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Oct. 19.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Hours of Arrivals and Departures from Kingston Station, Montreal Time.

		Arrive.	Depart.
Day Express going	East	2.55 p.m.	2.60 p.m.
	West	4.15 p.m.	4.25 p.m.
Night	East	3.50 a.m.	3.55 a.m.
	West	4.35 a.m.	4.47 a.m.
Mixed Train	East	11.00 p.m.	5.00 a.m.
	West	8.30 p.m.	7.00 a.m.

KINGSTON & PEMBROKE R.R.

TRAINS leave Kingston Station at 7.15 a.m. for Point Barracks for the North at 9.25 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m., arrive at 10.15 a.m., 6.15 p.m. and 7.15 p.m.

MASONIC.

The Regular Meetings of the City Lodges will be held as follows:

Minden Lodge, No. 213, on Monday, 7th November at 8 p.m.

Cataraqui Lodge, No. 36, on Wednesday, 9th November at 8 p.m.

Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 8, on Thursday, 1st December, at 7.30 p.m.

A.O.U.W.

LODGE STONE LODGE, No. 26, Ancient Order of United Workmen, meets on the second and fourth Thursday of every month in the Odd Fellows' Hall over Robinson's Store, Princess Street.

Nov. 12th and 26th; Dec. 9th and 23rd.

REMINDERS.

The Hague Minstrels at the Opera House.

Regular Monthly meeting of Minden Lodge at 7.30.

TUESDAY.

County Council at 2 p.m.

Annual meeting of Ancient Frontenac Chapter, for election of officers.

CITY AND VICINITY.

Probs.—Strong winds and gales from the eastward, shifting towards the ward, cloudy weather with rain and sleet, stationary to higher temperature.

Exportation.—Redden, of the China Tea House, is shipping to Boston in barrels great quantities of beans. The supply of the epicurean relish, Boston Baked Beans, is not threatened with exhaustion, apparently.

Canadian Christmas Cards.—We are glad to see a very great improvement in these goods, and it is well worth while to see Stacey & Walpole's immense stock, as they have a large number that cannot be seen elsewhere.

Almost a Clear Record.—To-morrow there will be in gaol here but one prisoner from Kingston—a woman. If that moral record can be beaten in a city of 15,000 we want the fact stated, though it may take down our morapride.

His Eyes Destroyed.—It is reported that on Thursday afternoon a number of lads got an unbroken colt in Mr. R. J. McDowell's yard in this city, and while teasing it one of the boys was kicked by it in the face, and so severely that he may lose the sight of one eye, perhaps of both.

Old Resident Gone.—The death was announced of Mr. Daniel Sullivan, a very old resident, after an illness of an intermitting character for the last six months. He leaves behind a lasting record of good citizenship and family care. The deceased was father to Dr. Sullivan and Mr. W. H. Sullivan, barrister.

Cause and Effect.—The New York Central RR. cancelled the agreement under which those desiring to go from Canada to see the yachts 'Gracie' and 'Atalanta' could have travelled at excursion rates. That accounts, in some respects, for the reduction in the number who would otherwise have gone to New York.

Police Court.—Two drunks, one a soldier, were discharged. The battery man was sent to the barracks for treatment at the hands of his superior officers. A resident of Division street was charged with refusing to pay his frontage tax, some $68. The case was adjorned for two weeks to allow of the Council being petitioned in relation to the matter.

A Presentation.—The Rev. Father McDonald, R. C. curate of Perth, having been appointed to the charge of the Kemptville congregation, was, prior to his departure for his new field, presented by the congregation with a purse containing over $200, which was accompanied by an affectionate address, to which the reverend father made a feeling address.

Forestalling.—The licensed butchers have complained lately of the purchase by grocers uptown of quantities of fresh meat for sale contrary to the city by-laws. Yesterday they made a formal application for protection, and the police were given special instructions. To-day three alleged cases were reported and summons have been issued for Monday's police court.

Prize Winner in Art.—Annually Prang, the art publisher of Boston, who leads the continent in his line, offers very handsome prizes, from $1,000, for the best designs in Christmas cards. This creates the warmest interest and rivalry in the best art circles and the successful students attain wide repute. A sister of Dr. Saunders, of Kingston, is one of the chosen few for this year.

Inspecting Tour.—Lieut. Col. Villiers, D.A.G., has just returned from the West, where he has been engaged in inspecting the armories of the district. He found those of the 46th and 57th in a very good condition, especially the former, situated at Port Hope. He has not found any of them, however, equal to that of the 14th P.W.O. Rifles in this city.

Magnificent Performance.—A Kingston gentleman, just returned from Toronto, states that he witnessed the performance of the Hague Operatic Minstrels there, and was never so well pleased before. The music, vocal and instrumental, was magnificent. The Grand Opera House was crowded with both ladies and gentlemen. There is nothing low or vulgar about the entertainment, so that the fair sex need have no hesitation in attending the Opera House on Monday night.

Success in the West.—Mr. William Johnston, formerly School Trustee for Victoria Ward, has succeeded well in the west, whither dullness in the mechanical line drove him last year. He resumed his telegraphic profession, first acquired in England, and became night operator at Darwin, Minnesota. A few months ago he was promoted to the position of station agent, and now enjoys the confidence of the directors in a lucrative post. We hope to hear of still greater promotion for him in time.

WHAT'S THE NEWS?

Laconic Arrangement of Items of Local and General Interest—Gossip that is Readable.

"Oh sing to me the auld Scotch sang."—Hague's minstrels on Monday evening.

There are a dozen cases of "Pink-eye" among Oswego horses.

Snow fell at Yarker yesterday. A few flakes also fell at Kingston.

The grading of the Napanee, Tamworth & Quebec RR. is nearly finished.

It is understood that the Kennedys will sing in Chalmers' Church to-morrow morning.

The farmers have completed their Fall ploughing and are now finishing their threshing.

The express bound east was one hour and a half late to-day. Such delays are annoying.

There is considerable malarial fever at Yarker. Several persons are dangerously ill with it.

After the tour through New York State the Kennedys will visit Winnipeg, and perhaps other and adjacent places in Manitoba.

The Knights of the Cleaver will have a ball in the City Hall on the 10th. Considerable interest centres in the event.

Remember the evangelistic meeting in Mission Hall to-morrow evening at 8:15 o'clock. Short addresses and gospel hymns.

Mr. R. J. McDowell's salt well is flowing satisfactory. The brine is said to be very strong. The well may be developed next year.

Prosecutions are being entered upon for non-payment of city frontage. The first case was brought on to-day. Other cases are to follow.

The I.C.B.U., Portsmouth, will have an Assembly on Monday evening. Street cars will be on hand at a seasonable hour to bring citizens home.

Battery "A" is again earning an unsavory reputation. Three gunners are awaiting trial by court martial—one for deserting and the other two for aiding him.

Wet Saturdays have become a marked feature of Kingston's climate. There have been seven in succession, barring one, which must have slipped by accident.

The Young Irishmen have now not only a capital reading room but a library valued at $200. The literary tastes of the young men are to be commended.

Perth and Smith's Falls usually hold Turkey Fairs at this season, which draw great crowds of buyers and sellers. But every Kingston Saturday is a turkey fair at this season.

A new plank walk has been laid on the west side of Ordnance street, between Sydenham and Montreal streets. It was very much needed and the residents of that part of Frontenac Ward seem to be thankful for it.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Moses Oates is now on the staff of the Toronto *World*.

Col. Stewart will succeed Capt. Kidd as chief clerk in the Governor General's office.

Mr. R. S. Bell, Secretary of the Bay of Quinte Yacht Club, left for New York this morning.

Hon. Mr. Laird will continue to act as Lieut.-Governor of the North-West Territories until a successor is appointed.

Major Chater, Captain Percival and Captain Bagot will accompany the Marquis of Lorne on his trip over the ocean.

Margaret Ockley has been committed by the Police Magistrate of Peterboro' as a lunatic. She will come to the asylum here shortly.

Miss Johanna Archibald, daughter of Lieutenant-Governor Archibald, is to be married on the 11th instant to F. D. Laurie, Superintendent of the Halifax and Cape Breton Railway.

Mr. Taylor, of the Gananoque Hub, Spoke and Carriage Works, has contracted to supply J. W. Mann & Co., Brockville, with over $1,000 worth of wheels for Mann's Seeder.

The Rev. Father Lonergan, Montreal, invited the Bishop of Kingston to deliver the sermon on the occasion of the solemn blessing of the new St. Mary's Church to-morrow. His Lordship had consented; but on Thursday night telegraphed that he found it impossible to attend. The Rev. Father McCarthy, of Quebec, has accepted the invitation to fill the place of Bishop Cleary.

Kingston & Pembroke Railway.

We understand that Mr. T. W. Nash, C.E., and assistants are now going over the original survey of the K. & P. RR. between the Clyde and the Madawaska rivers for the purpose of seeing if an improvement can be made in it, especially to ascertain if some of the heavy rock cutting and deep fills formerly regarded as inevitable can be avoided. We learn that it is the purpose of the company as soon as the section at present under contract is completed, to continue the construction of the road to the junction with the Canada Central in Renfrew, a distance of 32 miles, the latter being one of the conditions of the exemption from taxation granted by the city. The new extension will do much to develop the resources of the back country, as by it no less than four mines have been tapped and the operation of them is now being considered or arranged for. A representative of the road, when reporter of the Whig addressed him, speaking of the syndicate connection between Sharbot Lake and Perth, said it was possible that the latter would be considerably benefitted, but not to the injury of Kingston. He was of the opinion that in a general sense Kingston will be largely advantaged thereby.

Contracts for Public Works.

Many of the citizens have complained of the bad state of the sidewalks, crossings and roadbeds. Annually a large amount of money is expended in trying to keep these in a good condition, but to little effect. A number of ratepayers, in discussing the matter yesterday, were fully of the opinion that if the public work were given out by tender for ten years at a time the contractor could make much money by the transaction, and the work be more satisfactorily done.

KENNEDYS IN KINGSTON.

A Concert of Scotch Song—Unusually Large Audience—A Splendid Musical Programme.

The concert of the Kennedys, which took place in the City Hall last evening, was a rare entertainment, and the audience which received the talented family was equally rare. Every seat was occupied and even standing room at the door of the hall was a luxury. And the music—it was varied and most inspiring, some of the old familiar airs being given with a vim and freshness which was decidedly pleasant. Mr. Kennedy has always been a favorite in this city. In the long ago he sang to some of the largest and best houses which the place could furnish, and under the influence of his fine voice, powerful and yet pathetic, which seems to have improved with the lapse of time, he aroused one's sympathy and made him live the past all over again. Moreover if this be the impression made by his vocalism upon the native Canadian, what must have been the feeling of the Celt, to whom the concert should indeed have been "Twa hours at Hame," and to whose hearts the choice ballads and patriotic songs of the motherland must have appealed with peculiar force. While in Mr. Kennedy, however, there appears little change—while his love of song and ability to mimic and tell a grand tale are as great and appreciative as ever; while his historical reminiscence and explanations and anecdotes are as spicy and invigorating and interesting as formerly and without which the success of the entertainment would not pass off with the same eclat—there is in his family a development which comes in the nature of a surprise. Mr. R. Kennedy's voice, as a result of his study in Milan and subsequent travel, is now clear and strong and flexible, of which we had evidence in the varied music which he sang. He was vigorously applauded, the more so as only by such a demonstration could our people manifest their feelings towards one who was once a citizen, and is bound to the old city by ties of lasting friendship. Of the ladies the leading soprano is Miss Helen Kennedy, whose execution is really very fine, and in both the solos and concerted pieces she merited the highest compliments. Miss Marjory Kennedy was also well received and acquitted herself creditably. The instrumentalists, Master John Kennedy, (violinist, born in this city), and Miss Maggie Kennedy, (pianist), play exceedingly well, and will no doubt win distinction in the future. The latter already excels as an accompanist. We need scarcely particularize in regard to the programme. Mr. Kennedy won favour at the beginning by his rendering of "O Sing to Me the Auld Scotch Sangs" (always popular) and "There's Nae Luck Aboot the Hoose." These he followed up with "The Laird o' Cockpen," the stirring "Scots wha Hae wi' Wallace Bled," "The weary pund o' tow," and "Sae will we yet," the latter two humorous and eliciting loud applause. In fact "encores" rang out on the completion of all the selections, but only in one instance was there an addition to the number of musical contributions, and then he gave "Alister Macalister" in a style peculiarly his own. "Sanders McGloshen's Courtship," an original story, was capitally told. It was funny from first to last, and produced immoderate laughter. Mr. R. Kennedy's "Annie Laurie" so pleasing was but a prelude to the recitative and aria, "My Arms" and "Sound the Alarm," which fully exhibited his vocal accomplishments. His "McGregor's Gathering," though difficult was well done, and his "Bay of Biscay, O," one of the gems of the evening. Miss Helen Kennedy's pieces were happily chosen. Her maiden's song "Oh, Whistle and I'll Come to ye, my Lad" was a charming thing, but for sweetness and finish none of her efforts equalled that shown in the rendering of "The Flowers o' the Forest," the shading of which was particularly noticeable. The trio "O Memory," by the Misses M. and H. and Mr. R. Kennedy, was warmly applauded, and the same may be said of "The Broom o' the Cowdenknows" by the Kennedy sisters. That which fascinated most was the duet, "A'e Fond Kiss," by Miss H. and Mr. R. Kennedy. The voices blended beautifully, and the end came all too soon. "Bonnie Prince Charlie" and "'Twas within a Mile o' Edinboro' toun," by Miss Marjory Kennedy, found general favour, especially in the courtship song, in the singing of which she showed to the best advantage. The piano and violin duets were received with evident satisfaction. Altogether the concert was a good one, and gratified the large number who heard it.

MARINE NOTES.

SS. Moravian passed Magdalen Light at 7 a.m.

The Meteorological Department ordered up the cautionary storm signal to-day.

The Canadian schooner Bangalore has stripped and gone into winter quarters at Milwaukee. Capt. McArthur has returned to Kingston.

Capt. W. Hartgreves, of the schooner Carveth, had the third finger of his right hand taken off by the winch of the centre board a short time ago.

The steamship Campana, lately purchased by Messrs. Smith & Keighley, is expected to leave Owen Sound on the 15th of the month for Duluth and all Lake Superior ports, being the last steamer of the season on this route.

Captain John Sibley, of the schooner John Walters was recently presented with the medal given by the Dominion Government in recognition of his endeavours to rescue the unfortunate crew of the ill-fated schooner Garibaldi which went ashore on Weller's beach last fall.

The forwarders have about closed up their business for the year. The quantity of grain transhipped has been about half of that handled last year. In October but twelve cargoes of American grain were received and with some of these there were simply lighterages. The cornering of grain in Chicago checked this shipment.

Several lives were lost in a hurricane at Rome.

OLD DEBATING SOCIETY.

Training in Oratory—The Subjects Which Engaged Attention Forty Years Ago—Interesting Questions.

During a visit to the Mechanics Institute a day of two ago our reporter picked up a delapidated book, and turning over the leaves came across the names of some who have been and others who are still prominent in social, judicial and political life. The signatures being genuine and in groups the first conclusion reached by our representative was that he had somewhat accidentally unearthed a venerable autograph album, but closer examination revealed the fact that it was the minute book of the Debating Society which had an existence 40 years ago and of which several of those who subsequently rose into eminence were members. It was established for mental improvement, its object being two fold—to encourage research and study in the preparation for discussion and in the expression of ideas to enable one, by practice, to become a ready speaker. That it was a benefit we have no doubt judging from the reputation which some of them then young men have since acquired.

SOME OF THE FIRST MEMBERS.

Among the names of those first recorded as having conformed in every respect to the rules adopted or to be adopted by the class and confirmed by the Board of Managers at the Mechanics Institute are: F. Milo, F. M. Hill (afterwards Mayor), Oliver Mowat, sr., A. Campbell, M. W. Strange (late Police Magistrate), A. Smith, Dr. E. J. Barker, A. Thibodo, John Hamilton, Peter McDonald, Samuel Rowlands, A. Macalister, J. A. Henderson, Jas. Linton, John Creighton, George L. Mowat, W. Irving, sr., R. Matthews, Oliver Mowat, jr. Nine of these have passed away. Of the living there are the present Premier of Ontario, Minister of Justice, City Registrar, Surveyor of Customs, Master of Chancery and Warden of the Penitentiary; and the most venerable member of the Senate. In 1845 the late Mayor O. S. Gildersleeve, became one of the society, and took an active part in its proceedings; about 1847 Messrs. J. Carruthers, James Agnew (now City Solicitor), T. L. Snook, George Davidson, the late John Rowlands, (proprietor of the *News*) and John Duff (present Police Magistrate), became identified with it, and still later we note the initiation of the Premier of the Dominion, then plain Mr. J. A. Macdonald.

LOYAL TO THE CAUSE.

What the society was in sentiment is demonstrated by a circumstance recorded in the minutes of May 29, 1840. A Young Men's Society desired a meeting with the debating class of the Mechanics Institute, and finally such was arranged, the subject to test the metal of the contestants being, "Is a limited monarchy or a republic the better form of Government?" All the arrangments having been completed there was a serious hitch. All the members of the debating class were so monarchical in sentiment and sympathy that none could be induced to take up the cudgels, even for pastime, on behalf of republicanism, and a new subject had to be chosen.

The debates were pleasant affairs, being conducted much more orderly and agreeably than public discussions now a-days. We notice that the chair had to be profoundly respected, that on one occasion Mr. Milo was called to account for presuming to leave the room without permission. Politics, too, were kept clear of as much as possible, though in one instance it was deemed expedient to state that questions affecting the interests of the country were the most vital and important.

SAMPLES OF QUESTIONS DEBATED.

Below we give specimens of the questions discussed at a series of the meeting. They will be as interesting to our readers as they proved to the writer.

Will Free Trade with the United States be a benefit to Canada? Debated twice. Decision once in favour of the affirmative, and once in favour of the negative.

Which has done the most to civilize the world, the sword or the pen? Negative.

Is the present system of trial by jury the best means of attaining justice in civil causes? A decision could not be reached.

Does machinery increase or lessen employment? Negative.

Are the Americans justifiable in taking up arms against Great Britain? Affirmative.

Does commerce aid or impede the progress of religious missions? Affirmative.

Has the Magistrate or clergyman the greater influence on society? Decision in favor of the clerical.

Is the prodigal or the miser the worse member of society? Affirmative.

Is the use of foreign commodities a benefit or an injury? Negative.

Are works of natdre, without the aid of the Scriptures, sufficient to prove the existence of a Supreme Being? Affirmative.

Is love or anger the stronger passion? Affirmative.

Should the press have more restrictions than at present? Affirmative.

Ought parliamentary representatives to be bound by will of their constituents? Affirmative.

Is total abstinence or the moderate use of spirituous liquors the best method of abolishing intemperance? Affirmative.

Is there sufficient evidence from nature without the aid of the Scriptures to prove the existence of a future state or the immortality of the soul? Affirmative.

Is a colony more readily and beneficially settled by condensing the population or by dispersing it at once over the face of the country? Affirmative.

Will the seat of Government benefit Kingston? Affirmative.

Which is the happier state, married or single life? Affirmative.

Which exert the most influence on society, males or females? Negative.

Will it benefit Kingston to incur debt for the improvement of the harbor? Negative.

Ought the mechanics of Kingston to oppose the present system of teaching convicts trades at the Provincial Penitentiary? Negative.

Infanticide Case.

In the infanticide case of Mrs. Ivy, a telegram, to-day says: The Police Magistrate of Gananoque had a doubt as to whether her husband's evidence was admissible. He has now decided that it was not and has ordered the bail bond to be cancelled, and the charge dismissed.

CADETS' ARTILLERY PRACTICE.

Excellent Scoring Under the Circumstances—The Prize Winners—Characteristic Features of Firing.

In the competition for the prizes of the Dominion Artillery Association, with 9 pounder R. M. L. guns, the squad of 16, representing the R.M.C., made the following score. Each competitor fired three common shells and two shrapnel. The names are in the order of firing:

Sergt. Hodgins	23
Cadet Joly	19
Corporal Toughinson	26
Bat. S.M. Taylor (2nd prize D.A.A.)	36
Lance Corporal Kirby	17
Corporal Stewart	23
Sergt. Wood	18
Corporal Leonard	20
Co. S.M. Duffus (4th prize D.A.A.)	28
Sergt. Latimer (3rd prize, D.A.A.)	30
Cadet Benson	23
Co. S.M. Kirkpatrick (4th prize D.A.A.)	29
Cadet Chalmers	23
Cadet White	24
Cadet Twining	8
Cadet Strange (1st prize D.A.A.)	36
Total	378

PRACTICE THROUGHOUT VERY GOOD.

Sergt. Major Taylor also obtained the prize presented by Col. Strange, R.A., for the best score with common shell. Sergt. Major Taylor took a few seconds longer in firing his rounds than Cadet Strange.

The target was six feet square and the range 1,450 yards. The practice throughout was extremely good, fifteen direct hits and many close shaves being made. The score would have been higher by no less than 94 points, but for the fact that 14 out of 32 shrapnel shell burst a few yards short of the extreme limit. Practically the burst was, for the given range, the best possible, but the limits are laid down as an average for all, including much shorter ranges. The 14 scored 0, if they had burst 15 yards further on, would have scored seven each. Unfortunately it was a practical impossibility at the given range to do this, with fuzes bored correctly.

RESULT OF THE INSTRUCTIONAL COURSE.

The annual competition forming part of the instructional course of the R.M.C., came off previously over a water range at the R. M. C. The target was a cask, and being floating altered its range and position considerably during the day. Two common shell and one shrapnel were fired by each competitor; range about 1,650 yards. The distinctive effect of shrapnel, even when burst at a considerable distance in front of the target, was well shown by the foam lashed upon the smooth water. Several direct hits were made. The following are the highest scores:

Cadet Strange	25
Cadet Twining	19
Lance Corporal Kirby	18
Lance Corporal Chalmers	18
Sergt. Anderson	17
Corporal Stewart	17
Sergt. Hodgins	17
Bat. Sergt. Major Taylor	17
Cadet Joly	17
Sergt. Latimer	17

Cadet Strange, it will be seen, made top score on both occasions. He and Sergt. Major Taylor both suffered for shrapnel, which were practically excellent. Sergt. Major Taylor made three direct hits.

HOME MISSION WORK.

Encouraging Report from the Q.C. Missionary Association—What Has Been Done.

The annual meeting of the Queen's college Missionary Association was held this morning in the Divinity Hall of the College. The officers for the ensuing year were appointed: Geo. McArthur, President; Leslie W. Thom, Vice President; John Moore, Treasurer; John Young, Corresponding Secretary; John Hay, Recording Secretary; John McLeod, Librarian. Executive Committee, from the Faculty of Arts: L. Perrin and Alex. McAuley. From Faculty of Theology: D. A. McLean and F. M. Pollock.

The following committee were appointed to arrange for the supply during the winter of Mission stations around the city: Geo. McArthur, Jas. Murray and W. S. Smith.

D. McTavish and Jas. Murray, the retiring Secretaries, gave very encouraging reports of the internal and external operations of the Association. Never before has it been in such a healthy and vigorous condition. Five students were sent out last summer by the Association to labor in the mission fields, the Association becoming responsible for all the expenses, which will not be less than $1,000. Not only are the prospects for meeting this amount good, but are almost such as to warrant the Association in looking forward to having twice the number of men in the field next summer.

The curators appointed are: J. Murray, Divinity Student; H. Mowat, Law Faculty; J. Anderson, Second Year; A. Givan, Third year; L. Perrin, Second Year; — Milne, First Year.

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Show an endless variety of GERMAN MANTLES, DOLMANS, SACQUES AND ULSTERS for Ladies and Children. Also a magnificent display of novelties in

Silk Ties, Silk Squares, Lace Collarettes,

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—AT THE—

NEW DRY GOODS STORE!

The result of selling the right goods at low prices. No time or space to advertise Specialities, but call before making your fall purchases and be convinced. JUST OPENED: 20 Dozen Ladies' Fur, Felt and Beaver Hats, the cheapest ever shown in the city. 6 dozen Children's and Misses' Hats. 2 Cases Ladies', Men's and Boy's Underwear. New Jackets, New Ulsters, New Shawls, 15 Different Patterns in Ladies' Linen Collars. New Goods arriving daily.

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Oct. 28. OPPOSITE CITY HOTEL. 180, 182 PRINCESS ST.

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Princess Street.

New Dress Goods, New Listerings.

Received at

R. McFAUL'S,

180 PRINCESS STREET.

New Mantle Cloths. New Silks.

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Ladies, Please Read This!

Good Canadian Yarn at 50c. per pound. Real Scotch Alloa Yarn at 75c. worth $1.

Best Fingering Yarn!

Common Colors, 90c. per pound. Bright Shades $1 per pound.

The above prices are for quantities of half pound and over.

F. X. COUSINEAU & CO.

Oct. 31.

For Black and Colored Cashmeres!

All the New Shades. From 35c. to 75c.

SHIRTS! GO TO DRAWERS!

Bargains. Bargains.

WALSH & STEACY'S

Oct. 31.

To Meet the Demands of our Steadily Increasing CITY TRADE, we are Paying Particular Attention to the Finer Lines in All Departments.

Real Goat Skin Button Boots, $1.75 and $2.
Real French Oil Goat Skin Boots, $2.50.
Imitation Goat Skin Boots, heel plates, $1.50.
Imitation Kid Button Boots, $1.25 and $1.50.
American Kid Button Boots, $2, $2.25 and $2.50.
Real French Kid Button Boots, $2, $2.25 and $3.
Extra Quality French Kid Boots, $3.50, $4, $4.50.

Calf Kid Button Boots; highly recommended, $2.25, $2.50, $3 and $3.50.
Kangaroo Skin Button Boots; the New Style with seam down the front; every pair warranted to give satisfaction or money refunded, $4.50.

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Oct. 28. City Boot Store. Kingston, Belleville and Trenton.

THE NEW HAT STORE.

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FINE FURS!

KID MITTS and GLOVES. FUR GAUNTLETS. MEN'S FUR COATS. BUFFALO and FANCY SLEIGH ROBES. FUR SACQUES. FUR LINED GARMENTS, &c.

Just Received!

At WALDRON'S.

1 Case Children's Lamb's Wool Combination Suits. 1 Case Ladies' Lamb's Wool Combination Suits. 1 Case Misses' Lamb's Wool Combination Suits. Ladies' Lamb's Wool Under Vests. Ladies' Lamb's Wool Pants. 1 Case Gents' Lamb's Wool Skirts and Pants. All at Low Prices.

Ladies, the goods are warranted not to shrink.

R. WALDRON'S, Wilson's Buildings.

Oct. 18.

Ladies' and Children's

Cashmere Hosiery!

—Just received at—

RICHMOND & BOYDEN'S

Oct. 26.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER.

—Stock Now Complete—

Splendid Stock of Overcoatings. New goods and first class value. We can assert with confidence that our stock of

Tweed and Worsted Suitings!

Are the very best value to be got. If you want to get a fine suit fit to get married in, or a cheap suit to do business in go to

DUNBAR & CO., Corner Princess and Wellington Streets.

Oct. 8. The House for Gent's Furnishings in this city, who sells the cheapest.

$7.50. $8.50. $9.50.

Ready Made Clothing

We have now in stock the finest assortment of first class Ready Made Clothing ever shown in Canada. Men's Canada Tweed Suits, $7.50 to $12. Men's Scotch Tweed Suits, $8.50 to $16.50. Men's Worsted Suits, $9.50 to $23. All cut and made in the best manner by first-class competent workmen, and quite equal to ordered clothing.

The People's Clothing House

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Sept. 10.