Worth Reading

We offer this week a Patent Bottom Coffee Boiler, so made that the bottom does not touch the stove, and consequently never wears out. We also have Coal Oil Cans made the same way at popular prices.

The Celebrated Egg Beater, the Best in the Market, a bargain at 14 cents, usually sold at 35 cts.

Coppers & Pennies wanted. We will pay 2 per cent. premium on the Dollar. To children we will give a present for every Dollar's worth they bring.

CUTLERY—In this we carry all our bladed Goods, many of which constitute our best leaders. Our Knives and Forks are of the best makes, and our advance orders allow us to offer them at the following prices, which are fully 40 per cent. below the closest competitor: 6 knives and 6 forks, black, white or brown polished handles, bolstered and capped, warranted steel, standard goods, 1 dozen pieces for $1.

Butcher Knives, black, white or brown polished handles, 6 inch blade, best steel, at 14 cents each.

SOAPS—In this department we still continue most of our old popular brands, besides other new and novel ones. We are now selling more Toilet Soap each month than we sold during the entire year of 1881, and we think this fact speaks well for quality and price. Most of our soaps are sold at 4, 5, and 7 cts. a cake, but we have many other very fine Scented Soaps at 9 & 10 cts. a cake, usually sold at 20 & 25c. We also sell 6 bars Sun Laundry Soap for 25c.

THE CHINESE WASHER, the best and most economical Soap for laundry purposes ever introduced; try it, at wholesale prices.

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25c " " 15c. 35c " " 27c.
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MASONIC.

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

Ancient St. Johns Lodge, No. 3, on Thursday, 1st Feb., at 7.30 p.m.

Mount Lodge, No. 436, on Monday, 4th Feb., at 7.30 p.m.

Cataraqui Lodge, No. 42, on Wednesday, 14th Feb., at 7.30 p.m.

A.O.U.W.

LIMESTONE LODGE, No. 31, 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.

CITY AND VICINITY.

PROBS.—Fresh, north westerly to northerly winds, fair considerable colder weather.

READ Hardy & Murray's advertisement and get out your purse and go for a bargain in silks.

NOT BOGUS.—A genuine clearing out sale of dry goods at S. Burgess & Son's. All goods are sold at cost price. Call and see for yourselves.

WARDEN'S SUPPER.—This evening the Warden, J. D. Walker, Reeve of Sterrington, entertains the members of the County Council and a few friends at the Windsor Hotel. There will be the usual speechifying.

GYMNASIUM Wilkinson's Block (corner of Princess and Montreal Streets) open for class lessons on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 7.30 o'clock to 9.30 o'clock p.m., and private lessons at any time suitable.

ASKING FOR AN INCREASE.—The County Treasurer has asked for an increase of salary. The careful way in which he looks after financial matters should entitle him to more compensation than he receives. The ratepayers will not object to an increase.

COMPLIMENTARY SOCIAL.—Last evening a complimentary social was given in Victoria Music Hall by L.O.L. No. 6. The refreshments were enjoyed, after which there was an entertainment consisting of dancing, music and speeches by prominent members of the Order.

DEATH OF A VENERABLE MAN.—Mr. John W. Forsyth, who was buried at Cape Vincent last Saturday, had lived in the village more than 60 years. In connection with his brother he performed the iron work on the Merchant, the first large schooner built at Cape Vincent.

COUNTY FINANCES.—There is at present about $26,000 in the bank to the credit of the county. Last year interest to the amount of over $700 was made on deposits. The amount of the consolidated debt, due last year, was paid on December 31st. It totalled $3,500.

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.—We call the attention of the insurer to the notice of the Canada Life in this day's issue. The business of this old and reliable institution so far this year is in advance of any previous year. This fact must be gratifying to its many policy-holders in this city.

SOLOMON'S TEMPLE.—On Sunday a new brick church near Conway, in Fredericksburg Township, was dedicated. It is a Methodist edifice and was premoted by Solomon Wright. He gave liberally to the erection of the church. On Wednesday evening a tea meeting was held. It was largely attended.

CONCERT AT GANANOQUE.—Last night the Maple Nook Club gave a concert in Gananoque. The attendance was good, and the satisfaction given very general. Beside the Club Messrs. Keeley and Maclean, comic vocalists, participated in the entertainment. After the concert there was an assembly, which pleasantly passed off.

NO SESSION THIS MORNING.—There was no session of the County Council this morning. The Warden had to give evidence in a case at the Police Court. He reached the Court House about 11 o'clock and waited till 11:40 o'clock for the Council, then adjourned the meeting (for want of a quorum) until 2 o'clock. The business done so far has been of a very meagre character.

POLITICAL CAULDRON.—The political pot has commenced to boil, and it will be kept singing until the election is over. Two of the county candidates were surrounded by friends on the Market Square this morning, and both did considerable canvassing. Mr. Murray and Dr. Darragh will ignore the Tory Convention. Another gentleman says he will not be bound by the action of the Convention.

MISSIONARY MEETING.—On Sunday Feb. 4th, the missionary sermons in connection with the Methodist Churches, will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Young, of Winnipeg, and Rev. T. G. Williams, of Brockville. Dr. Young was formerly stationed here. He was in Manitoba during the Reil rebellion and waited upon Scott in his last moments. The missionary meetings will occur on Monday and Tuesday evenings following.

DISTRICT CONVENTION.—On Tuesday next the Methodist Convention opens in Odessa. It promises to be an important affair. The speakers include Rev. W. Briden on "Best System of Pastoral Visitation;" "Evangelistic Work," by Rev. M. J. Bates; "Intermediate State," by Rev. W. R. Young; "Methodist Union," W. F. Hall, Napanee; "Ministerial Support," by Mayor James, of Napanee, and James Miller, Wilton. Rev. J. J. Leach gives a paper on "Esthetics." The Convention will last two days.

STATEMENT.

There is not a word of truth in the statement of the *News* anent the Dunn case. The facts are known to many of our Conservative friends, but we purpose repeating them for the benefit of the public generally. Meanwhile our contemporary will please state the other case of tyranny on the part of the License Commissioners in order that we may dispose of them. The *News* is in the habit of creating back-acting boomerangs, and the new one may be more disastrous than that in which Mr. Harty took a hand.

JEFFERSON COUNTY BOYS:

William H. Yost and His Departure for England With Ex-U.S. Senator G. E. Spencer.

The national reputation of ex-Senator George E. Spencer, coupled with the fact of his running away to Canada, that he is wanted in Washington as a witness in the Star Route cases, and that he has finally taken his departure from Kingston for England, in company with one William H. Yost, has led to numerous enquiries as to who the latter is. A *Times* reporter was directed to write him up and says he was born in Theresa, where his mother and brother now reside. He is about 40 years of age, and was married some 12 or 14 years ago to a beautiful and accomplished lady.

THEIR MARRIED LIFE NOT HAPPY

Things grew from bad to worse and the wife commenced an action for a decree of separation. Mr. Yost at the time of the trial, was reputed to be worth between $10,000 and $100,000, and his wife procured a decree against him that he pay her $1,500 annually and give bonds to secure the same, and also to pay a large bill of costs and attorneys' fees. The decree was made in June, 1880, and the *Times* of June, 1880, contained an account of his flight to Canada. His wife's attorneys commenced suits to set aside the conveyances he made of his property, on the ground that they were made to defraud his wife.

HIS SUDDEN DEPARTURE.

Mr. Yost was in Watertown on the 16th day of June, 1880, and disposed of securities to banks and insurance companies. This fact became known to Mrs. Yost's friends, and her counsel procured an order of arrest. This fact became known to a young man in the office of Yost's attorney, and when the officers of the law sought Yost they were unable to find him.

A well known young man of Watertown, now a very active and successful attorney, planned Yost's escape. He not only led Yost out of the room he was in, across the roofs over the heads of the detectives and officers and out of the city, but he stayed by his side until at daylight the next morning they both landed at Rockport in Canada, opposite Alexandria Bay.

A HOT CHASE.

Just as the sun was rising on that lovely June morning they were seen landing at Rockport by a man who knew Mr. Yost, and he telegraphed the fact to Watertown. The first train from the Bay brought back the manager of the escapade. He said it was a little out of his ordinary course of business but he started the matter and was not in the habit of letting his projects fail.

YOST IN KINGSTON.

Mr. Yost has since remained in and about Kingston. His farm near Theresa village and about $8,000 which were in a certain bank in this city, were recovered by his wife, through her attorneys, and put in the hands of a receiver. Mr. Henry Purcell has been paying the money to Mrs. Yost, since the decision, at the rate of $1,500 annually as provided by the decree in the case.

PERSONAL MENTION.

General T. B. Strange, of Kingston, is in Toronto.

Mrs. Van Cott is conducting a notable revival at Seneca Falls.

H. M. S. Dido this morning sailed for Bermuda, bearing the Princess Louise.

Wm. R. Meredith, Q.C., was unanimously named a Conservative candidate for London.

N. P. Wood, of Ernesttown, has been elected Warden of Lennox and Addington.

Sir Alexander Campbell, who has been ill for some time, is somewhat improved in health.

Will. C. and the Misses Carruthers, C. Birmingham, and D. F. Armstrong, are visiting Montreal.

Mayor Livingston will present a gold medal to Queen's College. He is desirous of perpetuating a very happy custom.

Capt. James Pappa (uncle of one of the *Whig* compositors) has invented a fire escape, which appears to be simple and easy.

Mr. John White, M.P., is in Ottawa, and to-day had an interview with the Minister of Railways, in connection with the Murray Canal.

The officials of the Inland Revenue Department have presented Mr. E. Miall, the newly appointed Commissioner, with a congratulatory address.

W. J. McLaughlin, wife and child, Quebec; A. McTavish Watt, of Montreal, and Messrs. O'Brien and McDonald, contractors K. & P. RR., are in the city.

William J. Barry, late city editor of the Oswego *Palladium*, is dead. He was a talented young man, and it is a matter of regret that he should be removed at the outset of a promising career.

THE PLAY OF "CAMILLE."

There was a large audience last evening when the Legrand Company produced "Camille," a drama of great beauty and power, yet requiring careful treatment in order to be properly appreciated. Mdlle. Legrand is certainly entitled to rank high as an artiste, having culture, a voice capable of expressing varying emotions, a penetrating eye, an action at once graceful and impressive. We have not had an opportunity of comparing her performances with that of a Bernhardt, but those who have seen the two ladies in the same character prefer Mdlle. Legrand, and say her interpretation is altogether the most delicate and pleasing. She was pathetic and passionate in turn; her pourtrayal of the heart-sick, repentant, hopeful, unfortunate lover, was very fine; throughout the piece, and especially when the end of the troubled mortal seemed to depart, she won the interest of the audience and elicited their fullest sympathy. This was the best evidence of the artist's success. The Company, as a whole, is a good one.

The first number of the Northern New York *Republican*, published weekly at Watertown, has been issued. It is an eight column, neatly printed folio, and, as its name implies, republican in politics.

DESERONTO CHURCH.

THE MOST INTERESTING OF ALL THE CEREMONIES—HANDING OVER OF THE BEAUTY EDIFICE.

Mr. Rathbun his own Executor—A Tribute of Respect—Event to be Remembered—Splendid Gift.

On the evening of Monday, 22nd inst. a social was held in the new Presbyterian Church at Deseronto for the purpose of affording the members of the congregation an opportunity of mutually congratulating each other on the beautiful and spacious edifice placed at their disposal through the kind liberality of H. B. Rathbun, Esq., and of witnessing the formal transfer of the property by deed of gift to the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Invitations to the social were extended only to members of the church and congregation for whose use the building had been erected, but a number of friends from a distance were present who shared in their gladness and took part in the exercises of the evening. No formal programme had been prepared, but under the guidance of E. W. Rathbun, Esq., by a process of natural evolution quite an attractive and varied menu was submitted at this feast of reason and flow of soul, where the more "vulgar fairin" of tea and buns, which usually forms the leading feature of church socials, was dispensed with.

OPENING OF THE PROCEEDINGS.

The proceedings were opened by the singing of the hymn "Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty," to the tune Nicea, the congregation joining with the choir, led by the cornet with organ accompaniment. On this occasion the power of the instrument and the perfection of the building as regards acoustics were fully exemplified. Rev. Mr. Young then led in prayer.

The pastor of the Church, Rev. R. J. Craig, M.A., in a brief and most appropriate address, gave expression to the feelings of satisfaction shared with him by the congregation at finding themselves so comfortably situated at home, and called upon them to embrace the opportunity of rejoicing together before God, and not to hesitate in giving expression to their joy in the exchange of mutual salutations here this evening. Thereafter followed various contributions to the entertainment of the evening by several members of the congregation—A recitation by Mr. Gough; a well rendered solo by Mr. Rathbun; an exquisite solo and chorus by Mr. H. Rathbun, Miss Rathbun, Mrs. E. W. Rathbun and Mr. W. G. Craig, of Kingston. The singers throughout the evening were accompanied on the organ, either by the organist of the Church, Mr. McCarthy, or by the accomplished wife of the pastor, herself a daughter of the generous donor of the Church.

PRESENTATION OF THE DEEDS.

The central point of the evening's proceedings was reached when the Chairman, having summoned the office bearers of the Church to the front, in the name of his father presented the title deeds of the property to the Rev. Mr. Young, Moderator of the Presbytery of Kingston, deputed to represent for the occasion the Rev. Dr. Cochrane, Moderator of the General Assembly, who, to the regret of all, had been called to attend the death bed of a near relative and had left for home that afternoon.

Mr. E. W. Rathbun, on behalf of his father, expressed in a speech of much feeling his sense of gratitude to Almighty God for the privilege bestowed upon him to perform this service for His people here. He spoke of the pleasure he had enjoyed in viewing the progress of the building while yet under the hands of the workmen, a pleasure crowned by the opening services of yesterday and the pleasant social gathering of this evening. He also, on his own behalf and that of the other members of the family, gave expression to the fullness of their sympathy in this the happiness of their father, and their joy that he was his own executor, and with them this evening to rejoice together in seeing the work so successfully completed, and the building in the possession of those for whose use we had intended it and dedicated to the service of God to whose glory it had been erected.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY THE MODERATOR.

Mr. Young read a letter from the Moderator of the General Assembly, addressed to the members of the church and congregation, in which, after expressing his deep regret that he could not be with them that evening, he, on behalf of the General Assembly and the whole body of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, tendered cordial thanks through the office bearers of the church in Deseronto to Mr. Rathbun for his noble gift, which he hoped would stir up the liberality of many elsewhere. He expressed the hope that, if agreeable to Mr. Rathbun, the Church might bear his name and so stand as a memorial hereafter more beautiful than the useless mausoleums often erected.

Mr. Young then, on behalf of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, accepted the title deeds of the property, and in suitable terms returned thanks to the donor for the magnificent gift, after which, in an address of much power, he directed the attention of the members of the congregation to the increased responsibility resting upon them as the possessors of such an edifice, providing as it does a centre for co-operation in the grand work for which they are associated. He trusted that such a noble example as that afforded in the erection and donation of this edifice for the purpose for which it had been dedicated, would be instrumental, under the blessing of God, in stirring up the zeal of many in the cause of Christ. He warned all against supposing that because they could not individually do some great thing they were at liberty to hold back from doing what it was in the power of their hand to do, and closed with the entreaty of the Apostle Paul: "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable, which is your reasonable service." He then handed over the deed to the Rev. R. J. Craig, as Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

ADDRESS TO MR. RATHBUN, SR.

Mr. Aylsworth, on behalf of the Kirk Session and Managers, read the following address to Mr. Rathbun, sr., and presented him with a framed copy so engrossed and illuminated as to be an artistic gem:

To Hugh B. Rathbun:

DEAR SIR,—With the deepest gratitude we, on behalf of the Presbyterian congregation of Deseronto, thank you for the generous gift to them of this beautiful and substantial Church, so complete in all its parts. We, too, sincerely pray that your life may be long spared in health and happiness, to see the pleasure of the Lord manifested in the people who worship within its walls, and that when you have passed from earth to a higher sphere it may still be among your joys to know that Christ's Kingdom on earth is being advanced through the preaching of the word and the other ordinances established by the recipients of your liberality and their successors.

(Signed.)

Kirk Session—Rev. R. J. Craig, M.A., S. Russell, S. S., E. W. Rathbun, J. W. Dexter.

Managers—W. R. Aylsworth, F. H. Sims, Jas. A. Davis, Peter McLaren, John Dalton, F. S. Rathbun.

After an anthem by the choir, Mr. Dexter, by request, gave a humorous and instructive reading—"Betsy and I are out." He gave but the first part of it, and the sequel being loudly called for, Rev. Mr. Williams, of Bolgrave, consented to read it on behalf of the ladies.

A short intermission afforded the members of the congregation an opportunity to exchange greetings. This followed music by the choir and solos, beautifully rendered, by Messrs. Rorsinall, of Belleville, and W. G. Craig, of Kingston.

PRESENCE OF THEIR OLD PASTORS.

The Chairman intimated that, although their resources were not by any means exhausted, it would be necessary to bring the proceedings of the evening to a close. Before doing so, however, he would like to embrace the opportunity of expressing the pleasure it afforded him to have with them on this occasion the old Sabbath School teacher of 30 years ago and the pastor of the Church in connection with which he had first united with the Lord's people. The first minister and first Treasurer of that Church had continued to hold these offices respectively for over a quarter of a century, and were with them to-night—Rev. Dr. French and Mr. Bonnell, both of Jersey City, New York.

AN ELOQUENT ADDRESS.

Dr. French, by request, came forward, announcing himself as a good Presbyterian, who as such had learned to obey. In a speech of great beauty and pathos he set forth the fact that as an American citizen he shared with them a heritage which the civil and ecclesiastical history of Britain affords. Anything beyond which it might be desirable to blot out was to him as well as them a matter of grief, and in all that was heroic and noble and beautiful in the past he rejoiced together with them; and he could and did sincerely sympathize with them in their rejoicing here this evening. Mr. Bonnell and he could take away with them this beautiful building and its accompaniments and place them before his people, and they meant to do so, and moreover they could not hinder them. In the conservatory of his friend he had been shown a vigorous ivy which a daughter of the house had plucked with her hand from a castle in the old land. The little sprig of a few inches had developed into a spreading vine; and he could well wish that some few fibres of his being might be transplanted and developed in this church. He congratulated Mr. Rathbun on the fact that he was his own executor and had the satisfaction of seeing the consummation of what he had so heartily wished. He congratulated the Architect and Master Builder in that they seemed here to have solved the difficult problem of constructing a Church at once beautiful and perfect in its acoustic properties. He congratulated the congregation and hoped that freely having received they would freely give, and in no narrow and proselyting spirit, but with broad Catholic sympathy they would seek to bring in the erring ones of their own communion, or those not identified with the Church of the Redeemer, that this house may be filled, and may be, indeed, the Church of the Redeemer of many. He gave a beautiful illustration of the necessity of each one seeking to do his part in securing the result aimed at from the organ to which they had listened with so much pleasure this evening. There were many pipes; some visible, others invisible, some of wood, others of metal; some big and others very small; but if any one of them should happen to get out of tune, or refuse to respond when the key is touched, the harmony of the whole would be marred. He then pronounced the benediction and closed the meeting.

REPAIRING STEAMERS.

The large stm. Alexandria and Empress of India are in Cantin's dry dock, Montreal, undergoing extensive repairs, and it is generally believed that they are intended, says the Star, to open the ball for the Royal Canadian Steamship Company. The contractors express ignorance of the intentions of the owners of these vessels, which, although previously owned by different companies, are being refitted to one order. They are undoubtedly intended for some cutting out work as they are being almost entirely rebuilt for the sole purpose of increasing their speed. The Alexandria's hull is being rebuilt to a raking model and her machinery is all being taken out. New boilers are being put in by George Brush & Co., and her engines are being replaced by those taken out of the Sunshine, one of the swiftest boats on the river, constructed for the purpose of cutting out the old time flyer Jenny Lind. The hull of the Empress of India is being replaced by one of a more improved model and a strong suit of new engines are being built for her by E. E. Gilbert & Sons.

LENNOX AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

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Auditors—H. V. Pollok, W. M. O'Hulton.

The receipts for the year were $2,344.—Dr. expenditure $1,844.40.

POLICE COURT.

The Wilmot-Donaldson Election Dispute—Defendant Wouldn't Apologize—The Evidence.

There was a large attendance of farmers and others at the Police Court this morning, the occasion being the trial of the case of Joseph Donaldson, of the Township of Pittsburg, charged by John Wilmot, of Pittsburg, with having unlawfully assaulted him on Saturday last at the Waggoner House at the close of a Conservative caucus.

A COMPLAINT AGAINST WILMOT.

When the case was called Sheriff Ferguson stepped forward. He said that the gentlemen concerned had been neighbors for many years, and he would be sorry to see the action proceed. The attack on Mr Wilmot had been unprovoked. He hoped that Mr. Donaldson would apologize, pay the costs and settle the case. He knew Mr. Wilmot was of a forgiving disposition, and that he would accept an apology.

John Wilmot was not disposed to take money from any one. He had not provoked Mr. Donaldson to the assault given. Had he "riled" Donaldson's temper he might have expected such treatment. His (Wilmot's) hands were tied, being a J. P. He had always endeavored to maintain the peace. He asked that the evidence of one man be taken, then he would let the case drop. He did not intend to leave the Court unavailable for any action he had taken or time. He did not want to make it expensive for Donaldson.

DONALDSON WOULD'NT APOLOGIZE.

Joseph Donaldson said on Monday he had been willing to settle the case. He referred to his disqualification as a Councillor under the amended Act of 1880. False statements had been made and he could not apologize for what he had done. He was provoked.

The case then proceeded, the defendant pleading "not guilty." Mr. T. L. Snook appeared for the defendant; Mr. J. B. Walkem for the prosecutor.

WHAT THE WARDEN SAW.

D. J. Walker, Warden of the County, was the first witness. He said that he was at the Waggoner House on Saturday last. At the close of the meeting witness and Henry Wilmot were discussing affairs when Donaldson approached and shook hands with the latter, saying, "You're a gentleman, I'll shake hands with you, but your brother is a mean—" referring to John Wilmot, who, it appeared, had attacked the defendant's qualification as a Councillor for Pittsburg. John Wilmot then appeared and said that he would do the same thing again if it was necessary. Donaldson then repeated his epithet to Mr. Wilmot, grabbed him by the throat, and struck him on the left cheek. There was general excitement and soon the men's friends took them away. They had clinched. Mr. Walker said that Mr. Wilmot had offered no provocation or the reverse. Mr. Wilmot made use of no bad language.

R. J. Dunlop, Pittsburg, reiterated the evidence of D. J. Walker. Mr. Donaldson was excited and declared that the law had been changed just to affect his election. Witness did not see the first blow struck, but he heard it.

CONSERVATIVE TESTIMONY.

Henry Wilmot, Pittsburg, was conversing with several gentlemen in the Waggoner House hall. Donaldson was discussing his disqualification when John Wilmot came out of the room where the meeting had been. Then Donaldson turned around and said "this is the mean —— who did it," grabbed John Wilmot by the coat with his left hand and "tapped" him under the eye with his right, cutting the flesh of the face. The blow was not severe enough to knock the prosecutor down. Witness knew defendant for about thirty years. He had never known him to be fined for assault.

STATEMENT OF J. S. DONALDSON.

J. S. Donaldson, a resident of the city, said he was present when the altercation took place. He heard when the defendant said of John Wilmot. Saw the prosecutor catch him, and heard him say, "Let me alone." Wilmot said, "I am the man that did it" (referring to the election proceedings), "and I will do it again. What are you going to do about it?" Wilmot still held Donaldson, and the latter said: "Let me be; keep away from me." Wilmot still held the defendant, and the latter struck him on the face. They clinched but were immediately separated.

Donaldson was fined $10 and costs.

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E. W. VANDERWATER,

Agent for Kingston. Office at Swartz's P.O. Cigar Warehouse. Jan. 18.

BOWES & BISSONETTE'S

Great Clearing Sale Still Continues—Greater Bargains this Week.

—**Mechanics and Workingmen**—

Who earn their money fairly, should buy it well and wisely spent. Tell your wives and daughters to do business with us. We will sell them finer clothing.

Our sale is no Sham. Our sale is a BONA FIDE one. Our sale is got up for the express purpose of clearing out the whole stock to make room for the alterations to be made in the Store.

Come at once for Dry Goods to

BOWES & BISSONETTE,

Jan. 18. 204 PRINCESS STREET.

CHEAP SALE DRESS GOODS!

—AT—

W—A—L—D—R—O—N'S.

All Wool Tweed Serges at reduced prices.
French Cashmeres at reduced prices.
All Cloths, Wool Milds, Wool Garments reduced prices.
All Ladies' Kid Mitts at reduced prices.
All Silk Velvets and Velveteens at reduced prices.
For the cheapest Shawls and Hose Purchase go to Waldron's.
Corset Busks, Embroideries, beautiful goods, low prices.

R. WALDRON'S,

Jan. 5. WILSON'S BUILDINGS.

THE GREAT CHEAP STOCK-TAKING SALE STILL GOING ON.

We will offer Special Bargains this week in Nottingham, Guipure and Art Lace Curtains in lots of one, two and three pairs of one pattern.

Only 10 pairs White Blankets, 4 & 5 lbs., to be cleared out at less than cost prices.
Only 10 Tip Down Quilts, at cost prices.
Only 4 dozen Wadded Quilts, half usual prices.
Stock of unsold Handkerchiefs of remnants of Dress Goods, Winceys, Jacket Cloths, Cloths, Tweeds Prints, Table Linens, &c.
Kid Gloves, 2 Button, 50c.; 3 Button 60c., 4 Button 75c.
Ladies' Cloth Jackets and Ulsters about half price.
Great Bargains in Millinery Goods.

SPENCE & CRUNLEY,

Jan. 18. Only one price. Opposite City Hotel.

CHEAP REMNANT SALE!

—AT—

WALSH & STEACY'S

THOUSANDS OF REMNANTS TO BE DISPOSED OF AT HALF REGULAR PRICES.

200 ends of Dress Goods in pieces from ¾ of a yard to 10 and 12 yard lengths.
125 Remnants of Black Cashmere from ¾ yard to 8 yard lengths.
200 Remnants of White and Unbleached Sheetings, from 50c a yard upwards, all double width goods.
100 Remnants of Feather Tickings, ranging in length from ¾ of a yard to 11 yard pieces.
200 Remnants of Table Linens in Lonsdales, Hardboom and Damask patterns, both in half bleached and unbleached, all at a reduction of from 4c to 12c less than regular prices.
200 Remnants of Flannels in Scarlet, Grey, White etc.
Lots of Remnants of Cloths suitable for Boy's and Men's wear.
Several Ends of Double Width Cloths just the thing for Ulsters and new market Jackets.
Hundreds of Remnants of White and Grey Cottons, Prints and many other articles too numerous to mention.

To those who anticipate buying Black Silks this Spring to make up for Jackets, Dolmans, Polonaises or Dresses, will find this sale a grand chance to secure a Remnant suitable in length for any of these purposes.

Walsh & Steacy's,

Jan. 18. 188 Princess Street.

Great Stock-Taking Sale!

—COMMENCING—

TO-DAY, JAN'Y. 17th.

A large lot of Lamps, Glassware, Vases, Pictures and Frames of all kinds, Looking Glasses, Albums, &c., and a General Stock of Fancy Goods, will be sold at cost and less than cost.

A few unclaimed Pictures will be sold cheap. All purchases during this sale for CASH ONLY.

W. L. RICHARDSON,

Jan. 18 Fancy Store, 212 Opera House Block, Princess Street.

Extraordinary Bargains

—IN—

CARPETS, BLANKETS,
DRESS GOODS, CLOTHS, &c.,

—AT—

RICHMOND & BOYDEN'S

—STOCK-TAKING SALE.—

As they must make room for New Goods now on the way. Kindly call, see the Goods and get quotations.

Jan. 18

—MORE LIBERALITY!—

Every Customer Whose Purchases amount to $2 and Upwards will be Presented with a Large Oil Chromo of the late

HON. GEO. BROWN, OF TORONTO.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.,

Jan. 17. THE GREAT BENEFACTORS OF THE PUBLIC.

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' " " "	$2.50,	" "	$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.

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' Cloth and Shawls at cost. Dress Goods cheaper than the cheapest. Linen Lined Horse Blankets, bags, White and Grey Blankets the cheapest in the city. Call and see for yourselves.

ALEXANDER ROSS,

Jan. 18. 198 & 200 Princess Street, opposite City Hotel.