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L. CLEMENTS,

DENTIST, directly opposite the Post Office, Wellington Street. Established in Kingston 1840.

DR. TELGMANN,

PHYSICIAN and Surgeon, has removed to Sydenham street, between Princess and Queen streets. Office—Heath & Gunn's Drug Store.

ADAM McARTHUR,

ACCOUNTANT, COLLECTOR, &c. Office on the premises of Messrs. McNaughton & Co., corner of King and Princess sts., Kingston.

WALKEM & WALKEM,

ATTORNEYS, Solicitors, &c., Kingston, opposite the Post Office.
RICHARD WALKEM. JOSEPH B. WALKEM.

DR. B. W. DAY,

DENTIST—Office and Residence 129 Princess Street, over George Offord's Store, a few doors below City Hotel.

W. H. HENDERSON, M.D.,

M.R.C.S. ENGLAND.

OFFICE—36 William Street, between Wellington and King Streets.

R. W. SHANNON, M.A.,

BARRISTER, &c. Office—Anchor Buildings, Kingston. Money to loan at seven and seven and a half per cent.

R. R. SPARKS, D.D.S., L.D.S.,

DENTIST. Office and Residence, Princess Street, between Montreal and Sydenham Streets. Careful attention paid to the correcting of all irregularities of the teeth.

McGUIRE & CLAXTON,

BARRISTERS, &c. Office—Anchor Buildings, Brock Street, Kingston.
T. R. McGUIRE. GEORGE CLAXTON.

J. H. CLARK, M.D., D.D.S., L.D.S.,

DENTIST. Graduate of New York College of Dentistry. Office—Wellington Street, between Princess and Brock streets. Particular attention paid to the preservation of the teeth.

SMYTHE & DICKSON,

BARRISTERS and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Notaries Public, Ontario street, adjoining the Dominion Telegraph Office.
E. R. SMYTHE, M.A., L.L.B. R. H. DICKSON, B.A.

ROBERT SHAW,

BARRISTER, Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor, &c. Office—Princess Street, over Dr. Skinner's Drug Store. Money to Loan on Real Estate.

POWER & SON,

ARCHITECTS and Building Surveyors. Office—Wellington Street, Kingston.
JOHN POWER. JOSEPH W. POWER.

C. CHREGGAN, L.D.S.,

DENTIST—Office over Mrs. Bros.' Hat Store, corner of Princess and Bagot streets. Residence Bagot street.

D. PHELAN, M.D., M.R.C.P.S.,

ONTARIO and Quebec, (Member of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario and Quebec) Physician, Surgeon, Accoucheur. Office—Wellington Street, near the Kingston Bakery.

HOMŒOPATHY.

C. L. CURTIS, M.D., successor to Dr. Jarvis, Physician, Surgeon, &c. Office and Residence nearly opposite the Post Office, Wellington Street. Calls in the city or country promptly attended to.

Removal.

DR. SAUNDERS has removed to the house formerly occupied by Dr. Sampson, at the corner of King and William Sts. Office as before at Dr. Yates' Surgery, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. After 6 p.m. at his residence, four on William street.
Dec. 9.

HY. BRAME,

Cabinet Maker and Undertaker,

CORNER PRINCESS AND SYDENHAM STS.

NO. 65, - - KINGSTON, ONT

Keeps constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of Furniture.

Undertaking attended to in all its branches. Keeps always on hand a large assortment of

COFFINS AND CASKETS,

of every description, and has the best HEARSE in the Dominion. Funerals attended to in the city and country on the most reasonable terms.

HY. BRAME.
Dec. 28, 1879

THOMAS RONAN,

Furnishing Undertaker,

BAGOT STREET, next door to Chown & Cunningham's Stove Depot.

Furnishings and Attendance

of every description for Funerals, at very moderate rates. A FIRST CLASS HEARSE on hand.

Coffins of all Sizes and Prices kept on Hand.

☞ Services given at house at all hours.
THOMAS RONAN.

ESTABLISHED 1862.

STEAM DYE WORKS,

NO. 60, PRINCESS STREET.

All Kinds of Wearing Apparel Cleaned and Dyed in the Most Prompt and Satisfactory Manner.

R. Montgomery,
Proprietor.
Oct. 29.

Now is the Time

TO LEAVE YOUR ORDERS FOR

CUTTERS and SLEIGHS

Or to get your old ones repaired or done up. During the remainder of the season we will sell

Buggies, Phætons, Etc., Very Cheap.

J. W. BROWN & CO.

Aug. 20.

A CARD.

MRS. JONES, Princess Street, opposite Quigley's store, will purchase at her own Store,

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Clothing

to any amount, and pay cash, or will wait on them at their residences if desired.

Goods sold upon Commission.
Dec. 21.

Mechanics' Institute,

KINGSTON.

READING ROOM well supplied with current Literature.

LIBRARY replete with useful, scientific and interesting works. Catalogues may be procured at the Library.

Kingston, Aug.

SEALE BROS.,

Merchant Tailors,

PRINCESS STREET.

Have great pleasure in announcing that their Stock is now complete in all the leading lines of Broadcloths, Worsteds, Serges, Meltons and Tweeds, both Foreign and Domestic, and are prepared to fill all orders given them with PROMPTNESS AND [illegible]

In the Gentlemen's Furnishing Department

We are showing all the Novelties in Scarfs, Ties, Gloves, Hosiery and Under-wear, which a specialty made of White, Regatta, Oxford and Flannel Shirts, which can be selected from stock or made to measure. Our stock of Rubber Coats, Waterproof Clothing, Camp Stools and Carriage Rugs are also worthy of an inspection.

☞ Give us a call.

SEALE BROS.
June 2, 1880.

ONTARIO

Building and Savings Society,

OFFICE—WELLINGTON STREET,

(Opposite St. George's Hall.)

W. M. FORD, President. M. DORAN, Vice-President.
Solicitor—B. M. BRITTON, Q.C.

Subscribed Capital - $250,000.

Savings Bank open daily from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Interest allowed on deposits.

Loan Department—Money advanced on the security of Farm or City Property. For further information apply to

JAMES McARTHUR,
Manager.

GO TO

FRASER & MOWAT'S

FOR CHEAP

HARDWARE.

They are giving up business in Kingston, and are now selling off their entire stock at cost.

Builders' and General Hardware and Sporting Goods.

180 PRINCESS STREET.
Oct. 29.

Save Money by

TAKING A WALK

TO THE

Little Giant Tailor Shop.

Corner Brock and Barrie Sts.

And get a pair of its $5 Pants, made to order in Scotch and Canadian Tweeds. Perfect fit guaranteed.

S. MOCKRIDGE.

Kingston, Jan. 13, '81.

'Xmas and New Year's.

TRY BAJUS'

XXX ALES AND PORTER.

SPECIAL Brewings for the Holidays in lots suitable for private families at the Kingston Brewery.

Leave your orders early.
Dec. 10.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING.

C. VANARNAM,

King Street, opposite Spangenburg's,

has just received a large stock of

Oranges and Confectionery,

and is now prepared for the Xmas Holidays. He has on hand a stock of first-class Groceries. Cheap for cash.

Lunch at all hours. Oysters by plate, can or quart. Bread and Vienna Rolls of the best baking.

Dec. 16.

H. B. Rathbun & Son,

Are intending to sell

JOISTING

AND

SCANTLING!

Cheaper next Spring and Summer than ever before since they commenced business in Kingston.

A. HOPPINS,
Agent.

Kingston, Jan. 19th.

HIRAM LODGE, A. F. & A.M.,

No. 340 G.R.C.

WILL GIVE ITS

Fifth Annual Ball!

In the MASONIC HALL, Wolfe Island, on

Wednesday Eve., the 9th Feb., '81.

A good Sitting and Brass Band will be in attendance.

Supper at Hitchcock's Hotel.

Tickets (including supper) $1.50.

JAS. HORNE, W. M. R. O. HITCHCOCK, Sec'y.

Jan. 20.

For Sale---Cheap.

A WELL ESTABLISHED PAYING BAKERY business, situated on main corners in a growing northern town in the State of Michigan. The buildings being all new, brick, two stories, with wing and an oven room attached. My reason for selling are, that I am a carpenter by trade, and have to employ a baker. Will say that any man doing his own baking can make from $600 to $800 a year. For references, direct Box 148, Roscommon, Mich., or J. Gillet, Gananoque, Ont.

Nov. 16.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Legislature of Ontario will be applied to at its next Session for an Act to close the forty foot allowance for road running through the property attached to the Asylum for the Insane at Kingston, and lying between the Village of Portsmouth and the Township of Kingston, and to substitute in lieu thereof a continuation of Front Street to Little Cataraqui Bay.

O. MOWAT,
Attorney General.

Dec. 31.

CARRUTHERS BROTHERS,

FINANCIAL AGENTS,

CLARENCE ST. KINGSTON

MONEY LOANED on Real Estate and other securities.
Nov. 13, 1880.

1880-1881.

FURS -

LADIES' GLOVES!

AT

Clark Wright & Son's.

ANOTHER Stock received of Storey & Son's celebrated Ear Kid Gloves and Mitts, Otter Cape, Eureka Springs, for Ladies and Gents' Wear.

Astrachan Jackets, &c.

S. S. SEALSETTS a Specialty

Racoon Coats.

Grey Japanese Robes.

DYED GOAT ROBES, BUFFALO ROBES

CLARK WRIGHT & SON,
Wellington Street.

Dec. 8th.

Coal Oil!

Coal Oil!

AMERICAN COAL OIL

only 9 cents per Imperial Gallon.

Cut Nails, Paints and Paint Oils, Glass and Putty.

A large lot of second-hand Cooking and Parlor Stoves for sale cheap. Also one No. 4 Argand Hot-air Parlor Furnace, in good order, for sale very cheap at

HAMER'S NEW STORE,

Corner of King and Princess Streets.

N.B.—All kinds of Scales repaired and adjusted on the shortest notice.
Nov. 3.

CITY PROPERTIES FOR SALE.

NEW OFFERS.

A TWO STORIED ROUGH CAST DOUBLE House on Barrie Street, opposite the Curling Rink; 8 rooms and back kitchen. Lot 33x102.

The Spice Mills on Earl Street, stone building 50x60, two stories high. Lot 80x120, large frame store house at back. Machinery, including an engine of about fifteen horse power, and a run of French Burr Stones, would be sold with the building or separately.

The property at Williamsville, known as the Athletic Grounds, 12 Acres in extent, of which 8 acres are inclosed by a board fence. The land has been well cleaned, suitable for a market Garden.

Large vacant Lot on right side of Elm street.

Twelve and a half acres on west side of Division Street, about a mile and a quarter from the Market Place. Has been used as a pasture.

S. C. McGILL,
Real Estate Agent, Clarence street, opposite the Post Office.
Nov. 15.

FOR SALE.

The Entire Stock and Fixtures

of the Store at present occupied by

D. DONOGHUE,

Corner of Princess & Montreal Sts.

For the benefit of our customers we shall offer until disposed of the above mentioned Goods in small lots at

COST PRICE

D. DONOGHUE.

Jan. 17.

The Excelsior Bath Rooms

The only First-Class Baths and Bath Rooms in the city.

Hot, Cold and Shower Baths attached to

R. H. ELMER'S

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING SALOON,

191, Princess Street, Kingston.

Oct. 22.

MILK

The Lake Shore Dairy

is prepared to deliver promptly to all parts of the city a supply of PURE FRESH MILK. Orders left with the Driver or addressed to P.O. Box 538, Kingston will be attended to. Owing to the increase in the price of fodder the price of Milk will be SEVEN cents per Imperial quart after January 1st.

S. S. BAKER,
Proprietor.

Dec. 18, 1880.

Smith & Paterson,

Bookbinders and Stationers,

MARKET SQUARE, KINGSTON.

SMITH & PATERSON, whilst gratefully acknowledging the continued support and patronage they receive, would respectfully solicit a trial of their work, from all parties wanting books bound. Every description of work, from the plainest to the most expensive, done at their office. No delay. All work promptly executed, and sent home on the day promised.

Binders to Queen's College, Kingston.

Nov. 18.

Cataraqui Tannery,

KINGSTON, ONT.

Manufacturers of Slaughter, Sole, Harness, Upper and Grain Leather, Pebble Hides, Top, Buff and Split Leather, Waxed Quick Coss and Carriage Calf, Kid, Belting, Belt Leather, Hose, &c.

Dealer in Hides, Sheepskins, Calf Skins, Seconds and Wool, for which the highest market price will be paid.

FORD & SONS.

THE COLD SPRING

Farm for Sale

FOR SALE eight-five Acres of Lot No. 3 in the Eighth Concession of Wolfe Island, about one mile from Marysville Ferry. About thirty acres are ploughed, the balance in meadow, pasture and wood. Frame House, Kitchen, Frame Barn (40 x 55), all in good repair. Also the Cold Spring Cheese Factory is on the premises as well as a good Orchard and pine grove. For further information apply to C. GREENWOOD, on the farm, or to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS, Kingston.

Jan. 26, '81.

A. ROSS

Has received a lot of New Novelties for Christmas and New Year's consisting of the following, viz:

Fancy Lace Anti-macassars,

Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs,

Fancy Silk Scarfs,

Fancy Wool Shawls,

Fancy Wool Clouds.

Dec. 13.

For

Christmas Presents

AT

China,
Crockery,
Glassware,
Cutlery,
Plated Ware,
Chandeliers,
Bronze & Decorated Lamps, &c., &c., &c.,

GO TO

Robertson Bros.

Next door to Heath & Gunn's.

The largest Stock and most select assortment in the city.

We have just received a quantity of fine Bohemian Vases.

ROBERTSON BROS.,

IMPORTERS.

Dec. 8th.

THE

Fire Insurance

ASSOCIATION

(Limited)

OF LONDON, ENGLAND,

Having made the required deposit of $100,000 and obtained the Government license, is now prepared to transact a general fire insurance business in the Dominion.

HEAD OFFICE FOR CANADA:
42 St. John Street, Montreal.
WILLIAM ROBERTSON, Manager.

W. D. GORDON,

Agent for Kingston.

Office Montreal Street, between Princess and Brock.

Dec. 3d.

Hot Water

AND

Steam Heating

A Specialty!

For Comfort and Economy in heating your dwelling use Hot Water or Steam and employ

McKELVEY & BIRCH

Practical Steam Fitters, to do it. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed. But if you still decide to use COAL OR WOOD STOVES, you will find a very large assortment at low prices at our Depot.

McKelvey & Birch's,

72 BROCK STREET.

Sept. 13, 1880.

VITALINE.

CURES

Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Pimples, Ring-Worm Tetter, Dyspepsia, Jaundice Constipation, Sick Headache, Piles, General Debility, &c.

Price $1 per Bottle.

VITALINE VITALINE

Price $1 per bottle.
Sold by all Druggists.

The Gray Medicine Co.,
TORONTO.

ICE! ICE! ICE!

I AM prepared to fill all Ice Houses, having the necessary implements, and having purchased a Plough at great expense, and possessing 17 years experience in the business, will guarantee all work done satisfactorily and expeditiously.

☞ Also prepared to fill Vessels with Ice at 30c. per ton.

Leave your orders at

JOHN J. MALONEY,
No. 79 Queen Street.

Jan. 14th.

PIANOFORTE TUNING.

THE Subscriber desires to intimate to the citizens of Kingston and vicinity that although not now in the Factory he still intends keeping up his connection here. Orders left at the Factory of Weber & Co., or W. L. Richardson's store on Princess Street, will receive his immediate attention.

E. MORHAM,

RESIDENCE: Albert St., off Union. PIANOFORTE TUNER & Practical Piano Maker.

Jan. 27, '81.

COAL

WE are now offering COAL of the best quality, screened and under cover, at the lowest possible rates.

WOOD of all kinds constantly on hand.

R. CRAWFORD & CO.,
Foot of Queen Street.

Aug. 26.

JAMES REID,

Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer and Undertaker,

152 Princess Street,

KINGSTON.

All kinds of COFFINS, CASKETS, SHROUDS &c., kept constantly on hand.

A NEW HEARSE—the best in the city—and can furnish funerals at the most reasonable terms. Call and examine my stock.

Patents of Invention

Expeditiously and properly secured in CANADA, UNITED STATES AND EUROPE.

PATENTS guaranteed or no charge. Send for printed instructions. Agency in operation for years.

HENRY GRIST,
Mechanical Engineer, Solicitors for Patents, Draughtsman, &c., Ottawa, Ont.

Private Boarding House.

FIRST-Class Private Board, with or without rooms at No. 374, Wellington St., over Wemple House, no connection with the Restaurant.

Dec. 30.

The Best Field for EMIGRANTS.

An immense area of Railroad and Government Lands, of great fertility, within easy reach of permanent market at exceedingly low prices, is now offered for sale in Eastern Oregon and Eastern Washington Territory.

These lands form part of the GRAIN BELT of the Pacific Slope, and are within an average distance of 200 to 300 miles from Portland, where steamships and sailing vessels are directly loaded FOR ALL PARTS OF THE WORLD.

Grain at Portland, Oregon, commands a price equal to that obtained in Chicago.

The early completion of the Northern Pacific R. R. is now assured, and a railroad to settlers, cheap and quick transportation and good markets both East and West. The opening of this new overland line to the Pacific, together with the construction of the network of 300 miles of railroad by the O. R. & N. Co. in the valleys of the great Columbia and its principal tributaries, produces certain a rapid increase in the value of the lands now open to purchase and pre-emption. There is every indication of an enormous movement of population to the Columbia River region in the immediate future.

Landseekers on average yield of 40 Bushels of Wheat per acre. No Failure of crops ever known.

Railroad Lands offered at the uniform rate of $2.50 per Acre.

CLIMATE MILD AND HEALTHY.

For pamphlet and map, descriptive of country, its resources, climate, route of travel, rates and full information, address

A. L. STOKES,

Gen'l Eastern Pass'r Agent,

52 Clark St., Chicago, Ill.

SCIENCE vs. EPILEPSY!

OR

DOCTOR against QUACK!

A LEADING LONDON PHYSICIAN ESTABLISHES AN OFFICE IN NEW YORK FOR THE CURE OF EPILEPTIC FITS.

(From the Journal of Medicine.)

Dr. Ab. Meserole (late of London), who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any other living physician. His success has simply been astonishing; we have heard of cases of over 20 years standing being cured by him. He has published a valuable work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his wonderful cure free to any sufferer who may send their express and P.O. address. We advise anyone wishing a cure to address Dr. AB. MESEROLE, No. 96 John st., New York.

IMPROVED FARMS

In Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska & Minnesota,

FOR SALE.

Great bargains. 10 years time, on three-fourths of the purchase money. Interest 6 per cent. Parties intending to go West send for lists. State locality in which the lands are desired.

J. K. O. SHERWOOD, 113 Broadway, N. Y. City.

PLAYS! PLAYS! PLAYS! PLAYS!

For Reading Clubs, for Amateur Theatricals, Temperance Plays, Drawing-Room Plays, Fairy Plays, Ethiopian Plays, Comic Books, Speakers, Pantomimes, Tableaux Lights, Magnesium Lights, Colored Fire, Burnt Cork, Theatrical Face Preparations, Jarley's Wax Works, Wigs, Beards and Moustaches at reduced prices. Costumes, Scenery, Charades. New catalogues sent free containing full description and prices.

SAMUEL FRENCH & SON, 38 E. 14th Street, New York.

YOUNG MEN Learn Telegraphy and earn $40 to $100 a month. Every graduate guaranteed a paying situation. Address VALENTINE BROS., Managers, Janesville, Wis.

$777 A YEAR and expenses to agents. Outfit Free. Address P. O. VICKERY, Augusta, Maine.

CITY HOTEL,

PRINCESS STREET,

Arch. McFaul, Proprietor,

LATE B. A. DEWIN

THE House has been lately refitted and refurnished throughout, possesses superior accommodation for the travelling public. The management of the Proprietor, whose experience has extended several years, will in no small degree add to the comfort and convenience of guests.

The commodious and well lighted Sample Rooms attached afford excellent accommodation for the requirements of Commercial men.

The Bar will at all times be supplied with choicest Liquors and Cigars. The central location of the city, together with the moderate rates charged, will, I trust, secure a large share of public patronage.

T. Rigney's Livery is in connection with the Hotel, where good horses and vehicles are always on hand at lowest rates.

ARCH. McFAUL,
Proprietor.

Kingston, Dec. 15.

Kingston Bottling Depot.

AGENCY FOR LABATT'S ENGLISH HOP Ales and Porter, where they can be bought for Cash cheaper than any other house in the city.

ALES, qts per doz	$1.00
" pints	60
XXX PORTER, qts per doz	1 00
" pints	60

Quinte Lager Beer, put up expressly for family use, pts per doz. 50c.

George Thompson,

KING STREET.

Day's Extract of Malt.

THE following is a certificate in reference to the excellence of Day's Extract of Malt.

Tamworth, March 6th, 1879.

To R. W. DAY, M.D., Kingston.

Dear Sir,—I have been troubled with dyspepsia and general debility for several years, and could find nothing that would give me relief until persuaded by a friend to try your Extract of Malt. While taking one bottle I gained from four to six pounds of flesh. I can safely recommend it for dyspepsia and general debility.

Yours truly,
MRS. L. A. WHEELER.

For sale by all Druggists.
Jan. 27.

DAILY ARRIVALS

OF

FRESH OYSTERS!

Can and Bulk.

Oranges & Lemons,

Wholesale and Retail.

CHEAP! CHEAP! CHEAP!!

CRANBERRIES.

Very fine, at the

B-A-Z-A-A-R

Vienna Bread a specialty.

REES BROS.

Jan. 25th.

MONEY TO LOAN

ON REAL ESTATE

LOWEST RATES OF INTEREST.

McGUIRE & CLAXTON.

Kingston, Jan. 19th.

34th SEMI-ANNUAL

STATEMENT

OF THE

Travellers Insurance Co.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 1, 1881.

PAID-UP CASH CAPITAL, $600,000.

ASSETS

Real estate	$ 311,289 77
Cash on hand and in bank	311,812 60
Loans on bond and mortgage, real estate	2,101,410 50
Interest on loans accrued but not due	31,814 81
Loans on collateral security	87,300 00
Deferred Life premiums	52,854 86
Premiums due and unreported on Life policies	34,844 60
United States government bonds	281,350 00
State, county and municipal bonds	303,400 00
Railroad stocks and bonds	670,240 00
Bank stocks	505,708 00
Hartford City Gas Light Co. stock	18,000 00
Total Assets	$3,519,194 23

LIABILITIES

Reserve, 4 per cent. Life department	$3,434,332 00
Reserve for re-insurance, Accident department	309,562 72
Claims unadjusted and not due, and all other liabilities	225,818 00
Total liabilities	$3,969,712 72
Surplus as regards policy holders	$1,467,931 51

STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1880.

LIFE DEPARTMENT.

Number of Life Policies written in 1880	1,743
Whole number of Life Policies in force	11,914
Amount Life Insurance in force	$19,988,839 00
Gain in amount in force in 1880	916,537 00
Total claims paid in Life Department	1,630,290 43

ACCIDENT DEPARTMENT.

Number of Accident Policies written in 1880	7,341
Gain in Policies over 1879	18,701
Gain in Premiums over 1879	$84,738 16
Whole number Accident Policies written	65,506
Number Accident claims paid in 1880	11,774
Amount Accident claims paid in 1880	$44,171 57
Whole number Accident claims paid	53,958
Whole amount Accident claims paid	$1,981,601 81

Total Losses paid both Departments $3,612,092 24

JAS. G. BATTERSON, President.
G. F. DAVIS, Vice President.
RODNEY DENNIS, Secretary.
JOHN E. MORRIS, Assistant Secretary.
GEORGE ELLIS, Actuary.
EDWARD A. PRESTON, Supt of Agencies.
G. P. DAVIS, M.D., Medical Examiner.
J. B. LEWIS, M.D., Surgeon & Adjuster.
C. F. RUSSELL, Provincial Agent, 28 and 30 Toronto St., Toronto, O.

Jan. 28.

BOOKS

AND

Christmas Presents,

AT

McAULEY'S

BOOKSTORE,

AT

Bottom Prices.

You Can save 25 Cents on on every dollar by Buying

AT

T. McAULEY'S

Dec. 18.

'Xmas and New Year Gifts

AT THE

NEW HARDWARE STORE.

Skates, Skates.

Celebrated Windlass, Acme, Barney and Berry.

☞ Heel Plates, Wrenches, &c.

W. M. DRENNAN,

Corner Princess and Wellington Sts.

Dec. 22.

NEW FRUITS

RECEIVED.

CHOICE GROCERIES

OF ALL KINDS AND

Everything Suitable for the Camping Season.

A Fresh and Select Stock always to be found at the

CHINA TEA HOUSE,

Ferguson's Block, Princess St.

JAS. REDDEN.

Aug. 19.

A NEW SHOE!

The Marie Rosa

Very Neat and Perfect Fitting.

LADIES SHOULD SEE IT.

HAINES & LOCKETT,

City Boot Store.

Jan. 10.

Gold Medal Paris, 1878

JOSEPH GILLOTT'S

STEEL PENS.

Sold by all dealers throughout the world

MOVING FOR RETURNS.

Railway Policy of the Ontario Government Freely Discussed.

In the Legislature on Wednesday Mr. Hunter moved for a return showing—(1) The total number of miles of railway constructed in this province up to 1st July, 1867; (2) the number of miles of railway completed during each year from the 1st July, 1867, to 1st January, 1881; (3) the names of the railway companies which have received provincial aid, the number of miles aided, whether out of the "Railway Fund," "Railway Subsidy Fund," or "Railway Land Subsidy Fund," showing the amount per mile and the year in which that subsidy was respectively voted; (4) the names of all railways, companies to whom subsidies have been voted which have forfeited the same, showing the amounts forfeited; (5) the total amount granted by this House to aid in the construction of railways from the "Railway Fund," the "Railway Subsidy Fund," the "Railway Land Subsidy Fund," with dates of payments of such grants. In Ontario one Government had to step out on account of its railway policy, and a Conservative administration at Ottawa had shared the same fate on a railway question. He ventured to predict that the present Conservative Government now in power in Ottawa would be hurled out of office by an indignant public for its mistaken railway scheme. He contended that we had not enough railways in Ontario, although he would admit that there may have been projects which received assistance which were not in the interests of the country. On the other hand, certain railway enterprises needed by the country had not received full justice from the Government and the House in the matter of aid. The municipalities had voted enormous sums in aid of railways, and in three small townships the indebtedness incurred in railway aid amounted to $205,000 for enterprises not completed, and which had not received Government aid. He could not tell on what principle of justice the Government denied aid to these enterprises. Of course hon. members who had railways completed in their constituencies cried out that no more railways should be aided, but they should allow others to get the justice they had received. In the United States and England they were not standing still in the matter of constructing railways. In the United States they had one mile of railway for every 500 persons, while in Canada we had only one mile for every 750 persons.

Mr. Sinclair thought the return would be valuable if properly tabulated, and suggested the addition of certain further details. He agreed that it was not the proper thing to shut off the railway aid so suddenly, as had been determined by the House last session. Of course there was a limit to the aid which the House could give, and that limit would be reached when the surplus was exhausted, and he did not include the trust funds, for he contended these should never be touched. If the necessities of the province required that the Government should close its grants to the railways the cessation of aid should be made in a proper way and so as not to do injustice to any section of the country.

Mr. Deroche agreed with the remarks of the previous speaker. The original object of the Railway Aid Fund was to aid colonization roads, roads which tended greatly to develop the mineral and timber resources of the country, adding thereby to the revenue of the Province. There were many sections of country yet to be developed by railway aid. These remarks applied particularly to the country north of the Bay of Quinte counties. He hoped the House would unanimously urge upon the Government the claims of the country for a liberal railway aid policy. Such a policy would convince the people of the reality of the surplus.

Mr. Hay was not so confident that the result of railway aid had not over stimulated certain portions of the country and done but little real.

Mr. McLaughlin said no company was justified in expecting aid from the Government before their petition had been received and considered by the House. He would not support any further aid to railways, and he hoped the House would not rescind the resolution stopping aid to railways passed last session.

Mr. Waters said he thought the Government had expended enough money on railways. There was a necessity to keep a cash surplus on hand for the maintenance of their ever increasing charitable institutions and asylums. If the Government could not support these the burden would be thrown on the municipalities.

Mr. Hunter held that the progress of nations largely depended upon their railways.

Mr. Creighton would like to see the grants to railways continued, and thus convince the people of the existence of a surplus.

Mr. Rosevear thought the money expended for railways had done good, and hoped the Government would continue to have a railway aid policy.

Mr. Murray said that money had been voted for railways by different municipalities in the expectation that the Government would aid them. He did not think that the Government was going to cease granting aid to railways. Speaking of the proposed extension of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway he claimed that money so expended would be spent in the interests of Ontario, and he thought that the people would endorse the action of the Government in granting aid to roads of such a character.

Mr. Ross thought that the hon. gentlemen who had spoken in favour of granting aid to railways were interested in some of the railways. He hoped the House would not sanction the opening up of this question again.

Mr. Sinclair proposed to include in the return asked for, the length of each road, the cost per mile, and the total amount of aid.

Mr. Sinclair moved the adjournment of the debate.—Carried.

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Daily British Whig.

SLEIGHING.

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'Tis the feast of Love
Crystal snow below us,
Crystal stars above.

Like a globe of silver
Beams the white-faced moon
Jingle, jingle, jingle
Oft repeated tune

Jingle, jingle, jingle!
Hearts and cheeks aglow
Steel encompassed runners
Cutting through the snow

Jingle, jingle, jingle!
Jingle everywhere
Hear the liquid laughter
Pouring on the air

Jingle, jingle, jingle!
Through the frosty night,
To prevent her falling
I must clasp her tight!

Jingle, jingle, jingle
Heaven speed the day
May we glide into it
Smoothly as our sleigh

Jingle, jingle, jingle
Jingle everywhere
Sweetest sound the sleigh bells
Ringing for a pair.

KNOCKED DOWN IN CHURCH

A Collector's Zeal Leads to his Chastisement by an Irate Husband.

Thomas Dalton, of Brooklyn, appeared as defendant in an assault and battery case. The complainant was Police Officer John F. Murtha, who accused Dalton of having knocked him down in the vestibule of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church on Sunday forenoon, when he gave him a black eye and otherwise injured him. It appears that at the church service, between nine and ten o'clock, Rev. Father Fransioli complained that the regular collections of the church were falling off. For the future he announced there would be two collections at each mass. The first would be for pew rents, at which no pennies would be received by the collectors. At the second collection any amount would be taken. Mrs. Thomas Dalton occupied a seat in the main aisle, and, not hearing clearly the announcement made by the pastor upon the subject,

SHE DROPPED A CENT

into the collector's box when he came round to receive contributions. Collector Murtha picked up the cent, it is alleged, and, as he handed it back to the lady, said: "Not this time, if you please madam. We will take it at the next collection." The lady, greatly mortified, upon her return home informed her husband of the circumstance. Mr. Dalton, who is a powerful man, about six feet in height, went to the principal service and occupied a seat in the pew behind Mr. Murtha. When the latter stood up to get the collection box, which was in the vestibule of the church, Mr. Dalton followed him. He asked, "Is your name Murtha?" and the latter answered in the affirmative. He then asked whether he (Murtha) had insulted a woman in church during the morning, and, before the complainant in the case could reply, Mr. Dalton raised his fist and knocked him down. The noise made by the angry questions and the fall of the collector caused a momentary excitement among the people seated near the door, but it speedily subsided, and Mr. Dalton resumed his seat in the pew which he had temporarily vacated. Mr. Murtha left the church and returned wearing his special police officer's badge. When the services were concluded he arrested his assailant on a charge of assault and battery. Mr. Dalton was fined $25.

RAILWAY TICKET BILL.

Another Move for the Control of Government Patronage.

(Globe.)

There is no doubt that the feeling not only in the House but outside is rapidly growing against the bill which proposes to suppress railway ticket scalping, especially as the nature of the measure comes to be understood. The new bill contains the novel suggestion that the Government shall appoint agents for the sale of railway tickets. At first it was thought when mention was made of the bill that it would become law without doubt, but now doubts are freely offered that the bill will not pass a second reading unless vitally amended. The bill provides that any railway company subject to the control of the Parliament of Canada, and the Minister of Railways and Canals, as respects any railway under the control of the Government of Canada, may appoint in any city, town, or village in Canada such person or persons as they may choose as agents for the sale of passenger tickets to passengers or persons desirous to travel by the railway of the company employing such agent, or by any Government railway, as the case may be. A clause also provides for the issue of certificates of authorization by the Minister of Railways to agents appointed by the Ministry. Clause 3, after providing that all tickets sold shall be stamped by such agent with his name and the date of sale, contains the surprising provision that this act shall also apply to agents of foreign companies doing business in Canada, who shall be required, before issuing tickets over Canadian lines, to be duly authorized for such purpose by the Minister of Railways and Canals or the company over whose lines they desire to issue tickets, or, in other words, railway ticket agents shall be nominees of the party Government of the day, and at present no Reformers need apply. Other clauses of the act provide for the fine and imprisonment of those persons who sell railway tickets in contravention of this law.

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