

News Summary.

CANADIAN.

The number of patents granted by the Canadian Patent Office during the past year was 77. Of this number, only 19 have been taken out by Lower Canadians, of which nine, or almost one half, were granted to residents of Montreal. Twenty-eight of the inventions are for improved agricultural implements.

The Credit Foncier Bank has been partially organized. A meeting was held and Messrs. DeBoucherville, Turcotte and Langvin, authorized to procure stock-holders.

We learn from Quebec that the Commissioner of Crown Lands has instructed surveyors to proceed with their survey of three or four townships in Manitoulin Island, proceeding from Little Current westward.

The Township of Camdon, in the rear of Kingston says the British American, is overrun with boars who are as bold as ferocious. A child was seized the other day in a door yard and carried off, but was finally rescued by the aid of dogs. Hogs some, some weighing nearly 200 lbs. are occasionally taken out of their pens. Last week a she Bruin and her two cubs were encountered by Mr. Booth, who had been a heavy loser in the pork line, and all three shot on suspicion.

Application is to be made at the next Session of Parliament, for an Act, to empower a Company to construct a Railroad, from some point in the Town of Guelph, direct to Forquus, thence to Arthur Mount Fores. Durham, Owen Sound, and some point on Lake Huron—with power to Work or Lease the same to any other Company.

UNITED STATES.

There has been considerable fighting at Chattanooga. The following are the telegraphic reports:

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24th.

The latest news, up to 10.40 this evening, from Grant is most satisfactory. Generals Thomas and Sherman have got well ahead. The fighting in our immediate front has lasted all day long. At every point along the line we have forced the rebels backward.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 25th.

The following official dispatch from Major-General Grant has been received at the head-quarters of the army here:—

CHATTANOOGA, Nov. 24th.

To MAJOR-GENERAL HALLECK, General-in-Chief.—Yesterday, at 12.30 o'clock, General Granger's and General Palmer's corps, supported by Gen. Howard's, were advanced directly in front of our fortifications, drove in the enemy's pickets, and carried his first line of rifle pits, between Chattanooga and Cicer's creek. We captured nine commissioned officers and about one hundred enlisted men. Our loss is about one hundred and eleven. To-day General Hooker, in command of Gen. Geary's division, twelfth corps; General Osterhaus' division, fifteenth corps, and two brigades of the fourteenth corps, carried the north slope of Look-out Mountain, with small loss on our side, and a loss to the enemy of five or six hundred prisoners—killed and wounded not reported. There has been continuous fighting from 12 o'clock until after night, but our troops gallantly repulsed every attempt to take the position. General Sherman crossed the Tennessee river before daylight this morning, at the mouth of the South Chickamauga, with three divisions of the fifteenth corps, and one division of the fourteenth corps, and carried the northern extremity of Missionary Ridge. Our success so far has been complete, and the behaviour of the troops admirable.

Further details from the Tache, relative to the attack on Washburn's advance, show the Federal loss in killed and wounded, and prisoners, to be 677. The 67th Indiana was captured almost entire. The 60th Indiana and 69th Ohio lost heavily. But a New Orleans letter, of the 11th, to the ———, says:—Our loss in the Carron Crow affair is not less than 600 killed and wounded, and 1,000 prisoners. Our troops were caught napping, and were greatly outnumbered, but fought bravely. Two 12-pounder Parrotts were captured by the rebels, whose force numbered 6,000; ours not over 1,800, being the rear-guard of our army.

Gen. Burnside was still holding out when last heard from, and had notified the citizens that he would certainly hold Knoxville. The Rebel force opposed to him was estimated at 30,000. Knoxville is not closely invested by the Rebels. Gen. Burnside is holding Knoxville under instructions from Gen. Grant, and it is not to be supposed, therefore, that the forces under Gens. Thomas, Hooker and Sherman are wasting their time during these momentous days.

On the 17th, Gen. Gilmore threw a number of shells into Charleston; 19 entered the town, 15 burst over it, and 4 only fell short. The work was continued the next day, but with what result is not known.

Fortress Monroe advices of Nov. 20, state that sixteen Rebel prisoners had arrived there from Yorktown. The steamer Conway (which we took up the James with food and clothing for Union prisoners at Richmond) returned to Fortress Monroe on the 20th. Col. Irving has satisfactorily transferred all the Government rations, as well as all the provisions from the Baltimore Relief Fund for the Union prisoners in and about Richmond, to Commissioner Ould.

It was rumored on Monday that the army of the Potomac had packed ten days' cooked rations and begun an advance upon Lee. But the Washington Star, of the same day, says that no such information was known in official quarters, nor was the army expected to move on that day.

The payment for all branches of the public service for the fiscal year ending with the last of June were \$903,000,000, of which amount \$600,000,000 were for the Army, and \$303,000,000 for the Navy.

Commercial.

GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.

TRAFFIC FOR WEEK ENDING 20TH NOV., 1863.

Table with 2 columns: Item (Passengers, Freight and Live Stock, Mails and Sundries) and Amount (\$20,421 28, 36,122 44, 1,274 71 1/2)

Corresponding Week of last year..... \$53,118 43 1/2
Decrease..... \$7,027 60

JAMES CHARLTON.

AUDIT OFFICE, HAMILTON, Nov. 21, 1863.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

RETURN OF TRAFFIC, FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOV. 14TH, 1863.

Table with 2 columns: Item (Passengers, Mails and Sundries, Freight and Live Stock) and Amount (\$31,191 33, 2,803 00, 67,712 41)

Total..... \$101,704 24
Corresponding week, 1862..... 100,862 62
Increase..... \$841 62

JOSEPH HICKSON.

MONTREAL, NOV. 20, 1863.

LIVERPOOL MARKETS.

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