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PROBABILITIES.—Brisk easterly, shifting to northerly and northwesterly winds, cloudy weather with snow.

SKATING.—The boys are to-day off lively on the skatorial bent. The ice is neither very strong nor very good.

THE BEST ENTERTAINMENT of the season takes place on Wednesday evening, 18th December, in Victoria Music Hall. Tickets 15c. See advt.

COUNCIL.—The City Council will meet on Monday evening, and the session wil likely be a late one, since a great amount of business is to be done.

FUNERAL SERMON.—To-morrow morning Rev. Mr. Jackson will preach a funeral sermon in Queen Street School, making allusion to the death of the late Mr. W. Tandy, Jr.

ACCEPTED THE CALL.—Having finished his course of special lectures at Queen's College, ex-Principal Jardine left here yesterday for Chatham N. B., to which place he has received a call, and which call he has accepted.

NEARLY AN ACCIDENT.—This morning, as the Kingston and Newboro' stage was entering the Post Office gate, a wheel came off, and but for the forethought of the driver in stopping the team might have resulted in much damage.

THE FIRE.—Not much damage was done at the fire of Thursday evening, but the case has a nasty look about it, rumour having it that incendiarism was apparent. It took place at Abbot's, Williamsville.

DEATH OF AN AGED LADY.—Yesterday Mrs. Charlotte McCrea, a very old resident here, who had reached a patriarchal age, died at her residence in Williamsville. She was mother of Mr. J. W. McCrea and was a lady of estimable qualities.

ST. JAMES' CONCERT.—Miss Ferris' success at this concert was most signal. Her singing seems not only to have been her very best effort yet, but to have earned her the title of being the best singer who ever sang on that time-honoured stage.

CATARAQUI CONCERT.—The annual concert of Christ Church is being arranged for by Rev. Mr. Wilson. He has already been promised the help of Prof. Oldham's orchestra and Mr. Keeley. The date is Wednesday, the 18th, at the Town Hall Cataraqui.

A PROTEST.—The Grand Jury of the County Court has entered a vigorous protest against the conversion of the gaol into an asylum for vagrants and a foundling hospital for children. The matter will now engage the attention of the Government, and a change in the system may be the result.

CLOSED.—Yesterday the girls' department, in the Collegiate Institute was closed for the holidays, the rooms usually occupied by them being wanted next week for the intermediate and second class examinations, over which Rev. Mr. Carey will preside. The Institute will not be closed, however, until Friday next.

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.—A very successful preliminary meeting took place last night at the rooms of the Institute, at which a very large representation of mechanics was present. The present condition of the Institute was fully discussed, after which it was unanimously resolved to re-organize.

A FINE DROVE.—Messrs. W. & J. McCammon are well prepared for Christmas. This morning Mr. John McCammon returned from Guelph and Elora with a splendid drove of cattle, fat and healthy looking. Their shop and market stall will be worth a visit between this time and the day of feasting. Their enterprise will pay, we hope.

THE EXEMPTION QUESTION.—It should not be dropped by the Council but should be followed up immediately, if there is really any sense in the movement and any important results are expected at the next session of the Ontario Legislature. A move should be made at the Monday evening meeting of the Council.

PURGATORY.—To-morrow evening, in St. Mary's Cathedral, Rev. Bishop O'Brien will lecture on "Purgatory," the admission being free, but a collection will be taken up, and it is hoped the sum contributed will be a liberal one. The Bishop is a good speaker that we all know, and he is anxious to assist the St. Vincent De Paul Society, which is out of funds.

THE LIVERPOOL DOCKS.—The article in "Harper's Magazine" describing the Liverpool docks, from which we made an extract yesterday, shows out the full proportions of those great works. Mr. G. Fosberg Lyster, brother of the Dean of Ontario, is the engineer in charge of the docks. He fills a most onerous and important post, having twenty assistants, and a million of money oftentimes passing through his hands in one year.

ELECTION.—At the annual meeting of L.O.L. No. 577, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Bro. Henry Hunter ..... W.M.
" Robert Montgomery ..... D.M.
" William Nelson ..... Chap.
" James Hipson ..... Treas.
" James Wilson ..... Sec.
" Thomas Johnston ... D. of C.
" Samuel Parker ..... I.T.
" William Corbett ..... Trustee.

Committee—Bros. John Nesbitt, foreman; Hugh McBratney, Charles Carson, James Connors, William Robinson.

MARITIME COURT.

WHY NOT HAVE SUCH AN INSTITUTION IN KINGSTON?

The Maritime Court Act should be set in operation in Kingston. It is most reprehensible that Toronto should be favored with a Court for the transaction of business under an Act which confers jurisdiction on a County Court Judge, while Kingston, which has a larger lake-going traffic, should be without such an institution. The member for Frontenac was, to his credit, the first to introduce the subject before the House of Commons, and he will confer a favor on the community by getting the Department of Justice to dispose of an application made some time ago for the establishment of a Maritime Causes Court here. We have now a County Judge physically able to discharge the duties of his office, and as qualified as he is assiduous in the discharge of those duties. It is said that the Ottawa Bar are making an effort to get a Court of this jurisdiction established in that city with the view of centralizing their practice for the eastern part of Ontario. The success of such an effort would be contrary to the letter of the Act, under which any County is entitled to jurisdiction over local causes within the scope of the Act.

WIND WAFTS.

—The boardwalks are vast fields of ice now.

—Beef is the principal product brought into market.

—Wilkinson of meat pie notoriety has again appeared on the market.

—This morning farmers were on the market at 7 o'clock. Pretty early, eh!

—If a fellow could take off his ears this cold weather and put them in his pocket he might have some comfort.

—'Twixt the cup and the lip there's many a slip, and between now and Christmas there will be many a slipper.

—Tramps are beginning to let their whiskers grow, and that is regarded as an infallible sign of a coming hard winter.

—Wm. Martin, son of Mr. Francis Martin, of Gananoque, has been promoted to the position of train despatcher on the M.O. & O. Railway at Hochelaga.

—S.A. Heaslip, proprietor of the Escott Mills, is about moving to Sharbott Lake, on the K. & P. Railway, where he has secured some property, and is about erecting a saw mill.

Convicts.

Yesterday there arrived here for the Penitentiary four persons, A. McTaggart, W. Roszel, Dennis Moore and John Hoar, who are known around Hamilton as the "masked burglars." The three first are in for five years, and the last for one year, who is an old man, and who pleaded "guilty" for three years. The other prisoners, Wm. Knox and John Brophy, were sentenced to nine months in Central Prison, they having turned Queen's evidence. Roszel's sisters, brother and other relatives were in Court during the proceedings, and on the rising of the Court a most affecting parting scene took place between the women and the prisoner, all being bathed in tears, while the little niece, whom he had often fondled, was handed to him and he covered it with kisses and tears. So touching, indeed, was the parting that many of the onlookers were seen to weep, and even the reporters and policemen drew their handkerchiefs across their eyes. The criminals all belong to respectable families, and their disgrace is most keenly felt, even beyond their own immediate family circles."

ELGINSBURG TEA MEETING.—Last evening there was a tea meeting in the Canada Presbyterian Church. The chair was occupied by Mr. Samuel Woods, and the audience was large and enthusiastic. The refreshments were in abundance, and they were very much relished. Readings were given by Mr. C.B. Booth, Dr. Bigham, Mr. McIntyre, and the Chairman, who was required to give two contributions. Speeches were made by Rev. Mr. Ellery, assistant minister of the congregation and by Rev. Mr. Smith, of Cataraqui. Fine musical selections were given by Misses Irvine and Spooner, and some beautiful trios by the Misses Bond. Altogether the entertainment was very satisfactory and very much enjoyed.

K.C.I. LITERARY AND DEBATING SOCIETY.—A meeting of the above took place last night in the Collegiate Institute, and was well attended by the members. Appropriate readings were given by Messrs Clark, Hooper and Macarow. Others were to have given readings, but were unavoidably absent. Their next debate will be on the 27th inst., the subject being, "Which was the better General, Napoleon Bonaparte or the Duke of Wellington."

HARTINGTON.—Mr. Wm. Patterson is doing a good business in his store at Hartington. His new purchases at Montreal have filled his shop again. He has a full supply of dry goods, groceries, crockery, and boots and shoes. He receives quantities of wood in exchange for goods, and can be relied on for a supply in any quantity at call.

THE OPENING.—It is likely that Mr. Mr. Martin will have his opening about the beginning of the New Year. He is negotiating with Mr. E. A. McDowell (Con Shaughraun) who plays a Christmas piece and specialities in Montreal during the Christmas week, and may then come here and make the opening.

CHARIVARIS.—Wolfe Island has been a great place for this king of thing, but the practice will not be so popular in the future as it has been. Last week the old ceremonies were attempted, but they were suddenly checked by the hasty charge of a man with a dangerous looking revolver.

NO MATCH.—The Carleton Club failed to send a team here to-day to play the return foot ball match with Queen's College. This is the second disappointment of the same kind, and the prospect of a match may as well be abandoned since it is too late in the season to make another engagement.

ALMA MATER.—This evening the Alma Mater Society of Queen's College will have its regular meeting, and Prof. Dupuis, the President, will deliver his inaugural address.

RICH CARICATURE.

A LITTLE FUN OVER LOW-NECKED DRESSES.

Grip has a good take off on the recent order of the Governor General's A.D.C. that women must appear on State occasions in low necked dresses or produce a medical certificate protesting against such a costume. In one corner of the picture a military looking flunkey informs a maiden who appears with a little opening in the chest of her dress, "No, that won't do; you'll have to square that circle." In one case a delicate looking female, low necked, is being carried in on a shutter, and the A.D.C. announces that no certificate is necessary. Again, a very fat, corpulent, matronly figure is shewn. She hands in her medical certificate to the A.D.C., who silently nods assent, "and yet—you don't look delicate," he observes as she passes on her way. A ghastly sight is furnished by an old maid, who is as slim and thin as a bean pole. She politely holds out her physician's card. The A.D.C. takes a glance, and then with an eloquent and, at the same time, emphatic wave of the hand, he tells her to "pass on; never mind the certificate." The most amusing feature was the arrival of Bridget, of Galway, Ireland. She bounces into the presence of the A.D.C. and most pleasantly remarks: "Av ye plaze, sir, I have a sore throat, so I cut it low necked at the feet," and she exhibits her dress, with the tail about up to her knees. The centre of the picture is occupied by a cut of a triumphal arch erected by the doctors in honour of low necked dresses. Its foundation is composed of two immense medicine mortars, and an arch of bottles labelled "Squills," "Lung Syrup" and "For Coughs." Beneath is a representation of the new winter costume of the Civil Service—a low necked shirt, the collar of which buttons up on the lower part of his chest.

A Silk Factory.

At the Gananoque Council meeting on Monday evening last, a proposition from Messrs. E. R. Steinhardt & Co. was received as follows: They will agree to establish a Silk Factory in that village, to contain at least forty steam power looms, with about six hundred shuttles, six winding frames, (about three hundred spindles) four silk warping frames, three silk finishing machines, three spooling machines, (about seventy-five spindles) one double machine (about thirty spindles) and ribbon roller, one steam engine, and to employ on an average at least one hundred operatives during the term of ten years, on the condition that the Village shall grant them a bonus of $2,000 and exempt them from taxes for ten years. The *Reporter* says a public meeting was held at which the ratepayers discussed the proposition. Most of the speeches were non committal. A vote was taken at the close, no one voting but those who were owners of property and entitled to vote on the By-law and the result was that thirty-five were in favor of submitting a By law, and thirty two against it. The vote was so close that the Council will probably discuss the matter further before proceeding.

Low Markets.

The market was well supplied this morning with produce of every description, and prices ruled lower than have been known to exist on the Kingston market for many years. Prime turkeys were sold freely at less than five cents a pound, and other poultry and geese in proportion. Some of those exuberant Conservatives, who were so loud in their boasts that things would change for the better with farmers if John A. was once more allowed to preside over the destinies of the country, are beginning to think that the N.P. does not work so well as they were led to expect it would. Their Grit neighbors poke considerable fun at them as they witness the long drawn visages of the supporters of the N.P., as they stand shivering at their market wagons, vainly endeavoring to dispose of their loads at something like paying pricee.

Music Teachers' Association.

Initiatory steps are being taken to form a Music Teachers' Association in this city. The object of which will be to bring about a better method of teaching. None will be admitted to the association who are not properly qualified to both play and teach. It is intended that the members shall not teach any pupil or pupils who have recently been taught by any other than of the Association, excepting in cases where such pupil or pupils have been taught by known competent persons. The object of this is to remove the system now much in vogue of persons teaching who are not capable, and who, in the absence of qualification, accept such fees that no good teachers could accept. The scheme may be a success.

Prince Edward Railway.

The stipulation of the Prince Edward County Council, as to the amount of grading to be done on the road this year, has been more than complied with, and the balance on the whole line will be pushed vigorously to completion in the Spring. In the meantime, the wood on some seventy or eighty acres of land bewlonging to Mr. J. A. Way has been purchased, and a dwelling for the men and stables for the horses has been erected, and the work of preparing ties, posts fencing, &c., &c., will be proceeded with. The cars will be running on the first day of July next.

POLICE.—Philip Stinson, vagrant, was committed for three months, and William McKenny vagrant, dismissed.

THE RUSSIAN ARMY.—The Russian Minister of War has officially declared in favor of educating and training lady physicians for army practice, and the Czar is said to be greatly interested in the movement. He believes that women should be permitted to study surgery and medicine, and take degrees in the universities. Classes will soon be formed at St. Petersburg for their benefit, and when they have finished their studies they will be attached to the medical staff of the army.

—The case of W. J. Shaw & Co., of Toronto, against McKenzie, Powis & Co., of this city, for the recovery of $50,000 damages on account of an alleged false arrest on a writ of capias of W. J. Shaw at the time of his leaving for England in July last, has been taken en délibéré.

COUNTY COURT.

AND GENERAL SESSIONS—DECEMBER SITTINGS.

GRAND JURY PRESENTMENT.

The Grand Jury presented their report, which is as follows:

The Grand Jury for our Lady the Queen, for the General Sessions of the Peace, for the County of Frontenac, beg most respectfully to offer your Honour their congratulations on your elevation to the Bench. The county is to be congratulated on securing the services of a gentleman of such acknowledged ability to preside over the Courts. It is our sincere hope that your Honour may be long spared to fill the high position you now so gracefully occupy. The Grand Jury regret the cause that necessitates the absence of Mr. A. S. Kirkpatrick, and hope that ere long his health will be re-established so as to enable him to resume his duties as County Attorney. The blank criminal calendar has afforded us much gratification, and we have noted with pleasure the presentation to your Honour by the Sheriff of the customary pair of white gloves, as showing the significant fact that he had no prisoner under his care awaiting trial, which speaks well for the peace and morality of the county. In accordance with your Honour's directions the Grand Jury visited the Penitentiary and Rockwood Lunatic Asylum, and were received with every courtesy by the Warden, Mr. Creighton and Dr. Metcalfe, the acting Medical Superintendent, and were much pleased in finding both institutions models of cleanliness and discipline. We next visited the County Gaol and enquired into its management; visited every cell and day room in the Prison, together with the kitchen and several yards. We found every portion scrupulously clean, neat and comfortable. The prisoners made no complaint as to their treatment. The discipline and industrial arrangements are excellent, and from what we saw we are all prepared to endorse fully the praises accorded the gaol and its governor by the Government Inspector, Mr. Langmuir, who has repeatedly credited Mr Corbett with the highest efficiency in the discharge of his duties. The Grand Jury found 53 prisoners in custody mostly committed for drunkenness and vagrancy. It was a source of regret to find so many old and feeble men in confinement. An hospital or House of Refuge would be a more fitting place for such persons. No doubt this class of persons occupy the several cells of the gaol legally, but it is very clear that prisons, with all their costly construction and surroundings, were not built for this class or at any rate only for a very small percentage of such commitments. The Grand Jury also found three young children confined in the gaol, having been committed by the Police Magistrate, together with their mother on a charge of vagrancy. The question arises whether in cases of this kind, when the parents through dissolute or criminal conduct are deprived of the liberty, the children of such persons could not be admitted into some charitable institution, the Orphans' Home, for instance, where they would be separated from evil influences, and where the opportunity would be given them of growing up to become useful members of society. They were informed by the Governor of the Gaol that the necessary examinations had been made, and the papers transmitted to the Hon. Provincial Secretary, and as soon as the warrant arrived the patient would be removed to Rockwood Asylum. The Grand Jury also found an idiot boy in confinement, and on making inquiry they were informed that the unfortunate lad was committed on the 22nd of February, 1876, nearly three years ago. The proper papers were also forwarded in his case to the Government, but no action has yet been taken. The Grand Jury are at a loss for a reason for this delay, and they wish to record their unqualified disapproval of such indifference on the part of the proper authorities. As requested by Your Honour we have also visited the different charitable institutions of the city, and found them extremely clean and comfortable, and we wish to bear testimony to the fact that they are all deserving of the pecuniary support and consideration of the whole community. In reference to Your Honour's remarks concerning the abolition of Grand Juries we heartily concur with Your Honour, and think it would be unwise as well as unsafe to do away with a body that has proved itself of good service in the past, at least, not until some good substitute be found. The Grand Jury, in conclusion, wish to record their thanks to Sheriff Ferguson and George A. Kirkpatrick, Esq., for courtesy and attention during their sittings.

WILLIAM RIGNEY,
Foreman.

Dec. 13, 1878.

The acting Judge, George A. Kirkpatrick, Esq., M. P., on behalf of His Honor Judge Price thanked the Grand Jury for their presentment and for their congratulations upon Judge Price's elevation to the Bench, in which the speaker cordially concurred. The numerous interesting facts and opinions given in the report show that the Grand Jury had been assiduous in the discharge of their duty by visiting the various institutions receiving public money. The report would be sent to the proper authorities. Thanking them for their services, and congratulating them upon the lightness of the criminal calendar, he discharged them.

CLARK et al, vs. BARRY.—Action for setting out fire, which spread to plaintiffs' land. Verdict for defendant. Mr. Britton for plaintiffs; Mr. McGuire for defendant.

JESSIE GERALDI vs. WM. JEFFS et al.—Action for detaining furniture and goods in packages of plaintiff. Defence, goods are not plaintiff's, and are held for freight, wharfage, &c. Nonsuit. Leave reserved. Mr. Snook and Mr. McIntyre for plaintiff. Mr. Britton for defendants.

HENRY ROBINSON vs. DAVID GRAY et al.—Action for assessors' distress and sale by landlord. Verdict for plaintiff; damages $30. Mr. Britton for plaintiff; Mr. Walkem for defendants.

SCOTT vs. BURNS, et al.—An action for seizing and detaining the plaintiff's horse, and loss thereby. Mr. Snook and Mr McIntyre for plaintiff; Mr. Britton for defendant. The case was still going on at 3.30 p.m.

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—Judge Mackenzie speaks by the card when he says that the tippling-houses, gambling-saloons, and brothels, are ruining many of the Toronto youth. He wonders why such places are not stopped.

ELOCUTION ASSOCIATION.

THE ENTERTAINMENT OF LAST EVENING.

The entertainment given in St. Andrew's Hall, last night, by the Elocution Association of Queen's College, was a decided success. Though not large, the audience was a thoroughly appreciative one, listening to the songs and readings throughout with the utmost attention. One thing we could not help noticing, namely, the changes that had taken place in the personnel of the Glee Club since last session—no less than five or six new faces being noticeable among its members. By the way, we must congratulate Mr. Heath, the leader, and the club on the improvement that is clearly to be seen in their performances this session. The singing of Dr. Rathbun in "Blue Bells" was really excellent, while that of Messrs. Heath and Daly, in "Swallows, Happy Swallows," was fair, though not so good as usual. The duet is a difficult one, and requires long practice to enable singers to render it properly. "Hetai Roi" brought down the house, "Ca cachibunk" being given as an encore. As to the readings, they were much above the average, both as regards the selections themselves and the manner of rendering them. Mr. Ross was the first reader. His selection was from one of the Exeter Hall lectures, and was well rendered, the stately and majestic composition, of itself, riveting the attention of every hearer. "Jub Browin's opinion of Rubenstein" was the next reading, being that given by Mr. Stewart, who entered heartily into the character, and who, at the close of the piece, imitated so well the concluding notes in a piano solo that a round of applause followed his efforts. The dialogue, "Brutus and Cassius," was written from the programme, and a recitation from King Henry the VII. substituted for it. This was given by Mr. Taft, who showed considerable elocutionary and histronic power in his rendition of Wolsey's soliloquy. Mr. Nairn was of course quite at home in the proper use and pronunciation of "Scotch Words." Mr. Elliott's reading of the 'Spanish Duel' elicited round after round of well merited applause. Undoubtedly the last named gentleman is a reader of whom the Association may justly feel proud. We consider his conception of the poem to be very accurate, and his rendition of it almost perfect. Professor Watson, who presided, announced, before closing, that the next entertainment would probably be given by A. Melville Bell, the Professor of Elocution in the College.

Caution for Skaters.

As the skating season has commenced the following cautionary measures will prove useful:—

Be prepared on arriving at the scene of action, for discovering that by an unlucky accident you have forgotten your gimlets. N. B.—Coupled circumstance it will be usually found that your skates have an abnormally small screw, rendering all other gimlets on the spot useless.

Be also prepared for such trifling casualties as the breaking of a strap, the coming out of a screw, or even the coming off of the heel of your boot.

Nerve yourself with Spartan resolution to bear the torture which the putting on of skates implies; sometimes, under the hand of an energetic caster, the gimlet screw of the skate goes in too far.

Take care to start of boldly. Irresolution in starting is fatal, and leads to those sudden falls and inelegant sitting positions, accompanied by those painful jerks, which are the skater's bane.

Prepare your landlady for seeing you brought home on a shutter, and have a fire ordered in your bed-room.

AN EMINENT PHYSICIAN of large experience who has made Pulmonary Consumption a specialty, says that "although in the worst and most rapid forms of the disease we have still to confess that medicine is almost powerless, yet in those less overwhelming, and in those more chronic, which happily constitute the far greater number of cases, we have been able to adduce many proofs that much may be done to mitigate, to prevent, to retard, aye, and even to arrest and cure this most destructive of human maladies." His experience of fifty years leads him to assert that the "great remedy, more essential and more efficacious than any other, is Cod Liver Oil. But who can take it? *Robinson's Phosphorized Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Lacto Phosphate of Lime* contains all the virtues of Cod Liver Oil, in a form and combination most desirable to obtain its fullest effects. Anybody can take it.

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Dec 12th, 1868. C. W. ROBINSON.

Novelties for the Holiday Season at the

LIVERPOOL HOUSE.

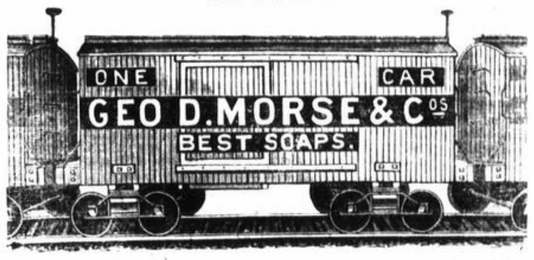
Ladies' Silk Ties and Handkerchiefs,
Ladies' Silk Half Squares,
Ladies' Fancy Silk Velvet Purses,
Ladies' Kid Mitts and Gloves—lined,
Ladies' Cloth Gloves,
Ladies' and Children's Wool Hosiery,
Ladies' Josephine Kid Gloves, all shades,
Ladies' Black, Colored and Light Shades at 50c. Ladies Collars and Cuffs—a beautiful assortment.

HENRY LOWNDES,

Dec. 1c. "Liverpool House," 106 Princess Street, 3 doors above Wellington St.

ROBERT CARSON,

HAS RECEIVED



Consisting of Queen City Laundry, Champion, Brown Family, Magnum Toilet and Transparent Glycerine. Also 25 boxes of Champion Washing Crystal.

Dec. 11th.

A. ROSS

WOULD CALL THE ATTENTION OF THE PUBLIC TO HIS STOCK OF

DRY GOODS!

Selling just as Cheap as any house in the trade, altho' he don't make half the talk about it. Parties desiring to buy

GOOD CHEAP GOODS,

Will find it to their advantage to call and see them.

ALEXANDER ROSS'S, Princess Street.

Dec 11, 1878. OPPOSITE CITY HOTEL.

Cheap Nap Cloths, Beavers and Ulster Cloths

AT WALDRON'S.

Black and Blue Nap Cloakings at 90c, $1.00 and $1.25.
Black and Blue All Wool Nap Cloth at $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.
Black and Blue Beavers at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.
Grey, Blue, Bronze, Steel Meltons, at 75c, 80c, $1.00 and $1.25.
Cheap Cloths for Boys' Overcoats.
One Case Canada Tweeds at 50c, 60c and 75c, less than Mill prices.
100 pieces White Blankets, slightly soiled, extra cheap.
Job Lot Scalettes for Buffalo Linings—cheap.
50 Spindles Real good Fingering Yarns at $1 per lb.
☞ TREMENDOUS BARGAINS IN ALL DRESS GOODS DURING THE HOLIDAYS.

R. WALDRON, Wilson's Buildings.

GREAT CLEARING SALE

—OF—

Clothing and Gent's Furnishing Goods,

—AT THE—

NEW YORK CLOTHING STORE,

Brock Street, Four Doors from Market Square.

Commencing on THURSDAY, Dec. 12th, and to be continued until the entire Stock of Winter Clothing is disposed of. ☞ Examine carefully the hand bill that we are distributing in every house in the city, and you will be convinced that we are determined to offer the public BARGAINS NEVER BEFORE HEARD OF.

OUR ORDER CLOTHING.—We will make large Reductions in the price of Order Clothing, having still a large Stock of Goods on hand for Fall and Winter wear which we wish to dispose of before Stock-taking. ☞ Call before purchasing elsewhere and save money. Remember the place—

Z. PREVOST, BROCK STREET, 4 Doors from Market Square.

☞ Look out for the Sign that reads three different ways.

CHEAP WINTER CLOTHING

C. Livingston, 21 Brock Street,

IS DETERMINED TO SELL READY-MADE CLOTHING AT LOWER prices and five more value than any other Store in the city, as he manufactures all his Goods, and you have the advantage of buying them at MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.

You Can Save 25 per Cent. by Calling at Livingston's

Please take notice that his Stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING is new, Fashionably Cut, well made, and equal in every respect to any CUSTOM WORK made in the city.

☞ I DEFY COMPETITION IN PRICES AND WORKMANSHIP.

OBSERVE THE LOW PRICES:—

Overcoats from	$ 5.00	upwards.
Men's Good Working Pants from	2.00	"
Good Canadian Tweed Suits, all Wool	10.00	"
Fine Pants	2.75	"
Tweed Vests	1.00	"
White Shirts	0.90	"
Shirts nd Drawers	0.45	"

A large Stock of FLANNEL SHIRTS constantly on hands EXTRA SIZE CLOTHING FOR LARGE MEN. ☞ Don't fail to remember the place to secure Bargains.

THE PEOPLE'S CLOTHING HOUSE,

21 Brock Street, (next to McKelvey & Birch's.)

CHARLES LIVINGSTON.

Oct. 30th.

P. HARTY'S

Great Clearing Sale of Dress Goods.

Lustres, Serges, Cords, Repps, Brilliantines, Silk Warps, Parmattas, Cashmeres, Merinos, Cobourgs, All Wool Delaines, Fancy Dress Goods, Black Silks, Colored Silks, Black Velvets, Colored Velvets, All Wool Plaids, to be sold regardless of cost or value. The Goods must be sold and in order to make quick sales, the prices will be found an inducement to buyers to make a large purchase.

A BARGAIN FOR EVERY BUYER.