

Daily British Whig.

WEDNESDAY EVE. SEPT. 5, 1877

GOLD in New York at 30's stock 103 3/4

A. A. LEVEY, Wellington Street, is now offering CLOTHING AT COST.

CITY AND VICINITY

MR. KIRKPATRICK left Winnipeg on Saturday for home.

INSTALLATION.—Rev. Dr. Jackson will this evening be installed as pastor of the First Congregational Church.

ON THE MARKET.—Mr. H. Bacon wants to sell his stallion, "Ethan Allen," in consequence of the owner's ill-health.

SCHOOL BOARD.—A regular meeting of the School Board will be held in the Council Chamber on Thursday evening.

THE DAMAGED GRAIN of the schooner Riverside (12,000 bushels) will be sold by Henry Bowden by auction to-morrow afternoon.

THE CHURCH.—The Telegram is in error in stating that the St. George's Club beat the K.O.C. Our contemporary should consult the official scores.

THE STREET RAILWAY.—We are informed that but two out of the sixteen men employed on the Street Railway drive on Sunday, and then only during church hours.

THE TELEPHONE.—This evening the telephone will be again tried in the Montreal Telegraph Office.

QUARRELLING.—Last evening two women quarrelled and fought on Montreal, near Charles Street.

PERSONAL.—Among the arrivals at Cleveland is recorded the name of Mr. E. S. Boyden of Richmond & Boyden.

YESTERDAY'S ISSUE.—To facilitate certain improvements which are being made in the Whig Office our edition of yesterday was issued at noon, consequently we were unable to publish the later telegrams, the gist of which we give to-day.

A SUCCESS.—The trip down the river yesterday under the auspices of St. Mark's Church was a success, so far as the sociability and pleasantness of the thing was concerned.

SAD VISITATION.—To-day the death is announced of the young and amiable daughter of the incumbent of St. Mark's, Mrs. G. G. Garratt.

DESOLATE LAND.—The Dispatch says the Thousand Island Park is becoming desolate and lonely.

DRAFTSMAN.—Mr. G. W. Robinson has engaged a carriage draftsman to superintend his wood department.

THE INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY and Steam Navigation Guide for September is out.

THE RAILWAY CONTRACT.—The contract for the building of the section of the K. & P. R.R. from the Mississippi to the Madawaska was not awarded yesterday.

PROBABILITIES for the next 24 hours.—For the lower lake region and St. Lawrence—fair to cloudy weather.

STARLING EXCURSION.—The excursion per Grand Trunk Railway yesterday was very numerously attended.

CHARLEY ROSS.—This ubiquitous youngster has turned up again.

GONE WEST.—Reynold, the dramatic star who has been filling a season at the Academy of Music in Montreal.

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WIND WAFTS.

Melons are the worst rubbish in the world to consume.

The temperature reminds one that winter is near at hand.

Over 1,000 tickets were sold at Ottawa for the Starling excursion yesterday.

Thrashing machines are now numerous, tearing to pieces the golden sheaves.

The wind blew a perfect gale yesterday. It was rough for boats out late on the water.

Bom. G. F. Waldon, Trunkon Garrison Battery, has secured a first class certificate at our School of Gunnery.

Counterfeit silver coins, of all denominations, are rapidly increasing in circulation.

Boss lose their stinger after once causing pain to their victim.

A pity slanders are not deprived of their stingers in the same manner.

The Belleville Intelligencer now prints that elaborate, worn-out out of the Nesbitt Hotel.

The Intelligencer generally hears of things, and gives its readers the benefit of them, when nobody else wants them.

Waterbury Times: The Kingston Who is anxious to have the Watertown city band visit the Kingston fair and take the \$120 prize.

The Who editors would like to hear some good music, too.

Our Battery band don't play worth a rap.

Violent Assault.

Last night, about 11 o'clock, a violent assault was committed on Thomas Clancy, night watchman for a number of merchants.

He had made his rounds, and on proceeding up Brock street, by a misstep sprained his foot, and on reaching Ham's Hotel he sat down on the window sill to rest.

While seated thus a young man in his shirt sleeves came up to him, and then sat down beside him. The newcomer called to Clancy, and while doing so slipped his arm around Clancy and pulled the button out of his pocket.

Once possessed of the button the stranger struck Clancy several times, two of the blows on the head inflicting severe wounds.

Clancy crawled, bleeding and more dead than alive, to the police station, where he lodged information of the assault, and the police made efforts to arrest the assailant, whom they identified by description, but up to the present the search has not been successful.

Clancy does not know why he was struck. The assault is a most ruffianly one. Clancy has had his injuries dressed by a medical practitioner. He has one bad cut on the back of the head, and another near the forehead.

He thinks the latter may have been occasioned by a fall against the house.

THE REGATTA.—Last evening a meeting of those favourable to the holding of a regatta was held in the Council Chamber.

The Mayor was in the chair. It was decided to have two sailing races (for second and third class boats) and rowing races, week after next, on condition that the citizens subscribe liberally to wards the prizes.

Mr. George Oford was appointed Commodore, and Mr. Wilson was elected Vice-Commodore.

A committee of five was selected as a Sailing Committee, viz., the Mayor and Messrs. W. J. Dick, R. Makins, James Wilson and Capt. Lewis.

Mr. H. Parnell will again act as Secretary of Regatta. We trust the affair will be successful.

THE ACCIDENT.—The schooner Riverside must have had ground and leaking belly. She was bound from Chicago to this port, west laden, and yesterday ran aground on Four Mile Point.

Capt. Donnelly and his wrecking party proceeded to the distressed vessel with a steam pump and a lighter, and succeeded in saving all the dry goods.

This morning Capt. Donnelly returned to Garden Island for another pump, one being insufficient to raise the sunken craft. It must be badly damaged if not indeed split open.

CLEVER BOXES.—A contemporary, in announcing the placement of a couple of additional letter boxes, intimates: "It is gratifying to learn that a great increase has taken place in the number of letters sent by those boxes since they have been established."

Well, in the first place, it must be interesting to see boxes sending letters; and, secondly, if the boxes had not been established could letters have been sent by them, or were they ever sent by such a means when such means were not in existence? That's the question.

JAUNTY JOTTINGS.—On Wednesday Sampson McConnell, of Odessa, tried before His honor Judge Wilkinson at nine minutes past ten, and sentenced to nine months in the Central Prison for various offences.

BOYS FIRES.—The greatly prolonged draught has scorched the very land to a cinder, and bush fires are again raging. Two large bushes are in a blaze near Gananoque G. T. R. Station, and one much larger is burning up the woods and top soil near Kingston Mills, under Tuttle's Hill.

The rain, had it come last night as threatened, would have done an immense amount of good.

THE HON. A. S. HARDY.

AN AFTERNOON'S OUTING ON THE ST. LAWRENCE RIVER.

Yesterday a number of gentlemen, friends and admirers of the popular and esteemed Provincial Secretary, the Hon. A. S. Hardy, of Brantford, entertained him by giving an excursion down the river on the steam yacht "Flight," of which Capt. Swales is the efficient and courteous commander.

The boat left at about two o'clock with its party of pleasure seekers, and never was there a party bound more to enjoy innocent mirth and pleasant repartee.

Steaming down the river and enjoying the delightful scenery of the St. Lawrence, pleasant memories were revived, and many were the jokes which were perpetrated.

After arriving at the place of "touting out on the old camp ground," about six miles this side of Gananoque, the ever ready and faithful steward of the "Kingston Club," Bernard Bird, arranged the tables and loaded them with all the delicacies of the season and performed his part to perfection.

At the camp ground the party enjoyed themselves to the full extent, not forgetting the tempting viands which were spread, and which were partaken of with avidity.

The whistle having sounded, the congregated met, assembled and came together on the boat, when they proceeded to Gananoque, where, having landed, the village or town was viewed and then a start for home made.

It is needless to say they arrived here safely, otherwise this article would not appear. But in the meantime several important and long to be remembered scenes occurred: a Judge, Sheriff, and Jerry had been appointed and the Ferry-bridge Court revived.

A couple of so-called culprits were arraigned and having duly been tried each was convicted, although the circumstances were directly opposite. However, the speeches of the opposing counsel and the remarks (contempt of court) caused a great deal of merriment and greatly assisted in making the trip not only a pleasant and enjoyable one but one long to be remembered.

It is seldom so select a party has left Kingston and it is sincerely hoped that the Hon. Mr. Hardy enjoyed himself as much as those who enjoyed his genial company and listened to his neat speeches.

The "old limestone city of Kingston" tries to be hospitable and desires to be successful when endeavoring to entertain so worthy a subject. That the private excursion of yesterday was a success all those who were present will allow and acknowledge.

We only hope the Hon. gentleman will frequently visit us. Below will be found a list of a number who attended and participated in the general enjoyment, viz.: Hon. A. S. Hardy, (Provincial Secretary); Wm. Robinson, M.P.P.; D. D. Calvin, M.P.P.; Messrs. Wm. Ford, Thos. Briggs, Wm. Hart, C. F. Gildersleeve, Mayor McKelvey, Alderman Carson, Dr. J. K. Oliver, Wm. Irwin, Wm. Allen (Brock Street), Robt. Carroll, B. M. Britton, Wm. Stewart, S. Harper, Alderman Asselstine, John Fraser, J. Smith, W. R. McEae, John Duff, Thos. Power, M. O'Grady, Wm. Wilson, Dr. Fen, Robt. Waddell, R. Gage, M. Gage, E. Law, W. C. Haven and others.

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GRAIN FOR KINGSTON.—Sailed from Chicago: Schr. Flying Mist, 20,877 bushels corn, 64; brig H. F. Church, 19,350 bushels wheat; prop. Empire, 10,331 bushels wheat, chartered at Milwaukee; schr. Von Strabenzky, wheat at 74c. The schrs. Arabia and Hyderabad have arrived at Chicago from Kingston, with stone ballast.

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PRINCIPAL SNOODGRASS, D.D.

The Montreal Witness of yesterday had the following:

"We have just learned that the Very Rev. Principal Snodgrass, D.D., of Queen's University, Kingston, has been appointed to the parish of Canaan, Dumfriesshire, one of the most desirable parishes in the south of Scotland, and that he has accepted the appointment."

Principal Snodgrass is now on his way to Canada, and will, we understand, immediately close his connection with the institution over which he has presided with signal ability and success.

We suppose the information conveyed to our contemporary is reliable, and yet we must accept the statement with some reserve. While having the highest regard for the personal welfare of Dr. Snodgrass, we deeply regret even the contemplation of his removing from Kingston and severing his connection with Queen's University, for which he has laboured so hard, in which he took so much interest, and for which his talents have been so liberally and successfully exercised.

We know his abilities are fully recognised in his native Scotland, and we know that he cherishes a love for it which the most favourable surroundings in Canada have not affected, but Queen's can scarcely spare him as her head. And still if our Montreal contemporary is correctly posted we must prepare for his departure. In the meantime we simply submit the report as we find it.

Fire—Loss \$600.

Yesterday afternoon between three and four o'clock a fire occurred, and the house owned and occupied by Mr. John Y. Landry was completely destroyed.

The fire is supposed to have occurred in the back kitchen, where a spark may have escaped from the stove heated therein. The engine was on time soon enough, and took up position at the reservoir, but for lack of sufficient hose it could not do any service.

The furniture was mostly saved, though, as in all such cases, suffered considerable damage. The building was valued at from \$900 to \$1,000, and it was insured in the Agricultural for \$400. The clear loss will thus amount to \$600 on the house alone.

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Black Cashmeres, all Wool, 50c-55c, 60c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00.

New Colored Cashmeres, 50c, 60c, 75c, 90c.

90 pieces Black Lustres, remarkably cheap.

150 pieces New Fall Dress Goods, beautiful designs.

R. WALDRON, WALDRON'S BUILDING, Aug 17, 1877.

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