General Intelligence.

Colonial

The returns on the Provincial Railway for the month of April show an increase of $166.44 over the corresponding period of last year.

The Lady Head has taken her place on the route between Quebec and Pictou, and the intermediate Gulf ports. She left Pictou on her return to Quebec, Tuesday 14th inst. She will leave Quebec on her second trip for Pictou 21st inst., and on her third trip on 4th of June.

A meeting of the committee and friends of Union Missionary Colportage in Nova Scotia, to receive last year's report, and consider the propriety of organizing a Tract Society for this Province, will be held in the Young Men's Christian Association Rooms, this afternoon at 4 o'clock. All interested are respectfully invited to attend.

At the annual convocation of McGill University, Montreal, held on the 2nd, the two prizes were obtained by Nova Scotians. The Prince of Wales Gold Medal was won by J. S. Archibald, and the Sir William Logan Gold Medal by C. C. Stewart, of Murequodoboit.

FIRE.—On the 3rd inst., the dwelling house of the Rev. J. McLellan, of Noel, County of Hants, was burned to the ground. Through the exertion of the neighbours, the furniture and Library were saved.

A serious accident occurred on Tuesday at the fortification now being erected at Fort Clarence, at the Eastern Passage, which resulted in three men, named respectively, Robt. McNeil, John Foley and Wm. Hassman, being very badly injured. One of the men had both legs broken, another one arm fractured, and the third very much crushed. It appears that a part of the staging supporting the "scaffold traveller," used for hoisting stone, broke down, by which accident the men were percipitated to the ground, a distance of upwards of 40 feet.

Mr. Wm. McLellan of West River has recently made a discovery which is likely to prove very valuable. It is a substance which when applied to iron or steel, burnt during the operation of heating, restores it to its natural ductility and malleability, so that it can be hammered out or welded in the most perfect manner. If applied to iron or steel before being being put into the fire it prevents it from being burnt, even upon the application of the most intense heat. The capabilities of the substance spoken of were fully tested in the blacksmith shop of C. & M. Cameron, carriage-makers, and resulted satisfactoilry. Mr. McLellan intends applying for a patent, and states that a quantity sufficient to last for a year can be had for $1.50—*Eastern Chronicle.*

PROVINCIAL APPOINTMENTS.—To be Superintendent of the Money Order Office at Halifax—James H. Thorne, in place of John S. Thompson, resigned.

To be Clerk of the Executive Council, Deputy Provincial Secretary, and Chief Clerk in the Secretary's Office—Henry W. Johnson, in place of James H. Thorne, resigned.

To be Chief Commissioner of Mines—John Rutherford, in place of P. S. Hamilton.

To be Stipendiary Magistrate for the City of Halifax—Henry Pryor, Esq., M.P.P.

To be Assistant Physician to the Lunatic Asylum—Dr. McKeagney.

To be Issuers of Marriage Licences and Deputy Registrars of Births, Marriages and Deaths—John R. Hall, Brooklyn District, Queen's County; Edward Hamilton, Truro.

To be Deputy Registrar of Births, Marriages, and Deaths—Charles McMillan, Cross Roads, head of Lake Ainslie; John Booth, Prospect, Halifax County; George L. Purdy, Weatchester, Cumberland County.

In the County of Colchester:—To be Postmaster at Truro—Edward Hamilton, in place of Isaac Smith. To be Justices of the Peace in said County—Daniel McKenzie, F. Blanchard, E Tupper, Junr., Samuel G. W. Archibald.

In the County of Halifax:—To be a Justice of the Peace in said County—James Croucher, Junr.

In the County of Queens:—To be Justices of the Peace for said County—Milton Douglas, John McGinty, Junr. To be School Commissioners for the Southern District of Queen's County—Rev. H. Genever, in place of Rev. A. Noble, resigned; Rev. J. F. Tooks, in place of Rev. Mr. Goucher, removed; Rev. T. H. W. Pickles, Enoch Steadman, Esq, Eidred Cahoon, Esq., George S. Parker, Esq.

In the County of Lunenburg:—To be Custos Rotulorum for the District of Lunenburg—Henry S. Jost, Esq., M.P.P., in place of John Heckman, Esq., resigned. To be Trustee of Public Lands in Lunenburg—Casper Silver, in place of John Young, deceased.

In the County of Kings:—To be Justices of the Peace for said County—William R. Minnis, James S. Witter, James T. Hamilton, John N. Coleman, Gilbert Fowler, David R. Eaton, John Casey, John W. Margeson, Edward Moren, Henry G. Bill, Leveret D. Chipman, D. D. Davidson, William S. Sharpe, Obadiah Newcomb.

His Excellency has also been pleased to approve of the appointment of David Steele, as Deputy Crown Land Surveyor, in the County of Cumberland.

And also of the appointment of James Boyer Smith and Edward H. Keating, as Deputy Crown Land Surveyors, in the County of Halifax.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—The freshets on the River St. John and tributary streams have done much damage.

The body of a man was taken out of the water at Golden's Landing, supposed to be between 50 and 60 years of age.

The Fredericton correspondent of St. John *Telegraph* gives the following:—

"Members for King's Queen's Sunbury, Carleton, and Victoria had private meeting today to make choice of two River Senators in addition to Odell. Beveridge had a majority. Glacier and Ferris were equal. The meeting did not settle vexed question of claims to Senatorship. On first vote Hon. Mr. Ryan, King's stood even with the others, but fell behind on second. Speculation rife as to who will be the man.

John Coyle, and Hugh Clarkins, and John Keith, were drowned in attempting to cross the Kennebecasis in a loaded boat from Rothsay to Titus's mills. The cries of the unfortunate men in their peril were distinctly heard at Rothsay, but the language used was not understood, and consequently they were left to perish without a single effort to save them. Keith was a native of P. E. Island.

The cheese factory of Sussex, under the guidance of Mr. G. H. Wallace, is progressing rapidly towards completion. It is located between Sussex Station and Upper Corner.

Our fishermen complain of dull times in their department. They say the catch of the different kinds so far is very light for the season.—*Visitor.*

Mr. John Howe, Postmaster at St. John, vacated office on Tuesday. Mr. Hale is at present in charge.—*News.*

The Fredericton City Council have voted a bonus of $50,000 in aid of the Railroad to Hartt's Mills.

THE FORTIFICATIONS OF MONTREAL.—The *Minerve* of yesterday says: "Engineer officers have arrived at Longueil within the past week, and have commenced preliminary operations in regard to fortifications. We learn from a reliable source that the British Government has given orders to send a considerable quantity of war material to Canada."

NEWFOUNDLAND.—We acknowledge politeness of Hon. Prov. Secretary of Newfoundland in favouring us with Report of Geological Survey of that Island.

We are happy to learn that the Seal Fishery, in general, has been successful; and that the cod fishery has commenced favourably.

OTTAWA, C. W., May 17.—A medical council has been holding its meetings for a week past. Business of much importance to the profession was transacted. The right of homopathists, who profess to have the legal qualification to demand registration, is to be tested in the courts. Parliament is to be petitioned to pass an act to prevent the publication of immoral and indecent advertisements in the public newspapers in this Province, and to prohibit, through any channel, the publication of pamphlets of a similar character.

TORONTO, C. W., May 17.—A despatch from Montreal says departments have been reserved at the St. Lawrence Hall for Jeff. Davis and his family, who are expected there to morrow. The Southern refugees and residents intend to invite him to visit this city. Gold 136 7-8.

United States.

Cyrus W. Field has received the following telegram:—

LONDON, May 17th.—On the 5th inst. it was reported that on the 4th, at 6 p. m., a large iceberg grounded on the harbour of Heart's Content, Newfoundland, about one and a half miles North North-west of the Northern point, and 200 yards east of the 1866 cable, in about 16 fathoms of water. No damage with regard to the cable was then reported. On the 8th inst. the iceberg had disappeared, but in passing over the cable of 1866 it seems however, some damage must have been done, for the signals through the cable became imperfect, and have now ceased. The cable of 1865 is unimpaired, and there is no reason to doubt that the injury to the cable of 1866 will be repaired without delay, or any considerable expense.

ABUNDANT CROPS.—Information received by the Agricultural Department, Washington, confirms the previous reports from all sections of the country concerning the prospect of the forthcoming wheat crop. The indications are that the yield of wheat in all the States where the grain is raised will be much larger than usual. Not only has more wheat been planted, but the yield per acre promises to be remarkably good.

THE FENIANS IN NEW YORK.—A New York paper says:—A number of the Fenian brotherhood, and refugees from Ireland, met yesterday at three o'clock at the Apollo rooms, in Prince street. The meeting was strictly private, but from those present it was ascertained that the object was to receive the reports of men lately arrived from Ireland, who represented that all hopes of success in that country were now abandoned, and that they only looked to Col. Roberts and his party to take such action as would secure hostages for those men now under sentence of death by the British government, and to secure the liberty of the men now in prison.

The *New York Times* gives expression, in a few sentences, to American dislike of Fenianism:—Not only ought it to be understood that we are not at war with England, and that being the case, cannot allow armed attacks upon our neighbor by Fenians, but that the American people ought not to be compelled to foot the bill more than once. When the last raid took place it was a dismal failure, but it was expensive to our people, who have burdens of their own already. When Gen. Meade franked home and fed the "Army of the Irish Republic" last year, he did not suppose the process was to be repeated every year, or probably he would not have been so generous. The Fenians have no right to cause the expenditure of public money in the way it is spent. Let the farce come to an end, and if a few troublesome spirits choose to foment trouble, let them be notified that we are tired of their nonsense. If America is to be ruled by Fenians, let us know it; but so long as America is ruled either by native or adopted Americans, let her not be plagued and plundered by unauthorised and illegal schemes of foreign invasion from our shores or across our borders.

RUSSIAN AMERICA.—Respecting the recent purchase of territory northward of British Columbia from the Russian Empire, the N. Y. *Tribune* remarks:—

We simply obtain by the treaty the nominal possession of impassable deserts of snow, vast tracts of dwarf timber, frozen rivers, inaccessable mountain ranges, with a few islands where the climate is more moderate, and a scanty population is supported by fishing and trading with the Indians. Virtually we get by an expenditure of seven millions in gold, Sitka and the Prince of Wales Islands. All the rest is waste territory, and no energy of the American people will be sufficient to make mining speculations in the sixtieth degree north latitude profitable, or to reclaim wilderness which border on the Arctic Ocean. We may make a treaty with Russia, but we cannot make a treaty with the North Wind, or the Snow King. A glance at the map will show that this mighty acquisition, with the exception of a few islands scattered along a mountainous and sterile shore, lies above the sixtieth degree, and is divided into nearly equal portions of the Arctic circle. Ninety-nine hundredths of Russian America are absolutely useless; the remaining hundredth may be of some value to the Russians who settled it, but is certainly not worth seven millions of dollars to a nation already possessed of more territory than it can decently govern, and burdened with debt. On the contrary, it is certain that the expense and trouble of a Territorial goverment—or six governments, as we hear Mr. Seward proposes—in this distant and inhospitable land, would far outweigh any advantage from its codfish or bear-skins. To Russia it was an incumbrance; to us it would be an embarrassment, and by the next session of Congress we trust the folly of the purchase will be made so plain that the House will refuse to make the necessary appropriation.

European.

BERLIN, May 16, (even.)—The North German *Gazette*, the organ of Bismark, says the final execution of the treaty signed at London, and the evacuation of the fortress of Luxemburg, by Prussia, will be difficult within the month prescribed by the London Conference, and that Prussia will need more time.

DUBLIN, May 16.—The Fenian prisoners Duffy and Cody are now on trial before the Special Commission.

LONDON, May 16th, p. m.—Consols 92 3-8, 5-20's 72 5-8.

LIVERPOOL, 16th, (evening)—Breadstuffs,—Market easy. Corn declined 6 pence. Sales of Mixed Western at 41s. 6d. per quarter. Wheat quotations unchanged. Barley and Oats steady at previous quotations.

DUBLIN, May 18th (noon).—The trial of the Fenian prisoners Flood, Duffy and Cody, was finished last evening. As in the cases of Burke and Doran, they were found guilty. Their sentences will probably be pronounced to-day.

LONDON, May 17th—Despatches have been received from Athens which state that two sanguinary battles had taken place recently in Candia, in both of which the Turkish commander, Omar Pacha, was badly beaten. His loss in engagements is computed at 3000 men. The great powers of Europe have again united in a petition to the Sublime Porte to cede the Island of Crete to the Greek Government.

Orders have been issued in Council for the prevention or restriction of the ravages of the rinderpest which has again made its appearance in some counties in England.

An Imperial decree has been promulgated favoring the Protestant inhabitants of Hungary.

LISBON, May 17th—The regular mail steamer *Rio Janeiro* arrived here to-day. The South American news is important. President Lopez of Paraguay had accepted the mediation proffered by the U. S. Government through their minister, Mr. Washburton, and would immediately send an envoy to Washington. The allies on the other hand had not accepted the American plans, and it was doubiful whether they would do so. There had been further fighting between the contending parties.

LONDON, May 18th, (noon.)—The Turks claim great victories over the Cretans in the recent battles.

PARIS, May 18th.—The French Corps Legislatiff is opposed to the Army Bill proposed by the Emperor Napoleon.

LONDON, May 18th (eve.)—Despatches have been received here from Constantinople which state that the Sublime Porte had replied to the proposition of the Great Powers of Europe relative to the cession of Candia to the Greek Government. He assures the Powers of his ability to put down the existing rebellion, and firmly declines to cede the Island to any foreign state.

LONDON, May 19th (evening).—The Luxemburg question is to be regarded as finally settled, for the Emperor Napoleon and King William of Prussia have signed the treaty looking to that end.

Motions for new trials in the case of the Fenian prisoners Cafleny and Meany, who were recently found guilty, have been refused.

The City of London has voted £500 towards the erection of a statue to George Peabody, the great philanthropist.

RAILWAY FACILITIES.—The Ministers and lay gentlemen who may attend the District Meetings of the Halifax and Truro Districts, will have extended to them, on the N. S. Railway, the usual privilege of a return ticket free, upon being certified by the Chairman or Secretary of such Meetings as entitled to this privilege.

District Meetings.

HALIFAX DISTRICT.

The Annual District Meeting for the Halifax District will be held (D.V.) at Avondale, commencing on Wednesday, 29th May, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

The tide will answer on Tuesday evening 28th, and on the following morning, to go by Packet boat from Windsor to Avondale.

The financial business will be entered upon in the afternoon of the first day of the Session, at 3 o'clock—at which time the attendance of the Circuit Stewards is earnestly requested.

JOHN MCMURRAY, *Chairman.*

Halifax, May 13th, 1867.

FREDERICTON DISTRICT.

The Fredericton District will (D.V.) meet at Gagetown on Thursday, June 13th, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

Financial business will be entered upon on Friday at 10 o'clock, when Circuit Stewards are very respectfully and most earnestly invited to attend.

GEO. S. MILLIGAN, A.M., *Chairman.*

Woodstock, May 2nd, 1867.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND DISTRICT.

The Ministers of P. E. I. District Committee will meet in the Vestry of Charlottetown Church on the second Wednesday of June, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

The CIRCUIT STEWARDS, whose especial duty it is to care for and investigate the financial wants of the work, are respectfully reminded that their office requires them to attend the meeting on the second day of its Session.

In consequence of my unavoidable absence the duties of the Chair will devolve on the Rev. Richard Smith.

MATTHEW RICHEY.

ANNAPOLIS DISTRICT.

The Annual District Meeting for the Annapolis District will be held (D.V) at Berwick, commencing on Wednesday, June 12th, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

The Financial business will be entered upon on Thursday at 10 o'clock, when Circuit Stewards are respectfully and earnestly invited to attend.

HENRY DANIEL, *Chairman.*

Bridgetown, May 18, 1867.

SACKVILLE DISTRICT.

The Annual Meeting of the Sackville District will be held (D.V.) at *Point de Bute*, commencing on Wednesday, 12th of June, at 9 30 a. m.

The financial matters will be entered upon on Thursday, at 10 p. m., when the Stewards of the different Circuits are earnestly requested to attend.

INGHAM SUTCLIFFE, Chairman.

Amherst, May 18th, 1867.

Letters and Monies

Remittances by Mail at risk of this Office, must be by P. O. Money Order or Letter Registered.

Rev R. Weddall (P.W., Thos Coffin $2, A. Sheffield $5, Mrs E. Coulson $4—$11,) S. R. Tupper (B R., $10, Library sent,) Rev A. S. DesBrisay (B R., $50, P.W., H R. Duerdon new sub. $2 87,) Rev D. Chapman (P.W., J. Clish duly credited $2,) J. B. Black, Esqr, (No. 1, 20cts per doz., No 2, 70cts, sent by mail,) Rev I. N. Parker (P.W., Wm McDonald new sub. $2, charged,) Rev R. E. Crane (B.R., on library acct. $10, P.W., J. Parker $5—$15,) C R Allison, Esq. (P.W, $1,) Rev J Winterbotham (P.W., before acknowledged, J. Menzies $2, R. Redpath $2, E. Davidson $2, J. Bell $2, G. Scott $2.33, H. Morley $3, J. W. McDonald $1 $14.33.)

HALIFAX COUNTRY MARKET.—RETAIL.

Butter, per lb.,	20c *a* 22c
Beef, fresh, per lb	7c *a* 8c
Bacon, per lb	12½ *a* 15c
Pork, fresh, per lb	8c *a* 10c
Eggs, per dozen,	18c *a* 20c
Fowls, per pair	45 *a* 50c
Cheese, per lb	10c *a* 12 c
Hams, smoked, per lb	12½ *a* 15c
Lard, per lb	16c *a* 15c
Mutton, per lb	9c *a* 10c

A Clergyman (Rev. J. McMurray), writing from Halifax, N. S, says, "Having suffered several years with throat affection, to which clergymen are especially subject, and having used various remedies, I have pleasure in giving my testimony as to the relief I have had in the discharge of my Sabbath labors from the use of "*Brown's Bronchial Troches.*" They have been a great comfort. Others to whom I have recommended them have used them with advantage." For Coughs and Colds the Troches are equally efficacious.

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EUREKA. We met Jones, the broker, on Washington St. this morning, but instead of clasping the hand of the grizzly, wrinkled Jones of the present, we grasped the digits of the fresh and buoyant Jones of twenty years ago. We could not account for the change. Experience, alas, admonishes us that neither a new tile from *Aborn's* nor a new suit from *Messenger's*, will make an old man young. After a few words of congratulation my friend explained. He had tried the thousand and one preparations for restoring gray hair to its original color with discouraging results. A friend recommended Knights' Original Hair Restorer—he gave it a trial, and now stood before me, a walking advertisement of its matchless value. S. M.

April 3 1m

Marriages.

On the 16th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev E. Botterell Mr. Philip J. Howe, of Ashford, England, to Sarah J., second daughter of Mr. Nicholas Honey, of this city.

On the 17th inst., by the same, Daniel Sargent, Esq., of Barrington, to Charlotte, eldest daughter of J. S. Thompson, Esq., of this city.

At the residence of the bride's father, Yarmouth, on the 8th inst., by the Rev. W. W Perkins, assisted by the Rev J. G. Hennigar, Rev. Wm. H Heartz, of Granville, to Julia, eldest dughter of Thomas Killam, Esq.

On the 16th inst., at St. George's Church, by the Rev. R. F. Uniacke, Mr. Wm. A. Geizer, to Miss Eliza Hubly both of this city.

On the 15th inst, by the same, Mr. Samuel Lowery, of Belfast, to Mrs. E. Kingsman, of Dublin, Ireland.

Deaths.

Of consumption, at Lower Horton, on the 2nd inst., Annie M., beloved wife of A. McN. Patterson, Esq., Principal of Acacia Villa Seminary. She bore her protracted illness with Christian fortitude and resignation, and sweetly fell asleep in Jesus.

On the 16th inst., of Diptheria, Emma Louisa, daughter of Charles F. and Susan A. DeWolf, aged 1 year and 11 months.

On the 16th inst. Mr. Alexander McDougall, in the 63rd year of his age.

On the 17th inst, Fraser, infant son of Fitzgerald Cochran, Esq., aged 8 months.

Shipping News.

PORT OF HALIFAX.

ARRIVED.

THURSDAY, *May* 16

Steamer Alhambra, Nickerson, Boston; brigts Volant, Ganien, Baltimore; E Bigelow, Sydney; schrs Ava, Tracadie; J Williams, McRitchie, Cow Bay; Tracy Jane, Petipas, Pictou; Blue Jacket, Foote, Pictou.

FRIDAY, *May* 17

Schr Spray, Proctor, New York.

SATURDAY, May 18

Steamer Merlin, Samson, St John's, Nfld; brigt Eliza, McLean, Baddeck; schrs Annie Grieve, Burke, Philadelphia; John Loughlin, Livingston, Kelly's Cove; Ready, Savory, Newfld; Sarah Elizabeth, Boudrot, Boston; Spirit of the Day, Arbuckle, P E I; Mary Ann, Burke, do; Granolia, McDean, Charlottetown; R I Hart, Williams, Miboni; Emblem, Green, Pictou; Unity, White, Margaree; Matilda, McKinnon, Baddeck.

SUNDAY, May 19

H M S Gannet, Com Chimmo, Bermuda; brig America, Doody, Boston; brigts Constance, Mason, Baltimore; Margaret, Fanning, Boston; schrs Hawk, Gillis, Newfld; Matilda Hopewell, Ormiston, Cow Bay; Thistle, Larner, St Paul's Island

MONDAY, May 20

Steamer Carlotta, Magune, Portland; brigt Bloomer, Brown, Philadelphia; schrs W K Chapman, Cole, Baltimore; Thistle, Griffeth, LaPoile; Harmony, Bagnall, Cow Bay; Leander, Corkum, LaHave; J R Stewart, McKeown, P E Island; May Queen, Pearce, P E Island.

CLEARED.

May 17—Brigt Messenger, McCulloch, Montreal, schrs Sarah, Poulin, Caraquet; Argo, Crowell, Barrington; Snow Squall, Chasson, Broad Cove, Conservative, Farrell, Cow Bay; Mary Jane, Swain, Banquero.

May 18—Steamer Delta Guilliford, Sydney; ship St David, Gasthier, Buctouche; schrs Br Pearl, Hadley, Guysboro'; Welcome Return, Fault, Bay St Lawrence; Ida Crowell, Swain, Banquero; Margaret Ann, Lee, Lingan.

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Wednesday, May 1st,	9 00 a m
Saturday, 4,	11 00 a m
Wednesday, 8,	3 00 p m
Saturday, 11,	6 00 a m
Wednesday, 15,	9 00 a m
Saturday, 18,	11 00 a m
Wednesday, 22,	2 30 p m
Saturday, 25,	4 30 p m
Wednesday, 29,	8 00 a m

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May 8.

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To the Electors of the County of Halifax:

GENTLEMEN,—

HAVING been nominated, at a large and influential meeting of my fellow-citizens, as a Candidate to represent you in the House of Commons of the Dominion of Canada, I now beg to tender myself for your suffrages at the ensuing Election.

To many of you I am well known, having represented the Western District of Halifax in the Provincial Parliament during the past eight years; and, while occupying that position, I have endeavoured, to the best of my ability, to serve my constituents. With those of you who have heretofore constituted the electors of the Eastern Division of the County I am less acquainted.

The change which has occurred in consequence of the Act of Union has rendered it necessary that you should be represented in the House of Commons, to which body have now been transferred many of the most important interests of the country. The consideration of questions connected with the Tariff the protection of our Fisheries, the Intercolonial Railway, and other matters of scarcely less value, will be within the sphere of that Assembly. To it will also be entrusted the mission of carrying out the scheme of Union in such a way as to effect those beneficial results which we anticipate will flow from it.

As a warm advocate of this great measure, and with the desire that it may be properly carried out, I offer myself to you as a Candidate for a Seat in this important Assembly; and should I be honored with your confidence, it shall be my constant aim, as in the past, so in the future, to watch over your interests, and promote the well-being of my native City and County, in which I feel so deeply interested.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
S. L. SHANNON.

Halifax, May 10, 1867.

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To the Electors of the County of Halifax.

GENTLEMEN.—

IN a few days the House of Assembly will be dissolved, and new elections in the course of the summer will take place for seats in the House of Commons in the Dominion of Canada; and as I have been nominated for one of those seats by my fellow citizens, at a large influential meeting held at Temperance Hall for that purpose, I feel respectfully to solicit from you a renewal of that confidence with which you have honored me during three successive Provincial Parliaments.

I have now to address myself for the first time to the electors of the Eastern Division of this county. It will be seen by the Act of Union, that both divisions form one Constituency, and I feel I have some claim to their support, for, in the discharge of my public duty, in all that related to the local interests of the county, I have known no east or west.

During the twelve years that I have had the honor of a seat in the Legislature the Province has enjoyed a remarkable degree of progressive prosperity Wealth has rapidly increased and the revenue has always been sufficient to provide for the public expenditure. Without the burthen of increased taxation, the coast has been lighted, the rivers bridged, many lines of roads penetrating in every direction opened up, and railways east and west, to grasp the Trade of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and the Bay of Fundy, placed under contract, which when completed will confer lastiffg benefits on the people of this Province. Education has been provided for, and large grants given to steamboats, packets and ferries.

These are results of the combined action of your public men, in which I have had an humble share; and now a bright gleam of hope for the future has cheered the land by the passage of the Union Act and the Credit Bill in the Imperial Parliament, to both of which Her Most Gracious Majesty has given her assent,—uniting these Provinces in the happy bonds of Union, and placing within their reach the means of constructing the great public work "the Intercolonial Railway," for which they have so long and so earnestly laboured.

I hope a just judgment of my past conduct will entitle me to the same measure of good will which has been extended to me during my twelve years of public life; and in the mean time, I again respectfully and earnestly solicit from you a continuance of that confidence which has always cheered me on in the discharge of my public duty.

I have the honor to be Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble servant,
JOHN TOBIN.

Halifax, 1st May, 1767. may 8

BAZAAR.

THE Ladies of the Wesleyan Congregation, Sydney, C B., intend (D. V.) to have a BAZAAR during the Winter of 1868, to aid in the completion of the "Jubilee Church" in Sydney. Contributions in money or in useful and fancy articles will be thankfully received by the members of the following Committee, viz:—Mrs Burchell, President; Miss Burchell, Secretary; Mrs. Jost Treasurer; Mrs. Lorway, Mrs. Greig, Mrs E. Liscomb, Mrs J. Dobson, Mrs C. Muggah, Miss Isabella Muggah, Mrs A. Howie, Mrs Prestwood, Mrs D. McKenzie, Mrs Mackinnon, Miss Kate Muggah, and Miss A. Woodill.

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