KINGSTON POST OFFICE.

Mails going east close at 1:10 p.m. and 9 p.m. Mails from the east due for delivery at 7:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Mails going west close at 3:10 p.m. and 9 p.m. Mails from the west due for delivery 7:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

United States mails, via Cape Vincent, close at 2 p.m. Due for delivery at 1:00 p.m.

To Great Britain via New York, every Tuesday at 1 p.m. Per Canadian steamer, every Friday at 8 p.m.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Going East.	Going West.
Express.....2:15 p.m.	Express..4:10 p.m.
" .....2:15 a.m.	" ....4:02 a.m.
Mixed.....6:00 a.m.	Mixed.....6.00 a.m.

The above is Montreal time, 12¼ minutes ahead of Kingston.

REMINDERS.

THIS EVENING.

Concert in aid of Williamsville Sunday School.

Auction Sale at J. Crildford's.

TO-MORROW.

Queen's Birthday—For programme of events see fourth column of this page.

The Daily News.

THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 23.

Gold in New York 100⅞.

PROBABILITIES for the next 24 hours: For the lower lake region, moderate to fresh south winds, increasing cloudiness at night. For St. Lawrence, moderate to fresh winds clear, to fair weather.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY.—We call attention to an advertisement in another column, offering for sale a fine chestnut gelding and light road buggy, which will be sold a bargain. Application should be made to this office.

THE EXHIBITION BYLAW.—The voting on the Exhibition Bylaw took place in Toronto yesterday, when it was defeated by a majority of 378. A School Bylaw, voted on at the same time, was defeated by a majority of 175.

DOWN FROM KINGSTON.—A sergeant and gunner from Battery A of the Dominion Artillery, at present stationed in Kingston, have arrived in town with several horses for the review and sham fight on Friday.—*Montreal Star.*

INDIANS TO THE FRONT.—Captain J. T. Kirby, of the Six Nation Indians, says that in case of a Fenian invasion he can place at the disposal of the Government one thousand trusty warrors within five days.—*Montreal Witness.*

METHODIST CONFERENCES.—The Toronto Conference will meet in Toronto on the 12th of June. The London Conference will meet at St. Thomas on the 5th of June. The Montreal Conference will meet at Brockville on the 19th of June.

THE CHRONICLE AND NEWS for the present week was published to-day, and is a splendid number to send to absent friends, containing as it does a large amount of local news. The CHRONICLE can be procured at any of the bookstores, or in wrappers for mailing. Price five cents.

MILITARY PARADE.—The parade of the military to-morrow will take place at ten o'clock, when Col. Cotton will be in command. The troops will consist of A Battery, No. 1 Co. P.W.O. Rifles, and the Cadets. At noon they will fire a *feu de joie*, and afterwards execute several movements. A royal salute will be fired from Fort Henry.

THE 12TH OF JULY IN MONTREAL.—The Provincial Grand Black Chapter of Eastern Ontario, at its meeting in February last, passed a resolution of sympathy with their brethren in Montreal, and expressed an intention of rendering them assistance. Circulars have been sent to the different preceptories calling attention to this resolution, with the intention of reminding them of their duty.

DR. STRANGE.—Mr Gunn's followers are engaged in putting in circulation false statements about Dr. Strange, who, because while he was surgeon of A Battery canvassed for Sir John Macdonald, was dismissed at the instigation of that meddling political tyrant, Mr Richard John Cartwright. Dr. Strange is independent of Gritism, and the attacks now made upon him will not help the cause of the Party political slave-drivers and political hypocrites.

HARD LINES.—It is not at all fair to the Queen's Own Rifles that they should not be allowed any rest before taking part in the Montreal Review to-morrow. Leaving Toronto to night at 7.30, they proceed right through to Montreal, arriving there about nine o'clock in the morning. From the cars they proceeded to the review ground, and it cannot be expected that the men will perform the evolutions so well or so smartly as if they had had a few hours' sleep. What adds to the hardship is the fact that they have to start for home almost immediately after the review.

DISTRICT MEETING.—The annual Kingston District meeting of the Methodist Church of Canada has closed its session after getting through a good amount of business. As already announced the Rev. W. Galbraith, B.C.L., Chairman of the District, presided. The Rev. George H. Squire, B.A. and W. D. Brown took part in the opening exercises, the latter in his prayer making a touching allusion to the Chairman's recent bereavement. Kingston District embraces Frontenac, Lennox and Addington Counties in which are employed about thirty ministers and probationers. Nearly all were present. The usual business was transacted on the first day examination of ministerial character &c. The Rev. A. A. Smith, of Cataraqui, was elected District representative on the Conference Sabbath School Committee. The following probationers underwent the usual examinations before the district meeting:—T. B. Conley, W. B. Cunningham, S. Ellery, J. Gilson, M. J. Bates and W. R. Young. Dr. Lavell, Mr Henry Cunningham, Mr Hill, of Napanee, and Mr Sydney Warner, of Wilton, were appointed delegates to the General Conference.

Police Court.

(BEFORE THE MAYOR.)

Thursday, May 23.

Marshall W. Babcock was picked up on Princess Street at 2 o'clock this morning in a state of intoxication. He had in his possession a loaded revolver. This morning the revolver was confiscated, and he was fined $2 for being drunk.

The Ballot.

Those of Mr Gunn's canvassers who are attempting to intimidate electors by telling them that it can be found out for whom they vote are guilty of misrepresentation. We inform the electors that the BALLOT IS SECRET—ABSOLUTELY SO. It is most contemptible conduct on the part of men calling themselves "Liberals" to attempt cowardly coercion. By voting against Mr Gunn, let the electors bid defiance to such "Liberal" tyranny.

Short Notes.

Beautiful weather.

First real summer day.

"God save the Queen."

Where are you going to-morrow?

The streets were partially watered to-day.

What a lot of canvassing will be done to-morrow.

No paper to-morrow—being the Queen's Birthday.

Concert of the Williamsville Sunday School this evening.

No 1 Company of the 14th P. W. O. Rifles is a "boss" Company.

Queen's University Endowment Scheme will be formally launched on the 30th instant.

Band on the Queen's Wharf this evening, and every Thursday during the season, weather permittting.

Sparring exhibition at Victoria Music Hall to-morrow evening, between Bendigo, and Mr Ryan of Newboro.

A Deliberate Falsehood.

QUERY.—What Government removed the seat of Government from Kingston? Conservative, of which Sir John A. was a member, who was charged by his colleagues with selling Kingston.—*Whig.*

A greater falsehood was never put in print. IT WAS DECIDED IN 1843 BY THE BALDWIN GOVERNMENT TO MAKE MONTREAL THE CAPITAL. THAT GOVERNMENT ADVISED HER MAJESTY TO DO SO, AND SHE CONSENTED. SIR JOHN MACDONALD WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE GOVERNMENT UNTIL MAY, 1847, AND WAS NOT IN PARLIAMENT AT THE TIME THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT WAS REMOVED FROM KINGSTON, AS THE RESULT OF THE ACTION OF A REFORM ADMINISTRATION. HE WAS ELECTED TO PARLIAMENT IN NOVEMBER, 1844, AFTER MONTREAL HAD BEEN MADE THE CAPITAL BY THE REFORMERS.

Falsehood and misrepresentation seem to be the best weapons Mr Gunn's advocates can resort to.

MUSIC IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—It is much to be regretted that we have no regular means of instructing the pupils of our public schools in vocal music. In other Canadian cities, as Hamilton, Ottawa, and Toronto there is an instructor who goes from school to school giving each his services for an hour. The beneficial effects of this training cannot be too highly estimated. During the long hours from nine a.m. till four p.m. children become weary and impatient, while the teacher is often both tired and a little out of temper. But an hour spent in musical recreation refreshes and strengthens the minds of both tutor and scholars, throws oil upon troubled waters, and furnishes a delightful, æsthetic, and intellectual enjoyment, which prevents that indisposition for work which idleness induces. In Germany music is taught both in theory and practice in every school, and the consequence is that the care taken to develope a love of harmony in the breasts of the young has made the Germans the most musical nation in the world. It has also made them the strongest. There is no people so singularly free from throat and lung diseases as the music-loving Germans. Rhineland, the land of song and cheerfulness, is noted not only for its big brain but also for its big chest, and the people which imitates the Teutonic race in this respect will surely make the greatest advance towards moral, intellectual and physical advance. We are certain that if the School Board should provide a musical instructor for the city, it would be supported by every citizen who took any pride in the general improvement, and by every mother who desired a refined means of making her children enjoy home life.

ILLUSTRATED HISTORICAL ATLAS.—We have been shown an advance copy of the Illustrated Historical Atlas of the Counties of Frontenac, Lennox and Addington, to which we made reference a short time ago. The work is published by J. H. Meacham & Co., and fully bears out the promises made at its inception. The maps are beautifully engraved, and coloured, the lots on each township being distinctly marked in figures, boundary lines of farms, owners' names, number of acres, &c. The city map is a very fine and correct one, giving details in surveying never published before. Besides this, there are portraits, views of residences, &c., making the book a most valuable one. Historical sketches of the counties are given, besides sketches of the persons whose portraits are included in the work. The directory is also beautifully printed and carefully got up. The work will be delivered to subscribers immediately.

MR P. B. MACNAMARA, formerly of Kingston, was married yesterday at Brockville to Miss M. Dargavel of that place. The happy couple left for the east on their wedding tour, carrying with them the best wishes of a very large circle of friends.

ENGLISH MAIL.—The English mail by the steamer Peruvian arrived, and was distributed at the Kingston Post-office this morning.

BUSINESS EXTENSION.

G. W. Robinson's Carriage Shop.

Within the past few years the trade of carriage making in Kingston has made great strides, and there are now several firms in the city, whose work will compare favourably with any in the Province, or indeed in the Dominion. Kingston carriages almost invariably take first prizes at agricultural shows, and this is a pretty fair test.

Among those who have acquired some fame for carriage building in the city is Mr G. W. Robinson, Princess street, whose new show room was opened out to-day. He has only been a few years at the business, but such is the excellence of his work, that his name is known all over Canada. The *Globe* correspondent at the Paris Exhibition calls special attention to a cutter and sulky shown by Mr Robinson, which are attracting considerable attention. In his establishment Mr Robinson has recently been making extensive alterations, which will give him additional facilities for his work, and for the showing of it off. On the ground floor he has opened out a fine show room, 30 feet by 50 feet, and having a 13 feet ceiling. This is well suited for show, and it is stocked with vehicles of first-class construction. Behind this an addition has been erected 30 feet by 28 feet, which is the blacksmith shop, where all the iron work is made. On the second flat is the "wood room," where the wood work of the carriages is worked up into shape. Behind this is a second show room, which will be used for the waggons and heavier work. On the roof of the blacksmith shop, there is a flat space of 30 feet by 28, which can be utilized as a painting department when the weather is fine, and also for storing waggons and carriages sent for repairs. On the third floor are situated the painting, trimming and finishing rooms, being those where the carriages are finally touched up before being placed in the show room. All of these departments are fitted up with suitable tools, &c., for work, and everything is arranged for the expeditious turning out of carriages. At present Mr Robinson employs constantly twelve men in the various branches, but he has frequently several more hands during the busy season. He is a hard worker himself, and we may also say that he is a strong believer in the virtues of printer's ink as an aid to business.

The exhibition of carriages in the show room is well worth a visit. In it are to be seen a very handsome Victoria Phaeton, beautifully trimmed and finished; a cabriolet of fine appearance, and a couple of nice lady's phaetons. One top phaeton in the show room is said to be the best ever shown in Kingston, and it is a perfect beauty. Mr Robinson has also an assortment of side bar buggies, the side bar being a great addition to the strength of the springs, and making the carriage appear much lighter. There is also a light road waggon, which weighs only 200 lbs, which is a thing of strength combined with lightness. A good assortment of buggies of all kinds may be found at this establishment.

Mr Robinson deserves a great deal of credit for the manner in which he has worked up a trade for himself in the city, and we close with the hope that under his new circumstances he will be as successful as heretofore.

Marine Notes.

MONTREAL TRANSPORTATION CO.—Arrived—Knight Templar, from Chicago, with 18,300 bush corn.

JAMES SWIFT'S.—Called—Steamers Kincardine for Oswego; Spartan for Hamilton; and City of Concord for Ogdensburg.

HOLCOMB & STEWART.—Arrived—Schrs. S and J Collier, Toronto, 10,400 bush wheat; prop. Armenia, Toronto, 16,800 bush corn; Schrs. Enterprise, Port Whitby, 6,000 bush peas; Seabird, Corsseccon, 5,000 bush peas; Kate, Wellington, 6,000 bush peas. The barges Lark, Snipe, and Mona, arrived light, and Star No. 2 with 25 tons pig iron for Brokenshire. Departures in the tow H. A. Calvin and Jessie Hall, Rapid, 300,000 pine deals for Quebec; Finch, 12,000 bush peas and wheat; Lark, 19,000 bush peas and wheat; Minnie, 14,000 bush corn; Ox, 11,000 bush peas; Snipe, 12,100 bush wheat and corn.

The Kate left here on Tuesday for Wellington, and arrived this morning with 6,000 bush peas, thus making a very quick trip.

Port Colborne, May 22.—Evening—Up—Schrs. Montery, Toronto, Black River, light; Westside, Oswego, Milwaukee, coal; Hartford, Oswego, Toledo, coal; Russia, Montreal, blank, light; Gleniffer, Kingston, Bear Creek light; Emerald, Kingston, Pestwater, light; Elyde, Kingston, Sault St. Marie, light; Acacia, Toronto, Black River, light; Julia Williard, Toronto, Toledo, light; Mary Battle, Collinsbay, Toledo, light; Mary Merritt, Collinsbay, Cleveland, light; Thos. Parsons, Charlotte, Chicago, pig iron; Shandon, Collinsbay, Toledo, light; J. Drummond, Clayton, blank, light; Wm. Home, Port Metcalfe, Chicago, light; M. F. Merrick, Clayton, Ashtabula, light; H. Folger, Kingston, Sault St. Marie, light; Two Friends, Brockville, blank, light; Nassau, Oswego, Chicago, coal; barge Grimsby, Kingston, Duluth, light; steambarge Clinton, Kingston, Duluth, light; prop. City of Toledo, Ogdensburg, Chicago, general cargo; City of New York, Ogdensburg, Chicago, general cargo; Dromedary, Montreal, Detroit, general cargo.

Down—Schrs. Ella Murton, Cleveland, Toronto, coal; J. N. Carter, Cleveland, Toronto, coal; T. Voges, Cleveland, Montreal, general cargo; John Wesley, Black River, Westwind, Cleveland, Montreal, coal; J. G. McGrath, Black River, Kingston, coal; Anna Craig, Toledo, Collinsby, staves; A. Muir, Toledo, Kingston, corn.

Wind, south west, fresh.

Port Colborne, May 23.—Noon—Up—Schrs. Laura, Port Metcalfe, blank, light; Gladstone, Toronto, Black River, light; Craftsman, Hamilton, blank, light; Emeu, Ogdensbuag, Cleveland, light; Dauntless, Kingston, Cleveland, light; Watertown, Oswego, Detroit, coal; Victoria, Kingston, Toledo, light; prop. Ocean, Montreal, Chicago, light; Vanallan, Montreal, Chattam, light; Lawrence, Ogdensburg, Chicago, general cargo; L. Shickluna, Montreal, Toledo, light; Sovereign, Montreal, Sarnia, light.

Down—Schrs. Anna Craig, Collins Bay, staves; A. Muir, Toledo, Kingston, corn.

Wind, southwest, light.

Queen's Birthday.

To-morrow will be the anniversary of the birth of Her Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, she having been born on the 24th of May, 1819. According to custom the day is celebrated all over the British Dominions as a holiday, thus testifying loyalty to and respect for the Sovereign who has reigned so long and who holds so high a place in the affections of her people. The Mayor having issued the usual proclamation, the day will be observed in Kingston, and below we give a list of the various amusements by which it may be spent:

EXCURSION TO SHARBOTT LAKE.—First in the field as a caterer for amusement for the Queen's Birthday was Mr G. W. Creighton, who gives one of his rambles. On this occasion he chooses a trip to Sharbott Lake and the Mississipi, by the Kingston and Pembroke Railroad. The train will leave the foot of Brock street at 7:30 sharp, returning to the city about eight o'clock in the evening. This excursion is well worthy of patronage.

PICNIC.—The picnic of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, &c., will be held at the Crystal Palace grounds, which are well adapted for this purpose. The street cars will convey passengers to and from the grounds frequently. The programme of games is a very fine one, and the Committee have been working hard to make it a success. Dancing may also be indulged in by those so inclined.

EXCURSION TO CAPE VINCENT.—At two o'clock the Maud makes her first cheap trip for the season to Cape Vincent, a route which in former years was very popular. We have no doubt it will attract a considerable number of passengers. By permission of Col. Cotton and the officers, the band of A Battery will accompany the excursion. "John" will also be on hand to attend to creature comforts.

EXCURSION TO GANANOQUE.—The steamer Crusoe will leave Gunn's dock for Gananoque at seven a.m., giving excursionists an opportunity to witness the yacht races.

CONCERT.—In the evening the concert given by No. 1 Company 14th P. W. O. Rifles will take place at the City Hall. The programme is an elaborate one, and is sure to give the utmost satisfaction. We hope there will be a large audience.

THE FIREWORKS.—The fireworks display at Channel Grove, Simcoe Island, will be a fitting wind up for the day. The arrangements for a grand show are most complete, and should the weather be favourable it will be a splendid affair. The boats will await the return home of the excursionists from Sharbott Lake and Cape Vincent before going over. By the kind permission of Col. Cotton and the officers, the Battery band will be in attendance and play a number of pieces. The programme of the show is a long one, and will be sure to give satisfaction.

In the forenoon a military display will take place on Barriefield Common, in which A Battery, the cadets, and No 1 Company of the 14th will take part.

Yachting.

The yachts Laura, Emma, Zitella, Mystery and Maud left this morning for Gananoque to take place in the regatta to-morrow. By the way, we forgot to notice the launch of the latter boat which took place from the shipyard at Portsmouth on Saturday. She was built by Mr Tomlinson for Mr Harry Allen, and is a very fine specimen of boat-building. A large number of spectators were present to see the launch, which took place at 11 o'clock. As the boat glided into the water the customary bottle was broken on her bows by Miss Gertrude Allen, sister of the owner, who christened her the "Maud." Besides the ladies present, we noticed Messrs Allen, Dobbs, Ferris, and Mr Pillington, a gentleman lately from England, who takes a great interest in yachting. We wish the boat every success in her new element.

SAD ACCIDENT ON WOLFE ISLAND.—On Tuesday evening last, a most lamentable accident occurred on Wolfe Island, whereby a young man of estimable character, named William Whitmarsh, met his death, cut off in the flower of his youth. The unfortunate affair was the result of a boyish frolic of two young men on horseback, trying the mettle of their animals in a short race. It seems that Whitmarsh, and another young man named Walker were watering their horses, and agreed to have a short trot. Whitmarsh's horse bolted off the road at a stopping place, and brought the rider's body against a tree with tremendous force, breaking his thigh and causing such internal injuries that he died next day. Dr Irwin did all he could for the poor fellow immediately after the accident, and next morning Dr. Sullivan was sent for from the city, but their services were of no avail. He gradually fell into a state of stupor and died yesterday afternoon at two o'clock. The sympathy for the afflicted family is increased by the fact that the young man's father was drowned several years ago, and the deceased had ever been a loving and helpful son to his widowed mother. Our informant says of him: "From his sterling worth, his loss will be deeply felt by all who knew him, for he had that which wealth cannot give—inherent manliness. He was in the highest sense of the word a man, and one of the few who could make any position noble."

Correspondence.

THE BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY NEWS.

Dear Sir,—I noticed in your paper of yesterday a letter from a "Subscriber," stating that the Earls received a challenge from the St. Lawrence to play for the champion flag of Kingston on the 24th of May. I wish to state that the Earls did not receive such a challenge, but they received a challenge from the St. Lawrence to play the first of a series of games for the amateur championship of Canada.—Yours, &c.,

A YOUNG EARL.

Kingston, May 23, 1878.

Religion and money are more closely related than many people think. If your religion makes you feel like giving your money as well as your sympathy it is safe to conclude that you have been thoroughly converted, but if it makes you feel like giving your sympathy and keeping your money you had better try, try again.

You can put it down as a solemn truth that if your religion has failed to sweeten your temper you have the wrong article.

THE QUEBEC SPEAKERSHIP.—There is a rumour on the streets here that the Joly Government have given up the idea of selecting a Speaker from the ranks of the Opposition, and have pitched upon the Hon. George Irvine as their candidate. It is also stated that the Opposition will put forward Mr J. S. C. Wurtele to oppose him. According to Parliamentary practice a member elected to the Speakership must accept the office or resign his seat; if the Government therefore should finally decide upon a Speaker from the Opposition ranks and elect him, he would have to accept the office or lose his seat.—*Star.*

CUSTOMS' IMPORTS.

May 22.

Str. Kincardine, Oswego—R. Smith, 19 pkgs. H. Skinner 1 box.

Str. Algerian, Montreal—A. Gunn & Co., 1 cask. J. S. Henderson, 24 bbls ale.

G.T.R., Prescott—J. Bennett, 1 box.

G.T.R., Coaticooke—R. & J. Gardiner, 1 bale.

Str. Maud, C. Vincent—Wm. Lewis & Son, 1 box, 1 bbl., 1 cask, 5 coils rope. Macnee & Minnes, 1 case, 2 bales. A. Gunn & Co., 25 bbls, 4 bales. C. Mee & Co., 1 piano. McKelvey & Birch, 1 box. H. Brame, 9 frames. J. Muckleston & Co., 2 boxes. L. B. Spencer, 3 bbls. Oldrieve & Co., 15 bales. R. Bailey, 2 bales.

KINGSTON MARKETS.

		May 23.
Flour XXX. per bbl (retail)	6 50	7 00
" per 100 lbs	3 75	4 00
Family per bbl	5 50	6 00
" per 100 lbs	2 70	2 80
Common per 100 lbs	0 00	0 00
Wholesale prices about 25 cents per barrel less.		
Barley, No 1 per bushel	0 00	0 60
" No 2 "	0 45	0 55
" No 3 "	0 00	0 00
Spring Wheat do	1 00	1 05
Oats do	0 00	0 30
Peas do	0 63	0 65
Buckwheat do	0 00	0 45
Corn do	0 55	0 56
Rye do	0 55	0 61
Eggs, per dozen (fresh)	0 7	0 10
Keg Butter, per lb	0 15	0 20
Butter (fresh) per lb	0 8	0 20
Cheese	0 12	0 13
Tallow (rough)	0 03	0 04
" (rendered)	0 07½	0 08
Lard	0 11	0 13
Sheep Skins	0 50	1 10
Shearlings	0 00	0 00
Hides per cwt No. 1 (inspect)	0 00	6 00
" " No. 2	0 00	5 00
" " No. 3	0 00	4 00
Deacon Skins No. 1	0 30	0 45
" " No. 2	0 25	0 30
Skins per lb (5lbs upwards)	0 00	0 10
Mutton, by carcase, per lb	0 07	0 09
Beef, per 100 lbs., hind	5 00	6 00
do. per fore	4 50	5 50
Pork, per 100 lbs	6 00	7 50
Chickens, per pair	0 25	0 50
Ducks, per pair	0 50	0 60
Geese, each	0 00	0 00
Turkeys, each	0 80	1 00
Hay, per ton	13 00	14 00
Potatoes per bag	0 50	0 60
Onions per bushel	0 00	0 00
Carrots do	0 30	0 60
Apples (choice) per barrel	3 00	3 50
do bags	1 00	1 25
Timothy Seed (per bag)	1 80	2 00
Clover Seed, wholesale	0 00	4 00
" retail	4 50	6 00
Wood (hard)	0 00	4 00
Wood (soft)	2 00	2 25
Coal, per ton	0 00	6 00

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, May 23.

Bank of Montreal—Ex-div.—164 asked, 163¾ offered; sales of 10 at 163¾.

Merchants' Bank—Ex-div.—91¾ asked, 90¾ offered.

Bank of Commerce—118¾ asked, 118¼ offered.

Ontario Bank—Ex-div.—83½ asked, 82½ offered.

Bank of Toronto—Ex-div.—136 asked, 135 offered.

Molson's Bank—94 asked, 92 offered.

Consolidated Bank—Ex-div—74 offered.

Montreal Telegraph Company—122 asked, 121 offered.

Dominion Telegraph Company—84 asked.

Richelieu Navigation Company—59½ asked, 58¾ offered.

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Montreal, May 23.—Flour—receipts, 1,980 bbls; sales 1,700 bbls. The market is quiet and steady at generally unchanged prices. Quotations are: Superiors, 5.45 to 5,50; extra 5,20 to 5,25; fancy, 4,90 to 5,00; spring extras, 4,70 to 4,72½; superfine, 4,45 to 4,50; strong bakers, 4,90 to 5,15, fine, 3,90 to 4,00; middlings, 3,50 to 3,55; pollards, 3,00 to 3,10; Ontario bags, 2,40 to 2,45; city do, 2,50 to 2,55, delivered Sales of 1,000 bbls superiors, to arrive on private terms, said to be about 5,47½; 100 do at 5,50; 100 extra at 5,20; 100 fancy at 5,00; 200 spring extra at 4,70; 200 do at 4,72½. Provisions and ashes nominally unchanged. Call Boards—wheat, 15,000 bush of No. 2 Canada spring delivered the first ten days in June; sellers at 1,14; buyers at 1,07. Corn—No. 2 afloat in harbour; sellers at 50c; buyers at 47c.

I TAKE GREAT PLEASURE in informing my friends and the public in general that I have the largest and finest

Showroom in Central Canada.

Also the finest and largest stock of CARRIAGES, PHÆTONS, BUGGIES WAGGONS, &c., in the Dominion.

I will sell as cheap as any first-class work can be sold. In those three points I defy contradiction.

All work warranted.

G. W. ROBINSON,

Princess Street, Kingston.

May 23.

Notice to Creditors.

IN pursuance of Statute 29 Victoria, chap. 28 sec. 27, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the Estate of Tunis Snook, late of the Township of Storrington, in the County of Frontenac, yeoman, deceased, who died on the Twenty-seventh day of April, 1878, are hereby required to send to Messrs Kirkpatrick & Rogers, at Kingston, Ontario, Solicitors for the undersigned executor, on or before the Tenth day of June, 1878, their Christian names and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, and that immediately after the said Tenth day of June, 1878, the said executor will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said estate in accordance with the said Statute.

Dated at Kingston, 7th May, 1878.

JAMES GREENFIELD,
Executor.

TO THE LADIES.

All who have not seen these Fifty Cent Striped Silks

—AT—

ALEXANDER ROSS'

Should call at once. We have just opened another lot of New Patterns.

BLACK SILK from 60 cents per yard.

HEAVY BLACK GROS GRAIN at $1, warranted all Silk.

NEW FRENCH DEBEIGE DRESS GOODS in every shade.

NEW CAMEL HAIR DRESS GOODS.

Fifty pieces very rich Silk Striped and Checked Dress Goods from 30c to 45c, regular price from 45c to 75c. Wigan in Silk and Grey. New Fancy Neck Ribbon from 10c to 75c per yard. New Fancy Neck Ties in Lace and Silk. New Real Laces in Torchon and Maltese. New Two Button KID GLOVES from 50c per pair.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT unequalled for variety and lowness of price.

TRIMMING done on the shortest notice.

A. ROSS, 88 PRINCESS STREET, OPPOSITE CITY HOTEL.

May 21.

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—OF—

READY-MADE CLOTHING!

CLOTHS, DIAGONALS WORSTED COATINGS, Tweeds, Gent's Furnishings, Hats, Caps, &c

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ARE OFFERING GERAT INDUCEMENTS IN THE ABOVE GOODS AS THEY intend for the future to devote their time to the ORDER WORK. Being encouraged to do so by the great satisfaction their NEW CUTTER, MR McINTOSH, has given those who have offered him a trial. Parties purchasing Ready-Made Clothing will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

ONE PRICE ASKED AND NO LESS TAKEN.

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May 20.

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HOUSE FURNISHINGS

AT WALDRON'S

BRUSSELS CARPETS, $1, $1.25 and $1.50, handsome patterns.
TAPESTRY CARPETS, 70c, 75c, 80c and 90 cents, New Designs.
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April 23.

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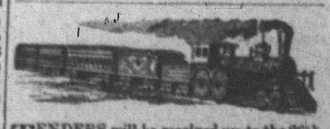

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May 16.