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CITY AND VICINITY. Best black tea at 60c per lb. at Street Bank, 459 Princess Street. The Shamrocks defeated the Toronto in three straight games of lacrosse at Montreal last night.

PLOWING KEPT BACK.—The fall plowing is very backward, the ground being too hard and dry. The probability is that there will not be the breadth of grain sown this year that there has been formerly.

METHODIST ECUMENICAL COUNCIL.—The Ecumenical Council of Methodism will meet next Wednesday, Sept. 7th, in the City Road Chapel, London, Eng.

A PICNIC PARTY.—Father Kielty, of Ennismore, has had a successful picnic in his parish. It occurred on Wednesday last. A large sum of money was realized. Father Kielty has completed a new residence just outside of Ennismore. It is declared to be an ornament to the neighbourhood.

HEAT AND SCHOOLS.—If the cool weather now spoken of by Yauor comes next week it will not be considered necessary to close the schools. In such heat, however, as we had last week, it would have been injurious to confining so many children as are said to have been in some of the rooms.

RESULTS OF DROUGHT AND FIRE.—One of the results of the prolonged dry weather, and the high fires which are annoying the farmers to an intolerable extent, is the increase in the cost of dairy produce. The pasturage is very poor, and what is left cannot be taken advantage of on account of the forest conflagration.

FUGITIVE'S NAME.—A person arrested for drunkenness the other evening gave a false name to the police, that of James Garrigan, and the name so appeared on the court calendar and in the printed report. Mr. James Garrigan, merchant of Prince Street, bears this name, and though he is above suspicion, the statement is made in justice to him.

EXCURSION TO PICTON.—The excursion to Picton on Friday next promises to be a most enjoyable affair. Excursionists will have four hours in Picton, in which to visit the bridge camp, which is expected to be composed of 2,000 troops. The city will be reached on the return at 9 p.m., after a delightful moonlight sail. The "Maud" will leave for Picton at 8.45 a.m.

LATE LAWRENCE JOYCE.—The funeral of this much respected farmer, who was accidentally killed near Battersea on Thursday evening, will take place to-morrow afternoon. His untimely death is universally mourned, and the procession to the grave will be very long. Deceased was a brother of the Township Treasurer.

KIND DEEDS CAN NEVER DIE.—The Sisters of Charity acknowledge the courteous generosity of the St. Lawrence River Steamship Company in tendering them a trip to the island of House of Providence, also the kindness of Mr. T. Roman, who gave the orphans of the institution a pleasant ride and garden party on Tuesday of this week.

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE.—This school opened on Thursday with an attendance of 62. About the usual number of new pupils were admitted, but many of the old ones are evidently waiting until Monday to rejoin their classes, thinking the weather too warm to attend this week. On referring to the files of the War for 1876 we find that the school re-opened that year with an attendance of only 20 pupils.

WORKING SHEEP.—In rounding Bear Point, Wolfe Island, yesterday, Capt. Miller, of the "Fleur-de-lis," saw dogs worrying sheep on the farm of Mr. Peter Kiel and blew the steamer's whistle as a warning. Mr. Kiel hurried to the spot and drove off the canines, but in the meantime two fine sheep had been killed. Of course Mr. Kiel is grateful to the captain, but for whom he believes he would have lost the whole flock. The owner of the dogs has agreed to make good the loss incurred by the animals.

ROVING RACES OPEN. Mr. G. Gray the Winner of the Mayor's Silver Cup. A Long Fall and a Tight Race. There were again a good many spectators of the boat race on the Bowling Club's course, which took place last evening on the Cataraugus river from stage station near the swing bridge to a point between Bell's Island and the main shore, the usual course and good one. Only two men were put in an appearance. S. Gray and J. Mandeville, both of whose crews were in the contest. In the absence of the Mayor Mr. Joseph Swift acted as starter and umpire, and gave the sculler's word at 6.19 o'clock. At the outset the men rowed for all they were worth, and for a considerable distance kept well together. Mandeville pulled the quicker stroke, but it was not so effective, and Gray was observed to gradually force ahead and keep the lead (hence until the finish). The stroke made the boys indistinguishable until the boats got quite near them. The steering had been very good, but Mandeville now found that he had to cross over a little in order to round his own flag. He put on a spurt and got around it nearly as soon as Gray did his, and the race home was rather a hot one. Mandeville, although he worked hard, could not overtake his opponent but came in a good second. Gray finished with a steady and vigorous stroke at 6.54. At 6 o'clock, the time 15 in 47 sec. it was not so good as that made on Tuesday evening. Mandeville was about 50 seconds behind when about 100 yards from the finish Gray struck a barrel buoy with his oar, and nearly collided with it. The trophy which he has won will be presented to him on the first suitable public occasion.

KILLED ON THE RAIL. A young man, Brockton on the Grand Trunk R.R., has his neck broken and dies at once. On Thursday night another victim was added to the list of Grand Trunk casualties. Stephen Collier, unmarried, 27 years of age, a brickmaker, was killed at the Manitoba siding, half a mile west of Brockville. It is supposed that while leaning forward to signal the driver he was struck by the cattle car. Conductor Michael Mahan says that when he got his train into a siding he looked out for Collier's signal but could see nothing. A search was then made and the body found at the bottom of the chute. The neck being broken he was quite dead. Deceased was a native of the township of Kingston, and leaves a widowed mother. He had the usual Grand Trunk insurance upon his life, held payable to her. For the past year he has been living at Mrs. Dyer's boarding house in Belleville. His head came in contact with a high platform, used for loading double deckers, and this it was that killed him. His boots, lantern and hat were found before the accident was discovered. An inquest was held on the body. The remains were brought to Kingston, his relatives residing near here, where they will be interred. The deceased young man was a genial companion, and much liked by railroads.

WHAT'S THE NEWS? Locomotive Arrangement of Items at Local and General Interest.—Consip that is Readable. The apple crop is unusually large in Wolfe Island. Stove coal is selling at Cape Vincent for \$6 per ton. A warehouse, capable of holding about 10,000 bushels of grain, is being erected at Bath. The Belleville Cricket Club cannot play in Kingston until the end of the month. The police library had fifteen volumes added to it by the sons of Dr. Neish. The steamer Maud took quite a company to Cape Vincent this afternoon. The boating season, for pleasure, is nearly ended. A difficulty between the County Inspector and a teacher will probably be investigated by a commission appointed by the Minister of Education. A man named Conley, for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, was before Mr. Schroder, J.P., Portsmouth, yesterday, and fined \$2 and costs. The excursionists on the steamer "Armstrong," from Brockville, did not run to Kingston yesterday. The boat was so dense and binding that the only proceeded up as far as Grinnell's Park.

Non Strike in Stoverington. Isaac Lake, son of Isaac Lake, of Elginburg, 10 years of age, who has been working for his uncle, Mr. W. Lake, near Inverary, was on Monday last prostrated by the heat of the sun. At once he complained of headache, heat, but a slight fever, and when pitching a load of oats afterwards to his cousin he would have to stop as his head was so hot. In a few minutes after he fell down and was wildly delirious for a time. Dr. Darragh was immediately summoned and at last accounts the young man was recovering.

Parting Presents. At the close of the officers' mess, prior to the breaking up of the Shoeburyness camp, the two gentlemen cadets of the Royal Military College at Kingston (Messrs. Hodgins and Kirkpatrick) were called up and presented by the Marquis of Londonderry, the President of the Association, with two silver cups from the Volunteer Artillery officers of Great Britain as souvenirs of their visit first to this camp.

The Season's Results. The increase of patronage along the river during the present season is said to be fully thirty per cent. over that of last year. The gain of patronage at the various hotels has ranged from 10 to 100 per cent. In a single week at Alexandria Bay one house turned away five hundred people.

Agitation. This forenoon a young girl employed in the knitting factory had her head caught in a belt, forcing it around a large wheel. Fortunately she was not badly injured.

GENERAL CAMP MEETING. Kingston Field Battery and Cavalry Battalion. Preparations are being made by the members of the Kingston Field Battery and 4th Battalion for transportation to Picton, where they will go into camp for a few days, and by constant drill have their efficiency and knowledge of military matters considerably increased. The Kingston Field Battery is one of the oldest corps in the Province, and has always been in good condition, and prepared, adds an officer, "to defend its section of the country. Had the two trial shots at the target practice set upon at Ottawa, the Kingston Batteryman, from whom they were designated, would have won the first prize." The battery's officers are as follows: Capt. and Major H. Wilnot, First Lieut. and Captain J. Wilnot, Second Lieut. and Brevet First Lieut. P. Graham Wilnot, Sergeant-Major John Wilnot, Drill Instructor—Staff Sergeant Lyndon, R. Hatfield, Sergeants—John McLean, W. Bay, M. Moore, J. Patterson, Quarter-Master and Commissary Sergeant, J. T. Whitney. The battery is composed of 50 gunners and drivers, 20 horses, 4 guns, 1 howitzer, and waggons. It will certainly make a creditable display. On Tuesday morning it will leave the artillery park for the boat.

4TH BATTALION N. M. The 4th Batt. (Frontenac and Adirondack) was organized on the 8th Nov. 1866, and at the present time is one of the strongest rural battalions in the Dominion. It is composed of ten companies, which should have 42 men each, the staff officers being: Lieut. Col. Kirkpatrick, Kingston; Majors Hunter, Pittsburg, and H. R. Smith, Kingston; Surgeon—J. R. Smith, Harrowsmith; Assistant Surgeon—J. McCannion, Kingston; Paymaster, M. Strachan, Barriefield; Quarter-Master, G. Thompson, Kingston; Capt. and Adj. W. M. Baillie, Kingston.

COMPANIES TO ATTEND. No. 1 Company, Battersea—Captain Hewton and Lieut. Sharp; No. 2 Company, Glenburnie—Captain Hunter, Lieut. Healey; No. 3 Company, Elginburg—Captain C. N. Spooner, Lieut. Irvine; No. 4 Company, Portsmouth—Captain Kelly, Lieut. Abrams; No. 5 Company, Barriefield—Captain Irvine with Capt. Farrelly, 15th Batt. attached; No. 6 Company, Wolfe Island—Capt. I. H. Raffard; No. 7 Company, Harrowsmith—Captain Jyver with Lieut. Bethune, 77th Batt. attached; No. 8 Company, Enterprise—Captain Cox, Lieut. Miller; No. 9 Company, Amherst Island—Capt. R. Patterson; No. 10 Company, Odessa—Captain Mabbe.

UNIFORMITY OF DRESS. With a view to uniformity of dress, explicit orders have been issued stating what is expected of the officers in command. They are to provide their own uniform, which, if not as desired, they will not be allowed to appear on parade, and we presume their pay will be affected accordingly. Such clothing as the men want is to be asked for and supplied at once by the Battalion Quarter-Master, and Captains of companies are requested to see that it is properly fitted. On the day before the camp opens one man from each company will be sent to Picton to receive stores, they being, for this service, entitled to one day's extra pay. The battalion will assemble at the Drill Shed on Tuesday, early morning, for a start to be made at 10 o'clock on the steamer "Maud," which will carry them to their destination. Amherst Island company being picked up at 11.30 o'clock. No. 8 Company, Enterprise, will come to the city during the night, and quarter at the Drill Shed until the time of starting. The pay of the men being but 50 cents a day we expect there will be some difficulty in filling up the companies for the camp. Farm hands are now in receipt of \$1 and \$1.50 per day.

POLICE COURT—SATURDAY. A Light Sentence.—Bonds Given for the Appearance of one Defendant in an Abduction Case. One solitary drunk appeared in the prisoner's pen this morning. He was discharged, not having appeared as an offender hitherto. John Barton was brought before the court and sentenced for carrying fire arms. The magistrate took into consideration his age and previous good character, and gave the lowest fine possible to inflict, \$20, or in default of payment a month's confinement in goal. James Walsh was charged by P. C. Hind with leaving his cab unattended near the B. A. Hotel on the 8th ultimo, while he stood at the door waiting for a passenger who had paid him to drive him to the station. The charge was dismissed.

This morning Darius Smith appeared at the court to answer to the charge of assisting in the abduction of Mary Rupert, who now cannot be found and who is believed to be in the company of H. Waggoner. Every effort has been made to secure the return of both parties, but without success, in consequence of which Mr. McIntyre asked for a further adjournment. It was finally agreed by the Police Magistrate that as Smith had twice appeared to be bound for \$500 to appear when called upon, Mr. Smith claims that there is no evidence to connect him with the case. He is ready at any time to stand his trial.

The Royal Military College. The College will open, we learn, with fully as many pupils upon the rolls as it closed with last June, ere the graduating class had left to its halls. There will be over eighty cadets in attendance, and there is really proper dormitory accommodation for 80 only. This sustaining of the numbers in attendance is very satisfactory, since three batches of cadets graduated within twelve months, and only one could by the revised regulations be allowed to join. Had the old arrangement of semi-annual examinations been in force there would have been a great increase in the number of entrants.

ENJOYABLE GATHERING TOOK PLACE ON Thursday last, at Picton, in the township of Hinchinbrooke. A harvest home dinner was given under the auspices of the ladies of the Hinchinbrooke Presbyterian Mission, and was largely attended by the residents of the township, together with many from a distance. Dinner was served in the town hall, at 12 o'clock, the number of persons necessitating the resetting of the tables more than once. After simple justice had been done to the good things provided, the assemblage adjourned to the grove in the immediate vicinity of the hall, where a few hours of picnicking were indulged in. The young people of the district went out in pairs, and the swings and other picnic games were liberally patronized. A platform had been erected for the speakers, and about 2.30 p.m. the Chairman, Mr. W. J. Shanks, of Queen's College, Kingston, called the people to order and introduced the various speakers. Brevets and pointed addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Mallory, of the M. E. Conference, Verona; Rev. R. W. Tisdale, P. M. Conference, Hinchinbrooke; Dr. Claxton, Verona; Mr. Nixon, Knox College student, Harrowsmith; and Mr. McKeay, Queen's College, Mississippi. Excellent music was also rendered by the choir, under the leadership of Miss Sneider, organist, and was heartily appreciated. The proceeds of the day's entertainment are to be devoted to the supplying of the different stations on the field by students during the winter season, and we congratulate the committee on the success of their efforts, by which a good sum was realized.

THE HARVEST HOME DINNER OF THE Canadian Methodists of the Pittsburg Circuit, came off in the grove belonging to Mr. Thomas Todd, Pittsburg, on Thursday, and was a grand success. We noticed on the ground Revs. Messrs. Davis, Quinn and Lawson, also Messrs. Franklin, Trotter, Robb, and other influential members of the church and friends.

MARINE NOTES. New Line of American Steamers—Faring Brothers' Union Vessels—Home Page, on Lake and River. An American line of steamers will run between Charlotte and Alexandria Bay next season. The prop. Armenia went west this afternoon. Excursion rates have begun on the line of propellers with which she is connected. The scho. Laura, from Chatham, when laden, was the only vessel passing through the Welland Canal yesterday for Kingston.

The Captains of vessels are paying the wages, so recently fixed by the Union, without murmuring. The only "kicker" was the captain of the Sligo, who sailed up the lake with-but himself and mate in charge. The steam yacht "Telford," purchased by Mr. Miall, of Ottawa, arrived this morning on her way to Ottawa. She has a party of Ottawa gentlemen aboard. The name of the yacht will be changed when she reaches the capital. Captains report dense smoke all the way from Hamilton to Quebec. It now hangs over the water along the American shore. Vessels can sail along on the Canadian side, but should a south west wind arise the smoke will come over to this side.

On the night of the 31st ult., the scho. O. S. Steers, laden with stone, Capt. Yatt, bound from Oswego, for Stone Mills, collided with a vessel between the Dicks and the Gap. The foremast of the stranger was badly torn, and the main rigging injured. There has been a great cutting in the carrying rates between Kingston and Montreal. This result has been brought about by some of the Forwarding Companies cutting slightly under the standard figure. Wheat and corn are now taken down the river at 20 per bush.

POPULARITY OF "FELICIA." On Wednesday "Felicie" will be produced in the Opera House. The Sunday Evening Inquest, New York, writing of it says: "M. Casarati has succeeded in giving us a play which is purer than out of such material any adapter or playwright other than himself, from Boissacault down to Fawcett Rowe, could have created."

The cast was represented too well, to need the passing praise of a few lines. Nothing more admirable, more charming, has been seen upon the stage than the love scene between Captain John and Dolores. Miss Rose Eytinger was at her best in the portrayal of Felicia, and the warm reception recorded here was a gratifying evidence of the favour with which as an actress she is regarded by the audience.

Taken in its entirety to play yet presented upon the stage of this theatre has had such a perfect representation in every detail, some which has caused more tears to flow in the audience from eyes unused to weeping, and some in which the action more consistent and the story more clearly adhered to. It is its success in all these aspects which will ensure its success.

The Montreal papers have written flattering notes of the play. Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, female complaints, nervous and general debility, and builds up the entire system when broken down by disease.

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Direct Importations! Another lot of 70 pieces— New Fall Dress Goods. Opened out to-day. Call and see them. F. X. COUSINEAU & CO. Aug. 30. The Latest Out! NEW GOODS to hand to-day at the NEW DRY GOODS STORE. Purchased by Mr. Crumley who returned from Toronto last week. Ontario Satins, Ontario Flannels, Ontario Satin Ribbons, New Lace Broad Ribbons, New Black Silk Ribbons, New Lace Lambrequins, Ladies' Linen Collars, new Styles, 1 Case Wool Fall Skirts, bought direct from the manufacturers. All Wool, no Shoddy! A Full Line of Under Cloths from 50c per yard. Stylish Uggars from \$2. 1 Case Long Black Ostrich Feathers and Tips. The newest things in Millinery is always to be had at Spence & Crumley's, OFFPOSITE CITY HOTEL, 136 IN PRINCESS ST. Aug. 28.

For Ordered Clothing. We have just opened out two cases of FINE SCOTCH TWEEDS, our own importation. Gentlemen requiring TWEED SUITS should call and inspect our stock before making their purchases, as they will effect a great saving by so doing. The People's Clothing House. C. LIVINGSTON. Aug. 13. Cheap Sale of Lace Mitts and Lace Gloves! AT WALDRONS. Black Lace Mitts, 30c, now 20c. Colored Lace Mitts, 30c, now 20c. 100 doz Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs at 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c. A great bargain at 12 1/2c, 10c and 7 1/2c. R. WALDRON'S, Wilson's Buildings, Aug. 10.

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