The Daily British Whig

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MONDAY EVEN'G, JAN. 14, 1878.

REMINDERS.

MONDAY.

CITY COUNCIL.—Regular Meeting at 8 p.m.
LITERARY Meeting of the Y.M.C.A. at their Rooms at 8 p.m.
PARADE of No. 1 Company, P.W.O. Rifles, in the Drill Shed, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY.

CONCERT at Cataraqui at 8 o'clock.
SALE of T. F. Allen's Stock at noon.
MEETING of Women's Christian Temperance Union at 3 p.m.
ANCIENT FRONTENAC CHAPTER.—Emergent Convocation at 7:30 p.m.

☞ *Remember to pay your Water Works Account by the 15th, and save the discount.*

PERSONAL.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

The turncoat cry is generally the *News'* first retort when discomfited, and yet so vulnerable is it that the "junior proprietor" not long since called off his hounds, a business-like "discretion" which the mechanical branch seemed to possess when it was lacking in the "literary department;" and which should entitle the possessor to admission into the exclusive "trinity of brains." But in order to attack the WHIG and its proprietor it appears necessary that his organ should utter infamous falsehood—for such is the brazen statement that the Reformers bought this paper or its proprietor. And the writer of the *News* knew it to be a falsehood when he wrote it, for he did not spend months idly around the WHIG office about the time of the transfer without learning something of its business affairs, and particularly of this matter, when his memory has been good on lesser points that it would be creditable to a confidential visitor to keep silent about. We would relish very greatly the visit of a Reformer, or Conservative, either, to lay claim to one cent's interest in the BRITISH WHIG. It never received that much of subsidy or accommodation from any party or individual, and is to-day, as it has been, perfectly independent, with the Reform party grateful to it rather than being its creditor. Its success has not been due, either, to Reform support alone,—there has been a larger Conservative and general patronage, which has arisen from no favor but as a result of the merits of the journal, especially as compared with an unpopular Conservative organ.

That Dr. Barker was authorized to make an offer of his grandson's services to the Tory party is a gross imputation, and may the *News* be proud of exposing the private affairs of an aged confrere. Dr. Barker, though sold by the Tory party, loyally sought to influence Mr. Pense's course on the ground of relationship and service, and, failing that, made liberal offers of partnership to him if he would continue the management under Conservative auspices. These offers were declined each time they were spoken of, and Mr. Pense finally left the WHIG office on a direct refusal to longer serve it as a Conservative paper. Later, being left alone, Dr. Barker made the voluntary offer to sell unconditionally, and the bargain was effected without the knowledge of any person save the solicitors of both parties, one of whom, the late James O'Reilly, fresh from the work of purchasing the *News* for the Conservatives, would not be a party to any Grit bargain. No security was needed, the seller being satisfied with a lien of the plant, and it was not necessary for the Reform party or any body to become sponsor. Since that day the paper has paid its way, and has to thank nobody for financial bolstering. No one's name has yet appeared on the back of its "paper" for a dollar. These are not the particulars of a very healthy sale to the "Grits," but they will not discourage the rival organ from uttering as broad a falsehood to-morrow as it did on Saturday. A professional liar is not easily discouraged.

MR. EDITOR,—In the *News* of Saturday are two allusions to the purchase of the BRITISH WHIG by the Grits. Such is not the fact. I need not reiterate the causes which induced me to dispose of my newspaper. Suffice it, that although not of a pecuniary nature, they were imperative. I sold the BRITISH WHIG on time to my grandson, Mr. Barker Pense, who had managed it for some years, and took in payment his unendorsed paper, fortified only by a simple bond to restore the property in case the notes were not honored, which, I am happy to say, has been the case. I made no stipulation with Mr. Barker Pense as to the political course the BRITISH WHIG was to pursue, and when it drifted into the Reform ranks, however much I may have regretted it, I had no right of complaint.

EDWARD JOHN BARKER, M.D.

Kingston, Jan. 14, 1878.

Those "workingmen" of Toronto who were parties to the recent presentation to the Chieftain have given the latter a case, did hint as to the motto he is so fond of distorting. In the banquet hall the motto ran: "By the party, with the party, for the party." No doubt many present understood the latter clause to indicate the destination of the good things under which the tables were groaning and conducted themselves accordingly. This may have been its primary signification. It doubtless has also a prophetic import as well, denoting how the patriotic motto will be modified in the interest of the party when power is regained. In opposition the Chieftain's motto is, "By the party, with the party, for the country." Once in power, however, the motto will speedily undergo the change which the 'workingmen' above so ingeniously anticipated. Then, as before, everything will be for the party, while the country may be, as before, indelibly disgraced and dishonoured.

The Toronto *National* refers to the Montreal *Canadian Spectator* as "the new Methodist organ edited by Rev. A. J. Bray." It is very neighbourly of the reverend gentleman to perform the above office for another, and to some extent, rival denomination to his own, he being a Congregational Minister who not so long since encouraged Rev. Mr. Roy's secession from the Methodist body, and welcomed him to the Congregational family. We hope the Rev. editor is a man of very high honour as well as very deep piety. Otherwise we fear he may be tempted to employ the new *Methodist Spectator* to induce other proselytes to imitate Rev. Mr. Roy's example. There's surely a little mistake somewhere.

AN HISTORICAL COINCIDENCE.

History is repeating itself, and is taking a very early occasion of doing it too, in the present attitude of the Republican party towards the man whom a year ago they delighted to honor with the presidency. It is almost a repetition, in many important respects, of the Republican chagrin during the regime of Andrew Johnson. As Johnson was not the choice of the party for the highest honour in the gift of the nation, so neither was Hayes, at least not in the inaugural stages of the last Presidential battle. Blaine was the favourite for the Republican candidature, while Hayes, away down the list, owed his nomination to a combination of his own few followers with the several other groups opposed to Blaine, and the selection of Hayes as standard-bearer was entirely a portentous affair. Thus the man whom no great body of even Republicans ever seriously thought of for the Presidency actually attained to the honour, because of party exigencies, which proved to be most easily disposed of by the choice of him. With Andrew Johnson the case was somewhat similar, though with a difference; the difference being that he, as Vice-President, reached the Presidency contrary to everybody's expectation, owing to the, of course, unforeseen vacancy occasioned by the assassination of the good President Lincoln. The great point of resemblance, however, will consist in the completeness with which both succeeded in estranging the party to which they owed their elevation. By a still closer coincidence, the cause of the alienation between President and party is pretty much the same in both cases—a desire and determination to try fair means consistent with the honour of the nation, to conciliate the South and if possible re-cement it into the union, and no longer treat it as so much conquered territory and its people as the serfs of war. It was on this rock that Andrew Johnson split with his party, and the same has been one of two principal causes which have led to a similiar estrangement now, the other of course being Civil Service Reform. In each case the result was to incense the bloody shirt patriots beyond measure at what they chose then and choose now to consider the treachery of the man *they* placed in the President's chair. In the comparison there is this discrepancy. In Andrew Johnson's time the war party was all-dominant both in country and Congress, the south was prostrate, its friends were silent and despondent. Now however, a sentiment of fraternity between north and south is everyhere reviving and growing. In the present 'House' all the President's pro-southern advances will be approved by the Democratic majority, and command, as well, the approbation of the more evenly divided Senate. Johnson made enemies until they were incensed enough to impeach him and all but strong enough to depose him. Hayes has already estranged many friends. By steadily pursuing his present course he will probably convery many of them into pronounced enemies. But then he will by the same means conciliate many former opponents, and may in this respect be, in the long run, the decided gainer, particularly if the wisdom of his course should be vindicated by the success of it. Before reaching this goal Hayes is likely to encounter many a storm. The validity of his title, to the Presidency, certainly not too sound at best, is about to be attacked by those who conferred it on him, and the position he occupies seems to be anything but a bed of roses. Whether a party to the fraud of his own election or not, there can be little doubt of his desire to honestly fill his place, and if his determination to do the "square thing" by the whole nation displeases the Republican wire-pullers who expected to use him as a party tool, their chagrin will command the public sympathy.

A tribute of well merited honour has been extended by the officers of the Volunteer force and prominent citizens of Toronto to Lieut.-Col. Denison, who, from twenty-three competitors of various nations, carried off the prize of 5,000 roubles for the best work upon Cavalry. From the now distinguished Canadian's intensely interesting response to his health at the banquet tendered him, we learn the labour he had to undergo in the preparation of his work constituted a herculean task. For two and a half years it was necessary for him to master the contents of a volume a day on an average, or 700 in all, in order to amass sufficient information to enable him to address himself to the preparation of his own work. To do this cost him eight hours' application, increased towards the close of his task to fifteen hours per day. He spent much more than the amount of the prize in his endeavor to win it, and then gave fone thousand roubles towards the care of the Russian wounded, and remitted all Royalty upon his work within the Russian Empire in order that it should be furnished at as near cost as possible to the Russian army. Such devotion to an object, and such a determination to win success, is worthy of all praise and imitation on the part of the young men of Canada.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT.—Friday evening, at half past seven, an altercation took place in Napanee between two young men named Charles, alias Gidney Moore, and James Wood, the dispute arising out of Mrs. Yarns refusing to admit her son, John Yarns, into her house, he having just returned from the Kingston hospital. Words waxed strong and blows followed, when Wood and Moore closed in on each other, the former receiving a bad stab about half an inch in length behind the shoulder blade. Moore escaped, and has not yet been arrested.

—The youngest son of Lt.-Col. Gzowski, has been promoted from a Lieutenancy to a Captaincy in the 69th Regiment, and Mr. E. Biscoe another Torontonian, has been similarly promoted in the 47th.

—Application will be made to the Parliament of Canada, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland.

—The Toronto street-Railway are putting wicker-work seats in some of their cars; which at this season of the year, is decidedly suggestive of last summer's dusters with a fur collar.

—The Metropolitan ordained Mr. Josiah Ball as Deacon in Trinity Church, Montreal, yesterday.

THE SHOEMAKERS' STRIKE.

To the Editor of the British Whig.

DEAR SIR,—In Friday's *News* I read a communication signed "A Lover of Justice," in which the writer asks for information in regard to the late strike, and the reasons which occasioned it. Now, sir, the very information which "A Lover of Justice" asks for proves two things conclusively, first, that "Lover of Justice" is no mechanic and has no idea of the shoemakers' grievance; and secondly, that his opinions have been *biassed* in favour of the employer by persons as ignorant of the main question of livelihood as himself, and with just as little idea of what a mechanic can earn at the prices offered. But to answer his questions. He asks, "And what did the shoemakers strike for?" Our answer is, for a living for ourselves and families, which the majority of us could not have at the prices offered us. Though this "Lover of Justice," in his blissful ignorance, generously grants us $1.50 to $2.00 a day, we, as competent hands as *any* in the Dominion in one branch would, at prices offered, only make 50c to 60c. a day, the other branches in proportion, a great difference between his estimates and ours; and though in one or two branches the men could make a living at prices offered, they, knowing their fellow workmen could not do so, resolved to join and heartily encourage them in the strike.

Secondly, "Lover of Justice" asks, What did they, the shoemakers, gain by striking? Ans, a settlement between employer and employed, whereby the latter were enabled to work and make a living and nothing more, together with receiving the endorsation of all the branches of trade in this city for the stand they have made. Next he asks, "And who, calling themselves citizens, gave money to those men?" Every merchant and tradesmen to whom we appealed, with one exception, subscribed generously to help us carry out our intentions, knowing that they depended in a great measure on the working community for support. Our loss would be their loss. And now, sir, as to our men being incompetent. In reply, I have only to say that they made up the samples which this same foreman declared to be as good as any in the Dominion, and if competent to get up the samples surely we were fit to do the rest. As to what we could earn at the prices offered I have answered that already, and as for the citizens understanding the matter, I can say that we explained the situation fully to all to whom we appealed, and the money given us was for the purpose requested, and was disbursed for the same. "A Lover of Justice" covers himself behind too thin a veil to hide himself. This evident fear that the public have condemned him, made him too anxious in his special pleading for a partial judgment, but we are willing to let the public in general, and tradesmen in particular, judge between us, as we have done nothing but what any other trade would have done under the same circumstances. We were willing to work, but we wanted something for it. Now, sir, it is a fact that the foreman went to Montreal to procure workmen, and succeeded in inducing nineteen to come here by telling them that there was no strike; that everything was all right, and so by paying their expenses (after filling them with whiskey) he succeeded in bringing them here; but no sooner did the men learn the state of affairs, than all of them but three were willing to go home or do anything so as not to injure their fellow workman on strike here, and the money so generously contributed by our fellow tradesmen and citizens, was devoted in paying these men's passage home. The foreman said the strangers were aware of the strike before coming here, but the latter, in the presence of the foremen and workmen, contradicted him flatly.

And now that the matter has been partly settled, and some of the men resumed work, the foreman denies having made any concessions in some of the branches. All we ask is a fair and impartial judgment, as to the course we have pursued, and we feel confident that we have the sympathy of all trades and liberal minded citizens, in our struggle for our rights.

Signed, FAIR PLAY.

Jan. 13th, '78.

ONTARIO LEGISLATION.

New Bills for Landlords and Juries.

As the law now stands, landlord can sit down, write out his warrant, employ his own bailiff, and seize the entire household possessions of his defaulting tenant. Other creditors, the grocery man for instance, has to proceed against his debtor through the Courts, and even when he obtains judgment, he cannot sweep off the household effects of the debtor indiscriminately. It is intended, we understand, by the Government bill amending the Landlord and Tenant Act to shorten the powers of distress now exercised by the landlord, and to prevent him from making a clean sweep of the tenant's effects. The measure will doubtless lead to an exhaustive discussion of the whole subject.

Mr. Bethune's bill to amend the respecting trial by jury will provide that in civil cases after one hour's deliberation eleven jurors may give a verdict; after two hours' deliberation, ten jurors, and after three hours, nine jurors may do so. Another clause will, perhaps, be inserted providing that where a jury notice is filed it must be struck out before trial if at all.

Mr. Fraser's Voters' List finality bill will differ in some details from that proposed last session by Mr. Hodgins, but the principle is the same as also the object, viz., to do apay with long and costly scrutinies.

CURRENCY.

—Hamilton has added seven men to the police force.

—King Alfonso's approaching marriage was officially announced Friday.

—It is proposed to make the Pantheon the last resting place of the King of Italy.

—Several kindergarten schools are to be opened in Toronto during the present month.

—The long-talked of through line between Montreal and Boston will soon be completed.

—A heavy gale was experienced yesterday on the coast of Maine, causing much damage to shipping.

—The marriage of the King of Spain will be postponed a few days in consequence of the death of Victor Emmanuel.

—Some Montreal Jehus take a delight in seeing how near they can drive to foot passengers without knocking them down.

—The name of Mr. A Woods is mentioned in connection with the Chairmanship of the Quebec Harbour Commission.

—The American people use in paper collars eight tons of paper daily, and over eight million five hundred thousand yards of muslin annually.

—A proposal is to be introduced into the Italian parliament to make the Pantheon at Rome the future burial place of the Savoy family.

—An offer of $30,000 by an United States capitalist for phosphate lands, in the Township of Templeton, on the Ottawa, was refused yesterday by the owner.

—A medal decreed by the late King of Italy to Stanley, the African explorer, was privately presented to the latter on his arrival at Rome yesterday.

—It is calculated that it will take $1,000 per month to heat the new Montreal City Hall building and keep it in order. A fourth of that sum was sufficient in the old hall.

WAR TELEGRAMS.

The Armistice Question—Panic at Adrianople—Great Distress and Destitution—The Mediterranean Fleet.

(By Telegraph To day.)

London, Jan. 13.—A definite point in the progress of the armistice negotiations appears to have at last been reached by the appointment by the Porte of two plenipotentiaries, who, in response to an invitation from the Grand Duke Nicholas, will proceed to Kezanlik to discuss conditions. The Grand Duke, however, declares his inability to give any information as to peace conditions, as he has received no instructions on the subject, and the difficulties in the path of the plenipotentiaries are augmented by the sudden refusal of the Roumanians—presumably prompted by the Russian military party—to submit to any armistice unless the Porte enters into distinct and separate negotiations with them. At Adrianople a perfect panic exists, owing to the approach of the Russians and the bad condition of the city to stand a siege. Fugitives are pouring into Constantinople and the greatest destitution and distress prevails is their ranks. The population of the capital is greatly irritated against England, declaring that she is morally responsible for Turkey's misfortunes.

On Saturday the Grand Duke Nicholas telegraphed from Galbrova to St. Petersburg that he would cross the Balkans on the following day. Divisions of his army are already at Ikhliman and Klisaura, near the north-western angle of Roumelia and at Yeni Zaghra—the last named place which has been burned by the Turks being only fifty-seven miles, as the crew flies, from Adrianople.

In Asia Minor the Turks have sustained another reverse, and the investment of Erzeroum is now complete.

The British Mediterranean squadron is now under way from Malta to the Levant, and two troopships, together containing over two thousand troops, the one homeward and the other outward bound have been detained at the island until further orders. This movement of the British fleet appears to have excited the apprehension of the German and Italian Governments, who have informed the Porte that if it permits British war vessels to come to Constantinople they will demand permission for their fleets to pass the Dardannelles.

Constantinople, January 14.—Server Pasha, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Namyk Pasha, leaves for Kezunlik to-day to meet the Grand Duke Nicholas. They have been invested by Ministerial Council with full powers to treat for peace.

London, Dec. 14.—It is reported that Russia has satisfactorilly explained to England the terms on which peace can be concluded with Turkey.

GENERAL DESPATCHES.

Vessel Wreck—Champion Rowing Race—Fenian Ovation.

(By Telegraph to-day.)

Boston, Jan. 14.—The schooner Little Kate, on the 6th Jan., with a crew of 13 South Boston men, left Boston to fish during a storm. On Thursday night the boat went ashore off Duxbury, and became a total wreck. All of the crew are probably lost. Six widows and twenty-one fatherless children are left by the disaster.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, Jan. 14.—The boat race for the championship of England and a challenge, to-day, on the Tyne, between Robert Watson Boyd, of Gateshead, and John Higgins, of Shadwell, the present champion, was won by Higgins on a foul.

Rome, Jan. 14.—At a banquet to Stanley on Saturday a sealed letter from the late King, complimenting the explorer, was read. Stanley also was presented with a King's gold medal of merit.

Dublin, Jan. 14.—The ovations to the liberated Fenians on Saturday was magnificent. About fifteen thousand men were packed into the open space in front of the station and thousands of torches burning. As the four ex-prisoners, Chambers, McCarthy, O'Brien and Davitt, stepped out of the train they were seized by stalwart men and carried on their shoulders to carriages. As the prisoners emerged from the station they were greeted with deafening cheers. The bands struck up "God Save Old Ireland," and on the instant every head was uncovered, and the immense crowd sang the national air. An address of welcome was read, to which one of the prisoners replied and the torchlight procession proceeded to the hotel.

A fire was discovered on board the steamer "Hermann" when about four hundred miles from Sandy Hook on Friday. The coolness of the officers and labor of the crew suppressed the flames without creating excitement.

A Fisherman while looking for a lost anchor near Barren Island last week found a chest containing Mexican and Spanish coin worth $4,800. The chest was one thrown overboard to lighten their boat by mutineers, who in 1830 murdered the officers of the brig Vineyard off Long Island, and stole about $40,000 consigned to Stephen Girard, of Philadelphia.

London, Jan. 14.—Stanley arrived at Marseilles last night.

EMMANUEL'S FUNERAL.

The Burial to be Next Thursday

(By Telegraph To day.)

Rome, Jan. 13. The funeral of King Victor Emmanuel has been postponed till Thursday to allow of the presence of the German and Austrian Imperial Princes. In the meantime the body is lying in state at the Quirinal, and is visited by immense crowds of people. It be interred in the Pantheon with full religious services, the anticipated difficulties in the way of the execution of the programme haing been removed by order of the Pope, who has further requested the arcnbishops of Upper Italy to celebrate requiem masses.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

—Queen Isabella insists upon being present at the marriage of King Alfonso, notwithstanding the opposition of the Spanish Government.

—Mr. Haldow has been elected by acclamation for Restigouche, his opponent, Mr. Ritchie, not having been nominated on Saturday.

—In an address to his constituents at Birmingham on Saturday, John Bright declared himself strongly in favour of non-intervention in the Eastern struggle.

—Hon. Mr. Vail and Mr. Wade were nominated for Digby yesterday. Thanks to Dr. Tupper's appearance on the scene, Mr. Wade's defeat is expected.

—At a conference of Home Rule Members of Parliament held at Dublin on Saturday, it was decided to propose in the House of Commons an amendment to the Address in reply to the Speech from the Throne, asserting the desirability of remedying Irish grievances.

—In the case of Dr. Larue, M.P.P., for Portneuf, being appointed to the Registrarship of that County, the candidates for the County seat in the Legislative Assembly will probably be Leger Brousseau of the *Courier du Canada*, and Mr. Marcotte, M.P.

—The Ontario Government, it is said, contemplates establishing an Industrial Reformatory for women.

—The Committee appointed by the Legislature to draft a form of prayer to be used at the opening of each session, met this morning and adopted a form similar to that used at Ottawa.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

Montreal, Jan. 14.

Bank of Montreal—160 1-2, 159 1-2.
Merchants' Bank—65 1-4, 65.
Bank of Commerce—116, 115.
Ontario Bank—97 1-4, 96.
Consolidated Bank—140, 138.
Dom. Telegraph—77 1-2, 76.
Montreal Tel. Co'y—121, 120.
Richelieu—68, 67 1-2.

MONTREAL PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

Montreal, Jan. 14.

Flour—receipts 2200 bbls; market quiet and steady; prices nominally unchanged; sales, 100 strong baker's at 5.40.

DIED.

In Kingston, on January 13th, Alice, fourth daughter of the late Joseph Doyle, Esq., aged 22 years and 4 months.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her sister, Rideau Street, on Tuesday morning at nine o'clock, to St. Mary's Cathedral. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

COUNTY OF FRONTENAC!

ALL ACCOUNTS

Against the County Council

To be passed at the next Session of the Council, must be sent in, to the undersigned, on or before

12 o'clock Noon of Saturday next, January 19th.

FRANCIS ELKINGTON, County Clerk.

Court House, Kingston, Jan. 14, 1878.

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Jan 14, 1878.

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Annual Assembly

Portsmouth St. Patrick's Society

THE ANNUAL ASSEMBLY of the above named Society will be held in the TOWN HALL, Portsmouth,

On Wednesday Evening, Jan. 23.

TICKETS—50c; to be had from the Committee and at the door.

☞ Free conveyance from the Hall to City at 4 o'clock a.m.

RILEY'S POPULAR QUADRILLE BAND will be in attendance.

J. B. P. MATHEWSON, Rec. Secretary.

Jan 12, 1878.

Wanted,

SEVEN YOUNG MEN—three to sing Bass, and four Tenor. Tuition and training will be given in return for services. Applicants must possess a fair voice. Apply to

J. K. OLDHAM, Balaklava St.

Jan 14, 1878.

Dominion Telegraph Company

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the General Offices, No. 18, Front Street, East, Toronto,

On Wednesday, the 13th day of February Next,

At 12 o'clock noon, to receive the Annual Report of the Directors, with financial statements and to elect Directors for the current year.

By order.

F. ROPER, Secretary.

Toronto, 12th Jan., 1878.

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Jan 10, 1877.

LECTURE.

REV. PRINCIPAL GRANT

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CITY HALL

—ON—

Thursday Eve. January 17th

1878, at 8 o'clock.

SUBJECT.—The Life and Times of the late Hon. Joseph Howe, of Nova Scotia.

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Oct 26, 1877.

THANKS.

CHARLES E. WRENSHALL,

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MNNDAY EVENING NEXT,

Jan. 14th, at 8 o'clock.

MR. D. WILLIAMS will read a Paper on "The Fate of the World's Benefactors."

The business laid over from from last Monday evening will also be disposed of.

Members will please take notice. All young men are invited.

S. RANTON, Gen. Secretary.

Jan 12, 1878.

Notice to Contractors

PLANS may be seen and tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned, on FRIDAY, the 18th inst, at noon, for the Masons, Carpenters, Plumbers, Tinsmith, Painters and Glaziers' work required in the erection of a Dwelling for Dr. Dupuis, on the corner of Brock and Montreal streets.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

R. GAGE, Architect

Jan 12, 1878.

Wanted,

AN EXPERIENCED TEACHER—Male preferred, for School Section No. 9, Wolfe Island. Apply to

JOB WATTS, Sec.-Treas., Wolfe Island P.O.

Jan 12, 1878.

NO. 1 COMPANY.

No. 1 Company, P.W.O. Rifles will parade at the Drill Shed, MONDAY EVENING NEXT, the 14th inst, at 7:30 sharp. Every member is expected to be present. Also those wishing to join.

EDW. HORSEY, Captain.

Jan 12, 1878.

Situation Wanted.

BY AN ORPHAN BOY, between the age of 15 and 17, who is willing to work at anything for his board and clothes for the first year. Apply at the BRITISH WHIG OFFICE.

Jan 11, 1878.

Furnished Rooms To Let.

ONE OR TWO FURNISHED ROOMS in a pleasant part of the city, either with or without board. Enquire at the WHIG OFFICE.

Jan 11, 1878.

FOR SALE,

PART OF LOT NO. 3, in the 3rd Concession of the Township of Kingston, has been known as the property of Hy. R. Pewley, in the Village of Westbrook, containing three quarters of an Acre, more or less, good dwelling House and Store and Shoe Shop combined, with good cellars, which will be sold cheap for cash. For particulars apply to the owner, J. G. PRICE, Arden P.O., or ANTONY McGUIN, Jr., Westbrook P.O.

Jan 11, 1878.

FOR SALE,

A GOOD BUSH FARM, containing about one hundred and twenty acres. There is a new Frame Dwelling thereon. For terms apply to the owner,

WILLIAM DAVID.

The Cheap Broker, Princess St., Kingston

Notice.

WE, the undersigned, have this day entered into partnership as General Insurance Agents, &c., and the business will hereafter be conducted in the name of VANDEWATER & BETTS.

R. W. VANDEWATER. H. A. BETTS.

Jan 10.

FRANK RIGNEY'S MOVEMENT.

Important Information for All.

Special Holiday Announceme't

The Sugar Ring Flattened Out!

Sugar Down! Down! Down!

FRANK RIGNEY will sell during the Holiday season FOR CASH, Cheaper than any other house in the city.

1000 Boxes Raisins at 5 cents per lb.
500 3 lb Cetties Japan Tea at $1 each.
500 3 lb Catties Young Hyson Tea $1 each
500 3 lb Catties Imperial Tea at $1 each.
500 5 and 10 lb Catties at very low prices.
100 bbls No. 1 Labrador Herrings
LABATT'S Prize Medal ALE and PORTER always on hand.

FRANK RIGNEY,

Ferguson's Block, - - - Princess Street

Dec 7, 1877.

Insolvent Act of 1875

Re T. F. ALLEN, Insolvent

WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION, ON THE premises, Kingston,

On Tuesday, the 15th Instant,

AT 12 NOON,

The Assets of above Insolvent, consisting of

1st Stock of Confectionery.
2nd Shop Fixtures, Glass Cases, Jars, &c.
3rd Dining Room Furniture, including 5 Marble Top Tables, &c.
4th Soda Fountain, Generator and Two Cylinders, with Furniture, Marble Slab, &c.
5th Three Billiard Tables, complete, with Room Furniture, &c.

CHAS. McMILLAN, Auctioneer.

C. V. PRICE, Assignee.

Kingston, Jan 8, 1878.

J. W. BROWN & CO.

SLEIGHS SLEIGHS

59

yet only

16. How is that? We have now in stock 59 Cutters and Sleighs. 43 are sold and the 16 that remains are the best of course, add we have 10 more under construction, which we will sell cheap. The 20 per cent reduction in Buggies still continues for thirty days more, and we have some Store Room yet left for Carrriages & Sleighs at low rates, and and plenty of Vehicles.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

Dec 18, 1877.

Sleighs Sleighs

FOR BABIES AND BOYS.

THE LARGEST AND BEST STOCK IN THE CITY IS AT

M. Kirkpatrick's Fancy Store,

M'CAMMON'S BLOCK, PRINCESS ST.

Jan 8, 1878.

R. & J. GARDINER

WILL SELL DURING

The Cheap Clearing Sale

Table Napkins, Table Linens,
Towellings,
Lace and Muslin Curtains,
Sheetings of all Makes,
Pillow Linens and Cottons, all makes,
White Cottons, English and American Soft Makes,
Marseille and Lace Toilet Covers,
Tickings,
Flannels, Blankets and Marseille Quilts,
Clouds, Breakfast Shawls and Cardigan Jackets,

☞ We have made Heavy Reductions in all of the above partments.

Also, on our entire Dress Stock,
On all our Silk Stock,
On Mantle and Trimming Velvets, of all colors,
On Trimmings of every description,
On Black and Colored French Merinos and Cashmeres.

☞ Every piece of Goods in our Store has been reduced in price.

Remember these Reductions hold good only during the Cheap Sale which ends the 31st Inst.

☞ Sales for cash.

Strictly ONE PRICE.

R. & J. GARDINER

PRINCESS STREET,

KINGSTON.

Jan 10, 1877.

FIRST PRIZE ORGANS.

PIANOS, ORGANS & MELODEONS.

WE always keep on hand Organs and Melodeons of the best Canadian make, and have now in stock excellent ENGLISH UPRIGHT PIANOS (made by Broadwood, Chappell &c.) to which we invite attention. Also a few Pianos to rent.

We feel confident that our own Instruments will continue to sustain their well-earned reputation.

☞ Factory and Warerooms, corner of Princess and Ontario Sts., Kingston.

WEBER & CO.

Oct 20, 1875.

BUFFALO ROBES

AT AUCTION!

—AT—

Martin's Buildings, Princess St

EVERY SATURDAY,

AT TWO O'CLOCK,

Until February 1st.

☞ No reserve

H. BAWDEN, Auctioneer

Nov 22, 1877.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Kingston and Pembroke Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada, at its next Session, for an Act amending the Charter of said Railway Company, and empowering the said Company to build an extension of its Railway from some point at or near Renfrew or Douglas, in the County of Renfrew, to some point near to and South of Lake Nipissing and to the Eastern terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and for other purposes.

C. F. GILDERSLEEVE, President Kingston & Pembroke Railway Co.

Dated at Kingston, Ont., this 3rd day of January, 1878.

SIXTY-SIX

SPECIMEN COPIES OF OUR BEAUTIFUL OIL CHROMOS.

We will send sixty-six copies of our Oil Chromos to responsible Agents. They are in 14 to 18 different oil colors, bringing forth in bold relief *all* the lights and shades in nature with pleasing effect. Any live young man or woman can make from $50 to $100 in their own town. The following are among our specimens:—Esperance, Asking a Blessing, Blind Man's Buff, Christ Blessing Little Children, Nature's Lessons, Speak the Truth, Search the Scriptures, God Bless Our Home, Praise the Lord, The Lord is My Shepherd, Blessing Attend Thee, Joy be With Thee, Peace be With You, Be Just and Fear Not, Landscape Scenes, Faith, Hope and Charity, Country Scenes, &c., &c. Enclose 25 cents to pay charges.

STEIGELMAN & CO.

101 W. 6th st., Cincinnati, O.

FOR SALE,

A FARM OF 100 ACRES, part of Lot 6, in the 3rd Concession of the Township of Kingston, with good house and outbuildings. Also, 5 Acres of first class Land, part of Lot 2, in the 2nd Concession of the Township of Kingston, on which there is a large dwelling House, a driving Shed and Barns. This property is well situated for the business of a Butcher, Market Gardener or Poulterer.

Both properties are situated on the Kingston and Napanee Road, about four miles from the City of Kingston. For further particulars apply to Walkem & Walkem, Solicitors, Kingston.

W. LKEM & WALKEM, Vendor's Solicitors.

Dec 26, 1877.

Valuable Farm For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale the Farm on which he resides, being the North Half of Lot 28, 4th Conc., Pittsburgh, containing about 125 acres. It is one of the best Dairy Farms in this section, and is abundantly watered. Buildings, Fences, &c., in good order, and altogether a most desirable investment for anyone wanting farm property. Terms on application to

ENOCH FERRIS.

Pittsburgh, Nov 15, 1877.

MONEY TO LOAN

ON REAL ESTATE SECURITY. Apply to SMYTHE & DICKSON, Barristers, &c. Ontario street, Kingston.

April 6, 1876.