ALDERMENGETTING READY TO OP-POSE THE NEW RAILWAYS.

mittee Meeting Last Night-the Measoms Given For the Lowering of the Taxes - Canals Good For Freighting Timber Co-But Hallways Are Faster.

At the regular furtnightly meeting of the present the chairman, Ald. Wilmot,

number of accounts, were signed. The city engineer reported that he had examined the atreet railway track, and had ot found it in as bad a condition as he ex euted it to be. A small sum of money, exended upon it, would put it in a passable

Ald. Wilmot advised the engineer to exportions of the track near Hobart's drug store on Princess street, and opposite Bibby & Virtue's store on King street. A points the road was in a disgracefu Large holes were visible close to

The city engineer said that if Ald. Wilof would examine the track closely he outd, not find it in as had a shape as he

Ald. Gaskin thought the council should have accepted the offer made to it by the ating to the keeping of the track in repair. Granite stone should be placed in the bed

The engineer stated that the request of S Cunningham and others for a boardwalk on Young street had been granted. THE ADAMS POND AGAIN.

A communication from Ald. Adams, relating to the North street drain, was discussed at length. Ald. Adams pointed out that i Law's rope walk a great service would endered to the people owning land near the sewer. It was now only completed into his property on Princess street and if it was allowed to remain unfinished his land and other property would be flooded with water in the spring. If his land suffered in this way he would enter an action against the ity for damages. Ald. Gaskin thought the drain should be

ompleted immediately. Each spring and fall the property along the line of the drain was flooded with water.

Ald. Wilmot thought the drain should be finished according to the local improvement system. Drains had already been built in the city at the expense of the streets and boardwalks. Is was finally decided to recommend the council to finish the drain as soon as there were sufficient funds with which to do the work.

SOME OF THE MINOR MATTERS. A drain, asked for by W. McCammon and others, will be constructed. Ald. Hiscock asked why Clarence street,

which had been improved lately, was break-The city engineer explained that the street

had not been covered with the proper kind of stone.

Ald. Adams said a crossing over Princess street, on the line of Division street, should be improved. The crossing was now covered with mud. TALK ABOUT THE RAILWAYS.

An informal discussion was started by Ald. Adams remarking that the policy of the council in lowering the taxes this year had been a bad one. Had not this been done there would have been plenty of money to make all the improvements required Ald. Wilmot said the taxes had been lowered so that bonuses could be get from the people for railroads. There were some cunning men at the head of the city's affairs, and he was afraid they were too cunning for their own good. He was asked to attend meeting to discuss railway matters, but when he found that the business to be transacted at the meeting was to be kept private he would not attend it. He desired the public to know what was being done at the city's meetings. Ald. Adams said railways were a help to a city. The K. & P. R. had benefited Kingston.

Ald. Gaskin did not agree with Ald. Adams' views, and the latter said a great deal of timber came over this road. Ald. Gaskin said it did not pay the M. T. company to bring the timber it wanted over the K. & P. R. or other railways. The freight charged on timber thus was altogether too

Ald. Wilmot said that some people were in favour of the proposed new railways to the city being connected with either the G.T.R. or K. & P. R. The people would not bonus any railway that would not run direct to the city.

THE EXPERIENCES OF A WATER MAN. Ald. Gaskin said that some time ago when price of hard wood was lowered, the K. & P. R. was credited with having led to the reduction. But on enquiry it was learned that the prices fell in other places as well as Kingston, showing that the railroad was not the cause of the decline. Wood was cheaper now than it was some years ago; people used more coal than wood. It had been stated that timber could be carried cheaper from Smith's Falls to King ston by rail than by water. This could not be clearly proven. Aid. Wilmot-"You are a water man,

Ald. Gaskin." Ald. Gaskin-"Yes, I am water man

every time." Ald. Gaskin said he could prove that timber and other material could be brought to Kingston cheaper by water than by rail. Some persons wanted the Rideau canal closed up, when a railway was built from Smith's Falls to Kingston. This would be wrong step. The canal should not be closed in any case. He was satisfied that lumber could be brought to the city from Ottawa cheaper by water than by rail.

have competition by water. He pointed out that when navigation closed the G.T.R. always raised its freight rates. The committee adjourned at 9 o'clock.

National Historical Work. A work of much value to Canada, and o the greatest interest to all its residents, will be issued soon-Rev. Dr. Withrow's history of the Dominion. It will date from the discovery of the country, and includes a history of every province of British America, descriptions of the Indians and the wars, of the French and English struggles, of the U. E. Loyalists, and the settlement of Upper Canada; of the war of 1812-15, of the rebellion in 1837 38, of the North-West rising and the Fenian raids. The author a Canadian of strong national sentiment, as well as an accomplished litterateur, as shown by his published works. Every Canadian home should not only have the work, but it should be read there. Orders will be received in Kingston by A. E. M. Loscombe.

Pat Rooney Again Here. everybody will go to hear Pat Rooney and | per booth. About \$60 was taken at the door, | board early this summer-sticking up about Little Kate at the opera house to-night. | while some four tables were set for diners Pat and his charming daughter Katie have | thus making the day's receipts nearly \$350. grown to be household favorites. In "Pat's The 14th P.W.O. Rifles band discoursed New Wardrobe" every member of the large | during the evening, presenting selections cast is well chosen, and the 'un is too funny | that were entertaining. The bazaar will be for description.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

The Present Hallway Schomes.

KINGSTON, Oct. 26. -(To the Editor) Railroads being now the order of the day it is not possible for Kingston to hold its own communication with every available and profitable point. When Kingston gave its bonus of \$300,000 to the K. & P. railway it population was not above 12,000, its dwelling houses could be "bought for song," and its rentals netted about one-half of what they do now; wood was then over 86 per cord, and all its industries, and business occupations were in a low and discouraging state. Now all this is changed, popuever 17,000, city booming, rente doubled, school houses and churches almos doubled in accommodating capacity, fuel moderate in price, and everything indicating life and increased activity. That "big bonus" has been more that doubled in real and substantial value of this city which has been added to it chiefly through the in strumentality of the Kingston & Pembroke railway. Now if only another \$300,000 could be laid out to as good advantage a where he was a superior with a remainded the and in the next fifteen years we may hope to see Kingston comprising a population 25,000, the value of its taxable estate again doubled, and its rentals and various enterprises and industries more than double of to-day in value, and in their satisfactory We believe that there is now an opportunity of laying out two or three hunwill return a large and ever increasing interest, and that is by securing without delay a railroad direct to Yarker, and another to Smith's Falls, etc., if available. The one to Yarker, which would gather in the trade of one of the best portions of central Ontario and compel even Belleville and Napanee to come to Kingston as their headquarters on account of the large receiving and

Support the Police.

boast of our citizens.

distributing trade that would be set up here,

is just now of the first importance. The

other road, also, is worth paying for, because

the more railroads we have terminating in

Kingston the more rapid will be our growth,

the greater will our wealth become, and al

the concomitants of wealth and greatness will

be increased, so that to be a Kingstonian

will, in the near future, become a proud

TAX-PAYER.

TRENTON, Oct. 25. - (To the Editor) : In reading your paper of the 24th inst., I notice that a police officer while doing his duty, arresting roughs of the worst class, was set upon by the two and cut with a razor one; that crowds of respectable, and I suppose some of them law abiding citizens, standing by, allowed this thing to take place; that when called on by the officer to assist him, they only laughed and jeered a him, and encouraged the men he had in custody to greater violence toward him.

I am sorry to say this thing is getting too common in Canada, and ought to be put an end too, and for the credit of your fine city I hope the police magistrate will deal with the whole of them that refused to assist the officer when called on by him. The statutes are very plain and make it compulsory for all citizens to assist the police, and the punishment for refusing is \$40 or two months in gaol. I for one will be glad to see the full penalty imposed, as it is a shame that this matter should be looked over. The police must be protected when in the lawful execution of their duty, and if no one else wil protect them I call on the police commissioners to do so.

These men, I believe, are part of a gang that have been going through the country the whole of the summer stealing from farmers and others, and they are not particular what they do, even to killing a policeman or two. Now to conclude I may say that a policeman's duty is hard enough at the best of times and when they are doing their duty protect them .- Yours truly,

Going the Wrong Way About It.

KINGSTON, Oct. 26. - (To the Editor) Do you want my opinion about churches raising money by tea meetings, bazaars, or such like? I believe in raising money, but let the money spent for nick-nacks and edibles be handed over without making women struggle and toil to recover it by sale. There would be more joy and satisfaction if the churches would turn around and give free concerts for the poor and outcast, and thus win them to the churches, where too many of them are crowded out. There is more joy in heaven when people do good acts than when they raise big sums of money by means that partake largely of self-glorifica tion. - Yours, CHURCH-MEMBER.

AN ENTERTAINING EPISODE.

Because No One Was Killed the People Can Laugh Over It.

"Cracker Jack," or John Purdy, of Grafton, who has just completed a term of seven years in the penitentiary for causing the death of his child, has just passed through an exciting adventure. Shortly after Purdy's incarceration a Jellow named Cronk, of Colborne, married Purdy's wife and lived with her until Purdy's liberation. Then the woman returned to her first love, and, of course, Cronk vowed vengeance. Several days ago he loaded up his double-barrelled pistol and a shotgun made in Queen Anne's time, and sallied forth. Purdy's house was visited, and the ex-convict at once encountered Cronk, opened fire upon Cracker with the pistol, filling the boards of the shanty full of lead, but doing no damage to Cracker, only frightening him out of a year's growth. Cronk was prevented from doing more danger, and on Monday was sent to gaol to await his trial. The gun and pistol were | land. Ald. Adams agreed that the railways | brought into court and placed upon the table, as evidence of the prisoner's intention to slay some person. The gun was an awful ston. weapon, single-barrelled, six feet long, and said to have a record for killing four hundred partridges a year. All the owner had to do was to shoot into a bush and then go in and pick up the dead game as he required it during the winter.

Traced to McNally.

Ald. Joseph Hiscock was the victim of several robberies committed during the past | her with barley for Oswego. month. One time \$7 in silver was carried | To-morrow the following boats, grain off. Entrance was gained through windows | laden, will be at this port waiting to proin the rear. On the second occasion four | ceed to Montreal : Props. Canada, Lake cents, marked, were taken. These were | Michigan, Ontario, Tilley, Dominion, Celtic afterwards found on the person of M. Mc-Nally, sent to the reformatory for four years for burglarizing Mr. Barney's shop. He had | ing vessels with barley for Oswego: Schrs. been through Ald. Hiscock's premises also.

The Feast of Days.

There was a very large attendance at the city hall last evening and great interest | thers, relates that as he was sailing a few was taken in the bazaar. Purchases were | days ago he saw the main boom of the achr. Everybody loves Irish comedy. Therefore | numerous, the receipts averaging about \$40 | Blanche-which was lost with all hands on continued this evening.

JORDAN'S HISTORY TOLD.

THE ADVENTURES HE HAD IN REN-FREW SOME YEARS AGO.

Tussle With a Constable-A Revolver Brought Into Play-Numerous Amorous Alliances on the Part of the Wily Kingstonian-Waiting His Trial.

R. J. Jordan, now in gaol at Pembroke, was some fifteen years ago known in Renclaim Irwin as her lord and master, and Irwin disappeared. After a time he returned to his latest choice and shortly after became embarassed, and a writ from some of his creditors was placed in Constable Cairney's hands to serve. The Renfrew Journal then tells the rest of the story. Watching his opportunity the constable awaited the coming of Irwin to his place of business, and when he got the sewing machine agent with. in his premises he attempted to serve the writ upon him. The wary bigamist, thinking perhaps it was a warrant for his arrest for his many crimes and conquests in the female world, attempted to make good his exit, but the constable caught him and a tussle the glass door of his house. The tenacious

Cairney clung to his man and called upon the assistance of a spectator named Moore. and both attempted to arrest Irwin, but the latter dragged them back into the yard. The constable held him around the body, but Irwin drew a revolver and fired over his dred thousand dollars in such a way that it | shoulder at the constable, and sent a bullet through his coat collar from a small revolver which he had. Mr. James Fitzmaurice then came upon the seene and caught Irwin by the foot from behind, evidently being anxious to avoid becoming a target for Irwin's bullets. Finally the three laid the agent prone on the ground, face down, and in that position he discharged his revolver again at the constable, but the lucky "cop" appeared invulnerable and came off scathless. Irwin underwent considerable abuse in the melec, and had his face bruised against the frozen ground, and out up considerably. A third bullet from his revolver went through his own finger as he lay on the ground. He was taken to the lockup. The constable then telegraphed to wife No. 1, and an information was lodged against Irwin for bigamy. The accused was brought before a justice of the peace, and when the charge was read to him he pleaded "not guilty" and was sent back to the lock-up till next morning. When next morning came, however, though the door of the prison was found securely locked, it contained no Irwin. An "angel" had evidently visited the "apostle" during the night and delivered him out of the hands of his enemies. A reward was offered by the council for his apprehension and Police Officer Hinde, of Kingston, arrested the fugitive some time afterwards and notified the authorities here of the capture, whereupon Constable Cairney proceeded to the limestone city and brought the perverse sewing machine agent and lodged him in Pembroke gaol. His trial was fixed for the fall assizes of 1874 but was postponed until the following spring, the prisoner claiming that he had not time to procure the necessary witnesses to establish his innocence at the fall assizes. He was sent back to gaol to await his trial and with him was associated another individual also of many aliases, who had forged a note or draft on the Bank of British North America here for \$500, and whom the local constables of this town had an interesting time in affecting his arrest. Another individual was also in their company, and one morning in April, 1875, the gaol door was found open and the trio had fled. They were subsequently traced through the upper part of the county and came down by Douglas and through Admas ton, stopping on their way at some of the farm houses. They were further traced through Ashdod and out to the Calabogie where it was said Irwin collected some debts that were owing to him in that country by parties to whom he had sold sewing machines. All further traces of the three were loss until last week when R. J. Jordan was arrested in Toronto and conveyed to Pembroke on a charge of gaol-breaking.

A Pembroke constable was in Renfrew on Tuesday morning, serving summonses on all the witnesses that could be found, who were to testify against Irwin at the previous trial. It is evident that Irwin or Jordan will be tried on the three charges of bigamy, attempting to shoot the constable, and breaking gaol, and an interesting time is anticipated. Jordan's first wife is dead. The wife whom he married in Renfrew is said to be the happy spouse of another who resides in some part of the state of New York, while the amorous Jordan is reported to have been married in Toronto some four years ago, and to have another wife living there. They have been keeping a grocery or haberdashery of some kind, and Jordan he had just repeated Colonel Mulligan's is reported to have been still pursuing his vocation as machine agent up to the time of his arrest. Some time after Irwin's escape from gaol a rumour obtained currency here that he was arrested in Ogdensburg for some crime, but the lucky adventurer again escared justice and obtained his liberty. Whether the charge was one of bigamy or otherwise could not be learned.

MARINE PARAGRAPHS.

Items Gathered About the Wharves and From Exchanges. The schr. Dudley cleared yesterday with

16.000 bushels of barley for Oswego. The schr. White Oak is in port with 400 tons of coal screening from Fairhaven. The schr. Grantham cleared last evening

for Cleveland with 600 tons of iron ore. The schr. E. Blake and prop. Dominion have been chartered to carry ore to Cleve-

The tug Thompson left to day with two barges for Charlotte to load coal for King-The schrs. Emery, Proctor and Falconer

are en route to the city from Oswego with coal for Swift. There is only about 10 ft. 6 in. of water on the Myles' shoal and no buoy upon it

warning vessels to stear outside of it. The schr. Queen of the Lakes, rebuilt at Deseronto, will be launched on Thursday. Ten days later Richardson & Sons will load

and Cuba

Richardson & Sons are loading the follow-Folger at Gananoque, Ocean Wave at Wolfe Island, and Kate at Deseronto. They will carry 33,000 bushels. Capt. McCrimmon, of the schr. Two Bro-

eight or ten feet out of the water, some five or six miles south of the Scotch Bonnet, or better known as Guil Island lighthouse.

J. H. Brick wood caught twelve fine salmon at Loughboro lake yesterday.

DON'T WANT THE DIVORCE.

Action of the Queen in Opposition to That of the King of servia.



QUEEN NATALIE,

Belgrade, Oct. 26, -Queen Natalie has appealed to the Patriarch Dionysios at Con stantinople, who is the superior of metropolitan Theodosius, against the latter's action in dissolving the marriage of the Queen and King Milan.

Bishops Demetrius, of Nisch, and Nicamor, of Cocak, have been dismissed because they opposed the metropolitan's action is dissolving the marriage of King Milan and Queen Natalie.

BELGRADE, Oct. 26. - It is stated that the divorce granted to King Milan stops the civil list allowances to Natalie. The exqueen has, however, an ample private fortune. It is reported Natalie is going to St. Petersburg as the guest of the Czarina. Al classes of society, even Milan's partisans, severely criticise his action.

BUCHAREST, Oct. 23. - Queen Natalie has sent the following message to Theodesius, the metropolitan: "I consider your decison null and void and without legal value."

Belgrade, Oct. 26. -Queen Natalie's ad vocate, finding that the metropolitan Theodosius had already consulted with the patriarch of Constantinople and the great arch bishop of Carlovitz before dissolving the marriage, has submitted to the decree and one goes to Bucharest to deliver the divorce papers to Queen Natalie.

ST. PETERSBURG, Ocs. 26.—The papers here express indignation at the manner in which King Milan of Servia secured a divorce from Queen Natalie and denounce the divorce as itlegal. The Svet urges Queen Natalie to appeal to the patriarch of Constantinople and other chiefs of the orthodox church to annul the action of the metropolitan Theodosius.

HE ATE THE LUNCH.

The Mistake of a Green Policeman-He Fills Up on Strychnine, Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Ever hear about the poisoned policeman? No? Well, I'll tell you. It was years ago when lieutenants were known as sergeants on the police force. There was a big, rawboned character named Michael Conners at | etc. the armory police station. The sergeant was distinguished in three respects. Whenever he laughed one would think he was crying; he wore a very red flannel shirt when discipline did not force him to wear a white one; and he had a remarkably small

In those days it was the practice, at the proper season, in obedience to the proclamation of the mayor, to poison dogs with strychnine done up in tempting morsels of dog meat. When the roll had been called the sergeant would give to each man in the out-going platoon a number of these morsels, and the result was malodorously manifest for days afterwards, the city scavenger being very slow in removing the dead dogs from the public highways.

One evening Sergeant Conners, after sizing up the men in the tront platoon, passed along the line, and handing each man his dog rations, remarked: "Now boys you can go. You have got your lunch." He made a bet with the station-keeper that he could call the turn on the beat where most dead dogs would be found next day, and then sat down to relate his experiences while fighting under Colonel Mulligan in the war of the

Sergeant Conners was describing the siege at Lexington, and had got to the point where General Prince demanded the surrender of the city. In a burst of eloquence reply, "If you want us come and take us," when two colored men from Pacific avenue entered the station, carrying the body of Patrolman Yeager. The officer was all doubled up, and groaned in great agony. "Is he shot or stabbed?" asked the ser-

"We don't know," said the colored men. "We found him lying on a dry goods box this side of Polk street, carrying on just as he is now."

"Where are you wounded?" asked the sergeant of the officer. "I am not wounded," he gasped, "I got

"Did you drink anything in any dive?" "No, replied the officer. "I felt all right until coming on 12 o'clock when I sat on a dry goods box and ate my lunch."

awful pains all of a sudden."

"Great heavens!" said Conners, "hurry up and get the doctor. The frescoed idiot is poisoned. He has swallowed enough strychnine to poison six dogs."

With the aid of a stomach pump Officer | his shoulder and back. Yeager was out of danger in two hours. He had just been appointed on the force, and, while he never seen food prepared in that way before, he took his meal like a little man. But Sergeant Conners, when he sent the platoon out, never said afterward, "You can go now, boys; you have got your lunch.'

RAILWAY CROSSING SIGNAL.

A Strong Syndicate Formed to Introduce Grant's New Patent.

A syndicate has been formed at Bath, among business men, with abundant capital to push this most important railway patent, calculated to effect a great financial saving to railway companies, and save thousands of lives annually from death at crossings. It will indicate the approach of all trains or single engines at crossings, by sounding an immense gong or bell, commencing when the train comes within 400 yards of the crossing and continuing until the train has got beyond the crossing. Daniel Grant, the inventor, has already secured letters patent for his railway signal for the United States and Canada, and all infringements will lead to prosecution. Mr. Grant has received handsome offers for the sale of the right for different parts of the states. The prospects for the syndicate are bright, and stock in it has well advanced.

W. J. Sommerville has gone to Rochester.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR

The Spice of Every Day Life-What the Public are Talking About-Nothing Ea." capes the Attention of Those Who are Taking Notes.

Chestnuts-W. D. Hendry & Co's. Chesp P. H. Bolderick, of New York, was in

For genuine Scranton No. 4 coal go to the Gas Works vard. All kinds of preserved fruits 15c. per lb. at W. D. Hendry & Co's. New Dutch herrings received to-day at

Henderson's cheap grocery. Another lot of fine double-width dress goods opened at Spence & Crumley's to day. Dutch mustard by the pint, quart, gallon, at Henderson's cheap grocery hour After Monday the ferry boat to Cape Vincent will only make one trip a day, at 2:30

The walls of St. Andrew's Sunday school portion of the building will be finished this The charge against R. J. Brown, hotel.

keeper, was dismissed by the police magis. trate this morning. Some machinery in the car works was disabled this morning and the amalan Mark Company of the C

Butter ! Butter !- Choice prints, 20 cents a pound; fresh eggs, 20 cents a dozen, at Henderson's, to morrow. A great many of the iron water pipes

have been found cracked. The damaged parts have been renewed. D. Johnson has been sent to gaol from Gananoque for breaking into a soap factory. He deserved lathering also.

"This safe is open nights," is the announcement a merchant has placed on his safe for the benefit of burglars. If you need something to cheer you up this dull weather try W. D. Hendry & Co's

celebrated coffee 30c., 35c. and 40c. W. Robinson, sr., and wife, who occupied their residence at Sharbott lake during the summer months, have returned to the city. Breck & Booth have the best slabs, hard wood and dry blocks. You can get just

what you want in the fuel line at their yard. The Mail says the Kingston & Pembroke appeal was dismissed by the supreme court with costs, and the Empire says judgment was reserved. There were several fights yesterday, one

at the college, A student, a fast liver, objected to another telling his father the kind of a hustler he was. Chice butter, fresh eggs, large cooking apples, table apples, Fearman's best hams.

breakfast bacon, rolls, very lowest prices, at W. D. Hendry & Co's. Best dry wood in the city, either cut or uncut, at James Campbell's wood yard, op posite barrack gate; also dry slabs daily ar-

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riving from Sharbot Lake. The best brands are - Crown jewel, white star, crown flour, rolled oatmeai, rolled oats, Early Rose potatoes, fresh and tub butter, fresh eggs. James Crawford.

On Wednesday last Miss Nellie Fitzmanrice, of Renfrew, was married to M. Devine. The ceremony occurred in St. Francis Xavler church, and was a brilliant affair,

For coughs and colds take the Diamond Cough Remedy, composed of elecampane, wild cherry and horehound. 25 and 50 cent sa bottle at Wade's drug store. On Wednesday the young Mallorys, Mallorytown, while visiting at a farm near the

river, found a skiff which contained several coacs, wooden decoy ducks, fishing tackle, To-day "A" battery, headed by its excellent brass band, marched through the city. Lt.-Col. Cotton was in command.

The men, guns and accoutrements looked Choice maple sugar, white table syrup, strained honey, white honey in sections, canned corn, canned beans, rolled and breakfast bacon, salt water herrings. James

Crawford. There were 93 registrations at the police station in July, 62 in Angust, and 87 in

September. The drunkards were the most numerous-79 in July, 54 in August, and 67 in September. Clear white honey in sections, 20c; white

family flour, crown jewel and all kinds of family and pastry flour, cranberries, 124c; Early Rose potatoes, grapes and quinces. James Crawford. Mr. T. L. Snook, who is counsel for the

claiments of the Hannahfield estate, at Damfries, Scotland, says he will have no difficulty in securing for his clients their share of the property. Choice fresh butter, 22c; fresh eggs, 22c; Early Rose potatoes, 60c per bag; 10 lbs Spanish onions, 25c: 2 lbs preserved fruit,

25c, and the best 30c coffee in the city at W. D. Hendry & Co's. On Nov. 7th "Jim the Penman" will be presented at the opera house. Miss Petrie, known here, is a leading lady in the cast. After the performance she and her friends

will be entertained at the barracks. This afternoon a meeting of the board of directors of the Y.M.C.A. was held for the purpose of selecting a secretary in place of F. M. Pratt who leaves for Hamilton on Nov. 10th. There are two applicants.

Fine rolled flour, rolled oats, oatmeal, cornmeal, "Hecker's" hominy, self-rising flour, 20c per package ; Gleeson's sausages, 124c; hams, breakfast bacon, spiced rolls, &c., at W. D. Hendry & Co's.

The foundation for the new water tower is completed, and it is a very solid structure. Three courses of sandstone from Gildersleeve's quarry has been used. The iron for the tower, due here on the 20th, has not ar-

Dr. Willoughby had a narrow escape from death yesterday. While attempting to board a west bound freight train at Colborne, he fell headlong under the cars, the axle box of the wheel catching and throwing him out of the way. He received injuries in

The American canoe association will probably be held next year on Stave Island. two miles below Gananoque Narrow's light. This is done in deference to the central association which has agreed to meet if the gathering be held on the St. Lawrence. The committee all personally favour Rideau

Frank Ireland, city chamberlain, and H. Richardson have returned from a hunting expedition to Lake Nipissing and French river. They had poor luck. The weather was unsatisfactory-too much rain and snow. No deer were captured but good duck shooting was enjoyed. Because of the wet weather they lost two valuable

And They Are Fine. Snow apples, cooking apples, quinces, 60c. peck; cranberries, 121c. quart; 7 lbs. Spanish onions, 25c.; oranges, 30c. dozen; figs, 7c. box. James Crawford.



Weather Probabilities. Increasing south-east to east winds, fair weather to-day, followed by rain to night or to-morrow. Not much change in tempera-