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4. Football March, first half.
5. One mile City Championship Bicycle Race; Sliter, McMahon, Hughes and McKay.
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8. Football, second half.
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A WILD FRIDAY NIGHT.

A SQUALL AND A SNOW STORM PROVED DISASTROUS.

The Experiences of the Crew of the B. W. Folger—A Vessel Reported Aground on Calf Island Reef—The Marine News About the Wharves.

"A sailor's life is the life for me," is a line of a beautiful song, but it is a question whether the author of these words would care to realize the actual carrying out of its meaning. Seldom is such continuous gales encountered as have been prevalent on Lake Ontario for the past couple of weeks. And it is thought the worst is not yet. Reports of disasters are daily coming in and has a tendency to make the vessel owner anxious as to the safety of his vessel if it is on the lake. The schr. B. W. Folger arrived from Charlotte, Saturday night, and Capt. Bates has indeed a thrilling tale to tell of his adventures in crossing. The Folger was off the piers at Charlotte at 10:30 o'clock, Friday morning with a strong, fair wind down the lake. Six o'clock the same evening fast sailing brought her abreast of the False Ducks, and at three o'clock the following morning the craft was sailing at anchor off Stoney Island, in the entrance to Sackett's Harbor. This was due to a terrific snow storm which struck the vessel about 7:30 o'clock. The sleet was blinding and he was unable to see his men on the deck of the schooner. The wind had been blowing a gale from the west when the squall sprung up from the north. Capt. Bates understood thoroughly the meaning of such a change and headed his craft into the channel for safety. With a man at the tiller Capt. Bates busied himself testing the bottom and feeling his way, as it was impossible to discover land ahead. Finally he took the wheel himself, and, watching his chance, brought the vessel about, head to the wind. This resulted in the foremast being smashed like kindling wood and the foremast chain plate also being broken. He then ordered the boom cut away but the mate said some one would surely get killed if he attempted to use an axe in that darkness. Capt. Bates grabbed the axe himself and in a few minutes had the vessel clear of the trailing timber. The vessel was finally anchored in eleven feet of water and at daybreak Capt. Bates found that he could not possibly have run across a better anchorage. He says he never saw a vessel do better sailing in his life. Pointing to the schr. Jessie Drummond laying in the harbor, Capt. Bates said, "I thought that vessel would turn a regular somersault. She was plunging at a terrible rate with her boom sometimes under water." When making for shelter Capt. Bates saw a vessel aground on Calf Island reef. She had only one spar and was a craft of probably 500 or 600 tons. She was hard aground for her bow was exposed to view. He thought it might be either the Russell or Wheeler.

Capt. Bates says he was unable to render the vessel any assistance on account of the roughness of the weather. From the time the vessel went aground, on Friday night, until Saturday, when the Folger cleared, there was no means of the crew gaining communication with the shore. The vessel had a red bottom.

This morning three pumps were started on the schr. Grantham for the purpose of raising her so that she could be placed in the dry dock for inspection. When she was lightened she was taken to the dock, and after being temporarily repaired will be floated again, to be unloaded.

The rumor was current this morning that the schr. Falconer had capsized off the Ducks. When seen by a reporter Capt. Taylor, the owner, stated that he did not think there could be any truth in the matter at all. He received a telegram from the Falconer, at Oswego, Saturday, stating she was loaded and ready to leave. If she cleared the wind had not been so strong since then to capsize the vessel.

The Jessie Drummond ran into port for shelter Saturday night. She was bound from Charlotte to Toronto. Capt. Hugh Rooney says in all his experiences on the lakes he never saw anything to equal the gale of Friday night.

The schr. Hanlan left on Saturday for Belleville but Capt. Craig says that sooner than beat around and run probably fifty miles and get half frozen in the bargain he turned back to await a change in the wind. It was blowing pretty much from the west.

The schr. Flora Carveth sank at the entrance to Sodus Point harbor, Saturday. The crew, consisting of Capt. Samuel Phelp, two other men and a female cook, were obliged to remain in the rigging until five o'clock in the morning.

Capt. Bates, of the schr. B. W. Folger, says the schr. Speedwell has been laying at Charlotte twelve days, trying to get away for Toronto. She has made several attempts to clear, but in each case has had to be towed back by a tug.

Arrivals—Schr. Two Brothers, Consecon, 6,000 bush. peas; schr. Rooney, Toronto, 10,000 wheat; schr. Katie Eccles, bay ports, 6,800 peas; tug hall, Montreal, two barges; str. Ocean, Hamilton; str. Persia, Montreal.

The schr M. L. Breck dragged her anchor and went ashore in Sand Beach harbor. She is full of water and lies on a stone bottom, loaded with coal for Algoma Mills. She is owned by John McGibbon, of Sarnia.

The tug Thompson with schooners Minnedosa and Glenora, passed up to the Soo, yesterday, and the tug Walker with schrs., Gaskin and Kildonan met them. The tugs exchanged tows.

The schr. White Oak cleared for Gananoque to-day to complete her load of barley for Richardson & Sons, and will then proceed to Oswego and return with a cargo of coal for Swift & Co.

The schr. Katie Eccles, Rooney and Two Brothers arrived with cargoes of coal, Saturday morning, at the M. T. Co's dock and were all unloaded the same night.

The str. Rideau Belle was to have arrived from Ottawa on Saturday but a telegram received states that her machinery is broke down.

Captain Newton's steam yacht Ingomar is laid up for the winter at Kingston. Before next spring the yacht will undergo some repairs.

The str. Dominion and barges, Toledo to Kingston with wheat and corn, passed Port Dalhousie last night.

The barge Montreal is at Davis' dry dock being caulked.

Spring Wheat Crop.

William Makins, grain buyer for Richardson & Sons, says that the prices of grain at present are about the same as at this time last year, with the exception of wheat which is bought for between 60c and 70c per bushel, while it brought 80c to 90c last year. He says the spring wheat crop this year is a failure, and that three-fourths of the wheat grown on Long Island is only fit for chicken feed. A farmer from that place, brought over thirty bushels on Saturday, but was unable to sell it to dealers and was finally obliged to let it go to Mr. Franklin, to be sold for chicken feed. On account of the destructive rains the wheat had not filled, and farmers could not make flour for their own bread out of it. Fall wheat, however, was a good crop, and brings 70c to 75c per bushel. The fall wheat is the best crop farmers have had in years.

Result of College Elections.

The Æsculapian society elections at Queen's university on Saturday resulted as follows: President, G. McIrath; vice-president, S. Seager; treasurer, G. D. Fitzgerald; secretary, R. A. Caldwell; assistant-secretary, E. H. Macnolia; committee, first year, T. Gaskin; second year, A. McEwen; third year, J. F. Gilsey, and fourth year, P. F. Kinsley.

What The Prospects Are.

A private telegram, from New York, advises us that betting is free upon Cleveland carrying New York state, by odds of ten to six, and upon the general result the wagers are in Cleveland's favor ten to eight.

To-day the sale of the furniture of Lieut.-Gov. Kirkpatrick was well attended and most of the articles were disposed of.

THE LORD'S DAY OBSERVED.

A Pastor-elect Starts His Work—A Song Service—Death of a Priest's Father.

Services were conducted by the pastor-elect, Rev. Mr. Black, in Bethel Congregational church yesterday. Mr. Black is a very pleasing speaker and delivered effective discourses both morning and evening.

In the morning he took for his text Mark XIII.-34: "To every man his work." In his first discourse as pastor of the church he had chosen to speak of work. The work of a church was primarily spiritual. The members of a church in their individual capacity, and as members of society generally, have other than spiritual functions to perform. They enter into commercial life, take part in political affairs; they share in work of secular education and are found laboring with their hands; they will feed the poor and nurse the sick. He went on to show the character of the work that the christian church had to do and also the material in which and on which the christian church had to work. His introduction promises to be fruitful.

Yesterday morning Rev. D. C. Sanderson, of the Brock street Methodist church, preached to the members of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends. His text was, "A friend loveth at all times," Psalm, XVII.-17. He said he had carefully examined their constitution and by-laws, and they met with his most cordial approbation. He then stated the objects of the order and greeted brethern as hand maidens of the church and while they are banded together as Chosen Friends, he wished to speak to them about Him who had been a friend to many. He was Christ, the chosen friend of all, who would stand by them in their calamities and troubles. They should take Him as their ideal.

On return to the council room it was resolved, by a unanimous vote of those present, that the thanks of the council be tendered Mr. Sanderson and also to the members of the official board and the choir.

It was a day of song in Queen street Methodist church. The pastor preached at both services. The church was crowded in the evening. At the morning service over thirty persons were received into membership. The musical programme was choice and consisted of these numbers:

Anthem, "Art Thou Weary," Miss Orser taking the solo, and Miss Orser and Alfred Lavell, the duet; duet, "Inspirer and Hearer of Prayer," Miss Greenwood and Harry Lavell. Anthem, "The Golden Threshold," by Lohr, choir; solo, "The Gate of Heaven," by Tours. Miss Orser: anthem, "Holy Ghost the Infinite," by Shelly, Miss Greenwood taking the solo.

Church Paragraphs.

Rev. Dr. Grant preached in Knox church, Ottawa, yesterday.

Mr. Rowlands is charmed by the beauty and design of the new Y.M.C.A. building. Few places of the size of Kingston have as fine a building.

To-day Rev. Dr. Griffith left for Silver Lake, six miles from Sharbot Lake, to dedicate a Methodist church for Rev. J. C. Cornell. The services will be held to-morrow.

Belleville *Ontario*: Master Sydney Rose, from Kingston, the wonderful boy singer, will sing at the song service in the Tabernacle. He plays his own accompaniment on the autoharp.

The services in the Sydenham street Methodist church yesterday were very interesting. In the morning L. P. Rowland, evangelist, occupied the pulpit, and in the evening Rev. Dr. Griffith preached. At the close of the service a number were enrolled as members.

Last evening the singing by the choir of St. Andrew's church was highly appreciated and unusually good. C. Harvey sang with great effect "Abide With Me," and the anthem by the choir, "O Lord, How Manifold, etc," was rendered in a style that spoke of careful training.

Last evening in St. James' Rev. Mr. Beamish preached forcibly on evolution. The pulpit as well as working force of the city clergy has been appreciably strengthened in his engagement here. He will fill the place of the rector of St. James' with singular appropriateness.

The lecture room of the Y.M.C.A. was filled to overflowing with young men, yesterday afternoon, to listen to the earnest words of Mr. Rowland. In a racy, attractive manner, the evangelist sketched the story of Zaccheus, and with apt illustrations he impressed the truth on the minds of those who listened. A good feeling was manifest. Meetings for men will continue each night this week until Thursday, at 8:30 o'clock. Bible readings will be given each afternoon at 3:30 the last one being given on Wednesday afternoon. They are open to ladies.

CITY AND VICINITY.

10 Cents.

For this week we will sell all our ladies' fashionable felt hats at 10c each. Hardy's one price store.

An Alderman's Life.

An alderman said this morning that if it was not for politics there would be no representatives in the council at all. An alderman's position is by no means an enviable one; nothing but abuse every day.

Call Off The Dogs.

Rev. C. O. Johnston thinks that the hunters should not be allowed to use dogs in running down deer. If this practice was done away with there would be no need of making laws whereby hunters are prohibited from killing more than two deers.

Dress Good Boom.

We wish to keep up the dress good boom so successful last week and therefore offer this week 20 pieces double fold home spun, regular half dollar goods for 25c; double fold broad cloth goods, 25c; 15 pieces of 15c cloth dress goods for 10c. Hardy's one price store.

Early Vacancy in Winnipeg.

It is learned that Hugh John Macdonald, Winnipeg, son of the late Sir John Macdonald, will resign his seat in the house of commons this month. The demands of a large and growing legal business, in addition to no particular love for politics, are the causes assigned.

Lives May Be Saved.

Many of the doctors in the city have purchased bicycles, and found them very convenient. One physician said, yesterday, he would not be without a wheel for twice the price. When the roads are dry night calls can be speedily answered, and in urgent cases lives may be saved.

Training Horses.

James Guess has twelve horses in training at the Rideau stock farm. Mr. Guess will continue to train the horses at the farm until the roads in the country become blocked with snow, when Mr. Folger will probably transfer the horses to the city till the spring. Among the number are some very promising colts.

He Is a Successful Canadian.

It is indignantly denied that Christie Evans, formerly of Renfrew county, and a graduate of the university of Ottawa, was one of the alleged outlaws of California. The fact is he is a citizen of integrity and ability in Pittsburg. He is city editor of the Pittsburg *Times* and during the session of the legislature of Pennsylvania, at Harrisburg, is the valued representative of the *Times*.

He Wants Compensation.

County constable D. A. Spencer, Picton, will make application to the county council to pass his account for the amount of his doctor's bill and loss of time occasioned by injuries received while making the arrest of Geddes Dalnard, a few months ago. Mr. Spencer presented the claim, amounting to $86, to the provincial auditors but it was not allowed, as they claimed it was out of their power to do so; there was no precedent. In addition to the above items the constable sustained the monetary loss of about $100 through the ruin of a fine crop of peas which he was unable to have harvested owing to his being unable to secure help, as hired labor was unavailable at the time.

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.

Read local matter on page two.

Fraser's Rheumatic Remedy, Wade's drug Store

James H. Taylor, in Denver recently, is in southern California.

W. Quail, Fort McLeod, N.W.T., is visiting friends in the city.

The Ezra Kendel company left on Saturday evening for Montreal.

H. Mooers left on Saturday evening for Winnipeg on a business trip.

There is talk among the city officials of having a dinner at Christmas.

If you only knew how nice it is you would drink the famous Tamilkande Tea.

A telephone has been placed in Mr. Clark's residence, Gordon stret.

James Richardson is reported somewhat improved, but is still a sick man.

Don't miss the sale of W. J. Byrnes & Co's stock of gents' fine furnishings.

C. J. White, proprietor of the Tweed NEWS, has sold out to W. J. Taylor.

James Bastow has returned from Campbellford where he was visiting friends.

Kingston' best pure wool full fashioned seamless cashmere hose, for 35c, at Hardy's.

R. V. Wright, the well-known labor reformer, is visiting Alfred Perry, Durham street.

Mrs. Dr. H. A. Evans, Picton, is the guest of Mrs. T. Donnelly, University avenue.

John Gilbert, grocer, offers to trot any grocery horse in the city for fun, money or marbles.

George Washington Amey, manager of the oilcloth works, returned from Montreal, Saturday.

Miss Maud Brown, visiting relatives at Dickenson's Landing for a month, returned home to-day.

You will get better satisfaction by buying that new range or hall stove from Bibby's cheap stove house.

Remember you can buy your underwear at half price at W. J. Byrnes & Co., its slightly damaged by the fire.

It was stated to-day that a handsome hall would be erected on the corner of Clarence and King streets next year.

There is much local matter on page two. To benefit advertisers we will devote pages one and two to local affairs.

Miss Jennie Newman left for Montreal to-day. In the Balmoral hotel she has secured a responsible position with E. H. Dunham.

Scrofula, whether hereditary or acquired, is thoroughly expelled from the blood by Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier.

Tools for drilling a well, 1,000 feet deep, at Rockwood asylum, were shipped from the west to Kingston on Saturday.

Robt. Drysdale, Renfrew, is in the city being treated by Dr. Sullivan for a disease of the tongue. It is not a cancer.

M. Maleen returned to the city, last week, after an absence of three months. He was profitably employed at Morrisburg.

Now comes the greatest organization of all Ovide Musin and company, in the opera house, Monday, Nov. 14th. Plan at Sherlock's.

L. Robinson, formerly in R. D. Baker's gent's furnishing store, is working at the carpentering business, in Chicago, with his father-in-law, Robert Newman, late of Kingston.

Work on the Harrowsmith and Napanee branch of the N. T. & Q. R. is being pushed ahead as fast as possible. The disagreeable weather of late has interfered with the progress of the work.

Telephone 304 and have your overcoat cleaned. The Renovo Co.

This note comes to hand: "DEAR WHIG, will you kindly inform your many readers when the 'Starry Banner' became 'Our Flag?' See *News* of last Thursday, 3rd inst."—CANADIAN.

The funeral of the late Mr. Beach, conductor, killed near Chalk river, occurred yesterday and was a large one. Representative citizens, prominent railroad men and employees of the K. & P. R. were present. The bearers at the funeral of the late Horace Beach, killed on the C.P.R. train at Carleton Place, were: Conductors Funnell, Boakes and Craig, and Brakesmen T. Healy, C. Spooner and Amelstyne, all of the K. & P. RR.

City engineer Bolger, returned from Peterboro on Saturday, where he had been subpoenaed as a witness in a case, the township of Ennismore vs. John Young, about the width of a road. Mr. Bolger had made a survey of the road some twenty years ago.

Pure scotch wool underwear for 65c at W. J. Byrnes & Co's sale of damaged gents' furnishings.

Hugh Harold, hunting at Brewer's Mills for a couple of weeks on board the steam yacht Here Now, returned to Kingston to-day. He got several ducks and partridge, but says the shooting is not very good down the Rideau this year on account of the number of Americans hunting in that locality.

It is said there will be a redistribution of seats in the Ontario legislature at the coming session. The county lines will be adhered to. Kingston will once again stand alone, Portsmouth and the township of Kingston undoubtedly reverting to Frontenac. The population of the city warrants the change.

SEVERAL PRIESTS BEREAVED.

A Message From the Archbishop to Those Attending Vespers in St. Mary's.

The following message from the archbishop was read in the evening at vespers in St. Mary's cathedral to the congregation:

"The archbishop received, a few moments ago, a cablegram from Father Kelly, announcing the death of his father. His grace is fully assured that the entire congregation of St. Mary's feel, in common with him and the clergy of the palace, tender sympathy with Father Kelly in this severe affliction. The parent whose loss he now deplores was always a most exemplary citizen, and a Catholic of edifying life, who made it a rule of daily christian regularity to assist at holy mass before going to his store for business. He has reared a large and respectable family of sons and daughters, two of the daughters being nuns. His death has been in accord with his life, truly christian and Catholic.

"Father Kelly has had much consolation in this grievous domestic trial. His presence at his father's bedside in these last days has been a comfort to both father and son. It will give consolation to good Father Kelly to learn that we are mindful of him in his trouble, and that we will do our duty as Catholics towards his deceased father's soul. The archbishop will celebrate holy mass for the deceased, John Kelly, to-morrow morning at 7:30 o'clock, and he is confident that many of the worthy priest's friends will assist at the holy sacrifice and pray fervently for his father's soul.

"On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock we will have high mass celebrated here for the same intention, at which all the priests of the city and as many of the neighboring priests as can attend, will also assist.

"The archbishop has likewise received within the last hour intelligence of the death of William Duffus, Lindsay, architect, brother of Rev. Father Duffus of Perth and brother-in-law of Father Spratt, of Wolfe Island, and of Father Michael Spratt, of Kitley in this diocese.

"Let us kneel down and offer a pater and ave for the repose of the souls of John Kelly and William Duffus."

The Best Team Won.

The Ingoode hall footballers defeated the Hamiltons in Toronto, on Saturday, by 30 to 14 points. The legalites are now the champions of Ontario. The *Mail* says: referee Grant and umpire Curtis, of Queen's university, showed themselves to be model officials, and both teams afterwards expressed themselves as being well satisfied with the way in which the game was conducted.

GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Very Latest News Crowded Into a Small Space.

W. Smeaton and wife, Belleville, were in the city to-day.

N. Vermilyea, chief warden of the county of Hastings, is in the city.

Mrs. Betts sang in the choir of St. James' church at both services yesterday.

Evangelical Methodists, Broomley, are erecting a church in the Barr settlement.

Another Scottish concert company will appear in Kingston in about a month's time.

Lieut.-Gov. Kirkpatrick and wife, left today, on the B. of Q., and C.P.R., for Toronto.

Mr. Dewdney will be sworn in as lieut.-governor of British Columbia on the 9th November.

W. H. Rogers, carpenter contractor, left to-day for Milwaukee, where he will spend the winter months.

On Thursday H. Newbery and bride, will sail for England, where he will go into business with his father.

Charles Lennen, formerly steward on the str. St. Lawrence, is dead, aged sixty-four. He was an old pensioner.

James Cummings, Cornwall, chief cook of the str. Pierrepont, is engaged as porter at the Anglo-American hotel.

The auction sale at the residence of the Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick will be continued to-morrow morning at 10 a.m.

The regular meeting of the school board occurs on Thursday, but on account of thanksgiving day the meeting will be postponed.

By the end of the month, all fit cheese will be shipped to the English markets, and that left over will be disposed of to the retail trade.

On Thursday the civil service examinations will be held in the artillery park, and Mayor McIntyre will be the examiner. There will be twenty candidates.

A citizen is loud in complaint against the practice of butcher carts and coal carts darting through the streets and endangering the lives of pedestrians in crossing the roads.

The death is announced in Toronto, on Nov. 5th, of Sarah E. Robarts, widow of the late Rev. Canon Robarts, of Thrpfold and daughter of the late Wm. Wilson, of Kingston.

Capt. Bates says the position of the schooner aground on the Calf Island reef is such as to render it an utter impossibility to get her off with safety. He expects the vessel will be a total wreck.

Mrs. William Rancier, South Sherbrooke, is in Perth jail, committed for insanity. She had been in jail before through insanity. About a week ago Mrs. Foster, Almonte, was also committed. She was harmless.

To-day natives of the United States, republicans and democrats, who live in the city, were not sufficiently confident respecting the presidential elections to be hell tomorrow to give an opinion as to the result.

Elizah Bolling Glenn, born ninety-seven years ago, intends walking to the polls tomorrow in Newark. Glenn says that he cast his first vote seventy-five years ago. He is a staunch democrat. He claims that his mother was a direct descendant of Pocohantas.

The greatest excitement ever known in the Indiana oil field exists at Portland, Ind. A well near Camden, on the Grissel farm, was torpedoed and a solid stream of oil shot in the air one hundred feet above the derrick. The well is flowing two thousand barrels a day.

The bottom of the schr. Grantham is in a bad state. Capt. Donnelly says $2,300 will have to be spent to put the boat in as good shape as she was before the accident. The reason she fared so badly was because she ran on a pile of stones dropped into the lake by a scow which capsized many years ago.

At Carteret, N. J., several boys from eight to twelve years old were playing with a revolver on the commons yesterday when Charles Jordon shot and killed one of his play fellows, John Andreas. There was no motive for the deed. The Andreas boy held his hat over his heart and asked Jordon if he could hit it. He fired, killing Andreas instantly.

Samuel Charles Willets, Chicago, married a girl when he was a mere lad, and after a daughter was born to them the young wife ran away, taking the child with her, and nothing more was heard of them. Recently Willets married a girl younger than himself, and subsequently, on obtaining particulars of his wife's childhood, he was forced to the conclusion that unknowingly he married his own daughter.

BLACK PEPSIN.

A Letter From Prof. Robertson For Butter Makers to Peruse.

Pref. Robertson, dominion dairy commissioner, writing in regard to "Black Pepsin," class it as "suspicious," and adds: "I do not believe that a single one of the claims made for black pepsin can be substantiated. By the use of a coagulating agent it is possible to make a soft curd or cheese from milk which may have some resemblance to butter. As butter is mainly composed of butter-fat (at least 80 per cent of its total weight should be fat), it follows that not much more than 115 pounds of marketable butter can be obtained for every 100 pounds of butter-fat which the milk or cream contains.

"A substance, preparation or method may be discovered whereby a new dairy product may be made from milk, in such a way as to retain in a palatable and digestible condition for human food, nearly all the nutritious constituents of the milk. I have had that matter under consideration and experiment for over two years, and am hopeful of a fair measure of success. But to tumble a spoonful or two of some magic substance into a churnful of cream, when heigh! presto! its casein and sugar and other constituents become changed into butter, is out of my power and line of effort. That sort of thing lies only in the sphere of witches, conjurors and other clever humbugs, who pander to the superstitious and marvel-loving weakness of the people."

The Late Topics.

SHARBOT LAKE, Nov. 7.—Mr. Avery is attending the county council this week. Division court was held last week by Judge Price. There was only one contested suit and that for only $6. However, it was a case that may determine the right of a reeve to sit and vote in the county council this week. As it is a case somewhat unique and may be quoted as a precedent, we give a summary. The defendant, Thomas Tapping, is a reeve, and as reeve is ex-officio, J.P. On the 29th of July he made an assignment of his property for the benefit of his creditors, in August he issued summonses in three cases as J.P., as asked for by the plaintiff, who now sues him for the costs in these several actions. The plaintiff pleads that the defendant was not reeve at the time of his issuing the papers and therefore was not a J.P., that he ceased to be J.P. when he assigned, R.S.O., chapter 184, sec. 177, page 1819. The learned judge reserved judgment. We have had heavy rains and some snow, but the weather is fine now. S. McGinnis has removed to the house and store lately occupied by A. E. Smythe. Hope is expressed that satisfactory arrangements may be arrived at between the R.C. authorities and Edward Aspell in reference to the property of the late Michael Aspell. A large quantity of wood, tits, etc., will be got out by farmers this winter.

Saved The Crew.

MAY'S LANDING, N. J., Nov. 7.—Word has been received here of the wreck of the large schooner Annie Gaskell, of this place, and the gallant rescue of the crew and captain. A cutter, Saturday morning, found the schooner floating on her beam end outside of the Delaware capes, with the sea running completely over her. Her crew were clinging to portions of the hull and making appeals for help. The wind was blowing a gale. A boat was lowered from the cutter and went to the rescue of the unfortunate sailors, having been clinging to wreck since long before daybreak. The sea had drenched them through and through, and they were nearly frozen stiff when taken off. All were dared for, and landed at Lewes, Del. The Gaskill was bound for Norfolk, loaded with ties.

OPTIMISM, WHAT IS IT?

THE OPENING MEETING FOR THE WORKMEN OF KINGSTON.

Rev. M. Macgillivray Read an Interesting Paper and Made Numerous Good Points—The Way the People Can Wreck Combines and Monopolies.

The first meeting of the series to be held every Sunday afternoon during the winter months, in Fraser's hall, for the benefit of workingmen, took place yesterday and was fairly well attended. A. Perry, one of the managers of the movement, made a short address, in which he pointed out the good results of the meetings last winter. They benefited all work for the good of the people, and he hoped special efforts would be made by those interested to get the workingmen together on Sunday afternoons during the cold weather. Some person had written that the meetings would be attended and addressed by "kid-gloved gentlemen," but the object of the meetings was to bring the working classes and professional men together, and by the discussion of public questions both classes would be benefited; one would learn from the other. He introduced Rev. M. Macgillivray, who read a carefully prepared and scholarly paper on "Optimism." He said this is always a leading question, and would be as long as the world lives, and the great lesson learned from the holy scriptures was optimism. What is it? It is the doctrine that everything is ordered eventually for the best. Heroes, law-givers and saints of the bible were men with optimistic ideas. They were men of faith and hope and their works corresponded to their belief. What saved them from the dark gulf of despair was that they considered all things were God's things. He referred to the difference of the customs in the present time and that of the 12th century. History taught them the world had been progressing during the ages and they saw the results of the spread of an optimistic spirit. There were great men in modern times but their were no great communities. Now the power and greatness of the few is diffused throughout the whole community and every man has equal opportunities to become great. The kingdom of heaven, which means the kingdom of truth, has grown wider. There has never been a time when the generate power of the brain was as great as it is to-day and each man has a share in this power. As thoughtful men of to-day surveyed the field they are hopeful for the world. The world is progressing, probably not as rapidly as they would wish, but their wishes would always be in advance. He explained that untoward circumstances and obstacles of every kind may be overcome by optimistic belief, and there is hardly an obstacle that may not be surmounted by a heroic spirit. The optimistic spirit is a courageous hopeful spirit, and they should take up obstacles that may be in the way and turn them to proper account. Was it not a hopeful sign that the labor question and other questions of importance to the welfare of men are receiving the attention of the best brains and best hearts of their race?

He next spoke of the scientific dealing of the present times, in the matter of religion. Many looked upon this with alarm, but it was wholly misconceived that the influence of truth could suffer harm so long as men believed in the goodness of the Lord. He did not see anything alarming in the scientific tendencies, but he saw in them an influence that should provoke their gratitude. Truth is to be received when the evidences are present no matter where it meets men. Truth can lead to more truth. Optimism give strength to the heart, light to the eye, substance to the brain and nerve to the palsied arm, turns defeat into victory, and enables men to overcome their troubles.

He concluded by relating helps to the development of the optimistic spirit. They must cultivate a composed spirit, read books and seek society that have a pure, healthy vitality. Examine every side of the account and total up their mercies and they would find the list large. Right surroundings and fellowship promote optimism. If they want good enviroments, good safe fellowship, they can have them in circles and classes, and if they did not get them it was because they did not want them. One of the best helps to enable them to cultivate the optimistic belief is work. They must encourage bright, hopeful temperments, seek healthy society and amusements and lend themselves to every good work. The enthusiastic workers in every field of good work are the optimists of the world. They should enter the ranks of the toiling men and women in the churches, bearing the burden and heat of the day, and they would not become down-hearted.

The paper was discussed by J. M. Machar, Q.C., D. Frazer, Ald. Meek, Dr. Dupuis, N. C. Polson, A. Hoppins and J. Baker.

Rev. Mr. Macgillivray spoke of the criticisms of the paper and said that some statements were severe. He did not think the monopolists of the present day should be compared to the robber knights of the mediæval ages, but he was sure that all combines and monopolies of the present day could be smashed by the people, but they were cowards and had not sufficient independence about them to do this. Little bits of paper with the crosses in the right place would do the work. If they had only manliness and independence enough about them when they went to the polls, they could soon wreck great corporations who are raising the prices of things needed by the people. As reference had been made to the light way in which the labor question had been treated at a great ecclesiastical conference held recently in Canada, the speaker said the church to which he belonged was as active in good work as other denominations, but it was a humiliating thing to hear the minister of the wealthiest church in America say he had no interest in the question of work and wages. It was with a great deal of annoyance and regret that those present heard this statement. Mr. Macgillivray assured them however that the churches would do all they could for