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The K. N. & W. and C.P.R. new short line west, will issue return tickets at fare and a third from March 26th to 28th, good to return March 31st. School vacation—fare and one-third March 13th to 27th, good to return 20th April, 1891. Excursion to Pacific coast April 3rd. R. J. WILSON, Ticket Agent, C. P. R. Telegraph Office.

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For Easter.
It will be in order for all young men to don a new hat, and everybody knows the Boston Fur Store, on Wellington street, is headquarters for young men's fashionable headgear. Silk hats are this season unusually nice.

Marine Intelligence.
J. Sproule, J. Devan, and W. Jarrett, left yesterday for Charlotte. They sail to-day for Toronto on the schr. Queen of the Lakes.
The Rideau canal is open for some distance below Belle Island.

Students of Queen's!
You have not been forgotten at the Boston Fur Store, and you will find this out when you are buying your new hats.

Signs of Spring.
Strawberries, lettuce, asparagus, spinach, kale, cucumbers. Buy some for your Easter dinner; at Henderson's cheap grocery house, Brock street.

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For girls and boys, only 25 cents at the Boston Fur Store.

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Northerly to north easterly winds, fine, not much change in temperature.

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DIED.
FRASER—In Kingston, March 26th, George Fraser, aged 17 years and 8 months.
Funeral will take place from his father's residence, 99 George street, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.
(Montreal Star please copy.)
LAIDLEY.—In this city, Wednesday, March 25th at 11 a.m., Ida, infant daughter of Alfred and Hattie Laidley, aged 6 months.
MCGILL—At Kingston, on the 26th of March, Sarah McCann, aged 87 years, widow of the late Thomas McGill, county Armagh, Ireland, a resident of Kingston for 68 years.
Funeral will leave her son-in-law's residence, Michael Tobin, No. 38 Upper Union street, on Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock for St. Mary's cathedral. Friends and acquaintances respectfully requested to attend.
WYER—In Kingston, March 26th, Katie G. Dwyre, eldest daughter of the late John Dwyre.
Funeral from the residence of her aunt, Miss Doran, Barrie street, at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 28th.

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Ham and Eggs.
Buy some sliced ham, 12½c. per pound, at Henderson's cheap grocery, Brock street.

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Will find a nice assortment of those fashionable sailor hats, and at very low prices too, at the Boston Fur Store, Wellington street.

To Go Up Higher.
The case of Campbell vs. Kingston and Perth road company, decision in which has been given frequently in favor of plaintiff, will be tested in the supreme court.

We Want the Camp Here.
Mayor Drennan said this morning that next week he would begin the circulation of a petition for signatures, asking the government to locate the camp here for the Kingston district.

Saved by a Few Inches.
One of the workmen in S. Kilpatrick's stone yard had a very close call yesterday afternoon. He was looking after a large stone, being hoisted by a derrick, when the chain broke and the stone nearly fell on him.

They Were Rejected.
Tenders were received for the erection of a three storey building on the site of W. M. Drennan's furniture warerooms. The total amount was $7,000. As the amount was considered too high the tenders were rejected.

A Happy Memorial.
A beautiful memorial has been erected in St. James' church by Rev. J. K. McMorine in memory of his late deeply lamented son, John McMorine. It is a window very fine in design and execution, and will be very gratefully received by the congregation.

Auction and Credit Sales.
At Lewis Ward's, Harper's Corners, Friday, March 27th, at 1 p. m. J. L. Haycock, auctioneer.
At Zy. Stafford's, near Murvale, Tuesday, March 31st, at 12 o'clock; J. L. Haycock, auctioneer.

All Equal Righters.
Three of the visiting lawyers attending the court of assize are leaders in the equal rights movement. The chief is Dalton McCarthy, Q.C. E. D. Armour, Q.C., Toronto, and W. B. Carrol, Gananoque, are enthusiastic advocates of it. But isn't that a lawyer's business?

He Is Dangerously Ill.
This morning Dr. Sine, veterinary surgeon, received a telegraph message from Dr. Falconer, of Stirling, to come to the bedside of his father who is dangerously ill. For several weeks previous to his illness he was kept busy night and day waiting upon his wife. It is thought that by this means he caught a severe cold.

Police Court—Thursday.
This morning William Doyle, proprietor of a hotel on the market square, was tried for selling liquor on Sunday contrary to law. A number of witnesses were sworn. The evidence was contradictory. This case and one in which Mr. Hyde is interested were enlarged. Frank Wilson was found guilty of drunkenness and dismissed.

Holy Thursday Services.
To day the services in St. Mary's cathedral were very impressive. Early mass was celebrated at 6:30 o'clock and solemn high mass was held at 8 a. m. when the procession of the blessed sacrament took place. This evening the ceremony will be in honor of the blessed sacrament and a sermon on the Blessed Eucharist will be preached by Rev. Father Murray, of Trenton.

Elected a Vice-President.
Frederick Wetherell, of Syracuse, was elected a vice president of the national league of musicians in its session at Milwaukee. Mr. Wetherell was formerly a resident of Lyndhurst, Leeds county, and a subscriber to the WHIG. When the news of the election of Mr. Wetherell was received in Syracuse his friends caused a salute of thirteen guns to be fired at Weighlock square.

The Young Liberals Adjourn.
Liberal delegates from each ward in the city met in the reform hall, last night. J. M. Machar presided. J. McKay, jr., was appointed secretary pro tem, and after transacting some business the meeting adjourned to meet again on Tuesday, April 7th. Each ward in the city will be energetically canvassed and the next meeting will be a great success.

Call to a Pastor.
The first Presbyterian church, St. Mary's, extended a unanimous call to the Rev. T. A. Cosgrove, Port Hope. Mr. Cosgrove is a graduate of Queen's.
Rev. A. McAuley, B. A., was inducted as pastor of Woodville congregation, 10th March. Rev. R. Johnson, B. A., presided; Rev. W. Galloway conducted public worship; Rev. J. R. Scott addressed the newly inducted pastor, and Rev. John McMillan the congregation. There was a public meeting in the evening.

Good Friday Services.
St. Mary's cathedral, 8 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., sermon in the evening by Rev. Father Twomey, Morrisburg.
Jubilee church—Union service of Methodists at 11 o'clock; Rev. D. Winter will preach.
St. George's cathedral—at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.
St. Paul's church—8 and 10 a.m.
St. James' church—11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
All Saints—7:30 a.m., anti-communion service; 10 a.m., Matin's litany and the ro; preacher; 12 to 3 o'clock, preaching of the passion; 7:30 p.m., evensong.

2 lb. tins preserved green gages, 25c. Jas. Crawford.

A VERDICT OF "GUILTY."
BEDORE CONVICTED OF A VERY HEINOUS OFFENCE.

The Facts Were Well Brought Out—The Jury Considered the Matter For Two Hours—The Sharbot Murder Case Postponed Until Next Court—Mahood Case is On.

At two o'clock yesterday the court room was crowded with a motley assemblage. The first witness called was John Watson. He lives now in Bedford but lived in Ops last summer. He met Mrs. Bane on the 27th of June last about sundown. She looked as though she had been crying. He spoke to her, but the witness was not allowed to detail the conversation. Witness fixed the date by a memorandum in his pass book made the day before.

Dr. Smythe—"How do you know it was sundown?"

Witness—"Why the sun was out of sight, I don't know where it was." (Laughter and cries of "order" from the constables.)

Witness lived about a mile from the Bane's residence. Mrs. Bane, sr., was with her daughter when he met her.

Catharine Bane, sister-in-law of Mrs. Bane, stated that Bedore came to the house on the 27th June and stayed for dinner; did not see him again that day. Mrs. Bane went for the cows in the evening, getting home about seven o'clock, and milking all the seven but one. She was not able to do more. Her face was swollen and she did not feel well. Did not see the prisoner again until he was brought to court.

PETER SHARBOT.

Cross examined by Mr. Smythe—I don't think Mrs. Bane and Mrs. Bedore met each other that evening. This Mrs. Bedore's husband is an uncle of the prisoner. I think Mrs. Bane left after tea to go for the cows; they were about a mile from the house.

Joseph Bane, husband of the woman on whom the assault was alleged to have been committed, testified that he did not see Bedore near his house in June. His wife told him the circumstances of the assault and he immediately went to Sharbot Lake and laid information. Witness continued, "My wife's face was scratched and there were marks on her arm left by some one's finger and thumb. I laid the information against Henry Bedore."

Cross-examined—The prisoner lives about four miles from my place. We were not on good terms as we had had a dispute about land and Bedore did not often come to our house. I do not feel friendly to him now. I have no right to.

Jesse Shibley, J. P., Sharbot Lake, testified that Bane laid information before him as to the case. Bedore was then brought before him. "When on trial I warned him to say nothing about his action which would tend to incriminate himself. The prisoner, did, however, state that he was innocent of the crime and that the evidence against him was false."

Oliver Coaty was a first cousin of the prisoner. He saw him at Joseph Coaty's early in July when he went to arrest him. Bedore had a revolver and said he would attend to anyone who tried to take him. Charles Knapp read the warrant and Bedore's arms were bound with a hame strap. Bedore spoke about the affair and said what he had done to Mrs. Bane. "I took him to Sharbot Lake. On the way I told him that he might perhaps be able to settle the matter."

John Knapp heard the prisoner say that he had just caught Mrs. Bane by the arm and swung her around. Witness was the man who had bound the strap around the prisoner at the time of the arrest.

Mrs. Bane was recalled. She said, to Mr. O'Leary, that the statement that she had received money from Bedore was false.

Dr. Smythe asked that the case be not given to the jury as the committal of the actual crime had not been proven. His lordship, however, asked Mr. O'Leary to proceed with his address as the defence had no evidence to offer.

Mr. O'Leary dwelt at length upon the importance of the case and the evil effects which the unpunished commission of this crime would have upon society. He outlined the evidence and impressed it upon the jury urging that it proved decisively that Bedore had accomplished his purpose and that against her will and inclinations.

Dr. Smythe, in defence, appealed to the jury as men to give the prisoner the benefit of the fact that no witness had testified as to the commission of the crime. He claimed that the case was only similar to one of those of almost every day occurrence, commonly called blackmail, and referred to the lack of evidence as to the act except that of the woman herself. He drew particular attention to the fact that the woman when meeting her mother, a few minutes after the act was said to have taken place, made no reference to the matter but proceeded with the usual routine of her household duties.

His lordship urged upon the jury the serious consideration of all the evidence given and defined minutely the crime charged. He stated to the jury their liberty to bring in a verdict of guilty of indecent assault if the greater offence was found to be not proven, if it was decided by the jury that the prisoner had attempted it.

At five o'clock the jury retired and returned at seven o'clock with a verdict of "guilty" on the charge of rape.

On the jury three men offered stubborn opposition for about one hour and a half contending that Bedore was not guilty of the crime. They finally agreed to believe the woman's statement.

The Judgment Given.
In the case of Kent Bros. vs. Hyssop the judge directed that judgment should be entered declaring that Kent Bros. and Philip Rosslip were entitled under their executions against Abraham Hyssop to the goods seized as against John Hyssop, the defendant, but that William McAdoo was not entitled under his writ of attachment against Charles Hyssop, the latter appearing not to have any interest in the goods seized.

The Sharbot Case.
The grand jury during the afternoon brought in a true bill against Peter Sharbot for murder, and "no bill" in the charge against Cecilia Sharbot, Peter's wife.
The case of the Queen vs. Peter Sharbot, for the murder of the Indian child, was called while waiting for the other jury. The Indian was brought in, looking stolid and indifferent. The clerk, Mr. McGill, asked him if he spoke English, and the prisoner answered "yes," whereupon the charge was read, and the prisoner pleaded "not guilty" in a low voice. The case was then adjourned to the next court, Messrs. Smythe & Smith giving notice of their intention to apply for bail on behalf of the prisoner.

The Mahood Case.
The case of Mahood vs. James Richardson & Son and W. J. Wilson was then called. The particulars of this case and the parties interested are well known to most Kingstonians. In March, 1885, while Perry S. Mahood, then in the employ of W. J. Wilson, druggist, was working in front of the place of business a large mass of ice, hanging over the entrance, fell, striking him on the left shoulder, felling him to the ground and rendering him unconscious. Since that time the plaintiff has lost the use of his left arm, and $20,000 damages are asked as a part remuneration for this loss.
J. McIntyre put the case before the jury according to the above facts, and called Perry S. Mahood as the first witness. Mr. Mahood stated that he was employed in the store as an errand boy at the time of the accident, and on the day in question was chopping away a ridge of ice which had formed in front of the door, caused by the drippings from the roof. While there he was struck insensible, and on recovering consciousness found himself in an upstairs room and with no feeling in his left arm. He was taken home and put under the care of Doctors Strange, Lavell and Dickson, of this city, and Dr. Seguin and other prominent physicians and surgeons of New York and Philadelphia. Had consulted Messrs. Richardsons in May, 1890, as to some remuneration, but was told that the firm did not see its way clear to give any sum.
Witness stated, on cross-examination by Mr. McCarthy, that the reason he did not enter an action before was because of his father's disapprobation of such a course. He had once seen the appearance of the roof from a man hole and refused to go on it with a rope tied about him to clear off the snow. On another occasion he had stood on the street and warned passers-by, as snow and ice was being cleared from it and falling to the street.
C. H. Corbett, governor of the gaol, was sitting in a sleigh nearly opposite Wilson's drug store the afternoon of the accident, and saw the "snow ice" balance on the edge of the roof just before falling. He called to Mahood, whom he saw cutting ice beneath it. Mahood straightened up, but could not escape, as the mass of ice, as large as a small table, struck him, knocking him unconscious. Witness helped to carry him into Mr. Wilson's parlor.
John A. Charles saw the occurrence, and was about ten feet from Mahood when the ice fell from about the middle of the roof. The piece was about three feet by one and a half and five inches thick, three inches of which was solid ice and the remainder frozen snow. At this stage the court adjourned.

Thursday's Session.
On the case being resumed at 9:30 o'clock this morning W. Newlands, architect, was called and gave a detailed statement of the shape of the roof of the building and showed with plans, etc., its construction which was, he thought, liable to make it a lodging place for snow, ice, etc. Had seen ice overhanging from the edge of the roof at different times.
A. Williamson, builder, had never seen a roof like that of the building in question and corroborated the evidence of previous witnesses as to the likelihood of snow and ice collecting on the roof.
A. Gallinger was called and his lordship asked if he was merely to repeat the evidence given by other witnesses.
Mr. McIntyre—"Yes, my lord, he is a mason and can state as to his department of the building."
Justice Rose—"Well, you're not going to call one of each trade are you." (Laughter.)
C. F. Rees also supported the evidence of others as to snow and ice on the roof.
City Commissioner Gordon testified that during his term of office he had had occasion to notify the tenants of the building many times as to overhanging ice, etc. The roof he thought to be very dangerous.
Dalton McCarthy quoted several cases in point to show the liability of the tenant and not the owner of the building.
Mr. McIntyre held that the owners were responsible inasmuch as they knew when leasing the building that the roof would catch and hold ice and snow, and quoted the case of Campbell vs. Kingston and Perth road company in support of his contention. In this case it seems the plaintiff, Mrs. Campbell, was awarded damages for injuries received by tripping over a chain placed at a toll gate by the keeper. The judgment was given against the road company, thus showing the liability of owners and not tenants in matters of this nature.
Mr. Britton, on behalf of Mr. Wilson, held that no evidence had been given of any notice to the tenant to clear the ice off in this particular case, and also quoted the case of Griffith vs. the London and St. Catharines dock company, where an employee of the company was injured by the fall of an iron door while in the performance of his duty, and received no remuneration.
His lordship reserved the right for the plaintiffs to move the case to the divisional court. He held that the plaintiff had failed to establish liability against both defendants.
The case of Harris vs. The Grand Trunk railway was then taken up. This was an action for $1,000, balance of civil engineer's fees due plaintiff for examining the St. George bridge, for the purpose of giving expert evidence in the suit brought against the railway company by several parties injured in the accident. The various letters between Prof. Harris and the railway company, leading up to the former's retention on behalf of the latter, were put in as exhibits.
The object of Prof. Harris' engagement was to have his testimony as to the strain bearing capacity of the timbers, sleepers, stays, etc., composing the bridge, with the expectation, by the railway company, that his report would be favorable to them, which Mr. Macdonnell mentioned was not the case, and hence the difficulty as to the remuneration of Prof. Harris. Dalton McCarthy, Q.C., and John Bell, Q.C., of Belleville, represented the Grand Trunk in the action, and Mr. Macdonnell the plaintiff.
The correspondence presented ran over three months, December, 1889, to February, 1890, the examination of the bridge taking place afterwards.
Prof. Harris outlined in a general way his work, and stated that what he had done was mentioned in the accounts sent to the Grand Trunk company.

Some Court Notes.
A. B. Aylesworth, Q.C., Toronto, now in the city attending the assizes, is a representative of the junior bar of Toronto for the office of bencher, and the general opinion is that he will undoubtedly be elected.
His Lordship Justice Rose this morning remanded Bedore to next court, and at the request of prisoner's counsel reserved sentence on two points, namely, the lack of evidence as to the actual commission of the offence charged, and to consider the admission as evidence of a statement made by the prisoner at the last court.

PERSONAL MENTION.
People Whose Movements, Sayings And Doings Attract Attention.
Mrs. A. Laidley, sr., is very ill.
O. P. St. John, steamboat inspector, Toronto, has resigned his position.
Rev. W. W. Carson and family leave for Detroit on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.
J. E. Clark, confined to his house through sickness for several weeks, was out yesterday.
Henry James is chief constable, street inspector and sanitary officer of Perth at $400 per year.
D. Naismith, the champion bicycle road rider of Canada, will arrive in the city tomorrow on his wheel.
Folger Bros. will move into their new office, corner of Clarence and Ontario streets, about the first of May.
Ex mayor Carson says he has had all the municipal honors he wants, and does not intend to seek a seat at the council board.
Ed. Rees will probably be the delegate from the Kingston bicycle club to the meeting of the Canadian wheelmen's association, Toronto.
Lieut. George S. Bowie, although only twenty-three years of age, has just been gazetted captain and adjutant of the governor-general's foot guards.
George Fraser a very promising and popular youth of twelve years, died this morning from malarial fever, it being a relapse from a sickness which he took two months ago.

Three Visiting School Trustees.
Toronto Mail.
Three members of the public school board of Kingston, Messrs. Anglin, Shaw and Arnlief, spent yesterday in visiting several of the public schools of the city. They are seeking information to be used in the construction of a new school building in Kingston, and are particularly interested in the heating and ventilating system in use here.

California dried pitted plums. J. Crawford.

IT HAD ACCUMULATED.
THE BUSINESS BROUGHT DOWN AT THE CITY COUNCIL

The Collecting of Taxes and How It Should Proceed—There are Many Claims for Damages Against the Corporation—The Reports Adopted as They Come Up.

A special meeting of the city council was held last evening. Mayor Drennan, Alds. Carson, Cliff, Elliott, Gaskin, Herald, LaChance, Livingston, Martin, Muckleston, McCammon, McLeod, Polson, Hardy, Dunlop, Rees, Skinner, Steacy, Swift, Thompson and Wilson were present.

W. P. Despard, Philadelphia, asked whether the electric light system would be extended.—Referred to the fire, water and light committee.

An application from the Alert fire company, asking for remission of rent for city hall, was referred to the city property committee.

The tax collector reported for 1890 total taxes $138,736 86; collected, $112,524; remitted, $8,645 45; total, $121,164 45; percentage, 87 486 06; uncollected, $17,567.41.—Referred to the finance committee.

Ald. Gaskin asserted that the collector should ask for an extension of time for closing the rolls when needed. People who were able should be made pay their taxes when due. If the collector could not collect taxes the names of the delinquents should be submitted to the finance committee. He believed there were plenty of people owing taxes who were able to pay.

Ald. Thompson said the collector had been exerting himself lately to collect back taxes. He has given notice, through the press, that if all back taxes were not paid within a specified time warrants would be issued. The collector's report showed that he had reduced the amount of taxes in arrears from $22,000 to $17,000. The speaker agreed with Ald. Gaskin's views.

The mayor said the collector intended issuing warrants against those owing taxes on April 1st.

Ald. Thompson said the time for collecting percentage had passed and if the back taxes were not collected at once the city would lose money.

Ald. McIntyre pointed out that there was a great amount of money due the city in consequence of people neglecting to pay street watering taxes. This source of revenue was considerably in arrears, and for five years there was a large balance left uncollected. If people in arrears for street watering taxes do not pay up the burden must fall on others who probably are not benefited. There should be an investigation into this matter, and in the districts where the people are in arrears the service should be dropped.

Ald. Muckleston said that as it was impossible for the collector to leave his office and collect street watering taxes, one of the clerks in the water works department should be detailed to look after the work.

Ald. Polson thought there was some doubt as to whether the council could compel people to pay street watering taxes.

The mayor said that under the first by-law which was passed in reference to the street watering tax the council could not compel the people to pay, but a second by-law was passed which made the payment of the tax compulsory.

Wiping Out Business.
The communication from Mary Ann Watts, asking for $500 damages for injuries she received by falling on the street, was referred to the finance committee.

An application from J. M. Winton asking for the position of sanitary plumber was referred to the board of health. A letter relating to dog tags was referred to the city commissioner.

H. Harold's offer of $20 for an old engine will be dealt with by the fire, water and light committee.

A complaint by Mr. Moore, of Sarnia, that a drain on Clarence street was injurious to his property in consequence of it being choked up will be considered by the streets committee.

J. McIntyre, counsel for J. Coyle, who met with an accident by falling off a horse which stepped in a hole on Princess street, stated in a letter that Mr. Coyle intended suing the city and the Kingston gas light company for damages. The matter was referred to the streets committee.

Ald. Polson said the gas light company had no right, according to their charter, to open up streets without the supervision of the chairman of streets or city engineer. The city has been completely ignored by the company in the matter of opening up streets. The city should prevent outside parties from tearing up streets without permission, if this system is not stopped ma accidents may happen as the result.

Ald. Gaskin said it was not wise for aldermen to express opinions on accidents where cases were pending.

Ald. Polson thought the council had a perfect right to discuss the question of opening up streets by corporations without the consent of the council. The aldermen have in the past been too mealy mouthed in matters of this kind. The gas company or any other corporation should be given to understand that the council will not permit streets to be opened without its consent.

Alds. Wilson and Gaskin said the gas company were liable for the accident to Mr. Coyle and not the city.

The mayor said the gas company was continually pulling up the streets.

Ald. McCammon had drawn the attention of the city engineer to another dangerous hole that had been made by a company in one of the streets.

J. R. McCann, on behalf of the collegiate institute board, applied for a grant of $1,000 with which to pay teachers.—Referred to the finance committee.

Ex-Ald. Osborne asked the council for permission to buy property on the line of South Bartlett street in order that he might extend it and give an opening to his property.—Referred to the streets committee.

A number of petitions respecting taxes were referred to the court of revision.

G. Wilder called attention to the defective working of a drain on Bagot street. The streets committee will investigate the complaint.

A communication from Walkem & Walkem, respecting interest on the bonus granted to the Kingston, Napanee and Western railway company, was referred to the finance committee.

The mayor stated that some time ago he received a telegram from the mayor of Springhill, N.S., asking the city to contribute something towards the assistance of the sufferers by a mining disaster which occurred there recently. He thought the council should take some action in the matter.

Ald. McIntyre said the council would be doing well if it paid citizens for disasters which were apparently befalling them.

As little information was to hand nothing was done.

A letter was read from Mr. Macdonald, in which he claimed damages for injuries received by the falling of an electric light pole upon him. Referred to the fire, water, and light committee.

Tendering Petitions.
Ald. McLeod—From residents of Victoria ward, asking for water service. Referred to the water works department.
Ald. McIntyre—From J. C. Swain, asking to be exempt from paying local improvement taxes, because of an agreement entered into between him and the city respecting the building of a drain through his property. Referred to the streets committee.
Chief Youlden's report, which has been published, was read and referred to the fire, water, and light committee.
Ald. Gaskin submitted the report of the streets committee. It stated the committee would meet on every alternate Thursday evening. The city solicitor was authorized to take proper action respecting the suit brought by Mrs. Watts against the city. The committee recommended the finance committee to provide $500 for the stone breakers. Adopted.
Ald. Polson handed in the report of the special committee appointed to deal with the matter of paying for the new pumping engine at the water works department. The test of the engine made by Mr. Adams was a satisfactory one. For a slight defect in the pump $35 was deducted. Accounts contracted by those who erected the pump and cartage, amounting to $367.20 was refused payment. Eighty per cent of the total cost was to paid when the pump was erected and gave satisfaction. This with the deductions, left $10,478 a cheque for which was forwarded to Molson's bank at Hamilton. Suitable security has been given for the proper working of the engine for a year.
The report was adopted after several of the aldermen had spoken in a flattering way of the skill which Mr. Adams had manifested in testing the engine.
Ald. McCammon presented the report of the fire, water and light committee. It was not in a position to report on the matter of the bill before the Ontario legislature relative to the amalgamation of the Kingston gas light company and Kingston electric light company. The committee asked for an extension of time to discuss the clauses of the bill.—Adopted.

General Matters.
Ald. Muckleston stated that persons drove coal carts over the city park.
Moved by Ald. Rees, seconded by Ald. McLeod, that the city clerk be authorized to advertise for applications from persons desiring to do scavenger work for the city.—Carried.
Ald. Gaskin referred to a published statement, purporting to be Dr. Sullivan's opinion of the city drains, in which he referred to them as miserable affairs and not properly built inside. The speaker denied assertions made by the senator, and pointed that the city of Kingston had as good drains as any city in Canada. Seventeen and a half miles of drains had been built, eight miles of which were tile drains. Old and defective drains had been replaced by good stone drains.
Ald. Swift hoped a scheme would be proposed by the chairman of streets for the building of an intercepting drain into which other drains could flow.
Ald. Polson said Dr. Sullivan was right in a way, and he and other doctors were justified in criticizing the city drains so long as the intercepting drain was not provided.
There was considerable discussion about the refuse that ran through the drains into the harbor.
The mayor to Ald. Wilson—"We had better give up drinking this water and drink beer."
Ald. Wilson—"We can drink beer now, and it would be hard to get two men to beat us."
Ald. Thompson made a long speech in which he said that a plan for the burning of the sewage should be adopted, and the water works department should give people water free for the flushing of drains. There is no city in Canada with better drainage.
Ald. Elliott said drains leading to houses should be properly trapped. If this was not done the drains would be useless and dangerous. He approved of the proposition to burn the sewerage and contended that no person should be allowed to build drains until the city engineer gave them proper levels.
Dr. Herald said the matter of proper drainage was a very important one. He intimated that the suggestion to appoint a sanitary plumber was a good one. His duty would be to compel people to build drains properly.
Ald. Rees thought a sanitary plumber was needed.
A by law to authorize the city treasurer to borrow $40,000, and a by law to issue debentures for $16,400 under the city of Kingston debt arrangement and of 1887 was passed.
The council adjourned at 11 o'clock.

SECOND EDITION.
GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Very Latest News Crowded Into a Small Space.

Good skating at the Kingston rink. Go to-morrow.

California dried cherries, 20c. per lb. Jas. Crawford.

A mighty snow storm is sweeping over the Western States.

Nineteen condidates in the late elections lost their deposit money.

The Kingston fire alarm system is now as efficient as any in Canada.

Ex Ald. Osborne says South Bartlett street is a pound for cows and horses.

Joseph Forsythe, Clergy street, is dangerously ill with inflammation of lungs.

John Ferguson, M.P. for South Renfrew, was married to Miss E. Reddington, Ottawa.

John Stagg, Brockville, has sold sixty head of catt