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

Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 5, on Thursday 26th April, at 7:30 p.m.

Hiram Lodge, No. 20, on Monday, 2nd April at 7:30 p.m.

Cataraqui Lodge, No. 31, on Wednesday, 14th Feb. at 7:30 p.m.

Kingston Lodge of Perfection, No. 7, A. & A.S.R., on Friday, March 9th, at 7:30 p.m.

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THURSDAY MARCH 8, 1883

REMINDERS.

THURSDAY

Social in Chalmers Church at 7 o'clock.

CONCERT in Tabernacle, "Daughter"—Opera House at 8 p.m.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Phoss.—Winds shifting to the south west and south east, fair milder weather.

POOR FAVOURITES.—The St. Lawrence Hotel, Queen Street, was crowded last evening. Here pools in the races for to-day were sold. "Dan O'Connell" was the favourite in the county race, and "Canard" in the free-for-all.

INCREASE IN BUSINESS.—James Reid informs us that his undertaking business is so increased that he has been compelled to get another glass hearse. He has now three first class hearses, and all are very often in use at one time.

INCENDIARY FIRE.—The saw mill of James Wood, Sydenham, burned last week, had been vacated for six months past, and incendiarism is strongly alleged. A dog of Mr. Wood's was maimed on the day of the fire by some malicious persons.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES, M. E. Church, next Sabbath the 11th. Preaching morning and evening by Bishop Carman. Tea meeting on Monday evening. Addresses by Bishop Carman, Revs. J. M. Hagar, B.A., and Harris. Good music. First tables at 7 o'clock. Chair taken at 8. Tickets 50c.

ENCOURAGE THE WORK.—The Ottawa Citizen in discussing Dr Wilson's sermon on the work of the Salvation Army, says the "unfortunate of the 'Army's' work from the pulpit of an Anglican Cathedral, and by such a clergyman, will greatly encourage the movement."

AN EXCELLENT COLLEGE.—The Dominion Rifle Association, now in session in Ottawa, were entertained at luncheon yesterday by Speaker Kirkpatrick. At the meeting the Governor General spoke of the Royal Military College as an institution which was training young men to become efficient soldiers.

AT CATARAQUI.—Last evening Capt. Abbie Thompson, Lieut. Maxwell and some fifteen other members of the Salvation Army went to Cataraqui, where they held a meeting. There was a large attendance and excellent order was maintained. There were several converts. It is stated that meetings will be held in the Town Hall there weekly.

IN THE WRONG COURT.—The Globe says that a petition against the return of J. H. Metcalfe, accusing the member elect of bribery, treating, etc., was forwarded to the Registrar of the Queen's Bench Division, at Osgoode Hall, who, however, has no power to file it, as all Provincial election petitions must be filed in the Court of Appeal. The petition has been sent back to Kingston.

A CHALLENGE.—A short time ago it was expected that "Young Wild Deer," of Pittsburg, and "Daniel Lambert," of Howe Island," would be trotted against each other for $100 a side. The owner of the latter says he came to the city to enter on the race and was not met. He declares now that he is ready to start his horse for the purse any day against "Young Wild Deer."

INLAND REVENUE.—The excise duties collected at Kingston during the month of February were as follows:

On spirits	$ 6,804 42
" tobacco and cigars	4,107 26
" malt	830 80
Bonded manufactures	178 49
From other sources	90 00
	$ 12,111 76
Collections for Feb., 1882	10,629 06
Increase	$ 482 70

BADLY INJURED.—The injuries to "Church Boy" are more serious than we yesterday reported. A splinter of about three inches long and about an inch in width was forced through the hind foot near the fetlock. Dr. Massie had to cut the wood out; it would not pull. The animal may lose its foot from the effects of the wound. It slipped in passing into the St. Lawrence Hotel yard and there received the wound.

THE MISSING ROLL.

Dr. Bigham called to-day to give an emphatic denial to the statement made in last night's News, apparently on the authority of Mr. J. W. Harpell, that he has a large amount of money on hand, and that the Treasurer's books do not endorse the statement. Dr. Bigham says he has given security as an officer of the Township of Kingston to the extent of $21,000, while he does not handle annually more than from $11,000 to $12,000 of the public money. He is anxious for an investigation of his books and accounts in order to satisfy his sureties (of whom he has four) and the public. He will deposit $100 in the hands of any responsible person, Mr. J. W. Harpell to do the same, whoever is found to be wrong to forfeit the amount and meet the full expenses of the enquiry. He denies the insinuation that there has been any irregularities, especially the story in circulation that he has a large sum of the township's money in a bank in his own name and drawing interest. He has nothing to conceal. The Collector's Rolls are still missing. Who can have taken them and what any one can do with them is a question which puzzles the more it is thought over.

HERE AND THERE.

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

Mail again late to-day.

Board of Education this evening.

"Only a Farmer's Daughter" this evening.

Some of the churches are already preparing for Easter.

The races have brought to the city a large number of persons.

As March has came in like a lion it ought to go out like a lamb.

Yesterday's mail from the west was not delivered until this morning.

It takes a horse race to make the sports excited. The winter trots have been successful.

Deseronto will have a free market. Some people think the new move not just the thing.

The Medical Council examinations will be held simultaneously in Toronto and Kingston.

A drunken soldier created a disturbance at Victoria Barracks last evening. He was bounced.

Wiggins' great storm ought to come to-morrow. There is little prospect of it at the present writing.

Rev. D. J. Bogart, of Salby, was asked to accept the charge of St. Mark's parish, Deseronto, but declined.

The result of the vote on Methodist Union stands 536 to 20 in favour of union with six Quarterly Boards a tie.

Church's trotter, which ran away yesterday and was injured on one of the fore feet, is probably ruined. Mr Church is said to have been last week offered $2,000 for it.

The Police Magistrate to-day commenced an enquiry into a case of drunkenness of a character more revolting than any of which even the police officials have heard for some time.

D. McEwen & Son have been awarded the contract by Capt. Cuthbert, of Belleville, to build the boiler and engine for his new steam yacht. The engine will have an 8x8 cylinder and be about 15 horse power.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Chas. A. Wing, of the "Strictly Business" Company, is at the British American Hotel.

Dr. Horsey, formerly of Kingston, has been lecturing in Ottawa on the Muscular System.

Rev. Thomas Hall, Missionary Superintendent of the Congregation Union, is in Belleville.

Haulan's chief desire seems to be to get rid of his hotel. The Champion's desire has been to reside in England.

Rev. R. L. McFarlane, M.A., the pastor elect of the Bethel Church, will preach his introductory sermon in April.

The Prince of Wales is not so stout as he was a year ago. A picture of His Royal Highness and family will appear in the Wave of Saturday.

Hon. Adam Crook, Minister of Education, sails for England on April 1. He will be accompanied by Miss Crooks. He will remain in the Government, though it is proposed that he shall be away six months.

A BATCH OF DRUNKS.

John Dunster laboured very hard at Snarbott Lake and earned a good deal of money. As a sailor a few days ago he came to Kingston to await the opening of navigation. He fell into bad company and his wealth was soon spent in riotous living. He was arrested last night, and this morning, when sober, intimated that he would return to the mines. Dismissed.

William Smith, another navvy, was found inebriated on the street. A fine of $2 and costs was imposed, but he was given time to pay.

Henry Mackie, from Watertown, acknowledged that he had imbibed too freely. He was picked up by the police while trying to sell a sleigh rope. His action was suspicious and an arrest followed. Mackie and a friend came here to attend the races. The Magistrate dismissed the prisoner. His friend was in Court during the trial, but was run out for transgressing Court etiquette by wearing his hat and smoking a cigar. The dignity of the Court was sadly insulted and the Sergeant Major nearly went into hysterics. Our American cousins were somewhat astonished to find Canadian rule so strict.

WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The monthly meeting of the W. F. M. Society took place at St. Andrew's Hall on Wednesday afternoon. Owing to the day being so bitterly cold there was but a small attendance, which was to be regretted as there was much interesting intelligence, read by several ladies present. Two letters were read from Miss McGregor, a lady engaged in Zenana and school work at India, under the F. M. Board of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Interesting letters were also read from other ladies labouring in India, and from workers in Persia and among the Indians of the Western territories of the U. S. An invitation to send representative delegates to the annual meeting of the W. F. M. Society of the Western section was read, and a resolution was passed expressive of the pleasure and sympathy with which the society regarded the recent formation in Kingston of another society having a similar object in view. It was agreed that the public annual meeting of the Society should be held during the meeting of the Kingston Presbytery, the week after next.

ESCAPED FROM THE CENTRAL.

Charles Light and Joseph Houlle, serving 18 months sentences in the Central Prison for larceny on the steamer Passport at Hamilton last November, escaped from that institution at 4 o'clock on Tuesday. They were employed in the prison kitchen, and managed to secret themselves in the storeroom unobserved by the guards. From here they reached the front yard and escaped. It will be remembered that considerable of the goods stolen by the men was recovered here.

Toronto, March 8.—The convicts, Flight and Reid, who escaped from the Central Prison on Tuesday morning, have not yet been recaptured.

WHISKEY'S WORK.

Major-General Strange's Temperance Address—Travels in Manitoba and the North-West.

The meeting of the St. Paul's Church Temperance Society, which occurred last evening, was poorly attended. The meeting was opened by the singing of the hymn, "Nearer my God to Thee," and prayer. Rev. Mr. Carey presided. Miss Greenwood gave "Polly, the cows are in the corn" in good style.

Mr. Carey then introduced Major-Gen. Strange. He said that although the meeting was small determination could do a great deal. Success did not always depend upon numbers. He had seen the effects of strong drink, and also the effects of temperance, but he would speak particularly of the great North West. Ten years ago the North West was unpeopled save by the red men and their destroyers. Those destroyers were whiskey sellers, and had to protect themselves in forts. When an Indian has whiskey in him he is a perfect devil, and those American sweltters had to fortify themselves or they would have been

DESTROYED BY THE REDS.

The Indians would give anything for whiskey, even their wives, and sometimes they become desperate when they awoke from a drunken sleep and found that they had parted with all their valuables and had only sore heads. The Government saw the necessity of doing something and sent the Mounted Police to the North West to stop the traffic. The traders lived in forts called "Stand Off," but when the forces came within sight of them the title became "Slide Off." The Major General spoke of the indolent habits of the Indians, of the necessity at one time of fighting or feeding them, and of the efforts to train them and get them to work. When crossing the Rocky Mountains the speaker referred to the noise he heard, a noise as of the clash of battle, which became louder and louder as they approached the place whence it emanated. He saw what resembled a great serpent traversing the prairie. This was the Canada Pacific Railway, at the head of which over 4,000 men worked track making and rail laying. Only on one occasion was work suspended, and for three days, and that was when whiskey landed among the men. They were moved along in two story vans, in one flat of which they slept and in the other dined. At all times these navvies acted as gentlemen. Why? Because they had not the whiskey that

DESTROYS MANHOOD AND MANNERS.

The Chinamen had not yet crossed the Rockies, but judging them by what he saw of them they set a good example in not drinking anything strong and in patience and industry. The Western fellows, too, who moved about with loaded revolvers and plenty of cartridges, were not bad to get along with. Some of them had shot and killed more than one, but they were then intoxicated. The whiskey was kept out of the North West by the Mounted Police. When the Major General's party were crossing the prairie they were met by one of these horsemen and asked if they had any whiskey. He said the speaker looked honest, but not going by appearances he made a search of his effects. He found no liquor. With another person, however, he found a good sized keg, knocked in its head and poured the contents on the ground. Manitoba had the drawback of whiskey. When the Province is well settled it will be impossible to keep out liquor. If the importation of it is not permitted it will be smuggled. Turning his attention to the youth Major General Strange advised the boys not to let any one persuade them to use liquor. They should not think it manly to imbibe. The young ladies should exert their influence against liquor also; they should refuse the company of any one having recourse to it. It is a foolish thing for any woman to join herself to a drunkard for life. Shakespeare said the man was a coward who raised his hand against a woman, and yet liquor made many a man do so.

CLOSING PROCEEDINGS.

Mr. Carey then thanked the Major General, on behalf of the assembly for his able and elevating address.

Mr. Anglin gave a reading "Over the hills from the poor house." It had a good effect.

Miss Bateson gave a song and Miss Godwin a reading. Both were well received.

Mr. Farrar gave a short address, citing the evils effects of liquor drinking and commending the work of the Society.

Rev. Mr. Carey gave two instances of men whom the society had rescued. He proposed to get some of the men to give their experience, and make the meetings lively.

Mr. Farrar pronounced the benediction and the meeting closed.

OVER THE WAY.

Watertown is coming after us sharply. The city is to have free postal delivery on May 1st.

Under the recent U. S. changes, letters cannot be sent for 2 cents before October, nor unstamped checks be used at banks before July 1. The tax on bank capital deposits, ceased March 3; while the changes in the tax on tobacco will begin on May 1.

The Ogdensburg custom-house troubles have been fixed up. Collector Jones retires and the office has been turned over to Deputy Collector Partridge.

Oswego elected a Republican Mayor.

Wiggins' storm is due on the anniversary of the great tornado at Augusta, Ga.

OPERA HOUSE TO-NIGHT.

Of Mr. Barnes's play, which will be produced in the Opera House to-night, the New York Times says: "It bears the unmistakable stamp of originality and genius, and it is not improbable that 'Only a Farmer's Daughter' will prove to be that famous American play for which we have been waiting so long. Its plot is full of interest, its dialogue beautiful with poetry and sparkling with wit, while its characters are firmly drawn and brilliantly colored."

THE WINTER TROT.

SOME VERY LIVELY RACING ON THE ICE—CROWDS OF COLD BUT CHAFFY SPECTATORS.

The Three-Minute Trot and Green Race Concluded—A Fifteen Horse Gets the First—A Kingston Gelding Takes Her First Money—Some Peculiar Jockeying.

Five hundred men and nearly as many boys, clad in fur and heavy clothing, moved uneasily around yesterday afternoon on the ice in front of the City Hall. They were there to enjoy the winter races. There was great interest in the sport and considerable money changed hands. Pool sellers did a fair business, indeed more than the fakirs and chance men. Occasionally some innocent rural lamb was roped in. The horses were out in force, not only those entering the races but all the speedy ones that Kingston possesses. It was after 2 o'clock before the first race was called by the Judges, who were Ald. F. Wilson and D. H. Webster, of Kingston, and A. Church, of Pittsburg. The track was a trifle shorter than a mile, kite-shaped, and declared by horsemen to be in good condition. There was considerable trouble in keeping the crowd off it. Each man was anxious to see the start, and craned his neck and put himself to the front as much as possible.

For the green race the following horses entered. They had not previously won money.

A. Dunbar, Kingston, b.m. "Emma D."
J. Broadwood, Kingston, b.g. "Wilderin."
J. Bannister, Portsmouth, c.m. "Flossie B."
A. H. Caswood, Kingston, b.m. "Nip."
A. Hunter, Tay, Kingston, b.m. "Nora."
John Hafford, Kingston, b.g. "Johnny Mac."

Two purses totalled $28, of which $15 went to first, $6 second, and $4 to third. "Nora" did not score.

First Heat—After much scoring the horses got away well together, "Wilderin" being the last to pass the scratch. Before the half mile post was reached the gelding was to the front, passing all easily except "Johnny Mac," which throughout was her only competitor for first place. The trotters broke several times, but "Wilderin" passed the winning post first. "Johnny Mac" second. Time 2.33.

Second Heat—Only four horses appeared. "Nip" had retired. The quartette, after numerous false starts, got away finely. "Johnny Mac" being well to the front, which position he maintained until at the half mile pole, when "Wilderin" crowded him and near the three quarters led by a few feet. "Johnny B" broke when a short distance from the wire. Time 3.01 minutes. The other horses were far in the rear, "Emma D" keeping her position as third all the way around. "Flossie B" a poor fourth.

Third Heat—When the horses went off a couple of them broke, giving "Johnny Mac" a considerable lead. "Wilderin" was pocketted, but finally got clear and made a big push for first place. At the half mile the gelding had a great gap to close, but at the next quarter he was well up with "Johnny Mac." The horses with these two exceptions were well spread out. "Johnny Mac" and "Wilderin" showed a beautiful front on the home stretch. They did some genuine trotting. One hundred yards from the winning post "Johnny Mac" was at the rout, but he broke, the driver of "Wilderin" saw this opportunity, and urged his animal and passed "Johnny," winning by a few feet. Time 2.28. This heat was a most exciting one. The following was the result of the race:

"Wilderin"	1	1	1
"Johnny Mac"	2	2	2
"Emma D"	3	3	3
"Flossy B"	4	4	4
"Nip"	5	withdrew	

The winning horse is a bay gelding with excellent points. He is of Ethan Allan stock and will undoubtedly be favorably heard from in the future. In the pools "Wilderin" was the favorite.

THE THREE MINUTE TROT.

While the horses in the green race were being rubbed down between the heats, the three minute race was called. There was a good field, with "Lena Belle" the favorite. She might have taken an excellent place in the race but for the eccentricities of the driver, who was changed after the third heat. The race was an interesting one. The following entered:

J. Ivory, Smithville, ch.g. "Upstart."
Mr. Horan, Picton, b.h. "Phil Sheridan."
H. Church, Pittsburg, b.g. "Church Boy."
C. W. Bowers, Watertown, N.Y., c.m. "Minnie H."
A. S. Booker, Watertown, N.Y., d.m. "Sue."
C. Rooney, Belleville, b.g. "Little Walter."
J. B. Warner, Three Mile Bay, b.g. "Giles H."
E. Penny, Chaumont, b.m. "Lena Belle."
P. Higgins, Brockville, b.g. "Orphan Boy."

The positions were drawn: "Little Walter," (next the pole) "Sue," "Phil Sheridan," "Lena Belle" and "Upstart." The others did not come.

FIRST HEAT.

The horses got away get away in good hape and went down the track in a bunch, "Sue" leading. "Phil Sheridan," after the quarter was passed, did some fine trotting and reached the first position with "Little Walter" but a length in the rear. On the home stretch the race was between "Phil" and "Walter," the former winning but only by a short distance. The others came in struggling. "Upstart" last. "Sue" was put back to fifth place on account of her driver's jockeying. Time 2.29. In this trot "Phil" threw a shoe, and had to have a new one put on before resuming the race.

Second Heat—"Upstart" went to the front but did not keep it long. "Phil" gradually forged ahead. Before half the course was traversed the animals were considerably scattered. On the home stretch there was a lively contest between "Walter" and "Phil." The latter broke and "Walter" won in 2.28. In this heat "Walter" twisted his shoe, and a blacksmith had to readjust it.

Third Heat—This was remarkable for the jockeying of the driver of "Lena Belle." The horses got away well together but the driver afterwards committed no less than four fouls in the mile. "Walter" was pocketted. At the half mile "Phil Sheridan" cast a shoe and retired. The race for first place now lay between "Walter" and "Lena Belle," and the driver of the mare was so reckless that she ran most of the way, and made across the track in order to prevent "Walter," from taking first place. "Walter" also went off his feet a number of times, but eventually won. The driver of "Sue," which had trotted fairly, claimed the heat, but it was not granted to him. "Lena Belle" was given fourth place. Time 2.33. "Phil Sheridan" was granted 20 minutes in which to have his shoe re-set.

Fourth Heat—This was a beautiful one. The trotting between "Phil Sheridan" and "Walter" was exceedingly interesting. "Upstart" was nowhere in the heat. He shortened the distance by cutting corners, but the judges generously left him in as it had made place. The trotting on the home stretch by "Phil" and "Walter" was perhaps the best of the day. "Walter" led, but near the post broke. "Phil" passed and won by a neck! Time 2.27.

Last Heat—A very fine one and made in the best time. All the horses trotted fairly with the exception of "Upstart," whose driver again cut corners. "Walter" lead until the half mile then "Phil" went to the front and maintained a slight lead to the finish. Time 2.27. The results of the race may be thus summarized:

"Phil Sheridan"	1	2	2	1	1
"Walter"	2	1	1	2	2
"Sue"	3	4	3	4	4
"Lena Belle"	4	3	4	3	3
"Upstart"	5	5	5	5	5

$60 to 1st; $37 to 2nd; $10 to 3rd.

A COLD EXPERIENCE.

Towards the close of the last two heats Old Boreas arose and the weather became remarkably cold. Many left the course rather than endure the chilling blasts. The Judge's stand was in a very awkward position, on a corner, and the horses could only be seen to advantage when they were between the half and three-quarters. They faced the horses on the home stretch, however. It was hard to detect the fouls. The decisions of the Judges were generally accepted, although in the third heat some thought "Sue" was entitled to first position. The races were continued this afternoon.

THE DUTY ON HAY.

In conversation with Mr Sabre this morning we learned that the new American tariff will affect the export of hay considerably. As fodder is now purchased in this district the duty is about $1 per ton, but a higher rate has been paid, the duty, 20 per cent, varying as the original cost of the article has varied. Mr Sabre says he is better satisfied that the new tariff fixes the impost at $2 per ton, which ensures greater honesty in the entries and places all buyers on an equal footing. Of course he regrets any increase, inasmuch as the sellers of the hay must be the losers. The difference in the duty at any time must be taken from the growers; it cannot be got by the advance in a foreign market. The firm of Sabre Bros. have about 600 tons of hay on hand, but of this stock any will have rid their hands before the new law comes into effect.

As for the drawbacks, recently agitated for, they can only be got by the establishment of cases in the Court of Claims, and the passage of a special act by Congress. There are between 300 and 400 persons interested in these drawbacks, and if they are paid by the American Government hundreds of thousands of dollars must be taken out of the Treasury. The claim of one man, Mr. J. Thompson, of St. John, amounts to $800,000.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that an constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—Civil Service Gazette.—Made simply with boiling water or milk. Sold only in Packets and Tins (½lb and 1lb.), by grocers labelled "JAMES EPPS & Co., Homœopathic Chemists, London, Eng."—Also makers of Epps's Chocolate Essence.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.—A marvellous cure for catarrh, diphtheria, canker mouth and headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50 cts. For sale by Geo. King, wholesale and retail agent.

A Beautiful Painting!

May be obtained by all, and a visit to inspect the large and New Stock of Paints, &c., at The Pharmacy, and then to buy the Colors, &c., needed. We have a far better, and better assorted stock of all kinds of ARTISTS' GOODS than was ever sold in this city before.

Call on F. G. and M. on the wife; Oil Tubes complete stock. Moist Colors in boxes, Canvas Boards, all sizes. Brushes of Sables, Red Sable Brushes; Bamboo and Ebony. Palettes, Easels, &c.

Come and see us at Heath & Gunn's old stand, The Pharmacy, 166 Princess Street.

W. J. WILSON,

N.B.—A full supply of Watson's Safe Cures, Northrop & Lyman's Dyspepsia Cure, and all the proprietary leading patent medicines.

Feb. 23

Come & Buy Your Working Shirts

—AT—

W. REEVES & CO'S.

Kingston Knitted shirts only 60c.
Blue Knitted 85c ones (best) only $1.00.
Checked Knitted Shirts only $1.25.
And all other colored for $1.50, sold everywhere for $2.00.

COME AND TRY US.

The Cheapest Gent's Furnishing Store in the city.

W. REEVES & CO.,

King Street, 4 doors from Princess Street.

Feb. 27

DR. AUSTIN'S Phosphatine!

Cures all Nervous Diseases.

NEWMARKET, March 22, 1880

MESSRS. BOYDEN & CO., Toronto.

GENTS,—I have taken one bottle of Dr. Austin's Phosphatine, recommended to me by Mr. Brooks, of this place, and have received great benefit from it. I believe that after taking five or six bottles I shall be quite free from a nervous trouble which has troubled me since I was 16, and am 42 years of age.

Yours truly,

J. S. WEDGEFIELD.

Sold by

Custom Tailoring.

We Show To-day Our First Shipment of New Spring Woolens, ex-Steamer Nova Scotia, for our CUSTOM TRADE, and are prepared to make up Clothing to Order in that Very Superior Manner for which our House is Celebrated.

The People's Clothing House, 69 Brock Street.

C. LIVINGSTON & BRO.

March 6th, 1883.

'83.—SPRING—'83.

R. McFAUL begs to announce to his customers and the public generally that his SPRING STOCK is now almost complete. He would call attention especially to his

DRESS GOODS!

which have been chosen with the utmost regard to Style, Fashion and Design, and at prices which will compare with any house in the city.

R. McFAUL, 180 PRINCESS STREET.

March 7

THE LEADING STYLES

—IN—

Boots and Shoes

Are being daily received at Haines & Lockett's. A nice lot of Ladies' Kid Button Boots just opened.

HAINES & LOCKETT,

March 6. Kingston, Belleville and Trenton

GONE ASTRAY.

13 cases of the Bankrupt Stock of J. Grant, which was on the way to Kingston, went astray between Port Hope and Cobourg. Mr Cousineau has gone to trace them up, and writes that he has succeeded in doing so, and that the goods will arrive in a few days, when we will be able to add to the already large number of Bargains now being offered.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.,

March 6 THE GREAT BENEFACTORS OF THE PUBLIC.

New Cretonnes, New Cretonnes!

24 pieces opened this morning. Beautiful Patterns, Rural Scenes, Home Scenes, &c.

800 pieces New Prints, the latest patterns. 40 pieces New Sateens Prints, 10 to 25c.

Over 400 New Ostrich Feathers, about ½ per cent under regular prices.

For the Latest Goods and Lowest Prices always call at

SPENCE & CRUMLETT'S.

March 6. Only One Price. 161 & 176 Princess Street, Opposite City Hotel.

GRAND DRESS GOODS MATINEE

—AT—

WALSH & STEACY'S

WE HAVE THE PLEASURE TO ANNOUNCE that our Spring Stock is now complete, and that we will hold Matinees in this Department this day and every day throughout the Spring Season. Dress Goods in style and price away ahead of all previous years, as we unhesitatingly refer you to every one season's goods over to another bearing in the mind that

NEW AND FASHIONABLE GOODS!

at low prices are better and cheaper than old goods at any price we can therefore say to show you New Goods. Of these goods we make a specialty and we can safely say that we have the LARGEST, CHEAPEST AND PRETTIEST STOCK IN KINGSTON.

A visit to our store will convince any lady of this fact. In French Dress Goods we are showing all the Novelties. In fact we have all that is required to make up the Leading Shoddah, Alhatross, Pamiah, &c. Novelties in Striped and Checked Goods, to be worn with, in the following New Colors. The Terra Cotta, Tiger in Colors, and last but not least Rose, Biscuit, Cornflower Baby and Cadet Blues, three shades; Bronze and Myrtle Green, new shades; New Garnets, Wine and Crushed Strawberry, Purple, Prunes, Myrtle and Sage Greens, Brown, three shades, also beautiful New Light Colorings in Some of Fancy Plaids, Bronze and Steel Effects, and many other New Colorings, the prices ranging for these All Wool Goods from 10c to 40c. We also show extra value in all the fashionable shades of Colored Cashmeres.

A special advantage and one which no doubt every lady will appreciate, is that in buying his Dress Goods from us she can get all the

NEWEST STYLES OF TRIMMINGS

to match. Among the many Novelties showing this Spring we might mention the New Ottoman Goods in Stripes, Brocades and Polka Dots, both in silk and fabric effects, prices being from 60c to $2.00. We are also showing New Colors Embroideries to match all Dress Goods. In Black Dress Goods our stock is replete with all the Newest Materials, including the NEW PEACH CLOTH, also Brocades and Bombazines, &c. &c.

In specifying makes and styles of Dress Goods, we regret that our space will only admit of our mentioning but a few of the many materials and names we have in our stock.

WALSH & STEACY,

March 6 109 PRINCESS STREET.

CHEAPER THAN EVER!

BOWES & BISSONETTE'S

Are Offering New and Handsome Goods at per yard lower than the same may be offered. 200 pieces Fast Colored Prints only 5c per yard. 500 yds Kingston Grey Cottons only 6c yard. Good Knitted Shirts only 25c. Remember we are Kingston Agents for Bowes & Bissonette's Fast Colored Cottons, which are offered to the Public at the same price as other Grey Cottons are sold at. Unbleached Twilled Linen Finished Cotton, 10c per yard. Heavy Linen Towelling at 10c per yard. Fancy Dress Goods at 5c per yard. Job lots of Ribbons, Hosiery, &c., at less than half price.

BOWES & BISSONETTE,

Feb. 28 84 PRINCESS STREET

CHEAP COTTONS! SHEETINGS

—AT—

W—A—L—D—R—O—N'S

Horrock's White Plain Sheetings 4/4 to 10/4.
Horrock's White Twill Sheetings 4/4 to 10/4.
Minnesota Plain & Twill 4/4 to 10/4.
Cable-ended Plain Sheetings very low prices.
Unbleached Twill Sheetings very low prices.
White Linen Sheetings 4/4 yards wide, cheap.
Fisher's Best Scotch Pillow Cottons, 40, 42, 45 inch, 6c each.

Wamsutta Pillow Cottons, 40, 42, 45, 48 inch, at very low prices.
Kingston Grey Cottons, Kingston Cottons, only 5c yard.
A full assortment at Montreal wholesale prices, for cash.

R. WALDRON'S,

Feb. 28. WILSON'S BUILDINGS.

SWEEPING REDUCTIONS IN BOOTS, SHOES AND TRUNKS

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

We will offer our immense stock of BOOTS, SHOES AND TRUNKS at the regular Winter & Spring Prices. This is a genuine sale, and customers may rely on getting Bargains.

THE GOODS MUST BE SOLD

To make room for Spring Stock. It is seldom an opportunity like this is offered to buy the best goods at the prices we are offering them. Cash and no trade prices are for sale. Don't forget the place.

D. F. ARMSTRONG,

Feb. 14. 141 Princess Street, Kingston.

CARPETS! CARPETS!

A. ROSS has just received the above Goods for the coming season and