New Advertisements.

WORDS IN SEASON.

NO. 1.—We cannot expect this mild weather to continue but a few days more at the furthest. While it does last, however, it behooves us to make ample preparation for a long, cold winter filling up the coal bins, putting on double windows, getting ready to answer the question, For whom do you vote? and, what is fully as important as either, overhauling Furs and Fur Garments, putting them in need repairing or remodelling to make suitable Furs to be put in shape for holiday use. This is also the best time of the year to purchase new Furs. Stocks are full and the assortment much better especially Persian, Astrakhan goods and Astrachan Jackets than can be expected later on. BUFFALO ROBES will be found cheaper this season than they have been in years, the price ranging from $6.50 to $12 for extra large robes. Japanese Wolf Robes are also very cheap—if you know just where to buy them, and very many people believe that in all Canada there is no better or cheaper place to buy ROBES, FUR COATS, JACKETS or FURS of any kind than at the

Boston Hat and Fur Store,

Wellington Street, Kingston. This firm makes furriery of every description and pays extra ful attention to the remodelling and repairing of old Furs, and last, but not least, they have the reputation not only of keeping the finest stock but also of selling their goods cheaper than any other house in Kingston. Nov. 21.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Household Furniture, Carpets, Pictures, &c., &c.

I HAVE received instructions from MRS. MARTIN WALSH to sell at her residence, No. 202, corner of Princess and Barrie sts., on

Wednesday, Dec. 12th,

all of her furniture, consisting of parlour set in green and gold repp, marble top centre table, whatnot, pictures, carpets, fine hallgoing hat-tree, extension dining table, black walnut sideboard, lounges, soft and walnut bedroom set, marble top dressing case, mattresses, bedding, china and other chinaware, wax vases (under glass shades), plated knives, glassware, hall and stove, crockery, &c., with a lot of other articles too numerous to mention. Sale at 10.30. Terms cash.

J. R. HUTCHESON,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, Dec. 7. 1883.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Household Furniture.

Have received instructions to sell at the Shop of A. RAMSAY, Tailor, King Street,

On Monday, December 10th,

All of his Household Effects, consisting of R.W. Wardrobe, Bedstead, Pulled Seats, Tapestry Carpets, Bedsteads, Washstands, Cane Chairs, Stoves, Yalesh, Countess Coal Stove, Crockery, &c., &c.

Sale at 10.30. Terms cash.

J. R. HUTCHESON,
Auctioneer.

Kingston, Dec. 7.

AUCTION SALE

Seven Barrels of Bibles, of Samples of Inspector's Tour.

Will be offered for sale by public auction on SATURDAY NEXT, THE 8TH INST., at 10.30 by

J. R. HUTCHESON,
Auctioneer.

Dec. 7.

TENDERS FOR TOLLS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNDERSIGNED UNTIL SATURDAY, the 15th inst., at the hour of 12 o'clock, for the renting of the

TOLLS OF CATARAQUI BRIDGE,

For one year, from the 1st of January, 1884, to the 1st January, 1885.

The highest tender not necessarily accepted. Those tendering must name sureties. Further information can be had by applying to

JOHN SHAW,
Secretary Cataraqui Bridge Co.

Kingston, Dec. 7, 1883.

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Students from twelve different Provinces and States have been in attendance within the past eighteen months. This record, unexcelled by any other institution in America, is the result of the thorough training given and the great success of its graduates. Ladies admitted. Students can enter at any time. Send for our latest circular. Address

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Belleville, Ont.

Dec. 4.

ALDERMANIC ELECTION, 1884.

To the Electors of Sydenham Ward

AT the solicitation of a number of friends I have consented to be a candidate for the Aldermanic Chair for the Ward at the ensuing election, and if elected I will do my best to forward your interests in the Ward. Soliciting your patronage,

I am, yours faithfully,
WM. ADAMS.

Nov. 30.

To the Electors of Sydenham Ward

GENTLEMEN,—I have been requested by a number of the electors to allow myself to be candidate for the Aldermanic Chair for 1884. If elected I will do my best to forward your interests in the Ward.

W. SNOWDEN,
The People's Candidate.

Nov. 29th.

NOTICE.

Bell Telephone Company,

OF CANADA.

Lines are now Open for Conversation and MESSAGES TO

NAPANEE and DESERONTO

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HUGH C. BAKER, Manager Ont. Dept. C. W. STRONG, Agent.

Dec 7th.

INFORMATION WANTED

OF the whereabouts of REBA BABCOCK, aged about 18 years, formerly of Kingston, but latterly of Pittsburgh, Pa., U.S., or in Kingston. Parties knowing of her present whereabouts will confer a favour by communicating with THOMAS BABCOCK, Kingston, who has just returned from California.

Dec. 6

Wanted.

A POSITION AS SALESLADY or cashier in a store. Address B.J., Whig office.

A SMART LAD, who can write well, to office work. Apply through Whig office.

TWO Rooms on the ground floor, either for school purposes or light manufacturing business. Address P.O. box 418.

BOARD—with, by a married couple with 3 children, will rent the front room, furnished, during terms, to R.T.P., Whig office.

TO BUY Small Stock and Tea Trade, also Small Hay, Grain and Produce Business, English, Scotch and Irish Biscuits. Address S. CHEEK, 10 Cleveland Street, N.Y. city.

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OFFICES TO BE LET.—Two rooms in the Anglo Building, with large fire proof vault. Apply to Davies & Shabbah.

Daily British Whig

ENGLAND'S DEBT.

To-day we present the Daily British Whig in an enlarged form, rendered necessary by the pressure of advertisements upon our reading columns. Some of the reports appearing in this issue have been in type for three days, waiting space. The proportions of the sheet are not now as grateful as we could wish, but the change, being temporary, has been effected with the least possible disturbance of mechanical arrangements.

A FRIGHTFUL REVIEW.

Periodically, the Toronto Mail—now edited with greater ability than ever—wakes up its Kingston contemporary and brings it to its senses. In its editorial headed "Preaching from the Pentateuch," our Toronto contemporary yesterday remarked: "A Kingston paper does not like our programme. This is not surprising, as the journal in question is a representative of dyed-in-the-wool Toryism. As such it regards it as a solemn duty to hate and denounce Democracy, but as its comments show it has the barest notion of what Democracy is. Its utterances are a mixture of political platitudes, which to man of common sense would cream of jimjam, rabid Tory sentiments worthy of the days of Family Compacts, and absurd misrepresentations of the position of the intelligent advocates of Democracy."

DRIVING THE ASS.

When, in June, 1882, Sir John Macdonald sprung the election upon the country his friends would not admit that he was dodging the bad times. Press denials, however, by no means satisfied the masses that an insignificant purpose caused the Government to cut short its existing lease of power, to seek re-election a year earlier than they might have done. The Premier would have been considered less shrewd than usual had he waited until the present to again test public opinion.

A Tory Government, even with the assistance of the most outrageous Gerrymander Act, could not fight down the disadvantages of hard times any better than a Liberal Government, and time has proven that the latter was blamed for many offences of which it was not guilty.

A great depression existed during the closing year of Mr. Mackenzie's Government. It was, in truth, the cause of the defeat of that Government. Men got the idea into their heads that Ministers had it in their power to infuse life into trade and create a boom in manufacturing notwithstanding the violation this won't have been of the law of demand and supply. Mr. Mackenzie was honest in expressing the sentiment that the raising of the tariff would not be a correct or enduring panacea for the country's ills, and Sir Richard Cartwright said just what he meant, and what his opponents knew to be true, when he gave utterance to the thought that to remove the commercial prostration the Government of the day was as powerless as a fly in the wheel.

Sir John, the magician, now appeared. He launched the N.P.

It was designed to drive out deflation, create labour, give the workingman good wages all the year round, enrich the employer and make the country prosperous.

The people swallowed the bait.

The times changed about the time the Government changed. The N.P. was credited therewith and Toryism greatly rejoiced. So long as the people thrived they paid their tithes to the Government in high taxation, unmurmuringly, and none were unkind enough to blink at the increase in the public expenditure from $23,000,000 annually to $35,000,000. The extravagance of such a beneficent Government was, of course, to be extended.

The N.P. remains.

But the good times have departed.

We have entered upon another period of depression, the effects of which, despite our fiscal policy, must be severely felt.

Protection has not checked the wave of disaster which has swept over some of the manufacturing centres of the United States, and a high tariff has not kept the hum within the industries of our own country.

The recital of Kingston's experience will not send any sanguine man into ecstacies of delight. Expensive institutions do not run on short time and cut down the wages list without good reason; railway men are not paid less money for their labor unless the local traffic has fallen off; and the mining companies do not limit their productions except when the outlook is more or less discouraging.

Are these things to continue? And if they are what is the Government going to do about them? The Liberal leaders were driven out of office for their alleged incapacity under like circumstances. Can the members of the Tory Government show cause why they should not meet a similar fate?

The cause served to the goose should be served to the gander!

A Delightful Entertainment.

Last night a large number assembled in the lecture room of the Queen Street Methodist Church to witness a stereopticon exhibition given by Mr. George S. Peacock. The scenes were those from the life of Christ, from the Cotter's Saturday Night, and from Ireland, Scotland and other countries in Europe. The audience was a delighted one. During the evening the Sabbath School scholars sang numerous songs.

A Good Thing for Charity.

The lotto interested in the late Orthodox bazaar met yesterday and prepared their financial statement. The receipts were nearer $4,000 than $3,000. After all expenses were paid there was turned over to the Sisters of the House of Providence $2,424.22. This amount will go far to help the poor creatures who depend upon charity during the winter month.

REVIVAL SERVICES.

Last Night's Good Meeting—"Waiting for the Fire"—Mr. Harris' Very Effective Address.

The meeting last night was conducted by the Rev. Harris. The singing was lively and the supplications fervent. Mr. A. Shaw delivered an address on Christian earnestness. He spoke with great fervour and everyone present must have felt the force of his appeals. He is a fluent speaker and we should judge a willing worker.

At the close of his address the Rev. L. Hooker sang a favorite stanza very effectively, after which the

Rev. Mr. Harris said that during the last two days a voice from within had been repeating these words, and he heard it then stronger than ever, "My whole is on the altar: I'm waiting for the fire." "Yes, I'm waiting for the fire," he continued. "I think I hear other voices around me uttering the same words. These voices had caught the cry of Jesus and he is saying, 'I am waiting and ready to send the fire.' Then let it fall, O Lord, upon this congregation. Thou spirit of burning descend in all Thy consuming power and set us all ablaze with Thy glory. We are only ashes for what God has promised. While Peter was preaching on the day of Pentecost the Apostles were praying for the fire, the spirit of burning, to fall upon them. The fire of the Holy Spirit was already burning intensely in Peter's heart and he was warming to his work, getting terribly in earnest. The old Pharisees, who were standing after all, wondered what was the matter with him. They thought that he was intoxicated, but Peter went on preaching Christ and Him crucified, pressing home the indictment against them. 'Ye killed the Prince of Life and Glory.' It soon became evident that a strange power was at work among the people. Conviction like a strong man armed had taken hold of many in the crowd. They felt their guilt, and looking up they saw a person standing beside Peter, whom they at once recognized as the Prince of Life in the moment of his suffering, and they were pricked in their hearts, and a cry was heard such as the world had never heard before. 'Men and brethren what shall we do?' The next moment the glorious message of salvation flashed from the Apostle's lips. 'Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. That is what we are waiting for, and the very object that has brought us here to-night.'

During the delivery of the address there were many hearty responses.

The fellowship meeting that followed had the true ring about it. It was full of life and power. The meeting was brought to a close at 9.30. To-morrow night there will be a short prayer meeting in the basement of the church, half an hour before the service. God's praying hosts are invited to attend.—Con.

A FUTILE JOURNEY.

Looking for Hunt, a Member of a Gang of Thieves—Gone to Michigan.

Police Officer Hinde has returned from his explorations in the back country. He travelled some 70 miles, over roads and through bush, to capture Benjamin Hunt, who, on Nov. 23rd, entered the store of H. Lashley, in Elgin, and, drawing a revolver, demanded all the money the establishment contained. The scene occurred about 8.30 o'clock in the evening. Four men were in the shop at the time.

Mr. Lashley, jr., closed with the man and knocked the revolver out of his hand. The ruffian then fled, followed by Lashley, but the darkness prevented his capture. On the night of this adventure the highwayman left his coat at a house outside of Elgin. A pair of false whiskers were found in the pockets, the same colour as those worn by the man who visited the store. The discovery of the coat was not made until Monday last. Then Mr. Lashley, ascertaining the name of the man, had a warrant issued for his arrest. Hinde was given the case.

After the long journey to Bark Lake it was discovered that Hunt had left the country some eight days before for Michigan. Hunt is one of a very hard gang, the members of which camped some weeks ago in the woods between Jones' Falls and Lyndhurst. Connors, now in the Penitentiary for horse stealing, was Hunt's companion. The gang defied the public. They robbed the farmers right and left. They would not allow any person to approach the camp, but when the gang heard the police were on their track disappeared and have not since been seen. Hunt answers the description of the man who entered Mr. Lake's store at Bedford Junction and threatened him at the point of the revolver.

Take a Run.

It's about time the editor of the *News* could roll his eyes heavenward in holy horror at the supposed action of certain Grits, and pay a little common sense attention to the man by whom the Lemieux party has been shockingly disgraced.

Every decent Conservative in the district is ashamed of him; and Sir John would cut and disown him to-morrow if he dare.

The *News* persists in holding the blasphemous up for hero-worship. First it said he was a repentant sinner, then an angel of light; now he is an enlisted saint and a candidate, we presume, for canonization.

The hope was expressed by some that the sweet and saintly politician would be permitted to slip into some crevice and pull the crevice after him, but the authorized organ of My Lord Bishop has ordered it otherwise!

To-Day's Probabilities.

Strong winds and gales from the south and southwest, mild cloudy weather with rain, followed by cloudy weather, slow and, north-westerly gales by night.

Dr. Benson's Celery and Chamomile Pills are worth their weight in gold to persons and sick headache.—Dr. E. H. Sebelius, of Sidemore.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY.

The Man Who Kicks a Dog Disappears and a Stranger Gets "Thumped" For the Act.

On Wednesday evening there was a dog fight on Princess street near the "Pantry." A crowd collected, and one person, to separate them, kicked one of the canines. This angered Andrew Robinson, who, when partially inebriated, is a most quarrelsome character. He was attended by several companions. Robinson and the man who kicked the dog had considerable "jaw" as they proceeded down street. When Wellington street was reached Robinson turned to speak to a chum and the stranger disappeared. It was now about dusk, and Robinson, in his anxiety for a row, approached a gentleman who stood on the sidewalk, and appeared to be interested in the movements of the crowd. He was asked, "Who are you looking at?" He replied, when Robinson, using a vile epithet, drew his fist back in the act of striking the man whom he supposed to have kicked the dog. He wasn't quick enough. The stranger got in a blow first, knocking Robinson into

A HEAP ON THE STREET.

The friends of Robinson interfered and the visitor, assailed on all sides, took refuge in Crothers' bakery. Here he was followed by the crowd and most disgracefully abused, being kicked and otherwise maltreated. His body was bruised, his eyes blackened and his hat smashed. The call for the police cleared the shop quite rapidly, and the stranger, whose name was Larkin, was duly attended to. The police authorities learned the names of the offenders and lodged information against them. The good name of the city demanded the punishment of them. At the Court this morning only four of the defendants appeared. Robinson was reported to have left the city. The trial proceeded. Two of the alleged

OFFENDERS WERE ACQUITTED.

They had witnessed the row but showed that they took no part in it. The Magistrate fined Matthew Miller and Matthew Campbell $20 and costs each. Both had been drawn into the dispute through the hotheadedness of Robinson, and the Magistrate regretted that he had to fine them.

Robinson was formerly a school teacher, who has repeatedly figured before the Court. He has been fined several times for assaults, and only a few days ago was alleged to have brutally beaten Gunner McMahon, of "B" Battery, in a city saloon. There is at present a sentence for carrying a revolver hanging over him, to say nothing of the present offence. Should he be found he is sure to be severely punished. A friend, who took a prominent part in the row, and whose name is unknown, will also be looked up.

DIOCESE OF ONTARIO.

A Summary of the Latest Actions of Committees—State of Funds, etc.

The Bible Class of Rev. Hy. Wilson, of St. George's, has been entirely discontinued in his absence, it being considered his own peculiar work.

The Ladies' Working Society of St. George's met this afternoon.

The sermon of the Rev. Dr. Bedford Jones, at St. James' Church, on Wednesday evening, was so forcible in its illustrations of the vanity of earthly things and the weakness of mortality, many of them drawn from the grave, as to make it a notable one.

The Rev. W. D. Mercer, late of Mountain, assumes the charge of Franktown Rectory on Sunday next, in place of Rev. S. Tighe, appointed to Lansdowne. The Rev. C. O'Dell Bayley, of Clarendon, has just been appointed to Mountain.

Twenty-two parishes are in default in collections for the Divinity Students' Fund, yet there is $412 on hand.

The committee upon the division of the Diocese have reported that the House of Bishops had agreed to the project, provided an adequate episcopal endowment was secured. The committee recommended that $4,000 a year be the endowment, and that the Archdeacons draw up a statement for the Bishop to issue as a pastoral to the whole Diocese.

In the last three months $440 has been paid in widows' and orphans' pensions; and there is a balance of $152 in bank.

The proposed Centenary Church at Adolphustown is to be a memorial to the U.E. Loyalists who landed there one hundred years ago. It is to replace an old church, rapidly going to ruin.

The Chancellor is empowered to act on the petition of South Plantagenet parish for permission to sell a church lot. The walls of the old church at Melrose have been demolished.

The Rev. W. Lewin has been added to the beneficiaries of the Clergy Trust Fund. Its capital is $281,020; its income $14,800.13. Next year another stipend may be bestowed.

The Archdeacon of Ottawa has received many subscriptions towards the payment of the rent of the Bishop's residence at Ottawa. Rural Dean Lewis has been appointed to make a travelling tour in the interest of a permanent See House at Kingston, a substitute to be temporarily placed in his parish. If a new diocese is formed the proportion of the subscriptions from that section will be returned to it.

A RASCAL'S PLOT.

A Conspirator Turns Witness and Makes a Highly Damaging Confession.

London, Dec. 7.—Wolff and Beudar and were to-day again arraigned at the Bow Street Police Court, charged with conspiracy to blow up the German Embassy. Jacob Kainburn, who was charged with being implicated in the plot and afterwards accepted as a witness, testified that Wolff had asked him to buy the powder with which to blow up the German Embassy, that Wolff had said he intended the explosion should exceed in effect the explosion at the Praed Street Station of the Underground Railway, and that there was no danger of their being arrested because the police were scoundrels and intended to obtain a reward, which they would share with them.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

A LIVELY MEETING.

Montreal, Dec. 7.—A meeting of the shareholders of the Exchange Bank is called for this afternoon, when a lively time is expected.

LAST WEEK'S FAILURES.

New York, Dec. 7.—237 failures were reported in the past week against 242 last week. The increase is principally in the Western and Southern States and in Canada.

A FARMER MURDERED.

Cork, Dec. 7.—The body of a farmer with the head smashed has been found in the highway at Millstreet, a small village about twenty miles north-west of Cork.

SAILS FOR AMERICA.

London, Dec. 6.—It is reported that the woman who accompanied O'Donnell to the Cape of Good Hope, sailed to-day for New York with a well dressed man.

AN AMEROUS PARSON.

Fair Haven, Ohio, Dec. 7.—Rev. J. C. Campbell, aged 55, has been suspended from the United Presbyterian Church. He is charged with hugging and kissing the young women of his congregation.

FIRE IN CONSTANTINOPLE.

Constantinople, Dec. 6.—The fire destroyed 600 houses, a Greek Church and four Jewish synagogues. A snow storm was prevailing at the time of the fire, which added greatly to the sufferings of the people.

AN ENTIRE RUMOR.

Paris, Dec. 7.—The statement that the Chinese Ambassador sent a note to the Prime Minister, asking for the suspension of operations in Tonquin, is untrue. No notes passed between them since Nov. 30th.

TESTING THE CANTILEVER BRIDGE.

Niagara Falls, Dec. 7.—G. H. Burrows, Superintendent of the Western Division of the New York Central and Hudson River Railway, crossed the cantilever bridge with his hog-back special pony engine. The Grand Trunk engines greeted the locomotive with their whistles.

CANADIAN PEAS ADMITTED FREE.

Washington, Dec. 7.—The Collector of Customs at Rochester had classified an invoice of peas as garden seeds, assessing 20 per cent. duty. Chase Bros., who imported them from Canada, appealed, claiming that they were not garden seeds, and were entitled to admission free. Secretary Folger sustains this view.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Last Night's and To-Day's Reports Condensed Down for Our Busy Readers.

Toronto University is pressing its claim to state aid.

Hon. G. A. Kirkpatrick has returned to Kingston from Ottawa.

A Hong Kong despatch says another mob has destroyed the chapel built by the native Christians at Canton.

A Russian loan of fifty million roubles, bearing six per cent. interest has all been covered.

Emile Welti, (Liberal) now Vice President, has been elected President of Switzerland.

Pike County bank has failed. It is said it will pay 50c. on the dollar. One of the officers of the bank is charged with speculating in its funds.

The United States is not pleased at Britain's establishment of naval stations in some parts of the world.

All but two students who left the National College of Pharmacy in Washington because a colored man was admitted have returned.

An Ogdensburg despatch says it is reported that Gen. N. M. Curtis has failed; liabilities $30,000.

Four hundred Tanktonians Indians have left their reservation.

Rev. John O'Bache, New York, of Grace Church, Harlem, was garroted and robbed of $800, a gold watch and diamond.

A Havana letter says great dissatisfaction exists among the people of Cuba, but there is no prospect of an open insurrection.

Four or five horse thieves have been lynched by Vigilants near Ainsworth, Nebraska. One of the bodies hung so low that the wolves ate part of it.

The Workingmen's Association of Lynn, Mass., has issued an appeal calling upon the workmen to organize and nominate a candidate for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency.

KINGSTON IS SELECTED.

Matches for the Championship of the Province to be Played To-morrow.

Kingston is becoming a centre of foot ball circles. Throughout the sporting world her name is known in connection with the well-earned successes of her three College teams. Some few of our readers may not even yet know that the matches which decide the possession of the championship cup for Ontario are to be played on the Cricket Field to-morrow. This arrangement was not made without difficulty. The Toronto men opposed it, but Kingston was selected.

On Saturday morning at 9 o'clock the Bowmanville will meet Queen's. These teams have met before and the Western men yielded victory very doggedly. They have ever since been aching for another kick so that a stubborn contest between "weight" and "skill" may be looked for.

At 2:30 o'clock the Knox College team, Toronto champions, meet the winners of the morning match. It will put Queen's at a disadvantage if they have to play two matches on the same day, but we hope they will be so unfortunate. We need say nothing of the Knox College team. They are all veterans. There will be any amount of fine play, excitement and general fun so that every one who loves to see a manly game should be on the Cricket Field to-morrow.

Queen's team is: Goal, Dunning; backs, Irving and McCardel; half-backs, Heslop and Booth; forwards right, McLeod (Captain) and Bertram; forwards centre, Young and Dyde; forwards left, Mitchell and Pierin; spare men, Chown Kennedy and Marquis.

Important.

The Excelsior Rupture Treatment was introduced to the American people several years ago by furnishing the remedy to those afflicted with Hernia in any of its forms and collecting no pay until permanent cure was effected. In this way the treatment gained a world wide reputation on its own merits, never failing to cure any reducible Hernia. The Company has placed the remedy on sale by all druggists in the United States, Canada and England, in this way bringing it within the reach of all classes at a trifling cost. Ask your druggist for a free book or send six cents for one to the Excelsior Rupture Cure Manufacturing Co., Ogdensburg, N.Y.

AN ABDUCTION CASE.

Captain Gordon's Exploits with Addie Brennan—Refusal of Ministers and Mayors to Marry.

New York, Dec. 6.—A dark complexioned, medium-sized man and a girl in a short dress were introduced into Mayor Edson's office on Monday. The man said he wanted to be married. The Mayor asked where the bride was. The man replied, pointing to the girl. The Mayor looked at her a moment, said she was a mere child, and declined to perform the ceremony. The couple then went away. They were Captain George I. Gordon and 13-year-old Addie Brennan, of Astoria.

Gordon had met Addie in the morning on her way to school. She went with him to a jeweller's where he was acquainted, and where he asked for a wedding ring. A cheap one was shown to him and he took it. He left the school books which Addie carried, but he did not pay for the ring. Gordon then walked with the child to Rev. Mr. Phillips, a Baptist minister. He said to the minister at dinner that he was going to marry Addie Brennan, and he wanted him to perform the ceremony. Mr. Pillips declined, saying Addie was only a child.

Mrs. Phillips says she lectured Addie upon the impropriety of the step she was taking. The Captain fitted the ring to the child's finger, and asked Mrs. Phillips how she liked it. Addie said it did not fit her well. The Captain told Mrs. Phillips to get his travelling bag, which she did. Then he and the girl went down the walk and took the cars for Hunter's Point.

Captain Gordon has been in the office of the Robinson Consolidated Mining Company, at 34 William street, for three months. He had no position of trust.

At midnight last night Policeman Morris found Captain Gordon and Miss Addie Brennan in Taylor's Hotel, Jersey City. The Captain was charged with abduction and placed in a cell.

"On Monday morning she came to me," he said, "and told me that Mr. Brennan was not treating her right. She asked me if I could not get her a situation with some family. Knowing her to be a good and smart girl I told her if she was willing I would make her my wife and would take good care of her. She consented and I took her to a minister in the town, but he said she was too young and refused to marry us. We then went to Mayor Edson in New York and he, too, declined to unite us. We then came to Jersey City and put up at Taylor's Hotel, where we remained up to the time of my arrest. We would have been married to-morrow."

"I love Addie," he concluded, "and intend to make her my wife."

The girl, when spoken to by the reporter, corroborated Captain Gordon's statement.

"I know that the Captain loves me," she said as she burst into tears, "and I don't see why my people should object to his marrying me."

The couple are registered at the hotel as Captain George I. Gordon and wife, Baltimore.

Gordon was arraigned. The charge was abduction. He declared he loved the child and handed to the court what he said would be his last will and testament, dated November 10, bequeathing all his property to Addie and requesting his relatives not to contest the will. The document was valueless, having but one witness. The court remanded the prisoner.

CARLISLE ON TARIFF.

The People Have Not Got What They Want—Probable Change.

New York, Dec. 7.—The *World's* Washington had an interview last night with Carlisle regarding his position on the tariff. Carlisle thinks the tariff law of last year did not satisfy. The general opinion of the country is in favor of tariff reduction. The influence of the manufacturers had too much effect in modifying the Bill. The tariff Commission, he said, agreed that there should be a reduction of 25 per cent., and that this reduction was demanded by business interests. Carlisle believes merely in securing the reduction that the Conservative interests of the country demand. He believes that ultimately the customs duties must be collected for the public uses only, and is desirous of returning to what he considers a healthy financial system in such a way as will best enable the business interests to adjust themselves to the new condition of things.

Des Moines, Dec. 7.—At a meeting the Iowa Free Trade League yesterday enthusiastic reports of the progress of work among the people were received. The Secretary was instructed to prepare an address of congratulation upon the election of Carlisle to the Speakership, urging that no steps be taken which will disturb the business interests and urging that a thorough reform of the tariff should begin at once.

A LEGAL POINT.

A Protest of Attorney-General James in the O'Donnell Case.

London, Dec. 6.—Sir Henry James, Attorney-General, has written a letter to Lord Chief Justice Coleridge, taking exceptions to the conduct of the counsel for the defence in the O'Donnell case. The Attorney-General suggests that should counsel in future cases attempt to interject statements which are in the nature of evidence the Justice before whom the case is being tried shall inform counsel that such pleading is inadmissible, and will not be permitted; should an appeal be taken from this ruling the question to be decided by the full court. Had Justice Denman, he says, objected to the statement made by Mr. Charles Russell in his opinion of the O'Donnell case, the defence appealed, and the full Bench decided the words admissible, O'Donnell would have been acquitted. The Lord Chief Justice, in reply, says that in November, 1881, the Judges decided by a vote of nineteen against two that such statements should not be allowed, which decision had probably escaped Justice Denman's memory.

A BAD ACCIDENT.

A Man Unfortunately Loses Both Legs on Ontario Central Railway.

Trenton, Dec. 6.—A sad accident occurred last evening on the Central Ontario Railway. A gang of about twenty-five railway navies are living in a house near the railway track, the most of whom are Italians. One of these undertook to cross the rails about five o'clock when a construction train was near at hand. The locomotive struck him with great violence. The unfortunate victim was thrown across the rail and the train passed over his legs. His comrades came to his assistance and carried him into the tent, when a messenger was despatched for Dr. Day. Without relatives or friends in this country and almost destitute of money his case is a sad one.

He Speaks From Experience.

R. N. Wheeler, of Everton, some 6 years ago was attacked with a severe form of inflammation of the lungs, leaving him with a severe cough. He speaks highly of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, which cured him, the complaint not having troubled him since.

THE POCASSET TRAGEDY.

Freeman Killing His Daughter, so he Believed, by Command of the Lord.

Boston, Dec. 7.—Charles F. Freeman, of Pocasset, the religious lunatic, was placed on trial for the second time for the murder of his daughter Edith. He was judged insane and sentenced to the Danvers Insane Asylum for life. Freeman first lived in Lynn, where he married his present wife. Thence he moved to Pocasset, where he engaged in extensive farming. He was admitted to the Methodist Church, on probation, but afterward separated from it with several other members who embraced the Second Advent doctrine. Freeman became terribly in earnest in this new belief. He thought that the Lord demanded as a proof of his faith that he sacrifice his young child. He brooded over this until it became a reality, and on the evening of May 1st, 1879, after a quarrel with his wife, he deliberately entered the room where little Edith lay, drew down the clothes, and drove a sharp knife six inches into her left breast, puncturing the heart and killing her instantly. After the murder was committed he acknowledged to Dr. J. A. Smith that he killed her by command of the Lord. He was subsequently tried, adjudged insane and confined in the Danvers Insane Asylum. Some time afterward he was pronounced sane, and since that time has been in gaol awaiting his trial. A second time he was adjudged insane and will be sent to an asylum.

A MATRIMONIAL VENTURE.

A Man Man Hired to Marry a Wild Woman—Escape After the Ceremony.

Erie, Pa., Dec. 7.—A young lady of refined appearance, giving her name as Amelia A. Reeve, of Cincinnati, accompanied by a man 10 years her senior, giving the name of Charles Traynor, of Utica, N.Y., entered the court of Judge Freeman and announced her desire to be united in the bonds of matrimony, her companion meanwhile standing beside her the picture of sheepishness. After the preliminary questions were asked the marriage rite was performed and the Judge declared the couple man and wife. The lady then turned to her husband and quietly but coldly intimated that he wasted too much time. The latter was unheritsed and the man, bidding the lady good-bye, left the room. After his departure, the lady, remarking to the Judge that some explanation was due him of the proceeding, said: "There is nothing wrong in all this, no crime, no despair, nothing tragic. I simply put it out of my power to say 'yes' to the only man on earth it would hurt me most to marry. For private reasons I cannot marry this gentleman without bringing great sorrow upon him and me in the future, and to place myself beyond reach of temptation I have married this stranger. This is all there is in it. It is not likely that I shall see this man Traynor again. He perfectly understands that he was hired to marry me and then go about his business." After repeating the Judge to inform the newspapers of the marriage, and laying a $20 gold piece upon the table the lady left the court room. The Judge suspects that Reeve is not her real name or Cincinnati her home, and that insanity is the trouble she feared to bring upon herself and the man she loves.

☞ Your Skin Cure is superexcellent it is fast curing my daughter's ring worm, which had spread all over her body.—Mrs. E. L. D. Morrison, Blue Hill, Mass. Druggists keep it. $1 per package.

A Child's Opinion. A Fact.

STANLEY —— had recovered from a very serious illness, brought on by too close application to his books, in his earnest endeavors to outstrip his little schoolmates in the race after knowledge.

His little brother Percy, a youth of three summers, as was quite natural, held a very high opinion of the medicine (Robinson's Phosphorized Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Lactophosphate of Lime) that had produced such gratifying results,—but, at the same time had a very warm affection for it on his own private account. After having enjoyed sundry "refreshments" from the nearly empty bottle, which by common consent had descended to him, he critically holds it up between his eye and the light, and with the air of a chief justice remarks,—"Mamma, I like cat better'n lobster."

Little Percy's just appreciation is a very general one among the children who have once taken "Robinson's Emulsion."

Nonesuch Washing Compound.

Is unlike any of the ordinary crystal preparations in its composition and action. It is the only Compound, we believe, that will without any injurious effects thoroughly cleanse all fabrics. Its use dispenses with the great labour and fatigue incident to washing in the ordinary way. It never fails to satisfy. For sale by all grocers.

A First Class Almanac—1884.

Z. Prevost, of the New York Clothing Store, is giving away free to all who will call at his store, a first class almanac for 1884. In it are hundreds of receipts for household use. Every house ought to have one, as they contain valuable information.

BE ASTUTE in time, and do not allow what may appear to you as a simple back ache now, to run into a disease of the kidneys, which invariably proves fatal in the end. Dr. Van Buren's Kidney Cure will at once ease your pain and positively prevent these unfortunate results. Take it at once. Any druggist will have it.

After Twenty Years.

A. Lough of Alpena, Michigan, was afflicted for twenty years with dyspepsia and general debility. All treatment failed until he tried Burdock Blood Bitters, which gave him speedy and permanent relief.

BIRTH.

In Kingston, on Dec. 6th, the wife of Captain E. Beaupre, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

At Demorestville, on Dec. 3rd, James Palmateer to Caroline Laughlin, both of Demorestville.

Kingston Retail Market.

Flour—		Cheese—	Per lb
Patent	$7 00 to 7 50	Factory	0 11
Superfine	5 50	Butter—	
Fall wheat	0 00	Pound rolls	0 25
Spring	0 00	Tub	0 25
Strong bkrs	5 50	Firkin	0 25
Family	5 00	Tierces	0 25
Ont. bakers	4 00	Crocks, lb	0 22
Oatmeal	5 00	Crocks, doz	0 50
Corn Meal	1 80	Eggs—	
Buckwheat	0 00	Chickens, lb	0 15
Bran, ton	15 00	Ducks, lb	0 15
Shorts, ton	16 00	Turkeys, lb	0 15
Groceries, cwt	4 00	Geese, lb	0 15
Provisions—		Pork—	
Beef	0 00	Fresh	0 08
Mutton	0 00	Mess	0 00
Lamb, hind	0 00	Salted	0 00
do fore	0 00	Smoked	0 00
Mutton, lb	0 06	Smoked, cut	0 00
Veal, lb	0 06	Wood, per cord	6 00
Beef—		Hides—	
Sirloin	0 14	No. 1	0 00
Roast	0 12	No. 2	0 00
Steak	0 12	No. 3	0 00
Veal, lb	0 06	Calf skins	0 00
Chickens, lb	0 08	Sheepskins	0 00
Ducks, lb	0 08	Lambskins	0 00
Turkey, lb	0 08	Tallow, lb	0 04
Pork, fresh	0 07	Lard, lb	0 10
Ham—		Tallow—	
Cured	0 12	Rendered	0 05
Smoked	0 12	Rough	0 03
Bacon—		Wool—	
Cured	0 11	Fleece	0 00
Pickled	0 09	Pelts	0 00
Lard	0 10	Potatoes	0 60
Tallow	0 05	Turnips	0 20
Wood—		Onions	0 00
Cord	5 00	Apples, bbl	1 50
Cord, tops	3 00	Apples, bush	0 00
Hay, ton	0 00	Beans	1 75
Straw, ton	0 00	Peas	0 00
Potatoes	0 60	Barley	0 00
Turnips	0 20	Oats	0 00
Onions	0 00	Buckwheat	0 00
Apples	1 50	Rye	0 00
Beans	1 75	Dressed hogs	7 00
Peas	0 00	Beef, hind	0 00
Barley	0 00	Beef, fore	0 00
Oats	0 00	Spring lambs	0 00
Buckwheat	0 00	Veal	0 00
Rye	0 00	Turkeys	0 00
Dressed hogs	7 00	Geese	0 00
Beef, hind	0 00	Ducks	0 00
Beef, fore	0 00	Chickens	0 00
Spring lambs	0 00	Partridges	0 00
Veal	0 00		
Turkeys	0 00		
Geese	0 00		
Ducks	0 00		
Chickens	0 00		
Partridges	0 00		

Note that there is a reliable remedy for kidney