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MEETING.—A Quarterly
and Dartmouth Sabbath
s held last evening, Fri-
ch. After the introduc-
ng the operations of the
ng address was delivered
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ctors. Several gentle-
ood work, then address-
which the following reso-
John S. McLean, Esq.,
Hon. S. L. Shannon,—
chers regard the Sabbath
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s resolution passed unan-
g adjourned.—*Reporter.*

RIAL.—The young men
rested a few days ago for
d feloniously removing
in Dartmouth, were ex-
nty Stipendary Magis-
committed for trial at the

AT GOOSE RIVER.—A
ans has been arrested at
ion of having poisoned a
l suddenly at Goose Ri-
nty, in December last.
ecided to exhume the bo-
old a *post mortem* exami-

special Telegram, dated
e *Citizen* that:—An in-
niel Dimoch, Esqr., co-
Thomas DeWire, fisher-
found dead in his boat at
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eeding day, and previous
o'clock, p.m.,—he appear-

of his having been beaten
nions, but in conversation
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RUNSWICK.
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all hope of reprieve or of
eath sentence suspended
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tion of a preparation for
v. Mr. Stewart, Wesleyan
ial adviser, was unremit-
, and earnestly sought to
ce and to the Cross for
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The ministers of the
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t of frequent supplication
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d God to wash away his
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ings were held in the pri-
with special reference to
as done that feeble mor-
are him for his sad fate.—
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WITH HIS RELATIVES
st Lord's day was a period
of heart-breaking agony.
and brother gave him the
him with their tears, and
ords of undying affection.
ply moved, but sought to
ering grief of his stricken
wife by referring them to
ible, and by assuring them
to meet them in heaven.—
o take warning by his sad
paths of sin and shame.—
partment of gloom, neither
visit him again, but his
ther on Monday was so
ainful interview between
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asily imagined than de-
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AL PREPARATIONS
re strictly in accordance
of law, and all needful
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would admit.

GHT ON EARTH.
evening the prisoner was
s. Stewart and Lathern,
eries and tears in his be-
d to him the emblems of
and exhorted him to look
nner's friend, as the only
these solemn exercises
a lively interest. After
lowing confession, which

ent out with Miss Vail it
We had no quarrel and
er wish. When we got
near the place described
satchel and walked along
y how far, when we sat
to eat. We both fired
pistol I had given her,
ch loader—the same as
d it I gave to a friend. I
it. There was no inten-
n her at that time. We
her at Lake[illegible]. She was
Boston on the Thursday
t, but it was too stormy,
te to Fredericton on that
am on Friday night. It
Fredericton that I first
ted with Miss Vail on
was a suitable spot to
ent out again with Miss
llowing. We went the
nd to about the same
was frosty, the moss was
was no wet on the barren
uddy. We went off the
there and sat down. I
the child cried; I came
and strangled the child.
was actually dead. As
ing up, I shot her in the
it was on the same side
threw a bush over her
er hands. I found her
just falling out of it, a
and a wallet with only a
w the wallet and hand-
at once, and have never
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low much; perhaps half
not say money was not
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n self-defence I killed
money, my anger with

her at the time, and my bad thoughts on and after the trip to Fredericton, working together, caused me to do this bad act. The letter written to [illegible] Crear was written by me and mailed in B[illegible] by a friend of mine, who lives in or near [illegible]. I never killed any other person or child.

JOHN A. MUNROE.

CHAR[illegible] STEWART, JOHN LATHERN, } Witnesses.

At 12 o'clock midnight, ministers in attendance retired and left him to his own reflections. He went to bed, but whether he slept or not is not stated. At 4 a.m., he rose, washed and dressed himself, and seemed perfectly undisturbed. The ministers again came to his assistance, and renewed their earnest entreaties to the throne of grace in his behalf. He appeared to join heartily in these exercises, and expressed a strong hope that he was fully prepared for the terrible ordeal through which he was soon to pass. The *Globe's* report says:

Capt. Prichard, Mr. Thos. Gilmour, Coroner Earle, Sheriff Botsford, of Westmorland, Sheriff Freeze, of King's, Sheriff Temple, of York, together with Sheriff Harding, who was present nearly all the time, visited the prisoner at about daylight, and these with the clergy remained with him until the hour of execution. He was very calm and firm, and in a clear voice returned thanks to the Clergy, the Sheriff, Dep. Sheriff, and his keepers and other friends, for their kindness to him during his confinement, and expressing the hope that his fate would be a warning to others. He was the least moved of any present. Prayer was again offered up, and all present sang the hymn commencing, "Rock of ages cleft for me." Sheriff Harding informed the prisoner that he had now the most trying duty to perform that had yet come before him, and proceeded to pinion the prisoner's arms, he rising willingly from the chair upon which he sat and placing his arms in position, merely requesting that he be not tied too tightly, and Rev. Mr. Stewart exhorted him not to think of earthly things, but to fix his mind on the Saviour of Mankind, who could make his path to eternity easy. He said he would do so, and was doing so, and the rope was placed around his neck. The hour had now come, and the unfortunate man was taken from his room to the scaffold, accompanied by the gentlemen mentioned above. He leaned on Sheriff Harding's arm, but walked with a firm step, showing more calmness and courage than at any time since his condemnation.

There were about forty persons present in the jail yard. At eight Captain Jones appeared on the platform over which the scaffold was erected, and behind him the prisoner, who walked to his place upon the scaffold calmly and steadily. There were upon the scaffold, Rev. Messrs Stewart and Lathern, Sheriffs Harding, Temple (York), Botsford (Westmorland), and Freeze (Kings), Coroner Earle and Deputy Rankin. A lever had been arranged, the shorter end to which the weights were attached was fastened to the ceiling inside. The prisoner showed no signs of fear and none of excitement, except a hasty glance at the crowd on Temperance Hall. Mr. Lathern offered up a most fervent prayer, and Mr. Stewart taking the hand of the condemned man conversed with him earnestly a few minutes, bidding him look to Jesus. The answer was "he was looking up" came earnestly; the Deputy drew the cap over his eyes; the beam fell, and the body swung in the air, at a height of about two feet from the platform upon which he had stood. There was a little muscular twitching of the fingers, and at one time a slight tremor of the limbs; but beyond this there was no evidence of pain, although the heart pulsated for full twenty minutes.

The body was cut down after the lapse of twenty-five minutes, or thereabouts, after Dr. Baxter, the physician to the prison, and several other medical men, had pronounced life extinct, and was handed over to the undertaker, and in the clothing worn at the execution it was placed in a neat black coffin, with a plain silvered plate, upon which was engraved his name and age.

CANADA.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.—The Parliament of the Dominion was opened with *eclat* on Tuesday.

OTTAWA.—Feb. 15.—This day at 3 o'clock, P.M., His Excellency the Governor-General proceeded in state to the Chamber of the Senate, in the Parliament buildings, and took his seat upon the throne. The members of the Senate being assembled, His Excellency was pleased to command the attendance of the House of Commons, and that House being present, His Excellency was pleased to open the third session of the first Parliament of the Dominion of Canada with the following speech from the throne:—

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate:
Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I recur with confidence to your advice, and have much satisfaction in being enabled on the present occasion to assemble you to the discharge of your public duties at the season of the year most convenient to you. The circumstances under which we meet, are in many respects auspicious. The bounty of Providence, crowned the harvest with abundance, and made the fisheries unusually prosperous. In many districts existing industries have been enlarged, new enterprizes have started into activity, furnishing fresh avenues for commerce, and additional employment for our people, whilst every day new sections of country are being opened to the labors of the husbandman.

The trade and wealth of the Dominion are on the increase, and the equal administration of the laws maintains as heretofore, the enjoyment of a general sense of security.

I have watched with much anxiety the course of events in the North West territories. Unfortunate misapprehensions of the intentions of which the country was sought to be acquired by Canada, have led to complications of a grievous character. With a view to their removal I have thought it desirable to exhaust every means of reconciliation before adopting other measures, and the latest advices lead me to expect the groundless alarms entertained by a portion of the inhabitants have given place to a desire to listen to the explanations which I have caused to be made to them. Efforts made in the spirit which has animated my Government throughout can scarcely fail to accomplish an equitable and peaceful solution of the existing difficulty, and thereby secure the speedy incorporation of the North West territory with Canada.

An act so earnestly desired by the Empire and the Dominion as the act for the temporary Government of the territories when united with Canada will expire at the close of the present session. A measure providing for their Government will be submitted for your consideration.

The charters of most of the Banks of the Dominion were last session extended, for a limited period, with the view that during the interval the institutions of banking and currency should receive the consideration which their importance demands. A measure intended to ensure safety to the community without interfering with legitimate operations of Banks, will be submitted for your consideration, and will, I trust, be found calculated to place those important schemes upon a sound and stable basis.

The laws in force on the subject of the Elective Franchise and the regulation of Parliamentary Elections in the several Provinces of the Dominion, vary much in their operations, and it is important that uniform provision should be made respecting the franchise and regulating the election of members. A measure upon this subject will be submitted for your consideration.

Under the operation of an act of the Imperial Parliament, passed in the year 1869, to amend the laws relating to the Coasting Trade and Merchant Shipping in British possessions, a period of two years is given to the legislatures of the several colonies of the Empire to make provision for the regulation of their coasting trade. In the absence of legislation on the subject within the period named, the provisions of the Imperial law will be in force. The extent and value of our internal commerce render legislation on this subject desirable, and a measure with regard to it will be submitted for your consideration.

The creation of a Court of Appeal under the powers conferred upon you by the Union Act is a matter deserving your attention. A measure will be submitted to you for the establishment of such a court, and for conferring upon it certain original jurisdiction.

The Year 1871 is that on which the next decennial Census is fixed by law to take place. As there are different laws on the subject in the several Provinces, it will therefore be necessary to pass a general Act to establish a uniform and accurate system throughout the Dominion. Steps have already been taken to secure the co-operation of Newfoundland and P. E. Island, and I trust a census upon an equitable system will be made simultaneously in all Her Majesty's British North American possessions. I need not expatiate on the importance of the information which the tables of census are calculated to afford, as, in addition to their interest and value on general grounds, it must be recollected that upon them depends the readjustment of Parliamentary representation.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I have directed that the accounts of last year shall be laid before you. The estimates for the present financial year will also be submitted. They have been framed with every regard to economy compatible with the exigencies of the public service, and you will, I trust be of opinion that the finances are in a satisfactory state, and that the people can, without inconvenience, afford for the service of Her Majesty the supplies which it will be the duty of my Government to ask you to vote.

Hon. Gentlemen of the Senate:
Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

The Act representing Militia and Defence of the Dominion has not failed to engage my attention. The high spirit and loyalty of the people is placed in a clear light by the fact that the active militia have voluntarily come forward largely in excess of the quota required, as well as by the zealous attendance of various corps on annual training, and by the promptness with which they assembled in force at the call of duty on more than one occasion when Fenian marauders threatened the peace of the country. I have observed with great satisfaction the efforts which have been made in several of the provinces of the Dominion to foster and encourage immigration to our shores. Continued progress of great public works in many portions of the country will afford the opportunity of early employment to intending immigrants, and I look forward to the addition of a valuable class of settlers to our population during the coming season.

During the winter and autumn I had an opportunity of visiting different parts of the Dominion. I proceeded first to Quebec, thence to the Maritime Provinces, and at Halifax I had the honor of receiving H.R.Highness Prince Arthur. Subsequently I attended H. R. Highness on a tour through Ontario. Everywhere capabilities of country, and proofs of vigorous industry made themselves apparent, and it became my pleasing duty to report to her majesty's Government, as the result of my observations, that the inhabitants of the Dominion were contented with their present position and prospects, and that which is nearest their hearts, is to avail themselves of the franchises and full powers of legislation which they possess, in order to build in a portion of the British Empire institutions of their own choice, by laws of their own making.

I now leave you to the labors of the session with earnest aspirations for your success.

Nearly all the Nova Scotia M. P's and Senators have gone to Ottawa.

The session which has just opened promises to be a very important one.

Prince Arthur was present at the opening of the session.—Mr. Savary moved the Reply.—Mr. Archibald was introduced by Hon. Mr. Howe and Dr. Tupper.—Mr. McDougall has taken a seat on the opposition benches.

To the Editor of the "Wesleyan" Newspaper.

HALIFAX 19th Feby. 1870.

SIR,—In the account of the execution of John A. Munro, the murderer, given last week, in the "Globe" paper of St John New Brunswick, after naming the clergymen who attended upon him, there is this statement,—"of the Methodist church to which the prisoner belonged." This is erroneous. *He was not a member of that church, nor did he in any way belong to it.* It is probable the mistatement has arisen from one of his kindred being either a member of that church, or generally attending on its public services.

Yours truly,
JOHN G. MARSHALL.

MONEYS RECEIVED FOR THE PROVINCIAL WESLEYAN.

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Joseph Ogilvie,	$2 00	Mrs. J E.J. Horne,	2 87
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By Rev. C. Lockhart—		Mrs. N. Mills,	3 00
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Hon. S L. Shannon,	2 00	George Thompson	2.00
Rev. W F. Harrison—		Stephen Oxley	2.00
I. V. Thomas,	4 00	Benjamin Sayers	1.00
Dr. Ruf. S. Black,	2 00		$5 00
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Edward Coates,	2 00	John F Taylor	$2 00
William Coates,	2 00	John Parker	19.00
H. P. Warman,	2 00	By Rev John Read—	
Stephen Beales,	2 00	Lemuel McNutt	2.50
Mr. Wilson,	1 00	Campbell Johnson	1.00
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Self,	1 00	Miss I. Archibald	2.50
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Self,	2 00	Mrs. Jas. Whidden	5.50
	$3 75		$23.50
By Rev. J. J. Colter—			
Emeline Peers,	1 00	By Wm E Dawson, Esq	
Elijah Tuttle,	1 00	John Stewart	$2.00
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We understand that the Whooping-cough is quite prevalent in the towns around us; but that no cases have proved fatal. Some families use nothing but *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.* Our Doctor, however, says a little ipicac to produce vomiting, would be an advantige.

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EDITOR'S AND BOOK STEWARD'S NOTES, &c.

(1.) We expected to be able to give in this paper a Report of the very excellent series of Missionary Meetings which were held on four successive evenings last week in Halifax and Dartmouth. We are, however, compelled to defer doing so until next week. We may here just say that the Meetings were all good. The financial results were such as to show that the Halifax Wesleyan Churches are by no means disposed to yield their honorable place as the Banner Churches in the Missionary cause in our Conference. The collections, we believe, will all be found to be in advance of those of the previous year. But we must not further anticipate the Report, which we are authorised to promise to our readers, from the pen of the Superintendent of the Halifax North Circuit.

(2.) The next number of the "Provincial Wesleyan" will contain a sermon by the Rev. Robert Duncan, of Moncton, N. B.

(3.) The Saint John papers have been largely occupied during the past week with reports of the closing hours in the life of the late wretched John A. Munro. We are not disposed to dwell upon his sad career of unbridled lust, degrading vice and horrid crime, which found its awful but appropriate termination on that gloomy morning last week as elsewhere described. There is reason to believe that in life's latest hours he did come truly penitent and endeavour in all earnestness and sincerity to fly for pardon to Christ.

An erroneous statement made in the St. John Globe, and copied into the Halifax Morning Chronicle, that he was a member of the Methodist Church, has occasioned some surprise and annoyance. He was not in any proper sense of the word a Member of any church or denomination. Many of his highly respectable and much respected circle of relatives and family connections are more or less closely identified with our cause in St. John. He had been, we believe, in early life, a scholar in one of our Sabbath Schools, and later at least an occasional attendant upon our Ministry; but it is surely not necessary to say that it was not because of Sabbath School and Pulpit Teaching, or of Church and family influence, but in spite of these that he became in sin what he did.

Marriages.

On the 3rd inst., at the residence of the father of the bride, by the Rev. J. Read, Mr. Archibald M. Black, to Lizzie, daughter of Mr. Alexander McNutt, all of Truro.

At Richmond, on the 15th inst., by Rev. Geo. S. Milligan, A. M., Mr. George Currie, to Miss Adelaide Isener

By the Rev. L. Gaetz, at the residenee of the bride's father, on the 7th inst., Mr. Roderick Fraser, to Jennie, only daughter of Anthony McLellan, all of Pictou.

By the Rev. Jas. England, at the residence of the bride's father, Feb 16th, Mr. George H. Harris, of Hillsburgh, County of Digby, to Miss Mary Ann Parker, of Granville, County of Annapolis.

Deaths.

REV. GEORGE C. M. ROBERTS, M. D. D. D., died in Baltimore, after a long illness, on Jan. 15th. Dr. Roberts was born in Baltimore, June 29th, 1809. He entered Asbury College, and subsequently graduated in the medical department of Maryland University. At the age of sixteen he was converted; and in the same year that he received the degree of M. D., he entered the itinerancy. Dr. Roberts was a great Sunday-school worker, and was President of the first National Sunday-school Convention of our Church. He was one of the founders of the Maryland State Inebriate Asylum. He was chosen in May, 1864, to represent the Methodist E. Church of Baltimore in the World's Alliance at London, England. During this year, Newton University conferred on him the degree of D. D. He founded the first temperance society ever established in the United States Army, and in 1850 preached to the garrison of Fort McHenry in a chapel secured mainly through his personal efforts. He continued his life of usefulness until a few years since, when a complication of diseases prevented him from actively engaging in the duties of the ministry or as a physician.

Dr. Roberts presented a character of rare beauty and attractiveness. In his face were united the expressions of intelligence, amiability and piety. His deportment was easy and affable, the result of early training and large acquaintance with the world. His mind was well balanced, solid and practical, and his experience in divine things genuine and deep. His preaching was plain and practical, yet imbued with tenderness, humanity, and deep spirituality, and was always attended with the divine unction.

In the early part of his last week upon earth, he became fully satisfied that his days on earth were rapidly drawing to a close, and with that beautiful Christian spirit which has always marked his life, he calmly awaited the time when he should be released from his sufferings. He carefully arranged his financial affairs, gave directions for his burial and other matters, and then announced himself as ready for the demand of his Creator. That demand was made at an early hour on Saiurday morning, and as he passed from life unto death a halo of glory glorified his face. On Sunday afternoon, Jan. 16th, his body was removed to the Charles-st. Methodist Episcopal church, where funeral services of more than usual solemnity were had. The coffin was placed in front of the altar, and for nearly two hours thousands of persons viewed the inanimate form of him who was so dearly beloved while living, and who is now so sorrowfully lamented when dead.

At Guysboro' Cove, Feb. 3rd, Sarah Ann, wife of S. Yar, and daughter of John Bigsby, aged 23 years.

At New Canada, Guysboro' County, Feb. 9th, Hezeziah Horton, in the 37th year of his age.

On the 16th inst., after many years of suffering, borne with Christian resignation, Susannah, relict of the late Rev. James Knowlan, Wesleyan Minister, in the 85th year of her age.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

THURSDAY, Feb 17
Barque Josephine, Forbes. Baltimore.

FRIDAY, Feb 18
Steamer Chase, Mulligan, Portland; schr Gen. Williams, Lawton, Boston; Hound, Williams, Bermuda.

SATURDAY, Feb 19.
Steamer Monticello—bound to Newfld.

SUNDAY, Feb 20
Brigt Louise, Gammon, Cienfuegos.

MONDAY, Feb 21.
Steamer Carlotta, Colby, Portland; brigts Lizzie, O'Brien, Cienfuegos; Halifax, Power, do; schr Mary Fraser, Coste, St Pierre.

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Feb 19—Steamer Chase, Mulligan, Portland; big Topaz, Hubburd, Havana.

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TUESDAY, 25th day of January, 1870.
PRESENT

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

ON the recommendation of the Hon. the Minister of Customs and under and in pursuance of the Act 31 Victoria Chapter 6, intituled "An Act respecting the "Customs" His Excellency has been pleased to Order, and it is hereby ordered that on from and after the first day of February next, the Port of Amherst in the Province of Quebec, shall for all the purposes of that Act be designated and known as the Port of Magdalen Islands.

That the Port of Bytown in the Province of Ontario, shall for all the purposes of that Act be designated and known as the Port of Ottawa.

That the Port of Dalhousie in the Province of Ontario, shall for all the purposes of that Act be designated and known as the Port of St. Catherines.

WM. H. LEE,
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Specification in blank, to be filled up with the description of each vessel, and also forms of tender, with other particulars can be obtained on application to this Departmen or its Agencies at Quebec, Halifax and St. John, N. B, after the 20th inst. Communications to be addressed, Department of Marine and Fisheries, Fisheries Branch, Ottawa, and marked "Tenders for vessels."

P. MITCHELL,
jan 19 Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

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GEORGE TAYLOR,
Superintendent.

Superintendent's Office,
Richmond, Feb. 4th, 1870.
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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

The Commissioners appointed to construct the Intercolonial Railway give Public Notice that they are now prepared to receive tenders for four further Sections of the Line.

Section No. 13 will be in the Province of Quebec, and will extend from the Easterly end of Section No. 8 to Station 906, near Malfait Lake, about 20½ miles in length.

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The contracts for the above sections to be completely finished and ready for laying the track by the 1st day of July, 1872.

The Commissioners also give Public notice that having annulled the Contracts for Sections Nos. 3 and 4, they are now prepared to receive Tenders for re-letting the same.

Section No. 3 is in the Province of New Brunswick and extends from Station No 370, about two miles South of the Restigouche River to Station No 190, about 2,000 feet South of Eel River, near Dalhousie, being a distance of about 24 miles.

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Plans and Profiles, with specifications and terms of contract, will be exhibited at the Office of the Chief Engineer in Ottawa; and at the offices of the Commissioners in Toronto, Quebec, Rimouski, Dalhousie, Newcastle, St. John, and Halifax, on and after the 10th March next; and Sealed Tenders addressed to the Commissioners of the Intercolonial Railway, and marked "Tenders" will be received at their office in Ottawa, up to 7 o'clock P. M., on Monday, the 4th day of April, 1870.

Sureties for the completion of the contract will be required to sign the Tender.

A. WALSH,
ED. B. CHANDLER,
C. J. BRYDGES,
A. W. McLELAN,
Commissioners.

Commissioners Office,
Ottawa, 26th Jan. 1870.
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Intercolonial Railway.

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Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Commissioners of the Intercolonial Railway, marked "Tenders," will be received at their office in Ottawa, up to 7 o'clock, P. M., the 17th of March, 1870.

A. WALSH,
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Commissioners Office,
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