Newest and Freshest Goods
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Have you seen our
Fancy Goods and Novelties.
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Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, Irish Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs—All hand-work.
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Rugs of all Kinds from the Celebrated European Makers—All new goods at

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OPPORTUNITY AND DECISION
Should go Hand in Hand.

DECIDE QUICKLY, ONLY A FEW MORE DAYS OF THIS OPPORTUNITY.

38 pairs Corsets, 18, 19, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 30, No Corsets for 50c.
36 pairs Corsets, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28, 75c Corsets for 39c.
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10 doz. Cream Silk Handkerchiefs, hem stitched, worth 25c for 5c.
50 Pairs Black and Colored Kid Gloves, worth 75c for 50c.
120 Pairs Black and Colored Kid Gloves, worth $1 for 75c.
Skirts at 25c each.
Don't forget those Ladies' Jackets 50c each, Ulsters $3. Boys' Vests at 50c and Men's at 75c. Nor the Men's Black Cloth and Tweed Old Coats at $1.50.
Nor those $3 Pants for $2.
Nor those Men's Halifax Suits for $3.50.
Nor those $8 and $10 Overcoats for $4.
Nor those $10 and $13 Overcoats for $6.

Safe and balance of shop furniture to be closed out with balance of stock inside the next four weeks.

ATKINSON & CO.,
BOWES' OLD STAND.

GO WITH THE CROWD!
Everyone Likes The
NEW BOOK STORE!
Princess Street, Opposite City Hotel.

Because the prices are right (away down.)
The goods are right (away up.)
The position is right (in the centre.)
And you will be right (every time) if you buy your

'XMAS PRESENTS
—AT—
McAULEY'S
BOOK STORE.
15 Vols. Dickens'. Bound, for $6.50.

REAL RUBBER RUBBERS.

That's the sort we sell

OVERSHOES

of every make and weight.

As usual our prices are the lowest.

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103 and 105 Princess Street.

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TENDERS FOR TOLLS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, at his office, 79 Clarence street, until MONDAY, December 18th, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the LEASE OF THE TOLLS OF THE SAID BRIDGE FOR ONE YEAR from 1st January, 1894.
Those tendering to name sureties. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOMAS MILLS,
Sec.-Treas.
Dec. 12th, 1893.

MUSIC STANDS,
99 Cents.

SHERLOCK'S RETIRING SALE.

Hardy's

BIG DISPLAY
—OF—
HOLIDAY GOODS!
Now Showing.
STORE OPEN TILL 9 P.M.

Pansy, Elsie and Mildred Books, 20c.

Other good books equally low. Ask for a catalogue.

Hardy's
One Price Store, 88 and 90 Princess Street.

LADIES
EVENING
SLIPPERS.

All the newest shades and styles.

Haines & Lockett

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Section No. 68 of the By-law relating to Streets, passed on the 27th day of November, 1893, is as follows:

"68. The owner or occupant of every house or building adjoining any public street, square or place within the city shall provide the same with and maintain and keep thereon light eavetroughs and water spouts, by which the water shall be conveyed from the roof of such house or building to the house or street drain. All such pipes as are now placed or erected shall be within one month after the passing of this By-law, in like manner conducted to the house or street drain, by and at the cost of the owners, or occupiers, or agents of the owners of the houses or buildings to which such pipes belong or appertain."

AND TAKE NOTICE that all persons failing to comply with the provisions of said section will be liable to the penalties provided for a breach of the said By-law and to be made responsible for any damages that may be recovered against the city by reason of accidents arising from the freezing on the sidewalks of the water discharged from the roofs or the water spouts upon the sidewalks.

T. O. BOLGER,
City Engineer.
City Engineer's Office, Kingston, Dec. 13th, 1893.

MAYORALTY 1894.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.—

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE ARE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR
W. M. DRENNAN for MAYOR 1894

MAYORALTY 1894.

TO THE ELECTORS:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—After a servitude of eight years as Alderman, I beg to offer myself as a Candidate for Mayor for the year 1894. Solicing your vote and interest, I am respectfully yours,
Christopher Robinson

MAYORALTY, 1894.

TO THE ELECTORS:

At the request of a large number of the citizens I have decided to accept a NOMINATION FOR MAYOR FOR 1894. As it will be impossible to personally see you all, I hereby ask for your votes and influence.
JOHN HERALD.

TO ELECTORS OF ONTARIO WARD.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE are respectfully solicited for
J. B. WALKEM
AS ALDERMAN FOR 1894.

VICTORIA WARD.

TO THE ELECTORS: Your vote and influence are respectfully solicited for the undersigned as Alderman for 1894.
W. MUNDELL.

FANCY FAIR
AND SALE OF USEFUL ARTICLES
By the Ladies of St. George's Cathedral,
CITY HALL, THURSDAY, Dec. 14th
Open at 12 o'clock. Luncheon 12:30 Tea 6 o'clock. Admission 10c. Evening 10c.

The Cost Discovered.

Arthur Sills, who stole an overcoat from the Ottawa house in November, has been apprehended at Canton, N.Y. The owner will go over and get the garment. Sills was wearing it. The fellow is under arrest for grand larceny. Chief of Police Ronsey traced down the coat which belonged to Arthur McCabe.

Are you troubled with knawing sensation, "emptiness," load at stomach? Take K. D. C. and be convinced of its great merits. Sold by E. C. Mitchell.

A SUCCESSFUL MISSION.

A SOLEMN CLOSE TO THE SERVICES LAST NIGHT.

The Work of the Evangelist and His Helpers Reviewed—The Converts Were Fairly Numerous—The Final Charge of Mr. Schieveren—A Fitting Ending.

The services which have been in progress for over a month came to a conclusion last night. Ferdinand Schiveren came here from Chicago on Nov. 3rd, and since then he has held services nightly in Sydenham street church. These have drawn several hundred people on each occasion, in spite of the fact that the usual services of all other churches were, of course, maintained in full vigor. There have been also daily bible readings in the afternoons, held at Brock street church, and these have been, from the first, steadily increasing in popularity. In these meetings Mr. Schiveren has sought, and indeed, succeeded in giving solid scriptural instruction, tending both to lead christians to a fuller sense of responsibility and privilege and at the same time to lay firm foundations of scriptural conviction for the work of distinctively evangelistic effort. It has been the verdict of all who have attended these meetings that they have been largely instrumental in securing the large success of the mission. During the first two weeks a morning prayer meeting was also held daily, but subsequently this was merged in a series of cottage services. The homes of people in all parts of the city were thrown open for this purpose and people rallied to these centres. From ten to thirty of these were held each day, and they served to maintain interest and keep the people together as well as to quicken the spiritual fervor of the christian people. Nor did this complete the programme. For the stores, factories and offices of the city have served as centres in which the bread winners of the city have been assembled for noonday services. Three special Sunday afternoon services were held in the city hall, which was, on each occasion, crowded to its utmost capacity and on one Sunday several hundred were turned away disappointed. At these services strong, manly and faithful words have been spoken in a manner and on topics which could not have been so well handled in the general congregation. Special services have also been held for the children; and last Sunday saw nearly eighteen hundred women in Sydenham street church and listened to a telling indictment of customs of modern society. The students have also been brought within the range of the movement, and meetings were held both in the medical and arts faculties.

In the organization of the mission the work was in the first place divided between various committees. The financial arrangements were left dependent entirely on the free-will offerings, and the evangelist makes no fixed charge for his service, but simply trusts to the generosity of the people. Another department of work second in importance to none was also most efficiently conducted. No praise can be undeserved by Miss Shaw, the organist of Sydenham street church, who night by night, fine or storm, was present to lead the musical part of the service. She was supported by a strong choir, which also served most loyally and effectively. In addition to the congregational singing the services have been brightened by the delicate rendering of most appropriate solos by Misses Griffith, Bailey and McCartney.

Of course a great amount of work has been necessary on the part of the pastors concerned.

Revs. Dr. Griffith and D. C. Sanderson have been indefatigable in their efforts to promote the success of the mission. It is gratifying to note that from the very first the meetings have been attended by several ministers of various denominations, as well as the other Methodist ministers in the city and vicinity. But the real brunt of the mission has fallen on the evangelist himself. Mr. Schieveren has proved himself to be every inch a man. His presence in the city has been a stimulus to religious activity. His intercourse with the pastors both in and out of the mission work has been a means of grace and enjoyment to all concerned. His efforts have been most unwearied; indeed those who have known the real nature of the work accomplished wonder that a man's physical strength can endure such a strain for such a period. His method of work is entirely free from sensationalism. The element of terror finds no more a conspicuous place in his preaching than it does in actual life. His appeals have been throughout to principle not to emotion; and have been calculated to call out the latent good in men's nature rather than to arouse animal fear. True it is that many hard words have been said about sin and a strong stand has been taken against customs which may prove to be proximate causes of sin. The style of the preacher's address has been direct and forcible. At times there have been passages of the highest dramatic order, and though there has been no lack of humor there has been no attempt to introduce anything of the nature of burlesque. Though there are, of course, traces of an early life different from that of present usefulness, and though at times the fastidious ear may hear a style of English somewhat different from that of the Elizabethan authors, yet the simplicity and frankness of the preacher and his general freedom from coarseness have been factors which have won affections on all sides. The invitations to decision have been also free from undue pressure, and the enquiry meetings have been seasons of calm, scriptural instruction and reverent prayer. On the Sunday evenings, when the church has been crowded to its utmost capacity, the meetings have been orderly, impressive and reverent throughout. During the first week the services were directed rather to produce convictions than to elicit manifestation of it. Only when it was evident that deep impression had been made did the evangelist begin inviting earnest people to manifest their religious anxiety or resolution. A significant fact was witnessed last night when the evangelist called on all christian people whether of long standing or of recent decision to join in a solemn celebration of the holy communion which was conducted by the pastors.

During yesterday the services were maintained almost continuously from early morning to late at night. The evening service was somewhat complex. During the first part the meeting was of the usual evangelistic type. The text of the sermon was: "It is finished." Then there was finished all that was necessary for man's salvation. Christ then settled once for all the question of man's sins. Men are not lost because they are sinners, but because they reject the salvation offered them. Then, too, this settled the question of man's intercession. The veil of the temple was forever rent and man was given free access to God. Now in these two ways Christ had finished the work of man's salvation. But men think they can or must add to Christ's work; so they plead their baptism, or church membership or their tears or prayers or even their benevolence. People can add nothing to the work of Christ, for nothing which they can bring will be of any account. Jesus Christ satisfied the Father, and now the offer of a free reconciliation with God is made here. The preacher turned and called on Miss Griffith to sing "Hark, There Comes a Whisper."

A second service immediately followed and the converts gathered together to receive a farewell charge on the words "Grow in grace." This charge was simple but most appropriate common sense. Before we can grow in grace, said the preacher, we must be born into it. There is no such thing as education into life; for there is only one entrance to life, namely, birth. John exhorted the christian children because their sins were forgiven them, he congratulated young men on their strength, while he turned to the aged and wrote to them because of their christian maturity. So we see that in the christian life, the entrance through the forgiveness of sins is instantaneous. The epistle to the Hebrews also calls us to pass beyond this first principle of doctrine. We must go on beyond or we will surely go back. The work of progress is much easier because the essential thing is to let God help us to grow. The child is, in the nature of things, lacking in strength; but as he makes the first effort to walk if he falls the father is at hand to pick him up. So the young christians are exhorted if they fall down not to stay there. A negro told the people that though at any time he may fall, people need not look for him to-morrow where he may fall to-day, for he will surely get up and go on. A man who had long been accustomed to profanity started a christian life, and the very next day brought down the hammer with great force and split open his thumb and the oath followed. Later he came to the preacher in great sorrow, because he feared his christian profession was a delusion. The pastor had to point out to him that his very sorrow over his profanity showed him to be a changed man; for before that he could swear without any regrets. So the first counsel to young christians was join the church. When a child is born we place it in the nurse's arms. Suppose the friends said: "Put the child in the barn for six months, and then we shall see if it will be worth our while to nurse it." There would be soon no child to nurse. Now the church is meant to be the nursing mother to the young christian. But many churches look coldly on the converts of a mission, notwithstanding the fact that a large proportion of the church members were themselves converted under similar circumstances. The preacher told how he tried to get into three churches before he could get one in which he could feel at home; yet he urged all to lose no time in joining the church if they desired to grow. Then the second counsel was to feed on the word of God. The home was of little value without food, and the christian life could not prosper unless it was fed daily on the holy scriptures. The third essential to hardy growth was exercise. "Do something for God." A father was moving coal and his child came up and wanted to heel him. The wheelbarrow, however, was much too heavy for the lad, but presently the little fellow came along with a tomato can and filled it with coal. "Now I am helping papa." So young christians should do something, however small it may seem. The last counsel was do nothing which you cannot ask God to bless. This charge closed Mr. Schieveren's part of the service, but as an introduction to the holy communion Miss Griffith again sang, by request, "There is a Green Hill Far Away."

Dr. Griffith then opened the communion service and was assisted in the distribution by the other pastors, Revs. C. O. Johnston, D. C. Sanderson and E. Thomas. The Rev. Mr. Dobbs, of the Reformed Episcopal church, also took part. About four hundred persons then joined in the communion, and in this solemn act the campaign closed. It is not the desire, either of the evangelist or of the pastors, to make any sensational reports based in counting heads. But while no figures are here given we can state that the spiritual results of the services have been in every sense most gratifying.

Mr. Schiveren in bidding farewell said that he had never been in a city where the press had not found fault with him, and he desired to publicly thank the press of Kingston for the valuable assistance and kindly treatment they had afforded him.

CITY AND VICINITY.

After The Play.

How delicious a smoke one can get from a Reliance cigar, take my word for it. Tasse, Wood & Co., Montreal.

Sample Cape Jackets.

Another case sample mantles with capes put into stock, yesterday, and marked $4, $5 and $6. Hardy's one price store.

Expects a Contract.

The locomotive works expects to get a contract from the Intercolonial railway to build at least two engines. The company has lots of work if it only keeps up during the winter.

Great Clearing Sale During December.

Prevost has made a grand reduction in ready-made clothing and gents' furnishings. Everything to be sold at first cost. This is a genuine sale. A big reduction in the price of ordered clothing.

Secured A Divorce.

Mrs. George M. Buchanan, of Detroit, formerly of Ardoch, Ont., has been granted a divorce by Judge Gartner in the Wayne county court, Michigan, on the grounds of non-support and desertion.

A Beauty.

I have one very fine artists violin (price $50). Anyone wishing to buy a beautiful instrument would do well to call and see it at Sherlock's music store, as it will go cheaply during the retiring sale.

Raffles The Rage.

Raffles are the rage in the country at present. Most every night van loads leave the city to take in the affairs. Last night a raffle occurred at J. Fowler's place, Glenburnie, at which twenty geese, twenty turkeys and a horse were put up.

Will Get The Hotch.

William Duff, Inverary, was in the city to-day. He thinks the syndicate talked of will eventually get hold of the Windsor hotel. Mr. Duff thinks that if the house was well conducted there could be a profit at least of $5,000 a year. The syndicate could get the house for $20,000. The scheme is being worked up.

Dogs Must Keep Off The Cars.

In future dogs will not be allowed in the electric cars. Ladies especially had better take notice of this order. The employees and management consider them a nuisance. Orders were issued some time ago that dogs must be kept off the cars, but very little notice was taken. The instruction in this matter will be enforced this time, even if some people are offended.

The Inspector Here.

Dr. Chamberlain, inspector of jails and charitable institutions for the province, is in the city. The inspector is not here on his annual visit, but merely dropped in just to see how things were progressing. He paid a visit to the general hospital this morning and called at the jail. The doctor says Kingston's general hospital is a great institution for a city of Kingston's size.

It Is A Handsome Coach.

Last evening another electric car was placed on the track. The coach is vestibuled and very fine. It is prettier and more comfortable than either of the cars that have been in service. It was made in St Catharines, and is a credit to the manufacturers. The upholstering is as fine as can be seen on any first-class car in the C.P.R. system. It will carry passengers to and from Portsmouth. But it should be on the main line for No. 5 was not up to the mark to-day.

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.

Dodd's kidney pills at Wade's drug store.

Oranges! Oranges! cheapest at Henderson's.

New pattern Starr hockey skates at Corbett's.

Beecham's Pills instead of slushy mineral waters.

Call at China Hall for Xmas goods, 191 Princess street. Prices low.

Merchants have commenced decorating their windows in view of Christmas trade.

Price of general admission and balcony seats to the Nora Clench concert will be 50c.

Rev. Dean Smith will preach at St. James' church this evening, in the Advent course.

The mercury dropped to 14° below zero this morning at the Royal military college; 5° at Col. Duff's residence.

The Sunday afternoon meetings for the discussion of social questions will be held in the Sons of Temperance hall.

Skate straps, full assortment of English and Canadian at Corbett's.

After the installation of officers on Monday evening the Prentice boys will hold a banquet at the Collendar hotel.

Owing to rough weather and bad roads the market was poorly attended yesterday. Mr. Boyd's receipts were under $2.

Our assortment in overcoatings are second to none. Howland Bros., merchant tailors, corner King and Princess streets.

The canvassers for subscriptions for the chiming bells to be placed in St. Andrew's tower are meeting with great success.

Sweet Florida oranges 15c and 20c a dozen at Henderson's.

The B. of Q. and K. & P. trains were both late this morning on account of bad condition of the tracks caused by snow blockade.

The court of revision will meet on the 19th inst., to hear applications in relation to dog taxes and vacancies. There are 100 petitions.

The city needs $15,000 on Jan. 1st. Delinquent taxpayers can make up the sum or else pay five per cent. next month on all overdue taxes.

The peel of bells will arrive soon for St. Andrew's tower, to be the first instalment of a chime. They may be heard first on Christmas day.

Next summer the exterior of the electric cars will wear handsome uniforms and by this time the road will be in pretty good running order.

Notwithstanding the severe cold weather, which prevailed last evening the street cars were well patronized, and heaters in the vestibuled coach did excellent service.

Lots of new hockey sticks from 40c to 75c at Corbett's.

Last night the temperature was away down, and ice formed over the harbor between the city and the islands. A firm bridge will be made if the frost continues as strong as last night.

The owners of the Thousand Island electric railway, which does service between Gananoque and the G. T. R. main line, intend running the trains by electricity next year. The road is three miles long.

The joints and muscles are so lubricated by Hood's Sarsaparilla that all rheumatism and stiffness soon disappears. Get only Hood's.

Cross wires will be placed eighteen inches over the trolley wire, so that if telephone and telegraph wires crossing over the track break, they will be prevented from coming in contact with the trolley wires.

Quick cure for coughs and colds the "Diamond Cough Remedy," made of wild cherry, horehound and elecampane, 25c. and 50c., at Wade's drug store.

The superintendent of nurses at the general hospital asks for contributions of pillows and bed linen as being a most needed help. The officials would gladly send for any parcels which the friends of the institution may notify them of.

Just see our immense stock of clothing the greatest mammoth display in the city. Howland Bros., clothiers, corner King and Princess streets.

An esteemed reader of the WHIG writes thusly: What are we to drink? Water has germs of malaria, typhoid fever, etc.; milk has tuberculosis, and ale and porter are against the rules of temperance. Science must look up something good for mortals to drink.

Our assortment of hats are of the best in the city; see our celebrated Senator hat. Howland Bros., hatters and furriers, corner King and Princess streets.

The best Christmas present for the young is a monthly magazine, for instance: "Babyland" for the tots; "Our Little Men and Women" for the beginners; or "Pansy" for the big little folks of the nursery. The D. Lothrop company, Boston, are the publishers.

Hardy's store will remain open evenings from now until 'Xmas for the benefit of those who cannot get out during the day to do 'Xmas shopping. Hardy's one price store.

An event in periodical literature was the receipt recently by the "Cosmopolitan" magazine of an order from the American news company for 200,000 copies for December issue. A single order for one hundred tons of magazines! That is almost an event in history. A like order has never before been made, and it means considerably more than half a million circulation for the December "Cosmopolitan."

Dyspeptics lack strength. K. D. C. restores the stomach to healthy action and gives the dyspeptic strength. K. D. C. company, limited, New Glasgow, N.S., Canada, or 127 State street, Boston, Mass.

PERSONAL MENTION.

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

W. Campbell, late owner of the Toronto "Budget" is now editor of the "Bulletin" an insurance publication.

A. Mathewson, of Pembroke, was in the city to-day purchasing Holstein cattle at the Rideau stock farm.

The late W. H. Howland, spoke on several occasions in this city, the last time during the Scott act campaign.

To-day M. H. Folger left for Washington, D.C. He will be absent several days spending part of his time in Syracuse, N.Y.

Mr. Bowers, mail clerk on the B. of Q. train, attends classes in Queen's college during the time the train is laying over here.

Benjamin Whitney, who owns a ranch in the north-west near the Rocky mountain, arrived last night to see his father, Thompson Whitney, very ill.

George Grange, Peterboro, has been summoned to Kingston to attend the funeral of his father, William Grange, of the Royal military college staff.

Mrs. and Miss Rogers, of Glen Logie, will leave on the 15th inst. to spend the winter at Windsor, Ont., with Mrs. James G. McEwan, daughter of Mrs. Rogers.

To-day W. P. Bell, grand vice-president of the grand lodge of the order of Chosen Friends, left for Toronto to attend the opening of a school of instruction in behalf of the order, occurring this evening.

R. W. Leonard R.M.C., president of the ex-cadets' club, is in the city arranging for the memorial service in connection with the tablet placed in St. George's cathedral to the memory of deceased cadets.

GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Very Latest News Crowded Into a Small Space.

The Kingston Lyceum club may produce "Snowball" in Ottawa.

The Kingston Hibernian order has been invited to visit Montreal on March 17th.

Ald. John Herald is a candidate for the mayoralty. A fourth man is now expected.

Joseph Quigley and family have left for St. Hyacinthe, Que., to witness the profession of Miss Alice Quigley in the convent of the Precious Blood.

The water, as far as a mile from Wolfe Island shore, was frozen over last evening. Passengers for the city walked on the ice and met the steamer Pierrepont.

Yesterday W. Wright and H. Waddington killed sixteen cattle in an hour. They claim to be the fastest butchers in the city, as far as killing cattle is concerned.

T. Andrien, who has recently been working in Brockville, returned to the city yesterday. He brought with him a piece of the scaffold from which Luckey will be hung to-morrow.

The contest for the reeveship of Wolfe Island at the next election will be very interesting. At first it looked as if the only two candidates would be R. J. Spoor and D. McRae, but two others are now in the race. A. Staley and J. Horn. It is expected that more interest will be taken in the next municipal elections on Wolfe Island than ever before.

A NON-SUIT ENTERED.

The Wolfe Island Horse Trading Case Considered.

Acting judge Walkem's attention was monopolized in county court, this morning, by the case of Thomas Greenwood against David Buster for malicious prosecution. This is the horse trade case threshed out in the papers and before a magistrate some time ago. After the evidence of the plaintiff had been given Mr. Machar, for plaintiff, and Mr. Whiting, for defendant, argued the matter at length. Mr Machar contended that a felony had not been committed because the accused was not charged with stealing the horse. The animal was found on his premises. Mr. Whiting argued that it was a prima facia case, and that the fact of the horse being found on the premises by defendant was felony itself, until he explained how it got there. The acting judge backed him up in this contention. He also concluded that the agreement come to at the time between the parties was final.

Mr Machar claimed that the warrant should not have been issued on Sunday, that only for felony was it legal. This statute had not been repealed, but Mr. Whiting referred to the exception to the law.

The acting judge then dismissed the jury, stating there was no evidence to go before them, and that he would enter judgment of non-suit. Mr. Machar may bring the case before Judge Price.

D. J. WAGGONER'S WORK.

Many Immigrants Reported From the New England States.

D. J. Waggoner, dominion immigration agent, has returned from the New England states whence he has taken several parties to see the great north-west. He speaks in high terms of the New England people and says they make excellent settlers. The depression in the states is very great and a hard winter will be experienced. One manufacturer in New Hampshire informed him that as soon as he could find a purchaser he would dispose of the factory. The change in the tariff will give an advantage to manufacturers in the old country.

In August last Mr. Waggoner visited Biddeford, Maine, and employed active boys to distribute literature and reports state that over 2,000 have left for their old homes in Canada, some going on to Manitoba and the western territories. Farm property in Vermont is low in price and buyers few. A farm of 640 acres with house, barn and other outbuildings was sold for $1,450. The house alone cost every dollar obtained for the whole property. Sales on short credits are numerous. Horses and colts are a complete drug, fancy horses are difficult to sell. Electric cars, bicycles and telephones have given the noble animal a rest. Taking everything into consideration Mr. Waggoner thinks the prospects are bright for immigration to the north-west.

Had No Contagious Disease.

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—Dr. McEachran, government veterinary surgeon, and Prof. Arnoldi, of McGill college, Montreal, have completed their examination of the lungs of the Canadian cattle which arrived by the SS. Hurona and said to be affected by pleuro-pneumonia. The British board of agriculture experts pronounced both cases to be pleuro-pneumonia, but an independent diagnosis made by an expert, appointed by the high commission in London, resulted otherwise. The professor and Mr. McEachran in their report decide the lungs although not healthy were not affected with contagious pleuro-pneumonia.

Asked for further information upon the fast Atlantic service Hon. Mr. Foster replied that for some time negotiations had been in progress between the government and a British concern, and that the agent had been expected out from England any time within the last three weeks. "So far as I have heard," added the minister of finance, "the agent has not arrived."

More Changes In The Tariff.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—There have been changes in the revised tariff bill which will be of interest to Canada. The formidable opposition of the lumbermen of Maine, Michigan and Wisconsin to the placing of manufactured lumber on the free list had the effect to induce the committee to put back upon the dutiable list several grades of partially manufactured lumber which the original bill placed on the free list. Barley malt is separately classified at twenty-five per cent., an increase of five per cent. This has been due to the remonstrances of the New York state farmers. There has been no other change in the agricultural schedule in which Canada has special interest.

No Thanks Extended.

MONTREAL, Dec. 13.—There has been trouble in the city council over the Royal Victoria hospital, presented to the city by Lord Mount Stephen and Sir Donald A. Smith. Ald. Stevenson brought up a motion thanking the two donors for their generous gift, but the motion was bitterly opposed by the French element of the council. The reason was that the statutes provided that no Catholic can be on the board of management, although patients of all religions are admitted. The opposition in the city council thought that as the city had given the land for the hospital there should be no such religious distinction, and finally to save defeat the motion to thank the donors was withdrawn altogether.

Discharged This Morning.

Timothy Lane, ex-policeman, over seventy years of age, is still hale and hearty, and has escaped an attack of influenza. He felt bad this afternoon while talking to a reporter. For over fourteen years he was court constable, but notwithstanding his long service, he was discharged at noon. The sheriff did not think he was capable of performing the duties, but the speaker thought he was as able for the position as the other constables. Timothy concluded: "If I were a member of the P.P.A., I would have been all right. My place is filled by an Orangeman."

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

THE HARBOR COVERED WITH A THIN COAT OF ICE.

The Vessels Are Now Nearly All Laid up and Business is Over—A Suit Now Going on in Toronto Over the Work Done on the Prop. Algonquin.

The M. T. Co. has decided to leave the cargo in the prop. Bannockburn all winter.

The schr. Pilot is in from Conway with a load of wheat for Richardson Bros.

This winter the steamer Hero will receive a new wheel which will increase her speed.

The M. T. Co's barges are about all laid up. The remainder will be salted down for the winter to-day.

Last evening the str. Pierrepont ran on a shoal in the river St. Lawrence between here and Gananoque and had to be released by the str. Chieftain.

The schr. Queen of the Lakes is still up the bay. The vessel may be frozen in as it is, but Mr. Richardson expects the weather will get warmer soon.

Ice formed two inches thick in the harbor last night. It looked like winter around the docks this morning. The str. Chieftain was a sheet of ice when she came over from Garden Island.

Edward Henderson, second mate of schr. Fleetwing, has returned from Brighton. The vessel was laid up there. The Fleetwing had one of the best seasons of any of the vessels sailing on Lake Ontario. Capt. Shaw seldom had to wait a day for a load.

The str. Merritt, laying at Davis' shipyard for the winter, may be sold. The steamer is owned by inspector Chamberlain, but he is negotiating with a man who wants the steamer for a slow route. If she is not sold the doctor will probably have her engines compounded.

To-day court is being held at Cornwall for the purpose of hearing a charge preferred against Capt. Gillespie and others, owners of the str Rocket, for having allowed the boat to carry more passengers than permitted by law. Capt. Donnelly is prosecutor in the case.

Capt. Dix thinks that the schr. Ella Murton is frozen in at Oswego. He expects to see the crew over to-day or to-morrow. The slips at Oswego freeze up very quickly. Capt. Saunders was unable to secure insurance. This was the reason he did not bring over a cargo for Breck & Booth.

A Steamship Suit.

Toronto Star.

James McDougall, boiler-plater, Morrison street, began suit this morning before Referee Cartwright to recover $1,673 from the Kingston foundry and machinery company for work done on the steamer Algonquin. The boat is owned by Thomas Marks & Company, of Port Arthur. When the boat was built, contracts were given to both the plaintiff and defendants. McDougall completed his share of the work and also part of the defendants, for which he is now claiming remuneration. Two models of the steamer Algonquin were produced in evidence.

Vessels In Danger.

CHATHAM, Dec. 13.—The steam barge, United Lumberman, with two consorts, all loaded with lumber for Chatham are frozen in in Lake St. Clair a short distance from the mouth of the Thames river. Unless they can be got to a place of safety they stand a good chance of being cut to pieces before spring. The vessels are owned by S. Fraser, of Amherstburg.

THE SPORTING WORLD.

Paragraphs About the Various Enjoyments of the Boys.

B. W. Folger, jr., has purchased the trotting horse from L. Guess, recently owned by George Darragh.

The Limestone hockey team will be composed the same as last year with the exception of Jock Harty, now attending college in Montreal. The boys expect to have Jock with them for some of the most important matches. He will be home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Dean, of Queen's, retires from college this year. He has been a great athlete in his time and won the college championship two years ago. He trained hard for it last year, but was beaten by Boyle. Dean belongs to Brighton, Ont. He will take a course in Osgoode hall.

Sergt.-Major Morgans received a despatch from Prof. Clark, last night, that he could not come to Kingston for the 19th inst. He has an engagement in another place about that date. The event has consequently been postponed and the great fencing affray to decide the championship of America will not occur till January.

Will Try And Secure Reforms.

Ald. Hardy will not be a candidate for municipal honors in St. Lawrence ward, at the next election. This vacancy and that made by the resignation of Ald. McAuley, will be sought after by Messrs. James Galloway and Joseph Fisher. The latter says he will, if elected, endeavor to bring about a reform in the management of the streets department. He says too much money is expended in paying wages to men who are not worth the money paid. The men should be graded and the best workers should get the best pay. Those who did not, in the opinion of the officers in charge, work satisfactorily, should not be paid as much as those who worked as hard as they could. Too much time was spent in constructing certain sewers last summer and the result is property owners benefited by the drains had to pay more than if the work was rushed through.

Speaks For Itself.

A book of music or some pieces of the latest music would make a very nice Christmas present to a friend, and during Mr. Sherlock's retiring sale is the time to get these, as all music and music books will be sold at cost in order to clear it out by Christmas. Any of the following musical instruments would make a nice present, and they are within your reach on account of this sale: Fine autoharps, $2.50, $3 and $3.50; guitars, $2.50, $3.50, $4.50 and $7.50, formerly $5, $6, $9 and $15; banjos, $5, $6 and $8, only three left; flutes from 50c up; violins at exactly half price. I have forty violins in stock and an extra large collection of strings for all instruments. Accordeons at about half price. Persons wishing to get any of these should come to-morrow; they sell quickly.

Mr. Hawley's Statement.

For the second time this year J. A. Hawley, of the Russell house, was fined for violating the license act. He will have to deposit with the magistrate $30 and costs. He pleaded guilty to the charge preferred by the inspector.

Mr. Hawley says on the evening of Dec 2nd he heard a knock at the barroom door. He thought it was the yard man, and he (Hawley) opened the door. Two strangers pushed into the room. He remonstrated with them, stating he could not sell liquor after hours. While he was trying to get them out the inspector came along and saw the men in the bar-room. Mr. Hawley said he did not know the men.

To Die To-morrow Morning.

BROCKVILLE, Dec. 13.—The execution of Luckey will take place at 7:30 o'clock in the morning. Only a limited number will be admitted within the jail walls. The condemned man retains the cool demeanor that has been characteristic of him since the beginning.

Local and general news of interest will be found on page two.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Fresh winds between north east and north west, fine, and very cold.

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DIED.

EARLS—In Kingston, on 12th Dec., 1893, Michael Eagen, aged 70 years.
The funeral will leave the residence of his son-in-law, D. Folland, 94 Princess street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock for St. Mary's Cathedral, where a solemn Mass will be sung. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.
PATTERSON—In the Township of Storrington, Dec. 12th, John Patterson, aged 18 years.
Funeral will take place at his residence on Thursday, Dec. 14th, at one o'clock.
BIRTH, Marriage or Death notice for one insertion 50c; for two insertions 75c.

BOARDERS WANTED

A FEW MORE GENTLEMEN BOARDERS can be accommodated at 94 QUEEN STREET.

LOST.

ON MONDAY EVENING, on King street to the hay market, A DOUBLE PURSE, containing money. Will the finder kindly leave at this office.

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