

WAR AND LAUGHTER Among Dry Goods Men.

TUD AWAY, TO ADVERTISERS AND the people will know where to go for Cheap Dry Goods...

I AM BOUND TO BEAT!

Ye will all agree and dispute, grin and bear, and out a smile and agree for the next month as I...

The Cheapest Sale of Dry Goods in Canada.

I offer to the public for the next month the balance of my FINEST STOCK at 25 per cent...

P. HARTY'S Market Square.

Aug 14, 1876.

PROCLAMATION! CIVIC HOLIDAY.

THE COUNCIL OF THE CORPORATION of the City of Kingston, at its meeting on the 15th day...

A CIVIC HOLIDAY!

In accordance with that Resolution I do hereby proclaim WEDNESDAY, the 23rd day of August...

SEALED TENDERS

Will be received, and Specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned until 12 o'clock noon...

CARTON BROKEN STONE

From and to any place within the City limits required by the Corporation.

WOOD, WOOD.

For Sale: IN LARGE AND SMALL QUANTITIES Hard and Soft Wood.

JAMES CAMPBELL,

ONTARIO STREET, Aug 10, 1876.

A DELIGHTFUL TRIP ON THE CIVIC HOLIDAY!

Excursion among the Thousand Islands under the auspices of the Board of Managers of ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

Bird Cages.

Just Received—A Large Lot of Fancy Brass Cages, which will be sold cheap.

WM. CORBETT & CO'S.

HARDWARE HOUSE, 81 KING STREET, Aug 11, 1876.

Valuable Building Lot FOR SALE.

THE LOT ADJOINING THE PREMISES of Mrs. Brown, and opposite residence of Col. Haines on King Street...

INFORMATION WANTED.

MISSING since July 15th, THOMAS M. SHARPEAN, aged 18 years...

ODessa WOOLLEN MILLS.

CARDING AND SPINNING And Manufacturing as usual. No Spool or Ball of Yarn...

B. A. BOOTH.

July 19, 1876.

IMPERIAL CIDERINE.

(CHAMPAGNE CIDER) \$1.00 per doz.

Imperial Ginger Ale.

EQUAL TO ANY IMPORTED. Wholesale and Retail.

NEW BOOKS

AND NEW EDITIONS

Henderson's Bookstore.

PRINCESS STREET.

Tom Sawyer—By Mark Twain. Gabriel Conroy—By Bret Hart.

Edith Lytle—By Mary J. Holmes. The Prime Minister—By A. Trollope.

Mummies & Moans—By Chas. Dudley Verner. Scotch Pebbles—By Norman McLeod.

Voyage to Centre of the Earth—By Jules Verne. Desert of Ice—By Jules Verne.

English at North Pole—By Jules Verne. Tom Oranges' Log—By Michael Scott.

Rab and his Friends—By John Galsworthy. My Wife and I—By Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Thomas Wingford, Curate—By George MacDonald.

NEW MAGAZINES

Just Arrived at Henderson's: Young Ladies' Journal for September.

Bow Bells do Every Month do

Cassell's Family Magazine for August. London Journal do

Leisure Hour do Good Words do

Sunday at Home do Chalmers' Journal July.

Old Magazines at 5 cts each.

John Henderson, BOOKSELLER,

STATIONER AND NEWS DEALER Aug 11, 1876.

J. M. MACKAY & CO'S

AS USUAL ARE Crowded Again To-Day!

EVERY CUSTOMER LEAVING SATISFIED

that ours is the only

Genuine Sale of Dry Goods

IN THE CITY.

"If Men's Goods for one dollar than any other store gives for three.

J. M. MACKAY & CO.

82 Princess Street. Sign of Red, White and Blue Flag. Aug 12, 1876.

CLARK'S ELEPHANT

SIX CORD

SPOOL COTTON,

HAS THE HIGHEST TESTIMONIALS IN THE MARKET.

The following Sewing Machine Companies recommend their customers and the public to use the COTTON THREAD ONLY with their Machines: WILSON & WILSON MFG CO'S; WILSON & WILSON MFG CO'S; HON. MARY Q. COY.; HAYWARD SEWING MACHINE COY.; C. W. WILLIAMS & SON MACH. COY.

THE CHEAPEST

SEE WHAT YOU CAN GET IN Amre'n Walnut Goods

FOR \$1.00—at M. Kirkpatrick's Fancy Store,

Brook Street, Two Doors above McKeivley & Co's. July 31, 1876.

To Let—Furnished,

THE MIDDLE HOUSE of Suburban Terrace, King Street, at present occupied by L.W. Brown, Esq. Possession a Free 1st September...

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

R. & P. Railway—Trains go North at 3 p.m. arrive at 7 a.m. For Port Hope and Belleville—Steamer R. Chester at 3 p.m.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Hours of Arrivals and Departures from Kingston Station Montreal Time.

GOING WEST. Express, 4:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Mixed, 5:30 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.

POST-OFFICE GUIDE.

Eastern Mails, 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. Western Mails, 3:30 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

Daily British Whig.

Thursday, August 17, 1876. CITY AND VICINITY

GOLD IN New York at 12 o'clock 11 1/2

A PROMISING FORWARDER was seen struck last evening, but we are glad to learn it will pull through.

THE CENTENNIAL—Messrs. Alton, Spencer, McKelvey and Birch have not yet started for Philadelphia and the Centennial. They start to-morrow.

YACHTING—The new Napanee yacht "Pioneer" arrived in the harbour yesterday, the crew, a social lot of fellows, being engaged in cruising down the river.

FISHING—There is good fishing up in the vicinity of the Brothers. Three young men there the other afternoon caught sixty lbs of fish in two or three hours.

POLICE—John Dory, drunk, was fined \$2 or 15 days; John Quackenbush, drunk, was dismissed. David Brown, drunk, was likewise dismissed.

CHAPEL CHURCH.—The excursion in connection with Chalmers' Church took place yesterday on the Maid, to Alexandria Bay, Wells' Island, &c.

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WIND WAFFS.

The Minister of Education will visit Napanee on the 19th of Sept., on a visit to the Teachers' Association.

Two Italians (harper and fiddler) are in the city. The music is of a better quality than usual.

The heat of the sun is said to have nearly ex-cooked some apples which fell from the tree near Belleville.

Nothing is so annoying as the yellow dog at mid-night. If a man is at all rudely inclined he shows the bumper then.

Brookville rejoices to learn that the Headquarters of Military District No. 4 will not be removed from there to Ottawa.

It is reported that some parties, in blissing at Hay Bay, struck a vein of oil. The residents of the locality feel they are likely to make money in other ways besides being born.

Two young men named Gregory, connected with the Newark (N.J.) papers, are travelling through Ontario, and "doing it" all about. They write descriptive letters of the country through which they pass.

Mr. R. C. Benedict, of Kingston, has been visiting Napanee, and in this circumstance leads the Express to note that he is the oldest printer in the Province in actual service, and that he was the first to cast a composition roller in 1832.

The St. Thomas Home Journal, in contradicting some of the latest Tory slanders, is led to remark: "It is hard to see good manners to the 'party of gentlemen'—unless it be taught with a horse-whip." This remark has special application to the gentlemen who run the Tory machine and who act as bell ringers for the Liberal Conservative Association.

Hon. Bills Flint told the public the other day, through the Odontia, what he experienced 40 years ago, since Ashley thinks he should tell what he knows, and so he proceeds: "I moved to Huntington 42 years ago, intending to make a living by raising stock and grain. In 1832 I raised five colts; all grew up and made fine horses, and the smallest one I sold for \$180. I owned two stallions—'Wild Dog' and 'Iron-side,' and made money out of them. I think it will be hard to do at this." It will be, Simon. It isn't everybody who can raise colts and own stallions.

CHALMERS' CHURCH.—The excursion in connection with Chalmers' Church took place yesterday on the Maid, to Alexandria Bay, Wells' Island, &c. If the weather had been the choice of the excursionists it could not have been more pleasant and largely acceptable. The attendance was large so that the pecuniary success of the affair was assured, while its social nature was such as to make it appreciable by all. The steamer arrived at the dock at an early hour—shortly after dark. The island and the arrangements for accommodation and comfort are those referred to by a correspondent of western papers.

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MISS BALL.

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Table with columns: HEAVERS, MISS BALL, MAPLE LEAFS, R O, R O, Bats, Runs, Wickets, etc.

A second and return match is talked of between the St. Lawrence and Balfors and the Kingston Cricket Club. Last Saturday these parties met and the K.C.C. were beaten at their own game. One of the best ball players, who makes no pretensions as a cricketer, made the largest score.

BROOKVILLE FIRMEN.—A Brookville paper recently told lecturing the Kingston Council on the inefficiency of its fire brigade. Now we learn from the Recorder what kind of a brigade Brookville has. There was a fire down there on Sunday, and the mismanagement was such that our contemporary is led to remark:

"It is very evident to us that some thing has got to be done by the Town Council in putting the Fire Department in better shape for service, or see the insurance rates increased by various Companies doing business here. We have two good engines, and they are first at the fire, but at no time are they ready to throw water as soon as they should."

The steam engine is drawn by hand instead of by horse, and the engine never thinks of firing until he reaches the tank. "We have a Chief of the Fire Department who should give orders, but who, as near as we can learn, finds it of no use or doesn't feel disposed to exercise his authority."

The Recorder winds up by saying: "When our firemen are simply for a rubber overcoat for their branch, the petitions are thrown into the waste basket. If there are not hose or a bucket, get more, and don't let us sit in a room, and do nothing, and we again get the petitions are thrown into the waste basket. Finally, encourage firemen if you wish to make the force more efficient. Don't throw their petitions into the waste basket, and don't ask them to destroy their own clothes, on \$4.00 a year, and not even supply them with oil cloth hats."

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ATTEMPTING TO BOARD A STEAMER.—Monday night about seven o'clock, while the steamer "Kinardine" was turning around in Oswego harbor, preparatory to leaving for Toronto, a sailor on the schooner "Gerrit Smith," attempted to board the steamer from a punt. The attempt was a sad failure, owing to the fact that in grasping a fender line he pulled the boat away and at the same time he got of the line. Not being much of an aeronaut, he struck the water, sunk twice, and was in a fair way to solve the problem of the hereafter when a deck hand on the steamer jumped into the punt and rescued the ballyhoo sailor just in the nick of time. The sailor's name is unknown, but it is supposed that he belongs to Kingston.

A NEAT WINDOW.—The attraction of the people seems now to be at L. J. Erly's window, Princess street, where the prices for the great picnic are to be seen. There are some very valuable, as well as pretty articles, amongst which is a handsome silver goblet, presented by Wm. Robinson, M.P.P., as a prize for the best lady pianist, also a pair of Webster ties, presented by Garrigue Bros., which deserves special mention for superior workmanship. The picnic is the topic of the day, and no doubt will be the great one of the season.

PERSONAL.—Mr. W. G. Robb, only son of the late John Robb, Chief of Police, reached here last night from British Columbia, where he has resided for a number of years. He was warmly welcomed by his friends. The city, steady as it is, has much changed since he left it.

YOUTH'S LEAF.—The list of the township of Stratton is among the few in the county passed by the County Judge and certified to as correct. The clerk, Mr. Ritchie, was very painstaking and deserves the approval which he has received.

EXCURSION.—The "Oswego Bell" arrived here about two o'clock this afternoon from Napanee, having about 400 passengers—the Orange Young Britons' school and dropping some of the precious cargo here, proceeded down the river among the Thousand Islands.

'THE ALIAS.—We have to-day to record the union in matrimony of Mr. William Newlands with Miss Oughton, the eldest daughter of the Warden of the Kingston Penitentiary. The happy event occurred yesterday, and in the afternoon the young couple took passage for Philadelphia by the Cape boat.

LEO HOBBS.—On Friday last week Mr. Peter Goodfriend, of Horse Island, suffered a singular accident. He was lifting a hay rake out of the wagon, when the bone of the left, cracked, and subsequently, on examination, it was found to be broken.

TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

The meeting of the Municipal Council of the Township of Kingston held last Monday 14th inst. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Application was received from Henry Knight and John H. Leonard, to be appointed Collectors.

A communication from the County Clerk was received stating that the amount required for county and school purposes is \$3304.60—\$1200.68 more than last year.

Moved by Mr. Leonard, seconded by Mr. Robinson, that the bill presented by the Deputy Reeve for work done on David's hill, 4th con., amounting to \$21.75, be paid.

Moved by Mr. Leonard, sec. by Mr. Robinson, that \$7 be granted for the purchase of a horse and breaking stone on road No. 61.

Moved by Mr. Leonard, sec. by Mr. Robinson, the application of the trustees of School Section No. 2, G. 14 and 21, to have their special school established on the Collector's roll was granted.

Moved by Mr. Leonard, sec. by Mr. Robinson, that six mills on the dollar be levied on the taxable property of the municipality, to meet the liabilities of the current year.

Thomas McArthur's bill for stationery, the amount, \$6.10 was ordered to be paid.

The Council then adjourned to meet on the first Monday in Sept. at 10 o'clock a.m. P. McKim, Clerk.

THE GREAT IMPROVEMENT OF THE AGE IN SHIRTS

AT THE New York Clothing Store.

THE "PROGRESS" SHIRT—two shirts in one at the NEW YORK CLOTHING STORE.

We have the following combining all the latest Patents in Progress, Col. Progress Do not buy any other shirt before you see the Progress.

Also—GREAT BARGAINS IN READY MADE CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS. Clothing made to order on short notice.

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For Families and Others UP THE BAY OF QUINTE TO PICTON

ARMENIA

On Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of Every Week.

PLEASANT PARTIES OF 10 AND UPWARDS TAKEN AT HALF PRICE.

On other days the Steamer leaves Kingston at 6 a.m., returning same evening.

THE INTERNATIONAL CAMP MEETING.

DURING THE MEETING OF THE INTERNATIONAL CAMP AT WELLS' ISLAND.

The Steamer Armenia will leave Picton at 2 o'clock p.m. every day arriving in Kingston about 6 o'clock, leaving Swift's Wharf at 6:30, reaching the Camp Ground at 8:30 p.m.

Returning, will leave Wellington Island at 6 o'clock every morning, Kingston at 7 a.m., reaching Picton about 10:30.

PEACHES, PEACHES!

VERY FINE, AT REES BROS'

PEARS, APPLES, MELONS, TO MATRONS, ORANGES, LEMONS, &c., every day at REES BROS.

ICE CREAM.

Soda Water, with Fruit Syrup. Everybody says it cannot be beat.

Pastry and Cakes

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION—FRESH EVERY DAY.

REES BROS.,

Queen and Cor. King and Clarence Sts. Aug 2, 1876.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

Exercise do Copy do Slates do

Slate Cleaners &c., G. W. MAXWELL'S

109 Princess Street. Aug 11, 1876.

RE-ESTABLISHED!

COOK & SON, GENERAL GROCERS.

Provision Dealers. HAVE FOUND A NEW PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THE STORE.

Lately occupied by J. Mackay, for the sale of Croquet.

TWO DOORS ABOVE THE OLD STAND. Will be prepared for all our old customers as before.

Wanted,

A GOOD PLAIN TIE. Apply to Mrs. W. W. WILSON, Portmouth, Aug 10, 1876.

NOW FOR THE TUG OF WAR!

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Intending to be their last CHEAP SALE of Summer Goods for the season, after thousands of goods that they CAN FIGHT THE BATTLE, and are determined to conquer any House in the trade by giving the Public THE GREATEST BARGAINS AND BEST VALUE for their money.

Consequently this Great Clearing Sale commences on Saturday, the 17th of August, and will continue till the entire stock of Summer Goods is disposed of. For full particulars refer to large hand bills.

F. X. CO