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WATER WORKS COMPANY

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the City of Kingston Water Works Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Kirkpatrick & Rogers, Ontario Street. Kingston, on THURSDAY, THE 13TH OCTO-BER NEXT, at 4 o'clock p.m., to confirm the Resolution directing that proceedings be taken to distribute the proceeds of all the assets of the Company amongst the Shareholders after the payment of the debts of the Company. By order of the Board.

JAMES WILSON. Manager K. W. W. Co.

Kingston, 28th Sept.

RED LETTER MEETING.

A RED LETTER MEETING of Local Assembly No. 9452. Knights of Labor, will be held in their Hall on WEDNESDAY, THE 12TH INST., at 8 o'clock p.m. Every member is requested to be present, as business of import ance will be brought before the Assembly. JOHN WILKINS.

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NOTICE.

ALL PARTIES having claims against the Estate of the late Isaac Noble are requested to send in the same forthwith to Macdonnell & Mudie, Solicitors for the Executors, and all parties indebted to the Estate are notified to make payment to them.

MACDONNELL & MUDIE. Kingston, Sept. 29th, 1887.

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Sept. 28.

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THE DAILY WHIG.

MAKE A NOTE OF THIS. The Ottawa Citizen has been moved to re mark : "Those of our contemporaries who have been assailing Judge Upper with un stinted abuse, should make a note of the fact that in the second recount in Haldimand, Chancellor Boyd threw out a number of ballots allowed by him in favour o. Mr. Colter, the liberal candidate." And the papers published in the government interest should make note of the fact that Mr. Colter was allowed in the second recount certain votes that Judge Upper had deprived him of. The Citizen is "charitable enough to express the opinion that the or gans will not assail the chancellor although their doing so would not excite surprise.' We are charitable enough to suppose that the editors of leading liberal papers are not idiotic, as the comments of certain conservative organs indicate. The charges of corruption against Dr. Montague's alleged agents having failed, and the hopes of Mr. Colter for success depending upon the result of the second recount, the conservatives would not have abandoned their case and consented to a new election without believing that it was the course wisdom dictated. This at least is the conclusion of all who are not blinded by party prejudice.

DEMOCRACY IN COURT. It is not in accordance with some people's idea of dignity that a judge of the superior court should indulge in a pun or a joke, but it must be confessed that the departure, a comparatively new one, is greatly appreciated. There are periods when a flash of wit will lend interest to a case, and, emanating from the presiding officer, whose mind is always judicial, it is calculated to be as superior in quality as it is unbiased in its effects. The time was when it was almost as much as a man's liberty was worth to crack off in the higher courts anything conducive to hilarity. The august judge wouldn't be trifled with in that way; his august presence wouldn't stand a smile; he was dreadfully straight-laced, and punctilious and particular, and he insisted that everyone having to do business before him should be the same. There are instances on record in this city where a judge could not see a member of the bar whose coat or collar was not of the orthodox cut or colour, and a week's regimen of this character was as much as the best-built man in the profession could endure. It is pleasant, therefore, to notice the entrance of democracy into even the court room, and the ease with Which a judge now-a-days carries himself. And the change is not at all disastrous to the cause of justice. A man's judgment is none the worse of the development of the humorous side of his nature.

EXCHANGE OF COMPLIMENTS.

The Toronto Mail and the Montreal Herald have of late been exchanging compliments, and in consequence of a difference of opinion in regard to the status of political parties in Canada. The appeal of the Herald to the liberal party, to be "prepared to act boldly and promptly in the sharp crisis that is coming on the country," the Mail ridicules and refers to as a "blast in the ear of a dying man." This raised the ire of our eastern contemporary, and, after referring to the Mail's political uncertainty, and to the supposition that it thinks not it, but all the rest of the world, is tipsy, it is remarked:

"That a fusion of parties will be consummated is, no doubt, true; here the Mail and the Herald are agreed. But it is equal ly true that for one liberal who is abandoning his party there are ten conservatives who are going over to the liberals."

The evidence of this is not submitted, and the Mail will be curious to know on what ground the Herald founds the statement. There have been since the general election but six bye-elections, and in all of them the candidates supported by the government, have won. True four of the constituencies were pronouncedly conservative, and had been represented by conservatives in the commons; one had elected a national ist and so-called independent (Cimon) and one out-and-out liberal. Cimon's son sought a reversion of the honours carried by his father to him, but came out as an uncompromising conservative, and was elected as such. Mr. McIntyre (of Canada Pacific syndicate fame) was nomin ated for the seat (Renfrew) vacated by the death of Mr. Campbell, and suffered defeat

The opposition, therefore, lost two seats. In one case personal sympathy and government influence did the work; in the other local local likes and dislikes rather than national politics decided the issue. At any rate the government has not lost by this bye-election.

During the last few days a number of eminent men have bit the dust, however, and as they are conservatives there is the coming chance of testing the presence and power of a reaction. The men who buy their way into parliament cannot win in an honestly conducted election, and with the law observed in the bye contests the reaction may be all that the Herales claims it to be.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Dues of the Pensioners.

KINGSTON, Oct. 12.—(To the Editor): Permit me on behalf of many of the British pensioners to promulgate a great grievance of ours which could be readily redressed did it not militate against the comfort of one individual. I allude to the payment of our pensions. We are notified to be in on a certain day, and a great many of us have to come perhaps forty miles, at great inconvenience to ourselves and employers, besides losing one day's pay. What do we find when we come in? An officer who has only to make his circuit four times a year, and is munificently rewarded therefore, cannot, it seems, leave his previous paying station lest he lose a little sleep, and, therefore, he leisurely takes a morning train, arriveshere, draws the money from the bank, and, after consum ing an hour or so counting it, proceeds to pay us. By the time we get it we are too late to return home that day. Many of us lose our return fare on the boats and train for that day and others of us have either to pay stage fare home, or loiter in town for days till we get a chance drive, all this time losing our wages and our families waiting for the articles we were to bring home. Again let us be promptly paid so that we could procure these and hasten home, and there would be none of the cry about pensioners getting drink and spending their money foolishly. We are no more addicted to this than others, but when old comrades meet, after a long parting, and find themselves laid over in town, perhaps they may imbibe a little too much, but let us be promptly paid and this would never occur.

I know in the old country this would soon I know in the old country this would soon

be remedied, but as they say in Argyleshire, "Its a long cry to Lochow," and no doubt the commander-in chief and horse guards are, ignorant of our troubles, but I trust we shall not again have to make it public to obtain a change for the better. - A VETER-AN OF 22 YEARS STANDING,

Major Bond.

KINGSTON, Oct. 11. - In the News, of the 10th, I find the following:

"Harry Lindley brought to the city a young man who was known by the above title, and who claimed to be the son of an English officer. As an actor, he was not a success, and on Monday last he left the company and joired "A" battery. In the play "Across the Continent" the major took the part of "Goosey," a dude, and the small boy recognizes "Goosey" and the stalwart soldier as one and the same person, and lustily shouts "Goosey" when his figure looms in sight."

What business has the News to make my private affairs public? I did my best at the stage business, which to all appearances the reporter is not doing at his. I came to this city with Harry Lindley. I left him because he is going to South Carolina, and I did not wish to leave Canada. As for my being known by the name of major Mr. Lindley knew my father in England, a retired major from the Bengal staff corps, India, and was called major by Mr. Lindley after him. I joined "A battery because it has been my ambition to wear the queen's uniform since was a child. Does the editor think I have no feeling to have my name abused before people with whom I have to spend three years or more? Does he think it will improve my position at all? If the reporter would study to show more gentility it would be a great advantage to society at large. -Yours truly, JOHN TREVELYAN BOND, "A" battery, Kingston.

A Challenge Accepted.

KINGSTON, Oct. 13.—(To the Editor): The following appeared in your issue of last evening:

"I will give \$100 to any person for one text that says that our Saviour met with His disciples collectively, either in public or private, on the first day of the week after His resurrection.

In answer to this, I beg Mr. Brown to turn to John xx-19:

"Then the same day at evening, being the first day of the week, when the doors were shut when the disciples were assembled for fear of the Jews, came Jesus and stood in the midst, and saith unto them, Peace be unto you.

Also verse 20th, thus: "Then were the disciples glad, when they

saw the Lord." Hoping that Mr. Brown may find it convenient to foward the hundred dollars which he so kindly ventures -- I am, yours, etc.,-CHARLES J. CAMERON, 128 Union St. Kings-

And Still They Come.

KINGSTON, Oct. 12.—(To the Editor): In your issue of Oct. 11th, I see a letter from . Broom, St. Catharines, denying that our Saviour appeared to his disciples on several occasions on the first day of the week after his resurrection. And Mr. Broom offers \$100 for any text proving that the Lord did so. In reply allow me to point out the following texts: St. John, xx.-19; St. Luke, xxiv.-1, 13, 33; St. Mark, xvi.-9, 12, 14; St. Matthew, XXVIII. 9, 10. If none of these texts will suit Mr. Broom I do not know of any that will-Yours truly, J. W.

COMMENTS TO THE PRESS.

You Don't Say So.

Ottawa Free Press. The story that Mr. Nicholas Flood Davin wears a wig turns out to be wholly without foundation. Every hair on Mr. Davin's head is genuine.

Cracking a Conumdrum. Toronto World.

The prohibitionists talk of building a hall in New York to cost \$500,000. The bibulists have already built many costly structures in that city, but wiser men own

Fraud for a Libel Suit. Toronto Wrold,

The irrepressible Harry Lindley rises to deny that he died in New York last week, as reported. Harry will not die until there are no more barns to storm.

The Irish News We Get. Winnipeg Sun.

In speaking of Canadian newspapers to a Victoria reporter Mr. Caine, an English M.P., asked from what source they got their cable dispatches, and on learning that it was from New York expressed surprise that they did not form an association to get cablegrams direct from England. He had noticed that the English news, especially that in regard to the Irish question, was colored to suit Irish-American tastes, and in many cases was absolutely untrue.

LATEST FRENCH SCANDAL

Attempt to Entrap Boulanger-The Effect of the Scandal for Patriotism.

Paris, Oct. 12.—Gen. Boulanger, in an interview, denies any complsicity in the Cafferee affair, and challenged the most search investigation. He declares the scandal as likely to have a depressing effect upon the country just when a revival of patriotism is taking place. He believes that Madame Limosur was sent to him from two different quarters in order to lay a trap for him.

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land, or to KIRKPATRICK & ROGERS, Solicitors, Kingston: Parcel No. 1-Garden Island, containing 65 acres, more or less, with all the wharves, piers and other improvements, including the machinery in saw mill, shops, capstan houses and other buildings, booms, boom chains and all other tools and articles on and about the Island which now belong to said Estate, and which are not specially mentioned in the other par cels named below.

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Parcel No. 2-Goods in general store, as per

yard, as per inventory. Parcel No. 6-Oak and pine timber at Garden Island, as per specification. Parcel No. 7-Two pontoons, with steam winches, boilers and outfit. Parcel No. 8-Rafting outfit, anchors, chains,

screws, blocking and other plant used in ship-

ropes, sails, blankets, axes, augers, cant hooks. yawl boats, harness, etc., as per inventory. Parcel No. 9-One 12-inch Rotary steam pump and boiler complete. Parcel No. 10-Diving apparatus, six wrecking pontoons, one square wooden wrecking pump and iron fittings for another, one wrecking

Parcel No. 11-Fourteen borses. Parcel No. 12-Propeller D. D. Calvin. Parcel No. 13-Side Wheel Tug Steamer Chief-Parcel No. 14-Side Wheel Tug Steamer Tra-

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