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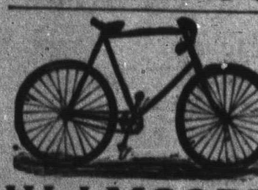

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## CROWN TIMBER.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS Department up to and including the 4TH DAY OF JUNE NEXT, for the right to cut the pine trees over seven inches in diameter on the stump, on that part of the Township of Vankoughnet, in the district of Algoma, lying outside the boundaries of the Batchewaung Indian reserve, except the following part sections: S. E. ½ of section 11, S. W. ½ section 12, S. W. ½ section 14, and the S. E. ½ of section 25.

Parties making tender will state the amount they are prepared to pay as bonus, or for the right to receive a license to cut the pine trees over seven inches in diameter on the stump, which, when cut, will be subject to the following rates of dues:—On square or waney timber, 25c per thousand cubic feet; on sawlogs, $1.25 per thousand feet, board measure.

No pine trees of a less diameter than seven inches on the stump shall be cut.

The Department reserves all timber except the pine, together with the right to dispose of such other timber at any time and purchasers of the other timber will have the right to make roads and to do whatever may be necessary in the premises to cut and remove the same.

Terms of payment—½ cash, balance in 3 and 6 months.

Notes for balance to be endorsed by parties satisfactory to the Department. A marked cheque for 5 per cent. of the offer must accompany each tender.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply F. C. Campbell, Esq., Crown Timber Agent, Sault Ste. Marie, or to the Department of Crown Lands, Toronto.

Department of Crown Lands, Toronto, April 25th, 1895.

A. S. HARDY,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to noon on SATURDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JUNE NEXT, for the purchase of Lot 42, Arthur Place, in the City of Kingston. The property is situated on Arch street, between Stuart and Bagot streets, adjoins the property of Mr. Waldron and is opposite Queen's College grounds—has a frontage of about 43 feet and a depth of 90 feet. The highest tender not necessarily accepted.

W. H. SULLIVAN,
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May 28th, 1895.

RECIPE—For Making a Delicious Health Drink at Small Cost.
Adams' Root Beer Extract . . One Bottle
Fleischmann's Yeast . . . . . Half a Cake
Sugar . . . . . Two Pounds
Lukewarm Water . . . . . Two Gallons.
Dissolve the sugar and yeast in the water, add the extract, and bottle; put in a warm place for twenty-four hours until it ferments, then place on ice when it will open sparkling and delicious.
The root beer can be obtained in all drug and grocery stores in 25c and 50c bottles to make two and five gallons.

### Florida Fancies.

FLORIDA, May 27.—Mrs. Geo. Walker has returned after having spent some time attending her daughter, Mrs. J. Carruthers, Glenvale, who has been dangerously ill. — Considerable dissatisfaction exists among the farmers on account of the very low price of cheese it being about one-half the price it was last year this time.—Mrs. H. Walker was agreeably surprised one day last week to receive a gold watch on her birthday from her daughter, Mrs. H. Baker, Kingsville.—Visitors: E. Snider and the Misses Snider, Cataraqui; A. Assselstine and wife, Westbrook; Miss Lena Brown, Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, Muzvale; W. Martin and wife, Cataraqui. —Farmers are rejoicing over the much needed rain. Everything is looking prosperous. The frost did considerable damage here.—J. Pang lost a valuable horse last week caused by inflammation.—Cottage prayer meeting every Thursday evening at W. Martin's.—G. Smith, suffering from bronchial trouble is no better.—E. Walker spent Saturday and Sunday with his family at Sydenham.

## PLACED ON A FIRST DRAFT.

### THE METHODIST MINISTERS FOR THE KINGSTON DISTRICT.

**The Work of the Stationing Committee of The Montreal Conference—The Queen Street Supply is not What The People Desire—Fourth Terms not Generally Endorsed.**

A DESPATCH from Smith's Falls announces the following as the first draft of the stationing committee of the Montreal Methodist conference for Kingston district:

Kingston—Sydenham street, J. E. Starr; Queen street, Manley Benson; Brock street, C. A. Edwards; Princess street, S. Bland.
Portsmouth—G. W. Snell.
Stella—Joseph O'Hara.
Wolfe Island—Joseph Follick.
Cataraqui—J. Stewart, W. H. Easton.
Elginburg—Thomas E. Burke.
Inverary—W. Williamson.
Battersea—C. J. Curtis.
Gananoque—W. S. Jamieson.
Gananoque East—E. Thomas.
Pittsburg—S. Shibley, J. H. Miller.
Harrowsmith—J. B. Robeson.
Sydenham—W. J. Shortt.
Seeley's Bay—Job Roadhouse.
Verona—Thomas Meredith.
Sharbot Lake—N. B. Topping.
Opinicon—C. C. Huxtable.

Invitations for a fourth year were rejected, unless the circumstances of the church urgently required an extension of the term and every legal requirement is met. Queen's case, it is reported, was considered exceptional and Rev. T. J. Mansell remains there. There is objection in Queen street church to the Rev. Dr. Benson, but it is not expected that the appointment will stand. The official board has asked for either the Rev. William Sparling or Rev. T. J. Mansell. At present Mr. Sparling has not been changed. He still remains at Easton's Corners. His invitation to Dominion church, Ottawa, has not availed for Rev. Dr. Griffith, after one year in Brockville, is set down for the capital church. Rev. Dr. Jackson, of Perth, is given Brockville charge. The Blands, by the first draft, have been well scattered. Rev. H. F. is down for St. John's, Que.; S. G. for Princess street, Kingston, and C. E. for North Bay. Rev. F. C. Reynolds, Gananoque, is given Montreal East.

Other changes are:
Cote St. Antoine—J. D. Ellis.
Arundel and Ponsonby—A. E. Pates.
Kemptville—A. McCann.
Addison—W. H. Chantler.
Frankville and Toledo—W. Pimlott.
Perth—G. G. Huxtable.
Pakenham—F. Chisholm.
Newboro—G. H. Porter.
Carp—J. H. Larmour.
Dunham—A. B. Johnston.
Westmeath—R. G. Peever.
Inkermann—W. Rilance.
Aultsville—J. E. Lidstone.
Cornwall—D. Winter.

### THIS IS A BANNER TOWN.

**The Opinion of a Writer in the Watertown, N.Y. Press.**

Watertown Times.

HUNDREDS of people were at the wharf to meet their American cousins. On landing the passengers made for the hotels. They passed the afternoon in various ways. The street cars, with a service far superior to Watertown's, did an immense business. All the available cars were running. The asylum and penitentiary were the principal points of attraction for visitors.

The programme of events were skiff races, baseball, parade of "A" battery and 14th battalion volunteers, lacrosse, horse races, and fancy dress and illuminated bicycle parade in the evening. There were a number of excursions from all the towns down the St. Lawrence and up the bay. There were six or seven visiting bands which contributed to the celebration. Most all the streets, hotels, public buildings and business places were decorated, and the city presented a holiday appearance. But for drinking places, Kingston is the banner town. It seemed to be the object of several of the hotel men to get all they could from the Americans, and whether it was man or boy he could get what he called for as long as he had the price. The St. Lawrence promptly left her wharf on the return trip. The afternoon's stay in Kingston was altogether too long for some of the party, as they came aboard in a state of intoxication. The run over to the Cape was long and tedious. There were several fights and the actions of some of the excursionists were very disgusting. Many young men brought on board flasks of whiskey, and the stuff made fools of the drinkers, and prevented them from otherwise enjoying themselves.

The cabin of the steamer St. Lawrence has been expensively refurnished, carpeted and upholstered, and is up-to-date in all respects.

The excursion was a financial success for the band. Because there were some who did not conduct themselves properly, the band boys should not be censured for that.

The Kingston police were very generous yesterday. They did not attempt to make arrests for drunkenness.

If the queen had seen some of her loyal subjects yesterday she would have been very proud of them; and if Uncle Sam had seen some of his, he would have been sorry they ever became naturalized citizens of this country.

### Lady Aberdeen's At Home.

TORONTO, May 28.—Lady Aberdeen's "At Home" at the parliament buildings, last night, was a brilliant function. There were 1,000 guests. The ladies' costumes were magnificent.

It was nine o'clock when the "At Home" began. Promptly at that time the Earl and Countess of Aberdeen, accompanied by the lieutenant-governor and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, Lieut.-Col. the Hon. J. M. Gibson, M.P.P., A.D.C. to the governor-general, Mrs. Gibson, Miss Macdonald, Hon. George W. Ross, Mrs. Ross, Col. Clarke and Mrs. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Gadden Duff, of Aberdeenshire, Scotland, Lady Caron, Miss Wilson, Capt. Urquhart, Mr. Erskine and Capt. Arthur Kirkpatrick arrived on the scene. The arrivals began promptly, and for a couple of hours the vice-regal hosts and their aides were kept fully occupied meeting those attending.

The Kingston ladies presented were thus attired:

Mrs. Fraser—Black silk, with handsome lace.

Miss Martha Smith—Black silk, with berthe of blue velvet.

Miss Machar—Grey silk, with white lace.

### The Funeral Of Mr. Gresham.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The place of Secretary Gresham's interment, it is now said, will be Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland called on Mrs. Gresham this morning.

Mr. Cleveland has tendered and Mrs. Gresham has accepted the use of the spacious east room in the White house for the funeral services conducted by Bishop Hurst, Methodist episcopal church.

### The Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, May 28.—The close to-day was: Wheat, May, 79¾; July, 80¾; Sept., 81¼. Pork, May, $12.60; July, $12.70; Sept., $12.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

### Fewer Vacant Houses.

Mr. Foster, who is compiling the city directory says there are at least one hundred less vacant houses about the city this year than there were in 1894 when he went around.

### Importation of 1895.

Prevost, of the New York clothing store, Brock street, has received all his spring and summer importation, consisting of Scotch and English tweeds, blue and black serges, cheviot and black worsted. In panting we are showing a variety of fifty different patterns and we guarantee a first-class fit.

### They Were Not Used.

A gross of electric lamps were ordered by the managers of the illuminated parade from New York to be used along the route of the procession. The lamps were got out of the custom house at six o'clock on the evening of the Queen's birthday, but those to whom they were given could not work them, and they were not used.

### Had a Narrow Shave.

Yesterday morning John Muckleraith had a narrow escape from death. He was washing a sheep owned by Thomas Hamilton at Cabourn's point, when he took cramps and fell into the water. He was rescued in an unconscious condition and in time to save his life. The sheep drifted into the stream and was drowned.

### Confirmed The Report.

The court of revision met yesterday afternoon, Alds. Skinner, Walkem and Ryan being present, re local improvement sewer to be constructed on Frontenac street between York and Jenkin streets. None of the property holders appeared, and the court confirmed the city engineer's report and statement by way of assessment.

### Made A Fast Trip.

W. T. Minnes made a quick passage from England last week. He left Liverpool on Saturday, 18th, at 6 p.m., by the steamer Campania. He was in New York on Friday, 24th, at 9 p.m., too late to pass his entries. Saturday morning he hustled about, got his baggage through, caught the Empire State express and was in Kingston Saturday night last at 7 p.m. This is a remarkably fast run.

### Has Been Promoted.

Another young Canadian has come to the front in the United States. James Halligan, son of John Halligan, grocer, has been appointed manager of the New York branch of the business of J. J. O'Keefe & Co., known as the Catholic art company. Mr. Halligan has been with the company five years, and his promotion is due to industry and close attendance to the business of his employers.

### What The Farmers Say.

This morning the farmers who came to market reported that the recent rains had been the salvation of the crops. Within twenty-four hours afterwards there were more vegetation than there had been for a week previous.

The frosts which occurred this spring did not do as much damage as was expected. It was supposed the grape crop was entirely destroyed, but on examination the damage is not extraordinary.

### Value of Wheat and Bread.

Talking about wheat and flour last night, a dealer said that Ontario wheat was dearer than the cereal either in Chicago or New York. There was a scarcity of Ontario grain. "I don't think such a thing has ever occurred before. I have handled flour at $7 per barrel and I made more money out of bread at 14c per loaf than at any other price." Another said, "the highest I ever knew wheat to be was $1.30 per bushel," while another said he remembered it at $1.35. "Well," said an elderly man, "I remember when bread was 14d per loaf, about 23c. It was in 1856, at the time of the Crimean war." The conversation then drifted to the cause of the rise and it was all attributed to speculators. They were all glad that a Kingston firm was unloading at a good profit after several years of losses.

### Was Buried Here To-day.

The Brockville Recorder notes the death of F. H. Corrigan and says he was born at Gananoque in 1869. He attended the common and high schools of that place until about ten years ago, when he removed to Brockville. Since coming here he has been engaged on the G.T.R., being a fireman for a number of years. He was an active member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, and also a member of the C.M.B.A. In politics he was a staunch liberal, and in religion a Roman Catholic. He leaves, besides an aged father, four sisters and five brothers to mourn his untimely end. His sisters are Mrs. Griffith, Watertown, N.Y.; Mrs. Nicholson, Kingston, and Misses Anna and Emma, Brockville. His brothers are Bernard J. and E. A., Saginaw, Mich.; A. S., Staples, Minn., all passenger conductors, and John L. and Daniel, of the G.T.R.

This afternoon the body of Mr. Corrigan was brought to the city and interred in St. Mary's cemetery.

## ON SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

**The Case of Walter Pipe Considered by the Judge.**

The case of Walter Pipe, committed for trial, as being a party to the theft of goods from J. R. Rattenbury's gents' furnishing store, came up before Judge Price in chamber this morning. Mr. Whiting, according to the deposition, had charged Pipe with larceny, and Mr. McIntyre was surprised because he expected the charge of receiving stolen goods would be pushed. However, it made very little difference. The penalty was the same in either case. Mr. McIntyre stated that his client had intended pleading "guilty" to receiving the stolen goods.

His honor, Mr. Whiting and Mr. McIntyre looked over the statutes, and Mr. McIntyre afterwards ordered Pipe to plead "guilty" to larceny.

Mr. McIntyre made a long address to his honor. He admitted Pipe was guilty of an offence. It was rather hard, however, to sentence him to prison while the other three young men who had entered the store and stolen the goods were allowed to go by the magistrate. He did not blame the magistrate for allowing the boys to go, but here was a case of a married man with a wife and three children depending on him. The speaker was informed by Mrs. Pipe that she did not know what she would do if her husband was sent to prison. Pipe came of good respectable parents and the police had nothing against him previous to this unfortunate affair.

Mr. Whiting explained the case and its concoction, and that Pipe was to receive his share and remain on guard. The offence was committed and Pipe was old enough to know better.

His honor told Pipe what he was liable to suffer, explained that if he were to sentence him it would, no doubt, break up his business, his family and everything else. Reference was made to the punishment not only to himself, but his family and friends. He was inclined to think that in such cases the punishment was greater to the friends than the person convicted. His honor accordingly allowed Pipe to go on a suspended sentence. If at any time the county crown attorney considered his, Pipe's, conduct such that he should be sent up, he would be brought before the court and dealt with accordingly.

The str. John Maynard entered Davis' dry-dock this morning. She will be remodelled and fixed up for the route between Clayton and Cape Vincent which she intends to go on this summer.

Rev. Messrs. Edwards and Curtis, left for Smith's Falls to-day to attend conference.

## INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

### PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS.

**The Spice of Every Day Life—What the People Are Talking About—Nothing Escapes the Attention of Those Who Are Taking Notes.**

THE band of the 14th battalion will play at Ontario park one night weekly during the warm weather.

Four or five costumes hired in the illuminated parade are missing and the celebration committee will have to pay for them.

Shortly after the arrival of ex-Ald. W. Robinson at Sharbot Lake he caught ten fine trout.

T. Haley has bought out Pipe's barber shop.

There were no oats for sale on the market to-day.

Bryant's Root Beer, five gallons for 10c., at Mitchell's.

M. Connolly is in the city to remain for a couple of weeks.

John Magher will run his first excursion to Belleville in June.

James Sherman, suffering from inflamation, is seriously ill.

Miss Bertha Glover, Brockville, is visiting friends in the city.

John Strange, who was very ill, is out of danger and recovering slowly.

Dr. J. B. Labey is located at Port Jarvis, N.Y. He has a thriving practice.

See the Japanese Fire Screens we are showing for 75c. each. E. C. Mitchell.

Miss McGeein has left for Stanford university, California, to accept a position.

Urquhart's vegetable restorative, cough and ever cure, at McLeod's drug store.

It is said there will be Kingston capital in the Belleville street railway company.

Dr. J. H. McGill's orange blossom preparations for sale at McLeod's drug store.

Men commenced this morning to excavate for Mr. Mitchell's house on Earl street.

R. W. Agnew, Montreal, dry goods clerk, spending a few days here, has returned.

W. Fitzgerald, of Storrington, adjudged insane, was committed to Rockwood asylum yesterday.

S. Sears, who has been absent for several months in South Carolina, arrived home on Saturday.

Chenille table covers, every size, beginning at 50c, at R. McFaul's Kingston carpet warehouse.

Margaret L. Shepherd is lecturing in western Ohio. The Christian Review warns people against her.

Photographers, don't forget that our dark room is at your disposal at any and all times. E. C. Mitchell.

Battalion drill occurred at the drill shed last night, and it was one of the best that has yet occurred this year.

The funeral of G. W. Robinson, which occurred yesterday, was very large and was attended by scores of citizens.

Str. North King for Rochester every Sunday, 5 p.m., arriving 7 a.m., via Port Hope daily. T. Hanley, agent.

Chenille curtains at $2.75 per pair, and chenille table covers from 50c, at R. McFaul's Kingston carpet warehouse.

Crushed Fruits, Strawberry, Pineapple, Apricot and Peach with soda water and cream for 5c. E. C. Mitchell.

The three boys arrested for being disorderly on the street on May 24th, were allowed to go to-day with a warning.

Duncan A. Cays has opened a real estate broker's office at No. 20 Market Square. Farming lands a specialty.

Forty-nine years ago only two gardeners did business on the Kingston market and it was a rare thing to see flowers for sale.

Rev. Ernest Thomas and wife reached the city last night. Mrs. Thomas remains here while Mr. Thomas left at noon for conference.

All the Saratoga Mineral Waters, also Buffalo Lithia and Bethseda Waters, by the glass or bottle, at McLeod's.

A few days ago, John McIntyre, Q.C., caused to be served on the mayor a writ, claiming damages for a nuisance on P. McCallum's farm.

T. C. Wilson, treasurer, has concluded on a rough calculation that the celebration committee will be in debt if the citizens do not come to its rescue.

Just received 500 chenille table covers, small size at 50c, larger ones equally cheap; at R. McFaul's Kingston carpet warehouse.

This morning B. W. Folger, J. M. Campbell and W. McRossie went to Ontario park to consider a scheme for the lighting of the grounds.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, gives great bodily nerve, mental and digestive strength, simply because it purifies, vitalizes and enriches he blood.

Rev. Father Twohey, of Westport, was in the city to-day on a short visit. He looks well, and said the prospects for good crops in this section are excellent.

Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, dined with Archbishop Ferrat, papal nuncio to France, this afternoon, prior to his departure for Rome. The cardinal will reach Rome on Saturday.

The depot of the Northampton branch of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at Collinsville, Con., was entered by burglars early this morning and the safe blown to atoms.

The preliminary examination in connection with the Harty election protest will be held in a few days in Toronto. Hon. W. Harty was to have been summoned yesterday to appear for examination.

Messrs. Nicol, of Cataraqui, and Straubenzie and Forsyth, of this city, went, last week, to their islands on the Rideau river. They are putting their houses in order for summer company.

Yesterday R. J. Evans, representing the Globe paper and fibre company, of Brownville, N.Y., was in the city. He intends to purchase 600 tons of asbestos to be used in the establishment he represents.

A very desirable business stand, next to the new WHIG office, is to let with possession immediately. Rent moderate. Application may be made on the premises.

Geo. Holt, Kingston, who went down to Brockville with the Island City band excursion last Friday night, was arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was fined three dollars and given time to pay.

No. 10 open electric car has been improved by the addition of a motor taken from one of the sweepers. No. 10 is the only car in the service worked with a single motor and is a great success. The work of fitting it up was done under the superintendence of F. Simmons, electrician.

### Committee Meeting On Friday Night.

At a meeting of the civic committee dealing with the blast furnace negotiations held last evening, it was decided to have a report from the delegates ready to be submitted at a meeting to be held on Friday evening.

The report of the delegates to Youngstown, O., re blast furnace will be very lengthy. All the information in the possession of the members will be given to the council. Nothing will be kept back.

### Making Orange Flags.

Thomas Robinson & Son have received an order to paint a flag for L.O.L. No. 162, Gladstone, Manitoba. On one side will be the portrait of Queen Victoria and on the other a picture of King William. The same firm will paint a banner for Clark Wallace lodge, No. 38, of Orange Young Britons, Russell, Ont. On one side will be the portrait of an Orange Young Briton, and on the other a picture of King William. The flag and banner will be made of silk, and will be trimmed with gold bullion.

## GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

**The Very Latest News Crowded Into the Smallest of Space.**

The new str. America will be ready for running in a couple of week's time.

S. Carlos Hart, the oldest resident of Turin, N.Y., died Monday, aged ninety-nine years.

Miss Bess Beatty and Miss N. Toner, Gananoque, left for home after spending the holidays in the city.

Mr. Munro has a fine sample of gold ore which he found within twenty miles of the city. He says the vein is a rich one.

Sir R. Cartwright, W. Reid and J. H. Metcalfe, M.P., left for Ottawa to-day. They went from the city via the K. & P. P.

Yesterday Capt. T. Donnelly, steamboat inspector, and Mr. Thompson, boiler inspector, left for Lindsay on official business.

Forest fires did $200,000 damage in the Adriondacks during the past week. Yesterday a heavy rain extinguished the flames.

Lieut. Jas. Snyder, Durham field battery, is here to take a special course of instruction in a new drill in connection with artillery firing.

S. Roughton, agent of the Ontario Mutual Assurance Co., returned to-day after attending the annual meeting of his company at Waterloo.

The fight between Ryan and Smith, at Coney Island, was stopped by the police in the 19th round and the referee declared the battle a draw.

Miss Ireland died at the general hospital, Winnipeg, as a result of blood poisoning arising from an injury sustained on the journey from Ontario.

Frank Bacon, Stowell's Corners, N.Y., was nearly kicked to death by a horse he was leading to water. It kicked him viciously in the face. He will probably die.

G. Osborne returned yesterday from Sydney, Que., after an absence of several weeks. He went there on special business which is not ripe enough for the public yet.

The bronze statue of Dr. Chenier has arrived in Montreal, and application will be made to get the statue through the customs without paying the thirty per cent. duty.

Postmaster R. P. Davis, Hillsdale, Ont., has been arrested on the double charge of embezzlement from the government and setting fire to the post office to conceal the defalcation.

The body of Jay Davis was found in Sodus Bay, N.Y., yesterday. About forty boats are out searching the bay for Fisher's body. They have been missing nearly three weeks.

The trustee board of the Queen's avenue Methodist church, London, Ont., have extended a call to the Rev. Geo. Daniels, of Brandon, Man., as successor to the late Rev. Mr. Annis.

It is announced that King Oscar, Stockholm, will subscribe 30,000 konoirs towards M. Andre's project for reaching the north pole by balloon, thereby making the expedition a certainty.

Reports received by a Toledo firm, from every country in the six principal winter wheat producing states, indicate that there could not be more than half a crop of winter wheat this year.

A tremendous avalanche of rock has fallen from the Shwarz Moench mountain into the Laurebrunnen valley, destroying the entire forest on the slope of the mountain. No one was injured.

St. Patrick was an Englishman, if Dr. Nicholson, of the Bodleian library is right. He thinks he has found out from the tripartite life of the saint that he was born at Daventry near Northampton.

Mayor Wright is now riding a bicycle. Although a pretty heavy man he can propel the wheel at great speed. It is a little too late in the season, however, for the mayor to go into training for races.

In the English house of commons, yesterday, the government declined to adopt Mr. Vincent's suggestion that commercial travellers soliciting orders for American and continental firms should be licensed.

As the torpedo boat, built at the Germania wharf at Kiel, for the Turkish government, was making her trial trip to Eckernfoerde, the boiler exploded. Six of the crew were instantly killed and fourteen were mortally injured.

By placing the Madagascar expedition under the special protection of Joan of Arc, the archbishop of Aix has contrived an ingenious method for French Catholics disaffected to the government to reconcile their religion with their patriotism.

The republican leader in the Island of Formosa has cabled a salutation to the king of Spain and asks for protection. A fleet of Japanese warships has arrived at Tamusi, on the northwest coast of Formosa. Fighting is expected.

The work of getting a walk on the market square ready for asphalt has been very expensive. The edge stones have been straightened and put in position and the cost up to the present, reckoned by a mathematician, is 30c. per stone.

Corbett met Fitzsimmons in a New York saloon yesterday, and during a prolonged conference Corbett became angry and wanted to fight Fitzsimmons on the spot. It was agreed that Vendig should name the place and day of the big fight on July 1st.

A Scotch Mormon with his three wives arrived in Quebec on Sunday night. The American immigration commissioners, who had heard of his expressed intention of starting an establishment in the United States on patriarchal principles, refused him permission to cross the line.

Tommy Heafle fell from the balloon and met a terrible death at a St. Louis pleasure resort. He wanted to go up, but was refused permission. Then, as the balloon ascended, he seized the netting and went aloft. When up 700 feet he let go and was picked up a shapeless mass.

### Lattimer Laconics.

LATIMER, May 27.—Farmers are rejoiced at the rainfall of last night. Vegetables had suffered severely from frost, and the different grains, owing to a want of moisture, were making but little progress. A picnic to be held at the head of Loughboro lake, under the direction of the Patrons of Industry, is talked of. Mr. and Mrs. Keown, Perth road, met with a serious accident. In coming down Hugheson hill the horse left the road and both occupants were thrown out. Mrs. Keown had two ribs broken and other injuries. Mr. Keown received a bad scalp wound. The buggy (a new one) was shattered. Nothing but the wheels was left.

Mrs. S. Lynn has returned from the hospital improved in health. Claud Chadwick had during the week past a slight attack of diphtheria but is quite recovered. Sadie Sherman is also ill with a sore throat but is improving. The many friends of Richard Horning regret to hear of the injuries he received by the running away of his horse. Visitors:—Mrs. Turner, of Kingston, at Mrs. Collings'; Miss Devens, at her sister's, Mrs. Sherman; Mrs. Brainard, of Boonville, N.Y., at Mr. Gordon's.

### A Little Boy Drowned.

PETERBORO, May 28.—On May 24th, Richard Sanderson and his family were picnicking on the river below the locks, and, after lunch, the party went up to the locks to see a steamer pass, not noticing that the little boy, eight years old, did not accompany them. Diligent search was at once made for the missing lad in the vicinity, and parties have been dragging the river ever since, but no trace of the boy has been found. There is no doubt now that the lad fell into the water or was swept down the stream by the swift current.

### Committed For Trial.

LONDON, May 28.—Mendal Howard, arrested on April 30th, on the charge of having in his possession a quantity of engraved plates and other material for forging notes, was to-day committed for trial without bail.

## ELOPED WHILE HE SLEPT.

### CARRIE LOCKE THE HEROINE OF A ROMANTIC EPISODE.

**Took the Man She Loved—Her Clergyman Suitor, Although a Guest, Was Cruelly Deserted—Exit From a Chamber Window Early In the Morning.**

DOZENS of tongues have been wagging all over Matilda and Edwardsburg, and in Iroquois and Cardinal as well, on account of an episode at Brinston's Corners last week. It was nothing less than an old-fashioned elopement, says the Iroquois News, with all the ingredients that go to make a 200 page story. Stern parents, a disappointed suitor, a stealing away in the night by window and ladder, a drive through the darkness, none of these familiar yet ever novel features were lacking. A special piquancy is given by the fact that the suitor who didn't suit her, was a guest in the young lady's home at the time of the elopement spent the evening in her company, and retired in the blissful expectation that he would in a few weeks lead her to the altar. The prominence of the disappointed one heightened the public interest. The heroine of the episode, was Miss Carrie Locke, the only daughter of James Locke, of Brinston's Corners, and not long ago she was a pupil at the Iroquois high school. She is a very pretty and attractive young women about eighteen years of age. For several years she has had a faithful admirer in the person of Rev. Arthur Mills, the well-known young clergyman. Mr. Mills graduated with honors from college this spring, and he is soon to be fully ordained. His home is in Kemptville. He is a talented preacher and a man of means. Last summer he occupied for a couple of months the pulpit of one of the principal churches in Ottawa, and made a very favorable impression. Naturally he was the admirer, whose suit was encouraged by the young lady's parents, and not long since it was definitely announced that their marriage would take place early in June, and preparations were in progress for the wedding.

But the fair one had other admirers, and foremost among these was John Jackson, a handsome young salesman in Mills' branch store. He was no less persistent in his wooing than the clergyman, but he labored under the disadvantage of having his suite discountenanced by the maiden's parents. Not, however, by the girl herself, and some time ago, on account of Mr. Jackson's attentions, the engagement to Mr. Mills was nearly broken off. An apparent reconciliation was effected, however, and preparations for the wedding went forward. The denouncement came Thursday night or Friday morning of last week, when about 3 a. m., Mr. Jackson procured a ladder, clambered to the window of his beloved's chamber, and carried down his bride and her trousseau. They drove to Iroquois, reaching here about an hour later, procured a license, and drove on to Cardinal and were united there at five o'clock in the morning. Then they proceeded for a trip to Ottawa.

Rev. A. Mills is known to many in Kingston.

## SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

**What the Lovers of Games and General Sports Are Doing.**

SECRETARY Bates, of the Kingston kennel association, does not see why the Midland central fair could not set aside an allowance of $200 or $300 for a bench show during September. The fair falls on dates so that Kingston would be in the circuit of bench shows and would catch a great many dogs from a distance. A meeting of the association will probably be held to consider this matter.

G. McKay, of this city, will take part in the bicycle races at Gananoque.

Harley Davidson will try to break Canadian records for some distance from one to five miles at Peterboro during the season.

A game of cricket will be played to-morrow morning on the military college campus between a team from Picton and the R.M.C. cadets.

A programme of sports has been arranged for July 1st in Newboro. Horse and bicycle races will be the chief attractions. Newboro has many swift horses in training and no doubt they will make a good showing on that day.

The Kingston club, bicyclists, met Mr. Austin, of the Belleville Intelligencer, and made arrangements for the relay race between Kingston and Belleville. It will occur on June 10th. The two clubs will meet in Napanee in a few days and arrange details.

### To Join in the Race.

BUFFALO, N.Y., May 27.—The following entries for the Martin road race to be run on decoration day were received yesterday: W. Devine, St. Thomas bicycle club, St. Thomas, Ont., Eb. Graves, Owls bicycle club, St. Catharines, Ont. Total entries up to date 219.

### Base Ball Results Yesterday.

The New York-Philadelphia and Pittsburg-Baltimore games at New York and Pittsburg, respectively, (the only national league games scheduled) were postponed on account of rain.

At Syracuse, exhibition game, Syracuse, 0; Cleveland, 2.

Eastern league—At Rochester, 5; Wilkesbarre, 9. At Buffalo, 1; Springfield, 6. At Toronto, 7; Providence, 6.

### Ornamental Work.

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