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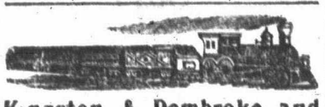

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Let The Standing Be Given.

Kingston, Jan. 2.—(To the Editor): The Kingston board of education at a recent meeting appointed a teacher to the staff of the collegiate institute. Among the applicants were graduates of Queen's university. It must be patent to everyone that all other things being at least equal, a graduate of the local university should get the preference. The appointee, however, is a graduate of another university. It goes, then, or ought to go, without saying, that this gentleman is the best man. This being the case there would be nothing further to say. But members of the board seem to have had their misgivings about it. When questioned at this meeting members of the school management committee, to whom the power of appointing is relegated, admitted that the superiority of their nominee consisted solely in a longer experience, which was moreover, in public school work, with the exception of only four months. It may be questioned, and with very good reason, whether public school experience counts for much in high school work. One of the unsuccessful Queen's graduates says in effect in last Saturday's issue, and on the best authority apparently, that those members of the committee either did not know what they were talking about or purposely made a misstatement of facts. Two of the Queen's graduates referred to were better qualified academically, and all three had more experience in high school work, while two of the three had more experience in public and high school work combined. The two committeemen who undertook to justify the seeming unfair turning down of Queen's graduates were, strange to say, professors in Queen's university. One of these committeemen said in further justification, that principal Ellis recommended this appointment. If the appointment were made on Mr. Ellis' recommendation, on what grounds, then, did Mr. Ellis make his recommendation? That it was on the merits of the candidates, is not quite clear from the foregoing. In any case, what right has Mr. Ellis to make appointments? If he owned the collegiate and paid his assistants, it would be largely his own business whom he appointed or dismissed, and on what grounds. But the ratepayers of Kingston pay Mr. Ellis as they do his assistants. Through their representatives they appointed Mr. Ellis, as they should appoint his assistants. The management committee are expected to act as honest and independent men, and not as the tools of Mr. Ellis or any one else. In justice to all concerned the standing of Mr. Hinch and of the three Queen's graduates concerned should be given the public.—FAIR PLAY.

New Year Resolves.

The city fathers—"No more bonusing, thank you!"

The newly-equipped fire brigade—"We will lick creation if it comes in the form of a fire."

Alderman Toye—"You're my pets no longer if you fail for on your shoulders I have built my seat."

Those who were rejected from serving in the Canadian contingent—"We won't do a thing to those Fenians if they come. Only let us at them."

A candidate for aldermanic honors—"The next time I run I will settle with my creditors first, so they won't again jump onto me for spite."

Some Brantfordites living in Kingston—"The next time Brantford's old boys have a re-union we'll be there."

His holiness, the pope—"Never mind, when the next century comes I won't tell the people when it begins, they've found so much fault in my present prognostications."

Some church goers—"I must break myself of this habit of sleeping in church. I have missed seeing several lovely bonnets."

A clergyman—"Am going to use my own sermons next year. I haven't shone as brightly as that 'star of the east.'"

Death of a Graduate.

A telegram from Grand Forks, B.C., has announced the death of C. P. Merritt, mining engineer. Mr. Merritt graduated last spring from the Kingston school of mining and spent part of the summer under engagement at Saw Bill mine, in the Rainy River district. He afterwards went out to British Columbia, where he was connected with a mine at Grand Forks. Three weeks ago he was taken ill with typhoid fever, but beyond the brief statement of his death no particulars have been received. His body will be brought to his home at St. Catharines, Ont., for burial. Mr. Merritt was very popular with Kingstonians during his college days, and a general regret was felt when his death was made known. The deepest sympathy is expressed for those in Kingston who sorrow deeply.

The Man In The Moon Thinks:—

That the old year went out like a lion.

That too many wrecks are occurring on the G.T.R. near Trenton.

That alderman Bell has a good chance now to introduce his scheme of "no politics" into the city council.

That heroes and martyrs are found in many places besides the battlefield.

That there are few mosquitoes in the air now.

That some wanderers are again coming back into the fold.

That the local labor unions won a victory at the polls yesterday.

Thirty-Two Stowaways.

A letter from a former Kingstonian residing at Cape Town announces that thirty-two Canadians who accompanied the first contingent to South Africa are walking the streets there, not doing anything. They were stowaways on the steamer Sardinian and were anxious for enlistment but could not fill the required physical standard. Two of them belong to Belleville. They were examined here and rejected. Later on they made their way to Quebec and hid away in the hold of the Sardinian.

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NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS.

WHAT OUR CORRESPONDENTS HAVE TO TELL US.

The Doings From Various Points in Eastern Ontario—What People Are Doing and What They Are Saying—The Events Of Interest to All Parties.

Death of a Young Lady.

Joyceville, Jan. 1.—Miss Sarah Wilson, aged seventeen years and ten months, second daughter of John Wilson, died on Thursday. From seemingly perfect health, she was stricken down on Saturday, December 23rd, by muscular rheumatism, which affected the heart, and on Thursday at 3 a.m. she passed peacefully away. Deceased was a kind, amiable, christian young lady, highly respected by her acquaintances and loved by her friends, to whom her early and sudden death was indeed a great blow. The funeral took place on Saturday, December 30th, service being held in Woodburn Methodist church by Rev. Mr. Oliver. The remains were then taken to Pine Grove vault.

Daytown Topics.

Daytown, Jan. 1.—L. Stevens is drawing wood to the school house. He has the contract for ten cords at $1.39 per cord. Claude Widrig, visiting at J. H. Wood's for some time, has returned to his home at Rome, N.Y., and Harry Stevens has gone back with him. The Baptist minister of Delta was married on Wednesday, his bride hailing from Brantford, Ont. The members of the church gave him a reception at R. Stevens' place, and about sixty people gathered there and presented him with a purse and $80 worth of furniture. Miss Sadie Bullis was married on Wednesday to Mr. Alguire, of Athens. The wedding took place at E. Barlow's at six o'clock in the evening. F. A. Huffman has been re-appointed school trustee. He also acts as secretary-treasurer. T. Connors, of Delta, has the job of carrying the mail to and from the station twice a day. The salary is $72 per annum.

Died Very Suddenly.

Calabogie, Jan. 1.—A happy and a prosperous new year to the Whig. The K.O.T.M. held their annual ball in the town hall on Friday evening, December 29th. An excellent supper was served at the residence of John McGregor. David Church has returned home with his bride. Rev. G. D. Armstrong is spending the holidays at his home in Ottawa. Miss Maggie McKenzie is spending a few days with her parents. Miss Bella Lee is attending the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Plaunt, of Renfrew. Many were shocked on Sunday morning when it was learned that Miss Bridget Fileter Ashdod had taken suddenly ill while returning from the Roman Catholic church, and being taken into the home of F. Doolan, had suddenly expired. Death was caused by heart failure. Midnight mass was celebrated in the Roman Catholic church on New Year's eve. Misses Annie and Laura Lillie left on Monday to visit friends in Harrowsmith. Theresa Hoodley, youngest daughter of John Hoodley, died this morning.

New Rink In Order.

Napanee Mills, Jan. 1.—The holidays passed off quietly, everyone expressing kindly regards and good will towards each other. Miss Vera Madden is at Bath spending a few days with Mrs. Armstrong, formerly Miss Nugent, of Newburgh. Rev. G. W. and Mrs. Swayne are at Smith's Falls with Mr. Swayne's mother, who is dangerously ill. Consequently there was no service in St. Jude's yesterday. Harry Dunlop is recovering rapidly from his recent illness. Little Ada Carscallen is very sick. She has been ailing for some time; her parents and friends are very much alarmed over her condition. Mr. and Mrs. Courtney, of Newburgh, were the guests of Miss Jackson, Thursday evening last. The new skating rink has been tested and found in good condition. A number from here attended watch night service in St. John's church, Newburgh, New Year's eve. It was a solemn and impressive service. Mrs. Galenan received some beautiful presents from her son in Victoria county. David Asselstine, assistant in the store, was confined to the house a few days with grippe. Miss Lillie Wood, apprentice with Mrs. Dunlop, spent her holidays at Violet with her family. P. Shorey, principal of the school, arrived Saturday with his bride. Congratulations.

Presentation To a Teacher.

Morton, Jan. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Manuel entertained on Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Sheffield and family, of Lyndhurst; Mr. and Mrs. R. Somerville and family; and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill, and James Manuel. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Austin, Kingston, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lake. Mr. Beatty, M.P.P., Parry Sound, called on J. C. Judd, barrister, last week. H. Metcalfe and family, Kingston, visited friends here during the past week. Miss Pink Manuel was the guest of Miss Maud Hulburt, Seeley's Bay, last week. George Somerville, ill for some time, has gone to the Kingston hospital. Mrs. Willis and family were the guests of James Simpson, Seeley's Bay, on Christmas. On Thursday evening a parlor social was held at the residence of Robert Somerville. It was very successful, and a handsome sum was realized. Choice vocal and instrumental music and various games made the evening a very enjoyable one. After the refreshments had been served, Miss McLean, who has taught here for the past four years, and who has been very active in Sabbath school work, was called forward, and an address was read to her by D. A. McKenzie, B.A. A sum of money was presented to her by Miss Manuel. Miss McLean was greatly surprised. She replied to the address thanking all for their kindness, but feeling she was unworthy of it.

Letter From the Front.

Mrs. Robert Bryant, No. 569 Princessstreet, this morning received a letter from Miss Hurst, professional nurse, accompanying the imperial soldiers to South Africa, in which the writer tells of having met Mrs. Bryant's son, William, who left here about three years ago and who is a bandsman in the Royal Irish Fusiliers. Apparently he did not proceed to the front, with the first draft of the regiment, but was sent out later to recruit the corps after its ranks were decimated. William Bryant is enrolled as a bandsman.

The letter is dated Broxlawn, Ridge Road, Berea, Durban, Natal, Nov. 23rd, and reads: "I am glad to be able to let you know that your son, of the Royal Irish Fusiliers, landed safely and fit. He is well and cheery to-day and sends love to his mother. We sent them off by train with a hearty cheer, after dividing fruit, bread, tobacco, matches, etc., among them, which they greatly appreciated, wishing him good luck and a speedy return to you."

"PULL" IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

It Works There Just as Well as In Other Countries.

"When I first began banana planting in Central America," said a resident of that part of the world who frequently visits New Orleans, "I was greatly annoyed by a neighbor who made a business of luring away my laborers. He was a cantankerous old native who 'didn't like a gringo nohow,' and as the jefe politico, or magistrate, of the nearest town sided with him and shared his views I was in a fair way of being broken up in business. About that time I had occasion to make a trip to the capital, and while there I ran across a young officer whom I had met the year before during Mardi Gras in New Orleans. He was a first rate fellow, and I had done my best on that occasion to make him enjoy his stay, but the incident had passed almost entirely out of my mind. He remembered it, however, and greeted me like a long lost brother, remarking incidentally that he was now first secretary to his excellency the minister of war. In the course of our talk I told him of my troubles on the plantation, and he asked me a few casual questions about the local magistrate.

"Next week I returned, and when I rode into town on the way to my place I was amazed to see the jefe politico come tearing out of his house, bareheaded, and salute me like a prince of the blood. He begged me to dismount and honor his poor abode with my presence, that we might discuss the outrages that had been heaped upon me by my villainous neighbor. I was dazed by such a change in his usually insulting demeanor and told him not to worry about the matter, that I would have a talk with the planter next day, and no doubt we could come to an understanding. 'Impossible, senor,' exclaimed the jefe. 'The wretch is now in prison, incomunicado.'

"Then I began to understand. It seemed that my Mardi Gras chum, the attache, had sent a redhot letter by special courier, and the old jefe, scared half out of his wits, had immediately arrested his friend and thrown him into a dungeon. I laughed so that I nearly fell off my horse and ordered him to release the prisoner at once. After that I was treated with the most distinguished consideration by everybody in the department, and I really owe my start in Central America to the champagne I cast upon the water in New Orleans. The Latin republics are all right as places of residence if you only stand in."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

THE LIFE INSURANCE CURE.

Result of a Dying Bachelor's Plan For a Novel Funeral.

"I don't know that life insurance is a cure for disease," said the retired life insurance solicitor, "but I know of an instance which makes it look that way. In the town where I first began business was a bachelor of about 50 years, who was quite alone in the world and had some years before taken out a $5,000 policy on himself for the benefit of a maiden sister, who had died a year before the events of this story. He kept his policy going, however, because it was a good way to save money, and one day he was taken down with some kind of fever. He grew worse day after day, until one day the doctor told him that he would in all likelihood be dead within the next 24 hours.

"This suggested his life insurance money, all he had to leave, and he immediately began to talk with the doctor on the subject of a proper disposal of it. He concluded after some thought that the best thing to do with it was to blow it in on a tremendous big funeral for himself, including a banquet for all the people he knew. This was an entirely new idea for a funeral, and when the doctor left him that night to the care of his nurse his mind was entirely occupied with his funeral. He talked to the nurse about it, and when the nurse made him stop he lay and thought about it. In fact, he became so much interested in the details of his funeral that he quite forgot about having to die to make it possible.

"In the morning when the doctor came he found his patient in a wild perspiration and his pulse beating in much better fashion than it had been doing for some days. He also found the general condition of the patient much improved. He was greatly astonished and at once began to ask questions. The patient told him with eager interest of a lot of new things he had thought of for the funeral and some that bothered him a good deal and said he had been thinking of it all night. Then the doctor laughed and told him he guessed the funeral would have to be postponed, for he wasn't going to die just then anyhow. Nor did he, and he isn't dead yet, but he is married and has his policy paid up for his wife's benefit."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

The Elephant Got Even.

A visitor to the circus one day teased one of the elephants by offering it a bun and, just as the animal was going to take it, pulling it back out of his reach. This he did several times, and at last the elephant naturally began to feel rather angry, and finally he refused even to look at the bun or to attempt to take it.

Later in the afternoon the elephant was being marched around the show ground when in the crowd he spied his tormentor.

He reached out his trunk and calmly appropriated the man's hat. He held it in his trunk for some time and then offered it to its owner. But as soon as he attempted to take it he pulled it back in the same way as the man had done with the bun.

This he did two or three times; but, after holding it out the last time, he drew it back and swallowed it, much to the man's disgust.

The Third Naval Power.

To all intents and purposes the United States is now the third naval power of the world. Germany is a vigilant, active, aggressive rival, whose energy in this direction, constantly fostered by a ruling power, may be expected to increase rather than diminish. Japan, the coming commercial power of the other hemisphere, is annihilating with giant strides the modicum of our supremacy. But for all that the United States will continue for some time at least to be excelled as a naval power only by Great Britain and France.—Naval Review.

Satire is a sort of glass wherein beholders do generally discover everybody's face but their own, which is the chief reason for that kind reception it meets with in the world.—Swift.

With innocence is righteous progress. There is much of the child in every faithful and brilliant student.

The latest contributions through the Whig to the fund for the deserving Larabee lad are Charles Timmerman, Odessa, $1, and Harvey and Ida Card, Moscow, $1.

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The preparations have been upon a broader scale than ever before months and months ago, long before autumn leaves began to fall, even before summer came to us, this sale was taking shape, and here is the "why." Faint rumors gradually turning to positive statements were coming across the ocean telling of scarcity and advances in Embroideries, Laces and Cottons. It was the dull time for underwear makers, the season in the year between the time when orders are completed for spring trade and the waiting for repeat orders, when machines are almost all idle. It was then that we proposed to a maker to make up our order for our January Sale. It was then that our orders were placed for December delivery of Embroideries and Cottons, and now here are the goods, piles of snowy whiteness to greet you at prices advantageous, which would be impossible but for our forethought in gathering months ago. Read the items, examine the goods, compare values, criticize the work, the styles, the shapes. This is a sale not only of White Cotton Underwear, but also of goods for the house, goods for women's wear, goods for men's wear, Embroideries, Lawns, Muslins, Cottons, Sheetings, Linens, Handkerchiefs. It will pay you to discount future wants and buy now. All lines of goods are advancing in price.

WHITE GOODS SALE PRICES FOR COTTONS, SHEETINGS, Etc.

36-in. Even Finished Cotton, 5c. yard.

36-in. Firm, Round Thread Cotton, 6c yard.

36-in. Soft Fine Cotton, 7c yard.

36-in. English Needle Finish Cotton, 8c yard.

36-in. English Princess Cotton, fine, soft, even finish, 9c yard.

36-in. English Long Cloth, 10c yard.

36-in. English Queen's Cloth, 12½c yard.

BLEACHED SHEETING.

72-in. Plain, Firm, Even Finish, 16c, 17c, 19c yard.

80-in. Plain, Round, Even Thread, 18c, 19c, 21c yard.

90-in. Plain Special Make, 21c, 24c yard.

72-in. Twill Sheeting, 18c, 19c, 21c yard.

80-in. Twill Sheeting, 20c, 21c, 23c yard.

90-in. Twill Sheeting, 22c, 24c yard.

UNBLEACHED SHEETING.

72-in. Width, Special Make, Plain and Twill, 18c yard.

PILLOW COTTONS.

Soft Finish, Bleached, Plain, 40-in., 9c yard; 42-in., 10c; 44-in., 11c; 46-in., 12c yard.

Soft Heavy Circular, 40-in., 13c yard; 42 in., 14c; 44-in., 15c; 46 in., 16c yard.

36-in. Butcher Linen; 15c, 18c, 20c yard.

Bleached Check Glass Cloth, 16 in., 5c yard; 18 in., 8c; 24-in., 10c yard.

Bleached Crash Towelling, 16-in., 8c and 10c yard; 18-in., 12½c yard.

Bleached Cotton Terry, 20c yard.

Bleached Cotton Honey Comb, 25c yard

Bleached Flannelettes, 8c, 10c, 12½c yard.

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72-in. Bleached Damask, 60c, 75c, 90c, $1, $1.25 yard.

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Floral Designs, border all round, 2¼x2 yards, $1.25, $1.75, $2 each; 2¾x2 yards, $1.50, $2, $2.75 each; 3x2 yards, $3.50, $5 each; 3½x2½ yards, $5, $6, $7.50 each.

BLEACHED TOWELLS.

Fringe ends, size 17x24, 15c pair; 18x36, 20c, 25c pair; size 21x42, 35c pair; 20x40, 45c pair; size 22x45, 50c pair; 22x40, 60c pair; 24x42, 75c pair.

TABLE NAPKINS.

Ready Hemmed, ¾ size, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50, $2.75, $3 dozen.

Double Damask Napkins, ¾ and ⅞ size, $5, $6, $7.50, $8 dozen.

WHITE COTTON QUILTS.

Honey Comb, with fringe, 75c each.

Crochet Hemmed Ends, 75c each.

Marsailles, $1.75, $2, $2.25, $3 each.

APRON LAWNS.

36 in. Strong Lawn with 3 in. hem and 3 tucks, 10c.

40-in. Fine Even Lawn, 4-in. hem, 3 clusters of 3 tucks each, 15c yard.

40-in. Sheer Finish Lawn, 3-in. hem with insertion between rows of tucks, 20c, 25c yard.

44-in. Fine Victoria Lawn, 8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c yard.

27-in. Spot Muslins, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c yard.

27-in. Satin Check Muslins, 10c, 12½c yard.

18 in. Lawn Tucking, 25c, 30c yard.

27-in. Lawn Tucking, 50c yard.

MEN'S SHIRTS AND COLLARS.

Laundered White Shirts, 50c., 75c.

Laundered Dress Shirts, $1, $1.25.

Unlaundered White Shirts, double back and fronts, reinforced shoulders, continuous facings, 50c. each.

White Cotton Night Shirts, 50c., 75c. each.

Linen Collars, 10c., 12½c. each.

EMBROIDERIES AND LACES.

Embroidery Edgings, 3c., 5c., 6c., 7c., 8c yard.

Wide Embroideries, 7, 8c., 10c., 12½c. yard.

Insertions, 8c., 10c., 12½c., 15c., 20c., 25c. yard.

Linen Torchon Edging, 7c., 8c., 10c. yard.

Linen Torchon Laces, 10c., 12½c., 15c., 20c., 25c. yard.

Valencia Laces, 45c. to 75c. per dozen yards.

Finishing Braids, 12½c., 15c., 20c per dozen.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Men's White Lawn Handkerchiefs, 6 for 25c.

Men's Tape border, Pure Linen, 12½c., 15c each.

Women's Lawn Handkerchiefs, hem stitched, 6 for 25c.

Women's Swiss Embroidered Lawn, 5c., 12½c., 15c. each.

Women's Lace Edge Lawn, 20c., 25c.

Women's Linen, hem stitched, 10c. 12½c., 15c., 20c., 25c

Lawn Handkerchiefs Centres, 8c., 10c. each.

Linen Handkerchiefs Centres, 12½c., 15c., 20c., 25c.

WHITE COTTON UNDERWEAR.

Corset Covers, high neck, embroidery trimmed, 15c., 20c.

V Front, embroidery trimmed, 25c.

V. Front, lace trimmed, 35c.

High neck, embroidery trimmed, 40c., 45c. each.

Square cut fronts and V fronts, in a variety of trimmings, 45c., 50c., 75c., 90c., 95c.

Chemises, embroidery trimmed, 35c.

DRAWERS.

Lace trimmed, 15c. pair

With tucks and embroidery or tucks and deep hem, 20c., 25c., 35c., 40c., 45c., 50c., 65c., 75c. pair.

GOWNS.

Mother Hubbard and Empire styles, cambric frills and embroidery or lace trimming, 40c., 50c., 65c., 75c., 90c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.50.

SKIRTS.

Yoke band cambric frill clustertucks, 50c.

Yoke band cluster tucks, embroidery frill, 65c., 75c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $2.25.

Special display of White Cotton Underwear on second floor.

STARR & SUTCLIFFE,

118-120 PRINCESS STREET.

Clerks In The Government Stores

A London, Eng., newspaper which reached the city to-day contained the statement that Pres. D. M. Eby and E. Dunlop, Kingston company, members of the first Canadian contingent in South Africa, have been retained at Cape Town as clerks in the government stores.

An Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Kingston and Bath road company was held in the police court room on Monday afternoon. These directors were elected: D. J. Rankin, J. B. Carruthers, J. B. Forsythe, Col. Duff and the reeve of Kingston township.

Will Now Look After Business.

Mayor Ryan says he feels greatly pleased at being out of politics. It is the first rest he has had in eight years and the relief is gratifying. He intends devoting his time entirely to his business.

A Handsome Present.

William Wolfe, son of Colonel Wolfe of the Royal Military College, and subordinate staff, and an old Kingstonian, now of the 14th battalion band, is most interested in the band of "B" battery of Canadian Artillery, Quebec.

Men's Pillows Distinctive Patent.

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TOYE'S BREAD.

WE KNOW HOW

To make bread. Long experience, skilled bakers, special machinery and best materials have established our reputation. Largest assortment made in the city. Straight Quaker, Cream, Whole Wheat, Brown, and three fancy lines.

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A Successful Launch.

On Friday afternoon last a new crib for the locomotive works was launched at the side of the main wharf without damage to the structure. It was considered quite an undertaking, but the builder, W. J. Gates, has had long experience at this work and many of the best wharves in the city were constructed under his supervision.

Men's and Women's Fancy Slippers

The finest assortment in the city at Abernethy's.

Charles A. Dewey, Renfrew, formerly with R. Waldron & Co., was in the city yesterday, the guest of Dr. Sands.

What Was Said.

In connection with the Portsmouth election, the statement was freely made that two candidates were being put up for election so that the street railway company could get back its deposit of $100 with the village council. Tom, the candidates, in question, emphatically deny. This sum had been paid by the company as security for putting the road in condition after the railway tracks were laid. The council was not satisfied with the way the company left the road, and used the deposit for repairs. The street railway company, it is claimed, could recover the money by a law suit.

The schools re open to morrow.