BISCUITS, BISCUITS

Pastry and Cakes,

In large varieties. A few of

Morton's Chedder Cheese!

Make of 1874—very fine, at either of our Stores.

H. & W. J. Crothers.

Wellington St. and Market Square.

July 27, 1875.

Ten Sacks Java Coffee Just Received.

LEMONS, LEMONS, LEMONS—at the Italian Warehouse.

10 CASES NEW SARDINES just arrived at the Italian Warehouse.

20 SACKS FRESH NUTS—Almonds, Walnuts, Fillberts, Brazil, Pecans, &c.

SPANISH ONIONS, SPANISH ONIONS—to arrive. Leave your orders at the

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WM. BECG & CO.,

Wholesale & Retail Grocers

BROCK STREET, KINGSTON.

Aug 13, 1875.

BASE BALLS,

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Ryan's Professional Dead Balls

JUST RECEIVED AT

M. Kirkpatrick's Fancy Store,

OPPOSITE THE ALBION HOTEL, PRINCESS STREET, KINGSTON.

Aug 9, 1875

A CARD.

THE undersigned begs to inform the public that he has this day retired from business as wholesale and retail Confectioner, &c., and will be succeeded by a new Firm, ANDERSON & CO., whom he recommends to the favourable notice of the public.

DAVID ANDERSON.

August 16th, 1875.

IN reference to the above we beg respectfully to give notice that we intend carrying on the business of WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CONFECTIONERS, &c., as carried on by Mr. David Anderson, at the OLD STAND, Ontario Street, adjoining the Piano Factory, and respectfully ask for a share of public patronage, which we hope to merit by strict attention to business, combined with moderate charges.

J. HARKNESS,
JOSEPH D. ANDERSON.

Kingston, August 16, 1875.

Wanted,

A FEMALE TEACHER holding a Third class certificate, for School section No. 4, Storrington. Apply to

JOHN L. SEARS,
Sec and Treas.

Battersea P.O., Aug. 12th, 1875.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

A Large Stock of School Books always kept on hand,

—AT—

Henderson's Bookstore,

PRINCESS STREET.

More New Books.

BLUE BELL, a Canadian Society Novel—by Mrs. J. C. Huddleston. Paper, price 75 cents.

What Will the World Say—by Charles Gibbon. Price, cloth $1, paper 75c.

The Outlaw and other Tales of Romance, Adventure and Sentiment. Price only 20cts.

AT HENDERSON'S
Bookstore.

The New Magazines

Bow Pells for September,
Lvery Month do
Leisure Hour for August,
Sunday at Home do
Sunday Magazine, do
Good Words do
London Journal, do
Chamber's do do
&c., &c.

Just Received per Steamship Scandinavian.

AT HENDERSON'S

BOOKSTORE,

PRINCESS STREET.

Aug 13, 1875

FRESH BUNS!

COCOA NUT CAKE!

(SOMETHING NEW.)

Ice Cream and Cakes

CONSTANTLY ON HAND,

AT EDWARDS.'

Aug 2nd, 1875.

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PEARS,
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TOMATOES,
MELONS,
APRICOTS,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL AT THE

BAZAAR.

REES BROS.,

MANUFACTURING CONFECTIONERS.

159 Princess Street.

Aug 19, 1875.

LOOK OUT

FOR THE

ORANGEMEN'S

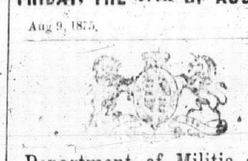
Grand Annual Excursion & PicNic

TO AMHERST ISLAND,

—ON—

FRIDAY, THE 27th OF AUGUST.

Aug 9, 1875.



Department of Militia and DEFENCE.

TENDERS will be received until noon on the 14th day of SEPTEMBER, 1875, for the supply of

FORAGE CAPS!

Also for the manufacture from Government Cloth of such

Jackets, Trousers and Great Coats.

As may be required for Militia purposes during the years of 1875-6.

Patterns may be seen and further information will be given on application.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any Tender.

W. POWELL,
Colonel, Adjutant-General of Militia.

Ottawa, August 16, 1875.

NOTICE.

Kingston & Pembroke Railway Co.

THE DIRECTORS having resolved to issue a portion of the unsubscribed Capital Stock, applications from persons desirous to subscribe therefor will be received at the Company's Office until August 31st inclusive. Information as to conditions, &c., can be obtained from the undersigned.

F. C. CLINE,
Sec. & Treas.

Kingston, Aug 11, 1875.

NEW IMPORTATIONS

JUST RECEIVED!

—AT—

Richmond & Boyden's,

NEW MOURNING GOODS!

IN PERSIAN CORDS,
FRENCH TWILLS,
SILK WARP PARMATTAS,
and CASHMERES.

New Lace Curtains,
New Lambrequins,
New Cretons.

Selling at greatly reduced prices SILK PARASOLS, UMBRELLAS and all SUMMER GOODS.

RICHMOND & BOYDEN.

July 28, 1875.

SCHOOL BOOKS!

Pencils

—FOR—

Copying Letters.

G. W. MAXWELL,

30 WELLINGTON STREET.

Aug 16, 1875.

CANADIAN MUTUAL

Fire Insurance Comp'y.

HEAD OFFICE—HAMILTON.

Available Assets - - - $200,000.

ALL CLASSES OF PROPERTY INSURED at reasonable rates for one or three years.

This Company established in 1872 has grown so rapidly in public favour as to be now one of the leading Mutual companies in the Dominion.

Application for the Agency for Kingston District (with references) to be made to the Secretary at Hamilton.

JOHN BARRY,
President.

F. R. DESPARD,
Secretary.

OFFICE—29 James street, S. Hamilton.

July 30, 1875

CARD.

F. M. Clark, Dentist,

BEGS to inform the citizens of Kingston and vicinity that he does not intend selling out his practice and leaving the city as has been rumoured, but has made Kingston his location. He desires to express his thanks to the public for their very liberal patronage for over four years that he has been practicing here and assures them that he will continue to exercise the same care and skill in operating for and liberality in dealing with his patients, at No. 4, Wilson's Block, Wellington street.

Aug 7, 1875

ONTARIO BUILDING AND Savings Society.

THE FIRST GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of Members will be held at the Office of the Society, Wellington street, Kingston, on WEDNESDAY, the 15th September, 1875, at Three o'clock, afternoon, for the purpose of electing three Directors to serve in place of the ones retiring and for all other general purposes relating to the management of the Society.

JAS. McARTHUR,
Manager.

Kingston, Aug 14, 1875.

POST-OFFICE GUIDE

	Close	Arrive
Eastern Mails	1.00 p.m.	9 p.m.
	7 a.m.	4.35 p.m.
Western "	2.50 p.m.	9 p.m.
	7 a.m.	2.30 p.m.

United States Through Mails for Cape Vincent, New York, Boston and Oswego will be closed at 1 p. m.

British Mails per Canadian steamers will be closed every Friday at 12:00 p.m.

Via New York every Monday and Tuesday at 1 p.m.

Daily British Whig.

Friday August 20, 1875.

CITY AND VICINITY

☞ GOLD in New York at 3 o'clock 113.

ARRIVED.—The SS. "Phoenician" from Glasgow passed Father Point last night with 31 passengers, reaching Quebec this a.m.

NEW OFFICES.—The Montreal Telegraph Company have opened new offices at St. Clements, Ontario, and at Heidelberg and Winterbourne, County Waterloo.

SWIFT'S WHARF.—Steamers calling: Corsican, from Montreal; Corinthian, from Hamilton; propellers Georgian, from Montreal; Kincardine, from Belleville; City of Montreal; Alma Munroe from Montreal.

BOUND UP.—The steamer "Algerian" which was recently injured by striking Split Rock, has been repaired and again placed in readiness for service. She is expected to go on her upward trip tomorrow.

TO BROCKVILLE.—On Thursday, the 26th, (next week) the Shamrock Benevolent Society have their annual excursion to Brockville. The arrangements for a fine day's amusement are complete. The excursion will have many patrons. It will be an affair worthy of liberal support.

FROM THE BAY.—The Picton Firemen had an excursion down among the Islands yesterday. The boat touched on her way down the river at noon and between 8 and 9 o'clock last evening on her return when a halt of half an hour was made, during which time many of the excursionists promenaded the city.

REGATTA.—Arrangements are actively in progress for the International Regatta, which takes place at Charlotte on or about the 3rd of September. The *Intelligencer* intimates that several of the Belleville boats will compete in it. We hope Kingston will be duly represented, and successfully so.

CONFIRMATION.—The Right Rev. Dr. O'Brien, Bishop of Kingston, will administer the sacrament of confirmation in St. Mary's Church, Port Hope, on Wednesday evening next. In the evening of the same day the Bishop will lecture on "The rule of faith, or how to find out what Christ has taught."

ALARM OF FIRE.—At 10:30 o'clock this morning an alarm was struck for a fire in Section No. II. There was the usual stampede, but the excitement died out as suddenly as it was aroused, when it was learned that the fire was confined to a burning chimney in Mr. Devlin's residence, at the corner of King and Barrack streets.

GOING WEST.—To-morrow the team selected by the St. Lawrence Base Ball Club, for the proposed provincial tour, leave for the West. We have already published a synopsis of their programme for the week's trip. In starting out we trust they may meet with the utmost success. They carry with them the best wishes of every Kingstonian.

AN AMERICANISM.—A Brockville contemporary prints as a personal item that Colonel Kibborn "and lady" of Newboro have been spending a few days in Morrisburg. Why not write "wife," and then people will not be wondering what kind of a man the Colonel is. It is not fair to that gallant officer. The use of the word lady for wife is too common.

"A" BATTERY.—The camp was broken up this morning, and about noon the members of "A" Battery and band returned to the city. The few days' picnicing through which they have passed has been a beneficial change to them. Our enterprising contemporary was just a shade too fast when it announced the arrival of the Battery last evening.

THAT'S SO.—The Brockville *Enterprise* remarks: "Any Kingston girl old enough to have a beau can tell you just how many moonlight nights there will be between this date and next January." Of course no Brockville girl was ever accused of knowing that much. But how does he know? Has any Kingston girl been posting him at her front gate. If so, mothers should be warned of the danger in the way. Those Brockville chaps ought not to be encouraged.

NOISY NIGHT.—We can hope for little good in the future of any young man, who, in the prime of manhood, makes liquor drinking his greatest ambition. It is to be regretted that there are so many of these persons in this city. Last night an unusual number of them exposed themselves, intoxicated and noisy on the street—a few acting so disorderly as to require the interference of the police. In one particular case heard before the Court this morning, the offender, when arrested, acted in the most violent manner and employed language unfit for the ears of respectable people. Such conduct is reprehensible and requires summary suppression.

THE GRAIN MARKET.—It is very quiet. The season is yet early, and moreover the harvest is still in progress, so that an active movement is not anticipated for some time. A few loads have been delivered, the price paid being 80 cents per bushel—that is for barley, in the sale and quotations in which the farming and grain-growing community are most interested. At present the prospects of the market cannot be conjectured. In is too soon to express an opinion. The grain dealers, of course, don't expect much advancement on the opening rates; the sellers think there will be. Last year barley led off at 80 cents per bushel, and rose up to $1,10—the last being exceptional rather than general. The prevailing price was 90 cents.

Power's Dry Dock.

Very satisfactory progress is being made in the construction of this important work. It is an enterprise of greater magnitude than many imagine, and hence, to perfect it and carry out the design of Mr. Power, much time as well as labour are required. The marine community must hail the completion of the dock as a great boon to them. It is what has been wanted for many years, there being nothing of the kind heretofore between Port Dalhousie and Montreal, consequently it will be seen how valuable it will be in more respects than one, being a convenience which vessel men will surely properly estimate, while it will retain and bring trade to this port which, in times past has been diverted elsewhere, and simply because Kingston did not possess the facilities that it should. The venture was one which entailed heavy expenditure—too much for a single individual to undertake. Satisfied of its necessity and of its pecuniary benefit Mr. Power, as the chief of a company (the dry dock being distinct from the Marine Railway) entered upon the scheme with a determination to succeed, and the accomplishment of that worthy object seems nigh at hand. When our local editor called around yesterday, and made an examination of the work, he found the coffer dam nearly completed. It will be ready for pumping out in a few days, preparatory to the completion of the sills. The dimensions of the dock are: Length, 300 feet; width, 61 feet; depth of water, 16 feet; width of gates, 45 feet. A centrifugal pump (American manufacture) will empty the dock when required. This pump will be situated in a chamber on the west side of the dock, and will discharge at the rate of 30,000 gallons per minute, into a flume 10 feet below the surface of the water. Its suction pipe measures 30 inches in diameter; its discharge pipe 22½ inches. It will be worked by a steam engine, now building at the Kingston Foundry, 100 horse power. The pump, however, is already on hand, ready for being placed in position. The location is such that it is not an easy matter to build such a structure, but Mr. Power appears to have surmounted every difficulty, and judging from appearances the dock will be ready for use before the close of navigation. The advantage of the dock is generally acknowledged; and with the enlargement of the Welland Canal its value will be recognized the more. The work is not temporary, but substantial, solid and permanent, and fully deserves all the encouragement which can be bestowed upon it by marine men, the citizens of Kingston, and even the Government. The latter could not fail to appreciate its importance and usefulness if any of their steamers or craft needed repairing, which can only be done by its use. When finished Mr. Power anticipates fruitful results. We hope his expectations may be realized.

MORE BABY TUSTLES.—The people of Picton, animated by the success of the Kingston Baby Show, have determined to follow suit in the matter. The exhibition will take place on the 8th of September in connection with the Picton Horticultural Society, and there will be three premiums given. The Picton *Times* thus philosophizes:—

"Mothers should bear in mind that the premiums are not awarded on the clothes but for the finest babies. At the late exhibition in Kingston, the first prize was carried off by a country child. The city ladies who brought their babies expecting to bear away the honors and money were greatly chagrined at not being successful. From this they should learn valuable lessons. Fresh air, loose clothing and but little quack medicine, add greatly to the health and beauty of these little struggling specimens of poor humanity. They are at best but weak bundles of possibilities, with scarce life enough to fight off the multitude of diseases that seem running to hunt them into little graves, and we have good authority for saying that at least a third more of them would weather the storms, if they were properly clad. Let the mother who desires to show the white limbs and neck of her darling consider what she is risking, and if the world must know how beautiful its skin is, we suggest that nearer the heart the blood is more active, and consequently better able to resist the effects of exposure. Bring out your babies to the coming exhibition, and let the country know that even in this branch of industry we are holding no second class position.

ARRIVALS AT THE ANGLO AMERICAN HOTEL.—W W Goodman, Boston; Archie C. Fairburn, Cape Vincent; Alex Fraser, Toronro; Mrs George Dawson, Wolfe Island; T A Terrill, Copenhagen; William Pearson, Merrickville; T W Ferguson, Ottawa; H A Ferguson, Almonte; C Roberts, New York; R B Robinson, Toronto; S J Weston and family, Buffalo; R W Watchorn Merrickville; B Stoyd, Rochester; W W Barrett, New York; W H Ferguson, Miss Russell, C G Mervell, New York; S Putnam, wife and daughter, Oriskong Falls; Mrs. A. Abbott, do; Mrs A Gleason, Brooklyn; Mrs. S H Fox, Cape Vincent; O D Menvill, A J Cook and wife, Auburn; H E Leach, Rochester; A K Strong and wife, Michigan; Mrs E B Pratt, Boonville; H W Moulton, Toronto; W Owens, Picton; A Creveling, Granville, Pa; J Eaton, Charlotte, James Brown, city; J Redmond, Picton; R W Hillard, Prescott; R W Glyart, Pt Murvy; Chas Cornell, Belleville; J E Miller, Fulton, N Y; L A Smith, Port Hope.

PETTY LARCENY.—One Caroline Worris laid a complaint to-day that Mrs. Russell had stolen two coats, two vests and a cap pattern from her, and she caused a warrant to be issued for the arrest of Mrs. Russell. A couple of police officers executed the warrant bringing the accused woman and her little bundle of belonging to the station, an examination of which elicited the fact that it contained a cup, a small jar, a saucer and a roll of rags, the whole valued at five cents—petty larceny surely. The complainant must have been hard up for litigation and low.

THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.—Ottawa is doing pretty well for this Show for a back country, out-of-the-way place. The number of entries to the Provincial Exhibition exceeds, up to date, that of any other year at the corresponding period. The refreshment booths on the Exhibition grounds have been sold by auction for $1,620, which is $120 more than the refreshment booths at Toronto brought. That Ottawa is a fearful place for drinks.

THE ISLANDS.—Some of the American journals are engaged in a controversy as to the number of the so-called Thousand Islands. The New York Commercial Advertiser says eighteen hundred; the Syracuse Journal four hundred and odd.

Trial of Col. Baker.

HIS BRILLIANT PROSPECTS AND POPULARITY—PUBLIC FEELING AGAINST HIM—RUINOUS CONSEQUENCES—PERILS OF TRAVEL—&c.

(*London Correspondence N. Y., Tribune.*)

Col. Baker's position was a very brilliant one in his profession, and a very good one in society. It is the fashion to speak of him as Sir Samuel Baker's brother; but I fancy that in the army Sir Samuel was best known as Col. Valentine Baker's brother. He was one of the few officers who, without incurring the reproach of being a bookworm, made the study of war in some sense scientific. Competent judges thought him a very capable soldier; not merely brave, which men are. Perhaps his actual services at the Cape and in the Crimea made him less famous of late years than his adventure during the war of 1870. He is Colonel of the 10th Hussars—the Prince of Wales' regiment—and he took the opportunity to study cavalry tactics with the most famous practitioners of modern times, the Uhlans of Germany. People spoke of him something as five-and-twenty years ago the lamented Capt. Nolan was spoken of. His relations with the Prince of Wales were so intimate as to give rise to the story that the Prince had used his personal efforts to prevent the case from coming to trial. I do not know whether that story is true, or only probable. It was believed, and the Prince who must have known it was believed, seems to have taken no pains to have it disbelieved. There were queer reports about the pressure put upon the young lady's relatives. At one time it was said openly that the prosecution would be abandoned, but to this thought the wish was the only father. It would be difficult to imagine what temptation could have induced her or her friends to listen for one moment to a proposal which amounted to nothing less for her than a life ruined by suspicion and scandal. It is difficult to imagine how such propositions could be made. But Col. Baker was one of the suite chosen to accompany the Prince on his Indian tour. He was popular among his brother officers—so popular that they stood by him in a way that almost brought discredit on the army; in a way that almost seemed to imply a determination to vindicate Col. Baker, right or wrong. Under legal advice, and in the face of the general feeling, that purpose, if it existed, had to be relinquished. But the attitude of the men to whom it was imputed explains the belief in the persistent attempts to hush the matter up.

Putting aside Col. Baker's war friends and the officers who thought the honor of the army might be upheld by a compromise in behalf of dishonor, the general feeling about the case has been a right one. The condemnation of Col. Baker has been nearly unanimous; admiration and respect for Miss Dickenson has not been less so. The clubs are supposed to be the home of cynical skepticisms about women, but even in the clubs the name of that heroic and stainless girl has been treated with respect. The worst thing ever heard said about her was that she ought to have seen what Col. Baker meant sooner, and have stopped talking with him—that he would not have lost his head if she had shown that she suspected him before the attempt was made. The comment is absurd, for all the evidence shows that Baker's conduct changed all in a moment, and that Miss Dickenson resented the first approach to familiarity. But I put down the criticism as the only one made. The Judge who tried the case expressed no more than most people have thought when he repelled the suggestion that this libertine attempt had defiled her. "I say distinctly that it has not; and that she walks out of this Court as pure and as innocent as ever she was, and as unsullied as she ever was; nay, more, that the courage and spirit she displayed have added a new ray of glory to her youth, her innocence, and her beauty." An outbreak of manly feeling which not even the spirit of decorum pervading an English Court could prevent the audience from applauding.

The sentence passed on Baker is thought to err on the side of mercy. The reasons which Mr. Justice Brett gives for not sending him to hard labor seem, to most people reasons the other way. High rank, brilliant reputation, services to one's country, are all reasons that ought to save Col. Baker from crime, but not reasons which ought to shield him from the penalty of the crime. But it is idle to deny that social influences are strong with the English bench. The constant disclaimer of them would prove it. A Judge thinks twice before he sentences "an officer and gentleman" to quite the same fate which he would unhesitatingly inflict on a man who was neither. And, having thought twice, he does not do it. To Col. Baker himself it cannot make much difference. With or without hard labor, twelve months in gaol means ruin to him. It means of course being cashiered from the army. His career is ended. Society dare not receive him. Even friends must fall off from him—the very friends who, wrongly but bravely, stood beside him in the dock. The one thing they can remember to his credit is his conduct after the outrage. No attempt was made to discredit Miss Dickenson. Mr. Hawkins was careful to tell the jury that the instructions he had received on this point came from Col. Baker's own lips. He added, in bare justice to himself, that had the defendant instructed him to take a different course his services would not have been at his command.

One more remark only. Is the existing railway system of unconnected carriages unprovided with means of signaling the guard which made this outrage possible. Suppose the system existed, and the outrage happened in America. What homilies should we not have heard against the imperfect civilization which left passengers thus unprotected? Yet here the railway companies have proved strong enough to resist public opinion and prevent legislation for the protection of passengers. There is but one reason against supplying complete and efficient signals. It costs too much. It has cost something in this case to supply them, but then it is not the railways which have to pay.

THE COLLISION WITH THE ROYAL YACHT.—New York, Aug. 19.—A London special says the collision between the Royal yacht and the "Mistleto" occurred at 6 p. m., yesterday, while the Queen's yacht was crossing from Osborne to Gosport. The sailors on board the "Mistletoe" were in the act of dipping its flag in honor of the Queen when the cry was raised that the Royal Yacht was running down the "Mistletoe." Efforts were made to avoid a collision, but too late. The "Mistletoe" was struck on the starboard side, abreast of the main mast; the "Alberta" rode completely over own bowsprit and cut water. The Queen was greatly agitated and wrung her hands in despair. The "Mistletoe" sank in a few minutes, carrying down with her the mate and a lady named Peel, who was subsequently rescued. Stoker, the master of the "Misfletoe" died of his injuries. Heywood, the owner, was severely injured. A sailor had his arm broken. The Queen gave orders to spare no efforts on behalf of the sufferers. No one on the Royal Yacht was hurt.

THE BALLOONISTS.—The final words in the notes of Grimwood, found on the body, are ominous. "Although it is scarcely an hour since I struggled into eminence, the restraints of my position are already beginning to be irksome to my spirits. I cannot help reflecting that if we fall, we fall like Lucifer out of heaven, and that upon our arrival upon earth (or rather upon water, for we are over the middle of Lake Michigan,) we would be literally dead."

AROUND HOME.

—The Blacksmith's Dream is on Exhibition at Belleville.

—His Lordship, the Bishop of Kingston, delivered two sermons in St. Mary's Church, in Lindsay, last Sunday.

—A mammoth Excursion from Dundas is projected for the 9th proxime, to Point Iroquois, under the auspices of the English Church, Iroquois.

—The scarlet fever is yet raging at Cape Vincent. Two of Jas. Connel's children died on Friday. Four of Mr. Brady's children are having the disease.

—The largest muscalonge taken from the river this year, was caught, says the Cape Vincent *Eagle*, in Button Bay, Monday, by Wm. Wheelock. It weighed 41 pounds. Mr. W. thought he had hitched onto a small saw-log.

—The new C. M. Church at Selby is rapidly approaching completion, and will be a great ornament to that village. The dedication services will be held in the early part of the winter.—*Addington Reporter.*

—Mr. G. Gustin, formerly of Newburg, was accidentally killed at Brockway, Mich., on Saturday, the 7th inst. In company with his brother, he was repairing a bridge, when the timber at which they were working gave way, falling on him, and killing him instantly. Mr. Gustin, when a resident of this section, was greatly respected and his demise will be regretted by all.—*Reporter.*

CANADIAN ITEMS.

—The Ottawa River has risen 1 foot 3 inches.

—Quebec volunteers are in camp at River Ouelle.

—The election of Mr. Sylvester for Berthier is contested.

—The Jews of Toronto intend shortly building a synagogue.

—Army worms continue to ravage parts of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick.

—A large black bear was killed while swimming across the river Ottawa at Lamb's Wharf.

—Alexander Armstrong, from Toronto, was drowned at Bala, foot of Lake Muskoka, on Tuesday, while fishing in a canoe.

—McDowell, the chief witness and instigator of the charges against the Halifax Hospital surgeons, has been arrested for perjury.

—Hon. Mr. Laird, who is in Brantford on departmental business, delivered an address at the St. George's Society's banquet there.

—There is a statement in circulation that Mr. B. Devlin is to be offered the judicial position now occupied by Judge Lafontaine in Ottawa County.

—The Credit Valley Railway, which runs westward from Toronto, has more than one thousand men and two hundred teams working, in spite of the hard times.

—The schooner Newcastle, that went ashore on the False Ducks, was got off by Mr. John Watters, of South Bay Point, without the aid of a tug. She is not damaged.

—The *Globe* has bought $50,090 worth of new presses, intends shortly to issue a sixteen page weekly, and expects to raise the circulation to 50,000.

At the election of two members of the Council of Public Instruction, Mr. David Mills, M.P., was elected Public School Inspectors' representative, and Professor Wilson, LL.D., representative for High School masters.

—What was at one time the curse of mining districts of England, the forcing men to take part payment of wages in goods, is being introduced by a certain lumber firm in Hull.

—The Mayor of Montreal has annulled the proceeding of the City Council at the last meeting on account of the disturbances caused outside and inside the Chamber by those opposed to certain by-laws which were under discussion.

—A deputation waited on the Hon. A. Crooks with a requisition signed by over one thousand three hundred names, asking him to accept the Reform nomination for South Oxford. He will address the electors at Ingersoll shortly.

—A private telegram states that in the Gaspe election, full returns give Mr. Flynn, the Liberal candidate, a majority of more than 200 over the Opposition candidate, Hon. Mr. Fortin.

—There is a child at the Protestant Hospital, Ottawa, which weighs only 3 pounds. It is three weeks old, measures nine inches in length, and its face is covered with dark hair. The child is said to be perfectly healthy.

—Mr. J. W. Langmuir, Inspector of Prisons for Ontario, has, at the request of the Dominion Government been, making an enquiry into the management of the Marine and Emigrant Hospital of Quebec. The whole affairs of the hospital were found to be in a very bad condition.

—There are upwards of 1,000 houses to let in Toronto, the result partly of the break neck speed at which building operations have been pursued during the past three or four years, and partly through the present commercial depression. Very little building is being done here this year and rents are coming down.

Township of Pittsburg.

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL.

Pittsburg, 16th August.—The Council met at half-past 10 o'clock, a.m.; all the members present.

The minutes of the last meeting were adopted.

Applications from the Trustees of S. S. Nos. 2, 4, 6, 11, 13 and 14 were received, asking the Council to cause to be levied and collected for school purposes the following sums of money, viz.: No. 2, $195; No. 6, $175; No. 11, $175; No. 13, $175; No. 14, $160; No 4, $200. The sums were placed on the roll for collection.

The clerk was empowered to receive the collector's bonds.

Moved by Mr. Rae, seconded by Mr. Martin, that Stephen Miller be paid $5 for work done on road by order of the road overseer.—Carried.

The bill of John Agnew, County School Inspector, amounting to $4,15, expenses incurred in formation of Union School Section at Brewer's Mills.—Referred to the Reeve to settle.

The bill of John Ryan, $12,15, expenses in summoning witnesses, &c.—No action.

Moved by Mr. McFadden, seconded by Mr. Wilmot; that Thomas Blake be paid $2 for job done on Middle Road.—Carried.

By-law No. 191, confirming the appointment of Collector, was read and passed.

By-law No. 192, providing for the payment of Township Officers, was read and passed.

By-law 193, Budget of 1875, read a first and second time. Moved by Mr. Rae, seconded by Mr. McFadden, that the rate for County, High School, Railway and Common School purposes, be eleven mills on the dollar, and one mill on the dollar for the repair of roads and bridges.—Carried. The by-law was then read a third time and passed.

The Council adjourned till Monday, the 1st day of November at 10 a.m.

CHAS. BELWA, Tp. Clerk.

PLAYING DIRTY.—London, Aug. 19. A base ball match was played yesterday, between the Maple Leaf Club of Guelph, and the Tecumsehs. After playing four innings, with a score of two to none in their favor, the Guelph team left the grounds, at which the spectators were considerably disgusted.

GREAT CLEARING SALE

—OF—

DRY GOODS,

AT THE

MONTREAL HOUSE, Princess Street, Kingston.

The People's Opportunity.

Greatest Bargains ever Offered in this City.

ALL SUMMER DRESS GOODS,

Silks, Shawls, Ladies' Ready-Made Suits, Parasols, &c., &c.
Marked Down from 25 to 50 per Cent.

ONE DOLLAR will buy this month in Summer Goods what it took TWO to buy last Month
No one should put off coming for even a single day, as the Stock is now well assorted.
A few days hence and that portion adapted to Summer wear will be closed out.

BE SURE AND COME IN SEASON!

Previous to the opening of the Fall Stock I have gone through all the Stock and have marked the same down without regard to cost or value. My purpose is to close the Goods out, and if prices will facilitate the operation the result is a foregone conclusion. I propose to

Clear Out My Stock of Summer Dress Goods as follows:

All Linen Grenadines at 10 cents per yard, sold recently for 15c.
All Home Spuns at 15c per yard, sold recently for 30 cents.
Elegant Suitings at 25c, sold recently at 20 cents.
Grey Alpaca at 12½c, sold recently at 20 cent.
Black and White Check Suitings at 12½c, sold recently at 25c
Remnants of Dress Goods at 10, 12½ and 15c per yard, the same qualities in whole pieces are sold from 20 to 50 cents, very suitable for children's wear.

IN MY SILK DEPARTMENT

I am offering all my Coloured Glaces at 90 cents per yard. I am offering all my Colored Gros Grains at $1 1-4, sold at $1 3-4 and $2. I have also largely reduced my prices in Black Silks special attention is directed to the grades that I am now offering at 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.75, $2 $2.20 and $2.75.

IN MY SHAWL DEPARTMENT

I propose to make a clean sweep—also Ladies' and Childrens' Parasols for less than half price

In Table Linens, Towellings and Sheetings

I will offer Great and unprecedented Bargains

☞ Come and see our prints at ten cents per yard.

GREAT BARGAINS

In Laces, Ribbons, Ladies Scarfs and Ties, Bows, &c., &c. The magnitude of the Stock, the great variety of Goods, and the exceeding low prices renders this the most favorable opportunity for consumers to supply themselves with desirable Staple and Fancy Goods ever offered in Kingston.

All Goods Sold for Ready Money.

LUKE J. ERLY.

July 31, 1875.

NEW GOODS, NEW GOODS

JUST ARRIVED AT THE

New York Clothing Store, Brock Street.

We have just opened a Choice lot of Goods in the following Lines:

Gent's Furnishing Goods, Hats and Caps, Diagonal Coatings, Fancy Vestings, Tweed Trowserings, Black Broadcloths and Black Doe Skins.

A Special Lot of Fashionable Black Silk Hats from $2.50.

These are new and fashionable, to be sold at prices that will insure us the patronage of those that examine our Stock. Our Ready-made Department is replete with a first class assortment of Goods suitable for the season. Parties desirous of leaving their order for Clothing will find our facilities for manufacturing second to none in the city, as we have a first-class Cutter employed.

Z. PREVOST,

NEW YORK CLOTHING STORE, Brock street, four doors from the Market Square

July 29, 1875.

GREAT SALE OF LADIES' CORSETS

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.

Have bought at a late Bankrupt Sale in Montreal,

500 LADIES' CORSETS

Which they will sell as follows,

Corsets worth 75 cents, for 50 cents,
Corsets worth $1.25, for 75 cents,
Corsets worth $1.50, for $1.00

Ladies' are respectfully invited to call and see them, as we feel confident that the above prices are from 25 to 50 per cent under regular value.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.,
Orange Hall Building

Aug. 6, 1875.

Cheap Sale of Summer Dry Goods

AT WALDRON'S!

Commencing Saturday, July 10th.

Japanese Silks 25 cents, reduced from 40 cents,
"Rouillion" Josephine and 2 Button Kid Gloves, $1,
Black Silks 50 cents, worth 75c,
All Summer Dress Goods at a Great sacrifice,
House Furnishing Goods all reduced,
Prints Cheap, Muslins Cheap, Grenadines—Cheap,
Linens Reduced—Cottons Reduced—Shirtings Reduced.

R. WALDRON,
WILSON'S BUILDING

July 9, 1875.

IMPORTANT CHEAP SALE

—OF—

BLACK SILKS!

AT THE LONDON WAREHOUSE!

P. HARTY & CO. have just received a large stock of Black Gros Grain Silks which he will offer at less than the Wholesale Price. Intending purchasers will save from 30 60 cents per yard by buying those Goods as they have been bought at a great sacrifice and will be sold at prices to suit all. Also 200 pieces of Light Prints to be sold at 13 cents per yard and which are value at 17½ cents.

Do not fail to see these Goods as they are the cheapest ever offered in this market.

P. HARTY & CO.

June 1, 1875.

SPRING OPENING!

ALEXANDER ROSS'S

Spring Stock is now Complete and He offers Bargains in Every Department.

HE WOULD, however, call special attention to his CARPETS and OIL CLOTH, and invites those who want a good cheap article to call and inspect them. Also his MILLINERY ROOMS have been stocked with the London and Paris Styles, which he is determined to sell Cheap at the old stand, *OPPOSITE THE CITY HOTEL.*

Specialities in Silks, Dress Goods, Fancy Coatings and Tweeds.

April 1875.

McNAUGHTON & CO'S.

GREAT CLEARING SALE

—OF—

READY-MADE CLOTHING, CLOTHS and TWEEDS,

To Commence on SATURDAY, 10th of April, and to continue for one Month only

Having had to keep our hands going all Winter we find we have too heavy a Stock and are bound to clear it off regardless of cost or value. We not say much in the matter, as our customers are well aware of the good value we gave them at our Cheap Sale last Fall. SEE THE GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES:—Men's Pants $2, marked down to $1.50, $2.50 to $2, $3 to $2.50, $4 to $3, $5 to $4 $6 to $4.50. Men's and Boys' Coats from $2.50 to $15. Men's Tweed Suits $13 marked down to $9. Boys' Suits at $6. Men's Pea Jackets from $4 to $12.

Tweeds and Cloths warranted to be had at our Store 25 per cent. less than any other store in the City. Come one come all and see for yourselves.

McNaughton & Co.,
King and Princess Streets

April 5, 1875.