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Aug 23, 1875.

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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

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.

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The Abbot,
The Black Dwarf and a Legend of Montrose,
Fair Maid of Perth,
The Talesman,
The Pirate,
Count Robert of Paris,
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Aug 19, 1875.

GRAND

Orange Excursion and Pic-Nic.

THE ORANGEMEN of Kingston purpose holding their annual Pic-Nic ON STELLA POINT, AMHERST ISLAND, on

FRIDAY, THE 27th OF AUGUST.

The Steamers *MAUD* and *PIERREPONT* have been engaged. One of the Steamers will leave Messrs. Folger & Hanley's Wharf, foot of Brock street, at 8:30 a.m. and 1 p.m., sharp, calling at Portsmouth.

☞ Games and sports on the grounds commencing at 12 o'clock noon.

Refreshments on the grounds. The public are respectfully invited to patronize this the pic nic of the season.

JAS. CONNOR, Dis. Master. JAS. MARSHALL, Sec. & Treas.

Kingston, Aug 23, 1875.

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July 28, 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.

Wednesday August 25, 1875.

CITY AND VICINITY

☞ GOLD in New York at 3 o'clock 113½.

THE Orange fraternity will attend the funeral of Bro. Solomon Collins to-morrow.

THERE is a young girl in Kingston, and considerable style she slings on. Says she: "Well, I guess, if I pull back my dress, it's nobody's biz in old Kingston."

VERY LOW.—The Rev. Canon Tane is still lying very ill at Bath. But little hopes, it is said, are entertained of his recovery.

THE pigeon shoot at Alexandria Bay on Saturday next is drawing a crowd from distant points. Many are going to it from here. The "Maud" will take them down. A glorious excursion it will be—the more so as it may be the last.

THE delicate blue serge dress furnished the police force, cost $14 per suit, is being laid away. The police stuck to them as long as they decently could, but they have to part company before they wish. One man is trying his clothing dyed.

GRAIN FLEET.—Some fifteen or twenty vessels, grain laden, have passed through the Welland Canal, and are pointing down the lake for Kingston. A favourable wind will waft them in in lively order.

DEAF MUTES.—The members of the New York State Deaf Mute Association, which meets in Watertown to-day, will make an excursion to-morrow to the Thousand Islands. The "sublime grandeur" of the St. Lawrence and Niagara Falls are as much appreciated by Americans as Canadians.

ETIQUETTE.—When a gentleman meets a lady on the land and wishes to escort her, says a correspondent, he should offer her an arm; but when he meets a lady in a row boat on the water, he should offer her a tow. And yet our correspondent should bear in mind that this might make the gallant gentleman a toe-martyr.

REGATTAS.—The *Times* announces that the regatta of the Hamilton Club will take place on the 4th of next month. The *Times* speaks of it as the first of a series to come off this fall at several places, among others at Kingston. We hope the *Times'* information is correct. If a Regatta is intended to be held here a move should be made promptly.

YARA KEKU, the belle of Japan, is travelling with the Variety Troupe which exhibits here on Friday and Saturday evenings. Its worth something to see her alone. Still we don't see how the Japanese young men come to let their belle go away. The boys would not do it in Kingston, not even let her attend an excursion for fear she might not come back.

SHOOT, FREEDOM.—The *Palladium* thinks that liberty is but by a by-word in Canada. St. Catharines fined George Morgan $3 and costs last week for wearing female attire. Women can wear male clothes and go along unmolested, but let a poor, weak man put on a skirt and the strong arm of the law is invoked. Such is the tyranny of the law, we are sorry to admit.

VAGRANTS.—The leading representatives of the vagrant community are somewhat uneasy since the committal for six months of some of their bosom companions, as the police looked treacherously at them. A few have taken up lodgings outside the limits and merely step into town on a hurried visit occasionally. The freedom of the party has been fearfully encroached upon.

HOORAH!—The pleasure yacht "Flight" true to her name, is forever gadding about. She had an excursion engagement at Brockville on Monday. The *Enterprise* says that a very exciting race took place between the "Plumb" and "Flight" in which the "Flight" proved victor, passing the "Plumb" after a short run, and then crossing her bow, leaving her astern, where she remained, you may bet, during the remainder of the trip.

FROM HENDERSON HARBOUR.—The "Maud" touched here yesterday at 1:30 o'clock freighted with an excursion party numbering 500 persons from Sackett's and Henderson Harbour. A halt of one hour was made here. Then the steamer proceeded down the river. Leaving Gananoque she crossed over and returned hence by the American Channel, calling at Clayton and Cape Vincent. The Henderson Brass Band accompanied the party.

SHORTS.—The Hon. George Brown sails from England to-morrow. Tramp, tramp.—The "localities"-man of the *Tiser* remarks that "the berry season is berry nearly over." It is over, you goose-berry. Somebody ought to hit you berry hard over the head. It's a berry al that's wanted.—The Bishop of Kingston is holding Confirmation in Port Hope to-day.—They say that Adam and Eve spoke Gaelic. No wonder they were expelled from Eden. *Even* the Bard will admit that or probably he will say they only used Norse.

CENTRAL NEW YORKERS.—Noting the fact that the Staten Island cricketers will play in Oswego to day, being engaged in a team representing Central New York, the Syracuse *Journal* says: "The team has been selected by the veteran Stevenson, who is still of opinion that he can select an eleven from the middle of the State able to beat the Canadian team, which came and saw and conquered last Wednesday." Well, that is a matter of opinion. It is possible the Canadian team could be strengthened also; and in the event of another match we have little fear of the issue being reversed. Try it!

FROM OTTAWA.

Ottawa, Aug. 25.—The Canadian team of cricketers start for Philadelphia on the 10th of September, to take part in the International Cricket match there. Rev. T. D. Phillips is captain of the team, which has been selected as follows: Two from Ottawa, two from Montreal, two from Toronto, one from Chatham, one from Port Hope, two from Hamilton, one from Halifax, one from Fredericton. The team play fifteen cricketers at Toronto on the 11th, and the St. George's Club, of New York, on the Monday following.

A fire broke out in Henry's Block this morning on Wellington street, doing about $3,000 damage to buildings and the stock in Longford's drug store, Gaynes' tailoring establishment, and Blythe's dry goods houses. There was no insurance on the buildings.

D. W. Coward & Co.'s assets are $50,000 and liabilities $100,000.

POLICE DUTY.—Every one does not know that the city is guarded by but two policemen every night. These go together, and travel about over a beat which extends almost to the ends of the city, leaving the public at the mercy of the rowdy element, for in the event of a disturbance the officers are frequently beyond reach and hearing. The roughs, getting accustomed to the police routine, know just when and where to kick up a row. Instead of equally dividing up the force, it should be arranged that two-thirds, or six men, should do night duty, the day duty in ordinary times being next thing to nothing. And when the men do go on night service they should be equipped in such a manner as to be capable of taking a beat singly; in case help is needed the use of the alarm whistle could easily summon an officer from an adjoining beat. The force has been wonderfully increased in efficiency during the past few months, but still there is room for improvement. We make these suggestions in a respectful way, not for the purpose of fault-finding. But sometimes a hint is beneficial of good results.

ROBBERY.—The only case of robbery of any note occurred on Sunday evening. Two men were seen suspiciously loitering along King street in the direction of the Hay Market. They had the appearance of being loose fish, and the opinion then formed of them by observant persons was subsequently substantiated by the criminal conduct of the party. At a late hour they were seen lurking around the premises of Mr. P. Campbell, the grocer, and on Monday morning the premises were discovered to be burglarized and robbed. The thieves removed the shutters and breaking a pain of glass, stole a few handfuls of nice hazel nuts which had been placed for show in the most tempting attitude in the window.

BASE BALL.—The St. Lawrence Club won a decisive victory yesterday in their match with the "Tecumseha," of London, the score at the closing innings standing 15 to 7. As in the previous day, the telegraph offices were thronged throughout the progress by a crowd eager to obtain reports of the game as they were flashed across the wire from time to time. The backers of the St. Lawrence Club were buoyant yesterday, the favorites from the opening of the match taking a lead which they retained and increased in the course of the contest. The final report of the St. L.'s success caused quite a burst of enthusiasm. The ball of the Kingston is in the bound, despite the defeat which they suffered at Guelph.

THE SHAMROCK'S EXCURSION.—To-morrow, remember, the "City of Kingston" has been engaged for the excursion of the Young Men's Shamrock Benevolent Society to Brockville. An active and efficient committee will see to the comfort of the excursionists, and both on the boat and at Brockville the party will receive every attention calculated to make the trip enjoyable. A good time is promised those who go with the Shamrock boys, who are a fine lot of young men who know what real pleasure is, and know how to provide it. The boat will reach here on its return in seasonable time.

YES, WHY NOT?—Thomas Moore, the poet, stopped for several weeks, nearly a century ago, in a house in Norfolk, Va. The building is still standing, and the inhabitants of the city talk of celebrating its Centennial. Mr. Tom Moore, the poet, stopped for many hours, nearly a century ago, on the present site of Kingston, writing a part of "Lalla Rookh" on the then picturesque point where Murney Tower now stands. Why not have a Moore's visit Centennial in Kingston? Come, why not? Centennials are in fashion, are they not?

BROCKVILLE.—The civic holiday passed off as all such do everywhere, very tamely. The "Go Softly" won the sailing race.—Two churches had excursions.—The Brockville cricket club were beaten by an outside town eleven on Saturday—33 to 22. That looks very bad; better haul down their sign.—The *Recorder* says that the "Faxton" is the best excursion boat on the river. On behalf of the "Maud's" legion of admirers we denounce the *Recorder*-man's bad taste. What he don't know about boats would fill a book.

HOPE SQ.—The Regatta to be held by the Burlington Yacht Club at Hamilton on Sept. 4th is stated to be the first of a series at Toronto, Kingston, Cobourg and Charlotte. We would that it were true, as far as Kingston is concerned. But perhaps we will be given several years' time to complete our part of the series. If so, we can without further parley promise on the part of the spirited yachtsmen here a fair measure of success.

GOING TO PIECES.—The sidewalk, on Princess street, running past the "American Hotel," is going to pieces. The street being blocked by the drain excavations the sidewalk is being improperly used for general traffic, including that of horses and loaded vehicles. A new walk will be needed ere long. But what odds? The corporation's wealthy.

LIBEL.—A witness in the abortion case at Hamilton yesterday gave this evidence, when speaking of his own family affairs: "Mothers-in-law generally interfere with family affairs." Gratuitous insult! Flaunting lie! Miscreant! Wretch! Let every affectionate mother-in-law rise up and smite him.

Police Court.

His Worship this morning sat on the bench,
Adjusted his eye glass, to his head gave a wrench;
Then casting his eyes on the boys with blue coats,
Said, "Fetch up the thieves, depredators and bloats,
I will justice mete out which with mercy will blind,
And will make their heads swim and their hair stand on end."
The policemen looked up to his Worship's bland face,
And exclaimed with a smile, "There's no thief in the place;
The drunkards and bloats know the sermons you preach;
And toe close to the mark to keep out of our reach."

Yes, things were slack, it is to be regretted, at the Police Court to-day. Finding the fountain of information and newspaper chit-chat completely drained in the upper chamber, our "local" adjourned to the station, to realize, alas! that here things were no better. The only noticeable feature was a debate between Sergeant Macauley and the News-man, who being a novice in the ways of sin, was receiving a little bit of knowledge from the experienced officer as to how the victims of vice and the poisonous cup are often "roped in" and completely "done up;" how the law of our land resents all abuse, and lays its stern hand on the "fast" and the "loose;" how thieves, murderers and "beats," and frail women too, are arraigned for their "feats," and find something to do in the famous Corbett Retreat, or else in a prison, their "humble pie" to eat, and that thus day after day the criminal throng are hurried away to return before long, and receive at the hands of the law once again the penalties due these frail children of men.

THE JAPANESE TROUPE.—The Royal Teddo Japanese Troupe will appear in an "olio of oddities and specialties" on Friday and Saturday evenings. The press speaks well of the company. The Montreal *Herald* of the 4th says of it: "Last night the great and unrivalled Japanese troupe opened at DeBar's Opera House, and performed before an immense audience. The feats presented are really wonderful, and to be duly credited as at all possible must be seen. No such entertainment was ever presented in this city, and it is not at all likely that one so thoroughly proficient in the peculiar art which they represent will soon pass this way again. We have no doubt large audiences will greet them nightly."

THE OUTLOOK.—Time rolls on, and still no improvement is apparent in the shipping business of the west, on which the prospects of this and other sections depend so much. A reliable journal in Detroit says:

"Marine matters, although not entirely discouraging, present an aspect which is anything but favorable. The shipping season is considerably advanced, and if any improvement is made in lake and river traffic it must be accomplished shortly, otherwise the amount of business transacted during this season will, at the close of navigation, fall very much behind that of last year. Tugs, schooners and other craft are lying at ports with half their men discharged and no orders to 'brace up.' However, experienced mariners and forwarders still predict an improved condition of affairs soon."

EASILY DONE.—A worthless fellow of Colborne created a commotion by brutally beating his wife and children—a favourite pastime of his—and several of the "boys" took him prisoner, made a collection to pay his fare, and shipped him by train to Kingston. Of course, we thank them very much for the present. It will be so highly appreciated here, especially as their motive was so good and kind. If a few doses of Kingston justice to human brutes cannot bring the fellow around to a sense of decency, we can cage him like the P. M. cages Johnny Doyle, the notorious, nearly all his time. That will keep him pretty harmless.

REQUIEM MASS.—This morning, at seven o'clock, Rev. Father Corbett officiated at a solemn requiem mass, which was said in the chapel of the Hotel Dieu, for the repose of the soul of Rev. Father O'Boyle, late Chancellor of the Diocese of Kingston. The first anniversary of the deceased's death occurs on Saturday next, but owing to an important feast observed by the Church falling on that day, the service was held to-day instead of then. The mass was taken part in by the nuns of the Hotel Dieu. It was of a most impressive character.

THE MAIN SEWER.—The filling in above the Albion Hotel is now taking place, and Princess street will soon be open again as high as Sydenham street, though it will for many a day present ragged edges worse than Beecher in his despair ever rode over. The excavations are being proceeded with for some distance above Barrie street, and at least four blocks of roadway are now barricaded. The sewer has been a season's vexation. It will cost $10,000 in money, and a countless expenditure of profanity and patience.

ARRIVALS AT THE ANGLO AMERICAN HOTEL.—R Moggregor, Guelph; J McKulomph, Galt; W H Fulman and lady, Oswego; R J J Johnson, New York; W A Powers, Colborne; J H Seeher, Oswego; H Seeher, New York; P Lowe and wife, New York, J G Wilson, Montreal; W B Rafton, Chicago; J R N Masher, Belleville; J C Gender, Baltimore; Robert Barr, do; Mr Lent, and lady, Cobourg; G Elsworth, Rochester; D Hall, do; G Kurt, do; P Wansley, do.

CRICKET.—The Kingston juniors are to visit the Belleville young-uns on Friday, Sept. 10th, to play a return match and give the latter an opportunity of regaining lost laurels, or rather of winning laurels, since this is only their second match with Kingston. The *Intelligencer* need not be so severe on the WHIG for boasting over its sports, since the way that this city discounts saucy Belleville on base ball and wallops it on cricket is enough to make more modest folks than ourselves up-ish.

WHO IS MISSING?—The Toronto *Sun* says that there is no truth in the rumor that the parties who have undertaken to raise the steamer "Rothesay Castle," sunk outside the Island, sent to Bow Park for a pair of the proprietor's boots, to be used for pontoons—the "pure quill" having arrived from Kingston. Is the *News* staff complete this week?

NO SHAM PAYNE.

MUST STAY DEAD, THAT'S ALL ABOUT IT.

(*Toronto Sun.*)

A body was found in Trenton some days ago, and a coroner's jury adjudged it to be that of John Payne, a former resident of Kingston. But John is alive and well, and refuses to be considered a defunct person. The Kingston *Whig* insists upon him being dead, and publishes a fresh obituary notice of "the late lamented John Payne" every other day. This is rather serious business for John, and it must be equally Payneful for the *Whig*. The only way out of the difficulty that we can see is either for John to apologize to the paper and have a retraction published, or, if he refuses to do that, for the *Whig*-man to take a club and go out and kill him in the cool of the evening. The reliability of the information given to the public by the press must be sustained at all hazards.

THE RIVER.

—No more camp meeting on Thousand Island Park this year.

—J. P. Wiser, of Prescott, has sold his gelding, "Orient," for $10,000.

—A 45 pound muscalonge was caught Friday last by Miss Lute Prindle of Copenhagen while fishing near the foot of Grindstone Island. This is the largest muscalonge that has been caught on the St. Lawrence for years.

—The sail boat Lola, with Mr. E. Carpenter and Mr. A. Lord, of Brownville, capsized about one mile off the dock at Cape Vincent. It was heavily loaded with ballast and immediately sank, but they managed to keep afloat until boats reached them.—*Despatch.*

BUILDING.—The tenders for the erection of the commodious house on the military grounds, Point Frederick, will be received at Ottawa next Monday.—Mr. Ruttan's terrace on King street, Mr. Mudie's houses opposite, Capt. Crawford's houses on Johnson street, Mr. McMahon's on Bagot street, are all in the last stages of completion, the work being hurried on in view of the approach of Fall weather.—The wall running from the north-west angle of the Penitentiary to the water, enclosing the wharf premises, has been finished, and a very handsome and massive gate is being erected.

IN TORONTO.—The Kingston Base Ballers rested in London last evening after the match with the Tecumsehs. This afternoon they are to play in Toronto. Then they stop at Bowmanville, after which they probably steer home, the clubs in Detroit and Belleville having failed to come to time. Martin O'Brien will be home to-night.

ANOTHER SEIZURE. The Customs' authorities made another seizure of eight barrels of coal oil—smuggled oil—found on the premises of a grocer on Princess street this morning. The officials are prosecuting their search after this oil with great vigilance.

PHILOSOPHY.—There's one point we admire a good deal in our city ball clubs—no others can beat them without our boys having a good and valid excuse. This is what the London *Tiser* has observed. Human nature is the same all over; it strikes us as occurring often that way here.

SWIFT'S WHARF.—Steamers calling:—Magnet, from Montreal; prop Dominion, from Hamilton; Passport, from Montreal; Kincardine, from Oswego; Spartan, from Hamilton; Celtic, from Montreal; Persia, from St. Catherines, and Bruno, from Montreal.

IMPROVEMENT.—The Montreal Telegraph Company are adding to the fine appearance of their new Johnson street line by painting it white. Improvements are the order of day in Kingston this year.

THE Young Earls Base Ball Club will play the Brockville Club in St. Lawrence Park to-morrow. The balloon has arrived and will be started on the arrival of the Y.M.S.B.A. excursionists.

SEASON OVER.—The boys, including some of the old codjers who bathe at Murney Point, say that the water is becoming too cold for bathing purposes.

STEPPED OUT.—Martin Foisemoffie, supposed by many in France to be the original of Jean Valjean, the hero of Victor Hugo's *Les Miserables*, has just died at Ternes, Department of Seine-et-Oise, in France. In 1842 he was sent to the galleys for killing a priest under provocation. In 1852 he was pardoned on account of his heroic devotion during a cholera epidemic. He made a fortune as a doctor, and has been for years the beloved benefactor and good angel of the poor of his native district.

AT IRVINE.—The Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, Prime Minister of Canada, was presented with the freedom of the burgh of Irvine at a cake and wine banquet in Town Hall, on the 10th inst. There was a large audience, over which Provost Paterson presided. The burgess ticket was enclosed in a box of Mauchline woodwork, painted the Mackenzie tartan, with a silver shield on the front, bearing the inscription, and the burgh arms on the observe side.

None of us shall see another O'Connell Centenary. But we have little doubt that, before the day again comes round, Ireland will be a prosperous and contented part of the United Kingdom. The British Isles themselves will then form but a small portion of the great Empire inhabited by the English-speaking races, and Home Rule, as now understood in Ireland, will be looked back upon with amazement, as the dream of forward children calling for the moon.

ALL SERENE.—The London *Times* says, "The disputes connected with the O'Connell Centenary in Dublin were dismissed on the 10th at a meeting of the Committee, when the Lord Mayor justified the precedence he had given to the Pope over the Queen in the list of toasts at the banquet. Mr. Sullivan thought the Lord Mayor had lost his temper and his judgment, but eventually an approving resolution was passed."

GOING AHEAD.—Carleton Place offers $100,000 to the Canada Southern Railway to build their workshops at that place. The Pembroke Extension will be gone on with immediately, and tenders for five-mile contracts are being called for. The route between Nipissing and the mouth of the French River on the Pacific Railway is to be changed.

—The body of Mrs. George Laing was exhumed at Hamilton on Monday, an inquest was held, and a verdict returned that she came to her death by the procuration of an abortion in the house of "Dr." Arthur Davis, now in gaol here for the murder of Jane Gilmour. Deceased was a sister to Davis' first wife and cousin to his present one.

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ALL SUMMER DRESS GOODS,

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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.

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 Buildin

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 25 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.

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.*

pecialities 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 $1 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.

Lost,

ON Saturday morning, in the Market Square A SAFE KEY. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at the BRITISH WHIG OFFICE or with Mr. B. Holder, Princess street.

Aug 23, 1875.

STRAYED,

On the 22nd May, from the city, A DARK BRINDLE COW, small sized, white face and large horns. Any person giving information of her whereabouts will be suitably rewarded.

JOHN WRIGHT,

Aug 23, 1875.

STRAYED.

There is in my possession A DARK BROWN MARE, about 16 hands high, spot in forehead, off hind foot white. Any person may take her by proving ownership and paying expenses.

THOS. HARTLEY, Battersea.

Aug 23, 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.