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MASONIC.

The Regular Meetings of the City Lodges will be held as follows:

Antient St. John's Lodge, No. 2, on Thursday, 4th Jan., at 7:30 p.m.

Frontenac Lodge, No. 205, on Monday, 1st Jan., at 7:30 p.m.

Cataraqui Lodge, No. 46, on Wednesday, 10th Jan., at 7:30 p.m.

A.O.U.W.

LENNOXVILLE LODGE, No. 41, Ancient Order of United Workmen, meets on the second and fourth Thursday of every month in the Odd Fellows Hall over Wilkinson's Store, Princess Street.

REMINDERS.

FRIDAY

Last Entertainment at Opera House.

SATURDAY

TENDERS received for the sale of Hilary & Dale by F. J. George.

MATINEE at the Opera House at 2 p.m.

CITY AND VICINITY.

FROSTY.—Winds gradually shifting to the south and southeast, generally fair weather to-day with stationary or slightly higher temperature; milder weather to-morrow.

POLICE COURT.—Alexander Irwin charged with vagrancy, promised to leave for the States and was sent off this afternoon. He will reside in Cape Vincent.

BROKE HIS LEG.—Yesterday while Frank Bryhat was engaged in loading refreshments to a sleigh in J. Robb's yard he unfortunately slipped and broke his leg. He was conveyed to his home on Division Street. The limb was set there.

THE PANTRY will sell to-morrow, delicious fresh coffee at 25c. and 30c. per lb. fresh and dairy butter at 22c. and 25c. per lb.; 12½ lbs. prunes for $1; 14 lbs. bright sugar for $1; 15 lbs. currants for $1, and everything else fresh and new, and much cheaper than can be got elsewhere.

COLD WEEK.—Oswal Twitchell, who for the past two years has had to keep a daily register of the thermometer here for the Meteorological Department, Washington, reports that the past week has been the coldest he has had to report. The mercury during the whole week was below zero.

BEST FOR YEARS.—The lumbermen are jubilant over the present fine weather. There is plenty of snow for good sleighing, and the lakes and rivers are solidly frozen over. Timber can be out and hauled to the ice without any trouble. The prospects for a large cut are the best for eleven years.

BIBLE SOCIETY.—Arrangements are being made for the holding of the annual meeting of the Kingston Bible Society on Monday evening, Jan. 22, in the City Hall. The Rev. Chas. Doudiet, of Montreal, has promised his co-operation. He is also to deliver the University sermon at Queen's College on the previous Sunday.

BEFORE THE MINISTER.—Fred. Burrows, Inspector of Lennox and Addington, and Mr. McIntosh, Inspector for North Hastings, were appointed at the late Inspectors's meeting held in Kingston, to lay their views before the Minister of Education, which they did last week. Mr. Crooks recognised the wisdom of the suggestions and promised to amend the law accordingly.

MARRIAGE AT ST. CATHARINES.—The marriage of Rev. R. S. Moore, curate of an Anglican Church in St. Catharines, with Miss Holland, daughter of the incumbent, is an event in which many Kingstonians are interested. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. Thomas Moore, of this city. The event was witnessed by several of Mr. Moore's friends from this city. Congratulations poured in upon them.

COLLEGE AFFAIRS.—Some days ago the students of the Royal College were aroused. There was a fear that the difficulties would be renewed, as the ladies were allowed to enter the hospital amphitheatre with the men. A protest was sent to the Professors, a complaint made that the agreement entered into was not being carried out. A satisfactory adjustment has been made and no further difficulty is anticipated.

A TRIAL TRIP.—The Mayor and Council of Picton accepted an invitation given by Mr. G. W. McMullen, Vice-President and Manager of the Central Ontario Railroad, to take a trip over the road and examine the work on the extension from Trenton northward. The party left on the 9 a.m. train, and were joined at Trenton by several gentlemen. The party expressed surprise at the amount of work done in so short a time. They were accompanied three-quarters of the road.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—The service last evening was in the M. E. Church. The audience was addressed by Revs. A. Wilson and C. A. Cook. Prayer for the Church Universal, for the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, that all ministers of Christ and those preparing for the ministry may deeply realize their responsibilities and their greater need of the Spirit's quickening and power; that their testimony before the world may be open and faithful; that sound doctrine and holiness of heart and life may prevail in the Churches, and false teaching and superstition be counteracted; that all the children of God [illegible] filled with earnestness and zeal in seeking to gather in the lost; for [illegible]ve; and for afflicted Christians everywhere.

ODDFELLOWS' BALL.

The first annual ball of the Oddfellows took place last evening in the City Hall, and was a decided success. There were about 125 couples present, and for hours they enjoyed the exhilarating dance. The hall was neatly decorated, presenting to the eye a very pleasing appearance. During the night the Messrs. Carverly served supper in good style. The Committee who had the ball in charge did everything in their power to make the company enjoy themselves. Riley's quadrille band rendered excellent music.

HERE AND THERE.

Laconic Arrangement of Items of Local and General Interest—Gossip that is Readable.

Quarterly meeting services will be held in the Primitive Methodist Church on Sunday.

An effort will be made to organize a Masonic lodge at Desoronto at an early date.

Corp. George Henderson, of the Ottawa Field Battery, has joined "B" Battery for a short course.

There are eight new students in the Medical College. Several of those are men with silvered hairs.

Tag Meets. Rathbun have secured Mr. Hewitt, late of New Jersey, as manager of their model stock farm.

The next Dairyman's Association will be held at Brockville, on Wednesday, Jan. 31st, and Thursday, Feb. 1st.

A. W. Moore, formerly of Kingston, is contributing a series of papers to the Rochester *Herald*, called "Chats about Canada."

The Kingston Driving Club meets to-morrow at 2 o'clock on the Market Square. The members are requested to be punctual.

Mr. J. M. Smith, of Tamworth, was the first man this year to cross the Bay of Quinte on ice. He made the journey on Saturday last.

Services in connection with the week of prayer are being held at Portsmouth. A number of the city clergy are assisting in the meeting.

No OTHER store can afford to pay expenses and sell dry goods as cheap as at Burgess & Son's clearing sale, as they are selling all goods at cost.

The Reformers of Frontenac meet tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock in Reform Hall to organize an Association and also to nominate a candidate for the Local Legislature.

The Bills respecting the Napanee & Tamworth RR. and the incorporation of the Roman Catholic Dioceses of Toronto and Kingston, have passed a first reading in the Legislature.

A Bill is before the Legislature, extending the time for the completion of the N. T. & Q. Railway, and still entitling the road to the bonus of $10,000 voted by Napanee in 1880.

The police have recovered a quantity of lead pipe, shooting &c. from a pawnshop where it was sold late at night. The lead had evidently been stolen. Identification is solicited by Chief Horsey.

The Bachelors' ball in Napanee on Friday last was a grand success. Kingston was represented by Miss Bella Strachan, Mr. Reeton and Miss McDonell. Sir Richard and Lady Cartwright sent regrets.

After the Reform Convention last evening about twenty of the delegates crowded into the Council Chamber and several times applauded the proceedings of the School Board. They were unmistakeable sympathizers of Dr. Fee.

CHAIRMAN WALDRON.

He Retires as a Trustee—A Unanimous Choice Made—His Views in Brief Compass.

Mr. G. R. Waldron was somewhat unexpectedly made Chairman of the Board of Education at the meeting last evening. He was the dark horse, and became the popular choice. He entered the Board in 1879, as one of the members for Ridean Ward, and has since served the people as an educationalist, having twice been returned by acclamation. He has been an active and progressive trustee, and has accepted positions which have afforded him excellent training for greater responsibilities. He has been a member of all the important Committees. On that of School Management he acted for two years; on that of School Property for one year, and in turn he has been Chairman of Frontenac, Louise and Queen Street Schools. We consulted him upon increased school accommodation, and found him rather non-committal.

"Are you in favour of the $8,000 grant, demanded from the Council?" we asked.

"I am in favour of anything the Board makes a requisition for. My personal opinion will be sunk and preference given to that of the majority. I have heard it stated that the necessary accommodation, to meet the present requirements of the city at any rate, can be supplied for $4,000."

"Do you favour a scheme to that effect?"

"I know of no such scheme; it has not been laid before the Board. Let me say that if it were made to appear that the accommodation was so much in need of could be provided for $4,000 I would not be one to prevent it. No evidence, however, has been [illegible] that a sum less than that asked from the Council will fill the necessities of the Board. I am in favour of economy coupled with efficiency."

"What about the Archdeacon's Folly; are you still partial to its purchase?"

"In this matter, too, I will be guided by the sentiments of the majority. I have thought much of the building, and believe it to be well adapted for the purposes of a school. It is finely situated, has more ground attached to it than any School except that of Gordon Street, is bounded by three streets and can be well ventilated and lighted. I will endorse whatever the Board determines in regard to it."

THE CASTING VOTE.

Anticipating a tie in the election of a Chairman of the School Board, the question arose, who should give the casting vote? The law said, "the member who is assessed the largest amount." It gave the City Clerk some trouble to determine this matter, but according to his statement Mr. Horsey, would have been called to act in a dual capacity had a dead lock occurred. He is assessed for $12,000. The assessment of the other members of the board is as follows: S. Anglin, $8,725; W. Irving, $8,800; W. M. Drennan, $8,200; R. V. Rogers, $6,600; J. Wilson, $7,400; W. Allen, $6,000; N. C. Polson, $3,800; Dr. Fee, $1,400; W. H. Savage, $1,300; W. Dunlop, 1,300; R. Shaw, $800; G. R. Waldron, $600; W. Robinson, $700.

REFORM CONVENTION.

RE-E. F. GILDERSLEEVE THE UNANIMOUS NOMINEE OF THE PARTY FOR THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

The Meeting Strong in His Favor—Cheering Themselves Hoarse—Speeches From Prominent Members of the Party—"They Conquer Who Believe They Can."

Last evening Reform Hall was crowded to the door with stalwart Liberals. Business, working and professional men were packed in side by side to nominate one who would carry the Reform banner to victory in the coming local election. Of those present it could be said they were *fidelis et in bello fortis*.

THE OPENING ADDRESS.

The President of the Reform Association, Mr. C. F. Gildersleeve, took the chair and began his address by stating why they had been called together—to nominate a candidate for the representation of Kingston in the Ontario Legislature. They had not a candidate as early in the field as some other constituencies, but they desired, before going into the fight, to have the municipal elections over. Although not decided it was understood the Local elections would occur about the end of February or the beginning of March, at least during sleighing. There was not a moment to lose. The gentleman who was expected to again be the Opposition candidate was already canvassing, and it was their duty to nominate one who would secure the majority of the votes of the people. If ever any political party had an advantage it was that of the Liberals. The issues they

INTENDED DOING BATTLE FOR

were the strongest that had ever been presented to the electors. (Cheers.) Great questions were to be decided by the present contest. The right to legislate in local affairs was at stake. The Dominion Government was endeavoring to override these rights by voting the Streams Bill. The speaker pointed to the way this Province had advanced since Confederation. The work accomplished had been unprecedented. During the past ten years between $8,000,000 and $10,000,000 had been expended in the interests of the Province. He spoke with emphasis when, referring to the K. & P. RR., he said that the back country through the opening up of the road had produced riches little dreamed of. The speaker held, too, that the Dominion Government should not interfere with the rights of the Local Legislature as they had done in the case of the Boundary Award. He went into the merits of the question and showed the dishonorable action of the Dominion Government in attempting to repudiate the

PRINCIPLE OF ARBITRATION,

a principle introduced in settling difficulties between nations. The Dominion Government were the first to do this. There was no better ground than this upon which to go before the country. The many acts passed by the Mowat Administration to advance the interests of Ontario were referred to. Everything in connection with the Government of the province was well and efficiently conducted. (Cheers.) Mr. Gildersleeve touched upon the finances, animadverted upon the amount of money expended and the handsome surplus which remained. With such a record, was there any reason why the Mowat Administration should go? With such a record of honesty and faithful service the people could not hesitate in deciding whether they should send to Toronto one who would uphold the acts of the Dominion Government (for the issue practically amounted to that), or one who would sustain the present Administration. (Cheers.)

Before proceeding to the nomination of candidates Mr. Gildersleeve called for a show of hands by those who intended to give their services in the election of a candidate. The hands of every man in the room went up.

MAKING THE NOMINATION.

Mr. W. Harty, as he stepped forward, received an ovation. He said they had met to nominate a candidate, and as Liberals they should listen to the voice of the majority and whoever was their choice secure his election. (Cheers.) The man he was about to nominate, though not "the man for Galway" was the man for Kingston. (Cheers.) He offered the name of ex-Mayor Gildersleeve. (It was received with loud cheers and continued for some minutes, accompanied by the swinging of hats.) "Your demonstration," said Mr. Harty, "satisfies me that we have the right men in the right place. (Renewed applause.) The same sound rang forth when in May last we nominated Mr. Gunn, and the sound was not at all uncertain. It was the echo of opinion that the right man then had obtained the nomination." (Cheers.) Mr. Harty returned to his mantelpiece with Mr. Gildersleeve and declared that no man had more disinterestedly laboured for the advancement of the city's interests. He pointed with

PRIDE TO HIS POSITION

as President of the K. & P. RR. His work in that office was sufficient to meet their confidence. His work while Mayor was showed very great efforts, he having much to do with the placing of the city on the highway to prosperity. Mr. Harty was thoroughly satisfied that they had selected the proper candidate, and for this reason he had pleasure in nominating him. (Great applause.) The speaker referred to the visit of the Kingston delegates to the late Liberal Convention. It was true they had been designated by the *Mail*, "half civilized barbarians." (Laughter.) Induced to visit Toronto to secure cheap whiskey and cigars (Laughter.) He believed the slanders of the *Mail* would

REBOUND WITH FORCE

upon the writer, who has injured by his insolence the party he has been fighting for (Great cheers.) Mr. Harty regretted that all the Liberals of Kingston were not at the Convention. But, as it was, Ministers of the Cabinet never dreamt that there would be such a gathering. "Six thousand two hundred strong came the true and faithful from every section of this country." (Applause.) Of these about 3,000 represented the purmary, so it could be seen no ordinary element was stirring them. Regardless the cause they had to fight there was no quiver, salve, truce or jester one. (Cheers.) Provincial rights are at stake. The constitution had received such a wrench that it is a question whether confederation will be continued. Why? Because the Cabinet at Ottawa have undertaken to interfere with their inheritance. In the present contest no trade interests are involved. The people will say whether they will or will not barter their rights and allow the Cabinet at Ottawa to decide what shall be and what shall not be our prerogatives in Provincial affairs. Kingston would decide for good Government and just rights. (Loud cheers.) The man he had nominated would go forth pledged to stand by the Province. He mistook him if he was not

FILLED WITH PLUCK.

He was a "first-class game cock." (Cheers and laughter.) He characterized the Mowat Government as the most upright that Canada had ever had. There was no question as to the probity or intelligence of the Cabinet Ministers; not the faintest suspicion could be thrown upon them. The Liberal platform was before them. If it was such as they could endorse they should elect a supporter of the Mowat Government. He thought he was safe in saying that they heartily endorsed the Mowat Government in the past; they would endorse it in the future. (Cheers.) He concluded by again submitting the name of ex-Mayor Gildersleeve as his nominee.

SECONDING THE NOMINATION.

Ex Mayor Carson was called to the chair.

Ex Mayor McKelvey assured the assemblage that he seconded the nomination with much pleasure. (Great applause.) He became acquainted with Mr. Gildersleeve about 17 years ago. They had been associated in municipal government for 14 years, and the speaker had learned to honor and respect the nominee. (Cheers.) In the early years of his municipal life he had looked up to Mr. Gildersleeve as a leader, one that never flinched. If the Liberals elected Mr. Gildersleeve they would have a representative who would never record a vote against good Government. Mr. Gildersleeve had laboured for a long time for the advancement of the city. The manner in which he worked to extend the K. & P. RR. was sufficient to entitle him to the confidence of the citizens, for to the road was due a large share of the city's prosperity. Mr. McKelvey said he could talk for half an hour upon the virtues of Mr. Gildersleeve, but he only desired to impress upon the minds of those who did not know that gentleman that they had no truer friend. He alluded to Mr. Metcalfe's parliamentary experience, and asked if a single act of his could be pointed to and pronounced to have been for the benefit of the city. He M. in a speech at Toronto had told the Government that the Province was bankrupt, and yet he formed one of a deputation to wait upon the Cabinet and ask for a further grant to the K. & P. RR. The Ministry threw the charge back in his face. (Cheers and laughter.) Was his action consistent? The speaker referred to Provincial rights, the Boundary Award and the tactics of the Opposition in wriggling around at the dictation of Sir John, and vote against questions that three previous occasions they had endorsed. He called upon those present to put their shoulders to the wheel and vote for Gildersleeve and the Government he proposed to sustain if elected. (Great cheers.)

SUSTAIN SO THE NOMINATION.

The Chairman called for further nominations, and waited for such for about five minutes. A second candidate not being proposed he (the Chairman) made a short address, endorsing the candidature of Mr. Gildersleeve. If there was any man in Kingston who deserved the warm support of the Liberals he was C. F. Gildersleeve. (Hear, hear.) There was none truer to the cause they espoused. The speaker pointed out that the man who would oppose Mr. Gildersleeve would resort to any sort of a job in order to gain his ends. If they elected Mr. Gildersleeve they would have a man who would do the city greater credit. (Cheers.) He then offered the motion to the meeting. It was unanimously carried. "Three cheers for Gildersleeve," cried some one, and there was such a hurra that made the building fairly tremble. "Once more," shouted Mr. Harty, and again three and a tiger were heartily given. The cheers were war-whoops that presaged victory—the *peonat qui pour vainqueur* of the party.

ACCEPTING THE NOMINATION.

C. F. Gildersleeve arose to speak and again he was met with a demonstration. He said: "After all it is your cheers that send the blood to the heart. (Cheers.) I could sit and listen to all that the previous speaker said, but your cheers and enthusiasm have touched me in the softest spot I have." (Cheers.) He thanked those present for the confidence they had reposed in him. To the best of his ability he would do his duty, and if hard work would do it the contest would be won. (Applause.) He asked for the support of the party and their assistance in helping to canvass the city. "Friday, he said, was looked upon as a bad day to begin any work, and especially amongst sailors, therefore he would not commence on that day, but to-night. (Cheers.) "I ask every one of you to vote and work for me in the coming election." (Cheers and cries of "We will.")

MOWAT GOVERNMENT TRIBUTE.

E. J. B. Pense was called upon and made a short speech, in which he said that the coming election was the most critical that this part of the Dominion had ever faced, since the rights of the Province were at stake. It was not merely a test of the Mowat Administration. That Government had been tested again and again and had risen higher each time in public trust and popular estimation. The recent Convention at Toronto had also decided that question. Therefore the only new question at issue would be that of Provincial protection, and if Ontario now surrendered the integrity of her parole local rights she would be at the mercy of the other Provinces whenever it seemed desirable for them to weaken her position in the Confederation. It was said that the disputed territory was a barren waste which it would be a folly to dispute over. From personal knowledge he could assure them that it possessed a vast wealth of mines and timber, and would from a beauty which rivals our own St. Lawrence, become the watering place of the Nor'-West. He eulogized the Administration for its increasing efforts to improve the education facilities, administration of justice, and care of the afflicted in the public asylums. He cordially endorsed the nomination of the evening, so unanimously tendered on all sides. Mr. Gildersleeve would not only make a creditable representative but a stirring advocate for the city. This meant a great deal, for if they contrasted the good which Mr. Robinson's untiring energies at Toronto had effected for the city with the blank of the present term the voters would not hesitate in their decision. The unanimity of the meeting was a good omen, when it was shown how a mere handful of votes, in comparison with the whole electorate, has twice of late years turned the scale in one-third of the constituencies of Ontario. He trusted that they would go to the polls each feeling that his own vote was the one that might in a local contest decide the day.

CONCLUDING REMARKS.

Mr. J. M. Machar hailed, in the unanimity and enthusiasm of the meeting, the best augury of success to the Liberal cause in the impending contest. In Mr. Gildersleeve they had a candidate who would carry their banner to certain victory, and they would have a member with both the will and the power to promote the interests of the city and defend the rights of their Province. When every sign pointed to the success of the Mowat Government before the country no effort should be spared to ensure that Kingston should not repeat its blunder at the last Provincial election of 1879. It was satisfactory to know that they would enter in the campaign with a Voters' List much more in their favour than that on which they had scored their last success. Let them only put the same energy into the struggle and they would certainly achieve a yet more brilliant triumph than before.

Messrs. J. A. McMahon, Ald. F. Shaw, C. Birmingham and others made a few remarks and the meeting was closed with lusty cheers for the Queen and the candidate.

METHODIST UNION.

The Test Question—Yeas and Nays—How the Division Terminated.

The following is the division list of the yeas and nays of the Methodist Episcopal Conference, at Napanee, on Wednesday, on the test question of the acceptance of the basis of Methodist union.

Yeas, Ministers—Revs. Dr. Gardiner, R. L. Parsons, J. Reynolds, J. Laycock, E. Dounsberry, A. S. Griffith, W. G. Brown, W. Faulkner, M. Griffin, T. Athol, A. L. Gee, J. H. Kennedy, G. W. Andrews, J. Vanvyck, C. M. Tompson, A. Kennedy, J. T. Davis, J. Curtis, W. Perritte, G. Abbs, A. Campbell, E. J. Badgley, F. B. Stratton, J. A. Campbell, A. T. Ferguson, G. Clark, R. Large, J. H. Goodge, A. Martin, E. N. Baker, R. Service, S. Card, W. Blair, H. Williams, S. G. Stone, J. R. Jacques, T. W. Puckett, W. H. Graham, W. Brown, J. Ferguson, W. G. Hudgins, B. F. Austin, J. M. Simpson.

Laymen—G. Allison, C. G. Scott, C. A. Barnes, A. Cogswell, W. Reynolds, E. Hegler, A. Swartout, C. Kennedy, R. Tuttle, J. Blair, C. Williams, G. H. Kennedy, D. Graham, A. Enck, H. Draper, R. Hutchinson, C. R. Mallory, L. Massey, A. L. Morden, A. Arkett, Jas. Aylsworth, W. Row, Arthur Brown, L. M. Booth, Otes Bullis, J. Lane, Ira Hudgins, E. Hicks and J. G. Robinson.

NAYS—Ministers—J. S. Williamson, O. G. Collamore, W. D. Hugunin, J. B. Aylesworth, R. Sanderson, E. E. Howard, G. A. Simpson, F. Chisholm, J. H. Andrews, J. P. Wilson, J. Mavety, Joseph Young, J. W. Mavety and David Wilson.

Laymen—W. Keys, J. Clark, Ivy Robbin, J. D. Gilbert, J. Holgate and W. Gardiner.

It will be seen by the above list that there were 94 votes cast altogether, of which 74 were favorable, and 20 opposed. Of the Ministers, 45 voted yea and 14 nay; and of the laymen, 29 voted yea and but 6 nay.

An analysis of the vote by Conference has been given as follows: Of the Niagara Conference 18 ministers and 8 laymen voted yea, and 3 ministers and 1 layman voted nay. Of the Ontario Conference 14 ministerial delegates and 8 laymen voted yea and 6 ministers voted nay, but not one layman. Of the Bay of Quinte Conference 13 ministers voted yea, and 5 laymen nay.

It is said that Rev. Joseph Young and W. Gardiner, Esq., changed their position on the final vote, and supported the acceptance of the basis of union as a whole.

Dr. Gardiner's motion, upon which the whole issue hanged, was to the following effect: "Resolved, that any change or alteration proposed in the basis of union touching the limit term, the omission of consecration to the office, or any variation in the exercise of any function pertaining to this office, does not do away with the episcopacy or destroy the plan of our itinerant general superintendency, and is not subject to the limits and restrictions of the discipline, pages 29 and 30."

PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCES.

The following is a statement of the School Finances for the financial year up to this date:

	Estimated.	Expended.
Salaries	$11,110	$12,[illegible]
Repairs, etc	1,850	977 [illegible]
Contingencies	600	627 76
Fuel, Gas, etc	630	1,383 08
Printing and Stationery	200	63 87
Total	$14,350	$14,204 [illegible]

Balance on hand, $1,291.57; accounts unpaid, $538.61.

Expenses over the estimated amount—Salaries, $105.30; fuel, etc., $753.04, or a total of $858.34.

The items of outlay, under the figures estimated, are: Repairs, etc., $177.81; contingencies, $228.24; printing and stationery, $154.13, or a balance of $593.18.

BEAUTIFUL HANDS!

May be Obtained by Using

"GLYCERINA"

An exquisite preparation for softening the skin, curing and preventing chaps and all other roughness of the hands and face. MONEY WILL NOT ORDINARILY PURCHASE it on trial the preparation is not as good as represented. One trial will convince anyone that this is the best article that they have ever used. Sold wholesale and retail by

W. G. WILSON,

(Successor to Booth & Grant)

THE PHARMACY, 259 Princess Street

N.B.—Try our American Coal Oil; we are selling more than ever before; quality tells. Sent to any part of the city.

Jan. 4.

CHEAP, CHEAP.

Underclothing for 75c. Suit.

Flesh Colored Shirts and Drawers from 45c each.

Extra Heavy Shirts and Drawers, double breast, from 50c each.

Fine All Wool Shirts and Drawers only 95c each.

Fleecy Shirts and Drawers only $1 each.

We take Orders for Flannel Shirts in any style.

W. REEVES & CO.,

King Street, 4 doors from Princess Street.

Dec. 15.

DR. AUSTIN'S

Phosphatine!

Cures all Nervous Diseases.

NEWMARKET, March 27, 1882

MESSRS. LOWDEN & CO., Toronto.

GENTS,—I have taken one bottle of Dr. Austin's Phosphatine as you recommended to me. Results of this check, and have received great benefit from it. I cheerfully state that after taking five of my bottles I shall be quite free from a nervous complaint which has distressed me since I was 16, and now I am 48—thirty-two years of age.

Yours truly,

J. S. WEIDERHILD.

Sept. 29.

BOWES AND BISSONETTE'S

GREAT CHEAP SALE NOW GOING ON.

WONDERFUL BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS, SHAWLS, JACKETS & ULSTERS

25 yards Good White Cotton for $1.
25 yards Fine Grey Cotton for $1.
20 yards Winsey for $1.

25 Linen Towels for $1.
Best Horrocks Window Tape only 10c per piece.
Overcoats Bargains in every line of Dry Goods.

GOODS ALWAYS SHOWN WITH PLEASURE BY

BOWES & BISSONETTE,

Jan. 10. 204 Princess Street, opposite Windsor Hotel.

FOR EVENING PARTIES!

Ladies' 2 Button White Kid Gloves at 25c., worth 50c.

Ladies' 4 Button Kid Gloves, Evening Shades, at 60c., worth 75 cts.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.,

Jan. 4. THE GREAT BENEFACTORS OF THE PUBLIC.

WALSH & STEACY'S

POPULAR DRY GOODS HOUSE,

106 PRINCESS STREET, 2 DOORS FROM WELLINGTON ST.

During our Cheap Sale we will offer Bargains in the following lines of

DRY GOODS!

A Good Kid Glove for 50c.
4 Button Kid Gloves, extra 60c.
4 Button White & Opera Shades worth $1, for 60c.

The best $1 Kid Glove in Kingston.
200 pieces New Lawns in Green, White and Black.
1000 pairs Corsets from 40c up.

Crompton's Celebrated Canadian Corsets!

EVERY MAKE.

500 Remnants Tickings, Towellings, Table Linens, Flannels and Dress Goods all at cost and under. 200 pieces New Winter Dress Goods cheap. See our small bills for prices. During our cheap sale we will offer White and Grey Cottons at losing prices. Come and see them.

Walsh & Steacy's,

Jan. 5. 106 Princess Street.

ARMSTRONG'S

GREAT CLEARING SALE OF

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Goods to be sold regardless of cost! Everybody knows when we advertise CHEAP GOODS we mean BUSINESS!

We have decided to clear out our Entire Stock, and will open for the Spring Trade with NEW GOODS in every Department.

LADIES' KID BOOTS! LADIES' KID BOOTS!

As we intend to bring out entirely New Styles for the Spring of 1883, we will offer the balance of our extensive stock of Ladies' Kid Boots at the following low prices, so as to clear them out this month. Every pair must be sold.

READ THIS

Ladies' Kid Boots marked	$3.50,	reduced to	$2.75.
Ladies' " "	$2.75,	"	$2.25.
Ladies' " "	$2.25,	"	$2.00.
Ladies' " "	$2.00,	"	$1.65.
Ladies' " "	$1.75	"	$1.40.

Every Boot and Shoe in the Store is reduced in price for this Cheap Clearing Sale. Store open every night till after 8 o'clock during the sale to allow every person to get a share of the Bargains.

P.S.—Goods sold at the above reductions will be for cash only.

D. F. ARMSTRONG.

Jan. 5. 141 Princess Street, Kingston.

EQUAL TO AMERICAN!

Ladies' Polish Calf Button Boots.

Ladies' Oil Goat Button Boots.

Ladies' American Kid Lace Boots.

Ladies' Promenade Boots, fourteen buttons high.

Ladies' Fine French Kid Button Boots.

Ladies' Evening Slippers in a great variety of styles.

HAINES & LOCKETT,

Jan. 4. Kingston, Belleville and Trenton.

Another Great Mark Down Sale

—OF—

BOOTS AND SHOES!

COMMENCING TO-DAY AT

SUTHERLAND'S

Jan. 2. Low Priced Boot & Shoe Store, 159 Princess Street, next to Post Office.

HOUSE-KEEPERS, ATTENTION.

R. McFAUL

Has determined to offer from now until Stock taking, everything in his well assorted Stock of Dry Goods at literally ruinous prices.

Bargains in Dress Goods.
Bargains in Fancy Goods.
Bargains in Gloves.

Bargains in Cloths and Shawls.
Bargains in Hosiery.
Bargains, &c.

Jan. 2. R. McFAUL, 191 Princess Street.

TO PLEASE YOUR FANCY!

Call and See our Xmas and New Year's Cards in endless variety and very cheap.

Photograph, Autograph and Scrap Albums, all new stock, good value. Scrap Pictures. Largest Assortment of any Retail House in Canada, at

W. L. RICHARDSON'S,

Dec. 11. Fancy Store, 112 Opera House Block, Princess Street.

THE BALANCE OF STOCK

WINTER DRESS GOODS

CLOTHS, HOSIERY, GLOVES, FLANNELS, CLOUDS, &c.

WILL BE SOLD AT GREAT REDUCTIONS, previous to Stock-Taking. As we want to reduce the stock considerably before the 1st of February next, the public may rely on getting GENUINE BARGAINS in all Departments.

Shirts and Drawers at Wholesale Prices. Ladies' Cloids and Shawls at cost. Dress Goods cheaper than the cheapest. Linen Lined Horse Blankets cheap. White and Grey Blankets the cheapest in the city. Call and see for yourselves.

ALEXANDER ROSS,

Dec. 29. 118 & 120 Princess Street, opposite City Hotel.

Again, For New Year's Gifts.

SPENCE & CRUMLEY

Have received another lot of those Richly Embroidered Silk Ties, Cheniille Ties, Silk Handkerchiefs, Ladies' and Gent's Lined Kid Mitts and Gloves, Ladies' Lined Kids, Gent's Ties, a great variety to select from. The Dress Goods is and Silk Sale still going on, and great bargains are being given. Ready-made Jackets and Ulsters cheaper than the cloth was by half. Millinery Goods less than cost.

Dec. 12. Only one price. SPENCE & CRUMLEY, Opposite City Hotel.