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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE FREEHOLD CITY PROPERTY.

Belonging to the Estate of the late George McMahon.

UNDER instructions received from the Executors of the late George McMahon, I will offer for sale by Public Auction at my Auction Rooms, Market Square, Kingston, on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of July Next, at 2 p.m., that very eligibly situated property on the west side of King street, immediately south of Miss Gildersleeve's residence, and being the southwesternmost third part of town lots 123 and 138, and having a frontage on King street of 46 ft. by a depth to the rear of 170 ft., more or less.

The buildings on the property consist of a Stone Dwelling and a Rough Cast Dwelling on King Street, a Frame Dwelling in rear, and offices. The property will be sold en block and may be viewed before the sale by intending purchasers. The Vendors to have the right to one bid. Terms: 10 per cent. down at time of sale, and the remainder in 30 days thereafter.

For further particulars and terms apply to Mr. James Agnew, Brock Street, City Building, Vendors' Solicitor or to Wm. Derry and George Lee Executors the Vendors.

WM. MURRAY, Auctioneer.

Kingston, 18th June, 1890.

SATURDAY'S EXCURSION.

STEAMER HERO TO CAMP GROUNDS

POPULAR PRICES:

FARE, 25 cents. TEA, 25 cents.

By taking this popular steamer excursionists will have ONE HOUR at the Camp Grounds or a ramble through the Islands. Leaves Gunn's Wharf SATURDAY NEXT at 2 p.m., sharp.

HEADQUARTERS 14th P.W.O. RIFLES.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS BY LT.-COLONEL SMITH, COMMANDING.

No. 1. THE BATTALION with Band, will PARADE at the Drill Shed on FRIDAY EVENING, 20th inst., at 7:30 for a march out. Uniform drill order.

2. The Battalion, with Band, will Parade at the Drill Shed on SUNDAY MORNING NEXT, the 22nd, at 9:45 sharp, to attend Divine Service in St. George's Cathedral. Uniform review order.

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NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that the Partnership heretofore existing between J. E. Hutcheson and A. E. M. Loscombe, under the name, style and firm of Hutcheson & Loscombe as Auctioneers, Commission Merchants, etc., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm must be paid to Mr. A. E. M. Loscombe, who alone is authorized to receive the same, and who will also pay the firm's out standing indebtedness.

J. E. HUTCHESON,
A. E. M. LOSCOMBE.

Kingston, June 16th, 1890.

I beg to notify the patrons of the late firm of Hutcheson & Loscombe that I will continue the Auction and Commission Business at the Old Stand, No. 63 Clarence Street, Opposite Custom House.

June 17th, 1890. A. E. M. LOSCOMBE.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the King ton Cotton Manufacturing Company (Limited) will be held at Company's Office on WEDNESDAY, the 23rd instant, at the hour of 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year and for general business.

And take notice that the said meeting will be made a special Meeting, for the purpose of confirming a By-Law passed by the Directors, reducing the number of Directors from nine to seven.

JOHN KINGHORN,
Kingston, 11th June, 1890. Sec.-Treas

$25 REWARD.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL PAY A REWARD OF TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS for information leading to the conviction of the man who, in a cowardly manner, assaulted him on the street on Monday evening.

He will be grateful also for a clue to the names of the four persons who accompanied the assailant.

GEORGE W. ROBINSON.

Kingston, June 18th, 1890.

CAUTION.

THE PUBLIC IS HEREBY CAUTIONED against the representations of a certain dealer of this city, who claims to be able to sell Heintzman Pianos.

THESE INSTRUMENTS CAN ONLY BE BOUGHT FROM THE UNDERSIGNED, who is the SOLE AGENT FOR THIS CITY.

JOHN M. SHERLOCK, JR.,
225 Princess Street.

FOR SALE BY TENDER

THAT RESIDENCE, NO. 74, situated at the Corner of Wellington and Earl Streets. The premises can be inspected by intending purchasers any day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tenders received by the undersigned up to TUESDAY, 24th inst.

JOHN McMAHON.

KEEP COOL.

LINEN COATS, LUSTRE COATS, THIN UNDERWEAR, STRAW HATS, Etc.

VERY CHEAP AT

J. R. RATTENBURY'S,

Opposite Windsor Hotel.

SUMMER COTTAGES TO RENT

ON THE RIVER ST. LAWRENCE, one-half mile from the city. One is furnished with seven rooms. One unfurnished with 4 rooms and kitchen. Apply to D. ROGERS, Front Road, Pittsburg.

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IF YOU WANT BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE GO TO E. C. BILL, Offord's Block, 115 Brock Street.

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FOR SALE, THE "LILAC" COTTAGE, 124 George street east, with garden well stocked with all kinds of fruit trees. Apply to SAMUEL R. HARPELL, owner, 135 Alfred Street.

IF YOU WANT A CHOICE BUILDING LOT from $130 up or a NEAT HOUSE, cheap, in any part of the city, call on J. S. R. McCANN, 139 Princess Street, next City Hotel.

GEORGE CLIFF, THE GENERAL REAL ESTATE AGENT, makes a specialty of taking care of estates, letting houses, collecting rents, buying and selling city properties. Parties wishing to buy or sell houses or lots should call at HEADQUARTERS FOR REAL ESTATE, OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

MONEY TO LEND.

AT LOWEST CURRENT RATES. Apply to WM. HUNDLEY, Barrister, 138 Princess-st (next City Hotel.

$100,000 TO LOAN ON EASY TERMS AND LOWEST RATES. Apply to E. C. BILL, 115 Brock street.

AT LOWEST CURRENT RATES. Apply to R. W. SHANNON, Barrister, King Street (next door to King's Drug Store.

AT LOWEST RATES OF INTEREST. Apply to McDONAGH & DENTTES, Barristers etc., King Street, near Market Square.

MONEY TO LOAN in large or small sums at low rates of interest, on City and Farm Property. Loans granted on City and County Debentures. Apply to Thomas Hanson, Manager, Frontenac Loan and Investment Society, Office Opposite the Post Office.

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MRS. COLTRANE, TEACHER OF PIANO FORTE AND SINGING. Apply at 128 Earl-st.

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LOST OR STRAYED.

ON SUNDAY, June 15th, A BROWN SPANIEL PUP, long ears, clipped head, about two months old. The finder will be liberally rewarded on returning it to MRS. STRATFORD, Princess street.

FOUND.

TUESDAY EVENING, near Orphans' Home, A SILVER WATCH. The owner can claim it at the Police Station by paying expenses and proving property.

THE PERSON WHO LEFT A GOLD RING on the counter in Horsey's Hardware House is requested to call, prove property, pay advertisements, and receive the ring. R. M. HORSEY & CO.

LOST.

ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT, or Thursday morning, A BROWN LEATHER LADY'S POCKET BOOK, containing a small sum of money. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at 218 Gordon Street.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, on cement walk, or on the short cut crossing the park, between Barrie and King streets, A LADY'S GOLD HALF HUNTER WATCH, with silver chain and locket attached. The finder will kindly leave at this office or COL. CAMERON'S, King street.

WANTED.

A COMPOSITOR AT WHIG OFFICE.

DINING ROOM GIRLS. Apply at the CITY HOTEL.

A SMART BOY AS CASHIER by RICHMOND, ORR & CO.

SCHOOLMASTER for Township, one who prefers lady charlotte guatice. Stipend $40.

TO LET.

HOUSE IN VAUGHAN TERRACE, No. 2, occupied by George Smith. Apply at WHIG Office.

STONE HOUSE, Corner of Sydenham and Queen streets, 11 rooms and bathroom. Apply 211 QUEEN STREET.

THE HOUSE AND GROUNDS at Prospect Hill, Divi on Street. Possession immediately. Apply to DONALD FRASER.

ONE WELL FURNISHED BEDROOM in a private family. Location desirable and convenient. Apply through this office.

ROOMS OVER WALSH & STACY'S Dry Goods Store, furnished or unfurnished. Apply to MISS RICHARDSON, Upstairs.

A FIRST-CLASS BEDROOM TO RENT at 120 Wellington Street; also a few TABLE BOARDERS can be accommodated.

BRICK HOUSE ON EARL STREET, opposite Chalmers Church. Possession May 1st. Apply to MRS. RENTON, 274 Earl Street.

NEW BRICK HOUSE, EARL STREET, in Earl Terrace, near Barrie Street. Apply to H. BARNEY, 32 Princess Street, or at 254 Earl Street.

A TWO STOREY NEW BRICK HOUSE on north side of Colborne street, 1st off Sydenham street; bathroom, extension kitchen. Apply to D. LYONS, Market Quare, or P. LYONS, 146 Ordnance street.

THE DESIRABLE STORE AND PREMISES, situated on Wellington Street, at present occupied by W. Vandewater as a musical instrument salesroom. Will lease whole premises, consisting of three flats, to suitable tenant, or will lease each flat separately. Possession August 15th. For further information apply to A. Y. BOYD, Gananoque.

FOR SALE.

VALUABLE BUILDING LOT, Corner of Division and Garratt streets. Apply to J. S. R. McCANN, 139 Princess street.

A NEAT STEAM YACHT, 22 x 5 : 18 H P Time 7 to 8 miles per hour. All complete. Apply to T. McAULEY, City Bookstore.

FOUR NEW, 7 roomed houses, extension kitchens, large yards, Albert and York streets, fifteen minutes walk from market square. Easy terms instalment plan. J.M. MACHAR, 38 Clarence street.

THREE LOTS ON VICTORIA STREET, south of Princess Street. Sell block lots or to be sold single or in block. Apply to W. POLLARD, Williamsville, or to George Cliff, Real Estate agent, Clarence street.

A DESIRABLE SINGLE DWELLING on the west side of Alfred street, near Earl; brick veneered; 4 bedrooms with bath and closet; also 4 rooms on ground flat; good cellar, with all modern improvements. Terms easy. Apply to A. McCARTNEY, 248 Gordon street.

TO LET OR FOR SALE.

THAT FINE BRICK RESIDENCE, seven rooms; outbuildings, soft and hard water. Pine street; $1,100. Frame dwelling adjoining, soft and hard water, $750. Both are bargains. Apply to CHARLES DAVID, on the premises.

THAT DETACHED HOUSE, situated on King street west, fronting the lake at present occupied by Rev. G. E. Cruwright. Possession 1st May next. For particulars apply to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS, Solicitors, Ontario-st.

THAT LARGE COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, known as "The Parsonage," Barriefield, at present occupied by the Rev. K. L. Jones. There is a large garden, plentifully supplied with fruit; good barn and stable, ice house, well and cistern. Possession July 1st. Apply to DR. GARRETT, 92 Johnson-st., Kingston.

SPECIAL MENTION.

A. GOODRICH, LAWYER, 121 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill. 25 years' successful practice; advice free; no publicity. Special facilities in many states.

LADIES, HAVE YOUR LACE CURTAINS RENOVATED at Montgomery's Dye Works in new process. He will make them equal to new. Finest shades and standing colors guaranteed. Best of references granted. R. MONTGOMERY, Practical Dyer.

Rev. Dr. Carry's Sermon.

Last evening a most impressive sermon was delivered in All Saints' church, Division street, by Rev. J. Carry, D.D., of Port Perry. Evensong was fully choral. Revs. Rural Dean Baker, C. P. Emory, W. Roberts, G. J. Low and J. M. V. King took part in the procession, along with the full choir and rector. The altar was tastefully decorated and upheld two five-branched candlesticks. There was a large and attentive congregation, among which was a goodly number of the members of synod. Rev. G. J. Low read the first lesson, and Rev. J. M. V. King the second. It was much to be regretted that the learned preacher was suffering from a severe cold. But his sermon, from Solomon vi., 13, was in his own clear, practical and exhaustive style, and entirely free from all histrionic addition of voice or gesture, yet it impressed the hearts and convinced the minds of all. It also showed the power of thought and deep learning of the preacher, who is not inaptly called the "Littledale of Canada." The collection was for the building fund of All Saints'.

The Craft Righted.

Yesterday afternoon the schooner Jessie Brock was righted off Garden Island and towed to the island. In her deck was found shells and other articles belonging to the vessel. She is a hard looking wreck. The only thing gone that is of any value is the tow line, and it is expected it will yet be found. All the steering gear was found on the deck in its proper position. She will be fitted out for sea again.

Always a Failure.

She could figure to a fraction the exact mathematic action of each prismatic shading down to infinite det.ail;

Her taste was undisputed and 'twas everywhere reputed that in color combinations she was never known to fail;

She'd expend upon a ribbon all the energy of Gibbon, and to her a simple threading would transform the face of day;

In the art of woman's dressing she was great beyond expressing; but she bought her hub a necktie and he fainted dead away.

Police Court—Thursday.

Walter Compton, drunk, fined $1 and costs or ten days in gaol. The case against John O'Shea, for assault, was adjourned until Monday.

Everyone

Admires white teeth and everyone can have them by using Dyer's Aromatic Tooth Paste. Try it. Druggists keep it. W. A. Dyer & Co., Montreal.

The People's Favorite.

Our picnic hams, 11c; roll bacon, 11c; raspberry jam, 15c. Jas. Crawford.

The contract for the building of the new Presbyterian church at Gilesville has been given to James Walker, and arrangements will be made for the laying of the corner stone on Dominion day.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

North to west winds, fair weather, stationary or little lower temperature.

PROBABILITIES ARE

YOU DO WANT

PITTED PLUMS, 15 cts.

PITTED CHERRIES, 20 cts. lb.

JAMES CRAWFORD.

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LEADING UNDERTAKER & EMBALMER 231 PRINCESS STREET, Corner Sydenham street. Telephone communication.

REMINDERS.

THURSDAY.

COURT Frontenac, I.O.F., meet.

FRIDAY.

PARADE of 14th Bat. at 7:30 p.m.

JAMES REID,

THE LEADING UNDERTAKER, PRINCESS STREET.

DIED.

PURDY.—In Storrington, on June 18th, Marshall Gilbert Purdy.

The funeral will occur from his late residence on Friday, June 20th, at ten o'clock to Cataraqui cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

GORRIE.—At Cataraqui, June 19th, Joseph Gorrie, sr., aged 79 years.

Funeral will take place to-morrow (Friday) afternoon at one o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

W. M. DRENNAN,

THE UNDERTAKER, 75 PRINCESS STREET. Open day and night.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Newsy Paragraphs Picked Up by Our Reporters In Their Rambles.

Crawford's dried apricots.

What was the bell tolling for?

The electric lights burn all night.

Scour your tinware with Ivory Bar Soap.

Gas for stoves is $1 per thousand cubic feet.

The cheapest gents' furnishings at B. Silver's.

The steamer Celtic will carry the light-house supplies this year.

Miss Lizzie Chown, Kingston, is the guest of the Misses Trebilcock, London.

The Kingston cricketers will have a contest with the Belleville club shortly.

Excursion next Saturday down the river, on the Maud, at two o'clock. Tickets, 35 cents.

Rev. G. S. White, of Augusta, is in the city on a brief visit. He is welcomed by many.

Rev. Mr. Laing attends a meeting of the Baptist association in Carleton Place next week.

The Sons of England, of Belleville, will run an excursion to Kingston and Thousand Islands of July 23rd.

Satisfy your curiosity by one trial of B. Silver's good and cheap clothing

It is stated that by going to the *Globe* Mr. Edward Farrer obtains an increase in salary from $3,400 to $5,000.

Now that the hot weather has set in it is in order to have gas stoves connected.

The prop. Wilhelm and consorts passed Fort Dalhousie yesterday from Chicago to Kingston with corn.

Perfectly dry slabs and edgings at Crawford's wood and coal yard, foot Queen street.

General Aspinwall's family are expected at Sharbot Lake on the 20th to spend the season at their cottage.

Just arrived, twenty-five dozen job kid gloves, worth $1.15, will be sold for 75c at R. D. Baker's, King street.

Rev. R. Rayson presided at the organ in All Saints' church last evening. He manipulated the keys with much grace.

Next month a grand celebration will be held in the Midland central fair grounds under the auspices of St. Patrick's society.

California apricots and peeled peaches. J. Crawford.

Rev. F. B. Stratton, who will minister in Grace church, Trenton, for the next three years, is much improved since his late illness.

Go to James Campbell's for slabs, edgings and shingle wood, perfectly dry; sawed wood, one or two cuts, and all of the best quality.

While working on Mack street yesterday one of the cog wheels of the steam roller was broken. It will have to be replaced by a new one.

The bonus for the Brockville and Westport railway, voted on Tuesday in North Crosby, was lost. The majority against it was ninety four.

Ask your grocer for Ivory Bar Soap and insist upon getting it.

Six hundred yards wire paintings arrived at the "Star Wardrobe," $3 25, or two pairs for $5. O'Brien & Howland, corner King and Princess streets.

Adamant wall plaster will hold fire in check when it is used behind bastings and other woodwork. W. I. Jones & Son, agents, Princess street.

The toughs around town missed a great feast last night. A man under the influence of liquor was taken to the police station and on his person was found $225.

The other evening while standing on Princess street a young man, named Hopkirk, was assaulted by a man whom he did not know. He struck Hopkirk a stunning blow in the face.

Heaps of cheap clothing arriving every day at B. Silver's.

On Tuesday an exciting horse race took place at Brockville between "Island Belle," of Brockville, and "Frank L," Gananoque. The latter won the race by taking the first, second and fourth heats. The purse was $200.

Raspberries, cherries, plums, the finest California fruit. Jas Crawford.

Be sure and visit the "Pharmacy," Princess street, and see the new fountain and test the delicious soda water taken from it. Telephone No 243. W. J. Wilson.

The synod of Toronto and Kingston reported to the Presbyterian assembly that the chief forms of Sabbath breaking were pleasure walking, driving, boating, social visiting, liquor drinking, gambling, work in railway yards, on railway trains and excursions.

Peter Davis, for murderously swinging a mop over his wife's head, was fined $10 and costs or 30 days at Belleville. The scaffold is up. Yesterday two sisters and a brother-in-law of the unfortunate man bade him a final farewell, which was an affecting scene. His father visited him last week. Davis will confess, it is said.

Steamyacht Vega for hire by the week, day or hour. Pleasure and fishing parties a specialty. Apply at Folger's ticket office, foot of Brock street.

Referring to the rescue of Mr. Mudie's little son from the water we have just learned that it was Master Paul Barry, fourteen years old, who took him out of the water. He is the oldest son of Rev. Chaplain Barry, U. S. army, and is here on a visit. This is the second boy he has rescued from the water since he came.

The gas company have now on hand a fine assortment of gas stoves.

The policemen would do well to give the old burying ground and vicinity some attention while they are on patrol. The grave yard is the scene of revelling and drunken brawling night and day. Several people who live near the premises have been so much annoyed of late that they are seeking houses in more quiet parts of the city.

Gold medals awarded in Canada, Philadelphia, Australia and Paris to Labatt's London ale. It has no equal in Ontario. Now sold at the price of ordinary ales at McFarland's. Try it.

Alds. Wilson and W. Robinson and Ald. Law are ruminating on islands in Sharbot Lake. They have planted gardens and their crops promise to be heavy. They say the potatoes have been interferred with by crows and black birds, which have pulled up a number of drills and carried off the potatoes. The Kingstonians intend to feature to watch for the depredators and shoot them on the spot.

Crawford's pitted cherries, 15c.

DIOCESE OF ONTARIO.

THE REPORTS WERE HUSHED IN YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.

A Discussion as to the Seniority of Various Clergymen—Was the Superannuation Properly Done—The Amount of Funds There Are on Hand.

The afternoon session on Wednesday was opened by Rev. Mr. Carey reading the report of the clergy trust fund committee. The capital is $262,916.24; income, $16 694, 36. There was paid to annuitants, $14,339.22; expenses, $1,032 01. The arrears of interest due and unpaid amount to $2,175. 99; one mortgage, the Cahill, is in suit the amount of interest due being $822.30. The estimated revenue for the year is $15,289 90, and the expenditure $14,515 61; the claims of the Rev. S. Tighe to be placed as the next annuitant of the fund was referred last November to a sub-committee. This committee failed to report and was reappointed with the substitution of the name of the Hon. George A. Kirkpatrick for that of R. T. Walkem. The committee was requested to report to an adjourned meeting of the committee before the session of the synod. The committee after a painstaking investigation reported against the position taken by Mr. Tighe and confirmed the position of Rev. J. H. Simpson as next annuitant on the fund. But as there is not sufficient balance the committee recommend that no additional names be added.

Rev. Mr. Tighe stated his claim to be placed in connection with the clergy commutation fund in place of Rev. Mr. Simpson, who, in point of seniority, is entitled to be placed on the list. Mr. Simpson entered the ministry in the year 1866 and served for fourteen years. His name was on the rolls of the synod part of the time, and he was superannuated for many years. He had to retire because he was physically, if not mentally, incapable of discharging his duties. In 1887 he was made a pensioner by the mission board. Since that time he has received $200 per annum. Mr. Simpson was not a resident in the diocese and is not doing any duty in it. The speaker said he stated his case to the committee of legal gentlemen, and these men only touched upon one point in his claim. If Mr. Simpson's position on the list of annuitants was sustained, he and Rev. Mr. Garrett, who followed, would not be dealt with justly. No doubt if Mr. Simpson was placed upon the list, without applying, he would be astonished. The speaker had been twenty-three years in the diocese of Ontario, and had been thirty-two years a clergyman, and never been under ecclesiastical censure. He did not come before the synod to seek special favor, but he desired fair consideration. The synod should remedy the matter. He did not think that Mr. Simpson could prove that he was superannuated. The speaker characterized the matter as a tremendous moral injustice.

It was moved by Mr. Tighe, in amendment to the report, to have the report referred back, with instructions to have the name of Rev. S. Tighe placed on the list instead of Rev. Mr. Simpson.

Rev. Mr. Hannington moved in amendment to the amendment that the clause referred to be struck out of the report and the matter referred to the executive committee with power to take evidence and the pleadings of parties interested, or their counsel, and act in accordance therewith.

Rev. Mr. Carey asked the bishop to state what relation Mr. Simpson held to the synod.

His lordship said Mr. Simpson was a member of the synod and was superannuated because he was suffering from an infirmity which rendered him unfit for service. He superannuated him by letter, the only way he knew of superannuating anyone. He was entitled to take precedence of Mr. Tighe. However he was willing to allow the matter to be referred to superior minds, but he thought such a precedure would put matters in a bad shape because he had superannuated other clergymen in a similar way.

The question to be decided seemed to be as to whether Mr. Simpson was superannuated. The speakers in the discussion were Rev. Mr. Bogart, Dr. Smythe, Rev. Mr. Garrett and Rev. Mr. Carey.

Rev. Mr. Hannington's amendment to the amendment was lost by five votes.

Rev. Mr. Bogart said that as there were two vacancies in the clergy commutation fund Rev. Mr. Tighe should be placed on the list of annuitants as soon as there was sufficient funds to guarantee the addition of their names.

Rev. Mr. Tighe's amendment was lost and the report was adopted.

E. J. B. Pense read the report of the see house committee, pointing out that a house and grounds had been purchased for the bishop. Mr. Pense said the citizens of Kingston would place $4,000 towards the building fund, and the committee wanted the diocese to give $2,000 and enable it to make its first payment. The total cost of the property will be $12,000. Adopted.

Rev. Mr. Nesbitt urged the lay delegates to bring the matter before the parishioners.

Judge Macdonald read the report of the committee on deceased members of the synod. References was made to the late Rev. W. Bleasdell, Trenton, Rev. F. Prime, Kingston, Rev. F. L. Stephenson, Brockville, and Rev. Stuart Foster. Adopted.

Dr. Mountain presented the financial report of the canonry in Cornwall. The receipts were $126 66; expenditure, $112.93, leaving a balance of $13.72. Adopted.

Rev. Mr. Loucks presented the Episcopal trust fund committee's report. The present invested capital of the fund amounts to $58,674.57; total income from interest, $3,282.40; estimated expenditure, bishop's stipend, $3,200; expenses re investment, $22; total, $3,222; surplus, $60.40. Adopted.

Rev. Mr. Spencer submitted the report of the clergy superannuation fund committee. Receipts from collections, $717.44; interest, $214.50, and deducting expenses the fund amounts to $3,512.46

Rev. Mr. Carey presented the report of the rectory lands fund committee. Capital of fund, $219,341 45. This is larger this year than last because the Belleville rectory land and three of the Watkins' bequest funds have been added to the capital. Changes in capital show receipts $12,754.13, arising from investments. The amount received is $14,136, leaving a balance on April 30th of $220 45, as against $1,611.32 on 30th April, 1889. The interest account shows receipts $11,317.01; rents, $2,514 89. The payments to the clergy, including $15 60 transferred to capital, was $14,553 89. Expenses, $918, leaving the debit balance on April 30th, $5,355 68, as against $1,715.72 on April 30th, 1889. Against the overdraft there is interest due and unpaid on April 30th, amounting to $4,470 89, being considerably greater than twelve months ago. The estimated income of the investments, $13,054.89; estimated expenditure, $12,370.50, leaving a margin of $184. The net sum paid the rectors and beneficiaries during the last half year amounted to 5½ per cent. on the capital. Owing to decrease in the rate of interest the committee feared that the rate cannot be maintained.—Adopted.

Rev. Mr. Bogart submitted the report of the widows and orphans fund committee. On April 30th the capital of the fund amounted to $26 251.02; arrears of interest, $198 50, making a total capital of $26,449. 52, an increase over last year of $1,227 43. The subscriptions of the clergy, together with one commutation for life membership, amounted to $460. Income from investments, $1,660.14; estimated income, $2,985; estimated expenditure, $2,980. There are twelve widows who draw $2,400, and orphans receive $403. Adopted.

Ven. Archdeacon Bedford-Jones submitted the report of the committee on domestic and foreign missions. Last year $4,666 18 passed through the treasurer's hands. This year the amount is $4,817.20.

To these sums the women's auxiliary association contributed last year $1,153 62; this year they will contribute $1,449, showing a total of $6,266, compared with $5,819 80 last year. Of this sum $1,623.46 was contributed by the rural deanery of Carleton, and $1,209 76 by the rural deanery of Frontenac, or over two-thirds of the total fund. Reference was made to the excellent work done by the children in the cause of missions.

Rev. R. H. Smith presented reports of the book and tract and library committees. The value of stock in charge of the tract committee, $928.80; book debts, $268.94; cash on hand, $3 13; liabilities, $909.9; balance, $301.42

The committee on libraries reported that $100 had been received from Mrs. E. P. Crawford, Hamilton; S.P.C. publications had been received from the old country, through the bishop; contributions had been received from Archdeacon Jones, Mrs. Jones, Rev. J. G. Low and Rev. T. W. Barry. Both reports were adopted.

Rev. Mr. Pollard presented the report of the committee on Sunday schools. It stated that the number of teachers were 901; scholars, 9,150.

Rev. Mr. Tighe presented the report of the finance committee. This report recommended that the following parishes be placed in class VII: Calabogie, Cataraqui, Petawawa and Matawa; that life policies on which premiums are now paid be handed over to the sustentation fund, and that all future premiums be charged to said fund; that the clerical secretary order 400 copies of journal of synod for 1890. The report of the assessment showed a deficit in May of $987 04. Adopted.

Rev. Mr. Bogart presented the report of the committee on wine for holy communion, recommending St. Augustine wine, Canadian brand, as the best article to use at services.

Rev. G. L. Worrell introduced the report of the Divinity students' fund committee. There were during the year four students who received $500. Two of these were admitted to holy orders. Two exhibitions, amounting to $213, were returned to the fund. Receipts, $536; expenditure, $747; capital, $5,850; liabilities, $813 60; estimated revenue, $293; estimated expenditure, $267, showing a deficit of $74.

Dr. Henderson presented the report on memorials, which recommended that the memorials presented at the morning session, be granted, with the exception of Trenton, upon which no action was taken.

At the synod this morning there was a long discussion over the confirmation of the revised canons. It was moved, after much debate, that a clause in the canon which deprived clergymen from sitting or voting in synod until the assessment was paid, be struck out. This was done.

Chancellor Henderson's second notice of motion was considered. It reads that the said canons, together with the acts of parliament which have any bearing on ecclesiastical matters in this diocese be printed, and offered for sale at a price sufficient to cover cost of publication. Carried.

Registrar Shannon's report stated that the following clergymen were named for other dioceses: Rev. J. J. S. Mountain, D.C.L., incumbent of Mountain Mmorials church, Cornwall; Rev. F. W. Lynn, from diocese of Toronto. Rev. John Partridge, Pakenham, left the diocese in October, 1889, and the Rev. R. D. Mills, December, 1889. The parish registers received were enumerated. Ordination, deaths and changes in the diocese were stated. Adopted.

The synod adjourned for the election of members of the provincial synod and mission boards.

DOWN AT THE DRY DOCK.

The Way Things Look There—Ready for the Ceremony.

A year ago last month the first sod, in connection with the building of the Kingston dry dock, was lifted. At that time it was not thought, even by the contractors, that the public would be called upon so soon to witness the laying of the first stone. The work of excavation has been rapidly carried forward by Mr. Connolly. When the dock was commenced the ground looked desolate, but to-day every thing seemed to have life in it. All around are large heaps of stone which have been gotten out of the excavation. This rock will not be useless either. It will come in very handy when the filling in of the side walls is started. All the stone for the dock has been quarried at Belleville. The stone to be laid to-day by Sir John is known as the "first stone," and is the first stone in the keel block course. It is of limestone, six feet long, three feet deep and three feet ten inches wide. Its weight is somewhat over six tons. The name of the stone cutter is Edward Depatty. All the stones in the keel block are about the same size as the first stone.

On looking at the dock floor it will be noticed that underlying the concrete are six drains made of two inch plank and perforated at the sides with two inch holes and surrounded with about six inches of Portsoue concrete. The object of these drains is to draw all the water off the dock floor. Above these drains is one and a half feet of rich Portland cement concrete and on this is laid stone three feet and two half feet in thickness. The stone laid to-day, though it is the first stone laid, yet it is the last stone in the keel block which runs through the dock from end to end. The dimensions of the dock are 280 feet on floor; 40 feet wide on floor and 80 feet wide at coping. In connection with the dock will be a rudder well, the entrance 24 ft. long, 2 ft. 6 in. wide, and 12 ft. deep. This is to enable vessels to ship rudders before leaving the dock. This is an improvement to the dock designed by Mr. Perley, chief engineer of the department of public works, Ottawa. At the head of the dock will be stone stairs for the purpose of the men in going down to work. A timber slide will also be made in order to let down timber to be used for repairing vessels. The dam will not be taken away until the dock is finished.

Since the advent of Mr. Connolly in the city good work has been done. No strikes have occurred. The only labor employed outside of Kingston was that which could not be avoided. Mr. Connolly has superintended the building of all the dry docks in Canada, except the one at Halifax, and every one has proved satisfactory.

A handsome silver trowel has been secured for presentation to the amateur mason. It was appropriately inscribed by Spangenburg as follows:

"Presented
to
RIGHT HON. SIR JOHN A. MACDONALD, G.C.B.,
Premier of Canada,
and
Member
for the
City of Kingston,
on the occasion of laying the
FIRST STONE
of the
KINGSTON DRY-DOCK
June 19 h. A. D. 1890,
N. K. & M. Connolly, Contractors."

At the entrance to the dock is a large arch made of evergreens with the letter U in the centre and the letters M and L on each side, meaning Victoria, Macdonald and Langevin. All the decorations have been made under the supervision of George Perley, who has left nothing undone to make the dock look beautiful.

J. L. Whiting, president of the reform association, will propose the health of Sir John at the banquet this evening.

Mayor Drennan appeared to day in full regimentals, as he is on active duty. About his neck was hung the gold chain—the insignia of civic office. This is the first time that a soldier has filled the office of mayor.

Fred Cook, Ottawa correspondent of the *Empire*, is in the city to represent that journal. The *Mail* has also a special reporter.

The Late M. G. Purdy, Storrington.

To-day (Wednesday) Marshall G. Purdy, of the township of Storrington, passed to rest. He had been ailing all spring, but felt a little better last night. However, early this morning he was found in an unconscious state, undoubtedly the result of a stroke of paralysis, from which he failed to recover, dying at two o'clock.

Deceased was a well known farmer and a man in good circumstances. He was a son of the late Jesse Purdy, of Kingston township, and brother of R. G. Purdy. The deceased was married many years ago to Miss Atcheson, formerly of Wolfe Island. No children survive. Mr. Purdy was a churchman and devoted in attendance and aid to Christ church, Cataraqui. The funeral occurs on Friday.

Had No Experience.

The life of the synod is Archdeacon Lauder, of Ottawa. He is humorous and very witty. He appreciates a joke and can give one with a great deal of effect. While speaking about la grippe yesterday some of the clergymen present smiled, and noticing their hilarity, he said: "If the gentlemen who laugh at the mention of la grippe had had any experience with it they would not be so jovial." This remark brought down the house.

THE PRESSMEN WELCOME

THEY DESCENDED ON KINGSTON WITH A RUSH.

The Freedom of the City Was Conferred on Them And They Were Made to Feel They Were Welcome—A List of the Visitors—Sorry They Could Not Stay Longer.

The New York state press association descended on Kingston to-day and were warmly received. This body has been holding its thirty fourth annual convention at Alexandria Bay, which it reached on Tuesday evening by special train to Clayton, thence by steamer Islander. The business session was held on Wednesday. Thursday was set apart for pleasuring and Friday for the return trip. The party met a hearty welcome to the Isles, for the association did much to make them popular. A few who loved the sports of rod and gun had long before known and annually visited them, but when the editors in 1872, after their excursion, spread more widely descriptions of summer delights they brought the first boom to the now famous resort. Its growth in reputation and patronage has fully warranted the confidence of its old friends of the quill.

The Personnel of the Party.

W. J. Allen, Adams Journal.
W. W. Ames, De Ruyter Gleaner.
Charles T. Andrews, Seneca Falls Courier.
J. R Anderson, Randolph Courant.
E. D. Blodgett, Cortland Standard.
F. Bodine, Walden Times.
G. D. A. Bridgman, Canandaigua Journal.
R. Brockway, H. A. Brockway, C. E. Cole, W. D. McKinstry, Watertown Times.
A. O. Bunnell, Dansville Advertiser.
E. F. Bussey, Phelps Citizen.
E. H. Butler, Buffalo News.
H. R. Bryan, Hudson Republican.
C. C. Brown, Corning Democrat.
William H. Clark, Cortland Standard.
Norman Cole, Glens Falls Messenger.
W. F. Cook, Canajoharie Courier.
Jere Coughlin, Watertown Herald.
J. W. Darrow, Chatham Courier.
W. D. Davis, Schenectady Union.
H. A. Dudley, Warsaw New Yorker.
H. J. Eggleston, Flatbush Gazette.
D. S Ellicott, Mt. Morris Union.
L. W. Ferenbaugh, Watkins Herald.
W. R. Fitch, Lowville Times.
I. A. Forte, Clyde Times.
F. B. Garrett, Syracuse Courier.
G. K. Gillully, Brooklyn Times.
C. H. Grose, E. F. Grose, Ballston Spa Journal.
J. B Guilford, Elmira Advertiser.
W. B. Green, Brooklyn Eagle.
J. G. P. Holden, Yonkers Gazette.
H. Huntington, Canandaigua Messenger.
F. H. Hurd, Medina Tribune.
M. E. Hagadorn, Salmanca Republican.
T. P. Hause, Farmer Village Review.
J. B. Hoff, Union Springs Advertiser.
H. S. Hull, Bath Courier.
F. W. Hyde, Jamestown Journal.
C. N. Ironside, New York Star.
Marc D. Johnson, Randolph Register.
W. W. Jones, Far Rockaway Journal.
H. J. Knapp, Auburn Advertiser.
E. C. Livingston, Babylon Budget.
Henry Livingston, Babylon Signal.
A. MacArthur, C. L. MacArthur, Troy Budget.
L. McKinstry, Fredonia Censor.
C. S. Munger, Herkimer Citizen.
Archie McLean, Sinclairville Commercial.
F. S. Miller, Canaseraga Times.
H. J. Niles, Springwater Enterprise.
G. M. Proper, Jefferson Courier.
G. B. Raynor, Hempstead Sentinel.
Harvey Ross, Gloversville Standard.
D. A. Rowe, Tarrytown Press.
C. K. Sanders, Nunda News.
G. M. Shull, Mt.