speaking of the good play and excellent feeling shown by the Peterboros. He was glad of such a very pleasant exchange of lacrosse sentiment.

Mr. H. Phalen proposed the health of Mayor Pense, which was received with a treble round of cheers. The Mayor thanked them, and accepted the honor for the city as much as for himself, though deeply appreciating the kindly regard shewn to him personally by the young men.

Mr. J. Perry, as a concluding toast, offered the health of the donor of the challenge cup, C. F. Gildersleeve, and it was drunk with a lively demonstration.

Songs were given by Messrs. Coughlin, A. Elliot, C. Milloy, M. Tierney, H. Lebrum and J. Elmer during the proceedings, and in conclusion "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the Queen" were heartily joined in.

SUNDRY NOTES.

Mr. Macdonald, of the Peterboro *Review*, (an old Kingstonian) missed the train at Belleville. It is to be regretted.

Late in the evening the two lacrosse clubs assembled in one of the parlors of the Windsor Hotel where they sung several solos and choruses in a very pleasing manner. The music attracted the passers by and at one time nearly a hundred persons assembled on the opposite sidewalk to hear it. Later still they had excellent instrumental music, rendered by piano and violins. The Peterboro club included several musically inclined.

The Peterboro club left for home by the morning express train, pleased with their victory and the hospitalities encountered here.

WHAT'S THE NEWS?

Laconic Arrangement of Items of Local and General Interest.

Picton is agitating for improved fire apparatus.

About three hundred people went on the usual weekly excursion to the camp this afternoon.

Complaints are made that hotel runners annoy the passengers on the downward boats of the St. Lawrence river.

There was an excursion from Boonville, N.Y., to the city. The party was accompanied by the Boonville band. There was also a successful excursion from Clayton. About 500 visitors were landed in the city at nearly the same time by the steamers 'John Thorn' and 'Pierrepont.'

Last Sad Rites.

The remains of the late Mrs. R. J. Eilbeck were interred in Belleville. They arrived by the six o'clock express from the east Wednesday night, accompanied by a large number of friends. They were met by such a procession of carriages and foot people as fully attested the popularity of the deceased lady in the section where she has been known from her childhood. It is also an expression of sympathy for the bereaved husband and sorrowing friends. Some time was consumed in making a start from the depot, and it was seven o'clock when the procession reached the lower bridge. Although a trot was maintained most of the way from this point till the cemetery was reached it was quite dark before the services at the grave were concluded. The death of this amiable and beloved lady has cast a gloom over a wide range of the community.

Curious Jug Found.

Mr. J. A. Perry, of Sharbott Lake, has in his possession a curiously wrought jug, of about two quarts capacity, which was dug out of the mound upon which the new charcoal works are being erected. The jug was found about ten feet below the surface. How it got there no one can conceive, as it is believed that the ground has never before been disturbed. The jug was corked, and on opening it was found to contain a mild liquid which people tasted and said was a species of liquor. How did it get there is a question which antiquarians can wrestle over. The jug is on exhibition at the Sharbott Lake House.

County Model School.

The first term of the Model School will begin on Monday Aug. 29th, and end on Saturday Oct. 22nd. The closing examination will begin on Thursday Oct. 20th, or Friday the 21st, at the option of the County Board of Examiners.

The second term will begin on Monday Oct. 24th, and end on Saturday Dec. 15th, or Friday 16th, at the option of the same Board.

The Minister of Education has now under consideration amendments to the regulations for the working of the Model Schools in the future.

St. Paul's Vestry Meeting.

To the Editor of the British Whig.

SIR,—A correspondent in your issue last evening, who styles himself "Fair Play," hints at my complicity in a design to mislead the public for a certain private purpose. No one, I believe, could be base enough to engage in such a trick, except the man who first made and then insinuated it under cover of an anonymous signature.

Yours truly,
JAMES SHANNON.

August 19th, 1881.

Puttner's Emulsion.

We beg leave to call our readers attention to the advertisement of PUTTNER'S EMULSION which appears in our columns, and judging from the high medical reputation it bears, it will merit the confidence of the profession and public at large. The inventor claims it contains a large percentage of pure oil than any other Emulsion, and made in a very pleasant and palatable form so that the most delicate stomach can retain it. It can be had from all drug men.

"A SOUND MIND IN A HEALTHY BODY"—The old Roman idea of the highest degree of happiness. The liver rules the roast, indigestion creates anarchy in the physical system. Costiveness, biliousness, dizziness and bad taste in the mouth, yellow skin and eyes, loss of appetite, loss of energy, and low spirits, pains in the back and side, wind and foul stomach; all these create bad blood. Regulate the bowels, stomach, liver, and kidneys with ZOPESA, (from Brazil) try a 10 cent sample, and ask Henry Wade or Heath & Gunn about it.

A GREAT SUCCESS IN SERGE FOR SUITINGS.—Z. Prevost, at the New York Clothing Store, is having great success in his serge suitings, having on hand English, Irish and Canadian serges. His English serges at $10 a suit (made to order) are taking the trade in the city.

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"Opifer per Orbem Dicor."

There is something dubious and peculiar about an announcement to the effect that the Land League convention will meet in September and express the views which the Land League desires the county to take. This is surely an instance of putting the cart before the horse. Upon a subject of all-engrossing public interest like this surely the Irish people are competent to form an intelligent and immediate opinion without waiting to have it formulated for them by the Land League convention. As understood in this county it is the vocation of a convention to voice the sentiment of a party and not to tell that party what it is to think in a given case. We do not think the Irish people will wait until September before making up their mind what to think about the Land Bill. Public sentiment is doubtless already formed in reference to it and the convention, when it meets, will only give expression to it.

Prof. G. E. Foster is known in his native Province of New Brunswick in connection with educational matters. He is known in Ontario as a tireless temperance worker. During the recent tussle over the Scott Act in Hamilton this gentleman took a very active part in its favour, and after the contest was over seems to have resolved to make the scene of his defeat his headquarters for he has settled down there as the Secretary of the Ontario Temperance and Prohibitory Alliance. He is out in a letter to the press in which he explains at length the history and the prospectus of the institution he represents. From this letter we learn that a Provincial Temperance Convention is to be held in Hamilton on the 15th and 16th of September prox. Large numbers of delegates are expected as well as a good time generally in the enjoyment of a visit to the "ambitious city" whose temperance people tender free entertainment to all accredited representatives to the coming Convention.

A BLOODLESS VICTORY.

The collapse of the political crisis in England will be a matter of relief to almost the entire nation. The only exceptions to this statement are possibly the Parnellites, who hoped that a dissolution would augment their numbers in the House of Commons. Lord Salisbury's first really bold strike for power has much sooner than was anticipated proved to be a stupendous blunder and tremendous failure. He has compelled the House of Lords to cut a sorry, almost a ridiculous, figure before the country. Defiance has been quickly succeeded by surrender and submission in order to avoid a still more abject humiliation, which would indeed have been inevitable had the dead-lock been referred to the people's arbitrament. The Gladstone Government does not require to be numerically stronger than it now is in Parliament, but that a sweeping victory would have been accorded it on an appeal to the electors there can scarcely be a shadow of doubt. So spontaneous and all but unanimous was the outburst of popular indignation against the action of the Lords that Gladstone would have been triumphantly sustained had it been necessary for him to go to the polls. The Tory party in the Commons were sagacious enough to see the unmistakeable [illegible] of the whirlwind of popular displeasure which would have still further thinned out their already sufficiently decimated numbers. They, and the less demented of their copartizans in the Lords, have prevailed over Lord Salisbury and the few "Stalwart" Tories who foolishly deemed heroic measures more likely to help them back to power again. The Stalwart jingoes have had to ingloriously back down and bow to the power of the popular will. The prestige of the Lords have been seriously diminished by this short, sharp, and decisive crisis. Their veto power is practically gave, and hereafter it will be well understood that when then the people and their representatives resolve upon any great measure of reform it will be worse than useless for the fossil legislators to attempt to burke the national resolution.

FREE TRADE AND FAIR TRADE.

The preliminary skirmish in the British Parliament on behalf of the Fair Trade movement has resulted disastrously to the retaliators. The motion, which was a very mild one and which only gently deprecated the consent of parliament to a one-sided commercial treaty with France, was negatived by a two to one majority. The significance of the vote consists in the fact that it was not so much that the House did not believe in and could not endorse the position set forth in the face of the resolution, but because it "squinted violently" in the direction of protection. The British people will never consent to the restoration of the absolete fallacies of protection, nor surrender the advantages and the commercial glories which have been secured by the adoption of Free Trade principles. As the New York *Nation* puts the case in regard to Great Britain: "Her manufactures and commerce dominate the markets and waters of the world, at no time more unmistakeably than now. Her superiority is based upon cheapness of production, the art of offering to foreign countries more in return for their goods than rivals can afford to give. * * * Fair Trade is not likely to make many converts. Free Trade has never rested upon more solid foundations in Great Britain than at the present time." If matters of more paramount importance were not now engrossing the public mind, and if it were possible for the battle of Free Trade against a policy of monopoly and taxation to be fought over again with nothing else to distract the popular attention from this sole issue, it is certain that the protectionists would not merely be routed at the polls but that the fiscal fallacies they fight for would receive an effectual and permanent quietus. The taxationists of Canada need never hope to look for justification for their reactionary policy, or for aid or comfort of any kind upon this question, from the solid common sense of the British people.

A MINISTER'S VISIT.

TOUR OF INSPECTION OF SIR HECTOR LANGEVIN, MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

His Observations at the Penitentiary, Military College and Tete de Pont Barracks—Harbor Improvements. The Address and Speeches in Reply.

This morning, at four, Sir Hector L. Langevin, Minister of Public Works, accompanied by Messrs. H. F. Perley, Chief Engineer of the Department of Public Works; T. Scott, Chief Architect of the same Department; and Mackey, Private Secretary, arrived here from Ottawa. The former was driven to the residence of Mr. Geo. A. Kirkpatrick, whose guest he was during his visit to the city. At 8:30 o'clock Sir Hector breakfasted with Mayor Pense, Lieut. Col. Hewitt, Mr. D. D. Calvin, M.P.P., and Mr. J. H. Metcalfe, M.P.P. At 9:30 o'clock two handsome cabs, jehued by Mr. P. Devlin and one of Wilson Bros.' staff, drove the party, increased by three more, to various institutions. The penitentiary was first visited. Over the entrance a large Union Jack was hoisted. Sir Hector was met by Warden Creighton, who first conducted him and those with him to his office, where several introductions followed. An inspection of the prison was then made, commencing with the women's wing. Everything was scrupulously neat and clean. The sewing room was looked into and the women found busily engaged. In the women's ward there are only 22 women.

THE NEW CATHOLIC CHAPEL

was passed through and its beauty elicited much admiration. The rotunda was entered, the corridors and cells inspected and a look taken through the lunatic ward. The first cell passed was that in which Blake (who escaped along with three others last winter and was captured near Cape Vincent) was confined. He vacantly stared at the party as they passed. The shoe and tailor shops were also examined. In this workroom 150 men were employed. Some 1,300 pairs of moccasins or shoepacks are now in process of manufacture for the Indians in the North West. The tailors were engaged in making the winter clothing for the convicts. The yellow and brown fullcloth was declared to be of excellent quality. It is made by Mr. E. Booth, of Odessa. In the turning department a number of inmates were engaged in making oak posts for the cotton mill. The Warden suggested that Sir Hector should visit Sturdy, the Guelph abductor. He has fretted until he has become partially deranged. The Minister returned to a corner of the carpenter's shop in which Sturdy was found at work upon a handsome painting for the Catholic chapel,

THE ASCENSION OF OUR SAVIOUR.

Sturdy is a fine looking man with long hair and a heavy beard. Sorrow and suffering had left their impress upon him. Mr. Creighton introduced Sturdy to Sir Hector, remarking at the same time "that he was deserving of liberty." Sturdy's face was lit up with a smile, and in a low tone of voice said, "I would be very grateful to you if you would give it to me." Sir Hector said that he could not do so, but that he would do all he could for his release. The party then departed and inspected the new boiler room, from which the several buildings will be heated. In the upper flat will be placed machinery for the manufacture of cloth, blankets and other woollen goods. The lock works proved very interesting. The new asylum was carefully inspected. There is accommodation for 56 patients. There are but 22 to occupy it. The dining room next came under observation, and the arrangements for feeding 638 convicts explained. The party they passed out of the institution, and was then augmented by the addition of Mr. Sexton, Reeve, and Councillors Fisher and McCarthy, of Portsmouth. This was stated to have been the first village in Frontenac. The matter of dredging Portsmouth harbour was adverted to and plans of it exhibited. A grant of $3,500 had been made towards it. Mr. Creighton offered to provide the manuel labor if the Government would provide the dredge. Sir Hector, after a few remarks as to the best time for doing the work, announced that

A DREDGE WOULD BE READY

for service next week. Dredgings will be placed inside the long pier, which was built in 1838 by a company, but afterwards abandoned and, on application of the village authorities, turned over to them by the Board of Works then in existance. Since that time $2,600 has been expended upon it by the village. The new elbow put down at the Penitentiary, so far as to protect vessels at the wharf, was visited. An addition of 100 feet will be made to it, eastward. The party then adjourned to the tug "Jessie Hall" kindly placed at the disposal of the party by Mr. McFarlane, agent for the St. Lawrence and Chicago Forwarding Company. Capt. McGrath, the second oldest captain on the river, was introduced to Sir Hector. Before leaving Sir Hector shook hands with Mr. Creighton saying "If I had to be an inmate of the institution I would like to be under you." The tug then started out and passed up the harbour so that the Insane Asylum could be viewed. During the trip the Minister spoke very highly of the manner in which the Penitentiary was conducted and of the contented look of the convicts. After a pleasant sail the boat landed at the Military College where a portion of the party disembarked.

INSPECTING THE MILITARY COLLEGE.

The stay at the college was of considerable length. The different departments, lecture rooms and offices, were examined, the Minister of Public Works expressing himself as quite satisfied with the appearance and management of the institution. The visit must have more than ever convinced him of the necessity for the third building, in accordance with the original design.

He was shown the necessity of one or two extensions beside the new building. He stated that he would give the matter his consideration. The cabs were taken and a drive made across Cataraqui bridge to Tete de Pont Barracks where the party lunched with Lieut. Col. Montizambert and the officers of "B" Battery. The barracks were visited and several changes shown to be needed. They will be made as soon as possible.

While at the penitentiary a discussion occurred, about the new wing. Mr. Creighton was asked if the stones for the foundation could be procured from the penitentiary. Mr. Creighton said they could be prepared during the coming winter. Sir Hector said the work on a new block would be begun shortly; the contract would be let at once. This will be good news for Kingstonians.

TRIP AROUND THE HARBOR.

At half-past one o'clock the steamer "Princess Louise" left the Ferry wharf upon the excursion tendered by Mayor Pense. The invitations were purely official, and comprised chiefly the City Council, County Council representatives and officials of the Dominion Government, as follows:

Members of the City Council; City Clerk and Assistant, Messrs. Flanagan and Macarow; Mr. W. R. Mingaye, Collector of Customs; Mr. G. Griffin, P. O. Inspector; Mr. J. Shannon, Postmaster; Mr. W. Burrows, Gas Inspector; Mr. F. Rowland, Collector of Inland Revenue; Lt.-Col Hewitt, Commandant Military College; Lt.-Col. Montizambert, Commandant School of Gunnery; Lt. Col. Villiers, D.A.G.; Hon. Senator Hamilton; Messrs. A. Gunn, M.P., G. A. Kirkpatrick, M.P., D. D. Calvin, M.P.P., J. H. Metcalfe, M.P.P., Mr. J. R. Dawson, Warden of the County of Frontenac; Sheriff Ferguson; the City Treasurer, Mr. Ireland; Mr. Duff, Police Magistrate; Capt. Horsey, Chief of the Fire Department; Captain Middleton, City Collector; Mr. Coverdale, City Engineer; Mr. A. Smyth, Harbour Master; Mr. W. S. Gordon, City Assessor; Mr. Agnew, City Solicitor; Mr. A. Lanigan, City Messenger; Mr. John Creighton, Warden of the Penitentiary; Mr. Sexton, Reeve of Portsmouth; Mr. T. F. VanLuven, County Treasurer; Mr. F. Elkington, County Clerk; Mr. H. Cunningham, President of the Conservative Association; Mr. W. Harty, President of the Reform Association; Colonel Twitchell, U. S. Consul; Mr. John Fraser, Chairman of the Collegiate Institute Board of Trustees; Mr. R. M. Horsey, Chairman of the Public School Board; Rev. P. A. Twohey, Chairman of the Separate School Board; Mr. R. W. Shannon, *Daily News*; Mr. McVicar, Sarnia *Canadian*.

At the Queen's wharf Sir Hector and party were taken on board, the Mayor leading in hearty cheers. A trip was made through the upper harbour shewing the cotton mill and new works there, thence over the shoals in the lower harbor, (whose very objectionable nature was demonstrated) and thence to the Batteau Channel and home by way of the channel south of Garden Island. At the proper moment a champagne spread was made, and the Mayor said that no formality was intended. They had assembled to add to the cordial welcome given to Sir Hector as a distinguished visitor from another province, one, however, who desired to be considered a friend of Kingston, having had once a residence here, and his family having contributed a faithful commander of the navy at this port. He had pleasure in

READING THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

The Hon. Sir Hector L. Langevin, K.C.M.G., Minister of Public Works.

SIR,—The members of the Corporation extend to you to-day a cordial welcome to the city they are privileged to represent, and trust that your stay here, though short, may be an agreeable one. The visit from another Province of a distinguished Minister, warm in the hearts of his countrymen, will ever be a pleasure to them, and particularly so when the motive of his presence is the advancement of works of great public utility.

The public works of Kingston are not only extensive and important, but they are also historical in character, and may always claim your interest coupled with a fostering care. Nature, too, has blessed Kingston with a splendid harbor, and they are confident that, from what you have seen of it to-day, you will prize it more highly as a most valuable link in that grand chain of lake navigation which the opening of the new Welland Canal will complete. That, your kindly influences may be exerted in welding that link more firmly is their very earnest desire.

And now, sir, they beg to offer their congratulations upon the marked honour conferred upon you by Her Most Gracious Majesty as well as express their earnest wish that the pleasantest of circumstances may attend your tour westward.

On behalf of the City Council.

EDWARD J. B. PENSE,
Mayor.

A PITHY REPLY.

Sir Hector, in reply, expressed his gratitude for the personal references. He had pleasure in receiving such kindly tokens from a body some of whose members must hold widely different views from him, and most of whom must have a different creed. But he felt proud to say that he, upon important matters of public service, knew no province or section, no east, no west, nothing but the one country, and it was therefore a pleasure to him to move amongst the people as he had done in the Maritime Provinces, to learn their wants and discover how far these wants may be met in the public interest. He had seen their fine public buildings and felt that the Dominion, the Province and city might well be proud of them. The shoals in the harbour were undoubtedly a dangerous and vexatious obstruction, and he could promise them that he would do his endeavour to secure earnest Government attention to them. One bar he would not care to remove, however, that which had sent forth Sir John Macdonald, Sir Alexander Campbell, Sir Richard Cartwright, the late James O'Reilly and Thomas Kirkpatrick, and now Mr. Geo. A. Kirkpatrick, a role of great credit to Kingston. He felt a kindly interest in Kingston, and hoped to return to it at a time when he could admire its beauties of situation more leisurely.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Mayor then proposed the health of the Minister, who in return toasted the health of "The Mayor and Corporation," commending His Worship for the zeal he had displayed on behalf of the city during his visit, and predicting for him a term or two yet in office.

A double round of cheers was given. "Jolly Good Fellows."

The Mayor thanked Sir Hector and the company on behalf of the Council for the very hearty expression of feeling. The body was composed of energetic, zealous men, who could labor for the city independent of feeling upon any occasion. He did not desire to trespass upon politics, but he might be permitted to illustrate his statement by the fact that the majority in the Council were Reformers like himself, but yet could welcome one of Her Majesty's Ministers in his official capacity with much cordiality. They would be happy at all times to give a welcome to Sir Hector and his colleagues, and he trusted that the same feeling would prevail, no matter what changes in power occur. Personally, he would say thanks, for their good opinion. He was not a candidate for re-election, desiring to seek that rest from very active public life which his home and business demanded.

TOASTING THE GOVERNMENTS.

Alderman Allen, as senior in the Council, also responded and proposed as well the "Prosperity of the Dominion and Provincial Parliaments." They were well represented in Kingston and Frontenac and could drink the toast more sincerely on that account. He learned that there was at Ottawa a surplus, and since Kingston had not received its full share in the past, he hoped to hear of a distribution very soon in this quarter. The harbor merited very serious government attention, and he trusted to Sir Hector Langevin's energies to accomplish it.

Messrs. Gunn, Kirkpatrick, Calvin and Metcalfe responded, and their remarks, as well as those of Messrs. Gildersleeve and Cunningham upon a subsequent toast of "Prosperity to the Commercial Interests of Kingston," we are obliged owing to the arrival of the hour of publication close upon the steamer's return to defer.

LEAVING FOR TORONTO.

Sir Hector, as he left to take the evening train for Toronto, was again cheered.

Upon the way to the station Alderman Allen pointed out the city's requirements in the opening through of Bagot and Orange streets.

The party afterwards sailed to the Ferry wharf and landed after cheers for the Mayor.

If the Hon. Knight's trip through Ontario continues as cordial and as pleasant as the opening at Kingston he will find his duty quite an agreeable one.

NOTES BY THE WAY.

Four convicts were released from the penitentiary to-day.

Last year out of 330 vessels which entered Portsmouth harbour not one met with an accident.

In 1859 Sir Hector Langevin inspected the penitentiary. Numerous changes have taken place since that time.

Sir Hector Langevin lived in Kingston in 1843 with his family at the time the seat of government was here. He took special notice of the General Hospital where Parliament assembled at that time.

The subject of smelting works came up, and Mr. Kirkpatrick called the attention of the Minister to the fact that hundreds of tons of ore were taken from this county to the United States and returned in the shape of iron. At the penitentiary there were hundreds of men who could be engaged in rolling, and he thought it would not be unwise to try the experiment of smelting ore at the public expense. No private company would undertake the work. Sir Hector will probably consider the matter.

ROUTE OF VISITATION.

Saturday, 20th—Toronto.
Monday, 22nd—Southampton.
Tuesday, 23rd—Port Elgin.
Wednesday, 24th—Kincardine.
Thursday, 25th—Goderich.
Friday, 26th—Sarnia.
Friday, 26th—Windsor.
Saturday, 27th—Amherstburg.
Sunday, 28th—St. Thomas.
Monday, 29th—London.
Tuesday, 30th Stratford.
Wednesday, 31st—Berlin.
Thursday, Sept. 1st—Toronto.
Friday, 2nd—Port Hope.
Saturday, 3rd—Returns to Ottawa.

PATIENT PRESIDENT.

His Condition Decidedly Better Early Recovery Predicted by the Surgeons.

Washington, Aug. 19.—It is stated that the President, referring to the swelling of the parotid gland, told Boynton that it was too bad that this new complication arose. Boynton answered him, "it is nothing serious." Boynton is reported as saying that the President did not show an actual desire for food yesterday, but food was not repulsive to him as it had been for a day or two back. Boynton also said the President, before the recent relapse, was over fed. He stated that the surgeons were treating him for inflammation of the parotid gland. It is said the surgeons at first thought best to allow the swelling to run its course and hasten suppuration, but later it was determined best to scatter the inflammation and prevent the swelling coming ahead. The treatment accordingly changed.

ALARMING STAGES PASSED.

Bliss is reported as saying that the President has now safely passed the most alarming stages of his case. All conditions of his case inspire us with the greatest confidence in his convalescence. He is now out of danger, and none but a combination of the most formidable complaints can bring about the fatal result.

Last evening one of the surgeons expressed the opinion that the President will be sitting up in about ten days.

Condensed Telegrams.

The condition of crops everywhere on the Ottawa Valley were never more promising.

The anti Jewish disturbances in the district of Pultava, Southern Russia, have led to a fatal collision between the troops and mob.

An Arab fanatic ran amuck through the streets of Susa on Saturday calling on the Arabs to join in a holy war. He and followers were seized after they had murdered two persons.

The officers of the Erie Railroad state that the strike will be confined to the western portion of the line. No complaints have been made by the men on the eastern division. The company have employed green hands to replace the strikers.

The comptroller of New York announces that 4,500 houses and lots will be sold for unpaid taxes.

Insurance Roguery.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 19.—One hundred "grave yard" Insurance Companies are represented here, besides several local organizations. Several holders of policies have discovered that they have been assessed for deaths that occurred months before they became members, and are occasionally called up on pay for the death of an imaginary subject. For these and other irregularities prosecutions will soon be begun against a number of concerns.

Declining Stock.

London, Aug. 18.—The stock in Great Britain during the last two years has diminished more than 12 per cent. There has been a decline of 2,000,000 sheep and 1,000,000 lambs since 1879.

Band Performance To-night.

By kind permission of Col. Montizambert and officers the band of "B" Battery will play in the City Park this evening at eight o'clock, (weather permitting), the following programme:

Overture—Titus	Mozart
Valse—Tout à Vous	Waldteufel
Arietta—From Tancredi	Rossini
Valse—My Queen	Coote
Fantasia—Old Time Favorites	Trendell
Galop—The Jolly Bachelor	Standholt

Vive La Canadienne.
God Save the Queen.

J. W. TRENDELL,
Bandmaster.

Wounds by Fish Hooks, or the Fins of Fish, may be cured by bathing in Perry Davis' Pain-Killer.

HEN'S FOOD.

There is not a cattle or a poultry raiser from Sandwich to Gaspe, but can surely enhance the value of his stock twenty per cent., by mixing Harvell's Condition Powders occasionally with the feed of his fowls or animals. Inquire all about them.

There is no better family medicine than Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They are taken alike by both old and young. They invigorate the system. They should invariably be used instead of those little well-known nauseous purgatives called pills. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50c. For sale by all druggists.

MARRIED.

On the 17th inst., at Stirling, Ont., at the residence of the bride's father by the Rev. J. Mabee, J. J. Bates, of this city, to Estella only daughter of Uriah Wright, Esq.

DIED.

At his residence, Union Street, on the 19th inst., James Macneff, aged 61 years.

The funeral will leave the house on Saturday afternoon at 3.30, and the services will be held in Chalmers' Church at 4 o'clock.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, Aug. 19, 12 o'clock

STOCKS	ASKED	OFFERED
Bank of Montreal	190¼	190¼
Merchants Bank	125¼	125
Bank of Commerce	148½	148
Ontario Bank	89½	89
Bank of Toronto	156	155½
Molson's Bank	118	118
Banque du Peuple	92¼	92
Banque Jacques Cartier	110	105
Union Bank	95	92
Quebec Bank	00	000
Exchange Bank	143	140
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Montreal Telegraph Co.	130¼	130
Dominion Telegraph Co.	100	96
Montreal Gas Co.	148	146
City Passenger RR	137½	136
Rich & Ont. Nav. Co.	67½	65
Royal Canadian Ins. Co.	50	46
Canada Cotton Co. ex-div.	140	135
Dundas Cotton Co.	134½	131
Consol Bank	00	00
Federal Bank	000	140
Ont. Investment	000	000
St. Paul's	000	000

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STRONG BAKERS FLOUR A SPECIALTY.

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Montreal, Aug. 19.

Flour—Receipts 1,757 barrels; sales 300 barrels; Market firm, little doing; quotations are: Superior 6.15 to 6.25; extra 5.90 to 6.15; fancy 5.90 to 5.95; spring extra 5.90 to 6.00; superfine 5.50 to 5.60; strong baker's 6.25 to 6.75; fine 5.00 to 5.00; middlings 4.60 to 4.70; pollards 4.25 to 4.40; Ont. bags 2.80 to 3.25; city do 3.30 to 0.00.

Grain—Wheat nominal U.C. Spring 1.29 to 1.30; red 1.28; white 1.25 to 1.27; Chicago and Mil. do 1.35 to 1.36 in bond.

Corn 70c in bond.
Peas 00c to 86c for 60 lbs.
Oats 00c to 45c.
Barley 75c to 75c.
Rye 1.00 to 1.06.
Oatmeal 4.50 to 4.80.
Cornmeal 3.15 to 3.25.
Provisions—Butter, Western 17c to 19c; B. & M. 20c to 21c; E. T. 22c to 24c.
Creamery 23 to 24.
Cheese 11c to 11½c.
Pork—Mess 21.00 to 22.00.
Hams 13c to 14c.
Lard 13c to 15½c.
Bacon 11c to 12c.
Ashes—Pots quiet; firsts 5.25 to 5.30; pearls 5.75.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 19.

Stocks—Strong.
Cotton—Dull at 11⅝.
Flour—Strong; receipts 18,000 bbls.; sales 23,000 bbls.; 4.50 to 5.25 for superior state and western, 5.25 to 6.75 common to choice ex state.
Rye Flour—Steady at 4.50 to 5.85.
Wheat—Active; receipts 154,000 bush; sales 16,000 bushels; No. 2 Red Aug. 1.40¼ to 0.00; 000,000 bush for Sept. at 1.39 to 1.41; 36,000 bush for Oct. at 1.38½ to 1.39.
Rye—Steady at 90 to 95.
Corn—Higher; Receipts 137,000 bush; sales 335,000 bush; 60 to 00 for mixed, 53c to 00c for old 68c to 75c for new.
Barley—Dull, nominal.
Oats—Receipts 87,000; sales 23,000; 43c to 44c mixed western and state, 43c to 50c for white No. 2 July 00c to 00.
Pork—Firm, 17.00 to 18.00.
Lard—Weaker, 11.40.
Butter—11 to 24.
Cheese—4 to 11¼.

OSWEGO MARKET.

Oswego, Aug. 19.

Wheat—Steady; Sales 2,600 new white State at 1.32; new red State at 1.35; No. 2 red Wabash at 1.39.
Corn—Higher; sales 1,000 No. 2 Mixed Western 68c; high mixed 1.85.
Barley—Nominal.
Oats—Quiet; white state held at 00c to 44c.
Rye—Scarce; sales 6,000 Canada held at 00c to 00c in bond.
Canal Freights—Lower on grain; wheat 3½c; peas 3½c; corn and rye 3½c to New York; lumber 1.50 to Albany; 2.20 to New York.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, Aug. 19, 12 noon.

Wheat—1.37¼ to 0.00 for Oct. 1.36¼ for Sept.; 1.2½ for year.
Corn—56½c for Sept. 55½c for Aug.
Pork—18.25 for Sept. 18.30 for Oct.
Lard—11.62½ for year; 11.62½ for Sept.

Mechanics' Institute.

First Grand Annual Excursion

Per Steamer ERGO

To the THOUSAND ISLANDS,

—ON—

Friday, August 26th.

IN order to give excursionists a view of the Thousand Islands, the steamer will take the North Channel to Gananoque, thence to Fiddler's Elbow, through the Lost Channel, crossing over to Westminster Park, Alexandria Bay, and stopping at Wells' Island for half an hour. This trip embraces the finest scenery of the St. Lawrence.

The band of B Battery is engaged for the occasion.

Tickets 50 cents; to be had from members of Committee, and from the Secretary at the Institute Rooms, and at the boat.

Boat leaves Gunn's Wharf at 1 o'clock sharp.

N. C. POLSON,
Sec'y. to Com.

Aug. 19.

A Grateful Husband.

Toronto, 24th March, 1879.

Mr. WINTERGRBYN,—Dear Sir,—I wish to tender you my heartfelt thanks for the benefit my wife has derived from the use of your Hair Restorer. Some few years since she nearly lost all her hair, and what little remained turned grey. We tried every remedy in the market, some of them claiming to be wonderful discoveries, and all to no purpose. Having seen an advertisement of your discovery, we availed ourselves of it as a last resource. I am now happy to state that it not only restored the hair to its natural color, but brought in new hair where the old had fallen and my wife has to-day as good a head of hair as any lady in our city.

Yours respectfully,
WM. FRAIN, 73 Esther Street.

P.S.—You can publish this if you choose. W.F.

Agent, W. T. C. BETHEL,
Chemist and Druggist,
124 Princess' Street, nearly opposite the City Hotel.

Aug. 19.

Mr. Edward J. Baker,

POSTMASTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WOLFE ISLAND and General Merchant and Agent for the following manufactories:

Jos. Hall, Manufacturing Co., Oshawa.
Waterous Engine Co., Brantford.
Noxon Bros., Ingersoll.
St. Lawrence Woollen Mills, Gananoque.

And also Agent for the following papers: "Mail" and "Globe" Printing Cos. Toronto; "Post" Printing Co., Montreal; "Whig" Kingston, and all the leading papers in Canada.

Aug. 18.

Annual Meeting.

THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Robers' Iron Company, (limited, Ontario), will be held at the British American Hotel, on THURSDAY, 1st SEPTEMBER, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year.

Aug. 10. R. C. ROBERTS, President.

To Rent.

FROM 1st SEPTEMBER, the Store and dwelling on Wellington Street, at present occupied by W. J. Mahood. Apply to

S. C. McGILL,
Clarence Street.

August 17.

DRS. DUPUIS & HENDERSON

Will be found at Dr. Dupuis' Surgery, No. 7 Montreal Street, opposite the R. E. Church. Calls in both city and country promptly attended to at all hours of the day and night.

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PIC-NIC

AND

HOLIDAY

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We have on hand a large lot of Old Magazines at the following prices:

Leisure Hour, January to June, '81		50c.
Sunday at Home,		50c.
Boys' Own Paper, July to Dec. '80		50c.
Young England, Jany. to June, '81		50c.
Blackwood, 1876, complete		50c.
All the Year Round, 1875, complete		25c.
	1880,	75c.
Fortnightly Review, 1877,		$1.
	1879,	$1.
British Quarterly Review, 1873, complete		50c.
	1878,	50c.
	1879,	50c.
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	1879,	75c.
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Macmillan's Magazine,	1878,	75c.
	1879,	75c.
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Nineteenth Century,	1880,	50c.
Weekly Welcome, numbers from Aug. '80, to Feby., '81,		60c.

25 Numbers of Cassell's English Literature for $1.25.
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Every Month, 3 " 25c.
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Odd Numbers of most of the foregoing at only 5c each.

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Aug. 8th.

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S. S. FRIPPEN,
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Aug. 11.

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WE have just received three casks of FINE FRENCH CHINA, containing a good selection of

China Dinner Sets, Dessert Sets,
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Ice Cream!

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WAGES, $1.50 PER DAY,

TO work in the extension of the Kingston and Pembroke Railway and in the mines located on that Road.

Apply to BENJ. W. FOLGER,
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August 13.

FLOUR!

2,000 Bags of Bakers' and Family Flour in store and arriving, and for sale cheap at the

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M. MORRISON.

August 12.

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Aug. 19.

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Building Site on Barrie Street, [illegible].
Rough Cast House on upper part of Barrie Street, lot 54 x 90.
[illegible] Acres of Lot [illegible], Con. Pittsburgh.
Lot between 8th and 9th Streets, Rideau Ward.
Lot 19, and part [illegible], on North side of Rivers Street, 1½ Acres [illegible] of the Bobb Property.
26 Acres of Lot [illegible], 8th Con. of Loboro.

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Clarence St.

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No. [illegible] 4th Con. Hinchinbrooke, 200 Acres.
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Main road north crosses this lot.
Apply to

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Kingston Jan. 28, '81.

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

A DOUBLE HOUSE, on the corner of Gordon and Union Streets, each tenement containing nine rooms (not including the bath rooms), closets, kitchen, stabling, woodsheds, hard and soft water, concrete cement floor. Terms: [illegible] cash, balance in five years. Apply to W. SNOWDEN, Gordon Street.

A FINE NEW BRICK HOUSE, No. 113, corner of Union and Alfred Sts., containing eight rooms, with fine Stone Cellar, Cistern, Well and every convenience. For terms apply to RICHARD DAWSON, Builder, etc., No. 174, Wellington St.

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TO LET.

NEW TERRACE RESIDENCE—Number [illegible], Vaughn Terrace. Apply at Whig Office.

THE HOUSE at present occupied by Mr. Geo. Robertson, Earl Street. Apply to R. S. GARDINER.

PLEASANT HOUSE on Earl st. lately occupied by Capt. Jas. Allen. Possession 1st May. Apply to THOS. MOORE.

THAT COMMODIOUS DWELLING HOUSE in rear of the Golden Lion Block, well adapted for a Boarding House. Rent moderate. Apply to W. R. McRAE & CO.

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PERSONS desiring to rent well furnished rooms, in the centre of the city, are requested to apply to the subscriber on Sydenham Street, two doors from Princess Street. MRS. C. BECKER.

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THAT WELL-KNOWN TAVERN STAND, with 13 acres of land, in Sunbury, in the Township of Storrington, and situate fronting the main road leading to Battersea. Attached to the house is Stabling for 8 horses, shed, [illegible] x 66, and ample accommodation required by a first-class country tavern. Adjoining is the town hall and Court House. There is an unfailing supply of water on the premises. For particulars, apply to Mr. Spooner, on the premises, or to F. Elkington, Court House, Kingston. Terms: One third cash, balance in three equal yearly instalments.

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Aug. 11.

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July 21.