

ing was called by requisition of Messrs. Gowen, Phillips, Simpson, Le Mesurier and Freer. The Canada'n says that "at this meeting a deputation was named to act on Sir James McDonell, who on the representations that were made to him, stated that he never had the intention, last year or this year, to cause inconvenience to the citizens; that passes would be granted to the Clergy and Medical men; and that the wicket at Palace Gate would remain open." The Gazette of yesterday says:—

We understand that Sir James will give every facility to gentlemen living beyond the walls, by granting permanent passes, and that similar passes will be given to Medical men and Clergymen in town, and that the wicket gates will be opened to all individuals coming from the Suburbs for medical or clerical assistance, and every aid and facility given in cases of fire. In other respects the gates will be shot as ordered, at eleven o'clock, and the wickets at twelve.

There is some slight difference between these two accounts, but, whichever be correct, our opinion as to the utility of shutting the gates at all remains unaltered. In the name of common sense we again ask the reason of such a proceeding?

GOVERNMENT BAKERY.—Proposals for the construction of a bakery in the Jesuit Barrack Yard, which have been advertised for by the Commissariat, since the 20th ultimo, were opened yesterday at that office; the contract was awarded to Mr. Paradis who under takes the work for £3,080, Halifax currency. There were a number of other proposals, but that was the lowest.

We have received a list of the prizes awarded to pupils of the Quebec Classical School, at the annual examination held on the 18th instant, but regret that we cannot find room for it to day.

We are sorry to say that the reports which were in circulation some time past of mad dogs, is but too truly confirmed. Mr. William Clancy, an old and faithful servant of Mr. Price's, died last night, after about thirty-six hours illness, of a confirmed case of Hydrophobia. He was bitten about six weeks ago, by one of Mr. Price's dogs, which died some days after. Several persons have also been recently bitten in town, under suspicious circumstances. The Magistrates at a Meeting held to-day, ordered the enforcement of the Regulation of the 18th July, 1836, for the immediate destruction of all dogs ranging or at large within the limits of the city.

Any person obstructing the execution of the order, incurs a fine not exceeding five pounds.—*Quebec Gazette.*

BY THIS MORNING'S MAIL.

We have nothing from Upper Canada to-day. The *Montreal Herald* of Thursday contains the following:—

By a private letter received in town yesterday from Hamilton, dated 11th instant, we learn that the militia were under arms all the previous night, in consequence of information having been received by Sir George Arthur, that the sympathisers were about to invade certain portions of Upper Canada, and that Hamilton was one of the places named. A letter from Lieutenant-Colonel Love, of the 85th Regiment, stationed at Toronto, to a gentleman in Hamilton, states that the information is in the possession of Sir George Arthur is derived from the best sources. This accounts for the reports which have been current for some time about the "gatherings" on the frontier.

New York papers are of Friday the 13th instant. On the 11th there had not been much progress made in the House of Representatives towards organization. The reports of the proceedings are so confused that we are unable clearly to understand them.

THE PACKETS.—We take the following from the *New York Herald* of the 13th inst.:—*For Europe*—There will be no packet to-day, as the Sheffield has been hauled up for repairs, and the Stephen Whitney being yet unfinished. The Sheffield will not sail before Thursday or Friday next, and the Stephen Whit-

ney the 13th of next month. The Liverpool steamer departs to-morrow. Her letter bags will close at Gilpin's News Rooms in the Exchange, at twelve o'clock, M.

From the Albany Evening Journal, Dec 12.
THE MANOR DIFFICULTIES. Gen. Averill of Montgomery County, with 500 troops ordered on Monday evening last, arrived in this city last evening. We are happy to announce that communications have been received from the towns interested, which authorize a confident hope that all further resistance to the execution of the law has been abandoned. The information received from the Sheriff last evening, is, that he was successfully executing his process without resistance. Under these circumstances, General Averill has been ordered to return with the troops under his command. Notice has been given to the troops in New York, that there is reason to believe that their services will not be required, and we hope soon to be able to announce the termination of the Manor difficulties, so far as resistance to the law is concerned. We understand that meetings have been held among the tenants of the Manor, and resolutions adopted to petition the Legislature. This is the right and wise course, and we have no doubt that their petition will receive due consideration.

The Eastern mail due yesterday arrived this morning; Halifax papers are of the 10th, St. John of the 12th, and Fredericton of the 14th. H. M. Packet Hope, with the English mail, arrived at Halifax on the 10th inst. in 31 days from Falmouth. Messrs. Reeve and Duncan, R. N., for the lake service in Canada, were passengers in the Packet.

A rumour is current in this city, that the 6th Regiment, now in this garrison, is shortly to be replaced by the 23d Fusiliers from Halifax.—*St. John, N. B., Herald.*

An officer arrived here on Monday last, and proceeded to Halifax, with despatches for Sir Colin Campbell. The 23d Regiment at present stationed in that garrison, are under orders for this Province.—*Fredericton, N.B. Sentinel.*

The brig Fairfield, of London, 1100 Nagyne, (below Quebec) for London, laden with deals, was stranded upon Shipigan Islands, on the 21st November. The hull, materials, and cargo, has been sold at underwriters sale.—*Miranichi Gleaner.*

Anniversary of the landing of the 36th Regiment in British North America, after an absence of 128 years.

On Saturday last, the 7th inst., the Officers of the 36th Regiment commemorated the landing of the Corps in British North America, by a Review in the early part of the day, and a Dinner for the purpose of entertaining His Excellency Major General Sir John Harvey, in the evening.—*Fredericton Sentinel.*

LOST,

ON THURSDAY MORNING,
A BROWN SILK PURSE, with \$11 in it, viz:—one \$5 bill; one \$2 do., and four 18 notes, between the Court House and Mr. Hough's, back to the market and the outside Palace Gate.

Whoever will return the same to this office will be handsomely rewarded.
Quebec, 21st Dec. 1839.



SAINT JOHN'S DAY.

Saint John's Lodge of Free & Accepted Masons of England, No. 214, held in Quebec.

ON FRIDAY the 27th instant, (being St. John's Day) the Brethren of the above Lodge will dine together in celebration thereof, at the Union Inn, Fabrique Street, where Transient Brethren desirous of so doing may also obtain tickets for the occasion, and they are hereby cordially invited.

By order of the W. M.
Quebec, 21st Dec. 1839.

EVENING SALE OF BOOKS.
Will be sold at the subscriber's sale room, on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, 27th and 28th instant.

A COLLECTION of Literary and Historical English Works.
Catalogues of which will be ready on Thursday next.

G. D. BALZARETTI.
21st December.

CHRISTMAS CAKES!

THE SUBSCRIBERS beg respectfully to intimate to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Quebec and its vicinity, that they will have on hand a GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF **CHRISTMAS CAKES**
And other Confectionary:
and will thankfully receive and punctually execute any orders with which they may be favoured for any article in their line.

SCOTT & McCONEY,
No. 50, St. John Street.
Quebec, 21st Dec. 1839.

TO THE LADIES.

On MONDAY Evening, 23rd inst.
WILL BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF LONDON MILLINERY, Dress Caps & Collars; as also, Jewellery, Dry Goods, Hosiery, &c. &c., in Browns's SALE-ROOM, over his Clothing Store, Buade Street. Each article put up separately.

Sale at SIX o'clock.
* Money advanced on goods given in for sale.
Quebec, 21st Dec., 1839.



ST. JOHN'S DAY.

THE BROTHERS of ALBION LODGE, No. 17, U. A. F. M., on the Registry of England, will dine together, on FRIDAY the 27th day of December instant, at the ALBION HOTEL, in celebration of the FESTIVAL OF ST. JOHN; on which occasion such Transient Brethren as may be disposed to join in the celebration are invited to attend.

By order of the W. M.
Quebec, 18th Decr. 1839.
Tickets may be obtained on application at the Bar of the Albion Hotel.

RAFFLE

OF
SPLENDID JEWELLERY, CLOCKS,
&c. &c. &c.

THE RAFFLE to consist of 120 Tickets.
The Prizes are 60 in number, and of the following value:—

1 Prize, £25 0 0	Value, £25 0 0
1 15 0 0	..... 15 0 0
1 8 0 0	..... 8 0 0
1 7 10 0	..... 7 10 0
3 4 10 0	..... 13 10 0
1 4 0 0	..... 4 0 0
2 2 5 0	..... 4 10 0
2 2 0 0	..... 4 0 0
7 1 15 0	..... 12 5 0
1 1 10 0	..... 1 10 0
2 1 5 0	..... 2 10 0
5 1 0 0	..... 5 0 0
3 0 17 6	..... 2 12 6
9 0 15 0	..... 6 15 0
2 0 12 6	..... 1 5 0
19 0 10 0	..... 9 10 0

Total value, £122 17 6

The 60 highest throws will be entitled to a prize each, the highest throw to have the first choice, and so on with the remaining throws.

Tickets, 20s. each, to be had at C. W. Ardouin's, St. John Street, where the prizes may be seen.

C. W. ARDOUIN.
18th Decr., 1839.

JUST PUBLISHED,
THE LOWER CANADA SHEET ALMANACK
FOR 1840.

CAREFULLY CORRECTED, AND CONTAINING BESIDE THE REMARKABLE EVENTS IN EACH MONTH, TABLES of Distances to the principal parts of the Province, Arrival and Departure of the Mails, Rule for Rating Letters, Her Majesty's Ministers, Governor General, &c. Public and other Offices, Court of King's Bench, with a Table of the Terms of Courts for each District, Eclipses, Festivals, &c.

W. COWAN & SON.
4th Decr.



GREEN LINE OF STAGES

BETWEEN
QUEBEC AND MONTREAL.
THROUGH IN TWO DAYS.

THE PROPRIETORS respectfully inform the public in general, that their Line of Stages is in operation:—Days of departure from Quebec and Montreal, every TUESDAY, THURSDAY, and SATURDAY. They will also furnish covered carriages which will proceed every day and hour that they may be called for, for the convenience of the parties calling for them. Packages will be transmitted at reasonable rates. The stopping places on the route will be, at Mr. TIMOTHY MARCOTTE'S, Deschambault; at Mr. CHARLES BERNARD'S, Three Rivers; and at Mr. HARNON, Berthier.

The proprietors will always take it as a favor of persons travelling by this Line, if they should meet with any inconvenience or delay on the route, to inform them of it as speedily as possible, that the proper remedies may be applied.

MICHEL GAUVIN, Quebec,
TIMOTHY MARCOTTE, Montreal.
Quebec, 11th Dec. 1839.

LONDONDERRY.

PERSONS who may be desirous of procuring an early Spring passage for their friends from the above port, can have information as to terms, &c. by applying to
ALLAN GILMOUR & CO.
Quebec, 11th Dec. 1839.

FOR SALE BY THE SUBSCRIBER:

FIFTY Barrels Superfine FLOUR,
400 do. Fine do.
100 Quintals Dry Codfish,
20 do. Large Tallow do.
100,000 Three Rivers Bricks.
JAMES SEATON,
No. 1, St. Peter Street.
Quebec, 7th Dec. 1839.

FOR SALE,

A LOT of good Empty Cans, Peas, &c.
A small quantity of best boiling Pease, —ALSO—
Oak, Elm, Red and White Pine Timber, Deals and Staves, &c.—Apply to
THOMAS JACKSON,
Near the Exchange.
Quebec, 7th Dec. 1839.

BRITANNIA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY
LONDON.

Capital—One Million Stg.
THE SUBSCRIBER having been appointed agent to the above Company in this City, is prepared to receive proposals and to effect Assurance on Lives, on more reasonable terms than ever before offered.

4th December.
R. PENISTON, Agent,
McCallum's Wharf.

CONFECTIONARY, &c.

THE SUBSCRIBER begs to return thanks to his friends and the public in general, for the encouragement which he has received in Quebec during the last eight years, and to inform them that he has leased the premises in Couillard Street, Upper Town, lately occupied by Mr. Richard Deverry, where he intends carrying on the Confectionary Business in all its branches. He will constantly have on hand an assortment of the various articles in his line of business, of the best quality, at moderate prices; and will be at all times prepared to furnish pic-nic and evening parties in the best style.

He trusts by strict attention he will merit a continuance of the patronage which he has hitherto enjoyed, and that such of the inhabitants of this city as dealt with Mr. Deverry during his residence in Quebec, will favour the undersigned with their orders.

R. BERT BACK.
4th Decr. 1839.