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TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received until 6 o'clock WEDNESDAY EVENING for the Building of a FOOTBALL CAMPUS on the Drill Shed Common.
Plans and specifications may be inspected at the City Engineer's Office.
CHAS. BOOTH, C.E.

Discovered an Historic Document.

Daniel E. Grass, Portsmouth, has found an historic document in his search among family relics. It is a power of attorney given by Capt. Michael Grass, his ancestor, in 1783, for prosecution of the claims for compensation of those U.E. loyalists forced to emigrate from New York after the revolution. The witnesses were John Everett and John Monier. Capt. Grass, whose descendants are numerous in the township of Kingston, was awarded part of the present site of the city of Kingston as a reward for loyal services in the critical period of American disruption. His house stood near where William McRoskie's new resta and the present city park was his farm. He gave it over for a public reserve, on condition it should never be built upon. If it be ever diverted from park uses undoubtedly Capt. Grass' heirs will claim it.

William Atchison, Cornwall, aged sixty years, is dead. He was a man of means and devoted to charity and church work. His death was caused by paralysis.

The separate school board has effected its consolidated loan, but the Roman Catholic club building project hangs fire.

MADE A CITY AUDITOR.

THE SALARY OF THE CITY CLERK FIXED AT $1,900.

The Collector Will be Paid by a Percentage and the Market Clerk Will Collect the Tolls—The Aldermen Grew Warm on Various Topics.

The finance report relating to the changes in the civic officers was submitted in an amended form at the council last night. It stipulated that the city clerk's salary be $1,700; that the chief of police act as clerk of the police court; that the appointment and dismissal of assistants be done by the chiefs of the civic department, with the approval of the city council, and that the chiefs be responsible to the council for any loss incurred through assistants, and that the clerk of the market collect the fees on market No. 1.

Ald. Behan could not understand why the city clerk's salary was reduced and the salaries of the other officials were not interfered with. He did not think the appointment of the market clerk to collect the market fees was feasible.

Ald. Gaskin favored the report and said that the clerk's office should not be favored in the matter of salaries beyond that of the city treasurer.

Ald. W. Robinson thought that the salary of the city clerk should not be interfered with while Mr. Flanagan lived.

Ald. Meek—What became of the consolidation of offices scheme? Why did the committee abandon it?

Alds. Walkem and McIntyre—The clause was defeated.

Ald. Meek said if the aldermen do not want to express themselves on this matter he was satisfied. He was of the opinion they should not interfere with the city clerk, who has been the incumbent of the office fifty years. He should not be disturbed by a cranky paragraph such as was inserted in the report.

The discussion got interesting at this point, and Ald. Curtis said he would not be in favor of reducing the city clerk's salary while he holds office, but when a new appointment was made he would support a proposition to make the clerk's salary $1,000 per year. The "house of lords" had been trying to do something since the beginning of the year, but up to the present had failed to do anything. They first jumped on a man with fourteen children, and now they are after the city clerk, who has been a faithful servant, and whose declining years should not be disturbed by any set of aldermen.

Ald. Gaskin gave away statements made by Ald. Curtis in committee to the effect that $1,500 was sufficient for the city clerk. A man who would make a statement like this and then come into the council and speak different was too mean to sit at the board or in the company of any respectable body of men.

Ald. Curtis said he was in favor of reducing the clerk's salary provided other officials were similarly treated.

Ald. Elliott said he was not in favor of reducing the clerk's salary and claimed that there was nothing in the report of the committee.

Ald. McIntyre—Not even wind.

Moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Behan, that the report be laid on the table. Lost.

Moved by Ald. Behan, seconded by Ald. Allen, that the clause relating to the clerk's salary be reconsidered.

The motion was lost on the following division:

Yeas—Alds. Allen, Behan, Carson, Curtis, Elliott, Hardy, Meek, McMahon, G. Robinson, W. Robinson, Ryan—11.

Nays—Mayor Herald, Alds. Gaskin, Horn, Martin, Mundell, McIntyre, McKelvey, Richardson, Skinner, Walkem, Wright—11.

A vote was then taken on the clause that the city clerk's salary be $1,700. The division was:

Yeas—Mayor Herald, Alds. Gaskin, Hardy, Horn, Mundell, McIntyre, McKelvey, Richardson, Wright—9.

Nays—Alds. Allen, Behan, Carson, Curtis, Elliott, Martin, Meek, McMahon, G. Robinson, W. Robinson, Ryan, Skinner, Walkem—13.

It was moved in amendment by Ald. Meek, seconded by Ald. Hardy, that clause four be amended to read that with the permission of the police commissioners the duties of the city commissioner and secretary of the board of health be transferred to the chief of police, and that his salary be the same as recommended by the finance committee in a previous report; that the assessor be appointed auditor of the city accounts, and that his salary be $1,000 and his duties defined by by-law.

Ald. McKelvey would be in favor of the resolution if the assessor's salary would be allowed to remain at $1,000.

Ald. McIntyre thought the chiefs of the civic departments were the best qualified to audit the accounts and, therefore, the appointment of a public auditor was not necessary. With reference to the appointment of the chief of police as city commissioner, the speaker thought such an official should be under the control of the council instead of under the police commissioners.

Ald. Meek explained that the head of departments did not go into the investigation of the accounts carefully and the aldermen had to spend several hours, at different times, looking over the bills. The appointment of the assessor, as a public auditor, was a reform that would be appreciated by the people.

Ald. McKelvey thought Mr. Gordon should be appointed city auditor and by this appointment $200 would be saved.

The motion was carried on the following division:

Yeas—Alds. Allen, Behan, Carson, Curtis, Elliott, Hardy, Horn, Martin, Meek, Mundell, McIntyre, McKelvey, McMahon, G. Robinson, W. Robinson, Skinner, Walkem—17.

Nays—Mayor Herald, Alds. Gaskin, Richardson, Ryan, Wright—5.

In reference to the appointment of the market clerk to collect the fees addresses were made by Alds. Behan and Elliott in opposition.

Ald. H. Richardson believed in free markets. He did not wish any restrictions maintained that kept people away from the city. If the clerk of the market was appointed to collect market fees, he might only have to fill the position for a year, because by this time an agreement might be reached by which the markets would be made free and toll gates would be abolished.

Ald. Gaskin said that with the assistance of two policemen Mr. McCammon could collect the market fees handily. "Give the reform a trial."

Ald. McKelvey said the market clerk should collect the market tolls, and Ald. Walkem said that if the clerk collected the tolls as carefully as the lessees the city would make money by the change.

The motion was carried.

When the budget was up for consideration it was moved by Ald. Meek, seconded by Ald. Elliott, that the collector of taxes be paid by percentage on his collections as follows: On the amount paid to him between the time the rolls of 1894 are placed in his hands and Nov. 1st, one-half per cent.; on the amount paid to him between Nov. 1st and Feb. 1st, two per cent.; on the amount paid him between Feb. 1st and April 1st one and a half per cent., and on the amount paid to him between April 1st and the time the rolls are returned, one-half per cent. Carried.

It was moved by Ald. W. Robinson, seconded by Ald. Ryan, that the city clerk's salary be $1,900. Motion carried on the following division:

Yeas—Alds. Allen, Behan, Carson, Curtis, Elliott, Hardy, Horn, Martin, Meek, G. Robinson, W. Robinson, Ryan, Skinner, Walkem,—14.

Nays—Mayor Herald, Alds. Gaskin, Mundell, McIntyre, McKelvey, Richardson, Wright,—7.

Before the council rose last evening the report of the board of works and a local improvement by-law were passed. Mr. McFadden, awarded the contract to supply the city with horses at $1.75 per day for teams, did not wish to abide by his agreement in respect to drawing the street sweeper, which was very hard on horses. When he signed the contract it was not known the city would purchase a street sweeper. Had he understood he would have to draw the sweeper, he would have put in a higher tender. He wanted $3 per day for horses drawing the sweeper, and the request was granted after a long discussion. Many of the aldermen thought Mr. McFadden should have been held to his contract, and had he been engaged by a private individual instead of a corporation he would have had to stick to his agreement.

When midnight came there was a discussion as to whether the council would adjourn and take up the budget at another meeting. A motion to finish the business was carried, and Ald. Meek suggested that some arrangement should be entered into between the aldermen by which they could procure a cup of coffee and some substantial refreshments. There was no response and many of the aldermen adjourned to Catlin's restaurant and regaled themselves with crackers and cheese. The city clerk was not forgotten. A lunch for him was brought in by Ald. Skinner.

The petition of the workingmen to have improvements and land assessed separately was referred to the finance committee and will likely be favorably received.

Ald. Curtis was a little surprised that his brother colleagues in the "house of lords" had taken mental notes of observations made during desultory conversations. They fired the statements made by him in reference to the city clerk back in an effectual way and proved them by such witnesses as Alds. McKelvey and McIntyre. During the wordy struggle on this matter Ald. Curtis said Ald. Gaskin was misrepresenting his (Curtis') remarks, Ald. Gaskin said the reason Ald. Curtis had changed his mind was to curry favor with certain portions of the electorate.

There has been great preaching on the part of some aldermen to the effect that the council must practice economy and retrenchment, but how do their votes tally with their professions. They are willing to curtail expenses in every way except in the matter of law, the most expensive expenditure in connection with civic administration. Having been beaten in one court in a suit against the electric street railway they intend to go higher and spend more public funds for the benefit of judges and lawyers. It was said by some aldermen that instead of appealing against the decision of the judge, it would be cheaper to settle with the company, but this did not find favor, and more litigation will result.

Ald. McIntyre was astonished when Mr. Gordon reported that he could engage a man to remove garbage twice a week from all the houses in the city for $100 per annum. He would not make much money on the job.

Ald. Gaskin was very anxious to have Mr. Flanagan's salary stated in the budget, because up to the present the majority of people did not know it.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Ready Money

Can save fifty cents by reading Laidlaw's adv't. to-night.

Something New.

We have just received new styles in chenille curtains never before shown in Kingston, to be had only at R. McFaul's Kingston carpet warehouse.

Morgans vs. Clarke.

Martin's opera house, to-morrow evening, after the fencing championship has been decided, a sparring match for points will take place between these two men. 14th band in attendance. Chairs, 50c; gallery, 25c. Don't forget to secure your seats.

Will Have A Big Time.

Commissioner Gordon expects there will be a lot of trouble over getting the water pipes arranged on the principal streets when the granolithic walks are laid. Only a few have heeded his notice to conduct the pipes into their cellar drains. It will be a hard matter to get some of the pipes into the cellars.

Kingston Postal Inspector.

G. A. Burnham, assistant inspector of the Toronto postal division, has been appointed inspector of the Kingston division, in succession to Allan Jones, transferred to the Barrie division. Mr. Burnham's promotion carries with it an increase in salary of $400 per annum, and leaves a good position vacant in Toronto division.

"Queen" Flour.

Good flour, flour that is easily made into light, white, well flavored bread, and equally good for pastry and cake, is one of the articles all housekeepers want. The above brand of flour, made by M. McLaughlin & Co., Royal Dominion Mills, Toronto, was awarded the highest honors at the world's fair, Chicago, and is warranted the best flour ever offered in this city.

Mrs. Carroll Died At Calgary.

The many friends of Mrs. Mary Carroll, widow of the late Timothy Carroll, Kingston, will be sorry to learn of her death, which took place at Calgary, Alberta, on Wednesday last, 25th April, where she had been living with her sons and daughters for the past eight years. A son, W. Carroll, keeps a gents' furnishing and tailoring establishment in Calgary, and is treasurer of the Oddfellows' encampment there.

In Prosperous Condition.

The treasurers of Queen street Methodist church closed their books last night for the ecclesiastical year. The church is in a prosperous condition. The givings of the people, through envelopes and on the plates, reached $2,405. Every known account of the quarterly board has been met and a small balance is on hand. When the pew rents, the subscriptions for missionary and church building and the other funds are tabulated the total will reach nearly $3,000.

The Easter Examinations.

Among those of the first year at the agricultural college, Guelph, we find these as having passed in all subjects at the Easter examinations: S. G. Carlyle, Chesterville; G. A. Smith, W. E. Thorn, Morrisburg; J. Knight, Elginburg; W. N. McKinley, Seeley's Bay; J. S. Wallbridge, Belleville. In the second year class: G. A. Robertson, Kingston, ranking second; G. A. Duffett, Adolphustown; S. C. Shorey, Harrowsmith. In the honor list in dairying and horticulture Robertson ranked first.

Executive Women's National Council.

A meeting of the executive committee of the local council of women, took place in the council chamber yesterday afternoon. All the office bearers were present except two, and much interest was shown in the new organization. The poor relief association was announced as another federating association, this making thirteen already federated. Some discussion took place regarding the formation of by-laws and the time of the first general meeting of the council, which will be decided at an adjourned meeting of the executive, to be held next Thursday evening.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS.

The Spices of Every Day Life—What the Public Are Talking About—Nothing Escapes the Attention of Those Who Are Taking Notes.

This is an ideal May day.

The street car gongs are asthmatic.

Read Laidlaw's advertisement to-night.

Rev. G. Metzler, of Cardinal, is in the city.

The vital statistics for the month are: Births, 25; marriages, 3; death, 22.

Ald. W. Robinson and ex-Ald. Wilson left for Sharbot Lake to-day for a fish.

Beecham's Pills cure bilious and nervous ills.

Murney park, on King street, needs trimming badly, just as the City park did on West street.

American silver truss for sale at Mitchell's drug store.

Ald Richardson has had the hides of the deer he shot last fall dressed. They make handsome mattings.

Francis Davis has sold two houses through advertising. The service costs little, and often pays a hundred fold.

Baker sells a 10c cigar for 5c. Sold everywhere else for 10c.

A Belleville merchant has rented the shop on King street, vacated by W. H. Carnovsky, to follow the same business.

The Kingston committee of the national council for women met yesterday afternoon, and were quite business-like and happy.

That well known brand of cigars, La Union, seven for a quarter, at Baker's.

Order world's fair coupon numbers and famous paintings from the WHIG ere the season closes. The coupons will soon be withdrawn.

Magic furniture cream, moth bags, moth camphor, gum camphor, etc., at Mitchell's.

May, being dedicated to the Virgin Mary all over the Roman Catholic world, special devotions will be held during the month.

"Go to sleep" powders, the new remedy for sleeplessness, twenty-five cents, at Wade's drug store.

On Tuesday one of Perth's fair young ladies, Miss Edith Hogg, was united in marriage to Dr. Fowler, Havelock. The marriage took place in St. James' church.

Fresh seeds! Both garden and flower seeds in great variety and from reliable seedsmen, cheap at Wade's drug store.

James Gunn and his two brothers leave for Langden, Alberta, by G.T.R. this afternoon. This is where the ranch is located. They will be absent all summer.

With only a partial canvass the infants' home committee have $150 in bank, $130 pledged, and are looking for a cheerful residence in a central location.

Real merit is characteristic of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and is manifested every day in the remarkable cures the medicine accomplishes.

In the faculty of applied science, McGill, Montreal, J. W. Hunter and G. A. Walkem, of this city, passed the sessional examination in mechanical engineering for the second year. J. D. Mackie passed the sessional examinations for the first year.

The steamer James Swift will leave Swift's wharf, Wednesday afternoon, May 2nd, at 3 p.m., for Ottawa and all way ports. James Swift & Co., agents.

Duty has been collected at Kingston customs on over seventeen hundred art coupon pamphlets arriving by mail. The same numbers, or equally as good, could have been procured in Kingston without the duty and an inconvenient visit to the custom house.

William J. McCullough, of Toronto, piano tuner for the Dominion piano and organ company, will be here this week. Any orders left at Nesbitt's bookstore will receive attention.

The Oswego, N.Y., fibre company, sold sinks to a Kingston public institution. They have not shewn lasting qualities, and it was promised that they would be replaced. Requests lately sent to the company for this compensation have not been answered.

Great reduction during the month of May. Provost, at the New York clothing store, Brock street, will offer the entire stock at a great reduction, consisting of ready-made clothing and gents' furnishing goods. Clothing made to order at prices never heard of before.

"Two Bites at a Cherry," with other tales, by T. B. Aldrich, is one of the popular publications of David Douglas, Edinburgh, for which the Copp-Clarke Co., Toronto, have the Canadian agency. The size is unusually convenient and a decided innovation on the average novel publication. The typography is clear and favorable to the eye. Nothing neater for some time has appeared than this cheap series. It is sure to have an extensive run.

Peerless lawn grass means without a peer. Try it; sure to grow, at Mitchell's.

A special committee of the school board comprising Messrs. Donnelly, Shaw, Chown, Meek, Elliott, and the secretary waited on the finance committee and informally discussed the erection of a new eight room school in the vicinity of Pine street. The school board want about $20,000 and would turn over Gorden and Queen street properties to the city. The aldermen seemed favorably impressed and the school board will proceed to seek the approval of the council to the scheme.

BELIEVED HER GUILTY.

But as the Value of the Goods Was Small He Let the Prisoner Go.

The case of Grace Gagere was heard at the police court, this morning. She was accused of the larceny of a watch from Nellie Brickman, but which was taken from Abbie Thompson's room. Abbie had borrowed the watch and chain to attend a ball. Several of the domestics of the British-American hotel gave testimony, but of a meagre character. Officer Craig testified that he was making a search of the prisoner's room when the latter volunteered to open her valise. Witness was searching one side of the valise and the prisoner the other when proprietor Dowling noticed the girl attempt, as he thought, to conceal something under a piece of linen. He picked up the linen and the watch dropped out. Witness found the chain in the other side of the valise later on.

Mrs. Annie Black said Grace, from her acquaintance and having worked with her, was a straightforward girl, while Mr. Potter, hotelkeeper, testified to the prisoner's honesty while working for him. She had been where there was both money and jewellery and never had touched anything.

Grace Gagere, the prisoner, said she never saw the watch until taken from her valise by the police. The rooms were never locked. Finally there were so many things taken from her room that she determined to lock it. The girls in the hotel were all down on the witness. Fanny Dewsberry had threatened to do something to scandalize the witness. Witness believed a trick was played on her.

(Cross-examined by Mr. Whiting witness stated that Fanny Dewsberry had lost money and witness also had lost money and clothing. The other things found in the valise all belonged to witness.

His worship stated that he was not satisfied with the story of the witness. Her story was not in her favor. He believed her guilty of taking the watch and chain. The value of the watch did not amount to much but character should be given consideration. As it was her first appearance he would let her go.

GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Very Latest News Crowded Into a Small Space.

Mrs. Dr. Stewart, of Chesley, is still seriously ill.

The barge Regina leaves Davis' dry dock to-day. She has been caulked.

Thomas Cox and John Sheehan, of Howe Island, left for Chicago to-day.

Every knight of labor man on the Great Northern railroad has been called out.

Donald McMaster, Q.C., Montreal, has been granted the degree of D.C.L., by McGill college.

William Miller, of the Brockville "Times," was in Belleville, Sunday, and spoke at Hunter and Crossley's meetings.

Plenty of local and district news will be found on page two. The council proceedings are also reported on page two.

Eight or ten young men, having some knowledge of dry goods business, can hear of something to their advantage at Hardy's.

Rev. W. M. Pattan, has been made registrar of Wesleyan college, Montreal. He goes to Germany soon to pursue a Ph.D., course.

Miss Maria Skelly, Tyendinaga, wants $5,000 damages from Valentine Joyce for breach of promise of marriage. This is a case of have your joyce?

A meeting of the shareholders of the St. Lawrence river steamboat company was held yesterday afternoon and the business of the season discussed.

On Saturday evening Mr. Jenkins, merchant, Wellington street, and Mr. Ellis, architect, left for London. On Wednesday Mr. Jenkins will be married to Miss Moyell, of that city.

Hector Jack writes from Avon Park, Fla., of his safe arrival after a fine trip down the coast. He is now settled with Dr. Gandier, who has a large practice there. The climate is excellent.

This morning at a meeting of the merchants who were fined for violating the license act by selling less than three half pints of liquor, it was decided to appeal against the decision of the magistrate.

United States consul, Col. Twitchell, will deliver an address in Sydenham street Methodist hall, at 8 o'clock, this (Tuesday) evening. Subject, "Reminiscences of the American War." Silver collection.

R. Davis & Son received a telegram from Cornwall, to-day, to reserve the dock for two stone barges which needed repairs. They will be engaged in carrying stone from Belleville to Cornwall this summer.

Yesterday Rev. Mr. McGillivray received a letter from a correspondent in Montreal who wanted to know how many Chinese are in the city. There are about six Chinamen who reside here permanently. Frequently there are as many as twenty Chinamen guests of those resident here.

Dr. H. S. P. Maclean, Ravelstoke, N.W.T., and Miss Maud Hamilton, of Belleville, were married yesterday in St. Thomas church. It was a fashionable event. C. G. Shannon, R. D. Dupuis and Arthur Dupuis were ushers. Dr. Maclean is a graduate of Queen's.

The national council of women were panic-stricken, yesterday, at the sight of some aldermen, who bounced into the city chamber. The aldermen were equally non-plused. The ladies cannot bear that even modest reporters should hear their deliberations. Lady reporters are in order.

This morning Ald. J. R. Walkem said that if the city did not prevent people from emptying filthy matter along the breakwater on King street he would enter a suit against the corporation and indite it for countenancing a nuisance. The smell from the refuse at present is so bad that people who live in front of the lake are unable to have their windows up.

SUPREME COURT.

The Liquor Prohibition Case Was Up For Argument—Judgements Given.

OTTAWA, May 1.—The supreme court had the liquor prohibition case before it all morning. This is to decide as to the rights of the provinces in regard to the power to prohibit. Solicitor General Curran appeared for the dominion, Deputy Attorney-General Cartwright and J. J. McLaren for Ontario. Mr. McLaren also appeared for Manitoba and Deputy Attorney-General Cameron for Quebec. Attorney-General Blair, of New Brunswick, was watching the case but took no part. Wallace Nesbit and Mr. Saunders, Toronto, were for the brewers.

The following judgments were delivered in supreme court to-day: Bulmer vs. the Queen, appeal dismissed; Stuart vs. Mott, appeal allowed, Judges Tachereau and Fournier dissenting; Citizens' Insurance Co. vs. Salter, appeal dismissed; St. John Gas Co. vs. Hatfield, appeal dismissed; Scammell vs. Clarke, appeal and counter appeal both dismissed; Bell's Asbestos Co. vs. Johnston Co., appeal dismissed; Montreal Street Railway Co. vs. City of Montreal, appeal dismissed with costs; Atlantic & N. W. railway company vs. Judah, appeal allowed, Judge Fournier dissenting; Pare vs. Pare, appeal allowed with costs against respondent; Royal Electric Co. vs. Leonard, appeal dismissed; Royal Electric Co. vs. Three Rivers, appeal dismissed; Baxter vs. Philips, appeal dismissed; Toronto vs. Toronto street railway company, appeal dismissed; McIntosh vs the Queen, appeal dismissed, Judge Gwynne dissenting.

Dismissal Of Men.

TORONTO, May 1.—The Hanlan Ferry Co., owned by N. K. Connolly and Montreal capitalists, took out licenses for six ferry boats this morning to run to Toronto Island. The names of the boats were not given, but it was stated they would all be brought from Montreal.

Employees of the C.P.R. and G.T.R. here are very uneasy owing to the large reductions in the staffs of the railways made at Montreal and the report that there will be dismissals here and in the west. Already 100 men have been discharged this week by the C.P.R. owing to the closing of the work shops and it is believed more will have to go.

What St. John Says.

Corpl. Barbour tells the Oswego "Times" that because of the scandal—the elopement of a Watertown woman with Harold St. John—he will break off further engagements with St. John. He adds: "I will fill my engagement to meet Sergt.-Major Morgans in Kingston on May 2nd." St. John, speaking of the affair, says: "I hired her to go on the stage with me in my exhibitions. The only bill I left unpaid was a printing bill with the Watertown 'Times,' and that paper has roasted me hard since." St. John says the woman has not been in his company at all. While she was taking instructions from Corpl. Barbour he (St. John) was in southern New York.

Died At Watertown.

Watertown Times.

Mrs. S. Benjamin died yesterday, after a lingering illness, from consumption. She and her husband came to Watertown about five years ago from Kingston, Ont., and since her residence in this city she has won warm friends, who will be deeply grieved to learn of her demise. She was twenty-eight years of age and leaves a husband, six brothers and two sisters to mourn her loss.

Idle Carpenters.

MONTREAL, May 1.—Most of the unemployed carpenters met at the hall, on Craig street, this morning to discuss the situation. It was decided to hold out for nine hours work with ten hours pay. Some of the bosses have given in and their men are at work, but fully five or six hundred are idle to-day.

THE DEGREE CONFERRED.

LIEUT.-GOV. SCHULTZ, WINNIPEG, MADE DOCTOR OF LAWS.

The Compliment Should Have Been Extended on Convocation Day—The Governor is a Friend of Queen's—He Chatted With a Reporter Regarding Past Days.

His honor Lieut.-Gov. Schultz, of Manitoba, and Mrs. Schultz, arrived in the city last night, and are the guests of Major-General Cameron. His honor studied at Queen's for four years before his adventurous career in the North-West. The university intended to bestow on him the honorary degree of LL.D. at convocation last week, but illness prevented him from being present. He received the diploma in the senate room to-day.

Lieut.-Gov. Schultz was met this morning. In a very cordial way he received the WHIG and a short conversation was very interesting. He and his wife have been in Ottawa for some time. His mission there was in connection with the rights of a district near Keewatin, bordering the shores of St. James Bay, and over which the province of Manitoba has had some jurisdiction. This tract of land is inhabited by Indians, and there has been difficulty in determining whether it belongs to Ontario or Manitoba. The inhabitants lived on what they caught in the bay in the shape of whales and fish.

The governor was glad to have occasion to visit Kingston again. He was well acquainted with it thirty-three years ago when a student at Queen's medical college. He came here from Essex to visit his uncle after graduating in arts in a college in Oberlin, Ohio. His uncle was an officer of troops stationed here at the time, and his son went to the medical college. He induced the governor to attend, and after two years he visited Manitoba and came back delighted with the country. He asked Dr. Stewart, a prominent teacher in the college, if he would bring his (the governor's) examination on earlier than was intended, but the late doctor in his usual style refused the request, which he would have granted the following day. Mr. Schultz got angry, and went to Toronto where he graduated as a physician.

He went to Manitoba and the trip lasted five weeks. He practised his profession for ten years and when the first rebellion in the north-west broke out he and thirty-eight others were imprisoned in his residence. Their enemies promised to treat them in a different way from what they did. They escaped and the governor came to Kingston and in the British American hotel he was presented with an address. His memories of college days in the city are very pleasing. He remarked the great amount of limestone there is in the city. In Winnipeg it is such a scarce article that the sight of so much of it here made him wish Kingston was nearer that city. He and his wife will be the guests of Major-General Cameron until to-morrow when they will leave for Ottawa.

THE WONDERS OF THE EYE.

Dr. Connell Delivered an Address in Chalmers' Church Last Night.

A good audience welcomed Dr. Connell, last evening, in Chalmers' lecture room to hear his address on the "Wonders of the eye, or the eye in relation to the brain and to thought." This was the fourth of the series given in connection with the young people's society. It is impossible to give in a paragraph a summary of the address that will show what it was at all like. It was admirable. The style was so transparent, and the subject so popularized that all listened and followed with pleasurable interest. At the same time the treatment was thorough and scientific. (1) He spoke of light, the message, or message bearer to the eye; how impressions are conveyed to the eye—camera. (2) The eye itself, its parts, their offices, and the relation of the parts were described, and illustrated by models and lantern views. (3) The messages, or sensations transmitted from the eye to the brain, and their conversion into thought were considered. Incidentally, exceedingly interesting remarks were made on the nature and transmission of nerve currents or sensations. They are not the same as electric currents. Tie a nerve round with a string, and the electric current will pass through unimpeded; but nerve sensation will not, thus showing that the two are not identical. Dr. Knight assisted, and had charge of the lantern illustrations, and they were a great help to those unread in the mysteries of human physiology. The hearty and prolonged applause at the close showed how much the address was enjoyed. The thanks of "Young People's Society," and of the audience were given to Dr. Connell and Dr. Knight, and the meeting was closed with the "National Anthem."

SECURING VICTORIA FOUNDRY.

The Electric Street Car Company Will Buy It For Its Purposes.

At a session of the city council last night B. W. Folger asked permission to extend the street railway track to Victoria foundry which the company intend buying for storing and manufacturing purposes. It was moved by Ald. Carson, seconded by Ald. McKelvey, that the communication of B. W. Folger be referred to the board of works with power to act.

Ald. Gaskin said the council would have to be careful in dealing with Mr. Folger. The board of works should report back in the matter. There might be some conditions to make.

Ald. Hardy—"One condition should be that the company do not allow their men to work on Sunday."

Ald. McIntyre said he was not in favor of the board of works assuming the entire responsibility with respect to the request. Then Ald. Carson withdrew his motion, and Ald. McIntyre moved, seconded by Ald. Carson, that the permission asked by the street railway company to lay a railway track from Princess street along King street be granted subject to terms and conditions to be settled by the council, and that the communication be referred to the board of works to report on and that the permission be not operative and no work be done on the street by the company until a formal agreement, satisfactory to the council, be executed between the company and the council. This motion carried.

To Advertise Kingston.

We contribute in to-day's issue for the public weal, that ever grateful public weal, a sample advertisement for Kingston as a city. The board of trade meets this evening. Did it ever occur to that body to be useful in at least one particular by spreading such an advertisement over part of the continent by the use of metropolitan papers. Manufactures having failed, even under a national policy, Kingston has but one resource left, its natural attractions.

Custom House Returns.

Statement showing value of imports and exports with collections at custom house, port of Kingston, during month of April: Imports, $65,787; exports, $29,272; collection, $10,351.27.

Read This.

Beautiful new dress goods, imported direct from France and Germany, at manufacturers' prices at R. McFaul's Kingston carpet warehouse.

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Have everything new and desirable in these goods. Nice Window Shades, all complete, with roller, in three shades, only 30 cents a piece.
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By the yard in every width; also Laces and Insertions for Trimmings.
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The importance of saving a few dollars? If so purchase one of
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REMINDERS.

TUESDAY.

Board of Trade meeting at city council chamber, 8 p.m.

Meeting of Celebration Committee, council chamber, 8 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY.

Tenders received up to 6 o'clock for the building of a football campus.

HENRY BRAME,
LEADING UNDERTAKER AND EMBALMER
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Telephone communication

W. M. DRENNAN,
FUNERAL DIRECTOR AND EMBALMER—Corner Store, Oddfellows' Block, Corner Princess and Sydenham Streets.

DIED.

FROST—In Kingston, on Tuesday, May 1st, the infant daughter of Arthur Frost. Funeral private.

BOARDERS.
A FEW MORE BOARDERS can be accommodated at 94 Queen street.

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AGENTS for City and County, on salary or commission, to sell Sewing Machines. Apply to J. LAIDLEY, Agent, 213 Princess Street.
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THAT VALUABLE PROPERTY, 11 Arch street, 170 feet deep and 42 feet wide, opposite Queen's College Gate. For further information apply to Miss SULLIVAN, on the premises.
FURNITURE FOR DRAWING ROOM, Black Walnut and Gold, Brocade Green Plush, etc., Curtains for Folding Door, Lace Curtains and Heavy Black Walnut Sideboard, with Shelf and Plate Glass Back, handsome B.