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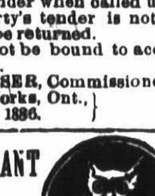

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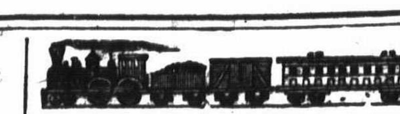

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REMINDERS.

SATURDAY.

TENDERS received by W. Newlands till 6 p.m.
ROBERT DRAMATIC Co. at the Opera House.

CITY AND VICINITY.

The Deluge.

Look out for the monster sale of damaged dry goods by Bowes & Bisonette next week.

To-day's Probabilities.

Moderate to fresh winds shifting to the northward, decidedly cooler weather proceeded by local rains and thunder storms.

Attractive Window.

Provost has in his window a fine display of light summer tweeds — Scotch and English—the latest. They range from $13.50 to $18 per suit, made to order.

They Will Live Happy.

These are they who buy their hams and breakfast bacon; fresh butter for 20c lb.; eggs, 12½c doz.; and one of those large cans of tomatoes for 15c, at Jas. Crawford's.

Sale of Toll Gates.

On Thursday afternoon the yearly sale of the toll gates on the Bath road took place at Mr. Fallon's Hotel, Williamsville. No. 1 gate was purchased by Mr. Porter for $615, and Mr. Pledger got No. 2 gate, Collinsby, for $355.

Enlarged Pages.

Four columns extra are to-day demanded for our Easter issue, owing to pressure of matter. Broadbrim's letter, crowded out on Wednesday and Thursday, now appears. Two chapters of "My Lady's Money" are also given.

$23,500,000.

The new business written by the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States for the first quarter of this year is $23,500,000. Terms the most liberal. Absolute security; certainty of prompt payment. R. Stirling, agent, at Kingston.

The Event of the Season

Will be the annual Easter assembly of the I.C.B.U. Branch, No 483, which will be held in their hall (St. Patrick's) on Easter Monday evening. Prof. Byrnes' quadrille band will furnish music. Dancing begins at 8 p.m. Tickets 50c. Don't fail to attend.

Well Prepared.

For the misses and children Haines & Lockett are better prepared than usual. They are trying to make children's shoes a specialty, and take extra care to buy boots that will fit the foot, something too often overlooked in wear for small children. A complete stock of spring heel boots always on hand.

A Good Selection.

As D. F. Armstrong, of the busy boot and shoe trade, is doing far too good a business to change his advertisement often, we have it dropped to-day owing to the pressure of space, but just remind our readers that his stock was never so good, and his courtesy to customers is at its well known height.

Roller Skating Tournament.

On May 5th a roller skating tournament will occur at Ottawa. A five-mile race, for the championship of Canada, is on the programme. Messrs. C. Campion, of Kingston; Brunel and Atkinson, of Ottawa; Bonnett and Thompson, of Toronto, Williams, of Brockville; Ross, of Cornwall, and others will enter the race.

New Life at the Old Stand.

W. Moore, at the old tailoring establishment, on Brock street, is finding the benefit of the store improvements, purchase of large spring stock and judicious advertising. His '86 boom is a large one, and the public find his prices fully as cheap as his stock is fine. He shows goods and gives sample and prices with pleasure.

The Foot Ball Match.

Yesterday a football match occurred between teams selected from the Royal Military College and Queen's. The cadets, having had more practice than their opponents, came out victorious. They won the match by taking one goal and securing a touch-down. The Queen's boys did not score. The game was not finished owing to the collapse of the ball.

There Must be Contracts.

The finance committee of the school board wrestled over the accounts on Thursday night. They found some bills for work that should have been tendered for, and complaint followed. It was decided to pass a resolution calling for tenders for all work calculated to cost over $10. The matter may not be advertised, but the contractors will be communicated with.

The Doctors in Dakota.

Dr. H.S. Williams, of Mount Vernon, Dakota, is in the city. He graduated two years ago from the Royal College. He says the time has been long, but it is said that he will take back with him one who will make life happy, and time fly quickly. Two of Dr. Williams' classmates are in Dakota, Dr. W. J. Webster is at White Lake, and Dr. D. G. Russel at Castlewood. All have good practice.

A Parting Benefit.

As F. X. Cousineau intends his grand final retiring from business sale, which opens on Thursday next, 29th inst., to be a parting benefit for his host of customers and friends, he has taken an unusually large advertising space for today and Monday to announce it, desiring that all should be duly informed. Keep this item in your minds and your money in your pockets until the opening of this great sale.

Public Trial.

A trial of the Johnson Manure Pulverizer and spreader will take place at the Cataraqui race course, on Wilson's farm, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Johnson spreader is the most simple, durable, and cheapest machine for the work ever invented. A thorough test of the machine is desired, and a large gathering of farmers is expected. It does the work of ten men, and can be attached to the running gear of an ordinary farm waggon.

The Boat May Be Run.

It is stated on good authority that the Folgers, of Kingston, have purchased the steamer Prince Arthur, which has lain in the river at Gananoque the past year, and will run her from Kingston to Ogdensburg, if not further.—Watertown *Times*.

The boat was purchased some time ago, and is intended to run in connection with the R. W. & O. RR., along with the steamer St. Lawrence, making a daily line from Kingston to Montreal, and taking on the R. W. & O. RR. passengers at Clayton, if satisfactory arrangements are not made with the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company for their business.

GREETING THE MARSHAL

RECEPTION OF GENERAL BOOTH'S SON AT THE G. T. R. STATION YESTERDAY.

The Salvation Lookout Heralds His Coming and the Band Whoops It Up—The Salvationists "a Proper Lot, and He'll Come Back and See Them"—A Red-ribbon Day For the Kingston Corps.

The blood-washed warriors of the Salvation Army, the officers wearing red jerseys, dark blue caps, and boots covered with dust, and scores of women in dark dresses and shaker bonnets crowded the platform at the G. T. R. station yesterday afternoon. They sang, rattled tambourines, and spanked their hands as they stood in line, waiting to receive the grand marshal of the combined forces. Emblems of the army—blue and red flags with yellow centres—fluttered in the breeze. The banner of the 5th Canadian corps towered aloft and offered shade to a dozen women. Capt. Watson, possessed of an honest fresh English face, and well trimmed blonde sideboards and moustache, ran his bow over his violin and struck up many a happy battle song. The great company had just finished "Rolling the Chariot Along" when the Salvation lookout heralded the advance of the train and in a moment the bandsmen blew air into their trumpets and fairly split their larynxes in their efforts to gain the good opinion of Marshal Booth, the son of the famous general and founder of the mighty forces, sweeping on to "the beautiful land above." The train rushed in and in a moment the chattering tambourines ceased and left the whole musical demonstration to the band. Commissioner Coombs jumped off the train and moved the army back to the Pullman car where the visitor was standing

ENVELOPED IN A BIG OVERCOAT,

underneath which was a pretty dark blue coat with silver braid and the army's coat-of-arms on the collar. He was all smiles, and any one who has seen the father, or a picture of him, has seen the son. He waved his hand, the army chirruped a volley, and the Marshal, in a voice full of English accent, said, "Hi ham glad to see you, comrades. Move haround so that hi can see your blessed faces." Then a woman, with a countenance full of brightness, exclaimed, "My, but don't he talk like his father?" The soldiers crowded up and Commissioner Coombs introduced Mr. Booth by saying that he had been telling him (Mr. Booth) of the glorious work of the army here, and of the bravery of the soldiers who first bombarded the city, and what they had, under God, done here. "I am endeavoring to make arrangements," said the commissioner, "to have the marshal spend a day with you (cheers), when I anticipate that Kingston will have the grandest and greatest demonstration ever known." Marshall Booth lifted up his voice from the steps of the car platform and expressed pleasure in looking into the fresh, bright faces before him. He felt that he was at home, (volley) that among the soldiers he was not a stranger. It was grand to see their bright faces after the opposition of the world, in its darkest forms, continually encountered him. He referred to the spreading of the organization, and was proud to stand before the

NOBLE INVADERS OF CANADA.

He urged the soldiers to work on, to endure the coldness and prejudice of the outside world, for God was bound to bless them. They should work away, stooping to pick up the fallen, to be moral scavengers, fishermen of souls, as it were. Here the bell rang for the train to start, and many soldiers thought the time the briefest twenty minutes ever enjoyed. The Marshal, continuing, said he was filled with delight at what he had seen and heard of the work in Canada. He had already seen many men who had been made honest, pure, and true by the army. "Go on," he exclaimed, "God will bless you." As the train moved off he exclaimed, "You're a proper lot, and I'll come back and see you." The army shouted, the band broke loose again, and the departing visitors fluttered their bandanas until lost to view. The army forces—principally composed of English persons—marched back in an exultant mood to "Abbie Temple."

A TALK TO A REPORTER.

The marshal has just returned from Australia. He has visited many places in the United States during the past month and entered Canada at Montreal. He comes here as the representative of 317 officers in the colonies, 165,000 people, and a newspaper with a circulation of 882,000. He also represents 117 stations and 199 outposts. His work in the colonies had been endorsed by all the governors, premiers and most of the chief secretaries. To show the nature of the work the army was performing in Australia Mr. Booth told a reporter that 2,532 criminals had been met at the gates of the colonial prisons and cared for by the prison brigades. Of this number all had secured employment through the agency of the army. Thirty per cent. were doing extraordinary well, and 70 per cent. were remaining firm. The female rescue brigades had walked through the streets during the devil's noonday rescuing fallen women from dens of vice. One thousand three hundred poor creatures had been cared for or returned to their parents. The drunkards' brigades had rescued 4,000 men, 500 of whom were confirmed and chronic drinkers. A corps has been formed in New South Wales with a Chinese captain and seven or eight Chinese soldiers. "It would make tears start from your eyes," said the marshal, "were you to hear this little band of Chinamen singing:

'We ying you ylang
Tin Lung Bung Twang.'"

Converts are training in London and Australia for an expedition to China, and officers and soldiers, speaking Spanish, German, Danish, Greek, French and other languages are willing and waiting to be sent to their own countries with the message of mercy. In Canada the work was phenomenal. There are 165 stations, 60 outposts, 500 officers (450 of whom are native born) with accommodation for 70,000 persons. The morning meetings are attended by 20,000; *War Cry* circulation 32,000; *Little Soldiers*, a children's paper established for four months, circulation 11,000. The work in the United States was described. One hundred and sixty-five stations and thirty outposts had been organized within two years, and the number of soldiers actively engaged was estimated at 10,000. The work all over the world amounted to 1,322 stations, 3,076 officers, 500,000 soldiers, English *War Cry* circulation 300,000, with 900,000 readers. Mr. Booth said that the flag of the Salvation Army waved in thirteen countries, and that the officers wearing blue and red spoke thirteen different languages.

He Will Finish His Term.

Some years ago one Peacock was sentenced to serve a term in the Central Prison. He escaped, having five months of his term to put in, but was not long at liberty when he committed a second offence for which he was sent to the Kingston Penitentiary for five years. His time in that institution expired on Thursday. He was met at the west gate leading to the prison by two guards belonging to the Central Prison who immediately ironed him and took him to Toronto. He will finish his term (five months) in that institution and such additional time as the prison authorities may impose upon him.

Several Things That Are Enjoyed.

The first is good butter at 20c lb.; choice cheese, 10c lb.; maple syrup, 25c quart; and apples at 10 and 15c a peck. Jas. Crawford.

WORK IN THE CHURCHES.

The Services in St. Mary's Cathedral—Leading Events For To-morrow.

Rev. F. E. Arthurs is the new Methodist Episcopal clergyman at Cape Vincent.

Rev. Dr. Hooper preaches to the Oddfellows to-morrow morning in the Baptist Church.

Rev. Principal Grant preaches the baccalaureate sermon in Queen's University to-morrow at 3 o'clock.

Rev. Messrs. Carey and Cooks, who accompanied the remains of Mrs. Spencer to Kemptville, will return for Easter services to-morrow.

The annual district meeting of the Methodist Church, Kingston District, will be held in Sydenham St. Church on May 18th. The conference opens in Quebec on the 29th.

Rev. J. Cormack, B. A., son of Mr. J. Cormack, has been granted leave of absence by his church at Lachine, and he has left for Fortress Monroe for the benefit of his health. The congregation generously handed him a well filled purse to meet the expense of the trip.

Rev. David Wishart, Madoc, Kingston Presbytery, has celebrated the twenty-ninth anniversary of his induction. During that time he has admitted between 600 and 700 communicants. His first church was of wood and partly finished, now he has a brick edifice worth $20,000. Last year the congregation raised $2,246 for church purposes.

Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, of Toronto, will conduct the services in Convocation Hall to-morrow. The collection on the occasion will be given to the Missionary Association in connection with the college. As the funds of the society are not in the most flourishing condition at present the public should show their appreciation of the efforts of the students by a liberal contributions. The work of the society, in sending men to places wherever destitute of the preaching of the gospel, surely deserves encouragement. This year four of its members go to Manitoba, and $240 is required to send them. To distant parts of the presbytery's wide field young men are sent. These men have to be paid by the society, and to aid it in so doing the society asks the people of this to extent a helping hand.

On Holy Thursday in St. Mary's Cathedral the first mass was celebrated at 7 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Masterson and holy communion was administered to a large number of the faithful. At 7:30 o'clock a solemn pontifical mass was celebrated by his lordship the Bishop of Kingston. Mgr. Farrelly was the assistant priest; Frs. Murray and McCarthy, deacons of office; Frs. Masterson and O'Connor, deacons of honour; and Rev. Fr. Twohey, master of ceremonies. There were present in the choir Rev. Frs. Mackey, McCarthy, (Read); Cicolari, McDonald, McDonell, McDonald, (Gananoque); Walsh, (Trenton); Walsh, (McIntosh's Mills); O'Brien, Donohue, McDonogh, Davis, Brennan, Fitzpatrick, Spratt, (Wolfe Island); Spratt, (Toledo); McRae, McCarthy, Kelly, McGrath, Duffus, Hogan, Twomey, (Centreville), and D. Twomey. After the consecration of the holy oils the blessed sacrament was carried in procession to the altar of repose. In the evening Rev. Fr. Kelly preached an eloquent sermon on the Blessed Eucharist.

On Friday morning the ceremonies commenced at 8 o'clock. Rev. Fr. McCarthy, of Brockville, officiated. Revs. Frs. McGrath and McRae acted as deacon and subdeacon, and Rev. Fr. Twohey as master of ceremonies. The Passion was chanted by Rev. Frs. McDonald, Murray and Hogan. Last evening the Stations of the Cross were read at 7:30 o'clock, followed by an eloquent sermon on the Passion by the Rev. Father Twomey. This morning the ceremonies in connection with Holy Saturday were carried out.

PERSONAL MENTION.

The People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Passing Attention.

Sir Alexander Campbell is reported to be still very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldwin Smith have left Toronto for England and will return in the early fall.

Edward Pigion, formerly a captain in the Saved Army, lately attending school at Pembroke, is very ill.

Owing to the illness of Rev. Mr. Bousfield there will be no service in All Saints' Church to-morrow.

Mr. A. D. Root, of this city, went to Thousand Island Park on Thursday and will remain there during the summer.

Dr. T. Bertram, of Dundas, a graduate of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, sails for England on the 28th inst.

Mr. George D. Hawley, M.P.P., has been seriously ill, but is recovering. Mr. D. W. Allison has also been suffering from sciatica, but is better.

Sanford Fleming, K. C. G., Chancellor of Queen's University, has arrived in the city. He delivers an address in Convocation Hall on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. R. J. Bowes returned from Montreal this morning after three days' attendance at the great auction sales of damaged dry goods, caused by the late floods.

Father Abram J. Ryan, "the poet-priest of the South," died at Louisville, Ky., on Thursday night, after a brief illness, from brain fever. His lecture in Kingston will be remembered by many.

Sir John Macdonald will, after the House is prorogued, take a trip to British Columbia. Hon. Thomas White, Sir Adolphe Caron and Sir F. Middleton will also visit the Pacific province.

Mr. McKinnon, arts; Mr. Givan, divinity; Mr. A. E. Mavety and Miss Oliver, medicine, will deliver valedictory addresses for the various classes at Queen's University on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Washington, the eminent throat and lung surgeon, of Toronto and Halifax, is to revisit the city on Monday next, (26th), and remain three days. His two previous visits (since January) have encouraged this early return.

FISH SPEARING AT WESTPORT.

Ald. Dunn Saw More Fish Near Bedford Lake Than in his Life Before.

On Wednesday evening of last week week Ald. Dunn and Messrs. R. McAulay, A. Irquhart and W. Brooks accompanied a few friends on a spearing expedition. They visited a creek four miles distant from Westport. The stream enters into North Bedford Lake, and is about four feet deep. In the spring fish come up in thousands, mostly gold fins and pike. The spearers had a lively experience from 7 o'clock up to midnight. During these hours they were kept busy striking the fish. Having filled their skiffs they had to pitch the fish on the banks. Ald. Dunn says he never saw so many fish in his life at one time as he saw in that muddy stream near Westport. The party had a hot tussle with a large pike weighing 21¼ lbs. The alderman saw it first and cautioned the party in charge of the skiffs not to run upon the log. The fish really looked like one, but when Mr. Brooks sank the spear into its back it became very lively and pulled the spearman into the water. As soon as he got steadied, he, with great difficulty hauled the fish to the bank. The fish in the boats were brought to Westport, but those on the banks were left until Thursday morning, when a waggon was procured to carry them to the village. They were distributed among the residents. The smallest of the fish weighed eight pounds. At least so one of the party says.

Madre E'Hijo Cigars.

CALLED UP HIGHER.

SAD DEATH OF MRS. SPENCER, A MOST KIND AND CHRISTIAN WOMAN.

She Suffers Long and Painfully, but With a Rare Courage—Her Mental and Christian Graces, Love of Family, and Love of all Humanity—Burial at Kemptville.

Died, in this city, at her residence, 186 Queen street, on Maunday Thursday, 22nd inst., Emma Jane, beloved wife of Rev. A. Spencer, Clerical Secretary of the Synod of the Diocese of Ontario, in the 46th year of her age.

We deeply lament the removal of one who though dead yet speaketh and her works do follow her. We refer to the late Mrs. Spencer, wife of the much-esteemed and much-bereaved Clerical Secretary of the Diocese of Ontario. She departed this life on Thursday night at 10 o'clock. She had for a long time suffered greatly from cancer. From August till December of last year she was an inmate of the cancer institute at Rome, N.Y., receiving treatment the most skilful and still most ineffectual. She returned to her home at Christmas, and did not afterwards leave her room, enduring all the time great torture but with a singular patience and christian courage. As time passed she grew gradually worse, and the end she contemplated calmly, manifesting no anxiety as to her own case, but a strong and motherly anxiety in regard to her children. She, of course, felt that to her husband—so devoted and tender and true always—she could safely leave them, but until the last she placed before them those models of life most calculated to highly develop their youthful characters. Mr. Spencer has had affliction laid heavily upon him, but the demise of his wife, his loving help-meet for over 20 years, is the greatest and hardest of all. Many can understand the feeling of one

"Who hath bent him o'er the dead
Ere the first day of death is fled,
The first dark day of nothingness,
The last of danger and distress,
Before Decay's effacing fingers
Have swept the lines where beauty lingers."

The deceased, Emma Jane Cross, was born 46 years ago at Canandiagua, and while attending college at East Bloomfield, N.Y., Mr. Spencer met her. In 1865 they were married, and, removing to Newboro, resided there three years. Then Mr. Spencer was appointed to the parish of Kemptville, and laboured in it for thirteen years. In 1880 he was elected clerical secretary of the Synod of Ontario, and since that date he and his family have lived here. Of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer's children five are living and two are dead. One bright and promising son was drowned while skating near the Tete du Pont barracks, and the anguish which that accident brought to his parents no pen can ever describe.

Mrs. Spencer's remains were yesterday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock, conveyed from her late residence on Queen street to St. Paul's church, with which she had for six years been identified. The pall-bearers were Dr. Henderson, Messrs. R. T. Walkem, J. Shannon, R. V. Rogers, A. LeRichieux, and E. H. Smythe, prominently connected with the Synod of Ontario. A short service was held, and in it several clergymen participated. Most of the ministers of the city were present, and all the congregations were represented. The public pulse beat sympathetically with the bereaved husband. Everyone, who knew his wife, and had opportunity of appreciating her virtues, lamented her death. The remains were left in the church until an early hour this morning, when they were conveyed to the Grand Trunk train, and, accompanied by Mr. Spencer and his eldest son, Rev. Mr. Carey and Rev. Mr. Cooke, taken to Kemptville. They will be interred alongside of the remains of two children, and under the very shadow of the Archdeacon Patton memorial church. This edifice was begun during the pastorate of Mr. Spencer, and in its erection and beautification and welfare Mrs. Spencer was intensely interested.

The incident is recalled that a year ago Mrs. Spencer spent Good Friday in St. George's Hall providing home comforts for the soldiers then called out and about to be despatched for service in the North-West. Whatsoever her hand found to do—whatever appealed to her generosity, her sympathy, her affection—that she did with cheerfulness. Her's was a noble disposition; and while health permitted she sought to do good, and hundreds will hold her name in sweet remembrance.

Intellectually Mrs. Spencer was highly endowed. She had rare mental gifts, and these she cultivated to a high degree. She was a well-known writer and poetess. She had no love for controversy, for the literary quarrels in which so many indulge in order to exhibit their style. She wrote a great deal for the WHIG, but did so only to instruct or direct public thought into higher channels than it was wont to run. Her articles and poems were high-minded, clear and graceful, and all were admired though few knew whence they came. Her poetical expression of gratitude to the council, for what they had decided to do for the firemen at the beginning of the year, will be remembered. It was pithy and powerful. It was written while she suffered as no one can imagine. It was a remarkable production, and if the firemen could not pay tribute to its author in life they can pay homage to her memory now.

Mr. Spencer and his family will have the people's condolence in their bereavement, and none need consolation more. Their's is a great loss.

THE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

Some Very Excellent Papers on Practical Subjects—A Fall Meeting.

At Thursday afternoon's session of the Teachers' Association Mr. R. K. Rowe, Principal of the Model School, gave a highly instructive talk on "Parker's Methods." He briefly outlined how some of the subjects of the public school course should be taught, and commented on the methods by which these subjects are generally taught. He said that arithmetic, as too frequently taught, is merely drudgery, and tends to make pupils hate to learn. He had come to the conclusion that the correction of false syntax was of little value in teaching composition. History is taught too frequently in such a way as to defeat what should be the object of history. In this connection he said that we have not a suitable text-book on history for our public schools. In geography, the most interesting lesson he had ever seen on the products of a country was one in which the pupils were asked to bring a small portion of some important product, as grains or fruit, and were asked, each in turn, to place that product on a portion of the country where it grew most abundantly. Mr. Rowe throughout was listened to with great interest and marked attention. Mr. J. E. Burgess, M.A., was called upon to discuss the subject of "Grammar." He said that Mr. Balmer's paper on "The Study of English" had covered much of the ground that he had intended to touch upon. He would, therefore, defer any further remarks on the subject until some future time. Some discussion as to whether it would be profitable to have a meeting in the fall took place, and it was decided pretty unanimously to have it. A resolution, tendering a vote of thanks to Mrs. Rockwell, and to Messrs. Crumley, Poor and Middleton, for the assistance they had given in Wednesday evening's programme, was unanimously passed, after which the meeting adjourned.

The Talk of the City

Is about the great sale of damaged dry-goods to take place by Bowes & Bisonette next week.

INCIDENTS OF THE DAY.

Little Things that Engage the People's Attention—Notes by Our Local Corps.

Silk gloves, new shades, at Laidlaw's.

Cows still graze in Victoria Park.

"Mother, buy my new suit at Hardy & Murray's."

Children's hosiery at very low prices at Laidlaw & Son's.

The School Board will bring down their budget at an early date.

Cabinet and card photos still at reduced prices at Henderson's.

Dressmaking done by Miss Hegadorn, at 42 Charles street.

Seven adherents of St. Paul's Church have died within the past fortnight.

Plenty of driving yesterday. It was indeed a Good Friday for the livery men.

The sale of D. Cunningham's furniture, by J. E. Hutcheson, takes place on Monday.

Spence & Crumley are selling ginghams at 8c. per yard; sold in other stores at 10c. and 12½c.

Kingston stands fourth on the list for average attendance of pupils at the separate schools.

The No. 6 Canton of Patriarchs Militant, with G. H. Lauder as commandant, has received its warrant.

You can buy ladies' and children's lisle gloves at 5c. per pair, at Spence & Crumley's.

A concert and fruit festival, Kingston Lodge, I.O.O.F., will be held on Monday evening.

Labatt's London ale, pure, healthy and reliable, in pints and quarts at Jas. Crawford's.

The football team, Royal Military College, leave to-night for Ottawa. They play the Ottawa College team on Easter Monday.

The concert, fixed for next week by the pupils of the Ottawa Ladies' College, in the city hall, has been indefinitely postponed.

A Kingston firm has made considerable money out of the amalgamation of the R. W. & O. RR. and the Utica & Black River RR.

One hundred patterns new tweeds, 85c. to 75c., at Hardy & Murray's.

Many of the graduates and friends of Queen's University, in Ottawa, will attend convocation, coming here on special excursion rates.

F. J. Cassidy and Fred. Coxworthy, Kingston, and James Williams, Brockville, compete in a five mile race at Ottawa on May 5th.

An extra supply of the issues containing the opening chapters of the serial, "My Lady's Money," will be found at the WHIG office.

After all the talk Mr. W. R. Memorey will not assume charge of the Burnett House. He has secured an interest in a saloon in Detroit.

Oranges, 25c doz.; lemons, 25c doz.; 1 box figs, 10c; potatoes, 80c bag; turnips, 60c bag; blackberries, 15c lb. Jas. Crawford.

Mr. Joseph Mandeville has constructed a handsome skiff with walnut trimmings. He intends exhibiting it at the Midland Central Fair.

Gentlemen, do not go by Spence & Crumley's for your summer underwear. They have the best variety and cheapest goods in the city.

Fine tweeds, cheaper than ever before, at Hardy & Murray's.

Four millions of white fish were dumped into Lake Ontario on Wednesday at Chaumont and Sackett's Harbour.

There is every probability of a Canadian Trotting Association being formed. Kingston will be on the circuit.

On Thursday evening a mile race took place at the roller rink between F. Cassady, of this city, and Gilchrist, of Ottawa. The former won by half a lap.

The Banking and Commerce Committee have passed a bill to incorporate the Kingston & Pembroke Mutual Aid and Insurance Company.

Buy your baby carriages at Kirkpatrick's. Every one guaranteed to run straight. Carriages repaired. Corner Princess and Barrie Sts.

The names of the graduates and the successful passmen of Queen's University will not be made public until Monday afternoon or Tuesday.

The amendments to the Napanee, Tamworth & Quebec RR. charter will be considered next Friday at Ottawa. Napanee is fighting hard to kill the bill.

Dry oak cordwood $3 per cord, dry tamarac cordwood $3 per cord, best and cheapest wood in the city. Also dry kindling wood at Crawford's, foot of Queen street.

The steamer Maud brings the New York morning mail to the city each evening. The post office inspector should arrange for its distribution on arrival.

Silk gloves and hosiery to-night at Laidlaw & Son's.

From this day until the 1st of May G. M. Weber & Co. will sell pianos and organs at a very great reduction on the usual price. All instruments fully guaranteed. Call and see them.

Considerable interest is evinced in Masonic circles in Belleville, Brockville, and Kingston over the proposed redistribution of the Masonic districts of the province.

See the new Scotch tweeds for jackets and suits, at Hardy & Murray's.

Stover Clarke, of Kingston, became insane at Dresden, brandishing a knife and throwing money around promiscuously. He was locked up and cared for, but died before his friends reached him.

It is said that the passengers for the islands will be landed at Clayton instead of Cape Vincent. The railroaders will thus keep themselves the fare for the sixteen miles from Cape Vincent to Clayton rather than give it to a steamboat.

Many persons attended the funeral of the late H. LaCroix yesterday afternoon. The body was conveyed to Belleville and buried near his wife. One of deceased's sons, Herbert LaCroix, of Alabama, reached the city yesterday morning.

Good strong all wool tweeds, 35c. and 40c, at Hardy & Murray's.

At a show of thoroughbred horses and fat cattle and farming implements in Napanee on Thursday Ald. Carson's Palmer took first prize as the best draught stallion on exhibition. After the show Palmer was photographed by Mr. Blewet.

Try Wilson's garden seeds, only at the Pharmacy. A new and important line of novelties in garden seeds from the most important growers in this country and Europe. Our Erfurt cauliflower is extremely good, 99 per cent. of it growing—W. J. Wilson.

The Salvation Temple at Toronto, opened to-day by Marshal Booth, cost $40,000. Already $15,000 have been paid, and the balance of the debt will be at once wiped out. The building has seating capacity for 2,500 persons. It is a massive brick structure.

Alexander Ross, of the old reliable store, is showing checked gingham dress goods, fine and very cheap, from 10c. to 15c. per yard. Embroidered net laces never so cheap. His spring carpets are at surprising low prices. In tweeds, English, Scotch or Canadian, he will compete with the best and cheapest.

Calabogie hotel-keepers have been before the magistrates, but no one was fined. One man got beer and vinegar from Kingston, drank the beer himself and gave the vinegar to a woman. Another dealer secured lime juice, sarsaparilla and lemon syrup from Kingston.

There is a standing invitation from Lambert & Walsh to all cash buyers to inspect their stock of goods. Right cloths, right patterns, right colors, right quality, right prices, right fit, right workmanship, right square dealing, right representation of goods, right in everything, and right every time.—

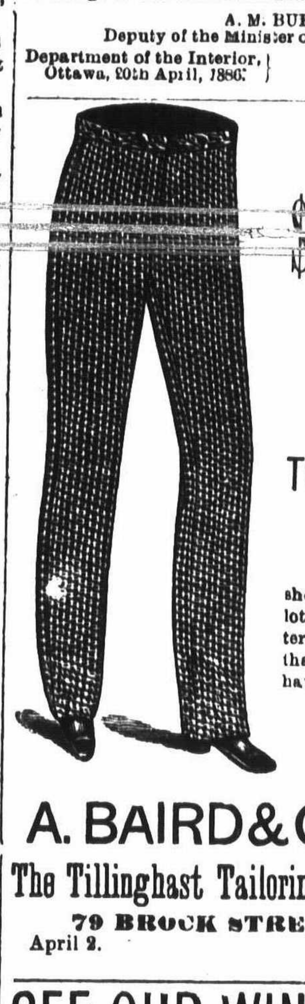
KINGSTON ORDNANCE LAND SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that there will be offered for sale on

Thursday, 29th Inst.

By Mr. J. E. HUTCHESON at his Auction Rooms, Brock Street, Kingston, the following properties, viz:—Part of the Artillery Park for the extension of Bagot Street; part of the Artillery Park, for School Purposes; Lot No. 36, situate between Rideau and Magdalen Streets; South half of Lot 10 and Lots 11 and 12, south of Union Street; 18 Lots, being subdivisions of the "Tannery Property"; 22 Lots south of Princess Street, and the vacant lots, 135 in number, situate north of Princess Street and forming part of what is known as the "Herchmer Farm." The latter will be offered *en bloc*. Plans of the several properties can be seen at the Auction Rooms, where lists of the lots can be obtained. Terms of payment:—One-fifth of the purchase money to be paid down at time of sale, and the remainder in four equal annual instalments, with interest on the unpaid balance of the purchase money at the rate of six per cent. per annum. Further conditions will be made known at the time of sale. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock.

By order.
WILLIAM MILLS,
In charge of Ordnance and Admiralty Lands.
A. M. BURGESS,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, 20th April, 1886.



$3.50 Pants TO ORDER

We are now showing a large lot of New Patterns, BETTER than any we have yet offered.

A. BAIRD & CO.,
The Tillinghast Tailoring House,
79 BROCK STREET.
April 2.

SEE OUR WINDOW

—FOR—

DUNLOP, KNOX AND YOUMANS

Celebrated New York Hats.

THE Latest Styles in American and English Stiff and Soft Hats always on hand.

Hats From 50c. & Upwards.

J. B. PAGE & CO.,
Leading Hatters & Furriers
133 Princess Street, opposite City Hotel.
April 1, '86.

BOOM IN CARPETS.

J. Richmond & Co.

Are pleased to find the public appreciating their taste in the selection of CARPETS AND CURTAINS.

A greater rush in the Carpet Department than in any past season. The best value as well as the best patterns favourable in the Dominion.

Remember that Carpets are lower in price than ever known.

Call and see the stock of

JAS. RICHMOND & CO.
April 20.

OPERA HOUSE

FISH AND FRUIT MARKET.

RECEIVED TO-DAY:

FRESH LOBSTERS, OYSTERS, HALIBUT, COD, HADDOCK, WHITE FISH.

Early Vegetables and Fruit of all kinds.

W. H. Carnovsky
April 20.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 6 P.M. SATURDAY, the 24th instant, for the Carpenters' and Joiners', Masons' and Plasterers', Painters' and Glaziers' and Tinsmiths' work required in the erection of a Frame Cottage on Union Street.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at my office, Ford's Block, Brock St.

The Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

W. NEWLANDS, Jr., Architect.
April 20.

GEORGE CLIFF,
General Real Estate Agent.

HOUSES TO RENT. TENANTS FOUND. Building Lots, Farms, &c., bought and sold on commission.

Office at Thos. Mills', opposite Post Office.
Feb. 9.

DRS. FENWICK AND STIRLING,
PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS.
—124 KING STREET WEST.—

Telephone communication day and night.

K. N. FENWICK, M.D. J. A. STIRLING, M.D. M.R.C.S., Eng.
Apl. 13.

BICYCLES!

New and second hand. Send stamp for catalogue.

Apl. 8. ARTHUR FORTH, Perth Ont.

T. L. SNOOK, BARRISTER, &c.,

Has removed his Law Office to NO. 90, PRINCESS STREET, near Henderson's Book Store. April 22.

FOUND AT LAST—A remedy warranted to cure hard and soft Corns, Bunions, Callouses, &c. HANSON'S MAGIC CORN SALVE. In boxes, 15 cts, at Wade's Drug Store.

W. REEVES sells the Latest Style of Linen Collars for 15c.; also the Best White Shirt in the city for 50c.

F. X. COUSINEAU

RETIRING FROM HIS KINGSTON BUSINESS AND GOING TO TORONTO.

THE GRAND

FINAL RETIRING FROM BUSINESS SALE

In connection with the above Important Event, was unavoidably postponed, but will now positively open and begin on

THURSDAY, THE 29th OF APRIL.

The Entire Stock, covering over $45,000 WORTH, will be subjected to an

INDISCRIMINATE SLAUGHTER!!

REMEMBER the store will be closed on TUESDAY, 27th, and WEDNESDAY, 28th, to mark down prices, arrange stock and prepare for this Great Sale.

☞Bear in mind this will be the GREATEST BARGAIN OPPORTUNITY for all future time.

For full particulars read carefully our Special Circular which will be distributed through the city next week.

F. X. COUSINEAU

78 AND 80 PRINCESS STREET.
April 24.

DRESS GOODS AT POPULAR PRICES!

We have done a large trade during the past month in our Dress Materials, and are constantly receiving New Goods. Kindly inspect what we are now offering in

New and Stylish Dress Fabrics.

KID GLOVES, FINE SILK GLOVES, THREAD GLOVES, CHILDREN'S HOSIERY, LADIES' HOSIERY, MEN'S HOSE.

J. LAIDLAW & SON

April 24.

EASTER SATURDAY & NIGHT

BOWES & BISONETTE

Will offer Special Bargains in HOSIERY, GLOVES, PARASOLS, COLLARS, LACES, FRILLINGS, LINEN and SILK HANDKERCHIEFS.

Bargains for the Ladies.

April 22.

LADIES, ONE MORE CHANCE!

OUR JERSEY SALE this week has been so successful that we have decided to continue it for ONE WEEK LONGER. Do not miss this chance of saving 20 per cent. on your Jerseys.

NEXT WEEK our Great Sale of PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS, at a reduction of from 15 to 20 per cent., commences.

MINNES & BURNS,

Corner Princess and Bagot Streets.

April 19.

DRESS GOODS AND PARASOLS.

Our Stock Complete.

All Dry Goods cheaper than ever before. Great rush on Dress Goods. Beautiful All Wool Goods at 15, 20, 25 and 30c. We are the only store showing the New Ball Dress Trimming, all colors, in Wool, Wood, Silk and Jet.

—PARASOLS, PARASOLS, PARASOLS.—

Our large sales in this department last week tells conclusively that we are showing the Right Goods at the Right Price. Call and be convinced at

SPENCE & CRUMLEY'S, 132 & 134 Princess St.
April 20.

CHEAP SALE OF PARASOLS AT WALDRON'S

Beautiful Satin Parasols $1.00, former price $1.50.
Twill Silk Umbrellas $1.00, former price $1.25.
Twill Silk Umbrellas $1.25, former price $1.75.
Twill Silk Umbrellas $1.50, former price $2.00.
Twill Silk Umbrellas $1.75, former price $2.50.
New Colored Silk Umbrellas $1.50, former price $2.00.

R. WALDRON

See our Seeker Cloth selling for 9c.