Daily British Whig.

Under our Urban Door.

The St. Catharines *News* seems to think that in delaying the publication of the return of the recent election in Kingston, Sir John was but showing that since his defeat by Mr. Gunn in 1878 he has had a sore spot in his breast. The circumstance has a still greater significance, if our inference be the correct one.

The London *Free Press* editorially points out that railway building tends to the development of a country. The sentiment is good, but a little remarkable when aired by a journal which recently found fault with the Ontario Government because it did not accumulate all its surpluses, instead of distributing them among the people, no less than $5,362,910 being donated to the development of the Provincial railway system.

The *Mail* calls Hon. Mr. Mowat a donkey, and says he is browsing quietly but with his ears uneasy. It further alludes to his followers as "bummers and bailiffs," not very choice language for the organ of the gentleman's party. "Now," says *Telegram*, "whatever people's opinions about politics may be, we must not overlook the fact that Mr. Mowat and his colleagues are the chosen Ministers of the Crown in this Province, and that they are representative men. Their public policy may be assailed as much as you like, but it is simply disgraceful that they should be held up to the gaze of the people of other countries as rowdies and reprobates. The chief Tory organ could hardly use worse language if it were referring to a batch of pickpockets and blacklegs, than it uses when discussing the members of the Ontario Government. It is really disgraceful."

Some of the Conservative journals have fallen foul of Auditor General McDougall. He did not certify to an advance of salaries to members of the Civil Service at Ottawa whose promotions dated from June 1st. He had a duty to perform, namely, to stop the payment of all monies which were not authorized, and to report the facts to the Finance Minister. The promotion of the disaffected officials might have taken place, but the routine of passing an Order-in-Council in regard to the increased pay had been overlooked. Mr. McDougall, therefore, had but one course to pursue under the circumstance. He incurred the displeasure of certain unreasonable persons, but he avoided the censure that would have been his due had he submitted to their dictation and proceeded illegally in order to be considered a jolly good fellow. The very fact that he has hewn to the line letting the chips fall where they may shows that he has the firmness to act up to the letter of the law. The Government should give him credit for his honesty of purpose rather than remove him as some of the party hacks would like it to do.

### CIVIL SERVICE REFORM

A half hearted effort is being made on the American side to bring about reform in the Civil Service. The necessity for such a thing has been admitted repeatedly, and every President since Grant has publicly declared it to be his intention to undertake the work. Garfield, of sainted memory, manifested a desire to fulfil his promises, to practically demonstrate the sincerity of his opinions. He inaugurated a policy the effects of which have been demonstrated in a recent case. N. W. Curtis, of the New York Custom House, has been convicted of an offence of receiving political contributions from office holders, a violation of the Statute of Congress, and sentenced to pay a fine of $1,000. Mr. Curtis was not, of course, inclined to peacefully submit, and disputed the validity of the proceedings of the Court by which he was punished. The Circuit Court now says the conviction is constitutional. Two further appeals can be made, one to the Supreme Court, and one to the President, who can, if he choose, overlook such trifles as congressional statutes and pardon the offender. There is reason to expect leniency from His Excellency, remembering that he was once in a position similar to Curtis, and that he probably made the payment of political assessment obligatory so far as his subordinates were concerned.

Perhaps Arthur may disappoint his friend and too faithful copyist, but if so it will not be because he has not been disposed to do party favors, if we are to believe the half of what has been told of him in reference to the Star Route scandal. The Kellogg episode is one of the spiciest and latest. The venerable Senator, who has had a somewhat versatile career and commands great influence, was greatly irritated at the evidence of one Walsh. It is related that he finally decided upon a determined course. He took a carriage, went to the White House, and had a confidential talk with the President. He said: "I want this thing stopped right now. If you propose to let that man Bliss go ahead and indict me on the testimony of that ——— scoundrel Walsh, I will resign my seat in the United States Senate quicker than a flash, and that will leave your Senate in the hands of the Democrats." He explained to the President his connection with Walsh. He had borrowed money of him as a broker, and their relations were such as any public man would be justified in holding with a broker. 'Now,' said Kellogg, 'I did not come up here to threaten or anything of that sort. I merely show you the position I take. If this thing goes any further I resign.'" This is given as one of the explanations for the sudden dropping of the case.

In Canada a move has been made towards the operation of the Act passed at the last session of Parliament for the improvement of the Civil Service. A Board of Examiners is being appointed, and the papers prepared by it promotions are to be governed. Time alone will show to what extent politics will affect that which should be governed by merit.

### MARINE INTELLIGENCE

**Shortage Question Discussed—Places to Blame Pointed Out—Action on Overpluses.**

The schr. George Suffel, with 120 tons of coal, has arrived. The coal is for R. Crawford.

The rate given on coal from Oswego and other Lake Ontario ports to Kingston is 25c. per ton, free in and out.

Several vessels, which came from Chicago, have been chartered to ship coal at Oswego for return cargoes, at $1.50 per ton.

The yacht Sport has been thoroughly repaired at Ogdensburg and is once more upon the water in the vicinity of Alexandria Bay.

The schr. Two Brothers, whose cargo is consigned to the Montreal Transporta. Co., 6,000 bushels of wheat, has arrived from Port Hope.

The steambarges Bedford and Nile have brought from the canal ties, which they are discharging into the schr. Norman for Oswego; rate, 4c. each.

The schr. John Magee carries 21,000 bu. of wheat from Toledo to Kingston at 5c. This is the highest rate yet paid from Toledo to Kingston. She has passed through the Canal.

The steamer Magnet received her new crosshead, and was ready this afternoon to resume her trips. She made a trip around the harbor prior to leaving for Rochester.

There has been very little damaged grain this year so far. If vessels are allowed to load as they like this fall there will be plenty of it in fact some vessels may go down with all the grain in them.

For the K. & M. Forwarding Company the prop. Europe discharged 6,000 bush. wheat from Chicago, and the prop. Dominion 4,000 bush. wheat from Toledo. When lightened both proceeded to Montreal.

The schr. B. W. Folger came in this morning with 228 tons coal, from Sodus Point. The schr. Oliver Mowat came in light, from the same port, and the Speedwell, light, from Ogdensburg.

The tug Champion clears for Montreal with seven barges carrying a combined cargo of 150,000 bushels of wheat. The tug Glide has arrived from Montreal with five barges, carrying 1,000 tons of railway iron. The tug cleared with two barges, light, for Oswego, to load coal.

It was the steamer Princess Louise that picked up the yacht Belladonna off Garden Island. She towed the craft to Kingston. In crossing the channel the swells made by the steamer John Thorn broke her bowsprit. It is currently reported that the yacht "threw up the Belladonna, and for revenge on a young druggist that named her such, put him under water.

The steam barge Business has successfully passed through the Welland Canal. She had to lighten 15,000 bushels. This afternoon Folger Bros. received a telegram asking that a man be sent to the head of Simcoe Island to pilot the big boat into the harbour. The vessel is drawing 15 feet of water. She can easily be discharged at the K. & M. wharf. There are 30 feet of water there.

There has been a great deal said about shortages at this port, but the public must remember that the question has been brought up simply to show the absurdity of the customs regulations by which payment is demanded upon all shortages over 20 bushels, besides taxing the 20 bushels that, in another case, would have been exempted. The fact of the matter is there have only been three or four shortages, forty bushels being the largest amount in any case. These shortages occurred in cargoes of 20,000 and 22,000 bushels. On enquiry at the Forwarding Company's office we learn that the heaviests shortages were those of the schooners Oades, Mitchell, Emerald and M. J. Cummings. Of course if the overpluses were totalled they would average more than the shortages. This morning after the schooner Westside was discharged it was discovered that she had 400 bushels more than her bill of lading called for. She took in her cargo at Chicago. The question naturally arises, How does this occur? Some vessel will have to be short the amount the Westside is over. The majority of the mistakes are made in Chicago and Toledo, and dozens of instances can be given to prove the statement. In May last the schooner O. M. Bond, on delivering her cargo here, was 734 bushels 40 lbs. short. The Captain was amazed; on careful investigation it was ascertained that the elevating company in Chicago were to blame, and they footed the bill. The schooner Sligo last fall, from Toledo, was 886 bushels and 40 lbs. short of what she was supposed to have. The mistake was traced up; the error happened in the weighing at the elevator. It was rectified in the same way as that of the schr. O. M. Bond. The Companies supplying cargoes should be more exact in their measurement, and the forwarding companies would then be saved great trouble.

**Spread of Contagious Disease.**

To-day a member of "B" Battery, named Grange was sent to the Hotel Dieu Hospital, suffering from diptheria. It is supposed that he caught the disease from clothing picked up in the lake and thought to have floated from Amherst Island. Enquiry shows that after the little boy of Mr. Glen, who died in the hospital here, was brought from the island in a small boat the pillow slips and other wraps were thrown into the lake instead of being burned. These being picked up the contagious disease was contracted. Dr. Saunders intends to make a close investigation this afternoon, and then have all the clothing packed up and destroyed.

The Glen family, in the hospital, have nearly recovered, and we understand to-morrow will leave for home. The Sisters of Charity have also recovered.

LATER.—Dr. Saunders reports that two weeks ago some bedding was picked up off Point Frederick. Dr. Neilson refused to allow it to be brought into the barracks, and had it destroyed, but the disease must have been contracted meantime. The bedding in the barracks, upon which Grange lay, has also been destroyed.

### SAINT GEORGE'S PIC-NIC

**The Winners in the Sports and Games—Home Without an Accident—A Splendid Gathering.**

The night was not less pleasant than the day, and though the return was made uncommonly early in obedience to the inexorable will which steamboat companies exercise, (though Captain Hinckley kindly stretched his time three quarters of an hour) the pic-nic was voted a very pleasant one. No disagreeable incidents marked the occasion save the unruly conduct of four or five young men upon the return of the last boat. They did not, however, succeed in creating the serious disturbance they evidently desired, but the Society should take steps to punish them, all the same, as an example. It should not be left to private prosecution.

Over 1,000 persons were upon the ground, an improvement upon some previous years, but a sufficient decline from early pic-nics of this order to show that they are gradually playing out. The St. George's Society were pioneers in this class of entertainment, but it is now so generally followed as to make it only an object on holidays.

The mishap to the Belladonna in the Second Class race, and the rescue by McCorkell's Letter C. ruled both boats out, and the Amelia after rounding the tower gave up as there would be little sport in a walk over on such a rough day. If these boats desire to run again the prize will be held open for them, and a course chosen in a less open sea.

The upset of the Belladonna was seen from the pic-nic ground, but there was only a small skiff there with which to go to the rescue. While the pionickers were watching the rescue they saw a smaller boat capsize and mysteriously right itself. It is said to have been built with water tight compartments.

The Garfield and Hebe started in the yacht race at 12:45, and, therefore, in completing the course at 4:30 the former did some remarkably good sailing, besides proving that a four hours race is not one that twelve ton yachts should seriously object to. The disabled Hebe came in forty minutes later, but is entitled to considerable time allowance. In all probability the champion cup be given to Captain Curtis and the flag to Major Fairtlough.

THE SPORTS AND GAMES.

The dancing platform attracted the most of the pic nicers, but the sports and games were attended with a considerable interest. The winners were:

Boys' Race, under 16 years, six entries. First, Richard Wright; second, John Martin; third, J. Perryman.

Boys' Race, under 12 years, eighteen entries. First, Allan Ray; second, John Mills.

Girls' Race, under 16 years, ten entries—First, Alice Gimman; second, N. Mitter.

Girls' Race, under 12 years, eight entries—First, Vinie Stamford; second, Annie Woods.

Boys' Three legged Race, five entries—First, H. Holder and Sam. Reid; second, P. Milne and M. Lovett.

Men's Three legged Race, four entries—First, Robert Joyce and Thos. Little; second, Fred. Strange and J. Gildersleeve.

Boys' Sack Race, thirteen entries—First, John Martin; second, Thomas Pugh.

Men's Sack Race, Six entries—First, J. Martin; second, H. Stobart.

Boys' Race, under 10 years, eighteen entries—First, Bert. Nuttall; second, Thos. Johnston; third, A. Routley and T. Jones, given equal prizes.

Girls' Race, under 10 years, fourteen entries—First, Matilda Leadbeater; second, Minnie McCullough; third, L. Davis.

Special—Putting the heavy stone, four entries—First, S. Harkness; second, M. Carnovsky.

Half Mile Race, five entries—First, John Cochrane; second, W. Watts.

300 Yards Race, six entries—First, H. Coburn; second, W. Watts.

Society's Race, six entries—First, W. Hinds; second, Wm. Allison; third, J. Green.

Old Man's Race, 200 yards, eight entries—First, Thos. Abbott; second, D. Funnell.

Quoit Competition, four entries—First, W. Miller; second, D. Funnell.

Military Race, 400 yards, open to men of "B" Battery—First, Driver Stone; second, John Cochrane.

Hurdle Race, eight entries—First, H. Coburn, second, H. Strange; third, W. Watts.

Firemen's Race, 200 yards, (handicapped) five entries—First, S. Harkness; second, C. Asselstine.

Greasy Pole, fourteen entries—Pat Rooney.

Three Rising Jumps, eleven entries—First, M. Keeleher; second, John Pidgeon.

The hurdle race was a particularly good one and the 500 yards and half mile race were also worth seeing. Edward Spooner was first easily in the old man's race, but was ruled out as under 50 years of age. Mr. S.S. Phippen made a good third. Mr. Norris, the enterprising contractor, did not get a favourable start.

There were not sufficient entries for the tug of war between firemen and policemen. The greased pole afforded a large amount of amusement. The flag was not an easy trophy to capture.

There will be a goodly surplus to add to the benevolent funds of the Society.

**Another Phonographer Speaks.**

SIR,—Your correspondent "Phonography" says "it is well to keep the distinction between the corresponding and the reporting styles constantly in view." This is quite true as to the Pitman systems, but as we now have a beautiful system, the books for which can be obtained cheaply, in which both corresponding and reporting styles are precisely alike, and being much easier learned than Pitman's it would, in my judgment, be a waste of time for a beginner to endeavor to master the perplexities of any of Pitman's, Munson's or Graham's systems. I enclose samples of the system I allude to viz "Everett's shorthand for general use.

Yours truly,

CALIGRAPHY.

July 26th.

**Kingston's Battle.**

The battle is over, the big Gunn has won; the Tories now will please sing mum, and Mockridge will make his pants "hum," and $10 will buy an all wool serge suit, if you'll come to the Little Giant Tailor Shop.

ELECTRICITY is nature's own remedy for disease. It cures easily and simply. No nauseous medicines to take; no bitter pills; no, the belts are to be used as directed, and new vigor, new life pervades the exhausted system. A cure guaranteed in 99 cases out of a hundred. Only obtained at the Pharmacy, Heath & Gunn's old stand. See advt. in another column.

## A SLIGHT SKIRMISH.

**The British Have the Worst of it—Important Engagement Imminent—Arabi's Advance.**

Constantinople, July 27.—It is stated that the Sultan has decided to denounce Arabi as a traitor. The Sultan received Dervisch Pacha very coldly and complained that he did not persuade Seymour to delay the bombardment of Alexandria.

Alexandria, July 27.—A tremendous conflagration has broken out in Alexandria. At 2 o'clock this morning as seen from the harbor the fire seems to be larger than any since the bombardment.

DISCOURAGING OFFICIAL NEWS.

An official telegram from the rebel Government dated Cairo, July 26th, says: "Armaments continue on an extensive scale. Volunteers are arriving from the upper and lower Egypt. Some chiefs of the Bedouins, who prior to the bombardment were known as partisans of the Khedive, have promised fidelity, and all the best classes of Mussulmans, including the Prince and Princesses of the Khedive's family, are now in Cairo aiding the Government. The ladies have formed a committee for the preparation of lint. The British have been defeated in two engagements, leaving 40 killed."

Alexandria, July 17, 1 p.m.—The threatening activity within Arabi's lines is increasing.

ARABI'S LINES ATTACKING.

Alexandria, July 27.—Arabi's forces are advancing upon the British lines in great numbers, and well arrayed. A line of troops approached within the range of the English between Ramleh and Abouker and opened fire.

LETTER FROM THE REBEL.

Alexandria, July 27.—The official *Gazette* publishes a letter from Arabi declaring that any person found in possession of a proclamation dismissing Arabi from the Ministry, circulated by the Khedive's emissaries, will be courtmartialled. The army will do its duty and depend upon the country to the last extremity. If the political and commercial interests of the powers do not induce them to stop British invasion a terrible struggle must ensue. Some Italians, Swiss, Germans and French remain in public service; and continue to receive marks of favor notwithstanding the British intrigues to depopulate Egypt.

FALLING INTO POSITION.

Ramleh, July 27.—Forty soldiers under Major Eyre proceeded a mile and a half beyond the farthest outlying picket in order to occupy a house on the bank of the Mahmoudieh Canal, opposite Mallahh Junction. The scouting party last evening traversed the hitherto unexamined country two miles beyond.

800 soldiers are being landed from the troopship Orontes. The Orontes will proceed to Port Said and land marines.

THEFTS OF THE EGYPTIANS.

There is great activity in the enemy's lines. Egyptian soldiers, disguised as Bedouins, carried off ten cases of gun powder from Fort Makebebe near Meks. Emissaries from Arabi have been preaching in the Mosques at Makebebe almost daily. It has been, therefore, decided to occupy the fort and also the fort commanding road along Lake Mareotis near which the patrols of the enemy are frequently seen. The fire here is in the native quarter. It is believed to be incendiary.

TURKS FOR EGYPT.

Constantinople, July 27.—At the Conference yesterday the Turkish delegates declared the readiness of Turkey to despatch troops to Egypt immediately under the conditions of the identical note. The first detachment will leave for Egypt in a few days.

**Skirmish With Thieves.**

Hereford ville, Pa., July 27.—A dozen thieves attempted to enter the house of C. Rent Clemmer, a rich farmer on Monday night. Clemmer aroused the neighbours by sharp firing, and the thieves fled. The next night they renewed the attempt. Clemmer and several neighbours, on guard in the house, rushed out and fired a volley. The intruders retreated but returned the fire. Several volleys were fired at 20 yards. Two farmers were wounded. It is believed that several robbers were hurt. The thieves finally left.

**Fires in Michigan.**

Michigan July 27.—The forest fires are raging fearfully within a mile of East Tawas. The farmers are driving their cattle to shore and sending their children to town. Several farms are burned over and three dwellings destroyed. The loss is heavy. Travel is cut off in all directions. Strenuous efforts are being made to save Glendam.

**Fighting the Indians.**

Tucson, July 27.—A secret organization in New Mexico and Arizona is being formed to wipe out the Apaches. New Mexico has already over 600 members. Arizona will furnish more than this. Globe City and Gila Valley have already over 300. Other sections are organizing rapidly.

**A Boiler Explosion.**

Brooklyn, July 27.—A boiler, hoisting a scow, burst yesterday. It rose 80 feet in the air and fell upon the deck of a schooner 100 feet away. One man was injured. Several narrowly escaped.

1,000 bales of cotton on a barge near the scow caught fire. Total damage $25,000.

**Duty on Hay.**

Washington, June 27.—The House Committee on Ways and Means have reported back the bill adjusting the duty on imported hay at 20 per cent, *ad valorem*. The Committee authorized the report by a party vote of 6 to 4.

**An Offer Refused.**

Jersey City, July 27.—The Erie RR. has offered to grant freight handlers 20c. an hour, for which they struck, if they would renounce the union. The strikers refused the offer.

**Body Embalming.**

Rome, July 27.—The Government has authorized the embalming of the remains of Minister Marsh, which will lie in state at Forester's Institute at Vallambrosa.

**An Objection Entered.**

New York, July 27.—Henry Bergh requests the Mayor to prevent the contemplated glove fight between Sullivan and Wilson.

**Fire in Exeter.**

London, July 27.—Six business houses in Exeter have been burned; loss, £50,000.

PREVOST'S all wool English serges at $11 a suit—made to order—are the best value in the city. Also his all wool Halifax tweed suitings, made to order, at $12. Are as well made and are as good a fit as his high priced goods.

## CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

**The Gist of Various Telegrams on Various Themes.**

Over 4,000 volunteers will be in the Niagara camp in September.

A great rise in ocean and inland freights is anticipated next month.

A large number of hogs are dying of cholera in McLean Co., Illinois. The farmers are alarmed.

A package containing a dynamite cartridge was dropped into the mail at the post office in New York yesterday.

Of 22 Russian refugees, of Cincinnati, five declared it to be their intention to become citizens of the United States.

A man, suffering from gangrene, has been admitted to the Toronto hospital. The flesh on his bones is falling away in large lumps.

Gardner Child, manager of the Hydraulic Iron Works, New York, is missing since Monday. He drew $10,000 for the pay roll.

The Receiver of the Jersey Central RR., pronounces the *Herald's* statement regarding the alleged large deficit as grossly inaccurate.

The striking freight handlers have begun to intimidate the Italians and others who have taken their places to such an extent that the police are on the keen look out for serious trouble.

The *Southern Farmer and Planter* of Richmond, Va., in a recent presentation to its readers of the wondrous efficacy of St. Jacobs Oil, as spoken of by those who have used it, closes by saying: "To all we commend the example and the use of St. Jacobs Oil."

**Suicide in Pittsburg.**

Green, small statute, complexion dark, aged about 30, (supposed to have been a sailor on a steamer from Toronto, and who got left at Gananoque), who was wandering about in the Township of Pittsburg, evidently delirous, hired last Friday to Mr. Thos. Maxwell, on the Gananoque and Kingston Road. While there he was still delirous, as he was endeavoring to find a knife or axe with which, as he asserted, to kill the devil that was following him. On Saturday morning his corpse was found.

A second letter says: Deceased was a half-breed from Deseronto. He has a wife and three children. He was on a boat and got off at Wilburn's wharf, Pittsburg, jamboreed around the country, got a touch of the horrors, chased a woman up the rocks at the Corners, got on another spree, said he was not going to die just yet, and went to Maxwell's to work. On Sunday he was not at breakfast. On enquiry it was found that he had deliberately hanged himself with a halter shank to a low bed post.

**Military Appointments.**

Lt. Colonel Irwin, of "A" Battery, Quebec, has been appointed Inspector of Artillery for the Dominion. Lt. Cols. Montizambert and Cotton to be Assistant Inspectors.

**DIED.**

In Kingston, on July 26th, George Mayer eldest son of Mr. A. G. Flett, aged 9 years.

The funeral will leave his father's residence, 74 Colborne Street, on Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

**MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.**

Montreal, July 27, 12 o'clock.

| STOCKS. | ASKED. | OFFERED |
|---|---|---|
| Bank of Montreal | 211½ | 211¼ |
| Merchants' Bank | 128½ | 128¼ |
| Bank of Commerce | 143¾ | 143½ |
| Ontario Bank | 128¼ | 127¾ |
| Bank of Toronto | 188 | 187 |
| Molson's Bank | 128½ | 128 |
| Banque du Peuple | 89 | 88½ |
| Banque Jacques Cartier | 119 | 117 |
| Union Bank | 97½ | 95 |
| Quebec Bank | 117 | 000 |
| Exchange Bank—ex div | 175 | 167 |
| MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| Montreal Telegraph Co | 131 | 130½ |
| Dominion Telegraph Co | 98 | 00 |
| Montreal Gas Co | 160 | 158 |
| City Passenger RR | 52½ | 151½ |
| Kob. & Ont. Nav. Co | 71 | 70 |
| Royal Canadian Ins. Co | 000 | 000 |
| Canada Cotton Co | 140 | 000 |
| Dundas Cotton Co | 120 | 000 |
| Consol. Bank | 000 | 000 |
| Federal Bank | 155 | 152½ |
| Gas Investment | 140 | 135 |
| St Paul's | 140 | 133 |

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STRONG BAKERS' FLOUR A SPECIALTY.

**MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKETS**

Montreal, July 27.

Flour—Receipts 4200 barrels; sales 575 barrels. Market quiet; prices unchanged, quotations: Superior 6.15 to 6.30; extra 6.00 to 6.10; fancy 00.00 to 0.00; spring extra 5.90 to 6.00; superfine 5.30 to 5.50; strong baker's 6.50 to 8.00; fine 4.50 to 4.75; middlings 4.00 to 4.10; pollards 3.50 to 3.75; Ont. bags 2.65 to 2.90; city do 3.50 to 3.60.

Grain—Wheat, U.C. white, 1.20 to 1.21; do red 1.36 to 1.37; spring 1.27.

Corn 92 in bond.

Peas 99 to 100 for 89½ lbs.

Oats 46c to 47c.

Barley 65c. to 00c.

Rye, 70 to 75.

Oatmeal 5.30 to 5.40.

Cornmeal 3.90 to 4.00.

Provisions—Butter, Western 16c to 18c. & F. M 19c to 21c; E. T. 20c to 22c.

Creamery 00 to 00.

Cheese 10½ to 11c.

Pork—Mess 25.00 to 26.00.

Hams 14c. to 15c.

Lard 15c to 15½c.

Bacon 14c to 15c.

Ashes—Pots, quiet firsts, 5.00 to 5.05; pearls nominal.

**OSWEGO MARKET.**

Oswego, July 27.

Wheat—Lower. Sales, 000 white State at 1.36; new red State at 1.29; No. 2 red Chicago at 000.

Corn—Unchanged, sales 0,000 No. 2 Yellow Western, 87; rejt western, 00c.

Oats—Quiet; white state held at 63c to 00c.

Rye—Dull at 78c to 80c.

Barley—Nominal, sales 0,000 bushels of No. 1 Canada at 0.00; No. 1 bright Canada at 0.00 No. 2 Canada at 0.00; extra bright Canada at 0.00.

Canal freights—Wheat and peas 3½c, corn and rye, 3½c, barley 00c to New York.

**NEW YORK MARKETS.**

New York, July 27.

Flour—Quiet, receipts, 14,000 obls, sales 11,000 bbls; 5.40 to 4.60 for superior state and western; 4.50 to 8.25 common to choice ex-state.

Rye Flour—Weak at 3.50 to 3.90.

Wheat—Higher; receipts, 296,000 bushels, sales 96,000 bushels No 2 Red July 1.18½.

Rye—Dull at 78c to 80c.

Corn—Strong. Receipts 170,000 bush sales, 460,000 bush; 00 to 00 for mixed, 83½ to 85½ for old 78½ to 85½c for new.

Oats—Receipts 20,000 bu; sales 100,000; 70c to 77 for white, 65 to 70c mixed western state.

Pork—Steady at 22.00 to 22.00.

Lard—12.60.

Butter—14 to 26.

**LIVERPOOL MARKETS.**

Liverpool, July 27, 11:30 a.m.

Flour, 12s 6d wheat 9s 9d to 9s 6d, winter, 9s 6d to 9s 6d; white, 9s 9d to 9s 11d club 9s 11d to 10s 4d.

Corn—7s 2½d.

Oats—6s 6d.

Barley—5s 2d.

Peas—7s 3d.

Pork—92s 0d.

Lard—61s 9d.

Bacon—52s 6d to 55s 0d.

Beef—00s 0d.

Tallow—43s 9d.

Cheese—56s 6d.

**CHICAGO MARKETS.**

Chicago, July 27, 12 noon.

Wheat new, 0.00 July; 99½ Sept; 97½ year; 99½c Aug.

Corn, 68 year; 73½c for Aug; 76½ Aug; 72 Nov; 77½ July; 75c Oct; 76½ Sept; 78 cash.

Pork—00.00 for Oct; 00.00 nom for Aug; 00.00 for Jan; 21.174 Sept.

Lard—12.35 Sept; 12.22½ Aug; 12.45 Oct.

Oats—00 Oct; 00 Aug; 00 July; 00 Sept.

**COTTON MARKET.**

Liverpool, July 27.—Cotton, Hardening; uplands 7 11-16; Orleans, 7½.

Cheese, 60s 6d.

New York, July 27.—Cotton quiet at 12½.

**LONDON MONEY MARKET.**

London, July 27.—Consols, 99 13-16; money 99½ account; 44s. 128; Extended, 1 per 102½.

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CHEAP! CHEAP!!

Clearing Sale!

WIDE BLEACHED SHEETINGS
25c 30c and 35c, per yard.

Cheap, Cheap, Cheap!

PILLOW COTTONS
10c, 12½c and 15c, per yard.

Cheap, Cheap, Cheap!

DAMASK TABLE LINENS,
20c 25c 30c, and 35c, per yard.

Cheap, Cheap, Cheap!

TABLE NAPKINS,
80c 90c, $1 and $1 25 per dozen

Cheap, Cheap, Cheap!

BED ROOM BATH ROOM,
and Kitchen Towellings cheap.

Cheap, Cheap, Cheap!

WHITE COTTONS
8c 9c and 10c per yard

Cheap, Cheap, Cheap!

UNBLEACHED COTTONS
5c 6c 7c and 8c per yard

Cheap! Cheap! Cheap!

Goods can be purchased During the continuance of our Clearing Sale.

R. & J. GARDINER,

Direct Importers

192 Princess Street,

Second door from the corner of Wellington St.

July 27.

SECOND EXCURSION.

BROCKVILLE AND THE ST. LAWRENCE

THE FAST PALACE STEAMER

'F. B. MAXWELL,'

(CAPT. GILLESPIE) of the new American Line operated by the St. Lawrence Steamboat Co'y, invites the citizens of Kingston and vicinity to ANOTHER OF THOSE GRAND AND DELIGHTFUL EXCURSIONS on this noble craft, from Kingston (Anderson & Co's Wharf) on TUESDAY Aug. 1st at 9 a.m. for Brockville, calling at intermediate both ways, going down the Canadian Channel and returning by the American Channel, terminating over two hours at Brockville, arriving Home about 10:30 p.m.

Meals can be obtained on board.

Fare for the round trip only 50 cts.

For tickets apply at A. GUNN & CO'S Wharf.

G. LEVE, Gen Pass. Agent. H. J. CREVOLIN, Gen. Agent.

July 25.

CHEAP EXCURSION!

TO

The Str. MAUD.

THIS is a nice excursion among the Thousand Islands. The favorite Steel Plate Steamer MAUD will leave Kingston on FRIDAY, 28th JULY at 1 o'clock; Gananoque at 3 o'clock, calling at Thousand Island Park. Returning, will call at same point, arriving at Kingston at an early hour. Fare 35c.

July 26.

CHEAP EXCURSION!

TO

Wells Island Camp

ON

SATURDAY, 29th INST.,

per Steamer HERO, returning the same evening. Fare only 25cts.

July 27.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, as Grocers, under the name and style of Maguire Brothers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

T. J. MAGUIRE.
JOHN MAGUIRE

THE UNDERSIGNED will carry on the Business at the Old Stand, Corner of Montreal and Princess Streets, where he will be glad to serve all of his old friends and many new ones.

JOHN MAGUIRE

Kingston, July 25th, 1882.

Iced Milk, Iced Cream

AT THE

-B-A-Z-A-A-R-

California Pears,
California Plums,
Water Melons,
Bonanas, Peaches,
Cherries and Tomatoes,

ARRIVING DAILY.

REES BROS.,
Man. Conf.

July 25.

PRVIONCIAL EXHIBITION, 1882.

THE undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on the Exhibition Grounds, Kingston, on THURSDAY, 27th AUGUST NEXT, four or five sites for Refreshment Booths. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock. Terms cash.

GEO. GRAHAM,
Treas. Agl. & Arts Assn.

July 27.

Card of Thanks.

THE Young Lady Managers of the Excursion in aid of the Poor Fund of St. Mary's Congregation return sincere thanks to the owners and captain of the Steamer "Maud" for kind attentions and liberality in connection with the late excursion.

July 27.

PRINTS,
PRINTS,
PRINTS,

—AT—

S-H-A-W'-S

Having a large lot of Prints and not wishing to carry any over we have decided to make a great reduction in the prices.

READ PRICE LIST.

Our 6c. 7c. 8c. prints reduced to 5c.

Our 9c. 10c. 11c. prints all reduced to 8c. Splendid value.

All of our Light Prints at 12½c. now selling at 10c. Everyone wanting nice prints should see this line.

All of our Handsome Cambrics in dress style and shirting cambric at 15c. Choice patterns reduced to 12½c. Come and see this line of handsome goods.

Our New Dress Cambrics, handsome styles, good value, at 20c., now offering at 16c.

All of our prints are the best value in the trade.

CARPETS.

Our large stock selling at reduced prices to make room for new goods

AT

SHAW'S

Glasgow & Warehouse
Carpet Warerooms.

Corner of Princess & Wellington Streets.

July 11

BOSTON HAT STORE.

SELF CONFORMING HATS

—IN—

The Newest Shapes and Colors

Just Received

AT THE

BOSTON HAT STORE,

Wellington Street.

GEO. MILLS & CO.

July 13 Wellington Street.

White Cornmeal

FLOUR!

Crown Jewel Flour. Buda Brand Flour.
Sugar Cured Hams. Sugar Cured Hams.
Sugar Cured

BACON.

Car Loads of Flour, Cornmeal and Oatmeal arriving daily. Wholesaled very low at the

Toronto Flour Store,

BLOCK STREET.

M. MORRISON.

July 5

DOMINION EXHIBITION

Local Office in Kingston.

COMMENCING with the 1st August, Mr. Elkington, (who is duly authorized) will for the convenience of intending local exhibitors, attend at Mr. Simpson's Office, Clarence Street, daily, from 12 noon to 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving entries and affording any information required, and from whom Prize Lists and Blank Forms for entries can be procured.

July 27.

Trade Mark

RHEUMATISM!

MERRIMAN'S GREAT RHEUMATICURE will not cure everything, but will certainly cure the worst case of Rheumatism, no matter of how long standing. See that the trade mark is on each wrapper, otherwise you have been imposed upon.

W. T. C. BETHEL,
Kingston,
Sole Agent for Canada.

July 27

DIVISION COURT OFFICE.

Removal.

THE OFFICE of the First Division Court has been removed from the Golden Lion Block to the second door on Bagot Street, east of Princess Street.

WM. ROBINSON,
Clerk of Court.

July 25.

NORRIS & CO.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS,

PRINCESS STREET.

BRICK, Lime, Sand, Plaster of Paris, Water Lime, Cement, and all descriptions of building materials for sale.

July 22

Tenders For Manse.

TENDERS for the erection and completion of a New Manse, for the Congregation of St. Andrew's Church in Perth, will be received by the undersigned up to NOON of 10th AUGUST, 1882. The building will be of brick. Plans and specifications prepared by Messrs. Gordon & Followell, architects, of Toronto, may be seen at the Hardware Store of Henry Taylor, in Perth. The Managers do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. E. G. MALLOCH, Chairman of Board of Managers of Congregation. Perth, July 25th, 1882.

N.B.—Parties tendering will have opportunities to tender for a number of other buildings to be erected in Perth this season.

FOR SALE.

S. C. McGILL'S LIST.

WOLFE ISLAND—A Frame House, containing 7 rooms, pleasantly situated on the high ground, a short distance from the Upper Ferry, nearly an acre of land.

The property known as Ledford's Point on Wolfe Island; frame dwelling house, 3 acres of land, good garden and orchard, fifteen minutes walk from the Ferry; a good summer residence.

Frame house on corner of George and Patrick Streets; five rooms and a kitchen; yard and woodshed. Also

The adjoining Frame Cottage, containing three rooms and kitchen; stable and garden.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—The property in Barriefield, owned and occupied by Martin Strachan, Esq. House contains nine rooms, kitchen, pantries, &c. There is also a driving house, stable, the usual outbuildings, and about four acres of land.

S. C. McGILL,
Real Estate Agent,
Clarence St.

April 14.

A FINE CITY PROPERTY.—That owned and occupied in part by MRS. STRATFORD situated on Princess Street, corner of Clergy St. This has been a business stand for 25 years. Good building lots can be had on both streets. The lot comprises the fifth of an acre; contains a substantial Stone Building, for a store and residence, besides building lots on both streets. Good well upon the premises. Applicants may view the property at any time.

THAT DESIRABLE STONE HOUSE, containing nine rooms; water works; large cistern and well attached; outbuildings in good repair. Situation good. For further particulars enquire of DAVID CUNNINGHAM, on the premises, No. 64 Arch Street.

TWO COTTAGES, WELL SITUATED; Several Dwelling Houses in Stone, Brick and Roughcast. Also a large number of Town Lots for sale, on Liberal Terms, by JAS. J. WHITE, REAP, Real Estate Agent, Kingston.

A LARGE STONE DWELLING at the G.T.R. Depot, with 11 rooms, all in excellent condition. The fences and outbuildings are also in good repair. Apply to JAMES NESBITT.

PLACES TO LET.

WILLIAM STREET.—THE STONE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 208, on William Street, above Clergy Street, containing 12 rooms. Immediate possession. For terms, &c., apply to BAWDEN & MACHAR, 355 King Street.

LAW OFFICES.—THE OFFICES on Clarence Street, lately occupied by Messrs. Britton & Wilson. Possession given immediately. Apply to Messrs. WALKEM & WALKEM, or to MR. C. F. GILDERSLEEVE. March 15.

HOTEL OPENING.—The Hotel known as The Anglo American, corner of Johnson and Ontario Streets, Kingston. Possession on 1st May. Apply to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS.

BROCK STREET.—TWO SHOPS in the Anchor