
THE ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY.

The members and friends of St. George's Society yesterday held a pic-nic in Mimico. There was a large attendance, and the day was passed most pleasantly. The party returned to the city soon after eight o'clock, much pleased with their trip.

BASE BALL.

A number of young men in this city have organised themselves into a base ball club, called the "Canadian Pioneer Base Ball Club." At a meeting held on Saturday evening, the following officers were elected:—

President..... J. F. Jameson.
Vice-President..... Thos. Keen.
Secretary Jno. O. O'Neill.
Treasurer..... P. A. O'Neill.

They practice every Monday at 4 p.m., on the University grounds.

HOME FOR FRIENDLESS BOYS.

A local habitation is about to be established in Toronto for the vagrant, shoeless, unwashed urchins who run uncared for about our streets. The providing of a house for these youthful parias is due to the exertions, and in a great measure to the donations, of ladies belonging to the different churches of the city, a meeting of whom took place yesterday, in the Mechanics' Institute. In accordance with the resolutions passed on that occasion, advertisements appear in our columns this morning for a suitable building, and also for proper persons to take charge of its future inmates. The name which the new institution is to bear is that of the House for Friendless Boys. Lady Head has consented to become its patroness.

FALLING INTO A DRAIN.

An accident occurred in George-street, on Saturday night, to Mrs. Walker, the wife of a blacksmith residing in the same street. She was out at about eleven o'clock when she fell into a drain, which had been left unprotected in any way. The drain is about four feet deep, and she fell into it head foremost, a jug which she carried in her hand severely lacerating the temple. She was taken out by Sergeant-major Cummins and Sergeant Greaves. The wounds were speedily dressed by a surgeon. The contractor, Mr. Thomas Simpson, has been proceeded against by the authorities for not having fenced the drain or warned people from approaching it by means of a beacon light.