

### REMINDERS.

WEDNESDAY.  
MISSIONARY MEETING at St. Mark's Church, Barriefield, at 7:30 p.m.  
THURSDAY.  
MONTHLY MEETING of Ancient St. John's Lodge.  
AUCTION SALE of clothing at Hutcheson's rooms at 7:30 p.m.  
AUCTION SALE of building property on the premises, Division St., by Murray, at 12 o'clock.  
SALE of dry goods at S. Weaver's, 125 Princess Street, at 1:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
FRIDAY.  
MEETING of Royal Academy at 8 p.m.  
MEETING of the Board of Audit at 11 a.m.

### DIED.

MIDDLETON.—On Sunday evening, Jan. 1st, 1888, at his residence, Clergy St., Lew. Middleton, aged 69 years.  
Funeral on Wednesday at two o'clock. A friends are requested to attend.  
FLANIGAN.—In Kingston, on Jan. 3rd, 1888, John Flanigan, aged 73 years.  
Funeral from his late residence, No. 4 Vaughn Terrace, Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.  
HARBACK.—In Kingston, Jan. 3rd, 1888, A. Harback, aged 47 years.  
The funeral will take place from his late residence, 21 Colborne Street, to-morrow, Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. Friends of acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.  
SCANLON.—In Kingston, on Tuesday, Jan. 3rd, Michael Thomas Scanlon, aged 10 years.  
The funeral will leave his mother's residence, corner of Albert and Earl Sts., next Monday morning at half past nine for Wolf Island. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

### FOUND.

ON the corner of Earl and Clergy Sts. a purse containing a small sum of money. Apply at 316 Brock Street.

### LOST.

BETWEEN Princess and Gordon Sts. Sunday morning a Lady's shawl. Finder will please return it to the Wm. office.

ON Saturday afternoon, between the Market and Cotton Mill, a BLACK HUFFALO. Any person returning the same to the Wm. office will be suitably rewarded.

ON January 3rd a Large Calf Skin BOOK containing money, receipts, &c. The owner's name on papers inside. The book will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at this office.

### WANTED.

A COOK and a Nurse. Apply to A. E. H. MYTHE, West Street.

AT O-CE A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Apply to Mrs. A. HOFFMAN, Barriefield.

A GENERAL SERVANT, for family of four persons. References required. Apply at 361 Brock Street.

A GENERAL SERVANT. Apply in the evening to Mrs. W. H. HENDERSON, corner of William and Wellington Sts.

PUSHING MEN at once. Satisfactory. Unequaled advantages. BROWN BROTHERS, Nurserymen, Rochester, N.Y.

BY A STEADY YOUNG MAN, situation as apprentice in bakery. Apply at 2 Division Street.

ANY PERSON, wanting the services of mechanics or laborers will please give their names and address with W. JACKSON, Flour Dealer, Brock Street.

A TEACHER, for S. S. No. 14, jobs Township of Pittsburgh, holding a Teachers' Certificate. Apply, stating salary, to ALEXANDER WHYTE, Secretary-Treasurer, Wilkes-Barre, P.O., Ont.

### BUSINESS CHANGE.

ONE OF THE BEST BUTCHER BUSINESSES in Toronto, situated on the best business street in the city; well established and doing a big trade; will sell or lease good will and everything appertaining to the business cheap. Reason for selling—owner intends going to California. Address all communications to S. T. NELSON, 21 Wood St., Toronto.

### FOR SALE.

THAT SOLID BRICK RESIDENCE on George Street, near Queen's University, contains fourteen rooms, including bath room and all modern improvements. The interior is finished in natural woods, and the whole building is thoroughly heated with hot water. For terms apply to the undersigned, at the premises. W. NEWLANDS, JR.

### TO-LET.

A HOUSE containing five rooms. Apply to A. PIPER, Wade's Lane, on the premises.

A COMMODIOUS HOUSE, containing seven rooms, No. 182 Rideau St. Apply to CHAS. BOWMAN, Barriefield, or next door to premises.

THOSE TWO FINE CUT STONE HOUSES on Division St., just completed; 8 rooms each, hard and soft water, fire lawn; rent, \$120 per annum. Apply to JAMES CRAWFORD, Grocer.

A COMMODIOUS ROOMED HOUSE, with pantry, clothes closets, hard and soft water, garden, with fruit trees, grape, lawn, etc. Apply to E. MORHAM, Alber St., near Union.

### TWO NEW BRICK DWELLINGS.

each, fronting on Princess Street, 15 minutes walk from the Market Square; hard and soft water, and all the modern improvements. Terms easy. T. CARTER, Williamsville.

### FOR SALE OR TO-LET.

FINE CITY HOME. The undersigned offers for sale that DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT now occupied by him on Earl Street. The whole is offered in one block, having about one hundred and twenty feet frontage on Earl Street, and the Upper Lot runs through to West Street. The BUILDINGS on the property are almost new, and the garden is planted with the choicest fruits. For terms apply to THOS.

### GENERAL TICKET AGENCY.

For cheap tickets to all points, and information pertaining to all Routes, apply to  
F. A. FOLGER, - General Ticket Agent,  
Ferry Wharf, Foot of Brock Street  
KINGSTON, ONT.

### THE RATHBUN COMPANY

Are making a Specialty of CHEAP MILL WOOD and  
\$1.25 AND \$1.50 CEDAR SHINGLES.  
These lines are worth more than we hold them at.

### THE THOUSAND ISLAND ROUTE BY

Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg R.R.  
To Utica, Albany, New York, Philadel. a.  
Washington, Baltimore and all Points in North New York, via G.T.R. and N.Y.C. Rys.  
T. HANLEY, Gen. Ticket Agent  
Whig's Telephone Number, 128.

### FURTHER MISREPRESENTATION.

Utterances Attributed to Ex-Ald. Ellbeck That Were Never Said by Him.

Misrepresentation has been again resorted to in regard to the utterances of ex-Ald. R. J. Ellbeck. A reporter who stood in the crowd in front of the Wm. office is said to have heard him say that "the people had to swallow the bucket shops." This was an absolute falsehood. Ald. Ellbeck before it was suggested that the mayor-elect should speak, went to the window and stated the result of the contest. Then he added, "The gentleman on Princess street with the sore head will have to swallow the bucket shop and its manager for a twelve month at least." What were the circumstances that warranted this remark? It will be remembered that on the day of nomination Ald. Drennan was accused of endeavoring to introduce personalities into the campaign, with having caused to be circulated a paper called the *Canadian Workman*, in which the electors were urged to support him instead of "the proprietor of a bucket shop, and therefore only a legalized gambler of the worst type." The accusation was denied; Ald. Drennan said he did not order a certain number of copies of the paper for distribution. At that time Ald. Thompson made a challenge which Ald. Drennan did not see fit to accept, and the last of the accusation was thought to have been heard. But not so. At the last moment Ald. Drennan caused to be posted on the fences of the city, "Vote for Ald. Drennan and against the bucket shops." It was because of this work that ex-Ald. Ellbeck made the statement about the bucket shop from the Wm. office window. His words were directed to Ald. Drennan, not to the honest electors. And as we have no desire to introduce business affairs, we shall not add what we know about advertising bucket shops.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

People Whose Movements, Sayings and Doings Attract Attention.  
Donald McMaster denies that he will contest Carleton.  
Miss N. Henry, of Napanee, is visiting at Mr. Meek's on Sydenham street.  
W. Cockburn, of this city, is employed in the Globe iron works at Cleveland.  
Rev. Eber Crumney, well known here, goes to Japan as a missionary next month.  
Mr. Costigan, Calgary, son of Hon. John Costigan, will shortly be married to Miss Ada Dowling, of Calgary.  
Mr. F. Summerby, agent of the K. & P. RR., Harrowsmith, has accepted a position on the C.P.R. at North Bay, and left for there to-day.  
Rev. Dr. Potts is ill. He has been obliged to cancel his engagements and has gone to Clifton Springs, N.Y., for treatment.

It is understood that Lieut. Col. Villiers will succeed Col. LaMontagne as deputy adjutant-general of the Ottawa military district.

Thomas A. Edison is about to astonish the world with something new. We have an idea that it is in the nature of a pneumatic railway to the centre of the earth.

Richard Clarke, police magistrate of Northumberland and Durham, was selected yesterday as the reform candidate to contest East Northumberland for the local legislature.

Richard Pope, clerk of the crown in chancery, has been appointed commissioner of patents. His first official act should be to grant a patent for the new process of gazing electrical returns.

Saulford Fleming, C.M.G., the originator of the twenty-four hour system, recently received advice that his system would be adopted throughout the Japanese empire on Jan. 1st, 1888.

### POLITICS ARE INTRODUCED.

A Contemporary Makes a Division of the Council That's Hardly Justifiable.

A local contemporary has introduced politics into the council, and, with much gusto, claims that the parties are a tie. But in this instance it calculates as conservatives two men, at least, who publicly forswore politics in municipal matters. We refer to Alds. Wilmot and McCammon, members of Frontenac ward. Both were elected as independents, and the ratepayers are willing to trust them to make a proper choice in voting for the standing committees when the report is presented in the council. Neither of them, if he desires to show independence, will parley with the parties, but manfully stand by what he considers the right thing when the proper time arrives. We are satisfied that Mr. Wilmot has nothing to thank the conservatives for in Frontenac ward. They were not his friends in the election, and he becomes the conservative.

### JOHN FLANIGAN NO MORE

THE DEATH LAST NIGHT OF A DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN.

A Gentleman Who Filled Many Positions in Municipal, Military, Social and Political Circles—He was a Citizen Whose Demise Will be Mourned—Gathered at a Ripe Age.

Yesterday John Flanigan, ex-mayor, and past grand master of the Sovereign Grand Orange Lodge of British North America, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. F. Welch, on Princess street. The deceased gentleman had been failing for some months and quietly entered into rest. He was a very prominent citizen, and in early life was distinguished among his fellows. He was born at Ballymonee, county Antrim, Ireland, on January 1st, 1815. There he received his elementary education and resided until he emigrated to Canada, locating on the Bath road, where he lived in a fine stone mansion. He went into butchering and for years carried on a large business. Mr. Flanigan was an eminent Orangeman. He joined the order in 1837, and ever after maintained his connection with it. He held many important offices, among others being Supreme Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of British North America and Provincial Grand Master of Upper Canada. Some years ago he was presented with a massive silver service by the Orangemen in testimony of his faithful and eminent service to the society. He was a patriotic citizen, and bound to allow every man the freedom he so much enjoyed. Whenever possible he took part in the Orange processions, his last appearance being on July 12th, 1887.

Mr. Flanigan was also a Free Mason, having joined Ancient St. John's Lodge, No. 3, G.R.C., in 1832. In 1853 he became a Royal Arch Mason. He was one of the charter members of Cataract Lodge, No. 92, G.R.C. In the Masons as in the Orange order he rendered distinguished service.

The deceased was a veteran militia man and retired from the service with honor. In 1835 he volunteered in the First Frontenac Independent troop of Frontenac cavalry. He was a member of the corps for over thirty years, and was in active service for three years, about the time of the rebellion. He was first made a corporal in 1848, advanced to a lieutenant in 1851, and to a captain a few years later. In 1859 he got his majority and actively retained it until 1865, when he retired retaining his rank. He was a handsome cavalry officer and on no occasion did he appear to such advantage as when, in 1869, he appeared at the head of the cavalry force, and was part of the escort deputed to receive the Prince of Wales. The corps was drawn up in front of the city hall. On the Duke of Newcastle refusing to permit of the landing of the Prince Major Flanigan was one of the leaders in the demonstration that followed.

Mr. Flanigan was a vigorous politician and a leading conservative. He vigorously supported Sir John A. Macdonald. He was likewise active in municipal matters and from 1854 to 1861 represented Frontenac ward in the city council. On two occasions, in 1854 and 1858, he was selected by his colleagues to fill the mayor's chair. His portrait is among those hanging in the city hall. While he acted as mayor he also filled the position of recorder and was just and merciful in his decisions. He was also identified with the county council, and was elected warden of Frontenac in 1866, and again occupied the position after the demise of the late Mr. Ferris.

He was appointed deputy warden of the Kingston penitentiary in 1866, and held that office until September, 1882. His duties brought him into closer relationship with the convicts, and he was ever respected and esteemed. While strict in enforcing discipline he possessed a temperment that made him kind and generous.

Religiously he was brought up in the faith of the Reformed Presbyterian church of Scotland, but as that body was not represented in Kingston he joined Cooke's church and remained a consistent member of it until his death.

Mr. Flanigan had five children, four of whom—John Flanigan, Chicago, Andrew J. Flanigan and Mrs. Welch, Kingston, and Mrs. Dr. Cornett, Gravenhurst—survive.

### POLICE COURT RECORDS.

The Collections Made During the Past Year—A Big Increase Noted.

The following are the tabulated returns of fines imposed and fees collected at the police court during the past year:

Month	Fines	Fees
January	\$ 72	\$ 18 33
February	42	35 45
March	87	32 45
April	126	66 85
May	83	85 08
June	106	55 60
July	56	92 30
August	107	90 75
September	213	112 52
October	79	82 85
November	126	63 20
December	58	47 90
Total	\$1,157	\$789 75

These figures are considerably in excess of those of 1886 which were: Fines, \$816; fees, \$561.46. The fines imposed and paid over to the license inspector were:

March	\$ 90
April	20
May	100
June	50
July	70
August	140
September	50
October	160
November	30
Total	\$710

Last year the fines amounted to \$520.

### Defeat of Mr. Rees.

Ald. Rees' defeat is easily accounted for by the presence of fifty-nine plumpers for Phelan. It is extremely gratifying that such circumstances Mr. Rees made fight that he did. In future, when Mr. Rees canvasses he should be for himself. Other parties well.

The Rev. Mr. [Name] and brought Mrs. Sarah [Name] a by the open preacher of the [Name] was a widow and a church.

In trial John Waldie, by agents and convicted with costs.

### WEEK OF PRAY.

Christians Exhorted to Live Consistent and to be Temperate.

The audience which appeared at the prayer service held in Cooke's church last evening was a large one. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Houston, presided. Prayer was offered by Rev. Prof. Mowat and Mr. Edwin Cowan. The subject on which the addresses were founded was: "Confession of vices prevalent through Christendom, of great public wrongs, of luxury and the wasteful use of God's gifts by some classes of society, and among others lawless discontent and covetousness, of hindrances to the acceptance of the gospel by the inconsistent lives of nominal christians, of jealousies and rivalries among brethren."

Rev. Mr. Dobbs, pastor of St. John's church, Portsmouth, said that it was part of the solemn duty of people to confess their manifold evils to God. Drunkenness was referred to as one of the most crying evils of the present day, not only in this but other lands. In every country they would find that the greatest curse on it was intemperance. Drunkenness led to other evils and were it driven out a different state of things would exist. There would then be no lawlessness, profanity, impurity and Sabbath-breaking. All the misery, wretchedness and poverty which the speaker had ever seen were entirely owing to drunkenness. Christians were bound to do all in their power to put down this evil. They were bound in this respect by every tie of gratitude owed to God and love of those around them. Parents who had been converted and rescued from the dreadful habit of using strong drink could tell of its damning influence and how miserably they felt because their children inherited their passion for liquor. It was also terrible to contemplate how many families were being ruined by the traffic in liquor. He urged his hearers, for the sake of the Christian principles they professed, for the sake of those around them and humanity in general to practice self-denial. It was a virtue in itself, and if carried out they would reap abundant blessings. He called upon all right thinking persons, who knew anything of the love of God, to be anxious to put down the liquor traffic. The inconsistency of professing christians was discussed. There were hundreds and thousands of people in the world who were nominally professing christians, attending all the means of the grace in the church, but exhibiting no change of life in the world. They attend the theatres and balls and yet are regular attendants at church. What the church wants is persons not only professors of Christianity, but christians who will manifest by the lives they lead that there is a reality in christianity.

Rev. Dr. Jackson, pastor of the First congregational church, intimated that it was easier for some people to confess the faults of others than it was to tell their own. It was easier to look at a distance and see the wrong going on there, than to see the wrongs in their own families and in their own church. But the Great God, surveying their movements, knows all people and their conditions. He looked upon their hearts, and, in union with God's people all over the world, would have them make known their own needs that he might render the assistance needed. Why was it that there was so much wrong in the world, in their families and in their own personal history? Because God's holy spirit was not given full sway in their hearts. Their best hopes and convictions were paralyzed because they had not faith sufficient to stand up before the world and declare them. It made cowards of all. They would overcome their timidity if they would take Christ as an example and remember that they were on earth to live for him.

The meeting to-night will be held in the Queen street church, and will be addressed by Revs. Mr. McGillivray and Timberlake.

### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

Louise Lodge, No. 10, I.O.O.F.  
The officers of this lodge (rebecca degree) were installed for the term last evening by D.D.G.M., William Saunders, P.G., assisted by Sister Pugh, Brothers Lee, Parks and Maxwell, P.G.'s and Brother T. Donnelly. There are at present upwards of ninety names on the books. The officers are:  
J.P.G.—Sister Perry.  
N.G.—Sister Lee.  
V.G.—Sister Silver.  
Secretary—Sister Dunn, P.G.  
P. Secretary—Sister Adams.  
Treasurer—Sister McIlroy.  
Warlen—Sister Sherwood.  
Conductor—M. Jamieson.  
I.G.—Brother R. Elliott, P.G.  
O.G.—Brother W. Saunders, P.G.  
R.S.N.G.—Sister Saunders.  
L.S.N.G.—Sister Oberdorfer.  
L.S.V.G.—Sister Cowie.  
L.S.V.G.—Sister Patterson.  
Chaplain—Sister Pugh, P.G.

Westport Lodge, No. 178, A.O.U.W.  
This lodge has elected as officers for 1888: Master Workman—Rev. D. Y. Ross  
Recorder—E. G. Adams.  
Financier and Receiver—George Jeacle.  
Foreman—W. J. Webster.  
Overseer—George Garrell.  
Guide—D. P. Alguire.  
Inside Watchman—W. Dier.  
Past Master—Dr. Parker.

The lodge expects soon to hold a public meeting in Newboro to discuss the merits of the order and enjoy a plate of oysters.

### LABOUR AND WAGES.

The Great Movements in Which the Workmen are Concerned.

The New York livery keepers have agreed to the drivers' scale of wages.

Some 25,000 miners in the Wyoming valley will not join the Reading company's men in a general strike.

In New York in March a national district assembly for longshoremen will be formed. It will be about 50,000 strong.

As soon as Mr. Powderly recovers an investigation will be made into the finances of the knights of labour. The enquiry is destined to give the fullest satisfaction as to the manner in which the funds have been applied.

The Ontario members of the Royal labor commission will meet at Toronto on the 9th inst. for the purpose of completing arrangements for future sittings. The commission will then proceed to London and resume work on the following day.

The knights of labor have, so far, been unsuccessful in getting the railroad coal miners at Scott-Haven to come out for the Columbus scale. As a result a number of operations notified their miners that a reduction of five cents per ton would be made in their wages, to take effect at once.

### A Good-Natured Contest in St. Lawrence

Ward—Capt. Gaskin Claims he Headed the Poll in Cataract Ward and Gives Facts to Justify the Statement—Too Many Plumpers.

The election of trustees in Frontenac and St. Lawrence wards was contested in a lively manner to-day.

At noon W. Massie led in Frontenac ward by a dozen votes, the figures being Massie, 73; Creegan, 61. A half dozen teams and a large number of interested persons were busy electioneering. Mr. Massie, a knight of labor, was being actively helped by members of that association.

In St. Lawrence ward a good-natured contest was under way. There is considerable excitement, both candidates, Alfred R. Martin and Dr. Herald, having many helpers. In the morning hours Martin led off well, but at noon was overhauled by the doctor, and for some time they stood a tie. Then Dr. Herald broke it by voting for his opponent, who at an earlier stage in the day had performed a similar act for his adversary. At 1:30 o'clock Mr. Martin was a vote in advance. The figures were: Martin, 77; Herald, 76.

At three o'clock the figures were: Herald, 92; Martin, 89.

### The Election on Monday.

KINGSTON, JAN. 4.—(To the Editor): I notice by your extra, issued on Monday evening, giving the returns of our municipal election for the city, that John Gaskin leads the poll by two votes in Cataract ward, but in your issue of Tuesday evening you say that Dr. Phalen led the poll by one vote.

This difference led me to make enquiries as to how this happened, and I called upon the different scrutineers who were present, representing the different candidates in section nine when the poll closed; also upon the deputy returning officer, and ascertained the following facts:

The declaration of the different scrutineers will be found below and that declaration, together with the returns from the other sections, makes me lead the poll by two votes, as was stated in your extra of Monday evening.

The deputy returning officer, Mr. Wooten, makes the following statement in the presence of four gentlemen: After the poll closed the ballots were counted in the presence of the different scrutineers, with the results as stated in your extra of Monday evening, and there was no dispute in the count. The envelopes that contained the ballots were not sealed, but were taken home by him, and before handing them over to Mr. Flanigan he counted them several times, but could not get his counts to agree. But, nevertheless, he made out his returns to the returning officer, differing from what was agreed upon in the presence of the scrutineers after the poll closed.

I will leave it to the citizens to judge if this is not a loose way of handling the ballots. In the first place, before the deputy returning officer left the polling booth he should have sealed the different envelopes containing the ballots, and should not have interfered with them prior to handing them over to Mr. Flanigan. Instead of doing this he did not seal the envelopes, but took them home and wrestled with them all evening, and the following morning, and, as he says himself, could not count them twice with the same result. Now, Mr. Editor, I don't want to say that Mr. Wooten, the deputy returning officer, tampered with the ballots. At the same time I do say that it looks suspicious, as I feel satisfied that the count made in the presence of the scrutineers and the deputy returning officer was the correct one, and by that I lead the poll by two votes.

People who visited the polls in Cataract ward, on election day could see for themselves that I was receiving considerable opposition from certain quarters, for certain reasons known to the public, but I did not expect the ballot papers would be interfered with. I will close by thanking all my friends, irrespective of politics and religion, for electing me as alderman to represent them in my native ward, and hope they will have no reason to regret their action. Yours truly, JOHN GASKIN.

We, the undersigned scrutineers, appointed by the different candidates at polling subdivision No. 9, Cataract ward, hereby certify that we were present when the poll closed at the hour of 5 p.m., on Monday, the 2nd day of January, 1888, and assisted in counting the ballots for the aldermen, and the result was as follows, viz: Gaskin, 111; Phalen, 118; Miller, 106; Rees, 74. We all agreed on the count, and there was no dispute. We left before the returning officer sealed up the ballot box, but we declare the above to be the true count at the time, on which we all agreed.

"MARTIN MEAGHER, for Drennan.  
"BENJ. J. ALLEN, for Rees, Phelan, and Thompson.  
"THOS. MILLER, for T. T. Miller."

### LETTER TO THE EDITOR.

Eighty Rods of Road.

DESERT LAKE, Dec. 30.—(To the Editor): The vicinity of Desert Lake is receiving a boom owing to the rich mineral lands just showing up, and doubtless to be shortly developed. Rich grazing lands are to be found in this locality; as a proof John Hodgson, the celebrated cheese dealer, is going to build a factory at the sand banks, at Desert Lake, early in the spring. But unfortunately the residents of this locality are yet suffering a great injustice, being kept in the back ground for the want of a road of about 80 rods, which, if opened, would be a great boon. If you wanted to drive from Desert Lake post office to Zanesville post office, or to the Bedford Iron Mines, you would have to drive 14 miles, but if the Lobero council had granted the petition brought to them some time ago, to open up a road between the Deo settlement and the township of Bedford, you would have only 5 miles to travel. Besides if that 80 rods of a road was opened up the mail could be carried from Zanesville post office to Desert Lake post office, over only 5 miles of road daily; now it has to be carried 10 miles from Sydenham, and the mails arrive only once a week. Quite a number, also, who would patronize Mr. Hodgson's cheese factory, will be cut off for want of the small road. But we trust that the Lobero council of 1888 will not be actuated by a small, stubborn, selfish policy in the matter.—Yours truly, HUGH CAMPBELL.

Asthma cured by the double treatment of Southern Asthma Cure, is a common remark.