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By order,
JOSEPH R. ROY,
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STAFF CONGRATULATIONS.

To the many congratulations that the publisher of the Whig has received, on the occasion of his wedding, are added those of the Whig staff, and these are expressed with a modesty and earnestness that will be fully understood.

Some of those who thus express themselves have been associated with Mr. Pense for a long time, have enjoyed his confidence, shared his spirit, and entered into his plans for wider usefulness; some have joined the Whig later on, in the zenith of its popularity, and felt its inspiration; all have united in paying tribute to a head who has a most kind and generous heart and a sincere desire for the esprit de corps we so much appreciate.

We desire nothing more than that the good feeling that has always dominated the staff, and the bond of sympathy that has held its members together, be long continued, that the fellowship of the past may be an ever-abiding product of the future.

Of Mrs. Pense, a most amiable help-meet of a most worthy man, all entertain the kindliest thoughts. May the lives linked to-day under such pleasing auspices, be attended only with what will contribute to their unbroken and complete happiness.

SUMMING UP THE CASE.

The emergency food enquiry is practically over, and its finding the Whig anticipates by a few candid comments. Its views have somewhat chaged as the evidence proceeded.

First—When the test was made in Kingston it should have been hedged about by every precaution looking to thoroughness and completeness of examination and result. The food was alleged to contain a certain percentage of proteids. The government, by its own analysts, should have made sure of this, and should have demanded to know, for its own satisfaction, the ingredients of the food. The fact appears to be that the maker or his agent was interested in the test for advertising purposes, and ran it as he pleased. No one expected a war in which Canadian troops would take a part, or fighting would have been taken for granted. In any case Lieut.-Col. Neilson should have supervised the test.

Second — When the food was wanted Hon. Dr. Borden left the ordering of it to the head of the medical department. Lieut.-Col. Neilson stipulated that it should be the same as that which was tested in Kingston, but he was not personally sure of it, and he made no tests in order to establish this point beyond peradventure. He knew Dr. Devlin, the salesman, very well, and, acting like 99 per cent of the buyers nowadays, proceeded in good faith, believing that the man was as good as his bond, and that his representations would be verified. He was quite satisfied that he was getting the article that had been tested in Kingston. He made a verbal contract for the supply and had it confirmed later with the sanction of the minister. He was altogether too easily pleased.

Third— The letter of Mr. Hatch to the minister was not acted upon. Granted that he was influenced by jealous motives, the fact that it was his food which was supposed to have been tested in Kingston, and ordered, and that there was an apparent substitute for it should have engaged some one's attention. Dr. Borden cannot attend to all the details of his department, but others can. He is the responsible head. He should have handed the Hatch letter to Lieut.-Col. Neilson and asked for his report thereon and had he done that the only grievance in the case, so far as he is concerned, would have been disposed of.

Fourth—The quality of the food was discovered before the account was paid, but the transaction went through, according to Col. Fenault, because "the goods delivered were equal to the sample furnished by the department." In other words the government's officials had evidence, from the analysis of the food, that it was not worth what it was supposed to be, and $2 per ration was paid because it agreed with the sample sent to the department. The sample, in that event, and to check the quality, should have been analyzed, and it was not.

Fifth—The last mentioned discovery was not reported to the minister for a month or two after it occurred, or until after the papers began to discuss the "scandal." Dr. Borden left the matter, seemingly, in the hands of the officials, and if any blundering has been done it is to be laid at their doors. Lieut.-Col. Neilson, indeed, assumes the responsibility for the whole transaction, and he ought to be a highly qualified person to occupy the position he does.

Finally—The committee will be warranted in absolving the minister from the charge that he has been "culpably negligent," and will show that the opposition made very much of very little. If a recommendation must be passed it should be that the officials should incorporate into the departmental affairs a little of the shrewdness and sharpness which is characteristic of business life. The whole outfit is too easy going, and needs a shaking up.

EDITORIAL THOUGHTS.

It is denied that Mr. Martin suggested James Dunsmuir as his successor in the premiership of British Columbia. Good. It relieves Dunsmuir, in seeking the dismissal of McInnes, Martin's friend, of the rankest ingratitude.

According to Mr. McLean, of the World, Dr. Montague has been one of the nest of traitors whose mischief never ends. But Sir Charles and he have been stumping Halidmand, which shows that the old man is not a believer in the story.

The political picnic season has commenced and Kingston has its big go on July 1st. Why did Lake Ontario park management overlook Joe Haycock? It's dollars to dough-nuts he can talk Davin, and Foy and Whitney and all the rest of them into the shade.

The new secretaries of the Ontario conservative party—John T. C. Thompson and John Grier—are advised to get their pay in advance if they would avoid Bob Birmingham's fate. And the date of their appointment, should be written in letters of gold.

Mr. Preston, immigration inspector, is said to be agitating for a removal of the rebellious Boers from South Africa. Are the Canadians in favour of such a move? We doubt it. The history of these people is that they will not submit to government anywhere. They are not wanted in Canada.

No, Mr. Spectator, the record does not show that Bob Birmingham was dismissed by the conservative union of Ontario. It shows that his resignation was accepted, that there is dispute about his account, and that a "friendly" suit will be instituted to test its merits in the courts.

Col. Kitson has made the "break" that Col. Hewitt did in regard to the press. The latter saw his error and was kindness itself for the rest of his term, besides which he was not nearly so open to criticism as at least two of his successors. When the public hear some things about college management there will be a surprise. If the gossip shows how British officers are being loaded down with pay and Canadian professors are tied down to small salaries, an act of justice will be precipitated. Things are not right by any means. There will have to be a change in spirit or the government will have a load to carry.

CONGRESS OF COMMERCE.

A Consultative Council Has Been Named.

London, June 27.—The first business of the fourth congress of the association of chambers of commerce of the united kingdom, which opened here yesterday morning, was the unanimous adoption of a resolution urging the early formation of a consultative council representing the whole empire to consider and advise upon imperial and colonial questions.

Senator Drummond, of Canada, evoked loud applause by his sarcastic comments upon the platitudinous Birmingham resolution, in which increasing cordiality and union of inter-imperial relations was insisted upon. Dr. Drummond said the people who had sent their sons to fight for the flag in South Africa, did not do so from an increasing sense of cordiality. That phrase was better fitted for a five o'clock tea party. With us it was a question of race and kinship. Inter-imperial ties should be expressed in family trade relationship.

The Birmingham resolution was withdrawn.

A resolution proposed by the Toronto board of trade, advocating "the adoption of a commercial policy based on the principle of mutual benefit, by which each part of the empire may receive substantial advantage in trade as the result of its national relationship," led to a prolonged and heated discussion. The matter was temporarily shelved, however, by the appointment of a committee to formulate and define a proposal for consideration by the congress. This was done in spite of the strenuous opposition of the Canadians, who opposed the appointment of the committee unless the congress first declared in favor of reciprocity.

The Manchester delegates promised to oppose any compromise, and to introduce a resolution in favor of unmitigated free trade.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Notes Regarding the Movements of Vessels.

The schooner Acacia cleared last night for Oswego.

The tug Hall cleared with four grain-laden barges for Montreal.

The steamer Islander is in the government dry-dock receiving repairs.

The steamer Algerian, from Montreal, arrived at Swift's wharf late last night.

The steamer Persia, from Toronto, touched at Craig's wharf this morning.

Arrivals at Richardsons' elevator: Schooners Maggie L., Monitor and Granger, from bay ports.

The tug Bronson arrived with four light barges from Montreal, and cleared again for the same place with four grain-laden barges.

Really Gas Boxes.

Superintendent Hewitt claims that the service boxes about which so much complaint is made concerning their being about the level of the street, are in reality gas service boxes; the gas company uses the same style of service box as the water works department.

Wait For The Double Header.

Columbian and North King to Rochester, Saturday and Sunday next, home Tuesday morning, one o'clock.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Movements of the People — What They Are Saying and Doing.

Robert Gage, jr., Riverside, Cal., is in the city.

Dr. Egerton B. Cays left yesterday for Chautaqua, N. Y.

Lieut.-Col Herchmer is on his way home to Canada from South Africa.

F. G. Bell and wife, St. Catharines, are in the city spending their honeymoon.

Harry Connolly, Cookshire, Que., has arrived to spend the summer vacation with his parents at Cataraqui.

Dr. and Mrs. Farrell, Utica, N.Y., are in the city to attend the marriage tomorrow of alderman J. M. Farrell.

Police Sergt. Nesbitt sailed to-day from Montreal, on the steamer Lake Michigan. He will spend one month in Ireland.

Dr. McCammon, Gananoque, is ill at the general hospital, which he entered yesterday. He was attending the military camp.

Mrs. F. J. McCammon, Brooklyn, N. Y., arrived in the city on Saturday, and will spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. McRossie.

Miss Frankie Day, Path road, and Miss Mertie Day, University avenue, are enjoying pleasant holidays at the Brome mountains, Quebec.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mary I. Snider, third daughter of judge Snider, Hamilton, to Kenneth Molson, Molsons' bank, St. Thomas, son of J. S. Molson, Montreal.

Rev. C. W. King and wife left last night for Toronto, where Mr. King will take over the duties of pastor of Parliament street Baptist church. They leave many friends in Kingston.

John Donnelly, of the Donnelly salvage and wrecking company, was the first man to record his vote in Ontario ward in favor of the smelter by-law. He thinks the smelter will be a great boon to Kingston and will attract other capitalists here.

SPOILED BY BAD WEATHER.

Lawn Social at Lake Ontario Park in Aid of Chimes Fund.

What promised to be a splendid lawn social at Lake Ontario park was spoiled by the storm last evening. The ladies of the Home association of St. Andrew's church, with Miss Etta Macpherson as convenor, had made extensive preparations for the social, which was in aid of the chimes' fund, but their expectations were not fulfilled. At the hour when the cars were filled and many were making preparations to go out to Lake Ontario park, a thunderstorm arose and drove them indoors again.

The social marked the formal opening of the park, and the ladies had taken considerable trouble to make the place attractive. Numerous tables plentifully supplied were scattered among the trees, and these were liberally patronized. The tables were in charge of these workers:

Work table—Mrs. Mackie, Mrs. J. C. Strange, Miss Minnes, Miss Fowler, Miss H. Fraser.

Tea and strawberry table—Mrs. T. Robinson, Mrs. W. Gill, Mrs. Booth, Miss Smith.

Ice cream—Mrs. M. Strange, Mrs. H. R. Duff, Mrs. Hopkirk, Mrs. Williams.

Candy table—Mrs. Hughes, Miss M. Strange, Miss Fowler, Miss Low, Miss McDowall.

Lemonade table — Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Newlands.

Music was supplied by pipers Downie and Baker and a detachment of the 14th regimental band.

Owing to the unfavorable weather the receipts did not more than cover expenses.

Writing On Entrance Exams.

Ninety-two girls began writing on the entrance examinations at the city hall this morning. The boys about 100 and a small number of girls are writing at the collegiate institute. Altogether about two hundred pupils are taking the examinations. Those at the city hall are in charge of inspector Kidd and those at the collegiate in charge of principal Ellis. The subjects this morning were English grammer, and geography, and, in the afternoon, composition and dictation. Thursday morning, arithmetic and drawing; afternoon, history. Friday morning, English literature and writing; afternoon, physiology and temperance. Those in charge will set a convenient time for examination in reading.

Lucky To Miss The Train.

B. Silver, Princess street merchant, this morning received a letter from his son L. Silver, with a surveying party in New Brunswick. When Mr. Silver was at Edmonton he received a telegram to proceed by a certain train, which left at once for Grand Falls. He missed the train by only a few minutes. This was the train that crashed through the bridge near Grand Falls, causing the death of the engineer and fireman, the serious injury of numerous passengers and the piling up of seven or eight cars at the bottom of the river beneath twenty-five feet of water. The young man is now glad that he missed the train.

Prohibition Resolution.

Ottawa, June 27.—Arrangements have been made by which the debate on Mr. Flint's prohibition resolution will be resumed on Monday of next week and a vote will probably be taken on the principle of provincial local option, which is embodied in Mr. Flint's proposal.

Miller's Compound Iron Pills, only 25c. for fifty doses. Sold by E. C. Mitchell.

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DRY GOODS — IMPORTERS.

KINGSTON'S LEADING DRY GOODS STORE.

Wednesday, June 27th.

Crowds After Wash Goods.

There's a great difference in stores. It dep on the management. One buys anything that c itself at a cheap price. Another picks out the manufacturers in each department of trade and satisfaction by getting it. Can you tell them ap We'd be sorry to think you couldn't recognize w side of the difference this store is on. We know m about the merchandise we own. Enough to make confident when quality is considered. Take wash g for instance, and all the materials for summer dres Patterns of remarkable beauty have come. They no less so than last year. The fabrics themselves the same with variations. The color printing is as fect and the designs take a much wider range. T are so many that we have bought only a few pieces any one color and design. We've had much to say the new perfection of these fabrics, and especially these color effects. Never before have such goods b woven; never before was such printing done, and n we have to add. Never before was such richn fulness, breadth and variety of picture making printing on any fabric. Whatever you know we h now, and have had all along. The Dress Goo stock of Kingston—a voluminious stock of all t fashion calls for. Your fashion and counter roo Enough to afford every opportunity to look, to hand to examine. Just the spot one feels like taking ti in. We are selling now:

Ginghams, Prints and Muslins, worth 8c to 12 yard, for 5c yard.

French Printed Muslins, worth 35c. for 20c.

French Printed Silk Finished Foulards, wo 35c, for 25c.

White Ducks, worth 12½c, for 7½c.

On THURSDAY we shall sell in the Lini Department:

White and Creme Linenette Dress Linings, gular 12½c, for 6½c yard.

800 yards Fawn, Drills and Moira Effects, Duch regular 12½c at 7½c yard.

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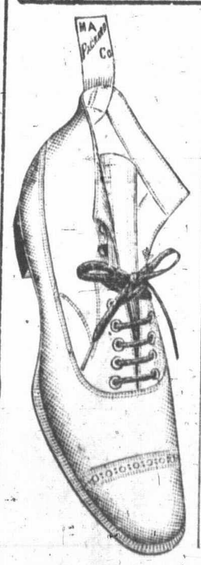

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By purchasing a pair of our deliciously cool "White Canvas Shoes." We have a big range of hot weather Shoes and as a extra inducement during this last week of THE BRODIE BANKRUPT STOCK SALE we will sell all Summer Shoes at an extra cut in prices.

Gents' White Canvas Laced Boots from $1 50 up. Gents' White Canvas Low Shoes from $1.25 up. Ladies' Cool, Comfortable Low Shoes from $1 up. Boys' Canvas Laced Boots, sizes 10, 11, 12, 13, at 95c. Child's White Canvas Low Shoes 75c and 85c.

J. H. Sutherland & Bro.

The Marvellous Record of Cures made by Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets in every section of the Country is always backed by home evidence. Kingston proof.

Mrs. William Hazlett, 147 Frontenac street, says: "I got Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets from J. B. McLeod, the Princess street druggist, for myself, but my husband was having so bad a back that he could get neither up nor down, and I had him take them.

He is a boilermaker and his work is very hard on his back. That day he was worse than usual; every motion caused him extreme pain. Those attacks of lumbago hung on so long, but in this instance he was quickly relieved. He says that he never had any kidney medicine so prompt. Now I am going to use them myself. Those Tablets not only remove the pain and stiffness from the back, but they regulate the kidneys as well. We think that there cannot anything surpass Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets for the kidneys."

Mrs. William McCutcheon, 151 Frontenac street, says: "I was very much pleased with the result of using Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets which I procured from J. B. McLeod, the druggist, on Princess street. Though I was not suffering from backache, yet I knew that my kidneys were out of order. The secretions were not normal. I had more or less languor and at times a feeling of lightness or slight dizziness. I began using Pitcher's Tablets and all traces of those difficulties disappeared. Having afforded me relief so quickly inclines me to heartily recommend these Tablets."

If you have the slightest symptom of kidney or bladder trouble you can test this great medicine free. Arrangements have been made whereby every reader of this paper can obtain a trial package of Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets absolutely free by enclosing two cent stamp for postage to the Pitcher Tablet Co., Toronto, Ont. When giving address mention this paper.

If you are convinced Pitcher's Tablets are what you want you can purchase regular size for 50c. per bottle. If not obtainable at druggists, mailed free of postage on receipt of price.

Saved By A Bible.

Col. Sergt. V. LeBar writes from the general hospital, Springfontein, Mar. 26th, to a friend in Peterboro. After telling of the killing of private Cotton at Thaba N'Chu, he adds: "A few minutes after another shell hit right at my feet and threw me several feet into the air. It was a sample of God's mercy that it did not burst or I should not be alive at the present moment. As it was I escaped with a severe shaking up. I was unconscious for several hours. As I was being borne off the field by the S. B's. a rifle bullet imbedded itself in a bible I was carrying in my breast pocket. It was a small bible I received from my mother while at Quebec just before sailing."

William Orr, Madoc, died in Rockwood hospital last Friday. Deceased was sixty-six years of age, and had been confined to the hospital for a few weeks.

Sir Charles Tupper sails by the Tunisian, for England, on Saturday.