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CELESTIAL SCENERY, Thomas Dick.
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DEERSLAYER.
ERNEST MALTRAVERS.
ESSAYS BY SIDNAY SMITH.
EUGENE ARAM.
EXPERIENCES OF A BARRISTER.
FAIR GOD.
FELIX HOLT.
FUR COUNTRY.
GERMAN LITERATURE (Beauties of).
HEART OF MIDLOTHIAN.
HENRY ESMOND.
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JESS.
JOSEPHUS, Wislons.
KENILWORTH.
KING SOLOMON'S MINES.
KORAN.
LAST OF THE MOHICANS.
MISCELLANIES OF LITERATURE, Disraeli.
MOON VOYAGE.
MR. MEESON'S WILL.
NATURE'S GIFTS AND HOW TO USE THEM.
OLIVER TWIST.
ORBS OF HEAVEN.
PAUL AND VIRGINIA.
PICKWICK PAPERS.
POE'S TALES.
POPULAR NATURAL HISTORY, Wood.
RED GAUNTLET.
RIENZI.
ROB ROY.
SADDLE AND SABRE.
SHE.
SIDERIAL HEAVENS, Thos. Dick.
SKETCH BOOK, Washington Irving.
SKETCHES BY "BOZ."
SPOOPENDYKE PAPERS.
TALMUD.
TOUR OF THE WORLD IN EIGHTY DAYS.
USE OF SUNSHINE.
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Friday Evening, Jan. 16th.
GEO. A. DAME'S Beautiful Dramatic Realism in 3 Acts of Music, Pathos and Comedy, entitled
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Presented by a splendid Belleville cast of characters.
Special Scenery!
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The Belleville press and public are unanimous in pronouncing this performance the most brilliant ever seen in that city.
Prices 25c, 50c and 75c.

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H. M. Boddy ..... Humorist
Franz Wagner ..... Cellist
Plan at Henderson's Bookstore, opens Wednesday, January 14th.
TICKETS, 75c., 50c and 25c.

KINGSTON SKATING RINK.
WEDNESDAY, JAN. 14th,
AT 8 P. M.
GRAND - CARNIVAL
(FANCY DRESS)
Band of "A" BATTERY in Attendance.
The ice will be reserved throughout the entire evening for those in fancy dress costume.
Costumes may be rented for the occasion from Joseph Pouton, at the British American Hotel, during the day, To-MORROW (Wednesday).
It is requested that each person attending in costume will, on entering, hand in at the wicket a card with his or her name and character.
ADMISSION 25 CENTS.

AUCTION SALE
Almost New Household Furniture, Feather Beds and Bedding.
AT NO. 70 WILLIAM STREET, Corner of Wellington Street.
On Wednesday, January 14th.
Having received instructions from C. Girdler to sell all of his household effects, consisting of Extension Dining Tables, Upholstered Dining Chairs, Kitchen Utensils, Dinner Sets, Toilet sets, Coal Cooking Range, Parlor Cooking stove, Bedroom Suites, Mattresses, Woven Wire Mattresses, Parlor Suite of Mohair, Brussels Carpets, Oil Cloth, Parlor and Hall Lamps, B. W. Hat Rack, Chenille Curtains, Pictures and many other articles. Terms cash. Sale at 10:30 a.m.
R. R. MARTIN, Auctioneer.

FATHER HUNTINGTON
Will lecture on
"GOD'S GIFTS FOR GOD'S CHILDREN,"
At City Hall.
FRIDAY, 16th inst, at 8 P. M.
Admission Free. Bishop of Ontario will preside.

Kingston Electoral Division Society.
The Annual Meeting of the Kingston Electoral Division Society will be held in the office of the Frontenac Loan and Investment Society, on Wednesday afternoon, January 21st, at 4 o'clock for election of Directors and general business.
T. BRIGGS, President. A. SHAW, Secretary.

LOST.
ON SUNDAY MORNING, between Chalmers' Church and Ordnance street, A GOLD BRACELET, with garnet setting. The finder will be rewarded upon returning it through the Whig Office.

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CHAMBER MAID WANTED at ANGLO-AMERICAN HOTEL.
COMFORTABLE ROOMS at 76 GORE STREET. Apply through this office.
ABOUT 20 MORE ENERGETIC MEN in Ontario to push the sale of our Guaranteed Nursery Stock this winter. Permanent and profitable employment to "Pushers." Salary or Commission paid. Write for terms quick. E. C. GRAHAM, Toronto, Ont.

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LARGE BRICK HOUSE on Earl Street. J. B. CARRUTHERS.
TWO TERRACE HOUSES, with extension kitchens, bath rooms, etc. Apply at WHIG Office.
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NEW BRICK HOUSE, NO. 19 SYDENHAM STREET, with all modern improvements, hot water, bath, etc., etc., at present occupied by Mr. W. H. Macree. Possession 1st May. JOSEPH FRANKLIN.

FOR SALE.
A GOLDIE & McCULLOUGH FIRE PROOF AND BURGLAR SAFE. Middling size. Apply at this office.
THREE LOTS ON VICTORIA STREET, south of Princess Street. Soil black loam; to be sold single or in block. Apply to W. POLLEST, Williamsville, or to George Clift, Real Estate agent, Clarence street.
FRAME HOUSE, Corner Pine and Lansdowne Streets, 7 rooms, kitchen 13 x 16 feet, cistern and deep cellar, waggon house, etc. $900. Frame house adjoining, not so large. $700. Also house on Pine street. Only $600. Lot attached. For further particulars apply to CHARLES DAVID, 94 York street.
HOTEL FOR SALE—A first-class hotel, situate in the Village of Harrowsmith, on the line of the K. & P. RR., known as the Albion Hotel; a splendid stand, in good repair, and a first-class business place. Will sell on easy terms or exchange for farm property. Possession given at any time. For further information apply to WM. GRIFFITH, Sydenham.

TO LET OR FOR SALE.
THAT LARGE, COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, known as "The Parsonage," Harrowsmith, at present occupied by the Rev. K. L. Jones. There is a large garden, plentifully supplied with fruit; a good barn and stable, ice house, well and cistern. Possession July 1st. Apply to DR. GARRETT, 59 Johnson st., Kingston.

Mr Robb's Suggestion.

John Robb, an old schoolmaster now a resident in Kingston, suggests to the minister of education that all children attending the public schools wear an outer garment made of the same material, durable but inexpensive, neatly but uniformly made and trimmed, and also caps of uniform make. "Thousands of times," he writes, "have I felt sorry for children who could not appear at school as tastefully dressed as their more wealthy classmates. But were all to wear the same outside clothing, it would entirely remove the social distinction that has of late years crept into the school room. In cities, towns and villages, the truant from school would be readily recognized, and probably render unnecessary truant officers, as delinquents would not venture to remain on the streets." His second suggestion is, that a small book be prepared and authorized, containing the best national and patriotic English songs and poetry. "Nearly all the songs I ever heard school children sing, had reference to some American incident, and nearly every book of recitations has been written and printed in the United States."

Enthusiasm And Sentiment.

Hamilton Herald.

Mrs. Thomson is a charming and accomplished lady. Her platform presence is gracious, easy and winning. She sings with a pathos, tenderness and expression that goes straight to every heart. She gets her fingers on the old heart strings and pulls them till they throb in ecstasy. A sweet, good woman, she makes the world brighter and better for the sweetness, goodness and tenderness of her song.

Don't fail to hear Mrs. Thomson and her talented company. Martin's opera house, Monday, Jan. 19th. Plan at Henderson's. See advertisement.

St. Paul's ladies hold a kettledrum and concert in city hall, Tuesday, Jan. 27th.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Fair weather, decidedly cold, with light local snow falls.

The "Probs." are
YOU WANT SOME
FINE SPANISH ONIONS.
WE HAVE THEM.
JAMES CRAWFORD.

HENRY EBAME,
LEADING UNDERTAKER & EMBALMER
251 PRINCESS STREET, Corner Sydenham street. Telephone communication.

REMINDERS.

TUESDAY.
CONTRACTORS' meeting in Mechanics' Institute at 7:30 p.m.
MR. C. H. Dorenwend at British American Hotel.
WEDNESDAY.
REGULAR Meeting of Cataraqui Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m.
AUCTION Sale of Furniture at 70 William st., 9:30 a.m.
CARNIVAL at Kingston Skating Rink.

JAMES REID,
THE LEADING UNDERTAKER, PRINCESS STREET.

MARRIED.

RIDDELL-STEWART—On Jan. 12th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Barrack street, Kingston, by the Rev. J. L. Whiting, Mr. J. L. Riddell, of Toronto, Ont., to Miss C. E. Stewart, daughter of W. Stewart, of the K. & P. Ry., of Kingston.

DIED.

SHANNESSY—In Kingston, Sunday, Jan. 11th, 1891, Thomas Shannessy, aged 30 years and 4 months.

Funeral will take place from his late residence, Park street, (lower depot) on Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock to St. Mary's cathedral. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

(Toronto papers please copy.)

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Open day and night.

THE EASTERN DISTRICT.

Notes from the Local Papers of Happenings and Purposes.

Selling off at R. McFaul's.

Come to the carnival to-morrow.

Very fine cheese. J. Crawford.

Richmond's old council was elected at the late municipal elections.

Clearing sale of boots at Armstrong's.

Remember the Carnival on Wednesday.

John Bardon, Selton, killed an eight month's old pig weighing 232 lbs.

Spanish onions. J. Crawford.

Carnival to-morrow. See advt.

Men's American and Canadian rubbers for 50c, American Shoe and Clothing Co.

Cape Vincent has organized a trust and loan company with a large capital.

Go to the carnival to-morrow.

Cheese the finest. J. Crawford.

Selling goods cheaper than the cheapest at R. McFaul's.

Chocolate walnut creams 20c. per pound at the Bazaar.

Mr. Hill has entered upon the duties of mathematical master at Deseronto high school.

Carnival to-morrow. See advt.

If you want a cheap carpet buy it now and save 50 per cent. at R. McFaul's.

Extra cheese, 12½c. J. Crawford.

It is rumored that Col. A. D. Shaw will be appointed to the collectorship of Cape Vincent.

Spanish onions. J. Crawford.

Go to the carnival to-morrow.

The largest stock of clothing and boots and shoes is at the American Shoe and Clothing Co.

The Deseronto brass band has reorganized and elected officers for the year. It has a good lot of musicians.

Spanish onions. J. Crawford.

Carnival to-morrow. See advt.

500 pairs men's fine American overshoes to be sold at $1 50 worth $2.25 at the American Shoe and Clothing Co.

Agnes Dunn, aged 85 years, died at Almonte. She was a native of Scotland and came to Canada in 1826.

Selling off at R. McFaul's.

Skaters get your costumes ready for the grand carnival at Dix's rink next week. Splendid skating to-night.

Go to the carnival to-morrow.

Shakespearean lectures by Prof. Dyde, lecture room, Chalmers' church, Friday, Jan. 16th, at 8 o'clock.

Spanish onions. J. Crawford.

Now is the time for making up your bed linen. Buy your pillow cases and sheeting at half price at R. McFaul's.

The division registrar for the town of Lanark recorded during 1890 49 births, 19 deaths and 20 marriages.

Selling off at R. McFaul's.

Introduction and "Love's Labors Lost," Chalmers' church, lecture room, Jan. 16th. Tickets for course, 75c.; single tickets, 15c.

Carnival to-morrow. See advt.

A few Hyacinths coming into bloom at Wilson's Pharmacy. Call and choose your favorites now.

Edward Ryan, of Pakenham, injured while blasting out a foundation of a building, died on the 7th inst.

California dried fruits. J. Crawford.

Selling off at R. McFaul's.

During the past year the output of the Hopetown cheese factory amounted to 94,965 lbs. of cheese, for which the sum of $8,140.31 was received, and of which the sum of $6 158 44 was distributed amongst the patrons.

Fine cheese, 12½c. J. Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kingston, Hallowell, celebrated the 16th anniversary of their marriage on Saturday Dec. 27th. The occasion was a very enjoyable one, there being present some twenty-eight or thirty members of the respective families.

Spanish onions. J. Crawford.

Go to the carnival to-morrow.

The annual statement to the patrons of Middleville cheese factory gives the following information: Number of working days, 144; to milk received during season, 1,034 741 lbs.; total cheese made during season, 99,616 lbs.; milk used to make each pound of cheese, 10 38 lbs.; average price per pound for cheese during season, 8 72 cents; total receipts, $8,788 69; paid for manufacturing, salesman, inspector, etc., $2 226 58; net proceeds to patrons, $6,562 11.

2 cans salmon, 25c. J. Crawford.

W. P. Bell & Son will give their best cabinet photos for three months for $2.25 per dozen, work and material of the best quality. Call and see samples.

"God's gifts for God's Children," is the title of Father Huntington's lecture on Friday evening. There will be a full hall. Everybody wants to hear him and to digest the subject.

Carnival to-morrow. See advt.

The Carnival.

Great preparations are being made for the carnival at the Kingston skating rink to-morrow evening. The rink is being decorated for the occasion under the superintendence of W. Shea, whose talent in this respect is well known. The ice will be reserved throughout the entire evening for those in fancy dress costumes, and in order that all may participate the management has secured the services of Joseph Pouton, a well-known Montreal costumer, who will arrive at the British American hotel to-night from Montreal with a large assortment of costumes, for both ladies and gentlemen, which may be rented at a reasonable price. Mr. Pouton may be seen as to the rental of costumes during the day (to-morrow) at the British American hotel.

The band of "A" battery will be in attendance from 8 to 10:30, and in order that the ice may be in very good condition for the occasion the rink will be closed for to-morrow afternoon. It is expected that the affair will be the most brilliant of the kind ever held in Kingston. The price of admission is 25 cents.

ROUSSEAU THE WINNER.

HIS TENDER ACCEPTED BY THE COUNCIL LAST NIGHT.

The Criticism of the Committee Causes the Sore Sides to be Exposed — The Rousseau Tender Increased by One Thousand Dollars And Accepted.

At the council meeting last evening Ald. Muckleston, chairman of the water works committee, presented his annual report, the gist of which has been published. The committee recommended that the tender of R. Rousseau for the laying and supplying of the suction pipe at $8,735 be accepted, provided his sureties are satisfactory.

Ald. Muckleston moved the adoption of the report, but before it was put Ald. Thompson asked for information respecting the location of the suction pipe. Would it be laid according to the advice given the council by Mr. Kennedy?

Ald. Muckleston said the committee had held meetings on the subject and came to the conclusion that the direction of the pipe which formerly was to run up to Murney tower and then out into the harbor should be changed. They agreed that the pipe be laid from the present terminus of the suction pipe into the harbor, 1,300 feet, in the direction of Garden Island. If the pipe was laid according to the original plan, 2,200 feet of pipe would be needed.

Ald. Thompson said the council had engaged an expert, Mr. Kennedy, of Montreal, to give them information respecting the location of the suction pipe. He advised the council to secure the Murney tower property for the purpose of building a pumping station there. If they could not do this he urged them to run the suction pipe 1,000 feet from Murney tower. The aldermen intended to stand by Mr. Kennedy's report.

Ald. McIntyre said they were out of order in considering the direction the pipe should be laid. That had been decided many weeks ago.

Ald. Muckleston said there had been a great deal of discussion and criticism respecting the way the water works committee had done its work, and particularly respecting the suction pipe. He thought he and his committee had been treated unfairly in being entirely shunned for the city not having a suction pipe before this. The chairmen and committees of previous years should be held up for criticism, as well as the committee of 1890. He did not think the committee of 1890 should have been selected for the clever editorials and letters which appeared in the press from time to time on the subject. The committee was ready last November to advertise for tenders for a suction pipe but the council then wanted more time to consider the scheme. If any blame is necessary for the delay the whole council should share in it. It must be gratifying, however, to the council to know that the development of the works has been very good during the year.

Ald. Gaskin said that Ald. Muckleston was too modest to tell the council there was a hitch in the matter of awarding tenders for the laying of the suction pipe. He spoke of the number of meetings that had been held by the committee and that finally Mr. Rousseau being the lowest, his tender was accepted. After the meeting on Friday morning his figures were known on the streets. The tenders were given away by "some fellow" who should not associate with gentlemen.

Reference was made to the security which Mr. Rousseau had offered, and of his intention to withdraw from the work if he was not allowed to increase his tender by $1,000, which he had omitted to put in it. He said that when he made the tender out his mind was so upset by family affliction that he made the mistake. At first the committee were inclined to hold Mr. Rousseau to his tender, but he said he could not do the work for the sum which he first specified, and would ask the council to refund his cheque for $500. If he could not get the full sum back he would be willing to drop $250 before he would take the job for $8,735.

After considerable discussion a motion was carried to the effect that Mr. Rousseau's tender be increased $500 and accepted at $9,235.

Mr. Rousseau, in a brief explanation, gave satisfactory reasons for the mistake he made in leaving out the sum for the crib work in his tender.

In speaking about the figures of the tenderers being given away Ald. Fenwick asked if there were any people in the office beside the committeemen when the tenders were read.

Ald. Gaskin said there were no persons in the office excepting the clerks and they had asked him to move a resolution demanding an investigation into the matter. The speaker felt that some person should be learned a lesson. If the informer is discovered he should be compelled to march the streets with a placard on his back bearing the word "traitor" in bold letters.

Ald. Thompson explained that he got the figures from a young man named [illegible], who said he got them from three or four of the contractors.

Ald. Gaskin—"Mr. Rousseau was not here and how was it his tender was known?"

Ald. Thompson—"I do not know. That will be learned by the investigation."

Ald. Creeggan—"At the time the council was going to build a water tank Ald. Thompson, then mayor, was sent to Montreal to find out the standing of the firm of Rousseau & Mather. When Mr. Thompson returned he reported to the council that the firm was 'rotten from top to bottom.' Is this Mr. Rousseau the man who was connected with the firm of Rousseau & Mather?"

Ald. Muckleston—"Mr. Rousseau was a member of that firm."

Ald. Creeggan—"Is the council prepared to recommend, in the face of all this, that the tender of Mr. Rousseau be accepted?"

Ald. Minnes—"I think Mr. Rousseau was treated unfairly by the council when the tenders for the water tank were let. If the council had looked into the matter properly Mr. Rousseau's firm would have got the contract."

Ald. Fenwick tried to comfort Ald. Muckleston at this point, and hoped he would not believe that the reports in the paper respecting the water works, were the sentiments of the council. The chairman and water works committee had done their work well and for the interest of the city. It was not fair or just for the citizens to read the criticisms on the water works department, which were so severe, and which appeared in the paper. They had been drinking the water from the works ever since he came to the city, and there was not much said about it. With reference to the laying of the water pipe, the chairman gave good reasons for delaying the work. They expect the newspaper men to think they know much more than other people, but they must admit that the gentlemen on the committee know something even if they are not connected with a newspaper.

SOME COUNCIL NOTES.

The gallery was well filled.

The resignation of Mr. Roddy, as nuisance gatherer, was accepted.

A snow plow, for city purposes, will be purchased from a Gananoque manufacturer.

Aldermen elect Polson, Cliff and C. H. Martin watched the proceedings of the council last evening.

By the amending of the contract to lay the suction pipe to R. Rousseau at $9,235 the city will save nearly $5,000.

Ald. C. Robinson said he was sorry the "babes in the woods," Alds. Osborne and Machar, were retiring from the council.

The reports of the city property and fire, water and light committees, the particulars of which have been published, were read.

It was decided to retain Mr. McKelvey as one of the sureties for the tax collector instead of T. Moore, as formerly decided upon.

Ald. Webster wanted to have the report of the water works committee printed in full, but he was induced not to submit a motion.

Ald. Osborne hoped Rev. Father Hunting-don would show more light upon the single tax question than either he or Ald. Machar had done.

Wm. Newlands, a bright lad in the engineer's office, had his salary raised to $300 per year. Ald. Thompson said the staff in the engineer's office was getting too large.

Ald. C. Robinson was opposed to the council purchasing a snow plow. There were plenty of idle men in the city who could be employed in shovelling snow for the corporation.

At the request of the clerks in the engineer's office a motion was carried by the council calling for an investigation to find out who gave away the tenders for the suction pipe to people outside of the committee.

Twenty dollars was spent in purchasing pictures of the mayor and city clerk and of prominent buildings in the city, to be shown at the Jamaica exhibition. The account was passed last evening. Ald. C. Robinson thought enough money had not been spent in the scheme.

The water works committee drew attention of the council of 1891 to the advisability of erecting public baths which might be worked in connection with the water works department as their property at the foot of West street could be utilized for such use during summer months.

CITY AND VICINITY.

A Great Snowstorm.

While the rain was converting everything into glittering ice on Sunday, in the back country the people were revelling in a gigantic snow storm. The snow began falling in the morning and continued unabated all day. Two feet of snow was the result and now the sleighing, very poor hitherto, is just what the farmers want.

He Wanted Work.

A roughly dressed man entered a large hotel last night and with sobs asked if anybody wanted a man to work. One gentleman was about to give him a dollar to help him along when he noticed that the effects of liquor were apparent and replaced it in his pocket. The saying seemed to be true that the poorest manager get whiskey.

The Cheese Report.

The season's record of the Granite Hill cheese factory, presented at a meeting of the patrons a short time ago, was immensely satisfactory to all concerned. Milk manufactured, 813,036 lbs; cheese made, 76,011 lbs; realized for cheese sold, $6,681 95; lbs. milk to make 1 lb. cheese, 10.69; average for season, 10.69; average price realized, 8 4-5 cents.

The Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the British American Hotel—O. B. McDowell, T. G. Lewis, T. Buller, M.D., W. Hitchens, T. S. Baillie, J. S. Shaver, Montreal; E. J. Crowley, Napanee; H. Corby, M.P., G. Walton, Belleville; H. T. Hopkins, J. B. Davis, Cape Vincent; C. S. Riddell, Brockville; J. J. Plunket, St. Catharines; F. H. Dumble, Gananoque; C. H. Dorenwend, Toronto; I. J. Craig, city.

What The Children Said.

In the geography paper set for the entrance examination, one child in reply to the question as to who was governor general and how was he appointed said: "Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick is governor general, and is appointed for life. He lives in Kingston." The only "warden" many of the city school-ars had ever heard of was the warden of the penitentiary and the mode of his appointment was on many papers.

"Country Luck" at the Opera House.

The above play will be presented at Martin's opera house next Friday evening, not Thursday evening as previously announced. The play is from the pen of George A. Dame, of Belleville, and has met with great success both in Belleville and Trenton. It will be produced here by a strong caste from Belleville, and no doubt will be greeted by a crowded house. It is in three acts and abounds with comedy and special songs.

What is Wanted.

This evening a meeting of contractors will be in the mechanics' institute to consider various matters. The stone cutters have distributed circulars to the effect that they will want $3 per day, nine hours long. This matter will be discussed. A contractor said to day that the scheme suggested could not be worked to advantage in a city the size of Kingston. Besides other tradesmen would have to work only the same length of time. Another subject to be considered will be a matter in which architects are interested. The contractors intend in future to demand fuller particulars of jobs to let than are usually given.

Objecting to Payment.

The auditors' report for 1889 was badly bungled at the *News* office and the matter was considered by the aldermen last night. Ald. Fenwick said full rates should not be paid for such work. Ald. McIntyre said the printing accounts had been unfortunately paid. If this had not been the case the matter would have been dealt with. The speaker said he would recommend the new council to make it imperative upon the auditors to read the proofs. Ald. Fenwick said one of the auditors told him he never saw a proof of the figures in the statement until it was issued. "Is it fair," said the alderman, "to pay for a job that was botched?"

A Man Injured.

Last night at seven o'clock, another sad accident, caused by coasting, happened on Patrick street hill. A young man named Fred Paine was going down the incline on one of the low flat sleighs known as "pointers" and when about half way down collided with the front runner of a bobsleigh which was being drawn up the hill by another boy. The 26 year old was rendered unconscious from the shock but was cared for by Dr. Mundell, who was soon on the scene. He was subsequently taken to the hospital in W. M. Drennan's ambulance. He is now recovering from his injuries which only amounted to a severe shaking up and a bruise on the shoulder.

A Present For Miss Davis.

It will be remembered that the teachers' association last summer, sent Miss M. Davis, teacher in Wellington street school, to Toronto, to take a course in the tonic sol fa system of music to enable her to teach the others that they may teach the pupils. Miss Davis has been so faithfully performing her part since her return that the other teachers, to show their appreciation of her efforts, presented her with twenty four volumes of Scott's novels. Miss Davis is an enthusiastic admirer of the system. Any child of ordinary intelligence can learn and sing much easier than from the common mode. She hopes before long to see it made one of the subjects taught in the schools.

The Night Schools.

A committee of the Lancasterian board met the youths over thirteen years of age who assembled last night in the collegiate institute to form a night school. About eighty presented themselves ranging in age from thirteen to twenty years of age. It was decided to have the school hours from 7:45 to 9:45 p.m. Three teachers were appointed, Mr. Etherington, Mr. Marquis and Mr. Menzies. It was stated that a larger number would probably attend to night, when the classes will be formed.

At Cataraqui school the girls' class, conducted by the school board, was largely patronized. The best lady teachers in the employ of the board will take charge. The teachers who will be first called upon will be Misses Flo Henlig, M. Davis, Minnes and Spankie.

The Coming Concert.

The guarantee list for the Agnes Thompson concert, on Monday 19th, is fast filling up. The plan opens at Henderson's book store to-morrow, Wednesday, morning. It will be advisable to be on hand early to secure a choice seat. Read what is said of her:

"In singing that part of her repertoire which comprises the highest operatic gems, Mrs. Agnes Thompson excels in brilliant floriture, while in ballad singing, in which she delights her audience so much, the critics aver she has no equal. She is always generous in response to encores and her rendition of 'Home, Sweet Home' has awakened the highest encomiums which a singer can ever obtain. 'The Last Rose of Summer,' 'Comin' Thro' the Rye,' 'Teddy O'More,' etc., she also gives, until in most instances she has sung no less than from ten to twelve numbers during an evening."

Hobart Dyde has been elected a director of the Y.M.C.A. in place of Capt. Crawford, resigned.

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.

Trenton ice races on 21st and 22nd.

The Kingston hockey club practised last night.

A Shadwick left last night for Toronto on business.

The county council meets on Tuesday, Jan. 27th.

The society men of Odessa have suffered a surprise which they will not soon forget.

The fort hill is one sheet of ice and it is impossible for a horse to be driven up with safety.

The big square in Tete du Pont barracks is covered with smooth ice. Much skating was enjoyed yesterday.

Charles J. Crowley, of the Grand Trunk engineering staff, Napanee, paid a flying visit to the city yesterday.

The mock parliament at the college has aroused considerable interest. J. M. Mowat is leader of the government.

The ice in the harbor was not firm enough to bear an ice boat yesterday, although many skaters were out.

Charles Sherman, of Tamworth, was in the city to-day, disposing of furs. He picks up many of them in the back country.

J. Fred Tilley, of the *Napanee Express*, has removed to Kingston to study shorthand. He is a singer of high standard.

Vessels along the docks looked very pretty this morning with the icy coating over the standing rigging flashing in the sun.

Jabez Stonness and a number of others, who ran toll gates, will be tried for the offence at toll gate No. 2, Perth road, to-morrow.

Much interest is being taken in the coming hockey match between the Kingstons and Athletics. The Athletics appear to be the favorites so far.

The officers of the Canadian Home Circle were installed last evening by Bro. Donald Fraser with all due ceremony and in the presence of many interested spectators.

The Whig cannot print such personal charges as "D. B. C's." letter contains regarding an officer at the hosiery mill, but will make the complaint known in the proper quarter.

Majors Mayne and Edwards will address St. James' temperance society this evening at eight o'clock at the school room. The public are cordially welcome at these interesting meetings.

R. C. Morse, of the international committee; G. A. Hall, secretary of New York state, and Mr. Galbraith, of Ithaca, N.Y., will be among the visitors to the Y.M.C.A. convention in February.

A strange sight, yesterday, was that of a pigeon frozen fast to the roof of McIlammon's livery stable. The bird had evidently perched there the night before, became benumbed and unable to fly off.

Another sleigh, loaded with stone for the dry dock, broke through the ice this morning on the way across from the Island, but luckily the stone slid off and the team was thus enabled to pull the sleigh out.

A concert to take place at Tweed next Thursday night. Those from the city who will take part will be Mr. and Mrs. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Crumley, Miss Lou Meek, O. Telgmann and Dr. Herald.

It sounds odd that snowstorms and cold should be doing much mischief in England and Germany while Canada has less than her usual quantity of snow and frost. Indeed last week was a charming one in Ontario.

The regular meeting of St. John's Lodge, A. F. and A. M., Pittsburg, for the election of officers took place on Dec. 24th. Rev. John Gallaher, P.W.M., together with all the past officers of the lodge, were unanimously re-elected for 1891.

Dr. Farrar, Albany, N.Y., will visit Kingston on the 26th inst. in connection with the work of the provincial committee of the young people's society of christian endeavor. A union meeting will be held in First Congregational church.

The sergeants of the 14th have invited to their dinner in addition to the officers of the battalion, representatives from 15th batt., Belleville, Grenadier and Queen's Own, Toronto; Victoria Rifles, Montreal, and many other of the principal regiments of Canada.

Rumor has it that the Rathbun and Gilmour deal is not likely to come to a focus. Rathbun is backing out. He has, however, until 1st February to decide. It is reported that Mr. Cox, Toronto, and Mr. Pierce, Marmora, have offered Gilmour $300,000 for his plant.

Rev. C. O. Johnston, of Napanee, declared recently that the queen was stingy, that there were many avenues through which she could do great good, but she never embraced any of them. The clergyman was criticized and defended his position on Sunday evening last.

At the closing exercises in school section No. 1, Wolfe Island, the pupils presented a beautiful plush album to their teacher, Miss Lizzie Kinsley, and an address in behalf of the pupils was read in which they expressed their love for their teacher and their regret at her retiring from their midst, she having gone to Kingston to resume her studies.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

Successful Children Who Can Go to the Collegiate Institute.

The following are the successful candidates at the recent examinations for entrance to the collegiate institute. Those not specially mentioned are pupils of the public schools:

NAME	MARKS
Margaret King	530
Stanley Graham	513
Mabel King	513
Mabel Miller	506
Maggie Robertson	506
Rose Bailey	494
Sarah Swan, Convent	487
Raymond Baker	474
Lizzie Gardiner	474
Alma Grass	467
Valentine Lindsay	465
Florence Copley	460
Carrie Asselstine	457
William H. Grant	447
Harry Cotton	438
Josie Browne, Convent	435
Bertha McMillan	435
Lillie Garrett	434
Louise Hipson	432
Job Rogers	432
Mary Bolger, Convent	430
Jennie Bucknell	429
Ethel Porter	426
Laura Briggs	424
William H. Smythe	423
Etta Saunders	422
Clara Sawberry	421
Jennie Gibson	419
Frankie Keating, Convent	419
Maggie Simons	417
Annie Jenkin	416
Lizzie Pearl	411
Halloway Waddell	409
Dundas McLeod	408
Olive Scales	408
Annie Madden	407
John Davy	402
William T. Prittie	400
William Phippen	399
Lillie Reyner	398
Florence Birch	394
Evelyn Dickson	393
Bessie Weir	386
Harold Girvin, Amherst Island	385
Winthrop Sears	384
Eva Horsey	383
Aggie Doolan, Convent	383
Alexander Smith	382

The following candidates have been recommended—

NAME	MARKS
Lilia Gallaghan	430
Kathleen Callaghan	423
Alice Watson	398
William Rogers	393
Edwin Elliott	389
Hattie Gay	387
Sanford Kirkpatrick	386
Nellie Taylor	384
David W. Houston	384
Nellie Hasleck	383
William J. McCammon	—
Edward O'Donnell	—
Sadie Lyons	—
Edward McDermott	—

AT HYMEN'S ALTAR

Joseph Riddell—Miss Charlotte Stewart.

A pleasant party gathered at the residence of William Stewart, Barrack street, last evening to witness his daughter Charlotte join hands for life with Joseph Riddell, of Toronto. The service was recited by Rev. Richard Whiting. The couple were waited upon by Miss Jennie Waldron, of this city, and R. Meek, Toronto. The wedding supper was a choice feast and greatly enjoyed by the guests. The bride, a very popular lady, received a great many valuable and costly presents from friends who wished her great happiness in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Riddell left by G.T.R. for Denver, Col., where they will reside.

Dr. Kennedy—Miss Mary Walkem.

This morning St. John's church, Portsmouth, was the scene of a very interesting service, the marriage of Miss Mary Walkem to Dr. Kennedy, of Bath. Rev. F. Dobbs officiated and was assisted by Rev. C. E. Cartwright. The attendants were Miss Maud Betts and Rev. A. Spencer. The bride was given away by her brother, J. S. Walkem. At Jas. R. Walkem's residence they partook of an excellent breakfast. Many valuable presents were given the bride.

SECOND EDITION.

GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Very Latest News Crowded Into a Small Space.

The Indians of Washington state are excited.

Many trotters were taken out for a spin on the ice to day.

The City Mutual Fire insurance company, of London, has gone into liquidation.

Nine men were drowned in the Seine, Paris, to day. The ice was too thin.

St. Paul's