

McQUAIG AS A BIGAMIST.

THE CHECKERED CAREER OF A FORMER KINGSTONIAN.

He is now in Peterboro Gaol for passing a worthless cheque—He has several wives living—The Kingston One Not Anxious to Prosecute Him.

John McQuaig, who years ago kept store on Ontario and Princess streets, is now in gaol at Peterboro on a charge of issuing a worthless cheque for \$28.

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A FANCY STORE ROBBED.

Admission Secured Through a Third Story Window—Many Things Taken.

Last night the store of W. J. Mahood, fancy goods dealer, Princess street, was entered by a youthful burglar and a great haul made.

PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention.

Harry Lindley and company have been playing to good houses at Wheeling, West Virginia.

R. Burns, of Rochester, N. Y., who has for a short time been visiting friends here, will leave for home to-morrow.

Hon. Alexander Mackenzie has taken quarters at Ottawa for the session and winter.

A Livingston, barrister at the institute for deaf mutes, Belleville, was here to vote yesterday.

The Hungarian Gypsy Band.

Kingston is to have a musical treat on Thursday next in the visit of this fine band. It was one of the great attractions of the Toronto fair.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

News Paragraphs Picked Up by Our Reporters in Their Rambles.

Dr. Washington Wednesday and Thursday.

Overcoats reasonable prices at Lambert & Walsh's.

Some interesting weather reports will appear to-morrow.

Call early on Dr. Washington at the British American hotel.

For genuine Scranton No. 4 coal go to the Gas Works yard.

Remember Dr. Washington's visit to Kingston on Wednesday and Thursday.

The surveyors on the link line between Yarker and Harrowsmith finished their work to-day.

A number of letters are grateful for the overplus in the mayor's majority. They had bet on 150.

This morning the Laura D. arrived from Simcoe Island with twenty passengers and a quantity of freight.

Mr. Hutton, ex-reeve of Pittsburg, entertained a number of friends at his residence, Barrieffield, last evening.

To-day between \$5,000 and \$6,000 was paid by Lieut.-Col. Milligan to the imperial army pensioners hereabouts.

Remember the auction sale of groceries to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon and evening at W. D. Hendry & Co's.

For dry oak and soft maple, soft wood and hard wood at lowest prices, go to Crawford's, foot of Queen street.

There are only four occupied houses in Lake Opinicon village. The people have been moving to Kingston and elsewhere.

X Qs us, but if your pants R C D & U B Y's, U will get a new pair from Lambert & Walsh, 110 Princess St., they R X C dingly reasonable.

Every number of The Dominion Illustrated strengthens its hold on the public, and establishes its claim to be a thoroughly Canadian paper.

We will hold an auction sale Wednesday afternoon and evening, the 9th inst., to clear out the remainder of our stock. W. D. Hendry & Co.

There has just arrived at J. Campbell's wood yard, Ontario street, the best stock of sawed or unsawed maple, also the best of dry slab wood.

On Saturday, Mr. Geddes, of Toronto, one of the owners of the steamship Rosedale sold his interest in the boat to his partners, Messrs. Hagerty and Cragle.

The Ogdensburg transit company, with a capital of \$800,000, has become incorporated. It is merely the incorporation of the Ogdensburg line of propellers.

Yesterday Mr. A. McCormick, who was assaulted by highwaymen, was able to be about. No clue to the men who committed the assault has been ascertained.

Beautiful hair goods; dress and mantle making; agents for the Caniff corset. All work guaranteed. Miss Richardson, over Walsh & Stacy's, 106 Princess St.

The case of M. W. Blanchard, charged with obtaining goods under false pretences, was enlarged until Thursday. The matter will likely be settled out of court.

W. Smith, who has no friends or home, was sent to gaol for four months. He has only been at liberty a few days, having served a term in gaol for carrying a revolver.

Richmond, Orr & Co. are now offering their large and well-bought stock of cloths of all sorts, suitable for ladies, gentlemen's, or children's wear at sale prices. See their advertisement.

Immense buckwheat cakes. Our buckwheat flour makes the finest cakes, our bread flour is the finest in the land, cooking apples, table apples, 20c peck; lemons, 20c; oranges, 20c; cranberries, 10c. James Crawford.

Yesterday afternoon a five year old mare of John Horning, Elginburg, had its fore leg broken while being backed out of the Windsor hotel shed. Dr. Sine reduced fracture. It is probable that the animal will recover the use of the limb.

About the middle of January, 1838, the Bay of Quinte was open, at least up to Calbertson's Point, (now Deseronto), for a steamer arrived there from Kingston with arms and ammunition, which were thence conveyed to Belleville.

Your money is better to us than goods, no matter how cheap. Roll bacon, 12c; cooking apples, 20c; table apples, 20c a peck; lemons, 20; oranges, 20c; cranberries, 10c; roll and tub butter, fresh celery, potatoes, Cambridge sausages. James Crawford.

The fire alarm wires which were broken by the recent snow and sleet storm were repaired to-day. Some of the electric light wires which had also been severed, were replaced by new ones. Mr. Campbell, manager of the electric light company, expected to have all the lights running to-night.

Yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, while attending a steam circular saw in McLeod's saw mill, R. Cowie was badly injured. The piece of wood which he was holding to the saw broke, in two pieces, and one of them struck him on the left forearm and fractured it. Dr. T. M. Fewick dressed the wounded limb.

The entertainment given by the household band in the salvation army barracks last evening, was a great success. The efforts to raise money for a home established in Toronto for disabled army officers, have been attended with success. Nearly \$200 was subscribed for the cause. The band left the city to-day.

The government has men working at the outlets of Rock and Hart lakes erecting dams as reservoirs for the Rideau canal. The keeping back of the water of the former lake is likely to cause trouble, as it will flood hundreds of acres of meadow and low lying lands on the South shores of Rock lake and is causing much grumbling.

The Plate Glass trade has become an important feature in Canada. No business house would now dream of having the old sheet glass windows. Not only the design of the building is vastly improved, but the goods displayed in the windows are more inviting when plate glass is used. McQuaig & Son, Toronto, supply by far the largest quantity in Canada.

Oroville Citrus Association.

This joint stock company was formed for the purpose of establishing nurseries at Thermalito, Butte county, California. Their stock of citrus trees, fan palms and tropical plants exhibited at the Oroville Citrus Fair, was very fine. The monument 20 feet high covered with oranges, the miniature house and plants exhibited by D. H. Murray, late of Kingston, superintendent of the Oroville Citrus association, attracted attention and showed luxuriant growth.

The Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the British American Hotel.—J. Kutherford, E. F. Dowie, W. B. Foster, J. E. Anderson, J. T. Field, H. U. Kibbe, Montreal; W. J. Thorn, R. I. Wylie, J. H. Willoughby, S. B. Snider, J. P. Anderson, Lt. Col. Milligan, staff officer pensions, T. Cooper, W. H. Maxwell, Alfred Jackson, Toronto; E. B. Robinson, Chatham; W. H. Wilkinson and wife, Nanapanee; D. S. Robertson, Brockville; Gus. Williams, Westfield.

Independent Order of Foresters.

Special meeting of Court Frontenac No. 59 on Wednesday evening, 9th January. A large attendance requested. J. S. R. McCann, Rec. Sec.

SECOND TERM ENDORSED.

MAYOR THOMPSON AGAIN TO BE CHIEF MAGISTRATE.

The Results in the Different Wards—Only Seven New Men to Go Into Parliaments—The Mayor Addresses the Electors in the City Hall.

Mayor Thompson has been re-elected for a second term by a majority of 151.

Only one alderman who offered for re-election was defeated, Ald. W. Dunlop, of Victoria ward. He was replaced by J. McLeod, the temperance candidate, who led him by 25 votes.

Fourteen old aldermen will be in their former places about the council board.

Of the new blood four have been in the council before. These are Messrs. W. Robinson, G. Creighton, W. M. Drennan, F. S. Rees. The other three, Donald McIntyre, W. Carson, and J. McLeod are untried men. Carson was previously defeated when he essayed to get a seat.

The majority contest was quite keen, but the heavy majority secured in Frontenac ward, the borough that can be counted on all occasions to support Mr. Thompson, swamped the chances for Mr. Redden. Added to this was a very great support for the mayor from Catarqui ward. It was claimed by the friends of the candidate for a second term that the workmen were largely in his favour, and this conclusion would seem to have been correct. In the outside wards the only one that backed Mr. Redden was Rideau, which gave him a small majority. In Sydenham and St. Lawrence he had the strong support of the business men as the figures show.

The returns came in slowly. The large number of ballots to be counted for the aldermanic candidates, as well as for the school trustees, made it almost seven o'clock before it was definitely known how things stood. The down town wards came in first, but the majorities were so small for Mr. Redden, and in the case of Ontario ward, not favourable to him, that the friends of Mr. Redden were satisfied that he had lost the day and the only excitement created was to know the majority by which he was defeated. The returns from Frontenac and Catarqui wards came in a bunch and soon extras were on the streets giving the full particulars thus:

For the Mayor's Chair.

Table with 3 columns: Ward, Thompson, Redden. Rows include Sydenham, Ontario, Frontenac, Catarqui, Rideau, Victoria, etc.

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The Aldermanic Contests.

Table with 4 columns: No. 1, No. 2, Total. Rows include C. F. Gildersleeve, W. Hart, J. S. Muckleston, W. J. Crothers, etc.

ST. LAWRENCE WARD.

Table with 4 columns: No. 3, No. 6, Total. Rows include James Minnes, W. Robinson, N. C. Polson, W. Middleton, H. H. Curtis, etc.

CATARQUI WARD.

Table with 4 columns: No. 7, No. 8, No. 9, Total. Rows include J. Gaskin, F. S. Rees, W. M. Drennan, P. Daley, etc.

FRONTENAC WARD.

Table with 4 columns: No. 10, No. 11, No. 12, Total. Rows include W. Carson, J. McCammon, G. Creighton, S. J. Kilpatrick, R. J. Howe, G. Sarfield, etc.

RIDEAU WARD.

Table with 4 columns: No. 13, No. 14, No. 15, Total. Rows include D. McIntyre, C. Robinson, W. Adams, D. Givens, W. Augustus, etc.

VICTORIA WARD.

Table with 4 columns: No. 16, No. 17, Total. Rows include J. Hiscock, R. W. Shannon, J. McLeod, W. Dunlop, etc.

been elected, but it would seem that the promises given were unfulfilled. Mr. Bows and Mr. Sarfield made a fair beginning for some other day.

But it was Rideau ward that surprised the public. Captain Webster Augustus, with his scheme for the beautification of Victoria park, was considered a sure man. He was confident himself, for hadn't over 600 good and true electors promised to use their franchise in his behalf. But, alas, he was left, only 165 votes having been placed to his credit when the summing up time came. The problem is a hard one to solve, and Mr. Augustus will now have a chance to meditate on the uncertainties of municipal politics. As a "regulator" he will have an opportunity to study why he was relegated to the fifth place. Donald McIntyre's feet just fitted his brother's boots in the estimation of the voters, and the alderman-elect will have the proud satisfaction of going to the council with a heavier backing than any candidate who offered. If his eloquence is as powerful as his brother's Rideau ward will not suffer by the change. C. Robinson and W. Adams, old standbys, are again to the fore. The somewhat quivering feeling that possessed them for some days is gone. They had been told that one or 'tother was to be dispatched so they were on the ragged edge. But it was neither. Mr. Givens was the victim and that, too, after he had come within five votes of victory. 'Twas ever thus!

Up in Victoria ward Ald. Dunlop will be content with school board life. He preferred that, he said, to aldermanic honors, and the electors took him at his word. He did little canvassing, and the result was against him. Mr. McLeod, the new man, though untried, is a good fellow, and will do good service for his ward. Aids. Hiscock and Shannon are again wondering how the electors generally make their votes tally so evenly.

At the City Hall.

After the returns from the different polling sub-divisions had been received, and the announcement made that Mr. J. D. Thompson had been re-elected mayor, the electors were invited to the city hall, where they were addressed by Mr. Haslip and the mayor elect.

Mr. Haslip was the first speaker. He said it gave him great pleasure, as the proposer of the mayor, to congratulate him upon his victory. The workmen had nobly showed which side they were on, Mr. Thompson had every reason to feel proud that notwithstanding the charges preferred against him by his opponents, he had come out victorious.

The mayor then came forward. His face was flushed, and his general appearance indicated that he had had an exciting time of it during the day. He stated that the only committee room he had during the campaign was his hat, and his supporters were the workingmen of the city. He was thankful to them for the confidence they had reposed in him. They had hurled into the faces of the people who were once supposed to be his friends the fact that J. D. Thompson was neither a boodler nor a thief. He started in the election for the purpose of vindicating whether his cause was a right or wrong one. He said solemnly that any transaction or any business that he had ever done in connection with the position of mayor or alderman, had been as pure and chaste as anything could be. There had been expenses incurred during his travels in connection with city business, which he paid out of his own pocket. He wanted to thank the gentlemen for his victory who were so very particular about his honesty, who secured a letter from the firm of Rousseau & Mather, Montreal, regarding the city's dealings with them. The workmen had shown his enemies their powerful influence in any election. They have proven that they can elect any man to office that they choose for it. He charged them to be honest and firm, and to stand up boldly for their rights.

He referred to certain statements which had appeared in the papers regarding him, and said he did not know whether his opponent, Mr. Redden, was responsible for them or not. One of the items he objected to was the following:

"Vote for the man who doesn't want to take the money voted by the council for public hospitality and the relief of the poor."

There might be a few hundred dollars charged to him in the city treasurer's office. He assured the auditors he was not a rich man, but when he got his money he made as good use of it as ex-Mayor Carson had done. If he had received his salary before the nomination it would have been likely said that he had drawn it to buy votes with. He knew, however, that right would always prevail, and J. D. Thompson could now go to his family and say that the people of the city of Kingston had set him free. He challenged any one of his enemies to show he had done wrong in his business relations with the city.

He referred to the drainage question, and contended that he had always advocated good drainage. He had refused to tell any person which direction proposed drains were going before they were built, and had always warned the city engineer to keep these matters secret. He wanted to benefit the property of poor people.

The transaction regarding the purchase of tile pipe in Montreal he alluded to. He stated that he had purchased the tile pipe, and he proved by figures that he had purchased iron pipes for drainage cheaper than the city of Toronto had been able to get them for. There had been laid in Toronto 54 miles of pipe last year. For nine-inch pipe Toronto paid 84c. per yard, and Kingston got it for 65c. per yard. For twelve inch pipe Toronto paid \$1.26 per yard, and Kingston 87c. For fifteen inch pipe Toronto paid \$1.65, and Kingston \$1.24. For eighteen inch pipe Toronto paid \$2.18, Kingston \$1.74. This evidence was sufficient to prove whether the city lost money by the deal.

The business with Mr. A. Gartshore, of Hamilton, was detailed. He pointed out that Gartshore was a conservative of the highest class; but he was in trouble and could not fill his contract with the city. He said he could not buy the pipes in Montreal himself and engaged the speaker to do it for him. The Montreal people had Gartshore in a tight place, and he could not get loose.

A voice—"They let you loose."

"Yes," said the mayor, "I have been let loose by the people of Kingston, and I will not be a dangerous man at liberty."

He proceeded to state that he had purchased the pipes for Gartshore, and when he (G.) offered to pay for the service the speaker refused to take compensation.

The contract for the building of the water tower was next touched upon. He went to Montreal in connection with this business also. No person was more anxious for the firm of Rousseau & Mather to get the contract than he. He had papers to show, however, that the sureties the firm offered for the erection of the tower were a black-smith, getting a salary of \$10 per week, and a clerk receiving a salary of \$6 per week. He had suggested a change in the tender. He could tell Mr. W. Hart, on the testimony of competent men, that the tower could not have been built for the amount of money which the firm of Rousseau & Mather had offered to do the work for. The lowest

tender had been \$16,400, made by the proprietors of the Kingston foundry. If Mr. Hart knew that the tower could have been built for \$12,800, with a fair profit, how was it that the locomotive works, with which he was connected, asked \$23,000 for the job?

The speaker concluded by stating that he would do his best for the city. He wished his hearers a Lappy New Year and retired, and the crowd dispersed.

School Elections.

In Sydenham ward H. B. Savage was elected, the vote standing: Savage, 192; Allen, 56. In Frontenac ward H. Hunter defeated W. Massie by 53 votes. The number polled were: Hunter, 228; Massie, 175.

The County Returns.

PORTSMOUTH. Reeve—John Fisher, 58; George Sexton, 56; A. Cameron, 49.

Councillors—R. Dadds, 99; Joseph Potter, 97; John Marks, 84; George McAuley, 71; W. Hurst, 61; J. Adams, 61; J. Gillespie, 42; J. Nicholson, 41. The first four were elected.

Public school trustees—John Scally, 64; A. Graham, 60; Henry Robb, 55; J. Gillespie, 51; A. Atkins, 43; John Mills, 41. The first three were elected.

TOWNSHIP OF PITTSBURG. Reeve—William Hutton, 239; David Trotter, 312.

First Deputy Reeve—John Tierney, 219; Charles Vanhorn, 291.

Councillors—W. Anderson, 21; James Atkinson, 268; Robert Bennett, 203; Alfred Brown, 237; W. H. Franklin, 301; Patrick Madden, 110; Robert Trotter, 82.

TOWNSHIP OF KINGSTON. Reeve—H. Rankin.

First Deputy Reeve—E. Joyner. Second Deputy Reeve—C. Hay. Councillors—Dennis Sheehan, James Knapp.

TOWNSHIP OF PORTLAND. Reeve—Dr. Claxton; majority, 64. Deputy Reeve—J. W. Bertram. Councillors—N. Wood, N. Whitty and W. J. Sproule.

TOWNSHIP OF STORRINGTON. Reeve—William Gibson; elected by over 70, with No. 4 poll to bear from.

TOWNSHIP OF WOLFE ISLAND. FOR REEVE, No. 1, No. 2, No. 3, Total. James Horne, 72, 82, 42, 196. E. Briceland, 42, 48, 24, 114. Shirley Goin, 33, 35, 39, 107.

DEPUTY REEVE. H. Moore, 105, 102, 42, 249. Donald C. McDonald, 30, 51, 48, 129.

COUNCILLORS. H. Davis, 87, 104. P. We'ch, 61, 91. R. Mozier, 78, 82. J. Friend, 62, 39. G. Davis, 27, 40.

MESSRS. HORNE, MOORE, DAVIS AND MOSIER had the support of Mr. Thomas Dawson and his friends who worked hard and are highly pleased with their success. The best of good feeling prevailed.

Town of Deseronto. Mayor—E. W. Rathbun. Reeve—W. R. Aylsworth. Deputy-reeve—H. B. Rathbun, by a large majority. Councillors—West ward, John Dalton, Wm. Irvine, R. M. Crook; Centre ward, A. S. Vallau, James Whitton, James Cameron; East ward, A. A. Richardson, W. W. Carter, Jas. Dryden.

VILLAGE OF BATH. Reeve—D. W. Ball, majority 2. Councillors—Edmond McKenty, Henry Armstrong, Thomas Bain, John Michael Wemp.

TOWNSHIP OF KENNETTOWN. Reeve—Bowen E. Aylesworth, 398; Isaac F. Aylesworth, 316.

First Deputy-reeve—Isaac Orton Fraser, 363; Arnold P. Booth, 349.

Second Deputy-reeve—Byron Derbyshire, Michael Asselstine, 327.

Councillors—Wellington Babcock, 426; Robert Miller, 386; William M. Fraser, 328.

The Mayors Elect.

Belleville—W. J. Diamond. Guelph—Thomas Gowdy. Ottawa—Jacob Erratt.

St. Thomas—J. Morse. St. Catharines—R. McIntyre. Meaford—James Cleland. Goderich—John Butler.

Brampton—Thomas Holtby. Bowmanville—A. Younie. Collingwood—Mr. Lockerbie. Stratford—H. T. Butler.

Paris—H. Stroud. Owen Sound—Duncan Morrison. Woodstock—D. W. Kara. Brantford—C. B. Heyd.

Peterboro—James Stevenson, M.P. Kincardine—R. Baird. Barrie—F. E. P. Pepler. Orillia—J. W. Slaven. Hamilton—W. Doran. Orangeville—John Gilchrist. Windsor—J. T. Womey.

London—George Taylor. Galt—John M. Lumaden. Port Hope—E. Peplow. Almonte—W. Thornburn. Aurora—H. D. Lundy. Chatham—H. Malcalinson. Cobourg—S. Clarke. Dundas—H. Bickford. Lindsay—J. Waters. Pembroke—W. Murray. Picton—W. T. Crandall. Prescott—John Carruthers. Smith's Falls—D. A. Ferguson. Trenton—M. B. Morrison.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

An Imposter at Large. BISHOP'S PALACE, Jan. 8.—(To the Editor): Permit me to inform the public through you that a person in the garb of a priest, professing to be pastor in the Apostolic Vicariate of Pontiac, with six hundred families for his congregation, is moving about this city and the adjacent country, carrying with him priestly vestments and other requisites for the celebration of mass. The bishop does not know this man, nor is his name or that of the mission to which he says he belongs registered in the ecclesiastical directory for the vicariate of Pontiac. He is believed to be a barber from Montreal.

THOMAS KELLY, Secretary.

Letter From the Missionaries. Miss Sinclair and Miss Scott, the missionaries, who recently left Kingston for India, reached Port Said on Dec. 17th and expected to be at Bombay on Jan. 1st. Mrs. Dr. Sine, sister of Miss Sinclair, received a letter to this effect yesterday. On the str. Arabia on which they sailed were twenty-two Methodist missionaries from various parts of the United States, four of them M. D.'s, two Zenans workers, and the balance regular missionaries. The whole party suffered severely from mal de mer while crossing the Bay of Biscay.

We Must Sell Our Stock. Seven pounds Spanish onions, 25c.; Canadian onions, 30c. peck; 3 lbs. green peas, 10c.; evaporated corn, 10c.; tomatoes, 10c. a can; cranberries, 10c. quart; jam and jelly, 12c. lb.; table and cooking apples, 30c. a peck. Jas. Crawford.

We Want Your Hard-earned Money. Canned salmon, 15c.; best cooking or table apples, 30c. peck; onions, 30c. peck; cranberries, 10c. a quart; raspberry jam and jelly, 12c. lb.; roll bacon, 12c. lb.; oranges, 20c.; lemons, 20c. Jas. Crawford.