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WE WOULD IMPRESS

FAREWELL TO PATRICK.

HIS ADMIRERS GATHERED IN THE CITY HOTEL LAST NIGHT.

There Was a Choice Exchange of Sentiments That Must Have Made Every Heart Glad—
There Was Much Political Chaff.

The banquet tendered Patrick McLaughlin in Kingston, last night; was most enthusiastic and Patrick cannot return to his home in Rome, N.Y., without modest vanity regarding the respect and esteem in which he is held by friends here. The speakers were of one voice in referring to Mr. McLaughlin's open-heartedness and the reason why the illustrious city loves a citizen. The dining room of the hotel was decorated and the spread substantial and sumptuous. About fifty admirers had the dinner. Dr. Ryan was chairman. During the progress of the dinner political questions occurred. The toast was: "The Queen proposed by Dr. Ryan: "The Governor-general," by James Gann: "City and County Council," by W. Robinson, ex-M.P.; responded to by Wm. Hartley, M.P.P., Messrs. Hartley and Robinson; "Trade and Commerce," by John Carson, replied to by Messrs. Bowes, Bawden, Madson, Thompson; Mr. McDonald, Varker; Mr. Miller, Newburgh; John Hickey, J. B. Murphy; the Army and Navy; Capt. Joyce; the Legion; Dr. D. M. Moltz, followed by John O'Reilly, Hartigan, and Mr. McGrath; "the Press" by Mr. McCallum; answered to by local representatives.

Mr. Hartley spoke of Patrick as one "who has a dead game sport." He has never seen anything "tricky" about Mr. McLaughlin. It was a case of "orry to sport and have sport." The company broke up shortly after midnight.

Mr. Joyce spoke of Mr. McLaughlin's friends going over to see him. When the United States was annexed to Canada and not vice versa. Speaking of municipal affairs he said: "I was kind of sorry to see us as we were to some extent responsible for it." He said: "It has got to the point where they must. One side it was different. He would be unnoticed on the street by the wealthy man knew."

The ladies could not have had a better exponent than Mr. McGrath.

Mr. Hartley's services were given by Mr. O'Neill of the Lindley company, N. Parrot and Mr. Rankin. The company broke up shortly after midnight.

The telephone company has placed an auxiliary call bell in the city solicitor's office.

Table raisins and figs are Redden's.

Order Livabat: London resident McFarland's. It's the finest in the city.

Ald. Creighton found a black block at Colborne street yesterday and reported it to the police.

Fisher has a few hundred bushels left. Mr. Hartley's, a small boy, was given to him.

A handsome line of Christmas decorations at very low prices at the G. T. R. Union.

Annand Christmas dinner, for patients of Rockwood asylum, will be served to-morrow.

Grand display of new American neckwear for Christmas at W. J. Barnes & Co.

Mr. Hartley's annual drive is a six week talk.

It is proposed for the week following New Years.

Miss Ethel Fowler, who left a month ago for California for the benefit of her health, is still very fit.

Mr. McDonald, of Alvinston, has secured the services to supply the penitentiary with fish at \$3 per pound.

Direct from England, a special lot of necklaces at Ratzenbury's, for Christmas trade.

The returning officers for Storrington are E. Deacon, C. Langwith, Jr., J.C. Thorpe, W. S. Sitton.

A prominent conservative said to-day that Mr. Hogan, would certainly be appointed a customs house officer.

Beautiful new China silkies, twenty-five new colors, handsomest ever seen at the Bon Marche.

The thrushy council of Storrington has resolved to petition the legislature to abolish market fees in Ontario.

Mr. Deacon, of St. Catharines, forwarded a cheque for \$100 to J. E. Clark, manager of the general hospital, as a Christmas gift.

Acknowledgement is also made of the receipt of \$100 and numerous valuable surgical instruments, a bequest from the late Dr. W. H. Henderson.

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A Victoria Horse.

Wm. Kirby, manager of the Rathbone Co., has again been the victim of the notorious antics on the part of his horse. The animal is a "bitter" of the worst stamp and yesterday grabbed Mr. Kirby by the bit, inflicting an ugly wound. A few weeks ago the horse nearly bit one of Kirby's fingers off and since then made free with one of his hands.

Handsome Presents.

We have just a fresh lot of elder down comforters which we will sell at the upper end of the scale, so that you would make a very handsome and useful present.

New rug and mat in plush, velvet, carpet, curtain and table covers, largest assortment in the city; 200 to \$100 men's silk and wool suits from \$2 to \$3, at R. McFalls.

Botel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the British American Hotel:

J. A. Laurie, Brookville; James Clapp, Kingston; A. McDonald, Wolfville, N.S.

R. Vrooman, S. S. Scott, Capt. Vincent S. J. Fisher, Peterborough; Mrs. Patterson, daughter, A. Tilley, Charles Boyd, L. Samuels, G. Danner, H. W. Whitehouse, Montreal; S. R. Clark, Winnipeg; Andrew Bell, Allerton; Edward Manon, Toronto; M. Jones, Utica; J. M. Caldwell, Clyde Forks.

Successful Business.

The firm of Charles & Hawdon have shown

that energy and good judgment as to the requirements of the public do in a very short space of time.

Beginning six months ago with a small line of ladies fancy goods, they now have a large and varied

variety of goods which will appeal in every department of the house-hold.

They conduct their business at 202 Princess street, and sell their goods at a small margin of profit.

Police Court—Friday.

John Kilian, pedler, was charged by Officer Dowsey, this morning, with crudely torturing his animals. He was found guilty of ill-treating his horse and was fined \$5, and costs or \$100.

He was remanded to the police court.

Mr. Hartley was selected to the police court.

He then went on to ask the question why Canada was so far behind the United States.

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