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MODEL STEAM LAUNDRY
47 Princess Street, one door below King.
Collars and Cuffs a specialty.
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Running at Great Speed
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All Gloves Guaranteed.

58TH YEAR---NO. 102. KINGSTON, ONT., FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 1, 1891. TWO CENTS.

Facts For All.

FIRST.

Facts are stubborn things to deal with. In advertising we are not forgetful of this and use only facts in presenting our claims before the public. We have been in business too long and our reputation is too highly valued to do otherwise. What we say we mean

SECOND.

Our stock this season is the most complete we ever had. The goods are better made, the patterns are prettier, the colors better, and the stock larger. What more is needed to make it interesting to look through our goods. Spring trade is now booming and the choice goods are going rapidly.

THIRD.

Our Imported Suitings and Overcoatings are really very pretty, ranging in shades from delicate white and fawns to rich black and blue. Prices run from $16 up. See our Scotch Suitings at $15, and you will be satisfied it is the nicest you have ever seen. Something new The latest thing for summer.

FOURTH.

Trouserings are selling themselves every day. They cannot fail to please and are admired by all.

Canadian Goods are always in demand, and this season is not behind previous seasons. Patterns, as usual, are pretty. Prices low, from $10 up. Good trimmings, best make and finish.

FIFTH.

The Ready Made Clothing Department is being rapidly cleaned out. Our Boys' Suits surpass anything ever shown here. Wear, color and finish are the very best. Men's and youths' suits are equally good and must go soon. They are too nice to be left on our hands: Prices the lowest.

CHAS. LIVINGSTON & BRO.,

75 AND 77 BROCK STREET.

Hello!

Where are you going?

Why to TWEDDELL'S to get one of those CHEAP SUITS before they are all gone.

No. 131 PRINCESS STREET,
One Door Below City Hotel.

ANGLO-AMERICAN HOTEL,

CORNER JOHNSTON AND ONTARIO STREETS, Kingston, Ont. The most convenient to trains and boats. Terms moderate. Rooms refurnished and meals a specialty. Best Brands of Liquors and Cigars in Bar. Under the new and strict management of ALF. MORELAND, Proprietor.

REMOVAL.

Kingston Weber Piano Factory

REMOVED TO THE STONE BLOCK, ONTARIO STREET, opposite Alex. Gunn & Co's Warehouse.

Increased Room, Increased Output, New Facilities.

TELEPHONE No. 94.

A Big Surprise

In store for buyers of GENTS' FURNISHINGS on Friday and Saturday of this week.

A MILL LOT

of Fine Summer Underwear. Prices 25c to 50c each for real fine garments.

150 DOZEN LINEN COLLARS

All the new styles, a great big job, some slightly dust marked, samples and such like, 7c each. Also a full line of latest shapes.

ENGLISH COLLARS,

All A 1 quality, together with the finest range of GOOD DRESS SHIRTS at low prices in the city at

Hardy's

ONE PRICE STORE,

88 & 90 PRINCESS STREET

HEADQUARTERS 14th P.W.O. Rifles,

KINGSTON, MAY 1ST.

Regimental Orders by Lt.-Col. Smith, Commanding

The Battalion, with Band, will Parade at the Drill Shed on

Tuesday Evening,

Next, May 5th, at 7:30 o'clock By order.
J. GALLOWAY, JR.,
Major and Adjutant

BOARD OF TRADE.

THE ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRADE will be held in the Council Chamber on TUESDAY EVENING NEXT, 5th inst., at 8 o'clock, to elect officers for the current year and for general business.
THOMAS MILLS,
Secretary-Treasurer.

May 1st, 1891.

TO LET

TWO TERRACE HOUSES, with extension kitchens, bath rooms, etc. Apply at WHIG Office.

HOUSE ON EARL STREET, OPPOSITE Chalmers' church. Apply to MRS. RENTON, 172 Earl street.

THE HOUSE, No. 4, corner of Sydenham and Colborne Streets, occupied by J. R. MCKAY. Apply on the premises.

A DETACHED HOUSE ON EARL ST. All modern improvements. Apply to J. R. CARRUTHERS, King St.

FINE FURNISHED HOUSE ON BARRIE street for the summer, in pleasant location. Possession May 1st. Apply at WHIG Office.

NEW BRICK HOUSE, EARL STREET, in Earl Terrace, near Barrie Street. Apply to S. BARNEY, 59 Princess Street, or at 194 Earl Street.

A NICE SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, with modern improvements, Frontenac Street, near Victoria Park. Apply to MRS. GORHAM, 75 Brock Street.

BRICK COTTAGE ON EARL STREET near University avenue. Six rooms. Rent moderate. Apply to ROBT. SHAW, Barrister, cor. King and Brock streets.

TWO FINE BRICK HOUSES IN VICTORIA Terrace, Montreal street, opposite St. Paul's. Rent moderate. Apply to W. MOORE, Real Estate Agent, Brock Street.

A TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE ON MONTREAL St., No. 406; five Bedrooms, Parlor, Dining Room and Extension Kitchen. Apply to MRS. MCDONALD, next door or G. LYONS, Market Square.

FROM 1ST OF MAY, BRICK HOUSE, NO. 80 "Wellington Place," Wellington street, at present occupied by Mr. Perley. Apply to JOHN MCMAHON.

THOSE TWO LARGE, WELL SITUATED and desirable stone dwelling houses and premises on Ontario St., corner West St. Apply to MACDONNELL & MUDIE.

THAT DESIRABLE RESIDENCE, KNOWN as "Park Villa," situate on the corner of Barrie and Stewart Streets. Possession on the 1st May. Apply to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS.

SPECIAL MENTION.

A. E. HOWELL, ORGANIST QUEEN ST. Methodist Church, gives lessons in Piano Forte and Organ playing. Residence: 297 Queen street, opposite Queen street Church.

MARSDEN KEMP, SPECIALIST IN treatment of Pianos, 18 years training in factory wareroom and city work in Kingston, Toronto and Rochester, N.Y. Tuner for R. S. Williams & Son Toronto. Orders by Post Card 464 Brock street or Henderson's Book store.

FOR SALE.

BRICK HOUSE AND GARDEN ON George street, property of Major Edwards. Apply to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS.

ONE HORSE, BUGGY, SLEIGH, HARNESS Robes, etc., all in good order. Apply to MILLS & MILLS, 79 Clarence Street.

WANTED

TWO GIRLS, AT ANGLO-AMERICAN HOTEL.

PAINTERS WANTED. Apply to T. MCMAHON & CO.

A PORTER AT THE ANGLO-AMERICAN hotel. Apply to A. MORELAND, prop.

WILSON SELF ADJUSTING CORSET. New invention in lacing. A marvel of comfort. Agents wanted. Address Walter L. Reid & Co, 21 King W. Toronto.

IMMEDIATELY, A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN to do general housework in a small family. No washing. Must be a good cook. Good wages given. Must give city reference Apply 80 WELLINGTON STREET.

WANTED A Good Penman to write at home. Either sex. Steady work. Address in your own handwriting and enclose 10c. silver, for our reply, and full Illustrated Particulars. A. W. KINNEY, B. W., Yarmouth, N.S.

TO LET OR FOR SALE.

LARGE STONE HOUSE, NO. 207 WILLIAM St. Apply at this office.

HAZELDELL, PORTSMOUTH, with four-and-a-half acres of pleasant ground. House has 14 rooms. Possession at once. Apply to J. B. MCIVER, Clarence Street.

ON ALBERT STREET NEAR PRINCESS —New two storey houses, each having extension kitchen and seven rooms, good yard, etc. Rent $8 a month. Apply to J. M. MACHAR, 38 Clarence St., or to E. VEALE, Albert St.

THAT LARGE, COMFORTABLE RESIDENCE, known as "The Parsonage," Barriefield, lately occupied by the Rev. E. L. Jones. There is a large garden, plentifully supplied with fruit; a good barn and stable, ice house, well and cistern. Possession at once. Apply to DR. GARRETT, 32 Johnston Street, Kingston.

Fine Display of Suitings.

E. Prevost has received another case of fine Scotch tweeds for suitings. They are now on exhibition in his window. Prices are away down. A good fit guaranteed.

Queen of the May.

The "May Queen" and all the other pretty things in straw hats for girls and misses can be procured at very low prices at the Boston fur store.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Winds mostly north westerly and northerly; fair, cooler weather.

The "Probs." are

Pitted Cherries at 20c lb

Pitted Plums at 20c lb

Pic-nic Ham, 10c

JAMES CRAWFORD'S.

HENRY BRAME.
LEADING UNDERTAKER & EMBALMER
251 Princess Street, Corner Sydenham street. Telephone communication.

REMINDERS.

FRIDAY

Magic Lantern Exhibition at Fine Street Presbyterian Church.

SATURDAY.

Dr. Washington at Frontenac Hotel.

JAMES REID.
THE LEADING UNDERTAKER, Princess Street.

MARRIED.

MANSON-MCMAHON—On the 30th April, 1891, by the Rev. George Porteous, at his residence, 310 University avenue, Kingston, Alexander Manson, of the township of Portland, to Maggie McMahon, of the township of Hinchinbrook.

MOORE-TALBOT—At the residence of the bride, on Tuesday, April 28th, by the Rev. Mr. England, Miss Minnie Talbot, to Mr. Joseph Moore, both of this city.

W. M. DRENNAN.
THE UNDERTAKER, 75 Princess Street. Open day and night.

PEACHES AND CREAM.

Little Laughs Crowded With Facts From the Merchants.

A spring opening—The keyhole of a watch.

Armstrong's $2 kid boot is the best in the city.

How can you expect to get information from a letter when it is not posted.

Fine communion suits very cheap at A. Hyman's.

Two hundred bales pressed hay, also bran, shorts, oats, feed, &c., at Fisher's.

Some men are so weak that they can't even whip a poor unprotected carpet.

"Old Slowboy is pretty fast, eh?" "Yes, except when it comes to paying his bills."

Dried peaches and nectarines 25c. lb. Jas. Crawford.

"Electricity is life," says a patent medicine ad. All the same we don't fool with live wires.

A big stock of Kentucky Jean pants $1 a pair at A. Hyman's.

Flour, meal, feed, oats, buckwheat, corn, and all kinds of garden seed at Fisher's.

A good assortment of silk parasols and umbrellas at Cousineau, Quinn & Corrigan's.

Passenger—How long will it take before we get into New York, porter. Porter—'Bout a quartah of a dollah, sah.

Dr. Mundell has removed to 166 Sydenham, street near Queen.

Lace curtains from 50c. to $5 per pair in cream and white at Cousineau, Quinn & Corrigan's.

Sliced cooked corned beef, 15c. per pound, at the cheap grocery house, Henderson's, Brock street.

"Only the brave gets the fare," remarked the tramp, as he tackled a large piece of mince pie which the farmer's wife brought him.

2 lb. cans raspberries and strawberries, 25c. Jas. Crawford.

Park Policeman—Say, what yer givin' away them bows and arrows fur?" Philantropist—Sh! I'm a dealer in artificial eyes."

Preserved plums, raspberry and peaches, 12½c. lb. Jas. Crawford.

Women do not suffer so much as they used to, in olden times, from contraction of the chest. Just look at the size of the Saratoga trunks.

Eastern township pure maple sugar, 10c. per pound, at Henderson's cheap grocery house, Brock street.

One thousand dozens of cotton hose (fast black) in thirty different qualities. Girls' black silk hose from 25c. Cousineau, Quinn & Corrigan.

"I am equal to any emergency," remarked the tramp as he had been fired for the tenth time that day, each time in a different manner.

2 cans salmon 25c. Jas. Crawford.

The window glass manufacturers think they are pretty cute, but when they put up the price of glass the general public can see through it.

Wade's mandrake liver pills, sure cure for biliousness and constipation, at Wade's drug store, Kingston.

"Don't let Spilkins write my obituary," said the dying man. "Why not?" asked the editor. "He—knows—me—too—well," gasped the other.

California nectarines and peaches 25c. lb. James Crawford.

Choice roll and print butter, 18c. per pound, to-morrow, at the cheap grocery house, Henderson's, Brock street.

Whenever a man prefaces a detrimental remark about another with, "I hate to say it," you may be sure that nothing gives him so much pleasure.

Ladies clean your kid gloves with Mather's glove cleaner, for sale only by Walsh & Steacy. Kid gloves a specialty.

"If you are not amused, merely smile," says a writer on etiquette. Perhaps that is the reason why so many men go out between the acts at the theatre.

The steamer Rideau Belle will leave on Monday morning for Westport at 6 o'clock. She will return on the same day, and on Tuesday start at 1 o'clock p.m. for Ottawa.

There is a deaf and dumb woman in New York who has no mother. At least we infer that to be the case from the fact that she has had six husbands, and is only 36 years old.

Selling off for thirty days all the hats and caps in Rattenbury's. Come and get a bargain. A fine stock of neckwear and collars just received.

Finest family flour. Jas. Crawford.

The evil results of procrastination were strikingly illustrated in Springfield, Mo., the other day when a man poured out a glass of whiskey, looked at it a moment, and then dropped dead.

Large ripe pineapples, 25c. each, at Henderson's, Brock street.

The str. Persia, J. H. Scott, master, will leave Kingston, Tuesday, May 5th, at 1 p.m. for Montreal and way ports. After above date will leave for Montreal and way ports at 8 o'clock Wednesday mornings, and for Toronto and St. Catharines at 5 o'clock Sunday mornings. Jas. Swift & Co., agents.

Next Monday evening the choir of the Queen street Methodist church will furnish an evening of song, which will be appreciated by all lovers of music. Assistance from outside the choir has been secured, and a number of instruments will accompany the organ. The occasion is the anniversary of the church.

The Kingston, Napanee & Western, and Canadian Pacific railways now short line west. One more of the people's popular one way trips to California, Washington Territory and British Columbia, on May 15th. For full particulars call on R. J. Wilson, ticket agent, C. P. R. telegraph office, Clarence street.

POLE SCILLS.

$200.00 In Cash Given Away.

To advertise Dr. Cole's Pills, we will give daily prizes for ninety days to the person who correctly form the name of a POPULAR REMEDY from the letters in the two words Pole Scills. For the first correct answer received each day $5.00 in cash; for the 2nd, $3.00; for the 3rd, $2.00.—$10.00 in all. With your answer send 25c. in silver or 27c. in stamps for a box of Dr. Cole's Perfect Blood and Liver Pills, sure cure for sick headache, very small and do not gripe. Remember these prizes are Absolutely Free. Prize money now on deposit at the Traders Bank here. Contest opens May 1st, 1891. Try it. Address Home Specific Co., Orillia, Ont., Canada.

THE ANNUAL REPORT.

HE REVIEWS THE WORK OF THE PAST COLLEGE YEAR.

The Highest Studies Can be Prosecuted in Queen's Now—Some of the Departments Can be Considered Reasonably Complete—The Appointments Recommended to the Board.

The report of Principal Grant to the board of trustees for the year ending April 29th, 1891, was:

Number of students in arts attending classes, 224; in arts, as extra murals, 33; in theology, 40; in the Royal college, 127; and in the women's medical college, 16. In all 440, or deducting 12 registered in two faculties, 428.

Of the students in arts, 14 are post graduates studying either along the line of an honour course, or for the degree of D.Sc. or Ph. D. Hereafter, no one can get the degree of M.A. from Queen's unless he obtains first-class honours in some one of the fourteen honour courses indicated in the calendar. Candidates for either of these post graduate degrees must have previously taken the degree of M.A. and must pursue their studies thereafter for at least four years. When the quality and quantity of the work required of them is considered, it is not to be wondered that only a limited number of candidates venture on it, and that a majority of these abandon it after trial. None the less is it desirable that opportunities should be given to our best men to prosecute their studies in the higher regions of scholarship, in their own country. They can do so in Queen's now, in any of our honour courses, with the one exception of biology, as advantageously as elsewhere, and the number of candidates will increase from year to year. In biology and geology our equipment is confessedly inadequate; and in such subjects as mineralogy, metallurgy, mining and electrical engineering, there is no properly equipped school in Ontario, rich though the province is in valuable ore deposits. For instruction in those practical departments our young men have to go to another country. While regretting for the sake of Canada that it should be so, it is a matter of extreme gratification that our staff in the central departments of university work; in English, classics, mental and moral philosophy, political science, mathematics, physics and chemistry, has received such additions in the course of the last four years that it may be considered reasonably complete.

Tutors were appointed last year in classics, moderns, mathematics, chemistry and natural history. C. C. Arthur, B.A., has been appointed for the summer session in botany and chemistry. In accordance with the request of Prof. Marshall, herewith submitted, I would recommend that a tutor be also appointed for next session in physics, with the view of enabling the students in physics to do more practical work in the laboratories. I would also recommend that two tutors be appointed in zoology.

The John Carruthers hall is very nearly completed and will soon be handed over to the finance committee. We need about $2,000 to provide seats and to equip the chemical laboratories in this much needed building. A former member of the board, George M. Kinghorn, now of Montreal, handed me a cheque for $250 last month towards this object. The alumni and friends of Queen's will doubtless volunteer further assistance with that spontaneous generosity which distinguishes them. The new hall will furnish the very best possible accommodation for students in chemistry, (theoretical, practical and analytical) in toxicology and medical chemistry, in astronomy and in assaying. The finance committee hope to have it ready for public opening on next University Day, 16th October, 1891, when we formally begin the fifty-first session of Queen's. The special thanks of the trustees are due to Prof. Dupuis for the great ability with which he has planned its internal arrangements down to the minutest details of the laboratories. The work is being done under the personal supervision of Professors Dupuis and Goodwin.

In connection with the more extended duties of Dr. Goodwin in this new building I would point out the need of providing him with an assistant, who would act also as lecturer in mineralogy and assaying. An application for the position is herewith submitted from William Nicol, M.A. Mr. Nicol's course in Queen's was very thorough and distinguished. Thereafter, he was science master in the Guelph collegiate and training institute for three years, when he went, at my own suggestion, to Germany. For the past three sessions he has been pursuing his studies at the "Bergakademie" in Freiberg, Saxony, devoting special attention to practical work in chemical analysis, mineralogy, assaying, blow piping and metallurgy.

The certificate of the principal of this famous royal academy of mines is appended. I am aware that in the present condition of the finances, and with our revenue from endowment lessening steadily on account of the lowering rate of interest, it is not wise to increase our staff or to add in any other way to the regular expenditure, but unless some such appointment is made the John Carruthers hall cannot be properly utilized. It will in various other ways entail an additional annual charge on the revenue of about $500 a year. The report of the librarian shows that an expenditure of $442 is required to extend the library accommodation. For this sum shelving for about 15,000 additional volumes would be supplied. Prof. Ferguson applies for a special appropriation to purchase a valuable historical collection that can be procured at present. For these sums, as well as for what is required at once to equip the science hall, we must trust to the liberality of men and women who are specially interested in higher education and in the development of Queen's. I have faith that there are such people in Canada.

Mr. Shortt's course in political science has proved very attractive to the students who have taken it, and in view of the importance and increasing urgency of social questions, and of the fact that the subject has been placed by the senate on the same footing as the older departments of study in both the under-graduate and post graduate courses of study, it is for the board to consider whether the present lectureship should not be converted into a professorship, and when the revenue of the university warrants, Mr. Shortt be relieved of his duties as librarian and permitted to devote his whole time to the chair.

I cannot conclude this brief review of the work of the year without paying a well merited tribute to the students. The high aims that animate the leading spirits among them, the general earnestness of purpose and the self-government that makes the intervention of the senate unnecessary to preserve order and that explains why no cases of discipline have been on our minutes for many years, all prove that our Canadian youth value the opportunities that are put within their reach and can be trusted to improve them to the utmost. Such a spirit is most gratifying to the professors of the university as well as to all interested in the future of the country.—G. M. GRANT, Principal.

Wellington Street School.

Result of April examinations in the senior third class; marks obtainable 394: George Laturney, 339; Ditmo Calvin, 322; Max Mudie, 281; Harold Beaubiah, 278; Willie Barr, 270; Charlie McCullough, 270; Harold Williamson, 270; Duncan McRea, 256; Bruce Galloway, 253; Harry Strachan, 253; Stanley Claxton, 250; John Kinghorn, 239; Thomas Wilson, 239; Maurice Vandewater, 236; Fred Elmer, 232; Fred Maxwell, 230; Harry Healey, 224; Wesley Orton, 224; G. Rattan, 218; E. Hiscock, 216; R. Dunlop, 213; George Sanderson, 209; John Gilchrist, 195; Charlie Powell, 194; Cyrus Young, 188; Ernest Morgans, 184; Henry Poleon, 180; Arthur Cotter, 180; John Turnbull, 170; Theo. Parkins, 162; Eddie Plant, 160; Willie Vince, 154; Thomas Scale, 154; Harry McQuagg, 144; Herbert Smith, 137; Archie Rodway, 131; John Irwin, 124; Victor Stroud, 116; Alfred Boutley, 101; Earnest Grimshaw, 96; Norman Ashley, 93; John Lawrence, 92; Albert Ross, 80; Joe Hora, 60.

Ladies' kid boots in all styles at Armstrong's.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Another World to Conquer.

Mayor Drennan will likely be a candidate for the mayor's chair next year in opposition to Ald. D. McIntyre.

Buy Saturday's "Whig."

Our special correspondent attending the legislature and writing racy letters about it, will, to-morrow, give an admirable letter. He has some interesting things to say.

The Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the British American hotel—W. F. Shaw, Lockport, N.Y.; Geo. Leigh, London; J. Blacke, L. Samenhof, R. S. Deacon, S. D. Price, Montreal; G. W. Prescott, Toronto; A. E. Gibson, M.D., Oakland.

Will Have to be Patient.

It is officially learned, says the Montreal *Star* that the report about J. H. Metcalfe, M.P.P., succeeding J. Shannon as Postmaster of Kingston is unfounded. Mr. Shannon does not contemplate retirement from his duties at an early date.

In the Eastern District.

Kingston is in the eastern lacrosse district along with Stirling, Peterboro, Madoc and Norwood. H. S. Price, Madoc, is secretary of the district, and on May 6th club representatives meet to arrange the system for playing off the championships.

He Has Retired.

The Renfrew *Journal* reports that Harry Wooliver, one of the oldest and most popular conductors on the K. & P. RR., has severed his connection with the road. He left Kingston on Monday last for the east. James Boakes fills the vacancy caused by Mr. Wooliver's departure.

He Can Make "Do Stuff."

A colored gentleman wearing a badge entitled "A Whistling Coon" has met with great success here. He is a genuine Virginian and can whistle like a bird. He says he made $3 50 on a trip between the city and Cape Vincent and can make "de stuff" no matter where he goes.

Has Secured a Pension.

Francis Ricard, an ex-soldier of the American army, has been awarded a pension of $12 per month in accordance with an act passed on June 27th, granting pensions to men for disabilities, whether they received them in the service or out of it, provided they are not inherited from vicious habits.

A Positive Shame.

An organ grinder, a young lad, has reached the city and with him a bright little child, with dark curly hair and a bright winsome face. He seems to be used as a drawing card to secure the pennies and nickels. But the authorities should interfere and save the child from such a roaming life.

Asked to Take the Bundle.

On Wednesday a young woman passed from house to house on Montreal street asking permission to leave a large parcel for a short time. In every case her request was refused. The bundle she carried was an infant, which she desired to get rid of, and no doubt she accomplished her wishes before this.

The Estimates Being Made.

The estimates of the civic committees for the ensuing year are all ready excepting those of the streets committee, and they will not be in shape for a week. It is likely that a week from Monday evening the budget will be ready for the consideration of the council. The city property committee wants $7,000.

Collar Bone Broken.

A child of John Darmers, who lives near Gananoque lake, was run over by a horse while playing in front of the school house. The girl's collar bone was broken, but she miraculously escaped other injuries being carried among the horse's feet for a long distance. Dr. Bowen, Seeley's Bay, attended the case.

She is Homeward Bound.

A letter received from Mr. Wilkie, Indore, conveys the intelligence that Miss Dr. Beatty, at the time of writing, was, on medical advice, about to start for Canada to recuperate her health, somewhat impaired by residing in India. Miss Beatty was the first graduate of the Women's medical college of Kingston.

He Seized the Fish.

W. P. Clarke, fishery overseer, proceeded to Northport and seized two barrels of pickerel consigned by Thomas McDonald, fisherman, to the Lake Ontario fish company, Cape Vincent. Mr. Clarke seized the fish and will prosecute Mr. McDonald. The confiscated fish were sold. William Black was the purchaser.

Was It a Joke?

Yesterday W. Shanahan, brother of J. Shanahan, whose saloon was entered by thieves recently, received a letter from Rochester, signed by John Braddon, stating that if Mr. Shanahan would write to him the bank cheques which were stolen would be returned at once. It is supposed the letter was written by way of a joke.

The Walk Will be Laid.

Last night the chairman of streets was notified that it was the intention of the government to lay a granolithic walk opposite the post office and custom house, which will make it run around half a block. It is likely that the trustees of St. George's cathedral will be asked to complete the square by having the walk put around their property.

Some Needed Changes.

It is stated that Mr. Chamberlan, the new inspector of gaols and prisons, has reported to Sheriff Ferguson that the county gaol should be lighted by electricity and that a new residence should be erected for the governor. The present residence could then be made an annex to the gaol and through this addition the prisoners could be properly classified.

A Fire in a Foundry.

Last night about midnight officers Timmerman and Megarry discovered that a portion of the roof of Chown & Cunningham's foundry was on fire. It seemed to have started near the cupola and burned a large hole. Two minutes after the alarm was given the chemical engine and fire brigade reached the building and prevented what might have been a big conflagration. The promptness with which the brigade responded at such a late hour, is good testimony of its efficiency.

Tendered Fine Gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Daly have removed from Peterboro' to Napanee. Before leaving Peterboro' the members of the congregation of George street Methodist church, gave Mrs. Daly a beautiful gold watch and chain as a token of regard. The couple were also tendered a silver cake basket by the choir of the church. Mr. Daly is a graduate of Queen's, and Mrs. Daly is well remembered as that charming vocalist, Miss Sophia Burton, of Kingston.

A Desirable Change.

The new summer rates on the Grand Trunk railway from Kingston to Whitby were divided into six sub-divisions. The rate from Montreal to points within the limit prescribed was only in one sub-division. At the request of the board of trade the Grand Trunk railway have issued a new table of rates from Kingston west and cut the sub divisions down to two. This will prove of great convenience to Kingston business men, and will be much more simple than the old system.

Semon at the Asylum.

Zera Semon, with his excellent company, entertained the patients at the asylum yesterday afternoon for nearly two hours, giving the best performance that has ever been given there. It is not necessary to state that the magic and ventriloquism, by Prof. Semon himself, was excellent, while the Blakes drew round after round of applause. Johnny Pattee made a hit as the refined Irishman, while the only Nelton, in his feats of juggling, showed himself a complete master of his art. Prof. Lee presided at the piano most acceptably.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

PARAGRAPHS PICKED UP BY OUR BUSY REPORTERS

The Spice of Every Day Life—What the Public are Talking About—Nothing Escapes the Attention of Those Who Are Taking Notes.

House surgeon T. Balfe is ill with mumps at the general hospital.

Rev. Mr. Lang has assumed charge of the Wolfe Island Presbyterian cause.

T. C. Smith, a student at Queen's, is teaching in the Chatham collegiate institute.

George McNamee and W. Johnston, Gananoque, were in the city yesterday.

Lieut. Stairs leaves for Africa in a few days at the request of the king of Belgium.

W. J. Muirhead, of Queen's college, will labour in Kinistino, N. W. T., this summer.

A new building erected for Mr. Wood on Livingston avenue is plastered with cement.

Rev. S. Houston and wife sailed for Ireland on Wednesday in the S. S. Polynesian.

The new waggon for the Ontario express company was drawn about the city to-day.

The action to have been brought against a young man for illegal voting has been abandoned.

J. A. Page and Mrs. O. Finlayson, both prominent Brockville people, were married on Thursday.

The vital statistics for April show: 42 births, 11 marriages, 28 deaths registered with the city clerk.

Prof. Marshall and Mrs. Marshall have gone to Trinidad, West Indies, where they will spend the summer.

The race track at the Rideau stock farm has been put in shape and the young flyers are exercised on it daily.

John Reyner passed another very bad night. Mr. Meek is improving slowly with most favorable symptoms.

Miss Lawler, one of Cobourg's young belles, was married on Wednesday to David Callaghan, G.T.R. driver.

Mr. Campbell, of this city, has been engaged to inaugurate the incandescent system of electricity in Gananoque.

A gang of line repairers of the C. P. R. telegraph company will arrive next week to erect new poles in the city.

Mrs. Capt. Beaupre and children left for Albany, N.Y., this afternoon. They will reside there with Capt. Beaupre.

The Burgess property, consisting of two stone houses and 20 feet of vacant land, was sold to Ald J. McLeod for $3,800.

The presbytery of Paris has nominated Rev. D. M. Gordon, M. D., Halifax, for the moderatorship of the general assembly.

G. M. Dawson, LL.D., of Ottawa, who received the degree from Queen's, has been similarly honored by McGill, Montreal.

Four engines for the Intercolonial railroad will be built at the locomotive works here. The contract has just been received.

Sergt.-Major Morgans and Sergt. Boutillier will assist the Morrisburg collegiate institute pupils in an entertainment on May 8th.

The board of health was to have met this afternoon, but was adjourned until Monday, as the well water analysis has not been completed.

A harpist and two violinists, who have been "doing" the city lately, have reaped a fair harvest, and will leave the city on Saturday.

Seymour, the largest country congregation in the presbytery of Kingston, has become vacant by the resignation of the Rev. J. Steele, B.A.

Many citizens would like to see the fountain at the gore, Brock and Clarence streets, running again. It would be a great convenience to drivers.

A number of Kingstonians attended the bachelors' ball in Gananoque last evening. They went down on the steamer Pierrepont and returned by rail.

Miss Minnie Wallace, of Toronto, has joined the nursing staff of the general hospital. She is a graduate of the training department of that institution.

Mr. Tarte will move in parliament for copies of tenders for the Kingston graving dock and other particulars concerning the contract given to Connolly & Co.

A counter election protest is being entered by the reformers of Lennox and steps are being taken to prosecute and disqualify several leading conservative bribers.

H. LeBrun, of Peterboro, and Mrs. Hackett, of Watertown, N.Y., were married on Wednesday morning and left for New York. The couple are known here.

Two young men fought in a public place yesterday afternoon and battered each other's faces until they were separated. Blood flowed freely for a short time.

A resident of Williamsville, named Stewart, while attending horses last night, was kicked by one of them and seriously injured. His wounds were stitched by Dr. Brown.

D. J. McCammon, of Chicago, is in the city and will sail in a few days for Ireland where he is going for the good of his health. He is a nephew of W. McCammon, market clerk.

The sergeants' mess, 14th batt., has been invited to send a delegate to the annual dinner of the sergeants of the Royal Grenadiers, Toronto, May 15th, the anniversary of Batoche.

It is said Major Herbert has utterly condemned the Tete du Pont barracks for sanitary reasons and battery "A" may be removed to the damp holes in the wall at Fort Henry.

The aid of the police was asked this morning to prevent a young woman from going on a schooner as cook contrary to the wishes of her father. The girl finally consented to stay at home.

At the opening of parliament Mrs. G. A. Kirkpatrick wore a petticoat of pale pink chiffon and rare old Brussels lace, train of sapphire blue velvet, Brussels lace; ornaments diamonds.

Gideon Grant, a law student with Britton & Whiting, left for Toronto to-day. He will be connected with the firm of Beatty, Chadwick, Blackstock & Galt, and also attend the law school at that place.

Chief Keeper Contant, of St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary, arrived yesterday with Elizabeth Phalen and Norah Copper. They will serve five and three years respectively. The Phalen woman is a noted character, and is an old penitentiary bird. Her husband is in the prison here.

Military Matters.

There have been three desertions from the battery this week.

The battery marched out this morning headed by the band. It played finely.

A. Barker has become a member of the band as euphonium player, a position which he formerly held.

Nothing is yet known regarding the transfer of the thirty-five volunteers from "A" battery to "C" battery British Columbia, although it is generally understood that it will take place some time this month.

The annual gymnastic competition for badges will be held at the R. M. C. next week. Over thirty of the cadets have already entered for the prizes in fencing. It is expected that Major-General Herbert will be present.

They Secured Samples.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Wilson, jr., placed his steamyacht at the disposal of Messrs. Bolger, Hewitt, W. S. Gordon, and Dr. Fee. They sailed about the harbor for a couple of hours and then selected samples of water for analyzation from different points. This is being done for the purpose of satisfying the people as to the healthfulness of the water to be supplied them in future.

The Very Freshest.

Watercress, asparagus, cucumbers, ripe strawberries, new wax beans, tomatoes, lettuce, radishes, etc., etc., at Henderson's, Brock street, to-morrow.

The Department for Girls.

The Boston fur store is replete with all the novelties in straw and felt hats for girls' and misses' wear. Every mother should see them.

20c. California Cherries and Plums. 20c

California pitted plums, 20c. lb.; California cherries 20c. lb.; nectarines and peaches 25c. lb. James Crawford.

North River

Shad, sea salmon, fresh lobsters, haddock, fresh codfish, finnan haddies, etc., etc., at Henderson's cheap grocery, Brock street.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Paragraphs From Along the City Wharves and Elsewhere.

The sloop Minnie A. is on the ways at Portsmouth for repairs.

The steamer Alexandria was the first boat to run the rapids this year.

The schrs. Stone and Monitor are loading timber for Sackett's Harbor.

Richardson & Sons will begin shipments of phosphate to Montreal next week.

The New England rate on corn is reduced to 9 cents, by the Central Vermont line.

The schr Katie Eccles arrived this morning from Colborne with 9,000 bushels peas.

The steamer Glengarry and schrs. Gaskin and Glenora, cleared yesterday for the west to load grain.

The strs. Nile and Isis arrived last night with lumber. They will discharge and load again for Ottawa.

The prop. Niagara after discharging corn from Toledo at Portsmouth cleared yesterday light for Manistee.

The tug M. J. Cummings will be engaged in towing barges between Oswego and Montreal. The smaller tugs Avery, E. E. Frost and May Queen, will do river towing.

The str. Jessie Bain was hauled out at Portsmouth to-day on the ways of the Kingston and Montreal forwarding company, and her wheel will be placed while there.

The Oswego tug association is formed. The tugs in the association are the Charley Ferns, Capt. C. W. Ferris, Eliza J. Redford, Capt. H. Featherstonhaugh, John Navagh, Capt. William Scott.

It is announced that the lake managers of the insurance companies will meet next week in an endeavor to re-establish vessel insurance. They will also consider the proposition to revise the Inland Lloyds in reference to a general protest from vessel owners.

SECOND EDITION.

GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Very Latest News Crowded Into a Small Space.

G. Eyre, of Lyn, is in the city.

G. Briggs, Simcoe Island, is still seriously ill.

Miss A. Wylie, Battersea, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Patten, of Richwood, is in the city on special business.

Norman Augustus, son of Capt. Augustus, is very ill with fever.

Peter Sharbot, the alleged murderer, is suffering from typhoid fever.

Summer passenger rates are in force on the railways, beginning to-day.

The story of the body of a suicide being found in the water tank is fictitious.

At Newmarket the 1,000 guinea stakes were won by Mimi; Melody second, and Sephona third.

If King gets $5,000 he will draw about $1 for every ball he delivers. He will get over $125 per game.

Bishop McIntyre (Roman Catholic), of Prince Edward Island, died last night of heart disease, aged over 70.

R. J. Eilbeck's two-year-old colt, "Kingston," will enter the colts' race to take place at Renfrew, on August 25th.

Malcolm W. Ford, the famous athlete, will accompany the Manhattan Athletic Club's team to England, this summer.

It is probable the 14th battalion band will accompany an excursion party from here to Montreal on St. Jean Baptiste day.

It is announced that since the emperor of Germany has purchased the cutter yacht Thistle he has changed her name to Meteor.

Mrs. Fitzsimmons, wife of the warden of the penitentiary at New Westminster, B.C., is dead. Her body has been brought here for interment.

The May day demonstrations in Rome, Berlin, Paris and elsewhere have not been disorderly. King Humbert drove through the workingmen's quarters in Rome.

William Robinson, committed to gaol as insane, April 11th, and pronounced insane on the 14th, was liberated to-day on the gaol surgeon's certificate having completely recovered.

Rev. Dr. C. D. W. Bridgeman, pastor of the Madison avenue, New York, Baptist church, has resigned, as he feels that he cannot any longer believe in the doctrine of eternal punishment.

The convention of the Episcopal church in the diocese of Massachusetts have elected Rev. Philip Brooks, of Trinity church, Boston, to the office of bishop, to succeed the late Bishop Paddock.

The officers of the 14th battalion will supply the members of the band with new lamps. A complete set of iron stands and a lot of late music will also be supplied. If sufficient encouragement is given the band will give weekly concerts in the park.

Information has been received at St. John's, Newfoundland, from St. Pierre, that the bait schooners which escaped from the government schooners at Fortune Bay are returning with men incited to rebellion by the French, who have supplied them with arms, ammunition and liquor.

CARNEGIE BOYCOTTED.

The Reason For It Is That He Deals Direct With Builders.

NEW YORK, May 1.—An afternoon paper says that the large firms of iron contractors, like J. B. & J. M. Cornell and various others, are starting a boycott against the iron mills which deals directly with builders. Andrew Carnegie is specially aimed at as he is the largest manufacturer to supply consumers direct. His representative says that no such boycott can prevent the continuance of that firm's policy. Judge Dugro, who is building a large hotel at Fifth avenue and Fifth-Ninth street, has been troubled by the boycott and has been obliged to discharge three sets of iron-handlers who refused to work on the Carnegie iron.

A Warning to Tramps.

On Tuesday last two well dressed men called on Rev. W. G. Henderson, Perth, late of Pittsburg township, and showed a letter from Rev. Williams, Montreal, recommending them to the charity of all with whom they met. Mr. Henderson took them to Young's hotel, telegraphed to Mr. Williams about the matter, and getting an answer stating that he had given no such letter to the parties in question, the young men were invited to the parsonage, where a constable was in waiting. They were confronted with the evidence of their rascality by Mr. Henderson, who gave them the alternative of going to gaol or going to work. They accepted the work, but soon repented, and returned to the parsonage with an offer to pay off all expenses if let go. Mr. Henderson gave them a sound Methodist sermon and dismissed them.

Died in Georgia.

On Monday W. G. Fralick, (Baldy) died in Thomasville, Georgia. His mother spent the winter with him, nursing him, and returned about a month ago, leaving, him as she supposed, quite restored to health. He leaves a wife, a daughter of the late Allen Caton, Newburgh, who was with him during his sickness. Deceased was a young man of more than ordinary ability, for a time an employe of the Napanee *Beaver*, and held a responsible position on the editorial staff of a St. Paul journal. His remains have reached Napanee for burial.

He Blessed Them All.

From C.P.R. Telegraph Company.

QUEBEC, May 1.—The following was received by Ernest Pacaud, from Hon. Mercier, now in Rome:

ROME, April 30.—"The pope received me at eleven o'clock, and after a long interview I introduced my colleague, Mr. Shehyn, and my other travelling companions. He blessed us, as well as our families, Canada, and especially province of Quebec."

Damaged by a Bomb.

From the C.P.R. Telegraph Company.

PARIS, May 1.—A dynamite bomb was exploded under the residence of Marquis de Trevix at four o'clock this morning. Little harm was done to the building and none to the occupants. It was no doubt the work of anarchists.

Purcell Is Dead.

From the C.P.R. Telegraph Company.

HALIFAX, N.S., May 1.—Patrick Purcell, ex-M. P., for Glengarry, died at Annapolis this morning after a severe illness. He was the contractor for the construction of the Missing Link railway.

ARE SEEKING RELIEF.

RESIDENTS WHO CANNOT GET DRAIN PUT DOWN.

The Business Before the Streets Committee Last Night—The People Who Were to be Exempt From Frontage—The Street Watering Scheme.

At the streets committee meeting, last evening, Alds. Gaskin, Carson, McIntyre, Muckleston, Livingston, Cliff and Swift were present. The minutes were read by Mr. Bolger and confirmed. Ald. Gaskin stated that South Bartlett street, he had found, by measurement, to be 800 feet in length, which bore out his statement, made in the council, that there was room for forty houses on the street.

In reference to the claim of certain residents of Division and York streets, in Rideau ward, to be exempt from assessments in respect of the local improvement sewer, lately constructed on Division street, a letter from Wm. Irving, late city engineer, was read. It appeared that property owners whose lots were intersected by the North street sewer were to have free drainage, and the committee recommended that such lots be exempt from assessment, but this exemption does not extend to J. C. Innes' lots, fronting on Division street.

A petition from residents on William street, between Wellington and P. R. Henderson's house, above Bagot street, was read asking that street watering be discontinued in that limit. This caused considerable discussion, Ald. Gaskin claiming that this practice is detrimental to neighbors whose street was watered, in that the dust from the unwatered portion would, in certain winds, blow over the watered part.

Ald. Livingston stated with reference to the unpaid street watering taxes of last year that it would be advisable to have them collected with the ordinary taxes and a motion to this effect was carried with an addition that the unpaid street watering taxes be put in Collector Thompson's hands for collection. On the petition the committee took no action as it was insufficiently signed.

Then the question of giving such petitions any consideration was taken up, Ald. Gaskin stating that the city had advertised to the effect that a petition from a majority of residents in a block would govern the watering of the block. Ald. Swift thought that this should be amended so that nothing but the majority of the residents on a whole street should govern the watering.

Ald. Cliff thought that the business portion should be watered, and the outskirts, if residents there desired it. The committee then resolved not to entertain such petitions for discontinuance of watering, only Ald. McIntyre's objecting. A by-law will be prepared outlining a district bounded by Barrie, Queen and Ontario streets, and a section of Princess street, from Barrie to Alfred street, in which watering would be compulsory, other streets to be granted watering on receipt of petitions from a majority of householders.

A petition from Captain Murray and Messrs. Marshall and Madden, and other residents on the upper side of Rideau, asked the committee to devise some scheme to drain their cellars, as residents on the lower side did not fall in with the local improvement plan, and thus they were unable to ask for a drain, although willing to give a reasonable amount for it. The committee decided to ask the council to allow these people to build the drain themselves if they wished. The remainder of the business done consisted of passing some small accounts.

How the Drowning Occurred.

William Deacon, a bricklayer of Renfrew, was the victim of the drowning accident at Humphrey's Lake on Tuesday last. He was there fishing with friends, and was engaged in gathering the nets early in the morning when a wave overwhelmed the craft and the boat filled. They clung to the boat, till Mr. Deacon finally endeavored to make his way to the shore by swimming. He gave his paddle to his companion and struck out for shore. Shortly after Buffet heard him calling "Jim! Jim!" and looking around he saw Deacon's hat floating on the water, but the luckless owner of the hat had sunk to rise no more in life. Buffet clung to the boat and was tossed about for an hour when he reached the shore almost perished with cold and completely exhausted. Deacon's body was found in seven feet of water, forty yards from shore. He leaves a wife and family. The funeral occurred yesterday.

The Outing Club.

Much enthusiasm was manifested by those who met, last evening, at the Young Men's Christian association rooms to reorganize the outing club in connection with the association. The following were selected as officers: President, H. Newberry; secretary-treasurer, H. C. Martin; committee, T. Baird, W. Tandy, A. Jack, T. Ikehara, — White. The committee then met and it was suggested that the first outing occurs on the 25th of May, Kingston Mills being the destination. The project will be discussed at the meeting of members to-night and further action taken. The bible training class in connection with the association, held an examination recently upon the first quarter's studies. The results have been posted on the bulletin board.

A Discovery of Coal.

John Rutledge, Kaladar, is said to have discovered a coal mine of much richness. The Belleville *Ontario* says it is a vein twenty feet wide and growing larger as it penetrates downward. After its discovery the prospectors covered up their find and purchased 400 acres from the government at $1 an acre. Specialists state that it is the finest coal ever unearthed. Blacksmiths say it answers every purpose and they will continue to use it. George Bull and Ald. Wallbridge have interviewed Mr. Rutledge and may make an offer for the land. Rutledge has no doubt that there are unlimited quantities of coal in the region and other valuable minerals which the world has not yet heard of.

Police Court—Friday.

A young woman, with hair of fiery red and an expression of deep disgust with all worldly affairs, appeared in court to press a charge of assault against James Dougherty, inasmuch as James, who is a powerful young man of some eight years of age, struck her with one of "her man's boots," and subsequently threatened her with a stone. James was not on hand, but was found outside on the city hall steps and led in by Sergt. Carson, who informed the colonel, with a broad smile, that "this was the man." She of the auburn hair was prevailed upon to drop the case, on the payment of costs by the boy's mother, and both left the court, Jimmy weeping.

Not Much Impurities.

This morning after the water tank had been emptied the members of the water works committee and others inspected the interior of it with a view to finding out if there was any residuum that would be prejudicial to the health of the consumers. Some matter, not more than might be expected under ordinary circumstances, was found in the bottom. The nature of the substance was not injurious. Some of the piton has worn of the bottom and because of this rumor was started that holes were worn in the bottom by rust. The tank will be emptied regularly.

To Receive a Pension.

W. H. Kimmerly, Napanee, has been allowed $12 per month for injuries received from a gun shot wound in his hand, during the rebellion. His pension will date from November, 1885, so that he is now entitled to about $800.

To Make Improvements.

The board of the Brock street Methodist church met a few nights ago and decided to make needed improvements to the church at an expense of $700 to $900. The floor is to be raised and made to slope towards the pulpit.

Custom House Returns.

Statement showing value of imports and exports with collections at custom house, Kingston, during April, 1891: Imports, $41,228; exports, $46,172; collections, $14,425 66.

The sailing yacht Laura is being improved for summer navigation.