood within the limits of the city; very near the western end of the bridge. It was captured by Gen. Bradstreet in 1758, after which it lost its former importance.

The impression that the fort on Carleton Island dates back 150 years is certainly erroneous. Apparently this island is the same which the French called Isle aux Chevreuil. At all events there could not have been any fortified fort of any consequence here before the old French war. Even then, I know of no mention of this or any neighboring island as occupied for military purposes, except in one instance, when a guard of twelve men is reported to have been stationed here. They were sent from Fort Frontenac. The remarkable works of which the remains are now so conspicuous must have been of later date, and of British origin, probably early in the revolutionary war. Fort Carleton was held by a small British garrison in 1812, when, at the outbreak of the war, it was seized and occupied by American militia."

AN UNQUALIFIED FALSEHOOD.

A few days ago ago the *Star* of this city published an article accusing a prominent lawyer of Cornwall, and a son of a former eminent Premier of Canada, with having seduced the beautiful daughter of a prominent banker in this city. The article was so pointed that every person who read it could not help identifying the gentleman referred to, and, knowing him to be engaged to a young lady in Montreal, associated that lady's name with the scandal. There is not a word of truth in the villainous article, and before this appears in print the proprietors of the *Star* will have been arrested for criminal libel. The Hon. J. J. C. Abbott, Q.C., and Mr. Kerr, Q.C., are taking action on behalf of the Cornwall gentleman and his intended bride. The scandal is the talk of the town, and the authors of it are handled without gloves by all respectable citizens.—Montreal Telegram.

RAILROAD STRATEGY.

The little village of Philadelphia, at the junction of the Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg, and the Utica & Black River Railways, has become a strategic point of considerable significance. There is a great deal of manœuvring between the rival roads to prevent connections instead of aiding them. It is hard to tell which line is the more aggressive on good nature, in the general acceptance of the term, but we know very well that a passenger on one of them was obliged to travel on foot over fifteen miles one day last week owing to the little unpleasantness between the two roads. May the best win the Centennial trade, but don't make a poor suffering passenger walk, when the said one is only forty years old, and has never before set his foot in a railroad car.—*Recorder.*

VESSEL INSPECTION.

It is said that the Ætna Insurance Co. has made an inspection of the lake marine this this winter which is very severe upon many vessels that have heretofore been looked upon as first-class in every respect. It has been the custom for the Ætna inspectors to classify vessels under the direction of Captain E. P. Dorr, the agent at Buffalo, and upon the completion of the register to sell it to the underwriters for $12,000. This year the underwriters object to paying the "gilt-edged" price for the register, and say that they will allow but $5,000 for the work. There are several companies outside of the underwriters who will work upon the register of last year with such changes as have been suggested by their inspectors, so that our lake marine will be as well protected as heretofore, without being compelled to bow to one man power.—Oswego *Palladium.*

RICH DUKES.—The Duke of Northumberland is the holder of the largest acreage of any person in England. He owns 181,616 acres in Northumberland, from which he receives an income of $808,370, or less than 4.50 per acre, which is greatly below the average value of lands. The Duke of Norfolk, the Premier Duke of England, has an estate which in point of area is vastly inferior to that of the great owner in Northumberland; but it is nevertheless much more valuable. In the West Riding of York the Duke of Norfolk owns 15,220 acres, which, though but one-twelfth the acreage owned by the Duke of Northumberland, yields the princely yearly income of $1,156,670, or $75 per acre.

THE EXHIBITION.—The Secretary of the Y.M.C.A., is industriously engaged in arranging for the Arts Exhibition, to open in the Victoria Music Hall on Tuesday next—one week from to-day. The entries are very large and the public entertainment will undoubtedly be aroused by the fine display that will be forthcoming. The exhibition promises to be an event of no ordinary importance.

WHITE FISH.—An order in Council is published in Saturday's Canada *Gazette*, as follows: "Seining for white fish with nets of no less than four inches extension measure in the meshes, shall be permitted between the the thirtieth day of May, and the first day of August in each year.

AROUND HOME.

GANANOQUE Masons are negotiating with Mr. D. Brophy for the erection of a new Masonic Hall on the grounds owned by the late Dr. Potter.

—The schooner Ellsworth which laid up at Cape Vincent last fall, has been loaded with ice, and A. G. Burnham is building a large ice house to be filled with ice for shipment west.

—Capt. R. Davis, of Clayton, has his new yacht ready for the engine and boiler. Parties from Syracuse talk of buying her. The Capt, commences work on another yacht immediately.

—The Ogdensburg Journal understands that the captains of the N. T. Co.'s boats have been ordered to report at their several positions on the first of April. This indicates an early start and a revival of the spirit which formerly kept them moving when there was open water.

—On Saturday and Sunday (11th and 12th inst.) the Lord Bishop of Ontario ivsited the parish of Newboro, Portland and Newboyne for the purpose of holding confirmations and consecration. In Newboro thirty-five candidates were represented by the incumbent, Rev. S. Tighe, B.A.; at Newboyne thirty-nine; and Portland, fifteen—in all, thirty-eight males and fifty females, or a total of eighty-eight persons. At all the services the Holy Communion was administered, which was received by all the candidates and a large number of parishioners. Of the confirmation candidates several had been recently baptized and received into the Church from other religious bodies, and the entire class were in every respect highly creditable to the parish. Within the past ten months thirty-five infants and seven adults have been baptized, five marriages solemnized, and seventeen funerals attended in connection with the congregations. Several candidates are still under instruction for confirmation, to be held within the present year, and a new and flourishing congregation has been established in Westport, which shows a very satisfactory state of Church work and progress going on in the parish. As it is intended to hold a confirmation in the month of September next, the consecration of the church at Portland and the church ground at Newboyne has been postponed to that time.—*Recorder.*

CURRENCY,

—The Italian Ministry has resigned.

—General Schenck arrived at New York Sunday night on the Abyssina.

—Potatoes are selling for twelve cents a bushel in Washington county, N. Y.

—The U. S. Senate have resolved to reduce the salary of the President from $50,000 to $25,000.

—Letters have been received from the Gordon exploration party in Africa up to 29th Dec. 1876.

—It is stated that the Bank of the State of New York will be able to pay all its liabilities.

—A curling match between Freemasons and non-masons, at Quebec was won by the latter by fourteen points.

—Mr. Goldwin Smith will, it is said, be on the staff of the new daily, the *Evening Telegram*, to be started in Toronto about the 15th of April.

—Rev. Father Bentley, cure of St. Sulpice and professor of theology of the Montreal College, died on Saturday morning at half-past six.

—Mr. James Goldie, of Guelph, has erected at Brussels a new grain warehouse and elevator, with a capacity of 25,000 bushels.

—The French Chamber of Deputies has asked for 1,750,000 francs for the relief of the sufferers by the recent floods

—Three brothers at Arich, West, C. B., a few days ago quarrelled. Two of the three were murdered by the third, who has been arrested.

—An Grangeville man named Shaw, 80 years of age, killed his son on Monday with a bayonet. The murderer is an old soldier.

—Ferdinand Freilgrath, the German poet, died at Cronstadt, in Wurtemburg, yesterday. He was nearly 66—years of age.

—A company is being organized at Montreal for the manufacture of silk, with a capital of $50,000, of which the best part has been taken up.

—Among the latest arrivals at Detroit was an immense black bear direct from Canada, who rode gallantly into port on a cake of ice.

—The man who hanged McConnell is an old soldier and lives on Perl street, Hamilton. He has hanged eight criminals in Canada.

—Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, has just purchased a lot of land on which he proposes to erect a large hotel for the accommodation of his numerous patients.

—The railways in Scotland have been blockaded by snow for nearly two days. Owing to interruption to telegraphic communication one train has not been heard of since Friday.

—The sum of $88 conscience money has been returned to the agent of the Ætna Insurance Company, Hamilton, by some person who obtained it by fraud. It has been given to the Fire Department.

—The Simcoe *Canadian* learns that the prisoner Hawkins, awaiting trial for the murder of his wife near Lynedoch, still continues to maintain his stolid indifference, and appears to become more idiotic every day.

—Terrible snow storms have prevailed in the Western States lately, blocking the Union Pacific Railway and preventing travel. A number of adventurers on their way to the Black Hills are supposed to have been lost.

—Another extradition case has been nipped in the bud. A well-known lawyer of New York fled to Montreal accused of forgery, and while the extradition papers were being made out, he was apprised of the fact by friends in New York, and fled.

—Dr. William H. Russell, who is now on his way home from India with the Prince of Wales, will represent the London *Times* at the Centennial Exhibition; Mr. Godfrey Turner the *Daily Telegraph*; Mr. J. C. Parkinson the *Daily News*, and Mr. A.G. Dudley Ward the *Morning Post* and his own Press Association.

—The Hindoo Bible forbids a woman to see dancing, hear music, wear jewels, blacken her eyebrows, eat dainty food, sit at a window, or view herself in a mirror in the absence of her husband; and it allows him to divorce her, if she has no sons, injures his property, scolds him, quarrels with another woman, or presumes to eat before he has finished his meal.

—The winter navigation of the St. Lawrence is occupying the attention of a Parliamentary Committee at Ottawa. Mr. E. W. Sewell claims that winter navigation is practicable as far as Gaspe Head, and offers to demonstrate its feasibility if Government will grant him a subsidy of $16,000 a year for three years, and at the end of that period a bonus of $100,000.

—The trial of S. B. Halleck, one of the persons charged with stealing a package containing $47,000 in greenbacks from the desk of United States Treasurer Spinner just before the resignation of the Treasurer, has been in progress before the Court of the District of Columbia for several days past, and resulted in a verdict of guilty. A good portion of the money was recovered.

—Elopements are all the rage now, and the Seaforth gossips are having their share of talk over a rather unromantic case; last week the wife of Mr. Johnston Eagen ran away with her cousin, a Mr. Leitch, from Hibbert, and has not since been heard from. She has left her five young children, one of them being sick. She and her husband lived happily together, and were in very comfortable circumstances.

FRESH ARRIVALS.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED

TWO CASES OF DRESS GOODS:

In Plain, Stripes, Check's and Brocaded in all the new Shades, suitable for the coming season,

Also, 3 Cases Black Reversible Lustres from 15 to 75 cts.

Ladies will please call and examine the above Goods before purchasing elsewhere.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.,

March 20, 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 40, 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.

SPRING HATS! A New Stock in Felt and Cloth.

McNAUGHTON & CO.,

Cor King and Princess Sts.

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,
MANAGER.

Kingston, Jan 21st, 1876.

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."

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

THE SPLENDID STALLION "FRONTENAC,"

ON SATURDAY, March 25th,

On the Market Square; he is 10 years old, stands 16½ hands high, 1,020 lbs, bright dapple Bay, with black legs, flowing mane and tail, splendid appearance; a sure foal getter, gentle in single or double harness, as Registered pedigree furnished.

Terms liberal, and made known at the time of Sale. Sale at 11 o'clock.

WM. MURRAY,
Auctioneer.

March 16, 1876.

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WM. CORBETT & CO.

HARDWARE HOUSE,

87 KING STREET,

Have just received a large assortment of Bird Cages, Fancy and Plain BIRD CAGES, cheap for cash. Fancy and Plain Breeding cages, cheap for cash. All our Cages are fitted with the new Excelsior Seed Cup.

Call and See them at 87 King Street.

March 18, 1876.

FRESH IMPORTED

GARDEN SEEDS.

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

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

And many other Varieties.

E. H. PARKER & CO.

Druggists & Seedsmen, Market Square.

March 14.

NOTICE.

We beg to advise the public that we have just placed in the market a fifty-cent size of

GRAY'S

Syrup of Red Spruce Gum,

and it can be found in all first-class Drug Stores. Chemists of this

Popular Remedy for Throat and Lung Diseases

Will suit it more profitable than the other size, as it contains nearly three times the quantity.

KERRY, WATSON & CO.,
Sole Proprietors, Montreal.

ESTABLISHED 1840.

CLARK WRIGHT,

Importer and Manufacturer,

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
English Fine Round Soft Felt Hats

—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 are ordered direct, and the styles can be relied on.

All ordered work done promptly.

WELLINGTON ST., KINGSTON.

March 11, 1876.

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.

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.